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SENATOR DEFENDS KENTUCKY'S NAME

BRADLEY TAKES FLOOR OF SENATE TO RESENT RECENT SLANDERS.

ON TRUSTS, NOT RIDERS

Blame For Conditions Is On Monopolies, Not Upon the Nightriders, He Says.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—Replying from the floor of the senate to a recently published newspaper article on nightriding in Kentucky, its causes and results, Senator Bradley of that state today uttered vigorous protests against what he declared was the injustice and falsity of the story. He took exception to the assertion in the article that conditions in Kentucky today are lamentable, as he himself acknowledges in his speech they were in 1907 and during a portion of 1908. During that period, he said, he had denounced the disgraceful conditions "and there is no Kentuckian who loves his state," he added, "who has condoned them."

The inspiration of the article, he declared, is easily discovered. "But a short time ago the so-called independent tobacco buyers met in this city, their purpose being to relieve themselves of legislation passed at the last session of congress and the whole object of the attack is to prejudice the mind of congress, of the president and of the department of justice against the tobacco societies of Kentucky in order that the so-called independents and their allies may cause, whether justly or not, proceedings to be inaugurated by the government against these societies under the Sherman anti-trust law."

After giving some of the history of the events leading up to the passage by the Kentucky legislature of the statute allowing the farmers to pool their crops, Mr. Bradley asserted that "the trusts and not the nightriders are responsible for all the crimes committed within the borders of the state in connection with the tobacco troubles."

COMMERCIAL CONGRESS.

Organization Committee Meets Today at San Antonio.

Texas News Service Special. San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 20.—The organization committee of the Texas Commercial and Industrial Congress met here today with Ike T. Pryor, president, in the chair.

Attending are: R. J. Kleberg of Kingsville; C. B. Lucas, of Berclair; J. H. Kirby, of Houston; Dewitt Dunn, of Houston; H. J. Pettigill, of Dallas; Ed C. Lasater, of Fairburn; J. A. Arnold, of Fort Worth and W. H. Featherstone of Henrietta.

The election of a convention city is to be held this afternoon.

JAPAN IS ANGRY.

Charges China With Responsibility for Manchurian Proposal.

Pekin, Japan, Jan. 20.—Japan has notified China through the Japanese legation here that Japan and Russia in concerted action, decline the proposal of the United States for the neutralization of the Manchurian railways. Japan charges China with the responsibility of the proposal and with having committed an unfriendly act.

WALSH SLEPT WELL.

Will Not Enter Upon Prison Routine for Several Days.

By Associated Press. Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 20.—John Walsh, the Chicago banker, stated to the guard at the federal prison here that he slept well last night. It is planned that for several days Walsh will not enter upon the regular prison routine.

Real Estate Transfers.

J. W. Morgan and wife to A. W. McCall, lots 1 and 2, block 68, Iowa Park; \$75.

H. G. Karrenbrock and wife to A. L. Greathouse, about 119 acres of the M. Gilbert patent, and 177 acres of the W. H. Anderson survey; \$12,571.50.

R. E. Farley and wife to W. W. Swartz, lots 21 and 22, block 127; \$2300.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Infant at Waco Passes Away Suddenly.

Waco, Tex., Jan. 15.—J. L. Hunter and wife of Sherman awoke this morning to find their infant daughter had died during the night. The babe was apparently well last night. Hunter is a newspaper writer.

FIRE AT SYNDER

Twenty-Five Thousand Dollar Loss Today.

Texas News Service Special. Snyder, Texas, Jan. 20.—The fire which swept the business section here this morning caused a loss of twenty-five thousand dollars. The blaze originated on the second floor of a rooming house in the middle of the block on the north side of the public square, and burned east to Church street to Warren Bros. drug store on the west. All were frame buildings and a frontage of two hundred and fifty feet was consumed. The fire began at six o'clock.

FIND NO PROOF.

Copenhagen Committee Submits its Final Report.

Copenhagen, Jan. 19.—The committee of the University of Copenhagen today completed the examination of Dr. Cook's original notes and confirmed its previous conclusion that not the slightest proof that the explorer reached the pole had been submitted.

INJURED BY CAVE-IN.

Ten Foot Bank Falls on Fort Worth Man.

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 20.—Benjamin Graham was seriously injured today when he was buried under debris as a result of a cave-in. He was digging at an excavation when a bank ten feet high toppled over upon him. He was pulled out by the other workmen.

GOVERNOR LOWRY.

Former Chief Executive of Mississippi Died Last Night.

By Associated Press. Jackson, Miss., Jan. 20.—Both houses of the legislature adjourned today out of respect to the memory of former Governor Lowry, who died last night.

YOUNG MEN VOTERS TO TAKE OUT EXEMPTIONS

Wichita Falls, Tex., Jan. 20th, 1910. Editor Daily Times:

Please call attention to all young men who have become twenty-one since Jan. 1st, 1909, that before they are authorized to vote must secure a certificate of exemption, as prescribed in Section 23, Acts of 1905. (Page 527).

In the local option case which went up from Potter county the San Antonio Court of Appeals expressly held that this law applies to every young man becoming of age after January first of any year, and this certificate must be secured before February first. (118 Southwestern Reporter, 893).

I do not really think it would be necessary under this law for them to procure a certificate except from the county collector, but as I have not examined it carefully, think all who live in the city should also get a similar certificate of exemption from the city tax collector to be safe.

Yours truly,

R. E. HUFF.

The Times is authorized to announce M. F. Yeager as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Wichita county. Judge Yeager was appointed to this office by the Commissioners' Court after the death of Judge W. P. Skeen, serving out the unexpired term and has been re-elected to two full terms, this being his record. During his economical administration the financial affairs of the county have been well looked after and much of the credit of this is due Judge Yeager. He is a democrat and now submits his claims as such to the action of the democratic primaries to be held in July.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS HAVE COME TO AN END

Managua, Nicaragua, Jan. 20.—President Madris announced today that Estrada's reply would serve to end abruptly the peace negotiations and reinforcements are ordered to the front with the purpose of striking a decisive blow at the insurgent army.

ARGENTINE INSURGENTS.

Are Holding Position on Border. Making No Moves.

Montevideo, Jan. 20.—The insurgents are reported to be on the Argentine border today, still holding the position in which their presence was first learned.

ANOTHER ELECTION IS NOW ORDERED

CITY WILL VOTE ON ADOPTION OF NEW STATE PAVING STATUTE ON FEB. 18th.

IT MEANS MORE PAVING

Under Its Provisions Three-Fourths of Cost of Improvements May Be Assessed.

From Wednesday's Daily. At a special meeting of the city council last night, another election was ordered for February 18, when, in addition to deciding upon the issuance of \$21,500 in paving bonds, the voters shall determine the adoption or rejection of the law passed at the last session of the state legislature.

This law authorizes incorporated cities and towns to improve streets, alleys, sidewalks, etc., by paving or otherwise, and assesses not over three-fourths of the total cost against the abutting property owners. Before this law becomes effective in any Texas city, it must be submitted to the resident property owners in that city for adoption or rejection and this question will be decided in Wichita Falls on February 18.

On that date the citizens will decide three questions, as follows: Shall additional paving bonds to the value of \$17,500 be issued? Shall additional city hall bonds to the value of \$4,000 be issued? Shall the city adopt the benefits of Chapter 14 of the Acts of the 31st Legislature?

If the citizens answer all three questions in the affirmative, the street paving question will have been solved for some time to come and every effort will be made on the part of the progressive citizenship to carry all three propositions. At present property owners can be made to pay only two-thirds of the cost of the paving and their refusal to do so cannot, under existing statutes, be made a lien against their property.

The meeting last night was attended by all the councilmen except Alderman Walsh and the election order was unanimously passed. The judge of election will be N. Henderson, assisted by C. B. Felder. Finer Avisa and Walker Hendricks were appointed clerks.

IN SPECIAL SESSION.

Oklahoma Legislature Convenes Today Old Officers in Both Houses Re-Elected.

Texas News Service Special. Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 20.—The special session of the Oklahoma legislature convened here this morning at 9 o'clock. All members were present except one senator and eight representatives.

The old officers in both houses were re-elected. After reading Governor Haskell's message, the legislature immediately proceeded to take up the emergency laws suggested by Haskell.

Appropriations for state institutions and amendments to the prohibition law are contemplated.

FIGHTING FOR BILL.

Texas Congressmen Working for Anti-Future Measure.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—Representatives Smith, Beall, Burleson, Garner and Henry have announced that they will make a determined effort next week before the house agricultural committee to obtain a favorable report on the bill preventing gambling in futures on farm products. All have bills covering the subject. It is expected the committee will recommend the incorporating of a portion of each in the new bill.

Fordyce Not to Incorporate.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., Jan. 20.—E. B. Perkins of Dallas, representing the Fordyce Oil Company, successor to the Waters-Pierce Company, is here today to arrange the payment of gross receipts taxes. He says Fordyce will not incorporate at present, but will conduct the business as an individual.

UNIONISTS GAIN.

Have Captured Twelve Liberal Seats This Afternoon.

By Associated Press. London, Jan. 20.—Returns up to 1:30 this afternoon from the parliamentary election indicate that the Unionists gained twelve of the Liberal seats.

STRONG ARM GANG OPERATING HERE

SECRET SERVICE MEN IN CITY IN ENDEAVOR TO BREAK IT UP BY ARRESTS.

WORKING SMOOTH GAME

Gang Believed to be at Work in This and Neighboring Towns—Arrests Expected.

From Thursday's Daily. Two secret service men, Messrs. Vance and Lindsay, are in the city, they say, for the purpose of breaking up a "strong-arm" gang, which is operating in and out of Wichita Falls. The leader of the gang, according to the story the secret service men tell, has served eight years in the Joliet (Ill.) penitentiary, and is now considered by many in this city as a respectable business man.

In this, as in nearly everything, there is a woman in the case, and notwithstanding she is a college graduate and now moves in respectable society circles, has served three terms for offenses against the law.

Some arrests that will likely prove sensational, are likely to follow within the next few days.

WOMAN IS ATTACKED.

Divorced Husband Believed to be the Guilty Man.

Texas News Service Special. McKinney, Tex., Jan. 20.—Officers and the posse are today still hunting for the assailant of Mrs. O. M. Wynne, who was waylaid and shot three times while driving home near town last night. She was also beaten with a revolver. Mrs. Wynne says her divorced husband attacked her because she refused to live with him again.

STAND BY NOMINEES.

Democratic House Leaders Have Investigators Named.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—The democratic leaders in the house decided today to stand by the original caucus nominees for the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation committee. This points to the refusal of Lloyd of Missouri to serve in lieu of Rainey of Illinois.

ANOTHER SUSPENSION.

Roberts, Hall & Criss No Longer in Stock Exchange.

By Associated Press. New York, N. Y., Jan. 20.—The suspension of Roberts, Criss & Hall, brokers on the stock exchange, was announced today.

In a statement issued today, Criss, of the firm of Robert, Hall & Criss, acknowledged the liabilities to be three millions.

IN THE STOCK MARKET.

Several of the Securities Are Badly Off Today.

By Associated Press. New York, N. Y., Jan. 20.—The stock market was violently disturbed again today. Chesapeake and Ohio is down three and a quarter; Rock Island two and one-eighth; and Hocking Valley Coal, after opening twenty-five, ran down to twenty-two and rallied to twenty-six.

NEW PECOS ROAD.

It Will Be Completed to Belmore by First of June.

Texas News Service Special. Pecos, Jan. 20.—W. L. Carville, here today gave a one hundred thousand dollar bond as a surety to complete the new railroad to Belmore by June the first. Construction of the line commenced today.

THOUSAND HOMESEEKERS.

Big Trainload Goes Through Dallas to Gulf.

Texas News Service Special. Dallas, Tex., Jan. 20.—Nearly a thousand homeseekers from the north passed through Dallas today on a special M. K. & T. train for the gulf coast country, where they expect to locate.

MARCH AND MAY OFF.

Prices Rallied, However, During Middle of Day.

By Associated Press. New York, Jan. 20.—Cotton for March and May options is forty-one to forty-seven points lower. The prices rallied a few points during the middle of the day.

HENRIETTA-WAURIKA LINE.

Conference Held at Henrietta in Regard to Road.

Wade Adkins of Waurika, was in the city late yesterday afternoon in conference with officials of the Southwestern railroad in regard to the building of a road to Waurika, via Byers.

While nothing definite was done at this meeting, yet it may be stated with certainty that Waurika will do all in her power to get the Southwestern to build through Waurika in her northern extension.

The officials of the Southwestern are considering routes and plans and, doubtless will soon make some announcements in regard to the northern extension—Henrietta Searchlight.

'JIMMIE' IS SAFE.

Was Believed Lost, But Turned Up at Panama.

Texas News Service Special. Galveston, Tex., Jan. 20.—The crew of the tug Jimmie, believed to have been lost when the vessel was wrecked en route from Sabine to Galveston several weeks ago, is today reported safe at Colon, Panama. A message to that effect was received by Will Allen, brother of Captain Allen, master of the tug. The cablegram adds that all eight men are alive, and were picked up by a schooner.

DISCUSS MANY QUESTIONS.

Extradition, Irrigation and Divorce Talked by Governors.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—Irrigation, extradition, mining and divorce were the question upon which four governors spoke at this morning's session of the governors' conference. Governors Brady of Idaho, Ansel of South Carolina, Sloan of Arizona and Carroll being the speakers. The addresses were followed by a discussion of the subjects.

MAN WANTED IN TEXAS IS CAUGHT IN CANADA

Texas News Service Special. Waco, Tex., Jan. 20.—Sheriff Geo. W. Tilley received a telegram today from Subury, Ontario, from the Wells-Fargo officials saying that Geo. W. Bates, alias Fred W. Clifford, was arrested there on the charge of taking a thousand dollars fast December at Riesel, McLennan county.

