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## NEW LAW LIMITS NUMBER SALOONS

LICENSES CANNOT BE ISSUED IN GREATER NUMBER THAN ONE TO EACH 500 INHABITANTS.

### 16 FOR WICHITA FALLS

No New Licenses Can Be Issued Before August, if Then, and Some Licenses May Be Revoked.

The governor has signed the Robertson-Pittsburgh liquor bill and it is now in effect. By the terms of this law neither the county judge or the comptroller can issue permits for saloons to a greater number than one for each five hundred inhabitants in a city, town or justice precinct, but such as were in existence on February 20, 1909, may continue in business for the time paid for.

The law itself fixes, as the method for estimating the population, the rate of six persons for each one of the scholastic census.

By the terms of this bill there cannot be over sixteen saloons in Wichita Falls prior to the time of the next scholastic census, and as this number has already been exceeded, there cannot be any new saloons put in in Wichita Falls before August and probably not then, as it will require a considerable increase in population to justify the number already here.

By the terms of this law, a person taking out a license must swear that he is not disqualified under the laws from engaging in the saloon business, and that no other person or corporation is in any manner interested or to be interested in the said business. It also provides that if any one is guilty of false swearing in taking said affidavit, or if they sell on Sunday, or to minors, or to students, or to habitual drunkards after having been forbidden, or in any manner violate the liquor laws of the State, that the license may be cancelled. And it is made the duty of the county judge and comptroller at any time on affidavit to notify the owner of said license to show cause why his said license should not be forfeited or cancelled.

The law requires that the person must have lived in the State and in the county two years before asking for the license, as it is charged that some have gotten into the saloon business who were disqualified under the terms of this law. If the fact is proved the license shall be cancelled and they are disqualified from entering into this business for five years.

Moreover, as the affidavit is made for the purpose of being acted upon by the comptroller of the State, we understand that the courts of Travis county will have jurisdiction to punish any person making false affidavit for perjury.

The law is very stringent and will undoubtedly call to halt the rapid increase of saloons.

### Bailey Speaks on Tariff Measure.

Washington, D. C., April 26.—Senator Joseph W. Bailey this afternoon commenced speaking on the Payne tariff bill. Bailey is devoting his chief remarks to the support of his amendment favoring an income tax and may talk all afternoon. The republican insurgents say they don't like the form of his amendment, as it challenges the supreme court's decisions on the former income tax law. The insurgents are framing an income tax amendment of their own, which the republicans will introduce. Bailey has refused to alter the wording of his amendment.

Richelleu Hawaiian sliced pineapple in No. 2 1/2 cans. Compare it with other brands. 35c per can. 298-21 TREVATHAN & BLAND.

## HOUSE TAKES UP APPROPRIATIONS

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., April 26.—Congressman James L. Slayden, upon invitation, addressed the house this morning and after praising the session launched into a defense of State's rights. He said that several recent decisions of the United States Supreme Court showed that the country was reasserting the rights of the State to control commerce within its borders and that "the pendulum which has so long been swing-

ing away from State's rights is now swinging back in the right direction."

Baker of Hood, Boswell and Hill today introduced a resolution providing for morning, afternoon and night session during the remainder of the special session. The resolution will be taken up tomorrow.

The house this morning began a general consideration of the general appropriation bill. The arguments began on an amendment offered by Skinner to appropriate \$50,000 for the improvement and the maintenance of the San Jacinto battleground.

That the fight over the general appropriation bill will be warm was indicated this morning when, at the outset, the members indulged in much oratory and criticisms and made many queries. During the debate Robertson of Bell asked Crockett, chairman of the appropriation committee, if the amount sought will not tax the treasury. Crockett replied that it will drain the treasury. Kennedy wanted to know whether the appropriations were so large that they would prove detrimental to the State in its efforts to maintain State institutions, and also if the Texas tax rate is the lowest in the Union. Crockett agreed to all this. Crockett further said that half a million was absolutely necessary for the institutions and believed that Texas wanted the San Jacinto battlefield taken care of, but that the appropriations must not exceed the amount in the treasury.

Robertson of Travis arose and in a ringing speech declared that if the people of Texas wanted the battlefield improved it should be done, even if it takes a million.

## TIES AND POLES HERE FOR ELECTRIC LINE

Ties and poles for the electric street railway are being unloaded in the yards south of the Katy freight depot and along the grade in the vicinity of Lake Wichita.

The grade is nearly finished between the city and the lake and everything will be in readiness to push the track laying work as soon as the rails arrive.

## LIONS AND BUFFALOES REPORTED NUMEROUS.

By Associated Press. Nairobi, British East Africa, April 26.—Theodore Roosevelt left the Kapiti plains yesterday and went to the ranch of Sir Alfred Pease on the Ashi river. Lions and buffaloes are reported numerous in that section. There have been no more cases of smallpox in Roosevelt's caravan.

Cutting Affray Near Franklin, Texas News Service Special. McKinney, Tex., April 26.—During a cutting affray near Franklin today John Coleman, aged 24 years, was seriously stabbed. Edgar Cripps, about the same age, was brought here and jailed.

## CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL DAY

By Associated Press. Atlanta, Ga., April 26.—Confederate Memorial day was observed here early in the day. The graves of the Confederate dead were decorated with flowers and schools and public buildings and business houses were closed.

