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GRAPHIC STORY OF ERUPTION

ASSOCIATED PRESS MAN AT TOKIO GIVES FIRST DETAILED ACCOUNT OF DISASTER

LURID SCENES PICTURED

Human Beings and Animals in Wild Stampedes When Rain of Fire Descended

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, Feb. 7.—The first detailed account of the eruption of Sakura-Jima on the southern coast of Japan, is received here today by mail from the Tokio correspondent of the Associated Press. The loss of life, conservatively estimated at "several hundred," not only was the island of Sakura-Jima itself, with 170000 inhabitants, but a forest of flaming lava and buried under a half of incandescent rocks, but the beautiful city of Kagoshima overlooking the Golden Gate of Japan was partly destroyed, several towns and villages on the mainland to the east were sorely hit and the villages of Akamizu, Yokoyama and Koike literally were swallowed up by the molten lava.

Until they are dug out no specific count of lives lost will be possible. The account says:
"First Hand Story of Eruption.
"While a Tokio audience of Japanese was assembled at the Imperial Theatre throwing moving pictures of the last days of the eruption, the subject of the fire of their own empire impressed for more than a century were surging upward beneath the island of Sakura-Jima. Soon began an eruption so fierce as to be thereby to take place with the historic eruption of Vesuvius. The 22,000 inhabitants of Sakura-Jima fled wildly in all directions in a pitiful quest for food and shelter. Shrieks of terror filled the air from one end of the island to the other.

"From thickly settled villages and from houses embosomed in groves of orange, peach and plum the farmers rushed to the shores of the bay; horses neighed and snorted in terror and all man and domestic cattle cried to be let loose. Many freed themselves and began a wild stampede through and over their human companions. The fearful catastrophe was so overwhelming in its sudden descent that there had been no preliminary warning.

"Splendid discipline at Kagoshima saved the day there. Box cars were backed onto the sidings and with remarkable promptness the crowds of the city were carried northward to safety. For a week the volcano continued intermittently its flow of hot lava and incandescent cinders. The boldest inhabitants ventured back again, only to be driven off. An official estimate of the damage done by the volcano, charged to an immeasurable lofty column of twisting smoke laced with flame and with a hail of fiery missiles. A great shower of ashes rained on the panic stricken population. The ashes became blazing cinders and the cinders flaming rods. Along the shore the villagers and peasants flung themselves into boats moored on the beach or plunged into the gulf. From Kagoshima, a dozen steamers came full speed to the rescue. Their prompt aid saved thousands from drowning.

"Some conception of the immensity of the outpouring of lava may be had when it is known that the flow pushed its way across the Gulf of Kagoshima which is from thirty to eighty fathoms deep to the mainland converting the island into a peninsula.

WILL CLEAR PEN OF PRISONERS

GOV. BLEASE ANNOUNCES INTENTION TO EMPTY PENITENTIARY BY PARDONING

GIVES VENT TO ANGER

South Carolina Executive Threatens Witness at Hearing With Personal Violence

By Associated Press.
Columbia, S. C., Feb. 7.—An angry outburst by Gov. Cole L. Blease containing threats of personal violence directed at a witness, and testimony by the governor to the effect that he expected to clear the South Carolina penitentiary of all prisoners by next August were the features of an inquiry into the conditions at the state hospital for the insane, which today was instituted before a special legislative committee here. Dr. J. W. Babcock, superintendent of the hospital under investigation, aroused the ire of Gov. Blease when he testified that he had learned on good authority that certain charges affecting the conduct of the hospital had been overheard by Gov. Blease. The governor exclaimed:

"That's false." The governor added something else in a low tone which was construed as a threat against the witness. Members of the investigation committee immediately shifted the inquiry to other matters and the incident was closed.

Later Governor Blease as a witness told the committee his assertions that an effort would be made to discredit and dismiss Dr. Babcock were based on statements of the asylum superintendent himself. Senator B. R. Tillman also was a witness. He told the committee that his assertions that an effort would be made to discredit and dismiss Dr. Babcock were based on statements of the asylum superintendent himself. Senator B. R. Tillman also was a witness. He told the committee that his assertions that an effort would be made to discredit and dismiss Dr. Babcock were based on statements of the asylum superintendent himself.

MANDAMUS PROCEEDINGS NOW THROUGHT UNLIKELY.

By Associated Press.
Austin, Texas, Feb. 7.—Indications point to an abandonment of the mandamus which was proposed to be instituted against the commissioner of insurance and banking by the Texas Employers Insurance Association to compel approval of the association's rates under the employers' liability act. Homer R. Mitchell, general manager of the association, came here today to confer with Commissioner Collier and Attorney General Looney on the subject.

JURY FINDS TAX ON POLES REASONABLE

City of Dallas Wins First Round in Legal Battle With Telephone Company

By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Feb. 7.—A district court jury today held that a tax of two dollars per year per pole levied against the Southwestern Telephone company, was reasonable, but that a tax of twenty-five cents per mile per year for underground wires was unreasonable. The jury held that twenty years was the proper time limit of franchise to which no limit or time restrictions had been set when granted.

The jury's findings will be used by attorneys for the city and the telephone company in arguments upon which to base a decision in the city's suit for \$26,000 pole and wire tax against the company.

SIX AMERICANS SUFFOCATED

VICTIMS WERE PASSENGERS ON TRAIN BLOCKED IN TUNNEL BY MEXICAN BANDIT

MANY MEXICANS KILLED

Special Train Carrying Rescue Party Leaves Juarez—75 Coffins Were Asked For

By Associated Press.
Juarez, Feb. 7.—Six Americans and forty or fifty Mexicans whose fate has been a mystery since the destruction of the Cumbre tunnel last Wednesday were suffocated. This information was received here tonight at the headquarters of the Mexico Northwestern railroad. The tragedy is laid at the door of Maximo Castillo, the Mexican bandit.

Special Train to Scene

A special train carrying twenty Americans led by W. J. Farragut of the Mexico Northwestern railroad, fifty coffins and a rescue outfit left here tonight for the scene. The exact number of persons aboard the passenger train, which consisted of one first class, two second class coaches, baggage and express and a freight car, is not known. First reports put the number at thirty-five, while seventy-five was the number stated in a request for coffins. This evidently was only an estimate, however, as the searching party led by Dr. F. C. Herr was unable to penetrate far enough into the tunnel to count the dead. Bodies, it is expected, will be found strewn along the tunnel.

Dr. Herr reached a body within 300 feet of the north entrance to the tunnel. It was that of Juan Fernandez, rear brakeman of the train. As the passenger train did not stop until within a few hundred feet of the freight train, which Castillo had set fire to the tunnel several hours before, Fernandez must have staggered and crawled nearly a mile before he succumbed.

Reprisals on Castillo

Railroad men here and at El Paso are furious at Castillo's act. On Tuesday twenty-two of his men were captured and executed by the rebels, and the next day, apparently in revenge, he captured the freight train, ran it into the south end of the tunnel about 300 feet and there set fire to it.

The passenger train entered the death trap from the north probably traveling at a rate of fifteen miles an hour. When the engineer discovered the trap it was too late. Castillo's failure to send back warning of his deed is regarded as the most cruel and murderous act of his career of outlawry and there is a disposition here to criticize Gen. Francisco Villa for not having him crushed long ago.

The Missing Americans

The missing Americans, all employees of the railroad, are: M. G. Bennett, superintendent of the Chihuahua division; H. Scofield, superintendent of terminals at Juarez; Le Williams, assistant manager of commissary; H. P. Maders, express agent; E. J. McCutcheon, engineer; and U. E. Webster, conductor.

Two Coyboys were responsible for a report that all had escaped and the Americans had been held for ransom. There was rejoicing at this but it was short-lived; soon after the bulletins from Dr. Herr began to arrive. Departure by the rescue train was delayed by a telegram from Secretary of State Bryan to American Consul Edwards, demanding that a train of soldiers be dispatched to prevent attacks by Castillo on the Americans. The consul's order was acceded to immediately by General Benavides, and the task of getting together another train was begun. It will carry 300 rebel soldiers.

REBELS PLAN CAMPAIGN ON THE WEST COAST.

By Associated Press.
Culcan, Mexico, Feb. 7.—Gen. Obregon, constitutionalist commander of military operations in Northwest Mexico, arrived here today to confer with General Carranza and insurgent military officials. It was said the purpose of the conference was to lay plans which would result in sudden activity of constitutionalist forces along the west coast.

CAMPAINING WILL BEGIN WHEN AMMUNITION IS RECEIVED FROM THE UNITED STATES. Orders have been issued to recruit the Sinaloa state troops to a full division which would raise their strength to 12,000 men.

DUTCH BATTLESHIP MAY PROCEED TO MEXICO.

By Associated Press.
The Hague, Feb. 7.—The Dutch battleship Coronaer is being fitted out to proceed to Mexican waters in anticipation of complications, according to the newspaper Vaderland.

FOUR BELOW REGISTERED AT KANSAS CITY

By Associated Press.
Kansas City, Feb. 7.—Shifting winds tonight brought partial relief from a cold wave that has prevailed over the Southwest, and temperatures throughout the affected section were from fifteen to twenty degrees higher. In Kansas City, where the mercury stood four degrees below zero early today, a temperature of eleven above was registered at nine o'clock tonight.

WEATHER FORECAST

Sunday—FAIR; not so cold.

\$1,000,000 PRIZE MAY BE OFFERED

THAT SUM PROPOSED IN AROUND WORLD FLIGHT FOR WINNER

120 DAYS TIME ASKED

Co-Operation of 400 Air Clubs Will be Enlisted in Panama-Pacific Contest

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, Feb. 7.—One million dollars, officials of the Panama-Pacific Exposition announced today, now is the prize proposed for an "Around the world flight" in any form of air craft starting and finishing in the exposition grounds in 1915. The project of jumping the prize money from \$300,000 to \$1,000,000 came, it was announced, from the Aero Club of America and has a string to it—the extending of the time limit now set at ninety days.

As announced here, the idea of the Aero Club of America is to get more time perhaps thirty additional days in which the world may be circled. If this can be done, the co-operation of more than 400 air clubs the world over can be obtained, the Aero Club men report, and the raising of a million dollars, it is said, will not be difficult.

RESERVE BANK HEARING AT AUSTIN MONDAY

Big Delegation of Bankers From Principal Cities of State Will Attend

By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Feb. 7.—Upwards of fifty bankers and business men from this section have announced they will go to Austin to meet Secretaries McAdoo and Houston Monday and present Texas' claims for a regional reserve bank. Nathan Adams, president of the Bankers' Association will head the Dallas delegation.

AUSTIN BANKERS WILL SUPPORT HOUSTON.

By Associated Press.
Austin, Texas, Feb. 7.—Officers of the three national banks and one State bank here will attend the regional bank hearing Monday. Austin bankers are ready to help Houston secure a reserve bank if that city makes a fight for it. They favor a bank in Texas and falling that one in St. Louis.

HOUSTON BANKERS TO URGE CITY'S CLAIMS.

By Associated Press.
Houston, Tex., Feb. 7.—Financiers, commercial organizations, representatives and others will attend the hearing at Austin Monday. While the main contention is for a bank in Texas with a view to showing that a regional reserve bank should be located in Texas to move the annual cotton crop, if for no other reason.

GALVESTON WANTS RESERVE BANK FOR COTTON.

By Associated Press.
Galveston, Texas, Feb. 7.—Representatives of this city to the reserve hearing in Austin Monday have been instructed to present the case of Galveston with a view to showing that a regional reserve bank should be located in Texas to move the annual cotton crop, if for no other reason.

100 FROM FORT WORTH WILL ATTEND HEARING.

By Associated Press.
Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 7.—A special train will carry 100 Fort Worth bankers and business men to Austin Monday for the regional bank hearing.

SAN ANTONIO BANKERS FAVORABLE TO ST. LOUIS.

By Associated Press.
San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 7.—At least three bankers of this city will attend the bank hearing in Austin Monday. No concerted action in reference to securing a reserve bank in Texas is contemplated, the majority of San Antonio bankers favoring St. Louis as their reserve agent rather than Houston or Dallas.

\$25,000,000 APPROPRIATION FOR ROAD BUILDING

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 7.—The House today adopted a general debate on the good roads bill appropriating \$25,000,000 for federal aid to the States in road construction. Its passage next week is believed to be virtually certain. Representative Kent of California attacked the bill today, declaring it was a "pork barrel measure" designed to "patch up political fences and prop tottering political organizations."

ASK COLQUITT TO APPOINT HUGHES

WELL KNOWN WICHITA FALLS LAWYER WILL LIKELY SUCCEED JUDGE MARTIN.

SENTIMENT IS UNANIMOUS

All Members of Bar in Wichita and Clay Counties Sign Petition to Governor

Petitions bearing the unanimous endorsements of the members of the Wichita and Clay county bar associations were forwarded to Governor Colquitt Saturday night requesting that he appoint Judge A. A. Hughes of this city to fill the unexpired term of Hon. P. A. Martin as judge in the 30th judicial district. These endorsements went forward by the same mail that carried Judge Martin's letter of resignation.

It developed last night that Governor Colquitt has favorably considered Judge Hughes' appointment having been apprised of the intended resignation of Judge Martin several days ago when District Attorney Scurry visited Austin.

Judge A. H. Carrigan and County Attorney T. R. Boone went to Henrietta Saturday afternoon where they found the members of the Henrietta bar delighted to endorse the petition of the Wichita Falls jurist. The action of the Henrietta attorneys is especially pleasing here.

The Henrietta petition asking the appointment of Judge Hughes follows:

Hon. O. B. Colquitt, Governor of Texas, Austin, Texas.
Dear Sir: Whereas Judge P. A. Martin, Judge of the 30th judicial district has resigned as such judge, we, the undersigned, being members of the Henrietta bar, respectfully request that you appoint Hon. A. A. Hughes Judge of said district to fill such vacancy. Most respectfully yours,

LUCIAN W. BARRISH,
Wm. WANTLAND,
R. E. TAYLOR,
LESLIE HUMPHREY,
P. W. STINE, Co. Atty.,
W. G. EUSTICE,
J. C. CHESTNUT,
T. R. JAMES.

Judge Hughes, aside from the fact that he served the city for two or three years as alderman, has never held public office. He was elected by the people, it may truthfully be said, over his own protest but after the people had spoken he was too good a citizen to refuse to serve them.

The unanimous endorsement given him by the two bars is a tribute to his worth and ability and in the event he receives the appointment, which the Times believes is almost certain, he will, in all probability, offer for reelection at the expiration of the term, and the people of this district will be given an opportunity to endorse the action of the lawyers of this and Clay counties. The Times believes their verdict will be almost if not quite as unanimous as that of the attorneys.

I. C. C. DIRECTED TO CONTINUE INVESTIGATION.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 7.—Senator Norris' resolution directing the Interstate Commerce Commission to continue its investigation of New Haven railroad affairs was passed today by the Senate in a modified form. The modification specifies that the commission need not duplicate any of its previous work and leaves it to the discretion of the commission whether to accept the information it desired. This information was called for by the resolution in the following language: "What became of the funds of the New Haven, invested in various enterprises mentioned in the recent report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, whether the person or persons authorizing investment of those funds and the person or persons receiving the benefit are liable to punishment under existing laws; whether these funds can be recovered on behalf of stockholders of said company; what legislation, if any, is necessary to prevent the recurrence of similar transactions."

MRS. MUNCEY'S CASE GIVEN TO JURY AT 1:30 SATURDAY.

By Associated Press.
Plainville, Texas, Feb. 7.—The jury which is trying Mrs. Bertie Muncy for the alleged murder of her husband retired at 1:30 this afternoon. The court room was packed and so intense was the sentiment over the killing that armed deputies kept constant watch in court for signs of an outbreak.

A dramatic incident of the final argument came today when one of the defense attorneys leaped upon the table in front of the jury box, then fell upon it, illustrating his theory of how Jim Muncy dropped when he was killed.

