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## VALLEY OF BULLETS

### PAJANIC AT GUN CLUB TOURNAMENT.

### JUVENIL SPORTSMEN

#### Juvenile Sportsmen Fire at Tin Case With Winchesters.

A scene of wild panic prevailed at the shooting grounds near the club's shooting grounds near the club this afternoon, when a volley of bullets pelted into the stand. The stand was filled with spectators watching the closing event of the three day shooting tournament.

The bullets came apparently from the sky and in all about six seconds tearing through the stands, causing a scene of wild confusion and through the efforts of more than a dozen persons to seek cover behind the boxes in the stand and the spectators.

The volley lasted only a few seconds when the bullets stopped tearing through the stand it was found that one man had been hit and that several others had been nipped by the leaden missiles.

Wilson, a bartender at John's saloon, was the only man who was wounded and was bleeding profusely from a bullet wound in the left leg. He was placed in a buggy and driven at once to a physician's office.

A 12-year old boy, had a bullet tearing through his collar, but not breaking the skin. Another bullet struck the heel of Clifford's shoe, and another made a hole through a spectator's trousers.

The spectators scattered quickly after the volley and some of them attempted to find the source of the bullets. Following the range of the tin case, Herman Hardesty came upon a small boy with rifles, in the bed of a lake about two hundred yards from the shooting stands. The boy started to run at his approach, but was soon overhauled. They produced a You Courtney and Dick Miller named youth being a son of J. F. Courtney of the Valley and the other being a carpenter. Both boys were about 12 years of age and each had a 22-calibre repeating Winchester rifle. They protested their innocence of any harmful purpose and that they did not know the stands were within range of their shots.

They were shooting from the bed of a tin can set up on the bank and could not see from where they stood. The boys were taken before Justice and who found from the evidence that they were fired with no malice and they were dismissed with a reprimand for their carelessness. The boys stated that they had the guns from a local dealer.

The man who was wounded was taken to Dr. ... where the bullet was removed from his back. The shot entered at the side of the shoulder and had been deflected by striking the shoulder blade.

Another Show. The show do not fall on the tiding beds. They are as strong as the galle and as strong as the ... They are moving at the ... day. Respectfully,  
W. F. JOURDAN FURN. CO.

### Prizes for First and Second Bales.

S. N. Lawler, the cotton weigher, is circulating a subscription list this evening for the purpose of raising a bonus to be given the parties who bring to Wichita Falls this season the first and second bales of new cotton.

Mr. Lawler started to circulate the list at 10 o'clock this morning and at 4 o'clock this evening \$63 had been subscribed. He will continue to solicit subscriptions until some time tomorrow, and then turn the list over to the Times for publication.

At Arlington, Texas, on Sunday night, Daniel B. Hearing, a teamster, killed Dr. R. C. Deshayz, by striking him in the head with an axe while the doctor was sleeping on a cot in the home of Hearing. He says he is justified in the killing by the unwritten law, and his statement is substantiated by a pack of letters found on the dead man, written to him by Hearing's wife, in reply to letters received from him. He has surrendered to the authorities of Tarrant county.

A man who claims to be a striking telegraph operator from Chicago, who, with several companions, has been in Wichita Falls for several days holding high revelry, is wearing a bandage about his head as a result of an altercation in a saloon here yesterday afternoon with a local railroad man. An argument in which the participants were engaged grew so heated that beer bottles were brought into play and the operator came out the worse.

For the first time since the strike began the wires at Quanah, Vernon and Wichita Falls were working this morning and a few messages were received through the Dallas office at these places. The strike situation in the towns along the Fort Worth and Denver is growing better so far as service is concerned and it is expected that service will gradually be resumed in these towns.

Yesterday afternoon Sheriff Davis arrested a woman of uncertain character here, who is wanted in Fort Worth to answer a charge of theft. Fort Worth officers are expected here today to take the woman to that city, where she will be given trial.

### NOTICE

To Members of First Baptists Church of Wichita Falls.

Tonight after prayer meeting the question of calling a pastor will be considered.

You are requested to be present.

Change of program at the Majestic tonight.

## AN EVEN BREAK EACH TOOK A GAME

The Wichita Falls team romped all over the Byers boys in the first game yesterday afternoon and at the end of the swatting bee the score stood something like 18 to 5 in favor of the locals, the Byers team being able to score only after the Wichita players had worn themselves out in chasing around the bases.

In the second game, played this morning, the Byers sluggers started off in better form and won from their over-confident opponents by a score of 11 to 10.

The concluding game of the series is now in progress at the ball park.

True Unto Death at the Majestic tonight.

## COMPLETE THE DEAL

COLORADO & SOUTHERN TAKES FINAL STEPS TO COMPLETE BIG SYSTEM.

## ORIN JUNG. TO DENVER

Arrangements Made to Convert Break Closing Up the Gap in the Great Line.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 27.—The Colorado and Southern railroad has closed contracts and deals for traffic arrangements and finished construction work which practically completes the deal of the builders of the road for a big North and South system. A traffic arrangement between that road and Union Pacific has been entered into whereby the Colorado and Southern will connect trains direct from Orin Junction to Denver, beginning September 1st.

Construction on the Trinity and Brazos Valley road in Texas, owned by the Colorado and Southern, has been completed and through trains between Denver and Galveston will be put in operation on October 1st. Through traffic arrangements between the Colorado and Southern and the Frisco system have been made whereby, beginning January 1st, the roads will operate through trains from Denver to New Orleans. These details have opened the way whereby after the first of the year the Colorado and Southern will operate a system extending from Orin Junction, Wyo., to Galveston, Texas, and New Orleans.

