

A THOUSAND BALES

WILL BE GINNING RECORD AT BYERS TONIGHT.

FUNDS TO SEAT CHURCH

Are Being Raised and Over \$500 Has Been Subscribed—Hot Debates in High School—Other Notes.

Special to the Times.
Byers, Tex., Oct. 18.—Luther Branson of Riverland was in our little village yesterday. He reports everything in the condition down his way. Luther says a farmer occasionally slays a fat steer and peddles him out and that sweet potatoes are ripe and the farmers are all well contented.
Mr. J. H. Fischer is now hustling around among Methodists in the Byers community for subscriptions to seat our church. Over \$500 has been raised to date, and we are soon to have our beautiful church comfortably seated.
County Surveyor Norman has been here several days surveying land for Byers Bros. They have recently placed a large number of five-acre blocks on the market.
Miss Clara White of Bellevue is visiting friends here. Miss White taught a class in elocution last winter at the high school.
Cotton pickers are needed badly, as the sticky staple has nearly all opened. Fancy prices are paid pickers. One thousand bales will have been ginned before Saturday night.
Miss Birdie Simpson of Ladonia, Mo., is here for a several months visit with her uncle, H. B. Medley.
The high school senate has been organized, with Prof. E. P. Haney as president and Mrs. Lula Munday secretary. All who are interested in school work are invited to take part.
Last evening many interesting talks were made, but the discussion reached its highest degree when Vance of Petrolia and Robinson of Byers pitched. All left saying it was the hottest debate they had ever heard.

THE PASSION PLAY.

Sublime Reproduction Will Be Seen at the Olympic Next Week.

The management of the Olympic opera house desires to announce that commencing on Tuesday, October 22, and continuing throughout the week, that they will give a reproduction in colors of the sublime Passion Play, accompanied by the illustrated songs, "The Holy City."

The reproduction consists of almost two miles of film and was taken under the personal supervision of Prof. Ouermeagan.

The Rev. Father J. J. Dolje will explain in detail every scene as it is shown upon the canvas.

On account of the great expense in securing these films a charge of 25c will be made for general admission.

250,000 Deaths From Mosquitoes.

New York, Oct. 19.—"There are 250,000 deaths annually as a result of mosquito bites," said Dr. Edward A. Ayers at a meeting in the Academy of Medicine last night. He furnished astonishing figures in his lecture on the mosquito as a sanitary problem. He said that five diseases were directly attributable to the bite of insects, malaria, yellow fever, beri beri, dengue and the zika virus. The government is eliminating the mosquito danger, he said, by draining swamp lands.

Just a Tantalizer.

Several of the thirsty inclined were tantalized in the extreme by the appearance of two trunks having a delicious whiskey smell on the platform at the union depot this morning. A small quantity of the hilarious fluid was poured out from one of the trunks. The liquor was from Dallas and was shipped on to other points.—Sherman Democrat.

What is believed to be the opening of a local option campaign in the city of Wichita Falls was fired today by the Rev. John Carney delivered a sermon on the public streets and saloons and whiskey.

AUTOMOBILE OVERTURNED.

Occupants of Frank Kell's Machine Had Bad Scare.

A party of Fort Worth excursionists who were riding in Frank Kell's automobile were given a bad scare when the machine overturned on Tenth street near Wiley Blair's residence this morning, and incidentally it should be stated that Mr. Kell was scared some too.

At the time of the accident Mr. Kell was at the steering gear and was expatiating upon the beauties of the city to the neglect of his duties as chauffeur. Suddenly the machine made a sharp turn, a tire exploded, and the machine went over.

Everybody jumped and fortunately no one was injured. One of the fenders on the automobile was broken and a spoke was broken in one of the wheels; otherwise the machine was not much damaged. Mr. Kell borrowed Herbert Hughes' machine and continued on his trip with the excursionists.

STRAIGHTENING OUT TANGLE.

Clearing House Attempts to Put Mercantile Bank on Sound Basis.

New York, Oct. 19.—A perplexing situation today faced the bankers and financiers who are trying to straighten out the affairs of the Mercantile National Bank and divorce it completely from any association with F. August Heinze, the former president. With the resignation of the entire board of directors of the institution in its hands, the clearing house appeared to control the situation and was committed to the task of putting the bank on a firm footing. For this purpose nine clearing house banks promised to contribute \$200,000 each to tide the Mercantile bank over any distress that it might encounter as a result of the suspension.

Otto Heinze & Company and F. August Heinze desire to re-establish that firm.

