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FINAL EXERCISES OF THE ACADEMY

THE CLOSING CEREMONIES LAST NIGHT ATTENDED BY LARGE AUDIENCE.

DIPLOMAS ARE AWARDED

New York Musical Scholarship Awarded to Miss Simpson—Many Pleasing Features.

In the presence of an audience which filled the opera house to its capacity the closing exercises of the Academy of St. Mary Immaculate were held last night, diplomas being awarded to four graduates. The exercises attending the final ceremonies were entertaining and enjoyable and, in the opinion of those present reflected great credit upon the participants and upon their instructors.

The program was opened with a chorus by a large number of young ladies in white. Their well-blended voices rendered the opening song in pleasing melody. The salutatory, by Miss Thompson was then given, the subject being "Music." The salutatorian delivered this essay excellently and it showed careful preparation and deep thought. A song, "Cactus," was then rendered by twelve young ladies in a very pleasing manner.

Then came the awarding of prizes and medals. The New York scholarship in music went to Miss Mabel Simpson of this city, her percentage being about ninety-nine. The medal for deportment went to Miss Thompson, that for literature to Miss Simpson, that for conduct to Miss Cowan, for manners to Miss Genevieve Carver, for the best junior standing to Miss Glen Maasie, for order and neatness to Miss Clabey. There were several other minor awards.

"Westward Ho!" was the subject of the valedictory essay, by Miss Habel Simpson. This was well delivered and the composition was faultless.

An operetta, "Market Day," was then rendered by a number of the junior pupils and was very much enjoyed as was another operetta entitled "Miss Doramefasolus's American Opera." This introduced some pleasing comedy and was excellently rendered.

The commencement address was delivered by Hon. A. H. Brittain who in a short but forcible talk advised the graduates as to their future careers. The exercises closed with a song "My Dream of the U. S. A." rendered by several young ladies.

WILL ADVANCE RATES.

Roads File Increase, Pending Passage of Railway Bill.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 9.—Representatives of the railroads east of Chicago and north of Ohio river today decided that advanced freight rates will be filed effective August first, pending the enactment of the railroad bill. If the bill does not become a law by August first, further postponement will be granted.

U. C. T. MEETS.

Annual Convention Held this Week at Springfield, Ill.

By Associated Press. Springfield, Ill., June 9.—The annual convention of the United Commercial Travelers of America will convene here late this afternoon with Grand Councillor Gerry, of Lewiston, Maine, presiding. Two thousand delegates from all parts of the country are in attendance.

BACON'S PAY IS RAISED, DUE TO INCREASE HERE IN OFFICE RECEIPTS

O. T. Bacon, postmaster, will enjoy a raise in his salary for the year beginning July 1st, his pay having been boosted from \$2800 to \$2890 by the government. This increase was given on account of the heavy gain in the business of the local office during the past year. Postmaster Bacon's salary is now exceeded by those of only two postmasters in West Texas—El Paso and Amarillo. He will get more than the San Angelo postmaster and as much as the Abilene official, though both of these cities are larger than Wichita Falls.

LIGHT AND POWER MERGER.

Six States Affected By Recent Organization at Denver.

By Associated Press. Denver, June 9.—A merger of the electric light and power concerns of six states was effected here yesterday when the Federal Light and Traction Company absorbed all the properties of the United States Electric Light and Traction Company valued approximately at twenty-five million, five hundred thousand dollars. The concerns absorbed are located in Wyoming, Washington, New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma.

TRIAL IN WASHINGTON.

Alleged Bucket Shop Men Must Be Taken There.

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, June 9.—Judge McPherson, in the United States district court today decided that the alleged bucket shop men arrested here several weeks ago must go to Washington for trial. They resisted removal from this jurisdiction. Appeal will be taken from Judge McPherson's decision today, to the United States supreme court. The men are permitted to renew bail.

OPPOSITION TO MOVING SOUTHWESTERN TO DALLAS FROM GEORGETOWN

Texas News Service Special. Georgetown, Tex., June 9.—The board of trustees of the Southwestern University is in session here today. The trustees are considering the recommendation of the several annual conferences of the M. E. Church, South for the removal of the college at Georgetown to Dallas, as proposed by Dallas citizens.

A vote will likely be taken tomorrow. Come Johnson of Tyler, and L. T. Dashiell of Austin, members of the board, say they will favor keeping the institution here. Other members of the board favoring retention of the school here are: D. E. Decker of Quanah, Robert A. John of Houston, Elder Brooks of Houston, Rev. R. Gibbs Moody of Greenville, presiding elder of the Greenville district of the North Texas conference.

His father, Dr. J. F. Moody, was founder of the university. The removal rests with the conferences, as they are the only body empowered to take final action, and it is declared here that the property may revert to the donors of the estates in the event the college is changed to Dallas.

If wishes were horses—farmers would have to enlarge their barns.

WRECK ON IRON MOUNTAIN PROVES FATAL TO THREE NEAR ST. LOUIS TODAY

By Associated Press. St. Paul, Minn., June 9.—Three men were killed outright and twelve injured early today when the Iron Mountain Fast Mail from Texas, which carried no passengers, left the track near this city and crashed through the brick wall of a manufacturing plant.

The dead are: ENGINEER DOUGLASS, DeSoto, FIREMAN SHEPARD, St. Louis, MAIL CLERK LASAATER, of St. Louis. Probably fatally injured: Brakeman Coughan and Postal Clerk Wiggins.

LEPROSY SPREADING.

Doctors Say It Is Not Being Properly Fought.

