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## HARRY THAW ACQUITTED ON GROUNDS OF INSANITY

JURY FINDS DEFENDANT NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR MURDER OF STANFORD WHITE.

### MUST GO TO MAD HOUSE

Justice Dowling Declares Thaw's Liberty a Menace to the Public Safety.

By Associated Press. BULLETIN—Thaw will be taken to Mattewan on the 4:39 train this afternoon.

New York, Feb. 1.—Harry Thaw has been declared not guilty of the murder of Stanford White on the grounds of insanity at the time he killed Stanford White and will be committed to the asylum for the insane at Mattewan for an indefinite period by Justice Dowling.

The Justice said that he deemed Thaw's discharge to be dangerous to the public safety. At the request of the defendant's counsel, Justice Dowling delayed the execution of the order committing Thaw to the asylum until 3 o'clock this afternoon to allow the counsel time in which to confer to decide whether a writ of habeas corpus would be sued out to have Thaw's sanity tested by the commission before he is taken to Mattewan.

Thaw was called back from prison and had luncheon with his wife in the ante chamber of the court room.

The jurymen all refused to divulge the secret of their deliberations further than to say that fourteen ballots were taken.

The verdict was returned at the noon hour. Thaw was visited during the morning in his cell at the prison by his wife and at that time was much dejected over the outlook for his acquittal.

"Thank God, My Son is Saved."

When the news of the verdict was communicated to Mrs. William Thaw, the prisoner's mother, who was awaiting in her apartments at the Hotel Lorraine, she said, "Thank God, my son is saved; I am perfectly satisfied."

### Contract To Be Let Monday.

In Dallas, Monday the contract will be let for a two-story brick building with dimensions of 50x100 feet to be built on Indiana avenue adjoining Mrs. Firman's residence, by H. J. Cohn St. Louis. The plans for this building were prepared by Lang & Mitchell prominent Dallas architects, and the building will be one of the most modern as well as one of the handsomest structures in the city. It is to be constructed of fire proof material and ginger bricks will be used throughout.

When completed the building will be occupied by a local mercantile firm.

## 300 HORSE POWER BOILER AT LIGHT PLANT

The Wichita Falls Water and Light Company is installing one of the newest and most modern boilers with a capacity for generating 300 horse power of steam at its plant.

This new boiler is more than double the capacity of the boilers which have been in use and will enable the company to give all the electrical power that will be used in the city. The new boiler weighs many tons and it is requiring much hard labor and ingenuity to place it in position.

### Waiting on Rails.

The Wichita Falls and Southern has been delayed in getting its track laid into Olney on account of the failure of a shipment of rails in transit, to arrive when needed. The tracks are laid to a point within three miles of Olney and will be completed as soon as the rails arrive.

### DEMOCRATS CHEER MESSAGE.

Republicans on Other Hand Show Sullen Resentment.

A staff special to the Dallas News from Washington says:

Three paragraphs of the president's message had not been read in the House today before the Democrats began to applaud. As the reading continued their applause grew in volume. Many of them stood up and waved papers. Meantime, on the Republican side there was the silence of sullen resentment.

The Democrats catching the significance of the Republican silence, began to punctuate the reading with more lusty cheering. To the enthusiasm which the message inspired was added as a further incitement the knowledge that their political adversaries were disconcerted and the minor chord of their cheers was a jeer.

Finally the Republicans, becoming sensible of the meaning of these Democratic taunts, joined in the cheering, and the pronouncement of the President's name at the end of the message was a signal for such a demonstration as has not been witnessed in the House of Representatives in many years.

One who had watched the spectacle from the beginning must have felt that the confusion among the politicians was complete; that the iconoclast hand of the President had struck all but the consummating blow.

### Cannon Flees from Rostrum.

There were other circumstances corroborative of the same thought. Obviously Speaker Cannon, though he had had some warning, was not prepared for the jolts that came from the message. The more it read, the more he squirmed. The louder the Democratic applause, the more savagely he chewed an unlighted cigar. His seamy, grizzled countenance, stern in the beginning, clouded as if betraying internal tempest. His discomfiture became so palpable that the note of demon delight sounded in the Democratic cheering. Finally the Speaker calling some one else to the chair, quitted his rostrum and fled to his private room, whither he was followed a moment later by Messrs. Dalzell, Payne and other lieutenants, who held an indignation meeting under his auspices.

### No Demonstration in Senate.

There was no demonstration in the Senate. The Senate is never demonstrative. Most of the Senators retired to the cloak rooms, taking printed copies of the document with them, and there, sequestered beyond the province of the official short-hand reporters, they have read and discussed it with candor never shown on the floor of the Senate.

When the reading of the message was finished, Senator Davis moved the printing of 10,000 extra copies, remarking that it was the best democratic doctrine that he had ever heard from a republican.

