

CAMPAIGN OPENED

ANTI-BAILEYITES FORMALLY IN-AUGURATE CAMPAIGN AGAINST SENATOR BAILEY TODAY.

MEETING IN FORT WORTH

Attendance Reported at One Thousand. Cone Johnson and Others Were the Speakers.

Fort Worth, March 14.—The campaign against Baileyism in Texas was opened today by the Texas Democratic club in the city hall, a thousand persons being present, wearing badges with the quotation from Bryan "Man is above the Dollar." The delegates declare that the sentiment in their sections against Baileyism is growing stronger. The meeting was called to order by Col. J. C. Hogsett of Fort Worth after which Cone Johnson of Tyler spoke. Other speakers were M. M. Crane of Dallas, Lee of Stephenville and Cullen Thomas of Waco.

FIVE MILLION DOLLAR FINE.

Verdict Against Asphalt Company is Sustained in Venezuelan Courts.

By Associated Press. Caracas, Venezuela, Mar. 14.—The superior court of Venezuela on Thursday handed down a verdict confirming the judgment of the lower court, which condemns the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company to pay a fine of five million dollars to the Venezuelan government, for having extended assistance to the Matos revolution, which was directed against President Castro.

WICHITA FALLS MAN

is Appointed to Attend San Antonio Cattleman's Convention.

Special to the Times. Fort Worth, Tex., Mar. 14.—A mass meeting of cattlemen was held here today and a committee of thirty-six was appointed to attend the San Antonio convention and seek the 1909 meeting for Fort Worth. Among those on the committee are Frank Kell of Wichita Falls, W. H. Featherstone of Henrietta, J. H. Wilson of Quanah and Tom Bugbee of Clarendon.

Herefords Get Premiums.

Special to the Times. Fort Worth, Tex., Mar. 14.—Herefords continued to win the blue ribbons at the Fat Stick Show today, a premium of \$150 being awarded B. E. Gatewood of Cleburne for best carload of three-year-old steers and over. C. B. Campbell of Ponca, Okla., took the first premium of \$150 for a 1-year old Hereford. The largest crowd of the week was present.

Hon. P. A. Martin of Graham has announced his candidacy for re-election to the office of district attorney in this judicial district. Mr. Martin has discharged the duties of his office with great credit and has many admirers in Wichita county, who will give his candidacy their heartiest support.

A small blaze at the rear of J. L. Mears' residence on Scott avenue this morning caused a fire alarm to be turned in. The fire resulted in no damage and was extinguished before the arrival of the fire company.

DEPOSED PASTOR LIVES IN LUXURY

By Associated Press. San Francisco, March 14.—Jeremiah K. Cook, the deposed rector of the Episcopal church at Hempstead, Long Island who eloped with Loretta Whaley about a year ago was found today living in a suite of rooms on Masonic avenue. He was well to do to all appearances and had comfortable surroundings. In an interview the former rector admitted that he had telegraphed for financial aid and admitted that the struggle for life had been too much for him and that he had made a failure of everything.



HON. WILLIAM H. TAFT.

The republicans in twelve States have instructed their delegates to vote for Taft in the National convention, and indications now point to his nomination on the first ballot. The latest State to swing into the Taft column is Nebraska.

BARGES GO DOWN FIVE MEN DROWNED

By Associated Press. Ashland, Ky., Mar. 14.—Five men were drowned here today. The tow boat Boaz, which left Pittsburg Tuesday morning for Cincinnati with a crew of about thirty-five men, early today at Catlettsburg struck an exposed pier of the proposed Ashland-Ironton bridge, one mile below this city. Nearly all of the barges were sunk and it is believed that at least five persons have been drowned.

Wrecked on Reef.

By Associated Press. Woodshole, Mass., Mar. 14.—The British steamer Sylvia, which left New York yesterday with passengers and freight for Halifax, Nova Scotia, and St. Johns, Newfoundland, is ashore on the Sow and Pigs reef, off Cuttyhook. Her compartments are full of water.

QUIET MOVE TO RAISE RATES.

Commerce Commission Prefers the Advance to a Cut in Wages.

Chicago, March 14.—A quiet movement is on foot among the railroads for a general advance in freight rates. It is said that the interstate commerce commission has been sounded on the subject and have been found not to be adverse to a reasonable increase to offset the great increase that has taken place in operating expenses.

It is hinted that the commission will much more readily indorse a reasonable increase in rates than any reduction in the wages of the operating forces, and the roads themselves would greatly prefer the former method of meeting the financial situation that confronts them.

TOLD STARTLING STORY.

Six Young Minnesota Girls Die By Own Hands in New York.

By Associated Press. New York, March 14.—Helen Bixler, a young girl was found this morning in time to save her life after having turned on the gas in her room. She related a startling story of how six young girls including herself came to New York a little over a year ago and all but herself had died by their own hands. She was seventeen years of age. She stated that she came to New York to make a living with the others after receiving a course in a business school in Minnesota.

ORDERS ARE SECRET

JAPANESE NAVAL SQUADRON IS PREPARING TO SAIL FROM FORMOSA.

EXCITEMENT AT SASEBO

Indications Point to a Japanese Demonstration Against China.

By Associated Press. Hong Kong, Mar. 14.—Information has been received from Formosa that the Japanese naval squadron will sail today under secret orders. The cruisers Yakumo, Akishushima, Assama and a flotilla of smaller vessels have been coaled and are ready to sail at any minute notice would be given, since March 7th. At Sasebo, the naval station, everything is excitingly busy. The Tatsu affair has caused a sensation in the navy. Some action in this department is surmised.

Fire at Sweetwater.

Sweetwater, March 13.—At 8:30 a. m., this morning a fire was discovered in the second floor of the two story iron clad building occupied by the Ruby Cafe, located just across the street, from the Texas and Pacific depot, destroying the structure and most of its contents.

The flames spread to the adjacent frame buildings occupied by the Palace Bakery, electric light offices, Snell & Company, real estate firm, and the city offices. Most of the contents of these buildings were saved. The loss is estimated at between five and six thousand dollars. Amount of insurance not known.

REV. GEORGE TRUETT COMING.

First Revival Meeting of the Year Will Start at Baptist Church Tomorrow.

The first revival meeting of the year will be opened at the First Baptist church tomorrow night. Rev. George W. Truett of Dallas, one of the foremost evangelists in the Baptist church, will be present Monday night.

Mr. Truett has now more than one hundred invitations to help in revival meetings and after his work here, will go to Atlanta, Georgia, to conduct a revival there.

Meeting of the "42" Club.

The "42" Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Farris at the corner of Eleventh street and Scot avenue Thursday night. Those who partook of the charming hospitality of the host and hostess were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Huff, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Noble, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gorsline, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jackson, Misses Young, Brooks, Burgess, Mrs. Darnell and Messrs. Langford and Huff.

MANY GIRLS IN FIRE.

Five Story Candy Factory Burned in New York.

By Associated Press. New York, March 14.—The five story candy factory of Arthur Essing at 682 Pearl street was burned today. The building will be a total loss. Many girls were employed but all escaped, although a number had narrow escapes. A large force of firemen and apparatus was called by three alarms and were working on the blaze.

