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CULBERSON AGAINST FREE RAW MATERIAL

GIVES OUT STATEMENT AT DALLAS CLEARLY DEFINING HIS POSITION.

ENDORSES 1896 PLATFORM

Not For Free Raw Material Where Manufactured Article is Given Protection.

Special to The Times. Dallas, Tex., Oct. 14.—The followers of Bailey are jubilant today over a letter given out by Senator Chas. A. Culberson last night, opposing free raw material and endorsing the Texas platform of 1896. This is substantially the position taken by the junior senator.

Culberson does not oppose free raw material in all cases, but only in those instances where the finished product is protected. He cites his vote for free iron ore as an evidence of his attitude on this feature of the question. Culberson is of the opinion that John H. Reagan was the author of the free raw material plank of 1896, as Reagan was chairman of the committee.

The statement does not mention Bailey's name, nor does it refer to him in any way.

The senator reiterates some former expressions about the binding force of party platforms and said he was still thoroughly committed to that policy. For that reason, he said, he voted for free lumber and for free paper when the Payne bill was up last spring.

CELEBRATION AT OLNEY.

Completion of Gulf, Texas and Western is the Occasion.

The completion of the Gulf, Texas and Western Railway to Olney, is the occasion for celebration there today, and a large number has gathered there to take part in the festivities.

Among those in attendance there are J. J. Jermyn of Scranton, Pa., president of the road, and a number of business men from Fort Worth.

A barbecue and speeches are features of the occasion.

PROPERTY LOSS HEAVY; BUT VERY FEW DEATHS

Key West, Fla., Oct. 13.—As the work of cleaning up the city progresses, the estimate of storm damage increases.

At Pensular and the Occidental Docks, the Port Stewards building and stores are destroyed, but the dock is practically undamaged.

The Mallory Line dock and warehouse are badly damaged and a great quantity of merchandise ruined.

The steamer Lampasas, which arrived from New York Sunday, left early yesterday for Tampa.

Reports coming in indicate the loss of life is the smallest ever recorded.

The property loss will be the heaviest in the history of the peninsula.

Mayor Fogarty today issued an appeal for help for the storm sufferers.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 13.—A wireless message from the steamship Abtilles, of the Southern Pacific Line, aground off Bahama Islands, stated that the vessel is so far listed that the passengers will be landed in small boats.

It is believed those on board are in no immediate danger. It is expected a relief boat will reach the scene some time today from Havana. The steamship Comus, of the Southern Pacific Line, should reach the scene of the wreck Friday night.

NEGRO TROUBLE AT SAN ANGELO BELIEVED OVER

Texas News Service Special. San Angelo, Tex., Oct. 14.—The county and city officials are today protecting the negro population of San Angelo from further violence, and they believe the race war has been halted. The sheriff and city marshal declare that peace would be maintained before a large mass meeting last night.

Two hundred negroes reside here. Robert Carruthers, an aged negro, who was assaulted yesterday by whites may die.

NO REPLY BY BRYAN.

John H. Kirby Receives No Answer to Pointed Letter.

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 14.—The Texas News Service today received a message from John H. Kirby, the millionaire Texas lumberman, now in Chicago, which said that he had not received any reply from William Jennings Bryan to a pointed letter Kirby wrote him two weeks ago.

Bryan declared Kirby sought a tariff on lumber.

Kirby wrote the Nebraskan denying this and asking a correction. Bryan received Kirby's letter two weeks ago.

ARGUMENTS CONTINUE.

Governor Haskell and Others Still on Trial at Ardmore.

Texas News Service Special. Ardmore, Okla., Oct. 14.—The counsel for Governor Haskell and other prominent Oklahomans, charged with illegally scheduling town lots in Muskogee, resumed their arguments today before Judge Marshall. Indications are that the arguments will consume two days.

CHINESE MINISTER IS SPIRITUALISM FADDIST

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 14.—Wu Ting Fang, a learned Chinaman, who was at a spiritualistic seance last Sunday, still further pursued his investigation of the mysteries of spiritualism last night. The medium brought his messages purporting to come from the late President McKinley, and also from the minister's mother. The latter was apparently delivered in the Chinese language. The medium also foresaw terrible trouble for the Chinese empire.

A Narrow Escape.

From Thursday's Daily.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Himpleman boarded the north bound Denver passenger this afternoon for a trip to the state of Washington, but before the train started, Mr. Himpleman found it necessary to return to the ticket office to attend to some business, and while doing this the train upon which was his wife, started off. Before he could reach the train it was going at a good speed, but he managed to catch hold of one of the railings by which passengers pull themselves upon the steps on entering the train, but he could not manage to swing himself on, and with only one hand holding on to the iron bar he was dragged for more a hundred yards before his perilous position was discovered by the conductor and the train stopped.

He was taken aboard and the train proceeded on its way. As to whether his injuries were serious or not, it has not yet been learned.

INDIGNATION MEETING.

Policeman is Killed and Large Number Wounded.

Rome, Oct. 14.—Indignation meetings are being held throughout Italy today in consequence of the execution of Ferrer at Barcelona yesterday.

In this city the protests brought business to a standstill.

The Danish and Austrian embassies and the Vatican are closely guarded by troops and it is thought the authorities will prevent any serious outbreak.

Paris, Oct. 14.—One policeman was killed and seventy persons wounded during last night's rioting. Among those arrested were five notorious anarchists.

The press, with the exception of the Royalist and Clerical, continues to express indignation over the execution of Ferrer at Barcelona.

WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Believed Taft Will Endorse Knox's Action on Crane.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.—Little doubt is expressed by officials at Washington today that the resignation of Charles Crane, Minister Designate to China, whose resignation was asked for by Secretary of State Knox yesterday, will be accepted by the president. Those in the confidence of the secretary of state say he is assured of the president's approval, and that he will be supported in his action.

HIGH COTTON FIGURES.

Thirteen-Eighty-Five Paid in New York By Buyers Today.

New York, Oct. 13.—After an exciting day in the markets, spot cotton closed quiet at thirteen-eighty-five.

SEEKING BETTER FIRE PROTECTION

PROPERTY OWNERS MEET AND FORM ASSOCIATION TO SAFEGUARD INTERESTS.

PLAN VIGOROUS ACTION

Offer Large Reward for Conviction of Any Incendiary—Officers Are Elected.

From Thursday's Daily.

At a meeting of a number of representative property-owners at the city hall this morning, a fire protective association was organized. The purpose of the new organization is to prevent, as far as possible, all conflagrations of any kind, to secure cheaper insurance rates, and to see that incendiarism is punished to the extent of the law. The organization was perfected by the election of Butler Moore as president and J. L. Jackson a secretary-treasurer. An executive committee consisting of the president, Job Barnett, J. C. Ward, T. R. Noble, C. W. Bean and Bert Bean was appointed. The executive committee was authorized to offer a reward of five hundred dollars for the arrest and conviction of any incendiary. The city council will be asked to enact ordinances more strictly regulating the disposition of trash and steps will be taken to enforce such ordinances rigidly.

The association will employ an attorney to represent it in running down incendiarism and it will take vigorous action in all such cases. A committee was appointed to solicit membership and a fund is also to be raised for carrying on the association's work. Those present at the meeting were: Butler Moore, R. E. Huff, J. L. Jackson, C. W. Bean, J. C. Ward, J. A. Kemp, G. D. Anderson, Henry Patterson, W. W. Jackson, N. Henderson, Vic Stampfli, Job Barnett, J. A. Richolt, Lee Jackson, E. B. Gorsline.

"INDICTMENT" OF COOK.

Peary and Associates Try to Sustain Their Charges.

New York, Oct. 13.—Basing their belief on the testimony of two Eskimo boys, Robt. Peary and four companions yesterday issued a statement to show that Cook did not reach the north pole. The testimony of the two boys is said to cover the period of time during which Cook claims to have made his journey and is to the effect that he never went further north than Grant Land, about eighty degrees north latitude, or about three hundred miles from the pole.

The statement is signed by Peary, Robert Bartlett, D. B. McMillan, Geo. Borup and Matthew Henson, the negro.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Dr. Cook refuses to enter into the controversy over the discovery of the pole, but says he will send for Eskimos and disprove every statement made by Peary.

Dentistry.

My hobby—"cleanliness." Dr. G. R. Houston; phone 656, Vreeland building. 3141tf

A lot of people tire themselves out looking for havens of rest and easy jobs.

FREEDOM OF PRESS UPHELD---CHARGES AGAINST INDIANAPOLIS NEWS DISMISSED

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 13.—Delavan Smith and Charles R. Williams, proprietors of the Indianapolis News, who were resisting removal to the District of Columbia for their criminal libel trial, were dismissed by Judge A. B. Anderson of the United States Court of this district yesterday. The charges were brought against the publishers for publishing that there was a corrupt profit of twenty-eight million dollars in the sale of the Panama Canal to the United States.

The court held that as the paper was published at Indianapolis, any crime committed in the publication was necessarily committed in Indianapolis, and not at any place where the paper might circulate.

"To my mind," said Judge Anderson, "that man has read the history of our institutions very little who

VICTORY GOES TO AMERICAN LEAGUE

TODAY'S GAME PLAYED IN CHILLY WEATHER AND FOUGHT OUT TO FINISH.

BOTH SIDES DESPERATE

Pittsburg Took Lead at Start, But Lost It as the Game Progressed Further.

By Associated Press.

Detroit, Oct. 14.—Chilly weather prevailed here for the sixth game of the world's championship series between Detroit and Pittsburg and the effect of the cold was noticeable throughout the game.

