

REBELS' LEADER MAY BE DEPOSED

PLAN SAID TO BE ON FOOT TO REMOVE OROZCO LEADER OF REBELLION.

BOMEZ AGAIN MENTIONED

Recently Organized Junta With Headquarters In Texas, Report Backing Him.

By Associated Press. Juarez, July 10.—There is much dissatisfaction in the rebel ranks. A new rebel junta has been organized and has been secretly working among the troops of the rebel army with the idea of persuading them to abandon the leadership of Gen. Orozco and recognize Gen. David La Fuent as civil head of the rebel cause.

The Vasquista sympathizers who are organizers of the present revolution against Madero leadership which was appropriated by Orozco who repudiated Vasquez Gomez, have arisen again and the mutinous spirit conspicuous among the rebels of late may be traced to Vasquista influences. It is understood that the Vasquista leaders will meet soon at San Antonio and consider plans for disposing of Orozco.

Gen. Orozco did not arrive early today as was expected and local rebel officials now are not certain that he will come. Gen. Orozco's private car had been attached last night to a military train which reached here at 8 o'clock but the train had divided just north of Laguna, 167 miles south of here. Orozco's car returning southward and seventeen miles toward Encinillas.

ARIZONA SENATOR WANTS SOME ACTION IN MEXICO.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., July 10.—"Outrages in Mexico are becoming so frequent that this country cannot put up with them any longer. There will be developments in the Mexican situation in a few days." This was the prediction of Senator Smith of Arizona at the White House today. Senator Smith said he had not talked about the Mexican situation with President Taft.

"We have got to do something, issue a proclamation or warn Mexico in some way," he declared.

DALLAS BATTERY READY, BUT ORDERS NOT RECEIVED

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, July 10.—The correct explanation of yesterday's report that Dallas Battery A Texas National Guard would be sent to the border Sunday appears to be in the fact that a line of practice march beginning Sunday has been changed to keep the battery available for instant transportation to the border. This practice march was planned to go to Hillsboro, southwest of here. On advice of Adjutant General Hutchings the line was changed to westward so as to keep the battery near the Texas & Pacific Railway.

CLARK AND UNDERWOOD GOING TO SEAGIRT SOON.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., July 10.—Speaker Clark will go to Seagirt Friday evening for a conference with Gov. Wilson. Both Speaker Clark and majority leader Underwood have invitations from the governor, replying that they would visit him when business permitted.

EIGHTEEN AUTOMOBILES LICENSED DURING JUNE

Brings Total Registered In This County So Far Up to 253—List of Owners.

Eighteen automobiles were registered in Wichita county during the month of June, bringing the total registration up to 253. The list of owners registering cars during June together with the names of the cars follows:

Tom Burnett, Oldsmobile; H. M. Snoddy, Metz; R. S. Artley, Cole; H. E. Barrow, Buick; George D. Keith, Ford; M. Smith, Cadillac; K. C. Hurie, Rambler; E. J. Mayfield, Lambert; Cream Bakery, Wichita Truck; Fred Gerry, Jr., Buick; Patton Drilling Co., Ford; S. E. Schuler, Holiday; R. A. Farlow, Buick; C. E. Bessey, Mitchell; Robert J. Scheffer, Regal; I. W. Dyson, Ford; Blair-Hughes, Wichita Truck; J. F. Blair, Buick.

TWO DEATHS FROM HEAT IN NEW YORK CITY TODAY

By Associated Press. New York, July 10.—There were two deaths in this city from heat this morning. At noon the temperature was 88.

POISONED FOOD CAUSES THREE DEATHS IN GEORGIA.

Augusta, Ga., July 10.—Three people are dead and thirty-seven others are ill as a result of eating poisoned food at a dinner at the home of Mac Canady, near Garfield, Ga., on the Fourth of July, according to information that reached here.

Much mystery surrounds the wholesale poisoning of the Canady family, who had gathered at a reunion. A full investigation will be made. Every person who partook of the dinner is ill and some of them are said to have but slight chance for recovery.

MAY REACH VOTE UPON LORIMER TOMORROW

Illinois Senator to Speak in Own Behalf—Johnson of Alabama Defends Him.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., July 10.—When the Senate took up the Lorimer case today it was indicated that all speeches except Lorimer's would be concluded before night and that a vote would be reached tomorrow. Senator Johnson of Alabama, a Democrat, who supported Lorimer at the first trial, opened today with a spirited speech in his behalf.

He conceded a popular demand for Lorimer's unseating and said he knew he would be on the unpopular side but declared "I refuse to save myself at the sacrifice of my honor."

He declared that the number of copies of the Lorimer hearing taken from the Senate document room indicated that less than half the senators had read the evidence. He condemned an "un-Christian and un-American" Roosevelt's course in declining to sit with Lorimer at the Hamilton Club dinner in Chicago. Senator Jones of Washington, who opposed Lorimer at the first trial but who supports him now, followed Senator Johnson.

GROWTH OF COMMISSION FORM IS REPORTED.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 10.—At the annual meeting of the National Municipal League William Dudley Foulke was re-elected president and Jane McAdams of Chicago, Camille O. Kilder of Orange, N. J., President Lowell of Harvard University, George McAnney of New York and Charles Richardson of Philadelphia were elected vice presidents.

Clinton R. Woodruff, secretary of the league, said in his report: "Within the past half dozen years certain new words may be introduced into the discussion of municipal affairs that may be regarded as significant 'finger prints'. They are simplicity, publicity and efficiency."

The continued widespread growth of the commission plan of city government will be described as most significant aspect of the simplicity movement.

MORAL PRIDE OF CITIES IS WILSON'S SUBJECT

Democratic Nominee Addresses Large Throng at Exercises in Atlantic City.

By Associated Press. Atlantic City, July 10.—What Atlantic City lacks and needs most is moral pride, in the opinion of Gov. Woodrow Wilson who addressed a throng of 5000 persons at the laying of the corner stone of the Y. M. C. A., building here today. It was the Democratic nominee's first appearance on the platform since the Baltimore convention and the crowd cheered him enthusiastically.

"I am speaking to those who live here," he said, "and not to strangers within your gates. What Atlantic City needs most is moral pride. A man is ashamed to be caught in a dirty place and a community ought to be ashamed of dirty practices."

ROOSEVELT'S ELECTORIAL SCHEME IS DISCUSSED.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., July 10.—President Taft conferred today with Chairman Hill, Representative McKinley, Representative Burke and Representative Moore of Pennsylvania over the question of whether an elector chosen of the Republican ticket could vote in the electoral college for Col. Roosevelt, running on a third party ticket. In South Dakota the convention already has placed Roosevelt on the Republican ticket. Similar action has been taken in other States.

SYRACUSE, NEW YORK IS SCENE OF PROSTRATION.

By Associated Press. Syracuse, N. Y., July 10.—There were two deaths from heat here last night. More than a score of people were overcome. The mercury hovered about 90 degrees.

SALOON KEEPERS RENEW LICENSES

FOURTEEN PERMITS TO DO BUSINESS ISSUED BY AUTHORITIES.

CITY'S TOTAL IS \$2615.00

County Gets Equal Amount From Licenses While State Treasury Receives \$5230.

Fourteen Wichita Falls saloon keepers renewed their licenses to do business in Wichita Falls for another year today. Their licenses date from midnight tonight. In renewing their licenses they contributed a total of \$2615 to each the city and county, \$5230 to the State and \$350 to the federal government as internal revenue license.

There are 19 saloons in all in Wichita Falls and two wholesale beer houses. Several of the licenses have been renewed within the past few months and one or two others do not expire until October. The fourteen who renewed today were those who were in business in 1907 when a new law went into effect.