TORPEDO BOATS AT PANAMA.

Flotilla Under Lieutenant Cone Arrived Unexpectedly.

By Associated Press. Panama, Mar. 14.—The American torpedo boat flotilla under command of Lieutenant Hutch I. Cone, which left Callao on March 9th, arrived unexpectedly this morning at 9 o'clock and is now anchored in the harbor here.

A Word of Appreciation.

I wish to thank the Times for its kindly aid in placing the little orphan girls in good homes. We now have them, I trust, in homes that will be the means of their development into noble womanhood. "So mote it be." A. J. BUSH.



GOV. JOHN A. JOHNSON.

A dispatch yesterday announced that Governor Johnson would open headquarters in the East in the interest of his candidacy for the democratic nomination. Governor Johnson was elected governor in the republican State of Minnesota by a big plurality.

WATER QUESTION AT ARCHER CITY

Archer City Dispatch.

We mentioned the fact last week that the railroad company was going to put in a large tank in the northeast part of town, the land being the W. B. Worsham tract.

Men and teams have been ready to begin the work for the past week or ten days but the officials of the railroad and Mr. Worsham could come to no understanding as to the value of the land on which the proposed tank was to be built.

It will require about 16 1/2 acres of land for the tank, but Mr. Worsham would not sell that amount because it would leave a narrow strip on one side and end which would be unsalable. He agreed to cut off a square on the east end of the tract containing 3 1/2 acres and sell at \$50 per acre. The railroad people refused to do that and were in the act of leaving the town for a site when several of our local citizens took the matter in hand and began negotiating for the land.

Mr. Worsham stood pat on the 3 1/2 acres at \$45.00 per acre and the citizens closed the deal with him. The railroad company will pay for 16 1/2 acres and the people of Archer will have to pay for the remaining 15 1/2 acres.

At the time we go to press \$315 has been subscribed toward the fund of \$600 which must be raised. We hope the citizens of Archer City will get right and finish up the fund, as the tank will be of great value to our town.

Graves Has Preliminary Hearing.

Arthur Graves, who is charged with an assault with an intent to murder upon E. P. Walsh, is having a preliminary hearing today before Justice Brothers.

The examination of the witnesses was begun at 10 o'clock this morning and at a late hour this afternoon the examination was still in progress.

No new facts have been brought out in the testimony of any of the witnesses.

Mrs. H. C. McGlasson and Mrs. Geo. Moore on Monday, the 16th, will entertain the ladies of the Christian church and their friends with a free will offering tea. All are cordially invited to come.

BURNED FOUR BARN

PARTY OF NIGHT RIDERS MADE A RAID IN WOODFORD AND SCOTT COUNTIES, KY.

WERE CLOSE TO GOVERNOR

Trolley Car Carrying Governor Wilson Ran Through Party Without Knowing It.

By Associated Press.

Versailles, Ky., Mar. 14.—Three barns in Woodford county and one just across the line in Scott county, were burned early today by a party of masked men. The men were on horseback and in buggies and the party numbered not more than fifty members. A number of shots were fired, but so far as is known, nobody was hurt. The men came from the direction of Scott county. They cut the telephone wires and the amount of damage done is not yet known.

Governor Wilson and a party of legislators were returning from Lexington to Frankfort on a trolley car and ran through a party of the night riders without knowing it, near McKee's Cross Roads.

Sixty-two Years Young.

On yesterday I passed my sixty-second mile post on the march of life. The Lord has dealt bountifully with me and while these years have not been spent as well in some respects as I could wish, they have gone to record and I am trusting to a merciful Father to pass by the failures mercifully. Thirty-two of these years have been spent in Texas preaching the gospel. Some four thousand souls have been led to Christ and many others helped in the way everlasting. Two hundred orphan children have been provided with homes and education and yet there is much left undone that I might have done. I have had sorrows and disappointments, but I have had much of joy in the service of my country, of my fellow mortals and of my God. I can truly say, "Nothing, only that which is common to man, has happened to me." I am strong physically and mentally and look to the future hopefully and joyfully, praying the last years of my life may be the best and most useful. I shall in the future, as in the past, devote all my days in an endeavor to make the world better and brighter and happier for having lived in it; and then when the end comes, joyfully go home to join the loved ones who are gathering on the other shore, one by one. To finish my course with joy is my chief concern. I am and hope to live in peace with all mankind till Jesus calls me home. I am as ever ready to help all who desire my assistance to a better life.

A. J. BUSH.

Kincheloe Found Guilty.

Guthrie, Ok., March 13.—The House of Representatives found H. L. Kincheloe, County Clerk of Alfalfa County, guilty of contempt, and directed that he be punished by imprisonment in the Logan County jail for sixty days. The Speaker also directed Representative McCalla, who conducted the case for the House, to prepare the commitment for service, and delivery of the respondent, Kincheloe, to the Sheriff here tomorrow morning.

GREAT DERBY TODAY AT NEW ORLEANS

By Associated Press.

New Orleans, La., Mar. 14.—The greatest derby ever held in the history of local racing will be decided today at the fair grounds. The quartette of starters outclass any field that has ever measured strides for the ten thousand dollars. Record breaking crowds are here to witness the equine struggle. Present indications are that the contest will be decided over a track that is lightning fast.

Log Cabin Maple Syrup at 45c, 50c and \$1.50 per can. J. L. Lee Jr. 261-22

THE BRAND NEW SEASON 1908



Let us educate you in what's what in the new spring wearables, the brand new things of a brand new season, the apparel of spring season 1908; Clothing of class and character created by the cleverest designers and manufacturers in America. These unmatched garments will excite much interest here this season. If ready to make a selection, do so; if not look and admire.

SPRING SUITS \$10 TO \$30

Mallory Cravenette hats, the leading styles for the new spring Season, also the newest Stetson styles. A great stock of the spring styles of the Eagle and New Era Shirts

Collier & Hendricks

Millinery for Spring.

The new Romney hat is a big hat with a great deal of dash about it. It has a high crown, a brim that projects to the left with a slight upward roll and slopes gradually to the right. The high crown is draped rather loosely with some soft material. The brim is lined, and the roses are set on the right, resting partly on the brim and partly against the side of the crown.

The Ange Pitou is another new hat, with a tall crown but rather narrow brim. Covered with taffeta and bordered with a braid of panne to match, it is extremely taking. There is invariably a plume rather far back on the left side. These hats are usually shown in neutral colors.

Rosettes of all kinds were never so much used as at present or in so many ways. A single rose or a bunch of forget-me-nots is set in the midst of a great rosette in an elaborate effect. Many rosettes are made of gold and silver tissue ribbons. Persian and Egyptian designs made of colored metallic tissues are exceedingly beautiful.

A little touch of brimming that is becoming more and more popular is a soft lace ruffle on the under side of a broad brimmed straw hat. The lace is wide and is fastened only at the under corner of the brim and crown, so that the effect is something like that of a Charlotte Corday cap worn under a hat. This will be extremely becoming to certain faces.