The money was consigned to the First National Bank at Riesel and was handed by the Wells-Fargo Company. Tilley will leave for Canada tomorrow, via Washington, where he will obtain requisition papers from President Taft.

FLY TO SAN DIEGO.

Glenn Curtiss Will Compete for \$6000 Prize.

By Associated Press. Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 20.—With the end of the aviation meet at hand, Glenn Curtiss made it known today that he had the intention of making a flight to San Diego for the five thousand dollar prize offered by the business men of that city.

WILL PUSH SUIT.

Government Will Not Drop Fight on Railroad Merger.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—It is authoritatively stated today that the government's suit for dissolution of the merger of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific is not to be dropped.

Republican Nominee Wins.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—The Currie resolution naming the republican caucus appointees was adopted by one hundred and eighty-six to one hundred and forty-five.

COLORADO TRAIN RUNS WILD DOWN MOUNTAIN

Denver, Colo., Jan. 20.—A freight train on the Moffat road jumped the track between Jenny Lake and Antelope and tore down the mountain side seventy miles an hour early today.

The entire train plunged down the hill. Three men were killed and one fatally injured.

TO BOTTOM OF OCEAN.

German Fleet Would Have No Chance Against England, Says George.

London, England, Jan. 15.—David Lloyd George, in a speech today, declared that if the German fleet in a moment of madness attacked Great Britain, it would be at the bottom of the German ocean in a very few hours.

CHARGES SHORTAGE IN PEN FINANCSE

HUDSPETH SAYS THAT AUDITOR'S REPORT WILL DISCLOSE STARTLING DEFICIENCY.

INTERVIEW GIVEN OUT

Statement Is Not Credited at Austin. Says Finances Very Loosely Conducted.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 19.—The interview given out at El Paso yesterday by State Senator Claude Hudspeth, chairman of the sub-committee of the penitentiary investigating committee, has created a small furor here. The interview declares that indications point to a shortage in the finances of the penitentiaries, but that the amount of the deficiency is not yet known.

State officials refuse to comment on the matter further than to say that Hudspeth is probably misinformed.

Hudspeth says that the shortage will be disclosed when the report of the auditor is filed and it is understood that the revelations will be of a startling nature, and will show that the entire penitentiary system has been conducted loosely during the past ten years.

Governor Campbell refused to comment on the matter, but appeared interested.

IDENTITY ESTABLISHED.

Woman Found Dead in Chicago Sister of Dallas Man.

Texas News Service Special. Chicago, Ill., Jan. 20.—The identification of the woman found dead in the Morrison Hotel here on January 10th was established today when a letter was received from Rev. A. Romanowski, of Dallas, saying that the woman was his sister, Miss Minna Romanowski, who was a trained nurse. She had been employed at the Fort Wayne Hospital before coming here. Her brother refuses to accept the suicide theory.

TEXAS POSTMASTERS.

President Appointed Big Batch of Them Today.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—President Taft today appointed the following Texas postmasters: Frank Sterritt, Albany; A. L. Hawn, Athens; J. Belt, Bartlett; A. F. Loess, La Grange; W. J. Gilmore, Moody; M. V. Howard, Sweetwater; Chas. Simmons, Valley Mills; Jesse D. Starks, Floydada; E. Hoesley, Sinton, and W. J. Starks, Yorktown.

INSURRECTIONISTS RULE.

Are in Control of United Mine Workers Meeting.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 19.—Insurrectionists took charge of the convention of United Mine Workers at the opening of today's session, and despite the efforts of President Loomis, the rules were suspended and a motion that the national organizers' salaries be cut off during their attendance here as delegates was considered.

PHOTOGRAPHER ATTACKED.

Was Trying to Take Picture of John Walsh.

By Associated Press. Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 19.—John Walsh, the former Chicago banker, on his way to the federal prison at Leavenworth, arrived here today. As the party alighted from the train a news paper photographer raised his camera to take a snapshot and was attacked by a son of the prisoner.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Criminal Appellate Court Affirms Several Verdicts.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 19.—The Court of Criminal Appeals today affirmed the cases of Albert Pollard of Erath county; Walter Williams, of Rusk; and Morris Emerson of Tarrant, and Geo. Oliver of Taylor.

Reversed and remanded: Kid Humphreys of McLennan, and Tom Long, McLennan.

Killed by Kerosene Explosion.

A little negro boy named Charlie Nelson, aged about thirteen months, met death Saturday afternoon in the southeastern part of the city, being burned to death following a kerosene explosion. He was playing with the oil, which he ignited in some way, and death followed quickly, the body being badly charred. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

HALL OF VERNON IS IN LIMELIGHT NOW

HAS BEEN ENDORSED FOR GOVERNOR BY PROHIBITIONISTS AT SAN ANTONIO.

ACTION IS SIGNIFICANT

May Mean Divorcement of Pros. From Both Johnson and Poindexter Standards.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 18.—The endorsement of R. W. Hall of Vernon as a gubernatorial candidate by the Bexar county prohibition democratic committee last Saturday is creating considerable comment here and has scared some of the local prohibitionists considerably.

The local Colquitt supporters declare that the endorsement shows that neither Cone Johnson or William Poindexter will have the unanimous support of the prohibitionists and they predict a division of the latter faction, by which Colquitt will be benefited.

Hall has never announced as a candidate for governor and the endorsement of him by the Bexar county pros may mean that there is a tendency on the part of prohibitionists to secure some man who is more generally acceptable to the party in general than either Cone Johnson or Poindexter will be. It is not unlikely that this endorsement will have the effect of inaugurating a Hall boom.

STRENUOUS COURTSHIP.

Washington Man Has Exciting Time Getting Married.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 17.—Strenuous and out of the ordinary was the courtship of Andrew Fromherz, a lime burner living near Republic, Wash., and his wife, Mabel Fromherz, known as "Big Shooter Kate" throughout the northern part of Washington, according to a petition for legal separation filed by the husband in the Spokane county superior court on a change of venue from Ferry county. Fromherz says he met the woman wandering in the dense timber near his home one night and took her to his home to rest and dry her clothes. She refused to leave, so he quit his home. She then followed him to the lime kiln, where he was at work, and proposed marriage, and after several refusals a lawyer was procured who threatened suit. Fromherz then compromised by promising to wed and they were married. Then, according to the complaint the woman drove Fromherz from his home and forced him to sleep in a hut, finally deserting him. He passed the winter in the shack, freezing both feet and suffering other injuries which make it necessary to take treatment in a hospital. Mrs. Fromherz is reported to be in the woods, either in Washington or Idaho.

"HALLELUJAH, I'M A BUM."

"Industrial Poet" Lands in Jail at Spokane.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 17.—Louis Brazier, a British subject and "official poet" of the Industrial Workers of the World, author of such gems as "Meet Me in the Jungle, Louis," and "Hallelujah, I'm a Bum," and five members of the organization were sentenced by Justice George W. Stocker to serve from 15 days to five months for alleged conspiracy. Brazier drew the long sentence having admitted that he came to Spokane from California to take part in the fight for free speech. James Wilson, organizer of the I. W. W. and editor of the Industrial Worker and E. J. Foote, associate editor, who were sentenced to six months in the county jail for conspiracy on December 3, 1909, advise Justice Stocker that they have dismissed their counsel and will not appeal from his decision to the Spokane county court, but will serve their term. Mayor Pratt looks upon this as a surrender on the part of the ringleaders, and says that the end of the trouble is in sight. Governor Hay praises the city and county officials for their stand in breaking up the anarchistic society, "the members of which," he says, "do not seem to be able to understand the idea of our form of government."

ABOUT HYOMEL

A Bottle Costs Only 50 Cents—A Complete Outfit Including Inhaler \$1.00

When WATER-WALKER DRUG CO. will guarantee Hyomel to cure catarrh or give you your money back, what is your answer?

Are you satisfied with your condition or do you want to rid yourself forever of vile catarrh, with its humiliating symptoms, such as hacking, spitting, blowing and bad breath?

Hyomel is a simple, antiseptic medicine, that you breathe through a small pocket inhaler over the parts affected. It is made of Australian eucalyptus mixed with other germ killing and membrane soothing antiseptics.

Get a complete outfit today. It only costs \$1.00, and contains everything necessary to cure any ordinary case of catarrh. Extra bottles, if needed, 50c.

Hyomel is the best remedy in the world for sore throat, coughs and colds, croup and bronchitis. It gives wonderful relief in two minutes. For sale by druggists everywhere and Water Walker Drug Co., in Wichita Falls, Texas.

TRAGEDY AT DALLAS.

Old Man May Die as Result of Injuries Received.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 18.—E. G. Richardson, aged fifty, was seriously slashed last night and may die from his wounds. Dave Rogers, a young man, is under arrest.

ARGUMENTS BEING HEARD.

Missouri Railroads Ouster Suit is On Trial Today.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 18.—The State Supreme Court at Jefferson City, today is hearing arguments on the suit filed by the attorney general, who is trying to fine or oust all the Missouri railroads, sixteen in number, for violation, it is said, of anti-trust laws in establishing freight and passenger rates.

Of these roads the Frisco, M. K. & T., Santa Fe, Iron Mountain and the Cotton Belt enter Texas. These roads, through their counsel, say they will fight the suit to the last ditch. They entered demurrers.

BIG LAND DEAL.

Three Hundred Thousand Acres in New Mexico Change Hands.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 18.—Probably the largest land deal for the past twelve months was put through here today, when Jeff D. Hagler purchased from Geo. T. Reynolds and D. H. Lucas a tract containing 320,000 acres, thirty miles south of Carlsbad, N. M. Seven thousand head of cattle are included in the deal. The purchase price is said to have been a little more than \$200,000, bringing a rate lower than one dollar per acre.

NEW FREIGHT TERMINAL.

Rock Island Planning Big Structure for Dallas.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 18.—The construction of a huge new freight terminal by the Rock Island Railway, in Dallas, will begin immediately according to E. W. Robins, vice president of the road, who returned from Chicago this morning. Robins also carried the plans of the Dallas new union station to Chicago. It is denied he will succeed President Baker of the Trinity and Brazos Valley Railway.

STOCKMAN MAY DIE.

Seriously Injured While Rescuing His Family From Fire.

Caldwell, Tex., Jan. 18.—S. F. Larimer, a stockman, was seriously, perhaps fatally, burned four miles east of here last night while rescuing his family from a fire which destroyed his home. He carried his wife and child through a window to the roof of a veranda which was ablaze. After letting them down by a couple of sheets tied together, he slid to the ground in an unconscious state.

TO EXTEND Q. A. & P.

It Will Be Built On to El Paso or Roswell.

Quanah, Tex., Jan. 18.—Advice received here today from Sam Lazarus, the St. Louis capitalist backing the new road, the Quanah, Acme and Pacific, announces that the road will be extended either to El Paso or Roswell. Surveyors are already in the field and the western terminus will be determined when their reports are received. The new road now goes as far as Paducah.

LIE IS PASSED.

Members of Mississippi House Indulge in Language.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 18.—The lie passed in the house today between Representatives St. Ennis and Robinson. St. Ennis denounced a statement in regard to the appropriation measure in the house journal of 1908, as a lie, and its authors as liars, declaring he had made no such assertion. Robinson returned the epithet, and the matter was referred to a committee, both withdrawing the language temporarily.

WALSH LOSES FINALLY.

Will Probably Begin Sentence at Leavenworth Tomorrow.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 18.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals here today overruled the motion of John Walsh for a new trial on the grounds of alleged misconduct by the jurors in the original trial. It is expected Walsh will be sentenced this afternoon and Marshal Hoy says Walsh will leave here at 6 o'clock for Leavenworth, Kansas.

UNIONISTS GAIN.

Varied Results in Yesterday's Election in England.

London, Jan. 18.—Complete returns from yesterday's elections for members of parliament, make the standing of parties to date as follows:

Government coalition of Liberals, seventy-nine; laborites, seventeen; Irish Nationalists, sixteen; opposition unionists, ninety-six; net unionist gain, thirty.

FARMER WILL RUN.

Will Oppose Fitzhugh Hill for Electoral Representative.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 18.—C. E. Farmer, who led the recent agitation against the city's "acre" district, today announced himself as a candidate for the lower house of the legislature as a flitorial representative. He will run against F. F. Hill of Denton, who was an active prohibitionist in the last legislature.

Rooms 3 and 4 City National Bank building for farm land loans. w-4-1

Real Estate Transfers.

Mrs. Sarah Seelinger to T. C. Thatcher, lots 13 and 14, block 183; \$10,000.

Thomas G. Stearns and wife to William Guthrie, south half of section 22, block 27, H and T. C. survey, 320 acres; \$3200.

C. Birk and wife to C. P. Owens, 500 acres of section 11, Tarrant county school lands; \$750.

J. A. Kemp and M. Lasker to J. B. Nicholson about four acres of block 1, J. A. Scott survey; \$487.50.

R. L. Carpenter and wife to W. J. Sheldon, lots 12 and 13, block 7, and lot 7, block 67, Electra; \$1 and other considerations.

E. A. Dale and wife to W. G. Epplager, 80 acres of the Mary Ann Brush survey; \$2000.

Floral Heights Realty Co. to W. W. Craig, lot 1, block 42, Floral Heights; \$400.

Denver May Buy T. and B. V.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 17.—A well-founded report is being circulated in local railroad circles today to the effect that the Trinity and Brazos Valley Railway has been sold to the Fort Worth and Denver. Heretofore the Trinity and Brazos Valley has been owned jointly by the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf, and the Fort Worth and Denver, but it is understood that the Rock Island has sold its interest.

If this report be true, it accounts for the delay in naming a successor to President Baker of the Trinity and Brazos Valley. It is well known that the Denver road wished a direct line to the Gulf from Fort Worth, as an outlet, and in the light of this knowledge the rumor is being generally credited, though it cannot be confirmed.

SUES OFFICERS.

Mining President Says They Conspired to Indict Him.

