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CONFIRMATION OF MULHALL CHARGES

SAMUEL GOMPERS MAKES PUBLIC DETAILED REPORT ON ATTEMPT TO BRIBE

FAR REACHING IN EFFECT

Expected Disclosures Promise Most Important Developments in Years at Washington

Washington, July 1.—Disclosures that promise to follow the reopening of the Senate lobby investigation tomorrow are expected to be among the most important developments of recent years in congressional inquiry. Since publication of the Mulhall story, the lobby has operated to influence legislation and elections in behalf of the National Association of Manufacturers, scores of labor leaders present and former congressmen and others have come forward with testimony and ask that they also be heard by the investigators.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who figured prominently in Mulhall's story as the object of a long continued attack by those who attempted to bribe him and force him to give up his fight in behalf of labor legislation, made public a detailed report of the attempted bribery. It confirmed Mulhall's story. The Gompers statement is a report that the labor leader prepared in 1907, after his experience with Broughton Brandenburg, an author, now a convict in Sing Sing who claimed to be employed by the National Association of Manufacturers. Efforts to secure private interviews with Gompers aroused the latter's suspicion, he said, and he took a number of labor leaders into his confidence and later made a full report to them of the occurrences that followed.

Gompers met Brandenburg, the report says, under advice of other officials of the American Federation of Labor. Brandenburg, it says, represented himself as in charge of a bureau of the National Association of Manufacturers, organized to expose the immorality and dishonesty of labor leaders. According to his report, Gompers led Brandenburg on until the latter proposed that Gompers should prepare a general statement in the nature of confession, should stand for re-election as president of the American Federation of Labor in 1908, and then resign, leaving the Federation of Labor crippled by his retirement and the exposure of the leader. Brandenburg is quoted as saying:

"I want to save you, and while I don't want to express in specific financial terms what the National Association of Manufacturers is willing to do, yet I can guarantee that you will be financially safe for the balance of your life."

The Gompers report states that the interviews terminated there. President Gompers and other officials of the federation probably will testify before the Senate committee that the alleged activities of the lobbyists bore directly upon national legislation.

DAVID LAMAR NOW CHIEF FIGURE IN PHONE LOBBY PLOT



Washington, July 1.—David Lamar, the "Wall Street" stock operator who was brought into the Union Pacific bid-up plot by Edward Lauterbach, the New York lawyer, agreed to testify before the state committee investigating the "insidious lobby." Lamar, after a long conference with Lauterbach, agreed to appear without being subpoenaed. The lobby hunters thought Lamar would be able to shed light upon the identity of the mysterious man who impersonated Representative Riordan of New York and Representative Palmer of Pennsylvania in telephone conversations with Robert S. Lovett and Lewis Cass Ledyard regarding the retaining of Mr. Lauterbach as special counsel for the Union Pacific in the dissolution matter.

Lamar has many enemies in Wall Street who are outspoken in their attacks upon him.

MAGNOLIA HIRED RIVALS EMPLOYES

Testimony Today Continued on Alleged Raid of Pierce-Fordyce Sales Department

Houston, Texas, July 1.—The Magnolia Petroleum Company's alleged raid two years ago on Pierce-Fordyce Association's sales department employees was taken up at today's hearing of the \$102,000,000 oil penalty suit. The state claims the Magnolia crippled the Pierce-Fordyce sales department by taking away many of its men when the Magnolia's sales department was organized.

J. Q. Tabor, manager of the Magnolia's southern Texas division of the sales department, testified he came from the Pierce-Fordyce Association two years ago and that shortly afterward thirty-three other Pierce-Fordyce sales department men went with the Magnolia's southern division. Richard Maury, conducting the state's probe, asked whether this did not leave the Pierce-Fordyce southern office without an executive head or any one familiar with the details of the work. Tabor would not admit this, but said his successor came to the Pierce-Fordyce office a week before he left.

Tabor refused to tell what his salary with Pierce-Fordyce had been. Mr. Maury pressed the question for the time, mentioning the possibility of contempt proceedings. Tabor was asked to produce a number of records from his office this afternoon.

SHORT FLASHES FROM THE WIRES

Statisticians report that 6,380,000 nickels have been spent during the past year to see the "movies."

Re-arrival just closed at Cleburne there were over 60 convicts.

Dr. Choy Choy, a Chinese, said to be 150 years old, died at the Ellis Island immigrant station last night. He was enroute to Canada when he became suddenly ill.

Viscount Chinda, the Japanese ambassador, has notified Secretary Bryan that his government has dispatched to him to be delivered to the American government a note additional to the last Japanese rejoinder in the California alien land law matter.

Descendants of signers of the Declaration of Independence will meet in Philadelphia July 4.

The trial of Dr. W. A. Link, charged with performing criminal operations was started in Fort Worth this morning.

Robert and Charlie Jones are on trial at Stephenville charged with the murder of their father, Lee W. Jones.

Irregularities have been charged in the recent local option election at Balinger and a petition has been filed in the district court asking that the election be set aside. The county gave a dry majority of 95.

Mac-A-Goes to Help Gen. Villa.
By Associated Press.
Douglas, Ariz., July 1.—Gen. Juan Medina with 400 well equipped men marched out of Agua Prieta early today to help Gen. Villa in the rebel attack on Juarez. Medina was elected mayor of Juarez under the Madero administration, but did not serve his complete term.

RELIEF FROM TORRID WAVE

HEAT STILL INTENSE, HOWEVER, IN SEVERAL OHIO VALLEY STATES

STILL ABOVE HUNDRED

Illinois, Indiana, West Ohio and Kentucky Still Sweetering—Cooler Wednesday

Relief to only part of the country from four-days of intense heat was predicted today by the weather bureau. A marked change to cooler from the plains eastward to the Mississippi River and south as far as Kansas and Western Missouri followed low pressure last night in the upper Mississippi Valley. The heat wave continued in the Ohio valley, being most intense in sections of Illinois, Indiana, West Ohio and Kentucky. Temperatures of 100 degrees were reported today from many points in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys, while in Western Kentucky they ranged from 100 to 107.

The forecast this morning gave promise of relief from the heat wave by Wednesday morning.

Relief at Chicago.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, July 1.—A cool north wind and showers brought relief from this city's record breaking June season of heat today. The thermometer dropped 20 degrees in a few hours. Revised death records tell of yesterday's heat that bring the death total to fifty.

KIRBY AND PARRY WILL TESTIFY

President and Former President of Manufacturers Association Abandon Trip

San Francisco, July 1.—Half an hour before the liner Ventura was due to sail for the Antipodes, John Kirby, president, and D. M. Parry, secretary, of the National Association of Manufacturers, announced their resignations and engaged transportation for Washington where they will appear as witnesses before the Senate committee investigating lobbyist. The change of plan will cost each about \$5,000.

OUTRAGES DROVE THEM TO SUICIDE

FORTY MEXICAN WOMEN END OWN LIVES AT DURANGO WITHIN A WEEK

CITIZENS ARE TERRIFIED

Victorious Rebels Reported to Have Indulged in Excesses—Foreigners Suffer

Mexico City, July 1.—Forty women, mostly of the better class, have committed suicide in Durango since their occupation last week by the rebels after a long siege. The women have become desperate, it is said, because of their treatment by victorious rebels. Consular advisers say that rebels who entered Durango conducted themselves like bandits, burning a large portion of the business section after looting it and joining in the wildest excesses. The report says foreign flags were not respected. A few American citizens were wounded during the fighting while one Englishman was killed, according to reports. Private advisers say several women in Durango were forced to submit to indignities from rebel adherents.

DAD RITTER FINDS A WHOLE LOT OF TROUBLE.

By Associated Press.
Texarkana, Texas, July 1.—As a result of his assault upon Pitcher Horton in yesterday's game between Texarkana and Wichita Falls in the Texas-Oklahoma League, W. F. (Dad) Ritter was fined \$25 and suspended from the remainder of the season.

Ritter who was catching for Texarkana claimed that Horton, his pitcher, crossed his signs, and struck him during the game.