In feathers, the ostrich always leads, and in sizes from pompon and tip to amazon. Heron and paradise aigrettes are used for dress hats, while for street hats simpler styles of quills, wings and pompons are preferred. Brush effects are popular, giving a military touch, and with the brush are seen jet beads forming festoons. Another striking ornament is a wreath formed by a row of sparrows, mounted on a wire.

Smaller hats have been expected for spring, but as they arrive little decrease is seen, and the new hats again run through all sizes, from small to large and very large. There is this to be said, however, in verification of the prophecy, and that is the large hats are less numerous than formerly.

In shapes, three-cornered turbans or tri-corns are assuming a great popularity. Toques are mostly oval, narrow in width, with large drumlike

crowns. No mushroom shapes are seen. A majority of the new hats have distinctly larger crowns than formerly, which are of divers shapes, such as conical, bell shape, zig topped, domed, plain straight and the Tam O'Shanter.

The new colors are pleasing and show a distinct effort toward the aesthetic by avoiding all crude tones. One new shade called lotus is to be compared only with that dull color seen in old tapestries. Another color is tapestry pink, a soft, dainty shade. There are beautiful new tones in gray this season which have both bluish and brownish tints. A new shade called jockey is rather conspicuous, but pretty when carefully used. It is nearly like emerald or malachite green. All the popular shades of last season retain their favor for millinery.

In hat trimmings there are as much variety and elaboration as ever. Flowers and foliage take rank as first favorites, and flowers and grasses are made up into aigrette and pompon effect even more than before, especially the tall colonel pompon, which is popular in Paris. Not only roses but flowers that were never seen before on hats are much in evidence now in sizes from a forget-me-not to a flower ten inches in diameter. Some of this season's novelties are beautiful magnolias in white, with touches of green and pale pink, as well as pond lilies, iris and even peonies and tulips. These long-stemmed flowers are worn erect, adding greatly to the height effect.

Wheat is Promising.

Justice Brothers and Sheriff Davis made a business trip to Burkburnett yesterday. They report that the wheat in the Burkburnett country is growing splendidly and in many fields is high enough to hide a dog. Mr. Brothers says that he never saw better prospects for a big wheat yield.

It is rumored that the Denver road is to put on fast through trains early this summer. The trains will be Nos. 1 and 2, and will be equipped with five cars, baggage, day coach, diner and two Pullmans. The trains will stop only at county site towns. The time between Childress and Fort Worth will be six hours. These trains will be put on to meet the competition of other roads in Colorado travel.—Childress Index.

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A Great Sacrifice Sale

Of such vital importance to every one living within a radius of forty miles of Wichita Falls that they dare not, (if they know what economy means,) look with indifference on the magnanimous offers we make during this sale. Read every item carefully. Every article in the house at unmercifully cut prices. Thousands of other good things which are crowded out of this adv. await you. **Every Day a Bargain Day.**

Remember the Date and be on Hand Wednesday, March 18, at 9 O'clock Sharp

Staples Best of Calico, per yard.....4c Amoskeag Gingham.....11c 12 1/2 Apron Checks.....8 1/2c 1000 yards full width Bleached Domestic.....10 1/2c Feather Ice soiler.....2c Ward-sale Brown Domestic, per yard.....2c Best 2 1/2 Bleached 10-4 Sheetting.....2c The Nylon Checks.....2c	Lawns, Linons, etc Lot of remnant 20c Planted Lawns.....9c 12 1/2 White Lawn.....8 1/2c 20 pieces India Linon.....12 1/2c 12 1/2 Indian Linon.....8c White and Flannel Waist Lawns.....12c 20c This sale.....20c 20c quality of same goods.....20c	Muslin Underwear 25c Corset Covers.....19c 50c Corset Covers.....39c 75c Corset Covers.....48c 1.00 Corset Covers.....59c 1.25 Corset Covers.....69c 1.50 Corset Covers.....79c 2.00 Corset Covers.....89c	Petticoats \$5.50 and \$6.00 Silk Petticoats in this sale for.....\$4.48 \$8.50 Fine Skirts for at.....\$7.39 \$10.00 and \$12.50 Petticoats at.....\$9.47 Magnificent \$15.00 Petticoats to go in this sale for.....\$13.67 Remnant Red Petticoats about equal to all.....39c	Table Linens 50c Mercerized Linens.....3c \$1.00 Table Linens.....79c \$1.50 Fine Table Linens.....\$1.39 40c set of Mercerized Linen Napkins.....29c 70c set pure Linen Napkins.....59c \$1.50 per set fine Linen Napkins.....\$1.29 The Table Towel.....27c The Table Towel.....39c	Boy's Shoes Boys' \$1.50 Vel Kid Shoes.....\$1.19 \$2.00 Vel Kid Shoes.....\$1.69 \$2.50 Dress Shoes.....\$1.98 \$3.00 Vel and Patent Shoes.....\$2.48 CLOTHING AND HAT DEPARTMENT
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DEATH FOR SLAYER OF DENVER PRIEST

Denver, Colo., Mar. 12.—"Is there no appeal?" These were the only words spoken by Giuseppe Allo when informed that the jury found him guilty of murder in the first degree and fixed sentence at death.

Just eighteen days after firing the shot, which brought death to Father Francis Leo Helnricks at the altar in St. Elizabeth's Catholic church, while in the act of administering the holy sacrament, this wanderer from Italy, an alleged anarchist, heard his doom.

In the court room not three blocks from the church where he committed his crime and within the sound of the chimes which he said drew him to that church, Allo received the judgment, delivered by a jury of his peers. Stolid to the last, he simply nodded his head and whispered to the interpreter: "Is there no appeal?"

Then his chin sunk on his breast, and he made no further comment. When the jury had been polled the Judge thanked them and expressed his approval of the verdict.

Attorney Wildecornb of the defense made a motion for a new trial and was granted five days in which to file the papers. The prisoner was then ordered to be returned to the county jail pending this action, and the trial which lasted only three and one-half days, was over. Under the laws of the State Allo cannot be hanged within sixty days of the rendering of the verdict.

There was no demonstration in the court room when the verdict was read by Foreman D. S. Johnson, a mining engineer, at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon. The finding had seemed inevitable from the beginning, and the audience received it in silence, apparently satisfied that justice had been done.

FOUND WITH THROAT CUT.

Unknown Man Delirious From Wound When Discovered Near Trent.

Ablene, Tex., March 12.—Word came in from Trent this morning that Deputy Sheriff Joe Brown had found at an early hour today a man lying beside the railroad, about one mile west of town. His throat was cut and he was delirious.

The man, who is about 50 years old, weighs 170 pounds, is quite bald, but has a large, sandy mustache, is not dangerously hurt. It is thought that when his wounds are dressed by a physician he will not be in any danger unless complications of blood poisoning set in. He will be kept there until he is able to get about or until something is learned of his identity.

A Full Dinner Pail Again.

A special dispatch to the Chicago Record-Herald (rep., under date of Newcastle, Pa., March 4, follows:

"Adams Halner, poor director, was confronted by forty foreigners today who marched to the city hall and demanded that they be sent to the poor farm to work for their meals and lodging. They had just been turned out of their boarding-houses. Most of them formerly worked at the mills as laborers. Only fifteen of the applicants were sent to the poor farm, as no more could be taken care of."

