WEATHER FORECAST—Tonight and Wednesday unsettled; cooler Thursday

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CAPITALIZATION AT ACTUAL VALUE

JAMES J. HILL, THE RAILROAD MAGNATE, SAYS THAT IS AN EFFECTIVE REMEDY FOR TRUST EVIL.

THE POLITICAL EFFECT

He Declares Is Motive That Has Prompted Many Investigations and Actions Against Corporations.

By Associated Press.

Springfield, Oct. 11.—Characterizing as "uneconomic and therefore unsound" the business relations between the Central Reserve Association and the United States Government proposed by former Senator Nelson A. Aldrich in his plan for currency reform submitted to the Federal Monetary commission, James J. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railroad, addressing the Illinois Bankers Association here today, and urged the bankers of the country to perfect a plan that would be under their own control.

Mr. Hill, admitting at the outset that the "United States has the most inelastic currency system in the civilized world" declared that Mr Aldrich and his associates had done a memorable work that should be received with great respect but that also shoued be studied with great care

That political connection is inherent in the constitution of the proposed Reserve Association was Mr. Hill's chief criticism of the Aldrich plan. In this connection Mr. Hill asserted that if currency reform was not carried through under leadership of bankers of the country, it would "be taken up by congress and suffer the same fate that has befallen every other great economic issue after it became the football of party politics."

Mr. Hill also made a plea for agricultural reform, declaring that unless this is done the farm will fail and the foundation of all our prosperity be sndermined.

"I want to make on earnest suggestion about this so-called Aldrich plan to the bankers of the country," said Mr. Hill. "Take it up for yourselves, perfect it by the light of your business experience and make it your own enterprise, under your own initiative and subject to your own control, instead of a creation of federal law. Shape your own association for yourselves, and ask congress for authority under wise legislative regulations, where such may be necessary, to do this thing, instead of surrendering your rights as well as your obligations for all time to a political power. There is no part of the scheme outlined which you cannot plan and execute for yourselves better than any congress can do it for you. Your state associations and the American Bankers' Association furnish all the necessary machinery.

"It is doubtful if any plan creating by law a centralized financial system can pass congress. At the best it must wait for years. Popular prejudice and our own history tell too strongly against it. But the associated banks are free to go ahead and adjust the details of their business in accordance with the workings of commercial evolution. Legal permission to do this would be less difficult to obtain, because the act would not be irrevocable, the organization would not be intrenched behind the law creating it, and the contemplated voluntary association would be and remain always subject to the supervision and open to check or modification by law at any time this appeared advisable."

"Our monetary system has always been, and for more than a generation has been acknowledged by all well informed persons to be profoundly unsatisfactory," Mr. Hill continued. "Yet, little has been done to improve it. The initiative should be taken by the bankers. It is in a special sense their problem. They are more familiar with its difficulties and with the methods by which it must be solved than any others. It is probably that the public necessity will not wait much longer for the remedy which public opinion deems to be necessary. If currency reform is not undertaken and carried through under the leadership of the bankers of the country, it will be taken up by congress and suffer the same fate that has befallen every other great economic issue after it became the football of party politics.

"If the bankers do not do this work not in a self-seeking way but as a patriotic act performed in the true scientific spirit, the opportunity to control it may be taken away from them. Changes so made, not directed by intelligence and experience but by political considerations, may be as disastrous to the banking interest as they would be injurious to the country. The present may be the last

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JAMES B. M'NAMARA TO BE TRIED FIRST

TWO BROTHERS BROUGHT INTO COURT ROOM HANDCUFFED WHERE SCORES OF SNAP SHOTS WERE TAKEN.

SIXTY NEWSPAPERMEN

Will Report This Important Trial—The Defendants Intimate They Have a Surprise.

FLASH—Los Angeles, Oct. 11.—James B. McNamara will be tried first.

By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Oct. 11.—"It does not matter who is tried first," said James McNamara, this morning just before the calling of the case against himself and his brother for the Los Angeles Times dynamiting. In the court room were arranged desks for sixty newspaper men and among them were scattered telegraph instruments with noise muffling devices. Neither of the brothers knew when awakened this morning which of them would go on trial today.

Early in the forenoon sitting in the jail corridor before a vase of flowers they received the newspaper men.

James B., the youngest of the two reclined coatless in an armchair. His was a lean figure with sallow face and thin, redish mustache in sharp contrast to his older brother John J., secretary and treasurer of the International Association of Structural Iron Workers.

John J., when asked about the case said that on advice of counsel he and his brother had been requested not to discuss the case. "But," he said with a smile, "there are a great many things we could say that will come up at the trial. We expect it to be a long drawn out affair, but we think we will win."

Counsel for both sides admitted today that the examination of witnesses and taking of evidence would not be approached for some time.

The McNamara brothers were brought handcuffed into court, where scores of photographers snap-shotted them. Trial began at 10:46.

The defense announced it desired separate trials. The court denied the defense's motion for a change of judge, declaring it was not prejudiced.

James B. McNamara is twenty-nine years old and unmarried. He is charged with causing the deaths of nineteen of twenty-one men killed in the Times explosion. He went to trial on an indictment charging him with the death of Chas. J. Hagerty, a machinist, whose body was found near the spot where the explosion is alleged to have occurred.

TEST WELL WILL BE SUNK NEAR BACON

As soon as a rig now located at Petrolia can be moved to Bacon's switch, work will start on the test well that will be sunk by the Culberson Oil Company, composed of local capitalists.

A representative of the company is at Petrolia today making arrangements for the moving of the rig and it is expected that drilling will be started within less than three weeks.

The well will be sunk on the Lewis Wells survey on land owned by Mrs M. E. Howson, one and one-quarter miles east of Bacon.

The company has 734 acres of land under lease there. It is said that oil was first discovered in Northwest Texas near this place.

Several other test wells by different companies are being planned near the city.

TIMES WILL RECEIVE REPORT FROM GAMES

The center of interest in the sporting world at this time is the approaching series of games for the world's championship between the New York Giants and the Philadelphia Athletics.

The Times has arranged to receive the reports of these games play by play and inning by inning.

This report will be published in the regular issues or in extras if the report is too late for the regular edition.

The games will start Saturday afternoon and reports will be received from all of them excepting Sundays.

HE SOLD BOGUS CIRCUS TICKETS

Houston, Oct. 11—The police are searching for the man who yesterday sold three hundred bogus tickets to Ringling's circus.

If Those Who Favor the Road Bond Issue Vote, It Will Carry

If the people who are in favor of the issuance of road bonds will only go to the polls Friday and vote, the bonds will be carried by a substantial majority. A. L. Huey, J. B. Marlow and others who have been campaigning in the interest of the bond issue state that ninety per cent of the voters they have interviewed have declared in favor of the issuance of the bonds.

Scores of voters have signed a declaration in favor of the bond issue and hundreds of others would have done so if they could have been seen.

The declaration and its signers follow:

WE WANT GOOD ROADS.

We the undersigned, knowing that next to good churches and good schools, GOOD ROADS are a greater factor in building up a community and increasing property values than anything else, do hereby pledge our support and promise to work for and assist in carrying the Good Roads Bond Election in this Precinct, same to be voted on October 13th, 191.

We believe that it is the duty of all qualified voters to support this measure heartily. The citizens of this Precinct are entitled to and need good roads, the citizens of this Precinct should at this time expend this money to give employment to labor, so let us not quibble over where, how or by whom these roads are to be built, but let us go ahead with every progressive citizen's shoulder to the wheel, vote these bonds, elect three good men on the Board to build these roads and leave the constructing of same to their good judgment.

It is not "technicalities' that we are now looking for but REAL roads.

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BRAKEMAN'S LEG CRUSHED OFF

T. H. Lowrance Seriously Injured Tuesday Night—Other Leg Severely Lacerated.

T. H. Lowrance, aged 25, had his left leg completely crushed off and his right leg severely lacerated from the knee downwards last night in an accident which occurred on the Ktay railroad near Jolly, a small station about nine miles southeast of this city. The injured man was removed to Wichita Falls and is now resting in the Wichita Falls Sanitarium, and if no complications set in, it is thought that he will recover.

It seems that Lowrance, who is a brakeman employed in the service of the Katy had been sent to flag a freight and bring it to a stop near Jolly, and was sitting on a cattle guard waiting for the train to appear, at the time of the accident. For some reason he did not hear the approach of the cars and therefore did not get off the track upon the approach of the train, with the result above mentioned.

As soon as it was learned that Lowrance was injured, a hurry call was sent for a doctor, and Dr. Farris of Henrietta responded, superintending the removal of the injured man to the railroad hospital in this city, where his left leg was amputated by Drs. Walker, Jones, Coons and Farris. It was stated this morning that he had a good chance for recovery unless complications set in, and that, if his condition permits, he will probably be removed to the general hospital of the Katy at Sedalia, Missouri, in the near future.

Lowrance resides in this city having located here about one year ago, coming from Clarn, Oklahoma, at which place he is well known.

HEAVY CALIFORNIA VOTE AGAINST WOMEN

EARLY AND INCOMPLETE RETURNS FROM FORTY-FOUR PRECINCTS OF THE STATE.

REFERENDUM AND RECALL

Count So Far Shows Large Sentiment for Such and Would Apply to Judiciary.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 11.—California rejected by a decisive vote yesterday the Constitutional amendment conferring upon women the righ to vote, if the returns received up to 10 o'clock last night from forty-four State precincts are taken as an indication of what the final totals will show.

The initative, referendum and recall amendments, the latter applying to the judiciary, and nineteen others regarded as of lesser importance were adopted. Twenty-three were submitted by the last Legislature, a body controlled by the progressives in the Republican party, who had overthrown the machine.

There was little open opposition to any of the amendments with the exception of one granting suffrage to women. The women of the State divided on the question and campaign organizations were formed, which waged a vigorous fight. Much money was put up on both sides, and the fight centered on the suffrage plank the others being ignored so far as open fighting was concerned.

There was much secret opposition to the amendments providing for an appointive Railroad Commission and the recall of the judiciary.

