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LABOR WILL NOT PUT OUT TICKET

UNIONS, HOWEVER, WILL ENDORSE CANDIDATES THEY THINK WILL BEST REPRESENT THEM.

TO DEMAND WARD SYSTEM

Employment of Home Labor and an Eight Hour Day Also Advocated.

The various labor unions of the city in session by representatives decided yesterday not to nominate a labor ticket for the municipal offices, but to wait until all of the candidates had filed their nominations and then pick from the list each candidate as best represented the demands and principles of organized labor.

In passing on a candidate's merits for endorsement the unions will demand that he endorse the eight-hour law as regards city employees, that all home labor so far as possible shall be employed on city work, that the city be divided into wards and that the aldermen be elected from the various wards according to the ward lines and that two more firemen be added to the number of paid men at the central station.

It is planned to cast the union vote solid, or as near so as possible, for any man who receive the endorsement of the central body, although where more than one candidate for any office endorses the platform of the unions, no choice will be made between them. In this way the unions expect to hold the balance of power and to control the election at least to the extent of securing officials who are pledged to carry out their views.

A SERUM CURE FOR PNEUMONIA

New York, Jan. 18.—The Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research is prepared to announce a serum cure for pneumonia.

The reasons the demonstrations of this new discovery have not been given to the medical profession and the public up to this time is the lack of patients on whom to try the serum.

Elaborate preparations have been made at the hospital of the institute for the reception of pneumonia patients.

One resident physician, three of the most highly trained nurses and three orderlies are to be assigned to each individual patient. Each sufferer from the dread disease is to have a large private room and the modern cold-air treatment for pneumonia is to be given him.

The anti-pneumonia serum has been developed through experiments on monkeys. The process used was that which has proved so successful in hydrophobia and diphtheria, and lately in typhoid fever. The lymphatic fluid of an animal which had pneumonia was injected into another one. This was kept up until immunity was produced, and it was this fluid that was hypodermically introduced into one stricken with the disease.

It invariably caused the death of the bacteria of the disease and aborted the attack on the animal.

Two Day Trip For Taft. Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—President Taft has arranged to leave the capital tomorrow morning for a week end trip to New York and New Haven. At New Haven he is to attend the meeting of the Yale Corporation of which he is a member, and will be a guest at the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce. In New York the President is scheduled to attend several functions Saturday evening, among them a meeting of the New York City Bar Association and a dinner of the Society of the Genesee.

To Reform Grain Exchange Methods. Chicago, Ill., Jan. 18.—A two days conference of delegates representing the principal grain exchanges of the United States was opened at the Hotel Le Salle today. The conference is to discuss plans to extend the usefulness of exchanges trading in agricultural products, to promote uniformity in custom and usage, and to eliminate certain practices that are believed to be contrary to the public welfare. Among the exchanges represented at the conference are those of Kansas City, Omaha, New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Minneapolis, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Milwaukee, San Francisco, Toledo, Duluth and Buffalo.

Charges Have Not Been Sustained. By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—The Senate Judiciary committee has filed a report finding that the charges against Senator Stephenson of Wisconsin have not been sustained.

"The Nest Egg" is to be used by the Bell Telephone Company in Los Angeles.

HARRY REMBERT FOUND GUILTY

VERDICT OF GUILTY IN SECOND DEGREE RETURNED AND PUNISHMENT FIXED AT TEN YEARS.

JURY OUT SHORT TIME

Trial of Frank Rembert, Jr. Continued Until Next Term—Frank Rembert, Sr., Still at Large.

After being out only a few hours the jury in the trial of Harry Rembert indicted and charged with the murder of Ed. Hardwick here in October, 1910 returned a verdict of guilty and assessed his punishment at ten years imprisonment. The defendant was not visibly affected by the verdict, but his wife and his mother who were in the court room when it was read burst into tears and broke down completely.

The defense will ask for a new trial and if this is refused appeal will probably be taken. The trial of Frank Rembert, Jr., who was indicted jointly with his brother, Harry, and with his father, Frank Rembert, Sr., for the killing of Hardwick, has been continued by agreement until the next term of court. Frank Rembert, Sr., who disappeared before the indictments were returned forfeiting his bond has not been located by the officers. Several times the officers have believed they have had him located but when they went after him they could not find him.

In the prosecution of Harry Rembert the State did not attempt to prove that the defendant had inflicted the fatal wound but did introduce witnesses who testified that Harry Rembert and his brother Frank attacked Hardwick and that their father who had been seen to take a knife from his pocket while his two sons had Hardwick engaged caught the latter around the neck and an instant later the blood streamed from a gaping wound in Hardwick's neck. The strongest testimony in the case was not developed at the preliminary hearing following the death of Hardwick, and its introduction is believed to have been a surprise to the defense.

Arguments of the attorneys were completed last night and the jury instructed this morning. The case was given to the jury before ten o'clock. It is reported the jury voted on the first ballot to find the defendant guilty. Some favored a term of twenty years.

HEALTH OFFICERS RETURN FROM DALLAS

They interviewed Dr. Stophian and Assisted in Administration of Meningitis Serum.

City Health Officer Dr. A. A. Jones and County Health Officer Dr. L. Coons have returned from Dallas, where they went to study the meningitis situation and to make first hand observations of the new serum treatment now being used to combat the disease in that city. Both physicians report they found the situation even more serious than they had imagined, and are even more determined than ever to prevent the disease getting a foothold here.