"Four years more of the full dinner pail."

To Control Production.

A New Orleans despatch says:

At a meeting of the cotton manufacturers of the state of Mississippi, it was judged to be absolutely necessary to curtail production by running only four days per week. It was stated that mills throughout the country are operating at a loss and that the manufacturing industry is at its worst in the history of the business. The cotton goods market are in deplorable condition, there being practically no demand even at a losing price for the mills.

Removal Notice.

On and after March 1st, 1908, our office will be located in the Erwin & Eagle building, No. 809 Indiana avenue, where we will be glad to meet all our patrons and friends. Respectfully,
Wichita Falls Water and Light Co.
248-U CHAS. MALONE, Manager.

The track for the Southwestern railway is laid for six miles, and but for delay of steel shipment would be farther.—Henrietta Review.

Just received a big shipment of fine cream center chocolates. The Cream Bakery. 259-41

ODD THINGS IN A DAY'S NEWS.

A hotel in Kelton, Wyo., as an inducement to travelers, announces that pumpkin pie will be served on Mondays and Thursdays.

A will meeting all the requirements of the law was written by a German farmer of Audrain county, Missouri, on a small prescription blank.

Miss Anna Delaney, aged 19, attacked at Palo Alto, Penn., by thugs, held them at bay by stabbing them with her hatpin.

"Jimmie" McDonald, an aged collector of debts, who died recently in Portland, Ore., used to get money by standing in front of a debtor's house and ringing the bell until the delinquent came out and settled.

Dr. Winfield S. Hall and wife of Chicago adopted three children of different parentage—the first time, it is said that such a thing has been done in Chicago.

On cutting down a tree in Ladoga cemetery, at Crawfordsville, Ind., workmen found that the tree had grown around a marble tombstone two feet high and fourteen inches wide. The inscription showed the stone was put in place in 1830.

Hauling Water to Quannah.

The Denver road is actually hauling water from Childress as far east as Vernon. Every freight train leaving Childress for the east has a water car in the rear of the engine for use until the trains get to Vernon. Coming, the car is filled at Vernon. Water at Quannah and Chillicothe has given out. Of course the papers of Quannah and Clarendon are not expected to believe this statement.—Childress Index.

Prosperity for Big Pasture.

It is safe to estimate that the Big Pasture will, with this its first crop year, produce 100,000 bales of cotton, besides a large acreage sown to wheat, oats, corn and feed stuffs. All we need now is a sensible settlement of this townsite muddle so that the coming big fall business can be properly cared for.—Kell City Enterprise.

Pertinent Advice.

"Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the party"—with a stuffed club and whale the gall out of some of the so-called "leaders," make 'em take a back seat and let the people have a rest.—Bonham Herald.

Red Cherry-Apple and Strawberry-Apple jam in 1-lb tins, 20c each. Try it. You will be pleased.

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When it comes to canned goods of any kind, the name or brand stands for a great deal, for when you buy a can of vegetables or fruit and find them to be of an excellent quality you naturally remember the brand name and call for it the next time you buy.

In the case of our White Horse Brand of fruits, we recommend it to you, knowing that you will call for them again and thank us for telling you about them.

- 3-lb. can Egg Plums, 25c.
- 3-lb. can Bartlett Peas, 30c.
- 3-lb. can Lemon Cling Peaches, 30c.
- 3-lb. can Apricots, 30c.
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It's hard to satisfy an automobile taste on a trolley car.

The more a woman knows the easier it is for her to hold her tongue.

Many a man falls to make good because he loves his ease so much.

A man may build a palace, but it takes a woman to convert it into a home.

What the self-made man needs is a wife who is capable of polishing the rough edges.

Many a girl who thinks she is too good to do housework believes that her mother isn't.

A man's judgment enables him to do some things almost as well as a woman can do them without any.

Liquor has caused many a strong man's downfall. It's easier for his wife to knock him out when he is loaded.

Almost any man can convince a woman that he loves her, but he has to work overtime in order to keep her convinced.—Chicago News.

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SOME POSTSCRIPTS.

A 14,000 horse power plant operated by tidal energy is to be established on the south bank of the Elbe, near Cuxhaven.

Duties on a number of fancy and ornamental stones are to be increased five-fold by an order which customs officials are to put in force on March 16th.

A plan to limit the height of buildings, which would do away entirely with skyscrapers, is being considered by a special committee of the new building code commission of New York.

Queen Alexandra, the dowager empress of Russia, the Princess Victoria, visited J. Pierpont Morgan's house in London Saturday and inspected Mr. Morgan's art collection.

State Senator Russell is trying to organize "acre clubs" in every community in Oklahoma. Each member is to plant an acre of some product, and the scheme is a practical scheme for farmers.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt has established a regular fire department on his estate, Oakland, near New York City, with hose reels, a chemical engine, a fire wagon, horses and a regular force of firemen.

Seventy members of the Berryhill family, one of the largest in the Creek nation, draw more money for oil royalties than any other family in Oklahoma. Together they receive \$20,000 a month.

At the first "American" sale recently of the collection of first editions belonging to Charles E. Pysar of Patterson, N. J., \$276 was paid for "The Sister Years," said to be the rarest book of all Nathaniel Hawthorne's writings.

WHEN YOU COME TO THINK ABOUT IT.

When you come to think about it—on this old terrestrial ball,

Rimmed with roses in the springtime, heaped with fruitage in the fall; Though we all were born a-growlin'— though we're axle-deep in doubt There is really very little for the world to growl about.

When you come to think about it— did your growlin' ever yap? Did it ever bend a rainbow—chase a thunder cloud away? Don't it deafen all the angels when they try to sing and shout? Don't they know that there's but little in the world to growl about?

When you come to think about it— but the best way's not to think! There's a spring there, by the way—side—stop, ye travelers, an' drink! There's a green tree in the desert, 'neath a firmament o' blue, An' a hive that's dripping honey for the famished lips of you! —Frank L. Stanton.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- For County Tax Assessor:
W. J. BULLOCK.
- For District and County Clerk
W. A. REID.
- For County Judge:
M. F. YEAGER.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
A. M. DAVIS.
J. W. WALKUP.
- For County Treasurer:
TOM W. McHAM.
- For Representative 105th District,
G. E. HAMILTON of Childress.

There are sixteen aspirants for the position of tax assessor of Hunt county this year. This office pays about \$2,000 per year, or about the same as it pays in this county; yet here there is but one candidate for the office. This speaks well for Wichita county, as it clearly indicates that our people are more prosperous than the people in the more thickly populated counties, and that the opportunities for making more money by farming and engaging in business of various kinds are by far greater in this section than are afforded in those counties where more than a dozen candidates are clamoring for each and every county office.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

The Bailey campaign committee, through Clarence Ousley of the Fort Worth Record, the chairman, has issued an open letter to the democrats of Texas in the interest of Senator Bailey's candidacy for delegate at large to the democratic national convention.

Congressman Lilley, who introduced a resolution to investigate the methods resorted to by the Electric Boat Company in order to sell the government its diving-boats, is now threatened with expulsion unless he "makes good" the charges he has preferred, and which congress, including Speaker Cannon, thinks reflects on that body.

