

FATAL WRECK ON NEW HAVEN ROAD

SIX ARE KILLED AND SIXTEEN INJURED IN COLLISION TODAY

2 PASSENGERS DEAD

Regular Train is Struck by Special Near Milford, Connecticut This Morning

By Associated Press. New York, Feb. 22.—Six persons were killed and sixteen injured in the wreck of passenger trains near Milford, Conn., today according to reports received by the local offices of the New York, New Haven & Hartford.

Two of the dead were passengers and four were trainmen. The New Haven train was run into by a special passenger train. This train was made up in New Haven to carry passengers who otherwise would have gone on the regular express from Boston to New York leaving New Haven shortly after 11:30.

OUSTED MAYOR GETS OFFICE BACK, QUILTS

Resigns Immediately After Being Sworn in Memphis This Morning

By Associated Press. Memphis, Feb. 22.—Edward H. Crump, who was ousted as mayor of Memphis last November, resumed his office today after having resigned his resignation at a special meeting of the city commission today. K. A. Wiley, commissioner of fire and police, ousted at the same time, also assumed his office for the new term, automatically becoming mayor on the resignation of Crump, his assumption of office gave Memphis its fourth mayor since the first of the year.

CONDITION OF M. LASKER REPORTED VERY SERIOUS

M. Lasker of Galveston, well known in Wichita Falls and at one time extensively interested here, is very ill at a sanitarium in Mineral Wells and his death is momentarily expected, according to advices received here. He has suffered a general breakdown, and on account of his advanced age his condition is serious.

Mr. Lasker owns a considerable interest in the Wichita Mill & Elevator Company and was associated with Messrs. Kemp and Kell in the building of the Wichita Falls Railway from Henrietta to this city, now a part of the Katy system. He was interested in other enterprises here and though he never made Wichita Falls his home, he was accustomed to spend much of his time here up to a few years ago.

SEVENTH DISTRICT BANKERS AT ABILENE

By Associated Press. Abilene, Tex., Feb. 22.—Bankers of the seventh district of the Texas Bankers Association are meeting here today. Prominent members of the bankers flying squadron from the north and east, as well as Texas banking men are on the program for addresses.

ZEPPELIN IS BROUGHT DOWN BY FRENCHMEN

By Associated Press. Paris, Feb. 22.—The entire crew of the Zeppelin airship brought by French guns near Brabant Le Roi yesterday 22 in number, perished according to a Havas dispatch from Bar Le Duc. The Zeppelin was brought down by the first shot from a cannon mounted on an automobile near Ravigne. The Zeppelin was one of the latest models, according to advices, being the marine type and numbered LZ-77. Another Zeppelin was following it fifteen kilometers behind when the French guns began to fire. The crew of the second Zeppelin witnessing the destruction of the LZ-77 proceeded in another direction. The LZ-77 was advancing slowly against the wind when the cannonade began. Two shells burst in the rear of the dirigible while an incendiary projectile seemed to tear across the Zeppelin igniting the right side of the craft. The fire was seen sweeping along the entire length of the airship. It burned steadily and in touching the earth the bombs which the ship carried exploded.

An enormous crowd of persons speedily gathered while the roads were filled with automobiles on their way to the scene. Those who arrived found nothing but the debris of the air craft under which lay from 20 to 30 bodies.

PETITION FOR MANDAMUS IS FILED TODAY

JUDGE FRY TAKES LEGAL ACTION TO SEE GRAND JURY LIST IN YOUNG COUNTY FOR COMING COURT TERM

PLOT IS ALLEGED

Claims Officials Are in Conspiracy To Change Grand Jury List—Seeks To Mandamus District Clerk Willie Riggs Who is Cited to Appear

Alleging that he believes the county judge, county attorney, sheriff and county commissioners of Young county have entered into a conspiracy to change the grand jury list for the March term of district court in that county so as to substitute the names of citizens "who would be under their influence and domination" Judge E. W. Fry, former county judge of Young county, this afternoon in the 30th district court filed application for a writ of mandamus to compel Willie Riggs, district clerk of Young county, to produce the original list of grand jurors drawn. The suit was filed by Judge Edgar Scully as counsel for Judge Fry.

Judge Bonner at 3 o'clock this afternoon issued his mandate ordering District Clerk Riggs of Young county to appear here next Saturday to show cause why the writ of mandamus asked by Judge Fry should not be issued.

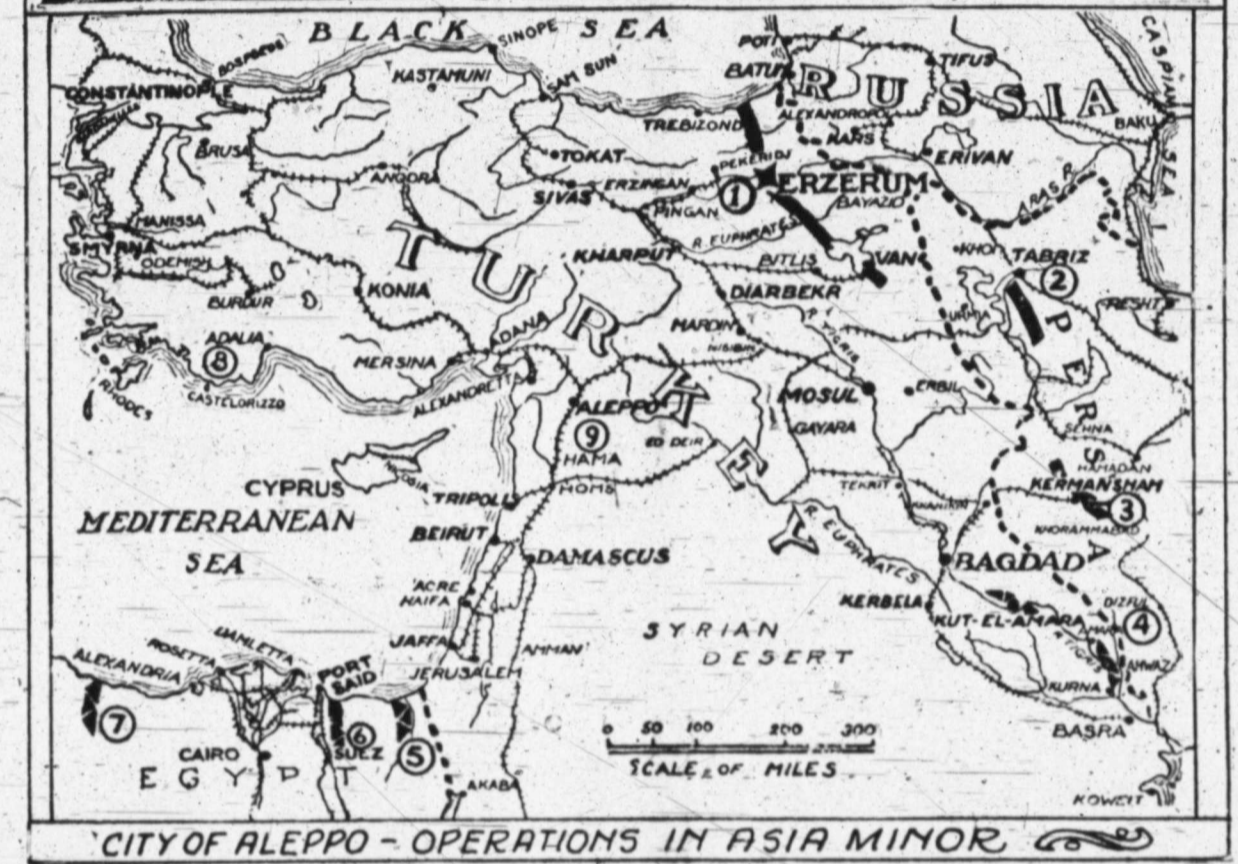
The mandamus, the filing of which was predicted in The Times of Sunday, is the outgrowth of the alleged failure of Young county officials to disclose the names of the grand jurors to Judge Fry. Judge Fry in his petition, charges that it was planned to substitute names of citizens who would indict him or who would fail to indict members of the county administration, his petition asserts, for "illegal transactions and official misconduct which would subject them to criminal prosecution or removal from office."

