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NEW COUNTY JAIL IS NOW ASSURED

BOND ISSUE CARRIED YESTERDAY WITH ABOUT FORTY VOTES TO SPARE.

GOOD MAJORITY IN CITY

Iowa Park Went Heavily Against It As Did Other Country Boxes—Light Vote.

From Wednesday's rally
With practically every box in, there is little doubt that the bond issue for a new county jail has received enough votes to carry it. The city rolled up a good majority which, assisted by the smaller county boxes, was sufficient to overcome the majority against in the larger of the country boxes.
Iowa Park set herself up as a model of progress and patriotism by giving a majority of 100 to 2 against the bonds. Electra gave a majority of 30 to 7 for the bonds, Burkburnett gave a small majority against it.
The two city boxes pulled in 162 votes for the bond issue and 16 against, giving a majority of 146. This is a much poorer showing than was made at the previous election, when the number of citizens out working for votes was much larger. Up to noon today the vote stood as follows:

Box	For	Against
Court House	109	12
City Hall	53	4
Iowa Park	2	100
Allendale	2	4
Electra	30	7
Burkburnett	14	27
Friberg	4	2
Clara	2	20
Denny
Beaver Creek
Total	216	178

The majority at the previous election, which was declared invalid on a technicality, was between 80 and 90. The lessened majority this time is due to the lack of activity in the city. Secretary Goble and Jim Marlow were the hardest workers for the bonds, each securing a large number of votes. Many were too lazy to walk to the polls, though in favor of the bonds.

Mabledean Items.

Mabledean, Tex., July 30.—Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Eskridge and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday with Mrs. G. W. Campbell.
Mr. and Mrs. Suggs dined with Mrs. C. L. Campbell Sunday.
Mrs. Ed Cook was shopping in Wichita Falls Saturday.
A party of young people took lunch with Miss Clara Wylie Sunday. The out of town guests were Misses Salye and Ruth Eskridge of Scotland.
Mrs. N. B. Singletary returned Sunday from an extended trip to the Gulf, where she was visiting friends. She reports a pleasant time.
Mr. Cohen and family were over from Jolly Sunday to attend church.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Boger and chauffeur, Warren, made a trip to Henrietta Sunday in their new automobile.
Miss Emily Sears was out from Jolly to attend church last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dean were shoppers in Wichita Falls last Thursday.
The meeting closed Sunday night with a good attendance.
Misses Ruth and Sallys Eskridge, who have been the guests of Kathryn Clark, returned to their homes Monday.
Mrs. N. B. Singletary and daughter, Kathryn, called on Mrs. Sarah Clark Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Dug. Irvine and children from Rock Springs were visiting Mrs. F. D. Clark Saturday and Sunday.

WILL NOT FILIBUSTER.

Southern Senators Surrender to the Inevitable.
Washington, D. C., July 31.—Senator Bailey, who threatened last night to filibuster against the tariff bill until November, because cotton bagging was put on the dutiable list in violation of the senate agreement, is less disposed to fight after a democratic caucus today. In conference, the senators agreed that the bill had been framed for the sole interest of New England against the interests of the south and west, but agreed to allow it to pass after a protest.

Real Estate Transfers.

W. E. Coffman and wife to W. G. Huthines, lot 1 in block 161, Electra; \$50.
Kleber White to J. M. Isley, lots 25 and 26, block 282; \$760.
E. S. White and wife to J. M. Isley, lot 27 in block 262; \$760.
Wichita Development Company to T. G. Taylor, lot 14 in block 145; \$325.
Fred G. Taylor to S. A. Talley, lot 14 in block 145; \$175.90 and other considerations.
T. J. Isley and wife to J. W. Gallagher, lot 11 in block 230; \$600.

SMALL BOY KILLED BY ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE

From Saturday's Daily.