### FIFE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Yacht Designer Falls From Deck Into Hold and is Badly Hurt.

By Associated Press. Glasgow, Scotland, Feb. 1.—Wm. Fife, the yacht designer was seriously injured in his shipyard at Fairlie, yesterday while superintending the construction of Sir Thomas Lipton's new racing yacht. Mr. Fife fell from the deck into the hold and struck his head. He was unconscious and was carried to his home where he was still unconscious this morning.

### Dennis O'Sullivan Dead.

By Associated Press. Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Dennis O'Sullivan, an Irish actor and singer, died in the Grant hospital here today after an operation for appendicitis performed Thursday. He was born in San Francisco in 1866.

### FARMERS INSTITUTE.

Will Probably Be Held in This City On February 12th.

A one days' farmers institute will probably be held in this city on February 12th under the auspices of the Farmers' Union.

The local union has been in correspondence with Hon. L. T. Milner, state commissioner of agriculture, and he has agreed to come to Wichita Falls on February 12th provided engagements can be arranged for him in this vicinity on the following two days. These engagements will probably be arranged for Mr. Milner and the meeting held in this city on the date mentioned.

### JAPAN'S MILITARY PREPARATION

Minister of War Says They Are Not Directed Against Any Industrial Nation.

By Associated Press.

Japan, Tokio, Feb. 1.—At a sectional committee meeting in the Diet today, M. Oishi asked against whom were Japan's military preparations directed. Minister of War Terauchi replied saying that they were not directed against any single nation but against eventualities on the Pacific where Japan has a long coast line from Saghalien to Formosa.

### First Baptist Church.

Pastor W. F. Fry will be in his pulpit at the First Baptist church to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock. The pulpit at night will be occupied by Dr. Edward Thompson. His subject will be "The Duty of the Hour." This is to be a union service and all the people are invited to worship with us. Sunday School convenes at 9:45.

## INCREASE IN POLLS

TOTAL NUMBER OF RECEIPTS ISSUED IN COUNTY IS 1,368. IN CITY, 662.

## BOTH SHOW HEAVY GAINS

County Shows a Gain of 513 and the City a Gain of 262.

The last few days of January saw many poll tax receipts issued by the county and city tax collectors.

This morning Deputy County Tax Collector Freeman gave the Times a statement of the number of polls paid in each precinct of the county, showing that the total number of polls paid this year was 1,368. Last year the number of receipts issued was 855, making the increase this year over last year 513.

The following is the number of polls paid in each precinct in the county this year:

Precinct No. 1.....	308
Precinct No. 2.....	551
Precinct No. 3.....	18
Precinct No. 4.....	63
Precinct No. 5.....	75
Precinct No. 6.....	143
Precinct No. 7.....	28
Precinct No. 8.....	40
Precinct No. 9.....	9
Precinct No. 10.....	133

Total .....1,368  
In the city 662 poll tax receipts were issued by Tax Collector Robertson, against 400 last year.

### Small Bank Fails.

By Associated Press. New York, Feb. 1.—The Home Bank, a small institution in South Brooklyn did not open its doors this morning. The Home Bank has a capital of one hundred thousand and a surplus and undivided profits of fifty-three thousand. Its closing is without bearing on the financial situation. The deposits which formerly averaged about five hundred thousand have been greatly reduced since the October panic.

At a recent meeting of the official board of the Methodist church at Vernon it was decided to begin the work of raising \$25,000 with which to build a handsome house of worship.

## FIVE BURNED TO DEATH IN FIRE AT KANSAS CITY

### The Man Who Nurses a Grievance.

Did you ever see him? Did you ever know him? By some means he has managed to get his feelings hurt. This is not a hard thing to happen. Maybe that no one ever dreamed of hurting him, and no one has any knowledge of having, in any way, done anything to his injury. But he imagines that he has been neglected; that some one has overlooked him; that you have paid more attention to some one else, and for weeks he has gone along brooding over it until he has settled down into the belief that he is an injured man. He nurses his feelings; he exaggerates his injuries, and by and by he has a grievance. He presses it to his bosom as a sweet unction; he actually prides himself in its growth, and then he becomes sour and morose without knowing it. Finally he wants to know why people do not like him, and why they shun him. He can not tell for the life of him he is so little appreciated; and it is not long until he distrusts everybody and talks about those who would like to be friendly to him. But he has a grievance and he hugs it close to himself. Such a man is miserable. He is sensitive and self-conceited. He looks at the world through prejudiced eyes, and the world is just about like he is on his inside. He is to be pitied but most people have no patience with him. When they see him coming they are sorry, and when he goes they are glad. Yet he has nobody to blame but himself. He has made the world in which he lives, and he has made himself its inhabitant. Poor man! Nobody can love him, for he is unjoyable to his self. The world has no place for such a man as this one. He is a misfit, and it is all on account of his own thinking and imagining. Why does he not come out of himself and see and think about something else? We do not know. Nobody knows. Will he ever get to heaven? We hope so, provided he gets his foolishness out of him before he arrives.—Texas Christian Advocate.

### Unity Club Met With Mrs. G. D. Anderson.

The Unity Club held another very interesting and instructive session for the study of Shakespeare's King John at the home of Mrs. G. D. Anderson Friday afternoon. The meeting was under the leadership of Mrs. Gorsline and several splendid papers were read and were followed by enlightening discussion.