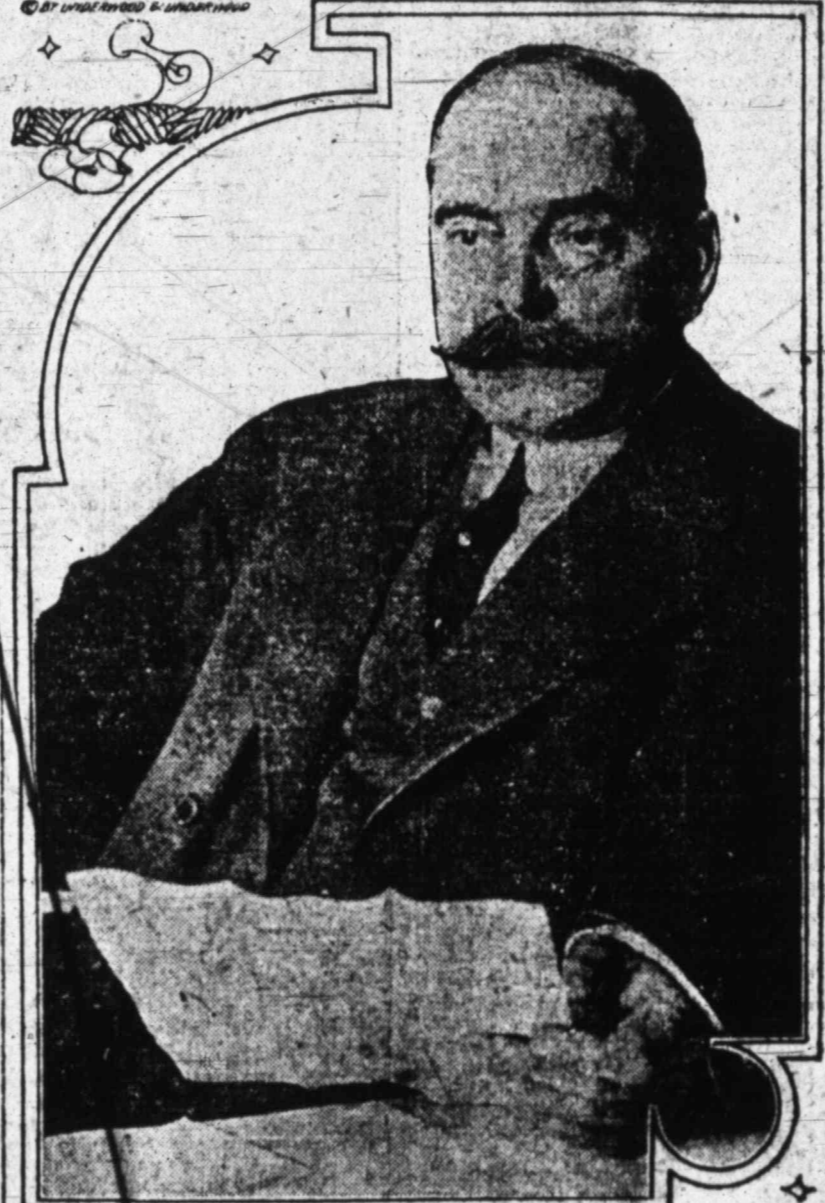
At the city hospital which has been given over entirely to meningitis cases they saw the disease in its different stages and assisted Dr. Stophian, the famous expert in the administration of the serum treatment in a number of cases. They also discussed the disease with the expert and other prominent physicians and secured much valuable information. A total of fifty-four cases were treated at Dallas yesterday, they state. The administration of the serum, they report, while a very severe operation is one that can be made by any physician in Wichita Falls and they were assured of a supply of the serum, in case it should be needed here. Elsewhere in this issue the two health officers offer some suggestions for the prevention of meningitis which they urge all citizens of Wichita Falls to follow.

So far not a single case of the disease has been reported here and physicians are hopeful that none will be.

LITTLETON WILL QUIT CONGRESS

By Associated Press. Chattanooga, Tenn., Jan. 18.—Congressman Wm. Littleton, formerly a Texan, announces he will quit Congress after his present term to resume the practice of law. He is here to deliver an address.

VICE-PRESIDENT OF STANDARD OIL



The election of William E. Bemis as vice-president and director of the Standard Oil company of New York has brought into greater prominence a career which has been remarkable in the annals of the oil world. His extraordinary executive ability and keen insight into all questions pertaining to the oil industry make him eminently well fitted for his present office. Mr. Bemis was born in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1864, and completed his academic education there, entering the service of the Standard Oil company in 1882. He organized the educational department of the company and became interested in foreign trade relations, making numerous journeys to India, Burma, Java, Japan and China. In 1894 Mr. Bemis married Miss Frances Lavinia Ford of Cleveland, and now resides in Larchmont, New York. He is an enthusiastic sportsman and possesses a unique collection of trophies gathered from all parts of the world.

Things to Do to Help Prevent an Epidemic of Meningitis

- County Health Officer L. Coons and City Health Officer Dr. A. A. Jones have returned from Dallas, where they went to study the meningitis situation and to witness the use of the serum by experts. To prevent the possible spread of the infection here they suggest the following:
 - 1. A general clean up both of your person and premises.
 - 2. Sprinkle lime generously about slinks, commodes, closets and your premises generally.
 - 3. Wear comfortable clothing—not too hot or too cold.
 - 4. Women should discard wet shoes and wear top shoes. Keep feet dry and warm.
 - 5. Women should wear their sleeves full length.
 - 6. Keep your head well protected.
 - 7. Women especially should wear a head dress that will give real protection.
 - 8. Keep regular hours both for eating and sleeping.
 - 9. Avoid going to places that are overcrowded.
 - 10. Spray your nostrils daily with some mild antiseptic solution. (Your physician can tell you what to use).
 - 11. Keep down the dust. The streets and sidewalks should be sprinkled before sweeping.

FIFTY-THREE DROWNED OFF ABERDEEN, SCOTLAND

British Steamer Wistow Hall Wrecked On Rocks and Her Crew Drowned.

Aberdeen, Scotland, Jan. 18.—The British steamer, Wistow Hall was wrecked on dangerous rocks off Aberdeen and thirty-eight of her crew drowned today. Thirty-five were down with the ship. Five others clung to the wreckage, but only one reached the shore alive. The number drowned was later increased to fifty-three by a statement by Capt. Stoddard that his crew numbered fifty-six. They were mostly Lascars. The steamer drifted for hours helpless before the gale, her fires being extinguished by heavy seas.

Rev. McFarland's Statement. Greenville, Tenn., Jan. 18.—Rev. D. McFarland, former head of academy department of the Pittsburg high school, who was indicted Tuesday in connection with the death of Elsie Dodd Coe, said this morning "So far as I know Miss Coe never wandered from the path of virtue. She was like a child to me. I love her as I would love my own daughter." McFarland refused to tell the interviewer whether he was in Pittsburg in January, stating it was his own business, but his own. He was acquainted with Rollin A. Connell, of Chicago, who was also indicted, mentioned in Miss Coe's dying statement as being responsible for her condition.

FARMER MISSING FOUL PLAY FEARED

HARRY BRIDGEWATER IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN MURDERED.

GOAT IS SHOT RIDDLED

Wagon From Which Team of Horses Had Been Loosened Found in Thicket Off Main Road.