### Observance in Mississippi.

By Associated Press. Jackson, Miss., April 26.—Confederate Memorial Day throughout the State was marked by the usual exercises, planting of flowers on the graves of the Confederate dead and the singing of the battle hymns of the South.

### In Alabama.

By Associated Press. Montgomery, Ala., April 26.—When the Memorial Day parade passed the first capitol of the Confederacy today a salute was fired from the base of the Confederate monument.

### Hall Warming Tonight.

The Odd Fellows' Hall in the Stampitt-Roberts building has been tastefully decorated with the colors and emblems of the several lodges using the hall for the reception tonight when the members of the fraternal organizations and their friends will enjoy an entertainment in the nature of a house warming. An excellent informal program has been arranged and a pleasant evening is anticipated.

Ladies Free My's' (not show tonight).

## MAY SIGNAL MARS FROM WEST TEXAS

CLARIFIED ATMOSPHERE, LEVEL GROUND AND UNINHABITED AREAS ARE FAVORABLE.

### SCIENTISTS TO INVESTIGATE

Prof. Pickering May Erect Immense Reflectors on the Plains of West Texas.

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, Tex., April 26.—A movement was started here today to induce William H. Pickering to make arrangements for signalling Mars from West Texas. It is pointed out that the clarified atmosphere, level ground and the large uninhabited areas furnish conditions almost perfect for the experiments. Under these conditions, the immense reflectors by which Pickering hopes to communicate with the Martians will not be disturbed. The scientist today wired that he will take the matter up.

### THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

#### Cotton—New York Spots.

New York, April 26.—Market for spot cotton opened quiet and 20 points up. Middling, 10.90. No sales reported.

#### Cotton—New York Futures.

Future market opened firm and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
May	10.52	10.60	10.56-57
July	10.41	10.51	10.47-48
October	10.18	10.27	10.22-23

#### Cotton—New Orleans Spots.

New Orleans, April 26.—Spot cotton market opened steady and 3/4c up. Middling, 10.5-10c. Sales, 2,100 bales. Due to arrive, 500 bales.

#### Cotton—New Orleans Futures.

Future market opened firm and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
May	10.37	10.50	10.43-45
July	10.57	10.66	10.60-61
October	10.16	10.26	10.18-19

#### Cotton—Liverpool.

Liverpool, Eng., April 26.—Spot cotton, 5.52d. Sales, 10,000 bales. Receipts, 3,300 bales.

#### Future market opened firm and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
April-May	5.39	5.39	5.39
May-June	5.38	5.38	5.39
June-July	5.41	5.43 1/2	5.43 1/2
July-August	5.44	5.47	5.47
Oct.-Nov.	5.35	5.39	5.39

#### Chicago Grain Market.

Wheat—	Open	High	Close
May	121	121	118 1/2
July	108 1/2	108 1/2	106 1/2
September	101 1/4	101 1/4	99 1/2

Corn—

	Open	High	Close
May	68 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
July	67 1/4	67 1/4	67 1/4
September	66 1/4	66 1/4	66 1/4

Oats—

	Open	High	Close
May	55 1/4	55 1/4	55 1/4
July	49	49	48 1/2
September	41 1/4	41 1/4	41 1/4

#### Fort Worth Livestock.

Cattle—Receipts 4000 head. Hogs—Receipts 4000 head. Steers—Quality medium. Market lower. Tops sold at \$5.10. Cows—Quality choice. Market was steady. Tops sold at \$3.30. Calves—Quality fair. Market steady. Tops sold at \$5.00. Hogs—Quality fair. Market lower. Tops sold at \$7.00.

## BAILEY AND DAVIDSON ROASTED AND PRAISED.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., April 26.—After a warm debate today into which the Bailey issue was dragged, the senate adopted a resolution thanking the prosecutors, jurors and the courts concerned in the Waters-Pierce case. Alexander obtained an amendment thanking Senator Bailey for calling attention to the repeal of the anti-trust act reducing the attorneys' fees. Davidson and Bailey were both roasted and praised in turn.

F. E. Comstock, special agent for the American National Insurance Company today delivered to Mrs. J. G. Fain a draft for \$2000 as payment for a policy in that sum held upon the life of Mr. Fain. Another policy for the same amount payable to the minor heirs will be paid as soon as their guardian is appointed.

## QUIET REIGNS IN CONSTANTINOPLE

CONSTITUTIONALISTS IN COMPLETE CONTROL OF AFFAIRS.

### THEY IMPOSE CONDITIONS

Sultan May Remain Upon Throne if He Gives Immense Sum to National Treasury.

By Associated Press. Constantinople, April 26.—The city is quiet today and is gradually resuming a normal aspect. The court martial today sentenced five men to death and they will be shot this afternoon. The question as to what will be done with the sultan will probably be determined by parliament. The feeling among the members of parliament against the sultan remaining on the throne is strong.

By Associated Press. Constantinople, April 26.—Tewfik Paasha, grand vizier, this morning transmitted to the sultan the resignation of the entire cabinet and communicated this fact to parliament.

### Military Rule in Constantinople.

By Associated Press. Constantinople, April 26.—The city was under a state of siege last night. No one was allowed on the streets after 8 o'clock in the evening and the carrying of arms by civilians, as well as the publication of news to create disquietude was prohibited. It was estimated up to last night that four thousand reactionaries and religious students had been arrested.