## WICHITA RESERVE IS FIRE SWEEPED

Three very destructive fires have visited the Wichita forest reserve, which is soon to be changed in the National Game preserve, within the past three weeks and after burning their way through the forest and prairies were finally extinguished.

At the time of the first conflagration six or seven thousand acres in the heart of the forest were swept bare of its foliage. This fire did its damage one mile east of the home of the forester.

Saturday evening a fire was discovered in the western part of the preserve and before the flames were extinguished nearly seven hundred acres of fine hay land was ruined for the season. The other fires were in the eastern part of the reserve.

No other regulation of forest provisions are more often violated than that of setting or leaving fires burning on or near the reserve. In this manner many of the fires which play havoc with the government property, grown and cared for after many long years of hard labor, are started. Lawton Democrat.

### Ladies, Attention.

Tomorrow, Thursday, our Mr. Bennett will be here, representing the largest importers of high grade art in the United States. Our store will be one immense picture gallery all day long. Come and see these pictures whether you wish to purchase or not. Very Respectfully,  
92-11 W. F. JOURDAN FURN. CO.

Let all attend the prayer meeting this evening at 8:30. Rev. J. M. Minton will be there to aid in the service. A. J. Bush, pastor.

### TAYLOR IS IMMUNE.

Beckham Writes State's Counsel in the Matter of Former Official's Probable Return.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 27.—In a letter addressed today to Commonwealth Attorney Robert B. Franklin of this city, chief prosecuting counsel for the State in the Goebel murder cases, Gov. Beckham assures that official of his co-operation with him in seeing that William S. Taylor is protected from arrest and allowed to return to the State of Indiana. The Governor's letter to the Commonwealth Attorney reads as follows:

"To Hon. Robert B. Franklin, Commonwealth Attorney: Dear Sir:—In response to your communication of August 15th in reference to the matter of assuring William S. Taylor immunity from arrest in the event of his coming to Kentucky to testify in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Calen Powers, I wish to say to you that in every way possible I shall co-operate with you in seeing that said Taylor, if he comes to testify, shall be protected from arrest and allowed to return to Indiana. There is not the slightest question that I, as Governor, and you, as Commonwealth Attorney of the district in which he is indicted, can absolutely insure him such immunity from arrest, and a return to Indiana. You may, therefore, rely implicitly on my aid, if needed, to carry out your assurance to him of this immunity. Very respectfully yours,  
J. W. C. BECKHAM,  
Governor of Kentucky.

### Religious Notes.

The meeting being held at Kemp's school house is developing a good degree of interest and all are rejoicing. We have secured a great tent that will accommodate 1,500 people for our meeting in the city, which begins on September 8th. We have one of the best preachers in the South to do the preaching and our song leader is the equal of the best in his line. Let all get ready for this meeting. We hope to have the best meeting ever held in Wichita Falls. Come and join us in making it thus. All the singers of all the churches are cordially invited to join our chorus choir. We hope to have no less than one hundred voices in this choir. We will announce by Sunday just the location of the tent. Let all get ready for this feast of good things. Remember the date, September 8th. A. J. BUSH, Pastor.

The ladies of the Christian church will serve ice cream and cake on the court house lawn Friday evening of this week, beginning at 8 o'clock. Cream and cake, 15 cents. Everyone invited. 91-41

The Big Show is COMING TOMORROW

The Big Sells-Floto Shows will reach Wichita Falls early tomorrow morning, coming down from Vernon, where the show exhibits today and tonight, over the Denver.

Upon the arrival of their special trains the work of unloading the menagerie and paraphernalia will at once begin and the big tents will be put up across Crescent Lake from the court house. The street parade will be given at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. After the close of the performance tomorrow night the show will be loaded and will leave for Henrietta, where they will exhibit Friday.

## TROUBLE ON WIRES

COMPANIES THREATEN TO PROSECUTE RAILROAD OPERATORS FOR ALLEGED TAMPERING.

## ARRESTS ARE EXPECTED

Western Union Said to Have Conducted Secret Investigation of the Matter.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 27.—Criminal prosecution of railroad telegraph operators who are out of sympathy with the striking commercial men causing "trouble" on the wires is threatened by officials of the telegraph companies. The Western Union Company, which is the greatest sufferer in this respect, has been secretly conducting an investigation, and a number of arrests are expected at any time.

Superintendent T. P. Cook of the Western Union declared today that a detective would be placed in every office in the country, if the interference with the wires assumes such proportions as to make that course necessary. The Western Union controls the wires on practically every railroad in the country and its commercial business in many instances goes through the railroad offices. Since the beginning of the strike it is said that trouble with the wires has caused more inconvenience than for the lack of operators. While he was unwilling to admit that there was any serious interruption to business, Mr. Cook said an investigation was under way and some of the alleged guilty parties might find themselves in an embarrassing position before long. He would not say where he expected arrests to be made, but declared that the statutes on the subject were strict and that the company was not asleep in the matter.

At union headquarters the strike leaders disclaimed any responsibility for the trouble. "There is more or less wire trouble under the most favorable conditions," said Secretary Wesley Russell. "The Western Union ordinarily employs from thirty to forty men in its Chicago office, whose business is to look out for wire trouble. Since the strike was called, there are four men who are trying to do the work there. Many test offices are closed by reason of the strike, which further complicates matters. We have issued orders to our members not to meddle with the wires in any way, and the officers of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers have issued similar orders to their members."

The wires of the Postal Company do not run along the railroads, with the exception of the Santa Fe and the Pennsylvania roads. On the former railroad the telegraphers are not organized.

