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SENATOR JOE BAILEY TO RETIRE FROM POLITICS

Announcement the Greatest Sensation of the Day—The Political Waters are Stirred.

PATRY LEADRS LOOKING FOR SUCCESSOR

Senator Bailey Says His Decision is Final—Has Guarantee of More Lucrative Engagement in New York City. Campbell and Colquitt now in Limelight.

By Associated Press:

Gainesville, Texas Sept. 6.—United States Senator J. W. Bailey wires home from Washington and has today confirmed the announcement sent out last night that he will not be a candidate for re-election when his present term expires, in 1913.

By Associated Press:

Austin, Texas, Sept. 6.—The greatest sensation that has come to Austin since adjournment of the Legislature was the announcement last night of Senator Bailey's determination to not stand for re-election at the expiration of his present term.

It has been the sole talk in the political circles today.

There has already come to the front of a number of names to be considered in connection with the selection for a successor to the Gainesville man.

Among those suggested are: O. B. Colquitt, Jake Wolters, T. H. Ball, T. M. Campbell, Cone Johnson, M. M. Crane and Wm. Pindexter.

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ing probabilities at this stage. It has been suggested verbatim and said it was em- that the antis may unite on either Wolters or Colquitt.

Galveston Turns to Colquitt

By Associated Press:

Galveston, Texas, Sept. 6.—It was interesting to note here this morning that Colquitt was the only comment. The Governor's friends here are considering him the logical candidate to succeed Bailey.

Gainesville Talks About It

By Associated Press:

Gainesville, Texas, Sept. 6.—Senator Bailey's friends here have pressed him today to give a more extended statement of his decision to remain in politics, but he refused to amplify his brief announcement of last night but repeated that announcement verbatim and said it was emphatic and irrevocable.

A few of the Senator's most intimate friends evidently know his reasons in detail, but they refuse to pass the information along.

Some of them venture to say that Bailey will engage in law practice in New York City after his Senatorial term expires on March 4th, 1913 and they say he will be associated with one of the largest and strongest firms in the Metropolis where he has the guarantee of an income ten times as large as he receives as Senator.

Friends here at his home say that Bailey's reputation as a constitutional lawyer has brought him this flattering offer to identify himself with Eastern firms. It is said here that Bailey's son will finish his law course in the University and later be associated with his father in the practice of law.

Bailey's announcement was not generally known in Gainesville till this morning, when excited crowds gathered in the streets to discuss the matter and many were heard to express regret.

Riddle Explains Bailey's Act

By Associated Press:

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 6.—George W. Riddle who was prominent last year as chairman of the Anti-Bailey Campaign Committee organized last year in Galveston said today that Senator Bailey saw the hand writing on the wall and that he had lost much of his strength in the last year or two, and that his friends were getting tired of having to apologize to him so much and many of them had deserted him.

Sheb Williams Not Surprised

By Associated Press:

Paris, Texas, Sept. 6.—Hon. Sheb Williams, Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee said today of Bailey's announcement: "It is not a great surprise to me. Bailey may retire from official life, but he will not retire from political life in Texas. I have known for some time that Joe Bailey would not accept election to the Senatorship, burdened with either side of the prohibition question.

The two new depots, the Santa Fe and the R. S. & P are nearing completion. They will both be ready for occupancy about September 15.

RACE WAR IS ON IN OKLAHOMA

Blacks Make Hasty Preparations to Leave Community. Versions of Trouble Differ

In a battle between negroes and masked white men at the home of a negro named Daniels, about a mile south of Caddo, Ok., last night, Horace Gribble, a white farmer was shot through the heart and instantly killed. Excitement prevails in Caddo today as the result of the killing and although the few remaining negroes are making hasty preparations to leave another clash is feared.

A message from the chief of police this afternoon stated that over the killing and rumors of retaliation were rife.

Versions of the trouble last night differ widely. It was first reported to officers in Caddo shortly after midnight by four white men who stated that they had been fired on while passing the home of the Daniels negro, where two other negroes were hiding and one of their party had been killed.

Officers found Gribble's body lying in the road about fifty yards from the negro's home. His right hand clutched a revolver, three of the chambers of which contained empty cartridges.

A rifle ball had penetrated his breast causing almost instant death. Gribble was about 27 years old. He resided on a farm west of Caddo and had lived in the community about 8 years and was regarded as a substantial citizen. He is survived by a wife and two small children.

Near the house, the officers found a stick of dynamite with the fuse partly burned.