By Associated Press. St. Louis, June 9.—At the sixty-fifth annual session of the American Medical association today a paper by Dr. Dyer, and Hopkins, New Orleans, was read. It asserted that leprosy is spreading to nearly every state in the Union and that no concerted method in caring for lepers is practiced. Officials are accused of neglecting quarantine laws.

LUMBER MEN MEET.

Inspection Rules Are Principal Subject of Discussion.

By Associated Press. Louisville, Ky., June 9.—The National Hardwood Lumber Association opened its annual convention here today. Nearly a thousand members are present. Memphis and St. Louis are leading in the fight for next year's convention. Inspection rules are expected to be the chief topic of discussion.

BELIEVE DEMOCRATS WILL WIN IN FALL

OPTIMISTIC STATEMENT GIVEN OUT TODAY BY CONGRESSMAN GARNER.

VICTORY SEEMS CERTAIN

Republicans Seem to Be Hopelessly Divided on Issues and Can Not Win.

Texas News Service Special. Washington, June 9.—Renewed assurance based on the result of letters to every congressional district in the United States that the next house will be democratic and the assertion that the house democrats are united for Champ Clark for the next Speaker are features of a statement given the press here today by Congressman John N. Garner of Texas, who is acting as whip for the minority in the house.

Garner said: "We will win a great victory in this fall's elections and the next congress will undoubtedly be democratic—This is the result of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law. The democrats are united, the republicans split. The prospect of defeat which grows more apparent daily seems to irritate the present majority. Cannon's New York speech in which he is quoted as saying, that the insurgents ought to be hanged was not exactly like pouring oil on troubled waters.

"Naturally, in view of the impending defeat of the republicans, the democrats are looking forward to the election of a Speaker, and Champ Clark, of Missouri, is certain to be the choice despite reports circulated by his opponents for political effect. I believe Clark's name will be the only one to be considered by the caucus."

BREWERS DISCUSS TAXATION.

Say that Prohibition Does Not Retard Intemperance.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 9.—The principle topic for today's session of the convention of the United Brewers Association, was the taxation on beer under the internal revenue laws of the United States. Yesterday's discussion of prohibition tended to show that it rather promoted than retarded intemperance.

BRAKEMAN IS HURT.

Probably Fatally Injured By Fall From Train.

Texas News Service Special. Tyler, June 9.—John Borrer, a brakeman on the Cotton Belt railroad was probably fatally injured here last night when he fell from the locomotive, sustaining injuries on his head and shoulders. He was taken to a hospital at Texarkana.

MONEY IS SCARCE.

Financial Panic Now Prevails in Nicaragua.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 9.—Official dispatches from Managua, Nicaragua, state that war is fast reducing western Nicaragua to a state of panic. The exportation of fruit products has been prohibited and money is rapidly decreasing.

FRENCH AVIATORS.

Over One Hundred Miles Made Within Three Hours.

By Associated Press. Paris, June 9.—Officers Marconno, and Fegaunt, of the French army aviation corps flew today from Chalons-Sur-Marne, to the gates of Paris, a distance of one hundred and five miles in two hours and fifty minutes without a stop.

FATAL COLLISION.

Carriage Returning From Funeral Is Struck by Locomotive.

By Associated Press. Haverstraw, N. Y., June 9.—Four people were killed and one seriously injured here today when a locomotive struck a coach returning from a funeral.

ADOPTS JOINT REPORT.

Rivers and Harbors Bill Is Passed By Senate.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 9.—The conference report on the River and Harbor Bill was adopted by the Senate by a vote of forty-five to twelve.

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MANY GUESSES IN CENSUS CONTEST

NEARLY TWO HUNDRED ALREADY RECEIVED AND MORE ARRIVING STEADILY.

ESTIMATES VARY WIDELY

Guesses Range From Six to Fifteen Thousand—Majority Between 9,000 and 10,000.

The Times office is fairly flooded with guesses at the population of Wichita Falls and the contest inaugurated seems to be creating a great deal of interest. Guesses have been received from practically every town in Northwest Texas and quite a few have come from Oklahoma. The guesses now vary from six thousand to fifteen thousand. An average of all the guesses filed would probably be about ten thousand. There are numerous guesses of eleven and twelve thousand, while surprisingly few people believe that this city has less than nine thousand, a great many slips ranging from nine to ten thousand.

The contest closes on June 15, at midnight, and, judging from the stack of guesses on the census editor's desk, each guesster will have about one chance in three hundred to win. Following is a list of the guesses received up to Tuesday night.

C. M. Sisk	9,265
Margaret Burnside	10,259
Nellie Carroll	11,965
William Joehrendt	11,555
T. B. Noble, Jr.	8,850
Helen Deffner	11,100
R. L. Fowekis	9,650
Ruth Stayton	10,385
O. D. Chiles	10,087
Mrs. J. M. Morton	9,700
Viola Crowell	9,960
R. H. Tuttle	10,739
Mrs. John Meek	10,291
Myrtle Woody	11,274
Hilda Robertson	8,550
Fred Spurling	10,500
E. P. Greenwood	8,999
E. U. Avery	9,999
Mrs. A. E. Bulloch	11,000
A. T. Threadgill, Jr.	9,082
C. C. Hood	10,325
S. M. Kennedy	9,802
Adele Millisap	9,780
J. B. Fore	11,065
Allyne Short	9,045
H. Cowley	9,684
Lucy Coker	10,500
Gaynell Teague	10,000
George Fore	11,321
Harold Murphy	10,983
Mrs. Mattie E. Cook	9,980
S. Y. Ferguson	7,939
Markham Ferguson	8,491
Mrs. S. Y. Ferguson	8,213
W. P. Brooks	9,872
Minnie Dunklin	10,320
Mrs. Charles Darracott	10,021
Mrs. J. E. Howell	10,678
A. B. Huff	10,677
Theodore Lucke	12,265
Edith Lucke	13,000
Ernest D. Trevathan	11,875
C. W. Ingram	10,781
J. C. Mytlinger	9,575
C. O. Woods	9,999
J. W. Lee	10,943
W. L. King	11,900
J. A. Bell	10,713
W. A. Ragland	10,690
Earl Bachman	10,550
W. Daniel	9,786
A. O. Thornton	10,460
Bruce Fuller	11,239
Oliver Meredith	11,349
Charlie Mahler	10,350
J. C. Winfrey	10,703
Mrs. J. T. Brooks	13,000
Lucile Brooks	8,975
Emma O'Neal	7,997
Andrey Adickes	9,310
Arthur G. Bentley	9,800
Delia M. Stone	9,876
Mrs. L. P. Webb	9,909
H. J. Norwood	9,021
Hattie Bentley	9,000
G. B. Isler	9,842
Lamar Isler	8,697
Geraldine Isler	8,649
Eula Isler	10,500
J. C. Thomas	9,987
Alice Thomas	11,122
Mrs. W. Lynakey	9,500
Willie B. Cook	11,015
Bertha Brown	11,850
Lynn Boyd	9,573