Mr. Willett, a congressman from New York, on yesterday denounced President Roosevelt, saying, among other things, that the president was largely responsible for bringing about the panic, and in touching upon the Brownsville affair, compared him to an African chieftain or Russian despot. He concluded his speech by saying: "Remove the cause of the unrest; silence the ceaseless, senseless clamor for spectacular effect on the part of the man in the White House and quiet will be restored." Mr. Willett is a republican.

The Chinese are now beginning to grow restless and a movement has been started to nominate a successor to the throne. Each of the princely families is putting forward a candidate of its own and the competition is almost sure to result in serious trouble. The Empress Dowager has been asked to retire to private life and to allow the emperor to hold the reins of government, a request that is likely to be disregarded.

At a meeting of the Central Democratic club of Collin county, held at McKinney yesterday, Hon. William J. Bryan was enthusiastically endorsed for the democratic nomination and the candidacy of Senator Bailey as delegate at large to the Denver convention was given a boost. Col. Wynne was favored for attorney general and the Dallas News was denounced as undemocratic.

It is said that there are now more than 4000 men out of work in Fort Worth, to which fact can be attributed the cry of "hard times" in that city. These men who have lost their positions are seeking employment of any kind they can get in the smaller towns and for that reason labor, which was scarce and hardly to be obtained a few months ago, is not now so much in demand.

Maricle to the Rescue.

We have always thought it would require a miracle to establish an ice factory at Childress, and now we know it. Mr. P. C. Maricle of Wichita Falls has about decided to invest his kale seed in an endeavor to make good ice out of bad water.—Clarendon Banner-Stockman.

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All Baba tonight, Majestic.

Gone But Not Forgotten.
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George Scorgell was taken up by the authorities here about five years ago. He was tramping through the country and being hard of hearing he scared some women of our town. He was arrested and worked out his fine on the streets here.

George accepted the position as janitor and has served in that capacity ever since. He will be missed at the Court House and more especially by the women, who have to cut wood, make garden and all other necessary things about the house.

John Coffee of Dundee is now serving as janitor and says he will move his family here as soon as he can rent a house.—Archer City Dispatch.

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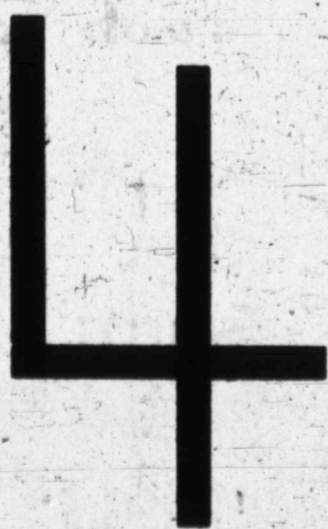


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Bible School at 9:45 a. m.; preaching and communion 11:00 a. m.; subject, "Union of Christians and Reformers in 1832." Junior Christian Endeavors at 3 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:45 p. m. Preaching at Kemp's school house at 3 p. m. Ladies meet for social at Mrs. H. C. McGlasson's on Monday afternoon. Prayermeeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. Come and worship with us and we will do thee good. **A. J. BUSH, pastor.**

First Baptist Church.

Revival services will begin at the First Baptist church tomorrow. The pastor will preach at both services, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Dr. George W. Truett will arrive in the city Monday and will preach Monday night and for several days and nights to follow.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U at 6:45 p. m. The male quartette will sing at night. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to all these services.

Tenth Street Methodist Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, "Liberty or Chains, Which?" 2:30 p. m., full meeting of official members. Let none be absent. 3:00 p. m., men's meeting. 4:00 p. m., Junior League. 6:30 p. m., Senior League. 7:45 p. m., preaching. Subject, "What Will be the Outcome of it?" **J. A. STAFFORD, Pastor.**

First Presbyterian Church.

The usual services at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Dalton. All the members are urged to be present at the morning service. The session is called to meet at 10:45 for the purpose of receiving members into the church. At the evening hour the third discourse in a series of sermons to young men will be delivered. All men are specially invited to this service. Mrs. Maer and a full choir will render special music both morning and evening. Mr. Krueger will sing an exceptionally beautiful solo at the morning worship. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Strangers are cordially invited to worship with us.

Evangelical Lutheran Church.

No services will be held at this church tomorrow, the pastor preaching elsewhere.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.

At the court house. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sermon both morning and night by the pastor. All are welcome and especially anyone who are strangers or who hold no church relations in this city. **R. E. FARLEY, Pastor.**

Ministerial Association.

The pastors of the city are invited to meet with the Ministerial Association Monday morning at 10 o'clock. **R. E. FARLEY, Sec'y.**

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TODAY'S MARKETS.

Special to the Times. Fort Worth, Tex., Mar. 14.—The total cattle receipts today were only 175 head. Beef Steers—Receipts light. Market active and steady at \$3.25@4.25. Butcher Cows—Receipts light. Quality fair. Market slow and lower at \$2.50@3.85. Calves—Receipts light. Quality fair. Market unchanged. Tops sold at \$3.50. Hogs—Receipts, 725. Quality was choice. Market active and higher at \$4.40@4.67.

Chicago Grain Market.

Wheat—	Open	High	Close
May	94%	96%	96%
July	89%	92%	92%
September	86%	89%	89%
Corn—			
May	65%	66%	66%
July	62%	62%	62%
September	61%	61%	61%
Oats—			
May	54%	54%	54%
July	45%	47%	47%
September	37%	38	38

Kansas City Grain Market.

Wheat—	Open	High	Close
May	92	93%	93%
July	83%	84	83%
September	82%	83%	83%
Corn—			
May	58%	59%	59%
July	57%	57%	57%
September	56%	57	57
Oats—			
May	49%	50%	50%
July			
September			

Local Grain Market.

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SAVING OF RESOURCES

May Conference in Washington to Be a Notable Affair.

CALLED BY THE PRESIDENT.

All Governors of States and Some of the Most Representative Citizens to Take Part—Desire to Frame Working Basis For Plans of Conservation.

Replies from the governors of many states have been received at the White House accepting the president's invitation extended to the chief executives of all the states and territories to meet in Washington on May 13, 14 and 15 and confer upon the conservation of the country's natural resources. The attendance of all the governors of the United States is practically assured at what will be one of the most notable gatherings of its time ever held in the United States, says the New York Post's special Washington correspondent. So far as is known, it will be the first time the governors of all the states have met with the president of the United States in one assemblage.

Each governor will be accompanied by three delegates. The governors have shown a disposition to name some of the ablest men in their states. For instance, Governor Lea of Delaware has named as one of the representatives of that state Judge George Gray, who has been mentioned as a Democratic candidate for the presidency. The names of all the representatives will not be given out until the list is complete, but it now comprises some of the representative men of the country and shows that the governors have not made the appointments on a political basis.

The sessions of the conferences will be held in the east room of the White House, and President Roosevelt expects to preside at each day's meeting. While the governors are here they will be guests of the president at a dinner to be given probably the night before the conference opens.

