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PLEAD NOT GUILTY

AUGUST HEINZE, CHARGED WITH
OVER CERTIFYING CHECKS

ARRESTED YESTERDAY

Reserves Right to Withdraw Plea and
is Released Under \$50,000 Bond.

By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 8.—F. Aug. Heinze, who was arrested yesterday charged with the over-certification of checks while he was president of the Mercantile National bank, today entered a plea of not guilty. When arraigned before Judge Chatfield in the United States court, Heinze reserved the right to withdraw the plea of not guilty. The bond of \$50,000 which Mr. Heinze furnished after his arrest yesterday was allowed to stand.

Col. E. B. Carver has received his commission as live stock agent for the Wichita Falls and Southern railway. We congratulate Mr. Carver on this appointment and at the same time the railroad people are to be congratulated on securing the services of one who is so well fitted for the position. Mr. Carver has been associated for years with the shipment of live stock with our largest shippers and no one could possibly have been selected who was better acquainted with the stockmen and their needs. In fact, he is the right man in the right place.—Archer City Reporter.

ON THE TREACHEROUS SHOALS.

Unknown Schooner Went to Pieces and
Five of Her Crew Perished.

By Associated Press.
Norfolk, Va., Jan. 8.—A broken message received here over the United States seacoast telegraph wires today from Cape Hatteras on the North Carolina coast, reports the stranding and the loss on the treacherous Diamond Shoals yesterday of an unknown schooner, out of whose crew of seven men five perished, and two were saved.

ONLY THREE JURORS REMAIN.

Two Panels of 100 Talesmen Each in
Thaw Case Exhausted.

By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 8.—There were but three sworn jurors in the box when the court convened at 10:45 a. m. today for the Thaw trial. These jurors represented the net proceeds of the first three panels of one hundred talesmen each. The court today ordered two hundred additional talesmen to report tomorrow and Friday.

ITALIANS IN FIGHT.

Of the Five Participants, Three Were
Fatally Wounded.

By Associated Press.
Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 8.—During a quarrel between five Italians in Stowe township last night, three were probably fatally shot. The two uninjured men are under arrest.

OFFICERS OF THE FLEET

Will Be Entertained in Magnificent
Style at Rio de Janeiro.

By Associated Press.
Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 8.—A program for the entertainment of the officers of the American battleship fleet under Rear Admiral Evans has been practically completed. The fleet is expected to arrive here on January 11th and will remain here ten days.

A HOUSE CURRENCY BILL.

Banking and Currency Committee
Agree on Measure.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 8.—The house committee on currency and banking today agreed upon a bill to increase the elasticity of the currency and will report to the house some time today.

Negro is Hanged.

By Associated Press.
Toronto, Ontario, Jan. 8.—John Boyd, a negro, was hanged here today for the murder of E. Wakile, another negro, on July 11th last.

TO INSURE DEPOSITS.

Culberson Introduces Three Bills in
Relation to National Banks.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—Senator Culberson today introduced three bills in relation to national banks, all of which were referred to the committee on finance. One of the bills requires the banks to keep in their vaults the reserve required by law, another amends section 3 of the National banking act of 1907 and the third is intended to protect deposits. The bill for the protection of depositors makes all national banks accepting the conditions of the measures responsible to the depositors in each case of failure.

Senator Culberson's bill for the protection of bank depositors provides that "in every case where any national bank which accepts the provisions of this act becomes insolvent, or is unable to pay its depositors in whole or in part, all national banks, which shall accept the provisions of this act, shall pay whatever may be due the depositors of such bank which is unable immediately to pay, and the amount to be paid by each bank shall be in proportion to the combined capital and surplus of each as shown by the statements of conditions of the banks to the controller of the currency next preceding the insolvency or failure to pay depositors."

The bill is intended to cover only individual deposits, subject to check, and which bear no interest, but in such cases interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum is required to be paid from and after the insolvency until paid.

The controller of the currency is required to assess all national banks accepting the law their pro rata of the indebtedness due depositors by any insolvent bank and to collect and pay the same to the depositors.

Banks which do not accept the conditions of the bill are to be denied the benefits in case the bill becomes a law.

No public money is to be deposited or remain in any national bank which declines or fails to accept the provisions of this act.

The bill providing for the payment of interest on government deposits in designated depositories for a rate of 2 cents per annum for the use of the government during August, September, October and November of each year; 4 per cent for January, December, February and March, and 6 per cent for April, May, June and July.