The industrial development of Texas is beyond the conception of those who have not been closely watching the situation. The state is growing as it has never before grown.—Brownwood Bulletin.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

Interstate Convention Being Held at Fort Worth.

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, June 9.—A hundred or more additional delegates from Southwestern cities arrived late last night and this morning for the interstate convention of the Young People's Society of the Christian Endeavor, which met here this morning. Carl Beeman, of Dallas, state president, presided. During the forenoon routine business was transacted, including the appointment of the various committees; this afternoon was devoted to reports of departments and district superintendents.

KEROSENE FIRE FATAL.

Young San Antonio Woman Dies From Burns Received.

Texas News Service Special. San Antonio, June 9.—Inadvertently pouring kerosene over live coals in an effort to kindle a fire preparatory to cooking the evening meal, Mrs. Martha Lange, aged 27, was so badly burned last night that death resulted in six hours. The explosion threw the ignited fluid over the woman from head to foot causing terrible suffering.

DALLAS AMATEUR GIANTS WILL PLAY IRISH LADS SERIES OF THREE GAMES

The new baseball park at Lake Wichita has the attention of the baseball stage in this section, judging from the applications for dates that have been received from Texas and Oklahoma teams. The management is trying to bring teams here from as great a distance as possible, so as to give Wichita Falls plenty of advertising and nines will be brought here from distant parts when good teams can be secured.

Dallas will be represented here on Saturday, Sunday and Monday by the Amateur Giants of that city, one of the strongest independent teams playing outside ball in that city and by this time next week the fans of Dallas will have learned what a great place Lake Wichita is. The Giants, in their last series with Marshall, a strong independent team, won the first game in two innings, 8 to 7; the second, 10 to 2, and lost the third, 4 to 3, in eleven innings. An exciting and well played contest is expected when the Dallas boys meet the Irish Lads. Ladies will be admitted to the grounds and reserved seat section free. The games will be called at 4 p. m., and a special car will leave town at 3:30, arriving just in good time for the game.

PAID \$4,000,000 CASH; DEAL FOR TEXAS CENTRAL RAILWAY NOW CLOSED

Texas News Service Special. Waco, June 9.—Four million dollars cash was paid by R. H. Baker, in New York yesterday for the Texas Central railroad, according to a statement made today by Chas. Hamilton, vice president and general manager of the line. Hamilton said he was asked to call a meeting of the Board of Directors on June fifteenth, at which time it is expected certain officers and directors will resign and new ones be elected.

ELECT OFFICERS.

Cotton Oil Manufacturers Re-elect Old Officials at San Antonio.

Texas News Service Special. San Antonio, June 9.—The Southern Oil Manufacturers and Supply Association in session here today re-elected officers as follows: Frank M. Smith, Dallas, President. A. C. Langston, Atlanta, Ga., Vice President. W. H. Marshall, San Antonio, Secretary-Treasurer. Executive Committee—W. E. Copenhaver, Springfield, Ohio; John W. Dittmar, Houston; J. B. Mendenhall, Chicago; Robert R. Nollen, Dallas; William Lowenstein, New Orleans.

JAMES H. HOOPER.

Prominent Veteran Drops Dead While Dressing.

Texas News Service Special. Hillsboro, June 9.—James H. Hooker, aged sixty-eight, a Confederate veteran and pioneer dropped dead here early this morning while dressing. Death was due to heart failure. He was preparing to make a trip.

GENERAL OUTLOOK FOR CROPS GOOD

REPORTS FROM THIS COUNTY ON CORN AND COTTON ARE VERY OPTIMISTIC.

RAINS HAVE HELPED MUCH

Some Wheat Will Be Made in Northern Section of County—Fair Out Crop.

Reports on crop conditions in Wichita county, received by the Times, are very encouraging on corn and cotton prospects and more favorable than was expected on wheat and oats. The recent rains have done corn and cotton a great deal of good and the outlook for good yields in these crops is considered good.

Farmers in the neighborhood of Electra and between that city and Burkburnett will make very fair wheat crops. Several farms in that section will make ten and twelve bushels to the acre and a few will go as high as eighteen. In the eastern and southern parts of the county, little wheat will be made. The same conditions, in general, apply to the oat crop. The acreage in both these crops is less than last year, but the total yield for the county as a whole will be nearly as large as last year's. This is the opinion of local parties who are in touch with the grain situation in the county.