The coutn proceeded so slowly last night that early returns are meager but the lead shown by all the amendments except the one conferring suffrage shows that all were adoptde.

The progressives or insurgents centered their forces in the fight for the initiative, referendum and recall and these will have the largest majorties.

MADE BIG MONEY AS HORSE DOCTOR

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 11.—A man whom Assistant Chief of Police Lane knew five years ago here as Doc Walker and who was then penniless, returned today carrying a grip in which Lane says he counted $56,000 cash. Walker claimed he made it as "a horse doctor," and that he came from Lexington, Ky.

Walker stopped Lane on the street with the salutation "Hello Chief Don't you know me? I used to be down and out when I was here, but I've got the goods now."

Dean Jernigan's Funeral.

The funeral of Dean Jernigan, the 18-year-old boy who died yesterday morning from the effects of a gunshot wound received last Sunday in the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of a companion, was held this afternoon from the undertaking parlors of E. G. Hill and Company.

His remains were accompanied to the cemetery by many sorrowing friends, who sincerely regret the unfortunate accident which cut short the life of this promising young man.

CHINESE REBELS WIN BIG VICTORY

OVERWHELM IMPERIAL FORCES, AND VICEROY FLEES FOR SAFETY—CITY OF WU CHANG IN THEIR POSSESSION.

ARE WELL ORGANIZED

Volunteers Guard Foreign Quarter In Which Are Twenty-Five American Missionaries.

By Associated Press.

Hankow, China, Oct. 11.—The Chinese revolutionists last night won a big victory capturing the city of Wu Chang, after many hours fighting. The foreign residents so far are unmolested. It is feared the disaffection will spread to this city. The women and children here will go aboard merchant vessels in the river tonight for safety.

Volunteers have surrounded the Hankow foreign quarter and will remain on duty during the night until the safety of all foreigners is assured.

It appears that the revolutionists after their recent defeat in Sue Chuen province transferred their chief activities to Hupeh province. According to the officials an uprising was planned in Wu Chang for Monday night last. The plot was discovered early that evening, thirty-two arrests being made. Desiring to terrorize the revolutionists the authorities beheaded four of these prisoners in the streets yesterday. The effect of this intimidation was a boomerang, for immediately a portion of the government artillery forces mutinied going over to the rebels. Other troops joined them and fires were started in many parts of the city. Loyal forces were overcome and imperial victory forced to flee to his private yacht in the river. The military commander was assassinated. The revolutionary leaders have issued proclamations urging their followers to respect foreigners. There are twenty-five American missionaries in Wu Chang.

An ominous feature of the revolution, from the government point of view, is the apparent control and good organization which rebel leaders exercise over their men.

Foreign consuls at a conference today decided not to comply with the Chinese request that they employ foreign gunboats to prevent the revolutionists from crossing the river Hankow. The revolutionists sent a circular to the consuls asking that the foreigners remain neutral and assuring them they would not be harmed.

OIL WELL DRILLER SUCCUMBS TO TYPHOID

George Lichenbarger, aged 23, a driller employed in the Electra oil fields, and who has been suffering for the last month or more with typhoid fever, died yesterday afternoon at a local sanitarium. The young man had not been expected to live for the last day or two and it was generally known that he was very low.

Lichenbarger came to Electra about two months ago from the oil fields of Pennsylvania, where he was also employed as a driller. He early contracted typhoid fever after arriving in Electra, and had been suffering almost three weeks before he was removed to a sanitarium in this city. He grew steadily worse and almost from the first no hopes were maintained for his recovery.

Lichenbarger is survived by a wife and one child, both of whom will accompany his remains to Clarendon, Pennsylvania, where they will be shipped today by Jesse Dolman of the Freear-Brin Undertaking Company.

RADFORD WILL SPEAK SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Peter Radford, state president of the Farmers Union, will speak at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon instead of Friday afternoon, as was announced yesterday.

SEVERE BLIZZARD SWEEPS MONTANA

Pocatello, Idaho, Oct. 11.—Southwestern Montana is in the grip of a terrific snow storm which has cut Butte off from communication with the outside world today. Every telegraph and telephone wire to Butte is reported leveled.

THE PEOPLE WAITED FOR "BIG CIRCUS"

REAL CIRCUS DAY CROWD HERE ODAY TO SEE THE WALLACE-HAGENBECK SHOWS.

PARADE WAS SPLENDID

Performance Under the Big Tent Equals Any Ever Seen Here. Many Novel Features.

All the folks came in to see the show today and it was a real circus crowd that jammed and jostled about the streets. Most everybody waited for the "big show" and if any were disappointed they have kept the fact to themselves. The performance under the big top this afternoon was excellent and the wild animal circus was probably the best ever seen in Wichita Falls.

The parade at 11:30 o'clock this morning was witnessed by thousands as it progressed through the downtown streets.

The parade of the Hagenbeck-Wallace Consolidated Shows is one of the longest and best that has ever been seen by the Wichita Falls public. There were all kinds of queer wagons, "scads" of open animal dens and thirteen elephants, each one a hold of the tail of the next one in front. At the rear of the procession of pachyderms came the camels. The usual signals of "Hold yau-a haw-sez" was given by the man in front and the usual number of horses gave the correct number of frightened starts before they became paralyzed enough to stand still.

Immediately after the last strains of the calliope died away the spectators crowded each other and started off in two different directions, half to the show ground for the "free exhibition" and the remainder to the corner to gaze once more on the "last of the Aztecs—actually so small you can hold them in the palm of your hand."

It was a great time immediately before, during and after the parade and the best of it all was the entrance to the "big top" at the circus lot before the opening of the afternoon performance. The menagerie is an unusually excellent one, beasts of every variety vie with each other in giving out the most peculiar odors and uttering the most heart-rendering growls and cries. The little children are given an opportunity of looking for about half an hour, when they are rudely jerked away to the bigger tent to get good seats before the performance really starts.

From the time of the grand entry until the announcer bawls out that it costs only ten cents to remain to the big concert, the attention of all is fixed on the rings and stages in the center, where the Hagenbeck-Wallace circus is putting on some stunts never before seen in this country. Popcorn and peanuts are consumed greedily and many a throat is washed out with red lemonade while the eyes of the drinker are fixed on an especially clever bit of flying trapeze work.

Among the many excellent acts and features of the big "independent" show are the "Four Lloyds" England's famous jockeys, who present a North American Indian act in gorgeous Indian costumes. They were the riding hit at the afternoon performance and received hearty applause from the audience when they disappeared into the dressing tent. This is the last appearance in America of this troupe.

The Tom Nelson troupe of aerialists perform in the very dome of the big canvas. Four men and two shapely young women in rather abbreviated costumes constitute the troupe. Their stunt is a dangerous and exciting one and well worth attention. The seven Tasmanian Sisters perform acrobatics in full length ball costumes. They justly deserve the applause they received. The Jeromes present living statuary in a classic and artistic manner.

The Nelson family, ten in number, are the favorites this year as they have been in years gone by. They represent four generations, from great-grandfather to the smallest tumbling tot, who seems scarcely old enough to drink milk out of a glass.

The riding contingent presented such celebrites as Reno McCree, Charles Clark, George Conners, Miss Lula Davenport, Rose Myers and the Conners Sisters, all of whom are past masters of the sawdust arena. The clowns were great and the person who failed to laugh at their amusing antics and original stunts was indeed bereft of that greatest of all traits, the ability to be amused. Lon More, Fred Jenk, Henry Stantz and Arthur Borella were among those on the list of fun makers.

In a large steel arena perform the Carl Hagenbeck trained wild animals, perhaps the best trained group of wild beasts that has ever been shown in Texas. Elephants, polar bears, lions, leopards, tigers and panthers all work

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New York Styles
IN
Our Windows

If you could stroll up Fifth Avenue, New York, any fine day, you'll see the identical styles that we are showing in our windows to-day.

These superb garments are the creations of tailors who know how to give clothes style and character.

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NEWSBOY'S MILLIONS HAVE BEEN FRITTERED

Vancouver, British Columbia, Oct. 9. Bernard F. O'Neill, who started life as a newsboy in New York and came to be a director of the Carnegie Trust Company there, as well as president of the State Bank of Commerce at Wallace, Idaho, with a fortune well beyond 1 million dollars, was arrested here at 5 o'clock this morning on a warrant charging him with liability in the wreck of the Wallace Bank O'Neill was penniless when he was arrested and had come here to start life over again.

O'Neill is a healthy Irishman of 50, and a year ago was candidate for the Republican nomination for governor of Washington. He was defeated in the convention, but not until he had lost $100,000 in financing the Inland Herald, an afternoon paper i Spokane. The Herald suspended publication a few months ago. In the meantime O'Neill's troubles were piling up at Wallace.

Lent Too Much Money.

The bank there lent large sums of money to the Lane Lumber Company it advanced such sums, indeed, that before the company even began the repayment of them the bank was compelled to suspend. In the crash O'Neill lost the rest of his fortune and two weeks ago he came to Vancouver "looking for a job," as he told the officers who routed him from bed to put him under arrest.

Indictments were found against several other wealthy men of Eastern Washington, when action was taken against O'Neill in connection with the case of the Wallace bank failure

Into a Bank at 19.

Bernard O'Neill went West as a charge of the Children's Aid Society when he was a led in knickerbockers selling papers along Park Row. He worked for a time for a farmer in Iowa, next moved on a ranch in Nebraska, and at 19 was working in a bank. Then he went to California, and in 1901 went to Idaho, with the foundation of his fortune already laid.

Just a year ago O'Neill came back to New York to attend a directors' meeting and spent a night at the Newsboy's Lodging House on Fourth street. He made a speech to the boys in which he gave them a lot of homely advice on how to succeed in the world and made a generous gift to the funds of the home.

This, he said, was the table of precepts to which he owed success:

It doesn't make any difference whether a boy is a ragged newsboy or a high school graduate with money, he will succeed if he is honest and wants to.

There is nothing so scarce in the world as a boy of the right sort.