The 11-year-old son of J. T. Nichols, residing near Jolly, was fatally shot yesterday afternoon through the accidental discharge of a Winchester rifle. The ball entered the skull, death ensuing in about four hours. The boy had driven a team out to the field after some corn, the rifle, loaded, lying in the bed of the wagon. When he returned, he seized the rope from the wagon to tie the horses with, and in some strange way the rifle was discharged, the bullet entering his head. The noise of the shot was heard in the house and members of the family were on the scene at once, but it was evident that death was but a matter of a few hours. The accident occurred at 7 o'clock and the child died about 10:30 last night. The funeral services were held this afternoon, Rev. Fry officiating.
J. T. Nichols, father of the boy, formerly resided in this city. He is a well-to-do farmer of the Jolly neighborhood, where the untimely death of his son is deeply regretted.

MURDERER LYNCHED.

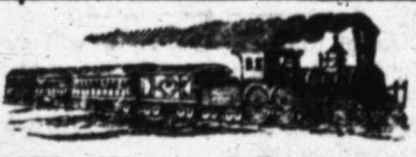
Jail Door is Battered in By Mob at Platt City.
Platt City, Mo., Aug. 2.—George Johnson, a white man, who murdered John Moore, a farmer, on June 20th, was lynched early today. His trial was to have begun today, he having been brought back from Kansas City, where he was taken for safe keeping. About fifty men battered down the cell door and strung Johnson up to a tree.

HEALTH BOARD TO MEET.

Adoption of Sanitary Code is to Come Up for Action.
Austin, Tex., July 31.—The State Health Board meets here Monday and State Health Officer Brumby said the new sanitary code provided for under the new law has been completed and will be submitted for the approval of the board. It is said that the new code provides minimum requirements and will meet with little opposition from any city or county health officer of the State.

Farmers' Union at Galveston.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 2.—Delegates are arriving for the convention of the Texas Farmers' Union, which commences here tomorrow. It is believed the minimum price of cotton will be named. It is expected Nellie Norton will be elected State secretary to succeed present Secretary Smith.



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Leave Wichita Falls 2:00 p. m.
Arrive Frederick 5:10 p. m.

No. 8 Local Freight and Passenger. (Daily Except Sunday.)
Leave Wichita Falls 7:30 a. m.
Arrives Frederick 11:45 a. m.

No. 7 Local Freight and Passenger. (Daily Except Sunday.)
Leaves Frederick 1:30 p. m.
Arrive Wichita Falls 5:45 p. m.
Wichita Falls and Southern.
Leaves Wichita Falls 2:20 p. m.
Arrives Archer City 4:20 p. m.
Arrives Olney 5:30 p. m.
Arrives Newcastle 6:30 p. m.
Leaves Newcastle 6:30 a. m.
Leaves Olney 7:30 a. m.
Leaves Archer City 8:40 a. m.
Arrives Wichita Falls 10:15 a. m.

Fort Worth and Denver City.
Northbound— Arrives Leaves
No. 1 1:45 p. m. 1:50 p. m.
No. 3 12:15 p. m. 12:35 p. m.
No. 5 11:45 p. m.
No. 7 2:15 a. m. 2:25 a. m.
Southbound Arrives Leaves
No. 2 1:50 p. m.
No. 4 11:15 a. m. 11:35 a. m.
No. 6 3:25 a. m.
No. 8 2:25 a. m. 2:35 a. m.

Wichita Valley.
No. 1, to Abilene—Leaves.. 2:00 p. m.
No. 5, to Abilene—Leaves.. 12:05 a. m.
No. 2, From Abilene—Ar... 12:15 p. m.
No. 6, From Abilene—Ar... 3:15 a. m.
No. 8, to Byers—Leaves... 9:30 a. m.
No. 10, to Byers—Leaves... 2:30 p. m.
No. 7, From Byers—Arrives.. 1:30 p. m.
No. 9, From Byers—Arrives.. 6:05 p. m.

M. K. and T. Railway.
Arrives
No. 271, From Dallas..... 10:15 p. m.
No. 9, From Denison 12:50 p. m.
Leaves
No. 272, To Dallas 6:30 a. m.
No. 16, To Denison 2:00 p. m.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, August 6th, 1909.

CAN THE PRESIDENT AFFORD TO SIGN THIS TARIFF BILL?