Bowie, Jan. 17.—On Monday last, Harry Bridgewater, a young farmer, 28 years old, came to Bowie and bought a load of flour and other goods and started home the same evening. About four miles out he stopped at a Mr. Stomach's, a farmer neighbor and a friend. Bridgewater stopped and phoned home that he had lost his money and went back and hunted it. He came back and phoned his wife that he had found his money and would be home Tuesday morning. Bridgewater hitched up his team and started home Tuesday morning. This morning his team came home and his family phoned the officers here who went out and tracked the wagon into and out of the road and across a wire fence into a brush thicket and found the wagon. The flour was still in the wagon but everything else was missing. His old clothes were lying near the wagon. The coat was full of shot holes and one front wheel of the wagon had several shot lodged in it. No trace of him has been found and the officers feel sure he has been foully dealt with.

CUMMINGS MAY ENTER PRESIDENTIAL RACE

Friends of Iowa Insurgent Senator Active in His Behalf—Support is Pledged.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Whether Senator Cummings of Iowa, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency will be discussed and probably determined at a meeting of the Iowa delegation in congress which will be called immediately upon the return of Senator Kenyon from the West. Mr. Kenyon is in Chicago in connection with the packer's trial and probably will be in Washington in a few days. Senator Cummings meantime refused to discuss the reports that he would shortly announce his candidacy. "I am not responsible for these reports," said he, "and I have nothing to say about them."

Nevertheless, among his friends in Washington, particularly his political intimates from the Middle West, it is generally believed the announcement will be forthcoming soon. These friends have been bringing pressure to bear upon him to announce. He has expressed himself to some of those who have urged the matter upon him as averse to taking any steps that would weaken the cause of Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, leader of the progressive Republicans in the senate, and avowed presidential candidate, with whom Senator Cummings has been aligned in party struggle, particularly in the big tariff fight in the recent extra session of congress. While spending the Christmas holidays in Iowa, insurgent Republicans there told him a united Iowa delegation to the Republican national convention and that the delegates likely would vote for President Taft unless Senator Cummings was a candidate. Of the ten Republican members in congress from Iowa all but two are classed as insurgents and strong supporters of Senator Cummings.

RELEASED ON HIS OWN RECOGNIZANCE

R. H. Thompson, indicted upon a charge of highway robbery was released upon his own recognizance to appear for trial in the district court during the June term. Thompson has been tried twice under this indictment, once each resulting in a mistrial and the other in conviction and a sentence of five years, which however, was set aside. He has been in jail over fourteen months and this fact moved the court to release him upon his own recognizance when the case was called for trial this morning and it was found that some of the defendants' witnesses were out of town and could not be reached.

During the last few months of his imprisonment Thompson has been a model prisoner and has won the friendship of his jailers and fellow-prisoners.

Boyes Will Remain in Winnipeg. By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 18.—A dispatch received here says A. G. Boyce, Jr., will not return to Texas at present. The dispatch says he is still in Winnipeg and will remain there.

Today's Proceedings in Congress

Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—Senate—The Judiciary committee has arranged to hear Attorney General Wickersham on the tobacco trust Monday. A favorable report was made on the bill to open over two million acres of Cheyenne lands in the Dakotas. House—The military committee agreed to report on the Hay bill for the partial reorganization of the army. The bill changing the date of the inauguration of presidents was favorably reported. The paymaster trust and Panama canal hearings are progressing.

SOCIALISTS CHALLENGE TO JOINT DEBATE

Will Pay Railroad Fare and Hotel Bill of Any Speaker Who Will Meet Stanley J. Clark Here Feb. 5. The socialists of Wichita Falls have challenged any representative speaker or opposing their views to meet Stanley J. Clark here on February 5th in joint debate. They agree to pay all railroad fares and the hotel bills of the opposing speaker while in the city. Their challenge is issued in the form of a resolution adopted at a meeting held last Saturday afternoon which is as follows: The socialists party of Wichita Falls in meeting assembled January 14, 1912, adopted the following resolutions: Whereas, the socialists party are accused of unreasonable and unjust demands upon the national, state and municipal governments and, Whereas, the members of said party are fellow citizens and well wishers for the good of all classes and further, knowing their liability to arrest since they are human—they should and do deserve the counsel and information of all good citizens to right them in their wrongs and show them their errors if indeed they be wrong to the end that said governments be preserved from the evil results of misadministration and wholesome laws; therefore it Resolved, that the opposers of socialism be and are hereby urged requested and demanded to secure the best informed representative speaker available who entertains their convictions to meet Hon. Stanley J. Clark at Wichita Falls, on the 5th day of February, 1912, and there join him in the discussion of the matters at issue; and further; to show the sincerity of said demand said socialists party hereby agree to pay all railroad and hotel expenses both to, from and while in Wichita Falls for the purpose mentioned, of such speaker as may be selected. Resolved, that if said opposers be as sincere as said party it feels confident the said speaker will be present on the said date prepared to answer if he can the arguments of the said Clark, and to show that socialism if enacted into law and enforced would be detrimental to the best interests of the citizenship at large of said government, and therefore lift the veil from the eyes of socialists and other good citizens who might endorse their views; and thus prevent probable serious consequences; otherwise, the said party conclude that the charges of said opposers are insincere and untrue. T. J. KNIGHT, Secretary.

JOINT MEETING OF R. R. BROTHERHOODS

A union meeting of the union labor organizations was held in the Odd Fellows hall Wednesday at 10 a. m. The meeting was addressed by Mr. C. P. Goodrich, editor of the Texas Railway Journal and chairman of the joint legislative board of Texas; also by Mr. O. L. Kingsley, vice chairman of the board. Both of these gentlemen made earnest appeals to the members of the various brotherhoods to exercise their right of franchise and keep themselves posted as to legislation now proposed that they may be able to vote intelligently. Also counselling joint meetings for the purpose of concentrating their efforts, thereby making them more effective.

The meeting was in no sense political and the board cautioned particularly against such alliances. Committees were appointed to take steps to secure a joint meeting at least once a month for the purpose of getting closer together on the questions of the hour. A vote of thanks was tendered the speakers. The meeting adjourned, all feeling that they had spent two hours well worth the time.

Mr. Goodrich and Kingsley left on the Donkey No. 1 for Dalhart where they make an address this morning and then various other points in the state.

There are, at present, about 10,000 union building laborers in Chicago.

INTERVENTION NOT NECESSARY

THIS VIEW OF CUBAN AFFAIRS HELD BY PRESIDENT TAFT AND SEC. STIMSON.

CUBANS ARE PATRIOTIC

At Conference Called By President All Factions Declare They Will Uphold President Gomez.

