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PERKINS ALWAYS THE GOOD FAIRY

WHEN PROGRESSIVE COFFERS WERE EMPTY HARVESTER TRUST MAGNATE ALWAYS CAME TO RESCUE

STORMY SESSION IS HELD

Dixon Charges Campaign Investigating Committee With Bias—Clapp Vigorously Resents Charge

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Oct. 2.—Senator Joseph M. Dixon, Colonel Roosevelt's political manager, had a stormy session today with the Clapp committee investigating campaign expenditures, and testified he had spent \$96,000 in the Progressive primary campaign, which was not included in the figures presented yesterday by Progressive Treasurer E. H. Hooker.

Senator Dixon renewed his charge that the investigation was being directed at Col. Roosevelt more than at any other candidate and challenged the committee to call Charles P. Taft, Thomas F. Ryan and other men he named, who, he said, he had been informed had made very heavy expenditures for either President Taft, Gov. Wilson or Gov. Harmon.

Senator Dixon said he had kept no accurate record of his expenditures. He said \$25,000 had come from George W. Perkins, \$25,000 from Frank A. Munsey and \$25,000 from Dan R. Hanna and that "whenever we got desperately hard up, I went back to Perkins."

SOIL SURVEY BY THE GOVERNMENT

Purpose Will be to Determine What Elements are Lacking in Soil in This Section

A soil survey of Wichita county will be made within the next year by the federal Department of Agriculture, if plans recently formulated are carried out. The department has indicated its willingness to assist in this work and will have the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce.

The soil survey is primarily intended to determine what elements are lacking in the soil of this section, what crops can, and what crops cannot, be successfully grown. The survey will be made with particular reference to the alfalfa-growing possibilities of Wichita county. This crop has never been successfully raised to any extent in Wichita county, and one purpose of the survey is to determine what nature of fertilizer is required to make alfalfa raising possible.

An electrical method for recovering tin from scrap metal economically has been perfected by a Paris engineer.

Condition of Cotton Crop Above Ten Year Average

Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Oct. 2.—The condition of the growing cotton crop in the United States on Sept. 25 was 74.8 per cent of normal, as estimated by the crop reporting board of the Department of Agriculture's bureau of statistics in its last cotton condition report of the season issued at noon today and reckoned from the reports of correspondents and agents of the government located throughout the cotton belt. This compares with a condition of 74.8 per cent of a normal crop on Aug. 25; 71.1 per cent on Sept. 25, last year; 65.9 per cent on Sept. 25, 1910 and 67.5 per cent on the average normal condition for the past ten years on Sept. 25.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS IN LIGHTING CONNECTIONS

Betterments Already Planned Will Keep Company Busy For Several Months

A general rebuilding of the lighting connections of the water and light company is to be undertaken soon by the new concern which recently took charge of the properties here and improvements of a very extensive nature are to be made. It is understood that the betterments already planned by the company will keep it busy for a number of months, as the water service is to receive attention when the lighting improvements have been finished.

One additional downtown circuit is to be constructed, making three in all, and a change in the circuits by which the factories are supplied is also planned. The most extensive improvement, however, is that to be made in the residence section, which will amount practically to a rebuilding of the system. New poles and other new equipment will be installed insuring much better service.

The lighting improvements will be followed by the laying of larger water mains and by the extension of the service to new parts of the city. F. N. Lawton, the new superintendent of the plant, has assumed his duties.

OUR GOVERNMENT NOW COMMISSION FORM

Aldermen Elected From City at Large And Have Practically Same Duties as Commissioners

Wichitans who have been wondering if the new charter would provide a commission form of government for Wichita Falls may be surprised to learn that Wichita Falls' present form of government is as much the commission form as in other cities where the governing body is known as the commission.

The information now being received by The Times from other cities in the State shows that in those smaller communities where there is a "commission" the commissioners are paid normal salaries and are not expected to give their full time to the work. In the larger cities of the State, the commissioners are paid from \$1,000 to \$2,500 annually and are expected to give practically all of their time to the city's business.

While the members of Wichita Falls' governing body are known as aldermen, they are elected from the city at large and are paid nominal salaries. Their duties are exactly similar to those of the "commissioners" elected in other towns, and they are elected in the same manner. Unless the new charter should provide for a commission similar to those of Houston, Dallas, Austin and the other large cities, where the commissioners give their full time to their municipal duties, Wichita Falls might simply change her "city council" to "city commission" without changing the present procedure in any way. It is interesting to discover, incidentally, that Wichita Falls already has the commission form.

SOUTH TEXAS COTTON PICKERS AT WACO

By Associated Press.
Waco, Texas, Oct. 2.—Cotton pickers are pouring into Waco from South Texas relieving the demand somewhat though it is still heavy. Many fields in South Texas have been picked over. Farmers are paying 75 cents a hundred in many places.

ONE KILLED IN COLLISION OF TWO SANTA FE FREIGHTS

By Associated Press.
Lampasas, Texas, Oct. 2.—A head-on collision of two freight trains four miles east of here on the Santa Fe last night about ten o'clock resulted in the death of one man and the injury of several others. The dead man is Henry Evers of Fredericksburg. He died and injured were brought here early this morning. The eastbound train was loaded with sheep and hogs and many of them were killed.

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RACE COURSE IN BAD CONDITION IS STILL UNCONSCIOUS

DRIVERS IN VANDERBILT CUP RACE SHOW HOSTILITY TOWARD COURSE WHICH IS DECLARED DANGEROUS

MECHANIC WHO WAS WITH DAVID BRUCE-BROWN WHEN LATTER WAS KILLED SERIOUSLY HURT

By Associated Press.
Milwaukee, Oct. 2.—Tony Scudaler, a mechanic, who was hurt in the accident on the Vanderbilt cup course yesterday which resulted in the death of David Bruce Brown, is reported still unconscious. Physicians say the mechanic will not regain consciousness for the thirty-six hours but are hopeful for his recovery.

Eight daring automobile drivers with their mechanics and cars lined up on the Wauwacotta road race course today for the start at 11 o'clock of the right to the Vanderbilt cup race. They were scheduled to race about 296 miles or thirty times around the course, for fame, a rich trophy and \$500 in cash prizes.

The killing of David Bruce Brown during yesterday's speed trial had renewed hostility toward the course exhibited ten days ago when the program was postponed. Several of the drivers insisted that the track was too narrow, the road bed not sufficiently "matured" and that it held unexpected soft spots. Pit attendants and team managers particularly were inclined to comment adversely.

VENEZUELAN BECOMES A CITIZEN OF WICHITA FALLS

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CANVASS WILL SOON START FOR DALLAS TRIP

By Associated Press.
Racoon, Wyo., Oct. 2.—After Teddy Tetzlaff, in a Fiat, had led for two hundred miles or two-thirds of the distance of the Vanderbilt cup race, he was forced to quit at two o'clock. He was leading De Palma, Hughes and Wishart in the order named, by six minutes. He had driven the distance with two stops, at an average of seventy-two miles an hour.

Tetzlaff was forced out of the contest because his engine burned out. De Palma took the lead, pressed by Hughes.