Mrs. Langford read a paper on John, the king, and John, the man. Another interesting paper was one contributed by Miss Sibyl Kemp on "Dress in the Time of King John."

"The Magna Charta: Its History and Effects. Why was It Not Introduced into the Play?" was the subject of a paper read by Mrs. Reed.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Robertson.

### THOROUGH STATE CAMPAIGN.

Prohibition Executive Committee Arranges for Vigorous State Campaign.

### Special to the Times.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 1.—The Executive Committee of Texas prohibitionists in session here today arranged for a thorough state campaign. A committee of a hundred will take charge of the fight helped by an advisory board of thirty-one, one from each senatorial district.

### Katy Depot Burned.

Loss at Tulsa, Oklahoma Will Reach \$25,000.

### Special to the Times.

Tulsa, Ok., Feb. 1.—The Katy passenger station here was destroyed by fire today. Four loaded freight cars were also destroyed. The loss will reach \$25,000.

Have you seen that noted Thaw picture. See it tonight at the Majestic.

### TWELVE OTHERS INJURED IN ROOMING HOUSE HOLOCAUST

## CAUSED BY EXPLOSION

Flames Sweep Through Building and Suffocate Sleepers.

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 1.—Five persons were burned to death and twelve others were injured in a fire in the three-story rooming house at 1116 Wyandotte street near the business section of the city this morning. The dead were—

MRS. JENNIE BERT, aged 29, of Harrisonville, Mo.

MABEL PORTER, waitress, aged 18  
NINA GRAVES, waitress, aged 18.  
PETER ROONEY, cook, aged 34.  
CHARLES JOHNSON, cook, aged 28.

The injured received slight cuts and bruises and are not believed to be in a dangerous condition. All of the dead, except Mrs. Bert, lived in Kansas City. The fire started from the explosion of gas in the basement.

### Today's Live Stock Market.

#### Special to the Times.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb.—The total cattle receipts were light even for Saturday, only 350 head.

Beef Steers—Receipts two car loads of meal-feds, market higher, tops selling at \$4.00.

Butcher Cows—Receipts 250 head. Good South Texas grassers brought \$2.85. Other offerings sold at \$2.60 and \$2.80.

Calves—Receipts small, quality fair. Market slow and lower, tops selling at \$4.00.

Hogs—Receipts 1700, mostly choice Oklahoma's, market active and higher, with tops selling at \$4.50.

### Death of Mrs. Dillard.

A telegram was received in this city who is a brother of Mrs. G. D. Anderson announcing the death of Mrs. J. C. Dillard, which occurred at Dr. Thompson's sanitarium in Fort Worth at 8 o'clock this morning.

She was the wife of Coke Dillard, who formerly resided in this city, and who is a brother of Mrs. G. D. Anderson. The latter left for Fort Worth this afternoon to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law.

### Refuses to Enjoin Strike.

By Associated Press.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 1.—United States Judge Thomson handed down a decision refusing to enjoin the International Pressmen's Union from striking.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY ASKED ACQUITTAL

At the conclusion of the testimony in the trial of Will Bennett, a negro, charged with the murder of Gus Collins, another negro, District Attorney Martin requested the jury to return a verdict of not guilty for the reason that his guilt had not been established. Judge Carrigan approved this request and the jury returned a verdict of acquittal without leaving their seats. The testimony showed that Bennett and the man killed had been friends and that Collins was killed by the accidental discharge of a revolver as it was being handed from one of the two to the other.

At noon today Judge Carrigan ordered a recess of the court until Monday, when the criminal docket will again be called. There are eight or ten cases on the criminal docket that have not been tried and it will not be known until the docket is called which will be set for trial.

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Friday the open season on quail, doves, wild turkeys and deer came to an end, and it will be unlawful to slay this kind of game until November 1. Even during the season, each sportsman is limited to three buck deer, does and fawns are protected at all times. Only three wild turkeys may be bagged in the season by each hunter. On quail and doves the number is limited to twenty-five daily, but the sportsman may shoot every day of the season.

Texas nimrods will have to depend on duck shooting principally, for their favorite sport. The only restrictions placed by law on duck shooting is a limit of twenty-five daily, but this toothsome fowl may be hunted at any time. It is found in this state only during the colder period.

**Plover Season.**

Plover shooting will furnish Texans with sport for about a month commencing in March and again in August, when these birds make their semi-yearly migrations. The daily limit of twenty-five is placed on plover and snipe also.

Other requirements of the Texas game laws are as follows: Antelope and prairie chickens are protected all time, while geese, grouse, curlew may be killed at any season, if twenty-five bird limit is observed. Mexican peasanets may be bagged at any time and in any quantity. Squirrel may be shot any time, but the limit of ten a day for each hunter. Not more than fifty pounds of fish may be caught daily for market.