MANY PROBLEMS BEFORE CONGRESS

COMMITTEES BUSY WITH DETAILS OF ADMINISTRATION'S ANTI-TRUST PROGRAM

REPUBLICANS WERE PEEVED

Don't Like Rejection of Their Amendments by Democrats in Executive Session

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 7.—How far the administration shall go with regulation of prohibition of holding companies, perfection of the pending interstate trade commission measure, drafting of a measure giving the Interstate Commerce Commission authority to regulate railroad securities and efforts to secure harmonious action, are tasks in store for the committees in Congress in charge of the administration anti-trust legislation program.

Having had the subject of anti-trust legislation before them for two weeks considering bills outlined by President Wilson in his message to Congress and listening to suggestions from citizens, House and Senate leaders have a clearer understanding of what is before them, but many points have arisen upon which further light is desired. Further conferences with the president are contemplated.

Republican Members Indignant

Senate leaders today sought to placate Republican members of the interstate commerce committee who have expressed indignation because amendments proposed by them and considered by the full committee were rejected by the democratic members in executive session. Senator Cummins, author of several proposed amendments, and Senator Clapp left a meeting of the committee yesterday when they learned of this action. Senator Newland, chairman of the committee, and some of his colleagues today told the republican members that their cooperation in perfecting the trust bills was earnestly desired and assured them that no final disposition of amendments was intended to be taken in conferences of democratic members alone.

House Judiciary and Interstate commerce committees will continue their hearings next week. Representative Morgan of Oklahoma told the House committee on interstate commerce today that the administration bill to create a Federal trade commission is objectionable because it would give the commission jurisdiction over all corporations engaged in interstate business instead of limiting jurisdiction to large corporations commonly known as trusts.

WAITERS CAN ORDER BEER FOR PATRONS

Attorney General Holds Allusion Act Does Not Compel a Diner to Carry Own Beer

By Associated Press.
Austin, Texas, Feb. 7.—There is nothing in the Allison act which would prohibit the porter of a hotel or waiter or servant thereof or the person transporting, carrying or delivering intoxicating liquors to any person where the transaction takes place in wet territory. We do not believe there is anything in the Allison act which would prohibit the waiter in the hotels or restaurants from procuring for a guest of the hotel or restaurant, intoxicating liquors to be served in such hotel or restaurant.

This was the opinion of the attorney general's department today on a phase of the Allison law that has caused a little contention and created some discussion by hotel and restaurant keepers throughout the State, following an opinion of the controller, to the effect that the Allison law prohibited this phase. The Allison law as construed today holds that it is effective only in dry territory and is not applicable to wet territory.

318 PERSONS KILLED BY TEXAS RAILROADS

Injured in 1913 Numbered 7029—Commissions Report Shows Mileage Increase

By Associated Press.
Austin, Texas, Feb. 7.—Railroads in Texas showed an increase in mileage on main lines and branches of 342 1/2 miles over 1912, as compared with the year ending June 30, 1913, according to the report of the railroad commission just issued and ready for submission to the governor. There were 15,203 miles of main line and branches in 1913 and 3970 miles of yard tracks and sidings.

The report shows that during the year 318 persons were killed and 7029 injured. Gross earnings totaled \$116,460,675 and officers and employees number 69,259.

MERCURY DOWN TO EIGHT ABOVE

LOWEST FOR WINTER REACHED SATURDAY—TODAY PROBABLY NOT SO COLD

COLD WAVE STATEWIDE

Damage To Fruit Crop and Truck Gardens Reported From and South Texas Points

With the mercury down to eight degrees above zero, Wichita got a touch of honest to goodness winter yesterday morning. It was the coldest morning of the winter, but the weather was not noticeable as it was Friday morning when the change had been sudden. Since early Friday morning the temperature has been below the freezing point continuously.

"Not so cold" is the prediction for today. Yesterday's weather moderated considerably after the early morning and the absence of Friday's chilling north wind kept things from being as uncomfortable as they had been.

FREEZING TEMPERATURES THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Feb. 7.—Ten degrees above zero was registered by the United States weather bureau yesterday. The cold covered the entire State, ranging from four above at Amarillo to the freezing point at Galveston. Apparently the freeze in South Texas was not sufficient to damage seriously the strawberries and other spring garden crops. Some damage was reported from East Texas, however. Citrus fruit growers report no damage. Grain crops of North and West Texas also escaped serious harm and the fruit crop of the entire State was damaged only slightly because few trees were in bud.

At Denison railroad companies rounded fruit crates into round houses where they were warmed with steam pipes when the temperature dropped ten above.

FRUIT CROP REPORTED BADLY DAMAGED AT TYLER.

By Associated Press.
Tyler, Texas, Feb. 7.—The temperature here today was fourteen above zero. The fruit crop is badly damaged and hundreds of thousands of tomato and cabbage plants were killed.

CITRUS FRUIT BELT HAS ESCAPED DAMAGE.

By Associated Press.
Houston, Texas, Feb. 7.—Ice was plentiful here this morning with a minimum temperature of fourteen above zero. The freeze extended well over the coast citrus belt, but no damage is feared as temperature at least ten degrees lower is necessary to harm even orange trees.

MUCH CONCERN IS FELT AT BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS.

By Associated Press.
Brownsville, Texas, Feb. 7.—Much concern is felt over this section for the safety of vegetables now growing in the fields. Damage so far has been slight. Farmers precautions last night to cover the tomato crops and smudge pots are being prepared for tonight.

J. W. BAILEY FORESEES PERIL TO COUNTRY

Demagoguery and Socialism Evils to be Overcome—Cites Wilson's Domination

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Feb. 7.—The country has emerged from basic rule only to enter on a conflict with demagoguery and socialism, said former United States Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey at the annual banquet tonight of the Michigan society of Chicago, "the boss is better than the demagogue, because it is easier to get rid of him." The two men who are most prominent at present in our politics are the two who have denounced the bosses most unsparingly, and they are the two men, above all, who have acted the boss to the very limit. One of them, at the head of a party not now in power, poses as will on his associates with an impudently which finds no parallel in our history. The head of the party to which I belong controls the Senate and House of Representatives as if they were subordinate branches of the government.

"Socialism is monopoly run mad and spells quicker death than monopoly. Radicalism is only a milder form of socialism, a different stage of the same disease. The radical either must go on and become a socialist or come back and be a conservative."

AIRSHIP FLIES 65 MILES AN HOUR EIGHT HOURS.

By Associated Press.
Potsdam, Germany, Feb. 7.—The latest Zeppelin airship attained an average speed of sixty-five miles an hour on her eight hours trial from Friedrichshaven to this place today.

Wichita County Leads

Wichita county, the smallest county in the twenty-eighth senatorial district, shows a long lead over any other county in the district in scholastic census, poll tax payments and assessed valuation, in 1913, according to figures from the Texas Almanac, just issued. The figures follow:

County	Area in Sq. miles	Scholastic polls census paid 1913	Assessments 1913
Wichita	606	4734	\$18,507,195
Clay	1250	4062	14,483,375
Wilbarger	932	3542	11,466,140
Potter	874	2023	12,577,135
Hardeman	532	2666	8,973,320
Jack	858	2990	7,058,130
Young	821	3295	8,179,578
Hale	1036	1855	8,547,561
Hall	868	2458	5,982,217

Wichita county is twenty-sixth in assessed valuation in the entire state, in spite of the fact that it is 228th in area, there being only twenty-five counties smaller than Wichita. Moreover, Wichita made wonderful strides during 1913, as shown by the increase of 884 polls in poll taxes paid, of which increase 511 was in the city of Wichita Falls.

Verily, the men who believe in our city and county have reason for their faith.

If you happen to be one of these men who for some reason or other have never been able to find in ready-to-wear clothing just exactly what you desire, we want you to step in to this live store and see us. We want to show you that in good clothes from

The House of Kuppenheimer

we can settle this clothes problem of yours by fitting you and your clothes ideas perfectly.

We want you to see yourself in these clothes; to measure them by all the standards of your past experience, and thus judge of their superiority in every respect.

We will not urge you to purchase. We will not have to.

The price we will ask will be the finally convincing MONEY-SAVING argument.

The service and satisfaction you will find in these clothes will insure the steadiness of your patronage.



Ohio Ave. and Eighth St.

Dancing Frocks of Many Kinds are Offered for Tango Events

New York, Feb. 7.—The craze for dancing seems to have taken the world by storm. It is no longer the whim of a few, but of the many. For some time the large restaurants have cleared a dancing place that their patrons may enjoy a between-course feast of the one step, the Boston dip or the much maligned tango. The hotels, feeling that they were losing patronage, racked their brains for some method of bringing the people back to their folds, in their turn instituted the Dansant or Tango Tea.

Between the hours of four and six the tea rooms are filled with a music loving, dancing mad crowd of men and women; and not all of the younger set, either. It is at these gatherings that one may see the latest afternoon styles.

I feel like a drab mouse sipping my tea in a corner while watching gaily dressed couples pass back and forth in the steps that seem at once so simple and so intricate.

It is, I thought, no wonder slashed

taffeta, and double panniers on the skirt also of green taffeta. This is but another of the whimsical Old Lady Fashion's latest ideas.

Very pretty and graceful is the fag of wearing scarfs of chiffon, lace and tulle. Earlier this season, scarfs worn with a black or taupe dress will do as much in adding the striking motif to the costume as a brilliant sash. Some scarfs are plain; others are double, pink on one side and green on the other of brick color on the under side and black on the upper—merely a question of taste and contrast. These are wonderful imported scarfs with borders of gold and silver brocade and others of net with a charming all-over design of multi-colored beads.

A little earlier this same day, while looking through the French salon of a prominent store, I saw a dress skirt with alternate ruffles of pink chiffon and black tulle. The waist had a loose pink chiffon underbody and looser outside portion of black tulle with long flowing sleeves, the pointed ends of which reached the bottom of the skirt.

The waists are noticeably plain, while the upper portions of the skirts are befrilled and befrilled. Slowly the trimming will descend, however, or double box pleated ruffles are being placed around the bottom of silk skirts. For evening wear wreaths of any chiffon follows adorn the center of the ruffle. These same box pleated ruffles of ribbon accentuate the smartness of chiffon or net tunics.

The most beautiful white suits being shown for early spring wear, they are usually of wide wale Bedford cord, serge and ducotyne. Wide

skirts continue to the mode; for how could a woman achieve the different steps of these new dances in the narrow skirts of the period without them? There is no gainsaying that the vogue for dancing has influenced dress very strongly, even the dress of those who look upon the modern dances with disapprobation.

Taffetas in colors grave and gay are prominent at all the dancing teas. A striking, changeable silk frock especially caught my eye the other day. It was worn by a young woman who sailed gracefully by my corner table, leaving a breath of her joyous personality behind. I sketched the frock as it appears in our first illustration.

The bodice is large and blousy—yet not too loose—with fullness enough that the edges of the neckline are gathered to form a full or ruffle of the material, the only trimming. The sleeves are short and finished with a similar full. The skirt is trimmed with two wide bias ruffles, which drop lower on one side than the other. To be strictly in a mode, no two sides of a dress should be the same. The most striking feature of this frock, the one which gives it a touch of distinction, is a broad ribbon sash of brilliant oriental coloring. The ends hang down far behind and are finished with tassels.

On her faint feet, which tripped so lightly to the time of the music, were black satin slippers. A silver buckle, with rhinestones, ornamented the slippers, and the ribbon laces were passed through silver clasps instead of the old-fashioned eyelet.

There is no lessening of the popularity of fur, even with the approach of spring. It is to be seen among the advanced displays, modestly camouflaged with cotton fabrics as well as silk and wool. Marabout will probably have its vogue for summer wear.

Another young woman wore the charming frock pictured in the second sketch. This shows a handsome development of crushed raspberry crepe de Chine, brown fur and creamy net lace. The square neck, sleeves and tunic are edged with bands of fur and from beneath the tunic falls a ruffle of handsome net lace. The fur at neck and sleeves is softened by frills of lace. A wide pan velvet girdle of a deep raspberry color encircles the waist, and just above it a band of brown fur gives a unique finish. The slippers worn with this dress matched the stockings and were worn over white silk stockings.

Another attractive frock was of creamy printed silk having apple-green as the predominating color in the pattern. This was trimmed with a Japanese stand-away color of green

ribbons of bright green, cerise or yellow are worn with these dresses; the more brilliant and starting the color the more fashionable the suit. Some of these suits are lined with silk the same color of the sash, but this is impractical for a white suit, which is bound to have many cleanings. Others are trimmed with brilliant box pleated frills above the cuffs and cords of color following the closing. Among these suits the short coat was much in evidence—short at least in front, sometimes quite long in the back.

Bright blues, greens, yellows, purples and reds are very popular for lining dresses and suits. If you wish to freshen last fall's dress for this spring's wear, just finish every available place with a facing of contrasting satin—and don't be afraid to let it show!

THE VIRGINIAN PLEASED
WICHITA FALLS AUDIENCE

The dramatized novel of Owen Owen Wisters, 'The Virginian,' was presented to fair house at the Wichita Theatre last night. The action of the play takes place in the early '80s in Wyoming and the surrounding and costumes had been faithfully reproduced. There was quite a bit of comedy during the course of the play, good clean comedy. Of course as is customary with western plays, there was a 'bad man' who bears a grudge against the hero. The joy of patches was furnished by the lynching of the cattle rustlers. The action was followed carefully by the audience and when at the close of the play, the villain is shot dead and the hero and his blushing bride are clasped in one another's fond embrace, the joy of the plotters was 'freely manifested.' Taken all in all 'The Virginian' was a pretty good production, and is remarkably free from so-called 'prelims' and 'situations,' which is ac-

counted for by its being an old favorite.

The title role was played by Ray Foster in a realistic and convincing manner. Lew Gorton as Judge Henry, Ethan Allen as Henry Pearson as Steve, all played their parts well and Francis Ingram as Trampson, made an excellent villain. Miss Josephine Randall played the part of the school ma'am and Miss Decima Ingram as Mrs. Hewje and Miss Imogene Maxwell as Mrs. Henry were equally good.

DEATH OF A SISTER
OF SAINT MARY

The following account of the death of Sister St. Henry, at Saint Mary's Academy has been furnished the Times.

Sister St. Henry, Religious of the Sisters of Saint Mary, peacefully expired at the Academy of Mary Immaculate at 3:30 a. m. Friday, fortified by the rites of Holy Mother Church. Her death was the result of heart failure.

The deceased was known in the world as Miss Agnes Schumcker, daughter of Mr. Schumcker, a well known resident of Dallas. She was in the twenty-third year of her age, the fifth of her religious life; and is survived by both parents, five brothers and four sisters, all of Dallas.

Sister's death was a most beautiful one. The complete resignation with which she offered the unreserved sacrifice of her young life to God was truly edifying. Time's destructive hand will prove impotent to efface the impression made by her last words and actions of her bereaved father and brother and Sister Religious, who had the privilege of being at her bedside at the final hour. Her last words were words of farewell, particular and general; her last request was a request for prayers that she might not appear before the Judge with empty hands.

The sad tidings of Sister's death spread rapidly and perceptibly. The effluence of happy voices and merry laughter so peculiar to the school corridors of A. M. I. yielded on Friday before silence and sorrow. Yes, the Angel of Death had passed that way and each young heart became by death in the general grief. Each realized a personal loss for although Sister was only a short time here, she had endeared herself to her pupils and to all who had the happiness of knowing her.

The funeral procession which started from the Academy at eleven o'clock was headed by a cross-bearer attended by four acolytes. After these came in the order following: all the pupils of the Academy in double file; the Reverend Pastor, Father Dudge, vested in cope and stole; the remains of our deceased Sister, followed by eight honorary pall bearers, attired in black and white; the chief mourners, Sister's father, and brother, and the Sisters of St. Mary.

The Church was filled to its capacity, the services for the dead being performed by the Reverend Father Dudge who addressed the Sisters and children in a few but touching words. After this the body was taken to Dallas for interment. Reverend Mother Albertine, American Provincial of the Sisters of Saint Mary, and Sister M.

