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BACK TO WORK

TELEGRAPHERS SEEK POSITIONS CONTRARY TO THE RESOLUTIONS OF YESTERDAY.

APPLICATIONS REJECTED

By Associated Press.
Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 14.—Notwithstanding the formal resolution adopted yesterday at the meeting of the local branch of the telegraphers' union to maintain the strike indefinitely, a number of them applied for their old positions today and in several instances were reinstated. Superintendent Col. Small said that he rejected the applications of some first class operators this morning simply because their services were not needed. Among the men who returned to work today were two former officers in the local branch of the union. At the Western Union office it was stated that the force of men was adequate to handle all business very promptly.

Small Asked to Resign.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, Ill., Oct. 14.—President S. Small of the telegraphers union has been suspended from office by the executive committee of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, and the executive board will hereafter direct the union. The meeting of the New York local last night is reported to have been characterized by much bitterness and Small was asked peremptorily to resign.

The locals at Baltimore, Chicago, Atlanta, New Orleans and many other cities have voted to continue the strike.

Handsome Gift to Tigers.
President Yawkey of the Detroit Americans Adds \$15,000 to Receipts.
Detroit, Mich., Oct. 12.—President William H. Yawkey of the Detroit American League Baseball Club tonight added as a gift to his players for winning the American League pennant \$15,000 to their share from the world's series which closed here this afternoon, when the Chicago National League team won the fourth straight victory from Detroit, making \$36,973.36 which the local players will divide. The share of the Chicago National League team in the world's series receipts is \$32,960.00.

Secretary Bruce of the National Baseball Commission announced that the total attendance at the five games which were played in the series were 1,100,000 and the gross receipts, \$1,011,000. The receipts were divided as follows:
National Commission, \$10,172.85.
Chicago and Detroit baseball clubs, \$334.13 each.
Chicago National League team, \$32,960.00.
Detroit American League team, \$21,813.36.

Had the American League team been successful in the series just closed and won the world's championship on top of its capture of the American League pennant, Mr. Yawkey's gift, it was announced, would have been \$30,000 instead of \$15,000.

President B. B. Johnson of the American League said tonight of the series just closed:
"We were fairly beaten by the Chicago team. They played better ball, of course, we of the American league were disappointed, but we feel the Detroit team took the field in the series in the same condition as an overtrained horse. They jumped into this world's series on the heels of the greatest championship race ever known in baseball history and without any opportunity to recuperate from the strain of the season's fight, which you will remember was not decided until the last game of the year. They certainly proved none of their true form in the game with Chicago."

"The Stolen Bride" at the Majestic.

THIRTEEN NO LONGER SHUNNED.

Architects Say That 2,000 Year Old Prejudice is Broken.

For the better part of 2,000 years the number "13" has been looked upon with decided disfavor, and this prejudice, or superstition, has been carried to such an extent as to often interfere with the transaction of business and the orderly movement of events.

The application of this prejudice to the thirteenth floor of an office building is something quite new, since only within recent years have office or manufacturing structures risen to such a height. When office buildings first grew to reach and pass such altitudes, owners and agents discovered that it was rather difficult to rent offices located on the thirteenth floor, and in some instances the number was actually omitted.

The "13" superstition is in the act of passing, so far at least as buildings and architecture are concerned. In St. Louis owners of buildings pay no attention to the matter, and the same indifference seems to have taken possession of tenants. Agents who have charge of tall buildings declare that it is quite as easy to rent the thirteenth floor as the twelfth or fourteenth.

Some prospective tenants acknowledge prejudice against the number, and will have nothing to do with it, but, on the other hand, many have a decided liking for it, asking at once if there are any suites to be had on the thirteenth floor.

It seems safe to say that the foolish prejudice is fairly broken and that never again will the number "13" present a problem to architects and become a stumbling block to owners and renting agents.

BALLOONISTS HAVE ARRIVED.

Teams Which Will Compete in Balloon Races Getting Ready for Contest.

By Associated Press.
St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 14.—Members of the teams which will compete in the International balloon races for the Bennett cup, which are to be held here on October 21st, arrived in St. Louis yesterday. In the party were B. J. McCoy, who will pilot the balloon, "America;" Captain D. F. Chandler of the United States signal corps, who will be his companion; Allen R. Hawley, who will pilot the "St. Louis," and August Post, secretary of the Aero Club of America, who will accompany Hawley. In the English team are Griffith, Brewer and Brabson. F. L. Guenther of New York is also a member of the party.

A PROTEST AGAINST PROFANITY.

Members of Holy Name Society March Streets of Hoboken.

By Associated Press.
New York, Oct. 14.—Fourteen thousand members of the Holy Name societies of Hudson and Bergen counties participated yesterday in a parade and an open air meeting at Hoboken, N. J., as a protest against profanity. Every man carried the flag of the order with the white letters, "H. N. S." on a blue background. The sight was impressive as the parade marched through the principal streets of the city. The houses along the line of march were decorated with American flags.