Sory, shortstop for the local team, and local fan named Powell fought on the street last night and Ritter started to take a hand. One of his fingers was bitten and an official pulled him out of the fray. Powell and Ritter were fined in the city court this morning. Sory's case was continued. Ritter also faces a charge in the county court as the result of his attack on Horton.

Civilization has reached the Ute reservation.) Grazed with jealousy while the great Ute sun dance was in progress near Vernal, Utah, Tim Inch-wick shot and killed his squaw and then himself.

"BOARDWALK SUFFRAGIST" PLANS VOICELESS ROLLER CHAIR PARADE



MRS. ELLY BUCKLE, BOARDWALK SUFFRAGIST

Atlantic City, New Jersey, July 1.—They call her the "Mother Confessor" and also the "Boardwalk Suffragist." Mrs. Eulla Gufford is both. She's the first because many a lonely couple have poured their woes into her ears, and she has tried to comfort them, and she's the second because she has been spreading the "votes for women" propaganda among the floating summer population of this resort and is now organizing a boardwalk roller chair parade for suffragists. It will be held in July and about fifty chairs will be in line, with the occupants from many states clad in the suffragist colors of yellow and white. It will be a silent parade—silent in a technical sense, for who could imagine the dear ladies remaining voiceless on such an occasion? No speechmaking of any kind is permitted on the boardwalk. Visitors from many cities will see this "voiceless parade."

HEAT ENDANGERS OLD SOLDIERS OPPOSES LOWER COTTON RATES

THOUSANDS OF AGED AND FEETLE MEN ENDURE INTENSE HEAT AT GETTYSBURG

MUCH CONCERN IS FELT

Red Cross Nurses Join With State and Army Officials in Care of Sufferers

Gettysburg, Pa., July 1.—Fifteen thousand blue and gray veterans crowded the big hot tent on the Gettysburg battlefield this afternoon and joined in the ceremonies of the opening session of the semi-centennial of the great battle.

Regular army surgeons, Red Cross nurses and representatives of the Pennsylvania department of health watched with concern as thousands of aged and feeble men moved down the aisles and tried to look comfortable in a temperature that had already passed the hundred mark hours before.

The first address of the program was delivered by Gov. Tener of Pennsylvania who welcomed the veterans. Secretary of War Garrison delivered the principal address of the afternoon. General Alfred Boers of Bridgeport, Conn., commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic and General Bennett H. Young of Kentucky, commander in chief of the Confederate veterans both spoke.

35 MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED IN JUNE.

June, as usual, was a good month for Hymen in Wichita County. During the month thirty-five blushing brides were led to his altar—at least licenses were issued to that many couples from the county clerk's office. An average of a little better than one marriage license a day has been issued since County Clerk Walsh took office last fall.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Tonight and Wednesday, unsettled.

Recent licenses that have been issued are:
Miss Maud Stonecipher, Oakland; G. M. Kohler, Electra, Ford; Dave Johnson, Iowa Park, Bullock; J. F. Riggs, Case; H. E. Wilson, Kritt; O. L. Green, Case; Corsicana Petroleum Company, Bullock; Geo. H. Orr, Electra, Oakland.

BRIDGES GO OUT TRAINS STRANDED

WASHOUTS ON ORIENT—STAMFORD AND NORTHWESTERN AND QUANAH ROUTE

A THREE INCH RAIN HE PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE

Special Carrying Members of R. R. Commission and Officials Stranded

Eight tents of the Stamford, and Northwestern's bridge across the Salt Fork of the Brazos forty-four miles west of Stamford went out late yesterday leaving a passenger train on the other side of the washout. All the streams in that section are raging torrent following a three inch rain there Sunday night and rains again last night.

Several bridges are out on the Orient between Sweetwater and Chillicothe and trains are being detoured via the Texas & Pacific and Wichita Valley. Some of the trains will be through here this afternoon and tonight.

Passengers coming in at noon over the Wichita Valley report that the Brazos is out of its banks at the bridge near Seymour. Railroad officials, however, apprehend no danger at this bridge.

A bridge went out on the Quanah, Acme and Pacific yesterday afternoon leaving a special train carrying members of the State Railroad Commission and officials of the railroad stranded eighteen miles west of Paducah.

HEAVY RAINFALL OVER OKLAHOMA

By Associated Press.
Oklahoma City, July 1.—The State of Oklahoma was flooded last night by the heaviest rainfall in several years. The heaviest precipitation is reported from Weatherford where the government gauge recorded a rainfall of seven inches. Many bridges were washed out in that vicinity. In Oklahoma City the rainfall was 4.81 inches.

Many of the state's records stored in a downtown building were covered with water and probably ruined.

AN AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT TO BE HELD

Chamber of Commerce Appoints Committee to Plan Details for Fall Exhibition

At the Chamber of Commerce directors' meeting this morning, plans were put on foot for an agricultural exhibit here next fall, with prizes to be offered for the best farm specialties. This will probably not be as elaborate as the county fair which was at first proposed, but will it be believed arouse sufficient interest to secure keen competition. The matter was brought up by J. W. Campbell, district agricultural agent, who thought such agricultural exhibits are to be sent to the large fairs.

A committee consisting of M. J. Gardner, J. W. Campbell and J. A. Kemp was appointed to consider the matter.

C. B. Anderson, postoffice inspector in charge of the Texas-Louisiana division, answered the invitation of Postmaster O. T. Bacon and the Chamber of Commerce to visit this city, saying that he would be glad to come here but could not name any time.

It was announced that subscriptions to the fund for buying Ball Brothers factory site were now due and it was decided to take steps to collect this amount at once. Directors present today were R. E. Huff, H. B. Hines, J. A. Kemp, Frank Kell, Myles O'Reilly, F. M. Gates, P. H. Pennington, A. L. Huey, M. W. Stanforth, T. J. Taylor, J. M. Bell; E. P. Haney and Patrick Henry were also present.

TEXAS RATES LOWEST

Resolution Offered Adopted After Little Discussion—Differential Is Discussed

Opposition to any action by the state railroad commission that would operate for a reduction in freight rates on cotton was voiced this morning at the session of the Chamber of Commerce directors, when a resolution was adopted putting that organization on record to that effect. The railroad commission will meet shortly to consider the question of abolishing the Houston-Galveston differential, and the Chamber of Commerce, while keeping its hands off the differential itself, asked the commission, in effect, to equalize the removal of the differential by permitting an increase in the common point rate.

The matter was brought up by Mayor Bell, who thought it would be well for the directors to suggest conservative action on the commission's part. Mr. Kell spoke, saying that Texas railroad rates were lower, considering the service rendered than those of any other state; he cited the rate from Amarillo to Galveston on corn, twelve and a half cents per 100 pounds, as an illustration. He believed the directors should come out firmly against any action that would mean reduced rates.

Mr. Huff called Dr. Bell to the chair and offered a resolution setting forth the directors' views in the premises, as outlined above. After some further discussion this was adopted.

WANT TELEPHONE POLES REMOVED

Tenth Street Property Owners Enlist Support of Chamber of Commerce in Campaign

With the plans for paving Tenth street at a stage where that great improvement is almost a certainty, residents on that thoroughfare are now asking for what some consider a still greater improvement—the removal of the telephone poles.

P. H. Pennington, one of the active workers for Tenth street paving, brought the matter up at the Chamber of Commerce directors this morning and a committee consisting of Mr. Pennington, Wiley Blair and C. W. Sailer was appointed to take the matter up with the telephone company and the city council. With Tenth street paved, the telephone poles removed and the curb lines made uniform, that thoroughfare would be without an equal in the State, and the property owners hope to see these things achieved.

GARRISON SPEAKS AT GETTYSBURG

SECRETARY OF WAR WELCOMES BLUE AND GRAY VETERANS UPON BATTLEFIELD

HE PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE

Emphasizes Spiritual Significance of Three Historic Gatherings at Gettysburg

By Associated Press.
Gettysburg, Pa., July 1.—Veterans of the Civil War, Union and Confederate, gathered together here today to commemorate the mighty battle fought on Gettysburg field fifty years ago, were welcomed by Lindsey M. Garrison, secretary of war. Mr. Garrison said:

"In the name of the nation, I bid you welcome. In the name of the whole people of a united country, I bid you twice welcome. In the name of its people who recognized the big import of this fraternal gathering, you are thrice welcome."