Realizing that in a victory today lay her only chance for the championship, Detroit played desperately and fought the game to the last ditch, each man seeming to realize the necessity for careful work.

Donovan opened for Detroit. After warming up Maddox, Camnitz and Willie, Manager Clarke of Pittsburg, decided upon Maddox, who opened for the Pirates.

Pittsburg sent chill into the hearts of the Detroit rooters by landing for three runs in the first half of the first inning and the disheartened crowd was only partially enthused when Detroit made one run in her half, cutting the Pirates' lead down to two runs.

There was no scoring in the second inning on either side.

The third inning also passed without either side getting a man across the plate.

In the fourth, after the Pittsburgers had been retired in order, Detroit scored twice, making the score three and three at the beginning of the fifth.

The Tigers forged ahead with one score in the fifth inning, and at the beginning of the sixth inning the score stood four to three in favor of Detroit.

Detroit increased her lead with another run in the sixth inning, making the score, Detroit 5, Pittsburg 3, at the beginning of the seventh inning.

There was no more scoring until Pittsburg's half of the ninth, when she got one man across the plate.

Final score: Detroit 5, Pittsburg 3.

ROOSEVELT FOR PRESIDENT.

Ex-Gov. St. John Says Nothing But Death Can Prevent His Nomination.

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 12.—John P. St. John, formerly governor of Kansas, who has come to Spokane to begin the fight for prohibition in the state of Washington, made two predictions in the course of an interview:

"Nothing except death will prevent the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt to succeed President Taft, and if he is not elected no other republican can be."

"Ten years hence there won't be a legalized saloon within the boundaries of this commonwealth. Spokane will be 'dry' in five years from this time."

Mr. St. John said among other things, in speaking of Roosevelt and Taft:

"Theodore Roosevelt is the sharpest politician in the United States. But for him Mr. Taft would have never

been thought of for the presidency. Roosevelt knew Taft, believed him to be an honest man (and so do I), but he knew that Taft is a putty man, soft putty at that. Roosevelt helped to elect Taft; he knew that his administration would be a failure.

"Roosevelt went off to Africa. He is not mixed up in any of the questions before the people today. In the course of eighteen months he will return; covered with rhine hides, elephants tusks and glory. The 'howl and yell' element in politics will raise the cry for Roosevelt. The country will go 'wild' over him. Nothing except his death will prevent his nomination to succeed Taft, and if he is not elected, it will be because no republican can win."

Governor of Oklahoma and Co-Defendants Announce Ready.

Ardmore, Okla., Oct. 13.—Governor Haskell and the five co-defendants indicted last May, charged with obtaining titles to certain town lots in Muskogee by illegal methods, appeared before Judge Marshall in the United States District Court here today for trial.

KEY WEST IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE RIGHT AWAY

By Associated Press.

Key West, Fla., Oct. 14.—Immediate assistance from the outside world is necessary to carry on the work of cleaning up the city and caring for the victims of the hurricane, which left more than half of Key West in total ruins last Monday. This statement was made by Mayor Fogarty today.

Hundreds are on the point of starvation, it is declared.

The sewers are so badly clogged that it is feared there will be an epidemic of sickness.

ROBBER SUICIDES.

First Robs Savings Bank—Ends Life When Arrested.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—A fashionably dressed bandit, who early this afternoon robbed the savings bank of D. M. Erskins & Co., in Highland Park, Ill., a village north of Chicago, committed suicide by shooting himself in the mouth when driven to bay by an officer and a posse of citizens.

A companion of the robber, who had driven him to the bank in an automobile, was captured immediately following the robbery, which forced the principal actor of the crime to flee on foot. He then engaged in a running duel with Marshal Tom Sheehan, and falling to drive back his pursuers, ran into a shed.

When he saw Sheehan enter the shed with his revolver leveled at his head, the fugitive put the muzzle of his own revolver in his mouth and fired, death ensuing almost instantly.

The man arrested refused to disclose his or his companion's identity.

The robbery was conducted in a deliberate and spectacular manner, the bandit securing about \$500 in gold coin and bills after he had forced John C. Duffy, cashier of the bank, Miss Nellie Fitzgerald, the bookkeeper, and Joseph F. Richards, the receiving teller, into the cashier's cage just after the closing of the business day.

In the morning the automobile bearing the bandit and the chauffeur drove up to the bank, but went away. About 2 o'clock this afternoon they returned, and Cashier Duffy, fearing something was wrong, hurriedly took a large amount of the money and locked it in the vault. Several hundred dollars still remained in the cage. As he entered the cage, Duffy was confronted by the robber, who covered him with a revolver.

"Call every one into that cage," said the bandit, "or I'll blow your head off. Hurry up!"

Duffy, unarmed, complied with the demand. Miss Fitzgerald and Richards came forward while the intruder helped himself to all the money in sight.

Crane Resigns.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—Secretary of State Knox has notified Crane that his resignation will be accepted. This is the outcome of the recent estrangement growing out of the interview given in the Chicago Record-Herald by Crane several days ago.

Crane was called to Washington just as he was about to sail for China to enter upon his duties as minister designate.

Real Estate Transfers.

Jan. F. Stearns and wife to J. F. Elliott, lots 8 and 9, block 131; \$1100.

VALLEY MAY OBTAIN MORGAN JONES ROAD

RUMORED ABILENE & SOUTHERN WILL SOON BE PART OF DENVER SYSTEM.

REPORT IS UNCONFIRMED

Also Rumored Management Plan to Extend to San Antonio After Purchasing.

The recent publication in a St. Louis paper of a dispatch from Austin that the Abilene and Southern is soon to be taken over as part of the Wichita Valley and become part of the Fort Worth and Denver system, has created considerable interest among local railroad men. At the Wichita Valley offices this morning, all knowledge or intimation of the proposed change was denied.

The Abilene and Southern was built by Morgan Jones and extends from Abilene southward to Ballinger. If Mr. Jones carries out his present plans, the lines will be extended from there to San Angelo. According to the St. Louis paper, the line will be built south to San Antonio after being taken over by the Valley. Mr. Jones has already been very reticent about his plans, but it is known that he has intended to retain the line and operate it himself. There is little doubt, however, that he would sell out if he could get his price.

J. W. Duval and wife to J. W. Stone lots 9 and 10, of C. B. Dewess subdivision of 256; \$6000.

J. W. Stone and wife to J. W. Duval four tracts city property; \$6000.

J. B. Marlow to Ed. Starus, lots 9 and 10 in block 1, Barwick and Jalonke addition; \$1200.

Tom Cole and wife of Ellis County, Texas to S. R. Munden of the same county, 800 acres more or less Wichita county lands, and being 240 acres off the Palo Pinto county school land, and 546 acres of the John McCool survey; \$24,000.

W. Lee Moore to J. F. Elliott lot 1, block 136; 3700.

MEDICAL ASSOCIATION MEETS HERE IN APRIL

Wichita Falls secures the next meeting of the Northwest Texas Medical Association and the convention will be held in this city in April of next year. This will bring a large number of physicians here from throughout this section of the state.

Dr. Wade H. Walker of this city is president of the association, and he returned today from Mineral Wells, where the last meeting was held. He was largely instrumental in having Wichita Falls selected as the next place of meeting.

An interesting program is to be prepared and the guests are to be well entertained.

LARGE LAND SALE.

Eight Hundred Acres Sold Today for Twenty-Four Thousand.

Tom Cole and wife of Ellis County, recently sold to S. R. Munden of the same county, 746 acres of land in this county, the consideration being twenty-four thousand dollars. Two hundred and fifty acres of this land is in the Palo Pinto County school land survey, the remainder being adjoining it.

This is one of the largest land deals recently consummated in this county. The average price per acre was about thirty-four dollars.

TAFT BACKS KNOX UP; RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 14.—Secretary Carpenter today received a telegram from President Taft, which reads as follows:

"Convey to Mr. Crane the following communication:"

"I concur in the letter under date of October 12th, which the Secretary of State addressed you, and greatly regret the circumstances found by him make it necessary for me to accept your resignation."

Crane had been named minister-designate to China.

BELLE OF WICHITA

THE BEST FLOUR ON THE MARKET

WICHITA MILL & ELEVATOR CO

TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLAR FIRE LOSS

BLAZE YESTERDAY THREATENED ENTIRE BLOCK ON OHIO AVENUE.

GOOD WORK BY FIREMEN

Postoffice and Railroad Offices Seriously Threatened Before Fight Was Won.

From Monday's Daily.

Wichita Investment Co	\$ 8,500
W. W. Jackson	500
Boyd-Robertson Co.	3,500
Wichita Furniture Co.	5,000
Miscellaneous	500
Total	\$19,000

Fire originating in the rear of the building occupied by the Wichita Furniture Company at 805 Ohio avenue yesterday afternoon resulted in a total loss of nearly twenty thousand dollars, distributed as above.

The fire assumed very threatening proportions at one time it looked as if the postoffice and railroad offices were doomed, but the blaze was brought under control before that structure ignited. The new Wichita Falls and Northwestern depot was seriously threatened but did not ignite owing to its incomplete state. So certain did the destruction of the post-office and railroad office building appear that all the mail and records were removed.

The Boyd-Jackson store building, and the Wichita Furniture store owned by the Wichita Investment company are a total loss, only the cracked walls being left standing.

The building occupied by the American Express company, also the property of the investment company, was damaged to some extent by both fire and water but the loss there is comparatively light. The Daugherty printing office and the Sparke barber shop were also losers from broken fixtures and water.