TEXTILE CONFERENCE MEETS.

Child Labor Will Be Discussed at Nashville This Week.

By Associated Press.
Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 14.—The Southern Textile Conference met at the State capitol here this morning for the purpose of discussing questions dealing with child and female labor in the shops and factories of the South. Delegates are here from Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, North Carolina, and other Southern States. The delegates were welcomed by Governor Patterson.

A large number of Wichita Falls people went down to Fort Worth to see the locomotive collision. The much advertised collision is reported to have been a very tame affair and those who witnessed it are greatly disappointed.

New songs and new pictures—at the Majestic, of course.

DECLINE CONTINUED

REPRESENTATIVE STOCKS SHOW RESISTANCE, BUT SOLD LOWER.

OTHERS FELL WEAKLY

Opening Transactions Showed a Wide Range of Prices—Nearly All Stocks Selling Down.

By Associated Press.
New York, Oct. 14.—The range of prices in the opening sales on the Stock Exchange today were very uneven. The declines in some of the most representative stocks were marked with some show of resistance, while others fell away weakly. United States steel, preferred, dropped 1/4; American steel foundry's preferred broke four points, general electric, 3/4; American Locomotive preferred and Central Leather preferred, 3; People's Gas, 2 1/4; the Atchison and Westinghouse Electric, 2 points.

BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD.

Slum Beauty, a Two-Year-Old, Paced Mile in 2:19 1/4.

By Associated Press.
Oklahoma City, Okla., Oct. 14.—The world's pacing record for 2-year-olds for one mile on a half mile track was broken here yesterday afternoon at the State Fair track by Slum Beauty. The distance was made in 2:19 1/4. The previous record was 2:19 3/4.

To Build Engine House.

The Wichita Falls and Northwestern and the Atchita Falls and Southern have broken ground for an engine house north of the oil mill on lot 5 in the Barwick & Jalonic addition. The house will be built to accommodate four locomotives.

BACON IS APPOINTED

AUTHORITATIVE ANNOUNCEMENT HAS BEEN MADE PUBLIC.

BOND HAS BEEN SENT

Mr. Bacon Will Qualify and Become Postmaster as Soon as Bond is Approved.

At last the appointment of Otis T. Bacon as postmaster in Wichita Falls has been authoritatively announced. Mr. Bacon stated to a representative of the Times today that his appointment was made on September 28th. He forwarded his bond to Washington last Saturday and as soon as it is approved Mr. Bacon will be ready to qualify as postmaster and will likely take charge of the office in about fifteen days. Mr. Bacon has been a resident of Wichita Falls for about twenty years and is favorably known.

NEW VARIETY OF GRAIN

RAISED IN RUNNELS CO.

H. C. Moten of Dryridge brought the Ledger a sample of a new grain crop he is experimenting with. The grain is called California wheat and the specimen heads are very fine, measuring 15 inches in length. The grain is whiter than the whitest wheat, the inside being white as snow. The head resembles both maize and broom corn, being about half way in length between the two.

EMPEROR IS BETTER.

Aged Monarch Shows Improvement and is in Better Spirits.

By Associated Press.
Vienna, Austria, Oct. 14.—Emperor Francis Joseph is resting easier this morning. His spirits appear improved, though the inflammation has continued and his symptoms generally have not changed. He was restless until 1 o'clock this morning, but later enjoyed a refreshing sleep.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Dead Body of Young Man Found in a St. Louis Hotel.

By Associated Press.
St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 14.—It became known today that the dead body of Arthur M. Mermod, son of the late Alexander Mermod, one of the founders of the Mermod-Jaccard-King Jewelry Company, was found in his room in the Commercial Hotel yesterday and that he committed suicide. Despondency is believed to have been the cause of the act.

FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA.

Blaze at Iron Works Causes Loss of About \$300,000.

By Associated Press.
Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 14.—Fire today at the Penoyd Iron works of the American Bridge Company in the outskirts of this city caused damage to the extent of about \$300,000. The carpenter shop, lumber store house, erecting shop and two dwellings were destroyed, including important plans and models. The origin of the fire is not known.

HONORS FOR DICK WALSH.

Clarendon Man May Be Next President of Cattle Raisers' Association.

Clarendon Banner-Stockman.

Already the presidential bee is beginning to buzz in the camp of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, the greatest live stock organization on earth. The next convention will be held in San Antonio next spring. There has been in the past and probably will be in the future considerable opposition to President Ike T. Pryor's re-election on account of his interests in commission companies, and it is entirely likely that he will not even be a candidate again, although his friends will press it on him closely.

Richard Walsh, manager of the J A ranch, whose home is in this city, is the first vice president of the organization and is right in line for the presidential chair. Added to this fact, he is a tremendously popular man among the cattlemen all over the State. He is also a cattleman himself from the ground up and has ever been an active member of the association. With these facts in view it is extremely likely that he will be chosen president at the next meeting.

