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Lovett's Views on Railroad Laws and Taxes in Texas

The Times today publishes a more detailed account of R. S. Lovett's Dallas speech than appeared Wednesday, when a lack of space made it necessary to abbreviate the report. Judge Lovett said:

"I think that this is an occasion for plain speaking so I am going to handle the subject without the use of gloves. Advertising the disadvantages of Texas in regard to railroad development will not be telling tales out of school for the simple reason that the people who handle railroad securities know far more about railroad legislation than does the average Texan."

"The first and foremost of the Texas statutes which needs revision is the one dealing with the issuance of railroad securities. I assert that there can never be any material development of the railroads in Texas under the statutes which at present exist. It is impossible to finance a railroad in Texas under the present statute and an embargo is placed on the improvement of railroad properties. I think that the state should regulate the issuance of railroad bonds and securities in so far as to prevent fraud but most assuredly the statutes should not prevent the issuance of bonds by railroad companies which can be sold for 100 cents on the dollar. The money derived from the sales would be spent in Texas and for the improvement of the railroad properties in the state."

"Of course this statute is based on the fundamental fallacy that railroad rates are controlled by stocks and bonds. All railroad rates between given points are the same, yet no two railroads are the same in regard to their amount of stocks and bonds. The bonds have nothing to do with the rates, however. There is no railroad rate existing in the United States today that was made with any reference to stocks or bonds. I am not opposed to regulation, however. I believe that in the case of the construction and financing of a new railroad that the financiers should apply to the railroad commission when they find it impossible for them to sell their bonds for par."

"Every railroad should have the right to issue bonds at par for the purpose of covering existing obligations. During the past twenty years the market value of the existing railroad securities has been under the consideration of the railroad commission and it seems to be too late now to question their validity. I have repeatedly challenged investigation, and if there is anything wrong with my railroad securities with which I am concerned, I should like to know it. The law should allow railroad companies to issue bonds at par to refund underlying issues and to take care of outstanding indebtedness. Bonds should be issued at par for the construction of and maintenance of railroads. It is not conceivable that there can be any objection to the selling of securities for 100 cents on the dollar when all the money obtained is spent in the development of Texas. I am not pleading for the railroads, but I will give you one case in point. Before Mr. Harriman's death he concluded to build a low grade line from Kansas City to Galveston and connect the Union Pacific with Denison. He asked me about it, and was astonished when I told him that it could not be finished in Texas. Mr. Harriman declared that Texas certainly possessed some idiotic laws. He proposed to reconstruct the Houston and Texas Central, but this was also prevented by the statutes. It was impossible to build an entirely new railroad without injuring the Houston & Texas Central, so the project was finally abandoned."

Chairman Waples then asked if railroad bonds were generally issued without reference to property. "Yes, absolutely," declared Judge Lovett. "If there is no connection between the rates and the bonds, why are the people interested?" asked Col. Simpson of Dallas. "It would not affect the general public as far as rates are concerned if the railroads gave their stock away," was Lovett's reply. In response to various questions Judge Lovett then outlined recent railroad litigation in regard to freight rates in connection with the physical values of railroad property. "On what are railroad rates based?" asked Commissioner Lindsay. "That is a question which has been discussed by lawyers for years and no correct solution has yet been found," answered Judge Lovett. "The railroad rate, just like the common law of England, simply came into being to meet exigencies. "No railroad man wants a high rate which would reduce traffic. On the contrary he wants to carry everything that can be handled above actual cost of traffic." Commissioner Loudermilk then inquired as to the way that railroad properties are valued. "The best way to value railroad property is to obtain valuations as you would on any other business. Guess it off from witnesses, expert opinion, statistics of earning power, in fact consider every factor. Some claim that the total value of a railroad is the amount that would cost to reproduce the property. If the rates of the railroads were figured out in reference to the value of the railroad properties the entire railroad systems would be convulsed. The rates in Texas are at present lower than they ought to be."

Judge Lovett then was questioned in regard to the total expenditures of the railroads in Texas, the Southern Pacific being the particular road in point.