"Once again in Gettysburg, the center of the world's greatest events, again does this field tremble under the tread of a mighty host—not in fear, however, but in joy. The field of emity has become the field of amity. You have trodden under your feet the bitter weeds of hate and anger; and in their places have sprung up the pure flowers of friendship and love."

"Gettysburg seems destined to be the stage upon which shall be unfolded the scenes of a great historic drama. Within the short span of fifty years its gentle slopes and placid plains have witnessed three scenes of great historic import, running the whole gamut of man's threefold nature. Each scene has been unique and typical of its kind; first, the battle, with its almost unexampled display of the physical powers of man; then the great heart and mind of Abraham Lincoln, bent upon his wonderful address delivered here; and last, this assemblage, the deep, spiritual significance of which can scarcely be exaggerated. So we have body, mind and spirit, each displaying its distinctive characteristics to their fullest extent upon this small stage of the world's great theater."

"Fifty years ago today there began one of those conflicts between man and man, marked by such exhibitions of valor, courage and almost superhuman endurance as to engrave itself upon the tablet of history, there to remain ever memorable. Equal met equals and in the domain of physical prowess all weapons of medals of honor. The superiority was that of resources, not of individual strength or courage. So long 30 men love valor and worship heroes, the name of Gettysburg and of those who fought there, will be ever on their lips. Four months afterwards, the field of Gettysburg, sutured in the great mind and heart of Abraham Lincoln the most wonderful prose poem ever written. Its music literally rang around the world and sang in the hearts of men and will continue to sing in the blood of the sons of men until Time itself shall be no more."

"And last, but by no means least, this gathering here upon the field of Gettysburg today. Thousands and tens of thousands of former foes are here gathered together in brotherly union. You who first met upon this field to vie with each other in doing hurt the one to the other, now meet here to outvie each other in deeds of kindness and friendship and love. History holds no parallel. This meeting is the final demonstration that the last embers of the former time have been stamped out; and the great configuration, which it was feared would consume the country, merely served to weld the different parts of it so firmly together and into such a perfect whole that no power can ever break it. The Civil War was a battle for ideals; and if our beloved country could withstand a war waged for ideals, one waged for any lower, baser purpose can never overthrow it."

"Time has enabled us to attain a truer perspective than was possible while nearness to the conflict obscured the fact. Looking back with an unbiased eye, we can see the truth; we can see that in the very nature of things some such conflict was necessary to settle great questions for which there was no peaceful tribunal; we can see that the war of '61 was fought by men upon each side for the right as each saw it; we can acclaim, without abandoning any view which we may hold, that the men on each side were actuated by high, pure purposes, and were compelled by their consciences to do what they did. Before the war, we were a loosely connected band of communities; we emerged from it a firmly welded together nation."

"We must recall that the settlers of our country came from all parts of the world, actuated by no common impulse, and associated for no common purpose; that the Constitution was without a model and at the inception it loosely bound together thirteen commonwealths that had little in common excepting the necessity of combinations against an outer enemy. Each state or community, almost of necessity, became self centered; and communication and commerce in those days was so slight that there was little inter-communication of any



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Don't Delay--Be Among the First to Come

Sale Starts Thursday July, 3rd

Consisting of tailored suits, silk dresses, tailored linens, nobby street dresses in striped and flowered voiles, fancy shirt waists in silk, ratine, lingerie and voiles, wool and wash shirts, silk petticoats, muslin underwear, princess slips, vests, Balkan blouses, all of our high-class neckwear, fancy collars, purses, mesh bags, etc. It is hardly worth while boring you with so much reading about prices, etc., how much they used to cost. You don't care about that. The object is how cheap they are now. Well, you just come to this last sale of the season and you will see prices unheard of, that you will buy whether you need the merchandise or not.

DRESSES as low as \$1.95
Silk Petticoats . \$1.89

Millinery--You will be surprised how cheap

This is no ordinary sale, but A LOW PRICE SALE TO CLEAN-UP every summer garment in the house

SALE STARTS THURSDAY JULY 3

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IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

SHERMAN DEMOCRAT'S ACCOUNT HEAD-BULLOCK NUPTIALS.

The Sherman Democrat of last Saturday contains the following account of the Head-Bullcock nuptials there Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the Travis Street Methodist church.

One of the largest and most elaborate weddings ever witnessed in this city was that of Mr. Haydon W. Head and Miss Ruth Bullock, which took place Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the Travis Street Methodist church.

The decorations of this splendid church were continued to the church except for the large bows of tulle marking the family pew. In the drapery at the chancel rail were

caught alternate bows of tulle and ribbon, each bow supporting a white carnation of rose. At the altar there was a shower effect of white ribbon, while just back of this stood a large basket of long-stemmed roses in relief against the beautiful green background of rich palms and ferns.

Members George Chapman, Will Hubbard, William Bomar, of Fort Worth, Harry Roundtree and Frank Hare ushered the guests to their seats and Miss Jennie Hill Barrie sang, "Call Me Thine Own," with piano accompaniment by Petia Pipes and violin accompaniment by Miss Helen Harvey. The Lutheran procession was played by Miss Leola Boyd (Mrs. McKinley of McAlester, Okla.) and Henry Moore Jr. of Texarkana. Then came the tiny flower girls and boys, little Misses Mack, Merie Hord and Margaret Gulick and Masters Hugh Thompson and Lawrence Mills, scattering the bridal pathway with rose

petals from dainty pink baskets. Master Nolan Bullock, brother of the bride, carefully carried the ring in the heart of a lily and then came the bride with her matron, Mrs. L. A. Kidd-Key, proceeding to the altar where they met the groom and his man, Mr. Lawrence Mills of Oklahoma City. Bishop Key read the impressive ring ceremony of the church, after which the party and friends were driven to the college for the reception.

The bride was beautiful in a gown of broadecard charmeuse with real lace and pearls trimmings, the pearls having been in the possession of the bride's family for many years. Her veil was caught with lilies of the valley and her bouquet was of white lily roses showered with sweetpeas. She wore the gift of the groom, a diamond bar pin.

Accompanied with real lace trimmings and a basket of sweetpeas, the bridesmaids wore pink chiffon over charmeuse with short pink veils and carried armfuls of American gladioli flowered with gladioli flowers. The tiny flower girls wore dainty white frocks with pink sashes and short veils of pink. The little boys

wore white pink boutonniere similar to those of the men.

At the reception Mrs. O. C. Ahlers met the guests at the door and Mrs. Edwin Kidd directed them to Bishop and Mrs. Key who stood with the bride and groom to welcome them. In the receiving line also were the members of the bridal party and relatives of the bride and groom.

In the next room pink killarney gifts were displayed and such an array is seldom seen in one collection. Vases of the different sorts, vases of red and pink roses and potted plants placed at points of vantage.

The electroliter throughout were crowded with trays in which were caught sprays of plumosa. In the south parlor a large wedding cake in the top of which stood a tiny bride and groom, contained the lace laid table. From the electroliter above was suspended a shower of rings and cupid and white satin slippers about the table were filled with green slints. Vases were filled with killarney roses.

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REFORMS BLOCKED BY TEXTILE MEN

SPEAKER CHARGES THEM WITH PERPETUATING LAWS PERMITTING CHILD LABOR

TEXAS IS MENTIONED

By Associated Press.
Portland, Oregon, July 1.—The cotton manufacturers of four Southern States—Georgia, Alabama and the Carolinas—were charged with having prevented the legislatures of those states from repealing child labor laws which permit children twelve years old to work eleven hours a day in the mills, in an address here today by A. J. McKelway, of Washington, D. C., secretary for the Southern States of the National Child Labor Committee. Mr. McKelway's address was delivered at the Sectional Conference on Capital and Labor, incident to the World's Christian Citizenship Conference, in session here.

In addition, Mr. McKelway charged the textile manufacturers of Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Tennessee and Texas with public opposition to "the eight-hour day for children and the nine-hour day for women workers." At the conclusion of his address he submitted a "Declaration of Dependence" on behalf of the "children of America, in mines and factories and workshops assembled." He said in part:

"In the opposition to child labor reforms the textile industry has been even more conspicuous than in its employment of children. During the legislative sessions of this year, it is the textile interests of Massachusetts and Pennsylvania that have fought the eight-hour day for children under sixteen and the textile manufacturers of Tennessee and Texas were public opponents of the eight-hour day for children and the nine-hour day for women workers."