The price is cut half in two on ladies cloaks and suits. W. E. Skeen. 198-tf

EXCURSION TRAIN DROPS INTO CREEK

By Associated Press.
Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 8.—The death list, as the result of the wreck of section 2 of the Colver special, which went through the trestle at Hiram, Ga., yesterday, remained at three this morning.

Mrs. Emma Hoover of Cleveland, Ohio, who was probably fatally hurt, is in one of the Atlanta hospitals and there are some doubts as to her recovery.

Miss Florence A. Studebaker of Cleveland, Ohio, is suffering from internal injuries. Otherwise, all the injured are doing well and the doctors expect their recovery.

Road foreman of engines D. H. Schnapp died late last night after being brought here on the relief train, as did the negro fireman, Mose Baldwin.

Engineer James Edwards, who was caught under his engine, died at Hiram. The list of the injured is about eighty.

A hunting party comprised of Marshal Gwinn, Walter Allen, Clark Fowler and W. W. Coleman left this morning over the Wichita Falls and Southern for Archer county, where they will spend the day hunting.

Uvalde honey in 3-lb cans at 40c a can. King & White. 196-tf

New program at Majestic tonight. 1f

TAKEN FROM FATHER

CHILD WHOM PARENTS WOULD
MARRY TO MAN THIRTY-FIVE
YEARS OLD.

VERDICT WAS CHEERED

Case at Gainesville Attracts Wide
Spread Attention—Parents Will
Take Appeal.

Judge Clem B. Potter of the Cooke county district court yesterday rendered a decision refusing to J. D. Parish and wife the custody of their 9-year old daughter, Annie Viola.

The child was brought to Gainesville from Henryetta last week by a man named Batchelor, who was taking her to Norman, Oklahoma, for the purpose of marrying her.

The story of the case is told by the Gainesville Messenger as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Parish live three miles from Henryetta and Batchelor lives in Henryetta. They were friends of his and he visited them at their home now and then, so goes the testimony. He became enamored of the 9-year old girl, yet in knee dresses and nothing but a child, never having known sickness; he spoke to the parents of his desire, and then after vague allusions to mercenary considerations, the testimony shows that he gave the little one a new hat and a white silk dress, preparatory to taking her to Norman for the purpose of marrying her.

They arrived here on the 10 o'clock train Wednesday morning and one of the passengers had watched the man's actions on the train. This passenger told Policeman Shropshire that Batchelor was a married man and that he was suspicious of his object in bringing the little girl away with him, although in not one case in a thousand would a person give a second thought to a man of thirty-three in company with a girl of nine, but in this case the passenger suspected.

Policeman Shropshire notified Marshal Wofford and that officer instructed Shropshire to the sheriff's office where he and Sheriff Ware put him through a rigid examination to find out what there was in the case. Shropshire arrested Batchelor and Deputy Sheriff Cobble took charge of the little girl, separating them so that there could be no manufactured testimony.

At the sheriff's office Batchelor did not hesitate to say that he intended to marry her and that he had her father's consent, showing the written order, purporting to be signed by her father. The officers were dumfounded at the sight of the paper, and more especially when they learned that he was a married man, although he said he had left his wife and supposed they were divorced, although he had not brought suit against her.

Mrs. Parish testified yesterday afternoon that it was understood that Batchelor was to marry the child after she had reached her majority and stated that he promised to make his insurance payable to her as soon as the ceremony was performed. Before leaving Henryetta, he gave to Parish a horse, a cow and a wagon, and the State went on to show that this was the price put upon the little girl.

Mrs. Parish said that she had decided to consent to the marriage on condition that the girl be sent home to live with them until she was old enough to become the man's wife, at which time he should be at liberty to come and get her, but that she had never given her consent to have him marry the child and keep her with him.

The little girl was placed under the kindly care of M. M. Baysinger and was shown the best of treatment, so that she expressed no desire to leave. She told the officers that Batchelor was taking her to Norman to marry her and that she did not want to marry him. Her statement confirmed the suspicions of the passenger who had talked to Policeman Shropshire, and the officers decided that they would try every means of saving the child from a life of suffering and

shame, and several citizens were called in to give their advice.