The clearing house committee went into session this morning to consider the affairs of the Mercantile bank.

Soon after the committee met it reported a hitch in the arrangements for the future of the Mercantile National Bank, due, it is said, to a refusal on the part of Charles W. Morse and his friends to consider their resignations from the directorate as permanent.

Ridgely Declines.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Oct. 19.—Comptroller of the Currency W. B. Ridgely declined today to accept the presidency of the Mercantile National Bank of New York.

DESECRATED BY VANDALS.

Tomb of President Kruger at Pretoria Mutilated by Thieves.

By Associated Press.
Johannesburg, Oct. 19.—A painful sensation has been caused by the discovery that the grave of President Kruger, in the Central cemetery at Pretoria, has been desecrated. The marble bust of the ex-president was torn from its base and badly chipped.

Other graves in the vicinity, including those of Kruger's grandchildren, were also slightly damaged. It is believed that the work was done by thieves who expected a reward to be offered for the bust, but found it too heavy to carry off.

FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS.

Farmers Ask Congress to Expend That Amount on Waterways.

By Associated Press.
Oklahoma City, Ok., Oct. 19.—At the Farmers' National Congress last night resolutions endorsing the work of the Inland Waterways Commission and memorializing congress to spend fifty million dollars were passed.

Emperor's Condition Better.

By Associated Press.
Vienna, Austria, Oct. 19.—Reports as to the condition of Emperor Francis Joseph are more favorable this morning. His Majesty passed a quiet night without fever after the administration of a specific. His coughing is somewhat diminished and the catarrhal inflammation is stationary.

PANTHER INVASION

FORT WORTH TRADE EXCURSIONISTS SPEND SEVERAL HOURS IN THIS CITY.

AN AUTOMOBILE RIDE

Was the Feature of Their Entertainment Here—Visitors Were Made to Feel at Home.

The Fort Worth Trade excursionists were not met with a brass band or any other sort of ostentatious welcome upon their arrival in Wichita Falls this morning, but nevertheless they were well entertained during their stay of two hours in the city and when their train pulled out for Fort Worth at 12:20 this afternoon each passenger carried with him a better impression of Wichita Falls than he had come here with.

When the train pulled in there was no one at the station to meet the visitors. This was on account of the excursionists' schedule having been changed so as to make their arrival here nearly an hour earlier than had been announced. The Pantherites had made themselves very much at home almost before anybody knew of their arrival. They were well scattered over the business part of town when automobiles began to gather in front of the St. James hotel, but after some delay the visitors were rounded up and taken out for a drive over the city.

There was no formality about the entertainment given the visitors. Upon their return from the automobile ride, the excursionists took dinner at the St. James hotel and at 12:20 this afternoon the excursion pulled out for Fort Worth, where it will arrive at about 6 o'clock this evening. The personnel of the party was as follows:

Personnel of the Party.

Texas Paint & Paper Company—Representative, K. A. Mulkey.
T. R. James & Son—Representative, William James.
Fakes & Co.—Representative, John W. Bradley.
McCord-Collins, Wholesale Grocers—T. W. Labatt.
J. Rosenbaum Grain Co.—G. C. Mountcastle.
Burrus Mill & Elevator Co.—B. C. Henry.
Fort Worth National Bank—Oscar Wells, cashier.
Board of Trade—Captain B. B. Padlock, secretary.
Nash Hardware Company—W. R. Duffy.
Menefee Brothers, Wholesale Lumber—A. Nuremburg.
Medlin Milling Company—F. M. Rogers, secretary and manager.
Waples-Platter Grocery Company—Lloyd H. McKee.
Monnig Dry Goods Company—A. E. Bedell.
Carter-Hunt Grocer Company—E. H. Carter, president.
E. H. Lowe & Company—E. H. Lowe, secretary and treasurer.
First State Bank and Trust Company (organizing)—M. A. Taylor.
Ellis & Green, real estate—Jerry F. Ellis.
Fort Worth Star—A. G. Carter, business manager.
Worth Hotel—Wilbur Hardwick, secretary.
Fort Worth Record—S. J. Thomas.
King Candy Company—Hunter Wilson.
Texas Printing Company—F. S. Boulware, general manager.
Cook & Simmons, horse and mule dealers—W. L. Cook.
Fort Worth Horse and Mule Company—E. Davidson.
Foster-Epes Company, real estate—R. H. Foster.
Fort Worth Telegram—C. D. Reimers, publisher.
Texas National Fire Insurance Company—Glen Walker.
National Coffee Company—E. Lasker, vice president.
Crescent Chemical Company—Mr. Shopmeyer.
The Bradstreet Company—W. Patterson, superintendent.
Swift & Co.—A. Cobden.

