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## WILL GET BUT LITTLE

FEDERAL JUDGE HOLDS DALLAS BANK A CORPORATION AND NOT A PARTNERSHIP.

## STOCKHOLDERS RELEASED

From all Liabilities and Depositors Will Get But Little—Bank Over Depositors \$800,000.

By Associated Press. Dallas, Tex., June 20.—Judge J. G. Meek of the Federal court today handed down a decision holding the Western Bank and Trust Company a defacto corporation and not a partnership. This decision releases all the stockholders and the depositors will realize but little. The institution failed owing its depositors \$800,000.

## Vernon's Hall Storm.

The following account of the hall storm which visited Vernon on Monday night of this week is clipped from the Vernon Record and will be of interest to our readers:

If there were any Vernon citizens who did not seek safety in storm cellars Monday night it was without their consent and because the cellars were too few to accommodate them all. Beginning with a cool wind from the east, at 10 o'clock p. m., rain began to fall and soon after there swept over the entire township such a fall of hail as even the oldest inhabitant had never seen before. For upwards of thirty minutes not only balls of hail, but thick chunks of ice rained down from the heavens upon the houses and streets of Vernon, many roofs being pierced by the frozen missiles, while the broken window panes will number among the hundreds. It is safe to say that the majority of north and east windows in residences and in the business section of our city unprotected by screens were broken or damaged. Many have been the conjectures as to the size of these hailstones. The Record dislikes to give a direct statement as to what we believe about it, for fear our veracity will be questioned, and so we set forth the statements which fell from the lips of well known citizens.

On the morning after the storm, a small party of men parleyed at length on the probable cause and result of the hail. Judge Huff was heard to remark that the hail which fell in his yard was as large as ordinary hen eggs. Judge Nabers was quoted as saying that his hail stones were 1 1/4 inches around. R. W. Hall volunteered that in his judgment the average stone was about 1 1/2, at least the bulk of them made hen-eggs look like buckshot. C. S. McCulloch stated that "they were as large as my fist." "A relative term," remarked Judge Huff, "as Mac's fist seems larger to himself than to anyone else." J. E. Peel and Frank Fletcher had weighed several stones that totaled 4 pounds, the largest one weighing one pound. Dr. Rhoads and Harry Mason measured one stone which was fifteen inches around. Later in the day Dr. Howard exhibited at the Record office a brand new galvanized coal scuttle, crushed as if by a sledge and one large hole put cleanly through it.

There is no doubt that this was such a storm as Texas people seldom experience and the only wonder is that more damage was not done to man and beast. In the residence section many roofs were punctured as by cannon balls and much loss was sustained by window pane breakage. In the business section the Hagler building had forty-seven window lights broken, the court house had twenty-six, the Vernon hotel had twenty-three, and the Panhandle had fully as many. In all stores along Main facing the east, the prism glasses above the awnings were broken, as well as other glasses in many of them. One large stone found its way through tin and plank and knocked a hole in the top of the Wagoner National bank building. From all reports the town seems to have suffered more than the country, though the narrow section through which the storm traversed was damaged considerably. The hail, of course, cut down much corn and cotton that lay in its path.

At Chillicothe it is said the storm swept the window lights out of many houses in the town, many roofs were pierced, the crops were damaged to greater extent than here and stock was killed, one horse having its back broken by a colossal stone. All in all, the storm was unpre-

## THREE BALES OF NEW COTTON DUE IN GALVESTON.

Galveston, Tex., June 19.—Three bales of new cotton are expected to arrive in this city tomorrow afternoon. They are consigned to John D. Rogers & Co., one from Duval county and one from Nueces county. The other bale is consigned to the Mayor of Galveston and was grown in Starr county. All three bales will be put up at auction at the Cotton Exchange tomorrow afternoon.

The record for early bales at Galveston was made June 15, 1904, the bale coming from Cameron county.

dent for the Panhandle and the like may never occur in a life time.

## R. A. M. Officers.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M., has elected the following officers who will be installed on June 24th:

Frank Collier, H. P.; V. E. Stampfl, king; E. P. Walsh, scribe; T. C. Thatcher, treasurer; J. W. Walkup, secretary.

In addition, the following appointive officers will be installed at the same time:

J. D. Avis, C. of H.; L. C. Hincley, P. S.; J. Milton Erwin, R. A. Capt.; C. M. Duke, M. of Third Veil; E. J. Gardner, M. of Second Veil; Ed. Howard, M. of First Veil; L. H. Lawler, Guard.

Come where the seats are comfortable, the air cool and pleasant, see a good program, hear good music, and be served with ice cream and cool drinks at the summer garden. 24-1

## LONDON MAN VISITS THE WICHITA MILL.

A. T. Langdon, of London, England, an importer of flour and other food stuffs, was a visitor at the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company today.

Mr. Langdon is one of the leading flour merchants of the English metropolis and is a heavy buyer of the products of the Wichita mill, and which he says finds a merited favor with British consumers. Mr. Langdon is in the United States in the interest of his flour business and improved the opportunity to visit the mills which are famous even on the other side of the Atlantic.

Mr. Langdon left today for Fort Worth.

## KILLED BY MAN WHO CAUSED SEPARATION.

By Associated Press. Newton, Ia., June 20.—While trying to kidnap his little 5-year old daughter from his wife, from whom he had separated, Frank Parker of Denver, Colo., was shot and killed near Kellogg, Iowa, by George Young, a former business partner, and the man who came between Parker and his wife. Young has been arrested.

## Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that one Mrs. N. C. McIntyre holds my note for three hundred dollars payable on the first day of September next ensuing, which said note is void for failure of consideration since its execution, and that I am no longer bound by said note. This notice is to warn all persons not to purchase or to take an assignment of said note.

J. R. CHANDLER.

June 20th, 1908. 33-21 wlt

The merchants of the city presented to the baseball nine this week ten nice uniforms with lettering on the back to advertise their business. In color these uniforms are tan, with crimson red for the cap, belt and stockings.—Archer City Reporter.

## WELL KNOWN TEXAS MASON IS DEAD

Special to the Times. Waco, Tex., June 20.—A dispatch from Cleburne today, received by John Watson, grand secretary of the Texas Masonic Grand Lodge, announces that Mason Cleveland, grand orator, had died there today. Mason was well known throughout Texas lodge circles.

Try "Cheree," the pure food drink, at Darnell's. 37-4t

## POWDER MILL LET GO

ONE MAN KILLED AND SCORE OF OTHERS INJURED IN EXPLOSION NEAR DENVER.

## SIXTEEN GO TO HOSPITAL

Explosion Occurred in Neutralizing Plant and is Believed to Have Been Caused By Gas.

By Associated Press. Denver, Colo., June 20.—A terrific explosion occurred at the Dupont powder mills at Louviers today and it is believed that the entire plant has been destroyed. The doctors are being rushed to the scene. It is feared that there has been loss of life.

Later—One man is known to have been killed and many more are reported to have been injured by the explosion. The explosion was in the neutralizing plant. Several persons are reported to be missing.

BULLETIN—Nearly a score of others were injured by the explosion, which was caused by fire. Sixteen of the injured have been taken to hospitals. The explosion is believed to have been due to gas.

## TODAY'S MARKETS.

### Special to the Times.

Port Worth, Tex., June 20.—The total cattle receipts today were 1,100 head, the total for the week being 29,000 head.

Beef Steers—Receipts light. Quality choice. Demand active. Prices steady. Tops sold at \$5.00.

Butcher Cows—Receipts 650. Quality fair. Market active and higher at \$2.10@2.75.

Calves—Receipts 150. Quality fair. Market active and steady. Tops sold at \$4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,900. Quality was choice. Market active and higher at \$5.25@5.75.

### Chicago Grain Market.

Wheat—	Open	High	Close
July	87 1/2	87 3/4	86 1/2
September	85	85 1/2	85 1/2
December	86 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2

Corn—	Open	High	Close
July	69 1/2	69 3/4	69 1/2
September	69 1/2	69 3/4	69 1/2
December	58	59	59

Oats—	Open	High	Close
July	46	46	45 1/2
September	38 1/2	38 3/4	38 1/2
December			

### Kansas City Grain Market.

Wheat—	Open	High	Close
July	83	83	81 1/2
September	80 1/2	80 3/4	79 1/2
December	82	82 1/2	81 1/2

Corn—	Open	High	Close
July	66 1/2	66 3/4	66 1/2
September	63 1/2	64 1/4	64 1/2
December	53 1/2	53 3/4	53 1/2

## FOUR MEN DEAD AS THE RESULT OF AN EXPLOSION.

By Associated Press. Monongahela, Pa., June 20.—One American and three foreigners are dead and one American and five foreigners were injured as the result of an explosion late yesterday afternoon at the Ellsworth coal mine here. The accident is said to have been caused by a foreigner entering the mine with a lighted torch.