The object of the conference is to get down to a practical working basis on the plans for the conservation of the country's natural resources. There is to be no set programme, although simply as a basis of discussion the subject to be considered will be presented by some recognized authority. The main object of the conference, however, is to afford a full and free opportunity for the governors to express their opinions as to how the natural resources of the country can best be preserved and particularly as to the exhaustion of the resources of their respective states and the steps which they regard as advisable to preserve these resources.

The attendance at the daily sessions will be limited in number, as the seating capacity of the east room is not more than six or seven hundred. The conference will be made up, in addition to the governors and the representatives which they will bring with them, of the senators and representatives in congress, the nine members of the inland waterways commission, which has been intrusted by the president with making plans for the conservation of natural resources, and also representatives of some of the organizations which are peculiarly interested in the subject to be discussed. The White House mail has been burdened of late with letters from almost every conceivable organization, almost every one of which has presented some urgent reason why that particular organization should be included in the conference.

The United States inland waterways commission is now at work on its report, in which it will include guiding suggestions as to the general improvement and development of the inland waterways of the country and some suggestions for the preservation of natural resources. And it is reasonable to expect that much of the material, figures and statistics that the commission has been collecting since it was appointed last March will be presented and form a basis for the discussion at the White House conference.

Such organizations as the American Society of Civil Engineers and others of equal importance have signified their intention of sending some member of recognized standing in the United States as their representative at the conference.

The governors have responded without regard to geographical location or party politics. The responses of the west and south have been as enthusiastic and cordial as those from the north and east. So far not a single governor has shown opposition to the plan.

The approaching conference does not express a new idea, but it is expected to propose the establishment of one great, comprehensive plan instead of separate efforts by different organizations or even different departments of government toward the same end. It proposes to consider under one general plan the improvement of the rivers of the country for all possible uses; the preservation of the forests, which protect the headwaters of the rivers; the question of irrigation, drainage, flood

prevention, water power, soil erosion, and with these, the general subject of the conservation of all the natural resources, including the supply of coal, iron, etc.

Biggest Schooner Afloat.

Bath, Me., will soon have the honor of sending overboard the biggest schooner afloat. It will be the six-master now building at a Bath yard for a Portland company. The Thomas W. Lawson was the largest afloat, but her recent loss will make the one now building stand at the head of vessel of the schooner rig.

An Indignant Artist.

The sensational offers said to have been made by theatrical managers to the principal actor in a recent murder trial must have made professional stars feel very much as did the painter Haydon in 1840 when two of his finest pictures were being shown at the Egyptian hall, and the public thronged into another room where General Tom Thumb was on view. "They rush by thousands to see Tom Thumb," wrote the disappointed painter in his diary "Their eyes are open, but their sense is shut. It is an insanity, a rabies, a madness, a furor, a dream!" Another entry later on runs: "Tom Thumb had 12,000 people last week, R. R. Haydon, 183 1/2 (the half a little girl). Exquisite taste of the English people!" We do not seem to have progressed much since then.—London Chronicle.

Diameter of a Fine Wire.

Should you ever find it necessary to obtain the diameter of a fine wire, it may be done in this manner: Wind it carefully around a piece of pencil in one layer for an inch or so, that each turn is touching the previous one. Then measure exactly an inch along the wire and count the number of turns in the inch. You then have the information. Thus, if there are eighteen turns the wire is one-eighteenth of an inch in diameter.

A Good Man.

"Your dead husband wor a good mon," declared the sympathetic Mrs. Casey to the bereaved widow. "He wor!" exclaimed Mrs. Murphy, dashing the tears from her eyes. "No two policemen cud handle him!"—Judge.

Details Desired.

"Miss Vanessa, if a young man should ask you to marry him what would your answer be?" "I can't say. A hypothetical question should go more fully into details."—Washington Herald.

Wonderful Printing.

Bacon—They say Dauber does some wonderful work. Egbert—Yes, I understand he painted some bananas green, and in a month they all turned yellow!

In the Klondike region in midwinter the sun rises from 9:30 to 10 a. m. and sets from 2 to 3 p. m.

Well Placed.

There had never been any difficulty about securing Mrs. Homer Clay Washington of Maple court when one more woman was needed for washing or scrubbing, so that when two postal cards failed to bring her to the Morse residence one winter Mrs. Morse went to see what could be the trouble.

She found Mrs. Washington, evidently in the best of health, entertaining two of her neighbors and was welcomed most cordially.

"I suttinly is pow'ful glad to see yo', Mis' Morse," said the hostess, "an' is de fambly all to'able well dis winter?"

"Not as well as we should be if you had come to help us out," said Mrs. Morse. "Why didn't you come when I wrote you? We thought you must be ill."

"No, indeed, Mis' Morse," and the black head tilted airily; "I's enjoyin' de best ob health, an' de char'y society done 'stablish a bread, soup an' coal fund up at de corner, so none ob us ladies in de co't has to work dis rheumatically time ob yeah."

"You heah folks talkin' 'bout de harm society does, but us ladies ob Maple co't is right ready to stan' up fo' it any time now."—Youth's Companion.

Appropriate.

The Monument Man (after several abortive suggestions)—How would simply "Gone home" do? Mrs. Newwoods—I guess that would be all right. It was always the last place he ever thought of going.—Puck.

Winning Her Attention.

"My wife never pays any attention to what I say."
"Mine does—sometimes."
"How do you manage it?"
"I talk in my sleep."—London Opinion.

Got What He Liked.

Host—Why on earth did you put poor Jenkins between two such chatterboxes at the table? Hostess—Why, dear, you know he is so fond of tongue sandwiches!

Chiefly the mold of a man's fortune is in his own hands.—Bacon.

INVESTIGATION

Every thinking citizen is now paying strict attention to public and local business conditions, and especially to the conditions of local banks as reflected by their frequently published statements. The light of this investigation :: :: ::

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It matters not whether you are ready to buy, we are ready to show you all the exclusive things, for the more you compare them with what others offer the more you please us and the more sure will you return to us when you are ready to buy.

New Spring Dress and Walking Skirts

Exclusive ideas, such as can not be found elsewhere is one of the characteristics of this house, styles that appeal to refinement and good taste.

Our great skirt section is showing the most extensive collection of styles from \$5.00 up to \$20.00. Recent arrivals represent many styles in Chiffon, Panamas, French Voiles, Serges, Herringbone cheviott.

Fashionable Silks for Spring

New and Exclusive Weaves

The notable newness and exclusiveness are features to which we direct attention, our showing was never more beautiful, all of the fashionable colorings and approved textures in an extensive range.

The new Rough Silks

A grand showing of Pongees, Rajah, Mirage, Mandarin and Tussarah Silks, in printed stripes, dots and plaid of different colorings, per yard from

90c to \$1.50

A fine showing of fancy taffetas in stripes and check.
A beautiful assortment of plain Taffetas.

New Spring Wash Goods

Exclusive weaves in wash dress fabrics shown here.

By far the largest collection of silk and cotton mixtures in wash goods we have ever shown; all the new colorings, Copenhagen blue, browns, Champagne, blue, pink, silk embroideries and printed stripes, dots, rings, and Jacquard effects; a very popular material at per yard,

40, 50 and 65c

New Spring Woolen Goods

A grand showing of imported voiles, and panama's all colors, in the new stripes and plaids at per yard.