The negro's version of the trouble is that one of their number who was sleeping in the yard was aroused by the white men, who threw the dynamite at the house and then commenced firing into the hut. The three negroes fled to shelter behind the house

and from there returned the fire. Until the officers arrived the negroes said they did not know they had killed Gribble. They were arrested and brought to Durant by Sheriff Hamilton this afternoon.

The encounter was the outgrowth of race trouble which has kept the county in turmoil for the last four weeks, during which time one negro outrage and three attempts have been reported.

Many negroes lived in and around Caddo, some of whom owned considerable property.

Following the killing of Mrs. Campbell, wife of a farmer north of Durant, by a negro four weeks ago, notices were circulated warning negroes to leave Caddo.

A panicky exodus followed. A white farmer, said to have been in the battle last night was indicted for circulating these notices. The negroes have sacrificed their property and crops in this haste to leave the county. Two sales of crops aggregating \$2,500 were reported at Caddo yesterday. Officers state that none of the negroes had refused to leave the community and that the Daniels negro has signified his intention to get away as soon as possible.

Mexican Cattle Shipments

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 6.—Shipment of 20,000 head of cattle bought from the Terrazas ranch in Chihuahua by J. P. Robertson of this city and W. R. Bigham of Merkel will not begin until November 1. Mr. Bigham went to Chihuahua tonight to close up the final details. Six thousand of the cattle are calves and the remainder cows and stags.

Cox Gets State Job

By Associated Press:

Austin, Texas, Sept. 6.—Representative Jeff D. Cox of Rockwall resigned his seat in the house today to accept an appointment to the department of Fish and Oyster Commissioner.

Burgess Swims Channel

By Associated Press:

London, Sept. 6.—William Burgess, the well known shoreman today swam the English Channel from Hoover to Cape Grimes in exactly twenty-four hours.

READY TO STRIKE DEMANDS REFUSED

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EMPLOYEES EXPECT ORDER TO QUIT WORK

CONFERENCE IS NOW ON

Sympathetic Walkout by Engineers and Firemen Likely if Leaders Say the Word

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 6.—All Illinois Central employees, members of the nine international unions composing the Federation of Railway Employees in Memphis are said today to be ready to leave work in case the expected strike order is received from the Federation and the International Union leaders in Chicago.

A strike order would affect 1200 men in Memphis all of whom are employed by the road. Should the movement take the proportions of a sympathetic walkout, this number would be augmented by many hundreds more of men employed in Memphis as engineers, firemen, switchmen, etc.

Any strike order coming will be by wire. A member of the executive committee stated it was not likely a bulletin would be posted but word silently passed to the men and work stopped.

Such an order may come at any time.

A prominent member of the committee from this city who attended the Chicago conference on last week stated today that he did not see how a strike was to be averted, basing his statements upon the press reports that President Markham had sent a letter to Secretary Kramer of the International Union, refusing the grant of the interview requested for today.

Every man should do what he can to assist the ladies in their work of civic improvement.

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Our Wagons won't work your horses to death. They run light. They are made of strong, tough, seasoned wood and will stand the roughest wear.

If you buy a wagon from us and anything goes wrong with it, drive up in front of our store and see if we don't make good.

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business. We do good work in that line and hope to be favored with your orders. You will find our prices as low as any and you will agree that our goods are A 1.

The Snyder Grocery Company

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Forty Governors Meet

By Associated Press:

Spring Lake, N. J., Sept. 5.—For the first time within recent American history, the governors of approximately forty of the forty six states, will meet in conference here Tuesday, September 12.

Thirty seven chief executives have accepted the call outright, several from nearby commonwealths have yet to be heard from and of the small remainder those who can so arrange their duties will attend for, at least, a portion of the time.

The original conference at the Whitehouse, held upon call of President Roosevelt in 1907, was attended by 33 conferees.

The full five days of the program will be devoted to discussion of questions now uppermost in the minds of statesmen, while social affairs will be kept in the back ground.

Last year at Louisville a round of entertainment was provided, which took so much time that the business of the conference was curtailed. When they adjourned to meet at Spring lake, the Governors told Gov. Wilson that they wanted to come this year for serious business and would leave the social ends to their wives and others who might accompany them.

Accordingly, Governor Wilson and the committee have refused to allow any entertainments to be arranged, except a reception, which he and Mrs. Wilson will give at the State Cottage at Sea Girt, Sept. 12 and a dinner to be given the following Thursday.