## A Row in a Resort.

A man who gave his name as Stevens and whose home is said to be at Mangum, Oklahoma, made things lively last night in a resort in the Mulberry row district. A woman whom the man claims is his wife has been in the resort for several days, and when he announced his intention of taking her away with him the trouble started and before quiet was finally restored the Oklahoma man had been pretty thoroughly cleaned up with several male visitors.

## LESSON COMMITTEE'S REPORT ADOPTED.

By Associated Press. Louisville, Ky., June 20.—An important feature of the Twelfth International Sunday School Convention was the adoption today of the report of the international lessons committee, which prepares lessons for all the Sunday schools, with a membership of sixteen millions.

Sherrod & Co. sell only fresh candled eggs. Try them. 24-4t

## TAFT GETS OVATION

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT ARRIVES AT CINCINNATI.

## LEADERS AT CONFERENCE

Sherman, the Candidate for Vice President, Also in Cincinnati to Talk About Campaign.

By Associated Press. Barkerburg, W. Va., June 20.—Sec. Taft passed through this city early today over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad enroute from Washington to his home in Cincinnati.

Taft Reaches Cincinnati. By Associated Press. Cincinnati, Ohio, June 20.—A hearty welcome home was given to Secretary Taft the Republican nominee for president when his train on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railway train pulled into the central depot ten minutes after 8 o'clock this morning.

Half an hour earlier the Chicago train brought the candidate for vice president, James Sherman of New York, and the sub-committee who are to confer with Mr. Taft on plans for the leadership for the campaign.

The sidewalks along the streets traveled by Secretary Taft and party were banked with people and the windows of business houses were filled with men and women waving flags and pennants.

The streets were fairly alive with blue and old glory. About the Taft residence great crowds were assembled and Secretary Taft and Representative Sherman were cheered heartily as they alighted from their carriage.

Roosevelt Leaves for Oyster Bay. By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., June 20.—Pres. Roosevelt and party left for Oyster Bay today. The President's special train consisting of his private car, a parlor and baggage car, pulled out of the Union station at 9:15 this morning.

The Posts Heard From. The Times said yesterday that several real estate men in Wichita Falls had become poets, the parties referred to evidently took the statement as the sober truth.

Today the following lines were given to the Times to prove, as the contributors stated, "that we really can write poetry." We leave our readers to judge for themselves.

Mr. Ed. Howard, editor of the Times, seems anxious for Stone & Marlow's rhymes; He swiped our poetry to put it in print; But some of our friends gave us the hint.

He had our poetry ready for press, And was about to get us in an awful mess; So we went around to cut it out, And Howard said, "I'll print it without a doubt."

But he forgot the lines that we had wrote, And wrote some of his own like a Billy Goat; But it did not rhyme or sound so bright So it will be the last Ed. will try to write.

The real estate men are not so blue, And will try to find something else to do; Besides writing poetry most of the time, Will try to make an honest dime.

The first four verses of this rhyme were written by Stone for the Wichita Times; For surely he is the best in town, And I think it will make old Ed lay down.

But if old Ed will give us a chance, We'll try to sell some valuable ranch, And then we have got to advertise; For it is the only way to save our lives.

But as for me I have no holler, And all I want is an honest dollar; And all we want is to list your land, And we will sell as much as any man.

But if the editor of the Times would just ignore these silly rhymes, And go to work and do his best He would have the largest paper in the West.

"Bruiser" Stone and Jim Marlow.

Fire on Board Steamer. By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Pa., June 20.—In a fire today on board the German steamship Arcadia, which arrived yesterday from Hamburg, one stevedore was burned to death and it is feared that several other men lost their lives in the fire. The fire was brought under control before it gained much headway.

## CAMPBELL TAKES JOB AT FEWER AND BETTER LAWS.

Special to the Times. Terrell, Tex., June 20.—Governor Campbell fired the first gun in his campaign for re-election here today, a large crowd coming out to greet him. He began his speech by defending his own record and that of the Thirtieth legislature, occasionally taking a jab at the "Fewer and Better Laws" movement. He said that he was confident of re-election.

## MAN AND GIRL VICTIMS OF MYSTERIOUS MURDER.

By Associated Press. New Philadelphia, Ohio, June 20.—Charles Stach, 40 years of age, was probably fatally wounded and Miss Arline Kinsley, aged 19 years, was killed last night, their bodies being found in the heart of the city. The shooting is a mystery which the police are trying to solve. It is believed the two were attacked. To add to the mystery the police found a revolver in a buggy, four chambers of which contained discharged shells. Stach was a married man.

## MARRIAGE BANS PUBLISHED FOR ANNA AND DE SAGAN.

By Associated Press. Paris, France, June 20.—The marriage banns of Mme. Anna Gould and Prince Helle de Sagan were published this morning.

## CHOICE OF SHERMAN BOOMS BRYAN STOCK

Chicago, Ill., June 19.—Discussing the nomination of Sherman for vice president, Walter Wellman in the Record-Herald will say tomorrow: "Triumph for the conservative and reactionary wing of the party marked the closing session of the republican national convention. The nomination of Sherman for vice president is distinctly and decidedly a victory for the men who have opposed the progressive policies of Roosevelt."

"It is a nomination which, according to the present signs, will not be well received by those republicans of the middle and farther West, who have stood by Roosevelt and his policies. "Perceiving the weakness and unfitness of this choice, it will today be the talk among the more frank republican leaders that they have given Bryan the opening he wanted. They have afforded him the opportunity to make a tremendous and possibly winning fight for electoral votes in all this section of country around Chicago and out to and beyond the Rockies."

"What the republican leaders really fear is that Bryan and Johnson will be the answer to Taft and Sherman, a sincerely progressive, but not radical platform at Denver; a strong and not straddling labor plank to meet the republican compromise and then a desperate effort to split the West wide open in November."

## WELL KNOWN CATTLEMAN DIES AT ADDINGTON, OKLA.

Special to the Times. Gainesville, Tex., June 20.—A dispatch was received here today announcing the death of Zach T. Addington, at Addington, Oklahoma. The deceased formerly lived at Gainesville, and he was known as one of the Texas leading cattlemen. He will be buried here Sunday. He was known throughout Texas.

## THE ORIENT AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE \$238,000 BONDS.

Special to the Times. Austin, Tex., June 20.—The railroad commission today authorized the Orient road to issue \$238,000 bonds on the sixteen miles of line completed from Knox City to the Wichita river.

Mr. and Mrs. Phyllis Taylor and children reached home Sunday morning from a sojourn of several weeks on their Texas ranch. Mr. Taylor has cut about 450 acres of grain and has about 150 acres more to cut. He says the crop was considerably injured by the heavy rains.—Echit! Banner.

Everybody is coming to the summer garden, where it is cool and pleasant. Fine program tonight. 24-1t

R. M. Moore, with Ben & Stone, only exclusive city real estate dealer in Wichita Falls. Ask him; probably he can tell you. 285-4t

## BIG INCREASE SHOWN

BOTH CITY AND COUNTY SHOW GREAT GAINS IN SCHOLASTIC POPULATION.

## GAIN IN COUNTY IS 748

Wichita Falls Independent School District Shows a Net Gain of Two Hundred and Twelve.

The scholastic population of the Wichita Falls independent school district is much larger than was reported several weeks ago, before Mr. Friesz, the enumerator, had compiled his supplemental list.

This list has now been completed and shows a scholastic population of 1,110 against a total last year of 898, a net gain of 212. Of this number 1,045 are whites and 65 are blacks, showing a white population almost as large as many cities which claim a population of from ten to fifteen thousand.

Of the whites 515 are males and 530 females, and of the blacks 35 are males and 30 females.

The complete scholastic enumeration of the county has been completed and County Judge Yeager, ex-officio county superintendent of schools, is preparing to send the completed reports to Austin.

The total number of persons in Wichita county of scholastic age is 2,588. Last year the scholastic census showed only 1840, showing a net gain in one year of 748 pupils.

This, it is believed, will be one of the largest percentages in gains of any county in the State, and shows a gratifying increase in population, both in the city and throughout the county.

The reports of the enumerators this year show the following number of pupils in the different independent school districts in the county, and in those sections not included in any independent school district:

Wichita Falls, 1,110; Iowa Park, 228; Burkburnett, 172; Electra, 88; outside of independent school districts, 990; total, 2,588; last year's total, 1,840; gain over last year, 748.

If the per capita apportionment is maintained at \$6 this year, Wichita county will receive \$15,428 from the State tuition fund, but if the state school tax is maintained at its present rate—20 cents—it is likely that on the increased valuations under the full rendition law, the county will pay to the State fund more than \$5,000 more than it will receive.

## A Real Live Fish Story.

All hold your breath for a minute while ye scribble narrates a real live fish story. A few days ago while driving across one of the small tributaries of Deep Red—a large catfish in some manner got his anatomy mixed up with our buggy wheel and was thrown out of the water upon dry land. We made a desperate effort to grab him, but by the time we reached the scene of action his tail had disappeared beneath the murky waters.—Echit! Banner.