If Mr. Walsh is elected Clarendon will be somewhat noted for her "cow presidents," as Col. Thos. S. Bugbee, president of the Panhandle Stockmen's Association, is a resident of this city.

TO TAKE A RELIGIOUS CENSUS.

Various Sunday Schools of the City Taking Steps to This End.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock representatives of the various Sunday schools of the city met at the First Baptist church for the purpose of discussing the plan by which a religious census of the city could be obtained. At the meeting it was decided to appoint fifty or sixty census takers to be selected from members of the various Sunday schools, and set a day for the work of taking the census.

Wednesday, October 23rd, was selected as the day for the work to be done, and those appointed to do this work will meet at the Baptist church at 2 p. m. on that day before starting out to make a canvass of the city.

On next Sunday, the 19th, at 4 p. m., another meeting of the representatives of the Sunday schools will be held at the Baptist church for the purpose of further discussion of the plans for taking this census and to complete the work of appointing the canvassers. Every church or Sunday school in the city will be asked to co-operate in this good work.

RAILROAD SURVEY COMPLETED

BALLINGER TO ABILENE.

The crew of surveyors that are surveying the Ballinger-Abilene line reached Abilene Monday, making the line forty-nine miles long. This is their first survey. They will make another one east of here, leaving Abilene Tuesday and will run through the Parramore and Lewis pastures.

R. L. Maddox says the line by Winters is undoubtedly the best route, as they do not cross a single creek, and will not have to construct a single trestle on the entire line.

After completing all of the surveys, they will figure up all the cost of each line and make propositions to the towns on the line.—Winters Enterprise.

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PLAN TO OUST SMALL

REBELLION IN TELEGRAPHERS' UNION LED BY PERCY THOMAS.

CHICAGO SENDS PROTEST

Condemns Action of Small in Sending His Message Throughout Country. Leased Wire Dispute.

New York, Oct. 12.—Tomorrow will be a crucial day in the telegraphers' strike, and it may mean a number of things.

There is now in prospect the impeachment of President Small and his removal from office. A vote on the recommendation of Small that the strike be declared off will be taken today, and the members of the union in New York, Chicago and other large cities will send out advices to their fellows all over the country, urging them to stand firm to oust Small and for a continuation of the strike.

The rebellion against Small is being led by Percy Thomas, telegraph editor of the New York Journal, a former operator, who was up to a few days ago deputy National president. Thomas resigned when Small revoked the call for the leased wire and broker operators to come out a few days ago. Thomas has been backed up by the strikers here and in Chicago in his action, and when it became known today that Small would recommend calling the strike off, there was at once a movement to elevate Thomas to the head of the organization by the summary removal of Small. The members of the union have never been satisfied with the action of Small in settling the first strike which was called in San Francisco just before the present strike, and they showed this when the present strike was called by the men individually and Small was ignored.

Small Don't Know How.

In the opinion of the strikers, who are demanding the removal of Small, he does not know how to fight. They say he has not put up the right kind of battle against the companies and that he lacks the faculty of organizing his forces. The New York strikers have been in communication with Atlanta, New Orleans, Chicago and other large cities and say that the men in those places will be with them in the stand not to declare the strike off.

Small Message of Surrender.

Following the visit to the city of Labor Commissioner Neill, President S. J. Small of the telegraphers' union Saturday afternoon took decisive steps to close the telegraphers' strike. He sent out the following telegram to all of the leading cities of the country:

New York, Oct. 12, 1907.—Prominent New Yorkers appeal to me to call the strike off. All efforts at negotiation are exhausted and the companies' officials say they will fight to a finish. The treasury is nearly out and no more funds are available. Requests for re-

lief from all sides are heavy, and urgent. The general fund cannot meet them. The strike having been called without the president's sanction, I recommend that locals vote on the proposition.

A meeting of the New York local will be held Sunday, when President Small's recommendation will be discussed. Daniel L. Russell, chairman of the strikers' board of strategy, said tonight that President Small had said nothing to members of the local board regarding his recommendation before or after the same was made public. Mr. Russell said that he had protested against the strike in the beginning, but at the same time had said if it was declared he would support it to the end. This promise, he said, he had kept, and would never ask the strikers to go to work unless they received material benefits.

At midnight the following message was dispatched to the various local unions, of the Commercial Telegraphers' union throughout the country by Percy Thomas, former deputy National president; D. L. Russell, chairman of the New York local board of strategy; R. L. McLennan and John Mitchell of the New York local:

"Strikers here are universally condemning the action of Small for his weak-kneed methods of conducting a strike. New York local will stick it out to a man. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen is coming to the front with \$65,000 relief fund. The real strike is just begun."

This action presages a hot fight at the meeting of the union, when the question of calling off the strike will be voted on.