Cotton is reported about three weeks late, but the stand is considered good. The best cotton, as usual, is along the irrigation ditch, where a good showing is looked for. In other parts of the county the general showing is fully as good as that of 1909. It is impossible to predict this early just what the crop will make, but with favorable weather conditions it will be little short of a bumper. There is a great deal of moisture in the ground at present and no immediate need of rain is reported.

The corn acreage is estimated at fifteen per cent larger than last year and the reports from the county on this crop are decidedly optimistic. Burkburnett farmers as well pleased with prospects in that section and favorable reports come from Archer county. The present stand is good and indications for a successful crop are all that could be desired. There is sufficient moisture in the ground at present. It is stated, to last for some time, but more rain will be needed for both corn and cotton before the crops come in.

COMMUTERS PAY HIGHER.

Railroad's Agreement Does Not Affect This Advance.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 9.—The increase in commutation passenger fare made recently by the railroad lines operating out of New York City will not be affected by the verbal agreement reached by the railway officials and President Taft. This announcement was made today at the offices of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

INVESTIGATE KILLING.

Three Negroes Met Mysterious Death At Orange, Recently.

Texas News Service Special. Orange, June 9.—District Judge W. B. Powell arrived here today to call a special session of the grand jury to investigate the killing of two negroes here last Saturday by men whose names are unknown. Three suspects are under arrest. Prominent white citizens urged an investigation.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS OF THE STATE TO BE INVITED TO MEET HERE NEXT

Wichita Falls is making an effort to land the 1910 convention of the Christian Endeavorers of Texas and telegrams will be sent to the convention now in session at Dallas. The local members of this organization are making every effort to secure this meeting and believe they will be successful. Patrick Henry, head of the business college here, is with the Wichita Falls delegation and is putting up a determined fight. Invitations will be wired by the mayor, the Chamber of Commerce and others.

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Plans For Roosevelt's Welcome.

New York, June 9.—When Theodore Roosevelt lands in New York a week from next Saturday, he will receive an ovation from his friends and admirers of this and many other states, which promises to eclipse any similar demonstration ever beheld in the metropolis. The general arrangements for the reception are in charge of a committee of which Cornelius Vanderbilt is the chairman and which includes in its membership nearly one thousand of the foremost citizens of the state and City of New York.

Information received by this committee indicates that great things are coming from distant states to join in the vociferous welcome to the former president. The Rough Riders and the Spanish War Veterans will have a prominent part in the day's doings, but that they are not to monopolize the demonstration is evidenced by the fact that numerous other political and patriotic organizations, trade bodies and societies of various kinds are preparing to take part in the affair. The organization of foreign born residents of New York will be much in evidence, including the German, Polish, Italian, French, Greek, Syrian and Japanese clubs.

Railroads have made reduced rates for the occasion, many special trains having been ordered and organizations and individuals from the north and south, the east and west are arranging to join in the grand acclaim. New York hotels, which at best are crowded at this season of the year with the ebb and flow of the early summer excursion tide and tourists bound for Europe, are already besieged with applications for quarters, and the restaurants and cafes along the Great White Way are counting upon reaping a harvest during the few days preceding and following Mr. Roosevelt's arrival home.

American Women's League.

St. Louis, Mo., June 9.—Several thousand women, representing nearly every section of the United States, are in attendance upon the first annual convention of the American Women's League, which opened its three days' session at University City, the headquarters of the league, today. A delegation from Japan is present and will confer with the officers of the league concerning the extension of the league work in Japan. England is also represented by several delegates who have come in the interest of transplanting the league plan to England and Canada.

Many distinguished speakers, among them Governor H. S. Hadley of Missouri, and several of his predecessors in office, are scheduled to address the convention. One of the important duties of the convention will be the nomination of the first state regents.

The league, which was organized fifteen months ago, is rapidly growing into an important organization and has already chapter houses in several cities. Its principal work is the building of a university at University City. All the courses are given by correspondence and are free to each member and her children for life. Honor courses for those passing in competitive examinations are also given, entitling the winners to a year's personal attendance, under salary, at the university itself. The organization is based upon a co-operative plan along business lines and is intended to benefit women in all parts of the country.

"THIS IS MY 54th BIRTHDAY."

Henry U. Mudge.

Henry U. Mudge, president of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway was born in Madison, Mich., June 9, 1856, and received his education in the public schools of Michigan and Kansas. He began his railroad career in 1872, at the age of 16, in the capacity of water carrier to the section hands on the Santa Fe. Since that time some of the positions he has filled are those of telegraph operator, brakeman, baggage man, conductor on freight, passenger and work trains, dispatcher, road master, train master and assistant division superintendent. The last post marked the second stage in Mr. Mudge's upward course. Thence he went to higher and higher positions, each of which required increased ability and versatility. In 1894 he had risen to be general superintendent of the eastern grand division of the Santa Fe. With two more steps he was the general manager. In 1905 Mr. Mudge left his long service with the Santa Fe to accept the vice-presidency of the Rock Island system and continued in that position until elected to the presidency last December.

The displays of Martin's Fireworks, to be given at the lake ball park for four nights, starting Thursday, June 16th, promises to be a revelation to those who have not had the good fortune to visit the exhibitions given at the fairs and expositions. The elaborate effect, the most intricate designs and the most dazzling color effects are produced with remarkable fidelity.

Drummers Boom Prosperity.