By Associated Press. Havana, Jan. 18.—An official statement given out today concerning last night's conference at the palace between President Gomez and representatives of political factions and the veteran says: "The meeting terminated with everyone breathing words of patriotism, a fact which filled the president with optimism, because he found in his old companions in arms and in all others present, a determination to save the republic, as might be expected from those expressing their love for Cuban fatherland."

It is known that all present at last night's meeting pledged the interests represented by them to make every sacrifice in order to uphold President Gomez in his efforts to remove the faintest justification for American intervention.

WOULD MAKE DIPLOMA MEAN SOMETHING

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 18.—Is the business world losing confidence in the value of the diploma of today's university graduate? When the college graduate presents his "sheepskin" to a business man as a recommendation does that certificate count for much in the employer's estimation of the applicant's ability? J. M. Greenwood, superintendent of city schools, believes the diploma is losing its old time influence with the business man—that, to the business man, it shows the graduate has received only the aesthetic benefits of higher education.

"Time was when a diploma meant much in the business world," Mr. Greenwood explained this morning. "It was harder to get a score of years ago than it is now. Nowadays it is possible for a young man to enter the university and check a course of 'easy' studies. He slides through his educational career—a poor student. But when he receives his diploma it bears the same legend as that of the hardest worker in the institution—that he has successfully completed the prescribed course of study."

"It is far that reason—which is a mere diploma fails to reveal which is the loafer and which the worker—that certificates of graduation are counting for little among hard-headed business men. "A remedy for this sad state of affairs would be the replacement of the present non-committal diploma by a certificate which would show the student's records in each study during his university life. It would, of course, be a big grade card. Such a 'diploma' would show the character of the studies taken, also. That system would serve as a god to the student. It would make him work harder because he would know that some day the world would know his record in school."

"In my estimation this graduation 'grade card' would cause the employer to buy the services of the university man much more quickly than with the blindfold method of the present day diploma."

Meningitis at Jolly. A report came to the city last night that a case of spinal meningitis had developed at Jolly. The victim is a man named Johnson. He is under the care of Dr. Stripling of Henrietta, who gave the information to doctors of this city so that they might be prepared to battle with the disease should it make its appearance in this city. This is the first case reported anywhere in this vicinity. A week or so ago there was a supposed case at Henrietta, a child having recently come with its parents from Fort Worth, having died. At that time the schools of the town were closed, and every precaution taken to prevent a spread of the disease, and it is thought to have been stamped out entirely. No information is at hand as to the origin of the case at Jolly.

St. Louis, Mo., taxicab drivers demand recognition of the union, ten-hour working days, \$2.50 a day, straight salary, with 25 cents an hour for overtime and abolition of the bonus rate.



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IS CHARLES MAUST BEN CREDE CRAVENS?

Which is He, Or is He One and the Same? Wichita Falls Witness May Decide. Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 18.—Ben Creed Cravens, slayer, bank robber, desperado and one of the most notorious jail breakers in criminal history. Charles Maust McDonald, product of the southwest, schooled in the hardships and the evils of "No man's land," adventurer and finally penitentiary convict. Which is he, or is he one and the same? Whether Ben Creed Cravens is Charles Maust McDonald or whether Charles Maust McDonald is a victim of mistaken identity because of physical appearance, moral deficiencies and a similar system of life like that of Cravens is the question to be decided by a jury in the federal court.

He is charged with killing Alvin Bateman, March 18, 1901, while attempting with Bert Welty to rob the postoffice and general store at Red Oak, Indian Territory. Maust, generally known as Magat for he claims to have discarded his real name of McDonald when but 10 years old, denies that he is Cravens and his defense will be that unfortunately nature created him along the same plane as those used in the building of Cravens, the notorious outlaw. That coincidence placed similar scars at identical spots about his face, body and legs as the scars worn by Cravens, and that to clinch the deal he was born contemporaneously with Cravens and spent his early childhood in the same section of the country as Cravens, he claims. But at no time did he ever see Cravens, or Cravens ever see him. The details of this defense he will prove through Al J. Jennings, Oklahoma City lawyer, and perhaps one of the shrewdest and most effective trial lawyers in criminal cases throughout the southwest. The Government has summoned witnesses from Wichita Falls, where a man named Ben Cravens once lived.

Iowa Park Notes. The Quarterly Conference convened here last Monday. The Presiding Elder, Rev. Morris, preached Sunday night. Mr. Hubert Davis is home again after several months stay in Colorado. Mrs. Fitzgerald and two little sons left Tuesday morning for a visit with relatives at Ennis. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tyson, from Wichita Falls, spent Sunday with Mrs. Tyson's mother, Mrs. W. L. Younger.

Uncle Johnnie Dowlen, who has been sick the past two weeks is now able to be out again. Mr. Crosby and daughter, from Oklahoma City, are the guests of sister, Mrs. Kilcrease. Rev. Fitzgerald went to Allendale to officiate at the Gwyn-Taylor wedding today. Mrs. M. A. Love and daughter, Miss Frouie, went to Wichita Falls yesterday. Mr. Walter Denny left this week for Quannah, where he has obtained a position.

Scottish steel makers have lodged an application with the board of conciliation and arbitration for a reduction of workers' wages by 2 1/2 per cent. Meetings of the employers are to be held to consider the situation.

WILL ACCEPT IF "CALLED"

THIS IS THE WAY FRANK A. MUMSEY SIZES UP ROOSEVELT SITUATION.

IS NOT SEEKING OFFICE

Publisher Says ex-President is So Situated that Presidency Means Little Personally.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—Under the caption of "Roosevelt and the Presidency," Frank A. Mumsey publishes in the Washington Times, owned by him, the following first-page editorial: "The question which just now occupies so much newspaper space as to where Mr. Roosevelt stands, and what he will do and what he won't do, is not so very difficult; it seems to me, of sane, analytical answer. That he is not a candidate for the nomination is certain. There is a wide difference between being a candidate for nomination and being a candidate for election after a nomination. If the nomination comes, Mr. Roosevelt, it will come because the party calls him of its own accord and not because of any manipulation on his part to compel the call.

"If, between now and the assembling of the Republican national convention on June 18, it becomes a conviction with the party that Mr. Roosevelt is stronger with the people and would have a better chance of election than any other man, he will be nominated if this is not the conclusion of the party, when assuredly he will not be nominated. The whole question rests right on this one point, and that is exactly where it should rest.

"Mr. Roosevelt's nomination under such conditions would put up to him responsibility that he would have to accept, no matter what his personal wishes, and no matter how serious the fight ahead.