Each saloon man contributes \$375 to the State; \$187.50 to the county, \$187.50 to the city and \$25 to the federal government, in addition to which there are bonds, fees and costs which bring the total cost to each saloonist close to the thousand dollar mark.

The total cost of the licenses issued to the 14 saloons today not including fees is \$7870. This represents 52,466 drinks of whiskey at fifteen cents apiece or 157,398 glasses of beer at five cents each.

200 CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE IN ONE OKLAHOMA COUNTY.

Lawton, Ok., July 10.—County candidates for township and legislative offices, nearly two hundred persons in Comanche county are asking to be elected to office this year, according to the records of Chas. H. Shaw, secretary of the county election board, who is today attempting to untangle the flood of filings for places on ballots, the last of which were received in his office Saturday night.

For county office alone sixty-one candidates are filed and these added to the one hundred or more candidates for township honors and the filings for legislative positions which have gone to the secretary of the state election board will bring the total list, says Mr. Shaw, to almost two hundred mark.

Due, chiefly, to the fact that none but Democrats have serious assurance of final election, the candidates before the primary are mostly of the democratic faith; forty-one of the sixty-one county candidates being Democrats and the remaining twenty divided up between Republicans and Socialists.

There are three democratic candidates, announced in the newspapers and active candidates in the field for the past several weeks, whose names do not appear in the list of filings—either because they neglected to file or because their filing papers have become entangled with the flood of township offices and thus far have been overlooked. They are Harvey Miller, candidate for treasurer; J. H. Carter and J. M. Hooper, candidate for commissioner from the eastern district.

OKLAHOMA CHILD IS DROWNED IN MILK JAR.

Carmen, Okla., July 10.—A peculiar and fatal accident befell the family of Frank Dveraux when the 7-months-old baby fell into a jar of milk and was drowned. Two older children had been left at the house by Mrs. Dveraux while she went to the barnyard. The baby was on the porch, where several cans of milk had been left. The baby was left by itself for a few minutes and when the mother returned she found the child with its head in the pan of milk, dead.

BIG PASTURE OIL MAN IS KILLED AT LONGVIEW.

Longview, Texas, July 10.—G. V. Harris, secretary and treasurer of the big pasture and gas development company situated near Frederick, Okla., while attempting to board a train here this morning slipped, falling under the wheels.

PASSENGERS FROM HAVANA WILL BE DETAINED.

Washington, D. C., July 10.—Surgeon General Blue, of the public health service today approved a regulation to prohibit passengers from Havana entering any port in Florida, unless they have been detained seven days at the Prisons quarantine station. This was done because of the short distance between Florida points and Havana. Passengers from Havana to New York or New Orleans are from three to five days enroute.

NEWSPAPER WOMAN IS CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR.

Denison, Texas, July 10.—Information received here from San Diego, Cal., announces that Mrs. Rae Copey Raum is a candidate for mayor and is waging a warm campaign, feeding the voters fried chicken and strawberry shortcake of her own making.

GALVESTON OFFERING 15-CENT BOUNTY ON RATS

Government, County and City Authorities Take Steps Against Plague.

By Associated Press. Galveston, Texas, July 10.—The probability of bubonic plague entering the United States through the port of Galveston is very remote under measures adopted by the United States, city and county authorities.

At a conference yesterday a campaign to exterminate rats, a prolific factor in spreading the disease was agreed upon. Three cents a head is offered for all rats and since early this morning they have been brought in by scores. The United States requires all vessels to bring a certificate from the marine health authorities showing that the vessel was fumigated.

The state authorities will require that the fumigation be repeated here.

SUN DANCE OF CHEYENNE INDIANS IS FORBIDDEN.

Clifton, Okla., July 10.—The sun dance among the Cheyenne Indians, is forever barred by statute and traffic in the peyote bean is illegal, is the mandate of Commissioner Valentine of Indian affairs, according to De Forest Antelope and several other Cheyenne Indian subchiefs, who have just returned from Washington, where they went to interview the commissioner in the hope that he would permit them to indulge in the sun dance and other aboriginal religious ceremonies.

Commissioner Valentine informed them that he would permit the celebration of the willow and gift dances, provided they are held in the autumn after crops are made, and provided they during the gift dance the Indians do not give away valuable property. The Indians had arranged for their annual sun dance, but knowing there was objection to it, sought the advice of the government.

SPREAD OF PLAGUE IS BELIEVED TO BE CHECKED.

Washington, D. C., July 10.—No new cases of bubonic plague were reported today from Cuba or Porto Rico to the public health and marine hospital service.

Three steerage passengers on the steamer Chalmette, who had come from the plague zone in Havana, were taken off that vessel today at the New Orleans quarantine station. They will be detained until there is absolute assurance that they are not infected. All on board the vessel were well and she was permitted to proceed to New Orleans. The steamer had not touched the wharf at Havana and none of the crew had been ashore.

Surgeon Stoner, chief medical officer at Ellis Island, today telegraphed to Washington that the work of destroying rats along the New York water front was well under way. Similar work came from Galveston and other ports.

PHILADELPHIANS DON'T WANT TO SEND LIBERTY BELL.

Philadelphia, July 10.—Opposition has developed here to granting the request for taking the Liberty Bell to the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco in 1915. One of those opposed to it is the chief of the bureau of city property, which has charge of the bell. The question of taking the bell out of the city rests entirely with the city council. A request to take the historic bell to the Lewis and Clark exposition at Seattle a few years ago was refused.

TEXAS WAGES WAR ON THE HOOKWORM.

Austin, Texas, July 10.—It was announced yesterday by Dr. Morris H. Boerner, head of the hookworm department of the state board of health that the state laboratory is now ready to examine patients afflicted with that disease and also to diagnose cases. Dr. Boerner has just returned from North Carolina, where he has been for ten days investigating the methods employed there, which he found to be thoroughly up to date. The campaign for the eradication of the hookworm in forty-nine counties in Texas and in some of the leading educational institutions of Texas may now be said to be fully launched.

ROBBERS HOLD UP KATY TRAIN

SOUTHBOUND LIMITED STOPPED BY MASKED MEN IN KANSAS.

UNABLE TO BLOW SAFE

Passengers Are Guarded While Unsuccessful Attempt Is Made to Rob Baggage Car.

By Associated Press. Parsons, Kansas, July 10.—Missouri, Kansas & Texas passenger train No. 9 known as the Katy Limited which left here at ten o'clock last night was held up by six masked men near Coffeyville, Kansas. They held the train two hours during which the passengers and trainmen were corralled and guarded in the coaches by two men while the others made an unsuccessful attempt to blow open the baggage car safe.

No effort was made to rob the passengers and no one was injured.

The safe was rolled out of the car and down a small embankment where an attempt was made to wreck it. The robbers left of their own accord fearing they might be surprised by the approach of another train or by officers who might have been sent to determine the reason for the delay of the train.

THIRD CRUSADE SHOWN IN PICTURES AT AIRDOME.

Last night at the Lamar Airdome a film costing \$100,000 was included in the evening's program. The film in question was a reproduction of the most important battles connected with the third Crusade or Holy War, showing the wrestling of Jerusalem from the hands of the infidels who had invested it for many years.

The picture portrayed in a clear and concise manner incidents connected with the Third Crusade, and from a historical standpoint it is invaluable as the student of the history of the middle ages is enabled to witness a practical reproduction of all that he has read about in books concerning that famous crusade. The film is said to be the most expensive that has ever been made, and it requires a solid hour to run off the reel. Large crowds were present, at last night's performance, and it has been decided to show the picture again tonight.