New York, June 9.—The annual convention of the New York Grand Council of the United Commercial Travelers' Association, which opened here today at the Manhattan Beach Hotel, has a significance and purpose beyond that of a mere gathering for the transaction of business and a jolly good time of the members and delegates of the big organization, which has a membership of more than 60,000. One of the objects of the convention is to boom the country's prosperity and give expression to the general satisfaction with existing business conditions. It is estimated that fully fifteen thousand traveling men from all parts of the state have invaded New York, and they, as well as the thousands located in New York City and vicinity, will take part in the grand "prosperity parade," which will form the principal feature of the program for next Saturday. The parade, which is to include nearly fifty industrial and allegorical floats, and will be accompanied by scores of music bands, will start from the Battery and march northward through the principal streets of the business district to Manhattan. The feature of tomorrow night will be a monster banquet with speeches by distinguished orators, at the Manhattan Beach Hotel.

To Control Grain Output.

Spokane, Wash., June 9.—Preliminaries have been completed for the consummation of a gigantic plan in which the grain growers of eastern Washington and Oregon, north and central Idaho and western Montana are greatly interested and which is expected to be of great benefit to them by placing them in a position to sell their wheat at the greatest profit by eliminating the middlemen. At a meeting to be held here tomorrow, the Farmers' Warehouse Association of the Inland Empire, controlling approximately forty per cent of the sixty million bushels of wheat annually harvested in the district referred to, will be formally organized under the direction of officers of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America. The immediate object of the plan is to pool the grain growth in this part of the Northwest and sell it in lots of 100,000 bushels and upward, direct to millers and exporters, charging the growers not more than one cent a bushel for handling and marketing the grain.

Notice to Stock Owners.

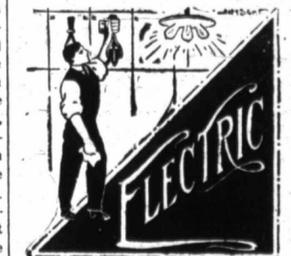
Dr. E. M. Wiggs, Veterinary Surgeon, is now occupying his new quarters in J. G. Gilbert's brick barn, corner of Indiana avenue and Sixth street, where he has ample facilities for the care of sick and injured animals. The hospital ward contains twelve large, roomy box stalls provided with sanitary iron feed boxes and mangers; also a large runway for exercise. Parties wanting Dr. Wiggs, call phone No. 14 for office or No. 430 for residence. Calls answered any time or by night. 18-6c

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 No. 16.—50x150 feet on Ohio avenue, corner, with one-story brick, 50x150; price \$16,500; \$10,000 cash, balance one and two years at 8 per cent.
 No. 17.—50x150 feet on Scott avenue, with 23-room house; price \$10,500; one-half cash; balance at 8 per cent.

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Oklahoma Youngsters "Receive" Admiration at National Capital.

Washington, D. C., June 6.—Bright and early this morning the "Cowboy Kids" hit the trail on the last lap of their 2,000 mile horseback hike. They will travel at a very "moderate rate"—only fifty miles a day.

Today the boys received a letter from their dad, "Cath-em-alive Jack" Abernathy, saying that "Jack" will be in New York on Wednesday and will meet them on Friday at the Breslin hotel.

For two hours Saturday morning Louis and Temple were "at home" to young Washington and dozens of boys and girls of the capital city took advantage of the opportunity to meet them. The little westerners, who have performed such a remarkable feat, were heroes—especially in the eyes of the little misses of Washington. The ranch-bred boys have been a little shy of the fair sex in their stay in Washington, but this morning they devoted themselves exclusively to the girls, whom they taught how to tie a lasso and rope a steer Oklahoma fashion.

Here are some interesting facts about the young equestrians' long hike:

They left Frederick, Okla., on April 18th last and have since been continuously on horseback. They have traversed a dozen states and have traveled, roughly speaking, about 1,775 miles. Their mounts are full-blooded horses. Louis' mount, Sam, was Col. Roosevelt's favorite horse.

The boys' outfits consist of khaki suits, broad-brimmed sombreros and high-topped boots.

The youngsters travel without money; they have a little check book, however, and they tender checks, signed with Louis' signature and Temple's mark, for whatever they purchase. They will accept nothing gratuitously and have already spent about \$1,000 on the trip.

The little riders' have no way of any kind to guide them. They find their way from place to place by making inquiries of passers-by.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

- June 9.
- 1693—Massachusetts legislature accepted a plan for a weekly mail service to Virginia.
- 1732—Royal charter obtained from King George II, "for establishing the colony of Georgia in America."
- 1800—French defeated the Austrians in battle of Monticello.
- 1851—Vigilance committee formed in San Francisco.
- 1862—United States senate decreed the abolition of slavery in all the territories of the Union.
- 1870—Charles Dickens, famous novelist, died. Born Feb. 7, 1812.
- 1872—Comanche Indians massacred the Lee family of seven persons, near Fort Griffin, Texas.
- 1896—The Third Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire met in London.
- 1900—The ministry of Joseph Martin met defeat in the general elections in British Columbia.
- 1904—Levi Z. Leiter, Chicago capitalist and merchant, died. Born Nov. 2, 1834.

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He had been to college, had spent a month in Paris and London, worked in an office eight hours a day and had read parts of Bernard Shaw.

She had some money in her own right and more coming. He had an interest in the business and a father who had retired.

They met. He called. She called him to call again. He did. He said that he loved her, and she replied that she loved him. They told about it to others. They were congratulated—and married. Seven hundred invitations; 400 presents; one column of reading matter.

They bought a house. They lived in it. A baby came. And one more.

He was a prosperous business man. She was a prosperous society woman. She had her picture painted. It was called "A Lady." He had his picture published. It was called "A Prominent Citizen."

The two people who appear in the aforementioned history desire to say that these are the facts in their lives. Every novelist who has written about them has misrepresented these facts—distorted the truth.

They are getting tired of it. They want to have everyone know that they are not the sort of people that (here fill in a list of popular novelists) have written about them. They never did anything extraordinary. They never expect to. An injustice has been done them. We therefore take pleasure in letting the facts about them be known.—Life.