Good work by the firemen prevented a much more serious blaze. Handicapped at first by miserable pressure, the boys fought valiantly and as the pressure improved the blaze was confined almost entirely to the structure where it started.

The fire is believed to have started from a pile of burning trash in the rear of the Wichita Furniture store and it probably had been burning half an hour before it was discovered and an alarm turned. The department responded very quickly and it was thought that the fire would be confined to the one store, consequently little effort was made to remove any of the stock from the adjoining store until it was too late.

There was little wind but it was from the north and this contributed largely to the saving of the building on that side. Dense clouds of black smoke and showers of sparks were swept across the vacant space toward the factory district and the roofs in that part of town were kept thoroughly wet to prevent any spread in that direction.

Four streams of water were brought to play on the fire and as soon as the pressure improved, some remarkably effective work was done. At 6:30, half an hour after the blaze started, the destruction of the postoffice seemed certain, but in ten minutes the firemen had won out and the blaze seemed under control.

Practically all the fixtures and the contents were removed from the barber shop, printing office, express office and the real estate office of Bridwell and Jackson. The Wells-Fargo offices were placed at the disposal of the American Express Company and the packages were placed there until this morning.

Until insurance matters can be cleared up the details of rebuilding the destroyed structures are not available, but they will be replaced at the earliest possible moment.

Good work by the postoffice force obviated any possibility of loss to the mail. All valuables were locked in the safe and all mail, even that already distributed in the boxes, was carried to a place of safety until the fire was under control.

About 10:45 last night the fire broke out again in the building already destroyed, but was brought under control with promptness and dispatch.

Danger from falling wires during the fire was obviated by the cutting of wires that appeared dangerous. The street car trolley wire was endangered at one time by the posts catching fire, but this was extinguished.

The Wichita Investment company, which suffered a total loss of \$8,500, is insured to the extent of \$6,500. The Wichita Furniture company, with a loss of seven thousand dollars, has five thousand dollars insurance and the Boyd-Robertson Company's loss of thirty-five hundred dollars is covered to the extent of twenty-five hundred. The other losses are practically covered by insurance.

The Boyd-Robertson property was sold recently to the Panhandle Implement company, which was to have taken charge on the 14th of this month.

Kemp and Kell, who are leading stockholders in the Wichita Investment Company and owners of the postoffice building, this morning forwarded the fire department their check for one hundred dollars in recognition of their excellent service.

A decided element of danger was given the fighting of the fire by an explosion which shook the building when the fire was at its height. The nature of this explosion is not known, but it is believed to have been caused by gas. Several firemen were on the burning building when the shock came and it was thought at first that their lives were in danger.

SHERIFF'S SALE. STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wichita.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Wichita County, Precinct No. 1, on the 27th day of September, 1909, by the Justice of the Peace thereof in the case of the First National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, vs. Fred Ziegler, et al, No. 3360 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on Tuesday, the second day of November, A. D. 1909, at the Court House door in Wichita Falls, in Wichita County, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

Being Lot No. ten (10) in Block No. Twenty-three (23) in Barwise and Jalonek Addition to the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, having been levied on as the property of Fred Ziegler, on June 28th, 1909, by virtue of a writ of attachment issued from the said Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Wichita County, Texas, by W. E. Brothers, Justice of the Peace, which said attachment lien was foreclosed on September 7th, 1909, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$146.02, with 10 per cent interest from August 11th, 1909, in favor of the First National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this 28th day of September, 1909.

W-42-3t J. W. WALKUPP, Sheriff.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lena Schmidt, et al, Minors.

G. W. Filgo, Guardian of the estate of said Lena Schmidt, et al, Minors, has filed in the County Court of Wichita County, his Final Account of the condition of said estate, together with an application to be discharged as Guardian thereof, which will be heard by our said Court on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1909, same being the 6th day of December A. D. 1909, at the Court House of said Wichita County, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said Final Account and Application, if they see proper.

Witness W. A. Reid, Clerk of the County Court of Wichita County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at my office in Wichita Falls, on this the 6th day of October, A. D. 1909.

W. A. REID, Clerk, County Court of Wichita County, Texas.

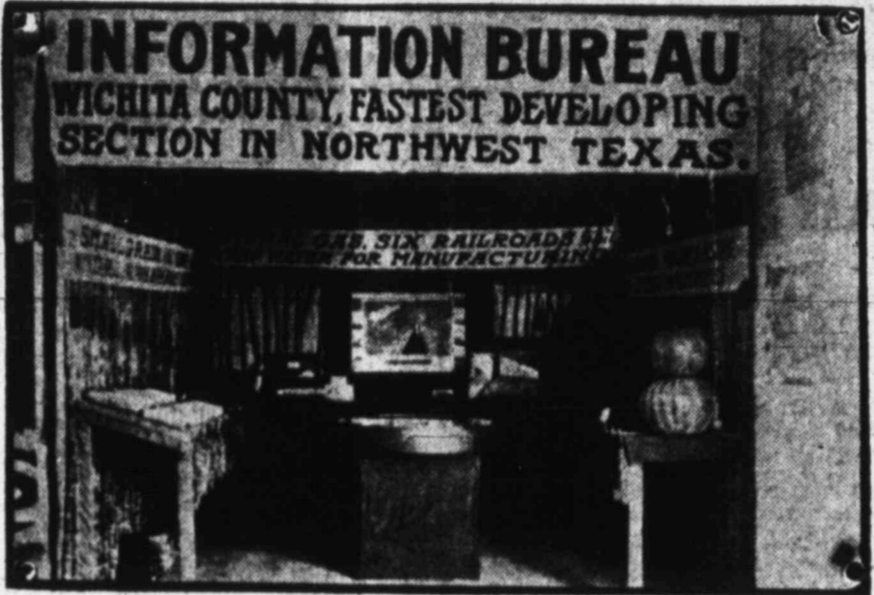
By CARL YEAGER, Deputy.

TESTIMONY VARIES.

Colonel Taylor May Be Called Upon to Explain.

Union City, Tenn., Oct. 9.—A discussion has arisen here over the testimony of Colonel Taylor, who was with Captains Rankin at Walnut Log when the latter was assassinated by night riders. It is declared his testimony before the grand jury differed materially from his testimony at the trial and it is reported the November grand jury here will be asked to compare the two sets of testimony.

WICHITA COUNTY FAIR EXHIBIT



J. T. Young of this city returned this morning from Oklahoma City, where he has been with the Wichita county exhibit at the Oklahoma State Fair. Mr. Young is well pleased with the success of the exhibit. Following is the official description of the exhibit:

"Wichita Falls, that hustling city on the border, southwest of us, is here again this year with an attractive exhibit arranged by the Chamber of Commerce and financed by the members of that enterprising body. The booth is in charge of J. T. Young, a real estate and insurance man of Wichita Falls and he is kept busy at all hours answering questions concerning the section advertised. A feature of the display is a large map in a glass case, which stands in the center of the booth. This map is made of wheat and corn grains and is accurate in

portraying the railroads, rivers, wagon roads, gas fields, etc., in that portion of Wilbarger, Clay and Archer counties immediately surrounding Wichita Falls. The booth is lined with ribbon cane and besides a large variety of agricultural products, there is on display samples from several of the city's important manufacturing concerns. In the background is shown a birdseye view of Wichita Falls and Lake Wichita the latter being known as the largest artificial lake in Texas.

"Our city now has a population of 10,000," said Mr. Young, "but in less than five years the figures will be changed to 25,000. We have seven railway outlets, cheap gas for manufacturing purposes and one of the richest agricultural communities in the United States."

This exhibit will be taken to the Dallas fair Wednesday, ready for the opening of the fair on Saturday.

Public Sale.

On Thursday, October 28th, I will have a sale on my farm 1 1/2 mile north west of Wichita Falls. All my farm implements, consisting of every farm implement and every kind of a tool needed on a farm, from a fine gang plow to a garden wheel hoe; also work oxen, work horses, brood mares, and a lot of young mules and colts, and the best Jersey cow in the country; also household and kitchen furniture; a lot of barbed wire, etc.

Terms:—10 to 15,000, cash; over \$10, six months with good note bearing 8 per cent interest.

Sale begins at 8:30.

W-43-3t R. H. SUTER.

To The Public.

Having bought the entire stock of hardware, and implements of the Robinson-Russell Hardware Co., we wish to state that we will continue to handle an up to date line of shelf and heavy hardware, implements, buggies, wagons, harness, etc., and will appreciate a fair share of the patronage of the public, promising liberal treatment and fair dealing.—Yours truly,

41-4t AVIS, ROUNTREE & CO. NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

I, P. P. Langford, whose residence is Wichita Falls, Texas, having, on the 3rd day of August, 1909, been duly granted Letters of Administration of the Estate of A. Newby, deceased, and having qualified according to law as such, Now Give Notice to All Persons Having Claims Against Said Estate, requiring them to present the same, properly authenticated, to the undersigned within Twelve Months from the date of said appointment, for allowance.

P. P. LANGFORD, Administrator, E. O. Wichita Falls, Texas. w-42-4t

Notice.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Robertson-Russell Hardware Co. will please call on an early date and arrange satisfactory arrangements with us, as we have bought the entire stock, notes and accounts. Yours Respectfully,

41-4t AVIS, ROUNTREE & CO. Wichita Falls, Texas.

Posted.

Notice is hereby given that all privileges heretofore granted by me for hunting on my premises are withdrawn I have posted my farm and all trespassers will be dealt with as the law directs. My farm is located four miles west of Wichita Falls on the north side of the river. W. F. CLAER. w 41-2tp

Farmers.