Weatherford, Tex., Jan. 18.—A stir was caused here today when it became known that J. C. James, president of the Santo Mining Company of Palo Pinto county, had filed suit against Sheriff Pope, Deputy Sheriff Martin and Geo. S. Brierton of Palo Pinto county, charging that a conspiracy among them resulted in his indictment for theft by the Palo Pinto grand jury. James made a ten thousand dollar bond.

Indiana Bank Breaks.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 17.—The Citizens' National Bank here suspended temporarily today, pending an investigation into its affairs by National Bank Examiner Johnson.

There was no demonstration around the bank doors by the depositors, but a large crowd gathered about the building.

The bank had one million, four hundred thousand dollars in deposits, and according to its statement, the assets were one million nine hundred thousand.

SUICIDE AT SAN ANTONIO.

Man Drinks Acid and is Found Unedr House.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 18.—The lifeless body of Gustave Kutmacher, aged forty-six, was found under his residence this morning. A vial, which had been emptied of carbolic acid, lay near by. He had taken a dose of poison last night then crawled under the house. Grief over the death of his mother and ill health caused the deed.

TO CONTROL RAILWAYS.

Waco Commission Thinks Its Powers are Sufficient.

Waco, Tex., Jan. 18.—City Attorney Led Williams today submitted an opinion that the city commission has power to regulate and control the schedules of the street railway. An ordinance of such regulations will be prepared. If it is passed, Waco will be the first city to practically control the street railways.

KILLED BY LIVE WIRE.

Little Waco Girl Electrocuted Last Evening.

Waco, Tex., Jan. 18.—Lucile Overby, aged twelve, the daughter of E. Overby, a former newspaper man, was instantly killed last night by a powerful shock received when she grasped a live wire connected with a street light. Ed Carey severely burned his hands in trying to rescue the girl.

CHARGES ARE FILED.

Alleged That Ballinger Made Improper Use of Public Funds.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Charges against Secretary Ballinger and other officials, alleging improper use of public funds to pay private traveling expenses of the nephew of the secretary, were made today in an affidavit filed by Representative Hitchcock, a democrat of Nebraska.

GOVERNORS IN CONFERENCE.

Thirty States Represented at Meeting in Washington.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—Governors from thirty states met at the National Capitol to discuss problems of state and national interest today. Governor Wilson of Kentucky, chairman of the committee on arrangements for the conference, is in the chair.

ORDINANCE NO. 123.

An ordinance to license, tax and regulate the sale of popcorn, peanuts, candies, fruits and vegetables and similar articles on the streets of the city of Wichita Falls.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That all persons are hereby forbidden to use the streets, and alleys of the City of Wichita Falls, within the first limits of said city, as now fixed and established by ordinance No. 74, for the sale of popcorn, peanuts, candies, fruits and vegetables or other similar articles, unless such person has been duly licensed under the provisions of this ordinance, and any person who shall so use said streets or alleys, without license, shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars, and each day of such use shall constitute a separate offense.

SEC. 2. Any person desiring to engage in the sale of the articles mentioned in section 1, within the said first limits of said city, shall before doing so, make an application in writing, for a license and shall therein state that he agrees to pursue such business in all respects, in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance, and that in the event he should violate any of the provisions of this ordinance that his license should be forfeited, as well as all sums paid therefor; and such person shall at the same time pay to the City Tax Collector, the sum of \$150, which is hereby fixed as the annual license fee for said privilege and said application shall be addressed to and filed with said City Tax Collector.

SEC. 3. Upon receipt of said application and said money, said City Tax Collector shall give a receipt for said money and shall certify that the applicant is entitled to pursue the business as stated in his application for the period of one year from the date thereof and sign the same officially, which receipt shall be delivered to such applicant and a record thereof kept by the said Tax Collector in his office.

SEC. 4. Upon complying with the foregoing provisions of this ordinance the said person shall be authorized to vend and sell pop corn, peanuts, candies and vegetables and similar articles, on the streets and alleys of said city, and within said first limits, under the following restrictions and regulations:

A. Said person shall not use or occupy any portion of a street or alley, without first obtaining the consent of the person or corporation occupying the building in front of which or adjoining the location selected by such person.

B. Such person shall use one wagon or other means of exhibiting and keeping the articles sold, not more than ten feet long and five feet wide.

C. Such person shall, at all times, when offering articles for sale, keep his said vehicle or stand off the sidewalk and so close to the curb that same shall not extend into the street more than six feet from the curb.

D. Said person shall not occupy any part of the streets or alleys from 12:00 o'clock p. m. to 6:00 a. m.

E. The said person shall not throw or leave any litter or objects of any kind in the streets or alleys of the city.

F. In the event of the streets becoming unusually crowded said person shall, upon request of the mayor or chief of police, remove his stand out of the streets or alleys, for such length of time as the mayor or chief of police may require.

SEC. 5. Any person licensed under the provisions of this ordinance who shall fail or refuse to comply with all the provisions hereof, shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$25.00, and his license shall be thereby forfeited.

SEC. 6. All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, but this clause shall not be held to repeal ordinance No. 61, relating to peddling on the streets and alleys of the city, but only to limit the same to all cases not covered by or included in the provisions of this ordinance.

SEC. 7. That this ordinance take effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

Passed January 18th A. D. 1910.

Approved January 17, 1910.

(SEAL) T. B. NOBLE, Mayor.

ATTEST: EDGAR RYE, Secretary. W-6-11

IS STILL CHAMPION.

Bill Long Knocks Out Bill Squires in the Seventh.

Sydney, Australia, Jan. 17.—"Bill" Long today retained the title of heavy-weight champion of Australia, by defeating "Bill" Squires in the seventh round.

CHAMP CLARK RETURNS.

Predicts Election of Many New Democratic Congressmen.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—Champ Clark, the minority leader, has returned to the city from a speech-making tour of ten days, and he predicts a sweeping democratic victory this fall.

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GRAND JURY WINDS UP ITS SESSIONS

TWELVE ADDITIONAL INDICTMENTS RETURNED TO JUDGE THIS MORNING.

NINE ARE FOR BURGLARY

Majority and Minority Reports Submitted on Social Evil Question By Jurors.

From Friday's Daily. The grand jury for the current term of court finally completed its work at noon today and adjourned. Twelve additional indictments were returned, one for a misdemeanor and eleven for felonies. The report to Judge Carrigan deals with several matters, and appears in full below, together with a minority report.

Of the twelve indictments, seven were against A. N. Finger for forgery; Ed Davis, assault to murder; J. B. Morris and Charles Murphy, burglary; J. L. Brooks, burglary.

The report follows: In District Court, Wichita County, Jan. 14th, 1910. To Hon. A. H. Carrigan, Judge of said Court:

The Grand Jurors for the October term, 1909, of this Honorable Court, having finished their labors, beg leave to submit to the court their final report, as follows:

We have had two sessions of the grand jury, the first beginning at the opening of the term of court and adjourning, with the permission of the court, on December 15th; the second beginning on Jan. 11th and closing today.

We have found and returned into court 31 bills of indictment, 29 being for felony and 1 for misdemeanor, none of them being for capital offenses.

We have examined the reports of the officers filed with us. Most of them have made reports, but not all, yet we believe that none of them have wilfully neglected this duty. We take this method of calling their attention to this important duty to the end that all may have their reports in before the next grand jury.

Under the special instructions of your Honor, to investigate and fix the responsibility for the existence of the "social evil" in our city, we have made very careful inquiry and have corrected some of the evils; yet there is a great deal more to do along this line. The local officers inform us that they have the situation at present very well in hand and we have their assurance that they will do all in their power to stamp out the evil and we feel assured that if they will do this, the officers of the city and county, working in harmony, can soon rid Wichita Falls of all "undesirables" of this character.

The county jail is crowded with prisoners and we see the pressing need of a new jail for Wichita County, a necessity which grows more and more acute every day.

We request the court to appoint the usual finance committee to examine the accounts of the county officers and report at the next term of this court. J. P. JONES, Foreman.

The minority report was as follows: Referring to houses of prostitution, and especially to that section of the city of Wichita Falls known as the "Flats," we find that public sentiment is very pronounced against murder and robbery, but not what it should be against prosecution of social evils—things which lead to the so-called higher crimes. Some commendable work has been done in an effort to clean up this section of the city, but a great deal yet remains to be done. We think that the legislature should so amend the law pertaining to convict bonds that our county judge would not be compelled to accept bond in cases who are charged with keeping disorderly houses. Under present conditions they get out of jail on convict bonds and return to their usual haunts and ply their vocation.

(Signed) J. C. HUNT, J. M. BLAND, T. J. WAGGONER, H. W. KARRENBROCK, GEORGE EAGLE.

Editors Note:—It will be observed that only five members signed the minority report, the others declining to subscribe to a document setting forth that public sentiment was not what it should be in this respect.

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WILL VISIT TEXAS.

St. Louis Business Men to Make Tour of Southwest. St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 17.—A large number of St. Louis capitalists, headed by President Wade of the Mercantile Trust Company, leave for the southwest tomorrow to investigate the industries and progress of that section, including a number of Texas cities. The party will be in Kansas City on Wednesday, Oklahoma City; Thursday, Denison and Fort Worth Saturday, Dallas Monday, Austin Tuesday, San Antonio Wednesday, Houston Thursday, Galveston Friday, Little Rock Saturday and Memphis Sunday. Large investments in Texas will likely result.

COTTON MARKET EXCITEMENT.

March and May Contracts Selling at Advance of \$3.85 to \$4.00 Sale. New York, Jan. 15.—Cotton was very excited at the opening today. March and May contracts were selling at an advance of thirty-two to sixty-eight points before call, or three dollars and eight-fifths to four dollars a bale above the close of yesterday.

After call the active months sold from a dollar to a dollar and a half below the high point at the opening. It is estimated that two hundred thousand bales of cotton were thrown over on the early advance. The market closed at an advance of from sixty-four to seventy-eight points in advance of last night on the active months.

Spot cotton is quiet, with middling at fourteen fifty-five.

BIG GIFT PLANNED.

Brokenridge May Give Land Worth \$400,000 to University. Austin, Tex., Jan. 17.—Engineers are today surveying four hundred acres on the Colorado River between the city and the old dam, owned by George S. Brackenridge of San Antonio. It is reported that Brackenridge will donate this tract to the State University to be used as an athletic field. The property is valued at \$400,000.

TO LOWER RECORD.

Paulhan Will Try to Beat Farman in Letter's Machine. Los Angeles, Jan. 17.—It is announced that Paulhan will attempt to lower Farman's one hundred and forty-four mile record in the machine Farman himself built at the aviation field today. In addition to this, there are a dozen or more Pacific Coast inventors ready to try out their machines. These include a variety of fantastic contrivances.

MEXICAN ARRESTED.

Fake Employment Agent Comes to Grief Today. Mexico City, Jan. 17.—Juan Ramirez was arrested here today by the postal authorities and charged with defrauding many poor Mexicans out of money. Ramirez advertised himself as Wm. A. Turner, an employment agent, seeking mechanics for the new Galveston Foundry and Machinery Co. of Galveston. He exacted substantial fees from applicants but secured them no employment.

ARRESTS EXPECTED.

Murder and Poisoning Uncovered at Kansas City. Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 17.—An arrest in the case involving the death of Col. Thomas Swope, nephew of Chrisman Swope and the alleged poisoning of seven heirs of the dead philanthropist, may be expected within forty-eight hours. It is claimed the evidence against the alleged plotters is now almost complete.

ONE FOOT OF SNOW.

New York in Throes of Bad Storm Today. New York, N. Y., Jan. 15.—After a brief lull during the night, the storm which buried the streets of the city beneath a foot of snow, resumed early today.

Transportation lines in outlying sections are at the point of paralysis. Five deaths, due to the storm, is the record up to this morning, with a long chapter of casualties.

HAVE NARROW ESCAPE.

Tug Sinks in Sixty Feet of Water, But Crew is Saved. Texas News Service Special. Galveston, Tex., Jan. 15.—Captain Moncer and his crew of eight men, in charge of the tug Seminole, narrowly escaped death at Morgan City today when the tug sank in sixty feet of water. The Seminole was towing barges filled with ties from Morgan City to Port Bolivar, and is owned by Galveston parties.

THEY DIDN'T WANT MUCH.

Lockout in Denver Follows Demands of Pressmen. Denver, Jan. 15.—The two morning papers here did not publish here today owing to the demands of the pressmen for shorter hours, an increase in wages and double time to this date from last March. The publishers granted the two first demands, but refused the last and a lock-out followed.

NEGRESS ARRESTED.

Said to Have Been Witness to Guinness Murder. Laporte, Ind., Jan. 15.—A negro woman, Elizabeth Adams, was arrested today and taken into custody by the sheriff as a witness to the murder of Mrs. Guinness and children by Ray Lamphere, revealed in the publication of Lamphere's confession to Rev. Schell, president of the Iowa Wesleyan University.

TO COLONIZE MEXICO.

Oklahoma City Man Closes Up Large Deal. El Paso, Tex., Jan. 15.—Advice received here today from Monterey, Mexico, say that Edward J. Goddard of Oklahoma City, had returned to Monterey from Mexico City, where he completed a deal with the government for concessions to colonists in Tamaulipas. His company purchased over a half million acres on Tamaulipas, which is known as the Vasquerias tract. Oklahomans and Texans will settle there. The Hacienda Santa Anna, near Linares, will be colonized by the same company.

WALSH MUST SERVE.

Application is Denied By United States Supreme Court. Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—The petition of John Walsh, under sentence of five years imprisonment on the charge of misapplying funds of the Chicago National Bank, was denied today in the Supreme Court.

KNAPPEN SUCCEEDS LURTON.

Michigan Man Will Take His Place in Circuit Court. Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—President Taft nominated today United States District Judge Knappen of Michigan to succeed Judge Lurton as Judge of the United Circuit Court of the Sixth District.