"It is the cotton manufacturers of the four Southern States of Georgia, Alabama and the Carolinas that have prevented the legislatures of those states from prohibiting the barbarism of allowing a twelve year old child to work an eleven-hour day—in the case of Georgia a ten year old child. Nor are these low standard laws adequately enforced in those states."

"It has been the fashion of the American people to end an abuse, once its consequences were fairly understood. It has heard the indictment against the child labor system, that it means not only the injury, physical, mental, moral, to thousands of individual children, but an injury to society itself, and injury to the race. The public mind today convicted at the bar of public opinion as guilty on these several counts; that it involves racial degeneracy, the perpetuation of poverty, the continuance of dependency, the enlargement of illiteracy, the increase of crime, the disintegration of the family, the lowering of the wage scale and the swelling of the army of the unemployed." The verdict is "the abolition of child labor in America at whatever cost."

"If it be proved that child labor is not essential to the existence of an industry, then let child labor die and the industry live. But if it be claimed that any industry cannot survive without the employment of children, that industry wrings itself down as unworthy of survival on American soil."

"As we prepare to celebrate the Declaration of Independence that made our actual life an actuality, let us write for oppressed children the declaration of dependence:

"By the Children of America
"In Mines and Factories and Workshops Assembled,
"Whereas, we children of America,

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James Woodward of Cuba, Ill., had suffered from dropsy for years. He decided to kill himself and fired a bullet at his heart. He didn't die, and when an X-ray was used on him it was found that the bullet had penetrated the cavity containing the dropical fluid and practically cured him.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, July 1, 1913

When you leave Wichita Falls to spend your summer vacation have the Times sent to your address. If you do that you will enjoy your vacation more than otherwise.

Every once and occasionally a taxpayer wants to know of the Times why it is that the commissioners' court do not issue and have published in some newspaper of the county (as the law requires) an itemized quarterly statement of the expenditures of the county. Other counties are doing this, they say, and so far as the Times has been able to observe, it is true. The Times, while unable to answer the question, feels sure it is simply an oversight on the part of the court. The taxpayer has a right to know, as well as the county officials, for what the tax money is being expended, and while they have the utmost confidence that the county is receiving full value for every dollar of tax money expended, they would not raise objections to the small additional expense that would be incurred by having published an itemized quarterly statement.

THAT BOND AMENDMENT.

To The Times: I am a friend to the University of Texas and to the A. & M. College and would gladly vote for any reasonable issue of bonds for the benefit of these institutions. I think they should be made the best in the South. Texas is the largest and the richest state in the South and ought to have the best educational institutions. But it occurs to me that in the proposed constitutional amendment known as S. J. R. No. 18 there is a studied effort to "ambush" the people of the state, taking advantage of their well known love for the University in order to induce them to surrender to the legislature the power to issue an unlimited amount of bonds for practically unlimited purposes. All the arguments we see in the public prints are based upon the well known needs of the University and the people favoring the amendment seem disposed to treat it as a fight for and against the University of Texas.

A careful study of the amendment will convince the most casual reader that if it passes then the legislature will not only have the power to issue bonds for the improvement of the University and the penitentiary, but for any other "state institutions" now existing or hereafter to be instituted; not only this, but there is no limit to the purposes of the issue except that they be for "state institutions." Now, do not believe the people of Texas, if they understood the amendment, will be ready to confer this extraordinary taxing power upon the present or any future legislature of the state. It is a power that, once given, can not be taken away without a two-thirds vote of both houses of the legislature and then a majority vote of the people and it will be difficult to ever retract. In our county and municipal governments, much closer to us all than the legislature, we never have a bond issue without submitting the amount of the bonds, the purpose, the rate of interest and the length of time they are to run to the people and letting them say whether or not they will tax themselves and their children for them; but in this amendment we are earnestly asked to confer upon the legislature the extraordinary and exclusive power to vote bonds at pleasure for any old thing and in any amount at any old rate of interest for any old "state institution."

During late years there has been strong competition among sections of the state for the location of certain state "institutions" and new "institutions" are being created almost every session of the legislature. If given this extraordinary power to raise the wherewithal and tax property to pay the bills, there might be a legislature that would create a new "institution" in the district of almost every leading member for him to be able to "point with pride" to as his monument.

I am sure that some will arise and say that I am "no friend of the University" because I have written this, but I will here and now say that if the legislature levy a special tax for the University or propose the issue of bonds for the A. & M. I will cheerfully support it. I have boys whom I hope to educate at these institutions, but if in order to get what they so much need, I have to surrender to any man or set of men the arbitrary power to pledge the credit of the present and all future generations in un-

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AUTOMOBILE HIGHWAYS RECEIVE ATTENTION

Chamber of Commerce Starts Move for Automobile Road to Western Counties

Automobile highways received attention at the session of the Chamber of Commerce directors today. Steps for a highway from Wichita Falls to the westward were taken and a committee consisting of D. P. Talley and Myles O'Reilly was named to take the matter up. Mr. O'Reilly pointed out that at present there are eight counties in the country directly west of this city from which Wichita Falls gets little trade, there being no railroad. He suggested that an automobile highway would do much to get Wichita Falls in closer touch with these counties.

D. P. Talley was appointed representative of the Chamber of Commerce at the good roads convention at Corpus Christi this month and will pay particular attention to the Colorado Gulf highway, especially the plan to have a connecting roadway between the Wichita Falls and the Angelo branches, the details of which have already appeared in The Times. It is probable that Wichita Falls will be represented at the meeting, scheduled to be held in San Angelo in September, at which definite steps toward a highway, following the general direction of the Wichita Valley and Orient lines between this city and San Angelo will probably be taken.

E. P. Haney brought the matter of the San Angelo road before the directors. The cooperation of the commissioners' court was also asked in the matter.

Limited amounts and for purposes not specified, I shall vote against it.

Read the amendment carefully and see how much it is like the baited fish hook, the hook being the "other state institutions, and the bait the University, the A. & M. and the penitentiary."

The bait is so arranged that many a careless voter will fall for the hook until he is safely strung by these anglers after more power. And these anglers continually dangle the bait before our eyes and tell us how very innocent it is; how the bonds will be bottomed upon the University funds and the penitentiary real estate and will not increase taxes; but they forget to mention that these "other state institutions." They leave us to discover that when we begin to feel the barb of the hook.

I am not writing this letter to awaken controversy or to give offense to any of the friends of the measure; it is only written in the hope that it will cause people to read the proposed amendment, and if they read it and understand it, I am sure they will "do the rest" on July 19.

P. A. MARTIN.

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sort between the people of the different sections of the land. "At the time of the Civil War this great, wonderful experiment in self-government was only 72 years old and up to that time each community had busied itself with great energy to develop its own resources and increase its own strength and means. So busy was each community in those pioneering days that, whatever the inclination might have been, there was little time or opportunity for mutual consultation and effort.

"And then the time for the inevitable arrived. Those who honestly believed that the United States was a voluntary association of independent sovereign states, met in irrepressible conflict those who honestly believed that the United States was an indivisible union of otherwise independent states. Each side, with all the earnestness of those whose hearts, minds and consciences are committed to an ideal, sought to mold the government to their respective views. There was no earthly tribunal before which this great issue could be tried and determined. The arbitration of arms alone remained.

"The war that followed had no element of wantonness or aggressiveness or lust of gain; and no men of purer spirit ever lived than those who waged it upon the respective sides. It found the states, in its beginning, like a loosely tied together bundle of logs and at its end, and when the wounds of it had been healed, it left a great sturdy oak as the central body of our union, with strong, sturdy branches of intense vitality firmly attached to it. Hence, whatever one's views may have been upon the righteousness of the issue, whosever respect for those of each side must be rendered." Such a gathering as this we have witnessed today would not otherwise have been possible.