The petition was addressed to Judge E. W. Bonner, as judge of the 30th district. It sets forth that Riggs, as district clerk, opened the grand jury list 30 days before the opening of the March term, furnishing the sheriff with a copy of it. The petition continues: "That this relator (Judge Fry) through his attorney, Fred Arnold, made demand upon the clerk that he be allowed to inspect said list of grand jurors, the same being then on file in his office, and that said demand was made within 30 days of the date of the opening of the next term of court and after said list of grand jurors has been opened by the respondent."

"That this relator has reason to believe and does believe that there was a conspiracy entered into by and between one W. P. Stinson, county judge of Young county, Texas and one E. W. Bonner, county attorney of Young county, Texas and M. Wallace, sheriff of Young county, Texas and the members of the commissioners court of Young county, Texas, whose names are as follows: G. D. Henson, W. E. McClaren, J. B. Reynolds and John N. Saxe for the purpose of intimidating the said Willie Riggs and preventing the said Willie Riggs from showing said list to this relator, and that this relator has reason to believe and does believe that the ultimate and final purpose of said conspiracy on the part of said conspirators is to fraudulently change the name on the list of grand jurors or to destroy the same and to substitute other and different names in the place of and stead of the list drawn by the jury commissioners appointing on the last term of court thereby getting grand jurors who would be under their influence and domination and whom they could induce to fraudulently and unjustly return indictments against this relator and that said conspirators, this relator has reason to believe and does believe have been guilty of illegal transactions and official misconduct which would subject them to criminal prosecution and removal from office and that they further believe and so charge that said conspirators intend or have changed or will destroy said list of grand jurors and have a fraudulent list served and placed on said grand jury at the next term of the court such grand jurors as they can control and dominate and whereby prevent indictment being returned against them for their many high crimes and misdemeanors."

"That this relator desires to prevent the carrying out of this conspiracy on the part of said conspirators and that he desires to see the original list of grand jurors as was returned by said jury commissioners further purposes as every good citizen carrying out of said conspiracy, and to see that the legal grand jurors are served and that he may prevent said conspirators from perpetrating a fraud or having a fraudulent indictment returned against him for the further purposes as every good citizen should do to see that a legal grand jury is drawn by lawful jury

OPERATIONS IN ASIA MINOR HAVE IMPORTANT BEARING ON WAR ELSEWHERE



CITY OF ALEPPO - OPERATIONS IN ASIA MINOR

The capture by the Russians of Erzurum (1), at the headwaters of the Euphrates, will practically open the whole of Armenia to Grand Duke Nicholas' Caucasian army, whose line extends from the coast to southward of Lake Van. In northwest Persia is a second Russian force, with its base at Tarbiz (2), while a third force is fighting Persians and Turks in the region of Kermanshah (3). The British force on the Tigris in Mesopotamia, which originally advanced close to

Bagdad, but was forced to retire, is besieged in part at Kut-el-Amara (4), while a relief force a few miles below is held up by floods and a strong force of Turks. The fall of Erzurum is expected to relieve the pressure on the British front in Mesopotamia by forcing Turkey to draw off troops for reinforcements to meet the Russian advance and to postpone indefinitely the proposed advance on Egypt, where the Suez canal is being protected by

lives of troops, whose positions are indicated approximately by the figures 5, 6 and 7. The French have occupied as a base the island of Castelazzo (8), with the ultimate object, it is believed, of throwing an army across country to seize the railroad between Constantinople and Aleppo (9), where the proposed army or invasion of Egypt is being concentrated. The map in the picture covers the entire field of operations in this part of the world. The view above shows the city of Aleppo.

commissioners, who shall investigate the wrong doings of said conspirators and other criminals who are within the boundary of the county of Young.

"Wherefore your relator prays that the said Willie Riggs, the respondent herein be cited to answer this petition and that upon hearing of this cause your honor shall issue a mandamus, compelling and requiring the said Willie Riggs, clerk of district court of Young county to produce said original list of grand jurors as was drawn by the jury commissioners of Young county, Texas at the last term of said court, and that said clerk allow this relator and his attorney to inspect said list and to make a copy of the same to the end that he may use the same to prevent unlawful, illegal and fraudulent indictments being returned against him by a grand jury which has been illegally and fraudulently summoned as grand jurors by the commissioners, and said Riggs be cited to appear before your honor at Wichita Falls, Texas and to show why said writ of mandamus should not issue, and that your honor appoint some disinterested person to serve the respondent and that your relator recover all cost in this behalf expended."

Judge Fry's desire to ascertain the personnel of the grand jury was prompted by some acts of the present county administration in Young county of which it has been expected the grand jury would take notice. Rufe Lottin, present county treasurer of Young county, and candidate for county judge, has referred to these matters in political advertising in one of the Graham papers. The principal matter over which the commissioners have been criticized was the making of a contract with I. G. Hamilton, said to represent a Chicago bank, by which Hamilton loaned the county a total of \$45,000 for road and bridge work, the county agreeing to pay the money back in installments which extend to the year 1930. It is contended that the present commissioners cannot make a contract covering more than the terms of office of the members.

The procedure of some of the commissioners in connection with the road and bridge work has been under fire on other grounds. The last legislature passed a special road law for Young county, the measure being introduced by Representative Haney, and it said that notice of intention to ask for the passage of such a law was not given by publication for 30 days in advance, as the law requires. Mr. Lottin's political advertisements made extended mention of the procedure of the commissioners under the road law, he quoting from the commissioners' court records to show that in some months some of the commissioners worked, both as road overseers and as commissioners, a greater num-

ber of days than there were working days in the month.

Road Work Contracts. The contracts with I. G. Hamilton, from whom the county borrowed a total of \$45,000, show that the receipts from the special road law, voted by the county, were pledged to the payment of the notes. The first contract, covering a loan of \$25,000, was published. It showed that payments of \$2500 annually were to be made annually, on February 8 of each year from 1916 to 1925 inclusive. Other contracts, covering the remainder of the \$45,000 borrowed, provide for annual payments extending to the year 1930.