It is just a little early to talk Christmas goods, but we want to remind our patrons that we will have a full line of Christmas candles and other Christmas novelties on display in our store at the proper time. As before, we expect to lead all others in this line this year. The Cream Bakery. 130-6t

Protracted Meeting.

A protracted meeting began at the Methodist church last night. Rev. J. A. Old, pastor of the Methodist church at Bowie, Texas, will be in today to do the preaching. He is a young man of wonderful pulpit ability and will no doubt delight all who hear him.

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TALKS FRANKLY ON THE ISSUE.

President of Chicago Board of Education Opposed to Religious Instruction in Public Schools.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 14.—The problem of religious instruction in the public schools was put up to President Otto C. Schneider of the Chicago Board of Educators yesterday. President Schneider met the issue squarely; indeed, so squarely as to bring a gasp of astonishment from the two club women who had broached the subject.

"I believe with Jean Jacques Rousseau," said Mr. Schneider, "that religion should not be taught to anyone in any form until his or her mind is formed. As for the Bible in the public schools, it is not fit for children."

President Schneider's visitors were Mrs. Elizabeth Cook, president of the Woman's Educational Union, and Mrs. Clarence A. Starr, a prominent clubwoman and educational worker. The two wanted to ask the president's aid in securing the introduction of a book of Bible readings in the curriculum of the schools.

"I would not object to a history of the Bible in the schools as a masterpiece of literature," President Schneider told the women. "It should be there the same as Byron's poems or any other of the great masterpieces. And for the same reason I should be glad to have on the reading list the history of the Koran or of the readings of Confucius or Buddha. As for teaching religion in the public schools of Chicago, it would be against the constitution."

Religious instructions have never been introduced into the schools, the school authorities feeling that no system of religious training could be adapted to the innumerable sects and religions presented in the city's population. In addition, as suggested by President Schneider, a legal question is involved.

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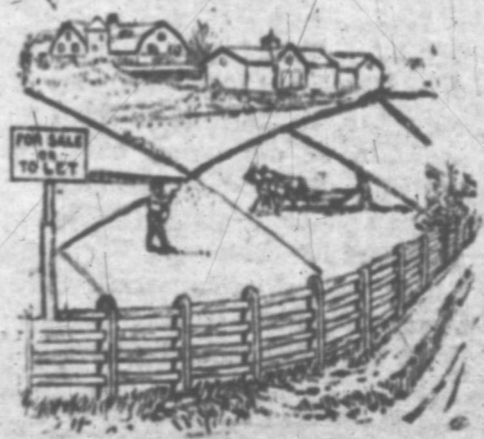
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CASHIER HELD UP THE NEW BANK

Amarillo Panhandle. The story of the most daring holdup in recent times is told by Editor Arthur Richardson of the Gray County Herald, who was in town today from McLean. The victim in this case is the new Citizens' State Bank of McLean and the holdup man was the cashier of the First National bank in the same town. So successfully did he accomplish the job that he not only escaped arrest, but for over two days he openly and brazenly flaunted the fact of the holdup before the officers of the bank and before the people of the community.

The Citizens' State bank is a new institution and just this week completed its arrangements for opening. It has a new building and new equipment throughout and Tuesday, the day before the opening, the officers of the bank, Fred O'Dell and W. O. Abernathy, invited W. R. Patterson, cashier of the First National bank, over to inspect the new fittings. Among the equipment is a handsome new safe to which the visiting cashier's attention was at once directed.

"Why, you have a fine time lock on your safe," he remarked innocently.

"Yep, burglar proof," asserted the new officers, as they stood in admiring contemplation of their property, while the visiting cashier twirled the combination a few times to see how it ran.

"Yes," agreed Patterson, "I think you will find that to be a thoroughly good lock."

But not until Patterson had left the bank did the new officers discover that their visitor had set the time lock on the safe to the limit, eighty hours. Then they began to find out in earnest that the new safe had a "thoroughly good lock." In the meantime Patterson had been advertising the virtues of the new safe to the general public and the next day when the bank was to have opened it is established that every man in Gray county, besides many women and children, came in to do business with the bank, and many sympathizing friends made repeated calls. But there was no opening, for all the funds were in that safe and the "thoroughly good lock" was steadfastly guarding its treasure. All that day and the next two days the officers sat around trying to take a philosophical view of life while their friend Patterson and the rest of Gray county gave every evidence of enjoying the situation.

ON THE LONE PRAIRIE.

Skeleton of Man, Guns and Saddle Unearthed Near Walters, Okla.

B. F. Moore, while quarrying rock on his farm eleven miles west of here in the Big Pasture, made quite a discovery. He found the skeleton of a man with two guns, a saddle, some rings, chains, beads, and 15 cents in silver. The skeleton bore evidence that it had been there about twenty-five years. "A. E. Kelley, Wichita Falls, Texas," was engraved on the saddle, and the saddle was made by Fred Ripp, Wichita Falls, Texas. It has not been ascertained as to when these two parties lived in Wichita Falls.—Walters (Okla.) New Era.