"The nominee of the Republican party will have no cinch in the coming election. Pitted against a Democratic candidate of equal reputation, the odds would be with the latter, as the voting strength of the Democratic party is apparently greater today than that of the Republican party.

"But this fact would make no difference with Mr. Roosevelt. He has never yet shirked a hard job, and certainly would not get out from under this one with the life of his party at stake. "The Republican party has given to Mr. Roosevelt the greatest honors that it can bestow on man. And so it has a right to call on him for any honorable service at any time and he would have no right to refuse to serve his party save on the plea of physical inability to take on the work. And this is a plea he could not make, for he is as hardy as a cowboy and has the energy of a steam engine.

"The effort to 'smoke out' Mr. Roosevelt and compel him either to declare himself a candidate for the nomination or to say he will not accept the nomination if it comes to him will accomplish no more than has so far been accomplished in this respect.

"Mr. Roosevelt's position is unique. He has had all the honors that the office of president of the United States can bring to a man. An election to serve his party save on the plea of not mean to him what it would mean to a man who has not already had it.

"As a private citizen Mr. Roosevelt is still very much a public man, whose position out of office is just about as big as if in office, and without the responsibilities of office. Neither has he the responsibility of great wealth, and yet he has all that wealth means in the income from his pen.

"He is free to live the life that pleases him—free to work along the lines that interest him and free to do whatever will best serve the people of his generation and of generations to come. Such freedom and individual power must measure up pretty well with official power—even that of the presidency to a man who has had it.

"Situating as he is, my guess is that Mr. Roosevelt is quite content to let political matters shape themselves up as they will. If no call comes to him to lead the fight he will keep right on having a good time with his work, as he is now doing. But if the call does come, he will buckle on his armor and 'go it' with all his old-time impetuosity and energy.

The Ohio law making it a criminal offense for an employer or his agent to dismiss an employee for refusal to resign from a labor organization was recently upheld in a decision of Judge Frank Gorman of the Common Pleas Court in Cincinnati.

The Chicago Electrical Workers' union has accumulated a strike fund of \$25,000.

SUITS AGAINST KATY MAY TOTAL \$5,500,000

Commission's Thirty-Minute Rule Said to Have Been Violated Eleven Hundred Times by the M. & T.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 17.—The report of the clerical force to the railroad commission shows eleven hundred recent violations of the railroad commission's thirty-minute rule by the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway. The maximum penalty of \$5,000 for each violation is usually requested in suits by the state against the railroads. If this rule is followed in this case the state will sue for \$5,500,000, in addition to the \$400,000 suit now pending for violation of the same rule in 1910, where the road is charged with having violated the rule by operating its trains more than thirty minutes late at Junction points.

So large is the number of violations reported that Chairman Mayfield says today that he does not know what the commission would do with this data which was prepared prior to a request to be made upon the attorney general to file another suit against the Katy. The railroad is protesting that it is doing the best it can under the circumstances, the traveling public is complaining to the commission, and the commission is determined that train service shall improve, though it does not care to harass the lines, but merely wants justice. It has lately become customary for the commission to request suits for penalties in all such instances.

Attorney General Lightfoot, prior to leaving for Washington last night, said that two suits required by the railroad commission against roads for failure to obey the commission's orders would be filed in the local district court today. In one instance suit is to be filed against the Katy, Cotton Belt and Trinity and Brass Valley for failure to bid a union depot at Hillsboro, as the commission ordered. The other suit is against the Katy and Santa Fe for failure to build a union depot at Celeste. These suits were requested some time ago, but the attorney general's department said that they could not be filed until the time allowed for building the union depots had expired.

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For the first time in the history of New York City, complete school census figures were given out recently. The census reveals that 26,000 children are out of school illegally, violating the child labor and compulsory education laws.

Well, Well, Well! 1912 Found Us

right here on the job with the best stock of lumber, dimension, siding, casing, base, shingles, etc., on hand that we ever had at this time of the year and our only excuse for having it was our strong belief that the people of this community in 1912 are going to try out good, sound home investments in preference to a lot of those far away "Get Rich Quick" schemes that are like the song of the sirens. This lumber we have come from some of the best "quality" mills in the United States and we are not afraid to put it up against any material in the world for home building—price, quality, durability and long time satisfaction considered. You've got to see it to appreciate it, so come in and we'll talk over that new home of yours.

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State Labor Commissioner Van Duzen, of Iowa, has begun a crusade against Greek bootblacks, who are said to be importing youngsters from Greece, in the shining parlors, in violation of the contract labor law. Trades Council of Fresno, Cal., have each appointed a committee to devise ways and means to erect a labor temple in that city. Switzerland's trade union membership was 110,749 at the end of 1910.

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"THE GIRL IN THE TAXI" AT THE WICHITA TONIGHT

When "The Girl in the Taxi," that merriest of all laughing successes which created a sensation in Paris and scored the greatest triumph of any play of its kind produced in this country last season, and which comes to the Wichita Theatre tonight was put in rehearsal, the greatest care was taken to overlook not even the smallest detail in equipment and atmosphere. The first and third acts of "The Girl in the Taxi" occurs in the beautifully appointed home of John Stewart on Riverside Drive, New York. Instructions were issued to the stage director to pay a personal visit to the residence of a wealthy banker who lives on the Drive and to copy minutely every detail of the living room in his mansion. Nothing was omitted. Photographs were taken of the room, of the furniture, the decorations and the electrical equipment. The carpet and the costly rugs were likewise copied and reproduced. An artist accompanied the stage director and noted the color scheme of the apartment, and the scenery was painted in accordance with his drawings.

The home selected overlooked the beautiful Hudson River, with the wonderful Palisades in the background. A painting was made of this scene, and its duplicate may be seen when the curtain rises on the first act of the hilarious piece.

The second act of "The Girl in the Taxi" reveals the elaborately appointed private dining rooms of New York's best known restaurant where the elite of the metropolis congregate after the theatre to enjoy the midnight supper which is as much a part of a New Yorker's evening entertainment as the play itself. Permission was granted the stage director and artist to copy these rooms as faithfully as the Riverside Drive apartments and the result is shown in the second act of the play. In this scene, however, two rooms are shown instead of one, which permits of the development of the funniest climax ever devised on the stage. John Stewart, the banker who pretends to possess all the domestic virtues in his home, is making merry with a party of chorus girls. In the adjoining room, Bertie Stewart, his son, is keeping his first date with a woman whom he had just recently met. The climax comes when the father, overflowing with the joy of his midnight lark, decides to invite the people in the next room to join his own party and, upon opening the door, discovers that the chief reveller is his own innocent son.