Mr. Lottin's advertisements call particular attention to the fact that the money remains in Chicago and New York banks until used, though the county pays interest on it from February 8, 1915. Mr. Lottin explains his candidacy as being due to the fact that the county commissioners reduced his commission to a basis where the office would not pay over \$300 annually, whereas, he charges, every other county officer received more in salaries in fees, than formerly.

The charges and counter charges which have been made and published indicate that feeling is running high in Young county, and there are indications that the troubles of that citizenship are not yet particular attention has been directed to the recent charges by reason of the prominence which the county gained over the tragedies of a year ago and the trials which followed.

WORK RESUMED AT FRUIT JAR PLANT

New Kind of Jar Added to Ball Bros. Products Local Jar Factory. Work has been resumed at Ball Brothers jar plant after a period of idleness, and practically all departments of the plant were busy this morning. The plant's stock has reached a low point, compared with what it was a few months ago and it is expected that the plant will run steadily for a considerable period. The plant will make a new variety of jar, in addition to the staple jars which it has been turning out. The new jar is to be known as the "Ideal" being similar to the "Sure Seal" jar already manufactured by Ball Brothers; it has a glass top with a wire holder. F. E. Jewett and V. T. Roush of Muncie, Indiana, are here to aid in getting the manufacture of the new jar started. Mr. Jewett is one of Ball Brothers' superintendents at the Muncie plant.

ASSURANCES NOT FOR ARMED SHIPS

GERMANY SAID TO BE PREPARING NEW NOTE TO THIS EFFECT

DEFENSE QUESTION

Will Take Position That Guns On Liners are Not To Be Treated as Exceptions

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 22.—Confidential advices from Berlin today indicate that Germany soon will inform the United States that her previous assurances that menacing liners will not be attacked without warning holds good for future submarine operations, provided, however, that such liners carry no armament.

The German government will contend, the advices state, that what now is characterized as defensive armament, really is defensive armament when submarines are concerned and will propose discussion with the United States of what defensive armament may properly be.

As none of the British and French liners now clearing from American ports carry any guns whatever, such assurances from Germany will be in the nature of reassurances for the safety of neutrals they carry, even wider the terms of the new submarine campaign. How far assurances will go toward meeting the state department's objections that the Lusitania agreement as at present drawn, applies only to the past and not to the future, it is ably can only be determined when they are formally laid before Secretary Lansing. When the assurances are to be executed from Berlin was not disclosed, but it is believed they will arrive here within the next few days.

ONE LEGGED MEN IN CUTTING AFFRAY

Wounded Man May Die As Result of Fight in Rooming House - Early Today

Jess Brown and J. W. Stanton, both one legged men, engaged in a cutting affray early today at a rooming house at Seventh and Michigan and Stanton received a wound in the breast which may cause his death. Brown was arrested and locked up. Eye witnesses stated that both men were drunk and the cause of the affair is not known.

It is not my fault, I didn't kill him," Brown is said to have told an officer this morning as he was being taken to jail. He was arrested by police officers and turned over to county officers this morning. In spite of the fact that both men are cripples, the fight is declared to have been a vigorous one. The knife entered Stanton's chest passing just to the right of the heart and his condition is serious, the physicians do not believe the wound will prove fatal unless complications set in. He was removed to the general hospital this afternoon.

ONE RESIGNS TODAY

Accused Woman Still Says That Other is Dear Friend and Very Sweet Lady

By Associated Press. Chicago, Feb. 22.—Mrs. Eaton is one of my dearest friends, one of the sweetest women I know," was the statement today by Mrs. Louise O. Roe, superintendent of the department of welfare, who it is charged by Mrs. Page Waller Eaton, superintendent of the city bureau of social surveys, forced Mrs. Eaton to pay her (Mrs. Roe) one third of the complainant's \$3000 salary. Hearing of the charges was today set for Thursday before the council commissioner.

They were made yesterday by W. D. Rodriguez, a Socialist alderman at a meeting of the council. The alderman asserted Mrs. Eaton had paid more than \$500 to Mrs. Roe and that the money "was for the benefit of a needy relative of Mayor Thompson." Mrs. Eaton has resigned from her position it was announced today. Mrs. Roe characterized the charge as absurd and a similar statement was made by Mayor Thompson.

In the majority campaign which resulted in Mayor Thompson's election, Mrs. Eaton was an active champion of Mayor Thompson. A feature of the controversy between Mrs. Roe and Mrs. Eaton is the complimentary way in which they speak of each other.

"I'm tickled to death for the opportunity to meet these charges," said Mrs. Roe. "I have been disturbed for the last six months by murmurings of alleged graft in my office, but I could not defend myself because it would have betrayed the confidence of my friends. Mrs. Eaton is one of my dearest friends, one of the sweetest women I know." Mrs. Eaton described in detail the alleged payments.

40,000 TOTAL OF TURKS' LOSS IN ERZERUM'S FALL

RUSSIAN FORCES ARE ADVANCING ON WIDE FRONT AND PORT OF TEBRIZ IS THREATENED, ACCORDING TO REPORTS

AFFAIRS AT ATHENS

Situation Between Greece and Entente Powers Reported Beigher, Austrian Air Raids Over Italian Territory Continues

By Associated Press. London, Feb. 22.—The Turks lost heavily in their fighting resulting in the capture of Erzurum by the Russians, according to a Petrograd dispatch today, which estimates their loss at 40,000 killed, wounded and prisoners. The Russians are pursuing the Turks westward from Erzurum as well as to the north and south as the Turkish forces have split and fled in all directions.

The different Ottoman groups, according to Petrograd advices, have been cut off from communication with each other, while the Russians are declared to have solidified their own lines, so their advance is rapidly becoming a forward drive along an unbroken front from the Black Sea to Mush, west of Lake Van. On the north Tebriz is threatened, the Russians having pushed close to the Black Sea in their operations along the coast, while the Russian forces from Erzurum are reported nearing the coast city.

Differences between Greece and the entente allies over military questions appear to be in a way smoothed out as the result of a visit of Gen. Sarrail, the French commander in the Balkans, to King Constantine. The king has expressed himself as confident that the interview marked the first step toward the end of the difficulties.

The Austrians are continuing their air raids over Italian territory. The latest flights were across the Italian province of Brescia and towards Milan. Rome reports four persons killed and five wounded, with only slight material damage.

In Petrograd the Russian Duma met today. It has not been in session since last September. The British delegation to the Anglo-French parliamentary commission begins today its conference with an equal number of French senators and deputies to discuss the conduct of the war with a view to guidance of the parliaments of the two nations.

DIRE PREDICTION MADE BY SOLDIER

General Wood Says This Country Will Be in War For Existence in Few Years

By Associated Press. Chicago, Feb. 22.—Major General Leonard Wood in an address before the annual dinner of the Harvard Club last night, predicted that within a few years the United States would be engaged in a war for existence and depicted the nation as a cripple leaning on the crutches of the militia and the volunteer system. He said the militia is ineffective and in its present form would be practically useless for field service.