**"Not Protected."**

The birds which are named in the law under the heading of "not protected" are crows, hawks, buzzards, owls, blackbirds, ricebirds and English sparrows. Gunners may practice on these birds without fear of molestation.

The Telegram has had occasion several times to deplore the ruthless slaughter of robins, which has been prevalent in Texas. Thousands of these sweet singers have been ruthlessly slain and in violation of the law. Although the robin is not classed with the game birds which may be killed, at the time he is not on the list of those protected. This places him in the same class with the birds which are fully protected by the law, and the killing of one of these sweet singers will result in a heavy fine for his slayer if apprehended.

**The New Railroad.**

H. C. Williams, accompanied by some of the surveying corps of the Wichita Falls and Southern railway company, was in the city Saturday. They had two negro cooks along and were buying supplies to last them while locating the permanent line of the road from Olney to the coal fields. Mr. Williams thinks the road will be built to the Belknap coal fields and does not seem to be alarmed at the re-

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### AT THE CHURCHES

**The Ministerial Association.**  
The Wichita Falls Ministerial Association will meet in the First Baptist church Monday morning at 10 a. m. R. E. FARLEY, Secretary.

**The Episcopal Church.**  
The Church of the Good Shepherd, corner of Lamar avenue and Eighth street. Rector, Rev. Charles A. Eaton. The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., Litany, celebration of the holy communion and sermon. 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
Services at the First Presbyterian church at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. There will be no evening service, owing to the union meeting at the Baptist church. All members are specially urged to be present at the 11 o'clock service.

**Tenth Street Methodist Church.**  
The regular services will be held, except in the evening, when the usual service will not be held to allow the congregation an opportunity to hear Dr. Thomson, who will speak at the Baptist church. Dr. Thomson will occupy the pulpit at this church in the morning and all are urged to hear him.

**The Christian Church.**  
Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Communion and sermon at 11 a. m. Subject, "The Reformation of Luther and the Wesleys." Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Official board meets at 4 p. m. Senior Endeavor meets at 6:30 p. m. Ladies Aid Society meets Monday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. Strangers made welcome. Don't hurry out; let us meet you.  
A. J. BUSH, Pastor.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church.**  
At the court house. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.  
At 3 p. m. Rev. Edward Thomson, D. D., will lecture on Sunday reform. To have the privilege of such a lecture is an opportunity rarely accorded a city of our size.

Our first quarterly meeting service will be held Sunday night at 7:30 p. m. Rev. D. T. Summerville, D. D., presiding elder of the Fort Worth district will be present and preach. At the close of the service the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. Special music will be provided for these services and all will be cordially welcome.

Quarterly conference will be held at the home of Arthur Reed Monday evening at 7:45.

Prayermeeting will be held at the home of Daniel Thornberry, corner of Ninth street and Travis avenue, Wednesday evening at 7:30.  
R. E. FARLEY, Pastor.

### Sudden Death.

A feeling of sadness pervaded the town this morning when it became known that big-hearted Hooley Clement had passed away.

Mr. Clement apparently had been in good health and yesterday on his ranch had been riding all day, and drove home after 4 o'clock, arriving here about 8. He did not complain, save of being very tired, and after eating a couple of apples went to bed. Some time afterwards Mrs. Clements, hearing him groan in his sleep, went to see what was the matter and found he was dead, having evidently breathed his last while asleep. The funeral will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

J. H. Clement, was about 51 years old, and had been one of the oldest settlers in this part of Texas, coming here in April, 1887.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

W. D. Bentley was here Monday and bought a nice lot of the fine corn raised this year by P. M. Randall. This is a species of corn brought in from Old Mexico by government agents, and a sample planted by Mr. Randall. Now Mr. Bentley is going to put it out over the country as a fine sure growth kind of hardy west Texas corn. It is certainly a superior kind.—Hall County Herald.

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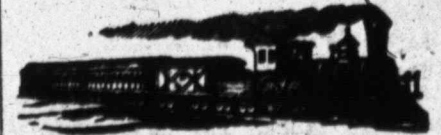
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## RULES FOR CLERKS OF FIFTH AVENUE BANKS.

- ◆ You must not drink any intoxicants with meals in public restaurants.
- ◆ You must not enter any saloon.
- ◆ You must not enter any gambling house.
- ◆ You must not enter any pool-room.
- ◆ You must not visit any race track.
- ◆ You must not enter any bucket-shop.
- ◆ You must not speculate.
- ◆ You must not attend prize fights.
- ◆ You must not have vicious companions.
- ◆ You must not frequent Broadway resorts or become conspicuous where the great white lights blaze.

New York, Feb. 1.—"How about a little sport for tonight?" asked one bank clerk of another, as the two came down to work on the subway this morning. "It's Saturday, and we can sleep late tomorrow. We'll take in some good Broadway show, and later have a supper at some restaurant, where they serve music along with red ink. Let's make a night of it."