He must be right—truthful, honest, moral, progressive, thrifty and not afraid of hard work.

He has got to take hard blows in business life with a smile.

That spirit of taking a good hard rubbing now and then and not whinning develops manhood.

The boy who can smile at hard luck is built of the material that succeeds.

More rich men are holding out their hands in the darkness to give a fellow a lift than ever before.

The need of hustling boys with willing hands and hearts is very great. If he has the pepper and ginger in his blood they—the captains of industry—want him.

The "Higher Education."

In the opinion of a great many persons less attention is paid nowadays to instruction in the arts of cookery and altogether too much to what is called "higher education." This raises an interesting question. What is higher education? It generally means a thin veneer of so-called "culture" spread over an intellectual soil that has not been prepared to receive and absorb it. One might as well spread a costly fertilizer over a rough prairie without first plowing and sowing and then expect to gather a harvest.

The real higher education contains a great many branches of learing of far greater importance than abstract philosophy and the Greek roots. The French, who rank among the really wise people of the earth have long since accorded to culinary lore a high place in their national curriculum, and consequently the professors of cookery, taking a just pride in their calling, have repaid France a hundred times over for her recognition of their importance.

Let us give to the culinary art the respect which it deserves, teach the rising generation that a good cook is a personage of distinction and, above all, imitate the French in their gastronomic moderation and application, and we shall have less trouble in our kitchens.—New York Herald.

The Place for Wiley.

(Brooklyn Eagle)

A couple of Washington men were discussing the reported plan of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, to ask President Taft to transfer Doctor Wiley, the pure food man, and his bureau of chemistry to some other department, on the ground that the activities of the famous watchman of our food and drink do not properly fall within the scope of crop raising and insect investigating.

"Wilson wants to put him in the Department of Commerce and Labor," remarked one. "Perhaps he does belong there."

"Not at all," rejoined the other "Wiley ought to be transferred to the Department of the Interior."

"I don't see how he would fit in there."

"You don't? Why, man, Doctor Wiley knows more about the United States' interior and the stuff that is sold to it than any man in the country. He ought to be made Secretary."

DROVE BUGGY OVER AN EMBANKMENT

W. Lee Moore Severely Injured Last Night—Injuries Not Believed Serious.

W. Lee Moore, of the firm of Moore & Richolt of this city, was severely injured last night by the accidental overturning of a surry in which he and his family were riding while on their way to the evening performance of the Sells-Floto circus. Mr. Moore's right hip was badly sprained and several ligaments were torn loose, but it is not thought that his injuries will prove serious. None of the family were hurt, which escape was almost miraculous considing the nature of the accident.

It seems that the road to the Wichita Sheet Metal Works has recently been graded up until it now forms a high embankment, an improvement of which Mr. Moore was not aware.

Mr. Moore, in the darkness and not being aware of the change, attempted to drive over the old road to the Sheet Metal Works, where he intended to tie the horse preparatory to proceeding to the circus. In attempting to do this, he drove over the steep embankment, and the surry was turned completley over with the results above mentioned.

Mr. Moore was removed to his home and the services of physicians called who pronounced his injuries as not serious, although likely to prove so. He was resting as easy as could be expected this morning, and it is thought that his recovery will be rapid.

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W. L. YOUNGER DROPPED DEAD AT IOWA PARK

W. L. Younger, postmaster at Iowa Park since 1897 and one of the highly respected citizens of that town dropped dead at his home there at about 7:30 o'clock this morning from neuralgia of the heart.

Mr. Younger was apparently in good health up to the minute of his death, and it comes as a shock to the community.

Mr. Younger was about fifty-five years of age, and had been a resident of Iowa Park many years.

The widow, two sons, John and Ramsey now living at Beaumont, and a daughter, Mrs. Walter Tyson, of Whitney, Texas, servive.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow afternoon but the exact hour had not been announced this morning.

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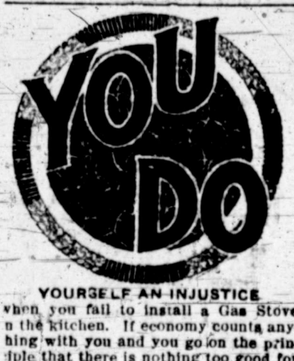
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Ida St. Leon in the title role in Frederic Thompson's massive production of "Polly of the Circus," with its two car loads of scenery and its troupe of animal performers sufficient in number to cause even some regular tent shows to suffer by comparison, takes possession of the Wichita Theatre Thursday night, October 12.

Miss St. Leon is supported by all the important members of the original "Polly of the Circus" company, a fact which assures a performance of smoothness and force. "Polly of the Circus," with its fascination which is exerted by canvas topped entertainment enterprises and threatre goers who have once seen the wonderful reproduction of a circus ring preformance, which is the feature of the third act of "Polly of the Circus" require no urging to a second sight.

What Will be Portion of Players From Box Office

With the winning of the National league pennant cinched and along with it the right to meet the Athletics in the world's series, the Giants are naturally figuring on the box office statements.

The receipts per game in New York probably will be between $60,000 and $65,000, while the Philadelphia fans will come across with $35,00 to $40,000 in each contest at Shibe Park.

If that average is maintained in the first and second games in Philadelphia and also in New York, it means the receipts will be around $200,000. The players will receive 60 per cent of $120,000, divide it 60 per cent, or $72,000 to the victorious club and 40 per cent, or $48,000 to the losing team. That will mean about $3,000 for each of the victors and $2,000 for each loser, more money than world's series contestants have ever received.

The following shows the receipts and what the players received in former world's series:

1908—$50,000; Boston players, $1,182 each; Pittsburg players, $1,316.25 each.

1905—$68,426.81; Athletic players $832.63 each; Cub players, $439.50.

1907—$101,728.50; Cub players, $2,142.35 each; Detroit players, $1,945.96 each.

1908—$74,975.50; Cub players, $1,337.58 each; Detroit players, $870 each.

1909—$182,301.50; Pittsburg players $1,745.87 each; Detroit players, $1,328.50 each.

1910—$173,900; Athletic players, $2,062.79 each; Cub players, $1,375.16 each.

SOUTH PAYS TAX ON COTTON TRADE

Millions of Unnecessary Tribute Goes to Finance Exports.

New York, Oct. 11.—The South in five years has received nearly $41,000,000,000 for its cotton; more than $2,000,000,000 of this huge sum has been paid to the South by foreign buyers. Cotton is the bulwark of our foreign export trade.

With the great prosperity that has come to the South through this enormous production of new wealth each year has come also the realization of the fact that this, the greatest of all American exports, is financed almost entirey by the bankers of Europe. A half billion dollars of American cotton is carried from our shores under foreign flags and with foreign bankers' bills. How many millions of dollars the South pays to Europe of its crop can only roughly be estimated.

Henry S. Reed, the editor of the "Cotton Journal," of Atlanta, Ga., says that if the South had adequate banking facilities there would be saved every year from $200,000,000 to $300,000,000.

"This would aid materially," he says, "in putting all the industries of the South—farming, commercial, manufacturing and banking—on a much more satisfactory basis; hence, the South's business man is interested, or will be, as soon as he can be made to look at this great question in a business like manner.

"Since the South produces this enormous new wealth each year, it is not right that the South should first supply its own needs from its own money before loaning it to the business people in other sections of our country? I think so. Today it is returned to America through Wall Street, and Wall Street in turn loans it out to the grain country, the cattle rangers, the mining sections, and to the speculative world, and it is possible cotton money is used to distress the cotton producer and lower the price of the article which brought the money into existence."

The reason the American cotton export trade is financed abroad, forcing us to pay millions of tribute yearly to foreign bankers, is that under our banking system we have no means of competing with Europe in financing our foreign trade. Nearly all the cotton sold abroad is financed by means of credits taken by the foreign buyers through their banks.

Business men, cotton planters and bankers in the South have become actively interested in a non-partisan way to urge upon Congress the necessity of so reforming our banking system that we can finance our foreign trade at home instead of paying London to do it.

Where Women's Fancy Turns.

(Young's Magazine)

"Why, is it," asked Rose Stahl, now playing in "Maggie Pepper," "that in the spring a young woman's fancy is so apt to turn to clucking hens? Last year one of my best friends abandoned the footlights and sought the actors' oft dreamed of paradise, a little home in the country.

"As a recreation she decided to start a poultry farm, which she did with a barnyard hen and thirteen eggs from the village store. Not having even the most elementary knowledge of poultry, she inquired of a neighbor how long eggs generally took to hatch. She received the reply:

"Three weeks for chickens and four for ducks."

"The neighbor met her some time afterward, and on being asked how the poultry farming was going on she replied, with a lowering countenance:

"Oh, I've finished with it. At the end of three weeks there were no chickens, so I took the hen off, as I didn't want ducks."

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Wichita Falls, Texas, October 11, 1911.

Governor Colquitt may have been playing politics—and of course his enemies will accuse him of this—but the fact remains that he struck a mighty popular note when he suggested a conference of the governors of Southern States to discuss plans to prevent the manipulation of prices in the cotton market. Whether there will be any other specific results it is certain that such a conference will attract attention throughout the South to this evil and good results must inevitably follow.

In the face of facts that have been apparent for a number of years, there can be no denial of a conspiracy to drive down the prices of cotton so long as the bulk of the crop is in the farmers' hands, thereby depriving the farmers of the South of millions of dollars annually that should in all justice be theirs.

The Farmers' Union has been alive to the situation for several years and its efforts to break up this evil have but increased the ferocity of the attacks. But the campaign of the Farmers' Union is bearing good results. A few years ago the merchant and the business man in the hurry to get to handle the farmer's cotton dollars, ridiculed and opposed his efforts to control the price of that commodity, but now we see the business man in the fight with the farmer. This has been one of the developments of a campign which is gradually enlisting the whole people of the South. With the returning of the South to a commanding position in the government of the Union, the farmers will soon have a strong ally in Uncle Sam.

A conference such as that suggested by Gov. Colquitt will surely hasten the enlistment of the ally.

