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## TEXAS COMPANY IN BIG FIGHT

WANTS TO DO BUSINESS IN NEW JERSEY ON PAYMENT OF \$10.

## SEEKS MANDAMUS WRIT

Secretary of State Dickinson Claims That Fee Should Be No Less Than \$12,000.

Publishers' Press. Trenton, Nov. 9.—Application was made before the second branch of the supreme court today by former Attorney General R. H. Carter for a peremptory writ of mandamus compelling Secretary of State Samuel Dickinson to issue a certificate of authority to the Texas Company to do business in New Jersey, up on the payment of the usual fee of \$10 for such certificate.

Dickinson insists that the Texas Company is a Texas corporation and having a capital stock of twelve millions, should pay \$12,000 to do business here. That is the amount Texas would charge a similar corporation from this state for a certificate.

### Central Bank Plan.

Publishers' Press. Kansas City, Nov. 9.—Senator Aldrich in an address here tonight advocated the central bank plan.

### Schooner Sinks.

Publishers' Press. New York, Nov. 9.—Eight lives were lost last night when the schooner, John Bennett, and an unknown vessel sank off Block Island. The victims of the accident were seamen.

## FIRE RAGING IN OIL FIELD

BOLT OF LIGHTNING CAUSES A TANK EXPLOSION.

## FLAMES QUICKLY SPREAD

Estimated That Loss Will Be Over Half Million—Much Crude Oil Destroyed.

Publishers' Press. Beaumont, Texas, Nov. 9.—Destroying an enormous amount of oil and resulting in the loss of many thousands of dollars, a fire, caused by a bolt of lightning, is raging in the oil fields here.

Yesterday during an electrical storm a bolt of lightning struck a tank and set fire to the Gulf Refining company's 55,000 barrel tank of naphtha near Port Arthur. Another bolt hit and set fire to nine oil tanks belonging to the Texas company near Beaumont. The loss will go over a half million dollars, and thousands of barrels of crude oil will be destroyed.

No attempt has been made to stop the fire, as nothing can check it. Many explosions have resulted.

### Forest Fires.

Publishers' Press. Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 9.—Heavy rains that are falling in the Unaka mountains in Tennessee are checking the forest fires that have been raging for several days.

The fires have been raging all over the grassy and underbrush regions, destroying very much property.

Since the heavy rains started falling in the mountains water is pouring down on the low lands and the fires are smoldering in many places instead of blazing in fury.

Mrs. Taft Boss. Publishers' Press. London, Nov. 9.—In an address today, Marie Corelli, the novelist, said Mrs. Taft was the real president of the United States. She claims that Mrs. Taft really directs the affairs of this country, her husband merely carrying out her dictates.

### Drops Dead.

Publishers' Press. London, Nov. 9.—While helping King Edward celebrate his sixtieth birthday at Sandringham Tuesday, Hon. Montague, a guest, who was shooting quail with the king, dropped dead. Heart failure was the probable cause of his demise.

## NEWSPAPERS IN CRUSADE

OPPOSED TO PRIVATE TESTIMONY IN DIVORCE MATTERS.

## RESULT OF ASTOR CASE

Pointed Out That the Rich Should Not Enjoy Privileges Not Granted to the Poor.

Publishers' Press. New York, Nov. 9.—A crusade against secret divorces has been started by the newspapers in New York. In the Astor divorce case the newspaper men were not only prevented from hearing any of the testimony, but after the divorce had been granted the papers were sealed and placed in safe keeping.

The papers point out that the rich are no more entitled to have the "secret sessions" in court than the poor, and the demand is made that in the future all trials of this kind be "open."

## STEINHEIL CASE NEARING CLOSE

NEWSPAPER MAN FROM AMERICA PROVES AN ALIBI.

## TESTIMONY OF JEWELER

Tells of Transaction Where Defendant Transferred Jewelry Belonging to Husband.

Publishers' Press. Paris, Nov. 9.—Most of the evidence having been given the famous Steinheil case is nearing a close. No new developments were brought out at today's session, and the trial was also devoid of anything sensational. The attendance, though, was even larger than that of the day before, the interest becoming keener each day.

M. Soullouy, a jeweler, was the most important witness placed on the stand today. He told of Madam Steinheil transferring jewels that belonged to her husband, Adolph Steinheil.

He declared that Madam Steinheil is a woman of remarkable influence, and as an example of her power recalled the fact that she had secured his release from the military service.

The American newspaper man, Burdgham, pointed out by Madam Steinheil shortly after her arrest as one of the murderers, assumed the witness chair today and proved an alibi.

### Auto Record.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 9.—A new mark was reached in the world's automobile speed record today when Lewis Strong drove his two hundred horse power Piatt machine a mile in 57.7 seconds over the Atlanta speedway.

## NAGEL PREDICTS GREAT PROSPERITY FOR TEXAS

Returns to Washington, After Having Made a Trip Through This, His Home State.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Great prosperity is predicted for Texas by Secretary of Commerce and Labor Charles Nagel, who returned today from a visit to that state. Texas is the birthplace of Mr. Nagel, and, according to a statement made by him today, that state will soon see a more prosperous era than has ever been known.

### FAMILY ROW.

Deputy Sheriff Shoots a Man and is Arrested.

Breaux Bridge, La., Nov. 9.—As the culmination of a desperate feud which has existed between two families, Taylor Paspit, Sr., was shot and killed this morning by Deputy Sheriff Champagne, who has been placed under arrest.

Excitement prevails throughout this section over the affair.

## WATER AND SEWERAGE FOR CANYON CITY

Bids to the Amount of \$25,000 Have Been Voted and Are Now Offered for Sale.

Publishers' Press. Canyon City, Tex., Nov. 9.—Having been awarded the West Texas Normal, Canyon City is to make good its promise to install an up-to-date water and sewerage system. Mayor Haney has advertised for sealed bids on \$25,000 worth of five per cent 20 to 40-year optional sewer and water bonds. The bids will be opened Nov. 20. Canyon City is making rapid strides and will soon be numbered among the largest cities in West Texas.

### Backing Gompers.

Publishers' Press. Washington, Nov. 9.—In an effort to prevent Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison from serving their sentence in jail, the American Federation of Labor is planning a defense, which it will present in an appeal to the United States supreme court for clemency.

Weather. Publishers' Press. Washington, Nov. 9.—Weather forecast: Eastern Texas partially cloudy; Western Texas generally clear and warmer.

### MURDER.

Charter Beaver, a Negro, Arrested on Charge of Killing A. M. Wash.

Special to The Press-News. Dallas, Nov. 9.—Charter Beaver, a negro, was today arrested charged with the murder of A. M. Wash, white, who, with John Lee and son, was held and beaten by a negro a week ago. Lee testified against Beaver. Wash was killed with a gas pipe.

## SOUTH POLE NOW FOR COM. PEARY

WITHIN FIVE YEARS HE WILL UNDERFAKE THIS TRIP.

## POSITIVE ANNOUNCEMENT

Expedition Will Be Financed By the Peary Arctic Club—Wants More Gold Medals.

Publishers' Press. Washington, Nov. 9.—Commander Robert E. Peary, recently awarded a gold medal for his dash toward the North Pole, is to make a further attempt at discovery. He stated positively today that within five years he will be engaged in a search for the South Pole. This expedition will be financed by the Peary Arctic Club.

### Buried.

Publishers' Press. Peking, Nov. 9.—The body of the late Dowager Empress of China was buried today.

## HIGHER CABLES BOOST COTTON

MARKET OPENS 10 TO 15 POINTS HIGHER THAN MONDAY.

## PATTEN ADVISES FRIENDS

Believing Price Will Advance to 15 Cents—Stocks Open Strong, but Trading Slumps at Close.

Publishers' Press. New York, Nov. 9.—Higher cables helped the cotton market today and somewhat restored prices. The market opened 10 to 15 points higher.

Reports from Chicago said James A. Patten predicts 18-cent cotton and is advising all of his friends to buy. The southern spot market was irregular, but the bulls forced up prices in the last half hour.

Exports for the day reached 13,187 bales. Spots 14.65. Liverpool spots quiet at 7.54d.

### Stocks.

Publishers' Press. New York, Nov. 9.—The stock market opened rather strong, with Amalgamated Copper the feature of the day. Pennsylvania was the only railroad stock that did not show a substantial gain. Reading opened half a point higher. Cables contained selling orders, with good demand for Missouri Pacific, Southern Pacific and Atchison. Wells-Fargo advanced 27 points. Government bonds unchanged; others irregular. Call money 4 1/2 to 5 per cent.

## ROOSEVELT FOR SEAT IN SENATE

MOVEMENT STARTS SUDDENLY; MEETS WITH GREAT FAVOR.

## TEDDY DOESN'T KNOW

Is Busily Engaged in Chasing Animals and Has Not Been Advised of New Turn of Affairs.

Publishers' Press. New York, Nov. 9.—Ex-President Roosevelt is being boomed for a seat in the senate and as a successor of Dewey of New York. The movement, although just started, is rapidly gaining in favor, and those who are taking an active part in it are already predicting success.

But Col. Roosevelt, who is still chasing wild animals in Africa, is entirely unopinionated of what is taking place, and although it is hardly probable, it may be that he will decline the office.

### Buffalo Bill.

Publishers' Press. New York, Nov. 9.—Buffalo Bill was a spectator at the horse show tonight.

### Urge Curtailment.

Publishers' Press. Berlin, Nov. 9.—In order that the predicted rise in the price of raw cotton may be prevented the German Association of Spinners issued a circular today to all mills, urging the curtailment of yarn production. Many of the mills are assisting in the curtailment.

## GOOD SPEECH GREAT CROWD

SAME OLD STORY APPLIES TO TAFT'S VISIT TO WILMINGTON.

## TRIP IS SOON TO END

Returns to Washington Nov. 21. President Remembered King Edward of England.

Publishers' Press. Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 9.—President Taft has almost reached the end of his journey. After about twelve more days he will go to the white house and resume his executive duties. He spent Tuesday at Wilmington and made a speech. He was greeted by a very large crowd. His speech was loudly cheered, and with a happy smile he left the stand and boarded the train for Richmond, where he will spend Wednesday.

Wednesday night President Taft will rush to Washington to attend to some particular business but will remain there only twenty-four hours. He leaves for Middleton, Conn., to spend Thursday. Next Monday he goes to New Haven. On the 19th he goes to Norfolk, Va.; 20th to Hampton, and returns to Washington on the 21st, when his belting the country ends.

### Thoughtful.

Publishers' Press. Washington Nov. 9.—President Taft, though away from the white house and having an enjoyable time, remembered that King Edward of England had reached the anniversary of his birth today. He sent a long cablegram to the king, congratulating him and wishing many more long years of happiness.

### Davidson Resigns.

Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—President A. J. Davidson of the St. Louis & San Francisco railway company, resigned this afternoon.

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STRANGE REVELATIONS.

The most startling information that has yet come from the investigation of the affairs of the state penitentiary system now in progress, beyond doubt is the testimony of Assistant Financial Agent Guinn and ex-Financial Agent J. W. Wright, relative to the financial methods of the system.

The testimony of Mr. Guinn was to the effect that in October, 1907, he could not get money to meet his payroll from the financial agent, and that notwithstanding the fact the payroll was due and payable on November 15, it was December before the funds were forthcoming.

Now then, follow the correlated testimony. In October, 1907, Financial Agent Wright, who at that time was president of the Citizens National Bank of Tyler, drew from the state treasury \$45,000 in money. At the time this money was drawn from the state treasury the financial atmosphere was murky with stressfulness.

During the first part of November, 1907, money was tighter than a drum head. For about three weeks actual cash was a commodity so scarce that it was almost a novelty. Yet \$45,000 was available for use by the financial agent of the state penitentiaries and the financial agent was president of a bank in which the governor of the state of Texas owned \$15,000 worth of stock, carrying with it, of course, a corresponding ownership in its other assets.

This is but one strange fact that has been developed. The other is the manner that smacks strongly almost of a public scandal in which the iron industry and the state railroad got entangled. It would appear from the published testimony that the iron industry was mulcted of its funds that the state railroad could be constructed. The state railroad, it should be remembered, is built in a section of Texas where the natural inducements are so trivial that it would indeed be a hard matter to induce private capital to engage in such an enterprise.

West Texas should also bear in mind that all these good things are going to East Texas. Tyler is in Smith county. Smith county is in East Texas and is the home of the "Tyler Gang," and also of as shrewd and skillful politicians as ever masqueraded as statesmen. The state railroad is built through East Texas. It has been East Texas votes and East Texas politicians who have put laws upon the statute books of Texas that are a standing barrier against the rapid development of the West, and which have held Texas back for fifteen years.

Let's keep the record straight. Let's don't be afraid to strike out with the truth. In a short time the siren song will soon be heard in West Texas in an attempt to lull the people of God's own section of this state into a state of false security. It's squarely up to us. We must not falter. We must not fail.

WE MUST DO IT.

Napoleon once declared there was no such word as fail in the French language.

Napoleon became great because until the hour of his fall of destiny arrived he seized the opportunity that lifted him to higher things.

It is not luck that wins life's battles. It's pluck. Pluck and work and courage and opportunity will conquer all things that hulk an endeavor can conquer.

The western section of this state at this time needs to gird her loins with her own spirit and to fasten the determination of the West upon the shield arm. Then with the spear of righteousness obstacles that have been conceived in ignorance and reared in

deceit will fade as fades the bloom of youth from the maiden's cheeks with Father Time's demands that its toll be paid in haggard looks.

The West Texas Development Congress that meets in San Angelo on December 6 next, is the means at the command of the people of the West to unite in their efforts to dispel the clouds that come from either malice or lack of light. You owe it to your own self respect; you owe it to your neighbors; you owe it to your children, to give this movement your moral support and your most energetic aid.

This congress can be made the power for doing great good in the West. But no congress, no convention, no organization, is better than the people who compose it. To achieve the proper results people of determined force and unswerving will power fixed and singled upon a desire to do unto others as they would have others do unto them, must aid and assist in making this congress a power.

The times are ripe for concerted action. The fields are ready for the reapers. There must be no lack of workers. There must be no turning back. The whole West is vitally concerned and the whole West ought to take up the cry and ring it until the hills echo and the valleys reverberate.

THE WHY OF IT.

State Press of the Dallas News makes the following observation:

San Angelo Press-News: Abilene knows a good thing when she sees it. Abilene knows that the West Texas Development congress is a good thing for West Texas, and Abilene is a hustling and energetic part of West Texas, too. Abilene has taken her place as one of the real influences behind this movement. San Angelo welcomes her sister city to the full enjoyment of the honors that are in store for those who aid in making this congress a success. The Lord helps those who help themselves. The story of golden apples dropping in the laps of those who sleep beneath the apple tree is a pretty yarn, but unfortunately only a fable. Put your shoulder to the wheel. Take your place in the ranks of the lifters. Don't be a leaker. We can't lift ourselves by pulling on our bootstraps, but we can at least make conditions fit more closely to our needs if we pull hard enough and all pull together.

State Press doesn't know with particularity what this West Texas Development congress proposes to do—or, rather, how it intends to go about it. But he is for it, if his conception of its mission is correct. West Texas has been coming fast the last three or four years, but it has been coming chiefly under its own momentum, and its speed can be accelerated by a little organized effort. Its conditions are in many respects peculiar to itself. Its industrial, political and social problems call for the skill of specialists, and that skill will be got only by organized study and effort.

For the benefit of State Press The Press-News begs to say that the West Texas Development congress has a mission in consonance with its name. It seeks, or will seek, to promote the material welfare of West Texas. State Press can not be blind to the fact that even in our own state at places the ignorance regarding West Texas is not only appalling but astounding.

For instance during the last session of the Thirty-first legislature a state officer, in addressing committees of the legislature, inferentially—and not so all-fired inferentially, either—declared that West Texas is peopled with a preponderance of land thieves, and so overwhelming was this sentiment that the courts, reflecting the temper of the people, would not dispense equal and exact justice. This is a gross libel. Then again, West Texas has problems that are perplexing and that must be solved, of which the people of East Texas know nothing, and in the absence of knowledge can not act with intelligence, even though the inclination to act honestly is a consuming passion.

West Texas is not an arid waste, as many have preached. West Texas is not a land of outlawry, as many preach. West Texas is not the haven of the criminal class, as many preach. But West Texas is a growing section, making headway with the handicaps ignorance places on things that ignorance attaches itself to. It is to remove this ignorance that the West Texas Development congress has been called. This congress will skin partisan and personal politics like the wise bass shuns the fly, but of those political subjects that are of economic import, rather than political, will be freely and candidly discussed and freely and candidly agreed upon. It's a good thing—this congress; push it along.

WOMEN TAKE ACTIVE PART

Publishers Press. Macon, Ga., Nov. 4.—While many other great Southern cities have been perceiving with pleasure the visits of President Taft, the city of Macon has been patient and calmly waiting, for she knew her time was approaching. Today it came and Macon was the scene of beautiful decorations. The entire city was embellished with drappings, bunting and hanging pictures of the president.

Taft was escorted by hundreds to the home of Congressman Bartlett, where he took breakfast, and spent a few hours of recreation. At the request of the chief executive, women took a prominent part in all the festivities of the day. They proved to be very worthy entertainers and enhanced the pleasantness of the day's features.

Macon had a great fair in course and naturally the fair attenders would have felt slighted if Wm. H. had not gone out and made the man-address. He did so and it was amid thunders of applause that he made his stirring speech. The president enjoyed the lineaments of the fair and took his departure with a happy smile. Governor Brown of Georgia, and many other prominent men left with Taft for Savannah at 6:30 o'clock tonight.

Refuses Knockout Drink.

Publishers Press. Savannah, Nov. 4.—At the banquet tonight, Taft refused to drink the famous Chatham Artillery Punch. Once President Arthur drank some and had to spend three days on a warship to recuperate. Admiral Dewey was knocked out two days by a drink of it some years ago.

REMINDER.

Special to The Press-News. Austin, Nov. 4.—Some Texas railroads have failed to comply with the regulation requiring them to report monthly the gross receipts and operating expenses, according to an order issued today by the railroad commission. All roads are reminded to make prompt reports.

FAMOUS COURT HELD UNSAFE

Publishers Press. New York, Nov. 4.—New York's million dollar criminal court building has been declared unsafe. The walls are cracking and the old structure is showing other signs that indicate that it has seen its best days.

In this building some of the most sensational and noted cases in the world have been tried. It was within the walls of this court room that the Harry Thaw trial was conducted; it was here that the pretty Evelyn told her life's history, explaining how she met Stanford White and relating as best she could the account of the awful night she spent in his studio.

Pretty and dashing Nan Patterson also faced the judge in this famous old court room. Nan was charged with killing Caesar Young, a book-maker. Roland Molineaux, whose case was nothing short of sensational, had his trial here also.

RUBBER.

Publishers Press. Trenton, N. J., Nov. 4.—Merging two great rubber companies, the International and the Continental, papers were filed with the secretary of state of New Jersey today. The company has an authorized capital of \$40,000,000. Among those interested in the company are Senator Aldrich, Paul Morton, Daniel Guggenheimer, S. R. Guggenheimer and Allen Ryan, son of Thomas F. Ryan.

INSPECTION.

Thursday morning Col. H. H. Embry, assistant roadmaster of the Texas division of the Orient, arrived in the city from Sweetwater. Mr. Embry has not been in Sweetwater very long, however. No special business brought him to San Angelo, at least, that is the way he put it. "I only came down inspecting the road between San Angelo and Sweet-

water," he said. "I find it in prime condition. Of course, the roadbed in some places is a little rough, but that is due to the fact that it has not settled yet. It will not be long, however, till we will have one of the finest roads in Texas along this part of the Orient."

While Col. Embry was coming to San Angelo he was busily engaged in distributing circulars to section foremen. The papers were instructions to the men as to some work that he wanted done.

It was natural that Col. Embry should say a few good things about San Angelo before he left.

"There are many pretty and growing cities along the Orient, but I can positively say that San Angelo is far beyond any of them. "The business here is marvelous. The growth of the town is wonderful. I was here about five years ago on business, and there was no such buildings on the main street as are there now. It was a fine town and a growing one, but I had no idea that it would ever increase like it has."

NOVEMBER RUSH OF HOMESEEKERS

FULLY TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND EXPECTED THIS MONTH.

Rock Island Special of Ten Coaches Brought Four Hundred to Fort Worth Thursday.

Fort Worth, Nov. 4.—Conservative estimates made today by Fort Worth railroad officials place the November rush of Northern homeseekers at 25,000 persons.

A special Rock Island train of ten coaches brought 400 here today. The Texas & Pacific and International & Great Northern railroads carried them west and southwest.

Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abstract & Title Company's report of real estate transfers recorded November 4:

F. R. Young et al to J. D. Hassell, \$500. Conveys lots 1, 2 and 3, in block 93, Angelo Heights addition.

L. L. Andrews to M. T. Porter, \$1968.75. Conveys 123 acres out of survey 2, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. and 2 acres out of E. end of Cary White survey.

H. A. Halbrook et al to W. J. Fisher, \$2000. Conveys 50 acres survey 1633, Ang. Wolfshohl.

J. F. Ainsworth to H. L. Anderson, \$300. Conveys lots 10, 11 and 12, in block 140, Angelo Heights addition.

H. J. Revel to H. Gilbert, \$400. Conveys 1 acre out of survey 326, George Schubitz.

J. R. Phillips et al to Jno. F. Webster, \$110. Conveys lot 6 in block 2, Eckert's addition.

L. N. Snow et ux to D. W. Moore, Jr., \$1500. Conveys lots 6 and 7, in block 48, Lasker's addition.

S. W. Bookers to R. F. Lane, \$2500. Conveys lot 14 in block 62, Ft. Concho addition.

D. W. Moore, Jr., et ux to J. C. Snow, Jr., \$1250. Conveys lots 6 and 7, in block 48, Lasker's addition.

Sidney Smith to W. P. Humphrey, \$1751. Conveys lots 6 and 7 and N. 1-2 of 8 in block 14, Park Heights addition.

Heinrich Schroeder to J. G. Preusser, \$150. Conveys lot 9 and N. 1-2 of lot 8, in block 57, Angelo Heights addition.