## TEXAS JOURNALIST DIES IN CALIFORNIA

By Associated Press. Los Angeles, Cal., June 20.—Donelson Cafferty Jenkins, at one time the chief owner and editor of the New Orleans Delta and later of the New Orleans Picayune, died at Sierra Madre today. Mr. Jenkins was at one time also editor in chief and vice president of the Galveston News, selling out his interest in that paper and removing to this city.

# THE LUNCH BASKET MAKES OR MARS THE PICNIC

We remember last summer overhearing some boys tell their experience at a picnic.

They had a fine time playing ball, swimming and fishing up to lunch time and then the whole thing was spoiled, for as the boys expressed it, "the grub was punk."

A picnic is supposed to be a jolly good time with an extra good lunch, and mind you a poor lunch spoils the whole thing.

You don't go to a picnic more than a half dozen times a year and honestly you can't afford to take any chances on spoiling those half dozen outings by having a poor lunch.

We are going to suggest a few things that you may not think of otherwise.

Apple Butter for sandwiches.  
Sweet Pickles, sour pickles, or mixed pickles.  
Pork and beans.  
Veal loaf.  
Peanut Butter, Salmon, all kinds of jelly and jam.  
Oranges, Bananas, Lemons, besides cold ham and sliced beef.

There are a lot of other items that we haven't mentioned and, if you will get in touch with us thru our telephone call list we know we can help you get up the best lunch ever.

**NUTT, STEVENS & HARDEMAN**  
Wichita Falls, Texas. Phones 432 and 232

## A LITTLE LEARNING.

Some Amusing Blunders Made by English School Children.

Here are some amusing blunders, or "howlers," made by English school children: Q. How were soldiers in early times different from those of today? A. They weren't; they had big dark eyes and long black hair. "Ich dien" is the motto on the Prince of Wales' features." "The Dutch and English after the armada struck a medal; Jehovah blew, and they were scattered on it." "John Bull was persuaded to rebel and fled to France, where he afterward died in mental agony." "In 55 B. C. Julius Caesar crossed over to Britain and conquered it, and in 64 B. C. he crossed over again to drive out the Danes; this shows, therefore, that he laid the foundation of the French language and French civilization and also made Italy safe from any attack from the barbarians." "Hamlet has a touring show, panorama, etc., and acrobats in the Curzon hall, Birmingham." "Cicero was a Grecian historian; he led the 5,000 Greeks after Xenophon was killed."

Social questions are sometimes treated after this fashion: "In one of the slums of Liverpool, in the back yard, was a girl filled up with cabbage stalks and tea leaves." "In the houses of the poor the drains are in a fearful state and quite unfit for human habitation." "In nearly all poor houses the landlady lives in the center of the room, keeping a tenant in each corner." "The best way to improve poorhouses would be to put a thick plank on the floor and a cast iron beam on the ceiling."

The Bible provides some quaint instances: "When Lot's wife looked back she was turned into a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night." "The city of refuge was heaven." "Amos was a very doleful person or an optimist." "A synagogue was not used as a swimming bath or a tanner's shop." "The Passover lamb might not be older than eight days or younger than one year."

## BURNING A DIAMOND.

The Experiment as Made by Davy and Faraday.

That diamonds will not only burn, but will blaze, was proved as long ago as 1814 by Sir Humphry Davy and Michael Faraday. The experiment was carried out at Florence, where the two scientists were visiting the great Duke of Tuscany, whose burning glass was the medium through which the sun was induced to operate. This burning glass consisted of a couple of convex lenses, distant from each other about three and a half feet, the large lens being some fourteen inches in diameter, the smaller about three inches. The diamond rested on a rod of platinum which had a cup shaped receptacle at the top, pierced with holes to admit of free circulation of gas. This rod was fixed in the center of a glass globe of twenty-two cubical inches capacity, exhausted of air and filled with pure hydrogen.

Intense heat was brought to bear upon the diamond when it was exposed to the sun, the second lens greatly reducing the focus. In the course of three-quarters of an hour it was necessary twice or thrice to cool the globe. Then it was noticed that the diamond was slowly diminishing and becoming gradually opaque. Suddenly it burst into flame. They removed the stone from the focus, and it blazed away merrily. It glowed brilliantly, with a scarlet light inclining to purple, and continued to burn for about four minutes.

The glass was then cooled and the diamond again submitted to the action of the sun. Again it blazed, but not for so long a period as at first. Twice more this was repeated, and then the diamond was totally consumed. This was the first occasion on which, so far as is known, a diamond had been seen to burn.—Chicago News.

## How to Test a Restaurant.

The man was enthusiastic about a restaurant he had discovered.

"Best place I've eaten at in months," he said. "Everything first class. You'd better try it."

"Were you very hungry when you went in?" asked his friend.

"As a bear," said the man.

"Go back some time when you are not so ravenous," his friend advised. "and see how you like it then: I make it a point never to experiment with a restaurant recommended by a person who was very hungry when he ate there. To a person who is half starved anything tastes good."—New York Press.

## He Was Very Cool.

A congressman who was on board a train which was wrecked says that when the shock came one of the passengers was pitched over several seats just in time to receive the contents of the water cooler, which tipped over and soaked his clothing with ice water. A highly excited passenger rushed up to him and told him to keep cool. "Go away," said the wet man. "I am the coolest man in the car. I have just had two buckets of ice water emptied down my back."

## Its Origin.

"I wonder who first said 'It's better to be born lucky than rich?'" queried the young widow.

"Some old fool whose young wife married him for his money, I imagine," rejoined the wise bachelor.—Chicago News.

As powerful as man thinks he is, he has not yet been able to tell what makes a cat black and white.—Manchester Union.

At the wedding the one who eats least is the bride.—Spanish.

## The Chicago Platform.

Houston Post.

The republican platform as prepared at the White House has not been materially changed by the convention. It remains the batch of platitudes, fulsome boasts and skillful straddles that it was when it left the hands of its framers, and it is hoped by those who seek to hold irreconcilable republican factions together that the voters will greedily swallow the variety of bait which has been tossed to them.

The tariff plank, which will probably command most attention, is a promise of revision that will never be fulfilled so long as the republican party remains in power, and yet it is possible in a way, in the remote event of republican success, to make some changes in the schedules that might be accepted by some as revision.

The declaration favoring the protective principle announces that duties must represent the difference between the cost of production at home and the cost of production abroad and include a reasonable profit for the home manufacturers. That will amply satisfy the standpatters, for they can out-juggle the revisers and perhaps they may be able to raise duties in some cases. In any event, the republicans promise no substantial relief to the people and they never intended to.

The anti-injunction plank is so vague that it amounts to a denial of the petition of the labor unions. Labor has the shadow and the captains of industry the substance.

Stripped of its adulatory verbosity, there is little of promise to the masses. There are abundant assurances that the privileged interests will continue to receive the faithful consideration of the republican party if the campaign contributions are liberal enough to enable the party to purchase the election.

The Roosevelt polices are declared for, but the Eastern wing of the party is given to understand that there will be no further running amuck and that the party has no intention of proceeding further on the pathway of Roosevelt radicalism than may be necessary to hold the discontented Westerners in line.

There is a certain craft displayed in phrasing some of the planks which are supposed to represent the party's constructive program and, but for the public's shaken confidence in the republican party and the doubt of its capacity to further promote the welfare of the country, perhaps many people would be misled by the specious promises they contain. But the undoubted tendency of voters to seriously think and investigate will subject the entire platform to closer scrutiny than usual and scrutiny will reveal to intelligent citizens the inherent folly of proposing further faith in republican promises.

## Advertising Rates.

On and after June 1st the following rates will be charged for advertising: 1 to 5 inches, 1st insertion.....15c Each subsequent insertion.....10c 5 to 10 inches, 1st insertion.....12 1/2c Each subsequent insertion.....7 1/2c 10 to 20 inches, 1st insertion.....10c Each subsequent insertion.....7 1/2c Local advertising, 5c per line each and every insertion.

Classified Ads—1 cent per word for first insertion and 1/2-cent per word for each subsequent insertion.

These rates will apply to all advertising except those having yearly contracts, upon which a liberal discount will be made.

THE TIMES PUBLISHING CO.

A terrier, swathed in bandages, suspected of having hydrophobia, was brought into Cleveland on a writ of replevin owing to a dispute about the dog's board bill while in charge of a physician.

Have you tried "Cherree," the new drink? 27-1f

## PLUMBING!

Mr. Frank Giles, formerly with the Wichita Plumbing Company, has bought an interest in the plumbing business of M. O. Moore & Co. We are now prepared to do all kinds of

## Plumbing and Heating Work

promptly and correctly. Mr. Giles has had several years experience at the work. We guarantee all our work to be sanitary and satisfactory. We solicit and will appreciate your trade.