The parents were asked by wire to come here and the mother responded, but the father had not put in his appearance even up to the time of the trial. The case had been filed with Mr. Baysinger as plaintiff merely to get the matter into court under the juvenile act, and the State was represented yesterday afternoon by County Attorney Murphy, while Judge Stein of Henrietta represented the defendant. It had been arranged to send the child to the Juliett Fowler home in the event that custody was denied her parents and after Judge Potter's decision, the child asked Rev. Geo. L. Bush what kind of a place it was to which they wanted to send her. He told her that it was a beautiful home, and presented her a photograph of the institution. Mrs. Parish slapped it from his hand with the remark that the child already had as good a home as anybody.

The attorney for the defense stated to a Messenger reporter yesterday afternoon that he did not believe this court had jurisdiction in this case and that he expected to appeal the case or sue out a writ of habeas corpus before the court of criminal appeals.

INTO HANDS OF ASSIGNEE.

Big San Francisco Department Store
Falls With Heavy Liabilities.

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 8.—A big department store on Market street, which went under the name of Krager's, has gone into the hands of an assignee nominated by the board of trade. The firm is reported to be in debt to any extent from \$250,000 to \$400,000. Its principal creditors are Eastern firms. The board of trade has nominated C. R. Havens as assignee. The value of the assets is unknown.

DIAMOND DEALER BANKRUPT.

Petition in Bankruptcy Has Been Filed
Against Louis Witzerhausen.

By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 8.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Louis Witzerhausen, a wholesale diamond dealer in Maiden Lane, by his creditors. Robert L. Harrison has been appointed as receiver. The nominal assets are in the neighborhood of \$200,000 and the liabilities, it is said, will probably not be less than \$150,000.

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INSPECTING CITY FOR FREE DELIVERY

Inspector E. Rolf of Fort Worth, who arrived here Monday to inspect the city for a report upon the proposed free delivery of mail in the city, is still busy with his work and will probably be kept here for several days.

Among the matters which he is investigating are the population of the city, the amount of the postal receipts, sidewalks and crossings, street and house numbers.

Mr. Rolf is going into the matter quite thoroughly and is laying out the city in districts for the proposed carrier service.

If Mr. Rolf makes a favorable report, for which there is reason for the hope that he will, and the department orders free delivery, it will probably be several months before the routine of detail connected with the establishment of the delivery service is perfected. It is probable that not more than three carriers will be put on at the start.

ROBBERS BLOW SAFE

And Escape With \$8,000 of the Funds
of the Quenamo, Kan., Bank.

By Associated Press.
Ottawa, Kan., Jan. 8.—Robbers early today wrecked the safe of the State Bank of Quenamo, Kansas, near here, with dynamite and escaped with the entire contents, estimated at between \$7,000 and \$8,000.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

FORT WORTH TEXAS AND PACIFIC
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OFFICE BUILDING BURNS.

FLAMES SPREAD RAPIDLY

Strong Wind from Southwest Fans
Flames That for Time Threaten
to Cause Much Larger Loss.

Special to the Times.
Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 8.—The rebuilding of the Texas and Pacific freight warehouse, which was totally destroyed by a fire at a loss of \$300,000 last night, was commenced today. It is said today that a gasoline explosion caused the conflagration.

Spread of Flames Was Rapid.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 7.—Starting from a source that remains a matter of conjecture, fire destroyed the immense Texas and Pacific freight warehouse and office building tonight and for an hour the flames, encouraged by a strong wind from the southeast, threatened to create untold havoc throughout the wholesale district of the city, which lies immediately north of the destroyed building.

When first discovered by members of a switching crew at work in the yards at about 9 o'clock, the flames were scarcely discernible, and only a thin column of smoke was detected at the extreme southwest corner of the warehouse. Immediately a general alarm was sounded by switch engine whistles, but it was a quarter of an hour before the alarm was sent in to the central fire station.

By the time of the arrival of the fire department, of which every company and every piece of apparatus was brought into use, the large doors at both ends of the warehouse had been opened, forming a draft that carried the flames to ready fuel, and in less than ten minutes the entire building was a mass of flames. These soon reached to the two-story office department at the east end of the building and that portion was also destroyed.

In one hour's time the entire structure was in ruins and not a vestige of valuables such as records, waybills, receipts, books, freight or furniture had been saved. The warehouse was 60x50 feet in dimensions, a one-story structure of wood, steel and brick, and the office building was a two-story structure of brick and steel, 50x80 feet in dimensions, and although the night office force was at work at the time, none of the contents of the place were saved, so rapidly did the flames spread.