BUYERS AND SELLERS OF ALL KINDS OF LIVE STOCK WILL MEET HERE—MERCHANTS ARE INTERESTED

By Associated Press.
Farmers who have stock hogs for sale will do well to bring them here next Monday, which is the October First Monday Live Stock Sales Day. A number of inquiries have been received asking about stock hogs and it is expected that several buyers will be here looking for that kind of stock.

Secretary Forester of the Chamber of Commerce has also received several letters from farmers and ranchmen living southwest of here asking if they would be able to buy corn and other feed stuff here and while it is probable there will be a market for any feed stuff brought in feed products will not be advertised as a part of the sale for next Monday.

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Standard Oil, J. P. Morgan, H. C. Frick and George Gould Donated \$100,000. Corporations Contribute 73 1-2 Per cent of all Money Raised for Republican Campaign

By Associated Press—

Washington, D. C.—Geo. R. Sheldon, former treasurer of the Republican national committee, testified before the sub-committee today that in 1908 the Standard Oil Company contributed \$100,000.00, J. P. Morgan & Company \$100,000.00, H. C. Frick \$100,000.00 and George J. Gould \$100,000.00.

Mr. Sheldon said he had no personal knowledge of these contribution but that the late Cornelius N. Bliss, then treasurer, had shown him his report.

"When I took charge of the treasurership in 1908, Mr. Bliss handed me a list of the large contributions of 1904."

"What percentage was contributed by corporations?"

"To be frank, seventy-three and a half per cent."

"Was any contribution made by the Standard Oil Company?"

"Yes, sir."

"How much?"

"One hundred thousand dollars."

Mr. Sheldon said the Standard Oil contribution was not made on the list as coming from the oil company, but it was charged to John D. Archbold.

SUB-COMMITTEE OF CHARTER COMMITTEE

Rapid Progress Being Made With Draft of Charter and Report is Expected Friday

A sub-committee of the new charter committee is now hard at work on the document and will probably be ready to report to the whole committee by Friday. Rapid progress is being made and the committee is hard at work. The sub-committee consists of three attorneys, R. E. Huff, A. H. Britain and Ferd W. Household.

8000 HEAD OF CATTLE LOADING AT FULDA

Three Hundred and Twenty Cars Will be Required to Handle Shipment—Sold by W. T. Waggoner

One of the largest cattle shipments made in this section in a number of years is now being made from Fulda Station, on the Wichita Valley, where eight thousand head of cattle are being loaded for Fort Worth. About 320 cars will be required to handle the shipment.

These cattle, mostly three and four year olds, were purchased from W. T. Waggoner last summer by Charles M. McFarlane of Weatherford, Texas. Mr. McFarlane is now in the city to look after the shipping of his purchases and is stopping at the Westland. The cattle are being sent to feeding pens at Fort Worth.

SELECTING JURY FOR TRIAL OF "DYNAMITERS"

Relations of Prospective Jurors With Labor Unions Declared Competent for Questions by Trial Judge

By Associated Press.
Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 2.—Questions whether they feared for their personal safety if they served as jurors were asked veniremen today in the selection of a jury for the trial of the accused "dynamite" plotters. One man was excused by Judge A. B. Anderson as a "coward" because he said he feared serving would ruin his business.

FIFTEEN MINUTE SERVICE TO THE AUTO FACTORY

Cars to the Lake Will be Run on the Even Hours From 6 a. m. Until 7 p. m.

Fifteen minute service between the city and the auto factory station from 6 a. m. until 7 p. m., has been inaugurated by the Traction Company. The new schedule went into effect yesterday. Cars will be run to the lake on the even hours commencing at 6 a. m., and continuing until 7 p. m. Connection with the lake car will be made at the auto factory station.

EMPLOYEES OF NEVADA CONSOLIDATED MINING STRIKE

Ely, Nev., Oct. 2.—The 3500 employees of the Nevada Consolidated Mining Company of Ely, struck today. The strikers demand an increase of wages and other concessions.

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City Cafe

725 Ohio

Texas Ginnings Exceed All Records For The Season

By Associated Press Washington, D. C., Oct. 2.—The second cotton ginning report of the Census Bureau, issued at 10 a. m. today, announced that 3,015,033 bales of cotton of the growth of 1912 had been ginned prior to September 25, counting round as half bales.

Included in the total ginnings were 19,450 round bales, compared with 37,918 round bales ginned to Sept. 25 last year; 38,028 round bales in 1910 and 48,070 round bales in 1909.

Ginnings prior to September 25, by States, with comparisons for last year and other big crop years, with the percentage of the entire crop ginned to that date in previous years, follow:

Table with columns for State, Year, Ginning, and Percent. Lists data for Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, and South Carolina.

Table with columns for State, Year, and Ginning. Lists data for Tennessee and Texas.

The ginning of Sea Island cotton prior to September 25, by States, follow:

Small table with columns for Year, Fla., Ga., and S. C.

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"By George, I never saw anything like the effects of that new treatment, Bloodline, for the building up of weight and lost nerve force. It acted more like a miracle than a medicine," said a well known gentleman yesterday in speaking of the revolution, that had taken place in his condition.

Human Life as a Natural Asset

By Associated Press. Indianapolis, Oct. 2.—E. E. Rittenhouse of New York, speaking before the National Conservation Congress today on the subject of "Human Life As a National Asset," declared that the conservation of human life should be the paramount issue of the American people.

Mr. Rittenhouse said in part: "The first item in humanity's bill of rights is the right to live. To protect human life from needless destruction is the primary purpose of organized society.

"We are not only reducing the fertility of our race and also shortening the span of life, but we are permitting, at least 650,000 American lives to be destroyed annually which we could save by the application of simple and well known sanitary and other precautions.

"This is our real race suicide problem.

"We have made progress in preventing life waste but it has been confined almost wholly to contagious or infectious diseases. At the same time, the death rate from the degenerative diseases of middle life and old age against which we have waged no war, has steadily increased.

"We are still burning the candle furiously at both ends—faster at one end and faster at the other. We may felicitate ourselves upon all of our past achievements, and at the same time recognize the excessive life waste that is still going on, and also recognize that evidences are multiplying of race deterioration, and our growing contempt for the value and sacredness of human life.

"These conditions will not be arrested automatically. The problem will not solve itself. The people alone can check this continuing waste of national efficiency and vitality. Greater efforts must be made to improve them with the facts and to arouse them to more effective action.

"The economic loss is stupendous but it is insignificant compared to the misery, suffering, poverty, immorality and crime which result from the needless sickness and premature death from which the nation is now suffering.

"The public health service, local or national, must lead in this life-saving work.

"It is the primary function of the government to protect the lives of the people from needless destruction; but it takes money to educate the public to run health departments.

"In the last analysis, the war against preventable disease is a struggle between the dollar and the death rate.

"Most of our communities prefer a high death rate to the slight increase in the tax rate.

"There isn't an adequately financed health department in the country.

"Many towns have none at all, some of them are small cities.

"Others have health boards without funds. Others a mere perfunctory health service.

"Some have advanced; many are efficient, but there isn't a city in the Union where the health ordinances are properly enforced, chiefly because of lack of funds.

"In neglecting our public health service our people are trifling with a most solemn duty.

"Everyone should rally to the support of the health service and join in the educational campaign for prevention.