WATTERSON TELLS OF WILSON-HARVEY BREAK

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 18.—That he had hoped to find in Woodrow Wilson another Tilden, that had found rather a schoolmaster than a statesman, was the declaration of Henry Watterson, the veteran Kentucky editor and Southern Democrat, in a statement made here last night to the Associated Press in connection with the break between Gov. Wilson and Col. George Harvey.

"Regretting that I must appear either as a witness or a party to the misunderstanding which has arisen between Col. George Harvey and Gov. Woodrow Wilson," reads the statement, "I shall have to speak with some particularity in order to be just alike to the public and the principals."

"The conference between us in my apartments at the Manhattan Club was held to consider certain practical measures relating to Gov. Wilson's candidacy. Col. Harvey stood toward Gov. Wilson much as I had stood five and thirty years ago toward Mr. Tilden. This appealed to me. Col. Harvey had brought the Governor and myself together in his New Jersey home eighteen months ago, and as time passed, had interested me in his ambitions. I was hoping I might find in Gov. Wilson another Tilden. In point of intellect and availability, I think Col. Harvey made no mistake in his choice of a candidate; but the circumstances leading to the unfortunate parting of the ways between them leads me to doubt whether in character and temperament—it may be merely in the habits of a lifetime—Gov. Wilson is not rather a schoolmaster than a statesman."

"I have from Col. Harvey and Gov. Wilson statements, according to the memory of each, touching what actually did happen and was spoken on the occasion named. These do not materially differ. They coincide with my own recollections. Nothing of a discourteous kind—even of an unfriendly kind—passed during an interview of more than an hour."

"From the first, however, there was a certain constraint in Gov. Wilson's manner, the absence of the cordality and candor which should make hearty, confidential intercourse, intimating the existence of some adverse influence. His manner was autocratic, if not tyrannous. I did not take this to myself, but thought it related to Col. Harvey, and when Col. Harvey apparently overcame by Gov. Wilson's austerity, put the direct question to Gov. Wilson whether the support of Harper's Weekly was doing him an injustice, and received from Gov. Wilson the cold rejoinder that it was, I was both surprised and shocked."

"October suggested to Gov. Wilson that, in view of his supposed environment, it might be well for Col. Harvey to moderate somewhat the rather aggressive character of Harper's Weekly in the Wilson leadership. I am not sure that I had not said as much to Col. Harvey himself, but that Gov. Wilson, without the least show of compunction, should express or yield to such an opinion and permit Col. Harvey to consider himself discharged from the position of trusted intimacy he had up to this moment held, left me little room to doubt that Gov. Wilson is not a man who makes common cause with his political associates or is deeply sensible of his

political obligations, because it is but true and fair to say that, except for Col. Harvey, he would not be in the running at all.

"Col. Harvey was grievously wronged. He had been fighting Gov. Wilson's battle for many years and had idealized his chief. Although I was given no reason to suppose myself included in the disfavour which had fallen upon Col. Harvey, I experienced a sense of something very much like indignation; but, on reflection, I could not rid myself of the impression that Gov. Wilson had been receiving letters from Kentucky, written by enemies of mine who seek to use his name and fame to gain some ends of their own, warning him against me, and that, as an intent, I sat in the same boat with Col. Harvey."

"I am in receipt of Gov. Wilson's avowal to the contrary. I wish this had reached me earlier. I have during three weeks of newspaper importunity declined to print a word on the subject, in the hope that a publicity might be required and that some understanding could be reached. I have reason to believe that Col. Harvey withheld his statement for the same cause and with the same hope. It being no longer possible to suppress the matters at issue, this full statement, which I make most reluctantly, seems needful to a full and impartial knowledge by the general public, but more especially by the mass and body of Democrats who are so earnestly seeking a leader in the coming contest."

"HENRY WATTERSON."

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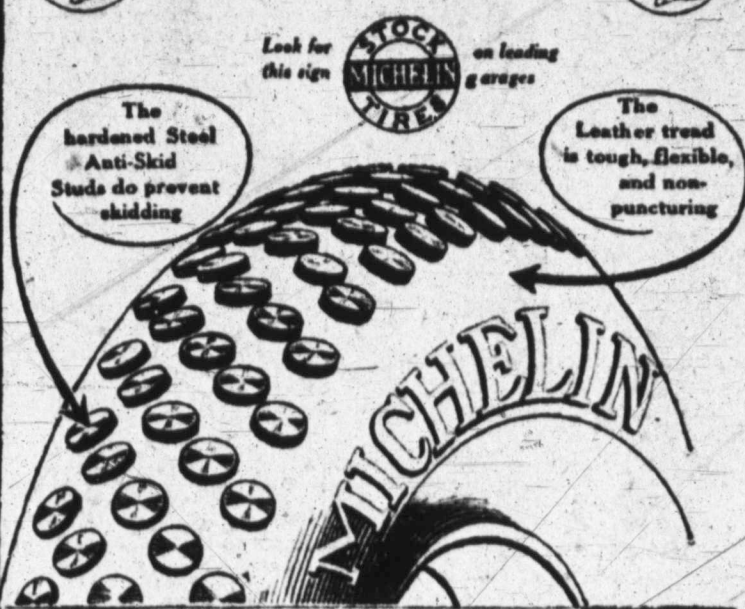
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The board of control at Montreal favors increasing the wages of civic day laborers and carters by 5 per cent. to \$2.10 and \$3.18 respectively.

Chief Factory Inspector Davis of Chicago has issued statistics showing that the enforcement of the ten-hour law for women in Illinois has cost Chicago hotel men not less than \$50,000 a month, since July 1, when the law went into effect. The half dozen big department stores in Chicago, according to the statistics, obeyed the law at an extra expense of \$15,000 a day during the holiday season, being compelled to employ 1000 additional persons.