The dead who fell last Saturday number three hundred and the injured will not reach five hundred. Five thousand troops were taken prisoners.

### Rigid Conditions Imposed.

Berlin, Germany, April 26.—According to a correspondent to the Lokal Anzeiger at Constantinople, the conditions which allow the sultan to remain on the throne are that the walls of the Yildis palace and barracks at that place be razed, and only a guard of a hundred men remain at the palace in the future and that this guard be changed daily. The sultan must pay the expenses of the expedition from Saloniki from his private fortune and make as gift to the nation of two hundred and fifty million dollars as the basis of the financial regeneration of the empire.

### WHEAT CROP PROSPECTS IN FOARD COUNTY.

The wheat crop prospects were never better in Foard county than they have been through the winter and spring. Conditions have been favorable all along. The hot, dry days of last week, however, did not help wheat. That which was sowed early in the fall showed signs of their effect. This week has been cloudy and cool, with some rain and mist, just the condition suitable for small grain crops at this present stage, and farmers are feeling good over the improved conditions.—Foard County News.

## CATHEDRAL ROOF COLLAPSED AND NINE ARE KILLED.

By Associated Press. Madrid, Spain, April 26.—The roof of the cathedral at Torbes collapsed today while mass was being celebrated. Nine persons were killed and thirty injured.

### Real Estate Transfers.

A. Smarsh to W. H. Downing, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 5, Spivey's addition to Wichita Falls, \$41.00. W. W. Jackson to H. B. Jackson, 320 acres of Trevino survey, \$9,600. J. A. Kemp to G. N. Wilson, lot 19 in Block 15 Jaconick addition, \$210. W. D. Shell and wife to C. W. Ragsdale, 3-acre tract in Austin survey, \$750.

### Hill Dies in Electric Chair.

By Associated Press. Auburn, N. Y., April 26.—Pacy Hill was electrocuted here early today. Two shocks were necessary to kill and the total time of the two shocks was a scant minute. Hill killed his cousin, Chipe Hancock, in March, 1908, while drunk.

### Niggerhead and McAlester Lums Coal.

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### Cattlemen are Confident.

Texas News Service Special. St. Louis, Mo., April 26.—S. Halley, traffic manager for the Katy; J. W. Welch, general superintendent of the Colorado and Southern and G. F. Cotter, general superintendent of the Fort Worth and Denver, testified today in the hearing of suits brought by the Katy to restrain the interstate commerce commission from enforcing its rate for cattle shipments from Texas to Northern points. Cotter will be the last witness. The hearing will close Tuesday. The cattlemen are confident of winning.

## SAN ANTONIO PAPERS WILL CONSOLIDATE.

Texas News Service Special. San Antonio, Tex., April 26.—It is announced that the Light and Gazette, the two afternoon dailies here, will consolidate on May 1st. There will be a general reorganization, a stock company taking charge of the publication. The officers will be elected as soon as the consolidation deal is completed. S. A. Munroe is president and manager of the Light Publishing Company, and D. P. Allen is president of the Gazette Publishing Company.

### Forger Will Be Returned to Amarillo.

Texas News Service Special. Amarillo, Tex., April 26.—W. H. Fitzgerald, who was arrested at Richmond, Virginia, on a charge of forgery committed at Amarillo, was completely identified today by Sheriff Hughes of Potter county from photographs taken in the Richmond jail. Fitzgerald will be returned here.

## CLASS OF 1909 HAS FOURTEEN MEMBERS

The annual commencement of the Wichita Falls high school will be held on May 21st this year.

The program for the exercises is now being arranged by the faculty and the graduates. The class numbers fourteen members and consists of seven boys and seven girls as follows:

Charles Ingram, Merle Waggoner, Oscar Shofe, Earl Clayton, Carter McGregor, Percy Luecke, Grady Barnett, Alma Hull, Cathleen Coffield, Catherine Brothers, Ethel Carr, Hortense Cherry, Clara Claggett and Hazel Jones.

## OVERMAN PROPOSES HEAD TAX ON IMMIGRANTS.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., April 26.—Overman of North Carolina today offered an amendment to the tariff bill in the senate, by which he proposes to place a head tax of twelve dollars each on immigrants coming to the United States. He estimates that this will bring the government six to ten million dollars revenue annually.

## HON. ED. R. KONE TALKS TO BIG CROWD

Quite a crowd gathered in the district court room this afternoon in response to the invitation to hear the address of Judge Ed. R. Kone, State commissioner of agriculture.

The public schools of this city adjourned and five or six hundred of the pupils, together with their teachers, were also present to hear the address. F. H. Gohlke, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, introduced Judge Kone to the audience, and he immediately led off his subject, which was farming by the diversification method.

Judge Kone's address was interesting throughout and was well received. His address was followed by those of D. H. L. Bonner (Uncle Dick) of Smith county, a practical farmer and lecturer, and traveling agent for a farm paper, and by Hon. Tom Frazier of Morgan, Texas, a breeder of hogs.

At the time of going to press the meeting was still in progress and further details will be given in tomorrow's paper.

### Examination for Entrance to University

An examination will be held at the high school some time in May for the benefit of persons not graduates of affiliated schools, who desire to enter the State University. The exact date will be announced later.