Arkansas Republicans Active.

Little Rock, Ark., June 9.—Representative republicans of Arkansas are rounding up in the capital today for what promises to be the largest and most enthusiastic gathering that the party has held in this state in several years. A congressional convention and a meeting of the republican state league were held today, to be followed tomorrow by the regular state convention, at which plans and candidates will be discussed for the coming state campaign.

Pythian Home Dedicated.

Decatur, Ill., June 9.—The dedication of the Pythian Home here today was witnessed by several thousand visitors from Chicago, Springfield, Bloomington and other cities of the state. The home, which has just been completed at a cost of nearly \$50,000, is designed as a shelter for the Pythian aged and orphans. The dedication exercises were conducted under the auspices of the Illinois grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias.

Fireworks at Lake Wichita.

Arrangements are being made to run special excursions in from several directions and possibly on all the roads, on Sunday June 19, on which night a special program will be given. The big feature for this display will be the Star of Bethlehem. This piece, originated by Marth's Fireworks is one of the most beautiful creations of the pyrotechnic art.

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- (4)—2 vacant lots on Elm St. Each..... 325
- (5)—12-room rooming house on Scott, between 8th and 9th Sts., business section; now rents \$50. (1/2 cash, balance easy) price..... 8500
- (6)—3-room house on Broad; rents \$15 per mo. Price..... 950
- (7)—2 vacant lots on Broad; corner; \$500; inside lot... 400

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CAN'T STAND PUBLICITY.

The resolution of the fire insurance board not to announce the key rates made by the insurance actuary is a virtual confession that the law-made insurance trust can't stand publicity. It makes little difference to the people whether the rates are made by the insurance company or the board, so long as they are permitted to stand. The state board has the power to change them, and so long as the board does not change them they are in effect the state's rating. Under the resolution of the board the people will have no advance information as to what they are to pay for fire insurance, unless the newspapers dig it up for them. So far as the board is concerned, it will take no action which will invite objection before the rates are put into effect, and if the newspapers do not advise the people

what is coming the property owner will not know until he takes out a policy what the rate is to be, and then he will have to pay it or go without insurance until such a time as he can make complaint to the state board.

It seems to us that the board is assuming a very peevish attitude, and is doing precisely the thing to make the fire insurance law more unpopular.

All that aside, the circumstance is another reminder that the whole burden of contest and resistance to the natural greed of fire insurance companies is upon the insured. As we understand the situation the board has no information upon which to base a reduction until complaint is made and proof is offered, and under the ruling of the board there is no opportunity for complaint until the rate actually goes into effect. Commissioner Hawkins and other advocates of the law are fond of comparing it with the railroad commission law, but they are reminded that the railroad commission did not at the outset assume, as the fire board seems to assume, that the whole system of rates was out of joint, and permit the railroads to readjust all their traffic upon a higher level. The railroad commission began by inquiring into rates, by assuming the function of the shipper's not the carrier's representative. The fire insurance board seems to have accepted without question the plea of the companies that rates are too low. It was the railroads that complained of the railroad commission's rate-making views. We have not heard that the insurance companies are in the least apprehensive of the fire rating board's action, nor indeed that the fire rating board has done anything except to make public contentment for the law as if it applied by the fire insurance companies' actuary.

Now it is complacently proposed to have the rates entered at Austin and let the people learn what they are as best they may. "The public be d—d," is the spirit of all trusts, whether privately organized or legally constituted.—Fort Worth Record.

Just about the time some fellow gets it into his head that the town cannot continue to prosper and grow without his efforts and acts just a little that way, he begins to feel something slipping under him. Did you ever have a feeling of that kind? If so, it is well to remember that the world, while it may not have any better men than you, is chuck full and running over with thousands who are just as good, and you can nearly always depend upon it that when you conclude to clog and stop the wheels of progress by withdrawing your influence or support, there will be some man to step in and take the place you once filled—so well, in fact, that you concluded no other man could possibly be equal to the task. So, under such circumstances, it is always best to keep your shirt on, even if some other fellow has managed to catch you napping, with the nether part of your garment at half mast.

The race for lieutenant governor seems to have warmed up very considerably during the past month, and both Davidson and Hawkins have finally come to the conclusion that Thomas, whom both started out to ignore in the campaign, has the inside track so far and that they will have to hustle some between now and July 23 if they expect to beat him. Thomas, to the surprise of many, is taking well with the boys at the forks of the creek.

The race for state senator in this, the 29th district, is a "three-cornered" affair, two of the candidates being from the same county and all claim to be in favor of state-wide prohibition.

It is officially announced from Austin that the state fire rating board will give out no further information as to the key rates established for the various towns, owing to the storm of

criticism and protests which go up from each town, as the rates have heretofore been announced. The only wonder is that anyone of the board will continue to serve in that capacity. The key rates so far established are outrageous, and in many instances, prohibitive. The law is rotten and should be repealed.

EXCHANGE INTERVIEWS.

Straw votes and straw hats are in season. One is recommended to keep the head cool and the other usually has the opposite effect.—Honey Grove Signal.

Cone Johnson's mouth flew open at Franklin and his foot went right into it. He declared that Texas needed another Campbell for governor.—Houston Post.

The great question that is before the people of Texas is "shall we be allowed to elect our own state officers without dictation from Washington?"—Victoria Fact.

The Cotulla Record says the business men of Cotulla are solidly, with perhaps two exceptions, for Davidson. Davidson has made big inroads into Colquitt's anti-vote recently.—Devine News.

The rate for governor is getting extra warm and something is liable to drop at any moment. The race is practically between Davidson and Colquitt and the Col—had just as well quit.—Weatherford Herald.