75c to \$1.50

New 1908 Long Silk Gloves

Black and White, Tan, Pink and Blue

We certainly have any style silk gloves that you want. The long 16-button-all silk, full size at \$1.25, \$1.50.

\$1.75 and \$2.50

New Shirt Waists

Lingerie, Lace and Linen Waists

We announce a truly remarkable showing of ladies fine waists from

\$1 to \$8.50

Beauty styles in lawn waists open in back and front, long and short sleeves

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Lingerie waists, made of imported material, at

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Men's Fine Negligee Shirts

A grand showing of the George P. Ide shirts. A beautiful line of patterns in Pleated and Plain Bosoms, soft silk Pongees with collars attached, at \$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.75,

\$1.50 and \$1.25

A complete and extensive showing of new Bags, Belts, Combs and Collars.

Dainty Spring Hosiery

Onyx, Dixie and Black Cat Brand.

Dainty hosiery is absolutely necessary to complete one's spring wardrobe.

We are showing a beautiful line of silks and lises and fine cotton gauze in embroidered lace, and plain, in black, white, blue, pink, Copenhagen blue, champagne, tan and brown, at per pair 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c,

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Now is the time when you will need a new corset, for your new gown calls for a first class perfect fitting corset, one that will make your form as it should be without any unnecessary inconvenience, one that is scientifically correct and built on lines for comfort and good wear, and there can be no better corset worn than Warner's Rust Proof and Red Ferri Corsets, and we have the exclusive sale of them for Wichita Falls, from

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Wash Goods

Knickerbocker Wash Suits, 27 inches wide. A fabric that is too well known for splendid making qualities to need mention here. 1c is the regular price. This sale, 9c. English Nub Suits, 27 inches wide, in all colors. Always priced at 20c per yard. This sale, 14c. Printed Madras, all colors, regular 20c quality. This sale, 14 1/2c. 20c Zephyr Gingham, 14 1/2c. 20c Linen Finish Suits in Copenhagen blue and Grey. Regular 35c materials. Movement price, 28c. Lot of colored Dress Linens in 25c quality. This sale, 19c. Embroidered Dress Linens in Copenhagen Blue only. 60c anywhere. This sale, 48c.

VOILES PANAMAS AND WORSTEDS

Lot of black and blue Panama in 75c grades. This sale, 59c. 1 1/2 Black Chiffon Panama, 98c. 1 1/2 quality Panama in all colors, 76c. Lot of White Mohairs in 85c quality. Sale price, 68c. Another lot of Mohairs in 60c grade. Sale price, 43c. Lot of worsted fabrics in all colors. 60c is the regular price. Now 48c. Lot of Suitings in mixed materials and all colors. Sale price, 27c. Lot of White Mohairs in 85c quality. Sale price, 68c. Another lot of Mohairs in 60c grade. Sale price, 43c.

Notions

Pins, per paper, 1c. Hair Pins, per bundle, 1c. 5c Pearl Buttons, per card, 2 1/2c.

Skirts

Black and Blue Voile Skirts that sell for \$5.00. Great values at that price. This sale, \$3.98. Voile and Panama Skirts in all colors and the proper styles. Regular \$3.50 garments. This sale, \$4.48. \$7.50 Voile and Panama Skirts. In this season's styles. Sale price, \$6.48. \$10.00 lot of Sewal Skirts in this season's best materials. Sale price, \$8.69. \$12.50 Fine Skirts, that are artistic garments, strictly up-to-now. Sale price, \$10.69. \$15.00 Skirts in still better materials for only, \$12.19.

WOOL AND COTTON FLANNELS

12 1/2c Cotton Flannels, 8c. 12 1/2c Flannel, bleached or unbleached, this sale, 8c. 20c White Wool Flannels, 19c. 20c White Wool Flannels, 28c. 50c White Wool Flannels, 42c.

Good Towels

Good Towels, 4c. Better Towels, 6c. Best 10c Towels, 7c. Skill better Towel, 9c. Finest 20c Towels, 11c. 20c Towels, all kinds, 19c.

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With each \$15.00 purchase we will give away one beautiful regular \$2.50 picture frame *On Display*.

Embroideries, Laces

Lot of Swiss Embroideries, 3 inches wide, per yard, 4 1/2c. 5-inch 12c Swiss Embroidery, 10c. 2 1/2-inch 50c Embroidery, 39c.

Children's Shoes

Misses' \$1.50 box calf shoes, \$1.19. 50c Baby soft sole shoes, 39c.

Ladies' Waists

Ladies' \$1.50 Waist, 98c. Ladies' \$2.50 Shirt Waist, \$1.48. Ladies' \$2.50 Shirt Waist, \$2.19. Ladies' \$2.50 Shirt Waist, \$2.69. These Waists are remarkable values.

Men's Shoes

Men's \$1.50 Star Brand vici kid shoes, \$1.29. Men's \$2.00 Box Calf shoes, \$1.69. Dittman's \$2.00 work shoes, \$1.69. Dittman's \$2.50 vici kid shoes, \$2.29. \$3.00 vici blucher shoes in vici and patent, \$2.69. Harlow's \$4.50 shoes in all styles, \$3.98. Harlow's \$4.00 shoes in all styles, \$3.59. Harlow's \$5.00 shoes in latest styles and shapes, in vic, patent and blucher, \$4.48. Harlow's \$5.50 shoes, \$4.98.

Top Skirts

\$1.50 Top Skirts for, \$1.19. \$2.00 Top Skirts for, \$1.69. \$2.50 Top Skirts for, \$2.21.

Ladies' Shoes

Ladies' vici kid \$1.50 and \$1.75 shoes, sale price, \$1.19. Ladies' \$2.00 and \$2.25 shoes in box calf and bluchers, \$1.69. Ladies' \$2.50 vici kid and patent leather shoes, \$1.99. Ladies' \$3.00 shoes, \$2.69.

Corsets

Royal Worcester Rust-Proof \$1.00 Corsets for, 89c. \$1.50 Corsets of same make, \$1.29. \$2.00 Corsets of same make, \$2.48. Lot of odds and ends, worth up to \$1.00, choice, 99c.

LADIES' HOSE AND HANDKERCHIEFS

Ladies' Food Black Ice Hose, 7c. Ladies' 20c Black Hose, 11c. Ladies' 20c Hose, 19c. All 2c Hose, 39c. Fine Hose, 39c. Good Handkerchiefs, 7c. Best 10c Handkerchiefs, 9c. 15c Handkerchiefs, 9c. Better Handkerchiefs, 11c. 25c Handkerchiefs, 19c.

Ribbons

Lot of Ribbons, worth up to 60c, in all colors. This sale, 19c. Lot of Silk Ribbons, per yard, 2 1/2c. Wider Ribbons, 3 1/2c. Baby Ribbon, 6 yards for, 5c. 20c No. 40, 60 and 80 Ribbons in all colors for only, 9 1/2c. 50c Silk Taffeta Ribbons, 37c.