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## OFFICER KILLED RAID ON NEGROES

BLACKS PUT OUT LIGHTS AND OPEN FIRE WHEN CRAP GAME IS RAIDED.

### THE FEELING IS INTENSE

At Marshall, Where Deputy Sheriff Huffman Was Killed and Constable Cargill Wounded Today.

Texas News Service Special. Marshall, Texas, April 26.—Deputy Sheriff Mark Huffman was instantly killed and Constable Alex Cargill was wounded early this morning when they raided a negro grading camp near here where a crap game was in progress. The officers descended upon the blacks at 1 o'clock this morning. Hardly had their arrival become known when the negroes put out all the lights and commenced firing upon the officers. Huffman was shot several times and death was instantaneous. Cargill, who is a brother of Sheriff Cargill, received a bullet in his left arm. The negroes scattered in the pitch darkness and the identity of those firing the shots has not been learned.

The authorities and a posse made up of citizens are scouring the country for the negroes and if arrested they may be dealt with summarily.

### Christian Church Revival.

The meeting started off well yesterday. Mr. Bradley has a good choir, and they, with the congregation, gave us some good music. We are using the newest and best books. Come and help us.

The audience was good, both morning and evening.

Services each night this week at 8 p. m. sharp. Fifteen minutes of song service; thirty minutes of sermon, the entire service to last one hour. We covet the co-operation of all the Christian people of the city. We have two purposes: To lead souls to Christ, that they may be saved and to help Christians to a higher and better life in Christ Jesus. Come and help us and be blessed.

Subject tonight, "What is it to be saved?" Strangers and visitors welcomed. Large numbers of our citizens have not heard me preach. Now is your opportunity.

A. J. BUSH, Pastor.

## SAYS FARMERS' UNION SUPPORT SCOTT'S ANTI-OPTION MEASURE

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., April 26.—Hatton W. Summers of Dallas is here representing the Farmers' Union in the Southern States and conferring with Congressman Scott of Kansas on the furthering of the anti-option legislation. Summers says that the Scott bill will prove effective, and will stop all gambling in cotton and wheat futures. He says the union will support the measure.

### Fatal Affray at Sapulpa.

Texas News Service Special. Sapulpa, Ok., April 26.—James Serge was shot through the heart and instantly killed at Taneha today by Joe Young. It is alleged that Young was involved in a row at a boarding house over a girl whom he attacked and then fled. After leaving the house he met Serge, covering him with a revolver. The latter commanded Young to put down his gun and the next moment Young fired.

### Investigating Floydada's Offer.

Texas News Service Special. Amarillo, Tex., April 26.—Prominent Presbyterians of Dallas, Sherman, Quanah, and Amarillo are in session here today as a commission to investigate the proposition from Floydada to furnish sites and buildings to obtain the Presbyterian college.

## HARRIMAN PLANS HUGE MERGER

Special to the Times. New York, April 26.—According to reports circulated in this city, E. H. Harriman has instructed the leading corporation counsel here and in other cities to devise a means for the merger of the New York Central lines into a one-billion dollar corporation with a central management and one treasury. This merger, if effected, will operate more than twelve thousand miles of railway.



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## ALTUS WILL GET W. F. & N. W. ROAD

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### ALTUS IS A LIVE TOWN

Citizens Enthusiastic Over New Road and Subscribe Liberally.

Frank Kell returned Sunday from Altus, Oklahoma, where he closed a contract and papers were signed between the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Railway Company and the citizens of Altus, whereby the extension of that railroad from Frederick to Altus is to be made at once.

Suiting its action to the agreement, the railroad company this morning started grading crews out of Frederick and will push the extension to an early completion.

Ties and rails are in transit and will be distributed along the line within ten days.

Mr. Kell states that the citizens of Mangum, Oklahoma, have made propositions to the railroad company for the extension of the line from Altus on to that place and that these propositions will be taken up this week.

Frank Kell and C. C. Huff went to Altus Saturday to close a contract with the citizens of Altus, Oklahoma, to extend the Wichita Falls and Northwestern into that city.

The Altus Times gives the following account of an enthusiastic mass meeting of the citizens of that place Tuesday night, at which subscriptions for the requisite bonus were secured: Altus will get the railroad.

That much is settled. And it will be owing to the honest, conscientious, patriotic hustling energy of its people.

Who never lay down on ANY proposition, no matter how difficult!

Altus and Altus people have done little else but talk railroad the past week and the citizen who has not been buttonholed on the street and made to dig up his part is indeed scarce. The soliciting committee has worked day and night without ceasing, and their labors have been crowned with success—provisionally.

Several rousing mass meetings have been held; in fact, almost every afternoon and night have been devoted to them and the work of arousing and enthusing the people over this splendid opportunity to shove Altus way ahead in the ranks of the hustling young cities of the new State. Enthusiastic speeches have been made, those who were slow about subscribing their just proportion of the bonus have been urged, visited and importuned, and every other means which would accomplish the desired result have been utilized to raise the amount.

Success crowned the efforts Tuesday, when a rousing mass meeting was held at the opera house in the afternoon to wind up the proceedings and secure several thousand dollars necessary to complete the amount. Practically every place of business in town closed for the meeting, and the owners and their clerks attended in a body.