Superintendent Capen of the Postal Company said he was not having any trouble with the wires. On the Rock Island and other railroads within the last few days the wires have in some mysterious manner gone out of commission when important business was in the course of transmission. In many of the railroad stations the wires of the Western Union are cut through, but in others the pulling of a plug will put a wire out of commission. Nearly every State in the country has stringent laws bearing on the interference with telegraph wires.

If you want 5-lb coffee for a dollar, try King & White's Golden State. d&w-12

Pointers on Fishing in Texas.

And wherein is the man worse for preferring to sit on a bank with a fishing pole than a man who wants to do a turn at the saw buck? State Press asks with deliberation, would the editor of the Monitor prefer the sawbuck to a fishing pole as a recreation? Knowing that editor, State Press has no hesitation in saying that he would rather hold two fishing poles in his hands all day long than to saw one measley little stick into stove wood. State Press is a person who loves to fish. He has fished ever since he was able to bend a pin hook. His father considered the sport as calculated to destroy a boy's worth when he was a boy and to finally bring him to a disgraceful end. He thought that the real plan for the enjoyment of the boy was in the field with a hoe in his hand. He thought that life and the making of money was too serious a matter for fishing to be considered at all. The result was that State Press was never able to get a real fish hook till he worked in the tobacco patch to get the money to buy it. And it was about as happy a day as he ever experienced when he bought and concealed his genuine "limerick" as the box it came from was marked. He has found, after years of devotion to the sport, that more real intelligence, more patience and more industry are required to be a first class angler than is required to make laws, write for newspapers or farm.

More than this, fishing develops the mind. It is morally and intellectually elevating. For, when fishing, the mind is employed in abstractions and theorizing, and without this employment it becomes narrow and mean. The man

who thinks he can make money, or how he can do any other single certain thing, in the end has sold his mind to that thing. But when one fishes he thinks of all things. He rereads his stories. He travels with the travelers all over the world. He preaches from the texts which he has heard preached from. He decants on morals, on social problems, on economic questions, and he does it to a person interested, that is, himself. The Mineola Monitor man shows by his remarks that he knows nothing of even the science of fishing not to mention the effect of it on a man's development.

He speaks of a fisherman sitting and holding a pole. Does the editor spoken of know that this is a way of fishing which is of the lowest order? Does he know that a man fishing this way always gets the smallest string of fish? The expert fisherman does not wait for the fish to swim his way. He knows that the best fish, such as the bass in our waters, are what might be termed a local fish and that they rarely move, in the normal condition of the water, over an area of more than forty or fifty feet. With fly or bait, he seeks the locality of the bass. He does not sit on the bank and wait for it to come, because he knows that it will be a strange event if it should come. Of course, where fish are very abundant this does not apply, because the greater area they cover.

Then again, the expert fisherman must know something about entomology. The insect is the natural food of most fish. A bass, say, will take a dark fly, like the cricket, late in the summer or early fall and will not touch it in the spring or early middle summer. The bass will eat up a

**WICHITA FALLS**  
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On Wednesday, Sept. 4

I will sell at public sale the following described property:  
8 Mules; 8 Horses; 4 Binders; 4 Drills;  
2 California Plows; 3 Disc Plows, and 20 head of Cattle (Cows and Heifers), and various other farming tools, implements and household goods too numerous to here make mention of.

Sale will take place at my farm two miles west of Wichita Falls, beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning.

## Terms of Sale:

All sums of \$10.00 and over a credit of six months, interest at seven per cent. will be given on approved security. All sums under \$10.00 will be sold for cash. A discount of seven per cent. will be made on all purchases paid for in full at sale which amount to more than \$10.00

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# Special Notice!

On Sept. 1st we will adopt a cash system. Owing high prices of stock and high rents we are forced to take this course. Thanking the public for their liberal patronage and soliciting a continuance of same, promising in return courteous treatment and efficient service, we beg to remain  
Yours for business,

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"red ibis" in the spring and will turn from it in disgust in August. In August it will greedily take the "yellow Sally," when in July it will take nothing but the "coachman" or the Parmachee Belle." The reason for this is that nature has provided bugs and insects for food for the fish, and certain kinds or classes of bugs come at different times. The fish, in feeding, live up to the rules laid down by nature for their guidance. State Press speaks here of only our game fish, the bass. He could, if space would permit, tell of the habits of other fish and their peculiarities. But he will deist and merely say that the person, who talks of a man sitting on the banks and fishing all day is speaking of the man to whom the bullhead cat, or the buffalo or the carp is an exquisite fish, and who loves either better when cold than when hot from the frying pan or the gridiron.—W. G. Sterrett, in Dallas News.

### Donley County Apples.

MR. W. M. Crow, five miles north of Memphis, has one of the best apple farms, perhaps the finest, in the State. The trees have been bearing only three or four years and still they have immense crops of fine apples this year. They have gathered eighteen bushels from some trees, and they will average as much as fifteen bushels per tree.—Hall County Herald.

At a meeting of the Galveston labor council last night it was decided to levy an assessment of 10 cents per member per week on every labor organization in Galveston for the aid of the striking telegraphers.

Don't forget King & White. d&w

# TO MAKE ROOM

We will make some very Strong Cuts throughout our store for next week

## Commencing Monday, August 5th,

And continuing for the week. The prices made must be accompanied by the cash

All our 10 1/4c Lawns sale price	5c	<b>SKIRTS.</b> We offer the following reductions in Ladies Skirts: Lot 1 consists of several styles. \$5.00, former price, reduced to	<b>\$2 50</b>
All our 12 1/4c Lawns sale price	6 1/4c		All \$4.50 Skirts go in sale at
All our 15c Lawns sale price	7 1/2c	All \$4.00 Skirts go in sale at	<b>\$2 00</b>
All our 20c Lawns sale price	10c	All \$3.50 Skirts go in sale at	<b>\$1 75</b>
All our 25c Lawns sale price	12 1/2c	All \$3.00 Skirts go in sale at	<b>\$1 50</b>
All our 25c Tishu Ging-hams	12 1/2c	The prices on these lots of goods are less than the price of the raw material.	
All our 65c Tishu Ging-hams	32 1/2c		
All our 65c Silk Ging-hams	32 1/2c		

Many other reductions in these departments.