HILLSBORO BAR ENDORSES CLARK

Special to The Press-News. Hillsboro, Nov. 4.—George Clark of Waco, former attorney general of Texas, was endorsed by the Hillsboro Bar association this afternoon for appointment to the United States supreme court, succeeding the late Justice Rufus W. Peckham.

Clark was defeated for governor of Texas in 1892 by James Stephen Hogg.

Daughters to Meet.

Delegates to the state convention, which meets in Brownwood in the first week in December, will be elected at a meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy to be held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the Elks club room. At this meeting a report will be made by Mrs. Geo. Rusk, who has returned from the convention at Houston.

BIBLE TAUGHT IN STATE PEN

MISS WILKERSON TELLS OF WORK ENDEAVORERS ACCOMPLISH.

GOOD PROGRESS MADE

President Beeman of Y. P. S. C. E. De-livers Address Dealing With the Work in General.

Sunday Morning.

9:30—All Endeavorers at Sunday school. 11—Endeavor sermons at First Presbyterian and Harris Avenue Presbyterian churches.

Sunday Afternoon.

3—A model C. E. prayer meeting, led by Dr. Farris. Subject, "Life Lessons from the Book of Hebrews." Heb. 12:1-7.

1:45—A Step Forward.

Sunday Evening.

7:30—Prayer and praise service, led by A. A. Wynne.

8—Address, "What Christian Endeavor Stands For," Callin W. Yates.

Closing consecration service, Carl Beeman.

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Opening the devotional service Saturday evening at the second day's session, of the convention of the Brownwood district Christian Endeavor, W. S. Robertson made a short talk on who and why more time should be spent in the worship of God. He was brief in his talk, but brought out some very acute points.

"What the State Union of Christian Endeavor is Doing in All Its Departments," which came under three subjects, "Quiet Hour," "Prison Work" and "Junior and Intermediate," was discussed by Miss Tyler Wilkerson, field secretary of the Texas Christian Endeavor union. The "Quiet Hour," a department of the Christian Endeavor work, was explained first. She put particular stress on the claim that about fifteen minutes each day should be spent in prayer and Bible study.

"By this means," she said, "one can become more familiar and interested in the Christian Endeavor work. Mrs. L. T. Stone of Livingston, Texas, who has been state superintendent of prison work for about ten years, visits the state prisons twice each year. She investigates the conditions of the prisoners and teaches the inmates about Christian Endeavor work.

Through this method she has caused many of the prisoners to become Christians. They are doing religious work in the penitentiaries which is becoming very essential to the prisoners, as they are learning more about how to worship and praise God. The work is being carried on in many other states and is proving to be equally as beneficial and successful."

President Beeman.

State President of the Christian Endeavor society, Carl Beeman, outlined the work that is being done and proposed by the union. He also explained the purpose and need of the work. "Good Citizenship," "Missionary" and "Tenth Legion" and "The Quarter Century Memorial Building" were the subjects that he talked on.

Under the missionary work came three very important heads—"Mission Study Class," "Missin Meetings" and "Mission Life."

"The mission study classes are the most essential features of missionary work," he said.

"To grasp the idea and importance of missionary work one must study the old, old story, told times without number and repeated over and over again for the last 36 years, but it is always a welcome story to those in search of health—There is nothing in the world that cures coughs and colds as quickly as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold by all dealers.

MUSINGS OF EDITOR ORIENT MAGAZINE

Predicts That San Angelo Will Experience Greater Growth Than Los Angeles—Orient to Help.

"There is eternally something new under the sun," remarked Fred G. Hollman, advertising agent for the Orient, and editor of the new Orient Magazine, Saturday night at the Landon hotel.

Commenting on the character of towns visited during years of travel, Mr. Hollman added: "The man who runs around a great deal becomes particularly sensitive to impressions, particularly first impressions. For example he observes signs of growth and progress at a glance that residents of a certain city have grown accustomed to. Now, I have covered something like 200,000 miles on this continent in a newspaper capacity, but of all the towns visited San Angelo takes the palm with me in outward, earnest expression. I mean" (and the Orient man grew reminiscent) "the expression of people who fully realize that a great industrial and social future is bound to reward their efforts. Twenty years ago Los Angeles people talked in a vein that much reminds me of the attitude of the people here. They knew in their hearts that a wonderful future was opening up for them. And what have they done? Simply, their city has grown twelve-fold. My guess and belief is that San Angelo will beat that record in half the time. And," added the editor modestly, "I believe the Orient railway will materially help in achieving such lofty ends."

TAFT PLAYS TO FARMERS

GIVES THEM CREDIT FOR REPEATEDLY SAVING COUNTRY.

SHOWS SIGNS OF FATIGUE

While En Route to Augusta He Makes Short Speeches at Several Small Stations.

Publishers Press.

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 6.—President Taft, considerably tired and greatly fatigued, arrived here tonight from Columbia, S. C., where he made a speech this afternoon. In his Columbia speech he handed out large packages of 18-karat praise to the farmers of the country and he wasn't the least stinted in giving the men who till the soil all sorts of credit for repeatedly saving the country.

The president and his party, which, of course, forever includes the irrepressible Capt. Archie Butt, aide, left Charleston, S. C., early this morning. The president also frankly declares that he had a most enjoyable time while in Charleston, although he used the word "charming" in referring to it.

On the way to Augusta the president made short talks at Orangeburg, Summerville and St. George. He was accompanied by Gov. Ansell, his personal military staff, the latter being begowned almost as gorgeously as Capt. Archie Butt himself and by Senator Tillman. Senator Tillman, by the way, declares that Taft has a keener understanding of the problems that confront the South than any man who has been in the presidential chair since the war. What Senator Tillman thinks about President Roosevelt while capable of being expressed with great directness, is not permitted to be sent through the mails. The market friendly interest he is taking in President Taft stands in sharp contrast as to excite comment.

Too Costly.

Publishers Press. Augusta, Ga., Nov. 6.—Tillman would not pay a \$10 subscription and consequently wasn't a guest at the luncheon for Taft at the Columbia today.

PACKING HOUSE.

E. L. Smith, representing the Dold Packing Company, of Wichita, Kan., arrived in the city Friday afternoon. He came here on regular routine business, "selling hams," as he put it.

"I have nothing to give out about the packing house branch that is to be established here, further than that it is going to be put in soon, and from all I can judge, it will be in operation about February 1.

"Mr. McCoy told me some time ago that he had been negotiating with Mr. O'Brien, of the Orient, for a site. As to whether he secured the site, I cannot say. I rather think he did."

Auto Show.

Publishers Press. Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 6.—The First National Automobile Show ever held in the South opened here today. A large number of automobile men is present.



# PROHIBITIONISTS IN COOKE COUNTY MAKE GAME FIGHT

### REVIVE OLD ISSUE BY TAKING CASE TO THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS.

## CONGREGATING OF ELECTION PRECINCTS

### Object is to Gradually Sew Up County in Local Option—Courts Have Ruled For and Against.

Publishers Press. Fort Worth, Nov. 6.—The constitutionality of congregating forsaken precincts in Cooke county for the purpose of holding local option elections will be tested in a suit filed here this afternoon in the court of civil appeals by the prohibitionists of Gainesville against William Schwarz.

This is the renewal of a fight that started in Cooke county about six years ago. The prohibitionists have been setting aside certain parts of the county in precincts, by this method gradually sewing up the county in local option. At one time about six years ago seven of these precincts voted dry. Following the election the court of criminal appeals held that the combination of these precincts for election purposes was unconstitutional. On the other hand the Texas supreme court recently ruled adversely in a similar case.

As a result of this latter decision the Gainesville suit has been filed, and the matter is now to be threshed out.

# CONE JOHNSON ON THE STUMP

### HOLDS PLATFORM PLEDGES BINDING—VOTERS' RIGHTS.

## SPEAKS AT TERRELL

### Heard by Audience of 800—Touches Prohibition Issue With Ungloved Hands.

Special to The Press-News. Terrell, Tex., Nov. 6.—In a speech here today Hon. Cone Johnson, gubernatorial candidate, declared in favor of the submission of a constitutional amendment and said the voters have a right to demand the opportunity to change the constitution, either through a primary or a convention. He agreed with Bryan and Governor Campbell that platform pledges are binding and defended statutory prohibition.

This is the home of Railroad Commissioner Colquitt and in a strong prohibition section and county, Johnson's friends here admit that "Little Oscar" is the strongest opponent that Bonham has, but they are confident that Colquitt can not carry this his home county in the coming contest.

There were 800 people present to hear Johnson this afternoon. The size of the crowd was most pleasing to the Tyler statesman, and he opened his address by declaring his confidence in carrying this county in the forthcoming election, which declaration was the signal for a generous salvo of applause.

He indulged in a prohibition sermon for about fifteen minutes that caused many of the old-timers to recall Mrs. Zehner and other noted prohibition orators who in days gone by made the welkin ring and the tears flow down the cheeks as they would assail the citadels of strong drink.

Johnson is in good voice and declares that he is feeling physically fit to make the race of his life.

FOR SALE—The east half of block 29, Ang. Heights, for \$650. The best buy in the city. See J. J. Sheppard, the snap dealer.

# VALET GIVES SOME SPICY TESTIMONY

### RECALLS JUST LOTS OF LIVE INCIDENTS THAT OCCURRED IN STEINHEIL HOME.

## DEFENDANT CALLS HIM GRAND LIAR

### She Asks That He Be Remanded for Telling Things That Are Not So. The Judge Calmly Refuses.

Publishers Press. Paris, Nov. 6.—Madam Steinheil did not go on the stand here today in the case wherein she is charged with having strangled her husband and stepmother in order that she could marry a wealthy merchant, but the valet of the murdered husband was on the stand during the entire day.

This valet gave some damaging testimony to the woman. He stated that immediately after the dead bodies had been discovered Madam Steinheil went to the telephone and chatted and joked with friends. Her whole demeanor, he testified, was that of a moral pervert who either didn't realize what she was doing or else didn't care.

Madam Steinheil, with true French traits, constantly interrupted the witness. She called him, among other things, a liar and a thief. He took it all calmly, as did the court. The court declined the demand of the defendant made, as she stated, in the name of sacred justice, that the witness be remanded for lying. Every one except Madam Steinheil and her adherents seemed to greatly enjoy the testimony of the valet, who told of just lots of spicy incidents in the Steinheil household.

### Arizona Wins.

El Paso, Nov. 6.—Douglas, Ariz., won the baseball tournament here today by defeating the Socorro, N. M., team. El Paso won second place.

### Bidding.

Paris, Nov. 6.—Kid McCoy, the American fight promoter, offers 250,000 francs for the Johnson-Jeffries fight.

### Foxy.

Geneva, Nov. 6.—A nun who arrived at Annemasse, on the French frontier, by train from here, passed the Customs without being questioned by the officials. As she was leaving the room, however, she dropped some cigars and was searched. In the folds of her gown were found numerous pockets filled with choice cigars to the number of twelve dozen. She was arrested, but as she had not been asked to make a declaration, there was technically no fraud, and she was discharged. She will, nevertheless, have to pay a heavy duty or lose her cigars.

# SPANISH SOLDIERS RENEW CAMPAIGN

### Gen. Marina Asserts That He Will Be Able to Drive Moors to Capitulation.

Publishers Press. Melilla, Morocco, Nov. 6.—Sixteen thousand Spanish soldiers today started a new and still more aggressive campaign against the ruffians of Morocco. Gen. Marina declares that with this force he will either drive the Moors to capitulation or he will exterminate them.

### IN NEW YORK.

### William Hemphill Recalls Incidents of Recent Trip.

"Little old New York can go all right in the vernacular of the slang artists, but for me 'is dear old San Angelo,' muses William Hemphill, as he reflects on his last trip to Gotham.

am. "In New York every one is in an unnatural existence. About all that can be seen these days are tunnel sights—which includes crowds, electric lights and swishing electric trains, tall buildings and elevated cars. New York is too blooming long to permit one to use surface cars and it's too far between points worth going to to enable one to see anything while travelling from spot to spot.

"And then in New York one doesn't feel the same sort of welcome that's as common here as ticks are in the candy sections. When you hear a New Yorker say 'Glad to see you,' you can tell by the genuflections of his voice just how much he expects to make off you. If the pickings look large his welcome will have a sounding board tone to it, but if he thinks you are merely one of the Hotsam and Jetsam of life into New York for a pleasure trip, you will have to use an ear trumpet to catch the real thing in his welcoming.

"Oh, yes, while away I bought a big stock of spring goods and the lines in New York now are good to look upon. Incidentally there are literally thousands upon thousands of buyers there from all sections of this country, and if a romping big business is not done next spring and summer, a whole lot of people are going to be badly disappointed."

# COL. T. R. HAS JUNGLE FEVER

### PAPERS IN NEW YORK AND ROME PUBLISH STATEMENT.

## DENIED BY CABLEGRAM LEAVES IN AFTERNOON

### News From Africa is to the Effect That Former President is Not on Trail of Big Game.

Publishers Press. Paris, Nov. 6.—That Col. Theodore Roosevelt, who is now in Africa killing the larger specie of fauna, is suffering from jungle fever has been printed in papers here and in Rome. Col. Ted has received all sorts of calamities, according to the newspapers, during the week. Once they had him killed, and now he is only ill. The death of the ex-president has been officially denied, and Roosevelt is reported to be still shooting the Nairobi Regions, while his son is getting a life size photograph of the deeds.

### False.

Publishers Press. New York, Nov. 6.—A cablegram was received here tonight from Nairobi, British East Africa, to the effect that all reports about Roosevelt's illness are without foundation.

### Self Defense.

Special to The Press-News. Paris, Nov. 8.—John Antone shot and wounded James Monk today near Blossom. Antone surrendered to officers here. He contends that he shot in self defense when Monk attacked him with a knife.

### Football.

Friday is the day when the San Angelo High School football team goes up against the Ballinger squad. Those two teams are well matched in size and playing, and from all indications there is to be one of the raciest football games of the season.

### STRIKERS.

#### Bollermakers at Tyler Return to Work as Per Order of President of Union.

Special to The Press-News. Tyler, Tex., Nov. 3.—The bollermakers, who struck for a wage increase of two cents per hour with a contract, at the Cotton Belt shops here, returned to work today at the instance of President Adams, of the Bollermakers' Union.

### At Palm Beach.

Publishers Press. Palm Beach, Nov. 4.—Richard Croker arrived here today to spend the winter.

# Y. P. S. C. E.

### Convention Closes, Blanket Being Selected for Next Meeting Place.

Closing the Christian Endeavor meeting in San Angelo, Rev. Dr. C. W. Yates delivered an address on "What Christian Endeavor Stands For."

This assembly lasted three days, beginning with Friday night and closing Sunday.

In the address made by Dr. Yates the main elements of Christian Endeavor work were explained.

"First," he said, "Christian Endeavor stands for Christian culture and development of the individual. Second, for personal evangelism; third, world-wide evangelism; fourth, denominational loyalty; fifth, inter-denominational loyalty; sixth, all moral reforms."

Dr. Yates illustrated the importance and value in teaching these subjects, and told wherein a person would become more familiar with the principles of Christianity, if he were better acquainted with these parts of Christian Endeavor teachings.

After deliberating upon where the next place for meeting would be, Blanket was chosen. The convention will be held there in 1910.

# KONE LECTURES AT COURTHOUSE

### WILL BE HEARD TUESDAY MORNING AT 10 O'CLOCK.

## LEAVES IN AFTERNOON

### Uncle Dick Bonner and J. J. Johnson Remain and Will Organize a Farmers' Institute.

In the interest of the farmers of Tom Green county Hon. Ed R. Kone, commissioner of agriculture for the state of Texas, will speak in the court house Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Kone is in San Angelo for the purpose of assisting the farmers of this country to become more progressive and successful in farming. The idea that he has in mind is he organizing of a farmers' institute. This is the most distant city in West Texas that he has visited on this trip.

Mr. Kone arrived in the city Tuesday morning about 2 o'clock. With him came Uncle Dick Bonner and J. J. Johnson, who will also speak. It is the intention of Mr. Kone to leave Tuesday afternoon, as he has one urgent business awaiting him at Austin. For this reason he will speak first.

Uncle Dick Bonner is one of the most progressive farmers in Texas, and he has kindly consented to give his views to the West Texas farmers. J. J. Johnson is also a good orator and he will have a chance to tell the people about farming. Both will speak in the afternoon.

### Denied.

Guthrie, Nov. 3.—Application for a new receiver for the Columbia Bank & Trust Company, to displace State Bank Commissioner Young was denied by the federal court today.

### Sweetwater.

Sweetwater is growing like magic," said Editor W. A. Perry, of the Sweetwater Reporter, who was in San Angelo Monday. "The Santa Fe is making great headway on its Coleman cutoff, and will be into Sweetwater with its grade before long. The company has made a proposition whereby it agrees to make Sweetwater a division point, and it is not probable that it will be passed up."

Mr. Perry admitted that San Angelo is at present the young giant of West Texas, but he thinks that it won't be long before Sweetwater will be in San Angelo's class. He left on the night train over the Orient, accompanied by his wife, who has been visiting in Ballinger.

### Guiding Them.

New York, Nov. 5.—It will be quite a long time before the jolly faces of the Bohemian Sextette are seen in New York again. Lured by a long term contract and a large money offer the Bohemians are now making their way over the Western circuit. Albert Sutherland is guiding them through the unknown regions west of North River. In New York they made a great hit with their own scenery depicting incidents in the Latin Quarter of Paris.

# MAIL SERVICE OVER ORIENT STARTS SOON

### GOVERNMENT HAS ALREADY SUBMITTED PROPOSITION TO OFFICIALS OF COMPANY.

## SEN. JOE BAILEY ANSWERS MESSAGE

### Pres. Broome Sends Wire Asking Junior Senator to Investigate. He Does and That Without Delay.

The Orient road, and not the government, is the cause of the long looked for mail service over that road between this city and Sweetwater not being started. That the railroad has a good reason for holding up this matter goes without saying, for every day's delay means the loss of revenue large enough to pay for cinders for 57 yards of ballast.

Monday afternoon the Business Club through the president, Hon. C. A. Broome, sent a telegram to Senator Bailey, asking him to ascertain the cause of the delay in this service being started, and if the delay was with the government, to do what he could to hurry matters.

Early in the afternoon the following reply was received from the junior senator:

"Washington, Nov. 8.—San Angelo Business Club, San Angelo, Texas.—Postoffice department submitted proposition to railroad on Oct. 26 for carrying mail. No reply yet received from railroad, but just as soon as proposition is accepted service will be started. J. W. BAILEY."

Of course, at this distance the cause of this delay on the part of the railroad can be nothing but a conjecture. Efforts to locate either Mr. O'Brien or Mr. Burrows at Sweetwater Monday afternoon were futile. The chances are the government made a proposition to the Orient to change the whole scheme of bringing mail from the north and east to this section of the country, so as to throw practically the bulk of the mail from the big centers over this line, instead of sending it as is now done. If such was the proposition, it is quite likely that the Orient would have to make preparations for such a heavy movement.

However, it is not believed that the Orient will let this matter merely jog along to a solution. There's money in carrying mail—oodles of it—and the Orient is not breaking any precedents by declining to pick up a little easy money.

It would appear that the whole matter should be worked out before the end of this week. When it is worked out it will mean that the heavy work that is now crowded into an hour at the postoffice can be smeared over a considerable space and not only will the public get an improved service, but the postoffice employees here will be able to handle the mail with greater dispatch and less labor.

# GEORGE BONHAM FAST SPRINTER

### Makes Mile in 32 Minutes, 34 4-5 Seconds, Breaking All Previous Records.

Publishers Press. New York, Nov. 6.—George Bonham did a sprint here today that smashed a world's record into smithereens, when he negotiated a mile at the Celtic Park Athletic meeting in 32 minutes, 34 4-5 seconds. This clips exactly 4 2-5 seconds from the best time heretofore made.

### HALF MILLION.

Sen. Elkins and Associates Sell United & Globe Rubber Manufacturing Co. Publishers Press. Trenton, N. J., Nov. 8.—Watson U. Burg and John Broughton, Eastern capitalists, today bought the United & Globe Rubber Manufacturing Co. from Senator Elkins and associates for a half million.

# PROS WORK A SMOOTH TRICK IN FREESTONE

### CITIZENS VOTE IN FAVOR OF SALOONS AND STILL CANNOT HAVE THEM.

## AVAILABLE LICENSES ARE ALL TAKEN OUT

### In the Hands of Those Who Do Not Intend to Open Thirst Parlors. Antis Are Strictly Up Against It.

Publishers Press. Austin, Nov. 6.—Although entitled to have saloons, having voted for them, the town of Fairchild, in Freestone county, is dry.

This is because of a provision of the Fitzhugh-Robinson liquor law limiting the number of saloons in each precinct to one for every 500 people. Applications were filed with the comptroller for permits and when granted it was found that all saloon licenses had been granted to prohibition men who do not intend to open, but to keep others out of the field.

### Cotton Figures.

Publishers Press. Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 6.—J. A. Taylor, president of the National Ginners Association, issued the following report on the cotton crop today: Oklahoma, 587,000; Texas, 2,300,000; Florida, 600,000; Alabama, 969,000; Arkansas, 644,000; Georgia, 1,870,000. Total of all cotton raising states, 8,780,000 bales.

# WITNESS FEES BOOSTED NOTCH

### ATTORNEY GENERAL DAVIDSON MAKES IMPORTANT RULING.

## FROM OUTSIDE COUNTIES

### Those Who Testify in Two or More Cases at Same Term of Court Entitled to Fees in Each.

Special to The Press-News. Austin, Nov. 6.—According to a ruling made today by Attorney General Davidson, when witness are subpoenaed from counties outside the one of their residence to testify in two or more cases at the same term of court, such witnesses are to receive fees in each separate case in which they testify.