On the program, which has already been announced, are topics of wide spread interest. To the discussion of employers' liability

and workingmen's compensation laws, an entire day will be given and the State control of public utilities will be discussed for another full day. Gov. John A. Dix of New York will discuss the new inheritance tax law passed last winter and the question of fixing intrastate traffic rates will also be considered at a separate session.

Gov. Herbert S. Hadley of Missouri will be a speaker on this subject.

Added interest to the gathering will be given by the presence of two prominent Democratic governors, Judson Harmon of Ohio and Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey.

President Taft may be present for one day and address the meeting, but this has not been definitely arranged.

Governors of the Western States will leave Chicago on Sunday night Sept. 10, on a special car, which will reach Spring Lake on Monday afternoon. Townspeople of Spring Lake are planning a big celebration for that night by way of welcome.

Take Herbine for heartburn sour belching or constipation, it cleanses and strengthens the liver, stomach and bowels. Price 50¢ Sold by all Druggists.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS PRICE 50¢ & \$1.00 TRIAL BOTTLE FREE AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.



When you hide your money are you not always scared? You will act so the people will know you have money, and follow you, and find out where it is and steal it. Then you won't have any money.

Bankers are in business, not to lose their money and other people's, but to make money in an honest way.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SNYDER, TEXAS.

FOSTER PREDICTS WARM WEATHER

Predicts Warm Weather for September and October

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The fact has been thoroughly proven that West Texas with good cultivation and a reasonable supply of moisture will beat many other portions of the State in production of crops.

Farmers of the west had opportunity to put their land in good condition for planting and they did it.

The crops have, generally been well cultivated and though there have been some times during the year that it looked as though the drought would burn everything up it has turned out that several good rains have come and prospects are now favorable for the best crops grown here in four years.

It is admitted that with a reasonably late frost the cotton and feed stuff will make good and fall gardens are considered a sure thing.

We may get much encouragement as to a growing fall season from reading Foster's Weather Forecast. After reporting a disturbance from Sept. 11 to 15, Foster says:

This disturbance will average much warmer than usual for the five days centering on the warm wave dates. Rains will increase in lower Missouri and in and north of the Ohio valleys. Not much rain in the Atlantic and gulf coast states and the Central northwest. This will not be good for cotton where it has heretofore been too dry, but it will be generally favorable to the spring wheat sections, both for threshing and maturing late crops.

Much attention is now given to wheat sowing. October will be unusually warm and where moisture is sufficient early-sown wheat will make a large growth.

Good rains may be expected during October, west of meridian 85, but that month will be very dry, east of the meridian 85. Of course there will be some small exceptions. November will average warmer than usual and moisture will be fairly well distributed.

These conditions suggest that best results will come from late sowing on account of insufficient rain in large sections, while a warm October suggests the fly in early-sown wheat.

If sown in good time, winter wheat will succeed up to Jan. 1, but in large sections, the crop will not be good next year. The annual precipitation is always sufficient to make good wheat, but a drought at a critical time is ruinous. Mid-winter thaws are also ruinous. I have completed my calculations for 1912 and am studying the prospects carefully. What I have said about wheat will largely apply to other grains.

In a general way my seasonal forecasts have proven wonderfully correct. Of course there are few small exceptions. Had my forecasts been followed by all, the average result would have been a saving of millions.

In 90 per cent of all cases it pays to follow these forecasts for agricultural purposes and during the crop growing season it will pay as largely for those interested in agricultural markets.

But in winter season, the big speculators often manipulate and often invest the markets. For that reason, I have concluded my duty is to advise all to stay out of the markets while they are being manipulated during the winter months. Farmers have uniformly made money by following my advice not to sell.

To the People of Snyder-Greeting:

His majesty "King Komus" of Louisiana is in the City and will pay a visit to your homes where he will be introduced by his sweethearts, and you will be afforded an opportunity to partake of His sweetness. "King Komus" will make His home with all first class groceries and is guaranteed to please those wanting a Louisiana Syrup. It is the only absolutely pure cane syrup, packed in a sanitary can without the use of Sauter of acids containing absolutely nothing foreign to pure cane juice packed by Dunbars, Lopez & Dukate Co., H. O. Wooten Grocery Co., distributors for West Texas.

"King Komus" will be found on sale at the following up to date groceries in Snyder. Call and ask for sample.