BRIDE WANTS TO KNOW IF SHE CAN GET PENSION

San Antonio, Oct. 11.—The funeral of Lieut. J. R. Lynch, who suicided Monday morning six hours after his midnight marriage was held today. The theory is advanced that he was mentally unbalanced over financial troubles. His bride of six hours is trying to learn whether she is entitled to a pension.

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At the usual time this evening the big tent will open to the crowd for the second and last show in this city. The afternoon attendance was good and the tent is expected to be packed again this evening.

W. L. Yauger's Death.

Special to the Times.

Iowa Park, Oct. 11.—The whole town was deeply schocked this morning when the news was spread over the telephone that our kind and genial-hearted postmaster, Mr. W. L. Yauger was dead. He was taken ill about three o'clock this morning with neuralgia of the heart but being accustomed to these attacks did not think it anything serious. He did not want a physician called but about six-thirty, Mrs. Yauger became alarmed and summoned Dr. Dooley. The doctor remained with him about half an hour then started to the drug store for more medicine. He had scarcely left the house when Mr. Yauger suddenly became worse and died immediately. His children, Mrs. Tyson of Whitney, Texas, and two sons now in Beaumont have been sent for. The time for the funeral will not be set until they arrive.

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opportunity that the bankers will have to perform this signal public service and to direct and safeguard for the future the occupation in which they are engaged."

Mr. Hill told the bankers that the subject of his address was the bankers' relation to wealthy production exchange and distribution, and, discussing the distribution of wealth, he commented upon the unsatisfactory business condition of the country, and declared that great business, particularly the railroad operations, were at a standstill because so many important business interests are either "under fire or apprehensive of assault." "Nearly all of the outcry and activity against corporate wealth," he asserted, "is for political effect rather than moral reform."

"The proof of this is the simplicity and effectiveness of the real remedy which is not applied. It would be an easy matter to put an end to the abuses of both monopolies and the trusts. Enforce the laws against those who break them, and the former will disappear. The trusts will vanish as soon as they are compelled to show that every dollar of their capital stock has been paid for in cash or property and labor at a fair valuation. Oblige every corporation to do this, under penalty of an assessment on stockholders to make good any deficiency in capital or surplus, or else a scaling down of capitalization to actual values, and the trusts would not long bother anybody. Many are less interested in restraining trade than in selling stocks and bonds not representing actual value received or used in their business. Present conditions will require some review and reform of transactions already accomplished which should not exist in the face of facts that are being brought to light.

"Examine the political nostrums now most talked of as saviors of society, humane in intent though many of them be, and it will be found that they all involve the continued expenditure of large sums of money, to be collected by taxation. The men who pay these taxes are the holders of property. The men who vote these expenditures are the taxpayers plus that considerably more numerous body of electors who either pay no taxes or a share so inconsiderable that its increase or decrease is not felt. Hence constantly increasing disposition in the nation and the states to change the distribution of wealth by legislation, taking it by enormous appropriations from those who have accumulated it and scattering it among those who did not. The end of such a system may be delayed, but it is not doubtful. Capital is exhausted and is not renewed. The motive vanishes. The public is educated to refuse work, to spend lavishly, to look to the state as the cow that can keep everybody supplied with all the milk he may want indefinitely. Labor suffers in the end exactly as it does when its three meals per day are reduced to two or one. Activity slows down. The total amount of wealth in the country diminishes, both by removal to other communities where its security and its reward are greater and by the steady encroachment of consumption on production. National indigence approaches.

"But perhaps the worst effect of all is seen in the deterioration of national character. As a people comes to believe that wealth may and should be distributed by state and opportunity of the individuals who create it envy, greed, hatred, and every form of malice flourish, and may even be the form of virtue. Materially and morally this substitution of man-made, arbitrary methods for the working of permanent natural forces working through well established economic law leads to national decay."

Speaking of the farm, Mr. Hill said that the main fact about that industry is that it is producing today less than one-half of what it could be made to produce, without material additional outlay of capital or labor.

"The average yield of wheat in the United States for the five years ending in 1910 was eight-tenths of a bushel per acre more than in the five years ending in 1905," he continued "It was less than four-tenths of a bushel more than for the ten ending in 1905. The average corn product for the ten years ending in 1910 was a little less than for the ten years ending in 1875. Thirty-five years have not advanced us a step. European countries—Great Britain, Germany, France—with inferior soils and less favorable climate, produce crops practically double our own. In our studies of conservation we find no waste comparable either in magnitude or importance to this.

"The farm will fail and the foundation of all our prosperity be undermined unless agriculture is reformed. Already the percentage of our people actively engaged in farming has fallen from 47.36 in 1870 to an estimated 32 in 1910. Every man on the farm today must produce food for two mouths against one forty years ago. Note the abandoned farms of New England and the Middle States Six rural counties in New York show a population loss in the last ten years of more than 9,000, while the two cities they contain increased by over 4,000. The homes of the Puritans are in the hands of the thirfty French Canadian and the immigrant from Continental Europe. Farm lands in many states are already exhausted and being deserted. The average American farmer has no equal for carelessness and for adhering to discredited methods of cultivation.

"Unless we adopt improved methods of farming we will soon be unable either to feed ourselves or to furnish the boasted home market for the other industries that we are building on a constantly narrowing base.

"These methods are simple and well known. The essentials are rotation of crops, more intensive farming, a more frequent and thorough cultivation of the soil, careful seed selection and the judicious use of fertilizing material. Seed selection alone is of great importance. It has added from $8,000,000 upward to the value of a state's crops.

"Among the other important changes that have occurred during recent years is the great reduction in the number of competent farm laborers. A sufficient supply of good farm labor is necessary. If we are throwing away, as we are, eight or nine billion dollars a year, the saving of it is important to everybody; and to you and other bankers, most desirable. Careful farming will make eighty acres do all that one hundred and sixty do now."

Texas Farm Mortgages.

According to the Federal Censur for 1910, we have 416,377 farms in Texas, and only 131,161 of these farms are owned by the farmers who operate them; we have 219,106 tenant farmers, 2,278 farms operated by managers and 63,832 farmers who partly own their farms.

There are only 32 per cent of the farmers of Texas who now own their farms, and in 1900 there were 38 per cent of our farmers who owned their farms, free from debt, showing a decrease of six per cent in the number of farmers who own their farms. In the absence of detailed reports, we can only speculate as to the causes that have led to this undesirable result.

We have opened up during the past decade 64,187 new farms and a portion of the increase in indebtedness will undoubtedly be found in this item. A large number of immigrant farmers have come to us and, as a rule, they buy farms and make only partial payments. The young farmer starting out in life may be justified in buying a farm on credit, but certainly there is no good business reason why the Texas farmers who have been farming for years should be in debt or why a tenant farmer should not, in the course of time own his farm and if such results cannot be reasonably hoped for, then there is something wrong with out economic system.

Uncle Sam has given us facts and figures, but he leaves us to solve our own problems. When we consider that 352,545 farmers have rented or have mortgaged farms, we get a conception of the tremendous importance of the problem. The question would seem to justify thoughtful consideration at the hands of our foremost economists, if indeed it does not warrant the attention of the Legislature.

Next to the importance of a bountiful Providence in getting the farmer out of debt, is cheap money. No farmer can pay 10 or 12 per cent interest and prosper and no other line of industry can thrive under such a handicap. Texas should secure access to the cheap money markets of the world by removing such legislative restrictions as may exist and pass such laws as will encourage the flow of cheap money into Texas.

OTHER EDITORS' IDEAS.

Why Italy Goes to War.

Three causes may fairly be alleged for Italy's declaration of war with Turkey over sun-baked Tripoli.

The first is that land-hunger which is native to the human race, and, therefore, not to be reasoned with. The Eskimo with his right to the shore of the bay where he sojourns for but a few brief days in summer and the Arab who sees in bare rocks and long windrows of sand his desert, to be defended against all comers, are one with the Yankee farmer who wanted "all the land that j'ined him." Italy is foolish of course, but—what did we want of the Philippines?

There is secondly, a cause peculiar to the Latins, the wraith of the great ness of imperial Rome. Italy's central city conquered the world by reason of her colonizing genius. Italy, Spain and France has inherited something of the Roman ambition with no whit of the Roman adaptability. The mirage of imperial greatness torments them, seen over Africa's burning sands.

The third cause is the exasperating success of England as a colonizing power. The Latin races see this clearly without perceiving with equal clearness the fact that England has quietly appropriated all the land in every clime where such colonization by Europeans is practicable.

The probability is that Italy is acting in this matter in furtherance of an agreement with the imperial governments of Germany and Austria. It woud hardly go to war without support in some quarter, not that it has anything to fear from Turkey, but for reason that the gradual dismemberment of the Ottoman empire must proceed by agreement rather than by the violence of individual nations.—St. Louis Republic.

Marriage and Divorce Laws.

Judge Petit's decision in the Cook County Circuit Court that a divorce obtained at Reno, Nev., after a pretended "residence" there has no binding force in Illinois ought to go far toward discouraging excursions of dissatisfied husbands or wives to that town of unenviable notoriety. The decision is in line with one of the United States Supreme Court holding that a divorce obtained in a state not having proper jurisdiction over both parties to a marriage is not enforceable outside of the state granting it and with a New York State court decision.

President Taft in his recent Kansas speeches pointed to the need of better laws governing marriage and divorce in the United States. The evil is one that must be remedied by action of the several State Legislatures, and the sooner they get to work on it the better will be our position before the rest of the world. As the President said, "It is awkward, to say the least," that a person married on one side of a state line may not be married on the other side. It is shameful and tragic that such differences in marriage and divorce laws exist, when the effect upon children and upon morals is considered.

Whether one believes that divorce should be made reasonably easy or difficult, there can be no question about the desirability of uniform laws. Federal action in this matter is impossible under present constitutional requirements, but the Legislature, in every state having lax laws can and should act soon.—Chicago Record-Herald.

How to Keep Young.

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley addressed the pupils in a Kansas City school the other day, and told them to remain everlastingly young, regardless of the passing years.