Heretofore counties have been issuing certificates in only one case, regardless of the number of times a witness from another county should be used. For instance, if there should be a case of assault to murder and a case of carrying concealed weapons growing out of the same altercation, a witness from an adjoining county would be paid only one fee, though he testified in both cases. Under the rule laid down by the attorney general today such a witness is entitled to fees in two cases, though they may be connected. This ruling, if it stands the test of the courts, will cost the counties of Texas many thousands of dollars yearly more in witness fees than is now the case.

### Cotton Ginned.

Publishers Press. Washington, Nov. 8.—Department of census issued a report today on the quantity of cotton ginned from this season's growth up to Nov. 1. It places the amount at 7,912,317 bales. The amount in Texas, according to the report, is 1,918,477 bales.

### Short \$200,000.

New York, Nov. 8.—Albert Harris, vice president of the Big Four, says the shortage of Charles Warriner, of Cincinnati, will go over \$200,000.





# Excursions

**San Antonio**

**\$13.60**

November 5th to 17th.

Limit 18th.

Special Excursion Nov. 13th.

Limit 15th. Rate \$5.70.

Special Through Tourist Sleepers will be operated on Train leaving San Angelo, at 2:15 p. m., Nov. 6th, 9th 13th, and 16th. Same service returning, leave San Antonio evening of Nov. 10th, 15th 16th and 18th.

**C. L. Carmean,**  
City Passenger Agent

## HEAVY PAYMENTS OF POLL TAXES

**MCDONALD EXPECTS TO ISSUE 1400 RECEIPTS THIS YEAR.**

## WILL BREAK RECORD

Although Property Tax Payments Are Slow, Number is in Excess of This Time Year Ago.

"Although payments so far have been very slow, I believe all previous records for the city will be broken this year in the matter of poll tax receipts issued," said City Secretary McDonald, Tuesday. "With the receipts issued between the first day of October and the last day of January, the holders will be entitled to participate in the city and county elections,

provided, of course, they have county receipts also.

"The highest number of qualified voters heretofore has been about 1250, but I fully expect to see this number increased to 1400 this year, including overs and unders. By overs and unders I mean those who have reached the age of 21 years and are entitled to exemptions, and those past the age of poll tax paying."

Payments on property taxes are coming in slowly, but the number of receipts issued is in excess of those issued to date this time last year.

Mr. McDonald was busily engaged in studying law Tuesday afternoon. No, he does not intend to go into the law profession. He is only "reading up" on delinquents and is preparing himself for the task of filing suits in February against those who have not paid in previous years. The council has ordered legal steps taken and it will require an immense amount of work to get up the list.

Clarence W. Waldron has gone to Sweetwater on business.

G. J. Konner of Little Rock, Ark., left Tuesday afternoon for Ft. Worth. After spending a few days on business there, he will go to St. Louis.

B. N. Marcus has gone to Dallas on a business trip.

## FIGHT IN COURT FOR GRAVEL BED

**APPLICATION FILED FOR WRIT OF INJUNCTION.**

## AGAINST H. J. SCHUCH

Effort Being Made to Have Him Remove a Fence From Below Forks of North and Main Conchos.

Seeking to compel H. J. Schuch to remove a fence from around a bed of gravel, located just below the forks of the North and Main Concho rivers, W. H. Shaw and fifteen others Tuesday filed a suit with the county clerk, asking for an amandatory writ of injunction.

Judge Timmins will give the case a hearing Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. A great deal of interest is

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FORT WORTH, TEXAS

centered upon the outcome of this contest.

### San Angelo Club.

Tuesday night the directors of the San Angelo Club held its regular monthly meeting in the club rooms. There was little business before the body and not much time was consumed in winding the affair up.

Several applicants for membership were passed on and were admitted. Carver, C. B. McCauley, P. W. Miller, Granville Robinson, Monroe Robinson, J. S. Seay, R. Smith, O. B. Stetson, L. B. Stubbs, M. L. Taylor, A. M. Thorpe, Brit Williams.

### Mexicans.

Tortibia Camunies, Rosenda Enriquez, Maximiano Guerrero, Conria Galindo, Jose Ortega, Francisco Pablo, Habram Salinas.

When calling for above please say "advertised."

E. BLANCHARD, P. M.

Frank Dammaron has returned to his home in Dallas, after a week's visit to San Angelo.

## KIDNEY DISEASE

A disease that comes on gradually without the knowledge of the victim; its symptoms are so trifling they are misunderstood; hence proper treatment is too-often delayed beyond the possibility of recovery.

## PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

Is a Life Saving Tonic.

Used when the trouble is in the early stage it quickly checks the progress of the disease, strengthens the failing kidneys, stimulates the torpid liver and drives out the paralyzing uric acid poison through the bladder and bowels. To those who suffer from kidney disease in the more advanced stage it is of priceless value.

Get the Genuine with the Figure "3" in Red on Front Label.

Sold by Druggists.

Price \$1.00 per bottle.

## LITTLE BUTTONS WITH A STORY

ADVERTISE DECEMBER MEETING OF DEVELOPMENT CONGRESS.

## EVERYBODY HAS ONE

Being Freely Distributed — Other Means of Giving Publicity to Movement Being Planned.

"Button! Button! Who's got the button?"

A new and perfectly good answer has been discovered to this old question, asked in anxious tones by childish voices some time immemorial, and the discoverers thereof are the gentlemen known to fame and glory as the committee in charge of the West Texas Development Congress, and the answer thereto is in this wise:

"Everybody has the button."

"Also this is true, or will be within the next few days, for the buttons are already in evidence and are growing in popularity with each succeeding hour.

This is no common button of the collar or suspender persuasion, but a neat black, white and red creation, artistic and alluring in appearance, announcing the great meeting which is to be held in San Angelo December 6. Realizing the inestimable good which would result to the city by this meeting, the committee is planning to advertise the congress and this is one of the ways decided upon. Every one is expected to wear one of those little emblems of the congress.

So just get one of those little buttons, wear it with a pleasant smile, so that every traveler may see it. It will attract many visitors to this place on December 6.

J. W. Wilson has gone to San Antonio to attend the fair.

## MADE WELL AND STRONG

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Bardstown, Ky.—"I suffered from ulceration and other female troubles for a long time. Doctors had failed to help me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended, and I decided to try it. It cured my trouble and made me well and strong, so that I can do all my own work." Mrs. JOSEPH HALL, Bardstown, Ky.

Another Woman Cured. Christiana, Tenn.—"I suffered from the worst form of female trouble so that at times I thought I could not live, and my nerves were in a dreadful condition. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me, and made me feel like a different woman. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is worth its weight in gold to suffering women."—Mrs. MARY WOOD, R. F. D. 3.

If you belong to that countless army of women who suffer from some form of female ill, don't hesitate to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs. For thirty years this famous remedy has been the standard for all forms of female ill, and has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, fibroid tumors, ulceration, inflammation, irregularities, backache, and nervous prostration.

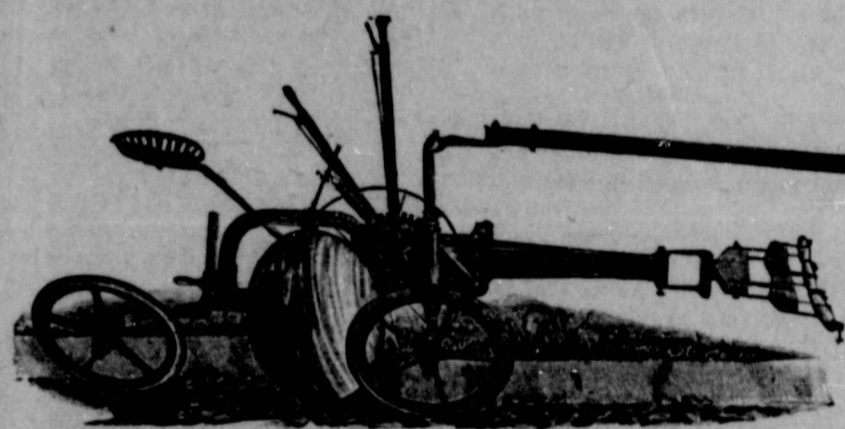
If you want special advice write for it to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

### Appreciation.

Special to The Press-News. Beaumont, Nov. 9.—Torpelo Flottilla and three vessels, commanded by Lieut. Blakeley, left here this afternoon for Charleston, S. C.

The officers and men expressed gratitude for the entertainment given by the citizens.

Miss Ethel Marlon returned to her home in Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon.



## High Price Cotton And LOW PRICE PLOWS

Both are money makers. Don't miss the chance of buying. The following lines

### AT COST

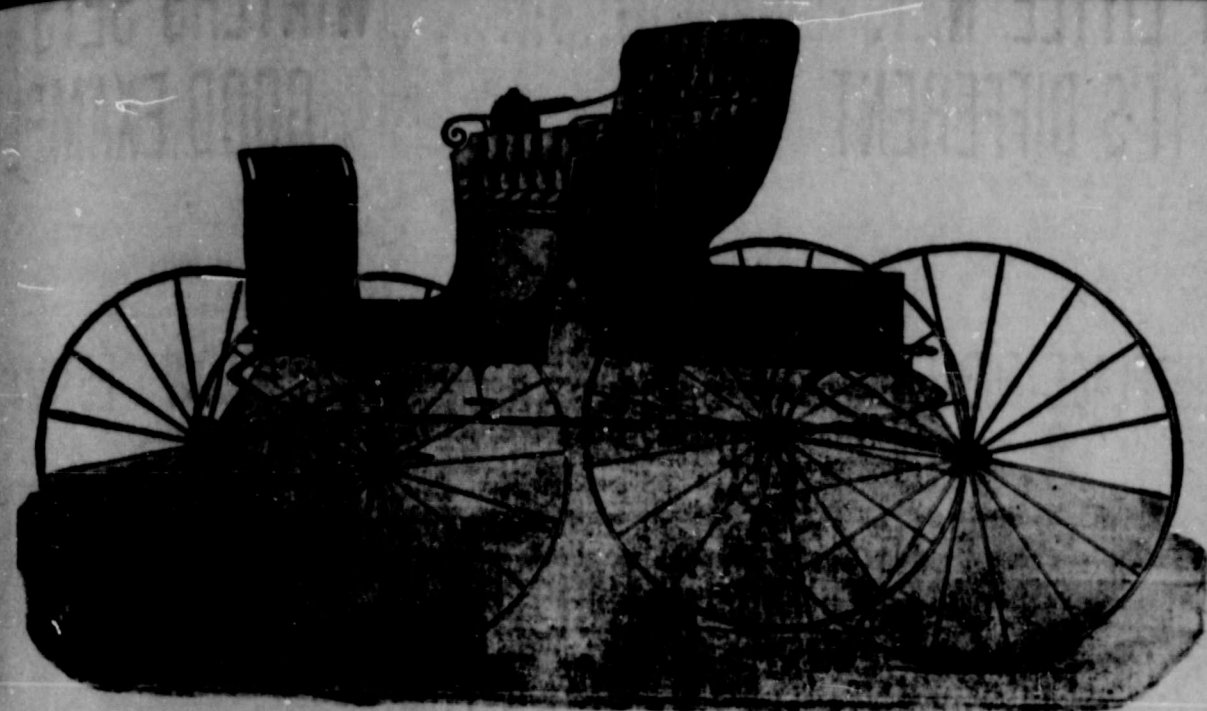
Sulky Plows: Bradley New Cassady, Oliver Cassady, P. & O. Success;

Disc Plows: Canton, Racine, Hancock.

Acme Harrows. Best Line of Cultivators in the City.

## Crowther Hardware Co.





**"A SWELL TURNOUT"**

The style and grace of a Yale Buggy makes you admire it. The price makes you want it, and when you once own a Yale Buggy you'll never buy any other kind, because you can boast of having "the swellest turnout."

If you want a medium priced vehicle a Rex Buggy cannot be duplicated for the price.

See Kilgore-Haydon-Hollifield Co. at San Angelo, Texas about your next vehicle.

**Southern Rock Island Plow Co.**  
Dallas, Texas



**On Buying a Watch**

There are two important things to think about in buying a watch—one is the "make" of the watch and the other is the Jeweler who sells it to you.

The right watch for you is worth all it costs. The right Jeweler for you is the one that has the best Make of watches and who will take a personal interest—advising you HONESTLY as to the selection of the case, movement, etc., best suited to your needs.

You want all you pay for. The man who gets less is the one who shops around with the one idea of price in his mind. He always finds somebody to sell him a slightly inferior watch at a slightly inferior price.

When you get ready for a watch—or in fact anything in the way of jewelry—remember we have the largest and best selected stock in the city, and our prices you will find as low as honest goods can be sold.

**H. D. LEFFEL, Jeweler**

The Tiffany of San Angelo Fine Repairing a Specialty

**INVITATIONS TO TEXAS EDITORS**

NEWSPAPER MEN ALSO ASKED TO APPOINT DELEGATES.

The outlook for the West Texas Development congress is growing brighter with each succeeding day, and Chairman Bartholomew is laboring with zeal and marked intelligence to make this initial meeting, which will be held in San Angelo on December 6 a complete success.

Believing that out of a multitude of counsel comes the greatest wisdom and knowing that no class of people has done half so much to secure the advancement of the material welfare of West Texas, Chairman Bartholomew and the general committee have issued invitations to all West Texas editors to appoint ten delegates to attend this congress. Secretary Lawson O. Dailey mailed out the authorities to be editors on Monday and in this manner the attendance will be greatly augmented when the congress convenes.

In addition to the detail work done, Secretary Dailey on Monday received a lot of lapel buttons to be worn by those interested in the movement. This button, while small in size, is striking in design. The map of Texas is printed on the center in two colors. East Texas is represented by red and West Texas by blue. Printed over the blue portion of the map are the words "United West Texas," while around the outer circle of the button is printed "West Texas Development congress. Meets San Angelo Dec. 6, 1909."

These buttons are nobby and attractive, and all country builders who care to help a good cause along can secure on from either Chairman Bartholomew or Secretary Dailey of the general committee.

**Nat Goodwin.**

**Publishers' Press.**  
New York, Nov. 9.—Nat Goodwin now has a rival. He isn't the only rich mine owner on the boards. Dudley E. Oatman, who has gold and lead mines in Mexico and Colorado, marble and onyx mines and a controlling interest in a condensed milk company in Illinois, has joined the "Miss Innocence" company and played the part of the duke right creditably in the New England tour. Mr. Oatman hails from Denver, and in discussing the reasons for his break into the aristocratic field, said:

"When I like a thing I go in for it strong. As soon as I saw that show I knew that I would never be satisfied until I played in it. At Columbia university I had taken part in amateur theatricals and felt that I could succeed upon a real stage. I made application and got the job, and haven't been hissed off since."

Miss Anna Held was very much gratified that the rich young man should choose "Miss Innocence" for the vehicle for his latent talent.

**Cattle.**

Wednesday five cars of cattle will be shipped to Fort Worth by Frank Douglass, who bought them from Will Evans.

Mrs. D. F. George left Tuesday for Frankfort, Ky., returning to her home after a few days' visit in this city.

**APPLIANCE TO STOP FORGERY**

PARISEE RESIDENT IN LONDON MAKES GREAT INVENTION.

**ELECTRICITY FOR INK**

Continuous Series of Almost Imperceptible Perforations Burnt in Track of Pen.

**Publishers' Press.**  
London, Nov. 8.—A Parisee resident in London has invented an appliance designed to prevent forgery, and which should result in a considerable reduction in the number of persons who are convicted at the courts of this and other countries of that offense.

The method of operating the invention is simple. Inside a small glass-topped desk are fitted a pair of tiny batteries, together with a rheostat, condenser, and resistances, through which a powerful electric current is induced. The circuit is closed by what appears to be an ordinary stylographic pen attached to the desk by a piece of ordinary insulated electric wire.

The check or other document to be written upon is placed upon an aluminum plate affixed to the glass top of the desk, and is written upon in the ordinary way. But instead of ink, a fusilade of tiny electric sparks passes from the pen through the paper to complete the circuit inside the desk. Thus there is burnt a continuous series of almost imperceptible perforations in the track followed by the pen. Each hole is carbonized by the process, and to alter the order of the markings is impossible.

**UP-TO-DATE DUEL OF PARTISAN FASHION**

Henri Bernstein, the French Playwright, Intends to Write a Sparking Play.

**Publishers' Press.**

New York, Nov. 8.—Henri Bernstein, the French playwright and author of "Israel," is going to write a new play with the action around a duel. Just as Henri lived parts of the play of "Israel," so has he taken part in a real, up-to-date duel, fought after the most approved Partisan fashion in which neither participant is wounded, but honor is satisfied all round, and they all adjourn to the nearest cafe to pledge each other in several kinds of waters.

M. Bernstein became enraged at some of the criticisms directed at his plays by Francois Chevassu. He sent a challenge to Francois and they met in Prince Park with their artillery and coffins. On the flip of a coin borrowed from one of the seconds, Francois won the first shot. Carefully shutting both eyes he took long and careful aim while Henri stood back looking straight into the gun—just like the flower of France as depicted by the historical novelists. Bang! went Frank's cannon and the bullet went heavenward toward the planet Saturn. Henri stood in open-mouthed astonishment while his seconds danced around him, advising him to shoot. After the battle was over and the dead bodies had been removed, a timid bystander asked the playwright why he hadn't annihilated his hated rival.

"Ah, my friend," exclaimed M. Bernstein, in his blandest manner, "I forgot to pull the trigger."

A. D. West went to San Antonio Tuesday to attend the fair.

A limited number of \$50.00 scholarships in San Angelo Business College will be sold for \$30.00 cash. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back Buy now and enter at any time—attend day or night. Scholarships good until you complete the course in either department, including penmanship and literary work. The course of study and practice taught in our college is used in over 400 of the best business colleges in America. There is none better. There are very few as good. Our students can do the work. They are doing it. We haven't an idle student. This offer will continue only a few days.

**WILLUS BRITT OR COFFROTH**

QUESTION ARISES AS TO WHO IS KETCHEL'S MANAGER.

**JEFFRIES IS IN SHAPE**

Says When He Meets Johnson He Will Be as Fit as He Has Ever Been. Confident of Victory.

By W. B. ("Bat") Masterson. Publishers' Press.

New York, Nov. 6.—Is Willus Britt Ketchel's manager, or does that distinction belong to Jimmy Coffroth? is the question that is disturbing the peace and quietude of a great many sports at present. There are many things in connection with Ketchel's recent conduct that lead to the belief that Coffroth has all along been the bug under the managerial chip. What has perhaps done more than anything else to convince me of this fact are the pictures of the Johnson-Ketchel fight which were put on exhibition at Hammerstein's Victoria theater Monday afternoon a week ago.

After carefully studying the fight as it is portrayed on canvas, I am forced to the conclusion that Coffroth was directing both men in that battle. From my viewpoint this seems certain. The fight, taken into consideration with other things immediately preceding it, bears all the earmarks of a prearranged affair. In other words, if the battle was not fought for the pictures and gate receipts, the pictures tell a false story.

In making this somewhat broad statement I fully realize that all concerned are going to get up on their hind legs and yell murder, police, and maybe call me a few pet names in the bargain. But I don't care a picayune what they say nor how often they say it; I'm willing to stand by my judgment. So that my readers may know upon what grounds I have based my opinion, I will cite a few incidents in connection with the Britt-Ketchel side of the affair. Then you can judge for yourself whether the attitude I have taken in the matter is justified.

When the Ketchel-Langford match fell through there was no reason why Britt and Ketchel should have hurried away to Frisco. Had they been anxious to fight Langford there was no reason for their running away to the coast. The battle could have taken place here in the east, as there were at least two clubs outside of New York ready to stage the match. Besides, Ketchel was offered a ten weeks theatrical engagement at \$1250 a week, which he and his manager promptly turned down. In view of the further fact that Britt and Ketchel were known to be virtually broke when they were here, it seems strange, to say the least, that they should have passed up the theatrical engagement, even though they had no stomach for Langford.

These are a few of the things that have induced me to conclude that there was some other influence at work besides Britt and Ketchel that caused them to abandon an opportunity to earn some easy money in order to fight Johnson, whom Ketchel must have known he didn't have one chance in a hundred of beating.

What, then, was that influence? Was it Coffroth? I think so.

Coffroth, as all who know him will concede, is an energetic fellow who is not overlooking anything in the fighting game that would be likely to benefit him. It is even doubtful if he would hesitate to match Battling Nelson against Johnson if he thought such a contest would pay. And while on this subject I might add that a match between Johnson and Nelson would be no more absurd than the one between Johnson and Ketchel surely was.

It may therefore be assumed that when Coffroth made the match between the negro champion and Ketchel he was only considering his own interests. It mattered not to him about the unevenness of the match so long as the attendance was good and the contest prolonged sufficiently to make the pictures worth while. I may be mistaken in taking this view of the situation, but I hardly think so.

Despite Coffroth's statement to the effect that a \$5000 side bet was at stake, I am fully satisfied that neither man had up a dollar and not a dollar was at issue outside of the gate receipts and the benefits to be derived from the pictures. All the noise about a side bet was made for the purpose

of strengthening the show with the public.

Britt, Ketchel, Johnson and Coffroth will no doubt dispute this statement. It would be only natural that they should. Johnson, of course, will argue that he was doing his best at all times against Ketchel, but anyone who knows the article of fight he is capable of putting up will take little stock in anything he may say on the subject. If he was fighting his best he is the biggest false alarm heavy weight champion this country has ever had, and no one believes that to be the case.

"I would like to have all the money I'd be willing to bet," said an old-time sport after looking at the pictures, "that if Johnson can't fight any better than he did with Ketchel, Jeffries can knock him out right now inside of ten rounds without another day's training." And right here I wish to add that the old sport voiced my sentiment exactly. That Johnson was under wraps at all times can scarcely be doubted. His continual clinching and holding and his failure to use his famous right punch all tend to show that he was stalling for a purpose and that purpose was the pictures. Moreover, I believe that his knockdown was a palpable fake, perpetrated for the sole purpose of enhancing the value of the pictures.

The idea that Ketchel could stand to be punched in every round as he was, to say nothing of the knockdown or two he received, and have strength enough left in the twelfth round to deliver a blow with sufficient force to sprawl Johnson out on the floor is too ridiculous to think about. Johnson's marvelous recovery after his knockdown, coupled with his ability to get up and knock Ketchel stiff with a punch, although said to be in a dazed condition at the time, is altogether too theatrical a performance for us.