A lot of odds and ends in Men's Suits and pants at half the marked price. Many new goods in early fall purchasing are now arriving. Hence we make these sacrificing prices in order to make room.

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General Grant believed in dreams. Nelson, the English naval hero, always carried a horseshoe with him into battle.

Von Moltke, the hardy old German general, would never begin a battle on a Friday.

Prince Bismarck of Germany would never sit down to a dinner with thirteen at the table.

President Davis of the Confederacy believed that the presence of children brought him luck.

James G. Blaine would never turn back to re-enter his home even if he had forgotten something.

The father of Nicholas II. of Russia guided his actions by the advice of an American spirit medium.

Admiral Farragut says he used to be guided by a still, small voice which told him what to do in battles.

The ameer of Afghanistan, the sultans of Morocco and Zanzibar and the khedive of Egypt all maintain official astrologers.

### A Timely Present.

A certain colored gentleman recently saluted a large colored lady of the Amazonian type in the following language:

"Yuh's lookin' mighty fascinatin' this evenin', Sal."

Sal hauled off and knocked him down. Then, looking him out of an inclination to get up, she said, "Now, yuh jest lay thar till I goes an' finds out what dat word 'fascinatin'' means!"

Next day the aforesaid colored gentleman presented the said Sal with a copy of Webster's Dictionary, saying, "I might want ter salute yuh ag'in, so jes please look up the meanin' of some of these heah complimentation terms."

Sal promptly refused to accept the present upon the ground that one would have to know the word in order to look it up.—New York Times.

### Comparatively Lucky.

A young woman settlement worker who is well known in Boston's social circles observed that one of her proteges had a black eye, and, guessing its source, she wished to be sympathetic and said kindly, after speaking of the woman's eye: "Never mind, Mrs. Mc—, everything will be all right. Your troubles might be worse."

"Sure it might be worse," answered the woman philosophically. "I might be like yourself, Miss, with no husband at all!"—Boston Record.

### AGAINST ICE CREAM SUPPERS.

Archbishop Glennon Scores Plan of Raising Money for Churches.

Archbishop Glennon, in his dedicatory sermon at the new Church of the Blessed Sacrament, King's highway and Northland avenue, yesterday expressed disapproval of the raising of money for the erection of churches by giving ice cream suppers and dancing parties.

He declared that church building and maintenance was a duty that should be met by the parishioner in accordance with the dignity of the responsibility.

"Some build churches by dancing," the prelate said, "others by giving ice cream parties, suppers, picnics and various other means by which people are cajoled and humored into giving. I do not like the sideways and byways of getting money for worthy causes.

"The only way in which to properly build a church is for the parishioner to estimate its cost and pay for it, not by giving 10 cents for a dish of ice cream and 5 cents to the church.

"You cannot serve God and Mammon.

"If you can afford to spend 15 cents it were better if you gave this sum to the church directly."—St. Louis Republic.

### Where There Are No Strikes.

In the land of industrial peace, which knows neither strikes nor lockouts, where there are no interruptions to business by wage disputes, exasperating inconveniences to the general public, rioting, feuds between labor and capital, or heavy financial losses to both employer and employe from ever-recurring trades union disputes—in happy New Zealand—compulsory arbitration has solved the problem which is so serious a menace to our prosperity. With the New Zealand plan in force in this country there would be no strike of telegraph operators, nor any other kind of strike.

If the operators believed there were entitled to more wages they would present a demand to the company. If refused, they would take the matter to the arbitration court, which would summon both sides for a hearing. The evidence is presented. If necessary, the books of the company are brought into court. The finding is made and for the next two years the scale of wages thus established will be maintained. Not a day's work has been lost. Business has not been disturbed. There has been no throwing of bricks, or calling out of militia. Both sides are under heavy penalties to abide by the decision. Jail awaits either employer or wage earner who refuses to do so.

Besides the local conciliation boards there is a general arbitration court. Under certain restrictions, application may be made direct to the higher body. The labor union is made to perform a definite function in the government. Business is on a sounder, safer basis. The people are contented. There are no anarchistic appeals to class hatred in New Zealand. Happy land!—Los Angeles News.

There never was a better time in the world to look after the roads. There will soon be the cry going up from the farmers to the effect that they can't get here on account of the roads and the numerous mudholes. There are several mudholes near Bonham that have been very costly to the town. One man estimates that a chain of mudholes out north of town have cost the city thousands upon thousands of dollars in trade and traffic. If that be so, then why not get in after those mudholes?—Bonham Herald.

### Showy Day.

Tomorrow you will see the elephant and the monkey and the chimpanzee and all the show, but unless you see our art gallery, you will fall to see the best. Respectfully,

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Wichita Falls, Texas, August 28, 1907.

## THE MAN FOR ALDERMAN.

In the election of an alderman we should be careful to select only a progressive, broad gauged and conservative man; and one who stands distinctly for the upbuilding of Wichita Falls. We should put only men in office who work for and believe in the future of the town and country, who buy their goods from the home merchant, who patronize every home enterprise, and give of their means whatever they can to everything that will help to make Wichita Falls a greater and better town.