"Since the death of Mr. Harriman I have been responsible for the finances of the system," he said. "Personally I had rather spend money in Texas than any other place in the world. At the same time I am a trustee and it is other people's money and I assure you that I do not intend to spend the railroad funds in Texas or in any other place if I do not get fair treatment."

Judge Lovett then gave a detailed account of the expenditure of the Southern Pacific on railroad improvements in the state, at the conclusion of which he declared that the laws of Texas were responsible for the lower investments of the railroads. "Until recent years the Western states, with hardly an exception, have had no restrictions in regard to the financing of railroads. I assure you that under the present condition that there will never be an independent railroad built in Texas. In regard to the boast of Texas in regard to the mileage record, I beg to point to the fact that there are more miles of line built in Texas, because there are more miles to be looked after. For the independent railroad, under the present conditions, it is just a question of time before failure and receivership are reached."

In response to a question of W. B. Yeary as to what caused the making of these objectionable laws, Judge Lovett said: "The railroads, in some cases through mismanagement, have given offense. This has been exaggerated by the ambitious politician who has poisoned the minds of the people and brought about the enactment of statutes which hamper the progress of the state."

Concluding with the stock and bond question, Judge Lovett then spoke on the provision in the statutes which provides for the forfeiture of a railroad company's charter for trivial matters.

"This is a menace," declared Mr. Lovett. "A solvent railroad can be driven into a receivership, and a political receivership, as that, owing to some trivial matter. The forfeiture is continually used as a threat. The financial world has a holy horror of political receiverships and the investor is chary when he realizes that a solvent property can be thrust into a receivership."

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon B. M. Woodruff by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Wichita County, to be held at the Court House there of, in Wichita Falls, Texas, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1912, the same being the third day of June, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1912 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 4248 wherein Lilla Beila Woodruff is plaintiff and B. M. Woodruff is defendant and said petition alleging: That plaintiff is now and has been for more than six months preceding the filing of this petition a bona fide resident citizen of Wichita County, Texas, and that the residence of the defendant is unknown. That plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married about Feb. 6th 1912, in Wichita Falls, Texas, and lived together as husband and wife until about Feb. 26th, 1912, when defendant abandoned this plaintiff; That plaintiff treated defendant with love and affection, and fulfilled to the best of her ability the duties imposed upon her by her marital relations; That defendant unmindful of the duties imposed upon him by said marital relations, and in disregard for the laws of morality, maintained a course of cruel, excessive and inhuman treatment toward plaintiff. That said conduct was of such a nature as to render her further living together insupportable; that defendant was impure and unchaste in all his conduct toward this plaintiff, and wanted her to accompany him to Memphis, Tenn., for immoral purposes; that such treatment has alienated her affections and rendered it impossible for her to again live with defendant as husband and wife. That defendant is addicted to the excessive use of morphine; that defendant swindled her out of over \$20, and another time in Wichita Falls, Texas, out of \$25.00 by giving them checks on banks in Wichita Falls, telling them that he had funds there when in truth he never had a bank account with any bank in Wichita Falls, Texas. That defendant is a confessed criminal and perpetrated the crime of swindling twice in Wichita County, Texas. That because of the above facts plaintiff is entitled to an absolute divorce from defendant. Wherefore plaintiff considers defendant prays for service to defendant and upon final hearing for divorce from defendant, for cost of suit, and general and special relief as she may be entitled to in law and in equity. Herein fall not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return there on, showing how you have executed the same. Witness, A. F. Kerr, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County. Given under my hand and the Seal of said court; at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this 25th day of April, A. D. 1912. A. F. KERR, Clerk. District Court, Wichita County. 303-309-315-321. Jurists' Brother Dead. By Associated Press. Seguin, Texas, May 16.—S. P. Bibrell, brother of Associate Justice Dibrell of the State supreme court died today. The Gurney keeps sweet and dry. Every one guaranteed. Noble Hard-ware Company.

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TOMB IS IN EGYPT

Sarcophagus of Alexander the Great is at Constantinople

Searchers Discredit the Moslems' Story That Military Genius Is Buried in Sion—Was Embalmed at Memphis.