E. G. Rall, wholesale grain—E. G. Rall, president.

Smith Bros. Grain Company—Bert K. Smith.

Casey-Swasey Company—C. J. Swasey.

Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf Railway Company—H. C. Callahan.

Drum Seed & Floral Co.—Fred S. Wiseman.

E. R. & D. C. Kolp, grain dealers—E. R. Kolp.

J. E. Head & Co.—C. W. Head.

Reporters—Fort Worth Star, J. C. Jackson.

Fort Worth Record, S. J. Thomas.

Fort Worth Telegram, Carl Crow.

A Broncho Busting Exhibition.

Broncho busting, it seems, will always appeal strongly to the average West Texan, and an exhibition of that nature is always bound to have large audiences. An appreciation of this fact has prompted the management of the West Texas Fair at Abilene to put on a broncho busting contest at the fair next week, which they claim will be one of the greatest ever pulled off. In speaking of the contest, the Abilene Reporter says:

"The best riders of the world will be here, such as 'Boger' Red, Clay McGonigill, and Nation. It has been reported that certain riders have been barred from taking part in this contest, but such is untrue, as no one is too good a rider to get in. The country will be scoured for the worst pieces of bucking horse flesh, and many of the noted outlaws will have the opportunity of throwing more riders. A premium of one hundred dollars in cool cash will be given to the best rider, fifty dollars to the second and twenty-five dollars to the third. An entrance fee of ten dollars will be charged each rider, and we are informed that it is probable that not less than ten will enter the contest and maybe more."

RECEIVER FOR STANDARD OIL

Asked For By a Chicago Man Owning Stock in Subsidiary Companies.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Ill., Oct. 19.—George F. Harding of this city today filed a bill in the superior court asking for the appointment of a receiver for the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. He says in the bill that he is the owner of five hundred shares of the capital stock of the Corn Products Company, and that its management is practically controlled by the Standard Oil Company.

VOTE IS POSSIBLE.

Proxy Committee May Make Report Today.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Ill., Oct. 19.—Early today it was considered possible that a vote would be reached today at the meeting of the Illinois Central stockholders. The proxy committee last night worked through "M," early today commencing on "S." E. S. Conway, chairman of the committee, believed a report possible, but would not commit himself positively.

SELL STILL LOWER.

New Low Record Established for Stocks on New York Exchange.

By Associated Press.
New York, Oct. 19.—Fitful fluctuations in the first few minutes of business on the Stock Exchange indicated measures of support. Copper stocks continued under pressure. Amalgamated Copper stocks broke 3 to 3 1/2 lower, thus breaking the low record movement.

Have Returned From Mexico.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Oct. 19.—Secretary Root and wife and Miss Root returned to Washington today from their visit to Mexico. The secretary is looking particularly well.

A SURGEON NOT A HORSEMAN.

Assistant Surgeon General of U. S. Army Petitions for Retirement.
San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 19.—Rather than undergo the riding test prescribed by the recent order of the war department, Colonel Charles Helmsman, assistant surgeon general of the United States army, filed an application to go before the retiring board. He says that he is a medical man and has not been on a horse for thirty-nine years.

IN HONOR OF NEGRO

BISHOP POTTER AND WIFE ENTERTAINED AT DINNER LAST NIGHT.

AFRICAN BISHOP GUEST

Incident at American Episcopal Convention at Richmond, Va., Arouses Big Stir.

By Associated Press.
Richmond, Va., Oct. 19.—Bishop and Mrs. Potter of New York, who leased a residence here during the general convention of the American Episcopal church, last evening entertained at dinner Bishop Ferguson of Africa, the only negro entitled to a seat in the house of Bishops at the convention. The dinner in the honor of the African bishop, occurring as it did in the heart of the South, has been the subject of considerable comment among those who heard of it.

WILL RETIRE FROM TURF.

Capt. Burnett's Runners Have Made Money, But Too Much Attention Is Required, Says Owner.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 19.—Capt. S. B. Burnett, owner of a string of thoroughbreds, among them Anadarko, Ollie Burnett, Darno, Capt. Lytle and others, and from whose breeding farm on the 6666 ranch came the speedy Taby Tosa, the sprinter Kiowa Chief, the long distance horse Quannah Parker, T. J. Powell, Lone Wolf, Speed-away and a score of others that have been campaigned all over the West, will dispose of his runners and retire from the turf.