If you have land for sale, list it with the O. K. Realty Company, 606 Seventh street. w-43-1t

Whole Family is Wiped Out. Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 8.—Fire here early today wiped out a whole family of five persons, two of whom were so badly burned that their features are scarcely recognizable.

Two negroes are under arrest on suspicion of knowing about the origin of the fire and a rigid investigation of the circumstances is under way by the authorities.

The dead: MOSES FISHMAN, suffocated. DORA FISHMAN, his wife, burned to death. ROSIE FISHMAN, suffocated. RACHAEL MARKESON, suffocated. ROSE FISHMAN, aged 50, burned to death.

The fire burned so rapidly that it was found impossible to rescue the family.

Real Estate Transfers.

F. E. Pike of Pueblo, Colo., to J. W. Scott, lots No. 1, and 2 in Block 9, Burk Burnett; \$112.50.

Chas. A. Turek and wife to Mrs. S. C. McDaniel of Hunt County, Tex., block 9 of Kemp and Newby's subdivision of southeast quarter of survey No. 11, containing 6 9-10 acres; \$12.00.

N. Henderson to C. H. Stimpson, lot 4 of the subdivision of original lots 4 and 5 in block 253; \$325.

C. E. Brown and H. Cranmer, a partnership to Robert Denison, lot 12 in block 121; \$825.

T. E. Noble and N. Henderson to St. Clair Sherrod 141 acres, Wichita County; \$2,000.

Robt. E. Denison to J. W. Whitworth of Archer County, lot No. 2 in block 121; \$1,000.

Peanut Farmers Report Success.

Since the publication in the Times several days ago of Mr. Neeley's success in raising peanuts, several other farmers have reported themselves similarly successful and this industry will soon be assuming appreciable proportions in this county. S. D. Hope, who has been in this county less than a year, has been very successful with his crop and announced that he will plant a greatly increased acreage next year. Mr. Hope has ordered a peanut thresher from an implement house to handle his crop. He is enthusiastic over the peanut possibilities of this section and expects to win other converts. He will plant one hundred acres next year near the Denver stock yards.

COOK AT CINCINNATI.

Delivers Lecture and is Given Royal Entertainment.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 9.—Dr. Cook, the north pole discoverer, arrived here today. He was met at the station by a committee of citizens and escorted in an auto parade through the principal streets to a hotel, where he was formally welcomed by Mayor Galvin. He will lecture at Music Hall, then dine at the Queen City Club and be given a reception by the business men's club during the day. Mrs. Cook will be entertained by a committee of prominent society women.

Sanitarium to Be Built.

The proposition to establish a hospital here under the control of the deaconesses of the Methodist Episcopal church has not, as previously reported fallen through. The purchase of the property in question by Dr. Miller, was on behalf of the church, it being deemed advisable to secure control of it at the earliest possible date.

As soon as this church completes the other plans is has pending the most important being the finishing of the new building and the consummation of the Y. M. C. A. proposition, the hospital matter will again be taken up with the Chamber of Commerce and pushed through to a finish.

Real Estate Transfers.

J. P. Jackson and wife to S. M. Foster part of lot 3 in block 236; \$1350.

J. Wesley Young to D. P. and W. L. McCracken lot 9 in block 7, Burk Burnett; \$60.

J. M. Belton and wife of Waurika, Okla., to D. P. McCracken, lot 4, block 25, Burk Burnett; \$385.

Peter Gagner to Jack Renz of Washita county, Okla., lot 14, block 31; \$910. Jacob Bamgartner to Jack Renz, lot 15, block 31; \$110.

Real Estate Transfers.

Trustees of the town of Electra to Mrs. Bessie Lawrence of Denton, Tex., lot 4, in block 131 Electra.

A. H. Tuttle and wife of Vanburen county, Michigan to J. C. Tandy, lot 3 and north half of lot 4, block 135, Lamar street; \$5550.

FLORIDA AND CUBA VISITED BY STORM

HAVANA STRUCK BY DESTRUCTIVE HURRICANE AND MUCH PROPERTY LOST.

FIVE FATALITIES KNOWN

Extend of Damage in Florida Cannot Be Learned With Any Amount of Precision.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 11.—A destructive hurricane which will probably pass northward over Florida, is indicated by advices to the weather bureau today. The storm is blowing fiercely off the Florida coast and shipping is warned all the way from Mobile to Charleston, and hourly observations have been ordered in the hurricane territory.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 11.—Advices to the weather bureau today show the West Indian hurricane to be central west over Cuba. At Key West, there is a wind velocity of thirty miles an hour. Five inches of rain have fallen at that point in the past twenty-four hours.

Havana, Cuba, Oct. 11.—A storm hurricane of considerable proportions struck this city early today and raged with unabated fury for several hours. No fatalities are reported up to this time, but property losses from wind and rain will probably be enormous.

Many lighters and small craft in the harbor have been sunk or driven ashore. All telegraph wires in the city are down, electric service is badly crippled and scarcely a tree is left standing in Havana.

Havana, Oct. 11.—Later—There were five fatalities in the city, all members of the same family, being killed by a falling roof. Between forty and fifty small craft were sunk or driven ashore at Regla, across the Havana harbor.

FIVE ARRESTED.

Santa Fe Will Erect Them at Western Division Points.

Kansas City, Oct. 9.—The A. T. & S. F. announced today that it would soon begin the erection of Y. M. C. A. buildings at division points between Kansas City and the Pacific coast. One hundred and fifty thousand dollars has been appropriated for the work.

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CRANE IN HOT WATER; OUTCOME IS DOUBTFUL

Washington, D. C., Oct. 11.—Whether or not Charles Crane will proceed to Pekin in his capacity as American Minister, seemed today to depend upon the outcome of a conference between Crane and Secretary of State Knox, who unexpectedly and rather mysteriously summoned Crane from San Francisco to Washington on the eve of his proposed sailing across the Pacific to assume his office. It was learned today that the immediate occasion for the recall of Crane was an article in the Chicago Record-Herald from its Washington correspondent on September 27th showing a knowledge of diplomatic affairs. It was presumably given out by Crane.

DECATUR TO DALHART.

The Rain is General—Accompanied by Snow in Panhandle Points.

Beginning at Decatur and extending westward over Northwest Texas and the Panhandle, a substantial rain began falling last night, being felt as far west as Dalhart and Channing. It was also felt at many points in Southwest Oklahoma.

At Dalhart and Channing the rain was varied by a light snow, and it is accompanied by very pronounced falls in temperature at many places.

The rain is beneficial to wheat growers, as it enables them to break the ground for the fall work. Cotton will probably be damaged to some extent, but all other growing crops will be benefited.

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MAKING PLANS FOR NEW COUNTY JAIL

WILL BE THREE-STORY, UP-TO-DATE STRUCTURE WITH FORTY-FOUR CELLS.

JURY ROOMS PLANNED

Sleeping Accommodations For Jurymen Are Also to Be Provided in Building.

From Wednesday's Daily. While the county jail bonds have not yet been sold, the county authorities are making plans for the erection of the structure and as soon as the money is available, will advertise for bids. Owing to one or two slight changes which were necessary, the bonds have not yet been approved, but will be at an early date. The rate of interest on the bonds will be four and one-half per cent, instead of four per cent as originally planned. This will render the bonds more marketable.

"We have decided to erect a three-story building," said County Judge Yeager today, "the jail will have forty-four cells and will be modern in every respect. Among its features will be a comfortable sleeping accommodations for juries which are compelled to be out over night."

The old cells in the present jail will be made use of, cutting down the expense and it is believed that by thus economizing the county can build a jail that will be as much a credit to the county as it is possible for any jail to be. The jail will probably be located in the northwestern corner of the court house yard.

FATAL WRECK NEAR AUSTIN

Train Runs Into Burning Bridge Obscured by Fog.

Texas News Service Special. Houston, Tex., Oct. 13.—Fireman O. J. Sutton was killed and a dozen others injured when the Southern Pacific passenger train ran into a burning bridge a mile west of McNeil at 8 o'clock this morning.

The fire was obscured by a heavy fog. The engine and two cars plunged through the burning gap into the stream. Several coaches are reported to be destroyed by fire and a dozen passengers were more or less injured. R. J. Goynes, mail clerk, was among the injured and was taken ten miles south to Austin. The cause of the fire is unknown to the company officials. Fireman O. J. Sutton was killed.

The injured are: Benjamin Goynes, mail clerk, Austin; Brakeman Withers, two ribs broken; Conductor Phillip Clark, of Austin; Engineer Harts, shoulder dislocated in jumping; Rev. Lee of Llano, arms cut; Mrs. Roberts of Llano, cut and bruised; O. J. Clifton of Liberty Hill and R. Hawkins of Chillicothe, Mo.

Officials sent a special train bearing nurses and physicians, returning with the dead and injured.

Clerk Goynes saved the registered mail sacks, although the coaches and baggage burned.

Comparative Taxable Values.

Statement of taxable values as taken from the county tax rolls for 1909: Total value of county \$10,910,705 Total value Wichita Falls 3,176,815

Total value county outside Wichita Falls \$7,733,890 Total value of Wichita Falls on city tax rolls for this year \$3,662,460 County values of city for year 3,176,815

City values in excess of county values \$485,645

The above figures are furnished the Times by County Assessor W. J. Bullock, and they are substantially correct.

NEARLY AN INCH.

A Steady Rain Falls All During the Morning.