President William H. Taft has given out an itinerary of his western trip. The route of travel takes him on a long swing across the country reaching from the extreme Northwest to the extreme Southwest. It will be the first visit of the new President to the people and he will undoubtedly be hailed with acclaim that American citizenship in patriotic splendor accords the President of the United States. Mr. Taft should enter upon that trip not only as the occupant of first place in the Nation, but as the leader of the Nation's thought.

Just now Nelson W. Aldrich occupies the position the President ought to occupy. Every man in the commercial world realizes that the Rhode Island Senator is shaping the most important piece of legislation of a decade in the framing of the new tariff schedule. Every paragraph in the measure is contrary to the public utterances and promises of President Taft. At no time has effective consideration been given to the embarrassment this tariff measure will cause the President. In fact, impudently it might be said, the framers have treated the President's public speeches as so much vapor, and in seeming confidence that the President will approve whatever tariff measure they may put before him.

We do not attempt to understand President Taft's complacent survey of the situation, nor his jovial association with the House and Senate leaders in the face of the retreat they are about to ask him to make. If the President approves the tariff bill in substantially the form it came from the senate he will go on his Western swing as president of the United States—but Nelson W. Aldrich will remain at Washington as the Nation's ruler. That is a situation President Taft cannot afford to permit.—National Monthly.

John Abernathy, whose chief claim to fame and distinction is that he can catch a measley coyote wolf with his

bare hands and done the trick several times for the amusement of ex-President Roosevelt while on his hunt several years ago in the Big Pasture, receiving as his reward the appointment of U. S. Marshall for the Western District of Oklahoma, has again threatened to do something that will keep his name before the public. This time the big old dressed-up ex-cow-puncher says it is his intention to start his two small sons, aged respectively 13 and 5 years, on a 13,000 mile horseback ride. Perhaps it has not occurred to John that the lives of his two innocent sons will be greatly endangered by such a foolish venture, but he seems determined to attract publicity to himself, and so long as Roosevelt is out of the country this seems his last chance.

It is now a pretty well settled fact that the West Texas Normal is to be suctioned off to the highest bidder without regard to the natural advantages offered for the location of the school. This should be a sufficient hint to Wichita Falls that she must not rely wholly on the natural advantages which she has to offer for the landing of this splendid plum. One town has already offered a bonus of \$90,000, and if Wichita Falls secures the school she will necessarily be compelled to raise a good sized cash bonus aside from the other advantages offered. It will do no good at this time to discuss the propriety of the locating committee in taking into consideration the size of the bonus offered. It has already given the various towns which are candidates for this State institution to understand that a respectable cash bonus would be expected for the location of the school, and if Wichita Falls secures it, she will have to get busy.

It begins to look as if the penitentiary investigation now in progress is going to result in great good. So far it has been revealed that at least one convict was so severely whipped that he died of "heart failure" the following night, and it has also been established that at least one child was given birth by a female prisoner in a field where prisoners are required to work. A whole lot of the evidence so far secured is unprintable.

The Bailey matter is not, or at least should not be an issue in the race for governor, and the candidate or candidates who are relying on that question to make them votes are likely to find out their mistake when it is too late. Bailey has his own troubles, and when he becomes a candidate for office or political honors, it will be time enough for the voters to take up his case and act on it.

The report of the Federal investigation committee shows that two per cent of the hogs slaughtered at the various packing houses throughout the United States are tuberculous. Still, the percentage in the United States is much smaller than that of foreign countries, some of which run as high as five and seven per cent.

A Minneapolis man took a picture of some woman crossing a street on a muddy day, saying he had an ethical use for it. O you sociological investigation.

The San Angelo fair is overwhelmed with applications for the marrying prize, to be given the couple wed in an automobile in front of the grandstand. They are getting married every day in Wichita Falls without the assistance of either autos or county fairs.

In view of the fact that Both King Edward and the Czar are well supplied with chin foliage, there is some curiosity to know whether or not they kissed when they met The Associated Press is silent on the subject.

New York is wrought up over a newspaper discussion as to whether loose or tight fitting underwear is best for warm weather. Time was when that problem was solved with the greatest simplicity in Texas.

Our fire department may assume an air of deliberation in its peregrinations over the city, but it is doing a lot better than that Missouri company that answered an alarm thirty days after it was sounded.