Capt. Burnett says that his other interests call for all his time and although his stable has made money he feels that he cannot afford to neglect his other business.

WILL BE CALLED EUROPA.

English Ship Builders Constructing Giant Steamer.

By Associated Press.
Hamburg, Germany, Oct. 19.—The giant steamer that the English shipbuilders are constructing for the Hamburg-American line will be named the Europa. She will be of 48,000 tons as against 32,500 tons of the Lusitania. Incidentally it is stated that the Europa will probably be the last German steamer to be built in Great Britain, as the new Vulcan yards which are to take up this work, will be completed before the construction of the proposed sister ship of the Europa is authorized.

GAS MACHINE EXPLODED.

Two Were Killed and Another Seriously Injured.

By Associated Press.
New Hartford, Conn., Oct. 19.—A machine used in the manufacture of illuminating gas from petroleum, located in a small structure on the bank of the Farmington river in the upper village exploded with terrific force today. Thomas O'Connell, the operator, and his assistant, Michael Donovan, were instantly killed and George Gagnon was seriously hurt. The machine supplied gas to the reservoir from which the upper village of New Hartford obtained its illuminating gas.

L. L. Hall, a scenic painter who came here several weeks ago to paint the curtain at the new Wichita theatre and who was subsequently taken ill with typhoid fever, died at the home of Mrs. Gillett on Fourteenth street at about midnight last night. Hall was about 35 years old and his home was at Blair, Nebraska. The body was taken to Jackson Brothers' morgue this morning. The burial will take place this afternoon.

John Evans, who stabbed a woman in the resort district several days ago, was released from jail yesterday under \$2,500 bond for his appearance at a preliminary hearing next Saturday to answer a charge of assault with intent to murder.

See the thrilling automobile race at the Olympic tonight.

WAS THE VICTIM OF PECULIAR ACCIDENT

W. P. Ferguson of Bells, Texas, was the victim of a very peculiar and unexplainable accident at Henrietta last night while en route to this city, where he was coming to look after his real estate interests.

Mr. Ferguson was riding on the Denver passenger, which gets into this city after 11 p. m. As the train was crossing the Katy tracks in Henrietta at a rather high rate of speed, suddenly there was a bang and a crash and Mr. Ferguson was knocked from his seat into the aisle by a missile which crashed through the car window at his side. A big chunk of rotten cross tie timber was picked up at his side, and Mr. Ferguson's injuries were found to consist of a bruise on the left temple and some cuts on the face inflicted by

the flying glass.

The theory was advanced that some miscreant had thrown the missile through the window, but this was disputed by several passengers who were standing on the rear platform of the coach, who assert that they saw no one standing on that side of the track.

This theory being disposed of, the only other explanation that has been advanced is that the wheels of the coach struck a piece of cross tie which had rotted off and gotten upon the rail, causing it to fly up and crash through the window.

Mr. Ferguson is in town today, with his physiognomy somewhat disfigured, but with no serious injuries.

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TWELVE CENT LOANS ARE MADE ON COTTON

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 17.—Being positive that the cotton market will advance to 15 cents within a very short time, farmers who store their cotton in the warehouse of the Farmers' Union in North Fort Worth are being loaned 12 cents per pound on each bale with the understanding that the money is to draw 8 per cent interest and that when the market advances to 15 cents the cotton is to be sold and the proceeds, less the bank interest and the original borrowed amount, given to the owner.

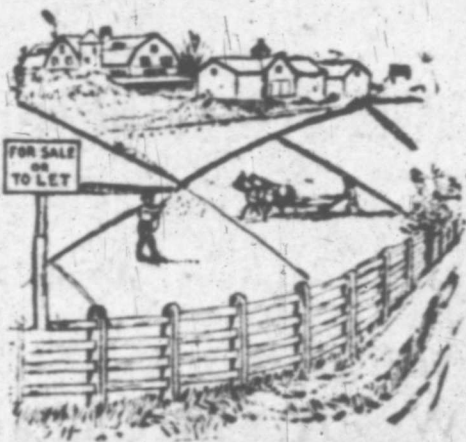
When the farmers secure a loan of 12 cents they are securing just about 1 cent more than the market price of the staple today. This is a new method and one by which the union hopes to boost the price of cotton to 15 cents sooner than it would advance under other conditions. President Neill of the Farmers' Union declares that if all the farmers in Texas will hold their cotton for ten days the price will advance to 15 cents within that time.