J. G. Adkins presided, with J. C. McClay as secretary. The amount which had been raised was \$33,082, and Mr. Adkins immediately called for suggestions as to some means of raising the remainder. It was a critical time, he said; Altus had gone too far to back down now, and that money must be raised before the clock struck 4 to insure the road.

Then the old-time spirit of Altus began to work among the enterprising hustlers present. First one, then another, raised their subscriptions in amounts all the way from \$25 to \$100. Missionaries with subscription papers began to work in the audience, and all the persuasive eloquence of old-time Methodist exhorters was evidenced in the remarks of the speakers, who arose to address the meeting. "We must raise it," was the sentiment of all present, and every man strained a point to give a little more than he really ought to. Finally, the amount was raised to \$38,846, whereupon ten men in the audience agreed to raise an additional amount sufficient to bring it to \$40,000. These ten men were H. T. Jones, W. R. Morrow, J. J. Winton, J. E. Nix, A. S. Knox, J. W. Jordan, V. T. Williamson, A. C. Williams, Walter Wright and Chas. Kessler.

When this had been done C. C. Boach, J. G. Adkins, J. A. Henry, J. R. McMahan and others agreed to guarantee to raise the rest of the necessary money, \$5,000, and the meeting adjourned amid great enthusiasm.

Mangum Ready to Do Her Part. One of the most enthusiastic public meetings ever held in Mangum was the railroad booster meeting held Monday night, the result of which was that the Wichita Falls and Northwestern railroad, which is heading this way, will come to Mangum instead of passing us five or six miles to the north or south

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- First Christian Church, - - April 14th
- First Christian Church, - - April 28th
- First Methodist Episcopal Church Apr. 21
- First Methodist Episcopal Church May 5

**THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY** of the First Christian Church will assist our sales department April 14th and April 28; the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will assist in a like manner on April 21st and May 5th. Special prices will be made on these days in all departments. This assistance will be rendered to any religious denomination erecting a church in Wichita Falls costing \$10,000.00 or more.

YOURS TO PLEASE

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A TIMES "WANT AD." FOR QUICK RESULTS

and building rival towns on the way. Mangum agreed to pay the price and will get the road.

The consideration asked by the railroad people seemed appallingly great at first, but when the people came to discuss the situation, and take into consideration what might become of the town should the proposition be not favorably considered, it was decided to pay the price and secure the road. The tribute which the railroad laid upon Mangum was \$100,000 and right of way through Greer county.

President Clay of the Twenty Thousand Club of Mangum attended a meeting of the citizens of Altus with the promoters of the road on Saturday and secured from them a proposition to build to Mangum. He came home and began talking it up among the people, a public meeting was called for Monday night and when the time came the opera house was crowded. At this meeting it was proposed to assess the citizens of Mangum eight per cent on their assessed property valuation and one hundred and ninety-six men in attendance at the meeting then and there signed the agreement to pay the proposed amount toward the enterprise. It was a very enthusiastic meeting and shows that the people of Mangum, although apparently sometimes slow in public enterprises, come nobly to the front in an emergency.—Sun-Monitor.

#### OCEAN TRAVEL.

Luxury That Greets the Passengers on an Atlantic Liner.

The luxury of ocean travel has reached such a state of perfection that land bred and timid passengers may almost delude themselves into thinking that they are still on shore when they are in the middle of the ocean.

When the luncheon bugle sounds you go in to tidy your hair. The sun is shining in through your window or at least one of the windows, for there are two in your drawing room, one in the bathroom and one in the bedroom beyond. Your drawing room—which might be in the Winter palace. Nice, for all the resemblance it bears to a ship's cabin—is furnished in old gold and white. A soft carpet of old gold, a sofa piled luxuriantly with cushions, several chairs, a table, a wonderfully equipped desk, on which rests a drop light, are at your disposal. You stop a moment to admire the panels and etchings and the hangings, which are embroidered with drooping wistaria in faint green. An electric grate fire, with a genuine mantel, lends an air of spaciousness to the room. You notice that your gowns have been hung in one closet and your blouses in another and that shoes, slippers, umbrella, etc., have been carefully stowed away in places provided for them.

The third day out, if the weather is fine, is the social height of the trip. The ship's types are by this time all fully developed. The bridge sends have become known to each other, and they never leave their game except for meals. There is the usual contingent that each morning comes around to tell you how early they were on deck. You have stood at the prow and watched the schools of dolphins jumping straight for the ship, you have rushed excitedly to the rail to watch a passing steamer with which your vessel exchanges salutes by running up innumerable little flags, and you have marveled at the land birds that always follow the ship across, and perhaps you ask the steward to set out some fresh water and a plate of crumbs for them.

If you enjoy spontaneous vaudeville the hour in the ship's gymnasium will be your regular rendezvous every morning, and aside from the fun which you will have in watching the others perform unaccustomed stunts on the frisky camel, the spirited horse or with the vibrators you will receive direct benefit from the exercises, which are the best thing to be recommended for the maintenance of sea legs.—Harriet Quimby to Leslie's Weekly.

#### Selfishness.

Jones worked so hard and denied himself so much in order to pay his life insurance that he had neither the time nor the means to be sick, and he outlived all the beneficiaries, who were meanwhile engaged in the relatively unhealthy business of lying back and waiting for him to die. Moreover, in thinking of the matter he became convinced that he had a good deal of fun, after all—more fun, indeed, than most. "I'm a terribly selfish fellow," exclaimed Jones guiltily.—Puck.