## MOORE & GILES

(Successors to M. O. Moore & Co.)  
Cor. Indiana Ave. and 10th St. Phone 66

## Club House Salmon Cutlets

choicest part of the finest salmon, always go to the spot. They are

25 CENTS PER CAN.

## J. L. LEA, Jr.

Phone 58.

# Something Good to Eat

This seems to be a trying question this time of the year. It will be an easy matter to settle if you will let us supply your wants. We take pride in possessing the most complete stock of high grade, fresh groceries in town. We have everything that is on the market; in fact, always first to have it. The following items are worthy of your attention

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| <b>DAINTY GRAHAM WAFERS</b><br>Fresh and crisp.....10c                | <b>SWIFT'S COOKED HAM</b> Lb.<br>A toothsome bite.....30c     |
| <b>CHOICE GINGER SNAPS</b><br>Crisp and sweet.....5c                  | <b>SWIFT'S BREAKFAST BACON</b><br>Sliced to suit.....30c      |
| <b>BUTTER CRISP BISCUITS</b><br>Oh, how nice.....10c                  | <b>SWIFT'S CURED BEEF</b><br>Nice and thin.....30c            |
| <b>CREAM TOAST</b><br>Just the thing.....10c                          | <b>FULL CREAM CHEESE</b><br>In any quantity.....20c           |
| <b>CLOVER LEAF</b><br>Nice and sweet.....15c                          | <b>IMPORTED SWISS CHEESE</b><br>All the time.....35c          |
| Nice fresh Crackers of all kinds.                                     | <b>BRICK CHEESE</b><br>Also.....35c                           |
| <b>FINEST OF OLIVES</b><br>Large and plump.<br>Sardines of all kinds. | <b>DELICIOUS BAKED BEANS</b><br>With or without sauce.....10c |

The place to buy your groceries is where you can do the best in price, quality and variety. The above combination is always found here.

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Arrive Frederick..... 6:20 p. m.  
To Wichita Falls, Daily—  
Leave Frederick..... 9:00 a. m.  
Arrive Wichita Falls..... 12:30 p. m.  
Wichita Falls and Southern.  
Leaves Wichita Falls..... 3:10 p. m.  
Arrives Olney..... 6:40 p. m.  
Leaves Olney..... 7:30 a. m.  
Arrives Wichita Falls..... 11:00 a. m.  
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Our evaporated figs are extra good. Only 10c a pound.

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Have your collars laundered at Pond's Laundry. It has just installed a new machine for that kind of work.

## LEGEND OF OLD JAPAN

The Story of Chobel, the Leader of the Duelists.

A MAN WHO KNEW NOT FEAR.

Rather Than Tarnish His Reputation For Bravery He Accepted the Prince's Invitation and Went Voluntarily to Assassination.

The following legend of Chobel has been handed down in Japan as indicative of the courage of the "bravos," or duelists, who flourished in Yeddo during the sixteenth century, forming a sort of Japanese St. Hermandad. Chobel, the leader of this clique, was a redoubtable swordsman, whose constantly recurring duels forced his master to expel him from his retinue. Unwilling to enlist with another of the feudal lords, he assembled all the D'Artagnans of Yeddo about him until his power incited even the princes to envy, although they declined to recognize the outlawed duelist.

On this pretense he was excluded from a popular tea house one day at an hour when was expected Jurozayemon, the leader of the Hatamotos, then the most influential political party in Japan, who had arrogated the city of Yeddo for the official residence. But Chobel, with a shrug of his shoulders, forced his way past the attendants into the apartments reserved for the prince, where he removed his garments and cast himself on a couch in feigned slumber.

"Who is that brute?" demanded the prince on his arrival. "The leader of the swordsmen," they answered him. Jurozayemon seated himself in silence and began to smoke. Having smoked his pipe, he emptied the glowing cinders into the pretended sleeper's nostrils, repeating this five times, when he paused, astonished by such courageous endurance. Chobel, noting this, yawned, rubbed his eyes like one awakening from profound slumber and exclaimed: "You, oh, most noble master! And I, having drunk too much, should have slept uncovered before your eyes! How shall I excuse my vulgarity?"

"I have so long sought your acquaintance that you are forgiven. Be seated and accept this cup of wine, I beg you." Politeness forbade Chobel to refuse a drop of the proffered cup, a huge beaker of powerful wine, offered him in the hopes of overpowering him. But Chobel drained it easily and, replenishing it, presented it to his host, who accomplished this feat with the utmost difficulty.

"Will your highness permit me to offer you some gift of value?" Chobel asked humbly.

"Surely."

"What do you most desire?" Thinking to render the brave ridiculous before the whole city, the prince said promptly:

"A plate of macaroni."  
"Ah, Chobel," thought he, "the whole town will soon be telling how the great duelist was permitted only to offer a plate of macaroni to the president of the Hatamotos."  
After a whispered colloquy the attendant disappeared, leaving the two enemies alone, smiling, but impassive. But soon a great noise penetrated the apartment, and the prince discovered a crowd of workmen busily constructing an immense wall of macaroni around the tea house. All Yeddo was assembled to view this unique and royal gift. Discomfited that the "bravo" should have outwitted his ruse, the prince departed to plan revenge. The following day brought with it an invitation from Jurozayemon to breakfast. Despite his comrade's remonstrances Chobel insisted on accepting it. As he entered the prince's dwelling the samurais threw themselves upon him with drawn swords. Chobel's immense muscular strength enabled him to disarm them, when he proceeded unannounced to the rear apartment.

"Pardon me, your lordship," said he, "for announcing myself. Your attendants have forgotten to do so."  
"Surely. Perhaps they have sought quarrel with you. 'Twas but a joke, for I wagered that all six could not disarm you. Perhaps you would like a bath to refresh yourself."

Who shall say that Chobel was wise? Alone in his enemy's house, he discarded his weapons, removed his garments and crouched in the bath. The water that was at first hot was soon boiling. Chobel dashed from the bath, but ten spears held by invisible hands forced him back. Suffocated by steam, exhausted by blood, Chobel fell dying to the ground.

The samurais were still congratulating themselves on their success when a loud knocking was heard. Inquiry revealed the dueling confederates who were come to seek their leader.

"He is drunk and cannot see you."  
"Our leader is dead. We have brought his bier."  
The samurais were dumb with astonishment. Chobel had dived the trap, yet, preferring to sustain his reputation of daring untroubled by any accusation of fear, had voluntarily gone to his assassination.

Hawaiian Girls.  
The Hawaiian girls are almost universally handsome. They are brown in color (not black); their eyes and teeth are magnificent; their hair straight, jet black and often falling below their knees. Their heads are handsomely formed and their expression alert, intelligent and amiable; their forms in youth voluptuous, but heavy and over-stout after youth; their features full and nose and upper lip slightly tilted; their voices extremely sweet.

## THE SINUOUS EEL.

It Will Bite Long After It Has Been Decapitated.

Eels are peculiar even among fishes. A strange and mysterious race, the difficulty of killing them is not the least of their peculiarities. Very many of us have been annoyed by the ordinary eel that has seized our worm and then tangled up our line in its slimy coils. You may cut off the head of an eel—in the manner recommended by the S. P. C. A.—and leave its body full of squirms and wriggles, for the eel is a hateful and uncanny creature. I have been told that the true method is first to cut off the eel's tail and that after this the severance of the head brings all life and movement to an end. As to this I cannot say, for I only heard this recently and have not since had to deal with a sinuous eel. A correspondent has cited an instance of a conger left apparently dead for twenty-four hours on the beach, which then bit three fingers from the hand of a small boy who came to handle it. I can well believe this, I shall not easily forget the eerie shock which I had on a certain occasion in Wales. I had caught a large eel on a night line set for pike. We had severed his head and left him for some hours on the bank, leaving a good hook in his gullet. In the evening he was presented to a small boy, who bore him off in triumph as a supper dish. Half an hour later the boy's mother appeared, with some concern and indignation, to relate that the head had bitten the boy severely when he tried to remove the excellent hook. And this was no conger! The occurrence seemed to me like the horror in one of Kipling's most weird stories of uncanny horror. Whether these posthumous wounds by eels betoken the remnants of life in their severed portions or a mere mechanical flicker of the nervous system only the biologist could say. And perhaps he would be only making a guess.—St. James' Gazette.

## LOST THE CASE.

A Simple Test to Which the Defendant Objected.

An English solicitor was defending a fruit broker in an action brought in a London court for the recovery of \$100, the price paid for a consignment of figs which the plaintiff declared to be unfit for human food. The defense alleged that, although moderately discolored by salt water, as the plaintiff knew when he bought them, the figs were perfectly wholesome. The figs were in court.

The plaintiff, a coster, who conducted his own case, was skillfully cross-examined. The trial was obviously going against him, and once or twice he resorted so hotly that the judge threatened to commit him for contempt.

At length the coster grew desperate and, turning to the opposing counsel, hoarse and perspiring, he said:

"Look here, guv'nor, you say them figs are good to eat, and I say they ain't. That's all there is between us, ain't it? Now, s'elp me, if you'll eat two of them figs and you ain't sick immediately afterward I'll lose my case."