FARMERS MAY SEEK AID.

National Union May Authorize Intro-
duction of Bill in Congress.

By Associated Press.
Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 8.—An important resolution, it is declared, will be unanimously endorsed by the Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union, which is holding a series of executive sessions here in its annual convention. The resolution will authorize the introduction of a bill in congress calling for the enactment of a law authorizing the national treasury to assist the farmers during times of a panic by means of bond issues.

The convention today was called to order behind closed doors. At today's session the question of the reduction of the cotton acreage will be discussed. It is believed that action will be taken calling on the cotton planters of the South to reduce the acreage in cotton at least one-third.

To Have a Receiver.

By Associated Press.
London, Eng., Jan. 8.—As expected, at the meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago and Great Western Railway, with A. B. Suckney, president of the company, this evening, it was decided to appoint a receiver of the company to retain the status quo during the time necessary to prepare the first mortgage bonds, covering all indebtedness of the road.

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CATTLE TICKS ARE DISAPPEARING IN THE SOUTH.

The work of eradicating the fever tick in the infested area was not undertaken by the Federal government until July 1, 1906, yet as a result there have been released from quarantine certain areas in Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky, Texas and California, amounting approximately to 20,000 square miles, twenty counties previously in quarantine have been admitted to provisional quarantine and good headway has been made in still other areas. During the last fiscal year the work has been pursued in cooperation with State authorities in the States above named, and in Georgia, Alabama, Arkansas, Missouri, Louisiana and Oklahoma. It has included 1,934,448 inspections of cattle, 359,674 of which were re-inspections, thus indicating the inspection of 1,394,814 individual cattle, these comprising 95,566 separate herds. Various approved methods for the eradication of ticks have been used, including pasture rotation and dipping, spraying and hand dressing with oil and oil emulsion.

The number of cattle moved from the area quarantined for Southern fever to Northern markets during the quarantine season of 1906 was 1,000,629, shipped in 36,213 cars. These cattle were all for immediate slaughter and were handled under the supervision and regulations of the department of agriculture at Washington. There were also inspected in the provisional quarantined areas of Texas and Oklahoma 126,238 head of cattle, which were permitted to be moved north for purposes other than immediate slaughter. Supervision was exercised over 137,902 dippings in crude petroleum, and over the cleaning and disinfection of 36,895 cars.

Have Had Co-Operation.

There is much satisfaction expressed over the work of the Federal authorities in Texas during the last year in dealing with the tick problem, and it is hoped that during the next year much more favorable results may be obtained through the hearty cooperation of all the ranchmen who are interested in this very important proposition. While there has been more or less co-operation during the last year, better results could have been obtained if all the cattlemen in the infested territory had fallen into line, and during the coming year every possible effort will be made to get them into line.

The Federal people who are co-operating with the State officials in an effort to solve the tick problem are hopeful that, as the excellent results of the work being done become clearly apparent, there will be a general revival of interest among all cattlemen in the infested territory, which will be sufficient to insure determination to carry on the work until all the ticks are wiped out. There are no ranchmen operating in the infested territory who are not fully conversant with the evil effects of tick domination. The losses that occur from the presence of the ticks every year would be far more than sufficient to pay the total cost of eradication, but the work of educating

the ranchmen up to their duties in the premises has been a slow and laborious process.

Decrease in Texas.

It is believed the ticks are showing marked decrease in a number of West Texas counties as a result of the methods that have been applied in the process of eradication. There are a number of ranchmen out in that section who declare their pastures have been practically cleared during the last year as a result of the rotation system, which results in starving out the parasites through the removal of cattle to clean surroundings, and as the pastures are thus cleaned the cattle

can be returned. This process is beneficial both to the cattle and to the pastures, from the fact that it permits the grass to grow and get under good headway while the ticks are being put out of business.

It is hoped that in time practically all of the tick infested area of Texas can be cleaned in this manner and in this connection it would be well to bear in mind that suggestions that have gone up from certain interests out in the range country that some of the ground that is now being battled over should be abandoned to the ticks does not meet with official favor.

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THE MORAL QUESTION

VOTERS WANT TO OVERTHROW THE WRONG AND VINDICATE THE RIGHT.