If Mr. Bryan should happen to take up his residence in Texas, the democrats of this State would hardly allow him to remain here for a great while without bestowing upon him any political power which he might desire.

There was a striking contrast between the result of Tuesday's amendment election and that of two years ago, when six needed provisions were sent down to defeat. The people are waking up.

If Messrs. Colquitt, Johnson, Shaw et al really think anybody cares enough about the distant primaries to worry about their platforms, they are soon to discover their mistake.

"After we get that Normal, Clarendon's growth will be normal," says the Clarendon Chronicle. Enroll Bro. Weatherly as a member of the Paragaphers' Union at once.

The joke of the season, that the people are actually paying their congressmen and senators money to increase the tariff, is now thrust home with painful and brutal accuracy.

The Iowans in South Texas are planning to organize. We had supposed there were people in Texas from Iowa, but it was inconceivable that any of them would admit it.

If any of the home-coming congressmen are met at the depot by constituents it's a safe bet the latter will find tar and feathers more serviceable than a brass band.

The totem is the latest good luck emblem in society circles and as usual Wichita Falls is in line. Her street cars will soon tote 'em wherever they want to go.

Angel Child Evelyn Thaw will sue for her divorce in Nevada, for which let us all be thankful, as Associated Press correspondents are a rarity in that State.

Iowa Park did her best to defeat the fall bond issue, but she didn't stack up much. She wants to grow some before she goes up against Wichita Falls.

A New York man's life was saved by his fountain pen deflecting a bullet, which proves that these new fangled inventions are not all useless.

No man who has children or expects to have them is doing his duty if he fails to vote for the school amendments tomorrow. Vote early and work late.

Help to sustain Wichita's reputation for progress by supporting the bond issue tomorrow. The present fall is a disgrace to any decent community.

There are entirely too many people in Texas whose only knowledge of tomorrow's election will be from the fact that the saloons will be closed.

The substitution of the name "legal-extortionists" for "high-protectionists" may not be as polite, but it's a lot more appropriate.

The main trouble with the London suffragettes who are starving themselves in that they don't carry it far enough.

The Wrights, Bierlot and Count Zep have done their best, but the tariff committee has pulled off the only high flying stunt lately.

The new women's hats are about two feet more lofty than present styles. We knew the tariff bill would send them higher.

Now that H. Clay Pierce is married, it is up to the State of Texas to give him a memorable honeymoon in October.

An Abilene paper publishes a roast of the use of grapevine telegraph. Possibly its conscience is hurting.

If King Alfonso of Spain loses his job, how is he going to support his regularly-increasing family?

The Wichita Falls team continues to revise Henrietta downward.

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- Five Work Mules
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- One Sectional Harrow
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Wants Local Capitalists to Take Part of the Stock—The Matter is to Be Pushed.

Glen Wilson of Illinois, a leading young packer of that state, is in Wichita Falls today looking over this city with a view to placing a packing house here. Mr. Wilson, with his father and brother, operates one of the largest independent plants in the State of Illinois, but they are desirous of moving to a new field, having an opportunity to sell out.

Mr. Wilson has no definite proposition to make the Chamber of Commerce, but told Secretary Gohlke this morning that he was willing to establish a hundred thousand dollar plant here on a profit-sharing basis, a certain per cent of the stock to be taken by local capital. A plant of this size would employ about seventy-five men. The bonus plan does not appeal to Mr. Wilson, he wishing local men to feel a more compelling interest in the company. Secretary Gohlke was able to assure Mr. Wilson of hearty co-operation by the railroads here and of encouragement by local capital. Mr. Wilson will return to the north shortly and hopes to be able to interest Wichita capital sufficiently to build his plant here.

Mr. Wilson's proposition will be considered earnestly, but in the meantime other packing house negotiations will be carried on to some definite end.

Northwestern Bridge Destroyed.
 Fire at 10 o'clock this morning destroyed five hundred and sixty feet of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern railroad bridge over the Red river between Burk Burnett and Devo. The loss is about four thousand dollars.