The judge at once saw the propriety of this suggestion and asked the lawyer what he proposed to do.

"Your honor is trying this case, not I," was the reply.

"No, no! The offer is made to you," said the judge.

A hurried consultation took place. Counsel suggested that it was the solicitor's duty to submit to the experiment. The solicitor refused. The broker himself was then asked if he would risk it.

"What will happen to me if I don't?" said he.

"You'll lose the case," replied both his legal advisers.

"Then," said he hurriedly, "lose the case, lose the case!" And so he did.

### There Was a Difference.

When Dr. Randall Davidson, archbishop of Canterbury, was a curate, one day at Dartford he took a Sunday school class in a neighboring parish. The subject was King Solomon, and after the lesson he proceeded to catechise the children.

"Tell me, boys," he said, "what was the difference between Solomon and other men?" No answer. "Come, come!" said the future archbishop. "Was there any difference, for instance, between King Solomon and myself?"

A tiny hand went up and a tiny voice replied, "Please, sir, Solomon was wise!"—London M. A. P.

### Queer Plants.

The searcher for curiosities among plants finds much to interest him in New gardens. There are primroses which blister the hand if stroked, leaves divided into two sections which snap together and imprison any insect which alights upon them, plants which live absolutely on air, without any root in the ground; walking plants, sleeping plants and plants which grow whiskers. And all these marvels can be seen by any visitor for nothing.—London Graphic.

### Peculiar Qualifications.

"In choosing his men," said the Sabbath school superintendent, "Glendon did not select those who laid aside their arms and threw themselves down to drink. He took those who watched with one eye and drank with the other."—Herald and Presbyter.

### A Monologue.

Tommy-Pop, what is the difference between a dialogue and a monologue? Tommy-Pop—When two women talk, my son, it's a dialogue; when a woman carries on a conversation with her husband it's a monologue.—Philadelphia Record.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- For Representative 105th District, G. E. HAMILTON of Childress.
- For District Attorney, 30th Jud. Dist.: P. A. MARTIN of Grauman.
- For County Judge: M. F. YEAGER.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: A. M. DAVIS, J. W. WALKUP, R. V. GWINN.
- For District and County Clerk: W. A. REID.
- For County Treasurer: TOM W. McHAM.
- For County Tax Assessor: W. J. BULLOCK, J. P. JONES.
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1: PETE RANDOLPH.
- For County Attorney: T. B. GREENWOOD.

The recent decision of the Supreme Court of Texas makes invalid the bonds issued by the Independent School District of Wichita Falls, and the school board is now trying to figure out a plan upon which to reorganize the district and issue new bonds to take the place of the bonds which the

higher courts have held were illegally issued. At the same time the district is reorganized, the school board will make an effort to have additional bonds issued for the purchase of a site and the erection thereon of a ward or a high school building. The school board will likely call for a mass meeting of citizens within a few days in order to lay their plans for the reorganization of the school district before the citizens. As yet they have not definitely decided just how to proceed in this matter. Some of the members are of the opinion that the first step toward reorganization will be to hold an election for the purpose of dissolving the corporation; others are of the opinion this will be unnecessary. The independent school district was organized by petition circulated among citizens residing in the territory composing the district outside the corporate limits of Wichita Falls, which was known as the "shoe string district." Now that the courts have held that this action was illegal, it is thought by some that the matter can be satisfactorily adjusted by the county commissioners in such a manner as to organize an independent school district within the corporate limits of Wichita Falls which will be entirely under the supervision of the school trustees and in no way connected with the municipal government. If this can be done legally, it will be the better plan.

The farmers around Bowie are unfortunate. The rain and unfavorable weather generally have made the cultivation of crops disagreeable. But there was a silver lining to every cloud that has caused them so much trouble if they had looked to see it. Toward the last of June the rains always let up enough to give them time to make a good crop of cotton, which is their saving crop. But we must not forget the trials of those who raise small grain while we are looking at the bright side of our own picture. As close to us as Wichita Falls there are thousands of acres of wheat and oats as fine as ever grew in Texas falling down and spoiling—going to waste after it is just ready to be turned into money. We here have another chance, while they have had their chance and failed. We have hope, while they have hoped and lost.—Bowie Blade.

The Blade is mistaken in assuming that the oat and wheat crops about Wichita Falls have been so seriously damaged. At the highest figure the damage to the small grain crop will not be over 50 per cent, and it is believed by many that 25 per cent would fully cover the loss. There are going to be hundreds of thousands of bushels of wheat and oats marketed in Wichita Falls this year at good prices. The Blade man maybe doesn't know

that our farmers are diversifying in their crops a good deal, and that both corn and cotton never looked better, except in places where the weeds have overrun the fields.

Of course, the farmers of Wichita county have been damaged thousands of dollars by the floods and rains, but their crops haven't been entirely ruined, and they still have an excellent chance to make good on cotton and corn.

Wichita Falls is to have free delivery of mails at once. If we can get house numbering and sidewalks another good crop will give us free delivery.—Memphis Herald.

Don't forget that other essential—good sidewalks. Uncle Sam is a little bit particular in this respect. Wichita Falls, owing to the fact that she has more miles of good sidewalks than some towns with from 1,000 to 4,000 more population, has a more extensive free delivery system. For instance, Denton, which claims 7,500 population, was given only three mail carriers, while Wichita Falls, which does not claim so much population as 7,500, has four carriers and when additional sidewalks are constructed and houses numbered according to government regulation, will have at least two additional mail carriers.

According to the scholastic census, just completed, the population of Wichita county has increased during the past twelve months about forty per cent. Here are the figures. Scholastic population for the year 1907 for entire county, 1,840; for 1908, 2,588; gain, 748. Of the increase in school children, Wichita Falls' gain over last year was 212; the county's gain outside of Wichita Falls is 536. From this it will be noted that the population of the county outside of Wichita Falls has made a greater gain in population than this city, and so long as that continues there is no danger of "the town getting ahead," or building too fast for the country.

The democratic State wide prohibition rally is to be held at Fort Worth Thursday, June 25th. Senator Wright of Georgia and Governor Noel of Mississippi will be two of the principal speakers on this occasion.

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Yours very truly,  
FRANK KELL, President.  
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One lot men's and boy's felt hats at one-half price.

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Hope 36 inch bleached muslin worth 10c yard, all you want here **\$1 00**  
 8 1/2c yard, or 12 yards for

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### PERILOUS SLEEPWALKING.

The Tragedy on Which Bellini Wrote His Celebrated Opera. Somnambulists can maintain their footing in the most perilous places so long as they remain in a state of somnambulism, but if suddenly awakened they instantly lose their self possession and balance.

On one occasion a young woman living in Dresden was seen at midnight walking on the edge of the roof of her house. Her family were immediately told of her plight, but were afraid to go near her. The neighbors gathered about the house and placed mattresses and blankets along the street in hopes that they might save her in case she fell.

She danced for over an hour on the slanting roof, apparently retaining her balance without difficulty, and every now and then she would advance to the edge and bow to the silent crowd standing many feet below her.

At last she climbed down on to the wide gutter which ran in front of the window through which she had come, with the evident intention of re-entering the house. The crowd watching her so intently drew a sigh of relief. But, unfortunately, her terrified relatives, thinking to assist her, had placed two lighted candles in the room near the window, and as she approached the light fell directly in her eyes.

Instantly the shock awakened her, and she swayed back and forth in her perilous position; then, with a frightful scream, she fell headlong to the ground. She was fatally hurt and died in a few hours. It was on this tragedy that Bellini wrote his celebrated opera "La Sonnambula."—Washington Post.

### The Tragic Loco Weed.

The abominable Mexican plant known as the loco weed has the peculiar property of making irrational both men and beasts who partake of it. Horses and cattle out on the prairies after grazing upon it go crazy, and a "locoed" pony will perform all kinds of queer antics. It is said that if a man comes under its spell he never regains his senses, the insanity produced by it being incurable. It is said that the loss of mind of the ill fated Carlotta was no doubt due to the fact that some enemy drugged her with a preparation of loco, although history has it that she went insane by reason of her husband's execution.—Baltimore American.

Fresh Water Fish in Germany. German law does not permit of fresh water fish being sold except when alive. Therefore it is common to see tanks of such fish in the restaurant windows, and they are hauled in this way considerable distances over Prussian railways, and shipments are made to Berlin from Lyons, in France, and from as far south as Roumania.