FARMERS UNION FIGHT IS ON IN GOOD EARNEST

Houston, Tex., Jan. 14.—E. A. Calvin, former president of the Texas Farmers' Union, today declared that he will go to Fort Worth to attend the convention of the union, in spite of the efforts of some of the officials to read himself and D. J. Neill, another ex-president, out of the organization.

Calvin says he will not be ousted and that he has as much right to attend as any other member or official. Calvin said: "I shall attend the Fort Worth meeting, and, as I have the password, I would like to see them keep me out. If, however, it proves to be a meeting of the new organization, headed by President Loudermilk and the other officials, I shall not go near."

The Harris County Union, in session here today, condemned the plan of the Texas Union to withdraw from the National organization. Delegates were appointed to both the Fort Worth and Waco conventions, which will be held by rival factions.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 14.—President W. T. Loudermilk, of the Texas Farmers' Union, today denied the report that he will try to prevent E. A. Calvin and O. P. Pyle and others from attending the conference of the union here on January 23rd. This conference is to discuss the proposed withdrawal from the National association.

The recent turmoil was stirred up by the report that Neill, Calvin and others, who do not favor the proposed movement, would be prevented from attending the conference, which is to be held at Fort Worth to discuss this matter.

Several of the county unions have already instructed their delegates one way or the other, but it is impossible to predict as yet which side will be in the majority.

ROBBERY AT MUSKOGEE.

Three Hundred Secured from Postoffice Safe. Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 17.—The postoffice at Rex, seven miles north of here, was entered by burglars early this morning and the safe rifled. The crackers secured three hundred dollars in stamps and escaped. The building was wrecked by the explosion. Citizens were awakened by its noise, but found no clue.

CIVIC FEDERATION.

Address By Taft Opens Three Days' Conference. Washington, Jan. 17.—With the opening address of President Taft complimenting the organization on the work it has done in the past and referring to some important questions of National moment to which it could lend aid, the National Civic Federation began a three days' conference here. Seth Lowe presided.

TO DISLodge ICE.

Dynamite May be Used On Ohio Gorges. Louisville, Ky., Jan. 17.—Captain Seabolt of the Monongahela Coal Company today wired Congressman Sherry at Washington to bring the attention of the war department to the threatened danger from the big ice gorge in the Ohio and asked that dynamite be used to dislodge the ice.

NOT ACCEPTABLE.

Council of Ministers Decided Against U. S. Proposition. St. Petersburg, Jan. 17.—A council of ministers has decided that the United States' proposal for neutralization of the Manchurian railways is not acceptable to the Russian government at present.

M'CONKEY TELLS OF UNION FIGHT

LOCAL MEMBER OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE THROWS LIGHT ON PRESENT SCRAP.

MALCONTENTS ARE BUSY

Little Doubt, He Says, That Texas Will Remain Loyal To National Organization.

Editor Times:

There comes a time in all matters of more or less public importance when forbearance ceases to be a virtue. I have noticed at frequent intervals, articles in your paper regarding the so-called "secession" of the Texas Farmers Union. The malcontents that have always been the disturbing element in our ranks are the ones that are now howling "secession." The effort is made to reflect on the present administration, and to thwart the good purposes of those whose hearts are in the work, for the elevating of farm life, farm work and farm homes. The facts are that we have been too loyal to our National Union, too loyal to our contracts, too loyal to ourselves, to enter into a controversy that might engender strife, and breed discontent in our ranks. There is a thorough understanding and an unquestionable agreement between the National Union and the Texas Union. The rights of each are most positively recognized by the other. That there existed a certain amount of friction, quite a difference of opinion at one time, no one attempts to deny. But when honest men get together in an honest effort to do right it is no hard matter to "get right." It is only the measley cur that barks at the moon as an imaginary enemy. Only those who have been defeated in their dishonest purposes, and efforts at graft in our ranks, are now barking at the heels of men who have sacrificed dollars for principles, have given the best of their lives for a cause that is nearest their hearts.

Perhaps the most unkind of their efforts is to try to associate with their own unworthy selves, those who stand in the front rank of our Union, as well as the front rank of social and business circles. Like the whining sycophant they attempt to lick the hand that has belabored them soundly in the very recent past. They are to be commended for trying to get into good company. But they should come up to an honest plane, and not try to drag decent men down into the ditch. We sincerely hope that every Farmers Union man in Texas that possibly can will attend the Fort Worth convention January 25th, where the action of our leaders will be laid open for the inspection of the members and those leaders will gladly accept your decision and the consequences.

Does it look like "secession" while President Barnett of the National Farmers Union, President Loudermilk of the Texas Farmers Union, and the grand old leader, Dave Neill are working hand in hand, preparing material, gathering facts to be presented to the United States Congress at Washington, in one grand united effort to put a stop to the gambling of speculators, with the farmers products as the stakes. These noble men are shoulder to shoulder, fighting the battle for our homes, our firesides and our children, while "vipers that creep where man dares not climb" and Hissing at the nobler man below.

There is history, there are facts that in due time will be made public. These will show beyond doubt, who are the men with pure minds, honest purposes and loyal hearts. It will also show who are the vampires, that have sucked the life blood of the Farmers Union in past times, and are now making a last and dying effort to rob it of the last drop. Again I say this cry of "secession" comes from those who have been traitors to our cause on all occasions when it would yield them a dollar. Those who have abused our confidences both publicly and privately, and whose crookedness forced them to the rear. Their hearts and pocketbooks are with the enemy to our cause and they only hang about the outskirts of our camp to pick up a "bone" and try to scent a rotten spot in our work. I dismiss them now as the Union will soon do, when they can devote their entire time to the "Exchange," "Bucket Shop" and gambling where they belong.

Very respectfully,
J. L. McCONKEY,
Chairman Executive Committee.

IMMENSE ICE GORGE.

One Seventy Miles Long is in Ohio River. Louisville, Ky., Jan. 17.—The ice gorge at Wolf Creek on the Ohio remains almost as solid as granite today. The jammed ice extends from the western edge of Louisville to Brudenburg a distance of about seventy miles. This is said to be the greatest gorge in the Ohio on record.

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For District Attorney, 30th Judicial District.
S. M. FOSTER.

For County Judge,
C. B. FELDER.
M. F. YEAGER.

For County Attorney,
T. B. GREENWOOD.

For County Tax Assessor,
JOHN ROBERTSON.
J. M. HURSH.

Chas. H. Storrs of Fort Worth, representing J. D. Kitchen & Company, general insurance agents, New Orleans, was here yesterday looking after the interests of his company. Mr. Storrs formerly resided here, and is one of the best insurance men in Texas. When asked about the excessive and prohibitive fire insurance rate as fixed by the rating board for Wichita Falls, he is of the opinion that owners and occupants of the buildings and stocks upon which the insurance rates have been placed by the board out of all reason, can have same reduced or restored to the old rate, and in some instances, even below that, by complying with the rulings of the insurance companies. In most cases, this can be done, Mr. Storrs thinks, at small expense to either the owners or occupants. He cited one instance where an occupant had piled goods boxes in his back yard, and for this piece of negligence the enterprising rating man who always makes his appearance when least expected, added thirty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for that item alone. For not more than one dollar the boxes can be removed. This, of course, is the fire insurance man's view of the present situation, but there is another view which is to the effect that even if all obstacles complained of are removed, the insurance companies will still insist on putting up rates out of reason.

Now that the fire insurance rate on Wichita Falls business property has been placed at a rate which amounts to extortion, it is time the owners of stocks and buildings were forming an organization of their own for self protection. The rate to go into effect is, in many instances more than double the present rate, which is and has always been considered high for the protection afforded, and in some instances the new rating amounts to three times that of the present rate. In a case like that which is now confronting the people of Wichita Falls, something must be done. If the insurance companies or the state law will give no relief, the proper step for all property owners, both real and personal will be, in the opinion of some heavy owners of real and personal property is to cancel off all insurance, and use a part of all the money which is now being paid out annually to the insurance companies to hire a corps of competent night and day watchmen and to better equip our fire department. If no one takes out insurance under such conditions, it is needless to say that there will be fewer fires for the reason that the people will be more careful. This remedy, however, is recommended only as a last resort, but it is a good one and the only remedy left for those who have every reason to believe that the rate as fixed for Wichita Falls is unjust and almost prohibitive.

The importance of the work undertaken by the Floral Club of this city cannot be overestimated and it behooves every good citizen to render all possible assistance to them in the carrying out of their plans. A little encouragement, and they will make Wichita Falls as fair as she is strong.

It seems a shame to send Bankers Morse and Walsh to the penitentiary when a United States Senator or two would have been much more satisfactory to the people.

WATCHING WICHITA GROW.

The citizens of Bonham who are interested in the growth of the town can well ponder over the example of other towns in the state that are growing. For the past four or five years no town in the state has out-stripped Wichita Falls in point of proportionate growth and the securing of permanent enterprises to keep building the town. One way that Wichita Falls has accomplished this growth is shown in a report recently made that in 1909 the city spent \$15,000 in advertising its advantages, and that the sum of \$15,000 has been contributed for that purpose for 1910. This fact explains at least part of the marvelous development of that little city and its section. Not only does it show that advertising a town pays, but it reveals the spirit of the business men, for some but active, progressive men would contribute \$15,000 for such a purpose. The business men of many a town as large as Wichita was four years ago would stand aghast at the proposal that they should contribute a third of \$15,000 for the purpose of inducing immigration and securing business for the town. Let Bonham consider the example of Wichita Falls.—Bonham News.

The esteemed News can better afford to urge the people of Bonham to "go and do likewise," rather than trying to hold them there by referring to us as "the high, dry and windy west," and telling jokes at our expense, one of which is to the effect that we out here use a log chain attached to a post set deep into the ground as a weather vane and that when the winds blow this chain stretches out in one direction or the other to show strangers from which way it is coming. Ashby, you ought to tell your readers that that is not so.

"Denton citizens got together and went after the Normal College," said a speaker at the annual Chamber of Commerce session the other night, "and they got it. Later on they got together and went after the industrial—and they got it. Only recently we got together and went after the black land experiment station—and we got that." "Getting together" was, in each instance, the preliminary to "getting" what the town wanted and needed. And therein is as strong a sermon on the necessity of harmony and union in Denton as could have been spoken. Denton has few rich men, in the present day sense of the word, but a great many men in what is locally known as "in comfortable" circumstances. No one man or few men can put up the price for getting the things that Denton needs—it takes all that goodly number of well-to-do men acting in harmony to divide the burden. It has done that way in every instance in the past and when success has followed our efforts; 'twill continue to do so in the future. What Denton needs and must have is the dissemination of the spirit that makes towns getting together and every body bearing his proportionate part of the expense.—Denton Record and Chronicle.

That's what it takes. Wichita Falls has already gotten together and landed a boys' school, with 1910 barely two weeks' old. She has gotten together and pledged a thousand dollars a month to support her Chamber of Commerce, and later on she will have to get together again for a packery of a cotton factory—perhaps both. The saying that the Lord helps those who help themselves, applies to cities as much as it does to individuals.

A copy of the Dallas News Almanac has been received. The book is a valuable one, containing in a small volume a vast amount of information about Texas and some other subjects. The description of Clay County, however, is rather defective. For instance it says the Ardmore and Abilene railroad traverses the county, and that the Southwestern runs from Henrietta to Burkburnett. There are 64 words about the oil fields and not one word concerning the gas wells. It does not appear who wrote the article on Clay county. And to heap insult upon injury, in the section giving a general write up of the mineral resources of the state, where mention is made of the gas, it is said that the gas has been piped to Wichita Falls, and says nothing about the pipe line into Henrietta. The only place in the book where Henrietta is credited with having gas is in the paid advertising section. On the whole it looks like the matter pertaining to Clay County had been written or least censored in Whiskeytown Falls. They even try to make it appear that the oil field is only ten miles from Whiskeytown.

The News cannot say it has been imposed upon, because it has a regular correspondent here, and at regular intervals its traveling representatives make the town; and besides the facts are too well known and of too long standing for any such imposition to have been made. The News is a great paper and we all recognize it as an unapproachable news medium, which makes it the more regrettable that it should permit itself to stoop to such a discrimination in its almanac. We presume the News will consider the mistake or misrepresentation of too small importance to demand a correction in the columns of its paper. As for making the correction in the almanac, that cannot be done, as the book is printed and large numbers of it have been sold.—Henrietta Independent.

That doesn't matter. Call in all the copies and correct the mistake at all cost. To think that a puny little institution like the Dallas News should dare to treat you so rudely is beyond our comprehension. Somehow, though, we have thought all along that some fellow would tell the truth about Wichita Falls and her oil and gas field.

The United States Senator who protested against the observance of Lee's birthday in the south yesterday could turn a double handspring inside a thimble.

The 29th senatorial district in Texas is the largest district in the United States represented by one state senator and will have next year the largest population according to the national census of any district that has ever been created. This district has forty-nine counties, and extends from the north line of the Panhandle entirely across the same and on south and east to and including Jack and Young counties and thence west to the New Mexico line. It was formed on the basis of the population ten years ago and now has enough population to make three or four senatorial districts. Strange as it may seem it has two more counties than are now represented by the congressman of this district. A state senator to represent such a district will have to spread himself and no mistake. One of the duties of the senator elected next fall will be the proper and redistricting of this part of the state, and seeing that it gets fair representation in the coming legislative bodies.—Hall County Herald.

A. J. Schultze, one of the substantial farmers of Wichita county, residing in the Clara community, was in the city today and called at the Times office to protest against the voting of bonds on all the property of the county for the building of good roads. Mr. Schultze does not wish it understood that he opposes good roads, but thinks the county should be cut up into road districts and each district be permitted to levy whatever tax or bonded debt necessary for road building purposes. He is against the blanket system of bonding the entire county for road building purposes for the reason that some portions of the county, while paying its share of the bonded debt, would not, he thinks, receive corresponding benefits. The Times would like to hear from other farmers and tax-paying citizens on this question, and by making public their views on this matter, the people, when called upon to act, can do so more intelligently.