Constantinople, Turkey.—In the Imperial Ottoman museum, at Constantinople, the Turks take great pride in what they have believed to be the sarcophagus of Alexander the Great, obtained near Sion, says the Sunday School Times. It is exquisitely sculptured. One of the panels bears what has been thought by some to be the great warrior's favorite dogs. This evidence, though interesting and suggestive, together with a tradition of his burial at Sion, is altogether too scant to identify fully the monument. Alas for the pride of the Turks, a recent elaborate study of all the known facts and traditions concerning the burial place of Alexander the Great reaches the confident conclusion that his body was embalmed at Memphis, in Egypt, and first given a resting place there, and afterward removed to Alexandria and there entombed. Mohammed made a saint of Alexander, transferred his name to another side in Alexandria, and gave his old resting place to the name and fame of the prophet Daniel, and built a mosque there to that prophet. The Mohammedan authorities today stubbornly refuse to allow any examination of the tomb under the Mosque Nebi Daniel, but it is not at all improbable that the glass coffin containing the greatest of all military geniuses still rests in its tomb underneath.



Entrance to Tomb of Omar.

During the period between the Old Testament and the New. It was he who led the Greek phalanx on the world's battlefield and brought in his train literature and art, and set upon the stage of the world that Greek civilization into which the New Testament introduces us, which had displaced the thoroughly Semitic civilization of the days of the Old Testament.

Alexander with his sword carried out the way for the new civilization that was to help make up the "fulness of the times" for the Saviour of the world, and the saving of the world. In God's strange providence this ambitious world ruler is the grand colossus of Oriental history. He stands astride the gap between the old world of narrow Orientalism to which the old dispensation belongs and the world wide hopes to which the Christ of the New Testament bade the world lift up its eyes.

LOST RICHES; GLAD OF IT

Mrs. Caroline Hall Randolph Now Says She Has Nothing to Worry About.

Kansas City, Mo.—Once one of the wealthiest of the early-day Missourians, Mrs. Caroline Hall Randolph, who celebrated her ninetieth birthday in the Nettleton Home for Aged Women, said she was glad that she had lost her money 20 years ago.

"My money worried me nearly to death when I had it," Mrs. Randolph said. "Some one was trying to get it away from me all the time, and when they finally did and I found a home here I was glad it was gone. I haven't had anything to worry about except my rheumatism."

Mrs. Randolph was born in Kentucky.

Dogs Slaughter Sheep. Washington, Pa.—Rev. Milton Meier of Indian Ridge, near here, fired three shots into a pack of dogs who were attacking sheep and killed five of the dogs. More than 75 sheep have been killed by dogs within the last few days. The dogs travel in packs.

Hosel-Hosel-Hosel. Noble Hardware Company sells the hose, 3¢ and 20 cents a foot. You can buy any length. 33c

Advertisement for Velva Breakfast Syrup, featuring a child sitting on a can of syrup and the text 'The New Syrup with Many Uses'.

Advertisement for Pan-Tan crackers, featuring a hand holding a box of crackers and the text 'SNAP!! Eat the Cracker that Brown makes PAN-TAN The Ginger Snap with Snap'.

Advertisement for W. S. Curlee, a real estate agent, with the text 'Time to Buy... The Chamber of Commerce has just landed two large factories... W. S. CURLEE P. S. If you have anything to sell, house to rent, call me over phone. I shall be glad to give same my immediate attention. Office, room 5 over First State Bank & Trust Co. Phone 426'.

Many Notable Spinsters to Attend Old Maids' Convention in this City

Plans and preparations for the holding in this city next Friday evening at the Wichita Theatre of the Old Maids' Convention are now being concluded and Miss Margaret Wright Edwards of Dallas, who has charge of the rehearsal part of the preparations, reports that some of the best actors and actresses the stage has ever seen have been discovered among those who will take part in the affair. The noted suffragette, Miss Hannah Peonola Juggins of New York City, will read an essay during the convention on the subject, "Man": No one should miss such a rare opportunity of hearing this wonderful woman, who does not believe that men should even be allowed to vote, much less decide whether or not a woman shall vote.