"The National Conservation Congress is especially adapted to lead in this educational work.

"Human life is our paramount asset. Its conservation should be your paramount issue."

Irving Fisher, professor of political economy at Yale University today, told the delegates that the newspapers, the insurance companies and the federal government were the three great agencies to which the people of the country must look for the saving of human life.

"As a first step in the great work of human conservation, Prof. Fisher urged the establishment of an adequate system of collecting and distributing vital statistics similar to the system in use in Sweden.

"Prof. Fisher said in part: "Probably the greatest hygienic achievement of any country thus far is that of Sweden, where the duration of life is the longest, the mortality the least and the improvements the most general. There alone can it be said that the chances of life have been improved for all ages of life.

"Infancy, middle age and old age today show a lower mortality in Sweden than in times past, while in other countries, including the United States, although we can boast of some reduction in infant mortality, the mortality after middle age is growing worse and the innate vitality of the people is, in all probability, deteriorating.

"In the United States public health has been regarded almost exclusively as a matter of protection against germs; but protection against germs while effective in defending us from plague and other epidemics of acute diseases, is almost powerless, to prevent the chronic diseases of middle and late life.

"These maladies—Bright's disease, heart disease, nervous breakdowns—are due primarily to unhygienic personal habits.

"Medical inspection and instruction in schools, as well as Swedish gymnastics have aided greatly in the muscular development of the citizens of Sweden. Swedish hard bread has preserved their teeth. The Gothenburg system is gradually weaning them

from alcohol. There has even been a strong movement against the use of tobacco.

"There are three great agencies to which we must look for the saving of human life in the future and it has been the object of the Committee of One Hundred on National Health, of which I am president, to help stir these three agencies into activity in this country. They are the public press, the insurance companies and the government.

"A few years ago popular articles caused the public and the press thought a public health was seldom seen because of disease, uninteresting and repulsive. Today on the other hand one can scarcely pick up a popular magazine without finding, not only one but several, articles dealing with questions of public health.

"Life insurance companies can save money by preventing deaths just as fire insurance companies have saved money by preventing fires and steam boiler insurance companies have saved money by preventing explosions.

"We need a national department of health or a department of labor which shall include in its operations the conservation of human life.

"We need first of all to do what Sweden has done for a hundred and fifty years—namely, to establish proper vital statistics.

"Vital statistics are the book-keeping of health. At present only a little over half of the population of the United States has statistics on its health.

"Four years ago as a member of President Roosevelt's Conservation Commission, I endeavored to report on the condition of our national vitality.

"I found that out of some 1,500,000 deaths annually in the United States, at least 630,000 are preventable. Of these preventable deaths, the greater number are from seven causes. These even causes include three great diseases of infancy, typhoid fever, which usually makes its attack in the twenties, and tuberculosis, accidents in industry and pneumonia which come in the thirties.

"Now 630,000 unnecessary deaths per year means over 1,700 unnecessary deaths per day or more than the lives lost in the Titanic disaster.

"The popular imagination was deeply stirred by the image of 1600 helpless human lives suddenly engulfed in mid-ocean. It led to immediate official action on both sides of the Atlantic to safeguard human life at sea. Yet on land we lost three hundred and sixty-five times as many lives as this every year.

"One of the most encouraging symptoms of progress is the great attention which is being paid to public health in the present political campaign. All three of the party platforms included planks in behalf of public health."

At the Southwestern University, Georgetown, Texas, Oct. 2.—Southwestern University, the greatest institution of learning in Southern Methodism, opened its fortieth annual session last week. In the student body of the university, which is 25 per cent larger than last year almost every section of Texas is represented, as well as other portions of the United States. In addition there are several students from Cuba, sent here by Methodist foreign missionaries.

According to figures compiled this week in the business office of the university, upwards of 600 students have matriculated. Figuring on the basis of the average annual increase heretofore, the total matriculation by next June probably will be about 775, against an aggregate of 450 for the 1911-12 term. The present term of 1912-13 undoubtedly will be a banner one in the history of Southwestern.

Dr. Charles McTearle Bishop is president of the university.

The foot ball team, the majority of the members of which come from the smaller towns of the state, has a most optimistic outlook. The team is getting down to heavy work an day expected to make a record this year. Coaches J. H. McGinnis and James C. Spilpee have expressed the opinion that work on the farm has done much for the youths who this year will defend the gridiron honors of Southwestern. Some of the best "material" the coaches say, comes to Southwestern University from the numerous farms of Texas.

SPECIALS

Wednesday and Thursday

We place on sale for two days, Wednesday and Thursday, the following few specials that it would pay you to investigate. Each offering is of worthy quality and extraordinary value. Watch for specials and take advantage of the economy opportunity that they afford.....

29c For Hose Worth Up to 50c One special lot of ladies' hose in plain black and black with white feet, reinforced heel and toe. Regular 35c, 40c and 50c qualities for the pair 29c

19c For Ladies' Hose Worth 25c One special lot of 30 dozen ladies' fine gauge black hose with double heel and toe. Made of the fine Maco cotton yarn, good 25c values, special a pair 19c

10c Children's Hose Worth up to 25c One lot of children's hose in all the sizes, fine ribbed, the colors are pink and blue. We have too many of these and will sacrifice the values 25c for the pair 10c

10c For Ribbons Worth Up to 18c One special lot of all silk taffeta ribbons in widths 30, 60, 80, all the popular colors light and dark, good values at 12 1/2c, 15c and 18c a yard, special price—the yard 10c

25c Fancy Ribbons Worth Up to 38c More than 100 pieces of all silk taffeta ribbons 6 inches wide in fancy plaids, checks, stripes and Persian effects. Rich and beautiful colorings special per yard 25c

\$1.19 For Bed Spreads Worth \$1.75 One lot of white crochet bed spreads in pretty floral designs—large 11-4 size. They are slightly soiled, but note the reduction. \$1.50 and \$1.75 qualities for \$1.19

\$1.98 For Bed Spreads Worth \$2.50 One special lot of white bed spreads in beautiful Marseilles patterns. They are 11-4 size, extra good quality at \$2.50 each, special at only \$1.98

17 1/2c For Bath Towels Worth 25c One lot of unbleached Turkish bath towels, extra large size 24x50 inches, an economy opportunity to replenish your supply. Best 25c values each 19 1/2c

12 1/2c For Huck Towels Worth 18c Only about 10 dozen in this lot of heavy closely woven finish huck towels, size 18x33. Not large but the quality is there. Best 18c values for each 12 1/2c

25c For Flouncings Worth 38c 20 pieces of 27 inch embroidery flouncing in many beautiful patterns and good material. Excellent 38c values, selling price at a yard 25c

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BATHS You Don't Have to Wait Five New Bath Rooms at Lawler's Barber Shop

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THE NEW COMPANY For Cheap Fuel, Good Service and Courteous Treatment

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BROWN'S Mr. Brown is an enterprising manufacturer in a metropolitan Texas city having charge of some up to now bake ovens owned by his

LIVER BUTTONS FROM HOT SPRINGS Really Marvellous Remedy For Constipation, Biliousness and Sick Headache.

THE WORLD MOVES so does Sam P. Sproles' construction works move buildings either frame, brick or stone.