ROOSEVELT ERRS OFTEN

President's Mistakes Overlooked Because of Popularity, Declares Commoner.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 6.—Four hundred guests were present at the annual gathering of the Jacksonian Club of Nebraska at its celebration tonight of the occasion when "Old Hickory" and his host, secreted behind a bulwark of cotton bales, routed the British from New Orleans.

W. J. Bryan was the guest of honor and other democratic leaders of more or less importance in national and State politics had places at the speakers' table.

C. J. Smyth, former secretary of state, was toastmaster. He congratulated the democrats of the country on their opportunities, and predicted the election of Bryan to the highest office in the gift of the people.

Moral Element in Issues.
"The Moral Element in Pending Issues" was the subject of Bryan's address, which, in part, was as follows: "No question is ever settled until the moral element in the question is discussed and decided. Nothing but a moral issue—that is, an issue involving justice—stirs the heart."

"Andre Jackson addressed himself to the moral nature and aroused a moral enthusiasm that outlived his period. The time is ripe for another appeal to conscience and indications point to a greater study of public questions from an ethical standpoint.

"The corrupting influences which have flowed from mercenary politics have at last excited attention, and there is a searching of men and of measures, such as has not been in recent times.

President's Great Errors.
"The president's popularity is largely, if not entirely, due to the belief among the masses that he wants to do what is right and is trying to secure justice to those who have been unjustly dealt with. He has made many mistakes, and great ones, but these mistakes have, to a large extent, been overlooked by those who believe that his heart is right and that he means well. This is only an indication of public attitude. Another indication is to be found in the influence of the voters.

"Not since the war have party lines hung so loosely, but this is the natural result when the voters become earnest in their desire that wrong shall be overthrown and right vindicated.

"People differ as to the relative importance of the different issues, some placing trusts first, some regarding the tariff question as paramount, and others believe the railroad question the most important, but the fact is they all point to the same issue, and that those who take the people's side on either of the other two.

A Few of Many.
"The issue presented in each and all of these questions is whether the government shall be administered in the interest of a few favorites or in the interest of the whole people—whether all the people shall be taxed that a few may be enriched. The trusts tax the entire population for the benefit of a comparatively small number of stockholders; the projected manufacturers tax the entire public through import duties and the railroads levy tribute upon the whole country through extortionate rates.

"We have had selfishness enthroned in law, or selfishness defying the law until the average man has become the victim of injustice practiced on every hand.

"For years the republican leaders supported their policies by adroit appeals to the interests of the different classes, and with a press subservient to predatory wealth they have deceived and deluded many voters.

Jeffersonian Doctrine.
"They are not prepared to defend their position on any public question before the bar of public conscience. Some of the more independent of the republicans realize this and are uttering words of warning, but the republican leaders are as blind as Pharaoh.

"In a multitude of ways the moral sentiment is manifesting itself and unless the signs of the times are misleading there is going to be a return to the Jeffersonian doctrine of equal rights to all and special privileges to none."

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Wichita Falls, Texas, Jan. 8th, 1908.

THE REPUBLICAN DILEMMA.

Since it is settled beyond any reasonable doubt that William J. Bryan will be the Democratic standard bearer in the pending presidential campaign, interest naturally turns to the identity of the Republican nominee. There is a familiar sneer to the purport that Democrats have no trouble in electing their candidates a year before the presidential polls open, and that their confidence diminishes about in proportion as that event draws near. There are indications that this condition will be reversed this year, and the faith of the minority party has substantial foundation.

Roosevelt has split his party with a cleavage so wide that no candidate of his choosing or that of any convention can unite the two factions. There is no common ground on which the conservative and radical Republicans can meet. The radicals will insist on the renomination of Roosevelt, and not until some other candidate has actually won the coveted honor will the suspicion be removed that this modern Caesar will raise his hand to remove the crown which frenzied followers may thrust on his head.

The danger which most seriously menaces Republican success is found in the fact that the radical faction has not thrust forward any candidate save Roosevelt. If that strenuous executive keeps his word and positively refuses to accept the dictum of a stamped convention, what then will the corporation-hating Republicans do? Many of them will decline to bow down to Taft, even though their political gods bid them follow the plume of the Fat Man from Ohio. The day is past when the Republican ranks can be held intact for a man who rose to political power up the cushioned and velvet covered steps marked "corporation lawyer" and "injunction issuing judge."