WOMAN KILLS DOG FIRST, THEN COMMITTS SUICIDE.

New Orleans, La., July 10.—Evidently fearing that her dog, a little fox terrier, might not fall into kind hands after she was gone, Mrs. Lucille Cloud had her pet chloroformed the other day and this morning, after first destroying all evidence of her identity, she committed suicide in her room at 539 South Rampart street by swallowing antiseptic tablets. She was removed to Charity Hospital, where she died two hours later.

Nothing is definitely known of the dead woman. She and her husband, who is reported now to be in Galveston, are said to have come here a few months ago from Panama.

APPROPRIATION BILL IS NOW PENDING IN HOUSE.

By Associated Press. Washington, July 10.—Appropriations of \$250,000 for the tariff board and \$20,000 for the international waterways commission were restored to the sundry service bill as reported by the Senate today.

Because of the bubonic plague situation, the House appropriation for prevention of epidemics by the public health service was increased from \$100,000 to \$500,000. The customs reforms proposed in the House bill were stricken out and an item of \$350,000 for collecting this revenue from customs inserted. Items of \$70,000 for additional land at Port Sam Houston, Texas, and \$50,000 for a steel bridge at Fort Riley, Kansas, were inserted.

ALLEGED LOAN SHARKS ARRESTED IN GOTHAM.

New York, July 10.—Armed with warrants charging violation of the banking laws, the police yesterday raided the offices of five alleged loan sharks and made five arrests. One of the prisoners was a woman who was found in charge of an office in Nassau street. Her father protested so vigorously that he was arrested and charged with interfering with the police. At another place the proprietor threw his books and papers into a safe, locked the safe and refused to open it. The police took the safe with the man to headquarters.

SPEAKERS OF ESPERANTO GATHER IN BOSTON, MASS.

Boston, Mass., July 10.—The Fifth North American Congress of Esperanto opened here. Nearly every section of the United States was represented by students of the new language.

\$18 DAMAGE SUIT WILL GO TO HIGHER COURT.

The suit of the Port Worth & Denver vs. Hines has been withdrawn from the district court and will be taken into the court of civil appeals. In this suit the plaintiff petitioned for an injunction to restrain the collection of a judgment given Hines in the justice of peace court at Iowa Park. In that suit Hines was given a judgment for damages for the killing of a dog by the railroad company. The judgment and costs amounted to about \$18.

WOMEN CUTTING WEEDS BUT HUSBANDS ARE NOT

Concerted Action Needed to Free City of Them Says Alderman J. F. Reed.

Dr. J. F. Reed, chairman of the sanitary committee of the city council believes that if the men will now do their share of the weed cutting, all the weeds in the city will be down in a few days. Dr. Reed came to this conclusion after a drive over the city this morning. Everywhere, he said, he saw women attacking the weeds with every sort of device to hoe them down, but on his entire trip he did not see a single man at work with a hoe, scythe, mower, pitchfork, shovel or any other implement.

Sanitary Officer Allen started out today distributing notices to property owners and residents to cut their weeds. No others reported to Mayor Bell any weed cutting exercises beyond breakfast today, but the mayor announces that he saw several at this occupation after supper time last night.

EXCESS BAGGAGE RULES ARE BEING ENFORCED.

Summer vacationists, who generally carry along a cooking outfit, tent, bedding, enough clothes to take a debutante through the fashionable society season and several other things, are angry. It's all because the baggage men are holding them to the stipulated 150 pounds.

Sending excess baggage through without charge in the same way flying rebates, the interstate commerce commission holds, and therefore is prohibited by Federal statute.

With every first class ticket the holder is entitled to 150 pounds of free baggage, and one half fare tickets seventy-five pounds.

However, right at this time of year the baggage and passenger men are beginning to find out what the general run of the traveling public thinks of them. Nobody has excess baggage, in his or her own opinion, but according to the scales in the union station, two-thirds of the travelers should pay excess baggage.

PEACHES ARE PLENTIFUL BUT DEMAND IS HEAVY

Selling at Dollar Per Bushel—Plums, Home-Grown Tomatoes and Cantaloupes Offered.

Peaches are coming into the market in large quantities but so far the demand has been sufficient to take care of all the crop offered. The crop is retailing around a dollar a bushel although in some instances two bushels are being sold for \$1.75. The peaches now coming on the market are of an unusually good quality.

Plums are also being marketed the prices ranging from 25 cents a gallon to \$1 per bushel. Fancy plums are bringing even higher prices.

Home grown tomatoes and cantaloupes are now being offered and are plentiful. These were never more abundant or of better quality. The quantity is great enough to bring good returns to the farmer and the truck farmer at prices that are lowering the cost of living.

LATE OIL MAGNATES' ESTATE WORTH \$3,444,000.

New York, July 10.—An accounting filed in the supreme court by Andrew Freedman, custodian of the property of Mrs. Ida F. Flieger, wife of Henry M. Flieger, the Standard Oil millionaire, shows that Mrs. Flieger's estate is valued at \$3,444,000. Mrs. Flieger, who is confined in a sanitarium, was adjudged incompetent by the supreme court in 1904. Because of the increased cost of living, Justice Bischoff, in approving the accounts, allowed \$10,000 a year additional to the sum of \$25,000 already provided yearly for the maintenance of Mrs. Flieger at the sanitarium.

FORMER LIEUT-GOV. PEN- DLETON RESTING WELL.

By Associated Press. Temple, Texas, July 10.—Lieut-Gov. Pendleton whose leg was amputated yesterday to avert blood poison was reported resting well today.

PROHIBITIONISTS IN CONVENTION

ATTACK ON TAFT, ROOSEVELT AND BOTH OLD PARTIES IS FEATURE.

LIQUOR RECORD OF TAFT

Speaker Declares President Has Surrendered Abjectly To the Saloon Interests.

By Associated Press. Atlantic City, July 10.—A sensational attack on President Taft, Theodore Roosevelt and the Republican and Democratic parties in general, marked the beginning here today of the prohibition convention. Clinton Howard of Rochester, New York, temporary chairman of the convention made a speech which bristled with denunciation of the "boss-ridden, liquor-controlled old parties."

He declared nothing in the way of real reform was to be gained from either of them or from a third party dominated by Col. Roosevelt.

"No other president since the foundation of this government," declared Mr. Howard, "has surrendered more abjectly to the liquor interest of this nation than has William H. Taft. His record is too recent, familiar, and odiferous to require review in this intelligent presence."

Mr. Howard it would be a criminal waste of time to argue that the liquor traffic could be stamped out through the Republican party "by its agent platform, its present unworthy leadership, its strong liquor record and its monopoly-nurtured candidate who obtained his nomination at the hands of a convention which Theodore Roosevelt declared represents nothing but successful political fraud, perpetrated in the interest of political and financial privilege, and who were more than any of his predecessors had become the wet nurse of the saloon."

"What better results can be expected from the Democratic party?" "Exactly the same influence that poisoned the Republican party at Chicago was in control at Baltimore."

He said that while Governor Wilson was known as a "good man," the prohibitionists "are not here to elect a good man, but to kill the liquor traffic."

After severely criticizing the Democratic House of Representatives for failure to enact legislation on prohibition or preventing the shipments of liquor into the South, Chairman Howard turned his guns on Col. Roosevelt.

"We already have two whiskey parties and do not need another. From the prohibition standpoint, by his record, public utterances and confessed personal habit, he is the least desirable of them all."

"Posting as the 'thou shalt not steal' candidate, because his partisans were no preferred over President Taft's in the convention, he brazenly boasts that he stole the Isthmus of Panama from Columbia and let Congress debate about it afterward."