It is not yet generally known in this country that a loan of 12 cents is being offered at the North Fort Worth warehouse, but the information is given out at all of the mills and already the movement is becoming heavy.

By taking advantage of the loan it is stated that the farmers have nothing to lose unless the interest on the borrowed money is considered a loss; on the other hand it is pointed out that it gives them money at the very lowest rate of interest and at the same time has the effect of raising prices to the amount desired by the Farmers' Union of Texas. By this plan the farmers may secure a loan of 12 cents and keep their cotton stored away for a whole year and still make money by selling at 15 cents, it is claimed.

North Fort Worth is not the only place in the State that is offering these inducements, according to President Neill. He says that 12 cents per pound or \$60 per bale is being offered as a loan at Commerce and two or three other towns.

See the Wilson coal and wood heaters at Thatcher's. 133-41



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Bean & Stone,

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The Wm. Cameron Lumber Co. has just received a car load of red picket fence, which is now on sale at their yard. 136-51

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Wichita Falls, Texas, Oct. 19th, 1907.

The Denver road ran a cheap excursion to Fort Worth last Saturday, but as they did not advertise it in the local papers the ticket selling was light. A traveling passenger agent of the road was in the city a few days before the excursion and wanted one of the men at the depot to bring copy to the Index as the paper might print it as a news item. The Index would have refused to print it under the circumstances, as the road is able to pay for such business, and again it seems to be the policy of the passenger department to ignore the local papers along the line of the road and spend their money with the daily papers in the larger cities, consequently we do not feel like handing them out any free matter. Other roads in the State are patronizing the local papers and paying cash for the service and no doubt they are finding it profitable. The Denver is able to pay for its advertising and they cannot get any free work from the Index.—Childress Index.

The same requests to publish items gratis that might inform the public, incidentally, and help advertise the "Denver" very materially, continue to come to the Times from the general passenger agent of the "Denver" road at Fort Worth, but so far the Times has ignored such requests. It has not forgotten the fact that at the beginning of this year the "Denver" made a contract with this paper for a year's advertising, used it for six months, and then cancelled same without paying for it, either in transportation or money. It is such a short, niggardly outfit. A road that is able to declare the dividends as large as the "Denver" did last year should not repudiate little debts for newspaper advertising.

Try a package of our whole wheat flour ground on our own mill. If not pleased we will refund your money.
TREVATHAN & BLAND.

A 16-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harrell of Lamar street yesterday.

The program at the Olympic drew a large crowd last night. Come and see it tonight.

"Life of a Miner" is one of the finest films ever made. See it at the Majestic tonight.

Elegant program tonight at the Olympic.

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Cotton Ten Points Down.

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Men's Suits!

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FOR SALE—160 acres of creek bottom land, within five miles of Iowa Park; 120 acres in cultivation, the balance in sage grass, at \$15 per acre for the next fifteen days. Jackson & Moore. 133-4f

For Better Roads.

Stamford has the reputation of being one of the most progressive towns in West Texas and her people are right up to the minute on almost all of the things that are for the growth and betterment of the town. In giving a report of a recent meeting of the commercial organizations of Central West Texas, the Abilene Reporter tells how they are building good roads around Stamford, calling to mind the fact that the roads entering Wichita Falls are not what they might be and suggesting a line of effort for the Chamber of Commerce. A Stamford man, speaking at the meeting mentioned, said:

"A short while ago we concluded that the public roads leading into Stamford must be graded. We had a large and enthusiastic meeting of the commercial club, at which I made them a proposition that I would give 5 per cent of whatever amount was necessary to grade the roads. Ten other business men without any hesitation said they would give equal amounts; then we had the smaller subscriptions and the Swenson interest, after which I went before the commissioners court of Jones county, and got from them a promise of \$10 per mile to be added to this. By this method we raised \$5,000 to grade the roads leading into Stamford, which we estimate will grade one hundred miles of road, and the work will soon begin."

New Agent for the Denver.

M. A. Bundy of Henrietta has succeeded H. L. Hollister as agent for the Fort Worth and Denver in this city. Mr. Bundy assumed his duties as agent here yesterday.

Mr. Hollister, it is understood, will become agent for the Wichita Falls & Northwestern at Frederick, Okla.

Don't miss seeing the "Life of a Miner" a real trip to the mines, at the Majestic tonight.