W. J. Bullock would make this district one of the best State Senators it ever had. In the prime of a vigorous manhood, clear, clean, able, of high character, he would not sacrifice principle for the popular clamor of all the world. He is close to the hearts of the common people, and the legislative experience of the past that he has already had, better fits him for the position. That experience is before the people and that assures us that we would be proud of our next Senator if we should place him in that position. So let us make it unanimous.—Iowa Park Herald.

The Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce last year spent \$15,000 in advertising that section and will spend \$15,000 this year in the same fund.—Denton Record and Chronicle.

And such energy as that will make any part of Texas grow. The members of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce know they have a fine country and are not afraid to spend money to insure its more rapid development. And now, when so many enterprising farmers and others are looking toward Texas for homes and investments, is the time for every enterprising community in the state to spend a little money to get its share of them.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

W. A. Johnson, of Memphis, Hall county writes the Times that he is in the race for the State Senatorship from this, the 29th Senatorial district, saying that he has consented to make the race primarily as a newspaper man, having been solicited to become a candidate by the press of the district. Among other things which he will favor, in the event he secures the democratic nomination which is equivalent to an election, is state-wide prohibition, better laws for the country press, a liberal policy to our higher educational institutions, remodeling of the penitentiary laws and perfection of the state guarantee law.

In saying that there is no good in the modern theatre, and that it is entirely bad, the Fort Worth minister who recently attacked the stage made a rather broad assertion. Even with those who seldom or never patronize the theatre, an indictment so sweeping cannot stand. In Bunyan's 'Pilgrim's Progress' there is a description of a man who looked only downward and whose vision was limited to the fifth on the ground before him. Above him was the sunshine, but he never lifted his eyes. Somehow, a man who sees nothing but evil in a feature of modern life classifies himself just that way.

It is very consoling to Wichita Falls, no doubt, to learn that while her per capita insurance rate is sixty-four cents, Amarillo's is twenty-five cents higher and Grand Prairie, Handley and San Saba higher still.

Our 'nigger-luck' has about played out on the fire question and we will have to have something more substantial than that to show the fire rating board.

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- Men's Clothing - Half Price
 - Men's Overcoats - Half Price
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 - Boy's Overcoats - Half Price
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 - Ladies' Coats - Half Price
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Commissioner of Insurance and Banking

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With total resources of more than ONE QUARTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS we are in a position to meet the reasonable needs of all customers.

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Our tomato stock is one we can talk about freely. Our White House brand is an especially fine article, solid ripe tomatoes packed whole and cans full. More tomato meat in these cans than ever before. Most all of last year's crop was good, a great deal of it was fancy, and White House brand was packed from the fanciest. 17 1/2c per can—\$1.90 per dozen. Independent Brand Tomatoes \$1.35 per dozen

EAT MORE CHEESE

That is good cheese, for it's a fine food. Don't be blinded by the old-fashioned idea that cheese is hard to digest. Poor cheese may be, but good cheese, such as our Burnham, American Cream, is not only easy to digest, but very wholesome and nutritious. The last cheese of this brand that we cut was something very classy and we have another now just like it. Have a pound? Only 25c.

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Wichita Falls, Texas

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—Liverpool Spots.
Liverpool, Jan. 20.—Spot cotton 7.61. Sales, 5,000 bales. Receipts, none.

Cotton—Liverpool Futures.
The market for future cotton opened steady and closed weak.

	Open	High	Close
Jan-Feb	7.46 1/2	7.46 1/2	7.29 1/2
Feb-Mch	7.48 1/2	7.48 1/2	7.31
Mch-Apr	7.50	7.50	7.31
May-June	7.55	7.55	7.33

Cotton—New York Spots.
New York, Jan. 20.—Spot cotton is quiet, with middling at 14.15, twenty-five points lower. Sales, 250 bales. On contract, 400 bales.

Cotton—New York Futures.
The market for future cotton opened easy and closed firm.

	Open	High	Close
Mch	13.95	14.06	14.00-a 01
May	14.05	14.17	14.12-a 14
July	14.10	14.21	14.12-a 14

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.
New Orleans, Jan. 20.—Spot cotton is nominal, with middling unchanged, at 15 cents. Sales, 21 bales, with a hedge of 2700 bales.

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.
The market for future cotton opened easy and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
Mch	14.14	14.21	14.16-a 17
May	14.43	14.43	14.38-a 39
July	14.59	14.59	14.50-a 51

Chicago Grain Market.

	Open	High	Close
Wheat	108 1/2	109 1/2	108 1/2
May	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
July	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Corn	67 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
May	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
July	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2

Fort Worth Cattle.
Fort Worth, Jan. 20.—Cattle, 2,400; hogs, 3,000. Steers, higher, tops \$4.10; cows, steady, tops \$3.50; calves steady, tops \$5.00; hogs steady, tops \$3.40.

ROBINS IS PRESIDENT.

Succeeds R. H. Baker as Head of T. & S. V.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 19.—It was announced at the offices of the Burlington Railroad today that J. W. Robins of Fort Worth, had been appointed president of the Trinity and Brazos Valley road. Robins is vice president and general superintendent of the Rock Island lines. He will succeed R. H. Baker and assumes his duties on the first of February. This will probably result in the removal of the general offices of the road from Houston to Fort Worth.

SOUTHERN HEALTH CONFERENCE

Permanent Organization Effected Today at Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 19.—A permanent organization to be known as the Southern Health Conference, was effected at the second day's session of the conference on the hook worm. Rockefeller was thanked for his gift of a million dollars and officers were elected. Dr. Harris of Atlanta, was chosen president. Among the vice presidents are, Dr. Perry of Alabama, McLain of Mississippi, Martin of Arkansas, Brumby of Texas, Dock of Louisiana and Shuler of Oklahoma.

HOME BURGLARIZED.

Perpetrators Set Fire to House to Cover Crime.

Paris, Tex., Jan. 19.—The home of J. R. Porter, near this city, was entered by robbers early this morning while the family was absent. After rifling the house and securing a small amount of silver, a gold watch and a diamond ring, they set fire to it to cover up their tracks. The flames were discovered by neighbors and extinguished before much damage was done.

PHYSICIAN ATTACKED.

Drunken Cuban Stabs Woman and is Later Drowned.

Corpus Christi, Tex., Jan. 19.—Fred Gonzalez, a Cuban, aged fifty years, attacked Dr. and Mrs. Newsome with a butcher knife last night and Mrs. Newsome was seriously lashed. Gonzalez had been drinking heavily and strated for the physician with the knife when his wife interfered. She was stabbed in the throat and shoulder. The Cuban escaped, but his lifeless body was later found in the bay.

PROBE CONVICT CAMPS.

Tarrant Grand Jury is Looking into Conditions.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 19.—The Tarrant county grand jury commenced a tour of the convict camps in the county today to investigate the charges that guards have been beating prisoners and giving other cruel treatment. Judge Simmons ordered the inspection six weeks ago.

INSURANCE PRESIDENTS.

Movements to Prolong Life Are Discussed Today.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—The movement to prolong life was the topic discussed by the various speakers at the morning session today of the National Association of Life Insurance Presidents.

Real Estate Transfers.

J. B. Marlow to J. H. Nix, lot 5, block 119; \$650.
C. M. Troutman and wife to Geo. A. Fitzgerald, lots 9 and 10, block 37, Iowa Park; \$70.

E. B. Taylor and wife to M. A. Small, lots 7, 8 and 9, block 3 of Texas addition, Iowa Park; \$650.
F. H. Denison and wife to J. B. Marlow, lot 5, block J, Granger and Balley addition; \$650.

J. H. Carithers to D. J. Carithers, lot 7, block B, Bellevue addition; \$100.
W. W. Brown to Mrs. M. B. Holbrook, lot 8, block 29, Electra; \$345.

Geo. S. Woodard to the Evangelical Lutheran congregation of Electra; \$1 and other considerations.
Wylie, Wyatt to Patrick J. Burke, lots 25 and 26, block C, and lots 1 and 2 of block, Wyatt's South Side Addition; \$765.

J. A. Deakins and wife to Mollie A. Slate, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 71, Iowa Park; \$60.

J. W. Lovell and wife to H. V. Meeker, 100 acres of the Thompson patent; \$2400.

J. C. Doneghy to H. V. Meeker, 125 acres of the Thos. Curry survey; \$3100.
Y. H. Phellis to C. H. Bittenbach, 160 acres, being subdivision No. 303, Waggoner Colony lands; \$4800.

V. H. Phellis to Albert Volhart, 160 acres, being subdivision No. 309, Waggoner Colony lands; \$4800.

Reese S. Allen to J. M. Powers, Jr., subdivisions 224 and 225, Waggoner Colony lands; \$4500.

Reese S. Allen to J. M. Powers, Jr., subdivisions 249 and 250, Waggoner Colony lands; \$4500.

Reese S. Allen to J. M. Powers, Jr., subdivisions 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, Red River Valley lands; \$9000.

Geo. S. Woodward to C. W. Doeffler, subdivision 297, Waggoner Colony lands; \$4875.

Noble and Henderson to C. A. Randall, lot 2 of Noble and Henderson Triangle survey; \$500.

J. W. DuVal to J. W. Tilley, an undivided half interest in lots 6 and 7, block 20, I. Jalonic addition; \$1.

Floral Heights Realty Co. to Otto Stehlik, lot 14, block 9, Floral Heights; \$350.

Floral Heights Realty Co. to Otto Stehlik, lot 15, block 9, Floral Heights; \$400.

Floral Heights Realty Co. to Otto Stehlik, lot 9, block 15, Floral Heights; \$425.

Floral Heights Realty Co. to Otto Stehlik, lot 6, block 3, Floral Heights; \$275.

E. Von der Lippe to S. E. Trevathan, lots 1 and 2, block 261; \$2650.

NOTHING IF NOT POLITE.

Burglar Said "Good Morning" as He Stole Money.

Ablene, Tex., Jan. 19.—Eight Abilene houses were visited by burglars last night and this morning. Two watches, worth \$75, were stolen from the home of J. H. Peek, Jr.; twenty-five dollars from the home of J. H. Waddell, but the other amounts were small.

Waddell awoke when the robber was in his house and the latter after saying "Good Morning" walked out with his trousers and money.

INVESTIGATING CHARGES.

House Committee Probes Ballinger Extravagance Matter.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—An investigation of the charges made by Representative Hitchcock of Nebraska (democrat), alleging extravagance in the interior department, including the charges affecting Secretary Ballinger and his cousin, "Jack" Ballinger, began before the house committee on expenditures today. Bird McGuire of Oklahoma, presided.

Differential Hearing Slow.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 19.—The district court hearing of the Houston-Galveston differential rate case, today expressed impatience at the long delay by attorneys in bringing the suit to a close. A mass of the statistics was read by counsel and these have to be transferred into the record. Auditor Colingham of the Southern Pacific, is on the stand today.

CAMPBELL IS INVITED.

May Respond to Shallenberger's Address at Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 19.—It was announced here today that Governor Campbell will be invited to respond to the address of Governor Shallenberger of Nebraska, when the latter opens the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show on March 14th. Governors of all the states in the southwest will be asked to attend.

REMAINS IDENTIFIED.

Son of Chicago Dramatic Critic Dead in Mississippi.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 15.—City Statistician Col. Eastman today identified the body of the man found dead at the Brexley Hotel at Biloxi, Miss., Tuesday, as that of the son of Barrett Eastman, known in Chicago as a dramatic critic.

Statehood Bill Passes.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—The house today by a vivacious vote passed the bill granting separate statehood to the territories of New Mexico and Arizona.

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START WORK SOON ON NEW OFFICE BUILDING

As soon as the preliminaries can be given attention, it is announced, work will start on the new office building which was projected last year, to be erected at the corner of 8th and Ohio, on the site now occupied by the Wilson Hardware Company's building. This structure is to be five or six stories in height and will cost about \$125,000.

The moving spirits behind the plan announce that work is to start at the earliest possible moment.

AMENDMENT IS LOST.

Republican Stay in Saddle by 192 to 147.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—The amendment by Clayton of Alabama, to the republican rule naming members of the Ballinger committee and proposing to substitute Rainey for Lloyd, was lost with one hundred and ninety-two yeas to one hundred and forty-seven nays.

TO OUST RAILROADS.

Arguments Begun Today in Missouri Supreme Court.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 18.—Argument began today in the Supreme court suit filed by the Attorney General to fine or oust sixteen railroads for alleged violation of the anti-trust laws fixing freight and passenger rates. The roads filed a demurrer to the petition.

BLACK HAND KIDNAPPING.

Young Italian Girl Captured On Way To Work.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—It is reported to the police that a black hand society is responsible for the kidnapping of Maria Marocco, seventeen years old, an Italian girl who was bundled into a cab today when she left home to go to work.

GHASTLY DISCOVERY.

Mutilated Remains of Woman Found Above Saloon.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Ill., Jan. 20.—The decapitated and mutilated body of a young woman was found in a room above a saloon on Armour avenue. The head was missing and the abdomen was ripped open.

NO ELECTION YET.

Deadlock in Mississippi Contest Continues Unbroken.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 18.—Both houses of the legislature balloted on the successor to the late Senator McLaurin today without result. The democratic caucus which has been agreed upon to settle the matter will resume balloting this afternoon.

Less Excitement in Cotton.

New York, Jan. 17.—While there was less excitement in the cotton market here today, May sold off two dollars and twenty cents a bale under Saturday's close.

IMMIGRANTS ESCAPE.

Were Being Held at Galveston Pending Deportation.

By Associated Press.
Galveston, Tex., Jan. 20.—Two Bulgarian immigrants, under deportation orders and held at the Methodist immigrants' Home, escaped from their quarters this morning. They were under guard with twenty others and were awaiting a steamer to return them to Europe. Admission was denied them by the Immigration Department.