The man who will do the most for our little city, who stands for push and progress, that man we need in the City Council, and no other. Very Respectfully,  
CITIZEN.

The above communication was handed in at the Times office this afternoon. Our correspondent hits the nail squarely on the head, saying just the right thing in the right way.

The mistake is too often made of electing to public office men who are not progressive and public-spirited citizens and who care for little else than the fees which their office brings them. Too many men of this character manage to slip into elective offices through the indifference of the voter, and it is such men who are at the bottom of all the graft which has been uncovered.

There is another class of officers who are as undesirable as those mentioned above. The officers of this class are an indifferent set of men who make a sort of show toward discharging their duties to the public and enact a farce in so doing. This sort of an officer lets the interest of the public take care of itself and this indifference is largely responsible for the inefficiency of many city governments.

The right sort of an alderman will give as careful and thoughtful attention to the interest of the people as a whole as he would to his own private business and will not permit his private interests to stand between him and his duty to the public.

Wichita Falls is famed far and wide for her progressive spirit and we take it that no man is wanted in the City Council who does not believe in the future of the city. Such a man will not make his purchases through the Sears-Roebuck catalogue and will stand for the home merchant and the home industry at all times. A good, honest representative citizen who measures up to the standard set forth by our correspondent is certainly the man to elect for alderman.

September 9th is the day set apart

for the election to determine whether or not Wichita Falls shall issue bonds to the amount of \$40,000 to be used for the construction of a City Hall and the extension of our sewerage system. On the same day one alderman is to be elected. In the bond election none but taxpaying citizens are entitled to a vote. In the election for alderman all qualified voters can exercise the privilege of the ballot. There are two candidates for alderman, Messrs. J. G. Fain and Ed. Lysaght. This gives to the voter a choice between two good men and he can make no serious mistake, it matters not which one he chooses to vote for. Ordinarily, little interest is taken in city elections, probably from the fact that heretofore only one man for each office to be voted for has been put out for candidates, and for that reason the people were fully justified in taking little or no interest in the election.

There is every evidence of prosperity for Wichita Falls, and there is no room here for the croaker. If there are those who are not doing as well as they expected, let them reflect, and possibly they will find the reason for the shortage can be traced directly to their own doors. People who expect to do business in a live town must wake up and go after the dollar. The fellow who contents himself by saying that he has the goods and can meet the prices of competitors, can possibly do all he claims, but the fellow who has the money to buy is not likely to put himself to any great trouble to find out where his place of business is located. In other words, if you want to get your share of the business plant your ad in the advertising columns of the Times. The results will be convincing.

Oklahoma will do well to refuse to accept the advice of Secretary Taft to vote against the adoption of the Constitution as framed by the constitutional convention. The only plank in it to which Taft offers serious objections is the very one that, in the minds of all right-thinking, decent white people should receive their unqualified endorsement and that is the clause which makes it necessary for the new State to maintain separate schools for negro children. The election takes place on September 17th, the result of which will be watched with a great deal of interest by people all over the United States.

With her six railroads, an oil field eighteen miles on her east, an abundant deposit of coal fifty-five miles to her south, and surrounded on all sides by the best farming country in Texas, Wichita Falls is getting ready for the 1910 census, which should place her among the 20,000 population class of Texas cities.

William J. Bryan, so it is said, will take part in the Oklahoma campaign. He is booked for a speech at Sapulpa on September 5th, and at Oklahoma City on the 6th. His speech at the latter place will be in reply to the one delivered by Secretary Taft at the same place on the night of the 25th.

Hec. A. McEachin, formerly on the editorial staff of the Fort Worth Telegram, has resigned and accepted the position of editor of the Weatherford Herald. He is a good writer and is making the Herald's editorial page shine to great advantage.

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If one gets worsted the other does. The rich and the poor share the same at Thatcher's Hardware Store. You will find at my place a well assorted stock of Hardware goods at fair prices. Please come and see me, examine my goods, investigate my methods of business and if you are pleased you will buy.

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- Monarch Early June Peas at 20c
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- Monarch Blueberries at 20c
- Monarch Strawberries, (preserved) 25c
- Monarch Gooseberries at 20c

We also have fresh Vegetables arriving every other day and solicit your orders for anything in this line. Money cheerfully refunded on any article not just as represented.

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WAITED—Three lady clerks for tomorrow, Aug. 29th. Apply at phone Rock & Duke. 92-1t

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WANTED—Housekeeper at once; good wages to right party. Apply at Nickel Store or address Box 808. 91-1t

WANTED—One hundred men to buy land around Burkburnett and lots in the town. M. Dodson, agent. 90-1t

The St. Charles Cafe—clean from kitchen to sidewalk; best place in town to eat. Walter Allen, propr. 56 1t

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FOR SALE—A Jersey cow and some household furniture, refrigerator, gasoline stove, bedroom suite, sanitary couch and other articles. House at end of cement walk on Ninth street. 91-2t

FOR SALE—Residence on 10th street, close in; corner lot; price, \$2,250; also 40x150 coming business property on Ohio avenue, \$1,000, easy terms. Jackson & Moore. 88-1t

WANTED—By September 1st, with a nice family, one or two nice unfurnished rooms and board for two. Call on or address W. A. Thompson at Wichita Falls Implement Co. 91-3t

**CONDITIONS ON MARS.**

Days and Years and Light and Heat on the Red Planet.