"Not so you can notice it," replied the second bank clerk. "It's no more Broadway for mine. I'm thru until I can connect with some other job. This is going to be a hard, cold winter, and jobs are some scarce. I'm going to hold on to mine like grim death. You just run your peepers over this order issued to the clerks of the Fifth Avenue National. Join the Y. M. C. A. and put in your application for membership in a sewing bee. You'll get stung, but it will be worse if you seek more exciting pastime."

The first clerk read the rules that govern the Fifth Avenue National employees and paled.

"How far do you suppose this thing is going," he asked.

"There's no telling. It's dollars to doughnuts it will go the limit, and sooner or later the lights along Broadway will have to be put out, the restaurants close and the theatres lose money. Take us spenders off the street and the street will dry up."

All other bank clerks were talking the same way today, and while they talked a look of forlorn hope overspread their countenances. Apparently it is all up with bank clerks, and good times along the thoroughfare that knows no sleep, except when the sun outshines the electric lights.

In explaining the rules formulated by the Fifth Avenue National, B. H. Fancher, the cashier, said they were not only to save the young men from themselves, but for the protection of the bank.

"We try not to be foolish in the application of these rules," said Mr. Fancher, "but there are certain things every young man who comes to work here understands. He is told plainly he must not go into a saloon or a gambling house, a pool room, a bucket shop or any disreputable place where he will be thrown with disreputable companions."

### "Make All Banks Safe."

The Commoner.

Mr. James B. Forgan, the prominent Chicago banker, has unintentionally given the advocates of the guaranteed bank a slogan which they will be quick to utilize. He says that he is opposed to the guarantee of bank deposits because "it would make all banks safe, one just as good as another and for that reason a man would go to any bank with his money." He claims that it would reduce all bankers to the same level and there would be absolutely no reason why anyone should not drop into the first bank he came to to deposit his money. Why should not all banks be safe? Is it more im-

portant that the big banks should have an advantage over the little ones than that the depositors and the business community should be protected from the bank failures? It is difficult to conceive of a more selfish argument than that which Mr. Forgan presents, and no one can be expected to endorse his argument without putting the interest of the big banker above the welfare of the community and the country at large. The time is a little inopportune for Mr. Forgan to speak so lightly of the interests of the depositor. It is only a little while ago that the big banks as well as the smaller ones had to suspend payment on checks, and the Chicago banks even were issuing cashiers' checks. Why not look at the question from the standpoint of the depositor for awhile and give him a voice in the determination of our banking policy? Mr. Forgan says the stockholders who supply the capital are liable for double the amount of the capital subscribed and that "they have been accustomed to get for supplying this guaranty to depositors all the profits that can be made in the business." Sometimes, however, the hundred per cent liability is not sufficient to protect depositors, and after the stockholders have secured "all the profits that can be made in the business" they leave the depositors to hold the bag, but the end of this one-sided bank policy is near at hand. The bankers did more than they expected to do when they stopped payment on checks—they taught depositors the need of better guarantees, and now the depositors in the various States and in the nation are insisting that the banks shall be made so good that a man will not have to spend his time watching the officials or lose sleep for fear his deposit may disappear.

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**C**R. Coker would call your attention to state,

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**O**f qualities pleasing a first-class demand.

**K**ept here are fine staples—teas, coffees and spices,

**E**xcellent in quality—popular prices.

**R**ich fruits and nuts, fancy groceries fine,

**S**eason's products of garden found in our line.

**L**et us share in your trade, our methods are straight,

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# WHITE GOODS SALE

## Sensational Values

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Are you satisfied with his work? We haven't a word to say, beyond: Well and good. If you have no regular plumber, your last job wasn't well done, we want an opportunity when next you want plumbing done. That's fair, isn't it? This is our name and business address:

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# NEW GOODS

We want to call your attention to the arrival of a large line of early spring Suits, Cloaks and Skirts of the famous Fabrian brand, which insures the correctness of fit, style and finish.

## WHITE GOODS

We are also showing a large assortment of the newest Laces and Embroideries that it will pay you to investigate before making your purchases.

## NEW VEILS

We are offering for your inspection a complete line of all the late creations in early to wear Veils in all the late French effects.

## ONE HALF OFF

We are continuing to give one-half off on all our winter stock of Ladies' Cloaks and Suits

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**WE ARE AGENTS FOR  
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And have a full supply of these goods. They are the best and most reliable Implements manufactured and we invite you to call and inspect them. As to price and durability, we guarantee satisfaction. We also have a full line of

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WANTED—A position for general housework. Address Mrs. James Kennedy, general delivery, city 225-1t

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished room for two gentlemen, \$7.50 each per month, 1004 W. Seventh st. Phone 524. 224-3t

FOR SALE—New five-room residence, corner Scott and 13th street, \$500 cash; balance on easy terms. Call at the Cream Bakery, 617 7th st, 221-6t

FOR SALE—An upright piano of the Jesse French make, almost new, will sell at a bargain for cash. Inquire at Annex Confectionery. G. R. Porter 225-3t.