No one need therefore be surprised if in a short while the whole scheme is exposed. Such things rarely remain under cover very long. Ketchel will perhaps tell the story himself some day. If, therefore, the Johnson-Ketchel battle was a frame-up, and I think it was, Coffroth is the man who engineered the deal. That seems certain. It need not surprise anyone if in time it should be learned that Coffroth was actually managing Johnson at the present time. Coffroth is a willow fellow and if he is lucky enough to secure the fight between Jeffries and Johnson it is just possible that he will have a strangle hold on the whole shooting match, with the possible exception of the Jeffries end of the game.

Coffroth, since coming to town, has been endeavoring in a most elaborate manner to convince those who entertain the notion that the knockdown Johnson received in the twelfth round was not genuine that they are mistaken. Anticipating, perhaps, that he would be in need of such an explanation when he got here, Coffroth had his little piece well rehearsed. He can reel it off on short notice with a most convincing effect.

In a statement to one of the evening newspapers purporting to be the promoter's views on the subject, he goes into the minutest details in his effort to show that it would have been suicidal for Johnson to have risked a fake knockdown at the time, because of the opportunity it would have afforded the Ketchel adherents to capture the fight then and there by breaking into the ring, bulldozing the referee and with a hurrah and other rough-house methods secure a victory for their man.

Then on the heels of this Coffroth explanation Johnson comes to town with a statement almost identical with the one made by Coffroth. The great pains with which Coffroth undertakes to explain every detail of the situation reminds me of what the brilliant statesman, Senator John J. Ingalls of Kansas, once said in an interview. I don't exactly recall the subject that caused the senator to make the remarks, but I do remember quite well his having said "that when it becomes necessary to make an affidavit that an egg is good, that egg is doubtful, and a doubtful egg is always bad."

This would seem to appropriately fit Coffroth's energetic efforts to show that Johnson did not fake the knockdown. But, nevertheless and notwithstanding, I feel safe in predicting that if Johnson was doing his best against Ketchel, and that he did not purposely fake the header, Jeffries will be a top-heavy favorite when the two meet in the ring.

In speaking of himself Jeff said to me at the St. Albany hotel the other day that he did not entertain the least doubt that he would be as fit as he ever was in his life when he faces Johnson in the ring.

"I have tried myself out over the hills at Carlisbad for several weeks," he said, "and found that my wind could be put in excellent condition."

J. H. Keller went to Bronte Tuesday afternoon on business.

**O'DONNELL HERE READY FOR WORK**

STARTS OUT TUESDAY IN QUEST OF FREIGHT SHIPMENTS.

Jimmie O'Donnell, as he was known when he was a chubby face, double-chinned, laughing eyes of blue baby, with blonde curls, but James P. O'Donnell as he is now called since his face is no more chubby, his chine no longer double and his blonde curls now down to two in a hill, and not so many hills, will blossom forth on the streets of San Angelo Tuesday with his collection of smiles numbering 57 varieties, his large and thoroughly variegated stock and choicely preserved anecdotes and his greeting hand hot with gladness, seeking freight shipments for the Orient road.

Sir James—or as his forebears have signed themselves, Seumas—got his first glimpse of San Angelo Sunday, when he stepped lightly from the Santa Fe train. He looked about and marvelled at the real size of the city. He whistled a chortling sort of a whistle indicative of amazement, astonishment and the like. Then he started to hike about and when he had gotten winded he was preparing to believe the stories about San Angelo that he had imagined were chapters from some Arabian Nights story, when they fell upon his shell shaped ears.

Mr. O'Donnell is commercial agent of the Orient road, headquarters at San Angelo. His appointment, as has already been announced exclusively in The Press-News, became effective on November 1. If he don't make good



# HONORED BUT HE DIDN'T KNOW IT

COL. JOHN R. NASWORTHY ELECTED PRESIDENT OF YETS.

# GOES AFTER REUNION

Selection of Place of Holding Gathering Left to the Executive Committee.

On Saturday Col. John R. Nasworthy, who during the great Civil war was a member of Cobb's Legion, a Georgia fighting command that won laurels on many a hard fought field, received notice that he had been elected treasurer of the Concho-Colorado Confederate Veterans Reunion Association. While this election took place last August, this is the first information that had reached Col. Nasworthy on the subject.

Secretary H. D. Pearce of Robert Lee, who transmitted the notice, stated that the officers of the association composed the executive committee, and that the executive committee will meet shortly and select the place for holding the next reunion. The officers—who compose the executive committee—are: J. H. North, Ballinger, president; R. C. Tillery, Concho county, vice president; H. D. Pearce, Robert Lee, secretary; John R. Nasworthy, San Angelo, treasurer; Rev. H. E. Hudson, Ballinger, chaplain, and J. T. Wright, Coleman, officer of the day.

"I would like for the old boys to hold their next reunion in this city," said Col. Nasworthy, Saturday, in speaking of this proposition. "Whether a decision is reached to hold the reunion here or not, I shall insist and will do all in my power to have the executive committee meet here when it gathers to decide on the place for the reunion. I know that San Angelo will give the ex-Confederates a gloriously good time and that they would leave here with feelings of love in their hearts and with pleasant memories of the time we would show them."

Col. Nasworthy does not know when the executive committee will be called to consider the matter of the next reunion.

### Twenty Round Bout.

Publishers' Press. London, Nov. 8.—Freddie Walsh won lightweight championship of England tonight, defeating Johnny Summers in a twenty round bout.

### Knighted.

Publishers' Press. London Nov. 8.—Lieutenant Shackleton, Antarctic explorer, has been knighted in England, the ceremony taking place today in this city.

# REVENUE FROM WHISKY SALE

FOR EVERY HORNFULL MAN DRINKS GOV'T. GETS 2 CTS.

# FROM OLD KENTUCKY

A. S. Lacy, of Green River Distillery, Says Prohibition Has About Gone Its Limit.

A. S. Lacy, one of the proprietors of the Green River Distillery of Owensboro, Ky., was in San Angelo Monday. Like all new comers, he was greatly impressed with the city and was struck by the marked progressiveness of the people here.

"In Kentucky the prohibition movement has about spent its force and it is now diminishing," he said, in discussing the question that directly affects his investments. "We have about 25 or 30 wet counties and I am not the least apprehensive about the prospect making any further gains."

In discussing whiskey in the making, Mr. Lacy explains the details most lucidly, especially with regard to the revenue producing side of the business.

"When whiskey is placed in bond," he said, "it must be 100 proof, or that is to say, it must be 50 per cent whis-

key and 40 per cent water. The government makes allowance for evaporation ranging from 1-1/2 gallons per barrel to 1-1/2 gallons per barrel for whiskey removed after two and under four months storage, and this allowance runs up to 18 1-2 gallons per barrel after 84 months storage. When taken from the bonded warehouse each gallon of whiskey pays the government a tax of \$1.10. When sold over the bars a gallon of whiskey will average 55 to 60 drinks. Let's take the low figure and we find that every time a man take a full hornfull he contributes the sum of 2 cents to the support of the government. That's where a lot of government money comes from and the reason is not hard to ascertain."

# STREET CAR CO. TO CROSS RIVER

COMMITTEE MAKING ACTIVE PREPARATIONS FOR NEW LINES.

# DETAILS WELL GUARDED

Just What Extensions Are to Be Made Is Matter That Is Not Yet Ready For the Public.

Unless all signs fail the street railway company will start spreading out a bit, and that real soon.

A committee of the directory of the new road spent several hours Monday in looking a little out and when a committee of busy men spends considerable time in looking a little out, it is a sure thing there will be something doing, and that, too, before many moons have swung the orb.

The directors of the street car company are as mum as the proverbial oyster when asked about the intentions of the company. Instead, however, of being "sealed" oysters, the members of the directory are "sealed" oysters.

This much, however, can be stated with considerable emphasis: The electric line will before long be "spoked." Unless the usual order is reversed those who want to get this service—and everybody ought to want it—should "skope" to the management and that without a moment's delay. It is also believed that when the next branching out is done the river will be crossed. It was noticed Monday that the committee now engaged in wisely settling the routes to be followed, paid particular attention to the river. Just what point will be used in crossing the river is a sealed chapter, for the present.

Every little helps, but the street car service is seven big things in one package. The man who wants to get a street car service ought to be up and doing. Delays may prove vexatious, if not dangerous. If walls or street car men would talk, a lot would now be public property. Both are silent, at times, however.

# IMPROVEMENTS IN A PUBLIC WAY

Attorney-General Approves Bonds for Year September 1 to the Amount of \$9,396,683.

Publishers' Press. Austin, Nov. 8.—Attorney General's department of Texas approved bonds to the amount of \$9,396,683 during the year which ended September 1.

City bonds approved amount to a little more than five millions; county bonds, two and a half million; common school district bonds, quarter of a million; drainage bonds, half a million.

Another car of coal just received. Remember it's cheaper when we can unload from the car to your bin. San Angelo Ice & Power Co.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Department of Agriculture issued a report today showing production of corn this year to be 2,767,316,000 bushels. Of this amount Texas is credited with 117,107 bushels.

# CONVENTION OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS

TOM GREEN COUNTY ASSOCIATION MEETS IN DECEMBER.

# FOR DISTRICT AFFAIR

Effort Being Made to Have Representatives Here From Towns in Suburban Counties.

At the convention of the Tom Green County Sunday School Association to be held in San Angelo December 9, 10 and 11, an effort will be made to make it a district affair. Invitations will be sent to the pastors and Sunday school superintendents of the various cities in this part of West Texas, and it is believed that they will accept.

In speaking of the matter Monday, Rev. Dr. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist church, said it is the desire of the local association to have all of the surrounding towns join, among them being Eldorado, Sherwood, Sterling City, Miles, Bangs and Ballinger. Dr. Williams of Dallas, general superintendent of Sunday school work, accompanied by his wife, will be here and will make several addresses.

The convention opens Friday, December 9, and adjourns Sunday night following. On Sunday some splendid services will be held. At 11 a. m. Dr. Williams will speak at one of the local churches on the subject, "Sunday School." At 2 o'clock a special meeting will be held for boys and girls. At 3:30 o'clock a meeting will be held for workers and at night union services, in which all churches will be asked to participate, will mark the close of the convention.

Dr. Foster left Monday afternoon for Dallas, where he will attend the Baptist General Convention of Texas. He will be out of the city for about ten days.

### On a Visit.

Madrid, Nov. 8.—King Manuel, of Portugal, arrived here today on his way to London to visit King Edward.

# COLLEAGUE FOR CARDINAL GIBBONS

Pope Anxious to Overcome Trouble by Appointing Americans, Thus Organizing Factions.

Rome, Nov. 8.—The announcement that two consistories are to be held within the next two months has caused great interest among the American church colony here, because of the belief that at least one or perhaps two American cardinals will be named. It is an open secret in high church circles here that the Pope is and has been since his elevation to the papacy desirous of naming a colleague for Cardinal Gibbons, and that only the inability of American prelates to agree on the man has prevented him from doing so.

It is recognized at the Vatican that the church in America is the most active and vigorous daughter of Rome and has deserved recognition, but unfortunately it appears here that there are factions in the American church and it is feared the recognition of either would offend the other. The Pope is now seriously considering overcoming this trouble by appointing two American Cardinals, thus recognizing both supposed factions. Three bishops are under consideration for promotion. They are Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, Farley of New York, and O'Connell of Boston.

Rumor further has it that Cardinal Gibbons may be named as a member of the Curia, which would necessitate his residence at Rome.

### GOMPERS.

At Session of American Federation of Labor He Attacks Supreme Court.

Toronto, Canada, Nov. 8.—The annual session of the American Federation of Labor opened today. President Gompers attacked the United States Supreme Court in a sensational speech.

# IN LITTLE N. Y. IT'S DIFFERENT

C. B. HENDERSON RETURNS BETTER PLEASSED WITH ANGELO.

# THIS PLACE FOR LIVING

While Away He Buys Big Stock for His Large Establishment Here. Business Outlook Flattering.

"New York is a great place for a merchant to visit for the purpose of buying goods and for people who delight to study crowds and to see, but when it comes to real living, well, commend me to dear old San Angelo," says C. B. Henderson, the big department store man, who is back from a buying trip to Gotham. "In New York one can see everything that woman-kind and the kingdom of man can possibly need, want or desire, and at prices small enough to be infinitesimal or big enough to shake a skyscraper, and it is this vast collection of wares and wearables and things that makes New York the ideal place to go to purchase goods.

"But in New York there is an utter absence of that feeling called friendship, as we of this country know friendship. With all the great opportunities there is a minimum of opportunity, as paradoxical as this may appear, for the reason the code that governs New York is the cold, calculating one of success or failure.

"Of course, I am looking for a bigger and a better business in the future than we have ever had in the past, and I have bought with that expectation. I have been continually doing a bigger and a better business with each recurring season, and I have no thought that this general rule will be violated during the coming spring." Incidentally Mr. Henderson found that the high price of cotton that prevailed here while he was gone was a good thing in more ways than one, and if there is anything that Mr. Henderson had rather see above everything else it is a long reign of cotton prices above the 15-cent mark.

# EASY FAMILIARITY WITH ROMAN SOCIETY

Herr Von Bethmann-Hollweg to Take Advantage of Prince Buelow's Visit to Eternal City.

Rome, Nov. 8.—Another result of the Czar's visit is the announcement that Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German Chancellor, was to take advantage of Prince Buelow's presence in the Eternal City to obtain under his guidance an easy familiarity with the cream of Roman society. It appears, however, that the German Chancellor will not be here until the end of winter or beginning of Easter. The meeting of the Reichstag and other pressing duties prevent him from leaving Germany. When, nevertheless, Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg does come to Rome he will not need, or even desire, Prince Buelow's assistance. It is said that the great object of the German Chancellor will be to make himself agreeable to the Pope and the Cardinal Secretary, Monsignor Merry del Val. The policy of the Wilhelmstrasse seems just now to win back the favor and support of the Catholic Center party. Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg hopes to play his political cards so as to renew with the Center the relations which Prince Buelow broke off, and to constitute a parliamentary majority with Catholics and Conservatives. It is also believed here that the German Chancellor's visit is in part due, at least to observe the effect of the Czar's visit.

### STERLING VIEW.

Hon. C. T. Paul, land agent, abstractor, mayor and good fellow, spent a big portion of Thursday in the bustling county seat of Sterling county, the same being, of course, Sterling City. Mr. Paul went there for the purpose of officiating at a christening and also to look over the townsite property his company owns in that place.

"We have decided to name our property Sterling View addition, and I think that we hit upon a rather appropriate name, for the land that we own is jam up against the present town-

and is so close to the court house that one can stand on the property and have a clear view of the place. "Incidentally we are now hard at work, using nine men, in grading and platting the property, and will soon have it ready to place on the market. We have just about the only desirable property that can be bought around Sterling City and I am sure that our judgment will be proven good when the time comes for people to settle in that section, as they will surely do."

### Charter Granted.

Special to The Press-News. Austin, Nov. 8.—A charter was granted today to the Fair Park Company of San Angelo. It is chartered for \$5,000.

# IMPRISONED MEN FLAMES' VICTIM

NINE LIVES LOST IN FACTORY FIRE IN NEW YORK.

# FORTY ARE INJURED

Doors Cut Off by Blaze and Windows Prevent Escape on Account of Having Iron Bars.

New York, Nov. 8.—Bars across windows, blocking all means of escape, nine people were burned to death and forty injured in a fire here today which destroyed a factory building at 150-152 Columbia street, occupied by Robert Morrison & Son. The dead:

- William Morrison. Frank Crescelene. Dick Malazzo. Pasquale Malazzo. Frederick Sigenthaler. Frank Mardonis. Thomas Mardonis. Amelio Bosse. One unidentified.

The fire was under good headway before noticed, and the building was so arranged that it was impossible to reach any of the entrances without going through the flames. The windows were accessible, but all efforts on the part of the terror-stricken men to break the bars were of no avail.

Some attempted to rush through the flames but were burned to death before reaching the doors.

### Horse Show.

New York, Nov. 8.—The fashionable horse show opened at Madison Square Garden today. Among the out of town people present were Mrs. C. H. Thomas of San Antonio, Texas, Miss Clarice Ballard of Baton Rouge, and Miss Estopinal, daughter of Congressman Estopinal, of New Orleans.

### Injured.

New York, Nov. 8.—Dr. Carlos McDonald, the noted alienist who took part in the Thaw trial, was seriously injured in an automobile smashup here today.

# HOSPITAL FUND WILL BE RAISED THIS WEEK

Hard Campaign in Collecting Bonus Subscriptions is Bringing in Good Returns.

Attorney J. J. Neill, who represents the Sisters of San Antonio, who are desirous of building a \$30,000 hospital here, states that the indications now are that the entire amount of the \$15,000 bonus asked and which has been subscribed, will be paid in by the end of this week.

"The hard campaign in collecting this money that has been waged is securing results," he says, "and some of the heavy subscribers who have been for one reason or another holding back, have come around nicely and have paid the amount of their subscriptions during the last day or two."

### Papers Sealed.

New York, Nov. 8.—The papers granting Mrs. John Jacob Astor a divorce were filed today, but they are sealed and the testimony is kept from the reporters.

# WINTERS SETS GOOD EXAMPLE

WILL MARKET 12,000 BALES COTTON THIS YEAR.

# VERY LOW ESTIMATE

Producers Will Receive About \$50,000 For Their Offerings—Lawson O. Dailey Talks.

"I was in Winters Friday and I have never before seen a place that has grown so steadily," said Lawson O. Dailey, Saturday. "In Winters today there are 1800 people, but this number is increasing almost daily. But that isn't the big thing of the city. Winters this year will market no less than 12,000 bales of cotton. Figure this out and you will see that the farmers, the fellows who produce something and whose prosperity is not contingent upon the influx of newcomers, will get something like \$340,000 for this cotton, upon a very low estimate.

"This is a per capita wealth of nearly \$500 per head for every man, woman and child in Winters. A study of this economic condition ought to arouse a keen interest of every one in San Angelo to the vast possibilities that are at our very door in a farming way. Just suppose, for instance, that every acre of land immediately tributary to San Angelo should be made to produce even as much as \$10 an acre—and even with the rough lands counted, that is a low average for this city—how much would be spent in this city? It would run into the millions upon millions, and the banks here would have to buy bigger safes, the merchants would have to use larger stores and the grocery store men would have to buy in car lots the year round.

### Teaches Lesson.

"Winters teaches a lesson easily learned and it is a lesson that we all should learn with great profit to ourselves. The wealth of a community lies not in its richest citizens, nor in its most progressive citizens, but it does and must lie in the resources of a city that are wealth producing. The earth gives up her treasures unstintingly to who are willing to work. In fact, the earth where original wealth is found, and manufacturing, that transforms raw materials into merchantable commodities, are the only two wealth producing sources in this section. If we would attain our manifest destiny we have got to make the necessary investigation to bring forth the true possibilities of this section, and once let us get our land settled with a working people, San Angelo will be in the center of a million people, none of whom will live more than 75 miles from here in less than ten years. We can do it. Will we?"

# CURB BROKER HAS A CHANCE

COTTON OIL COMPANY TRYS TO STOP HIM WITH PROCESS.

# COURT ISSUES ORDER

Company is Temporarily Restrained From Interfering With Man Who Buys On the Streets.

Austin, Nov. 8.—The Farmers & Gliners Cotton Oil Company this afternoon was temporarily restrained by district court order from interfering with W. T. Caswell, a cotton broker in the local curb market. J. L. Hunter is president of the company, and J. C. Shooter is agent.

The dispute between the rival buyers involves the right in public highway where farmers offer cotton for sale.

### Liquidation.

Celina, Tex., Nov. 8.—The First National Bank is to be liquidated immediately.