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EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT Glasses Fitted. We know how DR. J. W. DUVAL

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The Texas Penitentiary System

This is the first of a series of articles on the Texas Penitentiaries and prison farms, the laws governing same, treatment of prisoners, business management of the system, suggested improvements, etc.

By Will H. Mayes

The greatest impediment to the progress of any government is the ignorance of the people. They may be ever so learned in other things, but if they lack information about the things pertaining to government their country must suffer from that ignorance. It is every citizen's duty to inform himself, as well as opportunity is afforded, in the affairs of the state and nation in which he lives. Could that idealistic condition be brought about where every citizen knows every law, knows how the laws are administered, knows how the business affairs of his country are conducted, the government of that country could soon become all that could be desired.

The purpose of this series of articles is to acquaint the people of Texas with the laws pertaining to the management of its penitentiaries, with the method of handling convicts, with the financial affairs of the system, and with the difficulties that are in the way; and possibly some suggestions may be made as to improving the physical and financial conditions of the system. These articles are written after a week spent with the Governor of the State and others on a personal inspection of the penitentiaries and state farms. I am frank to admit that before seeing the system for myself, though I had heard much and read more, I was perhaps as ignorant about penitentiary affairs as the average citizen. I shall endeavor faithfully to give such of you as care to read what I shall write what I have recently seen and learned, and I believe that if you will follow the articles closely you will profit somewhat by them, and be somewhat better informed citizens.

It is the policy of the state, clearly defined in the law which took effect in January of last year, in the operation of its prison system; to so manage and conduct the same that those convicted of violating the law and sentenced to a term in the penitentiary, shall have humane treatment and shall be given opportunity, encouragement and training in the matter of reformation. Briefly stated, the purpose of the state is three fold; to punish the prisoner for his wrong doing, to place him where he can not injure society, and to reform him. The idea once prevailed with prison managements, and it existed in this state until in recent years, that the sole purpose of the state was to confine and punish the prisoner, and reformation was largely lost sight of. There arose a class of reformers, who, in their feeling of outrage at the mistreatment of prisoners, lost sight of the demand for the punishment of convicts, and regarded imprisonment as merely an opportunity to educate and improve them. Those who believed in making prison life as severe a punishment as it was possible to inflict upon erring persons appeared to lose sight of the humane side of life, while the prison reformers went too far the other way and wanted to treat prisons as industrial colleges that would not only board and instruct a prisoner for nothing, but would give all his earnings to him or his family. It hasn't been a month since I noticed the suggestion that all prisoners should be paid wages commensurate with the salaries they could earn outside the prison walls and that these wages should be sent to their families. Such treatment would tend to make the state the guardian of every man without a job or too trifling to support his family.

But the Texas laws step in and effects a compromise that insures pun-

ishment of the prisoner, and helps him, if so inclined, to make a better citizen and a better wage earner when once he is freed. Humane treatment, training, reformation and sound business judgment are the combination that the State of Texas is now endeavoring to properly adjust. To understand how these are to be brought about, it is necessary to know something of the laws pertaining to penitentiaries.

The management of the prison system of the state is vested in a prison commission, composed of three men appointed by the Governor, their terms expiring in eight, sixteen and twenty-four months, respectively. A constitutional amendment is now before the people, and is to be voted on at the November election, "making their terms of office two, four and six years, and making them either elective or appointive, as the legislature may decide. These commissioners are paid \$300.00 each per month and all reasonable and necessary traveling expenses actually incurred when traveling on business for the prison system. They are also furnished houses in which to live, rent free and must reside in Huntsville. Let me say right here that the salary is a very reasonable one, considering the necessary qualifications, the business acumen, needed, the responsibilities and the duties. It is necessary in order to get able men.

One member of this commission is chairman; one has direct supervision of the finances of the system, one supervises the feeding, clothing, care and treatment of the prisoners and one supervises the work of all the officers and employees of the prison system and has supervision of the paroles. The individual work of each is, however, under the personal supervision and direction of the entire board, to which he must make regular reports. Each member must devote his entire time to the discharge of the duties of his office, not engaging in any other business, and under penalty not being allowed directly or indirectly, to be connected with or interested in any contract, sale or purchase of any property or thing which may be made during his term of office and in which either the state or the prison system is interested.

The commission has the authority to purchase or lease with the funds at its disposal lands, buildings, machinery, tools and supplies for the benefit of the system, and may establish factories or do whatever else is in its judgement best for the welfare of the state and the prisons, land purchases being made with the approval of the Governor of the State.

It is the policy of the present law to work all prisoners within the prison walls and upon farms owned by the state, and it is made the duty of the prison commission to acquire sufficient land not later than January 1, 1914, or sooner if practicable to enable all prisoners hired out or employed by the state to be employed directly on farms belonging to the prison system. The state has heretofore operated several share farms with prison labor and has hired out many of its convicts to farmers and railroads, this leading to abuses that will be pointed out in future articles.

The prison commission has authority to issue such orders and prescribe such rules and regulations, not inconsistent with the law, as it may deem proper, with a view to carrying out the general policies of the state, furnishing all officers, employees and guards with copies of the laws, rules and regulations; and requiring

examination from time to time as to their knowledge of the prison laws and rules.

It is made the duty of some member, or members of the commission to spend at least one whole day each month, without notice, at each prison, camp or farm where prisoners are kept or worked and to carefully inspect the same with reference to the food, clothing and general treatment of the prisoners, the general sanitary conditions existing at each place, reporting upon the conditions, the efforts at reformation, the general conduct of all officers and employees, and the punishment administered for prison discipline, making report to the full board.

A full inventory of the lands, machinery, tools, buildings, live stock, and all property of every description belonging to the system, the book value and actual value placed opposite each item, so as to afford an easy comparison with former years, must be made annually on the first of January.

A separate account is required to be kept with each industry and farm, and for the system as a whole, showing the profits, losses and net earnings of each industry and farm, and an annual report must be made to the Governor, which the Governor is required to have printed in sufficient numbers to give general publicity to such report.

An auditor is appointed by the Comptroller, the Attorney General and the State Treasurer, holding office for a year at a time. It is his duty to audit all accounts, vouchers, pay rolls and all other business transactions and to check all property, materials and supplies received and disposed of by or through the prison system, and he is required to make a full report to the Governor on the first of January of each year. The auditor is paid a salary of \$200.00 a month and necessary traveling expenses.

The prison commission is authorized to fix the salaries of all officers and employees of the system except where they are fixed by law, upon such basis as the labor and ability of each entitles him to receive, the guards being paid \$35.00 a month and board and lodging free, which may be increased to an amount not exceeding \$40.00 a month for meritorious service.

Guards must be 21 years of age, of good moral character, able to read and write, have a fair knowledge of the English language and such other qualifications as the commission may prescribe. No person may be employed as a guard who is addicted to the use of alcoholic or intoxicating liquors and all must familiarize themselves with prison rules and regulations and subscribe to the oath of office prescribed by the constitution.

Officers and employees of the prison system who convert to their own use any food, clothing or other property belonging to, or under the control of, the prison system, are punishable for theft. Any officer, agent or employee who in any way becomes financially interested in any contract for the purchase of supplies or property for the prison system or who shall knowingly and fraudulently sell or dispose of any property belonging to the prison system below its market value is guilty of a felony and may be sentenced to the penitentiary not less than two nor more than five years.