He pointed with pride to the fact that he hasn't aged any in fifty years, and offered to run a foot race with any young man in town for money, marbles or chalk. Then he explained the secret of eternal youth to the children. They shouldn't eat painted candy, or drink tea or coffee, and they should always pare fruit before eating it, and much more to the same effect. The doctor's counsel dealt with physical matters entirely, says the Emporia Gazette.

Now, as a matter of fact, if a human being doesn't occupy the proper attitude toward the world and the people in it, he will grow old in his youth, no matter what he eats or how he eats it. What you eat is less important than what you think. The doctor's dietary rules doubtless are valuable, but they are of secondary importance. If you keep yourself in a cheerful frame of mind, and teach yourself to regard life as a good thing, and look upon your neighbors as good injuns, you won't grow old, no matter what you eat.

If you are a natural grouch, regarding your fellow men with suspicion and dislike, and looking eternally for something to find fault with, your diet won't help you.

The Doctor had an excellent opportunity to impress a few valuable truths upon the young people in that school, and he let it get past him—Wichita (Kan.) Eagle.

GREAT REMOVAL SALE

The building we now occupy has been sold, and we will be compelled to move our stock about November 1st, and in order that the job of moving may be made as small as possible, we now offer our entire stock at slaughter prices. Do not let this opportunity pass, but supply your needs now. This stock will be either sold or moved away and this is your last chance at it. Come quickly! You need the BARGAINS and we are anxious to dispose of the goods.

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Dealers in bottles, rope, pipe, metals, rubber and junk of all kinds. If you have anything in this line

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WANT ADS

Placed under this head will bring satisfactory results One cent the word for an insertion; Half Cent the word each following insertion.

Probably a Lot of Your Troubles Wouldn't Trouble a Want Advertiser at All!

Want advertisers and answerers of want advertisements ACCOMPLISH THINGS that other people simply "worry about," and hope that they "will work out somehow, sometime."

With want advertising, the property owner finds either buyers or tenants, while the non-advertiser WAITS for someone to "come along" and search for him and for his property.

With want advertising, the worker finds work—the employers finds workers—and the machinery of daily life does not slip a cog.

With want advertising, the used articles are sold to advantage—the business plan finds a "backer"—the buyer and seller discovers each other without any "blind searches," and people come to manage their affairs with the smallest possible amount of vexation, worry or delays.

There's not much noursihment for the "trouble-germ" in any of your affairs if you utilize want advertising to the fullest possible extent.

WANTED

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, suitable for wiping machinery. The Times Office.

WANTTD—At least two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; close in. Phone 939. 127-3tc

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper by young man. Will start at small salary; good references. Address H. A. Lawson, goneral delivery. 127-3tp

WANTED—A bargain in cheap residence property. Give lowest cash price and location. P. O. Box 164. 124-tfc

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper or clerk in gents' furnishing store. Can furnish first-class references. Address P. O. Box 304, Wichita Falls. 126-tfc

WANTED—To buy sell and exchange new and second hand furniture, We also handle stoves. Moran's New and Second Hand Furniture Store; 721 Indiana avenue. 125-tfc

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A girl to do general house work for family of three; good place for right party; 1605 Ninth st. 127-3t

WANTED—Colored girl 8 to 12 years old. Apply 806 Ninth street.

FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—One furnished room for one or two gentlemen, 904 Scott. 128-3tc

FOR RENT—Two modern unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, 805 5th street. Phone 112. 129-3tp

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 806 13th street. 114-tfc

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; all modern conveniences, 905 Travis. 115-tfc

FOR RENT—One large bed room, small adjoining room and screened in porch with city water and gas. Furnished complete for light housekeeping. Price $10. Apply at Holbert's store, 1306 11th. 119-tfc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room; modern conveniences. Apply 508 Scott. 127-3tp

FOR RENT—Nicely Furnished front room; all conveniences, 702 Lamar. 126-tfc

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms; gentleman preferred. Apply 811 Tenth street. 122-tfdh

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom; suitable for one or two gentlemen; 500 Scott. 125-6tp

FOR RENT—Board and room for two gentlemen or two school boys, or girls. Price $18.00 each. Apply 1306 11th street. 119-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Every modern convenience. The Elite Rooming House over Burgess' jewelry store. on 8th street. Phone 622. 124-6tc

FOR RENT—One large room, one small joining room, furnished with with screened in porch, $10.00. Apply 1309 6th. 117-tfc

—FOR RENT—

FOR RENT—Three houses. See Kell, Perkins-Craven, or phone 694. 115-tfc

FOR RENT—Nine room house and 4 acres ground; close in. Apply to H. P. Webb. Office over Morris Drug Store on Indiana avenue. Phone 395. 129-3tc

FOR RENT—Nine room boarding house on Ohio avenue. J. T. Young. Phone 396. 129-4tc

FOR RENT—Five room modern cottage. See Mrs. Von der Lippe at 1209 Bluff street, corner of 13th street. Phone 112. 127-3tc

FOR RENT—Four room house; 5th and Brooke streets. See Dr. Nelson. 121-tfc

FOR RENT—Four and five room houses; $12.50 to $20.00 per month. See Ed B Gorsline. 48-tfc

FOR RENT—Cheap; two three room and one five room houses; good well water and gas. Apply at 213 Lamar. 125-tfs

FOR RENT—New 5 room house on Fifteenth street, $15.00; 4 room house, Elm street, $12.50; 3 room house, Lakewood, $6.00 Phone 522, Mack Thomas owner. 122-tfc

FOR RENT—7 room house with all modern conveniences, corner 12th and Scott. See J. L. Mytinger, 413 Kemp & Kell Building. 60-tfc

FOR RENT—Storeroom 25x130 on Ohio avenue, between Eighth and Ninth. Call phone 304 or address C. L. Fontaine, Wichita Falls, Texas. 131-tfc

FOR RENT—Storage room on Indiana avenue formerly occupied by McFall Transfer and Storage Company. See J. C. Mytinger, Kemp and Kell building. 35-tfc

—FOR SALE—

FOR SALE—Special bargain in dressers, rugs, matting and linoleum. Moran's New and Second Hand Furniture Store, 721 Indian avenue. 125-tfc

One good as new McCaskey Account Register; will sell cheap. Apply to Barber & Taylor, Henrietta, Texas. 108-26tc

FOR SALE—Electra; block of 4 lots, less than 500 feet Culberson well. Oil and gas rights to purchaser. Price $1600.00. Ed. R. List, city, Westland Hotel. 129-4tp

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

FOR SALE—Four room house, 5th and Brooke streets. See Dr. Nelson. 121-tfc

FOR SALE—My place at 1310 West Fourth street. Lot 50x140; good well water, barn, one block of school. Price $1250. Address S. W. Stout owner Wichita Falls, Texas. 127-6tp

FOR SALE—By owner: the best piece of rent property in Wichita Falls; will sell for three-fourths its value; pays 20% on investment. Address W. W. Jackson, Waco, Texas.

FOR SALE—A new five-room house; rooms large and every modern convenience; hall through house; lot 75x150 feet; east front 1104 Denver avenue. Well sell cheap; good terms. See T. S. Freeman at Alfalfa Lumber Yard. 121-tfc

FOR SALE—New six room house with bath room, city water, gas lights on corner of Elm and Virginia within eight minutes walk of new Federal P. O. building. Will sell for less than actual cost of building. If you have the money I have the bargain. See owner at 210 Elm street, or address Box 756, city. 121-tfc

FOR SALE—South front, modern five rooms, bath, gas lights and walks, three doors west of high school, 1414 12th street. Make me an offer, will make terms to suit, sell or trade. Phone 116, P. O. Box 218, city. 87-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—New 4 room house 301 Elm St. New 4 room house 308 Elm St. New 5 room house 702 Holliday St. New 5 room house 1417 Fifteenth St. One 5 room house 1206 Scott Ave. 3 room house Lakewood addition. Phone 522. Mack Thomas, owner. 99-tf

FINANCIAL.

HAVE money in large amounts to loan on farms at 8 per cent, requires life insurance to cover amount of loss, inspections made in September. See Otto Stehlik over postoffice.

PLENTY—Of money to loan on first-class business or residence property. I want only first-class loans and can make them so the borrowers will pay monthly, easier than paying rent. F. W. Tibbett 285-tfc

LOST

LOST—Gold Elk pin; engraved on inside. Return to M. A. Brin, Freear-Brin Furniture Company. Reward. 129-3tc

STOLEN—From Lawton, Okla., bay mare 4 years old, weight 1400; no brand, white spot in forehead; split in one ear; also one iron gray mare 9 years old, no brand, weight 1100 pounds. Reward of $25.00. Look out for and notify Tom Pickett. 123-tfc

LOST—Diamond bracelet at 10th and Ind. or on trailer going to Lake Wichita. Finder return to Times office for reward. 128-3tp

HOGS TAKEN UP—I have taken up five black shoats at my place on carline at Avenue K. Owner can have same by paying feed bill and damage and for this notice. W. M. Connelley. 127-1tp

FOR SALE: I have several modern homes located in desirable communities on the hill with attactive surroundings. Four to eight room houses, every modern convenience in connection. Some bargains on this list—let me show you.

W. E. GOLDEN

800 Ohio Avenue—Opposite entranc to postoffice.

Oil and Gas Lands

We have and controle lands in the Oil and Gas belt for sale and lease—Ten years experience in Oklahoma oil fields. Correspondence of oil men solicited. Satisfactory results guaranteed.

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Wichita Falls - - - Texas

JUDGES MAKE MOVE AGAINST DIVORCE

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 10.—The eight Circuit Judges of Jackson County in a meeting en banc today passed a resolution for the appointment of a special attorney to investigate divorce cases for facts to be presented to the courts. The intent of the resolution is to make it more difficult to secure divorces, especially through default. It is the first long step to curb the rush of divorce seekers to Kansas City from other parts of the State and from other States and to enable the Judges to distinguish between the worthy and unworthy divorce seekers.