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New York, Nov. 6.—The fuel problem now confronting the big railroads of the United States as well as the manufacturers. The individual consumer has been worrying with the question for some time, but his kick about the constantly increasing price has availed him little, the coal concerns simply ignoring his demands and showing contempt for his futile protest by tacking an additional 10 or 15 cents per ton to the price already paying. When he tells the local dealer that in Philadelphia the same quality of coal is selling for 5 cents less on the ton than he is paying, he is told that the difference in price is due to the longer freight haul. Although coal is more easily transported to New York, and the facilities for handling the product here are greater than anywhere else in the country, this argument falls flat and the poor consumer goes on paying the same regularly increasing price. Now, however, a big change is likely to take place, because the railroads themselves are hard hit.  
Although many of the eastern railroads own or control indirectly great mines, there are many more big transportation companies which have been compelled to purchase outright the coal consumed by their respective roads. A system has just been introduced whereby the railroads of the United States have inaugurated what is known as specialized societies, in their different roads. All these societies have now been organized into one body, called the International Railway Fuel Association. Its duties and object are to advance the interests of its members in an educational way, looking to the adoption of the best methods in purchasing, inspecting, weighing, distributing, handling and accounting for fuel. Included in the membership are officers of railroads and their assistants.  
I had a long talk with a prominent eastern railroad man this week about his organization. He is interested in advancing the entire section west of the Mississippi. He told me it had been an absolute necessity on the part of the railroads to better inform themselves on the fuel question. "You understand how deeply we must be interested in this problem," said he, "then I tell you that we spend approximately \$190,000,000 annually for coal the mines. Then you must add to this \$90,000,000 more to cover the expense of conveying the coal from the mining section.  
In talking with a prominent United States senator from the south about the fuel question, he told me the government would in all probability take prominent hand in the future development of the coal fields of the country. He expects some action at the lines to the point of consumption, and transferring it from cars to engine tenders, with the further item of counting and general supervision expense. This, you see, brings the total fuel bill of the steam railroads in the United States to nearly \$300,000,000 a year when general business is prosperous."  
This alleged freight car shortage continues to be the topic much discussed by most shippers of the east, and the persistent story that in the distant west there are no empty cars brings all sorts of inquiring letters and telegrams to New York. I had talk with Interstate Commerce Commissioner Charles A. Prouty the other day on this subject. He has just returned from Spokane, Seattle and other western cities, with other members of the commission. He said he could not see any car shortage in the Pacific coast section, although there are signs of freight congestion in the middle west and southwest. He told me the different big railroad companies are buying land for terminals in the Pacific coast region. This seems to be the basis of all the cry about car shortage. Judge Prouty is evidently toward the proposed interstate commerce court. That is, he takes the position that if there is to be a court of review of the orders of the commission, it can be obtained more expeditiously by a special act than otherwise.  
Under the interstate commerce court system there would be no question as to where to fix responsibility for any court decisions. Under the present system this is not possible.  
Railroad officials of the east seem very much worried over the cut in freight rates by the New Orleans, the Mobile Central, the Mobile & Ohio and the Louisville and Nashville railroads. These roads issue their challenge to the eastern trunk lines by announcing the lower rate on sugar from New

Orleans to the points in the Central Freight association territory. One of the vice presidents of a trunk line out of Chicago, who has gone over the situation carefully, told me this rate will affect all points in Ohio, Indiana and Detroit, except those on the Ohio river. This new rate will go into effect November 27, and it is designed to increase sugar shipments from New Orleans. I also learn from this railroad man that it is altogether probable that the eastern roads will meet the new rate even at the risk of a freight war, and that when the trunk lines take action they will undoubtedly be followed by the ocean and air lines. He said: "The railroads in the east fear that this is an entering wedge into the whole construction of rates, and will be followed by a demand for lower rates on other commodities from other commodities from New Orleans. This, he contended, will further complicate matters with the beet sugar men in Michigan, who will naturally demand a lower rate. I find every railroad man in this city with whom I have talked believes serious trouble is near at hand between shipper and transportation lines."  
Col. J. M. Wilkinson of Valdosta, Ga., a director of the Georgia and Florida railway, who was in the city the other day, is very enthusiastic over the outlook of business in the south, especially in Georgia and Florida.  
"Those states," he told me, "are developing more rapidly than ever before. Reports of damage to cotton do not apply to Southern Georgia. The yield this year will be of record-breaking proportions, and the farmers will receive unusually high prices for the product. The corn crop also is heavy and bringing good prices. Rosin and turpentine have advanced tremendously in price, and they are being sold as fast as deliveries can be made. Lumber is bringing \$2 and \$3 a thousand feet more than it did a few months ago. Cheerfulness and real contentment prevail in the farming communities. The railroads have enlarged facilities and shipments are no made at greater dispatch than ever before. Farmers have money and are enjoying the luxuries of life almost like New Yorkers."

**Agro.**  
A big wholesale fruit dealer in the Washington market of this city tells me that apple buyers are scouring Missouri and Kansas orchards, trying to get sufficient fruit to fill orders which they have received from New York markets. The fact that these orchards are producing less than half an ordinary crop and that the Missouri yield outside the Ozark district will hardly be 45 per cent of a crop, shows that there is an exceptional shortage. The Ozark crop this year is estimated at about 2500 carloads. About 30,000 barrels, my informant tells me, will go into storage at Springfield, and probably an additional 100,000 barrels will be stored in Kansas City. The Missouri apple is very popular among the big hotels of this city.  
Pineapples of unusually good quality are now coming in from Florida in consolidated car lot shipments from the Florida Shippers' Dispatch. Local wholesale men say that this new service has enabled them to get ripe fruit instead of green. Now that the pines are allowed to mature before cutting, the quality is better and the demand is growing for this particular Florida fruit. He called my attention to the fact that the plan adopted by shippers of various states forming combinations whereby the total output of that state was handled direct, is far more satisfactory than the old-time methods still followed by a few individual shippers.

**Boycott.**  
Singapore, Nov. 6.—Esimarries from Canton have been stirring up a Chinese boycott of the Japanese in the Straits settlements.  
There have been disturbances at Penang and Perak. At the latter place the Chinamen insulted the protector of Chinese, and attacked Japanese women. Rigid repressive measures are being taken.  
Disturbances of a different character are reported from Selangor, where the Jiriksha pulled attacked a motor omnibus. Three of the rioters were shot, one mortally.  
The authorities have taken strong action to quell the disorders.  
**Zionism.**  
Constantinople, Nov. 6.—A partial realization of Zionism is preferred by the Young Turk party, as the Turkish minister of Pious foundations, Hamada Pasha, has resolved to invite Jews of all countries who are seeking a new home in Palestine to colonize the stretch of land, near the route of the Baghdad railway, now under course of construction, extending along the valley of the Euphrates from Aleppo

# RAILROADS AND THE PEOPLE

The following is the fourth of a series of articles prepared by The Press-News, dealing with a subject in which the west has a vital interest. As has been stated before, the greatest care has been exercised in the preparation of these articles to give exact facts and to draw only natural and entirely logical deductions. West Texas must take the lead in creating a better understanding of the great problem of transportation. Sometimes ignorance of conditions will induce honest men to apply drastic remedies to mild diseases. Such incidents are always followed by greater harm than can be reckoned offhand. The Press-News believes that a lucid understanding of the relations that should prevail between the railroads that serve the people and the people who are served by the railroads, or who want to be served by the railroads, will result only in great good. The transportation problem is as many-sided as there are avenues of human endeavor. But the doctrine of the Golden Rule is big enough to fit every form of human activity and is broad enough to apply to every form of human endeavor.

The land owner is the man who reaps the first reward when a railroad enters a new section of the country. For that reason he would naturally be expected to be the great friend of the transportation system, and yet, strange as it may seem, many of this class of people have been found in the last few years in the forefront of the ranks of the people fighting the railway systems.  
There are a great many examples in Texas alone of the almost magical increase in land values because of railroad building. Perhaps no more striking example of this could be found than along the line of the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico railway, which skirts the Gulf coast from Houston to Brownsville. This being about the last railroad enterprise undertaken in Texas, it is a fair one to draw conclusions from.  
Before that line was constructed lands were changing hands, even down in that wonderfully rich lower Rio Grande valley, at anywhere from \$1 to \$2 per acre. Now, in a very few years, some of these values are as high as \$50 an acre, and where irrigation has been supplied the price has gone as high as \$150. In speaking of this locality in an address before the Farmers' Union and Commercial Clubs at Fort Worth last year, Mr. E. F. Yoakum, chairman of the executive committee of the Rock Island-Frisco lines, had this to say:  
"That great rich country, and it is a great and rich country, had for all time remained idle and useless to the human family, and especially to the Texans—a country as rich as the alluvial Nile, but it is no more fertile now than it was four years ago; it is simply supplied with the one vital element—railroad transportation—which has given it an opportunity to show to the world its great wealth that had waited so long to put forth its strength and ability to do its share towards supplying the 85,000,000 people who are now beginning to look to Texas for their early supply of farm and garden products."  
What greater accomplishments could be accredited to the railroads than is shown in this one line. As Mr. Yoakum says, there was a country as rich as the alluvial Nile, but it was shut off from communication with the outside world, hence it was simply lying there giving of its sustenance to mesquite and cactus, neither of which was serving any very good purpose in the world. Now the visitor may find all this transformed into a beautiful garden, where in the mid-winter months the green stuff for the North is supplied.

In the same address in Fort Worth, Mr. Yoakum called attention to the Panhandle country of Texas, a section very similar to that west of us, but which we selfishly do not believe is as rich. He showed how the invasion of the Rock Island-Frisco lines and the

Fort Worth & Denver road has brought greatly enhanced values to all the lands in that part of the state. In the few years that have passed since these rails were laid these prices have gone to as high as \$40 an acre and in many cases close to the towns even more than that.  
There are instances, and very recent ones, in this great Panhandle country where land that but a few years ago could be had at \$2 or \$3 an acre, has been sold for town lot purposes as high as \$1,000 an acre. Many men who owned big ranches from which they reaped but small returns have grown immensely wealthy from increase in values of their lands due to railroad invasion. Some of these men now live in palatial homes in Amarillo with nothing more exacting to do than keep tabs on the interest on their investments.  
Would not our own rich country to the west show at least a repetition of these splendid results under similar conditions? We are sure they would. As intimated above, we believe there is no richer farming section to be found than some of these splendid counties west of us. All in the world they need is communication with the markets. Nature has bounteously supplied all the rest. We now hope to see the people of the state sufficiently aroused to their own interests to demand the enactment of laws that will make certain our needed railroad extensions. Certainly the men who own these lands should be the first to take up this fight. We believe when they have duly considered the question that they will be found working just as hard for these desired changes as they seemed to be working a short while back for the restriction of the business of the roads.  
Restrictive laws are all right and are necessary within reason. We no more desire to turn over this country to the railroad corporations than does any reader of our paper, and we do not believe there are half a dozen railroad builders in the country that are anxious to take any advantage what ever of our state or any other state. We have too much confidence in the men who have money to invest to expect them to do the foolish thing that might bring trouble to them later.  
Just as a hint of what West Texas might expect, let us say 3000 miles of road must be built in this west half of the commonwealth. Taking only those lands within ten miles of either side of the right of way there would be included 12,800 acres to the mile, or 38,400,000 acres for the 300 miles. If we place the increase in value at only \$5 an acre, you find the astonishing total of \$192,000,000.  
As we say, this is just a hint. Five dollars would nowhere near cover the increase, and the increase would not be confined to ten miles on either side of the right of way. Should not the land owner be interested in more railroads in West Texas?

# FRENCH AVIATOR BREAKS RECORD

In His Aeroplane He Ascends a Distance of 960 Feet—Machine Under Good Control.  
Publishers Press.  
London, Nov. 6.—M. Paul Han, a French aviator, today broke all high flying records in an aeroplane, when he ascended a distance of 960 feet. He had his machine under excellent control and he alighted to the ground a great deal more gracefully than a rocky lily aways in a high wind.

**Stocks.**  
Publishers Press.  
New York, Nov. 6.—The stock market, as a general thing, ruled steady all day, though there were sharp declines and wide fluctuations during the two hours this morning. It was reported that the discount of the Bank of Germany will be raised Monday and this report was the occasion for more or less uneasiness.

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Pennsylvania attracted considerable attention, but it was from sellers and not buyers, and as a result this stock displayed considerable weakness. Union Pacific and Southern Pacific made fractional gains early in the day, which later were wiped out by subsequent transactions. Steel common and Colorado Fuel and Iron sagged heavily and selling orders carried to a lower level even such strong favorites as Amalgamated Copper, Reading and Smelting.  
A report was widely current that the Santa Fe is negotiating to purchase several Atlantic coast steamship lines and that President Ripley of that system is hurrying to New York to attend the final details of this purchase, but it had absolutely no discernible effect on that stock.  
Government bonds remain unchanged, while other bonds ruled very irregular. No call money was quoted.

# TEXAS FLAG IN NEW YORK CITY

It Will Float From Top of Pulitzer Building, the Home of the New York World.  
Austin, Nov. 8.—The Texas flag will hereafter float to the breezes of Manhattan Island, from the top of the Pulitzer building, the home of the New York World. The governor has just received a letter from E. A. Pratt of New York, superintendent of the Pulitzer building, in which he makes a request for a Texas flag to hoist on the building along with the national flag and that of other countries. As Texas is one of only a few of the states in the Union that boasts of a flag, the state emblem seems to be in great demand. It was only a short time ago that a request was made for a Texas flag to fly over the United States consulate at Shanghai, China. The letter to the governor was referred to Captain Day, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, and that official said he would send the flag as requested at once. In this letter Mr. Pratt writes:  
"Hereafter, on certain days, I want to fly the state flags with our own national colors and flags of foreign countries. Will you furnish me the Texas state flag, size 8x12, or about that size, and a list of special state holidays that are celebrated in Texas, and as far as possible, I will see that same is put up with the American flag on this building when the date does not interfere with other arrangements."  
"As the population of this city is made up from every state in the Union, and every country on earth, this will please some, and teach others the flags and holidays celebrated."

# DRESSES AS ARAB TO ENTER COUNTRY

Douglas Carruthers First White Man to Penetrate the Border of Desert of Great West.  
Publishers Press.  
London, Nov. 8.—Douglas Carruthers just returned from an interesting expedition to Central Arabia and is the first white man to penetrate to the border of the "desert of the great west." Dressed as an Arab, he lived for some time as a Bedouin with the nomad tribes, it being only by this

means that he got into the country. The journey was one of much hardship, owing to the absence of water and the constant warfare among the tribes. He succeeded in following entirely new country, in which he covered over 600 miles. This region was roughly mapped. Mr. Carruthers found his chief danger arose from Bedouin raids. "The fighting propensities of these people," he said, "can not be exaggerated."

# STEINHEIL TRIAL CREATES SCENE ON FIRST ROUND

Publishers Press.  
Paris, Nov. 4.—Count on Paris when you want a sensation is an old saying that was dramatically illustrated here today. During the trial of Madam Steinheil, the bewitchingly beautiful woman of great wealth who is charged with having strangled her husband and step-mother to death in order that she could marry Maurice Boreder, a wealthy merchant, a man arose in the audience and with profuse gestures and excellent staging shouted at French:  
"I am the real murderer; she is innocent. Let your vengeance be against me."  
At once the whole court room became a seething turmoil. Madam Steinheil, who was on the stand repeating every few minutes, "I am innocent," was overcome with emotion and fainted away in a manner that was intensely excellent.  
The gendarmes at once seized the man who claimed that he had committed the horrible crime with which Madam Steinheil stands charged.  
When searched a wig was found in the pocket of the man, and he claimed that he had worn this wig on the night of the double murder.  
Judge Devalles of the Seine court, before whom the case is being tried, is one of the most matter of fact judges in all France. Instead of seizing this brilliant opportunity to enact a dramatic denouement the jurist merely shrugged his shoulders and declared that in his opinion the man had planned one great big hoax.  
"Put that man in jail for wounding the feelings of the court and interrupting the trial of this case," he said, with judicial coldness, and then turning to the beautiful witness-defendant he said: "Madam, when you have concluded your whiffing of the smelling salts you will proceed with the testimony."  
Madam Steinheil was apparently greatly put out because the court persisted in its refusal to believe her statement and to further disbelieve the statement of the man who proclaimed with such thrilling accompaniments that he was the red-handed villain who had done the strangling.

# CUNNINGHAM ELECTED.

Cum gratia, Tex., Nov. 6.—W. B. Cunningham was today elected president of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank.  
**ABSORBED.**  
Publishers Press.  
Stamford, Conn., Nov. 6.—The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad has absorbed the Stamford & Northwestern railroad. The following officers were elected: President, Geo. Harris, New York; vice president, D. R. Keeler, Fort Worth; treasurer, S. M. Hudson, Fort Worth; secretary, J. Y. McCuneo, Fort Worth.



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**MESSAGE OF PRES. TAFT**

THINGS THAT HIS BUDGET TO CONGRESS WILL CONTAIN.

**INDICATED BY SPEECHES**

Postal Savings Banks, Waterways Improvements, Establishment Ship Subsidies, Etc.

Publishers Press. Washington, Nov. 8.—As indicated by speeches, Taft will recommend the following to congress in his message next month:

Establishment of postal savings banks, appropriation for inland waterways improvements, extension of power of interstate commerce commission, reorganization of bureau of commerce and labor, establishment of ship subsidies and amendments to anti-trust act.

**End of Southern Trip.**

Publishers Press. Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 8.—Taft will spend Tuesday here and Wednesday in Richmond, Va., and then go to Washington.

**ORGANIST.**

**Dr. Baldwin Will Be in San Angelo Nov. 11 and 12.**

Dr. Minor C. Baldwin, recognized as the world's greatest organist, is to give two recitals in San Angelo, under the auspices of the First Presbyterian church. He will be heard on the nights of Nov. 11 and 12, and that he will face one of the largest gatherings in the history of San Angelo is a foregone conclusion.

Dr. Baldwin has been in San Angelo before, and therefore the people know in advance just what to expect when announcement is made that he is coming. In fact, it promises to be the most select event of the season.

Wherever he goes Dr. Baldwin is greeted by packed houses, and the press always speaks well of his entertainments.

H. K. Lauffin left Tuesday afternoon for San Antonio to visit the fair.

**BANK & TRUST CO GIVES BANQUET**

STOCKHOLDERS AND THEIR FAMILIES ENTERTAINED.

**SPECIAL SHOW AT YALE**

Entire Evening Spent in Most Enjoyable Manner—Occasion One Long to Be Remembered.

Following a custom agreed up on a year ago, the stockholders of the San Angelo Bank & Trust Company, with their families, held a banquet Monday night, this being the forerunner of the annual meeting that is to be held Tuesday morning in the offices of the company.

The banquet was held at the opera house and about 200 were present, the occasion being one that will long be remembered. The room was prettily decorated and on the tables were several beautiful bouquets of roses.

Col. Walsh, who has so successfully directed the affairs of the institution, was named as toastmaster, and while the different courses were being served, some jolly and some serious toasts were responded to. In the main the responses were along business lines, dealing with banking in all of its branches.

Joseph Spence, Jr., whose subject was "The History of Banking in San Angelo," told of the first bank the city had, then the second, and so on. He complimented Col. Walsh for the manner in which he has conducted the affairs of the San Angelo Bank & Trust Company, and commented on its rapid growth and advancement.

Col. Walsh read the report of the president and cashier, which was unanimously adopted, after which adoration was taken to the Yale theater, where a special bill was given for the party. This proved to be a most enjoyable feature, and one that was especially appreciated by the ladies.

The stockholders of the bank will meet Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of taking up the annual reports and attending to such other matters as may come up for consideration.

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**CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE GIVEN**

NOTHING CONCLUSIVE YET IN STEINHEIL CASE.

**REPORTER ON THE STAND**

Fred K. Burlington, American Newspaper Man, Asked to Tell All He Knows About the Affair.

Publishers Press.

Paris, Nov. 8.—After three days of hard and acute interrogation Madam Stenheil is much fatigued, but was brought back to the court room today. The interest and sentiment in the case is still running higher. People from all parts of the world are coming to hear probably the greatest criminal case in the history of the world. Another great attractive element that this trial has is the remarkability of Madam Stenheil. She is beautiful, pitiful and strange. Her traits are of no likeness to any other person who has undergone a trial for life as she is doing. Seated in the dock, she is calm and seems to be in a normal state. At times when unsuitable answers are made to questions, she breaks out in a meek voice and contradicts. She is always very attentive to every word of testimony.

There were several very important witnesses on the stand today, whose testimony will have a great bearing in the case.

Nothing conclusive has been shown against the woman, circumstantial evidence being given for the most part. This, however is having a very potent place in the trial.

One of the witnesses today was Fred K. Burlington, an American newspaper man who came from New York to investigate the case.

There is much gossip recalling intrigues of Madame Stenheil with famous men of affairs in Europe, for which she has been disowned by her family.

**SANTA FE.**

Work Starts Soon On Line From Lubbock to New Mexico.

From Lubbock to Roswell, N. M., is to be built a railroad line. This road will be constructed by the Santa Fe. It is a distance of about 400 miles over some pretty rough land.

J. L. Ward of Lubbock, was in the city Tuesday on business. While he was in San Angelo on entirely other business than railroad matters, he had something to say in regard to that line.

"President Ripley, of the Santa Fe, was in Lubbock a few days ago," he said, "and was looking over that new line. He said while there that the construction of the road would begin in about two weeks. That has been a week ago, so it leaves about one week yet till the work will begin."

"This line will open up a lot of new territory that will be very great for the surrounding country."

**NEGRO BAPTISTS.**

William Massey, pastor of St. Paul's Baptist church, colored, is making an effort to raise a fund of about \$2500 for the purpose of building a new church. He says the members of the church have subscribed about \$500, and some money has been promised from other sources.

He points out that the African Methodist church has recently completed a handsome structure, and that the New Hope Baptists have also built a new church.

The building occupied by his congregation, he says, is unsightly and does not meet the requirements of the rapidly increasing membership.

He asks that the white people of the city help him in this undertaking. Several have already made their subscriptions, but more are needed. Without the help of the white people his plans may fall through.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

Paul Abstract & Title Company's report of real estate transfers recorded November 9:

West Heights Land Company to Dave Smith, \$110. Conveys lot 1, in block 18, West Heights addition. T. J. Spiller et ux to Walter S. Macdonald, \$3425. Conveys 1 4886-5645 acres out of survey 121 1-2, Jas Williams.

**COTTON MARKET EXPERIENCES A HEAVY DECLINE**

Publishers Press.

New York, Nov. 8.—Breaking from twenty-two to thirty-eight points, the cotton market experienced a most sensational smash this morning. The report from the census bureau was not a factor and had absolutely no effect on trading. December sold for 14 cents on call and later January fell below that level.

While the market was being hammered and excitement was at its height, Wall street stepped in and was a heavy buyer on the decline. The market was dominated by a fear of weakness in spot cotton, advices from the South saying that holders of spot were uneasy.

This afternoon the market became heavy after a slight rally, but prices continued erratic.

Exports for the day amounted to 54,195 bales. Spot 14:20; Liverpool spot quiet at 7 56 d.

**Stocks.**

Publishers Press. New York, Nov. 8.—An irregular movement characterized the stock market today. Amalgamated copper advanced three points, while Colorado Fuel and Iron was strong.

The Bank of Germany did not raise its rate and this caused some covering by shorts.

A short spurt of buying caused the Union Pacific to advance a point. London bought Rock Island, steel and Southern Railroad, with profit taking this afternoon in Rock Island and Union Pacific. Selling was vigorous in the last hour.

Governments unchanged, others firm. Call four.

**Mining Stock.**

Publishers Press.

New York, Oct. 8.—A big smash developed in Ely Central, a curb market mining stock, this afternoon. The stock started at 50 cents a share a fortnight ago and advanced to \$4.25. In the selling movement today it was forced down to \$1.50, but it later recovered somewhat.

The Rawhide coalition sold from \$1.50 down to 20 cents a share.

Both stocks are promoted by Nat Goodwin, the actor.