From Friday's Daily. The steady rain which fell during the morning amounted to half an inch, and at 1 o'clock this afternoon, Weather Observer Simmons announced that a total of seven-eighths of an inch had fallen since the rain started last night. There is little doubt, from the present outlook, that considerably over an inch will have fallen by tonight.

POLICEMEN IN TRIAL

Recent Shooting Affray Brings Out Misconduct Charges.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 11.—Chief of Police Perrett and Detectives Rexer, Bowle and Day were placed on trial today before the city commission on a charge of misconduct in connection with a shooting affray on September 30th.

Police Commissioner Norman entered the charges. Seventy-five witnesses appeared today, among them being Fred Sheriffs, who was wounded during the shooting.

EXTENSION TO MANGUM.

Will Reach That City By End of Next Week.

Since the delay at Altus, the construction gang of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern has been at work on the extension to Mangum with renewed vigor and has been making excellent progress. At the present rate, the line will have reached Mangum by the end of next week and by October 25th trains will be in operation over the new part of the line.

BOTH SIDES PREPARING FOR IMPENDING FIGHT

Although the date for the election has not yet been set, both pros and antis are now busy with their campaigns. Following the sending of a large amount of anti-prohibition literature into this section from the anti-state-wide committee at Houston, the pros are today mailing out prohibition literature to all the voters in this county.

Contrary to the belief of some of the prohibitionists, the antis have not prohibited, the antis have not yet met and no organization has yet been formed. Such a meeting, however, will be held some time this week and the fight started.

Chairman Bullock of the prohibition forces, stated this morning that the election might not be held until next spring. This would make things especially lively, as the new poll taxes would have to be paid in order for the holders to vote.

ROBBERY AT LEWISVILLE.

Robbers Reported to Have Secured Six Thousand Dollars.

Denton, Tex., Oct. 11.—Robbers entered the First National Bank at Lewisville, south of here this morning, dynamited the safe and escaped with six thousand, five hundred dollars. The burglars escaped on horseback and left no clues.

They missed nine thousand dollars in currency and coin in another compartment of the same safe.

SUITS COMPROMISED.

Cudahy Packing Company Pays a Big Sum in Fines.

By Associated Press. Leavenworth, Kas., Oct. 11.—The case against the Cudahy Packing Company for failing to place stamps of the proper denomination on packages of oleomargarine was compromised in the federal court today, the company paying five thousand dollars and agreeing to pay back the tax of eighty-two thousand dollars and a special tax of ten thousand dollars for the agencies.

TEXAS OIL COMPANY IS BUILDING TANKS HERE

Wichita Falls' advantages as a distributing center are once more evidenced, this time by the location here of a branch of the Texas Oil Company. L. M. Fitzgerald of Dallas, representing the company, is installing three tanks of eleven thousand gallons capacity each, a total of thirty-three thousand gallons, and offices will also be maintained here.

An agency is to be established, and an agent with two assistants and a traveling representative, will be placed in charge at an early date.

This concern will handle coal oil, gasoline and other refined products, and it expects to supply a large territory.

Cotton Report Shows Increase.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 9.—The agricultural department today issued a report showing the total number of bales ginned in Texas during September to be 818,072, an increase of 216,000 over last year. Williamson County leads with forty thousand bales.

FOR SALE—Four 1000 candle power E. P. gas lighting system; also two electric arc lights. Collins and Hendricks. W-44-11

HIGHER COURT AFFIRMS THE MORSE SENTENCE

New York, Oct. 11.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals today affirmed the decision of the lower Federal court, sentencing Charles W. Morse, a former banker and steamship capitalist to fifteen years' imprisonment in the federal prison at Atlanta.

It was later stated at the office of Morse that the case will be taken to the United States Supreme Court and an application for bail made. In the meantime Morse will be sent to the Tombs or to Atlanta to begin his sentence, unless the Circuit Court of Appeals of New York grants a stay of execution of the sentence.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals this afternoon granted a stay of forty days in execution of the sentence upon Morse.

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THE PROPOSED SPECIAL SESSION.

The intimation that Governor Campbell intends to call the legislature in special session in January has not been favorably received by the press of the state, simply because there appears to be no sufficient reason for it.

Soon after congress had passed the act submitting to the several states an amendment to the federal constitution, providing for a general income tax, there was a suggestion from an outsider that the legislature should immediately be called in special session to ratify the amendment, but the suggestion was not favorably received in any quarter, there being no need of hasty action in the matter, as there would be time enough for action when the legislatures of the several states should meet in regular session.

The legislature of Georgia was in session when the amendment was submitted, but a resolution offered by one of the members to ratify the amendment was practically ignored, no action whatever being taken on it. It was assumed by advocates of the income tax that this did not indicate hostility to the amendment, but that the legislature, being busy with other legislative matters of more immediate importance, thought the amendment could wait a more opportune time for consideration. The Georgia legislature is overwhelmingly democratic and the income tax measure, though endorsed by a republican congress, is distinctly a democratic proposition, which has the long-time endorsement of that party.

There is just one possible excuse for an extra session of the Texas legislature the coming year, if the decision of a lower court invalidating certain amendments to the state constitution supposed to have been adopted and the acts of the legislature in conformity therewith can be finally adjusted in the higher courts within a few months, and if the decision of the lower court should be sustained, it might then become necessary to assemble the legislature as promptly as possible to submit to the people other and further amendments to validate the statutes affected and to cure the confusion, as was done, or attempted to be done, by the submission of the amendments which were voted on by a considerable number of the electors at the special election held last August.—San Antonio Express.

Gov. Harmon of Ohio is billed for an address at Dallas on Democratic Day, at the State Fair. It is thought by many that, since the death of Gov. Johnson of Minnesota, Harmon of Ohio will be the Democratic candidate for president in 1912. Ohio is a Republican state, giving all the way from 20,000 to 80,000 majority, but Harmon has twice carried the state for governor as the Democratic nominee, and it is reasoned that if the people of the Buckeye state have that much confidence in him they will also give him a majority for president. Mr. Bryan is friendly to Harmon. In fact, it is alleged, the great commoner is doing what is in his power to bring about Harmon's nomination. With Harmon as the standard bearer for the Democrats in 1912 and with Bryan's hearty support of the ticket, the Democrats will stand some chance of winning. While Mr. Bryan stands head and shoulders above any other Democratic national leader, he realizes more than anyone else that he can never be elected president. But Bryan is a true Democrat, and will do what he can to bring about a great Democratic victory.

Jerome said he would not run for reelection unless forced to. Evidently the people used about as much coercion as they are in the case of Has Been Thomas, of Texas.

Mrs. Katherine is reported to be barely struggling along on her \$3000 a month alimony. By rigid economy, however, she may yet be able to keep the wolf from the door.

ANNIVERSARY.

Vernon Call, Sept. 27 marked the twenty-seventh anniversary of the founding of Wichita Falls, and its organization as a town, which occurred in 1882. The first town site was laid off in 1874 and the name Wichita Falls date from that year. There were no buildings there then, however, and nothing except the bald prairie where the city now stands.

The people who founded Wichita Falls did a good day's work. When that town first saw the light of day the Denver road was very young, and a little later the town of Harrold, Wilbarger county, was expected to be the metropolis between Fort Worth and Trinidad. Now Harrold is a way station and Wichita Falls—according to the way some of the Wichitans felt about it—is the cynosure of all eyes on the map.—Dallas News.

That's the way every one looks at it, and what everybody says must be so. Besides we have evidence to back it up. Wichita Falls, perhaps, is not the richest town of its size in the state, but all are hustlers and town-builders—the kind that make things go by getting behind them and pushing when it is necessary.

A TEMPERANCE SERMON.

It is a significant fact that among the list of supplies taken by Dr. Cook on his trip to the pole are not found any intoxicating liquor. Yet down this way people drink liquor "in order to keep warm."—Ablene News.

Really, very few people drink liquor to keep warm. They drink it because they crave it and like it. And the more they drink the more they must drink, until finally they cannot drink any more because they cannot open their mouths or eyes. They are dead. If the Eskimos were to become habituated to the use of liquor for keeping themselves warm, it would be only a few years until their race would be cold in death.—Dallas News.

Some of the counties and cities of Texas have voted bonds for the improvement of roads and for other public works, which are needed and will give work to the unemployed during the dull times that are looked for just ahead as the result of poor crops. If Van Zandt county ever intends to spend any large amount of money on public roads we could not find a better time to make the investment. Money spent in needed permanent improvements is well spent and next year several thousand dollars turned loose with the wage earners of the county would help wonderfully to tide over what might be a pretty bad year on account of short crops this year.—Wills Point Chronicle.

While condition are not so bad in Wichita and adjoining counties as they are in other parts of the state, the building of good roads is always in order. One hundred thousand dollars investment in good roads in Wichita County will pay for the experiment in less than three years' time in increased values, aside from the convenience afforded by good roads. Wichita County's bonded debt is comparatively small and could well afford to increase it considerably for the purpose above mentioned.

Many towns and some newspapers are demanding that the state ranger force be abolished. In this we cannot concur. True, we do not need them in Childress and never did, but in towns like Amarillo, San Antonio and Houston where the local peace officers persist in violating their oaths of office to enforce the law, we believe the governor should have some military power that he can dispatch to turbulent places to bring about at least a semblance of order. The Governor is our chief executive, sworn to see our laws enforced and by retaining a small armed force of special officers who can do this even when the local officers are so afraid of losing their jobs that they dare even to live in constant perjury rather than bring criminals to justice. We don't care whether they are called rangers or not, but some such special peace officers should be kept at the governor's command to be used only in emergencies.—Childress Post.