There are those who insist that Grover Cleveland has wept no bitter and scalding tears over the successive defeats of Democrats who aspired to his succession, and, by the same token, it may be possible that Roosevelt would not retire to a hermitage and pine away over the downfall of a Taft. In any event, it will be amusing to watch the corporation fattened Taft posing as a substitute for Roosevelt, and to hear him hurl defiance at the Morgans, Harrimans and the other representatives of the "vested interests." Confidentially, Bryan will bear Taft if the latter be nominated. Two million men who voted for Roosevelt will either vote against Taft or stay away from the polls.

Fairbanks, Foraker and the others mentioned are known to be corporation advocates to the core. Speaker Cannon is the incarnation of moneyed Republicanism. In a word, it is Roosevelt or a reactionary conservative—save for the remote chance that Gov-

ernor Hughes may win as a dark horse.

It is justly charged that Roosevelt stole Bryan's Democratic thunder. At this writing it seems not unlikely that Bryan will replevin it, and that he will secure for interest a considerable portion of that Republican strength which has been educated by Roosevelt to know that the limit of capitalistic aggression and domination has been reached. It will not again be possible to array the small investors and the middle class conservatives against Bryan.

Roosevelt has been more radical in his acts than Bryan has been in his speeches. Bryan will be nominated by acclamation. Roosevelt could put Taft, Foraker, Cannon, Hughes and all the others out of the running by a nod of his head. He may throw the nomination to a reactionary, but his followers will vote as they please. For the first time in years the Republicans are on the anxious seat, and the Strenuous One has inserted tacks in its cushion.—Houston Post.

PANHANDLE PROHIBITION.

Only Two Wet Spots in Great Northwest Texas Territory.

Dr. George C. Rankin, who has been campaigning in Lipscomb county in the interest of local option, received last night a telegram from the county, announcing that local option had carried by a majority of forty.

"With the exception of Wichita and Dalhart, the entire Panhandle is now free from the saloon," said Dr. Rankin last night. "It is now possible to travel all the way from Fort Worth to Kansas, encountering but one place, Wichita, that has saloons. The vast section of territory that is included in the Panhandle, with the exception I have noted, is under straight prohibition rule."

Dr. Rankin stumped Lipscomb county last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, speaking at the two principal towns of the county—Lipscomb and Higgins.—Dallas News.

REMANDED TO SHERIFF.

State Supreme Court Denies Petition of Ticket Scalpers.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 8.—The supreme court today remanded to the custody of the Bexar county sheriff Robert H. Howard and Seth Testard, charged with a violation of the injunction forbidding them selling scalpers' railroad tickets. This is a severe blow to scalpers all over the State. The prisoners had appealed to the supreme court after their arrest in San Antonio some time ago.

EIGHT TO ONE.

Commission Receives One Petition Favoring Passenger Rate Reduction and Eight Against.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 8.—The Railroad Commission today received nine petitions, one favoring a passenger rate reduction, the others opposing the proposition.

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I desire to announce to the public that I am now engaged in the Grocery business, and have just stocked my store with a complete line of high grade groceries as can be bought, and know that I am in a position to sell them at just as reasonable prices as other dealers. I most respectfully solicit a fair share of your patronage, promising in return the best service and reliable groceries for the least money.

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COMMITTS SUICIDE.

Charles W. Whitney, Member of New York Stock Exchange, Takes His Own Life.
By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 8.—Charles W. Whitney, a member of the stock exchange and of the firm of N. Whitney & Sons, committed suicide at his home here today by shooting. The cause for the act has not been learned. Mr. Whitney was 38 years of age.

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Will Be Candidate for Sheriff.

Deputy Marshal Tom Pickett will be
a candidate for the office of county
sheriff at the election next fall. Rum-
ors to this effect have been current
for several days and when asked about
the matter last night by a Times re-
porter, Mr. Pickett stated that he
would be a candidate and would make
a formal announcement of the fact
within a few days. Mr. Pickett, pre-
vious to becoming deputy city marshal,
was constable and deputy sheriff in
Wichita Falls for nearly twelve years
and his courage as an officer has never
been questioned. He is well known
throughout the county and will make
a strong bid for the office.

Yes, we still have some picked out
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FOR VICE PRESIDENT

SENATOR CULBERSON IS BEING GROOMED NOW FOR SECOND PLACE.

IS BRYAN'S LOYAL FRIEND

Would Become Logical Candidate for the Presidency Four Years Hence If Southern Man Be Chosen.