The origin of the fire is unknown. It was discovered shortly before 10 o'clock and gangs were rushed to the scene from both the Texas and Oklahoma sides, the local office being notified immediately. The fire had destroyed five hundred and sixty feet from the Texas end of the structure before it could be extinguished.

Traffic is being but slightly impeded by the destruction of the bridge, passengers, baggage and express matter being transferred from one side to the other.

It was announced at the Northwestern offices today that work on the damaged bridge had already begun and that it was hoped to be able to resume traffic over it by next Tuesday. The officials have gone at remedying the trouble with their accustomed resourcefulness and energy and will have matters in good shape again very soon.

That the fire was of incendiary origin is the accepted belief, as there was little possibility of its being ignited in any other way. There is no settlement at the crossing and no houses in the neighborhood, making the setting of the bridge afire a comparatively easy matter.

The morning train had already passed the bridge and no trains were endangered by the destroyed structure.

BRITISH NAVY REVIEWED

King Edward Looks Over the National Craft.

Portsmouth, July 31.—More than three hundred ships of the British navy, the largest assemblage of modern war craft ever seen under one flag, in their gayest holiday dress, were reviewed by King Edward today, while hundreds of thousands, ashore and afloat, saw the brilliant spectacle. The review, which marked the close of the great naval maneuvers which have been in progress for over a month took place in the Solent. In the picturesque roadstead from East Cowes to Stokes Bay the great fleet of battleships, cruisers and smaller fighting craft lay at anchor in six columns. Preceding from Cowes, King Edward, on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert, passed along the line while the great guns belched forth a continuous salute.

AMARILLO CHARTER ELECTION.

Opposition is So Strenuous That New Charter is Friendless.

Amarillo, Tex., July 31.—Opposition to the new city charter, embodying the commission form of government, is so strenuous that the charter's friends have practically abandoned the fight in today's election and will allow opponents of the measure to win by default.

For Sale.

One fine brood mare with spring colt, and one 1-year-old colt. Cheap for cash. Address J. J. Manley, Box 304, Wichita Falls, Texas. 30-2tp

NEW BANK OPENS UP FOR BUSINESS

WICHITA STATE BANK THREW OPEN ITS DOORS FOR FIRST TIME THIS MORNING.

WERE MANY DEPOSITORS

New Institution is Given Very Encouraging Start—Handsomely Equipped.

From Monday's Daily.
 The Wichita State Bank, Wichita Falls' newest banking institution, threw open its doors, as scheduled, at 9 o'clock this morning and is now ready to do business. This is Wichita Falls' fourth bank.

The new bank is located on the ground floor of the Vreeland building, at Eighth street and Indiana avenue. The incomplete appearance of the building led many to believe that the bank had not opened, but all who investigated found the officers on hand and ready for business.

It was no easy task for the bank to keep its promise in opening today. The fixtures did not arrive until Saturday and the safe preceded it by but a few days, making it very difficult to get things in order, but it was done, just the same. The big globular steel safe has been set up to the right of the front door, and it is plain view of all passers by.

The bank had not been doing business many minutes before the first depositors arrived and up to 3 o'clock this afternoon a large number had opened accounts there, evidencing the confidence which the officers command at the very start.

The interior of the bank is finished in mahogany stain, giving it a very handsome appearance. Every detail of the railings and other fixtures is attractive and pleasing. The ceiling is of steel. The interior effect is simple, but pleasing, and the bank is one of the most handsomely fitted up in the city.

The officers are: J. C. Tandy, president; B. E. King, cashier; J. W. Hopper, assistant cashier.

The Texas State Bank of Fort Worth and the First State Bank of Dallas have been designated as its reserve agents.

New Lincoln Cent Ready.

Washington, D. C., July 31.—Distribution of the new cents, which bear the head of Lincoln instead of that of the Indian, which has ornamented them for so many years, will begin Monday. The Philadelphia mint has a total of over 30,000,000 of the new coins on hand with which to supply the orders that are coming in from banks throughout the country. As there are 1,650,000,000 pennies of the old style in circulation, however, it will probably be a good many years before the Lincoln coin entirely supplants the familiar Indian head.

is Fatally Burned.