The next article in this series will treat of the rights, privileges and duties of convicts, and the laws to insure them humane treatment.

Saved By His Wife.

She's a wise woman who knows just what to do when her husband's life is in danger, but Mrs. R. J. Flint, Braintree, Vt., is of that kind. "She insisted on my using Dr. King's-New-Discovery," writes Mr. Flint, "for a dreadful cough, when I was so weak my friends all thought I had only a short time to live, and it completely cured me." A quick cure for coughs and colds, it's the most safe and reliable medicine for many throat and lung troubles—grip, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, tonsillitis, hemorrhages. A trial will convince you. 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed by all druggists.

Iowa Park Items.

Iowa Park, Oct. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Winfrey will return to their home at Houston tomorrow. They will be accompanied home by Mr. Winfrey's sister, Miss Carrie, who will spend the winter with them.
Mrs. Ralph Hines and mother, Mrs. Feathers, came up Sunday to visit relatives.
Scott Ralston left yesterday for Wichita Falls, where he will work.
Mrs. H. H. Love of Victor, Colo., spent Sunday with Mrs. M. A. Love.
Miss Beth Lowrance and Miss Eunice Birk left last week for Milford, where they will enter college.
Frank and Robert Lochridge left last week for the A. & M. College at Bryan.
Miss Lillie Sisk went out to Denny Sunday afternoon to begin her school on Monday morning.
Mrs. A. R. Fitzgerald and children returned home last week after several months visit with relatives at Ennis and other points.

Saves Leg Of Boy.

"It seemed that my 14 year old boy would have to lose his leg, on account of an ugly ulcer, caused by a bad bruise," wrote D. F. Howard, Aquone, N. C. "All remedies and doctors' treatment failed till we tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and cured him with one box." Cures burns, boils and piles. 25 cents at all druggists.

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If being optimistic will count in winning elections, the Bull Mooseers have the race won. They lay claim to everything except possibly a few states like Texas, and place them in the doubtful column.

The impression has gotten abroad, in some way, that the invitation to hold the Sneed trial in Wichita Falls, emanated from the Chamber of Commerce. It was the Young Men's Progressive League that extended the invitation and whatever credit is given for the idea should go to the younger organization.

The editor who wrote that he often received in his daily mail letters containing a V comprising the paper on the splendid write-up of a wedding, social function, obituary, or other matters, causes the Hamilton Herald to give his experience along that line, as follows:

We have received letters after printing such, but they were something to this effect: "Enclosed find 4 cents for which send me four copies of your paper containing write-up of my daughter's wedding. You certainly made a great mistake in the fourth column when you said the wedding dress was of pink chiffon. It wasn't chiffon at all, it was tulle. Please make the correction in your next paper."

Labor is so scarce in Grayson county that the business men of Sherman have decided to sneek their coats and go out into the fields and pick cotton. It is that way in many counties. Right here in Wichita there are fields of cotton that have not yet been touched though farmers are offering to pay \$1 per hundred to have the cotton picked. As to whether this condition is entirely due to the scarcity of labor, the Times is not quite ready to believe from the fact that there are right here in this city several seemingly very able bodied men who ornament the curbstone day in and day out, only changing their location from one side of the street to the other, in order to bask in the sunshine or rest in the shade, as it suits them. Just how they manage to exist is a puzzle, but of course, it might be they are just simply living off the interest of their money.

The Chicago Tribune, Roosevelt supporter, conceals the contest is between Wilson and Roosevelt, and then goes on to name a few states that are sure for Wilson, which are as follows: Arizona, New Mexico, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and Utah. By this it would seem Texas is placed in the doubtful column. The states the Tribune claims are sure for its candidate are: Iowa, Minnesota, Oregon, California, Kansas. Such election forecasts are not calculated to inspire confidence. For instance Texas will give Wilson a majority over all presidential candidates of at least 3 to 1. As to whether Roosevelt or Taft will run next to Wilson in this state is a matter Democrats are not much concerned about, but to an uninterested observer, judging purely from the local line-up of the two factions of the Republican party, Mr. Taft's support in Texas is going to be confined largely to the Federal office holders, nearly all of whom are white men, and as much of the negro vote as Gooenbeck Bill McDonald can control.

The moving picture shows have ruined the stage. The old drama has fallen into decay. We no longer have actors. A few venerable descendants from a former era travel about the country, presenting the old time plays, but they are dropping off one by one and there is nothing to take their place. The new crop that is coming up can neither talk nor act; they rely upon horse play and upon stage setting. But there is something gained even in the moving picture show. In Pottsville, Pa., the number of applications for saloon licenses fell off so remarkably that the authorities, who depended upon this source for their salaries, instituted an investigation. They found that while there were twelve hundred saloons in the county, only

thirty per cent were making money. The other seventy per cent were losing money or were only holding their own, and the fault was laid at the door of the moving picture shows. Where the wage earners used to patronize the bars they now take their families to the moving picture theaters. The same is true in Chicago. The saloon there fight the advent of the moving picture enterprise in their midst, on the ground that it cuts off their income.—Pecora Star.

ROOSEVELT'S PLEA TO THE SOUTH.

That was an adroit speech Colonel Roosevelt made in New Orleans. It was more than adroit—it was masterful. What effect it will have we do not know, but not much we imagine, for it will not reach far without militant organization and much repetition; it is an appeal against political habit and seasoned sentiment, and these are powerful obstacles to any new gospel, however much it may be approved by pure reason.

But does this gospel appeal to reason? Or is it sound politics from the standpoint of Southern economics?

The colonel says that Southern representatives in congress opposed Southern interests because he favored them. Is that true? For an illustration he said that although the Panama canal is of particular interest to the South the chief opposition to the ratification of the treaty fifth Panama came from Southern senators on account of their political affiliations.

This is not true. The Southern senators who opposed the treaty did not oppose the canal—they opposed the high-handed method of securing it, the disregard of Columbia's rights, the fomenting of the Panama rebellion and the instant recognition of a state that could not have endured a week without the support of the United States. The whole proceeding was a trick of doubtful morality, so say the least. So far as canal construction was concerned, Southern statesmen had been foremost in advocacy of the undertaking, though most of them preferred the Nicaragua route because they deemed it more feasible and the more advantageous to the Southern states. The man of all men who was most persistent and most effective in advocating an isthmian canal was the late Senator John T. Morgan of Alabama.

On this count, therefore, Colonel Roosevelt does not state the substantial facts; he omits them and makes a representation which is only half true.

His next count is that the Democratic house made no effort to prevent a repetition of the Mississippi flood of last winter. As to that, men who know more about the Mississippi river than Colonel Roosevelt knows told him at Memphis the other day that his theory of prevention by reservoirs is impracticable. This is a problem of engineering, not of statesmanship, and the Democratic house was wise in not venturing upon the work on any half-baked theory. Besides, there have been floods in the Mississippi before and we do not recall that President Roosevelt during his term prevented them.

Thus analyzed the colonel's appeal for Southern support appears superficial. He really offers nothing of particular concern to the South as a whole.