#### Notice to Breeders.

I have a full-blooded Jersey bull at the O. K. wagon yard, which I will keep for service. Those interested please call and get terms. 299-6tp DAN OSTER, Prop.

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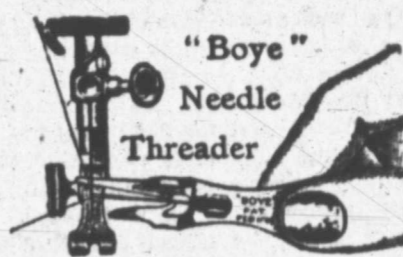
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E. D. Donnell ..... City Editor

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Wichita Falls and Vicinity  
—Tonight and Tuesday, unsettled  
and probably threatening weather.  
Colder Tuesday.

Wichita Falls, Texas, April 26th, 1909.

The new law governing the liquor business allows one saloon for each five hundred population. At present Wichita Falls has eighteen saloons, and it is the understanding that the little building being constructed just west of the Denver station on Seventh street on a plot of ground, the title to which is very questionable, is to be the nineteenth. In order for this new saloon to secure a license Wichita Falls should, under the new law which is now supposed to be at work and in force, should have a population of 9,500, and steps should be taken to see that the parties who propose putting in this new saloon shall establish the fact to the satisfaction of the law that the necessary population is here to justify the putting in of another saloon. In the humble opinion of this paper, eighteen saloons is just that many too many for Wichita Falls, but as the law permits one for each five hundred of population, the Times is of the opinion that our officers will do their full duty and see that it is enforced.

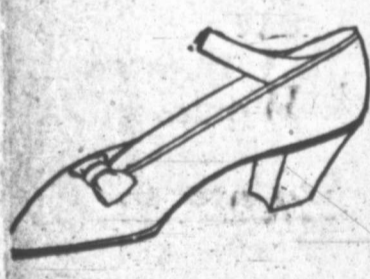
**Comments on the Times Special Edition**

The Wichita Times special (illustrated edition, which was published April 9th, is what we call a daisy. The special edition contained five sections. Starting off on the first page with the history of Wichita Falls and the Wichita country from 1859, and continuing to the last page with the best of reading matter. Some beautiful views of that city and surrounding country are nicely illustrated in the edition, and much credit should be given the Times. The advertisers of that city, who believe in printers' ink, patronized the edition very liberally with good, tasty ads, and no doubt all will be well paid for doing so. We understand that there were several thousand copies printed and that up to the present time only a few hundred copies are left. All in all, the edition is a good one and a copy is well worth the price, which is only ten cents.—Iowa Park Herald.

The special edition of the Wichita Falls Daily Times is one of the best specimens of newspapers that ever came under our observation, and if properly distributed will be worth millions to that growing little city.—Chillicothe Hornet.

The Wichita Falls Weekly Times recently issued a monster forty-page special edition that bristled with business and good things that could be said about that thrifty city. Historically, editorially, industrially, editorially and mechanically it was a gem—a credit to a craft.—McKinney Gazette.

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The following from the Abilene Reporter applies to Wichita Falls and a hundred other good towns in Texas:

Three hundred and fifty thousand six hundred and fifty-nine dollars (\$350,659,000) paid in quarterly dividends by the cotton mills of Fall River, on March 8, 1909.

The above is the quarterly dividend paid by the mills of Fall River, Mass., recently twenty mills, with an aggregate capital of fourteen million dollars. What does this mean? It means an annual dividend of 10 per cent, paid to the stockholders. Quoting from the New York Commercial:

"The cotton mills of Fall River have just declared a quarterly dividend of \$350,659, to be paid to their stockholders, and with one or two exceptions, have laid aside a big surplus."

The Commercial further states that the stockholders were agreeably surprised by these handsome dividends and the nice surplus that the mills laid aside. This proves beyond the shadow of a doubt that the country is fast improving from the recent panic and that the cotton mill business will again take its place at the head of the industrial list and people could find no better or safer proposition than putting their savings into cotton mill stocks.

Fall River has no advantage over Abilene, but Abilene has an advantage over Fall River. Why? First, you have the raw material right at your door at first cost. Second, you have the advantage of sixteen hundred mile rate and connections and a territory to distribute your goods in. Now, with the establishment of the proposed mill at Abilene, the Abilene of ten years hence, with twenty cotton mills, would not a dividend of \$350,000 at this time be welcome and make everybody happy?

Fall River had to build her first cotton mill and her people had to struggle to build it; and what Fall River has done Abilene can do, if her people will just wake up and realize the importance of a cotton mill to the future growth of the city. The people of Abilene have been presented with a cotton mill proposition, and when the subscription, list is handed to you, don't whine and say, "I have given all I can and can't afford to give any more." When you subscribe to the cotton mill you are making an investment: one on which you can reasonably expect a ten per cent dividend and a surplus to be laid aside, so we resent the idea of your giving away anything when called on to subscribe stock in the proposed enterprise, but in turn we offer you a chance to make an investment that will pay you a good dividend besides help the city, the merchants with the weekly pay roll; inducements to new railroad enterprises on account of freight going out.