No town likes the advertisement brought to it by the fact that it is necessary for the state government to send out rangers to enforce laws that should and could be enforced by local officers.

An East Texas man says that if West Texas were to run a pipe line to the Gulf of Mexico and suck as hard as they blow, we would soon have a seaport out here. The original suckers, however, are in East Texas. They wouldn't be in East Texas if they weren't.

The press has a public duty to perform," says Judge Anderson, presiding over the New York World libel trial. But of course the press must not do it when some individual's feelings are apt to be hurt.

Mexico's troubles never ceases. On top of the revolution, earthquakes, fires and floods that have visited her this year, it now develops that the chill bean crop is a total failure.

Columbus discovered Mexico four hundred years ago yesterday. The mother-in-law jokes, however, was not discovered until several years after his arrival.

Since hearing about the chicken that stole a ride on a train, we have learned that it was a rooster and our suggestion that it lay eggs enough to pay its fare was out of order.

THANK YOU.

The city council at Wichita Falls has purchased a new auto fire engine at a cost of 7,500 to arrive in that city about the first of January. Wichita Falls is becoming more up-to-date every day than any city in Northwest Texas, and we will venture to say that within the next few years she will have a population of 20,000, because her citizens are like the republican party, they stick together.—Iowa Park Herald.

Paved streets don't get dusty, and when the rains come they don't get muddy. Wichita Falls, up-to-now in everything else, should have a few blocks of paved streets just to show the difference. If once started, the paving of streets will progress like the building of cement walks. Four years ago Wichita Falls did not have to exceed five miles of cement walks. As that time the work was started in a small way and continued until now it is estimated by those in a position to know that she has in the neighborhood of thirty miles of cement walk, based on an average width of four feet.

Wichitans who still thought they could buy clothes cheaper in Fort Worth and Dallas than in this city, are beginning to look disappointed this year. A lady who recently returned from Dallas, states that the Wichita shops, while not offering as large stocks as are to be seen in Dallas, are fully as up-to-date and a comparison of prices is often to the disadvantage of the stores in the larger city. Buy in Wichita.

Miss Mary Harriman, daughter of the late E. H. Harriman, intends devoting her time to the management of a 14,000 acre farm. Miss Harriman appears to be different.—Wichita Eagle.

If so, she has had another change of mind. This time to link her fortunes with those of Mr. Robert Walton Goelet. It is said the engagement of the young people will be announced soon.

Staff Poet Harry L. Marriner of the Dallas-Galveston News received two thousand replies to his query asking the readers if they wanted the daily poem continued and needless to say, all were in the affirmative. The news may be a little shy on its interpretations of Democratic platforms, but there is some class to its poetry.

The way to get good roads is to build them. That Wichita county is able to do this there is not the slightest doubt, and if she invests \$100,000 in good roads it will be the best investment she has ever made. Good roads attract home-seekers, and Wichita County needs more farmers.

D. C. McCaleb of the San Angelo Press-News heard Dr. Cook lecture in Philadelphia and writes home that the doc is a four-flusher and that he is working the lecture graft before the expose comes. Better stick to Texas politics, D. C., North Pole umpring is somewhat out of your line.

One of our exchanges copied three of our paragraphs recently, without a single credit line. If the editor will only notify us, we will supply him with advance proofs so that he can publish them before we do. We are nothing if not generous.

A chicken was found riding on the rods of a Texas railroad last week. This is clearly a violation of the anti-pass laws and the aforesaid chicken will not be permitted to lay eggs in exchange for the ride, either.

It's a good thing Taft sees Texas when his trip is nearing its end, otherwise he wouldn't have enjoyed seeing the rest of the country. As it is, he has had something to look forward to all along.

Minister Crane is now in the unenviable position of the parrot whose tail-feathers were abstracted by the monkey. She had made to free use of her vocal organs.

A crusade against dancing is being organized, on the theory that the dancing is all right, but the hug isn't. Some of those days somebody will want kissing stopped on account of the smack.

One thing about these Gulf of Mexico storms, they are entirely impartial about what section of the coast country they hit. No complaint of unjust discrimination can be made against them.

With President Taft, Judge Harmon, Dr. Cook and Billy Hoppe all in Texas at the same time, it will demand the presence of Hans Wagner to make the state's coterie of celebrities complete.

Capt. Archie Butt, the president's dapper little aide continues to be the butt of the paragraphers jokes all over the country.

Mark Twain's daughter has married a Russian musician. For once in his life, Mark is probably unable to see the joke.



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Our buyer is a wizard at dry goods buying and has gathered together some of the biggest values that ever came to the city.

Our Poplins and Sollettes in all colors, at 50c to 75c per yard, are just two hints of the immense lines we can and want to show you.

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Phone 198

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When you are in need of feed of any kind, come to see us, or phone 33. We always keep a full supply of the very best of feed for either cows or horses. We also keep a big supply of the very best grades of coal, and can supply your wants in that line. Our prices are right and our weights are correct. We will give you a full 2000 pounds to the ton. We want your business and will always treat you right.

For the convenience of our customers, we will gladly book the account until the first of the month to those whom we know to have an established credit; otherwise we demand cash. Yours for business,

Wichita Grain & Coal Co.

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

William and Joe.
From the New York Sun:

Mr. Bryan, in refusing to discuss the tariff with Joe Bailey on a public platform, says:

'A debate might be pleasing to the participants and entertaining to the audience, but I think the subject which I am endeavoring to present is worthy of calm and serious consideration.'

We can't conceive of the audience being entertained unless the disputants put on the gloves.

Louisiana Citizens Charged With Destruction of Dam.

Lake Charles, La., Oct. 9.—Charged with complicity in blowing up Mermentau Dam, protecting the lands of hundreds of rice farmers, the United States Commissioner has bound over five well known citizens. The accused are James Richard, Garriel Connor, Ernest Broussard and Luke Connor of Grand Chenier, La., and Charles Bonon of Lake Charles, La.

PROPERTY LOSSIS OVER TWO MILLION

CITY OF KEY WEST HIT HARD BY YESTERDAY'S HURRICANE STORM.

MANY WRECKS REPORTED

No Lives Known Lost in Florida, But It is Believed That Deaths are Numerous.

Key West, Fla., Oct. 12.—Key West is in the hands of the militia today and soldiers are patrolling the streets to protect property.

The estimated loss from yesterday's hurricane, to property, is reported at two-million dollars.

No lives were lost in the city, but it is feared the death list will be large along the eastern coast of the peninsula.

Between sixty and seventy-five boats of all descriptions were wrecked in the storm and there is reason to believe that many lives were lost in them.

In the city whole blocks of frame structures have been razed to the ground. Brick houses also succumbed to the gale, and the loss to the great tobacco factories and warehouses will be enormous.

Hundreds of those rendered homeless by the storm are being cared for in schools and churches and rations are being distributed by the city authorities.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—All danger to points along the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic coast from the West Indian hurricane has passed, according to the weather bureau. The disturbance is continuing with unabated force along the Gulf stream and is heading towards the Bermudas.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 12.—Reports received by the weather bureau indicate that the hurricane which swept the southeastern coast of Florida yesterday has spent its force in the neighborhood of the Bahama Islands.

Havana, Cuba, Oct. 12.—Four bodies have been discovered among the ruins of fallen homes and it is now believed that twelve lives were lost in this city during the hurricane.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 12.—Sensational reports emanating from this city telling of the loss of eight hundred lives along the coast of Florida, are discredited locally.

FINE RECORD IS BROKEN; KATY KILLS PASSENGER

The dispatch below, from Dallas, announcing a fatal wreck on the Katy near Greenville, breaks that road's long and wonderful record of never having killed a passenger. The passengers in this case were presumably riding in the caboose of the freight train into which the passenger train crashed.

The Katy's record is still a wonderful one.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 12.—Four people were killed, one man fatally injured and a score of others seriously hurt in a collision on the Katy near Greenville today.

The wreck occurred at a small watering station eight miles north of Greenville, where the freight train had stopped for water, when another carrying a crowd of carnival passengers en route to the State Fair, struck the rear end.

The dead and injured were brought to this city.

Greenville, Tex., Oct. 12.—Two negroes and two white men were killed and a white man seriously injured when two Katy trains collided at Celeste. The dead are not yet identified save one who is I. Kinney of Danville, Illinois. A. T. Madden of Mattoon, Illinois, is injured.

MCCUE JURY DISCHARGED.

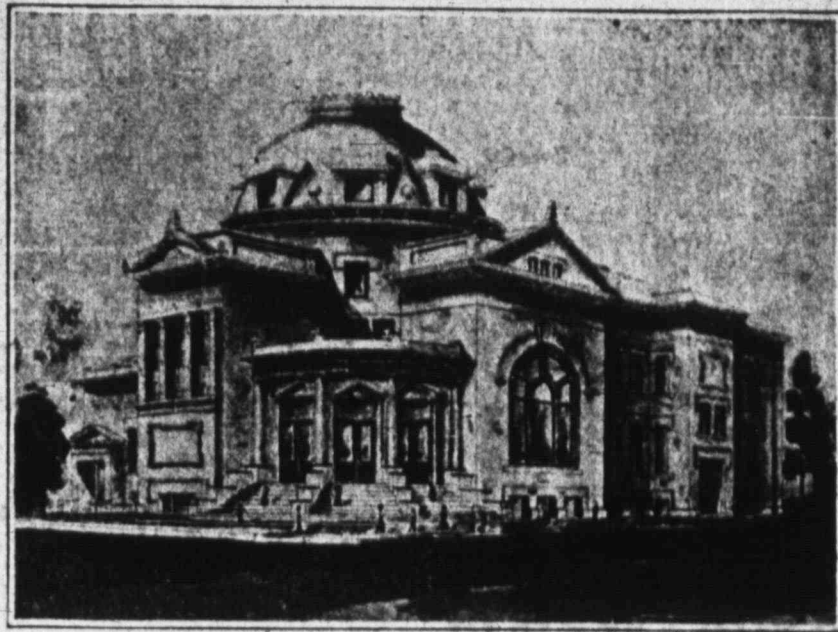
Unable to Agree After Being Out Sixty-Eight Hours.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 9.—District Judge Tom Simmons this morning discharged the jury in the Frank McCue case, it being hopelessly disagreed, eight for acquittal and four for conviction. This is McCue's third trial, charged with murdering Earl Mabry at Dallas two years ago. Each has resulted in a disagreement. The jury was out sixty-eight hours.