NAME FORT WORTH FOR CONVENTION

Republicans of Texas Will Meet There May 23—Committee in Session Today

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 22.—At the meeting of the state Republican executive committee here today Fort Worth was selected as the 1916 convention city for Texas Republicans and May 23 was fixed as the date of the convention. Of the 100 who attended the meeting, it was said many were progressives in the last presidential campaign. They announced they had returned to the Republican fold. The usual county and precinct conventions were called.

D. R. FRANCIS FOR PETROGRAD POST

Former Governor of Missouri Likely To Be Named as Ambassador to Russia

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 22.—David R. Francis, former governor of Missouri who has been offered the post of ambassador to Russia, conferred today with President Wilson and Secretary Lansing. It is understood he will accept the place although he said when leaving the White House that he still had it under consideration.

TRENCHES NEAR SOUCHEZ TAKEN

BERLIN REPORTS

By Associated Press. Berlin, Feb. 22.—The capture of 300 meters of trench positions east of Souchez by German troops is announced today by the German war office.

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NEGROES NEEDED ON GRAND JURY?

INTERESTING QUESTION RAISED IN CASE RECENTLY TRIED HERE

WILL TAKE APPEAL

Attorneys Believe "Refusal" of Jury Commission to Draw Negroes Will Bring Reversal

The refusal of a jury commission in this county to draw negroes for grand jury service may result in reversal of some murder cases in which negroes have been convicted, it was learned today. Attorneys for Oscar Wells, the negro recently convicted and given a five year sentence on a charge of murder, will use this point in prosecuting their appeal in case a new trial is denied.

Negroes have never been drawn for either grand or petit jury service in this county, but the spectacle of darkies serving in that manner may result if the higher courts hold the contention of Attorneys Fitzgerald & Cox, attorneys for Wells, to be well taken.

Where the jury commission simply fails to draw negroes for the grand jury, the supreme court has held that there is no discrimination, but when the commission deliberately refuses to draw negroes, several decisions have been made to the effect that there is discrimination.

W. J. Bullock and J. W. Walkup, two members of the jury commission which drew the grand jury that indicted Wells, testified that they passed over negroes' names in making up the grand jury list because it had not been customary to put them on grand juries in this county. The appeal may result in jury commission's being required to put negroes on juries in this county, and deliberate refusal to do so is held to be a discrimination.

In this connection some East Texas counties have had experiences of the same kind and some of those counties make it a practice to have negroes on every grand jury. There are two or three negroes who are considered available for this purpose and while they remain in the grand jury room, they as a rule figure not at all in the deliberations and out in a large part of their time performing porter and janitor service for the other members.

A number of cases have gone up from Southern States to the supreme court at Washington on this issue, most of them losing out in the higher court, because it was shown that the jury commissioners merely "failed" to draw negroes and did not deliberately refuse to do so. The supreme court at Washington has drawn the line between the two expressions and for that reason Fitzgerald & Cox established the fact that in the case of the grand jury which indicted Wells it was not merely a case of "failed."

Negroes have never been used as jurors in this county and so far as court officials know, none have been on the lists. There are about 700 negroes in the county according to estimates.

The same plea may be made in the case of Charles Thompson, negro in whose case the death penalty was returned, although it has not yet been established that the commission in that case "refused" to draw negroes' names, this being apparently a case of "failed." Ralph Mathis, attorney for Thompson, raised that point however, when the case was tried and may incorporate in his appeal if his motion for a new trial is overruled. The motion will be argued before Judge Bonner next Saturday.

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Young Men Alleged to Have Tried To Hold Up Sheriff Are Convicted

Lem Morgan and John Jenkins, charged with robbery in connection with an alleged attempt to hold up Sheriff Hawkins in December, were found guilty by a jury in the district court late Monday and were given five years each. The jury was out only a short time; all the judges agreed on a verdict of guilty, but one member insisted on a 25-year sentence.

The alleged attempt was made late one Sunday evening. The sheriff was approached by a man who seemed to have a companion, but who was unarmamented, the sheriff with that fact, suspecting a "stall," the sheriff remarked, "I'd like to have a drink, too, I'm pretty dry myself."

The kind hearted stranger thereupon volunteered to steer the officer to a place where a reliable refreshment might be obtained. He took George to Fifth street, turning east from Indiana. Seeing two men come out of the alley, the sheriff feared that perhaps something more than a drink was on tap, and put his hand on his gun. The two men, Jenkins and Morgan, emerged from the alley and came up to Hawkins and his newfound friend.

"Put up your hands," said one of the men, according to Hawkins testimony. "Put 'em up yourself" replied the sheriff, drawing his gun. The "robber" vanished in the darkness and Morgan and Jenkins were taken into custody. They were indicted and tried, the first trial resulting in a hung jury, which stood eleven to one for conviction. Yesterday's trial resulted in a verdict of guilty. S. Huffman, a new member of the local bar, was appointed by Judge Nicholson to defend the young men.

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NICK PAPPAS, DESERTED BRIDEGROOM, GOOD LOSER

Nick Pappas, proprietor of a shine parlor and fruit stand here, who went to Fort Worth to get married, last week, but whose intended bride was claimed by another man, has asked The Times to correct one feature of the report of the incident, which said that he had gone for the marriage license when the other man appeared on the scene. Nick says he had merely left Miss Davis, who was to have been his bride, for a moment to go to another part of the station at Fort Worth.

Nick is proving an exceptionally good loser, under the circumstances, and friends who sought to console him found little need for their offices, as Pappas is more cheerful than some real bridegrooms are. He certifies no ill will toward C. A. Buchheit, the Katy mechanic who married Miss Davis.

"I'll ever meet that fellow," said Nick, "I'm going to buy him a suit of clothes."

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BOYS' CLUB ENGAGES IN PICKLE CONTEST

Prize is Box of Pills—Rev. F. F. Walters Addresses Meeting Monday Night

Rev. F. F. Walters addressed the Boys' Club meeting Monday night in regular session at the high school. Mr. Walters took his subject from the book of Daniel and talked on the trials of the young men of Judah at their time of captivity in Babylon, drawing a lesson for modern times from the steadfastness of the ancient Jewish youth.

The program was preceded by the usual business session and several members were initiated. An informal discussion by several of the members was held on the following subject: "If a man had done something to ruin you morally and financially and later you should have an opportunity to save him from real danger at your own personal risk could you refuse to aid him and still retain a clear conscience?" There was a variance of opinion among the boys and numerous points of interest were brought out.

A dill pickle contest followed with C. J. Shumate, Gordon Harris and Eugene Douglas as contestants. Gordon Harris was the winner, having succeeded in putting down three large size dill pickles in the shortest period of time and was awarded the prize which was quite appropriately a box of pills. The club will meet next Monday night in regular session.