Old timers in this section have no recollection of anyone by the name of A. E. Kelley and it is thought that the skeleton is that of an Indian. In the early days the Indians did much trading here. The burial of the saddle and other articles with the body strengthens this belief.

Fred Ripp was formerly engaged in the saddlery business, but for a number of years has been located in the Panhandle. Mr. Ripp might be able to tell something about the identity of the skeleton.

A Big Show.

The people of our city have seen a great many dramatic shows under canvas during the past few seasons, but none of the large ones have ever visited our city until now, when we are to have the pleasure of seeing the Bobby Fountain Show, that is to visit us on Friday, Oct. 18th, for one grand night performance only. The company is the largest and best that has ever come to this part of the State, and it is hoped that every lover of the drama and music will turn out and give them a big house, so that they will place our town on their route in the future. Don't forget the date, Friday, Oct. 18.

During the cotton season the tolls over Red river at Burkburnett have been suspended and almost a constant stream of wagons is passing over the bridge from Oklahoma to the Burkburnett gin.

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Notice to Stockholders.

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

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[Those having friends or relatives visiting in or out of the city will confer a favor by reporting same to the Times. Phone—Office, 167, Residence 111.—Editor.]

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PRESIDENT HOPEFUL

Prospects of Bagging Big Game Now Seem Splendid.

Stamboul, La., Oct. 13.—The country side turned out today in expectation of seeing the President take his departure from Stamboul for the south, but in view of his change of plans, were of course disappointed.

There were general expressions of satisfaction, however, over his reconsideration of his determination to move to Texas Parish, for now that the change is not to be made, Stamboul confesses candidly that she would have been much chagrined to have her distinguished visitor go away with an empty bag before the time originally fixed.

General confidence in his success in the new camp on Bear creek continues buoyant, and the reports from there are uniformly favorable. Indeed, it is stated that a number of fresh trails were discovered yesterday, and that one of the party came upon good signs of bear, but that on account of the absence of dogs, he made his escape. The hope is very strong that when the hunt is resumed tomorrow either this animal or another member of his family will soon be run to earth. Many of the dogs used in last week's search of the barren up country are reported to be badly lamed, and that an effort is being made to replace them with fresh animals.

"Just Married" Saturday night, but bride has been stolen. Officers are on the look out.



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There was a double wedding last night at the home of Col. C. W. Bracken when Mr. Corlin Spindle and Miss Lena Cox and Mr. Ben Baldwin and Miss Bertha Cox were married by Rev. L. R. Scarborough, pastor of the First Baptist church. The young men are of Wichita Falls and the newly wedded couples left on the midnight train for that place, where they will make their home in the future.—Abilene Reporter.

In the County Court.

The county court opened this morning with Judge Yeager presiding. The criminal docket was opened and the case of the State vs. Walker Hargrove charged with carrying concealed weapons, was set for trial this afternoon. Hargrove is expected to arrive on this afternoon's train from Fort Worth and will be represented at his trial by Attorney Graham of Bowie.

Complaints have been filed against Lizzie Harris, Ollie Cook, Cora White, Sadie Cox, Madge Harris and Georgie Collins, charging them with keeping bawdy houses. Their cases will probably be heard at this term of court.

Among the cases that will be called for trial this term are the State vs. Ed. Waggoner, charged with carrying a pistol; State vs. Billy Schmidt, selling liquor on election day; State vs. Dick Holley, selling liquor on election day, and the State vs. George Ivy, carrying a pistol.

Cardin-Heiser.

The marriage of Mrs. Jennie Heiser to Mr. T. H. Cardin took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allen on Indiana avenue at 9 o'clock Sunday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Stuckey.

Mr. Cardin and his bride, after a short wedding trip, during which they will visit Fort Worth, Dallas and Mineral Wells, will be at home in a part of the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

The bride, since coming here from Little Rock, Arkansas last spring, has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Allen, and has made many friends in this city.

Mr. Cardin is a native of Fort Smith, Arkansas, and is now one of the popular engineers on the Wichita Valley railroad.

Although the United States attorneys have filed an appeal, in behalf of the government in the Kell injunction matter and the restraining order has been continued pending the appeal, it is believed that this action will have no bad effect upon the town of Kell. Under the order of the court, the gin now building can be completed, although no other buildings can be erected. For those persons already in business at Kell this ruling will give them a practical monopoly of the trade in that territory.

A jury was empanelled in the county court at about 3:30 o'clock this afternoon to try Walker Hargrove on a charge of carrying a pistol. Some testimony in the case will probably go before the jury this afternoon. Hargrove appears in court showing the effects of his recent trouble at Bowie. Attorney Graham of Bowie and Lon Mathis of this city are representing Hargrove, while Attorney C. C. Huff and County Attorney Greenwood are looking after the case on behalf of the State.

Anti-Dog Thief Association.