"It is through pain that we attain anything of value; it was through pain that this nation found itself; and upon the great foundation thus secured and established proceeded to advance with giant strides to the forefront of the nations of the earth.

"Can we not today, penetrated as we are by the deep spiritual meaning of this impressive gathering, surely say that it was worth it all; that those silent martyrs lying surely shrouded upon this field did not die in vain; that you who at the front bore the storm and stress of that great conflict and those who waited in trembling anxiety at home and bore the woe and agony of suspense and uncertainty, did not suffer in vain. Can we not truly say that until this people had withstood some such stress as this, there was no assurance that this first great experiment of the ability of men to govern themselves was surely successful? Shrink from the facts as we may, do they not prove their case? Would we within or those who stood doubting without, ever have felt the assurance which is now felt? Do we not know that those who the God of Nations hath joined together, no man can put asunder?"

"Apart from the deep significance which your meeting has, and from the important page which it will fill in history, is it not good for you as individuals to be here today? Your best memories of this field will ever be your own. He will no longer picture itself in your memories as a field of courage and suffering and woe but a field of smiling faces and happy hearts and great joys. And so the picture will go forth to the Nation, and it will rejoice with you, and the whole world will realize that not only has government of the people, by the people and for the people not perished from the earth, but that it will not ever perish."

MONTHS RAINFALL TOTALS 27.10 INCHES

Last Night's Precipitation Was Eight-Tenths of an Inch—Crops Flourishing

Eight-tenths of an inch of rain fell here last night bringing the total precipitation in June up to two and seven-tenths inches. The rain last night as others that fell during the month came down gently and all soaked in. Early reports indicate that last night's rain was a local shower and that most of this and surrounding counties was covered. Old timers say the crop prospects are the best since 1891.

Cleburne—Practically all the survey work on the Dallas, Cleburne and Glen Rose interurban line has been completed and the committee in charge of the work has returned to

Threshermen, Take Notice

We want to furnish you for the season with your supplies, and know we are in a position to save you money, therefore, just ask for the opportunity of furnishing you with your

Coal and Grocery Supplies

We handle the best grade of coal, and our stock of groceries is large and well assorted. Call and see us, and we feel sure we can satisfy you.

Farmers Supply Company

Mississippi Street, Block 10 Phone 449 Wichita Falls, Texas

New Meat Market

I desire to make it known to my friends and others that I have opened a meat market in the rear of Taylor & Weaver's grocery store on 7th street and will handle nothing but the best of fresh meats, sausages, etc. I will appreciate your patronage. Orders delivered to any part of the city.

Fred K. Smith

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Successor to Hamilton Dry Cleaning Works. STEAM and DRY CLEANING WORKS—We have one of the best equipped cleaning plants in the southwest and are prepared to do all kinds of fancy work for ladies. We guarantee to do as good work as can be done anywhere.

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We give to our customers. No one has ever lost a dollar in a Guaranty Fund Bank in Texas. We extend every accommodation consistent with safe banking.

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McGrattan-Millsaps Company

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Corsets

The Live Model

The one illustrated is a very popular model, has low bust long hip carrying good lines and perfect ease. Fancy corded batiste, sizes 18 to 26, price \$2 50

We have other models from \$1.00 on up to \$5.00 in a Kobo. Rustless stays or up to \$10.00 in a famous Modart, frot lacing. We carry a style for every figure and they are fitted, assuring a perfect fitting garment.

McGrattan-Millsaps Company

817-819 OHIO AVENUE

Important Notice

Tornado Policies do not cover against damage by hail. We can cover this hazard for 10c per hundred on any Tornado Policy. Anderson & Patterson Phone 87, 616 8th Street

Herrick Refrigerators

Daily Demonstration This Week

You perhaps did not know the immense difference between the correct and incorrect way of refrigeration. Herrick Dry Air System is the recognized perfect system which insures sanitation of food. Your call will prove profitable whether you wish to buy or not.



North Texas Furniture Co.

The Store Dependable

"The Dead Secret"

PURE ICE Is what we are offering you every day of the week. Purity is our hobby. We take great pride in the manufacture of our product.

Besides, we want you to know that the sanitary conditions under which our ice is made are all that any one would ask for. You would not want it any better in your own home. Your own interests demand that you take these necessary precautions in your purchases. Then again, our ice is frozen just right. It lasts longer. It's economy to buy our ice.

Our Delivery Department Gives You the Right Kind of Service

People's Ice Company Phone Your Orders to 81, 259 or 909

Meal Time Refreshment

Here it is—serve ice tea with luncheon or dinner—made with

White Swan Tea

has a flavor you'll remember pleasantly for a long time—a memory you'll renew frequently; for once you drink White Swan Tea you will drink it always. A delicious summer, meal-time drink—smooth, palatable, with a delicate flavor all its own. Its good tea taste is not marred by even a suggestion of tannin roughness. Better than the low requires.

Four sizes in air-tight tins: 10c, 25c, 40c and 75c. Your grocer will be glad to recommend it because he knows that you'll come back for more.



White Swan Tea, Waples-Platter Grocer Co., Texas

Local News Brevities

Dr. Garrison, dentist, First National Bank building, Phone 19, 21 tlc

My motto: Miller sells it for less.

Big public dance 4th of July at Lake Wichita, afternoon and night, 3:30 until 5:30, evening 8:30 to 12. 42 3tc

Try the St. James Barber Shop for service. R. M. Johnson, Prop. 42 tlc

L. H. Cummings and family left today for a month's visit with relatives and friends at Evansville, Ind.

Dr. Nelson, dentist, Phone connections, 12 tlc

My motto: Miller sells it for less.

Good music and lots of good dancing at Lake Wichita 4th of July, afternoon and evening. 42 3tc

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave., Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 95 tlc

Dr. Prothro, dentist, Ward building, Eighth Street. 50 tlc

Owing to the fact that so much work has accumulated on me during the past 30 days, I have decided to defer my vacation until August first, and during the month of July will be at my dental office during office hours every day except Sundays. Those desiring my professional services will please govern themselves accordingly. Dr. H. A. Waller, the Dentist, room 207 K. & K. building, Phone 836. 40 3tc

Notice

To all my patrons, I have purchased the St. James Barber Shop and will appreciate a continuance of your business. R. M. Johnson. 42 2tc

Dr. W. W. Shirley, physician and surgeon, office room 7, Moore-Batesman building, corner 8th and Indiana. Office phone 1417; residence phone 1416. 42 tlc

Hines & Embry, undertakers and embalmers, Kemp & Kell basement. Open day and night. Phone 202. Prompt ambulance service. 31 tlc

Meet me at the social dance at Lake Wichita, tonight. 4 2 tlc

Kodak Finishing

By one who knows how Eastman and Ansco films on sale. Also a line of Ansco cameras.

ADDIX STUDIO, 718 1-2 Ohio Avenue. 29 tlc

Dental work that satisfies. Dr. Garrison. 21 tlc

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Social dance at Lake Wichita tonight. Admission 50 cents. 42 tlc

Drs. Kearby and Kearby, dentists, offices over Morris' drug store. 7 tlc

J. W. Gamel has resigned his position as manager of the McGrattan-Millsaps Co. store, and will go to Colorado. He is making the change in the hopes of benefiting his wife's and child's health, both of whom have been in poor health ever since coming to Wichita Falls. His interests in the company are taken by Mr. Millsaps.

For a shave without a conversation and by other barbers try the St. James Barber Shop. New management, new barbers. 42 tlc

In the county court this afternoon the case of Kjd Humphries, under indictment for keeping a bawdy house, is on trial. The case of Florence Hughes indicted for the same alleged offense, went to the jury this morning and no verdict had been returned early this afternoon.

Meet me at the big dance at Lake Wichita 4th of July. 42 3tc

District court will recess this afternoon until next week, Judge Martin desiring to go to Newcastle to conduct the hearing of the charges against the sheriff of Young county, whose removal is sought by citizens. This and other matters will require his absence. The case of Dinwiddie against the J. M. Guffey Petroleum company for \$55,000 alleged personal injury damages, was on trial today, the jury being completed late yesterday. This trial will probably occupy several days.

Building permits for June in Wichita Falls totaled \$72,225. This is one of the smallest totals since the ordinance requiring permits became effective.