BOXERS READY FOR TOMORROW'S BOUT

Fleming and Sanders Working Out For Wednesday's 15 Round Affair

Frankie Sanders and Carl Fleming who meet tomorrow night before the Business Men's Athletic Club, began working out yesterday in preparation for their bout. They will also do light road work, which means long walks and light runs in the very best of condition when the gong tapers of the Business Men's Athletic Club.

The usual program of preliminaries is being arranged and several local boxers will participate. Sanders has been in the glove game a long time and has met such pugilists as Johnny Condon, Abe Appel, Charles White and Frankie Callahan. He is said to be a fast, heady boxer and local fans are expected to see fifteen rounds of pretty work tomorrow night. Fleming is well known to the local fans, having appeared in three bouts here within the past few weeks.

The boxers will weigh in at 118 pounds, which is a heavy bantam-weight or light featherweight.

WICHITA VALLEY DIRECTORS MEET

Auditor's Office is Moved to Fort Worth—Promotion For W. H. Carnes

Changes in the local Valley office, resulting in the abolishing of the auditor's headquarters here, were authorized this afternoon at a meeting of the directors of the Wichita Valley in this city. W. H. Carnes, who has been secretary and auditor here, resigned to go to Fort Worth as chief clerk to W. C. Logan, recently chosen auditor for the Fort Worth & Denver. O. E. Maer was elected secretary and will take over in addition to his present work as superintendent. W. C. Logan was elected auditor of the Valley and that road will be in his charge, as well as the Denver.

The change means a promotion for Mr. Carnes, who has been here for some time. The audit records of the Valley will hereafter be kept in Fort Worth. The directors also received the resignation of E. I. Grenfell as consulting auditor. Mr. Grenfell resigned a short time ago as auditor of the Denver road to accept a place with another system.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY QUIETLY OBSERVED HERE

This is George Washington's birthday and as such is being quietly but none the less patriotically observed here. The banks and schools are closed for the day and the post office is observing holiday hours also. Several thousand school children are turned loose and are taking advantage of the freedom to go fishing and picnicking. There are a number of social affairs on schedule for this afternoon and tonight.

DEATH OF MRS. MAYFIELD AT BRENHAM ANNOUNCED

Mrs. A. H. Carrigan today received a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Mayfield at Brenham. Mrs. Mayfield was the mother of Mrs. J. H. Barwise of Fort Worth. Seth Mayfield, well known lumber man and Mrs. J. M. Mathis, all former residents of Wichita Falls and well known. Mrs. Mayfield has many friends here to whom news of her death will bring grief. The funeral will be held tomorrow at Brenham.

CLUB ORGANIZED BY TRAP SHOOTERS

Plans For Clay Pigeon Shoots Are Formulated at Meeting Monday Night

Trap shooting is to have a definite place among the amusements in this city, organization of a gun club being effected Monday night at a well attended and enthusiastic meeting in the office of C. J. Pate. The following officers were elected:

Dr. M. M. Walker, president; E. G. Hill, vice-president; C. B. Woods, secretary-treasurer; G. F. Howard, field captain. A membership committee consisting of C. J. Pate, J. R. MacIntosh, M. A. Marcus, Roy Artley, Gus Wilfong and Jack Gocher, was named. There are already about 28 members and it is hoped to enlist at least 75 within a short time.

A trap has already been ordered and will probably be installed east of the city, though the location has been decided upon. It is planned to offer trophies for the best monthly averages, the best season averages and for other honors. Trap shooters from clubs in other cities will be invited here for contests and it is expected to arouse considerable interest in blue-rock shooting.

The women folks are also to be invited to participate in this form of preparedness, and special days will probably be set aside for them to use the traps. The expense of the organization will be light, and after regular shoots are under way, will probably not exceed the cost of the shells and blue rocks used by the member.

LIGHT RAIN FALLS HERE AND AT POINTS SOUTH

A light rain fell here Monday night about 11:30, lasting only a short time. A few showers of it remained this morning. Rain was reported at Chillicothe, north on the Fort Worth & Denver and at all points south to Fort Worth, but was not heavy at any of the towns.

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WASHINGTON RELIC OWNED BY WICHITAN

E. G. Cook Has Poem on Death of First President. Printed Up on Satin

E. G. Cook of this city has an interesting family heirloom and relic of George Washington. It is a poem of Washington printed on satin on January 1, 1800. The poem has been in the possession of the Cook family 116 years. It was handed down to Mr. Cook a few years ago upon the death of his father. It was given to the latter by his father who received it from Mr. Cook's great grandfather. The name of the author does not appear but the imprint shows it to have been printed by J. C. Atkinson, January 1, 1800. The poem was printed a few weeks after the death of Mr. Washington who died in December 1799. It is in a remarkable state of preservation and is easily readable despite the old-fashioned form of the letters and the spelling of certain words. In one or two places the satin has come apart at the folds and to prevent further damage Mr. Cook has had the poem framed. The poem is described in the leading as "An Elegiac Poem on the Death of General George Washington, Commander in Chief of the Armies of the United States, who died at Mount Vernon, Virginia, 14th of December 1799—aged 68. Dedicated to the Citizens of the United States."

J. Levi Gambill the progressive grocer, is opening up a new grocery store in the old First National Bank building at Seventh street and Indiana avenue. The new store will be under the management of A. S. Lave. Mr. Gambill will continue to run his store in the Empress theatre building.

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Total resources of the national banks of the country on December 31 aggregated \$13,467,887,223, an increase for the year of about \$2,110,000,000. Deposits totaled \$10,379,000,000, an increase in the year of about \$2,163,000,000 while loans and discounts in the year increased about \$1,010,000,000. The banks are in a prosperous, healthy state, commerce and industry is active and prosperous, labor is fully employed at high wages. There is plenty of money for investment. What more could we ask?

Wichita Falls has excellent sewer facilities and probably larger proportion of its residences and business houses are served by sewer than any other city in the state, but there are still a number of houses which do not have sewer connections although the sewer runs in the alley behind them. These are generally houses which the owners are paying for in monthly installments which require all the money their owners can command. Many of these home owners would be glad to install the sewer service if they could obtain the money to do it with. Now there is a large balance in the sewer fund and the revenues are more than sufficient to provide for all extensions. Every connection with the sewer means fifty cents a month revenue to the city fund. Many of these home owners is less than the less charged for cleaning vaults. There may be no express warrant for the city to advance to individuals the cost of installing sewer service but heretofore there have always been found ways of getting around such difficulties. The sensible and thrifty course, it appears for city is to advance to property owners the money for installing sewer service and permit them to repay the city in small installments. This proceeding is warranted in the interest of public health.

In his farewell address George Washington warned his fellow citizens that the cost of government and of national defense must be met by taxation. The Father of His Country expressed the belief that in their gratitude for the benefits received every citizen would want to bear his just proportion of the burden of government. We have gotten a long way from the spirit that prevailed in Washington's time, it appears.