See the Illinois heaters at Thatcher's. 133-4f

Three shows—Majestic tonight.

Carter's Mineral Water!

The following is an analysis of a sample of water taken from the Mineral Well located on R. W. Carter's farm, one mile east of this city:

CERTIFICATE OF MINERAL ANALYSIS

of sample of water submitted for analysis and examination by Dr. S. H. Burnside, Wichita Falls, Texas.

The Water contains:—	Analysis expressed in Grain per U. S. Gallon of 231 cu. in.
(a) Calcium Carbonate.....	22.608
Calcium Sulphate.....	16.170
(d) Calcium Chloride.....	Trace
(b) Magnesium Sulphate.....	24.840
(d) Magnesium Chloride.....	Trace
(c) Magnesium Carbonate.....	Trace
(e) Sodium Sulphate.....	2.700
Sodium Chloride.....	205.370
(f) Sodium Carbonate.....	10.112
Iron Oxide.....	None
Alumina Oxide.....	None
Silica.....	1.886
Organic and Volatile Matter.....	2.506
Total Solids found.....	286.500

REMARKS:—This water would be classed as a heavy mineral water with the following: MEDICINAL PROPERTIES. (a) Calcium Carbonate, an excellent antacid. Used in acidity of stomach attending dyspepsia or gout. (b) Magnesium Sulphate, an active but safe cathartic diuretic—inflammatory affections—may be employed in cases which require the use of a cathartic without being attended with debility or relaxation of the stomach or bowels. (c) Magnesium Carbonate, an antacid—cathartic—a laxative antacid—sick—stomach attended acidity. (d) Magnesium Chloride as a purgative, producing a flow of bile and an increase of appetite. (e) Sodium Sulphate, aperient, and diuretic. (f) Sodium Carbonate decided value in various affection associated with excessive acidity of the biliary secretions when, therefore, it is desired to overcome acidity of stomach or intestines, or to render acid urine alkaline, this water would be desirable. Respectfully submitted, HOUSTON LABORATORIES, R. S. TILSON, Chemist.

This water can be had after Thursday, the 17th, at the following places, free of charge: THE WICHITA HOTEL, THE ST. JAMES HOTEL, T. B. NOBLE'S, ST. CHARLES RESTAURANT.

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BELIEVES HE WILL WIN

Thinks Taft Will Be the Republican Nominee—Is Looking About for a Running Mate for Him.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The friends of William J. Bryan have been aware for some time past that he would within a short time make a public declaration of his willingness to be the nominee of his party for president next year, but as to the time and place where he would make the announcement there has been some doubt. Even Mr. Bryan himself has not been certain in his own mind just when the psychological moment for the announcement was to be. Recently he wrote to a member of the faculty of the George Washington university that he would probably make an important announcement on the occasion of a lecture on political science which he is to deliver before the students of the university late in November. This seems to accord with information received first hand by some of the commoner's friends here that his pronouncement is to be made after the election in November. Just why Mr. Bryan decided to withhold it until after the result of the fall elections was known is not clear even to those who are in the confidence of "the peerless leader."

Candidate for Sure.

"Mr. Bryan is a candidate in earnest and was never more hopeful of success in his career, and that is saying much, for he is naturally optimistic. If Mr. Bryan thought there was any doubt about his election you may be sure that he would not make the race," said one of his Washington admirers who saw him recently.

This man scorned the suggestion that Mr. Bryan was going into the battle as a martyr for the third time to his political views. Mr. Bryan has told all his friends that the president will not again be a candidate, but that the nominee will be Taft, and Mr. Bryan believes that he can defeat the big secretary of war. He recently defended the work of one of his lieutenants who had praised the work of the president. "Give the president credit for the good that he does do, but point out that he does not go far enough," said Mr. Bryan. This seems to be the plan of his campaign.

Mr. Bryan's friends have given some consideration to the man who is to have second place on the ticket with their favorite. The statement that the Bryan men have decided the question in favor of Governor Johnson of Minnesota is denied by those in position to speak. They say the entries have not been closed. Lieutenant Governor Chandler of New York is very much in favor for second place. A good story was told here today by a Bryan man on this point: This admirer of the democratic leader had suggested that Chanler was the most available man for second place. Mr. Bryan declared that he was not making the ticket, but he would like to see more of Mr. Chanler before he ventured an opinion on the matter of his availability for the second place. Later Mr. Bryan was in Albany and took occasion to see the lieutenant governor and look him over, so to speak. The report, it is said, was altogether favorable.