If the solidarity of the Southern states were based upon nothing more than tradition and prejudice—and these undoubtedly are factors of considerable force—there would be reason in his plea for division upon lines of economic thought, conscientious political opinion and enlightened self-interest. But there is something more which he does not in the least comprehend. There is a race problem here which as yet the nation is not quite content to let alone. This is not a matter of sentiment; it is a matter of preservation of competent local government and of social and racial integrity. Colonel Roosevelt for purposes of political expediency has made some concessions to the Southern view, but the fact that he pursued another policy with respect to the negroes in other states is warning enough that he would not hesitate to use the Southern negro to gain or to retain power.

Indeed, the negro problem will assume its most dangerous aspect whenever the white people of the South become divided into nearly equal parts upon the political questions. Then both sides will be tempted to utilize the negro vote, and our public policies will be influenced in large degree by their effect upon this unstable and dangerous element—unstable and dangerous until it shall become fully developed in political morality and faculty, and that is an incalculable period.

Theorists and opportunists may talk as they will about the evil dominant political parties and about the wisdom of division for developing a better public service and for securing more generous treatment at the hands of the national government, but so long as the negro remains as a political and social portent there is peril in any other condition than solidarity. It has not been so long ago that a party division in Texas caused both factions to cultivate the negro vote, and perma-

ment division would make such enticement a habit and a scandal. Besides all that, the record of administration in Southern States of overwhelming Democratic majorities is so much superior in probity and economy to the record of the average doubtful state that by the demonstration of results there is no reason for change. We may have "bosses" in the Democratic South, but they are men who attain mastery by strength of intellect and force of character and not by chicanery or corruption.

We hail any movement and applaud any sentiment for closer relations between the sections but we are not deceived by an aspirant who comes to us with a specious plea for his own aggrandizement, especially a flatterer who in the day of power gave open affront to the Southern standard of racial separation in social relation and white supremacy in public administration. Roosevelt by example and precept in the White House taught social equality and negro preferment and he would not hesitate to do so again if he deemed it to his political advantage.

Remember Booker Washington at the dinner table; remember Dr. Crum as collector of customs at Charleston; remember the postmistress at Indianola, Miss.—Port Worth-Record.

Obituary.

Mary Priscilla Birdwell, wife of W. P. Birdwell, deceased was born March 15, 1835 in Carroll county, Tenn.; died Sept. 25, 1912 at Huff, Archer county, Texas.

She was married to William Birdwell Feb. 17, 1852. To this union was born nine children, six girls and three boys, all of whom preceded her to the grave except one girl, Mrs. Bettie Baugh of this city.

One by one God's children are gathering home. Of this fact we are reminded when God who doeth all things best saw fit to sever the silver cords of mortality and take her to a purer and holier atmosphere where all is peace and joy and rest.

Grandma professed faith in Christ and joined the Baptist church at Holly Springs in Tennessee, some fifty-five years ago and lived a loved and esteemed Christian until her death and here her afflictions without a murmur and never lost an opportunity in pointing sinners the way to Christ. She was a dear wife and mother and loved by all who knew her—and her friends are numbered by the score.

She with her husband and family came to Archer county in 1880 and resided at Huff until about two years ago when she came to Wichita Falls to live with her daughter, Mrs. Bettie Baugh, who with a kind and loving heart, sacrificed all pleasures and was ever ready and willing to do all that was in her power to make her dear mother's last days the most pleasant on earth. She and her mother had moved back to Huff just two months before she died as she realized the end was near and wanted to spend her last days at her old home.

The funeral was held at the residence at 10:30 Thursday morning and was conducted by Rev. Morgan of this city. The body was laid to rest in Riverside cemetery here.

To the children and grand-children we offer our sympathy and condolence amid their tears and may they look heavenward and rejoice in the hope of a happy reunion with their loved ones in the home of the best, where parting is unknown.

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W. A. Webb Promotes Former Fort Worth & Denver Chief Clerk

Card G. Elliott has been made assistant to W. A. Webb, general manager of the Katy lines in Texas. The announcement of Elliott's promotion was made in Dallas Tuesday in a circular from General Manager Webb. Elliott has been with the Katy since July 25, having gone to that line from the Fort Worth & Denver to become chief clerk to Mr. Webb. This was soon after Webb was made general manager of the Katy Texas lines. He came to Fort Worth in 1904 to become transportation clerk in the general superintendent's office of the Fort Worth & Denver, which position he held until 1905, when he was promoted to chief clerk to F. T. Dolan at that time general superintendent.

George Cotter succeeded Dolan as general superintendent and Elliott remained as chief clerk until October, 1907, when he resigned to become chief clerk to E. O. Melcher, general manager of the Rock Island at Chicago. A reorganization on the Rock Island in 1908 caused Elliott to come back to the Fort Worth & Denver and again he became chief clerk to Mr. Cotter. When H. A. Gausewitz succeeded Cotter as general superintendent, Elliott continued as chief clerk and held the position until July 25, 1912, when he resigned to go to the Katy at Dallas.

While Elliott is only thirty-four years old, he has had a great deal of railroad experience. Before coming to Fort Worth, he worked for the Colorado & Southern in Colorado and the Santa Fe in Kansas and Oklahoma. His service has practically all been in the operating department.

While a resident of Fort Worth, he was very popular in musical and church circles, having directed the First Methodist Church choir and taken an active part in different musical productions.

He was succeeded in Fort Worth by W. T. Peyton, formerly chief clerk under Mr. Gausewitz at Childress and O. E. Maer, present superintendent at Childress.

Employees from all over the Fort Worth & Denver recently presented Elliott with a very costly Victoria and Mrs. Elliott with a silver water set.

SEIGE AND FALL OF THE ALAMO

Reproduction of Historic Fight by Some of Descendants of Its Heroes to be Staged

Special to The Times. San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 2.—Something after the order of Paine's celebrated fireworks exhibition "The Fall of Pompeii" is the "Seige and Fall of the Alamo" which is to be presented in San Antonio during the week of the Harvest Jubilee, Oct. 19-25. It is being arranged by descendants of some of the men who died in the Alamo when it was assailed by Mexican invaders in March 1836, and being staged here at the scene of the conflict, interest in it has been aroused throughout Texas. Not only will the original Alamo fortress be reproduced, but also the San Fernando Cathedral and other historic buildings that figured in the seige. David Crockett, Bowie, Travis, Milam and other noted men who died in defense of the Alamo will be shown in the great death struggle pictured as truly as is possible from descriptions of the battle given by General Santa Anna and others of the Mexican army.

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Poison Secreting Plants
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Plain, practical farmers, who learned these facts after generations had grieved over the matter, are used to say that the soil is tired but the scientific truth in the case is that soil is actually poisoned. And the poisons in such a piece of ground are exactly those that will kill another crop of the same sort; for the poisonous qualities have been thrown off by the previous crops and are chemical compositions extremely hurtful to the plants in question.

Every one knows that fruit trees will not prosper if grass is allowed to grow up close to the trunks. Heretofore this was said to be due to the grass taking up the nourishment out of the soil and of robbing the trees of air and water. Experiment by English agricultural experts show now the real damage is caused by the secretion of poisonous substances by the grass roots.