The committee is going to call on you and give you an opportunity to subscribe or not give a penny unless you want to; if you want to be a part of the beginning of the new industrial Abilene of the future, be prepared to subscribe and not say no. We want each and every one to subscribe, no matter how little, and also the farmers of the Abilene country.

The Nye Company, one of the largest repertoire companies on the road today, begins a week's engagement in their large mammoth waterproof tent located near the postoffice in the sensational melodrama, "A Man of the World." This play serves as an excellent vehicle to introduce nine big vaudeville acts, including Miss Day Dayso, Roy D. Rigdon, E. J. Wiley and Adams and Wainwright, vaudeville team and sketch artists. The company numbers twenty-two people and comes highly recommended by press and public. As the company is new to us this season it has been deemed advisable to admit ladies absolutely free tonight with or without escorts. It's a good show. Everybody go. 299-11

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FOR SALE—400 head of cattle; 100 head of 3, 4 and 5 year-old steers; price \$12.50 around. Write H. B. Jackson, Orange, Texas. 297-6tc

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Unusual Honor to a Fine Man Who Knew Nothing About It.

New York contains more Italians than any city in Italy, Naples perhaps excepted, and a few days ago the entire half million of them found cause to feel bigger for the time being than all the rest of the city. The reason for this sudden enlargement of hearts and swelling of heads was New York's general and wonderful demonstration of respect for the memory of Lieutenant Petrosino, the Italian-American officer who was murdered several weeks ago in Italy, where he had gone to dog the "Black Hand" gang to its native lair and get a line on its American operators. Traffic in many streets, including a large part of Fifth avenue, was entirely suspended for hours, more than a thousand policemen and nearly five hundred firemen took part in the funeral procession, accompanied by the mayor and the police commissioner, many carriages full of flowers followed the hearse and after them marched more than fifty civic societies with bands of music and draped colors. But the most interesting spectacle was the mass and quality of the citizens who stood for hours along the line of march and crowded every possible point of view. The remains passed for five miles between two dense walls of human beings. On the sidewalks of the only block on which I was able to look down and count hats there were more than a thousand persons. I saw other sidewalks that were crowded to their full capacity and with every respectable class of the populace. Of course, all Italians not in the procession were among the spectators, but they herded together and as near their homes as possible, as is their custom at all times when they are not at work, but such of them as marched behind the remains took back to their families and compatriots the astounding story that all New York had turned out in honor of one single Italian. Evidently their modest race was getting its innings. And why shouldn't it? What race in New York has a smaller proportion of vagrants, do-nothings, office-seekers and other thieves? What race saves more fimes out of every dollar earned, drinks less liquor, has fewer marauders and fewer women who are no better than they should be? A trifle too quick with the knife, perhaps, but knives make a cleaner wound than clubs or pistols, and they generally restrict their cold steel to their own kind. The worst of them, whoever he may be, has a consuming desire that his sons shall become good and self-respecting Americans. The Italian race, measured by its average poor immigrants, is so useful and valuable that New York simply could not get along without it.

Three Thousand Grown People in One School.

Another race largely represented here and which flocks by itself as closely as the Italians, is that whose forbears came from Africa's sunny fountains. It is the fashion to speak of it condescendingly, almost contemptuously, yet many white New Yorkers of Southern birth admit that if most Southern negroes were as good as most of their northern cousins there might be no race problem in the South. New York's negroes are quite as fond of soap and water as any other class in their humble station of life, they dress decently and modestly and they do not press in where they are not wanted. Although not many of them see a chance to rise above domestic service, except among their own people they seem to have their full share of humanity's aspirations. One of the show institutions of New York's Board of Education is an evening industrial school, which contains three thousand colored pupils ranging in age from sixteen years to sixty or more, and all of them eager to learn. The school is free to anybody between the ages named,

without regard to race, sex or creed, but the only whites in it are teachers. The students are men and women who work all day at home or for wages, but at night when most working people loaf and invite their souls or their neighbors these weary creatures hurry to their class rooms. The curriculum is not unlike the indoor course at Tuskegee, Hampton and other great negro schools at the South; book-learning is not neglected, but many kinds of handiwork are taught and exhibitions of the students' output indicate that the negro modiste, tailor, mechanic and artisan may yet come to the front. As to that, I know of a high-toned organization of white men who recently invited a colored architect to prepare plans for a contemplated building. The world does move, so the colored man can't be blamed for pulling himself together and looking for a decent place in the procession.

Things Really New That Have Got into a New Play.

All veteran theater-goers know that a new play, almost any new play, is disappointing through not containing anything that is really new. The names and scenes differ from those of older plays but whatever gives point and force and go to the piece is as old as the theater itself. Playwrights say it is because managers won't stage anything new, can't understand anything



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now, are frightened at anything new from the moment they see it. Managers insist that they are simply dying to get out of the old rut, but no playwright has soul, sense and imagination enough to write anything new. Imagine, therefore, the surprise and delight of the habitual first-nighters who attended the initial performance of "The Climax" a few days ago and saw and heard scarcely anything but what was new and original. Instead of the customary feminine trio—old woman, leading lady and soubrette, there was one girl, and she, cast for the part of an ambitious singer, really did sing, and sang superbly, instead of posing her back hair at the audience while some other woman stood behind a screen and did the required warbling. A young man supposed to be a musical composer played the piano brilliantly and the song which was the climax of the piece was original and good. The heroine, although displaying a voice of rare sweetness and expression, was an admirable actress also. From start to finish there was not a trace of indelicacy or impropriety and there were only four characters, all of whom were well cast. If this is not an unparalleled budget of new things in a new play, yours truly has missed something in his twenty years of industrious theater going in New York, though he doesn't believe he has.