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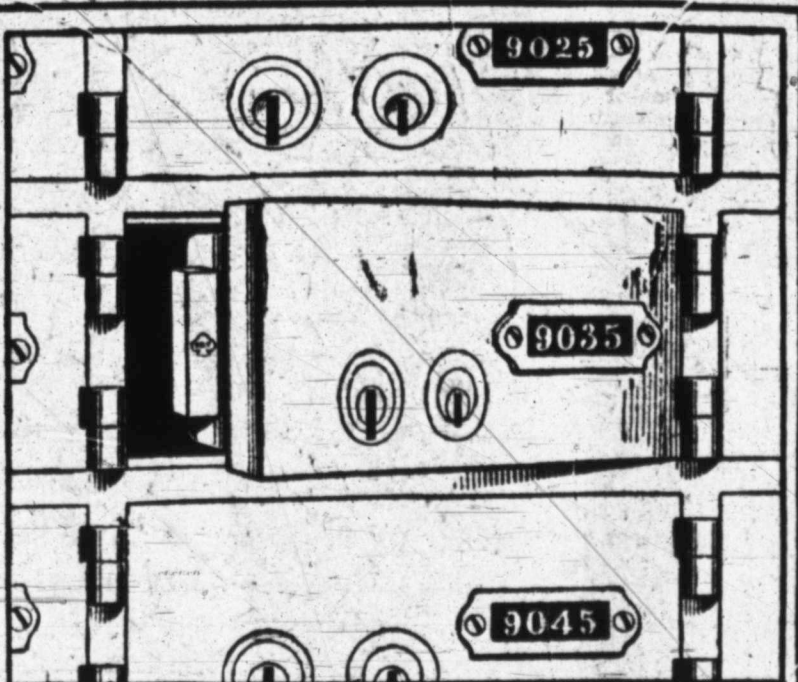
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Maude Adams will play nothing but "Chanteclair" this season, which will run until the middle of July. After her engagement in San Francisco she will appear in the cities of the Northwest, ending her tour in Spokane. Her next New York engagement will be in November of this year.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, January 18, 1912.

Reports are coming in from the country to the effect that the late severe wintry weather and hard freezes have done great damage to wheat crops.

Government control of the telegraph lines was revived again the other day when Postmaster General Hitchcock gave out an interview endorsing the movement.

There is some talk of holding a citizens mass meeting at some date in the near future for the purpose of nominating city officers to be voted for at the April election.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The following rates will be charged for announcements appearing in The Daily and Weekly Times: District Offices \$15.00 County Offices 15.00 Precinct Offices 10.00 City Offices 5.00

These rates are cash and must be paid in advance.

(City Election, Tuesday, Apr. 2, 1912.) For City Attorney: J. M. BLANKENSHIP

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY. All nominations under this heading are subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

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

For Representative 105th District: E. W. NAPIER

For County Judge: C. B. FELDER

For Sheriff: R. L. (Pete) RANDOLPH

For County Tax Collector: W. H. DAUGHERTY

For County Tax Assessor: JOHN ROBERTSON

For County Clerk: E. P. WALSH

For County Treasurer: T. W. McHam

For County Attorney: T. R. (Dan) BOONE

For County Superintendent: W. O. WILLINGHAM

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1: W. E. BROTHERS

For Constable Precinct No. 1: R. T. (TOM) PICKETT

Democrats to nominate and elect the ticket. There are about three Democratic voters in Wichita Falls to every one of any other political party.

upon itself more authority than the law under which the city was granted a charter gives. On this point lawyers hold different views.

The Times has heard the name of Hon. W. J. Bullock mentioned as a candidate for mayor.

AN OPEN BAR FOR WOMEN.

A good many people were shocked the other day when they read that New York's newest and most fashionable hotel had opened a bar for women.

There is some talk of holding a citizens mass meeting at some date in the near future for the purpose of nominating city officers.

Well It's Back

to business for another twelve months now. Say, did Subq bring you a Conklin self-filling fountain pen?

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NOTICE.
 NOTICE is hereby given of the ANNUAL meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Ry. Co. of Texas to be held in the office of the Company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in February, 1912, same being the 6th day of February, 1912, at Ten o'clock A. M. for purpose of electing directors and transacting such business as may come before said meeting, and notice is further given of the annual meeting of the directors of the said company to be held in the office of the company in the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in February, 1912, same being the 6th day of February, 1912 at Eleven o'clock A.M. for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such business as may come before said meeting.
 Witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1912.
 J. A. KEMP, President.
 W. S. HAID Assistant Secretary. 217

NOTICE.
 NOTICE is hereby given of the ANNUAL meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Falls and Wellington Ry. Co. of Texas to be held in the office of the Company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in February, 1912, same being the 6th day of February, 1912, at Three o'clock P. M. for purpose of electing directors and transacting such business as may come before said meeting, and notice is further given of the annual meeting of the directors of the said company to be held in the office of the company in the City of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in February, 1912, same being the 6th day of February, at Four o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such business as may come before said meeting.
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 J. A. KEMP, President.
 W. S. HAID Assistant Secretary. 217

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Announcement.
 I wish to announce to my friends and patrons that I have purchased the Palace of Sweets from Mr. W. L. Dillard, and will be glad to serve them with anything in the line of fruits, confectionery and fountain drinks. I shall aim to give the very best goods for the lowest prices, and try to merit patronage with the best of service.
 THOMAS ARNETT,
 Palace of Sweets, Colonial Theatre. 212-3tc

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NOTICE.
 The drill is going in Jack Kelly's well near Dean Station. This test is one of the most important now drilling as it will prove whether the sands at Petrolia extend toward the southwest.
 A derrick is being erected at Powlikes, southeast of Electra by the Powlikes Township Company, and drilling is expected to start there within the next ten days.
 D. Gunsberg and George A. Foreman, prominent oil men of Buffalo, New York, are among the late arrivals here.

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 Frank Kell, vice president and general manager, R. J. Sullivan, general superintendent, and E. B. Carver, live stock agent, all of the Wichita Falls Route, returned last night from the South Canadian River, where they have been in connection with the building of the bridge for the Northwestern. They report that the mercury fell more than thirty degrees in a few hours yesterday, and that before they left Trail, it stood four degrees below zero and was still falling.
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 The Y. W. C. A. will have their annual business meeting and election of officers Saturday, January 20th at 4 p. m. at Rest Room. All members are urged to be present. 213-3tc