If you are a patriot and a democrat vote in the primaries—its more important than that at the November election, because it is in the primaries where the work is done that means victory or defeat for your choice.—Alice Echo.

Some of the gubernatorial candidates are saying nice sugary things about each other. Fine and fit. It is doubtful if bouquets would be used, however, if cabbages would serve better for campaign purposes.—Amarillo Panhandle.

The straw votes that are being polled over the state anent the gubernatorial race count for naught. It is a repetition of the act that has been pulled for many years—in every campaign. Straw votes don't count like the official stuff that will be handed in July 23.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

The organs are terribly exercised for fear that in the event Colquitt is nominated the democratic state convention will write a platform not in harmony with his views. Why fret about it? Has he not already declared that he will kick it to pieces in case it does not suit him.—Waxahachie Light.

The Dallas News, on its gubernatorial candidates' page, is running a boxed "where they speak tonight." Now if the contemporary will introduce another borrowed feature from the sporting page and each day furnish a percentage column, showing the "standing of the candidates"—eh, what?—Temple Telegram.

Regardless of whose benefit it insures, the question of submission should be put on the primary ticket again this year to be voted on. While we do not doubt that the anti-submissionists will again have eleven, if indeed, not twelve, senators, submission will carry this time by a still larger majority than in 1908, and the anti-submissionists will be again put on the defensive and, politically, "in the hole."—Denjon Record and Chronicle.

Wheaton College 50 Years Old. Wheaton, Ill., June 9.—Arrangements have been completed for the celebration of the semi-centennial of Wheaton College, which will begin tomorrow and continue until next Wednesday. Alumni and Alumnae of the college have arrived here from all parts of the country to take part in the jubilee of their Alma Mater. The college was established in 1860 and is among the best co-educational institutions on a small scale in this section of the country. Among its alumni are many congregations ministers in the west and other parts of the United States.

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WANTED—Man and wife, without children, on my ranch 2 1/2 miles north of Petrolia. Apply in person. R. H. JOYCE. 23-4c—

WANTED—By young gentleman, a nice spacious room, with private family. Address J. H. B. Care of Times. 22-2tp—

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Buggy, saddle and driving horse. G. C. PATTERSON, at the Texas Wagon Yard. 18-4c—

FOR RENT—Four room house. Apply to Tom Roark, at Exchange Livery Stable. 23-3tp—

FOR SALE—Ripe peaches at T. B. Snyder's place, 1000 Denver avenue. 23-6p—

FOR SALE—Large ice box; brand new; suitable for restaurant or large family. See French at BROWN & CRAN- MER'S. 23-2tp—

FOR SALE—We have a buyer for a good 5 or 6 room modern house in good location at the right price. CHILDERS BROS. 23-3tc—

FOR SALE—Two-burner, Detroit Jew- el gasoline stove, with oven; first-class condition. 1304 12th street. 261-4fdh—

FOR SALE—Car of fresh alfalfa hay at the Texas Wagon Yard. Will deliver to any part of the city. G. C. PATTER- SON. 18-4c—

FOR SALE—Furniture of five room house; three rooms pay rent of house; all rooms rented. Apply 812 Scott avenue. 22-3tp—

FOR SALE—Cheap, good full-blood Jersey cow; dehorned; has butter record of 10 lbs. per week. H. J. BACH- MAN, Vreeland Building, 8th street. 21-5tc—

MISCELLANEOUS.

I buy, sell, rent or exchange electric fans. FRED MAHAFFEY. 290-4c—

STOCK BREEDERS—The McDowell bull will make the season at the Texas wagon yard. 19-4c—

WANTED—TO TRADE.

TO TRADE—Small farm for residence. Box 532, Wichita Falls, Texas. 4-4c—

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Store building at 623 Ohio avenue. SNOODY & THOMPSON, Room 21, Hines building. 312-4c—

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage, 1710 10th street; modern conveniences. Phone 120. 17-4c—

FOR RENT—Barn; close in; accom- modate four horses. Apply to E. B. GORSLINE. 295-4c—

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Trunk key with silver heart attached with initials "L. L. B." on it. Finder please return to Times office. 14-4c—

LOST—Hexagon shaped class pin, en- graved "W. F. H. S. '07." Finder please return to Times office. 22-1tp—

LOST—At the opera house Wednesday night, point lace, white fan; ivory sticks. Finder will please return to Mrs. J. T. Montgomery, 1000 Burnett, and receive suitable reward. 23-1tp—

Notice.

V. E. Stampfli, proprietor of the Cream Bakery wishes to announce that he will have his annual opening tomorrow, and a cordial invitation is extended to all. From two to eight p. m. ice cream, cake and cold drinks will be free to the ladies and chil- dren. 22-4c—

The Wichita Concert Band wishes to announce that it will give a dance on Tuesday night of each week at the Colonnade building at Lake Wichita. Admission, 50 cents per couple. 22-5tc—

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS.

H. H. Perry, a member of the state legislature has entered the race for governor of Georgia.

The Oklahoma capital contest between Guthrie and Oklahoma City will be decided at the special election on June 11.

G. McDuffie Hampton, a son of the famous Gen. Wade Hampton, is a candidate for the position of railroad com- missioner in South Carolina.

Rumors are again in circulation in Washington that Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire may decide to retire at the end of his present term.

For the first time since Oklahoma became a state, the full-blood Cherokee Indians have decided to take part in politics, and will vote at the August primaries.

Des Moines, Sioux City, Keokuk, Cedar Rapids and Burlington, constitu- ting over three quarters of the city population of Iowa, are now govern- ed under the commission plan.