Austin Court Proceedings.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 19.—The Court of Civil Appeals of the third district today affirmed the cases of D. N. Clark, administrator of Bob Love, from Tom Green county; Abraham Fred vs Sarah Fred, from McLennan county; The Citizens Railway Company vs Lorena Robertson, from McLennan. Reversed and remanded in the case of the I. & G. N. vs John Holzer, from McLennan county.

BOUND TO GRAND JURY.

Examining Trial of Alleged Kidnappers at Waxahachie.

Waxahachie, Tex., Jan. 15.—Jack Raymond and Henry Rawlinson, who were recently arrested at Dallas charged with kidnapping, were bound over to the grand jury at their examining trial in the justice court here. Both are held under \$500 bail, which they are unable to give.

STRUCK BY ENGINE.

Aged White Man Seriously Injured at Temple.

Temple, Tex., Jan. 19.—Henry Joslyn an aged white man, was struck by a switch engine in the local yards today and seriously injured. He was hurled thirty feet into a ditch. He failed to hear the locomotive approaching.

Helke is Arraigned.

New York, Jan. 17.—Chas. Helke, secretary of the American Sugar Refining Company, was arraigned in court today and held in five thousand dollar bond, to appear next Monday on the indictment charging him with conspiring to defraud the government.

UNIONISTS IN THE LEAD.

Elected Forty-Four Candidates in England Today.

London, Jan. 17.—The known elections are: Unionists, forty-four; Liberals, thirty-seven; Irish Nationalists, thirteen, and labor, six.

ICE JAM STILL HOLDS.

Great Danger is Imminent on Ohio River.

Louisville, Jan. 15.—The sixty-five mile ice jam at Brandenburg in the Ohio, still holds. Watch fires are kept burning along the river and the people are ready with telephones to give warning of signs of the break.

Inasmuch as either Arizona or New Mexico could be set down in the middle of Texas and still leave room around the edges for three or four other states, there should be no objection to the statehood bill.

It is now charged that in East Texas one's idea of opulence is a man who can afford to eat two eggs for breakfast.

SOME STATISTICS FROM PETROLIA

LETTER SUBMITS A FEW COMPARISONS THAT ARE NOT NECESSARILY ODIOSUS.

ACCIDENT AT HENRIETTA

Terrible Explosion in Times-Review Office—Carbon Bi-Sulphide Filled Atmosphere.

From Saturday's Daily. The following letter received by the Times from Petrolia yesterday, speaks for itself:

Mr. Editor Wichita Times, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Dear sir: I fear you have not heard of the terrible explosion in Henrietta last week, so I will write you, giving you the details, etc.

A terrible explosion happened in Henrietta, Texas, last week, and the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius wasn't in it. Last week the editor of the People's Review became so saturated with the imaginary gas—'hot air gas'—from their oil and gas field that he exploded and the presence of carbon bi-sulphide was so strong that the citizens came very near abandoning the city.

The eruption of Mt. Vesuvius does not stand a ghost of a show compared with the conglomerated mass thrown out by the explosion of the said editor. A few fragments were secured and are held in memory of the fatal accident; one of them as follows:

'J. W. Lockridge found that he had discovered petroleum instead of water, which he was in search of; he brought the sample here and Henrietta business men took down the fact and had the sample analyzed, then put energy and capital in the project and developed the field to a point that caused men all across the continent to sit up and take notice.'

Of course, we know that any article secured must have been disfigured somewhat, but we could not realize that there was such a strong force behind it that the article could not be cyphered correctly, so for the benefit of those who read the article we will state the facts in their true light.

The following statement is a true and correct record of the early development of the Petrolia oil and gas field, alias Henrietta oil and gas field.

Dr. E. G. Paterson, Dallas, eight wells.

F. Turner & Co., Beaumont, four wells.

Dr. Steele, Dallas, two wells.

Dr. Sturzer, Dallas, seven wells.

Buckley, Brooks & Mitchell, Bowie, three wells.

Wichita Oil Company, Wichita Falls, ten wells.

W. A. McCutcheon, Denver, nine wells.

Valley Oil Company, Wichita Falls, four wells.

R. S. Root, Hillsboro, eight wells.

Dismuke & Co., Bolder, Colo., three wells.

Ed Wilson, Boulder, Colo., two wells.

Talbot (local) one well.

Anderson & Bean, Wichita Falls, four wells.

Deming, Farmers' Branch, two wells.

Pioneer Oil Company, Seymour, three wells.

Hunt & McGregor, Wichita Falls, four wells.

Reed, Winfrey & Co., Iowa Park, four wells.

Stanger & Co., Sour Lake, seven wells.

J. A. Wood & Co., Chanute, Kas., eight wells.

Clayco Oil & Pipe Line Co., Beaumont, seven wells.

Landrum & Co., Bowie, six wells.

Felt & Co., Hamilton, nineteen wells.

Red Joyce (local) two wells.

McCabe, Wright & Co., Throckmorton, two wells.

Jno. Fields, Sherman, four wells.

McQuarry & Co., Denver, three wells.

Weber & Smith, Dallas, two wells.

Making a grand total of one hundred and forty wells for Petrolia; also two 37,500-barrel tanks, three selling tanks, together with pump station, refinery, pipe lines about the fields and to loading racks at railroad, storage tanks, loading rack capacity to load sixteen tank cars at one time; same put in by Clayco Oil and Pipe Line Company of Corsicana, Texas.

Henrietta's wonderful developing composes the following list:

W. H. Chilson, Henrietta, two wells.

Pearl Koelm, Henrietta, one well.

J. H. Koelm, Henrietta, one well.

Wyatt & Jones, Henrietta, one well.

Lockridge Oil Company, Henrietta, fifteen wells, making a grand total of twenty wells, with no tanks, no racks, no pipe lines, etc.

In conclusion, we wish to extend our heartfelt sympathies to the editor's staff and other. We are mourning over this terrible disaster.

Yours truly,

PETROLIA BUCKER.

Fowler Bros. loan money, 8 per cent. Over City National Bank.

Iowa Park News Notes. Iowa Park, Tex., Jan. 15.—Mrs. J. M. Sybert of Herford, is spending some weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Clark.

Mrs. Lighty, who has pneumonia, is improving.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, a girl baby, on Jan. 13.

Mr. Hy O. Young, who bought Mr. Ralston's interest in the Hines & Ralston firm, has assumed his duties in that store.

The telephone exchange is to be rebuilt and a number of improvements made.

At the last meeting of the commercial club, the following officers were elected: R. Hines, president; A. E. Hancock, vice-president; J. F. Boyd, treasurer.

Up to last Saturday night 2197 bales of cotton had been ginned here. At the same time last year 1270 bales had been ginned.

H. L. Terhune, a stockholder in the Park Implement Company, has purchased the stock of J. P. and Jno. W. Herod and becomes the secretary of this enterprising firm. They have lately added a line of stores and shelf hardware to their vehicle and implement business.

Mrs. T. W. Parker is reported sick.

Rev. Jno. E. Roach, presiding elder of the Bowie District, will preach at the Methodist church Sunday night and Monday at 11 a. m. and will hold conference at 2 p. m.

Miss Flora Cobb entertained a number of her young friends last Saturday afternoon in honor of her 13th birthday.

Mrs. Ralph Hines entertained the B. Y. P. U. at her home last Friday night.

The Baraca Class of the Methodist church met and elected officers on Monday night.

G. A. Fitzgerald is building a six-room house in the north part of the town.

Feston Dale is reported sick this week.

The Mothers' Club held an interesting meeting on Jan. 7th. They have a strong program planned for Jan. 21. At that time there will also be a display of work from the first, second and third grades of the public school.

The Home Mission Society of the Methodist church held a spelling match at the school building on Friday night.

The Christian Women's Board of Mission Auxillary of the Christian church held their regular meeting with Mrs. J. P. Herod Thursday.

Mr. C. E. Davis will soon put in a bicycle and repair shop here.

Mr. Barbour recently of Oklahoma City, died suddenly Thursday night, at his home east of town.

A party of public school girls, accompanied by Miss Sallie Harbour, visited the Cuban exhibit at Wichita Falls Thursday.

The following young people who were home for the holidays, have returned to school: Noel Troutman, to Trinity University; Rose McCleskey, Elma Hirschl and Miss Parker, to the North Texas Normal; Raymond Davis, to Peacock Military Academy; Sam McCleskey, to Fort Arthur Business College; Ralph Birk, Frank Lockridge and brother, to A. and M. College; Misses Bell and Laura Bell, to Millford College.

A party of hunters are out on the Little Wichita this week.

There will be preaching at the Christian church next Sunday by the pastor, A. W. Gehres. The morning subject will be—'The Reason of My Hope,' and the evening subject, 'Prohibition.'

Mr. John Robertson of Wichita Falls, has been among us in the interest of his candidacy for tax assessor.

We are still after that 125-barrel mill.

An oil man spent some time here this week. There may be something to report later.

J. B. Evans was called to the bedside of his daughter in New Mexico Tuesday morning.

The committee on reorganization of the Christian Sunday school met at the residence of the pastor on Friday evening.

Charley Winfrey and Dale Harbour have entered the Polytechnic College at Fort Worth.

Dr. Robt. Wolford of Tulsa, stopped over Wednesday for a short visit with his sister, Miss Bessie, who is the primary teacher here.

Abilene-Wichita Postoffice Receipts.

The comparison between the postoffice receipts of this city and those of Abilene shows some interesting figures. While Abilene has fully five thousand more people than Wichita Falls, her receipts exceed those of this city by a narrow margin.

Abilene's 1908 receipts were \$25,833.51, while Wichita Falls' total for the same year was \$19,635.43. For 1909, Abilene showed \$29,027.33, while Wichita Falls had \$27,184.52. These figures are from stamp sales.

In box rents, Wichita Falls had \$1,433.10 in 1908, as compared with Abilene's \$1,157.30 for the same year. For 1909, Wichita Falls showed a total of \$1,607.55 to Abilene's \$1,340.60.

Both Abilene and Wichita Falls are ahead of San Angelo in the matter of postoffice receipts.

Smuggling Cases to Jury.

Texas News Service Special. Galveston, Tex., Jan. 15.—The cases of the seventeen persons, including two Americans, eight Greeks and seven Chinamen, who are charged with smuggling Chinese into the United States from Mexico, were given to the jury in the federal court here today at noon.

Arguments occupied all of the morning session.

Friends of T. B. Holman, the suspended inspector of immigration, are confident that he will be acquitted.

Trouble in Turkey.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—A dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from Constantinople says the Turkish government is holding twelve thousand troops in readiness to be sent to Crete.

Recently the Cretan executive committee took the oath of allegiance to King George of Greece and the assembly adopted a resolution to introduce the Hellenic code of laws.

BOYS SCHOOL IS NO LONGER IN DOUBT

ALL OF STOCK REQUIRED HAS BEEN SUBSCRIBED AND ACCEPTANCE WIRED.

WILL START WORK SOON

Thirty Thousand Dollars to Be Spent For Buildings Before the Coming Fall.

From Saturday's Daily. While there has never been any real doubt, since the proposition was first made, that Wichita Falls would land the boys school to be established by the Greenville parties, it was not until this afternoon that the matter was finally closed up; the ten-thousand dollars in stock being subscribed. There was some delay in getting the full subscription on account of the inability of the committeemen to get to work on it, but as soon as they were able to get busy, the matter was finally closed up.

Wichita Falls subscribes for ten thousand dollars worth of stock in cash, and puts up an additional seventy-five hundred dollars in a site, which was donated by the Floral Heights Realty Company.

The promoters, of whom Dr. O. C. Payne of Greenville is the chief, have agreed to put up twenty thousand dollars of their money and this total of thirty thousand will be expended in buildings and equipment.

The site selected for the school is in Floral Heights, one block north of the turn of the car line and is about twenty acres in size. The Greenville parties have been notified of Wichita Falls' acceptance and will probably be here very shortly to start actual construction work on the buildings.

The site is a beautiful one, being about the highest point in Floral Heights and commanding a view of the country for miles around.

It is hoped to open the school next September.

The following are those who made the school a certainty by stock subscriptions:

J. A. Kemp, \$1250; Frank Kell, \$1,000; Wiley Blair, \$500; R. E. Huff, \$500; T. R. T. Orth, \$200; J. T. Montgomery, \$250; A. H. Carrigan, \$250; G. D. Anderson, \$250; Myca O'Reilly, \$100; J. J. Lory, \$100; N. Henderson, \$100; W. J. Hullock, \$25; Jones & O'Leary, \$100; H. Ammann, \$200; C. G. Canfield, \$100; J. L. Downing, \$50; Vic Stampfl, \$50; Hunt Graia Company, \$100; Ed Friberg, \$100; J. T. Young, \$25; Geo. Eagle, \$25; F. W. Tibbets, \$25; T. T. Reese, \$25; E. H. Stehlik, \$25; Jack Jones, \$25; T. C. Thatcher, \$25; O. T. Bacon, \$25; John Hair, \$25; A. G. Fletcher, \$25; Ed Howard, \$50; J. H. Wideman, \$25.

People's Ice Company, \$25; Jeff Wagner, \$25; T. B. Greenwood, \$25; R. M. Moore, \$100; W. B. Robertson, \$100; Noble Hardware Company, \$100; C. W. Bean, \$250; Moore & Richolt, \$200; P. P. Langford, \$200; Wichita Brick and Tile Company, \$200; B. J. Bean, \$100; W. A. Reid, \$100; J. C. Tandy, \$100; E. Von der Lippe, \$100; W. B. McClurkin, \$100; Avis & Rountree, \$100; A. Zundelwitz, \$100; M. J. Gardner, \$100; Mrs. M. M. Addicks, \$200; E. F. Crawford, \$50; C. J. Barnd, \$100; J. E. Scott, \$50; Water and Light Company, \$100; Wichita Land and Loan Company, \$100; S. M. Kennedy, \$50; Irg Willis, \$25; Pete Randolph, \$25; Lynn Boyd, \$25; Mrs. L. M. Boyd, \$25; S. H. Barwise, \$25; R. C. Hardy, \$25; A. J. Seltz, \$50; T. J. Wagner, \$50; L. C. Hinckley, \$50; J. L. Maxwell, \$50; E. M. Winfrey, \$50; F. P. Avis, \$50; G. Patterson, \$100; J. C. Ward, \$200; H. J. Bachman, \$100; J. F. Reid, \$100; H. B. Hines, \$100; C. W. Morgan and Sons, \$100; A. A. Hughes, \$100; F. E. Robertson, \$25; A. J. Haddix, \$25; John Robertson, \$25; Wideman Bros., \$25; J. W. Pond, \$100.