Beginning July 29th, Mrs. J. P. Smith will serve meals at 706 9th street. 42 tlc

The reward of \$50.00 offered by Dr. Wade H. Walker to the person furnishing information leading to the arrest and conviction of the man who poisoned one of his bird dogs recently is still unclaimed, although efforts have been made to apprehend the guilty party. Owners of valuable dogs are on the alert and poisoners will receive scant consideration when discovered.

Notice A. F. & A. M.

There will be a called communication of Wichita Falls Lodge Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. sharp, to confer the E. A. and F. C. Degrees. All visiting Masons are extended a cordial invitation. 42 2tc

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Are you aware that a large number of people place their money on interest with us as an investment? You can invest your money here at any time and in any amount.

We pay 4 per cent interest on time deposits. The interest is payable regularly. Your money is always available.

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"The Dead Secret" Lydia Margaret

New graft reported from Joplin, Or. organizer for new lodge dropped into town with a list of physicians. He called on each and for a fee of \$5 promised appointment as official lodge physician. Most of them paid their \$5 and awoke later to find their organizer a fraud.

Loeb-Liepold July Clearance Sale

Men's Suits

- \$35.00 suits \$26.25
- \$30.00 suits \$22.75
- \$27.00 suits \$20.65
- \$25.00 suits \$18.75
- \$22.50 suits \$16.85
- \$20.50 suits \$15.00
- \$18.00 suits \$13.75
- \$15.00 suits \$11.25

Straw Hats

- \$5.00 hats now \$3.75
- \$4.00 hats now \$2.75
- \$3.00 hats now \$2.25
- \$2.50 hats now \$1.25

Panama and Bank- ok Hats

- \$7.50 hats now \$5.85
- \$6.50 hats now \$4.85
- \$5.00 hats now \$3.75

Men's Pants

- \$7.50 Pants \$6.25
- \$6.00 Pants \$5.25
- \$5.00 Pants \$4.25
- \$4.50 Pants \$3.75
- \$4.00 Pants \$3.25
- \$3.50 Pants \$2.75
- \$3.00 Pants \$2.25
- \$2.00 Pants \$1.50

Odd Silk Shirts

- \$5.00 silk shirts \$3.25
- \$4.50 silk shirts \$2.75
- \$3.00 silk shirts \$1.75
- \$2.00 silk shirts \$1.25
- \$1.25 silk shirts \$1.00

Regal Oxfords

- \$5.00 oxfords \$4.15
- \$4.50 oxfords \$3.75
- \$4.00 oxfords \$3.15
- \$3.50 oxfords \$2.85

Boys' Suits

- \$10.00 suits \$7.25
- \$ 8.50 suits \$6.25
- \$ 7.50 suits \$5.50
- \$ 6.00 suits \$5.25
- \$ 5.00 suits \$3.75
- \$ 4.00 suits \$3.25

Odd Felt Hats

\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 odd Felt Hats go for \$1.85

Hand Bags

- \$4.00 hand bags, this sale \$4.50
- \$6.00 hand bags, this sale \$5.40
- \$7.50 hand bags, this sale \$6.75
- \$10.00 hand bags, this sale \$9.00
- \$15.00 hand bags, this sale \$13.50
- \$20.00 hand bags, this sale \$18.00

THIS IS YOUR CHANCE

To Get High-grade Merchandise at a Big Reduction

Suit Cases

- \$5.00 suit cases, this sale \$4.50
- \$7.00 suit cases, this sale \$6.30
- \$10.00 suit cases, this sale \$9.00
- \$12.50 suit cases, this sale \$11.25
- \$15.00 suit cases, this sale \$13.50
- \$20.00 suit cases, this sale \$18.00

711 Indiana

The Loeb-Liepold Clothing Co.

Wichita Falls, Texas

WANTED—TEN EXPERIENCED SALESMEN—APPLY AT ONCE

All about Big Ben

You've been wondering why we call this a Big Ben Sale. Surely, you know Big Ben, the alarm clock that wakes you every morning or that you have seen advertised in all the leading magazines. Well, he's the fellow that's running this sale, and this is how he does it: Every day of this sale the Big Ben alarm goes off at 10 and 10:30 a. m. and between these two alarms you or any one else can buy some one line of goods at a price even below regular wholesale cost. See the big square below for all particulars.

Store closed all day Wednesday, July 2, to enable a large force of clerks to mark the goods down to Big Ben bargain prices and rearrange the stock so that the crowds can be promptly and carefully served.

Big Ben

WILL CONDUCT

A PUBLIC SALE

OF THE

COLLIER & HENDRICKS

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Your Railroad Fare Paid

If you come within 30 miles and trade \$15 or more. No one who lives near enough to make the trip in one day can afford to miss this money-saving gift.

At 9:00 a. m. Thursday, July 3, we will Give Cash Away

\$1.00 cash will be paid to the first ten persons above the age of 18 who enter our store when the doors are open at 9 a. m. All we ask is you spend the \$1.00 here before you leave. You actually receive \$1 of anything in the store for nothing.

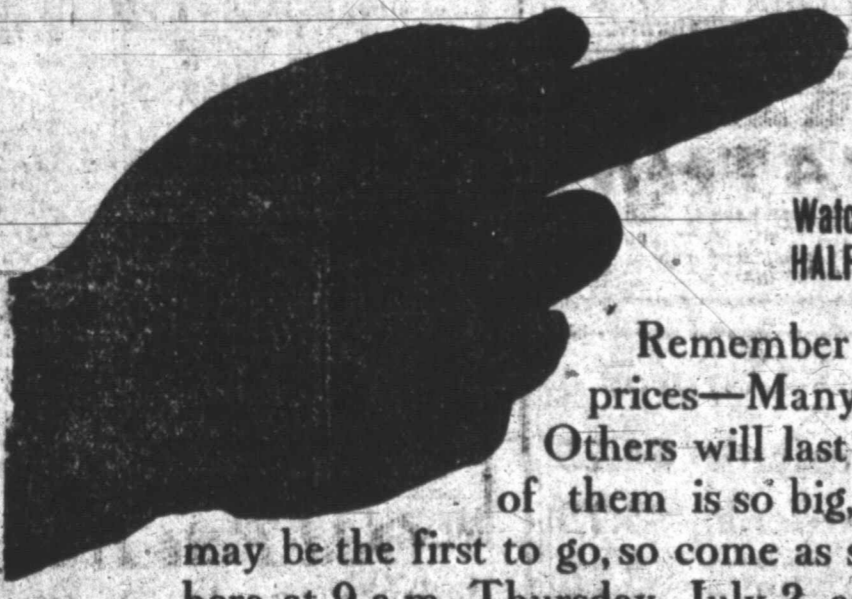
\$25,000 Stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings, Commencing at 9 a. m. **Thursday, July 3d**

AT LEAST \$8,000 WORTH OF GOODS MUST BE SOLD IN 15 DAYS. The time is short, hence the prices will be extremely low. You have the word of Collier & Hendricks that this is something more than an ordinary sale. The reason is the necessity for reducing the stock a great deal quick in order that we can carry out some contemplated changes in our business without delay. The time is short—quick action is what we want and must have—hence prices will be extremely low—probably the lowest you have known in years. Don't doubt—investigate the truth of this statement—Don't hesitate—come quick and find out that this is the GREATEST MONEY-SAVING OPPORTUNITY OF THE TIMES. The store will be closed all day Wednesday, July 2, to enable us to get the goods

all marked down to Big Ben Bargain prices and rearrange the stock. When the sale opens at 9 a. m. Thursday, July 3, everything that could be done to make the prompt and satisfactory handling of the crowds possible will have been done. We will have plenty of good competent trustworthy clerks who will take pains to see that you are satisfactorily served. Everything will bear a ticket with the sale price marked in plain figures, and this will be the lowest price ever quoted on an article of equal worth. \$8,000.00 worth of goods must be sold in fifteen days. We know there is only one way to do it—make the prices so ridiculously low that people will come from far and near and supply not only their immediate needs, but future needs for many months to come as well.