Angela accompanied the remains to Dallas.

The funeral took place from the Cathedral Dallas Saturday forenoon.

There were eleven union entered in the contest and only four of these have made returns. All showed a very high percentage of their membership with poll tax receipts and it was evident that the contest had borne good fruit.

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IMPROVEMENTS ON KATY SYSTEM

MAIN LINE AND WICHITA FALLS BRANCH ARE TO BE REHABILITATED

HOGG ACT'S VALIDATION

Attorney C. C. Huff Comments On Agreement Reached in Katy Suit On Friday

Nobody knows at the present time just what extensions will be made by the Katy under the terms of the reorganization agreement filed Friday, according to C. C. Huff, general attorney of the Wichita Falls Route who reached home yesterday morning after a sojourn of about three weeks at Austin. Mr. Huff took a leading part in the negotiations which resulted in the agreement, being chief counsel for the Katy of Texas in the proceedings.

Mr. Huff appeared more than pleased with the outcome of the suit and he feels that in securing the validation of the Hogg act of 1891 the Katy has won something worth while. This act's constitutionality has never been finally determined throughout all the twenty-three years that it has been in force.

Mr. Huff would not confirm the report which has been published recently, that he would soon become general attorney of the Katy lines in Texas.

It was Attorney General Looney himself whose efforts led to the compromise being effected. It is learned he and C. M. Cifreton of Bosque county, one of his assistants, framed the decree as it finally was approved. Mr. Cifreton was formerly in the legislature. Luther Nickels, the assistant who largely instrumental in bringing the suit and who represented the State in the various hearings that were held, did not favor the agreement that was finally effected. It is understood.

The reorganization of the Katy of Texas, separate and distinct from the Katy of Kansas, was undertaken at once under the terms of the decree, Mr. Huff stated. The board of directors will consist mainly of Texans who will be agreed upon by Judge Looney and President Schaff of the Katy.

To improve Road Bed. It is thought that one extension that will be undertaken will be that from Waco to the "orphans" branch of the Katy in East Texas, extending from Trinity to Colmear. This extension has long been contemplated and the belief prevails in railroad circles that it will now be effected. The McKinney-Denton extension, concerning which considerable has been published, is not on the program it is understood.

Repairs and improvements of both track and roadbed on the main line and on the Wichita Falls branch are among the first improvements that will be undertaken and this work will probably be completed before the building of any extensions is started. It is proposed to put the entire main line system in first class condition, not counting the repairs which have been made necessary by flood damage.

Hogg Act Validated. The validation of the "Hogg act" of 1891 which is one of the results of the agreement, comes after twenty-three years. During all that period the validity of that measure, which was backed by James S. Hogg himself, has never been settled. The suits have been filed to invalidate the act, but the railroad commission had both of them dismissed before a decision was ever reached. The act in question was passed after the Katy had built into Texas under the charter of the Kansas corporation, when its right to do business in the State without a separate Texas organization was attacked. The Hogg act was passed, incorporating the Katy of Texas and designating the Central Trust Company of New York as trustee for the stock which was held in favor of the Katy of Kansas. During the more than a score of years since the act was passed, its validity was never settled until Friday morning when the decree was filed.

FIGURES ASKED FROM MANUFACTURERS HERE

Statistics as to Total Number of Workers, Annual Payroll and Yearly Output Asked

ROMAN QUESTION MAY BE SETTLED

VATICAN READY TO ACCEPT PAPAL GUARANTEE FROM ITALY

Acting Secretary John W. Thomas is sending out blanks to all the manufacturing establishments in the city asking them to furnish information as to the number of men employed, the annual payroll and the yearly output and its total value. These statistics will be used in advertising the resources of the city. They will be used as totals and the information as to the figures for individual plants will be kept in confidence.

It is believed the total number of men employed, the total payroll and the output of the manufacturing plants will make a showing that will surprise even residents of Wichita Falls.

LOCAL BANKERS WILL NOT ATTEND AUSTIN HEARING

Wichita Falls bankers want to see Dallas selected as the reserve city for the Southwest, but are not losing any sleep over the matter, no one from this city will attend the hearing at Austin tomorrow.

It had been planned for some of the local bankers to go down but none will be able to attend. No action in Dallas favor Federal banks by the banks here, but an informal canvass of the local banks disclosed that they were practically unanimous in their opposition to Dallas land the plan.

THE GOLDMINE STORE READY TO OPEN

Fred Gilhouse has just completed the arrangements of the new store to be known as the Gilhouse Fashion Store, at 815 Indiana Avenue, and is now putting stock for the spring trade. The store will handle exclusively millinery and ladies' ready-to-wear goods, and the very latest in fashion. The store will be ready to open on Monday, Feb. 9.

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FOURTEEN MILLIONS FOR BUILDINGS IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Feb. 7.—Fourteen millions of dollars will be spent by Philadelphia in the erection of public buildings to comprise what is claimed will be the most notable group of municipal structures in the world, according to plans nearing completion today. Starting at the City Hall on the buildings will be erected along a broad parkway with the Municipal Art Gallery at one end, and a Temple of Justice at the other. Other structures will be a central library, central manual training school, Franklin Institute, American Philosophical Society building and a school of industrial art. The Municipal Art Gallery and the Temple of Justice will cost \$3,000,000 each, and the central library \$2,500,000. The school of industrial art is to cost \$1,000,000.

A man never realizes how cheap talk is until some woman offers him a penny for his thoughts.

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A VERY IMPORTANT STEP

Establishment of Peace Between Vatican and Quirinal Would End Papal Imprisonment

Rome, Feb. 7.—Pope Pius has just surprised the entire Catholic world and not a little bit of the international political as well, by what is conceded to be the most important step of his pontificate. This is nothing less than the admission that the Vatican is now willing to accept the condition imposed upon it for forty years when Italy deprived it of its temporal power by the confiscation of Rome and the Papal States. The Vatican does not renounce its claim to temporal power; it admits only the utility of hoping to regain it, but this admission is sufficient to permit the establishment of peace between the Quirinal and Vatican. That such a peace will be brought about is now a practical certainty.

The Roman Question

One of the most conspicuous things that will be gained by a settlement of "The Roman Question" will be the ending of the self-imposed imprisonment of the pontiffs. For forty years no pope has ever been known to leave the Vatican. The Vatican will the final fall of Rome into the hands of the new kingdom of Italy. Pope Pius has the then reigning pontiff shut himself up in the Vatican. He declared himself a prisoner there at the hands of the Italians whom he said robbed him of his temporal power and his means for protecting his person should he ever issue forth. Pope Leo XIII has issued necessary decrees, but this tradition he went even farther in devoting practically his entire pontificate to the furthering of diplomatic relations and intrigues with all of the leading powers in the hope that they might assist him in regaining his temporal kingdom. He died with his dream unfulfilled and the tradition of imprisonment was handed down to Pope Pius X. No one, however, has ever believed that the latter was in full sympathy with it and now this belief has been justified.

Pope Pius, it now appears, has for ten years merely been waiting for an opportune moment and preparing the church in the meantime for the change in policy which he is believed to have always considered inevitable. The moment which he has finally chosen for announcing a change in attitude on part of the Vatican has not been without a certain dramatic background. It seems certain also that the moment was chosen by him all of a year in advance. The last year of 1913 marked the sixteen hundredth anniversary of the accession by the Emperor Constantine of Christianity as the official religion of the state. This was the beginning of the temporal power and political independence of the popes. A little over a year ago Pope Pius decided to celebrate the entire year as an anniversary and the celebration has been carried out at Rome on the most magnificent scale possible. At least 100,000 pilgrims from all parts of the world attended the various functions. This celebration came to a close in the early part of December and it was precisely the close of this celebration of the sixteen hundredth anniversary of the establishing of the church as an independent political entity and power that Pope Pius chose for making it known that the church will no longer insist on it. At the national congress of Catholics held at Milan in honor of the close of the Constantine year, Archbishop Rossi of Udine, a close personal friend of Pope Pius in the opening address to the congress, made known the future attitude of the Vatican.

No Longer Necessary

He announced that society is now organized on such a basis that an independent political state such as had been conferred on the popes by Constantine was no longer necessary in order to insure the spiritual independence of the pope. This independence he admitted could now be secured by other means which would be just as effective. As one of the possible ways of establishing the future spiritual independence of the popes, Monsignor Rossi suggested that the Italian law of Papal Guarantees, which Italy passed at the time it appropriated Rome from the popes, be guaranteed by a number of the leading powers. This law of Papal Guarantees the Vatican has never accepted, although Italy has since constantly stipulated in its part that it guarantees the pope not only absolute spiritual independence but also absolute political independence within the walls of the Vatican and within another small portion of territory where the former summer home of the pope is located. Under the law the pope has a right to receive and send ambassadors to other powers, to maintain his own troops and to be absolutely immune from the laws of Italy. No Italian official, not even the census taker, can enter the Vatican. The person of the pope is also held inviolable and any attempts against his life or dignity are punishable as similar attempts against the King.

CHOLERA MOST DESTRUCTIVE DISEASE TO HOGS

Washington, Feb. 6.—At least ninety per cent of all deaths of hogs from disease in the United States are caused by hog cholera, asserts the department of agriculture in a statement today issued in response to numerous inquiries from farmers concerning methods for distinguishing hog cholera from other swine disease. A number of suggestions are given as an aid to the early recognition of hog cholera. Farmers are urged to remember that cholera kills millions of hogs where other diseases kill thousands and at

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The Times does not feel it out of place right here to say that the man with money to invest in real estate can't do better than put it into Wichita Falls property.

Wichita county needs some good roads. A good road from here to Iowa Park, and from there to Electra, and one to Burk Burnett would not be bad to start with.

Hunt, Phelan and Collins counties have just recently voted bonds for the construction of good roads, and the bonds were voted by a vote of something like 4 to 1.

One thousand dollars a day is a fairly good income. It is the calculated return from the estate of a Missouri brewer.

Many such articles as the above are now finding place in the editorial columns of the leading newspapers and periodicals of the United States.

Rev. Frederick Datson Arrives Friday From Michigan—Will Preach Twice Today

Reverend Frederick Datson and family, the new Episcopal rector, arrived Friday and are now installed in the rectory.

Judge P. A. Martin's resignation, mention of which is made in the news columns of this issue, will be received with deep regret by the bar and by the citizenship of the thirtieth judicial district, which he has served, first as district attorney and for the past three years as district judge.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

The boss merely as a political organizer is not dangerous—merely as a manager who commands the organization and gets out the vote on polling day. He is not to be feared, and he is an almost necessary instrument of politics, but the man we call boss is the agent of those who wish to control politics as their own interest.

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AUSTIN STATESMAN EDITOR VISITOR IN WICHITA FALLS

Myles O'Reilly Home AFTER STAY AT MARLIN

Table with 4 columns: Month, Runs Bbls, Deliv. Bbls. Rows for January through December.

the Panhandle field alone during each month for 1913:

Some Good Gassers A few good gas wells are found in the Panhandle county of Northern Texas. In February a 15,000,000 cubic foot well was drilled in the Petrolia district, by the Amarillo Oil Co. in its second well on the Joyce tract.

The wells drilled in the three fields for the year 1913 were as follows:

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Announcements City Offices, Election Tuesday, April 7 For Mayor: J. B. STOKES, ALEX. BRITAIN, John Marshall: L. N. JERNIGAN, J. B. NAIL, A. J. (Andy) HUMPHRIS, J. A. BURTON.

County Offices For County Tax Collector: B. M. BULLARD, ARTHUR C. HOWARD, GEO. A. SMOOT, SR., J. W. WALKUP.

For County Clerk: CHAS. R. FULLER, M. P. KELLY, E. P. WALSH.

For Sheriff: FRANK L. BURNS, E. L. RANDOLPH, GEORGE A. HAWKINS, R. V. GWINN.

For County Attorney: J. M. BLANKENSHIP, T. B. GREENWOOD, BERNARD MARTIN.

For County Tax Assessor: JOHN ROBERTSON.

For District Clerk: A. F. KERR, C. B. FIEDLER, HARVEY HARRIS.

For County Treasurer: T. W. McHALL.

For County School Superintendent: R. M. JOHNSON.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1, Place 2: W. J. HOWARD.

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

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1, Place 2: J. P. JONES, D. D. McIVER, F. M. TIDWELL.

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Women Politician in Favor of Machine Methods to get Votes

Denver, Feb. 6.—I am a machine politician. By machine I mean not a corrupt body, but an organization pure in principle and certain in purpose.

So spoke today Mrs. Gertrude M. Lee, the first woman in the United States to become chairman of a state central committee of one of the principal political parties.

Mrs. Lee is preparing a strenuous program for herself during her term of office.

"I am a machine—in other words a forceful or harmonious organization—in the only factor which can assure the success of a party," she said today.

"My aim will be to organize our party and to see that Democrats are returned to office in the next election. We cannot afford to let a Republican succeed Senator Thomas when his term of office expires."

"I intend to visit every county in the state and learn the true political conditions. I do not propose to take anybody's word for it by mail or long distance, but to see everything in fine. We must do that, we must be sure."

"I shall try to reorganize local committees everywhere in the state and have the movement started right."

"One of the greatest aims of my life will be to bring the majority of the women of Colorado under the Democratic standard. I am a Democrat for principle's sake, not for political reasons."

The Progressive party claims to be the true representative of women's rights but I hope to make the Democratic party the leading exponent of the equality of women in politics."

Mrs. Lee has been prominent in Colorado politics for many years. During the last legislature, she served as a member of the lower house. Her friends say she has a genius for organization and they predict the great

A Tower Hat for wet weather



The "Protector"

See how the rim protects the eyes, and in back turns every drop on to your slicker. Its soft flannel lining covers the ears if the rain is cold or cold inside when not needed. So soft it may be rolled and carried in the pocket.

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Any kind of Concrete Work. Sidewalks paving, curbs, gutter, etc. Office with Marlow Bros, corner Seventh and Indiana Avenues.

Local News Brevities

Dr. Holding, dentist, office 206 Kemp & Kell building. Phone 206 46 tlc

You are going to die. Have you arranged for your funeral. Join the Moose. They pay \$100 funeral benefit. See advertisement on page two of the second section. 31 tlc

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

Dr. Nelson, Dentist, Bean-Anderson Bldg. Phone 585 and 423. 31 tlc

I make a specialty of changing coal stoves to gas ones, and guarantee to give satisfaction. Phone 456. J. D. Christiansen. 30 tlc

Brotherhood of American Yeomen
All members are requested to be present at the Moose Hall Monday, Feb 9th at 7:30 p. m. Adoption of large class and surprise feature. 31 tlc

If your head aches or your eyes smart or slur or your brain is used to concentrate on the work you have to do it's time you have glasses—the kind we would like to make for you. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 31 tlc

Gold crowns \$4 and up; gold bridges \$4 and up; plain amalgam filling 50 cents. Dr. Kearby, dentist. 98 tlc

Mrs. John Shaw and Mrs. J. M. Sammons will give a tea Thursday, Feb. 12, at the home of the latter for the benefit of the Episcopal Guild. All are cordially invited. A free will offering will be taken. 31 tlc

Can fix your frozen pipes and will attend to them promptly. Phone 456. J. D. Christiansen. 30 tlc

When your eyes are sick you should consult an oculist—a man who has spent the best years of his life in studying eyes. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 31 tlc

How much can I help my fellow-man and how much good in the world can I do? Is the highest and noblest aspiration of a true Knight of Pythias. This is the concrete incultation and admonition of the order of Knights of Pythias. Meets Thursday nights. Dr. J. W. DuVal, C. C. 31 tlc

W. J. Grisham writes all kinds of insurance. Telephone 1588, second floor K. & K. Building. 30 tlc

The ladies of the M. E. Church will conduct a rummage sale February 12, 13 and 14, in the McIntosh building on Ohio avenue. Anyone having articles to contribute to this sale, please notify the president, Mrs. G. W. Corkhill. 31 tlc

Can fix any kind of water heater. All repair work promptly attended to. Phone 456. J. D. Christiansen. 30 tlc

Dr. DuVal, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. Glasses fitted. We know how. 31 tlc

Notice
Wichita Falls, Texas, Feb. 7, 1914.—On and after this date all parties hauling trash, rubbish or garbage in the city and found dumping same on vacant property within the city limits other than at the incinerating plant west of Riverside cemetery, will be arrested and complaint filed in the city court. J. A. Brown, Sanitary Officer. 31 tlc

Suits have been filed in the district court as follows: B. F. Roble vs. Western Union Telegraph Co., damages; Dr. J. V. Prunty vs. M. W. McKenzie et al., injunction; Rebecca Sides vs. W. J. Sides, divorce and injunction.