"If the Chicago convention plays the same trick, they got a few from him. His title to the Panama strip is as good as the stolen Taft credentials in the hands of boss-made delegates and no better."

J. B. Cranfill of Dallas, Texas, responding to the addresses of welcome on behalf of the convention, declared that Gov. Woodrow Wilson was the man the prohibitionists would have to defeat if they were to win at the next election.

"If we don't win at the polls next November, Governor Wilson will be president of the United States," said Mr. Cranfill.

QUARTER CENTURY OLD HOUSE IS BEING MOVED

House at 608 Scott. One of City's Landmarks Makes Way for New Building.

Another landmark of Wichita Falls is gone. The house on the lot recently purchased by Mrs. Stewart from John T. Roberts, 608 Scott avenue is being moved to a vacant lot on Burnett street. A large new residence will take its place. The old house was built 26 years ago for a man named Struby and is one of the oldest houses in the city. Mr. Measles who is moving it believes it is one of the houses that he built when he was in the contracting business when Wichita Falls was a mere village.

CONGRESSMAN RANDELL IS CONFINED TO HIS HOME.

By Associated Press. Sherman, Texas, July 10.—It was learned today that Congressman C. B. Randell is confined to his home here with an attack of fever. He came home sick Sunday. His condition is not believed to be serious and he is planning to resume his campaign shortly.

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REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE AGENTS

FOUR PRISONERS ESCAPE FROM MISSISSIPPI JAIL.
Meridian, Miss., July 10.—When an attendant entered the "runaround" of the county jail here early today, he found one white man instead of five, four having escaped during the night

while the fifth man, Luther Walters, awaiting action of the grand jury on a murder charge, declined to break jail. The quartette sawed window bars with a case knife, tied blankets together, scaled the rear of the jail and dropped into an alleyway.

Texas Grain Crop One of State's Wealth Sources

(By Ida M. Darden)

Nature and the railroad commission have done their part in making Texas a leading grain producing state. Nature has given us a climate for the growing of the six leading cereals of the world; the railroad commission has aided in securing cheap rates, and it is now up to the farmer to take advantage of the opportunities offered by these two agencies for making Texas the banner grain state of the union. The federal government by the expenditure of \$10,000,000 on the port of Galveston has placed Texas at the door of the world and ships from every port are lying at anchor in Galveston harbor waiting for their cargo of Texas products to transport to the different markets of the world. It has been successfully demonstrated that the soil of Texas is adapted to the growing of corn, wheat, oats, rye, barley and rice, the principal cereal crops of the world, and there is enough land on which these crops can be raised in Texas to supply the entire United States each year with cereals and grain.

A careful review of the grain situation just at this time by members of the Grain Dealers' Association has resulted in the announcement that this year will be the banner grain year and that the largest yield will be recorded since 1898, when the largest grain crop on record was produced.

The Texas farmer standing back surveying his waving fields of grain is beginning to realize that the one crop idea is a thing of the past and that he need not look to his cotton alone for his money crop, but that his corn, his oats and his wheat are becoming as reliable as the fleecy staple, the yield as certain and the profits as sure.

The annual consumption of grain in the state is approximately 260,000,000 bushels, divided as follows: Corn, 200,000,000 bushels; wheat 25,000,000 bushels; oats, 25,000,000 bushels; rye, 5,000,000 bushels and rice, 5,000,000 bushels. The average annual production of these crops is less than one-third of this amount, leaving approximately 180,000,000 bushels which must be imported from other states and countries for our own use.

Corn holds second place without challenge in our list of agricultural products and next to cotton is the leading staple crop of the state. Estimating our corn production at 180,000,000 bushels, per annum, and its value at \$114,000,000 and the further fact that the time for raising a crop of corn is only 120 days, we find this product yielding more than a million dollars per day. The corn growing area of the state is practically unlimited, and good corn is produced in every section of the state, although central, east, north and middle west Texas have recorded the largest yields.

Millions of acres of land are now lying idle in the principal corn sections and this giant industry has scarcely begun its development.

No factor has done more for increasing the production of corn in the state than the Boys' Corn Clubs, which have become so popular during the past few years. There is now an

army of 15,000 boys under 18 years of age who are demonstrating to the satisfaction of the farmers of Texas that scientific farming is the only practical method of tilling the soil and that not only in an increased acreage but in scientific and intensified cultivation of the soil lies the secret of "successful" farming.

During the past ten years the increase in population in the United States has so far exceeded the wheat production that it is predicted by students of economy that a bread famine is the inevitable result, and unless the farmers of Texas rise to the situation and utilize the resources of the state in supplying the nation with grain, it is probable that the "staff of life" may become an unknown quantity in the next few generations.

The per capita wheat production of the world in 1911 was 2.5 bushels, while in Texas it was 5 bushels per capita. The acreage planted to wheat in Texas during the past few years, however, shows an unstable and volatile condition. In 1908 we harvested 924,000 acres; in 1909, 550,000 acres, and in 1910, 1,252,000 acres. The Texas wheat crop ranks third in the list of agricultural products, cotton and corn being the only other product showing a greater yield.

The oat belt of the state extends wherever the wheat area is to be found, which means that practically the entire state is adapted to the growing of this grain. In former years, the oat acreage was about one-half that of wheat, but during the next decade this crop has rapidly increased in acreage and value, though as is the case with all other grains, only a small per cent of the area of the state which is adapted to its growing is being utilized for this purpose. In 1911 Texas produced less than 24,000,000 bushels while this year's crop is estimated at least a million bushels above this figure. Thirty-five bushels to the acre is the average yield of this crop, with an average farm value of \$16.45 per acre.

It is said that the only countries on earth where the cry about high cost of living has not been heard are the ones where rice is the principal food. In China, Japan and India, where the people consume a pound each of this nutritious food per day, the high cost of living is not only the least of the troubles of the inhabitants, but the health of the people of rice-eating countries is far above that of other countries and nations. While other things to eat have advanced from 50 to 100 per cent within the past decade, rice may still be had for the price our fathers paid for it. The United States department of agriculture ranks rice ahead of wheat, rye, barley or potatoes in nutritive value, and its adaptability to the requirements of the human body has been testified to by eminent physicians, both in this country and abroad.

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Wilson on Prohibition.

San Antonio Light, July 2.

The following correspondence which explains itself, proves conclusively that Woodrow Wilson, the democratic nominee for President of the United States, is not a prohibitionist, and does not believe that prohibition should be made a political issue.

On Oct. 20, 1911, the editor of the Light writes to Governor Wilson at Trenton, N. J., asking him to define his attitude on the prohibition question. A reply was received from Joseph P. Tumulty, secretary to Governor Wilson, on Oct. 24, inclosing the letter written by Governor Wilson to the Rev. Thomas B. Shannon of Newark, N. J. The letter follows:

State of New Jersey, Executive Department, Oct. 24, 1911. My Dear Sir: The governor has requested me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th and in reply thereto enclose a copy of a letter written to the late

Mr. Shannon, which no doubt will answer your inquiry.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH P. TUMULTY,
Secretary to the Governor.

The San Antonio Light, San Antonio, Texas.

State of New Jersey, Executive Department, May 1, 1911. My Dear Mr. Shannon: The question asked in your letter of April 27 about my attitude toward the important question of local option is, of course, a perfectly legitimate one, and you are entitled to a frank answer. I would have replied sooner had I not been prevented by imperative public engagements. I have explained my views to you in private, but have, of course, no objection to your making them public.

I am in favor of local option. I am a thorough believer in local self-government and believe that every self-governing community which constitutes a social unit should have the right to control the matter of the regulation or of the withholding of licenses.