During the past few days a well defined boom for the Democratic vice presidential nomination has assumed formidable proportions, connecting the name of United States Senator Charles Allen Culberson of Texas with that of William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska, as the democratic standard bearers in the campaign of 1908. Just where this boom started cannot be said, but it is in the air in Texas.

This much is certain, that the boom did not emanate from any source that is traceable to Mr. Culberson. It is definitely known that the suggestion has not as yet reached his ears, as some of the staunchest local friends of the senior senator are wholly at a loss to say whether he would contemplate such a proposal. Senator Culberson's continued silence and apparent disregard of the frequent uses of his name in connection with the presidential nomination have led politicians and friends to believe that he realizes there is no hope in 1908 for a Southern man to head the ticket. It has been said by close friends of the senator that he has only expected and hoped for the endorsement of his own Texas delegation for the presidency, and that he would be contented with that esteemed compliment. However, there is no positive statement from Mr. Culberson that even this is true. So far as any intimation from his is concerned, he is wholly insensible of the fact that his name has been suggested.

Some of the Theories.

Democrats realize, it is said, as does Mr. Culberson, that the nomination will not go to a Southerner this year. Yet it is admitted that this is one of the dearest wishes of the democracy of the South, the desire to return to the old regime when the South supplied most of the presidential timber. It is said that not only would Mr. Culberson be in line for an honor, but he would, at the same time, be conferring a marked favor upon Southern democrats, for it is believed that the selection in 1908 of a Southern man for the vice presidential nomination would furnish a strategic stepping stone to the selection of a Southern man for the presidential nomination in 1912, if not in 1912.

It is believed that Senator Culberson realizes that he is not pitted against a personal, but a sectional question. He would, therefore, it is said, suffer no pang of wounded pride in being offered or in accepting the vice presidential nomination. As a Southern democrat, United States Senator from one of the rockribbed democratic States and leader of the democrats in the highest law-making body of the land, Senator Culberson is peculiarly fitted to head the ticket with Mr. Bryan of Nebraska. Another fact is pointed to in the establishment of Mr. Culberson's claim to a place at the head of the party. The senior Texas senator's views have always since the race for governor of Texas in 1896, been harmonious with those of the Commoner. He would, therefore, lend harmony to the ticket.

Some of the Arguments.

It will be recalled in this connection that, during the gubernatorial race in 1894, one of the most notable political combats in the history of the Lone Star State, Senator Culberson came out strongly in favor of Mr. Bryan's policies, even when it appeared that he had a better chance for election to the governorship by announcing against Mr. Bryan, and in favor of sound money. It will be recalled that S. W. T. Lanham and the lamented John H. Reagan were in the race against the present senior senator. Both Mr. Lanham and Mr. Reagan were open and avowed advocates of Mr. Bryan's money policy long before Mr. Culberson had announced himself. At that time many Texas democrats were forsaking the free silver standard and declaring for sound money. It appeared that Mr. Culberson, by announcing for sound money, might sweep the State. Political situations were intense and thousands of democrats were awaiting the announcement of Mr. Culberson. The present senior senator made his opening speech at Goliad. Five thousand men and women were enthused when he announced

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ed in favor of Mr. Bryan and free silver, thus making it plain that he was for democracy as he saw it and not for the governorship, if election to that office depended upon forsworn allegiance to his democratic views. Mr. Culberson's race is a matter of political history. He won in a memorable contest and was four years later elected United States senator, which office he has since held. The fact that Mr. Culberson and Mr. Bryan have always been harmonious in their interpretation of democratic principles would insure a harmonious campaign.

Only one point is now worrying the Culberson men. This is the frequently expressed fear that Senator Culberson, after being mentioned for the presidential nomination, would not consent to accept the vice presidential nomination. However, it is pointed out that neither Mr. Culberson nor any other Southern democrat may this year hope to secure the presidential nomination and that Mr. Culberson will, if nominated as vice president, have conferred upon him the highest honor in the gift of democrats to a Southern man and will, at the same time, confer a favor upon Southern democracy by furnishing his support to a stepping stone movement, which will serve as an entering wedge to Southern democratic victory later on, possibly in 1912.

Friends of Senator Culberson, after calling upon him to serve the South in this manner, believe that he will be the presidential nominee on the democratic ticket four years hence if it turns out that a Southern man has a chance. These friends are awaiting the reply of Senator Culberson with a great deal of interest.—Weatherford Herald.