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tyranny were so recent that there was full appreciation of the free and constitutional government. In these latter days so far removed from the oppression that caused its existence there is not that keen appreciation of the benefits of the government that prevailed in Washington's day, and a good many citizens are trying to shift the burden of taxation onto the other fellow or the other class. Until recently most of the revenues were produced through tariffs that taxed almost everything the ordinary citizen ate or wore, or used in his everyday life. Within the past few years an income tax has equalized somewhat the burden. Now some appear to want the fellow with the big income to pay nearly all the cost of the government. This is the spirit in which some are proposing measures to raise revenue to provide for the national defense. George Washington would have believed that every citizen would want to bear his just portion of burden of a government undertaking that means so much to every citizen as does national defense. We have gotten a long way from the spirit that prevailed in Washington's time, it appears.

sometimes infest her soil offer greater hazards for crops than exist in many other states, Texas seasons and Texas soil offer opportunity for a great diversity of crops so that if the wheat crop is destroyed by the green bug cotton or corn may be planted in plenty of time to make a big yield. If the cotton should fail to start off well the ground may yet be planted in food crops. It's a very difficult matter to beat a Texas farmer entirely out of good crops of some description from his land any year.

WILSON FEARS ONLY KAISER AND MYSELF!
Representative Wells, republican of Tennessee, and ex-congressman Woodruff, bull moose, of Michigan, journeyed over to Oyster Bay to see Colonel Roosevelt shortly before he started on his trip to the West Indies. The Colonel was out in the yard chopping wood, but he soon joined his callers. In course of conversation he said: "I do not favor any particular candidate for president, but I am bitterly opposed to the re-election of President Wilson. There are only two men in the world whom he fears—Emperor William and myself."
Mr. Wells said Colonel Roosevelt expressed himself with all the emphasis at his command upon this point.

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- Best Grade Santos Peaberry Coffee 20c
- 5c Bag Bluing, three for 5c
- 50c Bottles Cherry Tip 20c
- 25c Bottles Cherry Tip 15c
- Ten Pound Cans Calumet Baking Powder \$1.25
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A marriage license was issued to J. H. Dodson and Josie Caspell.

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Music lessons, beginners up to 4th grade, 25 cents a lesson, for information, telephone 1425. 240-6tc

The residence of W. C. Mann near

Thornberry caught fire from a defective fuse this morning but the blaze was extinguished before much damage was done. It was feared for a time that the blaze would get beyond control.

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Deeds Filed. J. S. Bridwell to E. E. Bradley, lot 15 in block 13 of the E. Jalonick addition, \$2900.

Steve Sargent and Beulah Sargent to J. B. Liegeois lot 3 in block H of the Granger and Ballew addition, \$1140.70.

J. H. McMullen and Mary A. McMullen to Mary Lillian Newman, west one half of block 3 of the subdivision of the J. A. Scott Survey no. 10, \$4000.

Cut Flowers and floral designs. Donnelly Floral Co., 1011 Tyler, telephone 957. 201-tc

For deeds to lots in Riverside Cemetery see O. W. Hines, manager Wichita Falls Undertaking Company, 212-tc.

Dr. Scharff, Osteopath, K. & K. Bldg.

Just received fresh shipment of Golden Bloaters Lunch Herring, Roll Herring and Halibut Chunks. Phones—232 and 432. C. H. Hardeman. 44-tc.

Central Presbyterian Ladies give Washington's tea home Mrs. C. P. White, corner of 9th and Burnett Sts. A small silver offering of mine, we request—come see the ladies so quaintly dressed, in Washington costumes serving you tea; nice decorations also. You'll see; souvenirs, music, some they will sing, come to our party and all your friends bring. 239-4tc

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W. M. Langford general yard master of the Fort Worth and Denver who has been sick for several days is now able to be up and will soon resume work again.

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors, 909 Scott Ave., phone 225, prompt ambulance service. 92-tc

Knights of Pythias will meet at their hall at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday. Work in rank H Esquire. All members requested to be present. Cordial welcome for visiting Knights. A. C. Wilson, C. C. 243-2tc.

Let me break up your garden; the prices are right. Phone 236. 42-6tc

E. P. Prince, night round house foreman for the Fort Worth and Denver is quite ill at his home on 17th street. Circle No. 3 M. E. Church South will give a rummage sale the 16, 17 and 18 of March.

Suits were filed Monday in the 30th district court as follows: Mary Louise Fowler vs M. E. Fowler, divorce.

Furniture repairing, refinishing and upholstery, packing, crating, also cabinet making. All work guaranteed. Furniture Hospital, phone 1309. 242-tc

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Ladies Aid of First Christian Church will give an Easter Bazaar and a candy sale on April 15. 244-tc.

If you are prepared to pay cash for your plumbing, can save you money; phone 287—Manny G. Moore. 247-7tc

Union Meat Market will move from 611 Indiana to 601 Seventh, where the Salvage store was formerly located. Will open up business in new location Monday—Phand & Davison. 242-tc

The Novelty Hair Dressing Parlor: Mrs. Nancy Taylor, Room 406 First National Bank Bldg., phone 1448. 227-tc

George Washington dance Tuesday night, 8:15, Ohio. All rights reserved. Colored orchestra. Harry H. Ginsburg, Homer H. Askew. 243-2tc.

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Legal Notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas, County of Wichita, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Texas, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of Andrew Posey and Sarah Garner, deceased, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Wichita County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in the City of Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in April, 1916, being the 27th day of April, 1916, then and there to answer the petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of Feb. A. D. 1916, in cause No. 2385 wherein Emma Cristfield is plaintiff and the unknown heirs of Andrew Posey and Sarah Garner are defendants, the cause of action being alleged as follows:

That your petitioner, Andrew Posey and Sarah Garner were brother and sisters, the only children of Emeline Posey, that Andrew Posey died in the year 1899 or 1900 leaving the following estate:

Lot No. Nine (9), Block H, Granger & Ballew Addition to the town of Wichita Falls, Texas.

That the said Sarah Garner died intestate on or about Aug. 7, 1915, leaving your petitioner the sole heir. That the said Sarah Garner was possessed of the following real and personal property, to-wit:

Lot 9 in Block H, Granger & Ballew Addition to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, and a few household goods, etc., of less value than \$250.00.

That your petitioner, Emma Cristfield, knows as a fact who is the sole and only heir of the said Sarah Garner at the time of her death.

Therefore your petitioner prays that citation be issued as the law directs and upon trial of said cause that she have judgment against any unknown heirs of Andrew Posey and Sarah Garner, and be decreed the sole and only heir of said party.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof in a newspaper published in your County, but if no newspaper is published in the said County, then in the nearest County where a paper is published. Herein Fall Not. But have you before said Court on the said 1st day of April term thereof this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness M. P. Kelly, Clerk of the County Court, of Wichita County, Texas, A. D. 1916.

M. P. KELLY, Clerk County Court, Wichita County, Texas. By W. T. HARRIS, Deputy, Feb. 8-15-22-25, Mar. 7-14-21-28.

In the 30th district court this afternoon, the case of C. H. Boyd, negro,

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charged with assault to murder in connection with an attack upon negroes last week, went to the jury about three o'clock Arthur Smith, a young white man, charged with forgery, entered a plea of guilty and asked for a suspended sentence; his case was expected to go to the jury late today.