My experience in fitting glasses enables me to give you the service you desire and my prices are no higher than is consistent with good work and material. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 31 tlc

Try milk that's delivered immediately after milking. Guaranteed not to sour over night. Rich and pure. Phone 1820. 30 tlc

100 feet on corner Austin street with modern six-room home; garage, barns, orchard, one of the completest houses in the city, fine neighborhood. Specially priced at \$3750. \$1900 cash. W. J. Grisham, 209 K. & K. Phone 1588. 31 tlc

The High School Dramatic club will present the farce "Mister Bob" at the Wichita Theatre next Thursday night. The cast and further details concerning the play will be announced later.

Let W. J. Grisham write your fire and tornado insurance. Phone 1588, office 2nd floor K. & K. building. 28 tlc

There isn't anything speculative about our service. It has been put to the test time and time again and found absolutely accurate. We know how. Dr. DuVal, the Progressive Eye Specialist. 31 tlc

A modern eight-room two-story home, new and complete in every detail, can be bought at \$4000, \$1000 cash. W. J. Grisham, phone 1588, 209 K. & K. building. 31 tlc

Dr. H. A. Waller, Dentist, Room 207 K. & K. Phone 836. 28 tlc

Prothro, dentist, Ward building, Eighth street. 50 tlc

DR. CHAS. R. HARTSOOK
Practice Limited to the EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT
202 Kemp & Kell Bldg.

R. L. Lassiter underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday morning at his home on Mine street and at last reports was resting well, with good chances for recovery.

Dr. DuVal, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. Glasses fitted. We know how. 27 tlc

I am now located at 710 1/2 Indiana avenue in the Bean-Anderson building. Phone 586. Dr. J. S. Nelson, dentist. 201 tlc

Dr. H. A. Waller, Dentist, Room 207 K. & K. Phone 836. 28 tlc

Your plumbing repair work done on short notice. Phone 456. J. D. Christiansen. 30 tlc

Resolutions of Respect
We your committee, beg leave to submit the following:
Whereas, It has pleased the Grand Master of the Universe to call our beloved Brother and fellow laborer, J. M. Bell, M. D., from the lodge militant to lodge triumphant thus closing his labors with us;
Therefore Be it resolved: That we humbly and submissively bow to the will and direction of him whose watchful care even notes the fall of a sparrow;

Resolve further: That whatever may have been the follies of nature, that we cover them with the mantle of charity, and ever strive to emulate those noble virtues for higher manhood and purer womanhood; his unselfish duties to his fellow man in professional life, his untiring efforts in every laudable enterprise for the upbuilding of his community and his state; and his fidelity to our beloved order.

Resolved further: That we extend to the bereaved family our sympathy and assurance that they will at all time have our fraternal and watchful care.

Resolve further: That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the lodge, a copy furnished the family, a copy furnished each of the Wichita Falls papers, and a copy sent to the Iowa Park Herald, for publication.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. REED, M. D.,
M. J. GARDNER,
J. A. RICHOLT,
Committee.

Wichita Falls Undertaking Company, Hines & Embry, Props. Office and parlors, 812 Scott avenue, Maer building, Phone 202. Command us. Prompt ambulance service. 7 tlc

Important to All
Is your doctor bill paid? Sure. Be long to the Moose. They pay the bill. Who pays yours? Read advertisement on page two, second section. 31 tlc

Announcement
Dr. Thos. D. Bugg of the firm of Drs. Hale & Bugg, wishes to announce that he has taken over the entire business of the above firm, including lease prescriptions, case records, etc. We wish to thank our many friends for the confidence and patronage which we hope to continue to merit. Respectfully,
THOS. D. BUGG, M. D. 30 tlc

Charles Rentrop, the German wrestler who has taken part in several mat contests here, was seriously injured at Del Rio last week when Carl Anderson, another wrestler, threw him. Rentrop was thrown on his head and rendered unconscious, but recovered later.

INDIAN LANDS HAVE BEEN APPRAISED.
By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 7.—The commissioner of Indian affairs tonight announced that appraisal of 450,000 acres of oil lands belonging to the Chickasaw and Chickasaw tribes in Oklahoma had been completed and the lands will be listed for sale as soon as due notice can be given.

GOVERNMENT PIPE LINE HEARING BEGINS MONDAY.
By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 7.—Hearings on the plan to build a pipe line from the Oklahoma oil fields to the Gulf of Mexico to carry oil for navy use will begin here Monday. Commissioner Sells of the Indian bureau and Commander Boyd of the navy will conduct the investigation.

CASE OF LAST MADE FIRST IN WAR DEPARTMENT
Washington, Feb. 7.—Secretary of War Lindley Garrison is a firm believer in the adage, "The first shall be last and the last shall be first." Here's why: C. J. Garrison, the Secretary's brother is fifteen years older than the cabinet official. He became a judge at the age of 39 years, and it was only through the brother's fame as a most excellent judge that the present Secretary of War, according to his own story, was known at all as Judge Garrison's brother. "But it's different now," said Secretary Garrison, smiling broadly. "Since March 4, 1913, I always hear my brother, the Judge, spoken of as 'Secretary Garrison's brother.' I'm afraid brother doesn't like it, either." chuckled the Secretary.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's
The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Dinner Concert WESTLAND HOTEL
Sunday, February 8th, 1914
6:15 to 8:15 p. m.
KATZ ORCHESTRA
1 March "Universal Peace" Lampe
2 Overture "The Barber of Seville" Rossini
3 Waltzes "September Morn" Henri
4 Morceaux (a) "Le Secret" Gauntier (b) Melody in F. Rubinstein
5 Selection "Favorite Scotch Air" Harry Lauder
6 Potpourri "Die Fledermaus" Strauss
7 Tenzow "Pass the Pickles" (by request)
8 Excursions from "La Boheme" MacKlin

MEXICO CITY WAS QUIET SATURDAY

No Outbreak Occurred As Authorities Had Feared—Many Arrested By Secret Police

By Associated Press.
Mexico City, Feb. 7.—The federal capital was quiet today. The authorities had feared that conspirators against the administration would attempt an armed uprising, but no outbreak occurred. The secret police today gathered into their dragnet a number of clerks and small business men alleged to have been connected with an anti-government conspiracy. The authorities declare they found on the prisoners cards indicating their alleged connection with the movement.

Preparation for establishing interior defense without loss of time should it become necessary, were made today by the war department. A careful inspection of the Young Men's Christian Association building, the roof of which overtops the arsenal and which was a contested point a year ago. Small detachments of soldiers already have been stationed on other buildings. The garrison again was in quarters tonight with the exception of those engaged in patrol duty.

All these preparations are looked upon chiefly as precautionary. Tomorrow is the anniversary of the beginning of the ten days' bombardment of the capital and the police and war department's agents assert they have discovered evidence of anti-government plots to support a belief that an effort to overthrow President Huerta was to be made.

The government's elaborate measures are intended to overawe anyone who might be planning a coup d'etat. A few persons were arrested today but they were for the most part clerks and others of no political importance.

BOARD ATTACKED BY DR. WILEY ABOLISHED.
By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 7.—The board of food and drug inspection in the department of agriculture which often was the center of attacks by Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, former chief chemist, has been abolished by Secretary Houston. At the department of agriculture it was said the board had been abolished in the interest of efficiency and economy.

Dr. Carl Alsberg who succeeded Dr. Wiley as pure food chief will decide appeals that formerly went to the board. Dr. Wiley in attacking the board, declared its operations hampered administration of the spirit of the pure food laws.

KENYON BILL SIGNED BY PRESIDENT WILSON.
Washington, Feb. 7.—President Wilson today signed the Kenyon bill abolishing Washington's segregated district.

TAX COMMISSIONERS WILL ASSESS ROCKEFELLER
By Associated Press.
Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 7.—With John D. Rockefeller in New York, where he went from here yesterday, Deputy State Tax Commissioner John Fackler and William Agnew said today they would take no action to list Rockefeller's \$90,000,000 personal property in this county until Monday. Today marks the expiration of the time provided by law for Rockefeller to voluntary list his property in compliance with the demand made by the state officials upon him last Monday. Fackler and Agnew plan to place all the oil king's securities they can find on the duplicate.

TWO ARE KILLED WHEN AUTOMOBILE TURNED OVER.
 Snyder, Texas, Feb. 7.—Two men from Lorraine, a merchant named Howell and Deputy Sheriff Norrell, were killed last night near Hermleigh by the overturning of an automobile in which they were riding. Both were dead when found.

SAY OWEN BILL RADICAL INVASION OF STATES RIGHTS.
Washington, Feb. 7.—Federal regulation of stock exchanges as proposed in the Owen bill under consideration by the Senate banking and currency committee is a radical invasion of state rights in the opinion of officials of the Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York, who appeared today before the committee.

"The bill," declared H. Boyesen, counsel for the exchange, "seeks to do, through postal and other regulations what Congress has no authority to do directly and constitutes the most radical invasion of state's rights with which I am familiar."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
WANTED—Young men to run on train, long runs. Apply—507 Seventh street, Wichita Falls, Texas. 31 1up

WANTED—By ten o'clock Sunday morning, dining room girl. Fairview Hotel, 1104 Scott. 31 tlc



Scene from an American Citizen with John Barrymore, at the Majestic Tuesday.

To Prevent DISAPPOINTMENT

Don't merely ask for butter. Say "Blue Valley Butter." The reason your choice should be Blue Valley-Butter is that it will stay fresh and sweet longer and will go further. Try a pound and you will be a regular customer. Our Meats are the best to be had. Phone us your order. We deliver.

WE AIM TO PLEASE THE CITY MARKET

DIAMONDS

In spite of the recent 20 per cent advance in the price of diamonds, we bought \$9,000.00 worth of diamonds cheaper than we ever bought diamonds before. The reason was we put down the cold, hard cash which the importers needed very badly. We are going to sell every one of these stones this month, because we are going to mark them at the same low values we bought them for, and every person who sees them will buy one.

The diamonds are mostly blue, and perfect, in sizes from 1-8 karats to 7 1-2 karats, at prices that other dealers cannot buy them for. We paid the cold, hard cash, and that is the reason we undersell our competitors.

ART LOAN AND JEWELRY COMPANY

"Where Gems and Gold are Fairly Sold"
705 OHIO AVENUE

C. E. McCarty The Big Cash Store

- Special sale Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday as we are going to move in the P. H. Pennington building in a few days and want to reduce our stock as much as possible before moving.
- New Hope and Forest Mills muslin 12 yards \$1 00
 - All new styles spring gingham worth 12 1-2c now 9c
 - All new styles Toile de nord gingham, worth 15c 12 1-2c
 - 21 yards best calico \$1 00
 - Just received a big shipment new percale 8c to 12 1-2c
 - \$5000 worth men's, ladies' and children's shoes to go at manufacturers cost, now is your chance.
 - \$10,000 worth men's and boys' clothing and gents' furnishings, all to go at cost.
 - \$1000 worth men's and boys' hats, to be sold at cost manufacturer.
 - 15 dozen good window shades, a 50c value now 25c
 - 100 W. B. Corsets and American lady corsets—\$1.00 value, all to go for the next three days 75c
 - Trade with us and save money on your grocery bill.
 - 20 lbs pure cane sugar \$1 00
 - 5 lb 4X coffee \$1 00
 - Best Peaberry coffee, per lb 25c
 - Wedding Breakfast coffee in 1 pound cans 30c
 - 10 pound Compound lard \$1 10
 - 10 pounds Cottolene \$1 40
 - Pure country lard, per pound 15c
 - Best hams, per pound 19c to 20c
 - Best picnic hams, per pound 15c
 - 4-to 6 pounds strip bacon, per pound 25c
 - Best High Patent Flour, per sack \$1 30
 - 48 pounds pure soft wheat flour \$1 40
 - 48 pound sack Belle Wichita Flour \$1 50
 - 12 pound sack graham flour 30c

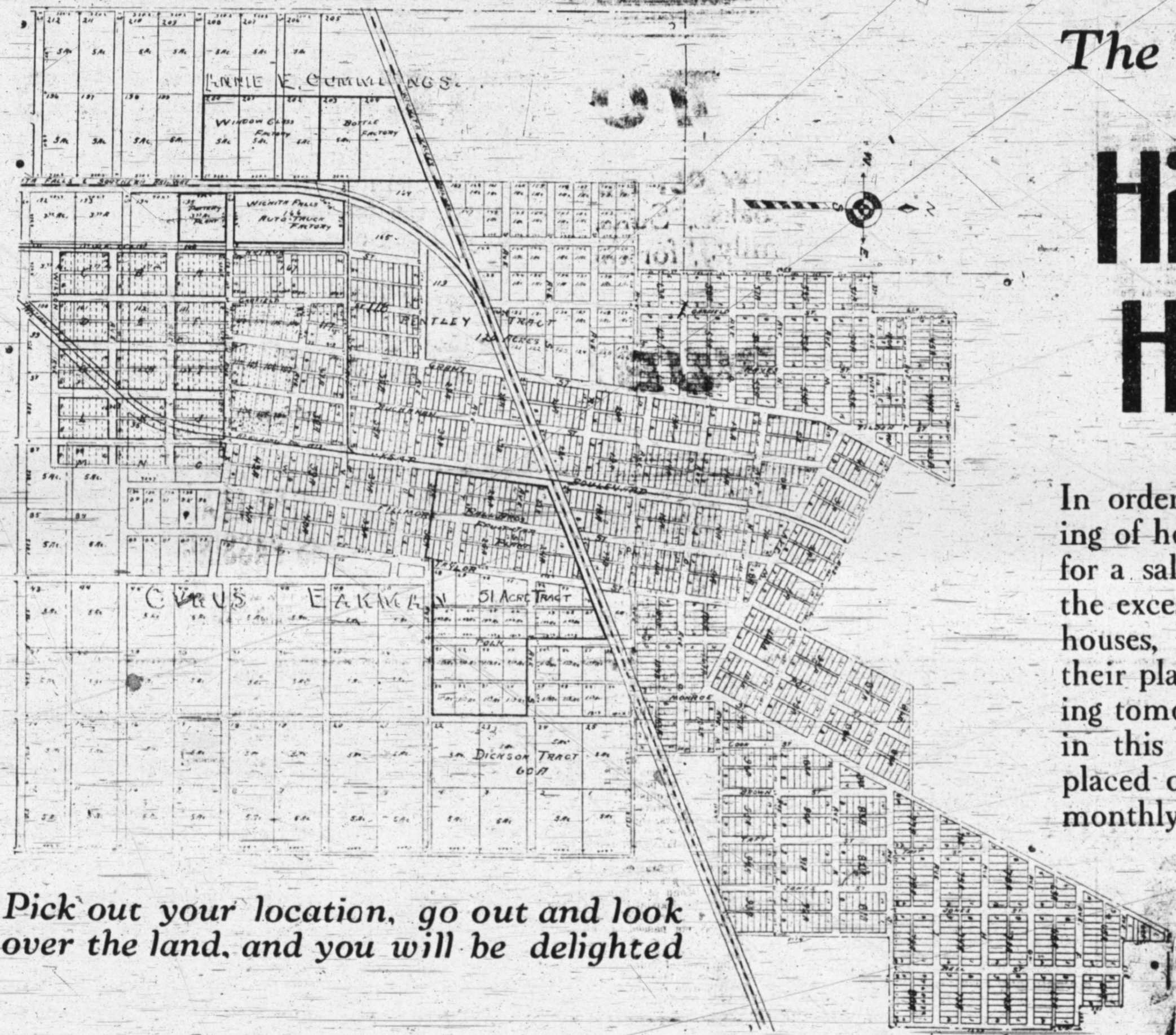
- SPECIAL PRICES ON CAN GOODS**
- 12 cans best hominy 90c
 - 12 cans best kraut \$1 10
 - 12 cans best kidney beans \$1 10
 - 12 cans fancy high-grade corn 95c
 - 12 cans 2 pound tomatoes 95c
 - 12 cans-best cut stringless beans \$1 15
 - Spuds, peck 30c, per bushel \$1 20
 - 7 bars Clairette 25c
 - 6 bars Rub-No-More Soap 25c
 - 4 pounds Arm & Hammer soda 25c
 - 3 25c cans baking powder 50c
 - Or one can 20c
 - One gallon best California Blackberries 55c
 - One gallon best California peeled peaches 45c
 - One gallon best apples 35c

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FREE DELIVERY

MAKING MONEY IS EASY

Enough If A Fellow Will Save A Little
Each Month And Invest It Wisely.....