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4	402	"	1400.00	23	500	Cor. 4th Austin	1500.00
5	404	"	1400.00	24	502	"	1250.00
6	406	"	1400.00	25	504	"	1250.00
7	410	"	1450.00				
8	412	Cor. 5th Bur.	1700.00				
9	500	Cor. 5th Bur.	1800.00				
10	504	"	1500.00				
11	508	"	1500.00				
12	511	with lot 8	1600.00				
13	507	"	1400.00				
14	505	"	1400.00				
15	503	"	1650.00				
16	501	Cor. 5th Bur.	1550.00				
17	413	Cor. 5th Bur.	1650.00				
18	411	"	1400.00				
19	409	7th	1500.00				

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Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Block No. 121,	Price each	\$250.00
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Respectfully submitted,
LIQUOR DEALERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION, Wichita Falls, Tex. 204-2t

NATIONAL FOREST RESERVE.

Stephens' Bill Embraces 100,000 Acres in Texas.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Mr. Stephens introduced a bill today to provide for the establishment of a National forest reserve of 100,000 acres in Randall and Armstrong counties, Texas, to include the head waters of Red River. It provides for the condemnation of property if the land needed for the purpose should not be offered at a reasonable price. It also authorizes the secretary to purchase the Goodnight herd of buffaloes.

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PERSONAL MENTION

R. E. Huff is transacting business at Bowie today.

Judge Jack Glasgow of Seymour was in the city today on business.

Mrs. W. C. Evans of Leonard, Texas, is the guest of Ira Willis.

George L. Mater returned last night from a business trip to Dallas.

J. C. Doneghy, the land man, has returned from a visit to his family at St. Louis.

Mrs. R. C. Napier, nee Miss Lizzie Clasbey, of Dallas, is in the city visiting relatives.

Miss Mattie Harding returned this afternoon from Decatur, where she had been visiting relatives.

John Doyle, a prosperous framer of near Charlie, was here today on business.

Mr. W. C. Brown left this afternoon for Petrolia to look after his oil interests.

Mr. Andrew Weeth of Iowa Park was transacting business in the city today.

Miss Gillis of Iowa Park is the guest of the Misses Leora and Veta Pickett for several days.

J. A. Fooshee returned last night from Stephenville, Texas, where he has been visiting his mother.

Dr. H. A. Waller returned this morning from Frederick, Oklahoma, where he went yesterday on business.

Messrs. J. T. Young and B. C. Williams returned last night from Fort Worth, where they had been on business.

Miss Maud Mode of Fort Worth arrived in the city this afternoon and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Roling, and brother, J. W. Mode.

Miss Bertha Hutchins of Fort Worth who has been visiting her friend, Miss Dot Walker, of this city, left for her home this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McMurtry have returned from Fort Worth, where they had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. D. W. Harcrow.

Rev. A. J. Bush went to Iowa Park this afternoon, where he will officiate at the marriage of Daniel E. Hooks and Miss Lillian Ferguson.

W. K. Perry, a contractor at Kell City, Okla., came over yesterday to spend a day or two here visiting relatives and to attend to business matters.

Mrs. J. W. Henderson of this city, and her mother, Mrs. S. A. Garvin, of Randlett, Okla., left this afternoon for Charlie in response to a telephone message announcing the serious illness of Mrs. J. M. Faubion, who is a daughter of Mrs. Garvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Blair and Mrs. H. M. Hughes left for Dallas today, where they will attend the wedding of Miss Annie Sorrells to William Funk of Bloomington, Ill., tomorrow night.

Miss Sorrells has visited the Blair family here and has a number of friends in this city.

Mr. Arthur Johnson and his sister, Miss Lela Johnson, of Donovan, Ill., who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gus Byman, seven miles east of this city, returned yesterday from a few days visit to friends at Frederick, Okla.

They will return to their Illinois home next week. This is their first trip to Texas and they are delighted with what they have seen of the big State.

As one of the results of the inspection recently made of the Fort Worth and Denver by the State railroad commission, that company has been ordered to build a new passenger depot at Amarillo.

When the Thaw trial is begun over again, the public knows the worst is already. It has already shown the results of idleness and self-indulgence and proved that nothing can be worse unless it is sensational exposures of them which end in the final defeat of justice.

The Ladies' Home Mission Society of the M. E. Church South will give a dinner in the Wichita Falls Implement Company's building on Saturday, January 18th. 204-11

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