PLEASANT VALLEY ITEMS. The wheat and oats are heading out and it won't be long until you can hear the hum of the binder in this community. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Young entertained the young people with a singing Saturday night which was enjoyed by a large crowd. Miss Straw of Beaver Creek community, is visiting Miss Ludey Green this week. Miss Maude Walker spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Williams. Miss Alta Morris returned from Hum, Texas, last week, where she has been visiting friends. Rev. Conwill's health is no better at this writing. A norther blew here Monday with sand storm and some rain. This is the last week of school at Pleasant Valley. It is considered examination and promotion week with the pupils. Mr. Davis was visiting and taking the school census of this community last week. Mr. Cran planted a patch of alfalfa this spring which is certainly looking nice. The Iowa Park boys will play the P. V. boys a game of baseball next Friday if nothing happens. Letter to Fred Harrington, Wichita Falls, Texas. Dear Sir: Our proposition is simply this: If Devoe doesn't take less gallons for a job, no pay. Yours truly, F. W. DEVOE & CO. P. S.—Fred Harrington scuffs our paint.

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JOHN W. SHORT FOR CONSTABLE

The Times is authorized to announce John W. Short as a candidate for constable for precinct No. 1, Wichita county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held on July 27th. Mr. Short has been a resident of Texas for twenty seven years, and of Wichita county for the past three years. At present he holds the position of deputy sheriff under Sheriff Randolph which position he has held to the entire satisfaction of his superior office for the past seven months, and he points to his record as such as to his qualifications as a peace officer. The Times presents his claims for the office as constable to the voters of this precinct for their careful consideration, and in the event they should act favorably on them, he will make the people an efficient officer.

Business men of Beaumont will have a trailes excursion through that section of the state. May 23rd has been set as the date. DR. M. R. HARRISON Dentist.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. J. A. Kemp has returned from Dallas.

R. H. Romine and children of Galveston are visiting Mrs. T. C. Page on Lamar avenue.

Henry Williams and family of Clarendon are visiting J. T. Williams and family on Tenth street.

Miss Ethel Frieze returned yesterday from Sherman where she has been attending the Kidd-Key College.

John C. Kay has returned from Greenville, South Carolina, where he has been on a visit to his parents.

Miss Verna Marable of Mount Vernon, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Rolfe Bourland on Burnett street.

Wiley Wyatt, proprietor of the Westland hotel, returned yesterday from Plainview, where he has been on business for several days.

Frank Kell, vice president and general manager of the Wichita Falls Route, returned this afternoon from a trip of inspection along the Wichita Falls and Northwestern extension in Oklahoma.

Miss Mary Harris of Archer City, passed through here this afternoon en route for her home to Kansas City, where she will remain for several days as the guest of friends.

Ed Napier, president of the Chamber of Commerce at Electra, is in the city on business.

Attorney Fred Weeks left this afternoon for Arlington, Texas, where he goes to join Mrs. Weeks who left for that city yesterday afternoon, to visit relatives for a short time. They will return here tomorrow afternoon.

E. P. Walsh returned this afternoon, after remaining in Handley near Fort Worth for a few days. He made the trip to visit his wife, who is in that city as the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Huff are expected to return tonight from Dallas, where Mr. Huff has been on business.

Mrs. Frank Kell returned last night from Dallas, for which place she left a few days ago to visit her daughters for a day or so.

Dr. R. L. Miller returned this afternoon from Charlie, having made a trip to that city on professional business.

C. W. Snider, cashier of the City National Bank, returned this afternoon from Quannah, where he has been on a short business trip.

Capt. Frank Johnson, state inspector for the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, returned here this afternoon from Bowie, where he went to inspect a car load of horses.

E. B. Carver, live stock agent for the Wichita Falls Route, returned this morning from Woodward, Okla., after remaining in that city for a day or so on business for the company.

Mrs. E. B. Carver and daughter, Miss Eddie, of Archer City, are here today visiting friends.

E. Rexford, a prominent citizen of Burkburnett who has been in this city for a week or ten days, left this afternoon for his home.