But the questions involved are social and moral and are not susceptible of being made parts of a party program. Whenever they have been made the subject matter of party contests, they have cut the lines of party organization and party action downward to the utter confusion of political action in every other field. They have thrown every other question, however important, into the background and have made constructive party action impossible for long years together. So far as I am myself concerned, therefore, I can never consent to have the question of local option made an issue between political parties in this state. My judgment is very clear in this matter. I do not believe that party programmes of the highest consequence to the political life of the state and of the nation ought to be thrust on one side and hopelessly embarrassed for long periods together by making a political issue of a great question which is essentially non-political, non-partisan, moral and social, in its nature.

Very sincerely yours,
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Houston, Texas, July 10.—The Beaumont, Sour Lake and Western railway, which is the Frisco line east of New Orleans, is in a bitter fight with the Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Company. The latter desires to parallel the road's tracks with its telephone poles and the road late yesterday afternoon enjoined the telephone people in the Fifty-fifth district court from using its right of way for any such purpose. No date has as yet been set for the final hearing.

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An aeroplane exhibition in the ninth inning allowed Denison to take the second game of the series yesterday, the locals making a beautiful ascension after they apparently had the game safely in the refrigerator.

When the ninth inning started, the Katydids had scored only two runs off only four hits and the Drillers had a two-run lead. In the ninth, a walk or two, three hits and a pair of errors allowed six runs.

This afternoon the last game of the season on the home grounds will be played. Tomorrow morning the team will take the road for the remainder of the season, and will probably not return even for the post-season series which will be played where it will bring the most money.

Mullins pitched for the locals yesterday and was in good form, only one of the runs scored by Denison being earned. Denison made six errors behind McCormick, but none of them were very costly. The Drillers led off with two runs in the third inning; White hit for two bases and scored when Morris' grounder got away from Kerr, Duke taking third on the play. Brown cracked a two-bagger, scoring Morris. Denison tied the score in the sixth when B. Covington walked and scored on Peebles' three bagger; Brooks' single scored Peebles and a double play retired the side. The Drillers again took the lead in the eighth. Guthrie walked and Kizzlar was safe on Brooks' error. Phillips tried to sacrifice but Bobo threw badly to third, allowing Guthrie to score. Steakley's sacrifice fly scored Kizzlar.

In the ninth, C. Covington was safe at second on McCarty's error and Henderson walked. Bobo beat out a bunt, filling the bases. Abell walked and Knaupp got hit, forcing in two runs. McCormick hit for two bases and McCarty's bobble at third allowed Knaupp to follow the others across the plate. B. Covington's single scored McCormick. Peebles flied out and Covington was run down between second and third. C. Covington flied to Brown for the third out.

Three errors, three hits, and three passes were responsible for the visitors' scoring in the ninth. The score: Denison— AB R H PO A E
Kerr, ss. 2 0 0 0 1 1
Peebles, rf. 5 1 1 4 1 0
Brooks, 3b. 5 0 1 0 2 1
C. Covington, lb. 5 0 1 11 1 1
Henderson, cf. 2 1 0 2 0 0
Bobo, c. 4 1 1 6 0 1
Abell, lf. 3 1 0 2 0 1
Knaupp, 2b. 3 1 1 0 1 1
McCormick, p. 4 1 1 0 2 0
B. Covington, ss. 2 1 1 2 2 0

Totals 35 8 7 27 10 6
Wichita Falls—
White, c. 5 1 2 2 0 0
Morris, cf. 4 1 0 1 0 0
Brown, ss. 4 0 1 4 8 0
Guthrie, lf. 3 1 0 2 0 0
Kizzlar, rf. 4 1 1 2 1 0
Phillips, 2b. 4 0 2 1 5 0
Steakley, lb. 4 0 2 14 0 1
McCarty, 3b. 4 0 0 9 0 2
Mullins, p. 4 0 0 1 3 1

Totals 36 4 8 27 16 4

Scores by innings: Denison 000 002 006—8
Wichita Falls 002 000 020—4

Summary: Stolen bases—B. Covington, Brown, Kizzlar, Phillips 2. Steakley. Sacrifice fly—Steakley. Earned runs—Denison 1. Two base hits—Knaupp, McCormick, White, Brown. Three base hit—Peebles. Base on balls—off McCormick 3, off Mullins 4. Struck out—by McCormick 4, by Mullins 2. Left on bases—Denison 3, Wichita Falls 6. Double plays—Mullins to Brown to Steakley, Kizzlar to Steakley, Peebles to Bobo. First on errors—Denison 3, Wichita Falls 3. Hit by pitcher—Knaupp. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes. Umpire—Beckham.

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There's hardly a flight of white steps in Baltimore that won't have to be scrubbed up or painted.—Washington Post.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

Texas-Oklahoma League.
Ardmore 3, Bonham 1.
Denison 8, Wichita Falls .
Sherman 8, Durant 5.
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Denison at Wichita Falls.
Ardmore at Bonham.
Sherman at Durant.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Ardmore	30	20	10	.667
Denison	28	18	10	.643
Sherman	29	16	13	.552
Bonham	28	14	14	.500
Wichita Falls	29	11	18	.379
Durant	29	7	22	.241

Texas League
Waco 5, Dallas 3.
Fort Worth 7, Austin 0.
San Antonio 7, Galveston 2.
Houston-Beaumont; rain.
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Dallas at Austin.
San Antonio at Beaumont.
Houston at Galveston.
Fort Worth at Waco.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Houston	85	55	30	.647
San Antonio	88	51	37	.580
Waco	86	47	39	.547
Dallas	88	47	41	.534
Beaumont	82	37	45	.451
Austin	87	39	48	.448
Fort Worth	83	35	50	.412
Galveston	83	31	52	.373

TEXAS-OKLAHOMA LEAGUE

Ardmore 3, Bonham 1
Bonham, Texas, July 9.—Bonham could do nothing with Schultz, the Texas league pitcher, today and Ardmore won the second game 3 to 1.

Score by innings:
Ardmore 002 010 000—3
Bonham 000 000 100—1

Sherman 8, Durant 5
Durant, Okla., July 9.—Today was a poor one for Pitchers Flannigan and Grimes. Both were knocked out in five innings and Campbell, who succeeded Flannigan, was treated little better.

Score by innings:
Sherman 320 003 000—8
Durant 301 010 000—5
Batteries—Grimes, Napier and Townsend and Lamonica; Flannigan, Campbell and Wilson.

POST-SEASON GAMES WILL NOT BE PLAYED OFF HERE

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This is the 10th and the candidates will only have about seventeen days longer in which to wait.

How long shall we continue to have as the chief attraction on our Fourth of July program the thrashing of a white man by a negro?

There is said to be a movement on foot to have President Taft withdraw from the presidential contest, but this is unnecessary. The people will do that for him in November.

Col. Roosevelt announces that he has many assurances for his new party but it's votes that count, and after Wilson gets his share there won't be many left for Taft and Teddy to quarrel about.

The high cost of living is going to cut some figure in the present presidential campaign. Gov. Wilson is going to charge it to the tariff laws, which the Democratic platform has promised to retire.

The Titanic disaster developed several heroes, but the Democratic convention developed only one, William Jennings Bryan, the man who went down to defeat for fighting for principles.—Brenham Banner.

A few disgruntled friends of Champ Clark in Missouri are talking about organizing Taft Democratic clubs throughout that State. That's a pretty good way to give Taft the electoral vote of Missouri, but it might also result in bringing about a change in the Speakership.

A contribution in another place in this paper, proposes that September 2, (Labor Day) be appropriately observed in Wichita Falls, and the Times heartily approves of the suggestion, and trusts the matter will be taken up and pushed by the business interests and labor organizations of the city.