About the most aggravating thing that can happen to a sportsman is to have the bird dog which he has been carefully raising for many months stolen just about the time the quail season opens.

This has happened so often in Wichita Falls that the local sportsmen are organizing a sort of anti-dog thief association and are raising funds to hunt down and prosecute the dog thieves. As one of them expressed it this morning, he would rather have his horse stolen than his dog.

"Gentleman Farmer," that funny film at the Majestic tonight.

Big reward for "Stolen Bride" at the Majestic tonight.
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It seems that the troubles of the country editor will never cease. Week before last our paper did not arrive until Saturday and as a consequence, it was Monday before this grand old religious rag bore its message of peace and good will to the long suffering citizens of the 46th State. Last week the ink failed to get here, and after trying to make coal tar and lamp black do duty for the missing mixture, we took nine hours off to clean the press and smeared on a big job of Sherwin-Williams paint. Now we can recommend that paint for sticking qualities. It ain't worth two whoops in Jack county, Texas, for printer's ink, but it is the dog gondest, all firedest, best paint we ever saw. We tried to wash it off the disk and type with gasoline, coal oil, lye and every known cleaning fluid that could be found and it showed up shining like a Georgia pickaniny's face. Finally we caught the mail back to Temple and helped the boys use a little red paint, borrowed some ink from the Tribune office while the boys were gone, came home, and on Tuesday got out the issue. We trust that our troubles are o'er, because we're certainly sore.—Randlett Enterprise.

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Houston, Texas, 10-5-07.

S. H. Burnside, M. D., Wichita Falls, Texas.

Dear Sir:—Inclosed please find certificate of analysis and examination of mineral water submitted by you. I have kept you waiting for a little while, but I appreciate the responsibility which you have seen fit to place upon me, for that reason I have taken my time to be certain and accurate about my results.

Very respectfully,

HOUSTON LABORATORIES,
P. S. TILSON, Chemist.

CERTIFICATE OF MINERAL ANALYSIS

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

The Water contains:—	Analysis expressed in Grain per U. S. Gallon of 231 cu. in.
(a) Calcium Carbonate.....	22.606
Calcium Sulphate.....	16.170
(d) Calcium Chloride.....	Trace
(b) Magnesium Sulphate.....	21.840
(d) Magnesium Chloride.....	Trace
(e) Magnesium Carbonate.....	Trace
(e) Sodium Sulphate.....	2.750
Sodium Chloride.....	305.770
(f) Sodium Carbonate.....	10.112
Iron Oxide.....	None
Alumina Oxide.....	None
Silica.....	1.866
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Calvin Says Farmers Propose Different Way in Dealing With Cotton.

Houston, Tex., Oct. 11.—E. A. Calvin, general manager of the Farmers' Union warehouse system in Texas, who was one of the Texas delegates to the Atlanta convention of the international conference of cotton growers and spinners, returned to Houston this morning from the conference. Mr. Calvin states that the meeting will undoubtedly result in great benefit to the growers and spinners, and the primary object, that of bringing together the growers and spinners, has been consummated.

"The conference was not held for the purpose of bargaining in cotton, as some people seem to think," said Mr. Calvin, "but to endeavor to hasten the day when the manufacturers and growers will deal with each other instead of both being subject to the abuses which have attended the marketing of cotton in the past and present. In this respect great good was accomplished—and a definite working plan was formulated toward the desired end.

"There was no disposition among the European spinners to criticize the action of the growers in organizing and protecting their interests in the manner that the other lines of industry have adopted. On the contrary, they are firm believers in organization, and seemed impressed with the fact that the growers will manage their organization without crippling any commendable interest or element concerned in the cotton industry.

"The fact that low prices for the growers decreases the consumption of cotton goods impressed the spinners and all seemed to recognize the desirability of having the growers of the Southern States obtain a paying price for their product. Another idea which was effectually dispelled was the foreigner's impression that cotton can be produced cheaply.

"It is a fact that many Europeans are unfamiliar with cotton culture and have heretofore believed that it cost very little to raise the crop, instead of being the most vexatious crop the American farmer has to deal with. The spinners who visited the fields know now that cotton cannot be raised cheap and are willing to admit that for the cotton industry to flourish the grower must have a good price. Furthermore, they stated their willingness to pay it and to deal with the farmer direct whenever the farmer would make it possible. This the farmers' organization proposes to do.

"In his speech C. W. McCarren asked the growers to consider the population of India and not place the price beyond the people there, who are great consumers of cotton goods. This was a good point, but in my reply to him I pointed out that the people of the Southern States probably used as much cotton goods as the whole of India, and the low price of cotton here would certainly result in such hard times that consumption here would decrease. The result of the argument was that the spinners saw the desirability of keeping the price to a point where the growers could profit by the industry and to eliminate the middle man."

Mr. Calvin expressed himself regarding a New York dispatch to one of the local papers regarding the cotton situation and to the effect that the leaders of the farmers had fallen down on their promises to assist the growers in holding their cotton for higher prices, with the result that many Texas farmers were weakening, and 10c would be accepted by the farmers within a week.