Amarillo, Tex., Mrs. F. A. Allam was burned to death in a fire which destroyed her home four miles from Pampa yesterday.

Real Estate Transfers.

J. M. Bell and wife to John T. Overbey, lot 8 in block D, Iowa Park; \$152.

H. B. Hines and wife to John T. Overbey, lot 9 of Block D, Iowa Park, and lots 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 of Block M, Iowa Park; \$3500.

T. F. Overbey and wife to J. T. Overbey, an undivided half interest in 294 acres of the John M. Sharp survey; half interest in 23 acres of the Day Land and Cattle Company patent; an undivided one-third interest in 320 acres of the H. B. Balch survey; \$1 in cash and other considerations.

Reese S. Allen to Michener and Myers, subdivision of blocks 261 and 262 of Waggoner colony lands, 428 acres; \$5,000.

C. J. Ferguson to R. S. Allen, 428 acres of subdivision of blocks 261 and 262, Waggoner colony lands; \$10 and other considerations.

Frank Kell to the Texas Company, lot 5 and part of lot 4, Barwise and Jackson addition; \$400.

W. S. Peterson and wife to E. B. Mouser, lot 4 in block 148, Electra; \$390.

Robert E. Huff to J. W. Gallagher, lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, Spivey addition; \$1,000.

Minnesota Bars Cigarette.

St. Paul, Minn., July 31.—Today was a bargain day for cigarette smokers throughout Minnesota. At midnight tonight the anti-cigarette law passed by the last legislature becomes effective and dealers were anxious to get rid of their stock before the measure becomes operative. The new law prohibits the sale of or giving away of cigarettes or the paper used in making them, and prohibits the keeping of the cigarettes and papers for sale. It exempts jobbers who do an interstate business.



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Personal Mention.

From Saturday's Daily.

Rev. A. J. Bush left this afternoon for Seymour and other points.

Judge C. B. Felder returned this morning from a business trip to Frederick, Oklahoma.

Miss Annie Long, who has been visiting friends in Bowie, returned home this afternoon.

Misses Myrtle and Pearl Newby left this afternoon for Elk City, Oklahoma, to visit relatives.

Dr. A. R. Matthews and wife of Archer City were among the local visitors in the city today.

Miss Lillie Posey of Austin is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Miller, at 1109 Eighth street.

Herbert Dowell, a young traveling salesman of Dalas is in Wichita Falls on business today.

Mrs. J. C. Cannon of Dallas, who has been here to undergo an operation by Dr. Moore, is recovering.

Secretary Gohlke of the Chamber of Commerce will spend tomorrow with Mrs. Gohlke in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. W. W. Landrum of Waco was in the city today en route to Seymour to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Lizale Eppler of Amarillo, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. B. Patterson of this city, left for home this afternoon.

Marvin Clark of Pittsburg, Texas, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. V. G. Skeen of this city, left yesterday for his home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Golding of Alvarado arrived in the city this afternoon and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Colburne.

Mrs. M. Dodson of Burkburnett, who has been visiting relatives in New Mexico and Oklahoma, was in the city today on her return home.

Little Miss Norma and Master Jack Allen returned home this morning, after a month's visit among friends at Texarkana, Hot Springs and Benton, Arkansas.

Passenger Conductor C. A. Roberts of the Fort Worth and Denver, with headquarters at Fort Worth, is here today transacting business and meeting friends.

Mr. J. M. Faubion of Burkburnett was in the city today en route to Leander, whither he had been called by telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother.

Rev. Leo I. O'Connor, C. S. C., assistant rector of Notre Dame, Ind., is a visitor to Wichita Falls, the guest of his brother, J. F. O'Connor and family, 1310 Twelfth street.

Mr. and Mrs. John U. Smith of Jacksonville, Texas, who have been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson and other relatives, left for their home this afternoon. Mr. Smith says he is pleased with Wichita Falls and thinks he will locate here in the near future.

From Monday's Daily.

Judge Barrett of Childress is in the city on legal business today.

M. Staude of Fort Worth is here today renewing old acquaintances.

Judge Bullock of Decatur is in the city, the guest of Dr. R. L. Miller.