The Owners of Highland Heights

In order to encourage the building of homes by those who work for a salary, and thus eliminate the excessive demands for rent houses, have decided to change their plan of selling, and beginning tomorrow morning all lots in this superb addition will be placed on the market on easy monthly payments.

Pick out your location, go out and look over the land, and you will be delighted

\$10 Down and \$5 Per Month

No interest, No Taxes Until Property is Paid For :-: Prices \$200.00 to \$325.00

Only a few months will enable a person to pay out any lot in this addition, and when the lot is paid for you can easily borrow money to build your home

HERE IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY

Will you grasp it? Eighty homes are already built in Highland Heights, insuring good neighbors, good schools, churches, five cent street car service, city water, lights and gas

FOWLER BROS. & CO., General Agents

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Auto Service To Show Property

AMUSEMENTS STATE CAPITAL'S BUDGET OF NEWS

NEW EMPRESS THEATRE WILL BE OPENED SOON

Bert Earle, manager of the picture houses that owing to so many road show attractions coming to the houses in the near future no pictures other than the natural colored features which are engaged for each Friday night, will be shown. On next Friday night, one of the colored features will be shown, and on the following Friday "Les Misérables," Victor Hugo's wonderful drama in eight reels of colored pictures will be given. After that the company expects to be in its new home on the site of the old Alamo theatre, where a new house to be called the Empress will be opened. The new theatre will be modern in every respect, made to accommodate six hundred persons and fitted with every convenience to show the pictures to the best advantage. The firm expects to move into the new house about the 20th of the month.

MAY KNOW MONDAY WHETHER TEAM WILL TRAIN HERE.

A representative of the Kansas City Federal League team has been invited to visit Wichita Falls at the expense of the Chamber of Commerce to inspect the advantages offered by this city as a training place for that team. If a representative can not come from Kansas City it is probable the acting secretary or some other representative will be sent by the Chamber of Commerce to present in person the facilities offered by Wichita Falls for baseball training.

C. C. Madison, manager of the Kansas City team has wired Acting Secretary Thomas that he is trying to induce another Federal League team to join the Kansas City team. In opening a training camp at Lake Wichita and has asked the Chamber of Commerce not to enter into negotiations with other teams until Monday when he believes he will know whether the Kansas City team will come to Wichita Falls or not.

JOHN BARRYMORE AT NEW MAJESTIC TUESDAY

John Barrymore in "An American Citizen" will be the next number of the Thirty Famous Player series at the New Majestic Theatre Tuesday night. An advance notice says of this attraction:

John Barrymore, one of the most popular favorites of the American stage in "An American Citizen," the famous comedy success in which Nat Goodwin scored one of his greatest triumphs, is supplied with numerous opportunities to display his expressive and inimitable abilities. We venture to presume that Mr. Barrymore will secure in this humorous characterization the same sensational degree of success that attended "The Fortune Hunter" the titular role of which he created.

PAVLOWA AND DANCERS ARE COMING HERE, SHORTLY

An advance notice says: Anna Pavlova, the world's greatest dancer, and her notable company will be at the Wichita Theatre soon in the course of an American tour that is a stupendous proposition. It is the most extensive undertaking of its kind ever attempted. The company which numbers one hundred persons, including dancers and musicians, will make a rush tour from coast to coast and into Canada, touching the principal cities and giving as a rule only one

performance in each place. The tour will continue six months and will comprise two hundred and twenty-four performances. The company will make the trip in a special train aboard which they will live almost continuously. In a few of the larger cities, where there will be more than one performance, they will have a chance to get a night's rest and on rare occasions two, in a hotel. There is only one week stand, which is San Francisco. All told Pavlova will carry scenery, costumes and other accessories for twenty-two dances, consisting of ballets, divertissements, solo dances, dances for two, and modern society dances. Her orchestra director will be Theodore Stier, an eminent musician who is famed as a conductor in Europe and America. All the solo dancers in the company attained distinction in the Russian Imperial ballet before they were chosen by Pavlova, and the corps de ballet is a picked body. Pavlova's entertainment will be different from any that has been presented by organizations of dancers. It will be made up of distinctive features and will appeal to cultivated and popular taste.

"THE LITTLE MILLIONAIRE" IS COMING FEBRUARY 17

An advance notice says: At the Wichita Theatre February 17 with Bert Leigh and Hazelle Burgess as its stars, Geo. M. Cohen's musical farce, "The Little Millionaire" will be presented. When it comes to building a play with structural comedy appeal from foundation to turret, re-inforced by a super-structure of melodic charm, the architectural palm is conceded to Geo. M. Cohen, and "The Little Millionaire" is by far the most enjoyable piece of work so far submitted by this past-water in musical comedy craftsmanship.

In "The Little Millionaire" he is said to have again demonstrated his infallibility of gauging the public pulse by furnishing in "The Little Millionaire" an entertainment that for wholesome, invigorating and laugh-compelling fun outlasts in point of witty chatter and charm of melodic composition, any play that has so far fallen from the magic pen of this author of a long line of successes.

OKLAHONIAN WILL HAVE \$10,000 STATE BANK

The First State Bank of Oklahoma with a capital stock of \$10,000 is the latest important business enterprise to be launched in the county. The institution is a successor to the banking department of the King Bank & Mercantile Company and John Brownlee for years prominent in business circles of Wilbarger county, is slated to be its cashier.

A meeting of the stockholders is to be held at Oklahoma today to go over the details of final organization. An application for a charter has been filed with the proper state authorities at Austin, all of the capital stock has been taken and ere long the bank will be doing an active business.

The mercantile branch of the King Bank & Mercantile business passes into the control of Luther Webb and Clay Brice who have been connected with the business for some time.—Ver-non Record.

The Moose paid over \$150.00 in sick claims in the month of January. You may need a benefit next. Read advertisement on page two of the second section. 31 Itc

APT ILLUSTRATION FURNISHED THAT THERE IS NOTHING IN A NAME

TEXAS LIBRARY BUREAU

Department of Legislative Reference installed to Keep Track of Law Makers

(By R. Edlback)

Austin, Texas, Feb. 7.—A manufacturer of bath-room fixtures once upon a time decided to put on an advertising campaign. The creators of the copy elaborated in an ideal bath-room, the factory's output, its durability, its splendid finish, its clever, graceful, ingenious design, and so on; but the hundred thousand dollars put into the campaign didn't produce commensurate results. The public didn't seem to get the point, and there was little increase in the sale of the particular brand of fixtures advertised. The general manager nursed a deep disgust. He said hard, disagreeable things to the advertising manager, and that worthy passed them on with interest to the outfit that prepared the copy. Finally, a young genius turned out an ad in an entirely different style. He said nothing about the superior construction of the fixtures, but merely indicated across a blank sheet this statement: "They make your bath-room look nicer than your neighbors." The artist sketched in an ideal bath-room, featuring the fixtures, and the pleased face of a handsome housewife peeping into the door. Upon the publication, business picked up, and the of tiner the magic sentence appeared, the more business picked up, until the general manager was patting the advertising manager on the back, and the advertising manager passed the good cheer on, and all went merry as a wedding-bell.

Something in a Name

The words, "A Texas Bureau of Legislative Reference," suggests something as deadly dull as a technical description of bath-room fixtures. The attention lags at the word "Bureau," halts doggedly at the word "Legislative," and being urged on to "Reference" it balks kicks out of harness, and with a flourish of different heels, ranges down into the wide pasture of the Sunday supplement in search of more succulent browsing.

There has been lately an innovation inaugurated in the Texas State Library which is unfortunate enough to be labeled with the phrase above quoted, a disastrous phrase from an advertising standpoint. And still, concealed in that phrase, is the inference, to people who really know, of vast progress in legislation in Texas, and the implication that Texas is not going longer to lag behind our most advanced states in adopting a device which will save the tax-payers a mint of money and much vexation of spirit.

Pioneers in Legislative Reference

New York and Wisconsin were first of the states in this great work, and Dr. Charles McCarthy of the latter state puts succinctly the requirements for such a bureau, as follows:

1. The first essential is a selected library convenient to the legislative halls.
2. A trained librarian and indexer.
3. Material so arranged as to be compact and accessible.
4. Complete index of all bills that have not become laws in the past.
5. Records of vetoes, special messages, political platforms, etc.
6. Digests of laws on every subject before the legislature.
7. A non-political, non-partisan attitude.
8. A trained bill-draftsman.

Dr. McCarthy advises heads of such bureaus, as follows: "Go right to the legislators, make yourself acquainted with him, study him, and anything he wants for him, never mind how trivial, accommodate him in every way. Go to legislative committees and tell them what you can do for them. Get your information ahead of time, else it will be of no use in the rush."

This is quoted as giving the attitude of perhaps the leading legislative bureau of the country. Dr. McCarthy further urges that the legislators during recess be circulated to find out what legislation is coming up, and upon what subject information will be wanted. "Work for all you are worth upon these topics," he says, send out thousands of circular letters to experts upon these topics, subscribe to clipping bureaus if necessary to secure critical data from the public at large.

The vast importance and value of this work is indicated in these directions. How interesting to Senators

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have available all the press comment and criticism made by the press of Texas upon his proposed state highway bill and how instructive! How valuable, in this instance, a digest of all the laws in the civilized world bearing upon working convicts on the state highways! This is merely an example. Apply the legislative reference system outlined above to any proposed legislation, and see what a flood of light would be thrown upon it, what mistakes could be avoided, what a mass of experience there would be to draw upon.

Bill-drafting

Furthermore, if you were to compute the waste in expensive litigation and insufficient relief resulting from loosely drawn and unconstitutional bills passed by the legislature and by congress, the amount would run into eight figures, or more. Many legislators with excellent ideas concerning laws that should be passed, lack the training and skill requisite to actually drafting a bill setting forth in water-tight compartments, their ideas. Here is a great service which can be performed by the legislative reference bureau.

The Texas Bureau Started

The creation of such a bureau was a pet measure of John M. Duncan, when he was in the legislature, and he introduced a bill covering the same in 1907 which was not passed. Judge Chas. H. Jenkins, now on the court of civil appeals, advocated the creation of a commission of much larger scope in 1907, also in 1909, and a department of legislative reference was created in that year. In 1913 a biennial appropriation of \$16,900 was made for the support of the department, but this tidy sum was lopped off the general appropriation bill by the gubernatorial axe.

However, a provision for an assistant in the library has recently been utilized by the state librarian in employing J. F. Marron, a legislative reference expert, so the work in Texas is fairly started. Mr. Marron served in the Missouri state library immediately before coming here as legislative reference man, and has had wide experience in social service work. With the volunteer service which he secures from experts in various lines at the University of Texas, an effective bureau is now in process of organization; and when the next legislature convenes, members will find a mass of excellent material collected, annotated, digested, and indexed bearing especially upon current legislation, as well as expert service in actual bill-drafting available.

While laboring under the terrible name of "Texas Bureau of Reference," making immediately publicity for the department impossible, still the good fruit from this forbidding looking tree will be its slow and effective advertisement as the years go on. Its wholesome, enlightening influence upon legislation will be felt and approved by the voters of the state, as it has been in other states, and countries, ever since that progressive statesman, Pitt, had the position of Parliamentary Counsel established in England in 1869.

WINTER LEAGUE IS PASSING OUT

WITHIN FEW WEEKS BALL CLUBS WILL BE IN SOUTH FOR THE SPRING TRAINING

CHANGES ARE NUMEROUS

Major League Shifts and Birth of New Federal League Have Provided Lots of Gossip

New York, Feb. 6.—The Winter League is rapidly passing out, but if anyone has a single doubt as to it having been there with the wallop one look over the field littered with former league presidents and punctured ranks of major league clubs, with club owners watching in the offing will give the answer.

Within a few weeks ball clubs will be in the South putting in their first licks of training. Bat bags are ever now being packed. Within ten days the New York Giants will begin to gather in St. Louis for their annual pilgrimage to Marlin, Texas. The crash of the ash against the horse hide will then take the place of mere words banging against the ear drum and tales of sore arms and charlie horses will step in where claims and counterclaims now tread.

Many are the young men who are beginning to feel that the career they had mapped out for themselves may not be half as good as it looked in November and December when they retired from the game. They will be angling for contracts. It's two months yet before the season opens, but the night is drawing to a close. The clouds are about to break and when they do, make way for the Old King Swat. It is then that the new Federal League will be brought to the beginning of the real test.

Statements and claims of players that have been signed suffice during the months when the cobwebs are on the bats and rats nest in the glove, but when the big time opens there is but one question to be answered. That question deals with the general and broad topic of whether they can play ball.

This has been one of the dingiest Winter Leagues that ever wintered. After the firing of Tom Lynch as president of the National League and the installation of Goy, Tener of Pennsylvania, in its place came the now famous Tinker deal between Brooklyn and Cincinnati and the naming of Charlie Herzog as the new Red manager. The Tinker deal came and went almost all at once for the Federal League began to horn in actively at that stage of the game. Since that time what has happened has been aptly.



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PERSONAL MENTION

J. P. Jackson returned this morning from Dallas where he spent the week. L. E. Jones and wife left yesterday for Amarillo to visit friends.

Marvin Smith of McClurkin & Co. has gone east to buy goods. He will visit New York, Chicago and St. Louis.

Mrs. E. B. Gorsline has returned after a visit at Fort Worth and Sherman.

Miss Bernice Carroll and mother went to Henrietta Saturday afternoon on business.

Sam Kruger, the jeweler, went down to Fort Worth this morning where he will attend the wedding tonight of his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff D. Bergs, 1102 Bluff street, have returned from Fort Worth where they attended the funeral of Mr. Bergs' father Wednesday afternoon.

Alex Kahn leaves today for Chicago and New York to buy goods for the Kuhn store. Miss Gaston of the same store left for New York several days ago to assist in buying stock for this store.

J. W. Bell who was called here several days ago from Oxford, Miss., by the fatal illness of his brother, Mayor J. M. Bell, left for his home last night.

Mr. Bell is a professor in the University of Mississippi at Oxford.

John Leach leaves today for the eastern clothing markets to select the spring and summer stock for the Leach-Liebold Clothing Store and gent's furnishing goods establishment.

He expects to be absent from the city about one month.

Joe McClure returned from Fort Worth Saturday morning where he went to see Mrs. McClure who underwent a severe surgical operation a week ago.

Mrs. McClure is still in a critical condition although she has been getting along as well as could be expected when the seriousness of the operation is taken into account.

Captain Frank Johnson, formerly of the Texas Ranger service, returned to Wichita Falls yesterday coming from Weatherford where he has made his home since his return from South America.