FOR RENT—200 acres of farming land two miles from town, ready for the plow. Will rent to party who will furnish themselves. See J. M. Isley, 12th and Holliday streets. 222-4f

FOR SALE—Squaw seed corn, shelled and nicely cleaned, raised on farm of C. Dean. Can be obtained at O. W. Bean & Son's grocery store. Also other varieties of fine seed corn. 219-4f

WANTED—Position in small family, housework and cooking; no washing. Am German girl. Call on or address Mary Kubleek, 1004 7th st., at Mrs. Watts'. 223-3t

WANTED—A man to work on farm. One who understands gardening preferred. Call on or address S. A. Haines, two miles south of Wichita Falls. Postoffice box 741. 222-6t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room form, suitable for one or two gentlemen. Apply to E. C. Bowen, Times office. 220-4f

JACK and Stallion—I have a fine black Spanish Jack, which I want to sell. Also a fine "Reno Baby" stallion. This stock, together with their get can be seen on my farm 13 miles north-east of Wichita Falls. C. Dean, owner. 219-4f

FOR SALE—Three full-bred Jersey milk cows. Call on or address G. W. Musgrave, 10 miles north of Wichita Falls. 222-5t w-1t

An Indiana traveling man told a story the other day of an incident on the road. He was in the smoking car on an express train reading his paper when a man rushed from the car behind the smoker, evidently in great agitation and said: "Has anybody in this car got any whiskey? A woman in the rear has fainted!" Instantly dozens of flasks were produced. The man who asked for it picked out the largest one; drew the cork and put the bottle to his lips. With a long, satisfied sigh he handed the empty flask back and remarked: "That did me a lot of good; I needed it, for it always makes me feel queer to see a woman faint away."—Seymour (Ind., Republican.

Now, in Texas this would have been the end of the story. His majesty, the conductor, with the assistance of the brakeman and as many deputies as he cared to press into service, would promptly placed every person in possession of a flask, and also the man who felt queer, under arrest, and delivered the whole outfit over to the police authorities at the next station, where they would have been punished according to the dictates of Texas justice.

Thaw-White tonight at Majestic.

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**SEE** Faust's Studio.  
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All Special Scenery used for this production carried by the company. Prices 25c-50c-75c. Seats at Ralph Darnell's.

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# DON'T PAY RENT ALL YOUR LIFE

Buy your own home; do it now; instead of accumulating a handful of rent receipts at the end of the year. Apply your money to the purchase of a home and be independent.

## THE WICHITA DEVELOPMENT COMPANY

Has just completed twenty-five modern cottages, of from four to five rooms each, situated from 6 to 8 blocks of the business portion of the city. For the purpose of further developing its property, the company has decided to offer for sale a number of its houses. The following is a list of the houses, with the prices asked for each.

### Price List of Property Owned by The Wichita Development Co.

HOUSE NO.	NO.	STREET	PRICE	HOUSE NO.	NO.	STREET	PRICE
1	310	BURNETT ST.	\$1350.00	20	408	AUSTIN AVE	\$1250.00
2	312	Cor. 4th Bur.	1650.00	21	410	"	1250.00
3	400	"	1650.00	22	412	Cor. 4th Austin	1300.00
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	<b>Vacant Lots</b> Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Block No. 121, Price each . . . \$250.00 Lot No. 4, " " 145, " " . . . 350.00 Lot No. 10, " " 144, " " . . . 300.00 Lots No. 4, 5, 6 " " 144, " " . . . 200.00 All inside lots west half of blocks No. 121, 122, 145, each . . . 200.00 Corner lots west side same blocks . . . 250.00 Prices on other lots on application.			
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				

These houses are extra well built and finished; large rooms, solid concrete foundations, all flues built from the ground, all screened, wired for electric lights, a small barn goes with every house, lots 50x150 feet, running back to the alley. Liberal terms given. Reasonable cash payment, balance on monthly, quarterly, semi-annual or annual payments at 8 per cent interest. There is no better town in which to invest than Wichita Falls, and no better property in the city than this; close in, free from dust, the best of soil, well drained, and the highest land of any part of the city lying in the valley. The telephone and electric light companies are now putting in their respective lines, and the water mains will be installed in a very short time. To see the property and for full particulars, call on,

## BEAN & STONE, Agents

Office St. James Hotel Block

Telephone 63

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We furnish everything necessary to catch and deliver rain water from the time it falls on your roof until you place it to your lips pure and clear. ::

We Know How.

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**A Fine Production.**  
 "Faust," Goethe's immortal drama, was presented Wednesday evening in the new Menominee Theatre by Hubert Labadie, supported by a most capable company. The audience was composed mainly of persons of exceptional literary knowledge, and the intelligent interpretation of the great play was greatly enjoyed.  
 In the role of Mephisto Mr. Labadie was delightfully devilish, and honestly earned the honors of the evening. Mr. Labadie demonstrated that he is an actor of genuine merit, and it may be confidently predicted that before many more seasons elapse he will be starred by some prominent firm of producers in New York city.  
 F. Brewster Smith made an ideal "Faust," reading his lines with exceptional grace and finish. He appeared to be admirably suited to the role.  
 Marguerite, the sweetly sympathetic heroine, was acted by Mary Van Tromp. She happily displayed her genuine talent throughout the play and captivated the audience from her first entrance. Miss Louise Du Sette gave a most satisfactory delineation of the role of "Martha."  
 The remainder of the cast contributed, both individually and collectively to the success of a most enjoyable and edifying performance.—Menominee News.  
 Faust will be presented at the Olympic theatre Tuesday evening, Feb. 4, by the same company named above.