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J. W. Campbell of Holliday was transacting business here today.

Drs. Donnell of Olney and Dice of Burkburnett were in the city today.

Eugene Isley has left for a pleasure trip to Kansas City and other points.

Mrs. Z. Dellis left today for Chickasha, Oklahoma, to visit relatives.

Dr. H. A. Waller and family left this afternoon for the mountains of Colorado.

Mrs. J. W. Parker left yesterday for Seymour to visit her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Humphreys.

S. E. Dempsey, a prominent oil man from Petrolia, was transacting business here today.

J. A. Kemp returned Saturday from Michigan, where he spent several days on a recreation trip.

Mrs. C. C. Young returned this afternoon from her visit with friends at Goodnight, Texas.

Mrs. W. C. Jonte will leave in the morning for Sherman, where she will visit relatives indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kiel left this afternoon for Colorado, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Anderson left this morning for Ego, Oklahoma, at which place they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howard and his sister, Miss Josie Howard, left yesterday for Aspermont to visit relatives.

C. A. Wheeler, superintendent of the public schools at New Boston, Texas, was in the city today, the guest of C. G. Patterson and family.

J. S. Schultz and family of Seymour were in the city today en route to Seattle, Washington, to attend the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition.

Mrs. I. F. McHam of Paris, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. M. A. Stirman and other relatives in this city, left for her home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hooker of Charlie, Texas, were among the local visitors in the city today. Mrs. Hooker was en route to Lockney, Texas, to visit her parents.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Russell Eakin of Dundee was here today meeting friends.

Mrs. W. E. Carter is visiting relatives and friends at Henrietta.

Editor Haney of the Byers Searchlight was a visitor in the city today.

Mrs. Ed Howard left today to visit relatives in Bonham and Wolfe City.

C. H. Clark, a prominent business man from Iowa Park, was here today on business.

Mrs. J. T. Crutcher left this evening for San Antonio to look after property interests.

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H. B. Hines, a prominent citizen from Iowa Park, was here today looking after business interests.

Misses Susan and Laura Leach left yesterday for a month's visit to the summer resorts in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Morgan of Burkburnett were in the city today the guests of Rev. J. M. Morton.

Misses Heba Ziegler and Gertrude Orth returned this evening from their visit with friends at Fort Worth.

E. E. Neale, manager for the Neale Lumber Company at Holliday, was transacting business here today.

Mrs. C. Clark, general agent for the American National Life Insurance Company of Galveston, is here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jolly left this evening for Mineral Wells, whither Mr. Jolly goes to be treated for rheumatism.

Miss Dora Landrum of Bowie, who has been visiting relatives at Petrolia, passed through the city today en route home.

Edison Jalonick and his sister, Miss Helen, who have been visiting relatives in Dallas, returned home this evening.

Miss Eddie Ramey of Chillicothe, who has been the guest of her friend, Mrs. Amos Morris of this city, returned home this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barwise of Fort Worth, who have been visiting relatives in the city, returned today, accompanied by Miss Annie Carrigan.

Dr. J. J. Hordon and wife and Miss Alice Nolan of Stamford were in the city today the guests of Dr. L. P. Amason and family, while en route to Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. H. A. Fairchild and little baby left this evening for Decatur to visit relatives. From there Mrs. Fairchild will go to Austin to visit her husband, who is a student of the law department of the University of Texas.

From Wednesday's Daily.

R. C. Malone of Abilene is here today on business.

Mrs. Fred Householder is visiting friends in Byers.

J. J. Perkins of Decatur was transacting business here today.

Monti Hart of Archer City was here today transacting business.

H. R. Hanks left this evening for Gatesville to visit his parents.

J. W. Howard left this evening for Holliday to attend the reunion.

Mrs. Geo. Simmons left yesterday for Terrell to visit her daughter, Mrs. Cavanaugh.

Geo. E. Englehart, general salesman for the Club Ranch in Archer county, was here on business today.

Mrs. R. E. Clopton and daughter, Miss Mabelle, leave in the morning for Chicago to be absent two or three weeks.