Science is now busily at work trying to find plants that will thrive best in soils that have grown poisonous to a certain kind of crop. This is the real science involved in crop rotation and once it is solved it will add more to our natural wealth every year than all the gold and silver mines in the United States.

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WANTED—Every person in Wichita Falls, who has a house and lot or vacant lot for sale, to list it with us. As we are having more demands than we have property for sale. We deal strictly in bargain. If you have one list it with us at once. Mack Thomas and J. J. Simon. Ward Building 8th street. Phone 472. 121-1tc.

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FOR RENT—Desirable furnished rooms with all modern conveniences. 909 Seventh street. 101 1tc.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Modern; no children. 1907 Seventh street. 408-1tc.

FOR RENT—Front furnished room, bath adjoining, 1205 Bluff. Phone 716. 108-1tc.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms gentle, men, -807 Burnett. 102-1tc.

FOR RENT—Bed room. Bath. Gentlemen. \$2.25 per week. 807 Austin 113-1tc.

FOR RENT—Upstairs bedrooms; no children. 1200 Scott. 113 12tp.

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Dr. Nelson, dentist. Phone connections. 63 1tc.

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Miss Tula Stokes is sick at her home corner Seventh and Lamar. She was quite sick yesterday but is better to day.

My motto: Miller sells it for less.

Let us install your gas stove; reliable workmen and prompt service. McCulloch & Moore. Phone 66. 119 6tp.

Pianos for rent. Harrison-Everton Music Co. 122 2tc.

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Do not forget the meeting of the Steven F. Austin Mother's Club tomorrow afternoon at 3:30.

Dr. W. P. Holding, dentist, office room 206. Kemp and Kell building. Phone 206.

Dr. Waller, Dentist. Room 207 Kemp and Kell building. Phone 336. 89-1tc.

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Postmaster Bacon spent yesterday in going over the new rural route. He wishes to call the attention of residents to the factory addition to the fact that they must erect rural mail boxes before mail can be delivered to them.

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Short and Massie have purchased the Saratoga Cafe from J. R. Jourdan and will operate it as a first class up to date cafe. 120-15 1tc.

Eagle Lodge will hold its regular meeting Monday night, Oct. 7th at 9 p. m. All members requested to be present. A social session will be held after all business of the meeting has been disposed of.

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At last night's meeting of the Elks' Lodge, J. T. Young was elected Esteemed Leading Knight succeeding P. A. Gaston, resigned.

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Dr. Kearby, dentist. Office over Morris' drug store. 131 1tc.

A resident of Hattiesburg, Miss., hearing of the death of cotton pickers in this section, has written the Chamber of Commerce that he can supply some labor for the fields.

Miss Bettie Ochner, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is reported to be getting along nicely.

IMAGINARY TALKS IN FRANCE

Attitude of Rich Americans Toward French People is Said to Be Thus Revealed.

Gl Blas reports an imaginary conversation at the Deauville Casino, the participants being William K. Vanderbilt, Frank Gould, Clarence H. MacKay and James Gordon Bennett, says the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

"What attracts me to France," says one, "is the charm and ease of life the traveler finds here, which, however, is not at all real French life. Do you suppose all French people pass their time as we do during our visits, dining amid flowers and black coats?"

"Certainly not," replied the second, "French life, except at the gay resorts, is most quiet and well regulated—even economical. The French know how to live at home, and very prudently when it is necessary, but they know how to live outside of home amid elegance and gaiety when they choose."

"Then the real Frenchman is not here in Deauville?" comments the third member of the party.

"If only Frenchmen, such as we see here existed," said the fourth, "there would be no more France. This same Frenchman whom you see favored by fortune will go home in the evening, quietly put on his slippers and dine on a round steak and a bottle of mineral water. The Frenchman knows how to enjoy life without going to extremes. I remember many restaurants in foreign countries where Americans, Englishmen and Germans ignore the art of bearing themselves with grace and neatness. Not so with the French. Amused, gay and frivolous at times in appearance, they never lose their gracious smile and air of distinction. Whether at a luxurious place like this or on the boulevard during a popular fete the Frenchman always preserves his good humor, for he knows how to live."

Gl Blas leaves the quartet, saying, "Guess which part of the conversation belongs to each?" and incidentally remarks that the expressions represent the combined wisdom of \$3,000,000,000.

Qualities of a Lady.

One of the first qualities of a lady is a low voice. Not a whispering voice, one must speak loudly enough to be understood. One reason why some people have to talk loudly in order to make themselves understood is that they do not articulate plainly. Pronounce your words clearly and carefully, round out each syllable and even though you speak in a low voice you will be understood. Do not talk too rapidly. A lady never gives the appearance of being hurried, and because she is leisurely the cultured woman never forgets the little courtesies which she owes to others. The courtesies are shown in a very quiet, unassuming manner, for the lady never cares to attract attention to her own actions. Neatness of dress is one of the hall marks of the lady. The girl who wears fashionable top clothes and torn, untidy underclothes need not expect to earn the title of lady. The refined girl keeps her person and her possessions neat, no matter if they are not seen by another person beside herself. She always dresses in good taste. Both her dress and her manner are quiet and reserved in public.—Exchange.

In These Days.

"All the world's a stage, you know." "Yes, but not all the men and women are actors. Some have to sit in front and look at the moving pictures."

NEWS FROM OIL FIELDS

The Mutual Oil and Gas Company is the latest organization to enter the Wichita county operations, the charter being issued at Austin yesterday, with \$150,000 capital stock. This company has 1734 acres under lease, about half way between the Schmocker and Eoda wells and will put down a well there at once. The incorporators are W. E. Wilcox of Wichita Falls, J. S. Alexander and K. W. Schuler of Oklahoma City, P. J. Duffy of Beaumont and W. F. Heisermann and J. J. Kierst of Wichita county.

The Producers Company has made its first location on the Burnett and Lloyd land, the rig being on Section 3. The Producers, it is learned, leases the Burnett and Lloyd property on the same terms as did the Guffey—half of the oil produced, with no cash bonus or rental. The Guffey will also start drilling within the month.

Drilling has been resumed on the J. B. Winfrey well south of Iowa Park, which is now down 600 feet. Progress on this well has been very slow, but the promoters hope to proceed without further delay until the well is completed.

The recent visit here of one of the Standard Oil officials, said to be direct from 26 Broadway, has aroused some questioning comment in local oil circles as to the why and wherefore. Mr. Paine, the gentleman in question, denied that any significance whatever attached to his visit, saying he merely wanted to take a look at the field here.

There are two new locations in the Burk Burnett vicinity. W. G. Skelly and associates have a rig up on the farm of Dr. C. Roberts, directly north of the Schmocker, and the Producers has a location on the Stall 40-acre tract just half a mile west.

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DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

For District, County and Precinct offices, nominated in the Democratic primary of July 27th:

For Representative, 101st District: PATRICK HENRY.

For District Atty., 30th Judicial Dist.: EDGAR SCURRY.

For County Judge: C. B. FELDER.

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

For County Clerk: E. P. WALSH.

For Sheriff: R. L. RANDOLPH.

For District Clerk: A. F. KERR.

For County School Superintendent: R. M. JOHNSON.

For Tax Assessor: JOHN ROBERTSON.

For Tax Collector: HARRY DAUGHERTY.