### PROFIT IN PECANS.

Hillsboro Realizes \$6,000 from Nut Shipments.

Hillsboro, Tex., Jan. 31.—W. R. Masterson, a leading merchant of this city, has shipped from this city up to date 24,174 pounds of pecans, the price averaging about 5 cents. There has been shipped from this city about three carloads of these nuts and the people have realized some \$6,000. Other towns of the county have also made large shipments.

W. R. Smith, who recently returned from Wichita Falls, is confined to his home with what is said to be a case of smallpox. The house has been quarantined and the proper precautions are being taken to prevent the spread of the disease.—Bowie Blade.

## E. M. WINFREY

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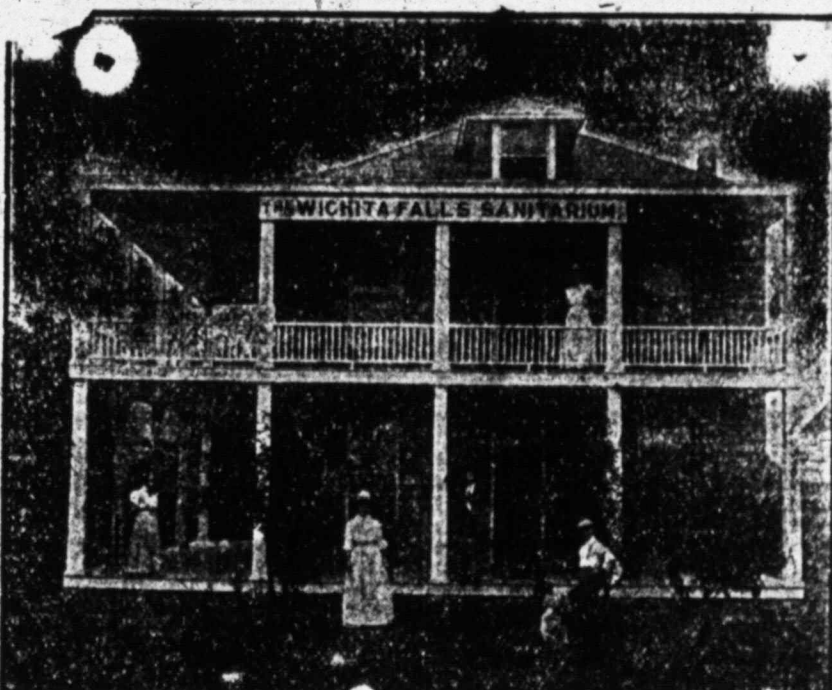
## New Spring Styles

HAVE ARRIVED AND WE INVITE YOU TO CALL AND INSPECT THEM

**Boy's Knee Pant Suits at one-half price for a few days only . . .**

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A modern, up-to-date institution for treatment of Medical and Surgical Diseases. Trained nurses in attendance. Corner 7th St. and Scott Ave.

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CAPITAL \$75,000.00  
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We offer to the business public the services of a reliable and conservative banking institution, that is at all times prepared to grant any favor consistent with sound banking. CALL AND SEE US  
**WICHITA FALLS TEXAS**

### DENTON'S EXPERIENCE IN MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIPS.

Denton Record and Chronicle.  
Fort Worth is thinking of putting in a municipal gas plant with the end in view of providing \$1 gas to the citizens of that city. The town already owns its water plant and electric light system and is evidently pleased with its experience in municipal ownership. Denton likewise has had some experience along that line, all very satisfactory and it is a question of only a few years until water works and electric light plant, bought wholly on the credit, will be paid out by its own revenues. The system's income has provided operating expenses and taken care of the bonded and floating expenses as it comes due and in addition that has paid for the extensive improvements which are planned and some of which are completed. Free fire protection is also afforded which under the old regime, would have cost about \$7,000 per annum to say nothing of the few street lights that are also furnished free and there is a faint prospect that when the new machinery for the light system is installed, electric lights will be instituted throughout the city, an improvement that has been needed for long and which was impossible on account of the overcrowded condition of the present plant.