Captain Johnson has come to Wichita Falls to make his home, and will probably engage in detective work of some kind.

His experience in this work will make him a valuable acquisition to either the sheriff's department of the county or the city police department.

The general public, and even too large percentage of the medical profession, are frightfully ignorant concerning the deleterious effect of even a slight eye defect.

For example, only last week a mother brought in a boy of 10 years. He complained of headache, violent twitching, nausea, pain in the eyes, and yelled and jumped out of bed in his sleep.

In fact, he had about the most complete array of eyestrain symptoms I have ever encountered in one individual.

His grand-father boob-pooched the idea of glasses, although the teacher advised them because he could not see the blackboard clearly.

So the grand-father took the lad to two general practicing physicians, who pronounced his eyes all right, and who in turn prescribed medicine instead of glasses, saying the latter was not necessary.

Obtaining no relief from these sources his mother brought him back to me. We found enough eyestrain in that boy to make him a mental, moral and physical defect for life.

The criminal ignorance displayed by those instrumental in preventing him from obtaining proper relief impels me to the thought that some measures ought to be taken to properly educate the public as well as the medical profession, concerning such matters, and that no child should be sent to school without first having its eyes examined.

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COUNSEL AND MANAGERS IN SULZER TRIAL RECEIVE PAY.
By Associated Press.
Albany, N. Y., Feb. 7.—Vouchers of counsel and managers of the impeachment trial of William Sulzer aggregating \$160,000 were filed here today, bringing the total expense of that proceeding to \$235,000 with a number of bills still unadjusted.

Former Judge Irving Vann of the State court of appeals, declined any compensation for service as one of Governor Sulzer's counsel on the ground that at the same time he was in the State's employ in another capacity. Payments agreed upon today comprised \$60,000 for attorneys in charge of the case against Gov. Sulzer, divided as follows: Former Senator Edgar Brackett and John R. Stanchfield, \$15,000 each; Former Judge Alton B. Parker \$10,000; I. J. Kresell and Eugene Lamb Richards \$7500 each. Sulzer's counsel received these amounts: Former Judge D. Cady Herrick and Lewis Marshall \$10,500 each; Harvey D. Hinman, \$8000 and Austin G. Fox \$6000.

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FREE TOLL PLANK WAS SLIPPED OVER

It was injected into Democratic Platform Without Knowledge of Committee Majority

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 7.—The provision favoring free passage for American ships through the Panama Canal was injected into the Democratic platform without the knowledge of the majority of the resolutions committee at the Baltimore convention, according to the assertion today of Representative Adamson of Georgia, chairman of the interstate foreign commerce committee. He had met but three or four members of the committee, he said, who knew of the existence of the toll plank before the platform was promulgated.

Branding tolls exemptions provisions as "heretical doctrines" Mr. Adamson issued a statement today paving the way for congressional debate on repealing bill to be introduced in accordance with the determination of President Wilson, that the United States should recognize the claim of Great Britain that exemption for American ships violates the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. Senator O'Gorman, who will fight the repeal provision in the Senate, and Representative Broussard of Louisiana, senator-elect from that State, were mem-

bers of a sub-committee at Baltimore which wrote the tolls exemption plank into the platform.

It was done, it was stated today, without the consent of a majority of the full committee or of the chairman of the resolutions committee, William J. Bryan.

"I am not at all troubled," said Representative Adamson, "about the cry that repealing the exemption violates the Democratic platform. A subsidy is not a cardinal doctrine of the Democratic party."

AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION BILL PASSES SENATE

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 7.—The House agricultural bill passed the Senate with amendments today, without a dissenting vote. The bill provides for demonstrations on farms, of approved methods and approved scientific discoveries made in state experimental stations and in the federal department of agricultural colleges are to outline plans for carrying out demonstrations.

As agreed to in the Senate the bill would appropriate unconditionally \$100,000 annually for each state. In addition, a sum of \$600,000 for the coming year, with a yearly increase of \$600,000 for the next seven years would be provided for distribution among the states on the basis of rural population, conditioned on each State appropriating a sum equal to its portion of the federal funds. After seven years the bill would provide a permanent appropriation of \$4,800,000 annually. The bill will be considered soon in conference of the two houses.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Monday, Feb. 9—Young Ladies Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church with Mrs. Orville Bullington, Presbyterian Ladies Aid fifty cent social with Mrs. W. W. Robertson. Ladies of the Episcopal Guild with Mrs. Fontaine. Circle No. 2 of the Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South with Mrs. J. B. Stokes.
Tuesday, Feb. 10—Old Maids with Miss Mabel Simpson. Little Sisters Aid with Miss Ann Freear. Valentine meeting of the Art Literature Club with Mrs. Sanders. Circle with Misses Bachman. Tuesday Bridge with Mrs. Robert Thorburn. Schubert Symphony Club at Wichita Theatre.
Wednesday, Feb. 11—What Next Club with Mrs. J. S. Walker. Mrs. W. G. Shaw entertains the New Idea Club, honoring her mother, Mrs. Mitchell. Modern Crochet Club with Mrs. Christiana Ulrich. New Century Club with Mrs. Barnside.
Thursday, Feb. 12—Musicians Club meeting with Mrs. Richolt, chorus meets to practice at 2:30. Mayflower Forty-two Club with Mrs. Stewart. Elementary Council at M. E. Church, South. "Mr. Bob" by high school dramatic club at Wichita Theatre.
Friday, Feb. 13—New Bridge with Mrs. E. H. Pounds. Unity Club with Mrs. Montgomery. Stephen F. Austin Mothers' Club at the Austin school.
Saturday, Feb. 14—College of Music and Art entertains for the Mozart Club. Chapter W. E. Scurry, U. D. C. will meet with Mrs. W. P. Bolding. Mrs. Piner Avis and Mrs. J. A. Fisher entertain at 500 and 42.

EPISCOPAL GUILD PLANS SOCIAL TEA THURSDAY

A social tea will be given for the benefit of the Episcopal Guild Thursday afternoon, Feb. 12, by Mrs. John Shaw and Mrs. J. M. Sammons, at the home of the last named. A musical program will be given and the public is cordially invited. It is the purpose of the Guild to give a tea every month one or more members of the Guild to act as hostess each time.

B. Y. P. U. SOCIAL IS HELD THURSDAY EVENING

Section A of the B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a very social meeting Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cook. Music was enjoyed throughout the evening and contests were engaged in. Refreshments of delicious ice cream and cake were served to the following: Miss Boone, Taylor, Bernice Taylor, Smalting, Eleanor Brown, Beckham, Brown, Morgan, Trevathan, Ball, Stingle, Giles, Cook, Runa Brown, Hall, Maricle, Powell, James, Messrs. Smoot, Vance, Roberts, Charles Smoot, Ditto, Montgomery, King, Phelps, Garrett, Morgan, Nicholson and Floyd and Kula May Cook.

ELEMENTARY COUNCIL WILL MEET THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The Elementary Council will meet Thursday afternoon at the M. E. church South at 3:30. The lesson will be on the first chapter "Common Sense," and the lesson on page 116 will be led by Mrs. T. M. Smyre. There will be class in first year primary work taught by Mrs. A. E. Kerr. All elementary teachers in all Sunday schools urged to attend.

MRS. N. L. INGE HOSTESS TO NEW BRIDGE FRIDAY

Mrs. Inge was hostess to the regular meeting of the New Bridge Friday afternoon. The affair was in the nature of a Valentine party, appropriate decorations being in evidence every where. The dainty score cards carried out the Valentine idea in a very pretty and effective manner. The club prize for high score, a hand-embroidered towel, went to Miss Leopold, and the guest prize, a heart-shaped box of candy to Mrs. Warner. Comic Valentines, causing much amusement, were drawn as favors. In the two course luncheon served at the conclusion of the games, the Valentine idea was further carried out wherever possible. The refreshments consisted of shrimp and pimento loaf, with mayonnaise dressing, heart shaped sandwiches and marshmallow pudding with whipped cream. The club members present were Mesdames Penton, Cullinan, Greenwood, Strib Moore, Dent Loeb, Griffin, Hlyck, E. L. Smith, T. B. Smith, Pounds, Misses Leopold and Dent. The guests were Mesdames Daniels, Everett Jones, Warner, Shaw, Peyton, Gwynn, Short and Miss Ruth Lawler.

MRS. ARTHUR HUFF HOSTESS AT TEA FOR MISS EMMERT

Of the number of affairs which have been given honoring Miss Emmert, Mrs. J. C. Mytinger's charming guest from Paris, none have been more pleasant than the informal tea given by Mrs. Arthur Huff Friday. The house was adorned with a profusion of potted plants and ferns and carnations in pink and white. Vases filled with the fragrant flowers were scattered throughout the rooms mingled with greenery of ferns. Mrs. R. E. Huff poured tea during the afternoon, presiding at the elaborate service, placed at one end of the dining table. A cut glass vase of the chosen flowers centered the table, with fronds of amilax radiating from it on the handsome China centerpiece. A salad course was served the guests by Miss Della Stone and Mrs. William Huff. The guests were met at the door by Mrs. C. C. Huff and were ushered to the receiving line, composed of the hostess, Mrs. Huff, the honoree, Miss Emmert, and two other visitors, Miss Rodrick of Corsicana, and Miss Wadsworth of South Dakota. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by a house party composed of Mesdames Standforth, Culbertson, William Huff, Fumas of California, Mytinger, Emmert of Paris, Elmer Filgo, Fitzhugh and Brooks. Among those who called during the course of the afternoon were Misses Jalonic, Kell, Reid, Kemp, Carver, Avis, Orth, Gibson, Carver, McGregor, Freear, Bluff, Simpson, Nolan, Hunter, Seabring, Mathis and Hunter.

RAILROAD TRAINMEN GIVEN PLEASANT SURPRISE TUESDAY

Panhandle Lodge, No. 499 Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen were pleasantly surprised by the L. A. to B. R. T. on Tuesday evening at their lodge room. The ladies met at the home of Mrs. L. B. Hardesty at 9:30 p. m. Several visiting members were among them and they went in a body to the lodge room. There they were welcomed by thirty members of the B. of R. T. After several short talks by members of both orders the ladies served a delicious three course luncheon. Delightful music was furnished and a number of the party enjoyed dancing while others sought other diversions, some securing the names of new candidates. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all and an adjournment promises for a meeting in the near future were made.

AFFAIR AT BACHMAN HOME FOR MRS. DOKE'S BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Friends Bachman entertained a few friends Saturday afternoon, Jan. 31, the occasion being the birthday of the hostess and also of Mrs. J. M. Doke. The time was very pleasantly and profitably spent in conversation and needlework, the hostess serving tempting hot chocolate with whipped cream and cake late in the afternoon. Both of the ladies received a number of lovely and useful gifts which will make the affair one long remembered. Those present were: Mesdames Deaton, W. H. Bachman, I. A. Deaton, G. S. Deaton and C. M. Doke.

MRS. NEWTON MAER HOSTESS TO THE UNITY CLUB FRIDAY

The Unity Club met with Mrs. Newton Maer Friday afternoon. The club answered roll call with current events. "The Nude in Art" was a subject assigned to Mrs. Patterson. The lesson for the afternoon was led by Mrs. Anderson and concluded the eleventh book of "The Ring and the Book." The members present were Mesdames Anderson, Darnell, Hunt, Maer, Montgomery, Robertson, Patterson, Zundelowitz and Miss Kemp.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY WILL MEET NEXT SATURDAY

Chapter W. B. Scurry of the U. D. C. will meet Saturday at 3 p. m. Feb. 14 with Mrs. W. P. Bolding, 2410 Eighth street. The lesson for the afternoon will be on "Southern Literature" and following is the program: Roll call, helpful suggestions for the Chapter; Sidney-Lauter, Mrs. Langford; Thomas, Nelson—Page, Sawyer; Ryan, Mrs. Thomas; Edgar Allen Poe, Miss Hickman.

N. W. FORTY-TWO CLUB AT J. S. WALKER HOME

Mrs. and Mrs. J. S. Walker entertained the Newly Wed Forty-two Club Friday evening. A very enjoyable time was spent by all, several guests being present to substitute for the club members who were unable to attend. A delightful two course luncheon was served, consisting of sandwiches, olives, coffee, followed by que lait, served with lady fingers. Those present were: Misses Wilkes, Barrier, Rhea Gardner, Alice Jenne, and Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Howard; Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers, Mrs. Jenne and the host and hostess.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAS MOVING PICTURE PARTY

Friday evening Mrs. Forsyth entertained the boys in her Sunday school class with a moving picture show party. After the show had

been viewed the party adjourned to the home of Joseph Mears where they were treated to a light supper, consisting of chili and a fruit salad course. Those making up the party were: Mrs. Forsyth and Andrew Urban, Dillard Anderson, Alexander McKee, Myles Goodnight and Joseph Mears.

HINTS AND SUGGESTIONS FOR VALENTINE PARTIES.

The February hostess has an advantage over the hostess of any other month, unless it be the December one. Two perfectly good occasions that suggest their own amusements and decorations occur in this month. The hostess who chooses to give a Valentine party has all sorts of new accessories in the way of favors, place cards and score cards. The Valentine luncheon or dining table lends itself admirably to numerous clever decorative schemes. If it is desired to give a luncheon, a pretty conceit is to leave the table bare, using the centerpiece and plate doilies. A white lace cloth over a red satin cloth with a center bouquet of red carnations or roses, with the individual doilies over red to match the centerpiece produces charming effects. A Valentine table with an immense Valentine forming the centerpiece and smaller ones to mark the covers can be easily arranged and at small expense. The red hearts in any size and quantity desired can be cut from glazed paper, mat-board or crepe paper. Four large hearts, placed together alternately with ribbons make a pretty holder for the floral centerpiece. The smaller hearts could be likewise utilized for bon-bons or salted nuts. Tiny hearts scattered at intervals over the table cloth or festooned in rows around it make an effective decoration. Cupids cut from card board can be used in a number of ways: With standards glued on them they make pretty place cards or they can be used on the candle shades. Several cupids pendant from the chandelier above the table make attractive additions to the decorations. The small Valentines with tender inscriptions can be purchased in any drug store or notion shop and as mentioned before, these make appropriate place cards. Entire luncheon sets of crepe paper in the hearts, possibly designed covered with hearts and cupids, rose and ribbon entwined can be purchased or the ingenious hostess can with a little exertion and use of the scissors and library paste, transform the plain white sets into things of beauty. In the case of a card party, tea or dance where more general decorations are desired a very pretty effect can be gained by strings of the hearts used in the doorways as portiers for this they should be strung on stout cord, either red or white. The curtains can have hearts, either in strings or sewed on at intervals, and red shades with white cupids or vice versa, can be used over the lights. The flying cupids in white make very pretty score cards with the lettering done in red ink. Portiers for the game may be found by matching two sections of a heart or matching two Valentines. The comic Valentines can be utilized in this manner. So many different uses can be found for these symbols that will occur to clever minds that it is scarcely necessary to mention them all. The Valentine menu is an important issue with the prospective hostess but from the cocktail to the demitasse, the Valentine suggestions may be carried out. If a fruit cocktail is served cherries or strawberries can be used to give the desired color note or a grapefruit cocktail can be served with a garnishing of tiny candy hearts in the red and white. If a soup is desired, tomato is the favored color and toasted bread out in heart shape carries out the idea still farther. Escalloped chicken or oyster should be served in heart shaped party shells. Throughout the menu other combinations will suggest themselves. For a formal

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mrs. J. L. M. King left the early part of the week for Pensacola, Fla., where she will spend the remainder of the winter.
Mrs. M. R. Major has gone to Ryan, Okla., after an extended visit with her daughter.
Mrs. Kate Stanley of Abilene, is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Gus Wilfong and Mrs. Paul Haddix.
Miss Willie Hazelwood of Hollis, Okla., is visiting friends in the city.
Mrs. Fred Gilhouse is in the eastern markets.
Miss Julia Hurley of Seymour, is the guest of Mrs. Will Howard.
Mrs. Jeff Beggs has returned from Fort Worth, where she was called by the death of her father.
Mrs. Dumas of Santiago, Cal., was a week end guest of Mrs. William Huff.
Mrs. J. M. Berry and Mrs. Eva Johnson of Weatherford, are visitors in the city.
Miss May Cason of Pueblo, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Sibert.
Miss Hazel Gaston left Wednesday for Chicago and New York City.
Mrs. R. C. Stout has returned to Stamford after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denison.
Mrs. E. T. Anderson has returned from a trip to Chicago and points in Indiana.
Mrs. J. P. Boone returned Thursday to her home in Dallas, after visiting Mrs. C. J. Barnard and other friends for some time. On the day of her departure she was entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Ann Morris. Other guests at dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Davis and Miss Mable Boone.
The entertainment which was to have been given by the College of Music and Art for the Mozart Club Saturday afternoon has been postponed until Saturday the 14th.
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Utz went to Fort Worth Friday to attend the wedding of Miss McElroy, sister of Mrs. Utz which occurs today. Miss McElroy has visited in this city a number of times and is quite well and favorably known.
Frank Robertson of Pontoreo, Miss., a nephew of Mrs. J. M. Bell and Joe Owens and Mrs. Ollie Stephens, brother and sister of Mrs. Bell of Boga, Miss., arrived at noon Friday.

reception brick cream in heart molds is quite the proper thing to be accompanied by individual heart cakes. A dainty salad is formed of crisp slices of cucumber placed on lettuce leaves with tiny hearts of pimento as a garnishment. This salad is served with French oil dressing. Chicken or other salads can be made doubly attractive with this garnishing of pimento hearts. Sandwiches can be cut in heart shape, any sandwich thus being rendered appropriate. The fruit gelatines can be moulded in any shape and the colors and flavors are equally oblige. The Valentine punch can have red candy hearts afloat in it in lieu of cherries if one so desires and this adds to the appearance.