The days in Mars are of about the same length as ours—24 hours, 39 minutes, 23 seconds. Mars makes her orbit around the sun in a little more than 686 days; therefore the seasons are almost twice as long as they are with us. The atmosphere of Mars is rich in watery vapors. Oceans can be seen, and at the poles thick ice, which melts when summer comes. The variations in temperature are extreme. Mars receives only half as much solar heat as our globe does. The sun appears half as large, and the nights receive their light from two moons, which are smaller than ours—Deimos and Phobos.

The weight is such that one of our kilograms would only weigh 376 grams there. A man is only able to carry his own weight on his back. Transported to Mars, he could carry three times as much, something like 225 kilos. In taking observations of Mars through the telescope one can see a distinct red disk, marked with more or less brilliant spots. Some of the spots which are greenish are the oceans; other very red ones are the continents, greater in extent than the oceans, which is the opposite to the way the earth is disposed. The most brilliant spots are the ice covered regions of the poles, and the clouds are almost equally bright. The atmosphere of Mars is more transparent than ours, and its sky is incomparably clear.

The waters of Mars are more divided and distributed in inland seas joined by long arms, which are sometimes incurving, but oftenest almost rectilinear, and which mark the brilliant surface with dark lines, just as the line of lead divides the panes of glass in our church windows. All these dark lines form a pattern which is relatively symmetrical and which does not seem to have been made by chance. A plan so regular must have been designed, and for a long time the observers of Mars have been disposed to consider these lines as canals dug by the inhabitants of the planet for the needs of their civilization.—Charles Torquet in Metropolitan Magazine.

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that there never was a good article put on the market that was not imitated. We all know that imitations are never so good as the genuine and in Ranges and Stoves it was never more emphatically demonstrated than in the case of the **Majestic Range and Bridge & Beach Stoves.**

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### COINS THAT ARE BASE

Metals and Methods Used in Making Counterfaits.

#### HOW THEY MAY BE DETECTED.

Spurious Coins Cannot Stand the Three Tests of Weight, Diameter and Thickness—Gold Pieces That Are Sweated, Plugged or Filled.

The most dangerous counterfaits are struck from a die and are usually imitations of gold coins. Molds of various kinds are extensively used, but counterfaits so made are inferior to those made with a die.

In counterfaits made from a mold lettering, spilling and reeding are usually poor and weight defective. The coins lack the sharp and clear cut appearance of genuine coin. Most counterfeit silver coins in circulation are made from molds, as it is an inexpensive form of counterfeiting. Some fair specimens have been produced in this way, but usually they are much lighter than the genuine and if of required weight differ in diameter or thickness.

Various metals are used by counterfeiters, principally platinum, silver, copper, brass, antimony, aluminum, zinc, type metal, lead and their numerous compositions.

Among the most dangerous counterfaits of gold coin are those of a composition of gold, silver and copper. They are a low grade gold, and the acid test shows they lack the fineness of standard gold used by the United States mint, which is 900 fine, or 21.19 carats. These counterfaits average from 400 to 800 fine. Platinum counterfaits are dangerous, as the metal used gives required weight, and they are heavily gold plated. When they have been in circulation for a time the plating wears off, especially on the edges.

The most dangerous counterfeit of silver coin is made of a composition of antimony and lead, the former metal predominating. These counterfaits are of the dollar, have a fine appearance, are heavily silver plated, with fair ring, and some are only slightly below the standard weight.

Some pieces among the smaller coins are made of brass, struck from a die, and when heavily plated are fair imitations. They lack required weight, except in a few instances. Counterfaits of type metal, lead and other compositions are much lighter than genuine. Those having required weight are much too thick.

Genuine coins of all kinds, for the sake of gain, are tampered with in various ways. These operations are confined almost exclusively to gold coins, which are sweated, plugged and filled.

Sweating is removing a portion of the gold from surface of coin. The process does not interfere with the ring, and as the portion removed is generally slight the coin is left with a very fair appearance, weight only being defective. The principal methods of sweating are the acid bath, filing the edges or reeding, the operator finding a profit in the small quantities of gold removed from numerous pieces. The average reduction in value of coins subjected to these processes is from one-twentieth to one-tenth.

Plugging is done by boring holes in the coin, extracting the gold and filling the cavity with a cheaper material. The larger coins—double eagles and eagles (twenty and ten dollar pieces)—are used for this purpose. The small surface of the plugging material, where it shows on the edge of the coin, is covered with gold and the reeding retouched with a file or machine. The average loss in value to coins treated in this way is from one-eighth to one-sixth. Coins of this kind are very dangerous, as they are perfect in appearance, only the edges having been tampered with.

Filling is most commonly done by sawing the coin through from the edge or reeding, removing the interior portion and replacing it with a cheap metal. Coins of all denominations from quarter eagle to double eagle are subjected to this process. When platinum is used to replace gold extracted the coin has same weight as genuine. By this process coins lose four-fifths of their value, as the original surfaces are left only of paper thickness.

When edges have been covered with gold and reeding restored the coin has the appearance of being genuine, having correct size and weight and a fair ring. Sometimes the covering of gold on edges is so thin that filling can be distinctly seen. When other and less costly filling than platinum is used coins are of light weight and have a bad ring. If of correct weight they are too thick.

Another method of filling is sawing the coin partly in two, from edge of reeding, on one side, leaving a thin and thick portion. The thin side of the coin is turned back and the gold extracted from center of thicker portion. The cavity is filled with base metal and sides pressed back into original position and soldered or brazed together. It is difficult to give average loss to coins treated in this manner, as hardly any two seen have the same amount of gold taken from them.

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Courage is fire. Bullying is smoke.—Beaconsfield.

**When to Take Tea.**  
Our conclusions with regard to tea are that its original popular use as a stimulating beverage with breakfast and tea is justified and harmless, but that its indiscriminate consumption with meat foods or during protracted digestion is likely to be harmful. China tea, on account of its less tannic acid content, is less harmful than Indian tea. Our results with ginger beer showed that this beverage was practically without influence upon digestion.—Hospital.