**Baldwin Recital.**

In speaking of Dr. Minor C. Baldwin, who will give two recitals in San Angelo, the dates being November 11 and 12, the Houston Post says:

"Last week will long be remembered as a season of sweet melody. The crowning musical event was of course the organ recitals. The magnet that swelled the audience to the four-figure mark was the famous organist, Dr. Minor C. Baldwin, whose fame is the nation's possession. Who shall attempt to describe that wonderful playing? Such mastery of the multitudinous of stops and pedals, such delicate shading, such strength and power."

**Opens Office.**

Caroline L. Mitchell, who was for several years assistant physician at the state insane asylum at Austin, has opened an office over the Owl drug store for the treatment of diseases peculiar to women and children.

**SLOW DRIVING.**

Montana Official Arrested for Not Going Fast Enough to Butte.

Butte, Mon., Nov. 9.—Assistant Attorney General W. D. Murphy, Col. Tom McTague, warden of the penitentiary, and several companions, after an automobile drive from Anaconda to Butte, were arrested on arrival in this city for driving too slow up one of the principal streets.

Mr. Murphy convinced the arresting officer that there was no law against driving a motor car too slow and obtained the release of his friends and himself. The machine had run low on gasoline and in a labored effort to climb the hill into the center of town they obstructed and impeded traffic.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

Paul Abstract & Title Company's report of real estate transfers recorded November 9:

W. A. Cochran et al to P. S. Head, \$2250. Conveys lots 19, 11, 12 and 13, in block 61, Ft. Concho addition. West Texas Land Co. to G. W. Tyrone, \$200. Conveys lots 4 and 5, in block 19, West Heights addition. West Heights Land Company to J. P. Luckey, \$100. Conveys lot 5 in block 23, West Heights addition.

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**LORD ROBERTS TAKES INTEREST IN BOYS**

Offers Book and Prize to the Student Making Best Advance Average at Bishop Foy School.

Publishers Press.

Dublin, Nov. 8.—Lord Roberts, on the occasion of his recent visit to Waterford (to which city his family belongs, made arrangements for the erection of a monument in the old Abbey church in memory of his only son, who was killed in South Africa. During his visit to the city Lord Roberts showed great interest in the educational work that was being done at the Bishop Foy High School for boys, and learned from the Bishop of Cashel that he (the Bishop) annually gives a prize for the best essay, and that the subject of the year's essay was "The Best Way to Defend One's Country." The gallant field marshal expressed great delight and at once offered a copy of his book, Forty-one Years in India, and an additional prize to the boy who was considered the best all-round pupil in the school.

**"False Gods."**

Publishers Press.

New York, Nov. 8.—Arrangements are under way to produce "False Gods" in America with E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe in the cast. The play is by M. Brieux and was well received in London.

**MILITARY COMPANY MEETS WEDNESDAY**

Committee Appointed to Secure Location for Armory Will Make Its Report.

Publishers Press.

In the court house Wednesday night the regular meeting of the military company will be held. At this time a report on the armory will be made by the committee that was appointed to make a selection.

At the last meeting a great many men were examined and enlisted in the company. Owing to the snow in the city that night, however, many of those who would have enlisted were not present. These will no doubt be present Wednesday night and become full-fledged soldiers of the Texas National Guard. The meetings have been very lively and great interest is being taken in them. If the present progress keeps up one of the best companies in Texas will be organized and located right here in San Angelo.

Col. H. L. Calhoun, a capitalist, coal baron and ice king of Fort Worth, spent three hours in San Angelo Sunday, returning to his home city after an outing in the Devil's River country.

Abe Mayer left Monday for the Mayer ranch, in Schleicher county, where he goes for the purpose of moving 250 head of steers to his brother's ranch.

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## COOK HAS KEY TO STEINHEIL MURDER CASE

ADDS SENSATION TO TRIAL WHEN HE SAYS ADOLPH MIGHT NOT HAVE KNOWN CALLERS.

## STEADFASTLY REFUSES TO DIVULGE ANY NAMES

Prosecuting Attorney, for Fear of Starting Grave Scandal, Ceases Inquiring About Lovers. Famous Statesmen.

Publishers Press. Paris, Nov. 10.—Marietta Wolf, the Steinheil cook, added another sensational chapter to the Steinheil murder case today when she testified that she did not know whether Adolph Steinheil knew of his wife's admirers or not.

The cook fought bravely for her mistress and refused to give the names of the rich men who paid court to Madame Steinheil.

The cook holds the key to the mystery. The prosecuting attorney, fearing a grave national scandal, ceased trying to get the names of the lovers of Madame Steinheil.

It is now believed that she really ruled France through her influence over her numerous lovers, for a long time. The names of peers and statesmen famous the world over would be mentioned if the scandal were fully exposed.

### For Warehouse.

Publishers Press. San Antonio, Nov. 10.—A campaign to raise the price of mohair was started here today by the National Mohair Growers' Association at a meeting in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, and plans were made for the erection of a central warehouse in the East.

A denial was made of the report that the formation of a trust was intended.

## JOHN W. GATES STARTS ON TRIP THROUGH TEXAS

Publishers Press. New York, Nov. 10.—John W. Gates left tonight for a trip through Texas. He will travel over a goodly portion of the state, making investigations of his properties there.

Mr. Gates will likely be gone several months, as he has a lot of business on hand in Texas.

### Mrs. Grant Dies.

Publishers Press. San Diego, Cal., Nov. 10.—Mrs. U. S. Grant, wife of the second son of Gen. Grant, died today at the age of 53.

### STEEL CORPORATION.

Declared to Be the Worst Foe of Union Labor.

Publishers Press. Toronto, Nov. 10.—The resolutions before the American Federation of Labor today called the steel corporation the worst foe to the union labor in America.

### STOCKHOLDERS.

T. & B. V. Officials Re-elected at Annual Meeting.

Special to The Press-News. Houston, Nov. 10.—R. H. Baker was re-elected president of the Trinity and Brazos Valley railroad at the stockholders' meeting here today. All former directors and other officials were also re-elected.

Fourteen Killed. Publishers Press. Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 10.—Fourteen were killed today when a freight car hit a passenger car of the British Columbia Electric railway.

## TAFT IS HEADED FOR WASHINGTON

TRIP COMES TO AN END FOLLOWING RICHMOND ADDRESS.

## TALKS WITH HIS WIFE

Gets in Communication By Phone. Members of Party Glad That Tour is All Over.

Publishers Press. Richmond, Nov. 10.—President Taft's record breaking tour of the country is at an end. It closed this afternoon with an address to a great throng at the auditorium in this city, directly after which the president boarded a train for Washington.

The president talked with his wife for the first time in two months today. He called her over the telephone and for several minutes they were in conversation. He breakfasted at the governor's mansion today. Members of the party are glad that the trip is ended. They have been cutting dinners right and left during the last few days of their journey, and they have declared that they will fast for a week or more when they reach their homes.

### Home.

Publishers Press. Washington, Nov. 10.—President Taft arrived here tonight from Richmond to spend about twenty-four hours in the capital city. He received a great welcome by all the members of the cabinet.

## MORE COTTON THAN SHIPS CAN HANDLE

NINE MILLION DOLLARS WORTH NOW AWAITING TRANSPORTATION AT SAVANNAH, GA.

## CRISIS REACHED FOR THE PRESENT SEASON

About 175,000 Bales Stacked Up at Steamship and Railroad Terminals—Fire Would Bankrupt Houses.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 10.—The crisis of cotton congregating here at railroad and steamship terminals was reached today when about nine million dollars worth could not be removed.

Only a short time ago the biggest cargo of cotton ever shipped from Savannah was loaded out for the foreign countries. Today thousands of bales were sent across the water, but after the great toll, trying to get all of it loaded, it was discovered that about 175,000 bales could not be shipped.

This cotton is ready for the markets in the Eastern hemisphere as soon as ships can get here to take it over.

If fire should happen to break out in this large amount of cotton many cotton houses would be thrown into bankruptcy.

## SCIENTISTS NOW HAPPY

FINDING OF LIZARD MAY SOLVE MUCH MOOTED QUESTION.

## THEORY IS ADVANCED

Believed That This Furnishes Missing Link Between Reptiles and Animals.

Publishers Press. Chicago, Nov. 10.—In an enormous lizard which was unearthed near the Wichita river in Northwestern Texas today, scientists, who have been searching since Darwin advanced an evolution, think they have the missing link between reptiles and animals, and all scientists here agree to the theory.

Professor Samuel Welstob, of the University of Chicago, is the discoverer of the monster reptile, according to announcement. While searching the land near the Wichita river, the professor unearthed the lizard, the remains of which had been kept intact by clay. These reptiles lived fifteen million years ago, the scientists say.

### New Train.

Publishers Press. Chicago, Nov. 10.—A new train will be put on between this city and California January 1 by the Santa Fe, according to announcement made today, and the trip will be made in seventy-two hours.

## LITTLE BOUQUET FOR WASHINGTON

Texas Man Appreciates Consideration Given Traveling Public by Capital City

Publishers Press. Washington, Nov. 10.—"I think that Washington's chief claim to the consideration of the traveling public is the uniform spirit of courtesy that prevails." This little bouquet was thrown at the capital city by G. W. Kenney of Dallas, Texas.

"I have visited Washington several times," said Mr. Kenney, "and I have yet to meet an instance of discourtesy. In the hotels in the theaters and on the streets a stranger is made to feel welcome. It may be the result of a well defined business policy designed to attract tourists, but it is exceedingly effective. I always feel at home in Washington as soon as I reach the station. I know of a number of other cities in this country that would do well to start a 'courtesy crusade' to bring about the same spirit which is evident throughout Washington."

### BUCKSKIN.

Mayor of Omaha Presents Pair of Trousers to Senator Aldrich.

Omaha, Nov. 10.—Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, of Rhode Island, arrived here today and was given a luncheon. He made a speech on the central bank plan in the afternoon.

While here he was presented with a pair of buckskin trousers (chaps) by the mayor. He said that he was very proud of them, but would be afraid to wear them in congress.

### FIVE MINUTES.

It Doesn't Take Long to Get a Divorce in Fort Collins.

Fort Collins, Nov. 10.—Breaking the record for speedy trials, the wife of Lord Cecil Moon, rich English ranch owner, was granted a divorce today, after a hearing of five minutes.

Weather. Washington, Nov. 10.—Weather forecast: Texas generally unsettled and colder.

## CENTRAL ADOPTS PENSION SYSTEM

ABOUT ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND EMPLOYEES AFFECTED.

## IT'S A GOOD PLAN

Railroads Trying to Find That It Has Effect of Holding Men Who Would Otherwise Leave Jobs.

Publishers Press. New York, Nov. 10.—Falling in line with several other great railroad systems, the New York Central today adopted the pension system. This means that about one hundred thousand men will be affected. About four years ago one of the great northern lines adopted this system and since that time it has been taken up by several other larger lines. It helps wonderfully in the way of holding employees. There are many men who have been working for the roads who would no doubt retire if it were not for the pension system.

### Granted Bail.

Special to The Press-News. Dallas, Nov. 10.—"Bully" Wilson, a white boy, under age, who is said to be wanted in Houston, Fort Worth and other Texas cities on burglary charges, was granted bail and released from jail this afternoon. He is also under a sentence of five years in the penitentiary, having been convicted here.

## BOSTON BUYERS TAKE OFFERINGS OF MOHAIR

E. G. Wentworth Has Purchased About 125,000 Pounds at Prices Around 15 and 25 Cents.

The greater part of the San Angelo mohair crop, which has been purchased by E. G. Wentworth, representing S. C. Muffitt, a leading wool dealer of Boston, has been shipped to Boston and Mr. Wentworth is remaining over in San Angelo for a few days to receive the balance of the crop. Over 125,000 pounds, the entire receiving of the Wool Growers' Association of San Angelo, was purchased by Mr. Wentworth, the price paid ranging from 19 to 25 cents, according to the quality.

Mr. Wentworth will remain over in San Angelo for a few days and he will then proceed to Del Rio and Uvalde, not for the purpose of buying, but to inspect the mohair conditions there.

With the exception of probably a few thousand pounds, the mohair crop of this section of Texas for this season has been received, the recent cold waves having stopped the shearing in many sections.

### Honored.

Publishers Press. Rome, Nov. 10.—Monsignor Cottafavi, the Papal delegate in Calabria, has presented a young lady of Reggio, Miss Cordova, with a decoration consisting of a gold cross, bearing the motto, "For Church and Pontiff," awarded her by the Pope for preventing 20 orphan children, survivors of the earthquake, falling into the hands of the Protestant Relief committee, and being brought up in the Protestant faith.

### SPEEDY.

Divorce Case Tried in Exactly Fifteen Minutes.

Publishers Press. Reno, Nev. Nov. 10.—Probably one of the shortest divorce cases ever heard in the history of the local courts came off today when Mrs. Daniel Frohman, wife of a theatrical manager, was granted a divorce. The time consumed was only fifteen minutes.

Plantation Fire. Publishers Press. Thibodeaux, La., Nov. 10.—U. S. Supreme Court Justice White's old plantation home and sugar mill was destroyed by fire today. The loss amounts to \$100,000. Some valuable papers were also destroyed.

## SUPREME COURT ON DIVORCE LAW

NOT SO EASY NOW TO UNTIE KNOT IN OKLAHOMA.

## AN IMPORTANT RULING

Held That "Incompatibility of Temperament" Does Not Constitute Sufficient Grounds.

Publishers Press. Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 10.—In the future it will not be such an easy matter to secure a divorce in Oklahoma. The supreme court in a decision handed down today, places a new construction on the laws. It holds that "incompatibility of temperament" is no grounds for a divorce.

It is claimed that figures will show that three-fourths of all the suits filed in Oklahoma are actions for divorce. These cases are tried at almost any old time of the court, and it is indeed seldom that one is denied.

### Santa Fe Election.

New York, Nov. 10.—The old officers of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe were re-elected today at a meeting of the directors.

### Finished.

Publishers Press. Washington, Nov. 10.—The cue at Culebra, the backbone of the backbone of the Panama canal, has been finished according to cablegram received today by the isthmian canal commissioner.

## ORIENT NABOBS DUE THURSDAY

REACH HERE IN SPECIAL TRAIN OF SEVEN CARS

## DETAILS ARE LACKING

No One Here is Acquainted With the Itinerary of the Party or the Time to Be Spent Here.

Seven car loads of nabobs are headed San Angelward and these seven car loads should arrive some time Thursday night. Of course the seven cars comprise a special train, for no one ever heard of nabobs traveling in such volume without using a special train.

The special train is filled with Orient folk. The heaviest gun in the lot, from the best information obtainable, is Col. Ed Dickinson, vice president and general manager of the system, and the remainder of the party is composed of other officials and financiers, who are coming out to see in what a good place they have planted their good American dollars.

None is the local Orient officials is possessed of the details of the itinerary of the party, nor of how long the special will remain here. From here, it is thought, the special will go to Mexico.

### Galveston Receipts.

Publishers Press. Galveston, Nov. 10.—The estimated receipts of cotton here during the past week are between 16,000 and 19,000 bales, against 15,766 of last week.

## TORNADO HITS JAMAICA WITH SERIOUS LOSS

MANY LIVES TAKEN AND PROPERTY DAMAGE HEAVY, BUT DETAILS ARE LACKING.

## WIRES ARE DOWN FOR MANY MILES

Clouds Appear and While Island is in Darkness Wind Swoops Down, Leaving Death in Its Path.

Publishers Press. Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 10.—Striking the island of Jamaica, a tornado has played havoc in this country. All communication is cut off and nothing can be learned as to how many lives have been lost and how much damage has been done. The outlook is very gloomy and thousands are suffering already. From what reports that can be secured by messengers, many lives have been lost in the terrible hurricane.

The cloud that caused the great damage was seen forming in the west, but nothing was feared from it. A few hours after the formation darkness prevailed over the whole island, and then the great wind swooped down upon the people and country, destroying homes, stock and vegetation.

For awhile a great sea wave was feared, but that did not result. The wind apparently came from the wrong direction. Work is rapidly being done on the telegraph and telephone lines so as to ascertain where and what damage has been done.

At a late hour this afternoon news was received that many lives have been lost in the northern part of the island, and the earth is almost bare of vegetation.

## SETTLEMENT IN EDDY CASE IS AGREED UPON!

Publishers Press. Boston, Nov. 10.—A family settlement involving \$300,000 was made between Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the Christian Science, and her son, George Glover, and her adopted son, J. Foster Eddy today.

This ends the litigation over the Eddy estate that has been in courts for years.

### ASSURED.

Mrs. Roosevelt, Knowing That Husband is Safe, Starts for Home.

Publishers Press. Rome, Nov. 10.—Having received definite information that her husband is alive in Africa, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt left here today for Naples, from where she sails with her children for the United States.

The absence of Mrs. Roosevelt from home has extended over a period of several months. She sailed with her husband and hunting party and accompanied them to South Africa, but a few days ended her visit there, and she came here.

### Seaton for President.

Publishers Press. Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 10.—M. H. Seaton of Rock Island, Ill., was today elected president of the National Association of Minor Baseball Leagues.



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TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE.

The Press-News can with a clear conscience indorse the action of the preliminary committee of the West Texas Development congress, which will convene in this city on December 6, in asking every West Texas editor to appoint ten delegates to this congress as well as come as a delegate himself.

No class of people in all the west has done more for the material development of West Texas than the newspaper editors of this section. In season and out of season, through sunshine and through storm, in times of drouth and when the rainfall came in generous measure upon the just and the unjust the West Texas editor has never swerved from his noble purpose and has never permitted his ardor to cool, nor his efforts to abate in the great struggle of peopling the west.

The editors of the west have this honor coming to them as their just due. They can accept the incidentals in connection with this honor with sound conscience and with good grace, for one of the main purposes of the West Texas congress is to concentrate into a well defined channel the very thing for which the editors of West Texas have so long labored with such fidelity and such zeal.

No man knows the west better than the average West Texas editor. It is meet and proper that those who so well know the west should have a hand in forming a declaration of facts and a pronouncement of principles respecting the west. The West Texas Development congress is seeking no special privilege; it has no sordid end as its aim. But the Press-News can vouch for the statement that not one man in ten who lives in this state and has never been in West Texas has the slightest conception of the conditions that today prevail in the west, nor of the needs that sorely afflict this part of Texas.

The Press-News will go even further, much further than this. The Press-News will stand behind the statement that if the conditions that prevail in West Texas were understood that the needs of West Texas would be appreciated by the great body of people of this state, and against the convictions that would be born of such knowledge the tongue of slander would not avail and the lips of libel could not triumph.

San Angelo wants the editors to feel free to exercise their rights in this instance and knows full well that these rights will be exercised in behalf of a just cause and for the advancement of an issue of almost sacred coloring.

CAPT. B. B. PADDOCK.

The Fort Worth Board of Trade appointed a committee to wait upon Capt. B. B. Paddock, who for many years has been secretary of that virile and greatly profitable organization to ask him to reconsider his determination to retire to private life.

For the good of Texas, for the honor of Fort Worth and for the welfare of a people who have never been found wanting, though they have undergone many trials that perplexed, we hope that the committee will succeed in its commission.

Capt. B. B. Paddock is one of the most energetic and intelligent workers in the army of the common good that Texas has ever known. His zeal has not been dimmed through years of active labors and his judgment has the rare reasoning that comes only from assiduous application and constant care. He knows the ropes, in the vernacular of the vulgar, and the fruits of his labors spell the greatness of Fort Worth.

There is still another side to this action on the part of the Board of Trade of Fort Worth in appointing a committee to request Capt. Paddock to reconsider his determination, and that is this move teaches us that business is not always soulless and that commerce is not always without sentiment.

The Board of Trade of Fort Worth is a cold commercial organization, when sitted down to its last analysis.

sis. It is seeking to advance the interest of Fort Worth and the country tributary to Fort Worth. It is maintained through the medium of contributions made in cash and in labor. For this organization has seen fit to make pause while engaged in the mad race for supremacy and say to its faithful and splendid servant, "well done."

Fort Worth can not afford to permit Capt. Paddock to retire. Texas, in fact, can ill afford to lose such a valiant soldier for the advancement of the good of the state. If there's efficacy in prayers Capt. Paddock will be induced to change his mind and we hope that he will be induced to recant from the stand he has taken. He has not reached the age when men should retire from active work, and he never will reach it. He has found the fountain of perpetual youth and his heart is younger today than it was during the time when he carried the Stars and Bars the farthest to the front and never was known to hesitate when the call of duty sounded in his ears.

Pave Chadbourne street.

Secretary Ballinger has denounced Glavis. Glavis has already denounced Ballinger. Hoss and hoss.

Dallas will extend Akard street. What we are more interested in is getting Chadbourne street paved.

Good morning, have you figured with the street car company about building by your vine and fig tree?

Col. Paul Waples declares that a "Patronize Home Industry" campaign ought to be waged. Nixie, until we get Chadbourne street paved.

King Edward is past 68 years of age and he is hale and hearty. This business of being a king isn't half as hard work as a great many people who are not kings would have us believe.

One thing is certain, if President Taft didn't reduce his weight as the result of his terrific swing around the circle no one can charge that he hasn't a good reason for doubting the value of the Muldoon method of sloughing off meat.

Congressman Stephens disagrees with The Great Peerless Leader to Everlasting Defeat Bryan about the doctrine of free raw material. The list is still open. All patriots are permitted to join the ranks of the simon pure without money and without price. Who's next?

Did you see the Tobe Bateman cartoon in The Record of Wednesday—we refer to the one representing Fort Worth. With due apologies to that city, we would rise to remark that if the "lody" depicted is really Miss Fort Worth, that creature must be a cross between a malefactor and an aeroplane.

We are waiting, gentle Annie, for the report of the committee yet to be appointed that will consider ways and means of devising a plan whereby more money can be raised for the Business Club. The Press-News is willing, ay, is even anxious to indorse whatever plan is proposed, but we would like to be able to spend our ginger quickly.

County Judge Terrell of Tarrant county, announces he will quit politics. Blood plays out eventually. That's why there are so many people who think the next chance will be theirs. It's been many a day when one of the family of Terrell represented by the county judge of Tarrant county was not close to the flesh pots of Texas. And John Terrell, county judge of Tarrant, is just about as good as any of that name, and that's saying a whole lot.