LARGE ATTENDANCE EXPECTED.

Farmers' Union Meeting at Ft. Worth This Month.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 15.—All railroads in Texas have granted a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip to Fort Worth for the big conference which will be held here on Jan. 24th to 28th, by members and officials of the Texas Farmers' Union.

While not strictly a convention, a large attendance is assured because of the sensational developments in the union recently, especially the secession movement in Texas.

The Tarrant County Union will today adopt resolutions supporting President W. T. Loudermilk.

LAW IS UPHELD.

Dallas Court of Appeals Passes on C. O. D. Law.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 15.—The court of civil appeals today in a decision, upheld the new law requiring express companies to pay an occupation tax of five thousand dollars for handling cash on delivery whiskey shipments.

The case came up from Dallas county, in L. Craddock vs. Wells-Fargo & Company, and the court declared that, despite the ruling, the state still has a right to collect such a tax as a public regulation against a traffic that is illegal, unless sanctioned by the state.

ASSURED OF SUPPORT.

Texas Delegates Will Vote For Henry Anti-Future Bill.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—Congressman Henry today was assured of support by all the Texas delegation for his bill preventing gambling in futures on farm products. Nearly all the Texas delegation visited the agricultural committee and discussed the measure. It is reported that a lobby from New York will be established here soon to fight the bill.

PRACTICALLY DEFEATED.

Resolution on Inauguration Date Re-Committed Today.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—The house today voted to re-commit the resolution providing for a change in the date for the presidential inauguration. This practically defeats it.

10 Days Cost Sale

Before Invoicing we will offer our entire Stock at Cost for Cash

Sale Begins Saturday Morning, January 15

Men's Furnishing Goods At Cost
Trunks and Grips At Cost
Hats and Shoes At Cost
Every article in the House at Cost for Cash Except Dunlap Hats and Carhartt Overalls

Any Suit or Overcoat at Half Price

Walsh & Clasbey

Wichita Falls, Texas

Do You Want To Be A CITIZEN?

If You Do

Pay Your Poll Tax Now

The year 1910 will bring several important elections and every citizen owes it to himself, his city, county and state to have a voice in every issue. A citizen who sacrifices his right to vote has little ground for complaint when he is willing to let others think and act for him

Only male citizens between the ages of 21 and 60 years are required to pay a poll tax provided they have resided in the State of Texas one year prior to January 1st, 1910

Avoid standing in line by paying Poll Taxes early. The last day on which Poll Taxes can be paid is January 31st and a receipt must be secured from both the City Hall and Court House before becoming an eligible voter for 1910

PROFESSIONAL ADS

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Huff, Barwise & Bullington. ATTORNEYS AT LAW. Rooms 13 and 15 City National Bank Wichita Falls, Texas.

T. B. GREENWOOD. ATTORNEY AT LAW. County Attorney Wichita County and Notary Public. Office: Over Farmers' Bank and Trust Company.

A. A. HUGHES. ATTORNEY AT LAW. Rooms over W. B. McClurkin's Dry Goods Store Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mathis & Weeks. ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. Office: Rooms 3 and 4, First National Bank Annex. Wichita Falls, Texas.

Montgomery & Britain. Attorneys at Law. Office over Farmers' Bank & Trust Co. Wichita Falls, Texas.

S. M. FOSTER. ATTORNEY AT LAW. Civil and Criminal Practice, Notary Public. Abstracts Examined, City National Bank Building. Phone 512.

GEO. A. SMOOT. ATTORNEY AT LAW. Room 1, City National Bank Building Wichita Falls, Texas.

T. R. (DAN) BOONE. ATTORNEY AT LAW. Rooms 2 and 4 over City National Bank Building. ARCHITECTS.

Boller & Von der Lippe. ARCHITECTS. Moore-Bateman Building. Room 9. Phone, 316.

JONES & ORLOPP. Architects and Superintendents. 709 SEVENTH STREET. First National Bank Building Annex.

ACCOUNTING. A. E. MYLES. ACCOUNTANT. Room 7 Postoffice Building Phone: Office 543; Residence, 519.

MATILDA M. THUMAN. GRADUATE NURSE. Room 909 Seventh St. Telephone 698. Can be reached through any physician.

T. B. LEACH. BRICK, STONE AND CEMENT CONTRACTOR. 620 Indiana Ave. Estimates cheerfully furnished. All work guaranteed to be first-class in every respect.

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PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS. G. R. YANTIS, M. D. City National Bank Building. Women, Children, Obstetrics and General Practice. Hours—9-11 2-5 Telephone 616 Wichita Falls, Texas.

S. H. Burnside. Wade H. Walker. DR. BURNSIDE & WALKER. Surgery and General Practice. Phones: Dr. Burnside's Residence, No. 12 Dr. Walker's Residence, No. 267 Office Phone, No. 13 Office Hours—7 a. m. to 7 p. m. Office on Seventh street, next Door to Wichita Falls Sanitarium.

DRS. SWARTZ & OLSON. PHYSICIANS and SURGEONS. Office: Room 1 First National Bank Annex, Seventh street. Telephone—office 557, residence 558. Wichita Falls, Texas.

DR. M. H. MOORE, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Rooms 4 and 5 Over Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman's Dry Goods Store. Phone: Office, No. 547; Res. No. 338. Wichita Falls, Texas.

Drs. Miller, Smith & Walker. Offices—Rooms 7, 8, 9 and 10, Postoffice Building.

DR. J. C. A. GUEST. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Residence, No. 214 County, No. 239 Office over E. S. Morris & Co.'s Drug Store, 710 Indiana Avenue.

DR. L. MACKECHNEY. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Rooms 2 and 3 in Vreeland Building. Office Phone, No. 222 Residence Phone, No. 462

DR. A. L. LANE, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office over Nutt, Stevens and Hardeman's Dry Goods Store. Rooms 4 and 5. Office phone 547. Residence phone 487

DR. L. COONS. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office—718 Ohio Ave. Phones, Residence, No. 11. Office, 137.

EVERETT JONES, M. D. PHYSICIAN and SURGEON. Office over E. S. Morris & Co.'s Drug Store. Day and Night Phone, 239.

DR. BOGER, DENTIST. Office in Kemp & Laskor Building. Hours: From 8 a. m. to 12 m., and From 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

DR. W. H. FELDER, DENTIST. Southwest Corner 7th Street and Ohio Avenue. Wichita Falls, Texas.

Dr. H. A. Waller. DENTIST. Dental rooms over First National Bank Building—Phone 49

DR. J. S. NELSON, DENTIST. Rooms—1-2 Moore-Bateman Building. PHONES. Office, No. 547 Residence, No. 423

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TO BE NO DELAY ON NEW COLLEGE

DR. PAYNE EXPECTED THIS WEEK FROM GREENVILLE TO TAKE ACTIVE CHARGE.

PLANS WELL UNDER WAY

Hopes to Start on Buildings in Time to Begin First Session Next September.

From Monday's Daily. Dr. O. C. Payne, of Greenville, who is the moving spirit behind the boys' school which is shortly to be established in Wichita Falls, is expected here this week to take active charge of the affairs. It is the plan of those in charge to begin work just as soon as the preliminaries of organizing the stock company can be completed, which will be in a very few days. It is hoped to begin work by February 15th, at the latest.

This school will not, as some suppose, be connected with any institution at Greenville, or anywhere else, but will be an independent academy. Just what it's name will be is not yet known, but 'Wichita College' has been suggested and may be adopted.

Dr. Payne already has several of his faculty positions filled and is in communication with a number of others. He proposes to select as able an aggregation as can be secured, and is already at work to that end.

The buildings and equipment of the school are to cost thirty thousand dollars and will be ready for occupancy by next fall. It is freely predicted for the institution that it will be filled to its capacity by the end of one month after the first term begins.

The State of Texas, County of Wichita. In the J. P. Court of Precinct No. 1, Wichita County, Texas. Minnetonka Lumber Co., No. 3452, vs. J. M. Childers.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Wichita County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 29th day of November 1909, in favor of said Minnetonka Lumber Co., and against the said J. M. Childers, No. 3452, docket of said court, I did on the 30th day of December, 1909, at 10:00 a. m. levy on the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the city of Wichita Falls, in Wichita County, Texas, and belonging to the said J. M. Childers, to-wit:

Lot No. 8 and No. 9 in block No. 6 of Kemp addition to said city, and on the 1st day of February, 1910, being the First Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. of said day at the court house of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the rights, title and interest of the said J. M. Childers, and to said property.

Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 3rd day of January, 1910. R. L. RANDOLPH, Constable Precinct No. 1, Wichita County, Texas. w-5tr

The State of Texas, County of Wichita. In the J. P. Court of Precinct No. 1, Wichita County, Texas. P. W. Nolen Mercantile Co., No. 3408, vs. J. M. Childers.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Wichita County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in such court on the 25th day of October, 1909, in favor of the said P. W. Nolen Mercantile Co., and against the said J. M. Childers, No. 3408, docket of said Court, I did on the 30th day of December, 1909, at 10:00 a. m. levy on the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, and belonging to the said J. M. Childers, to-wit:

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Allendale News Notes. Allendale, Tex., Jan. 17.—Mr. Roy Gilham of Roanoke, Alabama is visiting his uncle Mr. J. T. Gilham. Mr. W. L. Swerlages who has been on a trip to south Texas returned Friday.

Mrs. J. S. Ball of Huntington, W. Va., has been visiting his cousin, Mr. A. E. Quinn and family for the past two weeks. Mrs. R. V. Quinn and children spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Quinn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Allen.

Mrs. J. B. Sisk and little son Paul returned Sunday after a few days' visit with her friend, Mrs. J. W. Dolen at Iowa Park.

ARTHUR GREEN. Dallas Director Dies at His Desk Today. Dallas, Tex., Jan. 17.—Arthur Green, a director of A. H. Belo & Co., publishers of the Dallas News, died at his desk in the News office this morning, from a stroke of apoplexy. He was about fifty years of age.

NOTICE

Wichita Falls, Texas, Dec. 15, 1909. Notice is hereby given that at 10:00 o'clock a. m. on the First Tuesday in February 1910, there will be held at the office of the Company in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, Wichita County Texas, a meeting of the stockholders of The Wichita Falls Railway Company for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting for action by the stockholders.

Notice is also given that immediately after the adjournment of the meeting of the stockholders of said company, a meeting of the directors of said company shall be held at the same place for the purpose of electing officers of said company for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business that may come before the Board of Directors for action.

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Notice is also given that immediately after the adjournment of the meeting of the stockholders of said company, a meeting of the directors of said company shall be held at the same place for the purpose of electing officers of said company for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business that may come before the Board of Directors for action.

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WILL USE DYNAMITE TO BREAK OHIO ICE JAM

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 18.—The great ice gorge in the Ohio near Brandenburg, shows no signs of weakening today, and a special train carrying a thousand pounds of dynamite, left here today for the scene of the jam. Forty men, under the direction of Captain Brown of the United States Army, went to Stevensport, Kentucky, ten miles below Wolf Creek last night.

Gorge is Moving. Evansville, Ind., Jan. 18.—The Wolf Creek gorge began to move generally from shore to shore at 10 o'clock this morning.

See Fowler Bros. for real estate loans, 8 per cent money. Rooms 2 and 4, City National Bank building. w-5tr

Cotton South's Greatest Crop

Expert Knapp Points Out Possibilities of Crop Culture in South.

Greenville, Miss., Jan. 18.—Forty years hence the world will require of the United States a round fifty million bales of cotton from which to fashion its clothing. These astonishing figures were given out today by Dr. Seaman A. Knapp, of the department of agriculture, who delivered an address here on 'Cotton, the Greatest of Cash Crops.' The government expert is concluding a speaking tour of the southern states under the auspices of the Southern Railway.

'Look for a moment at the increased demand for cotton,' said Dr. Knapp. 'If you note carefully, you observe that it has doubled once in about twenty-two years. If we estimate 13,000,000 bales as a minimum supply on the part of the United States for the world's clothing at the present time, we go back twenty-two years and find that a little more than 6,000,000 bales were sufficient at that time, and twenty-two years prior to that, 3,000,000 bales filled the demands, while twenty-two years before that, 1,500,000 met the exigencies of trade.'

'If we pursue the same line for the future, we discover that in 1932, the world will require of us 26,000,000 bales and in 1954, 52,000,000 bales of cotton must be produced in the United States. Here is one of the most wonderful opportunities for wealth that has been known within the historic period. Our lands and climate are exceedingly well adapted to the production of the fleecy staple, and the intelligence of the farmers of the south and their long experience with cotton have equipped them to do the work and do it well.'

Diversification of crops and a lesser acreage in cotton, but with a greater yield per acre, is advocated by Dr. Knapp to meet the situation. He laid especial emphasis on the need for good drainage on the plantations in order that the planters get a good stand. Of equal importance, he pointed out, was the seed bed, the seed and the subsequent cultivation of the growing crop. He also advanced the necessity for planting early maturing varieties of cotton that puts forth fruit limbs among the first branches.

The rotation of crops along scientific lines, in the opinion of the government expert, would compel the breaking of many large plantations and the adoption of a plan of cultivation along co-operative lines.

'It certainly will modify very much the tenant plan,' he said, 'for hitherto we have loaned our lands and allowed the tenants to farm at their will.'

'In future the successful planter will be obliged to have his plantation supervised and his work done according to definite plans.'