These Big Ben Bargain Specials Offer Amazing Savings of Vital Interest to You

John B. Stetson \$5.00 hats, Big Ben half hour sale for 10 a. m. to 10:30 only, Thursday, July 3. \$3 75	Carharts \$1 overalls, Big Ben half hour sale 75c One pair to a customer, Friday, July 4, 10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.	Earl & Wilson \$2.00 Standard Shirts, Big Ben Half Hour sale \$1 35 Only 2 shirts to a customer, Saturday July 5, 10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.	Mallory Cravenette \$3.00 hats, Big Ben Half Hour sale \$1 75 Monday, July 7, 10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.
Commencing at 10 a. m. every morning when you hear Big Ben's loud clarion ring, we will sell one line of goods during the next half hour only at a ridiculously low price—a price so low that you'll scarcely believe your own eyes. These prices will be in effect, only until Big Ben announces that it's 10:30. Every day it's something different for the half hour Big Ben Bargain Special.	We are making these sacrifices on these goods to draw big crowds of people every day, who will see the many attractive bargain all over the store and so buy a great many goods that they would not think of getting if they did not see with their own eyes what unusual bargains were offered. The people who come one day will go home and tell their friends and neighbors about the extraordinary	Don't forget these daily half hour specials 10 to 10:30. Anyone can take advantage of them who has bought 50c worth of any other goods in the store on the same day. This is the only condition upon which you will be entitled to get so much value for so little money as these Big Ben	half-hour Bargain Specials offer. Now, we don't want anyone to be disappointed because they can't get wanted on during any of these half hour specials, if we can help it. We will have all the extra clerks we can use, and will wait on you all just the very best and quickest we can.
Stacy Adams and Stetson \$6.00 shoes and oxfords, Big Ben Half Hour sale for Tuesday, July 8, 10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m. \$4 25	B. V. D. Union suits, \$1.00 and \$1.25 grade, Big Ben Half Hour sale .70c Wednesday, July 9, 10 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.	Walk-Over \$3.50 shoes and oxfords, Big Ben Half Hour sale \$2 50 Thursday, July 10, 10 to 10:30 a. m.	R. L. McDonald union made work shirts Big Ben half hour sale 40c 10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.
			Choice of any straw hat in the house worth up to \$6.00, Big Ben half hour sale \$2 00 Saturday, July 12, 10 to 10:30 a. m.



Your Satisfaction is the most important thing of all to Collier & Hendricks, so we emphasize again the chief rule of this store. "Bring back anything not entirely satisfactory and get your money back without question."

Watch Future Advertisements For HALF-HOUR Special After July 3d

Here Are the Prices

Remember that these are extraordinarily low prices—Many lots will be closed out quick. Others will last for several days because the stock of them is so big, but the very thing you want most may be the first to go, so come as soon as you can. Be sure and be here at 9 a. m. Thursday, July 3, and get some of the Free Cash, too

McDonald
Union Made Shirts,
\$1.00 grade, Big Ben
Sale Price
80c

\$30.00 Stein-Bloch suits	\$22 50
\$25.00 Stein-Bloch suits	\$18 75
\$22.50 Stein-Bloch suits	\$16 80
\$20.00 Kirschbaum suits	\$15 00
\$15.00 Kirschbaum suits	\$11 50
\$12.50 suits	\$9 35
\$10.00 suits	\$7 50
25 odd suits reduced to	\$5 00

Stacy Adams \$6.00 oxfords, blucher or button, in black or Russia calf, Big Ben sale price \$4 80	Boys' Knickerbocker suits, \$7.50 reduced to \$5 00	Boys' Knickerbocker suits \$12.50 reduced to \$9 50	Boys' Knickerbocker suits \$8.50 reduced to \$6 00	Boys' Knickerbocker suits \$15 reduced to \$10 00	Boys' Knickerbocker suits, \$10 reduced to \$7 50	One lot of men's 10 cent hose, Big Ben sale 5c
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We can not quote prices in this advertisement on half the items contained in our great stock. There are scores of unadvertised bargains that are equally as great as the advertised ones. We'll have plenty of good clerks so that the crowds can be carefully and promptly served. Your money back as quick as a wink if you had rather have it than the goods. Select the goods you like, buy and take them home or to other stores and compare them with the best values you can get elsewhere. Then you'll begin to realize how much we save you on every purchase you make at this Big Ben Sale.

One lot of men's oxfords in tan, black and patent leather, values up to \$6.00, choice in Big Ben sale \$2 75	Choice of boys' oxfords up to \$3.00 value, Big Ben sale \$1 50	MEN'S TROUSERS	\$5.00 grade reduced to \$4 00	\$4.00 grade reduced to \$3 20	\$3.50 grade reduced to \$2 80	\$3.00 grade reduced to \$2 40	One lot of boys' neck band shirts to wear with white collars, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 grade, choice while they last, Big Ben Sale 35c
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Don't forget the Half-Hour Big Ben Bargain Specials EVERY DAY from 10 to 10:30 a. m. Practically everything in the store is included in this great sale. Every last article to be sold regardless of what it brings. Come in the forenoon if you can. Look for the Big Blue Signs. Remember CASH GIVEN AWAY at the opening hour, 9 a. m. Thursday, July 3.

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No better flour made
Ask your grocer for it

WANT ADS

WANTED
G. A. Dunn, 619 Ohio Avenue, wants second hand furniture. 39 13tc

WANTED—To fix your furniture and stoves. We repair and buy anything and sell everything. Wichita Furniture & Second Hand Co. Phone 528. 75 tfo.

Work wanted by boy 17 years, A1 worker and reliable. Excellent recommendations. Address 1815 9th street. Phone 1409. 41 3tp

WANTED—Agents everywhere to write insurance for the Western Casualty and Guaranty Insurance Co. and the Illinois Bankers Life. If you can only give your spare time I want you. W. M. Arrington, District Manager, room 10, First State Bank and Trust Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. 42 3tp

Girls of executive ability are wanted for hotel positions in the best hotels. Good character and willingness to work absolute requirements. Apply District Traffic Chief. 42 tfo

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms; south exposure; modern conveniences, 907 Travis. 13 tfo

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms. 904 Scott. 25 tfo

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1505 Travis. 30 tfo

FOR RENT—Front bed room; modern. 905 Travis. 40 3tp

FOR RENT—South bedroom. 1109 Lamar. 40 3tp

FOR RENT—Fifteen newly furnished cool rooms. 809 12 Indiana Avenue. Ed Carnes. 40 26tp

FOR RENT—One furnished room with private bath. 1216 12th street. Phone 1402. 40 26tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, close to car line, call at 1306 Taylor. Phone 1402. 41 3tp

FOR RENT—Four furnished housekeeping rooms in modern cottage for two months, beginning July 3rd. Phone 554, or call 1310 9th street. 41 3tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 512 Travis. Phone 940. 34 tfo

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 704 Burnett, phone 1476. 37 tfo

FOR RENT OR SALE—The furnishings for a 4-room house, house can be rented if desired. Call 307 sixth street. 41 3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. No children. 1404 Scott, phone 753. 41 tfo

FOR RENT—Nice cool bed rooms for gentlemen. Close in. 606 Travis. 41 3tp

FOR RENT—Nice furnished rooms, with board, close in. Everything new and clean. Phone 708 or call at 1103 Scott. Mrs. Maggie Carlton. 26 tfo

OR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. No children. 1404 Scott, phone 753. 25 tfo

FOR RENT—Two rooms in elegant new brick house, Floral Heights, suitable for light housekeeping. Phone 1245. 42 3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Modern. 903 Austin. Phone 273. 40 3tp

FOR RENT—3 nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1416 8th or phone 1140. 40 3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1501 Tenth street. Phone 247. 40 3tp

FOR RENT—Three nice bed rooms, with or without board. 1911 Sixteenth and Austin. 31-3tc

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 707 Burnett. Inquire at 1009-7th. 42 3tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with board. 110 Indiana. 42 3tc

FOR RENT—Furnished room, all conveniences, 807 Lamar. 42 tfo

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms in private family. Modern, close in. Apply 907 Scott. 42 3tc

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A good cook, also man to milk and look after yard. Good shade preferred. R. E. Huff. 40 3tc