## WANT ADS.

FOR SALE—Two new cottages. Apply to May Moore, P. O. Box 745. 33-6f

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. Ring 423. 34-2f

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room for one or two gentlemen; close in. Apply at 1009 Seventh street. 29-6f

FOR RENT—Nice four-room cottage, close in. Call on or phone Anderson & Patterson. 34-3f

FOR SALE—Four room house. Part cash, balance on time. Apply to H. J. Sparks, at Williams' barber shop. 32-6f

FOR SALE—One Orient buckboard automobile. See M. Walker, at First National bank. 34-4f

FOR RENT—Newly furnished upstairs room with family on th hill. Phone 550. 33-3f

WANTED—To rent backsmith shop and tools for special shoeing shop. Address Walter Shaw, City. 33-1f

FREE—10c package Corkey's Lice Powder and 25c Poultry Book. Bring ad to Mater-Magner Drug Co. Mall, 7c. 15-24f w-4f

WANTED—Stock to pasture. Fine grass and clear water. One mile from city limits. R. H. Suter, R. R. No. 1. 27-52f

WANTED—Young ladies to learn the telephone operating business. Operators needed all the time. Call at telephone office. 33-3f

FOR RENT—One large unfurnished downstairs room for light housekeeping. Also three furnished bedrooms. Mrs. Waller, 1305 Eleventh street. 32-4f

FOR SALE—Two 3-room houses for sale on the installment plan or for cash. Will rent one. Three blocks north of court house, Nos. 201 and 207 Lamar avenue. See R. M. Miller. 29-12f

FOR SALE—Alfalfa hay, new, bright and sweet. No weeds, no trash; guaranteed first class. R. H. Suter, R. R. No. 1. 27-12f

FOR RENT—An 11-room, rooming or boarding house, newly repaired and papered throughout; No. 1100 Ohio avenue and Eleventh street. Apply to Mrs. S. L. Carter at above address. 34-2

FOR RENT—5-room furnished house with garden and stable. Good location. Will rent two rooms. Reasonable price. Call telephone 221 or call at 1193 Bluff. 31-4f

LOST—A black leather folder about 10 or 11 inches long; contains Spaulding Mfg. Co.'s notes, blanks, price list and a tax receipt of Wm. M. Blackwood. Finder return to this office and receive \$2.50 reward. 32-3f

WANTED—Everyone to know that we are now offering for sale all the prop-

erty belonging to the Jalonick estate, consisting of about 200 choice lots. This property has never been on the market before. Come early while there is a big selection. Telephone 63. Bean & Stone. 28-1f

FOR RENT—Three nice cool furnished rooms close in. 308 Scott ave. 36-31f

LOST—Strayed or stolen, one big black mare. Finder will please return to Pond's Laundry and receive reward. 33-31c

### ANIMAL LEGENDS.

The Buzz of the Mosquito and the Swallow's Forked Tail.

In Palestine, where several religions exist side by side, legends have crossed and intermingled in such a way as to make a distinct folklore. A collection of stories from "Folklore in the Holy Land," by the Rev. J. E. Hanauer, contains many Bible legends in new forms and with humorous additions. One explains how the mosquito came to buzz and why the swallow's tail is forked.

After the fall of man the serpent missed the reward which the evil one had promised him—namely, the sweetest food in the world. An angel was appointed to assign to every creature his food and dwelling place. The serpent asked for human flesh. But Adam protested and pointed out shrewdly that as nobody had ever tasted human flesh it was impossible to maintain that it was the most luscious of food. Thus he gained a year's respite for the race.

Meanwhile the mosquito was sent round the world with instructions to taste and report upon the blood of every living creature. At the end of twelve months it was to report in open court the result of its researches.

Now, Adam had a friend in that sacred bird the swallow, which annually makes a pilgrimage to Mecca and all holy places. This bird shadowed the mosquito all the twelve months until the day of the decision. Then as the insect was on its way to the court the swallow met it openly and asked what flesh and blood it had found sweetest.

"Man's," replied the mosquito.

"What?" asked the swallow. "Please say it again, for I am rather deaf."

On this the mosquito opened its mouth wide to shout, and the swallow darted in its bill and plucked out the insect's tongue.

They then proceeded to the court, where all living creatures were assembled to hear the decision. On being asked the outcome of its investigation the mosquito, which could now only buzz, was unable to make itself understood, and the swallow, pretending to be its spokesman, declared that the insect had said that it had found the blood of the frog the most delicious. Sentence was therefore given that frogs, not men, should be the serpent's food.

In its rage and disappointment the serpent darted forward to destroy the swallow. But the bird was too quick; the serpent succeeded only in biting some feathers out of the middle of the swallow's tail. This is why swallows have forked tails.

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## Hints to Farmers

Now is the time that you realize on your season's work.

As you sell your grain, stock or produce, place your money on open account with a reliable bank.

Pay your bills by check, which makes the best kind of a receipt, and avoid the worry and danger attending the carrying of large sums of money.

Our offices are always at the disposal of our customers and country friends.

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OF WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

**WETS WANT ANOTHER ELECTION IN HARDEMAN COUNTY.**

Childress Index.  
It has been reported to the Index that some of the people who are opposed to prohibition laws are figuring on calling or rather petition the commissioners court for an election to see if intoxicating liquors can be sold in Childress county. The managers feel sure that the county would go anti-by a good majority, some of them saying that the city of Childress would give an anti majority of one hundred votes. The parties having the matter in charge say that the petition will be delayed as the democratic executive committee of this State ordered a vote upon State prohibition to be held in July, but if the prohibition element should fail they will present the petition as soon as it can be secured. The Index has no desire to see another prohibition election in Childress county, and does not believe the anti can carry the county, but if the petition is presented and the election ordered guess we can stand it.

**BIG INDIAN CHIEFTAINS WILL VISIT AT QUANAH.**

Quanah Tribune-Chief.  
J. L. Elbert received a letter today from Quanah Parker, telling him that he and his braves would be in Quanah October 22. To comply with the wishes of some of our people, he would bring Geronimo, the bloodthirsty Apache, with him. To quote this ancient chief's quaint language: "He had just received a lease from Governor Campbell (meaning a game permit) to hunt and fish in Texas during October, and that his old friends, those good men, Billie Richards and Burnett, were anxious that he should hunt in their pastures.

**Notice of Dissolution.**

Notice is hereby given that I have purchased the interest of my former partner, Mr. W. M. Harrell, in the firm of Hooper & Harrell, and I will continue the business at the same stand on Seventh street.  
31-4t J. M. HOOPER, The Tailor.

When Mrs. Ellen Steels of Grant county, Indiana, was putting on a new hat a mouse nestled in the crown of it bit her finger.

See Benson for signs and Boyle for house painting. 20-4t

# A TIMELY OPPORTUNITY

## OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF MENS AND BOY'S CLOTHING At 25 Per Cent Off--Marked Prices

We have made an innovation from our usual discount time and advanced the date several weeks, thus giving you the great advantage of procuring in the midst of the season what we usually offer at the end. Our patrons will, no doubt, be prompt to avail themselves of this opportunity, as Our Boni-Fide Discount will move away rapidly the choicest patterns and newest shades, consequently an early call will be to your advantage and enable you to select your suit from the Banner Clothing Stock of Wichita Falls. Also special reductions on Shoes, Hats and Furnishings. **CALL AND SEE OUR GOODS AND GET PRICES.** :: Yours to Please,

# COLLIER AND HENDRICKS

MEN AND BOY'S OUTFITTERS

**New Railway Project.**

Houston Post.

Edward Kennedy has returned to his home in Houston after an absence of three months with fresh laurels upon his brow as a successful railroad promoter. He is accompanied by his son, W. V. Kennedy, who is associated with him in his latest enterprise.

Mr. Kennedy's new project is a railroad from Altus, Okla., to El Paso, Texas. Its official designation is the Altus, Roswell and El Paso road. Its length will be 240 miles. Besides traversing a rich and rapidly developing country, it will have the additional merit of shortening the rail route from El Paso to Oklahoma 107 miles.

The Wichita Falls and Northwestern, the Orient and the Frisco roads are now at Altus, and when the proposed new line is completed El Paso will thus be connected up with these additional trunk lines.

That the new road has something more than a paper existence is shown by Mr. Kennedy's statements that the first sixty miles out of Altus is covered by contracts for construction and forty-five miles of the grade is nearly completed. Track laying is to begin November 1st.

Mr. Kennedy's presence in Houston at this time is to purchase pile drivers and ties and timbers for a bridge over Salt Fork, four miles west of Altus, which is to be 1850 feet in length.

Mr. Kennedy gives assurances that his financial arrangements for carrying his project forward to completion are entirely satisfactory. When asked by the Post reporter how he accomplished the rather difficult feat of successfully promoting so large an enterprise so soon after the late stringency, Mr. Kennedy explained that he carried his own capital with him on his person, and by riding a mule over the route and coming in personal contact with the people and business elements whom he interested, he secured donations sufficient to start upon successful basis. Since the work has begun two trunk lines have become competitors for the purchase or lease of the road as soon as it is finished.

Associated with Mr. Kennedy are a number of strong business men in Oklahoma. The company includes Mr. Kennedy as president, Cage Beach, a banker of Altus, as vice president; Will Atkins of Altus, second vice president, and Edgar Chapman as secretary.