Hon. E. P. Haney left yesterday for Temple, where he goes to attend the State Press Association Convention which meets in Temple today. Mr. Haney will endeavor to secure the next convention for this city.

Mrs. Tenny Minkley left last night for Altus to visit her granddaughter there.

Oran Clark, a well known Wichita county farmer living on the river, is in the city today on business.

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SKINNER-WHITE NUPTIALS.

At one o'clock in the Presbyterian Church this afternoon, Rev. J. L. McKee performed the ceremony which united in marriage Miss Bonnie Skinner and D. J. White. The bride and groom left on the southbound Fort Worth & Denver passenger train for San Antonio, Galveston and other south Texas points, where they will spend their honeymoon.

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A Great Razor Sale

Monday marks the opening of our fifth great money saving sale of high grade domestic and imported razors, including such brands as the Wostenholm, Rogers, Ben Hur, I X L, Lewis, Pipe Blue Steel Wade & Butcher and the Brandt.

These razors are the choice products of the world's greatest factories, and the regular prices are from \$2.00 to \$3.50; our price for one week only will be 97 cents. We will also have on sale one thousand of the celebrated Brandt self-honing razor strops, the regular price of which is \$2.00; we make a price of 97 cents.

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CAMPBELL DELEGATE TO HOUSTON CONVENTION

Anderson County Wouldn't Send Him, So Madison County Democrats Chose Him.

Houston Post.

Former Governor T. M. Campbell arrived in the city yesterday morning from Palestine. To a reporter for the Post Governor Campbell stated that his visit to Houston is not of a political nature and that he came here on legal business.

In the lobby of the Bender hotel last evening Governor Campbell formed one of a circle of men engaged in talking on political topics. Among those present were O. T. Holt, Jeff McLe-more and Tom Stone, all of Houston.

"I suppose I should address you as the gentleman from Madison county," said Mr. Stone when he joined the group. It should be explained in this connection that Governor Campbell was placed on the Madison county delegation to the State convention in Houston, the people in control of the Anderson county convention having left the former governor off the delegation to the State convention.

"Yes, the Harmon men were in control of the Anderson county convention, and so the Wilson people over in Madison looked after me," replied Governor Campbell.

"Well, how is Palestine now?" inquired Colonel Holt.

"Palestine is all right financially, physically and morally, but politically it needs doing over, and if I mistake not we are going to have it done over when the July primaries come on," replied Governor Campbell.

The subject then turned to the approaching State convention in Houston and the principles which would probably be enunciated in that convention.

"I make the prediction," said Governor Campbell, "that the democrats of Texas when they meet in the Houston convention will write a really democratic platform and it will not resemble the Galveston convention two years ago."

IDAHO REPUBLICANS IN CONVENTION TODAY.

By Associated Press.

Lewiston, Idaho, May 16.—The first trial of strength between Tatt and Roosevelt forces in the Idaho republican state convention, it was expected, would result over the election of a temporary chairman.

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THREE BISHOPS RETIRED BY METHODIST MEETING

Minneapolis, Minn., May 16.—Bishops Thomas B. Neely of New Orleans, Henry W. Warren of Denver and David H. Moore of Cincinnati, with the close of the present general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, will retire from active work in the church, the conference so deciding in a vote taken Wednesday.

The vote was: Bishop Warren, for retirement 449, against 344; Bishop Moore, for retirement 524, against 269; Bishop Neely, for retirement 496, against 297.

Bishop Warren, who often has been called the "Abraham Lincoln of religious life," has spent fifty-seven years in active ministerial work, thirty-two of which he has been a bishop. Bishop Moore, who retained the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the war between the States, has been in the ministry since 1860 and has been in his present office for twelve years. Bishop Neely entered the ministry in 1865 and has held the office of bishop for eight years.

ROOSEVELT'S CLAIMS ARE DENIED BY TAFT.

By Associated Press.

Cleveland, May 16.—President Taft today declared that Roosevelt's claim that he controls 522 delegates to the Republican national convention in Chicago is without foundation. The President said if Roosevelt were to get all the delegates yet to be chosen he could not be nominated.

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