Pants

\$1.00 Pants, 89c. \$2.00 Pants, \$1.48. \$3.00 Pants, \$2.48. \$4.00 Pants, \$3.48. \$5.00 Pants, \$4.29.

Men's Furnishings

\$1.00 and \$1.50 Shirts, 59c. Premium \$1.00 Fine Shirt, 79c. \$1.50 Premium Dress Shirt, \$1.29. 10c Black and Gray Hose, 9c. 10c Black Hose, 9c. Best 10c Black Hose, 11c. Extra 15c value Hose, 19c. 20c Hose, 19c. 20c Suspenders, 19c. Good Handkerchiefs, 7c. Best 10c Handkerchiefs, 9c. 15c Handkerchiefs, 9c. 50c Neckwear, 39c. 50c Underwear, 27c. 50c Underwear, 27c. 7c B. V. D. Underwear, 59c. The Genuine Seaman's Drawers, 64c. 50c Elastic Seam Drawers, 39c. Boston Garters, 19c. 10c Garters, 11c.

Overalls

Roundhouse \$1.00 Overalls, 89c. The Overalls, jumpers to match, 64c.

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Bailey's Great Speech.

Whatever many Texans may think of Senator Bailey's integrity and other qualities which do or do not fit him for the high office which he now holds, it must be conceded that he is a man of rare ability and is possessed with almost matchless eloquence.

His speech on the currency measure a few days ago was one of the most notable ever delivered by him before the senate. The Washington Post in its account of his speech says:

In one of the most notable speeches of the session, Senator Bailey yesterday discussed the pending currency bill, arguing in favor of the substitute he has offered, and in concluding his remarks sharply criticised the president for some of the things he has done, and commended and praised him for many other things he has accomplished.

For two hours and a half the eloquent Texan held his audience. The senate paid him the somewhat unusual compliment of every member of the body appearing in his seat and remaining until he had concluded. Many members of the house came over to listen, and the galleries were crowded to their full capacity, even the diplomatic gallery containing a few members of the corps, who had been attracted by the announcement that Mr. Bailey was to speak.

Outside in the corridors a long line of would-be listeners waited as patiently as they could for an opportunity to find a foothold in the galleries. Although suffering from throat trouble, Mr. Bailey sustained his reputation as an orator. His utterances were conservative, and his speech rather slow and deliberate. His references to the president were based upon the proposition that it is unfortunate that he is not either better or worse than the speaker found him.

At the conclusion of his speech Mr. Bailey was given an ovation such as is seldom granted in the senate chamber. Senators on the floor applauded him vigorously, and this example was taken up in the galleries, where the hand-clapping continued for almost two minutes, the vice president making little effort to check it, although it was well known to the occupants to be a violation of the rules. Members of the senate gathered around Mr. Bailey to congratulate him when he had finished, and among the number were Senators Aldrich, Lodge, Cullom, Elkins and other republican leaders, who warmly shook him by the hand.

QUAKER REFLECTIONS.

A side show—the fellow with big ears.

All things come to those who go after them.

An ideal lover often makes a poor husband.

The fellow who is thrown over is naturally downcast.

The man who hasn't a red cent, of course, has no ready money.

Fast friends should have no difficulty in keeping pace with each other.

When in doubt, it is a good plan to tell the truth.

The man who wants his wife to make the best of things might try the experiment of marrying the cook.

Should Have a Postoffice.

Evidently through the influence of some peanut politicians Kell City, Oklahoma, has never been able to get a postoffice. The people of Kell and the country surrounding are getting along as best they can with an improvised private postoffice, getting their mail through the postoffice here. The charge is made at Kell City that the people there have to suffer the inconvenience of doing without a postoffice because certain parties who are interested in some town lots over at Eschitt, have kept Kell from having a postoffice through influences brought to bear upon officials of the interior department of the United States of government.

Are you fond of good salad dressing? Then you will appreciate our Richelleu brand. Only 35c a bottle. Try it.

TREVATHAN & BLAND.

Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand coffee is the finest sold in town at any price. J. L. Lea Jr. 261-21

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95c
How inferior 8c
Pins, per paper
Clark's spool thread
Hair Pins, per bundle
5c Pearl Buttons, per card
1c
2c
1c
2 1/2c
Notions
\$1.00
\$2.00
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Ladies' Shoes
Ladies' vel kid \$1.50 and \$1.75 Shoes, sale price \$1.19
Ladies' \$2.00 and \$2.25 Shoes in box calf and bladders \$2.50 vel kid and patent leather
\$1.69
Pants
\$7.98
\$9.19
\$6.27

PERSONAL MENTION

H. D. Holley of Burk Burnett was transacting business here today.

E. B. Carver of the Club Ranch, is in the city today on business.

Jos. Stephenson of Thornberry, was here on business today.

J. T. Montgomery and Ralph Darnell went down to Fort Worth yesterday.

William Huff from the Big Pasture country is in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Sanders of Chillicothe is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Hatcher.

Capt. McMurray, a popular knight of the grip, with headquarters at Louisville, Kentucky, was in the city today.

Messrs. J. G. Hardin and Monroe Dodson, two enterprising citizens from Burk Burnett, were transacting business here today.

Mrs. L. A. Barlett, nee Miss Wilson of Abilene is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. T. H. Wilson, at 1210 Tenth street.

R. C. Malone of Abilene stopped off here last night for a short visit with his son, Charles, while en route home from Fort Worth.

Mrs. P. H. Pennington and little daughter returned today from Dalhart where they had been visiting Mrs. Pennington's mother.

Jim Stearns left this morning for Cleburne, where he goes to serve the Santa Fe railway company in the capacity of operator.

Col Geo. Mellersh, of Dallas, who is said to be the oldest Knight of the Grip on the road today, is in the city calling on his trade.

Mr. R. H. Joyce returned today from his ranch near Memphis, Texas, accompanied by his niece, Mrs. J. L. Crosby and children.

Mr. J. B. Craig and sister, Mrs. Ellen Williams, who have been visiting relatives in this city during the winter, left today for their home at Bells, Tennessee.

Rev. W. W. Robinson, formerly pastor of the Methodist church at Byers, but now pastor at Hedrick, Oklahoma, passed through the city today on his way to Byers.

Mr. W. P. Brooks, who left here about four months ago to accept a

Mrs. George Myers of Jolly was shopping in the city today.

Homer McGregor, one of Petrolia's pushing business men, was here today on business.

Mrs. W. L. Dillard returned this afternoon from San Antonio, where she had been visiting relatives.

David Rogers, the dry goods and grocery merchant of Jolly, was in the city today buying supplies.

J. E. Walker, formerly a citizen of Wichita Falls, but now of Belton, was in the city today en route to Dalhart on business.

Messrs. C. Dean and J. F. Johnson, two prosperous farmers who live near Petrolia, were transacting business in the city today.

W. R. Lee, a prominent business man of Seymour, was in the city today on his return home from a business trip to Fort Worth.

W. M. Meredith of Sabo, Oklahoma, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Meredith, near this city, left for his home this afternoon.

position as head engineer for a large milling plant at Fort Worth, has returned to this city and will accept his former position at the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company as head engineer.

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