The firmness with which the Texas delegation to the Baltimore convention stood had as much to do with bringing about the nomination of Woodrow Wilson as any other one thing, which goes to prove that the Houston convention exercised the best kind of judgment in picking the delegation.

At last, after the most strenuous and a some respects the most remarkable convention the Democratic party has ever held, Woodrow Wilson, Governor of New Jersey, scholar, statesman and gentleman, has been nominated for president. We have now in prospect a government at Washington to be constituted a happy medium between the merits of Taft and the demerits of Roosevelt. It is worth all the tribulation, the bitter words and the cost in time and money to have the event thus crowned with so happy and fortunate an issue.—Chattanooga Times.

Things were never looking better at this season of the year for cotton, corn and feed crops than now. The rain of Friday night seems to have been general, and according to state-

ments of the best informed farmers, was ample and all that was needed to make sure of the corn crop. As for cotton, the present condition of the crop justifies the prediction or estimate that Wichita county alone will produce at least 18,000 bales, or nearly a third more than has ever before been produced in a single year in the county.—Wichita Daily Times.

From all portions of Texas comes the same optimistic report. The seasons so far have been propitious, coming just at the time when needed to promote the growth of the crops and the preservation of those already made. In fact, it seems that this year the seasons have been made to order and the grower and grumbler has been put out of business. What boots it if the election does not go to suit us so long as we have a bountiful harvest.—Denison Herald.

***** EDITORIAL COMMENT *****

WILSON'S CONSERVATISM.

Nashville Banner.

One of the most encouraging features of Woodrow Wilson's candidacy is the character of newspaper support he received before the convention and still receives since he is the Democratic nominee. Some staid journals of the east that either withheld their support from Mr. Bryan or gave it grudgingly, were among the strong advocates of Woodrow Wilson's nomination and are now quite enthusiastic in his support. Among the journals of this class is the Baltimore Sun, one of the oldest and staunchest papers in the country, and one that is duly conservative in the best sense of that term. If not as it is generally applied to National political division. The Sun, in the course of a long editorial commending the nomination of Governor Wilson, among other things says:

"It is not too much to hope that the candidacy of Mr. Wilson will result in a permanent setback for machine politics the country over. Never has a nomination been secured with so little help from political machinery. Never has a man chosen as the head of a great party in this country more signally embodied in his own person and career freedom from machine influences and hostility to those who wield them. The almost superstitious feeling which formerly prevailed that boss rule and machine politics are an inevitable part of the American system has in recent years been greatly weakened, but if the American experiment is not to end in failure we must get rid of it altogether. And the nomination and election of Woodrow Wilson will be a great step toward that consummation."

It was this phase of Governor Wilson's character that won him the favor of papers like the Sun and of the Springfield (Mass.) Republican. His work as Governor of New Jersey in the overthrow of Jim Smith was as much esteemed and of as much public value because Smith was a machine boss as it was for the reason that it took the New Jersey State government out of the control of the predatory corporations.

It is his antipathy to machines and machine methods that, among other things, entitles Governor Wilson to be called progressive. He also adheres to progressive principles, in government. He believes that popular rule must be placed on a basis that will remove the incense that has come of conditions now prevalent in trade, transportation and productive industry. It is his idea that Democracy must keep pace with the age, and guard popular rights against new dangers that changed conditions have brought about. That is true progressivism, and it may be easily distinguished from the too radical tendencies of some who call themselves progressives.

DOING WITHOUT THE BOSS.

St. Louis Republic.

It is a day of revolt against machine-made politics. The Roosevelt split in Republicanism is evidence of this. The Democratic platform and the record of the candidate who stands upon it are evidence additional. Will the American people go on and make its

emancipation from the machine complete?

The answer to this question is bound up in just one thing: the citizen's valuable stock of patience in action.

The boss triumphed in the past, not because of his great qualities, but because of certain good qualities he possessed which the good citizen lacked. The boss, lustful of money or power, was more patient than the decent citizen, desirous of the public welfare. He brought to his unholy quest a more thorough-going earnestness than animated the good citizen's effort after higher things.

The good citizen attended a primary or two, but when the third came he stayed at the office, or went out with his wife. But the boss and his cohorts were there, and they ran things as they pleased. The good citizen carried an election, choosing a reform ticket. The officials he elected disappointed his expectations. He did not labor with them. He did not try to put better men in their places. He said disgustedly that men in public life were either crooked or incapable, and followed the opposite policies.

The boss followed the opposite course. When his efforts secured the election of an official he watched him closely and saw him often. When he failed in his efforts the boss was there to speak words of counsel, comfort or reproach. But whether he comforted or rebuffed, he never allowed the man whom he had helped to office to forget the fact, to cease to be conscious of his presence and interest.

WANTS AN ARMY TO GO AND HELP WHIP KANSAS.

Topeka, Kansas, July 10.—W. M. Likins, business manager of the Clean Politics Publishing Company of Indianapolis, believes the government ought to compel the state officials to put the prohibition party ticket back on the primary ballot. He also threatens to lead a volunteer army into Kansas to compel him.

The prohibition party in the last election polled a total of 2,880 votes for its state ticket. That was less than 1 per cent of the total vote in the state—except the prohibition party was dead as far as Kansas was concerned unless steps were taken to reorganize it. Mr. Likins wrote to Charles Sessions, secretary of state about it and when he got the information he wrote another letter to the secretary of state as follows:

"I am informed that there is no way possible in Kansas for a new party to get on the official ballot. If this is true, it is certainly revolutionary. This is what I was writing about in my letter last week.

"If this is incorrect I think the general government would be justified in sending an army to Kansas and at the point of bayonet compel the officials to place the names of any new party candidates on this ballot willing to comply with the ordinary usages in other states in this respect. I do hope I am wrong in interpreting the election laws regarding this matter. Surely you people in Kansas would not think of making a law that would prevent the formation of a new party in case the two old parties' conventions or primaries should be corrupt.

"I would appreciate an early reply to this as I want to know the truth before I attend our national convention at Atlantic City. I think I would be willing to head a volunteer army and go to Kansas if I could get others to do so and risk my life in the effort to enforce justice. I mean there is such a law to prevent the organization of a new party. If it is organized within a reasonable period before the election, I would appreciate an early reply.

ALBERT BURLISON AS SENATORIAL DARK HORSE.

Austin, Texas, July 10.—Albert S. Burlison, Congressman from the Tenth District, is being frequently mentioned as a dark horse for United States Senator in case of a deadlock in the Legislature next January. While not attempting to start a boom for Mr. Burlison for United States Senator, T. W. Gregory, who returned from the Baltimore convention yesterday, gives the Travis county Congressman a large share of credit for the nomination of Woodrow Wilson.

While he will not admit that Bryan was responsible for Wilson's nomination, Mr. Gregory mentions as a potent factor the refusal of Wilson to accept Judge Parker as temporary chairman and the resentment of the delegates at Tammany's attempt to control. The steadfastness of the Texas delegates to Wilson, he says, was another strong point for the New Jersey Governor.

"At no time was there a chance for Bryan's nomination," said the Austin man. Before returning Mr. Gregory with the other Texas delegates, called on the nominee at his summer home at Seagirt, N. J.

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the opposition more than half way in every verbal contest, Gorham Tufts, the American and East Indian mystic who is on trial on the charge of having obtained more than \$100,000 from his wealthy wife under false pretenses underwent, cross examination in the superior court today.