### CITIZENS' PARTY IN AMARILLO CAMPAIGN.

Amarillo, Tex., Jan 31.—The citizens' party has just organized by naming a ticket and has commenced a vigorous campaign, representing Amarillo's interests only. There are anti-pros, democrats and republicans in the new organization. Heading the ticket is Lon D. Marrs for mayor and J. M. Neely, John S. McNight and B. C. Bynum for aldermen.  
Over 1,000 voters have been issued poll tax receipts and there are two more days in which to pay. Four thousand dollars in property taxes was turned in to the county collector yesterday.  
For something real nice, try Monarch string beans. 17 1/2c per can Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman. 224-2t

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**SAFETY LIGHT OIL**  
Try our high grade gasoline, and that stov using will give perfect satisfaction.  
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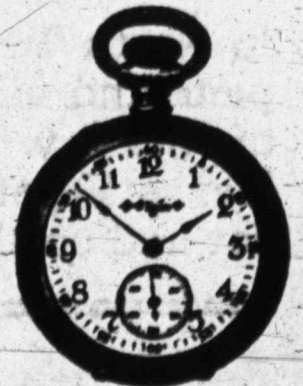
**Automobile Garage and Supplies**  
Machines \$2.50 Per Hour.  
Phone 233  
**ARTHUR REED & COMPANY**

**Lawton Bank Sold.**  
Lawton, Ok., Jan. 30.—The Farmers' National bank of this city, one of the few in Comanche county which during the recent stringency was at all times able to pay depositors in full, was today sold to E. E. Evans of Temple, who will be president; J. J. Terry and E. C. Terry of Palestine, Texas, vice-president and cashier. W. H. Quintette, president; G. M. Paschal, vice president, and A. R. McLennan, cashier, all of Lawton, were the former owners.

If you are real fond of pumpkin pies, let us send you some Monarch pumpkin. 3-lb tins, 12 1/2c per can; the best packed. There is a difference. Nutt, Stevens & Hardeman. 224-2t

**Valentines!** An endless variety—comic, unique and beautiful, at Ralph Darsell's. 221-4t

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**Gold Filled, Warranted 20 Years**  
18 size, 15 Jewels Waltham or Elgin—Price \$10.  
Buy your next watch from **HARRINGTON & HEATH**  
Next Door to Postoffice.  
You can get it from King & White. Pure ribbon cane syrup with all its original sweets. \$11-4t

**PERSONAL MENTION**

E. B. Carver of the Club ranch was here on business today.

Mrs. George T. Moore is a new addition to the list of grip victims.

Mrs. W. H. H. Thatcher is convalescing after a severe attack of the grip.

J. L. Brooks of Harrod is in the city, the guest of his friend, G. W. Wigham.

Mrs. J. H. Huggins of Keil, Oklahoma, was visiting relatives in the city today.

Ed. Foster, a prosperous farmer from Charlie, was transacting business in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Humphries of Seymour are in the city visiting relatives.

The little daughter of M. A. Bundy, agent for the Fort Worth and Denver, is quite sick from an attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. S. E. Wigham and daughter, Miss Fannie, returned to day from Harrod, where they had been visiting friends.

Messrs. John Haier and Pete Waggoner, of the Hutchinson County Land Co., of this city, returned to day from a business trip to Beale, Oklahoma.

Dr. Harrel of Olney who stopped off here on his return home after a visit at Paris, left this morning in company with T. R. T. Orth in an automobile for his home.

Mrs. J. A. Pearce and little baby of North Fort Worth arrived in the city this afternoon and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Sutton, Mrs. Pearce's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Duncan of this city will leave Monday for Waco, where they will make their future home. Mr. Duncan still remains in the employ of the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company of this city, having been transferred to Waco to take charge of the Waco Mill and Elevator Company, owned by them. Mr. Duncan's place here will be filled by Mr. Hugh A. Allen of Fort Worth, who is expected to arrive here tonight with his family.

Majestic tonight.

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**J. W. DUVAL,**  
The Ear, Nose and Throat—X-ray  
and Electricity.  
Wichita Falls, Texas

**Scott-Snyder.**  
Last Sunday afternoon Miss Mable Scott and Charles Snyder were united in marriage by Justice T. L. Looney.

The wedding took place just east of town just beyond the Seals place. Besides the bride and groom and the official who conducted the ceremony the following parties were present: Messrs. Jay O'Keefe, J. J. Thomas, Sheff Melugin and Misses Nona Garvey and Jessie Snyder.

This couple married after a courtship dating from childhood. The parents of either party did not know that they were to be married at this time, but were not surprised when they learned of it.

Mrs. Charles Snyder, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Scott, is a very accomplished young lady, having taken a two years finishing course in the convent at Wichita Falls.

Mr. Snyder is a prosperous young business man of this place and is looked upon as one of the coming men of the town.—Archer City Dispatch.

**Notice of Dissolution.**

Notice is hereby given that the firm of J. P. Bryan Land Co., a partnership composed of J. P. Bryan and LeBaron Adams, has been mutually dissolved, the said LeBaron retiring from the firm and the said J. P. Bryan, assuming all liabilities of the firm and continuing the business under the firm name of J. P. Bryan Land Co. And this notice is given for the purpose of putting all parties on notice that LeBaron Adams is no longer a member of the firm and is not liable for any of its obligations.

This January 27th, 1908.

J. P. BRYAN.

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For hot cakes we offer our Richelleu self-rising buckwheat and pancake flour. No matter what other brands you are using, try them. Two packages for 25c.

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