For amusement at an informal entertainment the guests might be provided with fancy paper, ribbon, shears, paste pen and ink and other accessories and a prize given for the best Valentine. Or a verse making contest may be engaged in, comic Valentines, cut up like picture puzzles and a prize given for the quickest solution. The Valentine hostess has indeed a wide range of decorations and amusements to choose from.

MRS. E. H. SHORT HOSTESS AT BRIDGE TUESDAY

The home of Mrs. E. H. Short Tuesday afternoon was the scene of one of the prettiest bridge matinees given this season. The house decoration was carried out in a delightful color scheme of gold and white, sweet peas and ferns being used in profusion to make a scene of rare spring beauty. The guests were met

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delicious refreshments of sandwiches, chicken salad, cakes, coffee and after dinner mints to Mesdames Yates, Richardson and Sheldon...

PROGRAM FOR MEETING OF GIRL'S LITERARY SOCIETY... The Girl's Literary Society of the high school will meet Monday...

MRS. D. DELLIS HOSTESS TO HER FRIENDS THURSDAY... Mrs. D. Dellis entertained a number of friends at one o'clock dinner Thursday...

PATHFINDER CLUB HOLDS SESSION FRIDAY MORNING... The Pathfinder Club met Friday morning with Mrs. Hoybin...

MR. AND MRS. CORKHILL ENTERTAINED AT FORTY-TWO... Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Corkhill entertained a number of friends very delightfully with an informal evening...

3. Perdue, Misses Miley, Survelia Shultz, Hazel Hurst, Mildred Corkill and Richard Bradshaw...

MRS. J. W. LEE HOSTESS TO NEW CENTURY CLUB... The New Century Club held an unusually interesting session Wednesday afternoon...

MRS. SHELTON IS HOSTESS TO THE WHAT NEXT CLUB... Mrs. Jack Shelton was hostess to a very pleasant meeting of the What Next Club Wednesday afternoon...

RECEPTION AT MYTINGER HOME PROVES DELIGHTFUL... The home of Mrs. J. C. Mytinger was the scene of one of the prettiest scenes of the season...

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JOINT SESSION HELD BY PRESBYTERIAN SOCIETIES... The Young Women's Auxiliary and the Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian Church met in joint session Monday afternoon...

CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S BOARD OF MISSIONS IN SESSION... The usual monthly meeting of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions was held Monday afternoon...

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SPENDS PLEASANT SATURDAY... Saturday, Jan. 31 the girls in Miss Lillian Bachman's Sunday school class spent the day at the M. E.

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SOCIETY.

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and prospective members. Entering each guest was presented with a double hearted favor, bound together with red, white and green ribbons—the colors of the order. The time was pleasantly spent with music and other diversions. At the close of the afternoon a delicious two course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by her husband. Those who enjoyed Mr. and Mrs. Page's delightful hospitality were: Mesdames Sherwood, Harlester, Lee, Irwin, Montgomery, Stone, Hammond, Ross, Huddleston, Hutchins, Conat, Hill and Dellis.

EPISCOPAL GUILD MAKES PLANS FOR RECTOR'S COMING

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Johnston. The lesson in Church History was dispensed with, the afternoon being taken up with the making of plans for the arrival of the new rector. The ladies decided to prepare the rector's home for his coming, and to have a reception at the Guild upon the arrival of the rector and his family. The Guild will meet next week with Mrs. C. L. Pontaine. Those present Monday afternoon were: Mesdames Clapp, Millburn, Byers, Sammons, Shaw, Cravens, Gates, Allen, Blair, Fentaine, Ingers and Warrick. Mesdames Barwise and Gough were visitors.

STUDIO TEA AND ART EXHIBIT GREATLY ENJOYED

The second studio tea and art exhibit given by the College of Music and Art Saturday afternoon was a very enjoyable affair. The work of the students was on exhibition, some really beautiful work being shown. A number of honorable mentions were accorded the students for work done during the past month, among the students so honored, were Kenneth Barker, Louise Montgomery, Mae Vaughn, Alexander McKee and John McKee in the water color and crayon departments. In the charcoal work honorable mention was awarded to John McKee, Paul Bond, Alexander McKee and Kenneth Barker. In the juvenile department to Louise Stevens, Paul Walters and Madge Tummins. Several special mentions were given to Miss Ethel Bean for her work in oil. The students work is all original, either taken from models in still life or from living models. Several of the figures done in charcoal were very good. All of the work on exhibition showed talent, careful preparation and execution. In the ceramic department honorable mention was given to Misses Lillian McGregor, Clara McCarty and Aggrey Addicks. In the others the work is strictly original the students working out their own designs and applying them. Saturday afternoon Miss Ritchie poured tea, assisted by Misses Lillian McGregor, Vaughn, Koe and Miss Ernst. Mrs. McKeown received the guests. These little informal teas are always very pleasant affairs both as social functions and art exhibits.

MISS JANICE HARRINGTON'S BIRTHDAY IS REMEMBERED

A most enjoyable children's party was given Saturday afternoon, Jan. 31 by Mrs. Fred Harrington on Tenth street, honoring her little daughter, Janice's seventh birthday. A party is always agreeable to every one and especially to a child, this one proving no exception to the rule. Numerous games were played, both indoor and outdoor for quite a while and that children's favorite "pinning the tail on the donkey" contest was engaged in. In this Pierce Langford proved himself expert, winning the prize. At the serving of refreshments the birthday cake with its eight candles proved the center of attraction. Ice cream and assorted cake were served with the birthday cake. The little hostess was the recipient of many beautiful gifts, tendered her

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MRS. WALTER GARNER IS JUST SO CLUB'S HOSTESS

The Just So Club was entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Walter Garner. The usual sewing and conversation occupied the club's attention until the serving of the daily refreshments of ice cream and cake. Those present were: Mesdames McDowell, Jack Shelton, Carithers, Allen, Walker, Smith, Misses Barwise, Downing, Jones, Smith, Serrin, Martin, Childers. The next meeting will be an open meeting Friday evening with Mrs. Billingsley.

MEETING OF UNITED CLUBS HELD SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The United Clubs held a call meeting Saturday afternoon, January 31 at the high school. Reports of the different committees were received and the committees were retained until further meetings. No definite action was taken in regard to the reports and no definite arrangements have been made concerning the proposed club house and library.

BAPTIST WOMAN'S ALLIANCE HOLDS MISSIONARY MEETING

The Baptist Woman's Alliance held the monthly missionary meeting Monday afternoon. The Alliance had as its guest, Mrs. Snow who represented the Baptist Memorial Sanitarium at Dallas. She made a splendid talk on "Congregational Womanhood" and made an appeal in behalf of the sanitarium. Mrs. Barringer was the leader for the afternoon and an excellent program was given, papers and talks being made by various members.

MASQUERADERS MAKE MERRY AT THE MYTINGER HOME.

Mrs. J. C. Mytinger entertained Tuesday evening honoring her charming guest, Miss Lois Emmer, of Paris, choosing a masquerade party for the expression of her hospitality. All of the guests were masked and as each one came alone the identities of all were completely hidden. A number of charming concerts were exhibited in the costumes, many of which were clever and lovely in the extreme. The honoree wore a charming Colonial costume of pink and white, with plumed head dress. A unique feature was introduced when a large box was brought in and unwrapped, disclosing after the tissue paper and packing was removed, a large French doll, later discovered to be Miss Lillian McGregor. Miss Jewel Kemp represented a little girl with Newton Maer disguised as her "Black Mammy." Miss Roderick of Corsicana wore a Dutch costume with white wooden shoes and other accessories were imported from Amsterdam. The other young ladies were equally as clever and handsome costumes Colonial ladies, shepherdesses, Little Red Ridinghood and belles of the past century being represented. Among the gentlemen a number of excellent costumes were noted such as clowns, hunters, sailors and country boys. Dancing and other amusements were enjoyed and a delightful luncheon of cheese sandwiches, potato chips, tea and kisses was served. The evening was pronounced one of the most pleasant of the winter's hospitalities by all present. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Emmert of Paris and Mrs. Newton Maer. Those included in the guest list were: Misses Ann Freear, Jewel Kemp, Carrie Kell, Agnes Reid, Lillian Avis, Mabel Simpson, Edith Carver, Adalyn Gibson, Genevieve Carver,

McGregor, Wadsworth, of South Dakota, Grace Nolen, Gertrude Orth, Helen Jalowitz, Roderick of Corsicana, Messrs Blair, Beger, Durland, Gibson, Bonner, J. Bonner, Jones, Gould, Avis, Lawton, Hendricks, Boyd, Dale, McGregor, Thomas, Felder, Smith and Marin.

ART LITERATURE CLUB IN SESSION WITH MRS. CARITHERS

Mrs. D. J. Carithers was hostess to an unusually interesting and pleasant meeting of the Art Literature Club Tuesday afternoon. The members answered roll call with current events and the Stoddard lesson for the day was on Spain, with Mrs. Blankenship as leader. Mrs. G. W. Filgo read a very enjoyable paper on "The Customs and Character of the Spaniards." The Bayview lesson was on "Dresden the Art Center of Germany." An exceptionally fine paper on the Sixtine Madonna was read by Mrs. Harry Robertson and Mrs. Kerr gave a splendid paper on "Tenements of Germany." Mrs. Sanders rendered a vocal selection in her usual charming manner and instrumental duets by Mrs. Phil Kerr and Miss Keur were much enjoyed. An lecture course was the refreshments feature of the afternoon. The members present were: Mesdames Blankenship, Bean, Bolding, G. W. Filgo, Elmer Filgo, Kerr, Robertson, Roy, Giehart, Dethery, Lechman, Sanders, Misses Janison and Kerr. The guests of the afternoon were: Mrs. Phil Kerr and Miss Ruth Lowler.

MISS LILLIAN MCGREGOR IS HOSTESS TO LITTLE SISTERS

The Little Sisters met Tuesday afternoon with Miss Lillian McGregor.

The afternoon was spent in the usual pleasant manner with music, conversation and such like as entertainment features. A refreshment course of frozen custard, whipped cream and fruit cake was served to the Misses, Ann Freear, Kathleen Blair, Genevieve Carver, and the hostess. The club meets next week with Miss Ann Freear.

MISS GRACE NOLEN HOSTESS TO WESLEY GIRLS TUESDAY

The Wesley Girls spent a very pleasant afternoon Tuesday with Miss Grace Nolen. The time was spent in sewing and conversation, as is their custom with music as an optional feature. Several guests were present. In addition to the regular club members, a delectable salad course was served late in the afternoon to the Misses: the Cook, Gertrude Orth, Myrtle Humphries, Mesdames Clifford Robson, Rhea Howard, John Chambers, Mesdames Grayson and Nolen and Miss Gibson were guests.

MONTHLY SOCIAL MEETING AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH

The monthly social meeting of the First M. E. Church was held Monday afternoon at the church parlors. A large number of ladies were in attendance and enjoyed a thoroughly pleasant afternoon. An entertainment committee consisting of Mesdames Dohard, Scott, Calkhill, Friberg and Dodge had prepared delicious refreshments of sandwiches, chicken salad, cake and coffee which were served late in the afternoon.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

The regular monthly business meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, was held Monday afternoon in the church parlors. The usual matters of business taken up and discussed and it was decided to give two dinners in the near future. The meeting places of the Society for next Monday afternoon were announced as follows: Circle No. 1 in the church parlors, Circle No. 2 with Mrs. J. B. Stokes, 209 Lanuar, and Circle No. 3 with Mrs. T. J. Waggoner. The Society will all meet at 3 o'clock.

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The debate held Friday evening by the high school debating society resulted in Otis Nelson and Brennan Gillespie being chosen to represent this society in the county debate for the championship to be held some time in March.

The debaters were chosen by the process of elimination, two being chosen each time and the debate Friday evening was the last of the series. Beside the debate several declamations were delivered.

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On account of the failure of the organ to arrive at the expected time the date of the opening services of the Presbyterian Church has been deferred until Sunday, Feb. 22. Sunday school will be held in the church on next Sunday however. News was received that the organ was shipped Saturday from St. Louis. It will arrive some time next week and will be installed as soon as possible. The congregation of the M. E. Church, South, will take part in the opening services and for that reason it was deemed advisable to delay the services until everything is in readiness.

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JUDGE MARTIN WILL RESIGN

DISTRICT JUDGE TO QUIT PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER PRIVATE PRACTICE

EFFECTIVE ON MARCH 1ST

Will Become Member With Messrs. C. C. Huff and Bullington in Law Firm

Unexpected and without a previous hint came the announcement Saturday afternoon from Judge P. A. Martin, judge of the 30th judicial district, of his intention to resign the office of district judge. His letter of resignation has already been forwarded to Governor Colquitt but will not reach the governor's office until Monday and an announcement of the appointment of a successor to fill the unexpired term is expected within a few days thereafter.

In a letter to The Times in which Judge Martin announces his plans and which follows he gives his reasons for tendering his resignation. He says his duty to his family demands that he make more money than his salary as district judge and as an opportunity has presented itself to associate himself with Messrs. C. C. Huff and Orville Bullington in the practice of law he has decided to avail himself of this opportunity and on March 1 will become a member of the firm of Huff, Martin and Bullington.

Formerly District Attorney, Judge Martin has been district judge in the 30th judicial district comprising Wichita, Clay, Archer and Young counties for three years and two months. Before election to the district judgeship for four years he was district attorney in the same district and previous to that was for eight years county attorney of Young county making in all over fifteen years of public service.

His home was formerly at Graham but the heavy court dockets in Wichita county required that he spend two-thirds or more of his time here and about a year ago he moved to Wichita Falls to make his home.

As district attorney Mr. Martin by the vigorous and effective discharge of his duties and the display of sterling qualities of citizenship and manhood quickly became one of the strongest moral forces in the community and when the retirement of Judge A. H. Carrigan, then district judge, was announced he was the choice of a large majority of the voters of the district for that office and was elected by an overwhelming vote.

For more than three years he has discharged the duties of the district judge's office with rare efficiency and satisfaction to the public and in his superior position his influence as a moral agent has been strengthened. He retires from office firmly established in the esteem of the people he has served and with a record that is unimpaired.