**Downs from the Undertaker's.**  
"You'll be astonished when I tell you," said a man who knows, "but it's a fact that dressmakers sometimes send to a fashionable undertaker for a gown when they have a hurry order. There was a time when undertakers carried only shrouds in stock, but in this age of luxury the big concerns have a line of what are known in the trade as 'ladies' fine burial dresses.' Such materials as henrietta, pongee, faille and chiffon taffeta are used for these dresses, and they are made in the prevailing style. The dressmakers know this, and if they can't find what they want in one of the regular shops, they don't hesitate to call on the undertaker."—New York Star.

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OUR buyer has just returned from the market and reports that he has bought the largest and best stock of goods he has ever carried before. Our first years business in Wichita Falls, which ended July 13th, was much larger than we expected and find that the trade is increasing to such an extent it compels us to carry a larger stock in order to supply the demand. We heartily thank you for your liberal patronage and promise to continue to give you polite, courteous treatment and **DEPENDABLE** Merchandise at the least possible price.

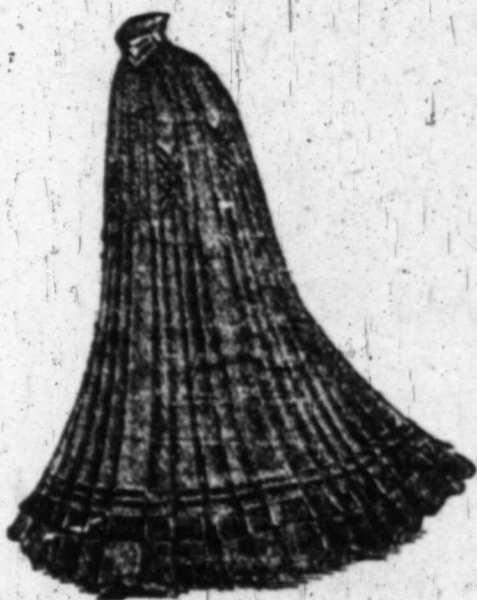
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New Voil and Panama Skirts

**\$5 to \$15**

One lot Lingerie Shirt Waists, very handsome, worth \$3.50; we bought them cheap, take your choice at

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### New Table Linens,

Towels, Handkerchiefs; ladies and children's hose. Fay stockings for the children

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### SHIRT SALE.

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One lot 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00 Shirts, choice of lot ..... **\$1.50**  
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One lot Shirts with detached cuffs worth 1.50, choice ..... **90c**  
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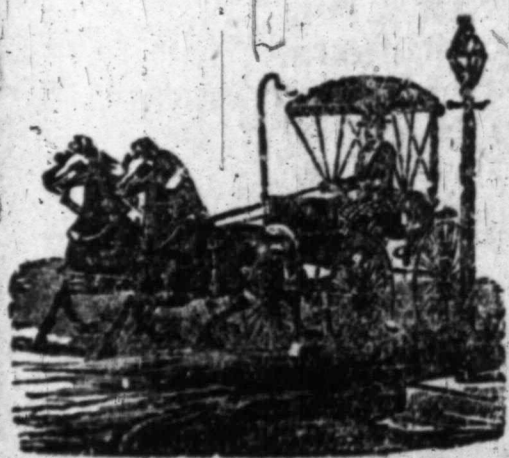
## BUGGIES! BUGGIES!

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## LACK OF BIG MEN

REPUBLICANS ENFOLD MEN WHO WOULD BE DEMOCRATS.

## SOLID SOUTH BREAKING

Missouri, Kentucky and Maryland Are Gradually Slipping Out of the Democratic Fold.

Washington Court House, Ohio, Aug. 26.—Senator Benjamin Tillman of South Carolina, by word of mouth, has divorced the democratic party from its union of strength in Maryland, Kentucky and Missouri. The senator, discussing political conditions generally, declared those three States, hitherto democratic in national politics, except in the one instance of Missouri's lapse to Roosevelt, would soon be as strongly republican as they were democratic. He said:

"If things keep on at the present rate, the States of Missouri, Kentucky and Maryland, long democratic by reliable majorities, will be as reliably republican. If not in the next election, then in the next two or three. The influx of colored republicans from States further south, whence they come to work in the coal and other mines, is responsible for the transformation of these States from the democratic to the republican column.

### Nothing to Offset Change.

"The democratic party seems to have nothing to offer by which to offset this increase in republican voting strength. In the north there is only one democrat of calibre and that is William Jennings Bryan. Where is there another Northern democrat who is worthy to unlatch his shoes? The republican party weaned us from the young men who naturally would be democrats by the opportunities for advancement, political and otherwise. There are no Allen G. Thurmans, Senator Voorheeses and other democrats of that type in the North these days.

"The young man entering politics realizes in the North that if he ever expects to hold a political office or reap any reward or become distinguished as a statesman or politician, he must proceed to identify himself with the republican party. Usually he does, for the republicans have gained many from the democrats who later have become big men in the republican party. It is this buying of the young man of the North that has stripped us of our big men at the North."