The five-cornered gubernatorial cam- paign now in progress in Texas is fur- nishing the most exciting politics that the Lone Star State has had in many years.

From present indications the voters of Oregon at the coming primary will have a half dozen or more aspirants from which to choose a candidate for governor this year.

Shelby M. Cullom of Illinois, who was eighty years old last November, is the oldest member of the United States senate in point of years and also one of the veterans of the upper house in point of service.

William E. McCue, who was the candidate for mayor of St. Paul in the recent election on the socialist labor ticket, has filed a statement which shows that his total campaign expenses amounted to but thirty cents.

The democratic convention of Wis- consin, when it meets a few weeks hence, will probably do little more than pass upon a platform and dis- cuss available timber for state of- fices without indorsing any individ- ual candidate. This is chiefly due to the fact that there are expected to be several candidates in the field for each office and the ultimate choice will be left for decision in the primaries.

"Mixing Things Up."

John S. Grey in Newspaperdom.

It is not always the uneducated that make "slips of the pen." Sometimes the most palpable errors are made in a hurry by fairly good scholars, and frequently those who know better allow such errors to creep into print without correction. There is no excuse to offer for the following advertisement, however, except that it was clipped from an Irish newspaper:

"Lost—Lost near Tipperary, on or about Tuesday morning last, a large pig. Had no marks on his ears except a short tail, and slight limp in one leg."

The subjoined may have been writ- ten intentionally, but it was "up to" the proof reader to see that the last line was erased or changed in some way:

"Personal—If this should meet the eye of Lewis J. Smith, and he will send his present address to his old home, he will hear something to his advantage. His wife is dead."

There is a strong suspicion that the following was not an accidental type rendering, although it might have passed muster in some composing rooms: "Just received a fine lot of Ostend rabbits. Persons purchasing the same will be skinned and cleaned while they wait."

Here, however, are a whole string of classified advertisements that look as if they were the work of a professional joker. They all come under the head- ing of "mixed matters."

"Wanted—a furnished room for a single gentleman looking both ways and well ventilated."

"Wanted—A good girl to cook and one who will make good roast or broil and will stew well."

"Wanted—A young man to take care of a pair of mules of a Christian dispo- sition."

"Wanted—A laborer and a boy; with grazing for two goats; both Protest- ants."

"Wanted—Nice room by a young man with steam heat."

Deeds Filed For Record—June 8.

(Furnished by the Wichita Abstract Company.)

A. T. Threadgill and wife to W. L. Layne, lots 15 and 16, block 62, Floral Heights; \$383.

J. B. Marlow to A. H. Carrigan, \$2500; one-half interest in the east 50 feet of lots 8, 9 and 10, block 148, city.

Excellent teas at King's. Phone 261. Keep well by using our lemons and grape juice. Phone 261. KING'S. 307-4c—

Some Extra Good Preserved Fruits

It takes exceeding care and excel- lent raw materials to produce goods equal to the following at any price:

PRESERVED PINEAPPLE.—The finest pines that grow; no better qual- ity could be had; put up in just the right way with pure sugar—that's all. But it's mighty good and only 35 cents per jar, and large.

STUFFED DATES.—Each one se- lected for size and quality, thorough- ly cleaned then nut stuffed. 35 cents for a large glass.

FIGS IN MAPLE SYRUP.—Fancy figs, each one large, clean and perfect, put up in pure maple syrup. The com- bination flavor is delicious. 35 cents per glass.

HARDEMAN & ROBERTS

PHONES, 432, 232.

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

DIAMONDS

A store full of Diamond Edge Tools. Every Tool bearing the Diamond Edge Brand. If found defective will be replaced.

We also carry a full assort- ment of solid Wrought, Brass and Cast Bronze finish Hardware. The only store in the city where you can get this class of goods without making a special order.

We can put you up the nicest Sanitary Plumbing for the least money. Let us try.

Maxwell Hardware Co.

721 OHIO AVE.

First National Bank

ESTABLISHED 1884

Will give you all accom- modations consistent with sound banking and will appreciate your pat- ronage :-:- :-:- :-:-

WICHITA FALLS FOUNDRY & MACHINE CO.

Is Prepared to Make All Kinds of

BUILDING CASTINGS

Such as Columns, Lintels, Sills, Ventilators, Iron Stair-Ways, Etc.

PHONE, WRITE OR WIRE US FOR PRICES.

The Word Gibson

stands for the name of the best

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for the least money. In the Gib- son we offer you more value than you will find in any other. We will not receive local shipments to replenish our stock, therefore you had better buy now. Every Gib- son that we sell is a bargain.

Wichita Hardware Co.

Wichita Falls, Texas
804-806 Ohio Avenue

SPECIAL BARGAINS In Business and Resident Lots

18 lots, 50x200 feet, east front, facing Denver Ave. two blocks of car line, ranging in price from \$350 to \$450.

10 lots just north of the Con- vent, 6 blocks from the court house, price \$125 each.

8 lots just this side of Floral Heights, two blocks of car line, lots 50x215 feet, price \$350 each, one-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years 8 per cent interest.

One lot on Scott avenue, lot 50x150, five-room house, price \$6250.

Also some close in business property, brick buildings and va- cant lots.

SEE

J. L. JACKSON

604 7th Street

Phone 274

MIMS' PRODUCE COMPANY

Successors to Filgo's Market

We deliver all purchases amounting to Ten Cents and over, your exact change being returned. Handle first- class Meats and all kinds of Produce.

WE BELONG TO NO TRUST

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WORK OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Roofing, Skylights, Ventilators, Gut- tering and first class Tin Work.

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

LICENSED EMBALMER IN CHARGE

Phone 84

Night and Sunday 225