Suit for divorce was filed in the district court today by Mrs. Grace Jennings Jackson vs C. C. Jackson. They were married on August 15 of last year.

SAYS ILLICIT TRADE IN WHISKEY IS BROKEN UP

Illlicit trade in whiskey in Western Oklahoma is not as thriving as formerly, according to H. W. Allen, publisher of the Randlett Progressor, one of the best weekly papers in the southwestern part of the State who was here today. Mr. Allen says that

Randlett was at one time headquarters for boot leggers who dispensed wet goods to a considerable portion of Oklahoma, carrying in automobiles from Wichita Falls, federal officers have practically put a stop to such business. Not long ago they closed a restaurant in Randlett which had been a sort of supply depot for the boot leggers.

Mr. Allen says the moonlight school, recently established at Rabbit Creek is proving very successful, having a large attendance. These schools are night schools for adults who did not have educational advantages in their younger days and there are numbers of them in Oklahoma; they are supported by the State.

Randlett is anxious to get direct rail connection with Wichita Falls, Mr. Allen says, and is looking forward to the time when such a line can be built.



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AT THE THEATRES

The Lydia Margaret, Edward Connelly is featured in "Marsa Covington" a picturization of George Ade's famous story of the same name. This picture was shown yesterday and will be repeated today at the Lydia Margaret.

The Majestic, Robert Mantell and Genevieve Hamper are the principals in a stirring Fox drama, "Green-eyed Monster" showing at the Majestic today.

The Gem, Today's special is a two part Estessany, "The Papered Door." The cast includes Ruth Stonehouse, Edmund

P. Cobb, Thurlow Brewer, Peggy Sweeney.

The Empress, "The Siren's Song" will be the program feature at the Empress today. The story has in it many scenes that are hair raising, the most prominent of which is the fight which equals that in "The Spoilers" on board an ocean going steamer at the climax of which the villain throws the hero from the deck, the latter falling a distance of over seventy-five feet into the raging ocean.

"FRECKLES" TO BE AT WICHITA THEATRE MONDAY

"Freckles," a song-play stronger than the book of the same title, will be seen at the Wichita Theatre on Monday, February 28th, with an ex-

cellent cast of players and singers. It is but a few years ago that Gene Stratton-Porter gave "Freckles" to the world. It proved a delight to the readers of modern fiction; several millions of which have been amused with its quaint story of the folks of the Lumberlost Swamp country of Indiana.

UNIQUE CONTEST HELD BY STUDENTS

High School Seniors Defeat Juniors in Burlesque Track Meet at School

Peanut pushing races, hair taking down contests and similar events were indulged in Monday afternoon at the high school, when a burlesque track meet was held for the benefit of the athletic exchequer. The seniors scored 40 points to the juniors 35, winning the loving cup. The affair was attended by a considerable display of class spirit, particularly by the juniors, led by Margaret Burpside.

The first event was a 50 foot dash in which the contestants had to push a peanut with a tooth pick. Leon Patterson represented the juniors and Grover Bullington the seniors; the juniors won out.

In the 100 yard meet-her dash Lester Cooper and Louise Leichman represented the juniors and Mary Coffield and Ray Barnard the seniors; the two boys were at one goal and the two girls were at the other; each boy

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had to meet the girl and three couples were to catch hands and to swing around each other and get back to the starting place; the junior boy took his goal first.

A 100 yard hair-dill was next; the contestants had to hold up one foot and hop and jump the hurdles also eat a pickle on the way; Mary Lee Thomas, a senior, won; Ruth McKenzie represented the juniors.

The take down race was one of the most interesting events of the contest; the girls ran from one goal to another sat down, took down their hair and then fixed it up again and clicked up the chair and ran back to the other goal; Ruth Stayton won first and Marion Maer second both being seniors; Marion Dobson and Estelle Fisher were junior contestants.

In the potato race each girl had a small spoon and three potatoes and were lined up about twelve feet from the goal; the girls had to pick each potato up in the spoon and carry it across the goal and the girl carrying the three potatoes over the goal won; the juniors won this event; Rhea Gardner; the juniors were represented by Lucille Henderson.

Next was a standing high jump; in this the boys had to jump and let their heads touch a mark; the seniors had a very tall representative so they won very easily with George Rice; Gordon Harris represented the juniors.

In the discus throw instead of having a metal discus, a card board discus was used; it required luck instead of skill to win. The seniors lost to the juniors in this event; the juniors being represented by Ross Hassenager and the seniors by Guy Sinclair.

There was a sack race in which each boy had to run in a sack; Willie Seals won for the juniors while John R. Sandige represented the seniors.

The hammer throw was next; a small balloon with a string attached was used for the hammer. The juniors won this, being represented by Mae Miller while the seniors were represented by Jeanette Snuggs.

In the shot put a small balloon was used without the string and the shot was Anna Ristine who won for the juniors while Olga Morris represented the seniors.

Next was the three legged race. In this event one of two boys' legs were tied together, Harry Maly and Edwin Olson were coupled up for the seniors and Homer Gentry and Gordon Harris for the juniors; the seniors being victorious.

The boys' hand a cap race was next; the seniors were represented by Bill Hogg, Jesse Miller and Gene Ross while Lloyd Bentley, Lester Leucke and Lester Cooper represented the juniors. The boys passed the caps from one to another and the last boy receiving the cap ran for the goal; the seniors won this event.

There was also a sack full race in which the girl driving the most tacks in a certain time was the winner; the juniors won this being represented by Mary Clark; the seniors were represented by Elizabeth Miller.

Next came the boys' relay; this was won by the seniors, presented by Bob Nolan and Clyde Murph; the juniors were represented by Fitz Hickman and Guy Sinclair.

In the girls relay the seniors were represented by Lucy Higgins and Stella Leichman and the juniors by Louise Leichman and Mary Mathews. This event was a tie but it was later decided to give the decision to the seniors.

AGENTS ON TOUR OF COUNTY TODAY

GOVERNMENT'S AGRICULTURAL WORKERS TAKEN ON AUTO. MOBILE TRIP

SESSIONS CONTINUE

Interesting Report From Wichita County Agent is Presented By J. W. Campbell

An automobile trip over the county visiting demonstration plots, the oil fields and winding up with a visit to the J. A. Kemp dairy, is being enjoyed this afternoon by the agricultural agents of Northwest Texas, who are holding a three days session here. Automobiles furnished by the Wichitans were provided for the trip, the cars leaving the St. James hotel at 1 o'clock.

The agents were in session all morning, hearing several papers. Several interesting talks were made, that of Tom Marks of Jacksboro on "Farm Gardening" attracting particular attention. Dr. F. H. Blodgett of A. & M. College read a paper on "Soil in Small Grain" dealing with the eradication of the smut. W. D. Bentley of Yukon, Okla., state agricultural agent and a former Wichitan also addressed the agents. "How to Succeed with a County Exhibit" was the subject of a talk by W. A. Dulin of Mitchell county. Harmon Benton of Amarillo, whose district includes Potter, Carson, Armstrong and Randall counties spoke on "Satisfying Your Counties."