This is not Mr. Kennedy's first exploit as a railroad builder. At one time he was connected with the Northern Pacific in construction work, and it was he who promoted and built the Beaumont, Sour Lake and Western road, which was later sold and became a part of the Frisco system.

**To Racing Men.**

I offer for sale my fine pacer, "Joe's Favorite." Buy early and train for the August races.  
32-4t

DR. J. W. DuVAL.

**About Keeping the Hair Young.**

Upon the subject of keeping the hair young and aiding it in retaining its youthful color, a well known hair dresser has this to say:

"No one wash agrees with every hair. In most cases it acts all right but it turns an occasional woman into a blonde too pronounced for beauty.

"When a woman's hair is beginning to darken I take 5 cents worth of henna and steep it in a pint of water. When it has boiled down to a cupful I take it, and moisten her whole hair with it. As a rule it brightens it considerably without hurting her conscience, for henna comes under the head of herbs.

"Meanwhile, I treat the roots to keep the hair from getting darker or from getting gray. There are various ways of treating the roots of the hair.

"One of the ways I call the thimble cure. I have tried it with success all over Europe and America.

"The third cure requires two thimbles, pure gold or pure silver. Into one I put about ten drops of good oil; sweet oil is all right, but castor oil is better.

"Parting off the hair, I go over it with my finger tips, which are dipped in the oily thimble. I make ten drops do the whole head, so that the hair is not oily afterward.

"Then I massage it with the thimble. This requires that the hair be parted off and that the scalp be tapped. It must be done very gently.

"The whole scalp must be tapped, tapped until it is rosy and tingling. This process seems to wake up the scalp and to make the roots grow.

"I have been known to tap the scalp with my finger tips dipped in quinine and water, but this is in those extreme cases where the hair refuses to grow and something must be done to stimulate the roots.

"The electric process is very good for the hair. I take a mild battery and, attaching a comb to it, I run the comb, slightly charged, through the hair.

"This invigorates the scalp and makes the hair very light and fluffy. The electric brush is just as good and should be used once in a while by every woman who wants to have nice hair.

"The hair is a very grateful thing in that it quickly rewards anything done for it. Treat hair well and it will always treat you well. It will grow and be pretty and becoming. Treat it badly and it will show resentment.

"We try what they call in London the fan-fan treatment for the hair. It is called 'fan-fan' because the hair is fanned daily to keep it from losing its color.

"It is tossed and scattered and fanned and fluffed until its color comes back. It is marvelous to watch the color come back to the hair."

Sparkling and refreshing is "Cherree" at Darnell's. 27-4t

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Lawn Swings, red or green, charges before 10.00, now **\$7.50**  
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Lawn Settees for two, charges before \$3, now **\$1.45**  
 Lawn Settees, four ft., before 4.50, now **4.00**  
 Lawn Settees, six ft., before 6.00, now **5.25**

We only have about 1 doz. lawn swings left, so come get one before they are gone. Prices right on everything in the house

## North Texas Furniture & Coffin Company

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Having bought the Electrical Wiring business of the Wichita Falls Water & Light Co, we wish to announce

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### Landman & Sullins

ELECTRICIANS

#### More About Free Delivery and Sidewalks.

Editor Times: Having read the comment on free delivery by "A Citizen," I would like to say a word or two and ask a few questions.

There are citizens in Wichita Falls that want cement sidewalks around their premises, and are willing to pay for them, not for free delivery only, but for the benefit of our children and our neighbors children in going to and from school and church. But there are some people that say they are not able to build, and it would be useless for us to build unless we could make connections. Now the question we want to ask are these: Is it a fact, as intimated, that Uncle Sam is at the head of this? The writer has been in a few towns that have a free delivery. One was Texarkana. There the carriers go to the end of the streets rain or shine without regard to sidewalks. Also in the town of Terrell, it is the same. Is it not a fact that Uncle Sam is no respecter of persons? and is a friend to the poor?

Of course we have all due respect for your carriers—walking up and down those few sidewalks a few hours per day. It would be too bad for them to step across the street and soil their shoes this dry weather. We will, therefore, take our place over there by "Citizen No. 1," and offer our Four Aluminum figures for sale, and walk after our mail. Respectfully,  
 CITIZEN NO. 2.

Mr. Isaac Jalonic was one of the pioneer citizens of Wichita Falls. He owned a large amount of property in this city, none of which has been on the market. The estate has now decided to close out their holdings, and have placed the entire property in the hands of Bean & Stone for sale. Many of these lots are in the neighborhood of the school house. 28-4f

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 KING & WHITE. 14-4f

Sherrod & Co. sell only fresh candied eggs. Try them. 29-4f

#### ODD THINGS IN A DAY'S NEWS.

A mad dog near Oakland City, Ind., ran seventeen miles in forty-five minutes.

A man in New York says he has a St. Bernard dog which turns the current on and off in an electric fan as he desires.

Edward Lysaghter of New York says he revives dogs stricken by the heat by putting a handful of salt down the animals' throats.

A new trial was asked in a case at Chattanooga, Tenn., on the ground that the foreman of the jury, before the evidence was discussed, asked his associates to hold a thirty-minute prayer meeting.

A tornado passing over Minnesota near Faribault, lifted the house of A. J. Manley, while the family were at dinner, and carried it some distance. Manley was killed, but his wife and child escaped injury.

David Rankin, the noted Missouri corn grower, will be 83 years old this month. It is said he was so poor when a boy that he went barefooted a great part of each summer until he was 28 years old. He paid his last dollar to the preacher who married him in 1850, but now he owns 85,000 acres of good land and last year raised more than 1,000,000 bushels of corn. He is worth over \$3,000,000 and made it all by farming. His experience should be of some value in settling the question of whether farming pays or not.

**Masons Elect Officers.** Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., held its annual election of officers last night, and the following were chosen:

J. W. Walkup, W. M.; J. Milton Erwin, S. W.; Fort McHam, J. W.; L. C. Hineckley, S. D.; M. J. Gardner, J. D.; Oral Jones, secretary; W. L. Moore, treasurer; C. M. Duke, tiler.

The newly elected officers will be installed on June 24th.

If your grocer has been sending you bad eggs try some candied eggs from Sherrod & Co. They are good. 29-4f

**WANTED**—The Times wants 100 ladies in Wichita Falls to call the paper up over the phone and each give us an item of news. Our number 167. Will you do it? 285-1f

## GIVE US YOUR JUNE BUSINESS

We want our friends and customers to know that we want and will appreciate your business. We will take special care to see that each and every customer gets the right treatment and we believe we can save you money on your monthly account and especially are offering inducements for cash trade. Come and see us. We need your business and are willing to offer you some inducement to trade with us : : :

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# PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Vera Hankins of Quanah is in the city visiting friends.

Mr. H. B. H. of Romero, Texas, is in the city visiting relatives.

Miss M. D. M. left this afternoon for Abilene to visit relatives.

Miss M. G. G. left this afternoon for Abilene to visit relatives.

Miss J. J. C. Ziegler is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lee, at Holliday.

John D. D. of Charlie, Texas, was transacting business here today.

Mr. O. O. Cunningham of Petrolia was among the local visitors in the city today.

Mr. W. S. S. Kay left today for Marlin to visit his wife, who is there for her health.

Mr. A. A. F. of the Archer City Reporter was transacting business in the city today.

Miss M. B. B. Bateman of Electra was in the city today looking after her property interests.

Miss G. C. C. Carville of Fort Worth is visiting Miss Jennie Esther Bean of this city.

Misses F. K. and Nina Robertson of Texas Park are in the city, the guests of Mrs. F. K. Carter.

Miss Edith Temple, who has been the guest of W. D. Bentley and family over holidays, returned to her home at Abilene today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Anthony of Davison, Oklahoma, are in the city visiting Miss Anthony's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Woodward.

Mr. L. L. B. a prominent farmer from Abilene, was transacting business in the city today and made this of his own accord.

J. M. Alderice, candidate for State Superintendent of Public Instruction, was in the city today and called at the Times office. Mr. Alderice is of Waxahatchie.

Miss O. E. Maer and little daughter, Miss M. M. M. who have been at Mineola, will for the past month, have returned to their home in this city.

Miss Marie Milligan of McKinney, Miss Gertrude Carnike of Ft. Worth, Mr. H. A. Fairchild and J. L. W. were in the city for the past few weeks, will leave for Denton tomorrow.

Mr. H. C. C. a prominent business man from Monday, was here today on his return from Galveston, where he had been attending the Retail Druggists Association, which convened in this city recently.

Miss H. C. Brumly and daughter, Miss F. F. of Clarendon, and Miss M. M. M. of Comanche and Mr. M. M. M. of Thurber, compose a party now being entertained by Mrs. H. K. Lane of this city.

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# EASY PHYSICAL CULTURE.