"No one has fallen down that I am aware of," said Mr. Calvin. "I have noticed in the Galveston News a dozen times recently that the local unions all over the country are enthusiastically holding their cotton. They are bringing cotton to their warehouses in long strings and are not weakening. There is no reason why they should accept the speculator's prices for their cotton. They all have money and the Texas farmers were never so well fixed as they are today. The Texans are not compelled to sell and can hold until natural conditions influence the market. They will not take the speculator's price and all of the dispatches framed up by people in New York who are actuated by bearing the price will not do them any good. These dispatches are sent out by speculators who are anxious to make something out of the farmers, and the Texas papers should not print stuff that does not represent responsible interests."

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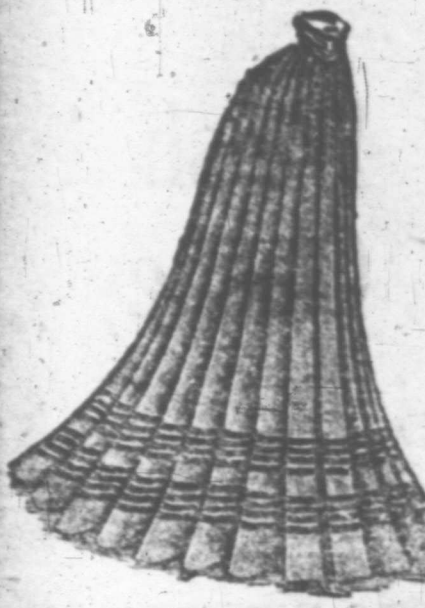
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His Threat to a Conductor.
Some time ago a man at Ypsilanti, Mich., became crazed on the subject of hypnotism and was sent on a Michigan Central train to an asylum. When the conductor asked for tickets the crazy man began telling of his hypnotic powers.
"I'll hypnotize you," he said.
"Fire away," replied the conductor. The man made several passes before the conductor's face.
"Now you are hypnotized," he said. The conductor looked the part as best he could.
"You're a conductor," the hypnotist said.
"That's right," replied his victim.
"You're a good conductor," went on the hypnotist.
"Right again," said the conductor.
"You don't smoke, drink or swear at passengers. You are honest. You turn in all tickets and money you collect from passengers. In fact, you do not steal a cent."
"That's right," assented the conductor.
The hypnotist eyed him a moment, then said:
"What an awful fix you'd be in if I left you in this condition!"—Kansas City Star.

Beer For Breakfast.
Sixteenth century children in England ate very different food from that consumed by modern American youngsters. The following dietary is taken from the Northumberland Household Book, showing the nursery breakfasts at the beginning of the sixteenth century: "This is the Ordre of Brakfastis for the Nurey for my Lady Margaret and Malster Ingeram Percy every day in the week in Lent: Item, a Manchot [a small loaf of white bread], a Quarte of Bere, a Dysch of Butter, a Pece of Saltfisch, a Dysch of Sproitts or HJ White Herring, Brakfastis of Flesch dayly thorowte the Yere; Item, a Manchot, a Quarte of Bere and HJ Mutton Bonys boiled. On Fyschedays throw-owte the Yere: Item, a Manchot, a Quarte Bere, a Dysch of Butter, a pece of Saltfische or a Dysch of Butter'd Eggs." Milk seems to have been an unknown beverage, but the beer of those days was very different from the modern article and much more harmless.

Couldn't Stick Him Again.
A bishop, accosted in Fifth avenue, New York, by a neat but hungry stranger, took the needy one to a hotel and shared a gorgeous dinner with him, yet, having left his episcopal wallet in the pocket of a different episcopal jacket, suddenly-faced the embarrassment of not possessing the wherewithal to pony up. "Never mind," exclaimed his guest; "I have enjoyed dining with you, and I shall be charmed to shoulder the cost. Permit me." Whereupon the stranger paid for two. This worried the prelate, who insisted, "Just let me call a cab and we'll run up to my hotel, where I shall have the pleasure of reimbursing you." But the stranger met the suggestion with, "See here, old man, you've stuck me for a bully good dinner, but hanged if I'm going to let you stick me for car fare!"

Mistakes of Drug Clerks.
"There is one loss sustained by druggists that very few people know about," said the experienced clerk. "That is in the prescriptions that have to be made over, the same as clerks, stenographers, writers and artists, no matter how painstaking, frequently have to do their work over. The most careful drug clerk in existence is bound to make mistakes sometimes in measuring and mixing.
"He may pour in too much of some kind of liquid or sift in too much of a certain powder. In most cases the overdose would not really affect the value of the medicine, but the conscientious clerk isn't going to take any chances of murdering anybody, so he throws away the whole mixture and makes up another prescription."