The Snyder Grocery Co.
Freeland & Templeton.
Harpole & Guinn
V. C. Wasson

Hamm & Leverett
Denson & Smith,
Curry & Taylor
Farmers Union.

KILLED AND ROBBED IN DALLAS

G. W. L. Perry Prominent Ellis County Farmer Slain by Negroes Last Night

By Associated Press:

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 5.—The Dallas police are today scouring East Dallas for traces of the murderer of G. W. L. Perry, a well-to-do farmer of Forrester, Ellis county, who was slain last night and robbed by negroes.

Perry had come to Dallas to employ cotton pickers.

Gotch is Champion Wrestler.

By Associated Press:

Chicago, Sept. 4.—The Gotch-Hacken Schmidt wrestling match in Chicago was pulled off at 3:15 p. m. Monday and Gotch was an easy winner in third round. The wrestling was swift and Gotch won first fall.

Gotch got first fall in fourteen minutes and 1-5 seconds, with bodies locked, held Hackensmidt's legs in the air and shoulders on the mat.

The second fall was won with toe lock.

Wanted on Old Charge

Austin, Texas, Sept. 5—Gov. Colquitt today offered a reward of \$500 for the capture and conviction of Adolphus Collins, charged with killing Collins Davis, 28 years ago. It is understood that this new effort to capture Collins is due to the fact that Collins is said to be now somewhere in Texas.

Land Sale at El Paso.

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 5.—Unimproved valley lands in this section took another phenomenal jump in value today when 12,439 acres seven miles southeast of El Paso sold at \$500 per acre.

May Save Boys Life

By Associated Press:

Austin, Texas, Sept. 4.—E. A. Estovia, director of the Mexican consulate in the United States today served Governor Colquitt with a document tending to show that Leon Martinez, the Mexican youth, sentenced to hang for the murder of Miss Emma Brown near Saragosa is only sixteen years old, while the Texas hanging limit is 17 years.

Oppose Higher Freight Rates

By Associated Press:

Washington, Sept. 5.—The recent advance in freight rates on rice and rice products from Houston, Texas to South Atlantic seaboard points is being attacked today before the Interstate Commerce Commission by the Houston Chamber of Commerce.

Floods in China

By Associated Press:

Honkow, China, Sept. 4.—The American mission at Wuhu have received a report that one hundred thousand people were drowned ed by an overflow of the Yang Tse Kiang river.

The Condition of Cotton

By Associated Press:

Washington, Sept. 1—The condition of the cotton crop on August 25 as reported by the government bureau was 73.2 as compared to 89.1 per cent of normal on July 25 and 73.5 per cent of the ten year average.

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It is an invigorating tonic for a torpid liver. The first dose brings improvement, a few days use puts the liver in fine vigorous condition. Herbine also tones the stomach and bowels. It helps digestion and food assimilation, purifies the bowels and brings back the habit of regular daily bowel movements. When the stomach, liver and bowels are active, bilious impurities no longer obstruct functional processes, the result of which is renewed energy, mental activity and cheerful spirits.

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Use Stephens Eye Salve for sore Eyes. It cures.

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Snyder Fuel Co.

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The Best the market afford. Let us figure with you on your Winter's Fuel.

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Men's Work Shoes \$2.50
They will give satisfaction

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Personal and Local

J. C. Webb and T. L. Hardin of Lubbock.

Prof. Hudgins returned Monday from Fort Worth.

Mrs. M. L. Berry came in Monday from Lubbock.

Prof. and Mrs. J. W. Leftwich are visiting at Fluvanna.

Born, in Snyder, September 1, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ellard, a boy.

Will Ralston left Monday evening on a business trip to Fort Worth.

Rev. J. T. Griswold, president of Stamford College attended services in Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Hester of Lakewood, New Mexico is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Middleton.

Guy Paxton is speeding around the streets in a brand new Cadillac automobile and it certainly is a beauty.

The Signal learns today that the jail contractor is here and the work on the new bastile will begin soon.

Mrs. Capt. Scarborough was on the sick last this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Boren.

Commissioner Lowe and Judge Smith have gone to Dunn this evening to be at the opening of the school.

HAVE YOUR ABSTRACT READY

So that you will not be delayed when you get ready to sell. It takes time to have an abstract examined and defects cured, so get ready now. Our entire abstract business is now in the Wilmett building on the southwest corner of the square with H. M. Boyd in charge, and your work will be appreciated and given prompt attention.

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ABSTRACT COMPANY
H. M. Boyd, Manager
(Watch this space.)