Mr. Bryan may insist that he will not have any part in the making of the ticket, but it is not denied that if necessary he will offer suggestions that may look to the unmaking of some of the slates, for he it understood that Mr. Bryan thinks he is running for a victory the next time, and he don't want to fall down on the choice of a running mate.

The patrons of the Wichita Theatre will be entertained on the night of Monday, October 21st, by the big comedy production, "Uncle Josh Spruceby." This popular play comes well recommended and will no doubt be received with enthusiasm here. The piece is staged with every attention to stage realism. All the scenes are well mounted and acted. The startling saw mill scene is said to be a masterpiece of stage mechanism. Many specialties are introduced and the superb solo orchestra carried by the company will all go to make this a very delightful production.

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Ladies' Cloaks

In this department you will find the very newest, both in style and material, and the prices are within range of the most economical buyer. Your coat should be 30 inches long. We have them in black, tan, castor and the new leather shades. A look through our cloak department will convince you that our store is the place to buy your suit or cloak.

The men and boys have been very carefully looked after in our selection of fall and winter clothing. We have the snuggest patterns made by one of America's foremost clothing manufacturers. Any suit that you select will be made to fit you free of charge. Men's and boy's black all wool suits, \$3.00 to \$5.00. Children's clothing at strikingly low prices.

All our lady customers are going to be better pleased in ladies' footwear this season than previously. We have a larger stock consequently more styles to choose from. The style, wearing qualities and low prices of our ladies' shoe department the most popular one in town. See our Selby shoes at \$4.00.

Some very beautiful patterns in Prunella cloth, broad cloth and worsteds, as well as woolen goods are here waiting for your inspection. Our ladies' dress goods department has long since been the main distributing point for dress goods in our city. We have a careful buyer for this department who knows his business. There are too many different goods and too many different prices to list you by quoting them. There are new goods arriving every day. It is to your interest to see them.

Our Shoe Department, like it is every season, is way ahead of every shoe department in town. One reason for this is because we buy from high class manufacturers that know how to make good shoes. Our stock consists of Hanes, Crossette, Abbott and Star Brand shoes for men; Selby, Lewis and Star Brand for ladies and children—the kind that are made in St. Louis by Roberts, Johnson & Rand shoe Co. Every time we sell you a pair of shoes we know you are coming back to us for your shoes for all time to come, because they will please you every time.

Yours to please,

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AT THE CHURCHES

The Christian Church.

The regular services will be held at the Christian church Sunday. The hours of service are: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; communion and preaching, 11 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavors, 3:30 p. m.; Senior Christian Endeavors, 3:45 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. Bush, will occupy the pulpit at the morning service. In the evening the pulpit will be filled by Rev. Colby D. Hall of North Waco, a young minister of unusual eloquence and power. All will be made welcome to these services.

The Episcopal Church.

The Church of the Good Shepherd, corner of Lamar avenue and Eighth street. Rector, Rev. Chas. A. Eaton. Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., celebration of the Holy Communion and sermon. Subject, "Friends." At this service, the Festival of St. Luke, apostle and evangelist, will be observed and the rector will preach an appropriate sermon. 7:45 p. m., evening prayer and sermon. Subject, "With the Wild Beasts."

Methodist Episcopal Church.

The public is cordially invited to attend the initial services of the Methodist Episcopal church in this city at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the court house.

Presiding Elder D. T. Summerville of Fort Worth will be with us at this meeting.

Arthur Reed, Daniel Thornberry and E. G. Cook, trustees.

R. E. FARLEY, Pastor.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. John Carney, temperance lecturer, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday.

First Presbyterian Church.

The usual services will be held at the Presbyterian church tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are welcome.

M. E. Church South.

The regular Sunday services will be held. Preaching in the morning and evening by the pastor.

Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Valley Railroad Company will be held at the offices of the Company in Wichita Falls, Texas, on Thursday, November 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

At close of such meeting there will be held a meeting of the board of directors to elect officers and for the transaction of any other business as may come before the meeting.

D. B. KEELER,
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At close of such meeting there will be held a meeting of the Board of Directors to elect officers and for the transaction of any other business as may come before the meeting.

D. B. KEELER,
Vice President.

Stocks and Bonds Authorized.

At the meeting of the directors of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Railway at Kell, Okla., yesterday, resolutions were adopted authorizing the issuance of stocks and bonds previously agreed upon, on the Oklahoma end of the road.