Something approaching newness must be credited to Clyde Fitch's newest piece, "The Happy Marriage," for although the topic is as old as marriage itself it has seemed beneath the serious attention of playwrights. A loving, loyal husband makes the common mistake of permitting business to take first place in his heart and mind although not driven to it by the necessity which makes some husbands almost strangers to their wives. When his wife resents his lack of attention by gravitating toward another man he goes at reform as bravely and persistently as if it were a matter of business. It takes time and character to do such a thing, which in itself is no small job for a playwright beset by memories of all the old-time stage short-cuts at reconciliation—the kind of things that every one in the audience knows would not survive the first cloud on a husband's financial sky or a wife's first disappointment in the matter of a new gown or a dinner party that failed to materialize because the man of the house was kept down town by the frequent but imperative excuse—business.

### Realities and Romances of Working Women.

The "ladies' car" is not unknown on some railway trains in the Western States and elsewhere, especially when the only other car of a train is a smoker, but the feature was a new one in New York last week when the managers of the tunnel from this city to Hoboken reserved the last cars of all trains for women passengers. Whatever may be manners in cities with cars enough to afford seats for everybody, complaints are not infrequent that working women who have to cling twice a day to car straps in New York are jostled and otherwise annoyed by men who have been smoking all sorts of cigars and pipes and drinking all sorts of drinks flavored with alcohol and aggressive with all sorts of bad manners toward women who are too timid to use hatpins as daggers and too modest to resent anything in a manner that would force them into publicity. So many women took to the innovation gratefully that the great company which manages all trains within the city limits has expressed a willingness to reserve certain cars for women, as they had already been asked to do by the Women's Municipal League. Such women as took their chances in the general cars of the Hoboken trains had reasons satisfactory to themselves, so other people have no reason to complain. One reason was that in a crowded car there are always some men who will vacate their seats for women who enter—a courtesy that is scarcely to be expected in a women's car, unless a very old or infirm woman or a woman with a baby in her arms enters. Another reason was skin to that which makes women-doctors unpopular in their own sex, an instinctive feeling that in case anything serious should happen a woman would be safer if there were a man within helping distance. Besides, days are so long for working women who have to travel to and from their business, and do a lot of housework before and after, that evenings must be very short, so if a nice girl's "steady" chances to live on the same travel route and have the same working hours there is opportunity for some discreet courting on the cars. Practice makes perfect in such matters, and quicker than in any others, too, quite a lot of unsuspected romance might be disclosed by some demure couples seen in the city cars, were they not so enamored of it that they prefer to keep it all to themselves.

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 Henry Ford of Holliday was looking after business interests here today.  
 Dr. Pratt and wife of Dundee were among the local visitors in the city today.  
 Gus Stearns returned today from a few days visit with relatives at Fort Worth.  
 Mrs. M. A. Thornberry of the Thornberry neighborhood, was shopping in the city today.  
 Mr. Will Ground, one of Archer county's trustworthy citizens, was here today on business.  
 W. H. Gulna, one of the well to do farmers from Allendale, was here on business today.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Claude Woods returned Saturday night after a short visit in Dallas and Fort Worth.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howard left this afternoon for a week's visit with relatives at Charlie, Texas.  
 L. W. Patton and son, Roy, of Fort Worth, are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wilson.  
 L. P. Davidson, traveling salesman for the King Candy Company of Fort Worth, was calling on his trade here today.  
 Mrs. H. L. Miller and daughter, Miss Hattie of Frutland, are visiting with Mrs. Alice Robertson and Mrs. R. B. Stayton of this city.  
 Judge Scurry returned last night from a three weeks visit to Havana and other cities in Cuba and reports a most pleasant trip.  
 O. S. Martin left yesterday for Pittsburg, Pa., accompanied by his brother-in-law, J. L. Cater, who goes there to take treatment from a specialist.  
 Rev. Forest Smith, pastor of the First Baptist church at Sherman, arrived this afternoon and beginning tonight will preach at the special services being held at the Baptist church every night this week.  
 Mr. J. W. Stone is back from Denver, where he had been summoned to the bedside of his wife, who was injured in the tramway accident in that city a few days ago. He reports Mrs. Stone and his son, Robert Allen, as recovering slowly from the effects of the accident.

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"I want to know!" commented John, visibly impressed by this recital.

"I'll tell ye," continued Mr. Thomas. "Brother Tom's boy's office is down near the big Brooklyn bridge, and I used to go down there and set a good deal while my wife visited with his wife up in Harlem."

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Mr. Thomas paused impressively—"but, although I didn't miss an afternoon whilst I was there, an' that was two weeks, nary one o' them men ever give me a single glance of recognition."

"It wasn't my place to speak first, me being a stranger an' they home; so to speak. I wa'n't going to push myself; but, I tell ye what, John, two or three times I had to hold on to myself to keep from telling of 'em just what I thought of such unfriendly ways."

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