Irregular bowel movements breed disease in the body. You should purify and regulate the bowels by using Prickly Ash Bitters. It is mildly cathartic and strengthens the stomach, liver and kidneys.—MATER-WALKER DRUG CO., agents. 11-12

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Corner Stone of the M. E. Church, South, Laid Today



With simple but appropriate exercises, the corner stone of Wichita Falls' newest house of worship was laid this morning at 10 o'clock, in the presence of a large crowd.

The services were opened with a hymn, after which Rev. R. R. Hamlin of the Christian church invoked the Divine blessing on the ceremony. This was followed by another hymn and Rev. J. L. McKee of the Presbyterian church led in prayer. Rev. J. E. Roach then read several passages from the Scriptures and after another hymn, the stone was swung into its position.

Underneath the block was placed a small metal box, containing a copy of the church's discipline, the New Testament, a bird's eye view of the city of Wichita Falls, a copy of the Nashville Advocate and also of the Texas

Advocate, a copy of the minutes of the North Texas M. E. Conference and the official membership roll of the church.

Rev. H. A. Boaz, president of Polytechnic college of Fort Worth laid the corner stone and delivered the address. In his remarks he dwelt upon the significance of the occasion and expressed the hope that the cause might continue to prosper in its new home.

The exercises closed with the doxology by the congregation and the benediction by Rev. R. E. Farley.

Among the out of town ministers attending were Rev. H. A. Boaz of Fort Worth; Rev. J. E. Roach of Bowie, presiding elder for this district; Rev. J. B. Wages of Bowie, and Rev. McCall a Presbyterian minister of Gainesville.

REPORT ON COTTON FOR THIS SECTION

OVER THIRTY THOUSAND BALES GINNED UP TO THE FIRST OF THIS MONTH.

SHOWING IS EXCELLENT

Wichita County Stands Fifth In North West Texas in the Number of Bales.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Archer	789
Baylor	671
Childress	737
Clay	5069
Cottle	88
Donley	97
Foard	671
Hall	440
Hardeman	1412
Haskell	189
Knox	1184
Montague	5729
Motley	42
Wichita	1891
Wilbarger	1909
Wise	5854
Young	1597

Above is the report by counties of the number of bales of cotton ginned in Northwest Texas during the present season, the total for the seventeen counties above mentioned being about thirty thousand bales. There are about one hundred and eighty gins in the counties listed.

Wise county leads for Northwest Texas, with nearly six thousand bales ginned up to October first; Montague County is second and Clay County third, the crops being larger the further south one goes.

In many of these Northwestern counties, cotton raising is in its infancy, some of the counties having raised their first cotton only last year. Considering this fact, the above showing is a very creditable one.

Wichita County is fifth in the list, which is a good showing, considering that this county is one of the smallest in this section of the state. The showing for the season is now considerably above the total in the figures above.

The Wit of the Backwoods.

From the Kansas City Star.

A traveler on a ramshackle train in Arkansas had often heard of the wit of the natives. When a stop was made at Yellville he heard a sample. Here it is word for word:

Smart drummer in coach to boy on platform—Pretty good town son?

Son—Better'n Jenks' Mill.

Drummer—Ever been to Jenks' Mill?

Son—Naw.

Drummer—Why don't you go?

Son—Wouldn't be any place if you did go.

Drummer—Say, you're a smart kid, ain't you?

Son—That's what dad says.

At this point the conductor—a northerner—interfered. 'Better watch out mister,' he said. 'You'll have Jimmie and his gang on you in a minute.'

The drummer subsided.

FALL CAMPAIGN IS TO BEGIN SHORTLY

FARMERS' MEETINGS AT POINTS IN COUNTY WILL BE HELD BY EXPERTS.

PEANUTS OR BROOM CORN

All Farmers Will Be Urged to Plant One or Other—Good Market is Assured.

More peanuts and more broomcorn will be raised on the farms of Wichita county next year if the campaign that is to be waged by the Chamber of Commerce this fall is successful.

Sometime in the next few weeks, Secretary Gohlke, and Messrs. Quick-sall and McConkey of the Department of Agriculture, will make a tour of the county with a view to introducing new methods and to inspect the results of the campaign that was carried on last year.

Mr. Quicksall will discuss early fall plowing and seed selection with the farmers and will point out the necessity of following these ideas. J. L. McConkey will advocate hog-raising and forage crops and will work along these lines.

Mr. Gohlke will urge the raising of more peanuts and more broomcorn. He has the promise of local concerns to take all the local crop in either of these products and farmers who agree to raise them need have no fear that there will be no market. The candy factory here will use all the peanuts Wichita county farmers can raise and the broom factory is willing to contract at once for next year's crop.

Meetings are to be held at various points over the country by the above gentlemen and all farmers will be invited to attend. Special emphasis is to be laid on the peanut and broom corn feature and figures will be submitted showing the cost of the production of each and the revenue from the harvested crop.

BREAKS RECORD AGAIN.

Wilbur Wright Establishes New Standard for Speed.

College Park, Md., Oct. 9.—With practically a dead calm, Wilbur Wright today broke the world's record for speed in his aeroplane over the 500-metre course, his time being fifty-eight and three-fifths seconds.

Wright attained a speed of forty-six miles an hour for the distance.

Real Estate Transfers.

N. C. McIntyre to Kemp and Kell, lot No. 7, in block No. 174, city; \$3740. Floral Heights Realty Co. to W. H. McAbee, all of fractional block No. 39; \$400.

Marriage Licenses.

T. E. Stinson and Olive Sowell, both of this city. Jake Corbin and Estelle Pace, city. Tom King and Ethel Carpenter, of Byers.

NEGROES DEMAND SEATS AT DINNER

INSIST UPON BEING PRESENT AT TAFT BANQUET AT PASADENA, CAL.

IT IS UP TO PRESIDENT

Entertainment Committee Refers the Question to Him For His Consideration.

Pasadena, Cal., Oct. 9.—A very disagreeable setting has been given the occasion of the president's visit here on October 12, by the demand of a committee representing the Afro-American League, that two negroes be given seats at the banquet which will be tendered the chief executive.

Chairman Toof of the entertainment committee has referred the matter to the executive committee and they have decided to call upon the president or some member of his party to decide the question. This places him in a very embarrassing position, and it is impossible to conjecture what his attitude will be.

Glacier Point, Cal., Oct. 9.—Coming to Glacier Point yesterday afternoon President Taft and Party arrived at the brink of the chasm just in time to catch the beautiful effect of the sunset. Luncheon was served today at the Sentinel Hotel.

A sixteen-mile drive is required to take the president out of the park this afternoon to Elportal, where he will board the train tomorrow morning. A tremendous bonfire was lighted on an overhanging rock in honor of the president last night and was visible for miles.

RESIGNS TO COME HERE.

Rev. J. P. Boone Gives Up His Fort Worth Charge.

From the Fort Worth Record.

Rev. J. P. Boone, Jr., pastor of the Kentucky Avenue Baptist church, last night tendered to that congregation his resignation in order that he may be free to accept a call to the pastorate of the First Baptist church of Wichita Falls. He will preach his first sermon to his new charge Oct. 24, though he will not move from Fort Worth until he has aided the church he is leaving in securing a successor to himself.

There was considerable emotion at the service last night and the church refused to act upon the resignation at the time. They consented to pass upon it Wednesday night, however, and, as Mr. Boone will insist that it be accepted, the congregation will acquiesce though it is known that his members will take that action with reluctance. The retiring pastor leaves the church upon very short notice and he assured those at the meeting that his course was dictated only by a sense of duty to the interests of the cause he represents.

The work of the church is in a flourishing condition. Only a few weeks ago the members decided to build an entirely modern and commodious house of worship and plans had been laid for this work. During Mr. Boone's ministry of two and one-half years the membership of the church has grown from 250 to 455, the pastor has baptized 150 converts in that time, a thoroughly graded Sunday school has been developed and the congregation has not only enlarged its house of worship considerably, but has also erected a comfortable parsonage at a cost of \$2,500.

Rev. Mr. Boone is secretary of the General Pastors' association of this city.

DAY AT FREDERICK.

Alleged Rape Victim Caught—Smooth Cotton Thief Caught.

Frederick, Oct. 12.—Deputy Sheriff Ed May departed this morning for Springfield, Mo., to bring to this city Walter Murry who is wanted here to answer to a charge of rape, which was committed in Manitou about a month and a half ago. When the rape occurred Murry left Manitou and was suspected of committing the deed. Officers began to work on the case and Deputy May was notified by wire that Murry was being held by officials at Springfield, and he will be brought back here to answer the charge. Murry is 21 and the girl is 16.