It was Judge Thomas J. Seehorn's plan and was unanimously adopted by the eight Judges. Immediately after they had adopted the resolution Judge Seehorn went before the Judges of the County Court and informed them of the action of the Circuit Judges. Judge H. C. Gilbert, Judge E. L. Martin and Judge E. E. Axline of the County Court said they thoroughly approved the plan and directed Judge Seehorn to prepare an order to put on the minutes of the County Court appropriating $100 a month to pay the expenses of an attorney to investigate divorce cases before they are tried.

The attorney will be empowered to take depositions in any part of this and other States, so that a person coming here from another State simply because this city has the reputation of being an easy divorce mart will be sadly disappointed in the future. Kansas City is in Jackson County and has long had a reputation of being an easy place to get a divorce.

REDUCED RATES FOR DALLAS FAIR

For the occasion of the Dallas State Fair, the Wichita Falls Route in connection with other roads has arranged a schedule of reduced rates from all stations on its lines. The rates are effective October 13 to 28th, inclusive. The schedule is divided into three classes, embracing the different lengths of time for which the tickets are good. Class A ticket will be on sale from the 13th to the 22nd, good returning up to midnight of the 30th. The round trip rate is $12.20 from Hammon, Okla. with corresponding reductions from immediate points.

Class B will be on sale October 19th to 28th, with going trip to commence on day of sale, and good returning three days after day of sale This fare is $11.30 from Hammon with corresponding reductions from intermediate points.

Class C tickets will be on sale October 21, going trip to commence on evening train of that date, with a final limit on or before midnight of October 23. The fare from Hammon for this ticket is $6.35, with corresponding reductions from intermediate points.

The same proportionate rates are in effect on the company's line from Newcastle with a class A fare at $5.65, class B fare at $4.95, and class C fare at $3.60.

The tickets are made in connection with the Fort Worth & Denver, the M. K. and T. and the Texas Pacific roads.

SECRETARY DAY WANTS EXHIBITS

Secretary Day has re-arranged the rooms and re-decorated the walls of the Chamber of Commerce, using the decorations a series of views various points of interest in the and the output of the different li of industries. He has also arran a new collection of the natural sources and productions of the co ty and city. The collection of products are not complete as yet, Mr. Day would be pleased to have any one who has any thing of va as an advertisement to the city ne send him a display sample.

The display of these products, wh grouped as they are at the Chamb of Commerce, is so much more co prehensive than one would imag possible, that its advertising po bilities are readily appreciable.

A GREAT DANE SOLD FOR $85.

T. L. Burnett today bought from by G. Hill, a great Dane dog, paying the sum of $85.00 for the same, what price breaks the known record for dog sale in this city.

Suffragists Not Discouraged.

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, Oct. 11.—Woman suffrage was defeated in the California elections yesterday by about five thousand votes. The San Francisco vote being the deciding factor against.

The suffrage leaders here declared they were in no way discouraged over the apparent defeat of the suffrage amendment and that plans were already under way to put the issue to another test under the initiative and referendum amendment which carried in yesterday's election.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Zundelowitz returned today after spending the summer at watering places in Europe.

OFFERED $1,000 TO VOTE FOR LORIMER

Chicago, Oct. 11.—State Reprensentative Henry Terrell, at the Lorimer hearing today testified that he was offered one thousand dollars to vote for Lorimer.

Cotton Not Damaged.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Oct. 11.—Railroad men say the forsts of the past few nights have not damaged the cotton in this state.

"Barnard's House of Fashions"

October Showing



Of Rich Apparel for Women and Misses

High-Class Evening, Dinner and Restaurant Gowns; Dainty Chiffon and Dancing Frocks; Smart Tailor-made Suits in cloth, velvet and corduroy; Coats for Dress and utility wear; Satins, Lingerie and Dress Waists in color combinations to match the prevailing shades in suits.

Tailored Suits for Women and Misses

New and exclusive designs, copies of French and English models—in Broadcloths, Chevrons and Serges, Velvets and Corduroys, also Fancy English Mixtures, embodying all that is new and correct in the present modes—at our well-known popular prices $12 50 $15 00 $17 50 $22 50

TAFFETA PETTICOATS

Taffeta Silk Petticoats—all colors $2 98

WOMEN'S TAILORED COATS

Women's Tailored Coats for street, motor or traveling wear, made of double-faced vicuna, polo cloths, broadcloths and Scotch mixtures ..... $12 50 to $25.00

MESSALINE SILK PETTICOATS.

Messaline Silk Petticoats, regular $4 value, in white, black, navy, light blue, pink, green and other shades—deep pleated ruffle $3 49

Messaline Silk Petticoats $3 98

Silk and Wool Dresses

WHITE SERGE DRESSES.

Strictly man-tailored, made of fine quality imported serge, handsomely trimmed in white braid with velvet and lace collars ..... $22.50 to $29 00

SILK DRESSES

In satin, marquisette and crepe de chine, handsomely trimmed. A large range of styles, in blacks and colors ..... $22 50 to $ -- 00

ONE-PIECE CLOTH DRESSES.

Fine quality lightweight serge in black, white and colors, appropriately trimmed. Many styles to choose from $10 00 $12 50 $15 00 $29 50

WARNER'S AND REDFERN CORSETS

Fall Models Just Received.

Embodying all the new lines for the fashionable fall figure so indispensable to the smartly gowned woman ..... $1 00 to $5 00

C. J. Barnard & Co.

701-703 Indiana Avenue

Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention

Pleasant Valley News.

Misses Mae and Susie Quinley spe a pleasant day with the Misses Ro ers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Humphries spent Su day evening with Mr. and Mrs. Co will.

Rev. Ferguson and wife spent th day with Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Su day.

Rev. Conwill has imporved some fo



wholesale grocery and cotton factors here, was found dead in bed this morning.

DECISION EXPECTED TODAY.

Judge Cotteral Will Make Ruling on Swanson County.

Guthrie, Ok., Oct. 10.—Federal Judge Cotteral will give a decision tomorrow in the Swanson County case, wherein the Dorsey Printing Company of Dallas seeks to enjoin the officers of Swanson, Kiowa, and Comanche counties and J. E. Terry, named by Judge Tolbert of the Kiowa County District Court, as receiver for Swanson County. The Dorsey Company in this manner seeks to collect money, alleged due for the records furnished the Swanson officers when the county was created. The attorneys are going into the legality of Swanson's creation and also the Court order that later abolished the county.

Pure Comb Honey

In Bulk at, per pound,	15c
In quart jars	55c
In pint jars	30c
In ten pound tins	$1.45
In five pound tins	75c

S. W. Roberts

The Suburban Grocer

Phone 331 1315 Eleventh Street

Hen Turns Suffragette and Rooster Hatches Eggs.

Jake, a rooster on the farm of Egbertville, S. I., of Detective Felkenburg of New York, was forced when suffragettism invaded the barnyard to replace one of his wives on a sitting of ten eggs.

He dutifully did the hatching and seven chicks rewarded his efforts which is an average as good as that of most lady chickens, so the poultry men say.

Snakes Break Necks Trying to Enter Pictured Cracks.

Two timber rattlesnakes came to an untimely end in an unual way in the Bronz Park zoo, in New York, where they had a granite den, with a painted background produced by a well known scenic artist.

The painted crevices were so natural the snakes, when they tried to crawl into them, bumped their heads and got so mad they broke their necks trying to force their way through the canvas.

JOSEPH A. KEMP, President.
P. P. LANGFORD, Vice Pres. C. W. SNIDER, Cashier
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Official Statement as made to the Comptroller of Currency, September 1st, 1911. Condensed

City National Bank

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and Discounts	$882,793.20	Capital Stock	$200,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	202,000.00	Surplus and Profits	157,124.11
Other Stocks and Bonds	1,279.00	Currency in Circulation	200,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	18,000.00	Deposits	605,893.38
Real Estate	1,600.00	Dividends Unpaid	578.00
Bills of Exchange	20,000.00	Bills Payable	100,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	10,000.00	Reserved for Taxes	1,750.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	129,473.32		
Total	1,265,145.52	Total	1,265,145.52

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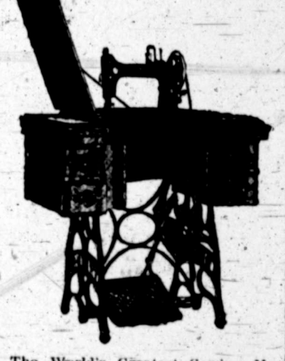


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J. J. Hills Dream About to Be Realized—Only Two Links Lacking

Denver, Colo., Oct. 11.—James J Hill's vision of a great new railway from the Pacific to the Gulf of Mexico via Denver is about to be realized. His north and south route lacks but two little links which are to be built as fast as men and machinery can prepare the roadbed and lay the track.

Secrecy characterizes this big plan. Months ago an inkling of the true object of the Burlington and Colorado & Southern work in Wyoming and Colorado became known. The work stopped. It was belittled by engineers and employes. Talk ceased.

Now everything is ready for action. Rights of way have been secured, land bought and there is nothing lacking.

The railroad is securing rights of way and land along the route of its new line to connect the Pacific ocean at Seattle and Spokane with the Gulf of Mexico at Galveston via Denver.

Two links are needed in the transportation chain. One is just outside of Denver. It will connect Hudson with Greeley. It will be twenty-six miles long. The other short bit of track lacking is between Thermopolis and Shoshone Junction, Wyo., a distance of sixty-six miles.

The J. J. Hill railroad system, which controls the Burlington, Great Northern and Colorado & Southern lines, is doing the Greeley-Hudson construction under the name of the Colorado Railway company.

Greeley people say that $60,000 has been spent by the road in their locality of late. Hudson residents report that the road has paid $14,000 for rights of way through the town property. The estimated cost of the Greeley-Hudson link is $780,000.

THE MORTGAGE OF VICE.

Evil Habits Are a Greater Disadvantage Than Debts.
(Success Magazine)

Is it not a disheartening thing to go through life under the harrow of debt, struggling to get release under circumstances that give no hope of relief? Is it not unfortunate to feel that we can never lift the mortgage from the home, that in spite of all our efforts it must finally be sold over the heads of those dearer to us than life itself? But all this is nothing compared with the mortgage of vice upon the character which blights the life.