Here's welcome to Vice President Dickinson and his party of nabobs who are headed toward the "place where the Lord first spoke the world into existence." Mr. Dickinson knows the virtues of San Angelo and he can sing sweet songs of great joy about this place. But there are those with him who know not of the glory and greatness of this place. The Press-News hopes that the scales will fall from their eyes as a result of this trip.

The Frisco railroad is now engaged in building its grade from Brady to Menardville. The next step is for that road to make a "T" of this extension by building one line to San Angelo and another line into San Antonio. Are you reading "The Railroads and the People" now running in The Press-News? If not, it would be worth your while. The Press-News knows that if the spirit that is here displayed could have full swing in Texas for five years the west would be covered with railroads like the spokes of a wagon wheel—and with San Angelo the hub of the entire scheme.

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President Taft is back in the White House. It is the opinion of The Press-News that President Taft was a bigger man before he started on his long trip than he is today. The Press-News declines to view the president of the United States other than the president of the whole people. It is not a feeling of partisanship that prompts us to state that the president lost prestige, rather than gained popularity by his big swing. We invite attention being called to a single expression that he used during his tremendous long junket that sparkles with wit, or is compressed with wisdom. He never once rose about mediocre and he never once ran a bull's eye that any middling good American couldn't have pinged just as well. He has none of the trenchantness of Cleveland, none of the greatness of McKinley, none of the virility of Roosevelt. He's pretty nearly put himself in the class that Mr. Roosevelt once designated as mollycoddles. 'Tis true, 'tis pity 'tis 'tis true.

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TEDIOUS.

Codifying of City Ordinances Proves to Be a Big Job.

The work of compiling the new book of the city's ordinances, in charge of City Attorney Montgomery, is progressing rather slowly, owing to the nature of the undertaking, and announcement was made Wednesday that its completion could not be looked for under three months.

Adjourn.

After agreeing to a slight change in answer to a petition in the course of the San Angelo and Water Valley county road at a point above Water Valley, and allowing a few claims against the county, the commissioners' court adjourned Wednesday afternoon, after a two-days' session.

Action on several petitions asking for the building of new roads, and the widening of others was postponed until the next session.

R. Wilbur Brown has gone to Lynchburg, Va., to spend about six weeks visiting. His family went to the same city about a month ago. They will return to San Angelo together.

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## RAILROADS AND THE PEOPLE

Following is the ninth of a series of special articles prepared by The Press-News on the subject of railroads. The theme treats of matters of interest to the entire state, but especially so to West Texas, and it should be followed carefully. Without railroads West Texas cannot advance. Without fair laws the railroads cannot make progress in Texas.

We have sought in a few recent articles in this publication to assign a few simple reasons why it behooves the public to assume friendly relations with the railroads. So much has been said and done the last few years against these institutions that the very business life of the entire country has been seriously threatened. All over the country, and especially in the Middle West, West and Southwest, scarcely a state could be found that did not have its legislative calendar laden with measures tending to restrict railroad activity. The wonderful extent to which this went was shown by Mr. B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the executive committee of the Rock Island-Frisco lines, in an article published over his name in the Saturday Evening Post of January 11, 1908. In that article he announced that within the preceding year the legislatures of fourteen states in which the Rock Island-Frisco system operates had passed upon 560 railroad laws, not one of which was calculated to increase railroad earnings, or the ease and comfort of railroad operation.

This one thing alone is enough to clinch the charge so often made that it has been the politician who has caused the greater part of the trouble. He has used loud clamor against the railroads to endear him to the voters. He seems to have grasped this subject as a likely one, for in his craftiness he could see that it was one with which the general public had little acquaintance. And besides, it is not a difficult matter to arouse the people on any subject if you preach to them a little that they are being basely wronged.

Our law-makers generally are supposed to be men most deeply interested in the welfare of the community in which they live. Their action, however, on railroad legislation in so many cases seems to prove the contrary.

When we go through the mass of measures considered in the several legislatures we find many that show plainly they were written by men who had not the slightest idea of railroad operation. To read some of them one would be tempted to believe that the only expense of operating a railroad is paying the train men.

The hopeful thing to figure is that in the past the politician has usually been found out when he has been giving bad advice. He is being found out now by the people all over the country that had been hoodwinked by him in his clamor against the railroads. When his campaign of vilification had reached a stage where about half of the people were out of employment and a serious panic was abroad in the land, the public began to think and the more they thought the more they decided Mr. Politician was wrong.

Mr. Yoakum hit the nail pretty squarely on the head when he expressed his faith "that the people themselves, unmanipulated by the politician, would do the railroads justice and recognize that they do owe something to the railroad." He added to this expression that "it would not take the people and the railroad long to get together on a fair basis and together work out the problem in a way which would do justice to each if once the factor of unfair agitation could be removed."

No man in the high councils of railroading has kept in closer touch with the people along the lines of his road than has Mr. Yoakum. He has made

it a point to spend as much time as possible near his patrons. In that way he has been able to know what they wished and has made a great effort to provide it. He has also been able to learn just what the conditions are that are confronted by the railroads and how much of the clamor against them has been absolutely unreasonable and without foundation.

Every trip down through the country that Mr. Yoakum has taken even during the times when the adverse agitation was greatest, seems to have imbued him with a stronger faith in the people. We feel sure that his judgment was right. We have always believed that if the public allowed some latitude of thought of its own it would be fair to all interests.

In this connection we can but repeat these words uttered by Mr. Yoakum: "I look forward to the day when, through some form of organization, the people and the railroad will get together without the agitators standing between them to create confusion and keep open the gap of misunderstanding and prejudice. And if that day comes one of the happiest results to the American people and their continued and undisturbed prosperity will have been achieved."

It is unnecessary for us to repeat here any of the reasons assigned in former articles why the public should be a good neighbor to the railroads. Everyone of our readers knows where his individual interests lie. If he owns land untouched by railroads he knows their increases in value depend upon the building of railroads near them. When he knows that his desire is for railroads he must also know that he will get the railroads only when the laws of his state are so amended that railroad investment will be attractive to the men with money.

We in the towns know we will grow when the surrounding country grows, and we know the surrounding country will not grow until it can ship its products to market. When the steel rails connect us up with what are now unproductive counties we will be more important. Therefore, every man in every town is interested in railroad construction. He must know, if he will stop to think, that money will be furnished for railroad construction until the men who own it can feel safe with their investments. That time will be when some legislation takes the place of much of the stuff now on our statute books.

We might go on and on telling our readers of the many solid benefits of the railroad. We might take scores of individual cases to prove to them that the railroad man is just a human being like the rest of us, anxious to succeed, needing the helping hand of every man about him. But we like to leave something for the reader to decide for himself. Our interest is in a greater West Texas and in a greater country generally. The past has proven that the railroad must necessarily come ahead of the greatness. The times are not changing. We need the railroad just as badly today as it has ever been needed, or a little more so. Let us cease our clamor and get down to common sense, and then we will accomplish something for our locality. When we are willing to meet capital on a fair basis capital will come to us with outstretched hands. It will never come until it is fairly treated. Until it comes no more railroads will be built. Our duty to our country, therefore, is made plain.

## LOCAL MARKET SHOWS ADVANCE

PRICE OF COTTON MAKES A GAIN OF TWENTY-FIVE POINTS.

RECEIPTS VERY LIGHT

Only 1,600 Bales Have Been Bought This Season, as Against 7,500 for Same Time Last Year.

The local prices for spot cotton advanced twenty-five points Wednesday and farmers were being paid 14 cents for good middling and above. San Angelo spots have been gradually increasing since Wednesday, November

3, when the lowest mark of the recent break in the future market was recorded. Then the prices ranged at and above 13 cents. The highest price for spots this season was 14.50.

The receipts by San Angelo buyers since September 1 is close to 1600 bales, which, when compared to the receipts at this time last year show a decrease of nearly 6000 bales.

The farmers of this section are not showing a tendency to hold back their staple, and it is being marketed as soon as it is ginned, notwithstanding the fact that the future market has broken nearly a hundred points.

Local cotton men predict that their season's receipts will not exceed 3000 bales.

This cool weather you will need a fire. Remember we have good wood and good coal and will appreciate your order. San Angelo Ice & Power Co.

Miss Branch Elmo returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives in Atlanta.

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## MERTZON SECURES A LUMBER YARD

B. B. Hall Lumber Company to Begin Business Not Later Than First of January.

Mertzon, the live little town south of San Angelo, is to have a big lumber yard. This lumber yard will be established by the B. B. Hall Lumber company of San Angelo, January 1. This lumber firm has one of the largest establishments in San Angelo and also a big yard in Sterling City.

Mertzon is growing with a great rapidity. She has, since the announcement of getting a railroad, gotten a good weekly newspaper, several business houses and many new residences. This lumber yard will greatly add to the town. As the situation now stands, all lumber has to be hauled there by freighters. That is very slow progress. Now, by the time the railroad gets operating into Mertzon, a big lumber yard will be in full blast and the building will be an easy proposition.

### FOOTBALL

Date of Big Contest Between Elks and San Angelo Club Changed.

Changing the date from Christmas to Thanksgiving on which to play the famous and great talked of game between the Elks and the San Angelo Club, the players are getting in shape much faster.

The first reports about the game stated that it would come off Christmas, but as several of the best players are to be absent during that time, it has been decided by the managers of the two teams to pull it off Thanksgiving.

Both lineups are made and the time for practicing is near at hand. It will be a game for blood and not for pastime. The two clubs are anxious to see which has the better material, physically. This game is the test. The respective teams are going to work hard to win the laurels for their club.

Mayor Paul in Dallas. Mayor C. T. Paul is in Dallas, attending the convention of the Scottish Rite Masons, and he will be among those who take the thirty-second degree, higher Masonic order. The mayor's return is expected Friday.

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## BONNER LIKES THEM

Farmer Orator of Texas Says Benzine Wagons Are Doing Their Part to Uphold Country.

The automobile has come to play an important part in the real estate world and San Angelo is no exception to the rule. Uncle Dick Bonner, the farmer orator from East Texas, thinks that automobiles are the greatest aid to the real estate men in dealing with buyers.

The number of machines used by local dealers is both large and increasing, and they are looked upon as a good investment, as buyers may be carried over a lot of country in a short time. In fact, passengers may be carried over the land in less than one-fourth the time previously required, and the autos also are capable of accommodating more passengers.

In this way the advent of the automobile has meant much to the San Angelo and Western Texas real estate men, and it bids fair to continue the most popular and satisfactory method of showing land until the aeroplane and flying machines are completed and permit of soaring over and all around any and every size building, and getting far from the usual dust of a vacant house and instead, enjoying a general bird's eye view with all its advantages.

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**MARKETS.**

**Cotton.**

Publishers Press.  
New York, Nov. 10.—Influenced by cable reports, the cotton market opened firm this morning from 5 to 14 points higher. During the first fifteen minutes of the trading May cotton rose to 14.99, and closed at 15.17. The most bearish feature was the report of continued fine weather in Texas, which is increasing the top crop.

The market was excited and the sales were up. January went to 14.95. The bulls made a demonstration in the afternoon, but the market closed steady.

The exports for the day were 19,514 bales.

New York spots were 15.1, and Liverpool spots firm at 1.77d.

**Stocks.**

Publishers Press.  
New York, Nov. 10.—Price movements on the stock exchange were narrow today. The market opened irregular but was helped through information that the Bank of England would not raise the rate. Union Pacific, Reading and Pennsylvania recovered losses in the afternoon. A good part of the buying was done by professional traders.

Government securities unchanged; others irregular. Call money 5 to 5 1/2 per cent.

**Big Advance.**

Publishers Press.  
Chicago Nov. 10.—Stock in the Texas company controlled by John W. Gates, sold at 1.84 today, an advance of 150 points.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

Paul Abstract & Title Company's report of real estate transfers recorded November 10:

West Heights Land Co. to Kasimir Kiefl, \$180. Conveys lots 1 and 2, in block 37, West Heights addition.

R. S. Kilgo et ux to W. W. Adcock, \$1697. Conveys 160 acres, being S. 1-2 or N. 1-2 of survey 79, S. P. R. R. Co.

West Heights Land Co. to Mrs. Emma Duthridge, \$140. Conveys lots 9 and 10, in block 30, West Heights addition.

F. R. Young et ux to Mrs. Una Chamberlain et al, \$2500. Conveys lots 16 and 17, in block 17, Miles addition.

**FRIENDS REFUSE TO LISTEN TO PRYOR**

LETTERS URGE HIM TO RECONSIDER AND ENTER RACE.

Supporters Are Being Developed in Spite of Declaration That He Cannot Spare Time.

San Antonio Nov. 10.—If Ike T. Pryor remains firm in his announced decision not to become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Texas next year, it will be despite the emphatic protests of his many friends in San Antonio, as well as other portions of Texas.

Even greater interest has been manifested in Mr. Pryor's statement that he would not become a candidate than was evidenced by the dispatch that his friends were urging him to enter the race.

Individuals, as well as a number of newspapers of the state, are urging Mr. Pryor to reconsider his decision. The desire of the conservative interests of the state for the nonpolitician and a safe and sane business man for governor are the principal reasons being urged why Mr. Pryor should sacrifice his business interests for the good of the state and consent to become a candidate.

Mr. Pryor admitted that he has received a number of letters and telegrams from various portions of the state expressing regret at his announcement that he would not enter the race and giving reasons why he should reconsider.

**BONDS.**

Fort Worth Ready to Make Extensive Improvements.

Fort Worth, Nov. 10.—Commissioner of Finance and Revenue Glavin will receive sealed bids until December 1 for the following four and a half per cent semi-annual twenty to forty-year bonds: \$65,000 for a fire hall; \$135,000 for street improvements; \$235,000 for waterworks, and \$25,000 for light extension.

**BONDS.**

No Word Received from Attorney General Regarding Bond Issue.

No word has been received by City Attorney Montgomery from Attorney General Davidson relative to his approval of the \$15,000 bond issue which the city recently voted to erect a fire station. It is being expected daily, a sufficient number of days having lapsed since the notice of the intended issue was forwarded to him.

**EXPANSION.**

Progressive Printing Company Gets New Press.

A new job press was installed Wednesday by the Progressive Printing Company, which makes three job presses and one large cylinder press now in use. They have ordered two numbering machines and other machinery. They now have one of the best equipped job plants in the West and it will be added to as the trade demands. The proprietors, Messrs. Lewis, Hunton & Holcomb, will spare neither time nor money to make their plant perfect in every way.

**Up-To-Date.**

Lenses can be ground, finished and framed right here in San Angelo. Dr. F. R. Baker received a machine Wednesday with which he can do the specified work. He has always had a machine that could trim lenses, but this new one can do the most important part. That is gringing the surface.

This is a wonderful improvement to the eyeglass work in San Angelo. In fact, it is far ahead of San Angelo. A machine like this one is large enough to do justice to any Eastern city. Dr. Baker, realizing the need of the machine in San Angelo, though, has purchased it and can grind glass lenses to suit any eye.

**Turn Table.**

According to J. D. Dotterer, the pulchritudinous agent of the Orient, work on the turn table basin for the round house is making pretty good progress and he expects to be able to use this table before so very long. The piling for the coal dump has all been driven and this coal elevator will be rushed to completion as rapidly as possible. All other work incidental to getting ready for the real work of the Orient is getting well under way and he even expects to get the stock pens completed before long.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Harris Avenue Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. David Augustine. The subject will be foreign missions.

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**LOVETT'S SUCCESSOR.**

T. H. Dunn Becomes Chief Counsel of Harriman Lines.

San Francisco, Nov. 10.—T. H. Dunn left here today for New York, where he will assume his new duties as successor to Judge Lovett as chief counsel of the Harriman lines.

Judge Lovett was formerly a Houston man.

**PROTECTED.**

Man Killed by Car Carried Emergency Check for \$300 Favor of Wife.

Special to The Press-News.

McAlester, Okla., Nov. 10.—Simon Smureke, aged 45, who was run over and killed by an interurban car east of McAlester today, carried a certificate of deposit with the Wilburton bank for \$300, with the indorsement "payable to my wife in case of accident."

**BAPTISTS.**

Convention at Dallas Promises to Be Record Breaker.

Special to The Press-News.

Dallas, Nov. 10.—A great crowd arrived tonight to attend the sixty-sixth annual convention of the Baptists of Texas, opening to-morrow morning. The elaborate program promises to attract the largest attendance within the history of the convention.

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**NAVAL EXPERTS UNANIMOUSLY FAVOR CANAL**

Publishers' Press.

London, Nov. 10.—Naval experts who have considered the question are unanimous in their opinion that a ship canal should at once be constructed to connect the estuaries of the Clyde and the Forth, and there is a belief now current that, acting upon the advice of the secretary of the Committee of Imperial Defence, the Treasury will sanction the detailed survey of the proposed route for this canal being taken in hand during the early part of next year. It is contended that such an artery is necessary from both a strategic and a commercial point of view. It would enable the whole of our fighting strength to be concentrated either in the Atlantic or the North Sea with the greatest ease, while it would keep open our main trade routes between the North American ports and the ports upon our eastern coast.

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- 3 2-lb. cans Lima Beans... 25c
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- 1 25-oz. can K. C. Baking Powder ..... 20c
- 1 50-oz. can K. C. Baking Powder ..... 40c
- 1 80-oz. can K. C. Baking Powder ..... 70c
- 1 3-lb. can Cherries ..... 20c
- 1 3-lb can Strawberries... 20c
- 1 bottle Royal Salad Dressing ..... 20c
- 1 bottle stuffed Olives, 25-cent seller ..... 25c
- 1 bottle plain Olives, 25-cent seller ..... 20c
- 1 bottle Red Snapper Ketchup ..... 20c
- 7 bars Lenox Soap ..... 25c
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### SOUTHERN BEAUTY SOON TO MARRY

Dina Ireland and Captain Clarence Northrup Jones, U. S. A., Third Field Artillery.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stevens Norton announce the engagement of their daughter, Diana Ireland, to Capt. Clarence Northrup Jones, U. S. A., of the Third Field Artillery. This announcement will be interesting to a large circle here, in New York and in the South. Miss Norton, who is an only daughter, comes of an old Southern family. Her grandfather, Col. E. M. Norton, was a widely known pioneer in the iron industry of West Virginia. Miss Norton's maternal ancestor, Judge Ireland, was a prominent Kentucky jurist. Miss Norton, in addition to her beauty, is very talented as an artist and singer.

#### COLPITTS.

**Orient Chief Engineer Will Soon Visit San Angelo.**

Walter W. Colpitts, chief engineer of the Orient, will be in San Angelo in a few days. This news reached the city Wednesday.

Mr. Colpitts has not been in San Angelo since the on-to-Mertzion line started. He is now in Kansas City, looking after the interest of the engineering department there.

#### Chinese Pork.

Publishers Press. London, Nov. 10.—Not satisfied with the official report about the character of the Chinese pork that is being imported into this country, John Burns has been making personal inquiries into the celestial product, and has even gone so far as to taste it. Answering a number of questions in the house of commons, he said that out of 1182 carcasses that had been examined 107 had been condemned. The local government board has caused inquiries to be made as to the feeding of the Chinese pigs and was satisfied it was satisfactory.

Mr. Burns added that he added that he had gone with officers of the local government board into the wholesale and retail shops and also had the pleasure of going down to the New-cut, Lambeth, to see if the opinions of those better qualified than himself could be confirmed by laymen, and then asked by a labor member whether he had tasted the pork. Mr. Burns said yes, he had.

#### REFUSES GOVERNORSHIP.

**Editor Robinson Doesn't Care to Be Executive of New Mexico.**

Roswell, N. M., Nov. 10.—"I will not accept the position of governor of New Mexico. I am a newspaper man and would rather work on a newspaper than to be president of the United States," said Will Robinson, editor of the Roswell Register-Tribune. He had just refused the governorship of New Mexico, to succeed George Curry, who goes out next spring.

Robinson, who has gained considerable fame by his newspaper sketches, "Impressions of a Tenderfoot," today received a communication from the Interior Department tendering him the office.

"I will not accept because I feel that I am incompetent to fill the position," said he.

#### OPERATED ON AT 103.

**Old Woman Stands Surgeon's Knife Better Than Young Ones.**

Boston, Nov. 10.—The often repeated warnings from medical men that save in extreme cases no patient over 75 years of age should ever be allowed to go under the knife, have been set at naught by Dr. Francis D. Donoghue, a Boston surgeon, who recently restored to health a patient over 103 years old.

The aged patient was Mrs. Jane Robinson, of Dorchester, and just now widespread interest among members of the medical profession centres in the operation for epithelioma, which Dr. Donoghue performed.

"Mrs. Robinson underwent the operation much more calmly than those of a much greater youthfulness often do," says Mr. Donoghue. "Her heart action did not increase by so much as a beat. Cocaine was used, of course, to allay the pain, and the entire operation was one of the most successful ever put through."

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## WHAT IRELAND EXPECTS FROM ITS ELECTION

Publishers' Press.

Dublin, Nov. 10.—What does Ireland expect from the election? A recent speech by John Redmond answers this question. Mr. Redmond said: "I say to all whom it concerns, to Liberals as well as Conservatives, that when the general election comes, Home Rule for Ireland shall, and must, be amongst the leading issues submitted to the electorate. The policy of silence and evasion, which was so largely pursued by the Liberal leaders at the last election on this question of Ireland, cannot be repeated. For my own part, I have no reason whatever to doubt that the leaders of the Liberal party will place what Winston Churchill the other day called a National settlement with Ireland in the front amongst the leading issues to be submitted to the electors at the next election. But anyway, whether they do or not, I say to you, in the name of the Irish party, and in the name of the Irishmen of Great Britain, that the Irish votes in this country will not be cast in support of any candidate who is not prepared to declare—first that he is in favor of Home Rule—that is not enough—mere theoretical support is not enough under the conditions—but, in the second place, that he is determined to use his influence to have this Irish question placed among the leading issues that must be dealt with in a practical way in the next parliament."

The Irishmen of Great Britain will not subordinate the question of justice to Ireland to any other question whatever. I assert that the Irish of Great Britain will cast their votes on Home Rule alone; that they will discard all other questions. The predominant question for them is the question of Home Rule for Ireland. They will vote on that question alone, quite irrespective of the interests of any political party."