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DENVER OFFICIAL VISITOR HERE TODAY
 D. B. Keeler, vice president of the Fort Worth and Denver, accompanied by his wife, and secretary, and Dr. Saunders, of Fort Worth, traveling in Mr. Keeler's private car, spent nearly twenty-four hours in this city last night and today and the party left this afternoon for Fort Worth, having been absent from that city for nearly a week.
 Mr. Keeler, in company with a number of officials of the Denver and the Colorado & Southern, has been making a trip of inspection along the route. Mr. Parker, president of the Colorado & Southern, left the party yesterday, and returned to his headquarters in Denver, Colo. Dr. Saunders, who is chief surgeon of the Fort Worth and Denver, and who has been attending the convention of the Panhandle District Medical Association, at Memphis, Texas, was invited to join the inspection party yesterday, and made the trip with them, from Memphis to Fort Worth, where the special will arrive this afternoon.
 Mr. Keeler, while in this city this morning, stated that the officials of the Denver had in contemplation for this city a number of improvements of more or less substantial nature, which will probably be carried out this year. Among these improvements, he mentioned the substitution of concrete instead of wood in the Denver trestle work just south of the Wichita River railroad bridge, and north of town. Although not certain just when this substitution will be made, Mr. Keeler says that it will be made in the near future, and that the exact date depends on several combinations of circumstances. He also stated that the officials of the Denver plan to carry out a number of other improvements on company property in this city during the year 1912, none of which he cared to discuss.
 Rosaline Coghlan, daughter of Rose Coghlan, is to appear in "The Obstinate Miss Granger," a playlet by Edgar Allen Wolf.

TO EXPEDITE PACKERS' TRIAL

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Steps were taken today to expedite the trial of the ten Chicago packers charged with combination in restraint of trade.
 The taking of testimony began Dec. 21st, and but nine witnesses have been heard to date, and eighty voluminous statistical documents have been offered as evidence. At the present rate it is estimated it will take the Government until May first to complete the presentation of its side. The Government has about seventy witnesses still to be heard. The defense expects to call one hundred, and offer such a mass of documentary evidence that the trial might not be completed before August or September. The plan now is to limit the questioning of witnesses to material points and introduce nothing except important documentary evidence.
 Harry A. Timmons, Morris & Co's accountant, began his sixth day on the witness stand today.
Young's Debt Causes Banks Suspension
 Galveston, Texas, Jan. 18.—A sensation was sprung in the trial of cotton exporter, E. H. Young, today when the government introduced a letter by the late T. J. Groce, president of the defunct Galveston National Bank stating that a debt of Young to the bank really caused its ruin.
 Groce's letter was written in August, last and in part: "This bank has reached a point where the safety of its depositors demands its suspension. I append a list of bad and doubtful debts nearly all of which could be collected if the bank remains active, except the debt of E. H. Young. This has ruined the bank. It has been going from bad to worse, although I have bankrupted myself in an effort to save the bank. This account has been handled exclusively by me for three years past and no entry has been made in it by any officer or employee of this bank save myself. I alone am to blame. I would suggest that you make an instant demand on Young for the products he has on hand for this bank."
 This letter was addressed to a United States bank examiner. Young is charged with the misappropriation of about \$65,000.
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PERSONAL MENTION

C. W. Junker of Olney is in the city today on business. A. H. Carrigan returned this afternoon from Seymour, where he has been for several days attending court. S. Y. Ferguson left this afternoon for Electra, where he goes on business. Mrs. Frank Kell returned this afternoon from Fort Worth, for which place she left yesterday afternoon. Dr. C. R. Hartsook left today for New Orleans to attend the Polytechnic Post Graduate School. R. W. Furlow, a prominent citizen and business man from Burkburnett, was here today transacting business. G. L. Moore, formerly of this city, but now living in Oklahoma City, where he is commercial agent for the Peaco, is here for a few days on business. F. L. Hardwick and R. J. Massey of Denton, are here attending the trial of the Rembert brothers, charged with the murder of Ed Hardwick. S. Williams, who is interested in the Electra oil field, left this afternoon for his home in Fort Worth, after remaining here for several days on business. Harold Carpenter and Will Wyatt returned yesterday evening from Electra, where they went on business, connected with the new light plant at that place. Dr. A. R. Matthews of Archer City, left this afternoon for that place, after remaining here for a short time on business. E. McCluskey, county commissioner of Iowa Park, arrived here this morning on business. He drove down from Iowa Park in an automobile. Sidney Webb, a capitalist of Bellevue, after remaining in the city for a short time yesterday on business, left for his home last night. C. E. McCarty will leave in a day or two for Honey Grove, Texas, to make arrangements for opening a new store at that place. Contractor Walsh left this afternoon for Vernon, on business connected with the construction of a school house at that place. Miss Evelyn Hart will leave in a few days for Dallas where she will join a party of friends for a tour of Old Mexico before returning to her home in Oklahoma. Miss Gertrude Scheurer, after spending a month with relatives in St. Louis Mo., and Nashville, Tenn., returned home this afternoon, and reports a most enjoyable trip. Mrs. Harold Carpenter and son Albert, returned this afternoon from a visit of several weeks duration with relatives in Nashville, Tenn., and St. Louis, Mo. Luke Wilson, a prominent ranchman with headquarters in Kansas City, Mo., but who owns a large ranch in Archer county, arrived here last night to look after his interests. Phy Taylor returned this morning from Lawton, Grandfield, and other points in Oklahoma, where he has been for the last week or more on business. He made the trip in his automobile. Rev. J. W. Hill, pastor of the First M. E. Church, South here, left this afternoon for Byers, where he will deliver a lecture there tonight on the subject "Old Pictures and Old Songs." D. B. Keeler, vice president of the Fort Worth and Denver, accompanied by his wife, spent last night in this city, and left today at noon for Fort Worth, after having made a trip up the line in the Panhandle. Rev. A. J. Coe, of Lanesboro, Iowa, a member of the Des Moines conference of the Methodist Episcopal church is here on a visit with his son, Rev. J. E. Coe. This is Rev. Coe's first visit to Wichita Falls and he is surprised to find such a thriving little city. Dr. Jerome Duncan, presiding elder of the Fort Worth District of the Central Texas conference of the M. E. Church, South, passed through here this afternoon en route to Stamford, where he will deliver a lecture before the students of Stamford College tonight.

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By Associated Press.
Tyler, Texas, Jan. 18.—Pres Hardin was shot and killed in his home here, Mrs. Gus Martin was shot fatally at her home, and her husband and son slightly wounded early today. Tom Tate was arrested in connection with all these attacks. It is reported Tate had a grudge against them all.
The rapid growth of the Western states created a demand for a more central convention city, and since 1872 neither of the leading parties has held a convention in the East, with the sole exception of the Republican gathering in Philadelphia in 1908. Now the balance is being gradually restored. Even New York may hope ere long to entertain a national convention.
Benjamin Chabin, who made himself famous by appearing in a play on Abraham Lincoln, is now lecturing on Lincoln in the western states.
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