The nicotine mortgage upon your vitality, the alcohol mortgage which hardens your nerve fiber, benumbs the brain cells, paralyzes the power to achieve and makes you a slave instead of a king, are incumbrances compared with which the mere mortgage upon your home is a blessing.

If you are mortgaged to the cigarette habit, which demoralizes your ambition, poisons your blood, benumbs your nerves and vitiates your aim; if you have a whisky mortgage an immorality mortgage on your character which you have been trying for years to life, this is infinitely worse than your chattel mortgage or real estate mortgage. The mortgage on your home may not touch your real self. In spite of it, you may be a man, respected, looked up to, admired. If your life has been clean you may have made every acre of land in your vicinity worth more. But if your character is mortgaged to a demoralizing habit; if you are the victim of a degrading vice that holds you down, cripples your advance this is a thousand times worse. It loses you not only your respect, but also the respect of those who know you.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES

Wichita Falls Route.

Northbound

	No. 4	No. 2
Lv Wichita Falls	5:39 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Ar Frederick	5:40 a.m.	4:35 p.m.
Ar Altus	6:40 a.m.	5:40 p.m.
Ar Mangum	7:45 a.m.	6:40 p.m.
Ar Elk City	9:30 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
Ar Hammon	11:35 a.m.	
Ar Hollis	11:02 a.m.	
Ar Wellington	12:10 p.m.	

Southbound

	No. 3	No. 1
Lv Wellington	2:30 p.m.	
Lv Hollis	2:38 p.m.	
Ar Altus	5:20 p.m.	
Lv Hammon	4:45 p.m.	
Lv Elk City	3:45 p.m.	5:30 a.m.
Lv Mangum	5:30 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
Lv Altus	8:20 p.m.	8:15 a.m.
Lv Frederick	9:30 p.m.	9:30 a.m.
Ar Wichita Falls	11:45 p.m.	11:45 a.m.

Through sleepers between Hammon and Fort Worth on Nos. 3 and 4.

Newcastle Branch

Northbound

	No. 12
Lv Newcastle	8:00 a.m.
Lv Olney	8:45 a.m.
Lv Archer City	9:55 a.m.
Ar Wichita Falls	11:35 a.m.

Southbound

	No. 11
Lv Wichita Falls	2:30 p.m.
Ar Archer City	4:10 p.m.
Ar Olney	5:15 p.m.
Ar Newcastle	6:05 p.m.

Fort Worth and Denver City

Northbound—	Ar	Lv
No. 1	1:40 p.m.	1:50 p.m.
No. 3	12:15 p.m.	12:35 p.m.
No. 5	1:30 p.m.	
No. 7	2:45 a.m.	3:05 a.m.
Southbound—	Ar	Lv
No. 2	1:50 p.m.	1:55 p.m.
No. 4	12:01 p.m.	12:20 p.m.
No. 6		3:25 a.m.
No. 8	2:35 a.m.	2:45 a.m.

Local to Electra No. 15 departs 7:00 a.m.
Local from Electra No. 16 arrives 3:15 p.m.

Wichita Valley

No. 1 to Abilene	Lv	7:05 p.m.
No. 5 to Abilene	Lv	11:50 p.m.
No. 9 to Byers	Lv	8:30 a.m.
No. 10 to Byers	Lv	2:15 p.m.
No. 2 from Abilene	Ar	12:15 p.m.
No. 6 from Abilene	Ar	3:00 a.m.
No. 7 from Byers	Ar	12:05 p.m.
No. 9 from Byers	Ar	5:45 p.m.

Daily except Sunday.

Missouri, Kansas and Texas

Eastbound

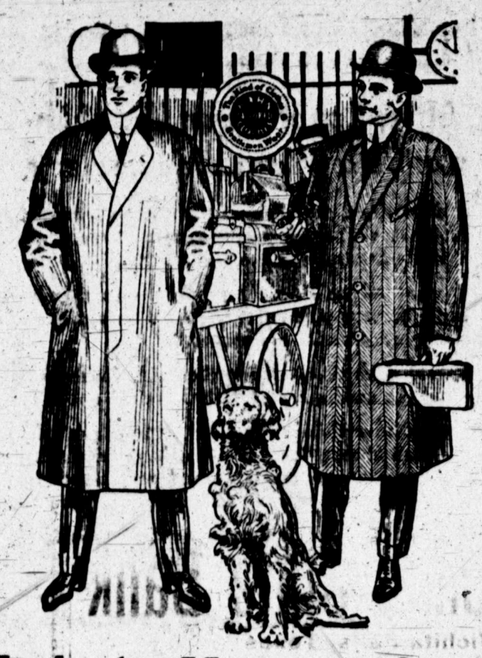
No. 272 leaves at 6:30 a. m. to Dallas, Fort Worth, Greenville, Waxahachie. Connects at Whitesboro with northbound "Flyer." Arrives St. Louis 7:43 a. m., Kansas City 12:20 p. m., Oklahoma City 8:30 p. m., Chicago 4:55 p. m.

No. 12 leaves at 4:30 p. m. to Denison. Conects at Whitesboro with southbound "Flyer" for Fort Worth, Waco, San Antonio and Galveston; connects at Denison with northbound local and "Limited." Arrives St. Louis 7:20 p. m., Kansas City 11:15 a. m. Through sleeper to Chicago via St. Louis; arrives 7:00 a. m.

Westbound

No. 271 arrives at 10:40 p. m. from Dallas and Fort Worth; connects at Whitesboro with southbound "Flyer" from St. Louis, Kansas City and Oklahoma.

No. 277 arrives 3:20 a. m. from Dallas.
No. 278 leaves 12:45 a. m. for Dallas.
No. 11 arrives at 12:30 p.m.



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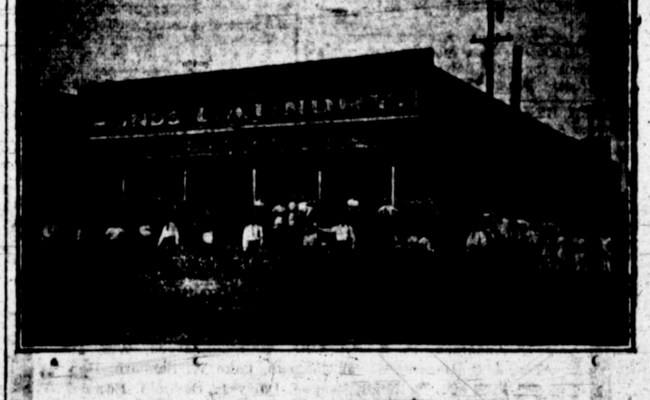
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The manner of operation is simply to place the material being ironed on a padded board, which moves beneath a highly polished chest HEATED BY STEAM, and held there by pressure until it is thoroughly ironed, thus preventing the FRICTION WEAR that is produced when using the rotary type machines, that were designed more than twenty years ago, besides there is no possible danger of SCORCHING OR BURNING THE LINEN.

The bosom of the shirt is placed upon the padded surface in the same manner that it is placed on the body of the wearer, thus giving the shape and effect, with no chance of producing the "bulger" bosom.

This Pressing system is used for the ironing of Shirts, Neck Bands, Cuffs and Vests, as well as Ladies' Shirt Waists.

At a great expense we have installed a set of these machines and invite the citizens of this city to see the same in operation.

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One of the newest pocket coin carriers, with compartments for coins of three sizes, resembles a watch.

An international langauge manual has been prepared by the Chinese government to facilitate translation.

Elephants are trained to be useful to man in a school maintained by the government of the Congo Free State.

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"The Third Degree."

"The Third Degree" an excerpt from life in some of its most interesting phases, is perhaps the best description of this remarkable play by Charles Klein, who will be agreeably recalled as the author of the American drama "The Lion and the Mouse." The play in brief is a forceful and beautiful rolation of the adventures of a young man from the high paths of life who contracts an unconventional marriage. This subject, has of course, before been the subject of dramatic literature, but the skillful and unusual treatment accorded it in this instance by the master playwright gives it all the attractiveness of originality and when there is added the entirely novel element of psychological interest, it may be said to be a complete departure in theatrical presentations. The play, in four acts, has been given a most interesting and lavish scenic production by the United Play Company, whose efforts invariably bear the hall marks of artistic work. The cast engaged is thoroughly consistent with the value of the book and the production and includes Grace Lord, Elizabeth Gillespie, Raymond Wells, Frank Patton, Chas. T. DelVechio, Edmond Sprague, Wm. Weston and others. "The Third Degree" will be seen at the Wichita Theatre Saturday night.

ADRIAN C. ANSON PICKS THE GIANTS

Old Time Baseball Star Believes Giants Will Win In the World's Series

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Capt. Adrian C. Anson, the grand old man of baseball, leans a little toward his old love, the National league, in predicting the outcome of the coming world's championship between the Giants and the Athletics.

"I like the Giants a little bit better than I do the Athletics," said Anson, "bnt at that I would be willing to give odds of 10 to 8 to any one that wants to bet and let him take his choice. I'd make a Dutch book. With John McGraw on the job, directing the play of his team, the Athletics will not have any smooth sailing with the National leaguers.

"Man for man the average might favor the Athletics, perhaps, in that they are a little better balanced; but taken collectively the Giants will have the shade in my estimation. Every one knows that the Athletics are a grand ball team and that Connie Mack is able to get the best there is out of them, but the Giants are hitting the ball and running the bases like fiends, and if Matthemwson and Marquard are in their best form, which I believe they will be, the Athletics will not make as many runs at the right time as the Giants will."

The opinion of the veteran is held in high regard by baseball men all over the country. He iis not prejudiced at all in his opinion at the present time because of his former connection with the National league, but he regards McGraw's ability to win games as second to none in the great pastime.

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Pleasant Valley News.

Misses Mae and Susie Quinley spent a pleasant day with the Misses Rogers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Humphries spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Conwill.