The closing session of the agents will be held tomorrow morning, the meeting coming to a close at noon.

Wichita County Report. An interesting feature of the Monday afternoon session was the report of J. W. Campbell, agent for Archer and Wichita counties. Mr. Campbell's formal report, dealing with increased interest in stock raising and fish matters, has already been published in The Times. As presented yesterday, it attracted much attention and received much favorable comment.

Two things were brought out by Mr. Campbell however, which did not appear in his report as published in The Times, these being the records of two Wichita county truck farmers, W. H. Downing and J. B. Nicholson.

Mr. Downing raised crops valued at \$1167.35 on six acres of which three quarters of an acre was in peppers, four-fifths of an acre in turkeys, two and a quarter acres in strawberries and two and a fifth in blackberries and dewberries. His crops were valued as follows: Peppers, \$149.85; turkeys, \$90; strawberries, \$646.65; blackberries and dewberries, \$270.85. This showing was made in spite of the fact that the berries suffered somewhat from rain and hail.

J. B. Nicholson's report showed that he sold \$225 worth of cantaloupes off one acre, \$786.20 worth of strawberries off two acres, \$30 worth of peaches, selling them at 60 cents per bushel, from an orchard of 500 trees, \$100 worth of peppers from a half acre patch; four acres of other truck was a failure, Mr. Nicholson reported, owing to poor seed.

Make Visit to Lake. Yesterday afternoon's session also heard a paper by W. M. Mickitt of Memphis on "Legumes and Peanuts"; a paper by L. T. Hunter of Wellington on "Feeding Live Stock"; a paper by R. E. Mann of Childress on "Contours and Terrains"; "How to Select Prize Winning Calves and Pigs"; W. C. Calvert of Sweetwater.

Late Monday afternoon the agents were taken out to Lake Wichita as guests of the Chamber of Commerce. It was the first visit to that resort for most of them, and they were greatly interested in the lake itself and in the irrigation project which is made possible by it. Mr. Campbell, who did the honors as host, was kept busy answering questions.

Questioned regarding crops in their particular sections of Northwest Texas, the agents reported conditions substantially the same, with reference to grain, as prevail in Wichita county. That is, a small part of the wheat killed by the cold and the oats completely knocked, with most farmers replanting; plenty of forage crops being raised and more peanuts being grown.

Northwest Texas Conditions. Sam Williams, agent at Clarendon said: "The small grain is looking well, but wheat still needs moisture soon. We have had plenty of maize and haff corn and the threshing is now in progress, with heavy shipments being made. There is plenty of feed in my section. I expect Donlev county will raise less cotton this year than it did the past season."

Mr. Means of Wilbarger county said: "Wheat was not damaged materially in Wilbarger county by the freeze, but the oats were killed and are now being replanted. Our cotton, I expect, will be the same as last year, no larger at any rate."

J. T. Egan of Baylor county said: "Some of the wheat was killed by the cold weather, but by far the greater part of it is coming up again nicely. The oats were pretty generally wiped out. I think Baylor county will have less cotton, even than last season, as the acreage will be generally reduced."

A. M. Latham of Montague county said: "Wheat in Montague county has been set back by the cold weather, but not much was killed. The oats

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were all killed and farmers are re-sowing now. We will plant about as much cotton this year as last. You can say that Montague county farmers are planting lots of peanuts this year.

"Peanuts are getting popular in Wichita county, too," interspersed J. W. Campbell, who was standing near.

Tom Marks of Jacksboro, who devotes half of his time to running the Jacksboro News and the other half to working for the government said: "Some of the wheat and most of the oats was killed by the freeze and farmers are replanting oats now. We will reduce cotton acreage still further this year. Last year our acreage was about 75 per cent of normal and this year it will be about 50 per cent. They are beginning to plant peanuts in Jack county now, and there will be about 2,000 acres of peanuts this year."

Katz Orchestra at St. James Sunday night dinner a la carte 6:15 to 8:15, 237 1st

NUSSBAUM COMPANY IS MOVING TO NEW LOCATION

The Nussbaum Dry Goods Company is moving into its new home on Seventh street in the building formerly occupied by Collier & Hendricks. The building has been remodeled for their occupancy and a new front put in which will give the store one of the finest window display arrangements in the city.

The company will open in its new location early next week with a complete new and enlarged stock and will have one of the finest stores in Northwest Texas.

NEGRO SOLDIERS HERE EN ROUTE TO WYOMING

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For District Clerk: A. F. KERR

For Representative 101st District: E. K. GREENWOOD

For County Attorney: ED YARBROUGH

For County Tax Collector: B. M. BULLARD

For County Clerk: M. P. KELLY

For County Treasurer: T. W. McHAY

For Sheriff: GEO. A. HAWKINS

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1 (Place 1): J. F. JONES

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For City Tax Assessor and Collector: H. Z. ROBERTSON

For City Marshal: J. B. NAIL

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Personals

F. H. Schaefer left yesterday for Fort Worth on business.

Tom Reason of Stamford is in town to have his son operated on for adenoids.

J. A. Elder was here from Denton today in connection with a deal for the sale of his farm near Burk Burnett.

Mr. Elder moved to Denton some time ago in order that his children might enjoy the educational facilities of that place.

Walter Palmer of Dallas has been here for several days having stopped off on a trip to Herford. Mr. Palmer is now connected with a big creamery company at Dallas.

Mrs. A. C. Wilson returned today after an extended stay in Fort Worth. She is much improved in health.

Mrs. C. L. Burchard and daughter returned home from Grand Fork, North Dakota, Sunday.

Miss Beth Trimble has gone to visit her sister, Mrs. Leroy Johnson.

Miss Dollie Moore and sister of Burk Burnett were in town this afternoon.

W. C. Blumett of Dallas is in town on business.

Martin L. Allday of Burk Burnett is in the city today.

L. J. Marks of Electra is in the city today.

J. Farris went to Quannah this afternoon.

George Byers came in from Byers this morning to attend the directors meeting of the Wichita Valley.

Frank Barnett special agent for the Fort Worth and Denver came in this afternoon on number 3.

F. G. Alexander of Haskell came in on the Wichita Valley this afternoon to attend the directors meeting of the Wichita Valley.

Mrs. S. H. Burnside left this afternoon for Fort Worth.

Mrs. Wade H. Walker will leave tonight for Fort Worth.

Dr. Everett Jones returned today from Galveston.

Mrs. W. J. Berry left this afternoon for Ft. Worth to be with her son who will be operated on tomorrow for appendicitis.

Miss Docia Hansen left this afternoon for her home in Grandfield, Oklahoma, after spending the week with Miss Leah Taylor of this city.

Miss Carolette Wright left this afternoon for her home at Denison.

T. P. Shanahan, brakeman of the Fort Worth and Denver, has returned from Fort Worth where he went to visit his new son, born yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan are residents of Wichita Falls.

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A brief session of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce was held this morning to make arrangements for the automobile trip of this afternoon for the agricultural agents. No other matters came up for attention.

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