WANTED—First-class white chambermaid. Westland hotel. 42 tfo

WANTED—Hard working young men and ladies to enroll with us at only \$12.50 per month, or life scholarship \$40. E. R. Roberts, President Wichita Business College. 42 tfo

WANTED—Middle aged chambermaid at St. James hotel. 40 3tc

YOUNG MAN—Be a barber. I teach you quickly, cheaply, thoroughly and furnish tools. I give you actual shop work and you keep half the receipts. Write me for catalogue. A. B. Moler, Pres. Moler College, Fort Worth, Tex. 39 6tp

WANTED—Man and wife on farm. D. E. Thomas, R. F. D. No. 5. 41 3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WANTED—To trade for all kinds of second hand furniture or stoves. Bessey Furniture Company, 817 Indiana Avenue; phone 597. 45 tfo

TO TRADE—Lots 5 and 6, block 57, restricted district, Floral Heights, sewer, will trade for other lots in the addition. Otto Stehlik, office old post office building, phone 692. 40 3tp

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE REAL ESTATE—Three lots in Electric worth \$350, will sell for cash the three \$25. No trades. Have been offered \$350 but did not want to sell, need cash now. Address A. M. Taber, P. O. box 75, Amarillo. 39 6tc

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Four grade Jersey fresh milk cows. S. A. Haines, R. F. D. No. 5. Phone 1618-13. 25 tfo

FOR SALE—Fine registered Jersey cow, been fresh only 3 months, giving 3 1/2 gallons, could easily be put to 4 gallons. No finer cow in Wichita county. Perfectly gentle, without a single fault. This cow is worth \$125. Phone 748 after 6 p. m. or call at 1206 11th street and see the cow. First check for \$75.00 gets her. 32 tfo

Too Good to Be True

A new modern 5-room house with every convenience on east front lot, one block from car line, Floral Heights. Price \$2,000.00. Terms \$200 cash and balance to suit.

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Cravens, Maer & Walker
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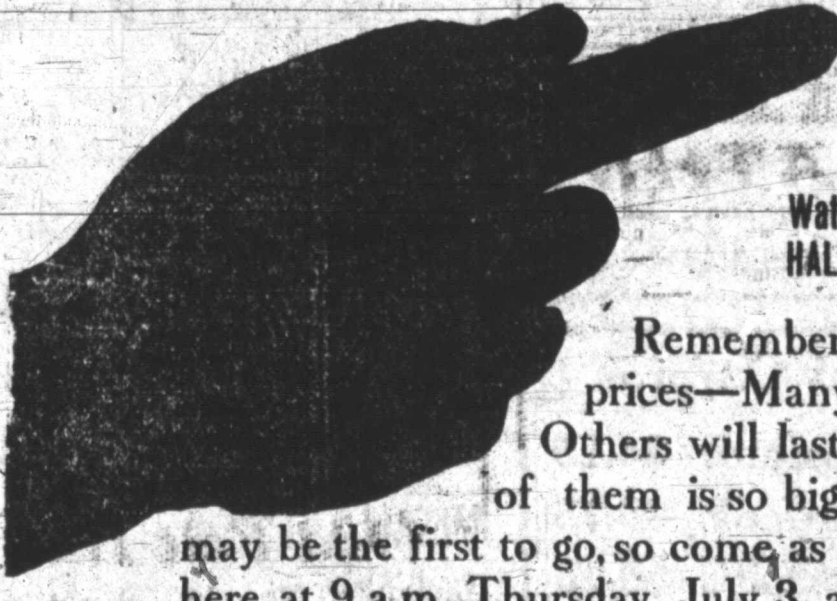
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These Big Ben Bargain Specials Offer Amazing Savings of Vital Interest to You

John B. Stetson \$5.00 hats, Big Ben half hour sale for \$3 75 10 a. m. to 10:30 only, Thursday, July 3.	Carharts \$1 overalls, Big Ben half hour sale 75c One pair to a customer, Friday, July 4, 10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.	Earl & Wilson \$2.00 Standard Shirts, Big Ben Half Hour sale \$1 35 Only 2 shirts to a customer, Saturday July 5, 10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.	Mallory Cravenette \$3.00 hats, Big Ben Half Hour sale \$1 75 Monday, July 7, 10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.
Commencing at 10 a. m. every morning when you hear Big Ben's loud claxon ring, we will sell one line of goods during the next half hour only at a ridiculously low price—a price so low that you'll scarcely believe your own eyes. These prices will be in effect, only until Big Ben announces that it's 10:30. Every day it's something different for the half hour Big Ben Bargain Special.			
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Choice of any straw hat in the house worth up to \$6.00, Big Ben half hour sale \$2 00 Saturday, July 12, 10 to 10:30 a. m.			



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PERSONAL MENTION

J. Lee Jackson, formerly of this city, but now living in Shreveport, La., is in the city for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Jackson, on Teala street.

Joe Rayburn, a prominent merchant of Dundee, returned to his home yesterday afternoon, after a business trip to this city.

Clend Mason, who now makes his home in Seymour where he is connected with the Mill & Elevator Company, returned to this city yesterday afternoon, after spending a day or two here with relatives.

Dr. Everett Jones left last night for Dallas, accompanied by C. C. Huff, who goes to that city to be examined concerning his health.

Hon. Patrick Henry returned yesterday afternoon from Dalworth where he is in charge of a business college.

Miss Vera McKenzie and Miss Winnie Pickens, who have been visiting Miss Mary Tittle, 1500 14th street, left yesterday for their home at Henrietta.

A. L. Huey, past excited ruler of Wichita Falls Lodge B. P. O. E. will leave Thursday for Rochester, New York, to attend the National Convention of that fraternity. Before returning he intends to visit Washington and hopes for an opportunity to pay his compliments to President Wilson. He will carefully avoid the semblance of a lobbyist or an office seeker. Mr. Huey will be absent several weeks.

Judge Geo. E. Miller of Fort Worth was in the city today.

M. Dobson, a prominent citizen of Burkburnett, was here today on business.

George Stocking of Clarendon, who for the last two years has been attending school at the University of Texas, passed through here this afternoon enroute back to his home to spend the summer.

Tom Kemp of Olney was in the city today on business.

Mrs. Vera Jones and children arrived here recently from their home in Burkburnett, and will spend several days with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McAbee and two children left this afternoon for Denver, Colorado, where they will spend several weeks before leaving for California to remain for the rest of the summer. Two of their children, Walter and John, left for California Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas, after visiting their son, Mack Thomas, on Teala street, returned to their home in Sulphur Springs today.

Mrs. W. C. Lowery and son arrived this afternoon from their home in Dallas to spend several days with Mrs. R. P. Webb and Mrs. D. J. White.

J. R. Stokes returned to Mineral Well this afternoon after spending a short time with his family.

H. A. Gauswitz, general superintendent of the Fort and Denver, accompanied by R. G. Fitzpatrick, left for Wichita Valley points today.

Miss Phoebe Bishop of Georgetown, is expected to arrive tomorrow to visit her friend, Miss Esther Goralline.

Miss Louise Bullitt returned this afternoon to Electra, after a visit with Miss Mike McGinley here.

Miss Mike McGinley left this afternoon for points in South Texas to remain for some time with relatives.

Charlie Geary is in receipt of information from his company that the firm has been awarded the contract for paving one of the business streets of Bryan, Texas. Mr. Geary represents the Southern Westrumite Co. which is seeking the contract here for the Tenth street paving.

M. E. Atkins of Denison, has accepted a position as store manager for the McGrattan-Millsaps Co.

L. E. Stone returned this morning from a week's visit to his old home at Clarinda, Iowa.

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REFORMS BLOCKED BY TEXTILE MEN

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are declared to have been born free and equal, and

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"3. That we demand the restoration of our rights by the abolition of child labor in America."

PHYSICIANS FAIL TO REPORT BIRTHS

Incomplete Records Show Stork Fell Far Behind Here During Month of June

The reaper outran the stork here in June or else the physicians of the city have failed to report a number of births to City Health Officer Dr. Mark Moore. Only five births were reported to Dr. Moore during June while the

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deaths which have not all been reported, will probably reach twenty-five. One undertaker has already reported fourteen deaths.

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