Mrs. Tufts, the complainant, formerly was a Mrs. Roe, widow of a wealthy resident of Fort Worth. To every question bearing upon his domestic relations, Tufts replied that he still entertained a high regard for his wife and that any money he may have obtained from her to promote several commercial and financial schemes, came to him under power of attorney. He related with apparent delight the alleged fact that Mrs. Tufts arose one morning at 2 o'clock to write him a letter commending him for his thoughtfulness and devotion to her.

AMUSEMENT PARK IN NEW YORK IS BURNED.

Watertown, N. Y., July 10.—Thousand Island park was swept by a disastrous fire which wiped out practically the entire business section, the Columbian hotel, the New York education buildings and eighty-seven cottages. The loss, it is estimated, will be \$500,000. No lives were lost nor were any serious casualties reported as far as could be learned. The fire burned for more than eight hours. The blaze spread with amazing rapidity, fanned by a strong wind. Hotels and cottages of the fashionable resort were filled with summer guests, many of whom had to vacate so hurriedly that they lost practically all their belongings.

ECUADOR HEEDS WARNING OF THE UNITED STATES.

Washington, D. C., July 10.—Ecuador has heeded the recent note of the United States demanding that it pay the bill of the American-owned railway against the government. The account was for transportation of troops during the recent revolution as well as the subvention allowed by the government. The state department has been informed that the government has paid a large part of the debt and expressed a willingness to submit to arbitration certain difficulties between the government and the owners. An arbitrator is being sought. The railway runs between Quito, their capital, and Guayaquil, the only seaport.

FORMER WICHITAN INVENTS NEW KIND OF AUTO TIRE.

J. F. Long, formerly a lineman here, has just obtained a patent for what he calls the 100,000 mile automobile tire, and he is at present in Dallas for the purpose of organizing a company for the manufacture of it. The tire is said to be made of a composition which is absolutely non-puncturable, and which he claims will turn a bullet from a 45-caliber revolver.

LEGISLATIVE CANDIDATES AGREE TO JOINT DEBATE.

E. W. Napier of Electra, candidate for the legislature in the 101st legislative district, was in the city on business today and while here mailed a letter to his opponent, Patrick Henry accepting his challenge to a joint debate.

His letter to Mr. Henry follows: Electra, Texas, July 10.—Professor Patrick Henry, Wichita Falls, Texas. Dear Sir—I understand that you have taken my failure to reply to your challenge as a refusal to debate with you, and that you are now using that as campaign ammunition.

You doubtless remember that you challenged me to a series of ten debates (five in each county) and did not name any subject that you wished to discuss; you merely stated that

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WANTED—4 agents at once; male or female, for fast selling article. Also crew manager wanted. Call room 19, Palace Hotel or demonstration at Pennington's store. 50-11p

FOR RENT—ROOMS

GOOD BOARD and room, \$5 per week or straight board at 806 Tenth street, Phone 851. 50-61p

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FOR RENT—My home furnished, 710 Burnett. Phone 934. 50-31p

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WANTED—To trade for all kinds of second hand furniture or stoves. Bessey Furniture Company, 706 Indiana avenue; phone 837. 45-1tc

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MONEY TO LOAN—Plenty of money to loan on farms and Wichita Falls improved property. Easy terms. F. W. Tibbets. 17-1tc

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LOST—Between Thornberry picnic and town. "Pastor's Vest Pocket Record." Report to 1401 Lamar street, or telephone 929, and receive reward. 49-2tp

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FOR SALE—320 acres land; 200 acres in cultivation; two good houses; price \$35 an acre. Six miles northwest of Wichita Falls. M. C. Livermore, Route 4, Wichita Falls. 46-61p

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SEE The Davis Realty Company for bargains, if you want to buy a home on easy terms. We can fit you up if you have something to sell. But it with us, we will sell it for you. We handle both farm lands and city property. Call at 721 Indiana avenue or phone 1070, Davis Realty Company. 5-1tc

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FOR LEASE—The northeast one-fourth and southwest one-fourth of section ten in Electra oil field. Creed & Kimble, office 710 1/2 Ohio avenue. 50-31p

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—We have some nice lots in Floral Heights for sale and worth the money. Two nice south front lots, facing restricted district, one a corner, \$550. Good east front lot near school building on hill, \$350 terms. Nice home for sale on hill, all modern, large lot will take vacant lot part pay. J. S. Bridwell & Co., phone 661. 35-1tc

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PERSONAL MENTION

J. W. Black returned this morning from Bowie.

Mrs. S. A. Patterson of Petrelia was a visitor today.

J. J. Perkins returned this afternoon from a short trip to Dallas.

Miss Tressa Lee left this afternoon for Colorado Springs, Colo.

M. Dodson arrived here this morning from Burkburnett on business.

Cash Rainey, a real estate man of Station, Texas, was here today on business.

E. G. Brown of Marble Falls and Cas. Brown of Mason, Texas are in the city on business.

C. W. Snider with his little daughter, Helen, left this afternoon on a business trip to Quanah.

Morris Marcus left this morning for Childress, from which place he will go to Amarillo on business.

Mrs. G. D. Keith and children left this afternoon for Colorado Springs, Colo., to spend the summer.

R. G. Fitzpatrick, superintendent of the Wichita Valley railroad left this afternoon for Fort Worth.

Mrs. Sands of Seymour passed through here today en route to Electra, where she will visit friends.

Alex. Henderson, a merchant of Cooperton, Okla., is in the city visiting his brother, N. Henderson.

Mrs. Caroline Priebe is expected to return here tonight, from Galveston, where she has been visiting relatives.

F. M. Kell returned last night from a business trip to Altus, Okla. He says that crops in that locality are fine.

Mrs. A. D. Magner arrived here this afternoon from Fort Worth to visit her father, J. T. Fleming, on Tenth street.

J. T. Young and Mrs. Young left this afternoon for Lake Wichita where they will make their home for several weeks.

Mrs. J. M. Isley and little daughter left this afternoon for Chillicothe, Mo., where they will spend the summer with relatives.

Mrs. H. B. Patterson, and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, returned this morning from Archer City, where they have been visiting friends.

W. H. Bulgrin, pastor of the Bowman Evangelical Church, left this afternoon for Riverland, in Clay county, where he goes to hold church services.

Mrs. E. A. Hughes was called to Memphis, Texas, this morning in response to the news that her sister, Mrs. W. A. Womack of that city was seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Utts and little child who have been visiting relatives in Fort Worth returned yesterday, accompanied by Miss May McGeehee, a sister of Mrs. Utts.

N. R. Heath of Vernon came down in his automobile today on business. Mr. Heath was formerly engaged in the jewelry business here. He is now in the same business at Vernon.

District Judge P. A. Martin left this afternoon for Olney where he goes to introduce Judge Ramsey, who will deliver a speech in that city tomorrow. Judge Martin will return here Friday.

Miss Lucile Littlejohn returned to her home in Terrell, Texas, this afternoon after visiting J. W. Lee and family for several weeks. Miss Imogene Littlejohn, who has also been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lee, returned to her home in Fort Supply, Okla., yesterday afternoon.

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Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Order of Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Wichita. In the District Court of Wichita County, Texas. Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Wichita county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 4th day of June in favor of Wentzville Bank of Wentzville, Missouri, and against Mrs. S. E. Skeen and W. E. Skeen, do 4294 on the docket of said Court, E. L. Randolph, Sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did on the 8th day of July 1912 levy upon and seize the following described tract of land situated in the county of Wichita, and State of Texas, and belonging to Mrs. S. E. Skeen and W. E. Skeen to-wit: Lot No. 2 in block No. 200 of the original town of Wichita Falls in Wichita county, Texas, according to the Plat of the same of record in Book E, Page 264, of the Deed Records of Wichita County, Texas, and I will on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1912, it being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A. M. and 4:00 P. M. at the Court House door of said County offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the said S. E. Skeen and W. E. Skeen in and to said property.

Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 8th day of July, A. D. 1912. R. L. RANDOLPH, Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas. 50-56-62

Frank Kell returned today from Oklahoma City where he attended a hearing in the federal court relative to a crossing of the Wichita Falls and Northwester and the Orient at Altus. He went by way of Woodward and everywhere he found crop conditions in a most satisfactory shape.

District Clerk A. F. Kerr has been kept at his home since Monday by illness. He was reported better today.

Opportunity!

knicks once at every man's door says ancient adage, but we have never noted in historical record where he wore out a kit of burglar's tools trying to break in and thrust greatness on unworthy or indifferent shoulders. It seems that he is about to loosen the hinges on the front door of our municipal bondoll. He has handed us everything from a license to live in the best town on earth, to a right to guess at who the next president will be. We out held bleeding Kansas with a glass factory in the pot, we took an automobile factory away from the whole world. The Wichita Southern will bet you \$10,000 Dollars against three hundred thirty-five a year that you live forever and we expect to film from New England out of a gotten mill before the poets get busy with Autumn spasms. Shake the ground and let's get happy and get you need anything phone us; we carry nearly everything but lumber.

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No one likes to use poor brushes. They are annoying and do not give good service and are really expensive because they do not last. The brushes we sell are durable, from the inexpensive tooth brush to the imported military hair brushes and are made to suit your individual requirements.

Our first consideration in selling you a brush is to give you the most service for your money. This is more important to us than the profit we make and more important to you than the price you pay.

The Rexall Drug Store

702 Indiana Avenue. FOOSSHEE & LYNCH, Prop's. Wichita Falls, Texas.

OIL-NEWS.

SAYS BURKBURNETT WELL IS AN UNKNOWN QUANTITY.

Oil City Derrick.

The well of the Corsicana Petroleum Co. on the Schomker lands, west and south of Burkburnett Station, 18 miles west of Petrolia and about the same distance east of Electra, is still the center of excitement in this part of the world, and oil men are hustling for leases from early morning till late at night, paying from \$5 to \$50 per acre bonus, according to the proximity to the well. The well was bailed down Sunday and shut down and all was quiet till about 4 o'clock on Monday morning, when it started spraying oil and kept it up for 30 minutes, spraying enough to stain a strip of ground of about the size that is stained by the shot from a small well. The well was open all day Monday without making any further demonstration till about 9 o'clock in the evening when it made another disturbance for a few minutes and then settled down for the night. The first time the well sprayed or flowed, it was open and the oil went up through the 6-inch casing and out

in the air. The next time, that is, last night, it was connected with the tanks by a flow line, but for some unexplainable reason no oil went into the tank. It was dark at the time, so it was difficult to ascertain the exact condition of matters, but it was thought that the casing had settled and parted or broken the packer for the reason that the oil came up around or between the 6-inch and 10-inch casings and ran out into the slush-pit, while none went through the flow line to the tank.

The boiler was moved back yesterday and everything put in readiness to start balling this morning, but up to noon no word had come from it. The size of the well is variously estimated, but as it has not got far enough along for the real test by the gauge job, it's anybody's guess, and therefore it is liable to disappoint those who are expecting too much from it, as it may be only a "freak." The oil is not like that found at Electra, being very black, while the Electra is dark green. Elmer H. Davidson, formerly of Spencer, W. Va., who has been in the Petrolia field for several years, has charge of the well and is of the opinion that it will be a good one.

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well at Dean Station announces that the well will be completed at once. A contract for the completion of the well will probably be made this afternoon.

Old Well Becomes Guaher. Shreveport, La., July 10.—How an old oil well, which had been drilled approximately 2,500 feet, played a trick on its owners is told by Joseph F. Gume, Caddo operator upon return from Oil City. The old well is on the William Rudersdorf place, about a quarter of a mile from the home of Charles Davis, and has been on the pumps, giving up only about 100 barrels of oil daily. The other day the well burst, its casing on the east side about the 1,400 foot level and suddenly began gushing oil at the rate of about 1,500 barrels per day. The sight of this old well blossoming into a big producer is described as extraordinary.

SPRING WHEAT BETTER CONDITION THAN IN 1811

Increase in Corn Acreage Reported. Government Board Makes July Estimates.

Washington, D. C., July 10.—The July crop report of the department of agriculture, issued by the crop-reporting board of the bureau of statistics, gives the condition on July 1, acreage of various crops not already announced, the indicated yield per acre and the total production of the country's principal crops, as follows: Winter wheat: Condition 73.3 per cent of normal, compared with 78.8 per cent on July 1 last year and 80.2 per cent, the average normal condition for the past ten years on July 1. Indicated yield per acre, 13.9 bushels, compared with 14.8 bushels last year and 15.5 bushels, the average for the past five years. Estimated total production, 358,000,000 bushels, compared with 430,656,000 bushels last year, 434,142,000 bushels in 1910 and 418,000,000 in 1909 as returned by the census bureau.

Spring wheat: Condition, 89.3 per cent of a normal, compared with 73.8 per cent on July 1 last year, and 85.6 per cent, the average normal condition for the past ten years on July 1. Indicated yield per acre, 14.1 bushels, compared with 9.4 bushels last year and 13.4 bushels, the average for the past five years. Estimated total production, 271,000,000 bushels, compared with 190,682,000 bushels last year, 200,379,000 bushels in 1910, and 265,000,000 bushels in 1909 as returned by the census bureau.

Wheat remaining on farms: The amount of wheat remaining on farms July 1 is estimated at about 258,760,000 bushels, as compared with 34,071,900 on July 1 last year, and 35,929,000 bushels on July 1 1910.

Corn: The area planted to corn this year is estimated at 108,110,000 acres, compared with 105,825,000 acres last year and 104,035,000 acres in 1910. Condition 86.1 per cent on July 1 last year, and 84.6 per cent, the ten year average condition on July 1.

Oats: Condition, 89.2 per cent of a normal, compared with 68.8 per cent on July 1 last year, and 84.8 per cent, the average normal condition on July for the past ten years. Indicated

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yield per acre, 30.1 bushels, compared with 24.4 bushels last year and 28.4 bushels, the average for the past five years. Estimated total production, 1,139,000,000 bushels, compared with 922,298,000 bushels last year and 1,186,341 bushels in 1910. A Good Suggestion. Following the Fourth of July celebration by organized labor which was so well received, the labor organizations have decided to make a holiday on Sept. 2nd, Labor Day, that will surpass anything of its kind ever attempted in Wichita Falls. A committee will be appointed on program that has shown its ability to entertain and it promises to be one never to be forgotten. The suggestions in embryo would lead one to believe that the old time pageant had been resurrected from its dust covered tombs of ages past and that Wichita Falls will on Sept. 2nd burst forth in a blaze of glory suggestive of the days of the Roman Empire when conqueror laden with the spoils of vanquished Empires marched through the streets of the imperial city. This program should include horse races, ball games, potato races (on horseback), sack races, three-legged races, roping contests ride and turn contests running races, men, boys and girls and music and dancing both afternoon and evening. The well known advantages of boating and fishing on beautiful Lake Wichita the finest inland resort in the State, will combine to make the day one worthy to be written in the history of Texas as the greatest tribute to be paid to labor's progressiveness. Everybody get together and make it go as only Wichita Falls can. The spirit of the busiest and best built city in Texas must be carried out. A SUBSCRIBER. "The Crusaders" at Airdome tonight. The hopeful man is the magician of the day.—Florida Times-Union.

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