**How One May Promote Good Health Without Expense.**

First of all, there is the sensible use of the odd moments of the day. For example, I must get up from my chair after or at intervals during my work; I must go upstairs. Here are the opportunities:

During the wash I can rub myself well all over my skin. Having used the warm water and soap and warm water again, I can dip my hands in cold water and then give my skin a capital friction with the palms of my hands. This will afford excellent exercise for the arms and shoulders and, when I stoop, for the trunk muscles. It will clean me, will help to harden and invigorate me and will make my hands and my whole body glow delightfully. It will need scarcely any extra time.

When I go out into the street, and indeed whenever I go out, I can take two extra deep and full breaths of fresh air in through the nostrils. And I can repeat this wonderfully healthy practice whenever I wait at a crossing, whenever I wait at all, and just before I go into any building from the street, and also before any important work or interview, and, of course, the first thing in the morning and the last thing at night. Here there is not one moment of extra time demanded, but there is so much effective but easy physical culture that at the end of a year the improvement in the breathing capacity, the endurance, the vigor, the complexion and even in the control of the temper may be almost beyond belief. And, best of all, the automatic habit of fuller and more rhythmical inhalations may be firmly fixed. *Estate Miles in Metropolitan Magazine.*

**Wanted His Tip.**  
"In Astoria," said a Washington state official, "there used to be an old fisherman who brought me the first of every month a present of a splendid salmon from his master. I always gave the old fisherman a tip."

"But one morning I was very busy, and when the old boy brought the fish I thanked him hurriedly and, forgetting his tip, bent over my desk again. He hesitated a moment, then cleared his throat and said:

"Senator, would ye be so kind as to put it in writin' that ye didn't give me no tip this time, or my wife'll think I've went and spent it on rum."—Los Angeles Times.



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# AT THE CHURCHES

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
Services at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Dalton. Good music will be furnished at both services by Mrs. Maer and choir. Friends and strangers in the city are cordially invited to worship with us.

**The Christian Church.**  
Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Communion and sermon at 11 a. m. Children meet for final practice at 4 p. m. Service: Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to come and bring an offering for the cause of world wide missions. Don't fail in this. Preaching at Kemp's school house at 3:30 p. m. by the pastor. All are cordially invited to come to all these services. Do not let a little heat or indifference keep you away.  
A. J. BUSH, Minister.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Dr. W. B. Riley of Dallas, superintendent of the State Anti-Saloon League, will occupy the pulpit at the morning service. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. at 4 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Sermon by the pastor at 8:15 p. m.  
W. F. FRY, Pastor.

**Methodist Episcopal Church South.**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject: "What are We Here For?" Men's service at 3 p. m. Subject: "Elder Brotherism." Junior League at the parsonage at 3 p. m. Intermediate and Senior Leagues as usual. 8:30 p. m., preaching. Subject: "What Shall the Harvest Be?"  
J. A. STAFFORD, Pastor.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church.**  
At the tabernacle, corner Seventh street and Lamar avenue. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Obedience to the Heavenly Vision." At the close of the service all candidates for baptism will take the covenant, and following this those desiring baptism by sprinkling will be baptized, and those desiring immersion will be thus baptized at the tank near the residence of R. E. Huff at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

At the night service, at 8 p. m., Dr. Riley, president of the Anti-Saloon League of the State of Texas, will speak.  
R. E. FARLEY, Pastor.

If you want good tea, remember our Barkly line.  
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**KING & WHITE.**

**One on Me.**  
They talked during dinner of the anarchists.

"But, papa, what is an anarchist?" little Willie asked.

"Well, my son," replied the father, "he's a person who is always blowing somebody up."

The child turned to his mother.

"Then are you an anarchist, ma?" he said.—Argonaut.

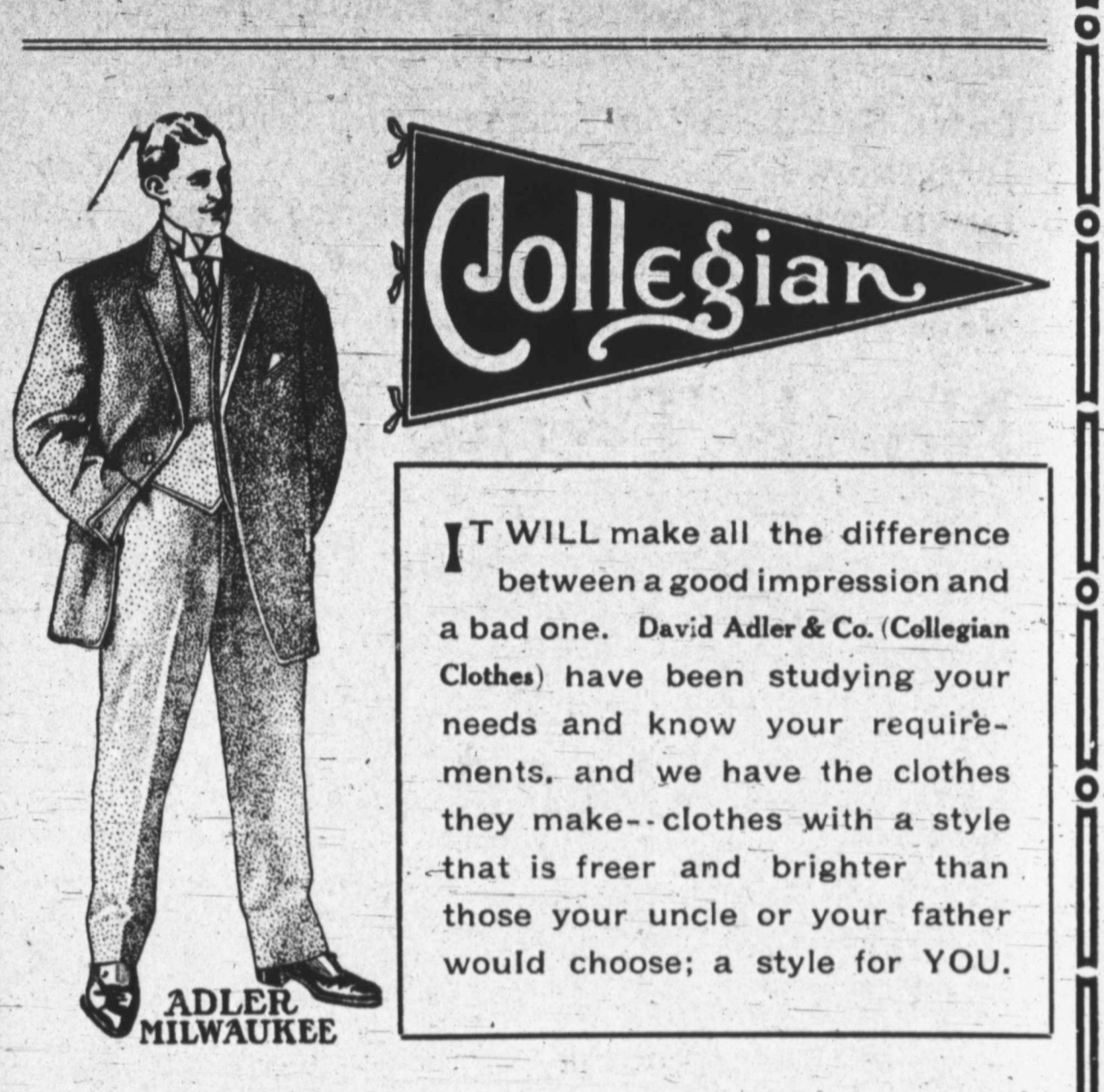
**Thankful.**  
"I hope your constituents are grateful to you for what you have done for them."

"I hope so," answered Senator Sarghumb, "but I must confess I am thankful for the arrangement which makes compensation for my services independent of the gratitude of my constituents."—Washington Star.

**The Wrong Word.**  
Mrs. A.—I can remember the day when you begged me to say the word that would make you happy for life.  
Mr. A.—I know, but you said the wrong word.—Life.

**Others Whenever.**  
Some people make happiness whenever they go.—Success.

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# WALSH AND CLASBEY

**A Gentle Husband.**  
Woman (to her husband, busily engaged writing)—My dear, correctly speaking, what is a dentist? Husband (crossly)—Derived from dent, French for teeth, a man who pulls teeth. (Husband settles down to writing again.) Wife—My dear, you said this morning that linguist was derived from the Latin lingua, a tongue. Husband (crossly)—Yes. Wife—Well, dear, is a linguist a man who pulls out tongues? Husband—No, madam, but I wish he did.—London Answers.

**The Best Man.**  
"Why is it," asked the dear girl, "that the bridegroom's attendant is called the 'best man'?"  
"I suppose it's because he is the best off," growled the fussy old bachelor.—Kansas City Newsbook.

**Considerate Censorship.**  
"Does your father know I love you?"  
"No. Papa isn't very well, and we've kept it from him."—Harper's Weekly.

**Everybody Pleased.**  
Deacon—Are you willing to go? Unpopular Citizen (dying)—Oh, yes; I am. Deacon—Well, I'm glad you are, for that makes it unanimous.—Judge.

Love your neighbor, but don't pull down the fence.—German Proverb.



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