Rev. Ferguson and wife spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Sunday.

Rev. Conwill has imporved some for the past few days.

Clarynton, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Quinley, was the victim of a painful accident Saturday evening near his home. He had been to town with his father and fell out of a heavy wagon loaded with cotton seed. The front wheel passing over his arm and one side of his head. Although his injuries are painful he is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Humphries of the Jonesdale community, are visiting relatives here this week.



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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. J. A. Lowry and family of Holliday came in today to attend the Wallace-Hagenbeck circus.

City Marshal John Wailes of Bowie, arrived in this city this afternon on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ayers of Bowie, are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Webb of this city.

Dr. W. H. Walker left this afternoon for Electra in response to a professional call from that place.

E. Rexford, a prominent citizen of Burkburnett, was a visitor in this city toady.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Kearby returned Tuesday night after attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. J. G Kearby, Sr., at Comanche.

Rev. G. L. Slover, president of Clarendon College located at Clarendon, Texas, arrived in the city today on business.

S. Walker and wife of Electra came in today for the purpose of attending the Wallace-Hagenbeck circus which is now in this city.

G. D. Anderson, returned to this city today from San Antonio, Texas where he has been for the last few days on business.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Foote of Byers arrived in this city today for the purpose of attending the Wallace-Hagenbeck circus.

Mrs. J. F. Pierce, who has been in this city for the last few days as a delegate to the Woman's Home Mission Society Convention, returned to her home in McKinney today.

J. J. Taylor and family of Petrolia came in today for the purpose of attending the Wallace-Hagenbeck circus. Mr. Taylor drove over in his Maxwell automobile.

Drs. M. H. Moore and L. Coons of this city, who for the last few days have been tending to business connected with a lawsuit in Greenville returned home last night.

Mrs. W. S. Gilbert, who has been the guest of Prof. and Mrs. H. A. Fairchild during the Woman's Home Mission Society Convention in this city returned to her home in Decatur this afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Rea, of the Methodist church at Burkburnett, returned to that place today after a few days stay in this city during the meeting of the Woman's Home Mission Society Convention.

Mrs. E. R. Bareus returned to her home at Gainesville today after a few days stay in this city as a delegate to the Woman's Home Mission Society Convention. While here she was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. O. T. Cooper.

Mrs. J. E. Roach, wife of Rev. J. E. Roach, pastor of the Methodist church at Bowie, returned to her home at that place today after spending a few days in this city as a delegate to the Woman's Home Mission Society Convention of the First Methodist church.

H. O. Cravens, of the firm of Kell Perkins, and Cravens, returned last night from a business trip to Houston, and other points in South Texas where he has been for the last few days.

Ed Wilson, of Toyah, Texas, is in the city for a few days visit with friends. Mr. Wilson will be remembered as being one of the first men who seven years ago sunk a well and struck oil in the Petrolia field.

D. T. Hooker, chief engineer of the Wichita Falls Route, who for the last few days has been on an inspection trip up above Hammond on the new extension of the Northwestern, returned unexpectedly to the city last night on important business connected with the Wichita Falls Route.

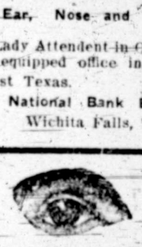
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Frank Kell and C. L. Fontaine returned from St. Louis last night where they had been on business for the Wichita Falls Route.

M. W. A. Meeting Postponed.

The regular meeting of the M. W. of A. will not be held this week, Thursday evening as customary, the hall having been given up for another order to hold a special meeting.
129-2tc. E. G. COOK, Clerk.

RAILROAD CONTROL OF WHARF FACILITIES

Washington, Oct. 11—A general inquiry into the control by railway companies of docking wharfage and pier facilities including Texas points was instituted by the Interstate Commerce Commission today.

Wrecks on Katy.

Greenville, Oct. 11—Two wrecks are reported on the Katy today. One at Bonham function, the other at Barrows. Their nature is not known here.

Local News Brevities

Dr. Du Val, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat.

The regular mid-week prayer service of the First M. E. Church, South, will be held tonight at 7:30 p. m. in the church building, corner of Tenth and Lamar streets. The service will be preceded by a meeting of the teacher training class at 7 o'clock, at which it is desired that all who are interested attend.

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Notice.

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Notice.

There will be no meeting of Modern Woodmen Thursday night, October 12, 1911.

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J. M. Martin, district manager for the Fraternal Brotherhood, an insurance order with headquarters at Los Angeles, Cal., has moved from Texarkana to Wichita Falls, and will make his home for the present at 1608 Austin avenue.

A New Enterprise.

Mr. Denson has just built him a new photo car and has it located on Seventh street, between the "Times office" and "Airdome." He makes all kinds of photos from the stamp size to large ones. He has an excursion rate on for a little while and will make you six fine post cards for 50 cents, and 20 large stamps for 25 cents. Mr. Denson is a graduate of the Guerin College of Photography, of St. Louis, and does fine work. He don't want all your trade but a reasonable share of it. He says he is here to make money and please his customers. 129-1tc

The Falls Electire Co. has secured contract for the installation of fifty-five telephones in the rooms of the Howard hotel, and work of wiring the rooms will be commenced tomorrow. The new Howard is to contain a telephone in each bedroom, with a central board in the main office with an operator on at all hours. The Falls Electric Co. will also install the electric light fixtures in the Howard.

Smoke El Sidelo Smokers. At Palace Drug Store. 126-tfc

It is not known just what has been the matter with Cupid during the last few days, but there is evidently something wrong, for no marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since October 7th. Some say that the god of the bow and arrow has been resting up for the last few days preparatory to attending the two circuses, but this statement like all others, lacks confirmation, and meanwhile the fatter remains a problem which is as yet unsolved. Usually circus day is a harvest for Cupid and half a dozen or more licenses are issued. Here two circus days have come and gone without the issuance of a single license.

TWO BURGLARIES REPORTED TODAY

This morning while C. W. Rountree and family were downtown to see the parade someone entered their house on Tenth street and secured a child's bank containing $16 and took a purse containing $3 from a writing desk. Drawers were pulled out in several rooms indicating that the whole house had been ransacked.

A negress was at work in a wash house in the back yard and reported that a well dressed stranger came up to her and asked if any one was at home and upon being informed that all were gone, remarked that he would call later.

This is believed to be the man who got the money.

A farmer named Norris reported the loss of $90 to the police this morning. He had been picking cotton in Oklahoma and was returning to his farm near this city. He stopped at a wagon yard last night and went to sleep with the money under his pillow. When he awoke this morning the money was gone.

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CORNER STONE LAYING TOMORROW AFTERNOON

The laying of the corner stone of the new Federal building on Ohio avenue and Ninth street, will take place tomorrow afternoon about three o'clock, and will be under the supervision of the Masonic lodge of this city. The Masons will meet at 2:30 o'clock at the Masonic hall over the First National Bank, and from there will march to the Federal building accompanied by the Wichita Falls Commandery of Knights Templar in full uniform. Upon reaching the building speeches will be delivered by Postmaster Bacon on behalf of the Government, Mayor Noble on behalf of the city and Robert E. Huff on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce, after which the laying of the corner stone will take place and an oration will be delivered by Rev. R. R. Hamlin, of the Christian Church.

All visiting Masons who happen to be in the city tomorrow are cordially extended an invitation to meet at the Masonic hall any time after 12 o'clock tomorrow in order to join the Masons of this city in the laying of the corner stone. An entertainment will be held in the lodge rooms tomorrow night and all visiting, as well as home Masons, are invited to be present.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

STATE UNIVERSITY GEOLOGIST HERE

Dr. J. A. Udder, geologist for the bureau of economic geology and technology in the State University arrived in Wichita Falls this afternoon for the purpose of beginning a geological survey of Wichita and Clay counties.

Dr. Udder will have charge of all of the field work for this department and will make his headquarters here until the first of the year. The work comprehends first a thorough investigation of the gas and oil resources of the territory, and will also include an inquiry into the clay and building stone and artesian water resources. It is also possible that a general soil survey may be made, although the funds available for the work are not sufficient to cover the expense of such a survey at present.

Dr. Udder will travel through every part of the county in an automobile and will make a very exhaustive inspection of each land section. The work is of the utmost importance to the county as a whole, as well as to every individual, and he should have the hearty co-operation and assistance of every one.

A MASS MEETING SATURDAY AFTERNOON

F. H. Day, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, requests The Times to announce a mass meeting to be held at the court house Saturday afternoon at 1:30 for the purpose of discussing ways and means of getting a better price for cotton.

It is the desire of the Chamber of Commerce in calling the meeting at this time to have a joint session of the farmers and business men of the city, in order that both may express their views, and possibly arrive at a better understanding.

This meeting is called as the result of an action along this line taken by the Commercial Secretaries Association in session last week, and is the first of the kind to be held, following that meeting. The meeting Saturday is styled as a get-together meeting, and its purpose is so universally mutual that everyone should attend.

Among the prominent speakers will be Hon. Peter Radford, state president of the Farmers Union, who it is expected will outline the policy of that organization to bring about the desired end.

Negroes Reported Lynched.

St. Louis, Oct. 11.—Two negroes are reported lynched near Caruthersville, Mo., today.



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ROCKEFELLER KICKS AGAINST ASSESSMENT

By Associated Press.

Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 11.—John D Rockefeller has protested against the over assessment of his half million dollar homestead in East Cleveland. He complains the assessment is too high by $55,463.

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are what we are all panting for, not to enable some scissor William to burn a bunch of gasoline that he bought on credit in a smoke wagon that has a mortgage on the honk. Nay, nay, Vivian, not that; we want to fix it so a span of frisky mules can butt into the speed limit with a load of wheat or a tub of farm sausage or a gang of frying size Shanghai's without giving the mules appoplexy.

If the farmers of Wichita county could get to town with a load of real food occasionally they would soon have a glad wad of the long green and we could dispense with the eggs that are not dated and cut out the butter that was intended for the army during our late unpleasantness with Spain.

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