Mark Walker, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, left this evening for a month's recreation in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Engels of Charlie left this afternoon for Hecla, Neb., where they expect to spend the next month visiting relatives.

Mayor T. B. Noble and family left this evening for Colorado Springs, Col., where they will spend a month pleasure seeking.

W. C. Cannon returned yesterday from a visit with his parents at San Saba. He was accompanied by his brother, who will visit here indefinitely.

C. C. Connor and W. R. Humphrey of Archer City were in the city today en route to Corpus Christi to attend the Epworth League State Encampment.

Sanford Wilson, a prominent citizen from Archer City, was here today en route to Seattle, Washington, to attend the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition.

Messrs. Brown & Crammer have let

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- Lot 3. One hundred pair Men's low cut shoes worth up to \$4.00. Now **\$2.29**
- Lot 4. Ten dozen Men's shirts, worth \$1.50 to \$2.00. All go at **.49**
- Lot 5. Seventy-five pair Boy's shoes, worth up to \$3.50. Go at **\$1.19**
- Lot 6. 150 Hart, Schaffner & Marx suits, worth \$18.50, \$25.00 up to \$32.50. All must go at **\$9.99**
- Lot 7. \$3.50 and \$4.00 Straw Hats. Must go at **\$1.29**
- Lot 8. \$3.00 and \$4.00 Men's Felt Hats. Must go at **\$1.59**
- Lot 9. Men's ten cent canvas gloves. Must go at **.06**
- Lot 10. 20 dozen Boy's knee pants, worth up to \$2.00. All go at **.49**
- Lot 11. 20 dozen Men's shirts, and drawers to match, worth up to 75c. Must go at **.29**

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From Thursday's Daily.

R. P. Webb left this afternoon for Alford to visit his family.

T. H. Kemp of Olney was shaking hands with friends here today.

Mrs. E. E. Brown left last night for Clarendon and Goodnight to visit relatives.

Kit Cowan returned last night from Mineral Wells. He reports that his health is greatly improved.

George Knight and A. L. Brubaker, two of Iowa Park's leading citizens, are here today on business.

K. A. White, a popular hardware salesman out of Dallas, is here today visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. White.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Roberts returned last night from a two weeks visit to their old home at New Hampton, Iowa.

Mrs. A. B. Hancock of Iowa Park, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. R. Jordan of this city, returned home yesterday.

Miss Ella May Harris and Miss Edna Stinson of Frederick, Oklahoma, are

the guests of Miss Hesba Ziegler of this city.

Superintendent O. E. Maer and Chief Clerk Mack of the Wichita Valley spent yesterday in Fort Worth on business.

Miss Edith Slaten, bookkeeper for J. L. Lea, left this afternoon for Byers to visit her friend, Mrs. Munday, for the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Grove and children left this afternoon for Strasburg, Virginia, where they expect to spend the next month.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strom and children of Denison visited with relatives in this city yesterday. They left last night for Clarendon, where they will visit for a few days.

Mr. J. M. Faubion of Burkburnett was in the city today en route home from Leander, Texas, whither he had been called by telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother, who died in that city last Monday.

Alleged Deserter Arrested.

Denison, Tex., Aug. 5.—James B. Hemphill was arrested here today, charged with deserting the United States' artillery service at San Francisco several months ago. He was taken to Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

KIDNAPPED CHILDREN SHIPPED AWAY IN TRUNK

St. Louis, Aug. 4.—Three additional arrests were made early today in the kidnaping case of Grace and Tam-masso Viviano, who were taken from their home Monday and are being held for \$25,000 ransom. The police say they believe the children were put in trunks and shipped out of the city. The detectives located an express office where the trunks were delivered and the clerk said two of them were sent to Chicago. Officers there have been notified.

WOULD NOT LEAVE GIRL.

Mexican Lover Puts Bullet Into His Heart.

San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 4.—Jose Bonilla, a Mexican, aged 24, shot himself through the heart at his sweetheart's home today, dying instantly. He was engaged to marry, but unable to secure employment. He told the girl he had found a position in Beaumont, but rather than leave her preferred death. Then he put a bullet in his heart.

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