'In the case of a large number of independent farmers it will require that one man be employed to supervise and give special directions to the small farmers, because it will never be safe, under boll weevil conditions, to allow the old, loose way of cultivating cotton to continue. It is sure to result in failure. In fact, it has always been a failure to a great extent.'

In the south's preparations to meet the world's increasing demand for its greatest crop, the towns and cities would have to bear a share, said Dr. Knapp. In order to care for the labor the growth of the industry would demand in the summer, and which would be practically idle in the winter months, industries would have to be established that would care for this idle army.

'In some sections some of these industries will be carried on only in the winter,' he said. 'Thus the farmer will be obliged to find more continuous labor for his employes. Hitherto he has expected that the tenant farmer or the farm laborer would earn all that was necessary during the summer, but we are coming into a more strenuous life and labor must be provided for the winter.'

Dr. Knapp suggested that the diver-

sification of crops and the household garden would offer a partial solution of the problem, while clearing and fencing also should mark the winter months.

In Memory of Miss Hattie L. Hunt. We, the committee appointed by the Lake Creek Sunday School at Huff, Texas, to draft resolutions of respect on the death of Miss Hattie L. Hunt, beg leave to submit the following:

Hattie L. Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt, was born November 3, 1885, in Young County, Texas. She professed religion and joined the Christian church in July, 1904, and has lived a consistent member until death.

She was an obedient and loving daughter and was loved by all. Whereas, it hath pleased our Heavenly Father to remove Hattie from our midst, be it,

Resolved, 1. That our Sunday School has lost a true Christian member, one who was always patient and ready to sacrifice for the good of our school.

2. That we truly sympathize with father, mother, brother and sisters in their sad bereavement.

3. That we pray God's blessings upon the family to comfort and guide them.

AMY B. MAN, FLORA FAULKNER, CARRIE EDGIN, RUTH ESKRIDGE. Committee for Sunday School.

Real Estate Transfers.

J. W. Tilley to J. W. Du Val, an undivided half interest in lots 6 and 7, block 20, I. Jalonick addition; \$1 and other considerations.

B. K. Krassland to J. E. Mullinex, lot 10 of block 19, Jalonick addition; \$400.

E. M. and L. A. Rhodes to J. S. Williamson and M. C. Preslar, lot 4, block 24, Jalonick addition; \$1250.

J. S. Williamson to M. C. Preslar, lot 4, block 24, Jalonick addition; \$100.

R. E. Strange and wife to C. M. Reed, lot 1, of block 1, Kemp and Jackson sub-division; \$620.

T. C. Byers and wife to Orville Bullington, about 32 acres of the John A. Scott survey No. 10; \$6320.

The Christian Home Association of Council Bluffs, Iowa to T. C. Byers, about 30 acres of the John A. Scott survey; \$575.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY.

Fort Worth Man May Die as Result of Accident.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 15.—Luther Loveland, aged thirty-six, was probably fatally injured near the city today, when the team which he was driving dashed against a telephone post, hurling him from his wagon, his head striking a rock. He had been married only a month.

WILL BE INVESTIGATED.

Senate Decides Upon Probe of Ballinger-Pinchot Controversy.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Senator Nelson today reported to the Senate and it unanimously adopted the conference report on the resolution providing for an investigation of the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy.

Ed. B. Gorsline AUCTIONEER

Wichita Falls, Texas. Thoroughly posted on horses and cattle and all breeds of stock, with ears of experience in the auction business, and will handle your sale right from start to finish. It always pays you to employ the auctioneer who is successful in his business and a good judge of stock. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Terms, Reasonable. Write or telephone me for dates before

Mr Farmer. Come in and let us show you. Avis-Rountree & Company. Implements-Hardware. Image of a tractor.

PERSONAL MENTION

From Friday's Daily.
 M. A. Marcus left this evening for Dallas to visit relatives.
 Sheriff Walkup left this evening for Hereford on official business.
 Judge H. A. Allen of Fort Worth, is in the city on legal business.
 Miss Margaret Priddy left last evening to visit relatives at El Paso.
 Mrs. J. P. Boone and little son returned from Fort Worth today, where they have been visiting since the holidays.
 Mrs. F. P. Robinson of Childress, accompanied by her sister, Miss Elsie English, of Denver, arrived in the city this afternoon and are the guests of Mrs. Clark Fowler, 502 Scott avenue.
 Mrs. Elmer B. Woodward, accompanied by her little brother, Master James Francis Wier, returned last evening from an extended visit with relatives at Waco, Tex., and Ardmore, Okla.
 H. P. Nichols, a prominent oil man from Petrolia, was in the city today en route to Electra and Childress, where he has business interests. Mr. Nichols was making the trip in his automobile.
 Rev. M. H. Read of St. Jo, Tex., dis-trict evangelist for the Bowie and Decatur districts of the M. E. Church South, was in the city today en route to Petrolia, at which place he will conduct a revival meeting.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Kennedy, formerly of Celeste, have located in this city, to make it their future home. Mr. Kennedy is a member of the new dry goods firm of Barnard & Kennedy, that will open for business in this city about February 15th, in the Guggenheim building, corner 7th and Indiana avenue.
 From Saturday's Daily.
 City Marshal Puckett of Grandfield, is in the city today.
 Henry Ford of Holliday, was here today transacting business.
 H. G. Williams of Petrolia, was a visitor in the city today.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carver of Archer City, were in the city today.
 Jno. Dowlen of Byers, was here today looking after business interests.
 F. M. Tucker from the Thornberry neighborhood, was here today on business.
 Mrs. R. V. Guinn and children left this evening for Allendale to visit relatives.
 J. S. Ball of Huntington, W. Va., is in the city the guest of his cousin, R. V. Guinn.
 Mrs. E. W. Morgan and her daughter of Petrolia, were visitors in the city today.
 Chas. Van Loh of Iowa Park, was in the city today, looking after business interests.
 Tom Adams, well-to-do stockman and farmer from Knox County, is here today meeting friends.
 Miss Lela Smith, who is teaching school at Dean Grove, visited her parents in the city today.
 From Monday's Daily.
 J. M. Young left this evening for a business trip to Stamford.
 H. A. Fairchild left this afternoon for Iowa Park on business.
 Frank Kell returned this morning from Washington, where he spent last week.
 W. T. Wadlington has returned from an extended visit with relatives at Gracey, Ky.
 Joe Perry of Grandfield, Okla., is here today transacting business and meeting friends.
 T. S. Wilson of Mankins, Texas, was here today while en route to Archer City on business.
 W. K. Perry and daughter Miss Edith from Grandfield, Okla., are in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Perry.
 J. H. Schatts, one of Wichita county's progressive farmers, who resides near Iowa Park, was here today on business.
 A. H. Bevering, one of Henrietta's trustworthy citizens, was in the city today en route to his ranch near Charlie, Texas.
 E. D. Conkling and S. S. Fassett, prominent citizens from Iowa Park, were here today transacting business matters.
 G. R. Decker from the Bowman neighborhood, was in the city today on his return from a visit with relatives at Hobart, Okla.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Reynolds of Wolfe City, are among the new arrivals in Wichita Falls, and are now located at 304 19th street.
 Judge J. H. Glasgow of Seymour, who has been at Marlin Wells for some time, passed through the city today on his return home.



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R. C. Malone of Abilene, is in the city.
 J. L. Downing returned today from Dallas, at which place he attended the State Nurserymen's Association.
 Miss Jettie Arnold, one of the teachers in the public schools at Iowa Park, was among the local visitors in the city today.
 W. B. Corlett, with the Texas Oil Company at Henrietta, was in the city today on his return from a business trip to Electra.
 W. W. Smithson and Miss Callie Smithson, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Collier for the past month, left today for their home at Cassaway, Tenn.
 Rev. A. W. Tempke, pastor of the Evangelical Association at Henrietta, was a pleasant caller at this office today, while en route to Burkburnett, where he will hold services tomorrow morning and evening.
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Sam Williams, a business man from Iowa Park, was here today transacting business.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Page returned this afternoon from Oklahoma.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richardson, who have been making this city their home for the past year, left this evening for Dallas, where they will reside.
 Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Marchman returned this morning from Dallas, accompanied by Mr. Marchman's father, who will visit here for a few days.
 From Tuesday's Daily.
 P. Ramming and J. J. Cobb of Iowa Park, are here today on business.
 City Marshal B. H. Bickens of Munday, is in the city on official business.
 L. B. Jenne left this morning for Fort Worth, where he has business interests.
 J. R. Fore and little son of Graham, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fore.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Naylor of Iowa Park, were among the local visitors in the city today.
 C. F. Kohler of Fort Worth, who has been looking after property interests here, returned today.
 Col. A. D. Terrell, manager for the Whaley-Webb Oil Company at Henrietta, is in the city on business.
 Sidney Webb, a banker from Bellevue, was a visitor in the city today while en route to his ranch in Baylor county.
 Henry Brockreider, one of Wichita county's thrifty farmers, who resides near Iowa Park, was here today, paying taxes.
 County Assessor Chas. Humphreys of Baylor county, was in the city today on his return from a business trip to Fort Worth.
 A. G. Deatherage left this evening for Seymour and will be absent several days, looking after business interests in that section.
 Master of Mechanics F. A. Carlson, of the G. F. & W. Railway Company, with headquarters at Jacksboro, is here today on business.
 F. A. Jordan, formerly a citizen of Wichita Falls, but now a prosperous farmer at Davidson, Okla., is here today the guest of friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris of Silverton, Colo., are visiting relatives in this city. Mr. Morris is an old-time Wichita boy, having resided here up to five years ago, when he went to Colorado.
 W. M. Moore, one of Knox county's representative citizens, was here today en route to Fort Worth. Mr. Moore expressed surprise at the rapid growth the city has made within the last year and will probably invest largely in real estate in this city.
 From Wednesday's Daily.
 Robt. Cobb, Jr., of Dallas, is here today meeting friends.
 Rev. W. C. Dush of Olney, was a visitor in the city today.
 E. A. Brown of Electra, is in the city attending district court.
 Judge Allen of Henrietta came up today to attend district court.
 M. Dodson of Burkburnett, was here today looking after business interests.
 J. P. Rogerman, traveling agent of the Baltimore and Ohio, is in the city today.
 Mrs. S. Hammond and her daughter, Mrs. A. Manus, are visiting friends at Gainesville.
 Mrs. Claude Halcomb of Quanah, is in the city the guest of Mrs. J. R. Chandler.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson and children of Mankins, Tex., were visitors in the city today.
 O. R. Carter returned today from Montague, at which place he had been attending court.
 Miss Alice Walsh of Abilene will arrive tomorrow to be the guest of Mrs. D. P. Woodward.
 Hugh Riely, one of Wichita county's foremost farmers, was here today transacting business.

L. J. Warner of Dallas, agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Union Line, is in the city today.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ledbetter of Ardmore, Okla., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. L. Cox.
 R. M. Wortham, representing the Texas Bituminous Company of Dallas, is in the city on business.
 Alex Kahn left this morning for New York to spend the next month in buying goods for his establishments.
 D. E. Bentley, from the Thornberry neighborhood, was in the city today on his way to Alplhae, Texas, to visit relatives.
 Miss Mary Kaufman of Abilene, arrived here today and is the guest of her friend, Mrs. D. P. Woodward, 1107 Burnett avenue.
 I. H. Roberts, the cement contractor, returned at noon from Mangum, Okla., where he had been to look after some cement work in that town.
 Mrs. Geo. W. Ellis of Henrietta, was in the city today en route to Throckmorton county, in response to a message announcing the serious illness of his mother.
 Robt. Malone of Midland, who has been in the city prospecting for several days, left for his home this evening, having purchased 160 acres of Wichita county land for speculation.
 Traveling Engineer S. A. Kelly of the Denver and Sid Price of Childress, who have been out on the Wichita Valley on a hunting trip, came in today and went north on the Denver.
 Sam Huggins, a popular conductor on the Denver, with headquarters at Anillo, is in the city en route home from Loveland, Okla., where he visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huggins.
 C. L. Fontaine, general freight and passenger agent for the Wichita Falls Route, is expected to return tonight from St. Louis, where he has been in attendance upon a meeting of the Southwestern Tariff Committee.
 From Thursday's Daily.
 Joe Terry, a real estate man from Harrold, is in the city.
 Tutton Morrow, an attorney of Hillsboro, is in the city on business.
 Sidney Webb, a banker from Bellevue, is here today on business.
 E. L. Tombs left this morning for a few days business trip to Fort Worth.
 Stokely Orth of Boston, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. T. Orth.
 C. Burnett, a prominent stockman from Ringgold, Texas, is here today on business.
 Frank Leffler left this evening for Fort Worth to look after business interests.
 M. Stands, a popular hardware salesman from Dallas, is here today calling on his trade.
 J. J. Perkins, a capitalist from Decatur, is here today looking after business interests.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Helton, from Petrolia, were among the local visitors in the city today.
 Robt. M. Waggoner of Vernon, was a visitor in the city today, on his return from Mineral Wells.
 J. R. Green and Thomas Warren, representative citizens from Byers, were here today transacting business.
 Mrs. J. A. Kemp, accompanied by her daughters, Misses Sibyl and Jewel, left this afternoon for San Antonio.
 Tom Adams, a thrifty cowman from Knox county, was in the city today, on his return from a business trip to Fort Worth.
 Chas. Storts, a popular insurance man, with headquarters at Ft. Worth, was in the city today the guest of C. W. Bean.
 Mr. Giles Culver, from the Thornberry neighborhood, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. O. S. Cook, left for his home this evening.
 C. T. Wood and mother left this morning for Vandalla, Ill., where Mr. Wood will remain for the next thirty days looking after business interests.

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No. 3 contains 4 cans each California Table Peaches, Apricots and N. Y. Pears. This is not of course the fanciest to be had but is nice fruit and a big snap at the price, \$2. We guarantee satisfaction.

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