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Sanitol Liquid Antiseptic	25c
Sanitol Bath Powder	25c
Sanitol Shaving Cream	25c
Sanitol Violet-Elite Soap	25c
Sanitol Tooth Brush	35c
Sanitol Face Powder	35c
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PERSONAL MENTION

L. M. Webb of Bellevue is in the city.
J. C. Whaley of Gainesville is in the city today.

S. A. Patterson of Petrolia was here on business today.

Mrs. J. A. Corbitt has returned from a visit with friends at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Troutman of Iowa Park is visiting the Misses Haynes of this city.

W. P. Ferguson of Bells, Texas, is in the city looking after business interests.

Mrs. Harbor of Iowa Park is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Ralston, of this city.

W. E. Cobb left this afternoon for Fort Worth with the Fort Worth Trade excursionists.

Miss Emma Haynes of Iowa Park came down today to spend Sunday with her sisters.

B. N. Ferguson, one of Iowa Park's staunch citizens, was transacting business in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson and Mrs. Frank Boyd of Iowa Park, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Editor Durham and wife of the Munday Times, passed through the city today en route to the Dallas Fair.

Mr. D. D. Walker of Medford, Oklahoma, is visiting his brother, Mr. Riley Walker, of this city. He expects to be here about one week.

Miss Minnie Ellis, teacher in the public schools of Iowa Park, came down today to spend Sunday with her friend, Mrs. Ed. Howard.

Perry Funk will leave tonight for Clinton, Oklahoma, where he is to meet Gen. Roller of Virginia in connection with some business matters.

Mrs. H. C. McGlasson left this afternoon for Denison to visit her mother and her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Moore. She will be absent about two weeks.

Miss Ethel Cobb has resigned her position with the Southwestern Telephone Company and has accepted a position as bookkeeper and stenographer for the W. F. Jourdan Furniture Company.

G. P. Meade, a prominent attorney of Fort Worth, is in the city.

Commissioner E. A. Dale of Iowa Park was transacting business here today.

Judge R. E. Hendry and wife returned today from their ranch near Mabelle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson will leave in the morning for Fort Worth to visit relatives.

Tom Mankins, a prominent cowman of Baylor county, was transacting business here today.

Congressman John H. Stephens of Vernon was in the city a few hours today en route to Fort Worth.

Judge J. H. Glasgow and wife of Seymour were in the city today en route to Dallas to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hendricks of Vernon were in the city today on their way to Dallas to visit the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. William Joehrendt returned this afternoon from a four months visit to friends and relatives in Missouri, Illinois, and the Indian Territory.

George Ball of Gainesville was in the city today to attend a meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Falls Investment Company and look after his land interests near this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McClellan will leave in the morning for Fort Worth, where they go to visit Mrs. McClellan's parents. They will also visit the Dallas Fair before returning home.

Dr. J. R. McGee and wife of New Boston, Texas, were in the city today on their return home from Burkburnett, where the doctor had been with a view of locating.

Dr. I. Moore and wife of Alton, Illinois, who have been visiting his brother, Mr. John Moore, who lives a few miles from the city, left today for Lawton, Okla., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Preult, formerly of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lukas Zihlman, formerly of Clearfield, Iowa, have taken up their residence in this city. Mr. Zihlman has purchased two or three farms in Clay and Archer counties, but will make his home in this city, having purchased the Esterbrook residence on the corner of Ninth street and Broad avenue.

The high school football team is rounding up in good form and will soon be ready for the opening game of the season. Arrangements are being made for a game with the Vernon high school for the first Saturday in November. Challenges have been received from the Denton and Gainesville teams and the question of games with these



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Mrs. Lee M. Johnson has returned from Fort Worth, where she had gone to be with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Uten, of Atoka, I. T., who is in a hospital at that place recovering from an operation for appendicitis, performed a few days ago. She reports that Mrs. Uten is slowly recovering. Mrs. Johnson will go to Fort Worth tomorrow to be with her sister for a few days, and if able to travel will accompany Mrs.

Uten to this city, who will visit her mother, Mrs. J. L. Measles, until she has fully recovered her health.

Are you obligated elsewhere? If not, give us a part of your trade and see how well we can serve you.
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See the thrilling automobile race at the Olympic tonight.

How delicious it would be—Libby's plum pudding with Richardson & Robbins' pudding sauce. Try it.
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E. C. Loggins, representing the West Texas Business College of this city and Abilene, is here today.

The "Clown Doctor" at the Olympic tonight.

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