### A Play on Words.

Some fellow with nothing better to do will every little while make a play on the oddities of the English language. One of these gets off the following:

"A foreigner, looking at a picture of some vessels, said, 'See what a flock of ships.' He was told that a flock of ships was called a fleet and that a fleet of sheep was called a flock. And it was added for his guidance in mastering the intricacies of our language that a flock of girls is called a bevy, that a bevy of wolves is called a pack, a pack of thieves is called a gang, a gang of angels a host, and a host of porpoises is called a shoal, and a shoal of buffaloes is called a herd, and a herd of children is called a troop, and a troop of partridges is called a covey, and a covey of beauties is called a galaxy, and a galaxy of ruffians is called a horde, and a horde of logs is called a heap, and a heap of oxen is called a drove, and a drove of blackguards is called a mob, and a mob of whales is called a school, and a school of worshippers is called a band, and a band of locusts is called a swarm and a swarm of people is called a crowd."

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# PERSONAL MENTION

George Byers of Byers, Texas, was in the city today.

J. C. Doneghy returned today from a business trip to St. Louis.

Miss Carrie Simmons has gone to Mineral Wells for a few days.

T. H. Kemp, one of Olney's real estate men, is in the city today.

Miss Elsie Holloway of Petrolia is the guest of Mrs. Charles Rountree.

M. Davis of Seymour was in the city today en route to St. Louis on business.

Mrs. C. P. Yeary and family of Electra are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Young.

Mrs. C. J. Hursh and Miss Carrie Kerr left for Dundee this evening to visit Dr. Meredith and family.

W. R. Ferguson, cashier of the First National bank of Iowa Park was transacting business in the city today.

Mrs. J. F. Stark, Mrs. J. C. Winfrey and Mrs. J. M. Conway of Iowa Park visited Mrs. W. M. Donelson today.

Mrs. D. L. Laughmiller of Wills Point is in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. A. Garvin, and niece, Mrs. J. W. Henderson.

Miss Evelyn Coffield and Miss Lucille Brooks returned today from Bowie, where they had been visiting Capt. S. T. Coffield and family.

J. L. Schultz and wife of Seymour were in the city today en route home from Frederick, Okla., where they had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris.

Mrs. Z. Monroe, accompanied by her sister, Miss Alberta McKain, of Goree, were in the city today en route home from Vicksburg, Miss., where they had been to visit their mother.

Mrs. M. J. Kavanaugh and children, who have been visiting the family of Mr. George Simmons for several weeks left this morning for their home in Terrell.

Mrs. W. E. Robertson and daughter, Miss Jewell, of Fort Worth, are the guests of Mrs. Robertson's son, Ralph Robertson, ticket agent for the Fort Worth and Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carrolton returned yesterday from their visit to Colorado Springs, Colorado, and continued their journey to Galveston this morning, where they will visit for several weeks before returning home.

J. W. Dowlen of Iowa Park was transacting business in the city today.

Mrs. H. F. Robertson and children are visiting relatives in Whitewright.

Mrs. G. W. Filgo and children left today for Cleburne, their old home, to visit relatives and friends.

J. H. Gulna returned today from Ft. Worth, where he had been on business and pleasure combined.

Capt. J. E. Labatt of Fort Worth, field agent for the 5,000,000, is in the city on business.

Mrs. Sue Matlock of Tullip, Ark., arrived in the city today on a visit to her brother, George W. Simmons, and family.

N. W. Fairchild, bookkeeper for the Carson Lumber Company of Hugo, I. T., is in the city visiting his brother, H. A. Fairchild.

Collins Cabiness, cashier of the First National Bank of Sayers, Okla., is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Langford.

Addison Trotter, one of the carrier boys for the Times, is taking a few days vacation, visiting relatives and friends in Whitewright.

Mrs. J. H. Hatcher and Mrs. L. O. Pack left this morning for Hydro, Oklahoma, where they will spend the next month visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd of Bowmington passed through the city today on their bridal tour to Alabama, where they will visit Mr. Malone's relatives.

Rev. W. A. Stuckey is at Byers this week, where he is assisting in a series of meetings in the Methodist church. He will return Saturday to conduct the regular services in his own church.

Miss Vella Raney, who left yesterday for Vernon, will be the instructor in English in the high school there. The Vernon schools will open Monday. A preliminary institute is being held there this week.

Mrs. John Sims returned today from Desoto, Kansas, where she had been visiting relatives. After adjusting her business interests in the city, she will leave for El Paso, which place she will make her future home.

Rev. J. Minton of Erick, Okla., is the guest of Rev. A. J. Bush and family on his return from the campmeeting at Knox City, where forty-five were added to the church. He begins a meeting at Vernon next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Williams and children returned today from Hubbard City, where Mrs. Williams has been visiting relatives for the past month.

Mrs. W. A. Stuckey pleasantly entertained the members of her Sunday school class, constituting thirty-one young ladies, and their gentlemen friends at an informal social at the parsonage last night. Refreshments, games and music contributed to a very enjoyable evening for the guests.

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold their annual school bazaar on Saturday, September 7th, at the Wichita Falls Implement Company's store.

# GRAND FALL OPENING

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# — AT LAST! —

We have been trying for a good while to buy some genuine Sockeye Salmon, but each time they have turned out to be Alaska Reds or something else. But this week we have received a shipment of

# Unicorn Genuine Sockeye Salmon!

You know the kind--hard, firm, bright red, oily meat. It's been a long time since you have seen any, as the catch has been nearly an entire failure for a number of years. We also received in the same shipment Premier Columbia River Salmon Steak in one and one-half pound cans—the very best Columbia River Salmon Packed. So it's a sure shot we can suit you in High Grade Salmon. We have also received some of Poter & Writington's Boston Brown Bread in number three cans. Not "like Mother used to make," she couldn't make it, but the kind you have heard your father tell that HIS mother made. Take OUR word for it—it's Good. Among other new arrivals—Richardson and Robbins Plum Pudding Sauce. (We also have the Plum Pudding). If it's good to eat and on the market we have it. :: :: :: :: ::

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