"Try One of My Betels."
In Siam they don't offer you a cigar or a cigarette, but a betel nut. There every one carries a supply of them in a neat little ivory box, not unlike the snuffboxes of our ancestors. The betel nut is a narcotic, in its effects not unlike tobacco, but it is much more harmful. Those who chew it suffer from inflamed gums, and they generally lose their teeth. The betel is a species of climbing plant, with a leaf not unlike ivy. It yields a crop of nuts, which are ground to a powder. This is mixed with a similar powder derived from the areca nut and made into a paste, which is wrapped in pieces of betel leaf.

Ambition.
Uncle Horace (who is something of a sage and philosopher)—My boy, it is time for you to think seriously of the kind of future you intend to map out for yourself. To sum it up in a word, what epitaph are you anxious to have engraved upon your tombstone? Nephew (just beginning his career)—"He Got His Share."—Pick-Me-Up.

A man should allow none but good impulses to stir his heart, and he should keep it free from any evil that may beat it down and harden it.—Rev. J. D. Hammond.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Stafford Helm of Dundee is here on business today.

J. A. Fisher of Electra was here today on business.

J. W. Dowlen of Byers was here today on business.

E. W. Deason of Burkburnett was here today on business.

Harry Jackson of Amarillo is in the city visiting relatives.

S. N. Lawler of this city is at Burkburnett buying cotton.

Congressman John H. Stephens of Vernon was in the city today.

Attorney J. A. Graham of Bowie is in the city on legal business.

Prof. G. J. Clark of Iowa Park was transacting business here today.

R. C. Combs, a popular knight of the grip, is in the city calling on his trade.

Mrs. J. C. Ralston returned today from Iowa Park, where she had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McNutt and Miss Louise Stevens left today for Beeville to visit relatives.

Dr. J. T. Richardson and wife of Seymour were in the city today en route to Amarillo to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Deering of Vernon were in the city today en route to Fort Worth to visit relatives.

J. M. Batchelor, a prominent business man of Vernon, was here today en route to Fort Worth on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humphreys of Seymour were in the city today on their return home from Fort Worth.

Rev. T. R. Bowles returned today from Blue Grove, where he filled his regular appointment last Sunday.

Mr. A. L. Winfrey, who holds a responsible position with the American National bank at Fort Worth, is in the city for a few days visit to his brother, Mr. E. M. Winfrey.

Mr. Lucas Zehlman and family of Fairfield, Iowa, are in the city and will make Wichita Falls their future home. Mr. Zehlman has bought the Esterbrook property on Ninth street.

Frank Jackson spent Sunday at Bowie.

J. A. Lowry of Holliday was transacting business in the city today.

Homer McGregor, a prominent merchant and business man of Petrolia, was transacting business in the city today.

The Misses Lucile Burgett of Denison and Bessie Finley of Indiana are the guests of the latter's brother, Mr. Durlan.

Miss Mollie Sitton of Ryan, I. T., is in the city, the guest of her sisters, Mesdames Fred Harrington and T. H. Wilson.

J. H. Barnett of Marlin was here today en route to Childress, where he will buy cotton for Taylor, Curtis & Company.

Miss Ola McSpadden of Hot Springs, Ark., who has been visiting Mrs. W. E. Ogsden of this city, returned to her home today.

Mrs. F. E. Curtis and baby of Temple, Texas, arrived in the city today, to join Mr. Curtis in their new home on Scott avenue.

Mrs. R. E. Fowlkes, who has been visiting her friend, Mrs. T. B. Smith, of this city, returned to her home at Seymour today.

Attorney J. A. Wheat of Seymour was in the city today on his return home from Dalhart, where he had been on legal business.

W. A. Carrigan, who has taken a position as assistant superintendent of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, was in town over Sunday.

W. W. McDowell, for several years a business man of this city, but now of Gainesville, is here on business and shaking hands with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shultz of Seymour were here today en route to Mineral Wells. They will also visit the Dallas fair before returning home.

Mrs. Melvin Runnels and little son of Lawton, Okla., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bentley of Thornberry and relatives in Wichita Falls.

Claude Wood has returned after spending several days at Fort Worth.

John Scalés, formerly of Bonham, has accepted a position at the Katy office in this city.

M. A. Smith of Weatherford arrived here yesterday for a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Joe M. Erwin, and his daughter, Miss Lois Smith, who is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Erwin.

Mr. Ashley Bentley of Ellington, New York, is prospecting in Wichita Falls. Mr. Bentley is a nephew of A. A. Bentley, and has decided to make his home here, provided he can find a house.



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A meeting of the directors of the Farmers' Union Warehouse Company was held in this city Saturday afternoon.

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You will not regret a dime spent at the Olympic tonight.

Dr. S. H. Burnside left yesterday for Chicago to attend the American Association of Railway Surgeons, of which he is the vice president.

In our new arrivals we offer Heinz sweet pickles in bulk, either mixed or whole. Phone us your orders. **TREVATHAN & BLAND.**

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