Although no announcement will be forthcoming concerning Judge Martin's successor until his letter of recommendation is in the hands of Governor Colquitt which will probably not be before Monday, it is regarded as altogether likely that the governor will offer the appointment to District Attorney Edgar Scurry of this city. It is reported, however, that Judge Scurry will recommend the appointment of Judge A. A. Hughes.

Judge Martin's Letter.

Judge Martin's letter announcing his resignation follows:

"Mr. Editor: Please give me space in your paper to announce to the bar and the people of the district that I will not become a candidate for a second term as district judge.

Nearly all the lawyers of the district and dozens of the good citizens have assured me that I would have no opposition if I should again become a candidate and I believe from all they have said to me that it is true. Yet after a careful consideration of the matter, I have decided to retire to private life, voluntarily.

I wish to be perfectly frank in the matter: I like the public service and nothing has occurred to make my present position distasteful to me; on the contrary I have been treated with such uniform deference and courtesy by the bar and the people and have been so successful in the administration of justice, (my record of affirmations in the higher courts being right around 85 per cent) and I have received so much commendation from my friends and the people generally over the public record that I have made, that I feel proud of it and loath to give it up.

But my duty to my family demands that I shall make more money than I am receiving as a salary from the State or else I will be but poorly prepared for that old age which will come upon me some day. I have spent fifteen years and more of my life in public service, as county attorney, district attorney and as judge and have become thoroughly convinced that no man can honestly serve the State of Texas, devoting his whole time and his whole talent to the public and ever lay by a competency for the declining years of life.

So, on the 1st day of March, 1914 I shall associate myself with Messrs. C. C. Huff and Orville Bullington of this city in the practice of law under the firm name of Huff, Martin and Bullington.

My resignation as district judge will be in the hands of the governor within the next forty-eight hours and he will have abundant time in which to select my immediate successor to serve the unexpired term.

Allow me further space please to return my heartfelt thanks to the good people of the district who have so signally honored me. I am retiring to private life, perhaps forever and I am taking with me a heart profoundly grateful to all and without the slightest enemy to any.

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States secret service has come to the conclusion that not more than \$3 in every \$100,000 of silver nor more than \$1 in every \$200,000 of bills is spurious. To the secret service office there goes eventually every piece of counterfeit money discovered. It is the great purifying plant of the stream of our national currency, though it is only one of its vital functions. The appearance of a new counterfeit is to the secret service what the clang of the gong is to a fire department

far until the service "has a line on him" his methods, accomplices and general characteristics and his apprehension is usually but a matter of days. There is an erroneous idea, very generally held, that paper money is printed on paper manufactured by a secret process which is carefully guarded from the public. The truth is that almost any paper house could make the identical paper were it not prohibited by law from doing so.

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FOR SALE—By owner, modern home on Ninth street in Floral Heights. Phone 975. 26 tlc
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WE have a buyer for a five or six room, east front house. Must be close in. Will pay \$1200 or \$1400 cash down. Call this evening between 6 and 8 p.m. Monroe Bros., phone 720. 28 tlc
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Wichita Falls Camp No. 12005 M. W. of A. meets every Thursday at 8 p.m. 713 1/2 Indiana avenue. R. S. L. Tway, Consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.
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FOR TRADE—Some 41-1/2 acre property worth the money to trade for farm land at the right price. J. E. Childers, room 211, K. & K. Building, phone 777. 29 3/4c

FOR SALE OR TRADE—By owner. Five-room house in Floral Heights, \$1550. Two lots in Fairview addition. Beautiful Floral Heights lots facing restricted district. Phone 351. 29 1/2c

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—For Wichita Falls property. Good five-room house, storm cellar, orchard, bearing fruit, all fenced. Near car line, one and a half miles from main street in Shawnee, Oklahoma. Address 904 Scott Avenue, Wichita Falls, Texas. 30 6/10c

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COLLECTIONS SLOW FOR TENTH STREET PAVING

Council Decides That Property Owners Have No Option but to Pay for Improvement

At a called session of the city council Saturday morning the wood block paving recently laid on Tenth street and Ohio avenue was accepted and the company ordered paid \$5,778.39.

City Tax Collector Harry Roberts reported slow progress in collections for the macadam asphalt pavement on Tenth street many property owners expressing dissatisfaction with the paving.

Members of the council discussed the matter coming to the conclusion that the property owners had no option but to pay for the paving. The city already has paid out large sums on estimates furnished by the city engineer and in a short time will be compelled to bring action against the property owners who are refusing to pay for their share of improvement.

TO THE VOTERS OF WICHITA FALLS.

Willing to recognize at all times, that a public office belongs to the people who create it, I am pleased to know that I have an opponent for the office of recorder of your city. This will give to each voter the opportunity to exercise his choice for the man he desires to hold the position. Having served you in an official capacity for twelve years, you can judge from the past what you may expect, if you desire me to continue to serve you. Holding a municipal office is, or should be, a business proposition, pure and simple. The officer agrees to perform the duties according to legal specifications, for which the people agree to pay him the legal fees or salary, as the law allows, as his compensation. When he conscientiously performs his duties and receives his fees or salary, the agreement is carried out and neither the officer or the people have a right to complain. Making this slow, I have always tried and believe I have given the city of Wichita Falls value received for every dollar paid me. My time expires the first Tuesday in April, 1914. My business affairs will permit me to enter into a new agreement with you to serve you two more years as recorder; provided, that it will be to your interest to employ me. I think I am well enough known to you not to impertune you by canvassing for your votes. Thanking you for your confidence in the past, I am respectfully,

Your servant, EDGAR RYE.

WILBARGER COUNTY JAIL NOW COMPLETELY EMPTY

Tuesday night the only occupant of a cell in the Wilbarger County Jail, a woman who had been adjudged insane, was removed and the jail is again empty. Sheriff Key has had very few prisoners within the last several months, which conditions speak well for the citizenship of the County.

PRODUCE HOUSE BURNED SATURDAY

MAY-THOMAS COMPANY'S STOCK A TOTAL LOSS IN FIRE OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN

LOSS EXCEEDS \$11,000

Firemen Fight Early Morning Blaze With the Temperature Near the Zero Mark

Fire early Saturday destroyed the May-Thomas produce house on Ohio avenue at the Wichita Valley tracks causing a loss estimated at \$11,500.

The flames were discovered at about 2 o'clock and had gained such headway that the fire department was unable to extinguish the flames before the stock of fresh and dried fruits and vegetables and grocery sundries was a total loss. The building, a one story frame shed like structure, was also almost a total loss.

The alarm was turned into the station at a time when the thermometer registered only eight degrees above zero and wherever the water struck where the heat was not felt it froze and the firemen themselves had difficulty in keeping their ears, hands and feet from freezing. Although a great quantity of wa-

ter was poured onto the burning building the flames smoldered until after daylight before they were finally put out. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The loss of the May-Thomas Company is estimated at \$10,000, on which the firm carried \$5,500 insurance. The building was owned by Harkrider and Keith and was valued at about \$1500. The owners carried \$1,000 insurance.

Harry May, manager for the May-Thomas Company announced Saturday that his firm would re-open for business as soon as a suitable location could be found and new stocks of produce secured. The company plans later to erect a building of its own.

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STEPS ON BANANA PEEL, PHYSICIAN IS INJURED

Dr. G. R. Yantis is Badly Hurt When He Falls From Platform of Train

Dr. G. R. Yantis lies in a serious condition in the Wichita Sanitarium as the result of a fall at the Union Station Friday afternoon when he stepped on a banana-peeling on the platform of a train and pitched headlong to the pavement. Dr. Yantis had been up to Electra on a professional trip and was a passenger on the belated southbound passenger train which reached here at about 4 o'clock. As the train came into the station Dr. Yantis with others went out upon the platform which they reached just as the train came to a stop.

Dr. Yantis stepped upon a banana peeling which had been dropped upon the car platform and when he did so was pitched onto the pavement. He landed on his head. The fall rendered him unconscious and he was picked up by friends and placed in a cab and carried to the Wichita Sanitarium where physicians were called.

He had not regained consciousness Saturday morning and his physicians had not been able to determine whether he had sustained only a concussion, a concussion and hemorrhage or a fracture of the skull. Up to a late hour Saturday night no change had been noted in Dr.

Yantis condition and an operation was then being considered. His condition was considered so serious that telegrams were sent last night summoning his brother, Dr. L. R. Yantis of Blanket, his mother and also his brother-in-law, Dr. J. R. Lancaster of Granbury here.

URGE NUMBERING OF FOOTBALL PLAYERS AT SESSION TONIGHT

New York, Feb. 7.—A determined effort to adopt a rule requiring all football players to wear numerals was scheduled for tonight when the Intercollegiate Football Rules Committee meets here to discuss proposed changes in the playing rules. E. K. Hall, chairman of the committee, was to preside. It was predicted today that few changes in the rules will be made.

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Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The Epworth League meets at 6:30. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Choir rehearsals each Friday night. The building will be found warm and comfortable and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the services.
J. W. HILL, Pastor.

First Baptist Church.
Preaching Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Rev. Williams of Fort Worth. Teachers and Sunday school scholars are requested to bring with them those who do not attend the teaching services. A number are expected to attend the great laymen's convention at Fort Worth which opens Tuesday, Feb. 10th.

Christian Church.
Bible school at 9:30. W. J. Bullock, superintendent. Good teachers and classes for all ages. If you do not attend elsewhere you are invited to come to the Christian Bible school. Junior Endeavor will meet in the basement at 3 in the afternoon. Christian Endeavor assemblies in the basement at 6:30. This meeting should close by 6:50 so not to conflict with the following service. Ladies Aid meeting Monday afternoon in their rooms at the church. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. At the Sunday morning hour 10:40 Mr. J. W. Bradley who has recently visited the largest Bible school in America, located in Canton, Ohio, with over 5,000 will tell concerning that school. The Bible school work is the most important in the church today. At the evening service F. F. Walters will speak especially to young people, concerning the early life of David. This is a popular address and all young people of high school age are invited to attend. Every father and mother in the city could well afford to hear this sermon. Services begin at 7:30. A welcome to all.
F. F. WALTERS, Pastor.

Lutheran Church (Mo. Synod)
(Corner Eleventh and Holliday)
Sunday School (German and English classes at 9:00 a. m. German morning worship at 10:30. English service at 2:30 p. m. Everybody is cordially invited to worship with us.
C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

First Evangelical Church
(Corner Fifteenth and Broad)
Sunday School at 10 a. m. German preaching service at 11 a. m. The evening service will be in charge of the Young Peoples Alliance by which a program will be rendered from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Choir practice on Wednesday at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.
C. ERMEL, Pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
(Corner Seventh and Lamar)
Sunday School 9:45. Morning worship 11:00. Epworth League 8:30 p. m. Subject, "Gentleness with Vehemence." Evening worship, 7:30. The church male quartette will render a selection at the evening service. The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. E. Anderson, 1300 Burnett. Let all members be present. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30.
JOSEPH E. COE, Pastor.

How You May Throw Away Your Glasses
The statement is made that thousands wear eyeglasses who do not really need them. If you are one of these unfortunates, then these glasses may be ruining your eyes instead of helping them. Thousands who wear these "windows" may prove for themselves that they can dispense with glasses if they will get the following prescription filled at once. Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Opton; fill a two ounce bottle with water and drop in one Opton tablet. With this harmless liquid solution bathe the eyes two to four times a day and you are likely to be astonished at the results right from the start. Many who have been told that they have astigmatism, eyestrain, cataract, sore eyelids, weak eyes, conjunctivitis and other eye disorders, report wonderful benefits from the use of this free prescription. Get this prescription filled and use it; you may so strengthen your eyes that glasses will not be necessary. Thousands who are blind or nearly so, or who wear glasses would never have required them if they had cared for their eyes in time. Save your eyes before it is too late! Do not become one of these victims of neglect. Eyeglasses are only like crutches and every few years they must be changed to fit the ever increasing weakened condition, so better see if you can, like many others, get clear healthy, strong magnetic eyes through the prescription here given.
(Adv't)

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TO GIVE PLAY THURSDAY

Will Present "Mr. Bob" at Wichita Theatre, Being Their First Effort of the Season.

The first play to be given this year by the high school dramatic club will be presented to the public next Thursday evening at the Wichita Theatre. The play has a rather clever plot with an old maid, a butler with a case of exaggerated ego and a stage struck maid to furnish the comedy. The entire plot is woven around mistaken identities, the kind of play where everybody thinks everybody else is somebody when they are not. It is called "Mr. Bob" and a brief synopsis follows: Miss Rebecca Luke is an old maid with an unusual fondness for cats. When she thinks of the poor little cats alone in the world her tender heart is filled with grief, so she plans to convert the upper story of her house into an asylum for worthy, homeless felines. An architect is ordered from town to bring plans for arranging this change. But in the meantime Miss Beck's nephew, who has a distaste for cats, has agreed to give up taking part in a yacht race (this being distasteful to Miss Beck) if she will give up the cat scheme and it is so agreed. Miss Kathrine, the young lady of the house has a guest 45 arrive whose nickname is Bob. When she announces the friends intended visit, Philip supposes the "Bob" is a man, Kathrine's fiancée. A law clerk arrives with a lost collie and the fun begins. He is mistaken for the architect, "Mr. Bob" a friend of Philip and Philip himself. The affairs are thus entangled and the untangling of the tangle form the play which is worked out in a clever manner. An amusing incident in the plot is a rendition of the balcony scene from Romeo and Juliet, given by the maid and the butler while the maid is on a step ladder in the pantry. The cast of the play is made up of the following high school students: Misses Audrey Addicks, Bernice Landers, Helen Hines, Ruby Moore and J. L. Jackson. Mr. Ralph Ford and Mack McGinley. The characters have been drilled by Miss Jourdan, instructor in dramatic art at the College of Music and Art.

DANISH PRINCE A BOY SCOUT RECEIVES APPOINTMENT
Copenhagen, Feb. 7.—Crown Prince Frederik, who, with his younger brother Prince Knud, joined the Danish Boy Scouts last year, today was appointed "English Translator" for that organization. He won the job by fulfilling three tasks: writing a long and really clever essay in English on the boy scout movement, translating an article from a London newspaper, and in conversing in English for an hour.

"THE TRAFFIC" TO BE SHOWN AGAIN TOMORROW

There will be a return engagement of "The Traffic" at the Wichita Theatre tomorrow night. When this play appeared at Fort Worth recently, Hugh Noyent Fitzsimond, writing in the "Evening Post" on it as follows: "The Traffic" is a problem play. It deals with economic questions as well as white slavery. It introduces to the play-going public real scenes from squalid quarters of honest poverty fighting for bread as well as scenes from gilded palaces of infamy

where the wretches of society squander their substance in sensual orgies and turn night into day. This play was written by a good woman. A man collaborated. This must have been necessary. A good woman can make the rounds of poverty flats. She cannot live deep into vice's realm if she is at all squeamish. "The Traffic" is a stage sermon, although it deals with forbidden things. It is an educator, although the prudes of society may object to lifting off the lid on creatures whose greed drives women who are compelled to toil to sell their souls as a last

resort in order that their bodies may be fed. They have the comforts of good homes, all the luxuries that money can buy. They are not exposed to the insults of human beasts nor to the temptations which beset the tired feet of the daughters of poverty and toil. There are strong lines in "The Traffic" and naked truths are told. One is that it is impossible to save a woman who has wallowed in the filth of a life of degradation. For these unfortunates there may be hope in the hereafter. There is none here. Their lives have been broken by cruel circumstances and the grave

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BOLD HOLDUP AT IOWA PARK MONDAY MORNING
(Iowa Park Herald)
While attending to his duties as school janitor, early Monday morning, A. S. Williams was followed into the school building by two men, who grabbed him and while one held him the other went through his pockets, robbing him of \$14. They then left the building ordering Mr. Williams to remain until day light. No clue has been found of the robbers.

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