For County Treasurer: TOM MEHAM.

For County Commissioner Precinct 1: J. P. JACKSON.

For Justice of the Peace: Place 1—W. E. BROTHERS. Place 2—W. J. HOWARD.

For Constable: FRANK BURNS.

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Wichita Falls Route.

Northbound—

No. 4 Lv Wichita Falls 4:00 a.m.

No. 4 Ar Woodward 8:00 p.m.

No. 2 Lv Woodward 2:40 p.m.

No. 2 Ar Elk City 8:55 p.m.

Southbound—

No. 1 Lv Elk City 5:15 a.m.

No. 1 Ar Wichita Falls 11:59 p.m.

No. 5 Lv Woodward 12:35 p.m.

No. 5 Ar Altus 3:25 p.m.

Altus Wellington Branch

No. 6 Lv Altus 9:10 a.m.

No. 6 Ar Wellington 11:59 a.m.

No. 5 Lv Wellington 12:35 p.m.

No. 5 Ar Altus 3:25 p.m.

Wichita Falls and Newcastle

No. 11 Lv Wichita Falls 2:30 p.m.

No. 11 Ar Newcastle 6:05 p.m.

No. 12 Lv Newcastle 8:15 a.m.

No. 12 Ar Wichita Falls 11:50 a.m.

Fort Worth and Denver

Northbound— Arrive Leave

No. 1 1:40 p.m. 1:50 p.m.

No. 3 12:30 p.m. 12:40 p.m.

No. 7 2:30 a.m. 2:45 a.m.

Electra local departs 7:00 a.m.

Southbound— Arrive Leave

No. 2 1:50 p.m. 1:55 p.m.

No. 8 2:45 a.m. 2:55 p.m.

No. 4 12:01 p.m. 12:30 p.m.

Local from Electra Arrives 6:00 p.m.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

New Orleans Spots.

New Orleans, Oct. 2.—Spot cotton easy, eighth off. Middling 11-14. Sales on spot 400. To arrive 500. Receipts 6544. Stock 51,680.

Fort Worth Livestock.

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 2.—Cattle receipts 5000. Steers steady \$7. Cows steady, \$3.25 to \$4.50. Calves receipts 2000, steady; \$4 to \$4.65. Hog receipts 4500, steady; tops \$8.90. Sheep 200, steady.

New York Spots.

New York, Oct. 2.—Cotton closed quiet. Middling upland 11.25. Middling gulf 11.50. Sales none.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, Oct. 2.—Cash wheat half to 1-1/2 higher. No. 2 hard 86 to 90. Corn unchanged to 1-1/2 lower. Oats unchanged; No. 2 white 34-1/2.

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160 ACRE FARM

In the neighborhood of Thornberry or Charlie with some grass. The price must be right. Will pay Cash.

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. I. Cameron left this afternoon for Fort Worth, where he will undergo a surgical operation.

Miss E. B. White, head nurse in the sanitarium at Clarendon and Miss D. Reeves, a nurse of Toronto, Canada, stopped off today for a visit with Mrs. B. C. Milbourne of the Wichita Falls Sanitarium. They are en route to New York City, where they will take a post graduate course in nursing.

Mrs. Elbert Reid, Mrs. Ashby Osborne and Mrs. Joseph Stevenson of the Thornberry community, were visitors here today.

Constable Schwend of Henrietta, stopped off here today while en route to Chillicothe on business. Mr. Schwend says the preliminary trial of John Loyd, charged with murder for the death of Ernest Davis at Charlie Saturday night has been set for next Friday at Henrietta.

Dr. C. A. Foote of Byers, was in the city today.

County Commissioner Eeds and family were in the city today.

J. W. Bradley is in Fort Worth today on business for the North Texas Furniture Company.

Mr. Van Voy of Columbus, Ohio, has accepted a position as salesman in the Kahn store.

Mrs. J. C. Medlock of Burkburnett, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Whitman.

Dr. T. R. Boger and son, Alphon, have returned from a trip to Eastern and Canadian points.

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If you want a messenger phone Palace Drug Store.

YOUR LAST CHANCE

Owing to the great demand for Woostenholm, Sheffield, Wade and Butcher & Brandt guaranteed razors we have ordered another shipment and will continue our big sale one more week. We also have a shipment of the celebrated Brandt self honing razor Strops. The regular price of these goods are from \$2.00 to \$3.50, our price during the sale will be at 97c

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Disbarment Proceedings at Houston. Houston, Texas, Oct. 2.—Considerable interest has been occasioned here when it became known that the Harris County Bar Association has named a committee, and affidavits are being secured, with a view to instituting disbarment proceedings against certain attorneys. The nature of the charges is not known.



EVERY MAN'S LUXURY

A good cigar is a luxury that every man can enjoy and what a worker of miracles it is. Into what strange shapes do the curling clouds of smoke wreath themselves. The poor man sees his ship come in. The rich man thinks comfortably of his early struggles. And the lover sees his fair lady in a thousand varying and graceful poses. There is as much difference in cigars as there is men, but we have the kinds that all men like, the kinds that make all men brothers.

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Fifty Comedians—With Barnum and Bailey's Show Here October 15th.

Among the fifty clowns with the Barnum and Bailey greatest show on earth are the representatives of ten different countries, besides America. The clown speaks a universal language. In this respect he has an advantage over the stage comedian. No matter if he does not know a word of English, he can make an American boy or girl or woman laugh. He tells his stories with motions, antics and grotesque paraphernalia.

It would be useless to bring a foreign stage comedian to this country if he could not speak English. He would have to return home on his trunk. But a Persian clown who has not enough English to command to order a plate of ham and eggs can go out on the sawdust of a circus arena and make the biggest kind of a hit. With the Barnum and Bailey circus there are two funny fellows, the Garconitis, who are the greatest clowns in the world. They are Italian by birth, but they have lived long in Asia and for many years have been court comedians in the palace of the sultan of Turkey.

There are the Geromes and James Duval, from France, who can't speak English, but can make an Englishman split his sides with laughter. There is Valdo from Spain and Ford from France. There is Rossi from Italy and Ollivant from Germany. Glen McCatoh and Will Scott are from Scotland, and H. La Pearl is from Belgium. Sam Bennett is an Australian and so is Harry Shinn, while Dan Winslow, Harry Clemence, Harry Hill and Bill Robinson are from England. These fellows are the children of old Jolly King. They invented sunshine and taught the children of men how to laugh.

One of the things that has made the Barnum and Bailey circus famous is its clowns. The clowns of other circuses have looked to them for ideas and have copied them but not with any success, for the imitator is like an Alaskan diamond that merely reminds one of the genuine article and disappoints rather than satisfies.

When the big show comes to Wichita Falls on Tuesday, October 15th, the man who has no mirth in his make-up had better lock his door and climb under the bed. If he gets within a rod of this army of card killers he will have to surrender. A stoneman could not resist them. The performance has so many thrills it needs a great deal of comedy for ballast. The versatility of these madcaps is pronounced. Their work is carefully thought out and dovetailed into the performance in a most unexpected way. There are tall clowns and short ones. There are fat fellows who radiate humor and lean chaps that compel laughter. They seem to mistake each other shamefully at times, but

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