CONSUMPTION CHEATS GALLOWS.

Negro Under Death Sentence Dies of Tuberculosis.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 8.—Walter West, one of the negroes under death sentence for the murder of Frank Walford, a white farmer near here in November, died of consumption this forenoon in the county jail here.

Marriage Licenses.

J. N. Frotho, Wichita Falls, and Miss Ruby Holland, Big Sandy, Tex. Adron Sparks and Bessie Merrell, both of Wichita Falls.

PERSONAL MENTION

From Tuesday's Daily. Ed Orr left for Bowie today on a business trip. Chas. Brank went to Fort Worth today on business. W. M. Hutton is confined to his room with a severe cold. Mrs. D. S. Wolf of Archer City, is visiting Mrs. J. S. Downing. Rev. J. S. McKee of this city, has returned from the Presbytery at Tulsa. D. M. Perkins, of the Wichita Flour Mills, went to Bowie today on business. Miss Holden of Fort Worth, is visiting with Mrs. J. A. Thornton of this city. Miss Johnson of this city, left for Fort Worth today to visit friends for a few days. R. P. Haney, editor of the Byers Searchlight, was in the city today on business. Miss Ethel Forgy of Grandfield, Ok., is visiting Mrs. Dan. Hardy, at 807 2th street. Bert Michael of Fort Worth, is in the city looking after his property near the lake. Will Walker and Bob Tweedy, prominent farmers of the Byers neighborhood, were in the city today. Mrs. E. L. Dickerson of Henry, Tenn. who has been visiting relatives in the city, left for her home today. Little Miss Mary Jourdan left for Dallas today, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Dr. Young for about two weeks. Miss Jewell Kemp left today for Dallas, where she will visit her sister, Miss Flora who is attending St. Mary's Academy. T. J. Rutledge and Jim Keiso, prominent citizens from Fayetteville, Tenn. are in the city prospecting. These gentlemen are well pleased with Wichita Falls and surrounding country, and it is very probably that they will locate here in the near future.

From Thursday's Daily. Mr. Wyatt of Byers, was in the city today on business. Miss Beattie Cochran left today for Byers to visit friends. James King of Gainesville, was in the city today on business. M. J. Tolbert of Petrolia, was here today transacting business. B. B. Woodall returned today from a business trip to Fort Worth. Miss Rosie Stewart of Fort Worth, is visiting friends in the city. J. C. Doneghy, the land man, returned yesterday from Muscogee. Mrs. Ira Drake of Paducah, arrived in the city today to visit relatives. R. H. Joyce returned this evening from his ranch near Memphis, Texas. R. P. Haynes, a prominent citizen of Amarillo, passed through the city today. C. Jones of this city, left today for Bowie, to visit his parents for several days. Mr. Murphy of Murphy & Long, arrived in the city today from Cleburne, Tex. Mrs. J. D. Zook returned this afternoon from a visit with relatives at Fort Worth. Miss Hallie Mae Hauser of Fort Worth, is in the city the guest of friends. Mrs. Julia A. Tomb of Clarendon, is in the city the guest of her cousin, W. W. Brown and family. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn of Jackboro, who have been visiting friends in the city, left for home today. Mrs. B. F. Costlen left today for Clarksville, where she will visit her brother, R. N. Jordan. James Smith and family of Seymour, were in the city today on their way to visit friends at Bowie. M. H. Martin, a prominent citizen of Clarinda, Iowa, is in the city looking after business interests.



Mater-Walker DRUG COMPANY

General Manager Van Bruist of the city railway, left today for New York, in the interest of his company. Mrs. J. W. Dowlen of Iowa Park, who has been visiting Mrs. J. A. Denton of this city, returned home today. A. M. Crawford and family of Byers, were in the city today, en route to Seattle, Wash., where they will reside in the future. Mrs. E. L. Holloway and daughter Mrs. E. M. Perkins, of Petrolia, were among the local visitors in the city today. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hull and Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Cook returned this evening from their visit with relatives near Thornberry. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ford who have been visiting in the city for about ten days, returned to their home at Abilene today. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coffield of Bowie, who have been in the city, the guests of Dr. S. T. Coffield and family, and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Perkins, left this evening for Knox City, to visit Mrs. Coffield's relatives. Miss May Howard of Chillicothe, passed through the city today en route to Whitesboro. R. J. Harris, a business man from Frederick, Okla., was here today en route to Seymour to look after his property interests. Miss Osborne, who has been stenographer for Bridwell & Jackson, left today for Old Mexico, where she will reside in the future. W. J. Dunklin and family, who have been making their home near this city, left today for Vernon, where they will reside in the future. W. T. Waggoner, a prominent banker of Fort Worth, was in the city today, en route to Electra to look after his extensive land interests. E. H. Maxwell of Durant, Okla., who has been visiting his brother, J. L. Maxwell of this city, left today for Port Aler, N. M., to visit friends. Mr. and Mrs. A. Zundelowitz, after a pleasant visit of six or seven months in Europe, arrived home last night. They had a most delightful trip, but are glad to get home again. Mrs. A. A. Morehead, accompanied by her little granddaughter, Miss Miriam Riddels, is visiting in Oklahoma, and they will visit several Texas points before their return to this city. Rev. R. E. Farley, pastor of the First Methodist church, who has been conducting a ten-days' revival at Mabledean, closed his meeting yesterday, having received sixteen accessions into his church.

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THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Table with market data for Cotton (Liverpool, New York, Orleans), Chicago Grain Market, and More Sidewalks Going Down.

Home of Good Clothes



THE FACTS

It's a fact that the road to prosperity is paved with good clothes and is most easily trod by men and women who always dress in becoming attire. It never pays to economize to the point of looking poorly or carelessly dressed. Our Fall garments for Men, Boys, Ladies and Children are very reasonably priced and our good clothes are easily within the reach of any purse. Our garments are handsome, good looking, well tailored and splendid fabrics. We're an Open Door to Clothes Excellence and Clothes Economy and are at Your Service

KAHN'S

Corner 8th Street and Indiana Avenue

with fresh milk. Sticking a piece of chewing gum in the upper left hand corner of the right ear would slaughter just as many germs. You can't kill the germs that cause catarrh unless you get where they are. You can get where the germs are by breathing Hyomel, the powerful, yet soothing antiseptic, which is prepared especially to kill catarrh germs. Just breathe it in, that's all. It gives joyful relief in five minutes. It is guaranteed by Mater-Walker Drug Company to cure catarrh, or money back. It is sold by leading druggists everywhere. A complete outfit, including inhaler, costs \$1.00. Extra bottles, 50c. Cures sore throat, coughs and colds. 'I take especial pride in recommending Hyomel to asthmatic sufferers, as I know by experience that it is a remedy that cures. I have not since using Hyomel had any recurrence of asthma.'—Mrs. Wm. Burton, Owosso, Mich., June 22, 1909. HASKELL WANTS NEW DEPOT. Application Argued Yesterday Before Railroad Commission. The application of the city of Has-

kell, on the Wichita Valley, for a new depot was heard yesterday before the railroad commission, which took the matter under advisement. Arguments for the new depot were presented by S. W. Scott, J. Murchison and C. D. Long. General Attorney M. A. Spoons former Superintendent Maer, H. G. McConnell and F. G. Alexander contended that the present structure was ample for present needs, or would be, with some improvements. The application of Bowie for better Rock Island depot facilities, was also heard yesterday. ALLEGED CRACKSMEN IN JAIL AT DENTON TODAY. Denton, Tex., Oct. 13.—Ed Cisco and Charles Marshall, two alleged cracksmen, who have been arrested in connection with the Lewisville bank robbery Sunday night. They refuse to expose their alleged accomplices. Sheriff Orr and deputies are searching along numerous trails from Hebron where Cisco and Marshall were captured, and sixteen hundred dollars in gold has been recovered.

HAS BEEN RE-CALLED. Rev. J. P. Boone May Not Accept Wichita Falls Pastorate. Rev. J. P. Boone of Fort Worth, who has been called to the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of this city, and who resigned his Fort Worth pulpit to accept, has been re-called by his congregation there. His resignation was accepted by the church there, but when the time came to elect a successor, his name was put up and he was elected. The earnestness of the Fort Worth congregation in asking him to remain there has led him to reconsider the matter and he will make a final decision next Saturday. TRAGEDY NEAR DECATUR. Ben Burnett Kills Father-in-Law at Paradise. Texas News Service Special. Paradise, Tex., Oct. 13.—Ben Burnett, aged thirty, shot and instantly killed W. T. Klepper, aged forty-five, his father-in-law, this morning, at the home of Dill Lindsey here. Burnett fled across the country to Decatur, where he surrendered. He pleads self-defense. Burnett recently separated from his wife.

What the Other Fellow Said---

A salesman for the largest (and best) cocoa manufacturer in the United States was trying to sell us a bill of cocoa. We asked him how his goods compared with Van Houten's. His answer was: "We have a right good piece of goods, of course it is not as good as Van Houten's, if it was we would get as much money for it as he does." For his honesty we bought a bill. It was good cocoa, but not in the Van Houten class. If you wish to know how good Van Houten's cocoa is, go to W. B. McClurkan's dry goods store any time during the next three days, and you will be served with a cup free of charge. If you like it give the lady in charge an order or 'phone the order to our store, and we will deliver the goods. Lots of people think they don't like cocoa. It is because they used the wrong kind.

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