The Santa Fe bridge crews are busy north of town, replacing the old wooden trestles that were built by the construction company with modern steel bridges.

Mr. S. N. Richardson of Oklahoma was called home this week to the bedside of his mother Mrs. J. B. Richardson who has been sick but is now reported better.

B. F. Patty and son Rupert called at The Signal office Wednesday and secured another year of current reading.

A. Rhodes is here today from Ira and reports things pretty good there. Cotton picking is getting well under way.

Mr. Fred Morris of Fluvanna passed through this evening for Eddy, Texas, in response to a message from that place stating his mother was in very bad shape.

Mr. A. D. Dodson returned on the evening train from his ranch north of Fluvanna where he has been for the last few days on business.

For Sale or Trade—3 room house 1-2 block land and fine well of water. Will sell cheap. Will take in good wagon and team. Address H. S. Gist, Snyder, Texas or this office.

The Signal learns today that the Western Union Telegraph company is connecting up a wire to Fluvanna and that town will soon have a telegraph office in connection with the R. S. & P. railway station.

Attorney W. S. Payne returned from Rely where he conducted a trial of a damage suit for Mrs. Riley Newton against the man accused of killing her husband at Rotan. She sued for \$10,000, and Mr. Payne states that the jury awarded her a judgment for \$8000.

Foley's Kidney Remedy (Liquid)

Is a great medicine of proven value for both acute and chronic kidney and bladder ailments. It is especially recommended to elderly people for its wonderful tonic and constructive qualities, and the permanent relief and comfort it gives them. For sale by Snyder Drug Co.

Presiding Elder Simeon Shaw of the Colorado district was here Monday, returning from Elkins where he held quarterly conference.

The Santa Fe railroad people have their pretty new depot finished and the office force are now domiciled in their new quarters.

Mr. James Turner called in Thursday and renewed for the Signal and the Dallas News.

Messrs. W. H. Whitescarver, C. H. Peters and Mitt Holland who are engaged in building the R. S. & P. depot at Dermott spent Sunday with their folks.

Sheriff Boles had advertised to sell today a piece of property at Fluvanna under execution, but an injunction was served on him today to restrain him from selling the land.

Mr. M. D. Holland of this place who is one of the carpenters engaged with Mr. Whitescarver in erecting the R. S. & P. depot at Dermott, suffered a painful injury this evening by cutting him self in the left wrist with a draw knife, and severing a blood vessel. Mr. Holland came in on the evening train to have the injured member treated and will no doubt be laid up for a few days.

Notice

In resuming publication of the Daily Signal the publishers are having it delivered to the subscribers who were taking it before the temporary suspension. Those who may not want it, will please notify the office, otherwise it will be understood that it is wanted.

Services at Grace Church

The Rev. E. Cecil Seamon will conduct services at Grace Episcopal church at 11 o'clock a. m. Sunday the 10th of this month. The public are cordially invited to attend. Mr. Seamon is the newly appointed general missionary for the south portion of the Diocese of North Texas and this will be his first visit to Snyder.

Arthur Yonge, Warden.

Coronation of King George III
Tuesday Night

Benefit of PUBLIC DRINKING FOUNTAIN
At the Lyric, under auspices of M. M. Club.

See our Beautiful Line of Fall and Winter Millinery

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We are displaying some of the greatest bargains in Clothing ever shown in Snyder. Also a few odd coats. It is necessary for you to "see" that you may realize the saving in price.



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School Begins Monday

The Snyder public schools will open Monday. There will be appropriate opening exercises at the Baptist tabernacle at 9:30 Monday morning to which all patrons and friends of the school are invited. It is hoped that the people will start in with good interest and keep it up.

Farmers were in town from the dry streak northeast of town and they were feeling flush because they had gotten a good rain at last. There is a small scope of country there upon which the former rains this year have been light, but they got a good one last Sunday.

We sell only tip top quality in groceries so that we may get your trade—and retain it. Every item we send out is an advertisement of the quality of the others. If we did not maintain tip top value always, our business would not continue to grow as rapidly as it does. Inspect our extensive stock—or telephone a trial order.

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We will compete with anybody's prices on shoes, hats, caps, in fact everything that men wear. Overalls 90c a pair, \$1.75 a suit. Call around, we take pleasure in showing our goods and then when you get ready to buy, you are thoroughly convinced that you can save money by buying at our store. Once a customer, always a customer. Two doors South of the postoffice.

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