Carrie Nation. New York, Nov. 10.—After visiting several Broadway saloons Mrs. Carrie Nation was brought to the night court about 2 a. m. on the charge of disorderly conduct. The various bartenders she had talked to refused to make complaints. Magistrate Steinhert fined her \$10. Some one displaying a deputy sheriff's badge paid for her.

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Publishers Press. Rome, Nov. 10.—Owing to over work the Pope continues to have fresh attacks of gout, which are manifested in a rise of temperature, and accompanied by considerable pain and swelling of his knee, which is the part generally affected. Certainly, if one compares Plus X even now, when 74 years old, with Leo XIII as he was when elected Pope at 68 years of age, the former is beyond comparison as much more vigorous man, but there is also no doubt that His Holiness is not now so florid as in the first years of his pontificate. His back is rather more bowed, his head inclines rather more towards his right shoulder, his step is a trifle more feeble and less secure, while in his paternal smile and benevolent expression one can see a unmistakable trace of depression and fatigue.

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**Col. John E. Nasworthy Says It Will  
Be Well for San Angelo to Keep  
Its Eyes Open.**

"Brownwood has at last awakened to the fact that the things worth having are worth going after," says Col. John E. Nasworthy, who has just returned from that place. "Right now Brownwood has the railroad fever in a manner that ought to produce something. The people there are handling

the situation with exceeding care and blast me but I believe that they will put the thing under the wire a winner sure.

"You see, I have a half way interest in a little piece of property in Brownwood. Well, while I was there I was waited upon by a committee and requested to subscribe for bonds to the amount of fifteen per cent of the value of this property. It was explained that Morgan Jones has made a proposition to build a line between Abilene and Brownwood for the right of way, some between the places bonuses and subscriptions from Abilene to the amount of \$100,000 of bonds and from Brownwood for \$200,000 worth of bonds.

"Here in San Angelo we felt like we were asking for a bloody lot when we asked for 2 per cent of the value of taxable property for the Lanin road. Here's Brownwood, not only asking for fifteen per cent, but is actually getting it. Keep your eye on that town. San Angelo must be up and doing all the while."

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**Sam Hill Expects Million and a Half  
Pounds of Wool of Twelve Months  
Clip.**

"Take it from me as gospel that before the spring crop of wool is brought in the Central Wool Growers' Association will have a model warehouse to store the clip in, and this warehouse will be just as fine as brains can design and money can build," said Sam H. Hill, the big Schleicher county ranchman, who is vice president of the association, while in San Angelo Wednesday. "We are now getting plans and specifications for this warehouse. It is to be built on the lot the association purchased from A. M. Hicks, near the Santa Fe.

"And let me tell you something else. The Wool Growers' Association is no longer an experiment. It is a demonstrated success. It has not only been a great help to the wool and mohair men, but it has also been of inestimable value to this section. Then, again, it has made some money and when the time comes to cut the pie in December, those who have stock in the association will be abundantly satisfied with the investment they made.

"The outlook for wool growers could hardly be better. With present range conditions I am looking for at least a million and a half pounds of wool next spring and the biggest part of this will be a twelve months' clip. I also look for between 100,000 and 125,000 pounds of mohair to be marketed here.

"By the way, speaking of mohair, we have just disposed of the last of the lots consigned to us. It was a 12-months' clip and it brought 31 cents. A. Cohen, of San Antonio, was the purchaser. The last of our 12-months wool has also been sold to Westworth, of Boston, and the bulk of our eight-months clip brought from 23 to 26 cents. We now have on hand in storage only some 8-months clip, that we will likely turn in a few days."

Mr. Hill returned to his ranch Wednesday afternoon. The primary object of his trip to San Angelo was to see Judge Kone, whom he has known and has loved since he was a boy.

**COMER.**

**Live Stock Agent of Katy Here for Few  
Hours.**

Luther Byron Comer, not a jest, gentle reader, but the live stock agent of the Katy railroad, with headquarters in Fort Worth, was in San Angelo briefly Wednesday. Mr. Comer possesses a personality that hinges partly on hair. He has hair the color of faded wheat straw, but he has a heart as big as an ox and a brain as quick as a cow-cutting pony.

"Howdy," said Mr. Comer, when approached with a sang froid that would have frozen any except one of the real nabob kind. "Come up to Ft. Worth and see us. We always keep our desk full of stogies. And don't forget to tell everybody that when it comes to moving live stock shipments, the Katy is in a class by herself."

When pressed for a strong expression about the kind of class the Katy was in, Comer merely stated the best class.

**HUNTING.**

**Suggs Pasture Visited By San Angelo  
Men, Who Bag Many Birds.**

Just for a little outing and a few hours' recuperation, Rube Thornton and Tom Anderson went to Suggs' pasture hunting Wednesday morning. The two men are not professional hunters, but when it comes to killing quail and other birds, they rank up in the first class.

"Oh, how pleasant it was to get out for a few hours," said Mr. Thornton, who has been penned up in an office for several months. "We killed the birds coming and going. Of course, the law did not allow us to kill too many, but we got the full limit."

**Conditions Good.**

H. D. Wade, a big ranchman of Edwards county, whose home is near Rock Springs, was in San Angelo Wednesday. Mr. Wade says that ranch conditions down his way, generally speaking, are in excellent shape.

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**KANSAS CITY IS  
AFTER BUSINESS**

Perhaps his father once called him William and maybe his first sweetheart called him Willie, but the memory of man does not go back to the time when the average male kind didn't call him Billy in less than ten minutes after the first sparring handshake. Especial reference is made to Billy Weeks. Officially, he is Traffic Manager W. H. Weeks, and he draws pay checks of hunky size from the Kansas City Stock Yards company for giving the one grand jolly and dispensing the sweet hot air to cattle men who perhaps have never heard of Kansas City, even though they have been hearing of Billy Weeks for weeks and weeks.

"San Angelo is improving," discoursed Mr. Weeks, gravely and solemnly, when asked for an opinion on any topic that he might care to discuss. "It really is."

This coming from the man with the pearly teeth and the dantyoudare eyes was a little too much. He was asked to fling his switch and he is a great switch flinger, in pinches.

"Let me tell you about Kansas City," he said, hitting a stride that rang well. "Kansas City is a great place to ship cattle to, but if I were a millionaire I would live in dear old Texas. You see, I am living in Kansas City largely because I need the money, a miserable bit of luck.

"Kansas City is doing the business, too, hot from the bat—no, the ranches. We are getting practically all the stock shipped from this section. If cattle ever get past the Fort Worth privilege we stand a rattling bang-up chance of getting them, too. We are making money for live stock raisers. That's why they love us so."

Billy Weeks was once a bright-eyed, chubby-faced boy, but it takes a world of imagination to believe this statement. He once had a great ambition to be the president of a railroad. In his time he has held many railroad jobs, but never the one he wanted. He served a sentence as general passenger agent of the Cotton Belt once, and got a commutation of sentence for good behavior. Later he did time with the Frisco as general live stock agent, but was pardoned before past redemption. Now he is with the stock yards company aforementioned. He has figured it out that if he keeps his job for 57 more years he will be a millionaire, and by that time he will probably be wishing harder than ever that he could be domiciled in as cool a place as Texas.

Mr. Weeks is stopping at the Landon and frankly says so. He will be here until Sunday. He has a great handshake and as fine a lot of palaver as any one who has ever been to San Angelo. If you are in the live stock raising business and don't know Billy Weeks, you are living in darkness. Take it is a straight tip. He's well worth knowing. N. B. He also has a fat expense account.

Judge Brown Lee has returned to San Angelo, after a stay of a few days in Fort Worth.

**Prospecting.**

"Wonderful!" said Capt. C. W. Windell of Caldwell, in speaking of the growth of San Angelo, Wednesday immediately after his arrival in the city. "I came out prospecting. I have always thought that it is the best country in Texas, but I have not been so situated that I could move here. For many years I have been coming out in West Texas visiting. Each succeeding year I find a wonderful amount of development and improvements."

Capt. Windell takes about three months off each year traveling over the world, visiting friends. The last time he visited Germany, however, he decided to never return again, as he was caught in a shipwreck and came very near losing his life. Capt. Windell is probably one of the largest land owners in the world, also. He owns property in Germany, Austria, Texas and many other countries.

"I am not here to look around in one sense of the word," he said, "but rather to examine and explore. I might well say. This is a glorious country in which to have a ranch. I believe if I had my steers out here they would do fine."

**DIVERSIFICATION.**

**Frank Russell to Try Hog Raising for  
a Change.**

After December 1 it will be Frank Russell, farmer, for the fitter of men who has just disposed of his half interest in the Hunter & Russell men's outfitting store, will do the bucolic life act after he passes away from the counter life.

Mr. Russell has bought three sections of land in Andrews county and he will move to that section and improve his holdings as soon as he is free from his present place. He expects to go in for intensified stock farming, and—well, just watch the headlines, the red lettered kind, of the Fort Worth papers in the near future to see where Frank Russell has topped the hog market for the day with his bunch that went over the scales to the tune of \$8.40 the hundred-weight.

**SMOKE.**

**Everybody Takes One On Cos-Hart  
Drugs.**

Long, lean fellows, fat, short fellows and just ordinary built fellows, or rather cigars, went from Cos-Hart Drugs Wednesday into smoke. The occasion was the distribution of samples of the new private brand of cigars that firm's blandished into popularity, and the blandishment worked nicely, too.

"The best evidence that we struck the tastes of the smokers of San Angelo in buying heavily of this brand is that four out of every five men who took one of our private brand cigars on trial came back and bought a supply," dilates W. H. Hart, who is the last half of the hyphenated firm. "We really think that we have a very superior article for the money and we are confident that we are selling a cigar of ten cent value for just half that sum when we pass a Cos-Hart brand over the plate."

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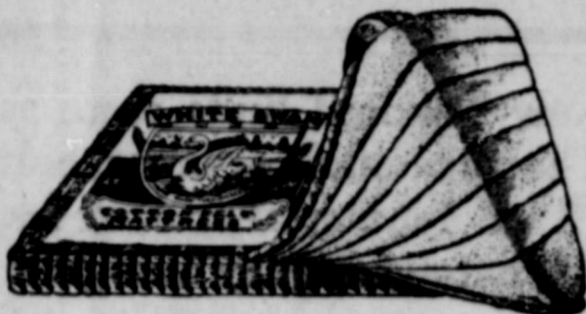
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- "Perfect satisfaction."—Mrs. John H. Harrington, Guthrie, Okla.
- "Purest and cleanest mattress made."—Dr. R. D. Lindley, Dallas.
- "They are O. K."—Mrs. Scott Green, Tallula, Ill.
- "It is tired nature's sweet restorer."—Geo. H. Plowman, Dallas.
- "Best and most complete."—T. L. Bradford, Dallas.

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**Disbanded.**  
After playing several football with good results, the Fort Concho Punters have disbanded.

This team was under the leadership of H. K. Hinde, one of the leading football players of West Texas.

"Owing to the fact that several of my best men have left me," he said, "I decided that it was about the best policy to quit. We did some good playing while in the ring, but the great trouble was that we did not start early enough. The season is also about over, and the best thing for us to do was to disband."

### Likes the Auto.

Col. J. S. Dabney, real estate dealer, has gone to his ranch in an automobile, looking after his fine yearlings.

Col. Dabney is taking a great liking to a buzz machine of late. A few days ago he went up in Coke county bird hunting in an auto and now he has gone to his ranch in one.

Mr. Dabney has not bought a machine yet, but that will likely be his next move. His desire to ride in an automobile is getting more and more all the time.

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Boys Are Fast Rounding Into Shape. Some Good Material On Hand. Meet Again Wednesday.

Selecting the skating rink for the armory, appointing four sergeants and going through a few drill exercises, an enthusiastic military meeting was held in the court house Wednesday night. Several places were proposed for the armory, namely: A 30x100 foot room owned by Dr. March, over the B. C. Alexander & Co. saddlery; the skating rink, and the third story of the Shupert building.

The place owned by Dr. March was offered for \$50 per month, and he agreed to contribute \$5 to the company, thus leaving only \$45 for rent. The Shupert room was offered for \$75 per month and Mr. Shupert agreed to make the necessary improvements to the story that the company desired. The skating rink was offered for \$45 per month, but the company will have to put in such fixtures as are desired. A vote was taken on the three places, and the rink was chosen.

The improvements will cost about \$250. It will be partitioned into rooms suitable for dressing, baths, etc.

The sergeants appointed are: E. G. Cook, first sergeant; E. T. Moore, second; R. T. Brown, third, and Walter Foreman, fourth. The other sergeants, with the corporals, will be appointed later.

About thirty men attended the meeting and they took great interest in it.

The men were lined up and instructed on different points about drilling, saluting and facing. Many exercises were gone through, which were very well executed by many. Out of the number that attended this meeting, only about ten were ever drilled before. The "rookies" soon grasped the idea of "falling in" and good progress was made.

It was suggested by one of the members that an exhibition drill be had by those who had drilled before. One squad was selected and they marched off in military manner, but several "busts" were made owing to the little space that the court room afforded. The old timers at the business proved in the long run, however, that they had been in uniforms before.

Out of the number present all had been examined and enlisted except three. The number that has been enlisted up to date is about thirty-five. This is not the entire number that is going to join, however. Before the enlistments are closed, there will be about fifty or more than will have joined.

Some confusion was made in the measurement of the uniforms at the last meeting and it is likely that the whole thing will have to be done over, but that will take little time.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday night, but the place of meeting has not been decided as yet.

### ARRESTED.

J. I. Nettleton Being Held for Officials of Howard County.

J. I. Nettleton is being held in the county jail here pending the arrival of authorities from Big Springs, Howard county, where, it is alleged, he is wanted on a charge of swindling, the nature of which is unknown to Tom Green county authorities. Nettleton was arrested by Sheriff McConnell.

### BALDWIN.

Great Organist Arrives From Wichita, Kansas.

Dr. Minor C. Baldwin, the great organist who will play at the Presbyterian church Thursday and Friday nights, has arrived in the city.

Dr. Baldwin came here from Wichita, Kan., where he had an engagement. From San Angelo he will go to Mississippi.

"It has been about two years since I was in San Angelo," he said. "I am greatly surprised to find such a flourishing city. Great growth has gone on in this city since I was here last. I like to see such progress, though, and I trust that the beautiful city of San Angelo will continue to grow."

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## APPEAL NOTICE GIVEN

Gravel Men Now Fighting Henry J. Schuch, Who Has City Supply Cornered.

In the case of H. J. Shaw et al. vs. Henry J. Schuch asking for a mandatory writ of injunction to compel the defendant to remove a fence from around a bed of gravel below the forks of the Concho river, District Judge Timmins Wednesday decided against the plaintiffs, ruling that Schuch was justifiable in fencing the land.

The plaintiffs gave notice of appeal, and plans to contest Judge Timmins decision are being mapped out.

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Commissioner of Agriculture Ed R. Kone left Wednesday afternoon for his headquarters at Austin. He was the guest of Sam H Hill at luncheon at the Landon.

"You have great possibilities in this section," declared Judge Kone, "and there are those now living here who will see more houses to the section of this country than are now to be found west of the section."

"West Texas hasn't gotten a fair start in an intensified agricultural way. The people have not yet passed entirely through the experimental stage. When they learn exactly what crops yield the greatest returns, then look for a flood tide of immigration that will cause houses to spring up on every hill top and farms to be made in every valley. I have never been to this section before, but I have known those who have lived here for years so long and heard them discuss this section so much that I came prepared to see exactly what I have seen. I have heard great tales about the vast possibilities of Western Texas, but as far as I have been able to judge I have never heard a resident of this section overstate the facts as warranted by the conditions that prevail."

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## PARKER COUNTY DISAPPOINTED

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## WM. HEMPHILL TALKS

Movement, He Says, Is Being Talked of All Over the State—Judge Kone to Attend.

"I was in Weatherford the other day and the people there are not a little put out because the line for the West Texas Development Congress was drawn east of Parker county," declares William Hemphill, in speaking of this movement. "In fact, I found people all along the line talking about this coming meeting and the interest is genuine and the feeling expressed in every instance was friendly. I look for a good attendance of progressive thinking men, and I believe that the amount of good that will come from this meeting can hardly be estimated at this time."

The program committee is making splendid headway with its work and when the full list is completed as heavy a lot of thinkers as can be found anywhere in the world will be down for addresses.

While here Wednesday Judge Kone, commissioner of agriculture, promised to be present when the congress convenes, and to deliver an address. After his business with the congress is completed he will visit Sam Hill on his Schleicher county ranch and engage in a wolf hunt.

Chairman Bartholomew is down for an address at the meeting of the Commercial Clubs of Central West Texas, which will be held at Anson on Nov.

16, as the following program is evidence:

At 9:30 a. m., welcome address. Judge James P. Silson; response, W. T. Foster, president, Merkel; music, Miss Johnnie Colbert; address, Capt. B. B. Paddock, secretary Fort Worth Board of Trade; address, "Does Organization Pay?" Hon. L. A. Brooks, Anson, Tex.; address, "Big Things in a Little Town," M. L. Swinehart, Pecos, Tex.; general discussion; lunch. Afternoon—At 2 o'clock, address, "The West Texas Development Congress, Its Aims and Objects," W. T. Bartholomew, president, San Angelo, Tex.; music; address, "The Education Worth While," Dr. J. D. Sandefur, president Simmons College, Abilene, Tex.; general discussion; business meeting.

Secretary Thomas, of the 25,000 club of Abilene, writes that considerable interest is being manifested in the conference to be held in that city November 22 and that the attendance will be most satisfactory. This conference is to be held for the purpose of explaining to those who do not live in this immediate section the exact objects of the congress, with the view of having the gospel of the congress preached in as many sections as possible.

"I feel greatly pleased with the outlook," comments Chairman Bartholomew, whose labors in behalf of this congress have not only been indefatigable, but have been directed with an intelligence that is just bound to succeed.

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### In Kickapoo Country.

T. K. Wilson, the Concho equity bachelor ranchman, is again in San Angelo.

"Everything is looking fine in the Kickapoo country," he said. "The grass is green and pretty and the stock is fat. The only thing that is a little short down my way is the pecan crop, but I think there will be enough of them to keep me supplied during the winter—I hope so."

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# Lakeview Addition Is Going To Be The Addition Of Beautiful Homes

## WEST TEXAS IS IN ITS INFANCY

COMMISSIONER KONE SEES GREAT OPPORTUNITIES.

## EXPERIMENTING NOW

As Soon as Farmers Learn What Crops Are Best This Section Will Have Great Growth.

Commissioner of Agriculture Ed R. Kone left Wednesday afternoon for his headquarters at Austin. He was the guest of Sam H Hill at luncheon at the Landon.

"You have great possibilities in this section," declared Judge Kone, "and there are those now living here who will see more houses to the section of this country than are now to be found elsewhere in the section."

"West Texas hasn't gotten a fair start in an intensified agricultural way. The people have not yet passed entirely through the experimental stage. When they learn exactly what crops yield the greatest returns, then look for a flood tide of immigration that will cause houses to spring up on every hill top and farms to be made in every valley. I have never been to this section before, but I have known those who have lived here for years so long and heard them discuss this section so much that I came prepared to see exactly what I have seen. I have heard great tales about the vast possibilities of Western Texas, but as far as I have been able to judge I have never heard a resident of this section overstate the facts as warranted by the conditions that prevail."

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## PARKER COUNTY DISAPPOINTED

WANTED IN ON WEST TEXAS DEVELOPMENT CONGRESS.

## WM. HEMPHILL TALKS

Movement, He Says, Is Being Talked of All Over the State—Judge Kone to Attend.

"I was in Weatherford the other day and the people there are not a little put out because the line for the West Texas Development Congress was drawn east of Parker county," declares William Hemphill, in speaking of this movement. "In fact, I found people all along the line talking about this coming meeting and the interest is genuine and the feeling expressed in every instance was friendly. I look for a good attendance of progressive thinking men, and I believe that the amount of good that will come from this meeting can hardly be estimated at this time."

The program committee is making splendid headway with its work and when the full list is completed as heavy a lot of thinkers as can be found anywhere in the world will be down for addresses.

While here Wednesday Judge Kone, commissioner of agriculture, promised to be present when the congress convenes, and to deliver an address. After his business with the congress is completed he will visit Sam Hill on his Schleicher county ranch and engage in a wolf hunt.

Chairman Bartholomew is down for an address at the meeting of the Commercial Clubs of Central West Texas, which will be held at Anson on Nov.

16, as the following program is evidence:

At 9:30 a. m. welcome address. Judge James P. Stinson; response, W. T. Potter, president. Merkel; music. Miss Johnnie Colbert; address, Capt. B. B. Paddock, secretary Fort Worth Board of Trade; address, "Does Organization Pay?" Hon. L. A. Brooks, Anson, Tex.; address, "Big Things in a Little Town," M. L. Swinehart, Pecos, Tex.; general discussion; lunch. Afternoon—At 2 o'clock, address, "The West Texas Development Congress, Its Aims and Objects," W. T. Bartholomew, president, San Angelo, Tex.; music; address, "The Education Worth While," Dr. J. D. Sandefer, president "Immons College, Abilene, Tex.; general discussion; business meeting.

Secretary Thomas, of the 25,000 club of Abilene, writes that considerable interest is being manifested in the conference to be held in that city November 22 and that the attendance will be most satisfactory. This conference is to be held for the purpose of explaining to those who do not live in this immediate section the exact objects of the congress, with the view of having the gospel of the congress preached in as many sections as possible.

"I feel greatly pleased with the outlook," comments Chairman Bartholomew, whose labors in behalf of this congress have not only been indefatigable, but have been directed with an intelligence that is just bound to succeed.

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### In Kickapoo Country.

T. K. Wilson, the Concho county bachelor ranchman, is again in San Angelo.

"Everything is looking fine in the Kickapoo country," he said. "The grass is green and pretty and the stock is fat. The only thing that is a little short down my way is the pecan crop, but I think there will be enough of them to keep me supplied during the winter—I hope so."

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