

WEDDING WAS MOST BEAUTIFUL AFFAIR

Young Couple Will Spend Summer on Lakes—Will Make Future Home at Nashville, Tenn.

One of the most beautiful home weddings ever solemnized in Vinita, and one on which the interest of society of the city has been centered for the past week, was that last night at the home of F. J. Scott, on South Smith street, when Miss Elizabeth Scott, daughter of the home, was united in marriage to Mr. B. E. Mitchell, of Nashville, Tenn.

About two hundred and fifty invitations to this wedding had been sent out and about one hundred were present.

In the matter of arrangement nothing was left undone to make the occasion a memorable one in the social annals of the city. The home was beautifully decorated throughout with great masses of ferns, palms, carnations, sweet peas, and other floral displays. The color scheme throughout was pink and white, and this effect was carried out even to the costumes worn by the attendants. The stairway down which the bridal procession marched to the altar, was a wilderness of ferns, smilax, roses of Killarney, etc. Beneath these in the reception room a great palm, surrounded by ferns and smilax made a beautiful background for the interior decorations. The two large living rooms were most artistically decorated in the general flower scheme. At one end of the living room a great altar of ferns had been constructed. Over this was suspended a huge white wedding bell. The crowning feature of the home decoration, however, was in the dining room. The walls were draped in ferns, sweet peas, smilax, etc. From the electroliter to the four corners of the dining table were draped beautiful streamers of pink and white chiffon. A great basket of pink and white carnations formed the center piece. Here Misses Gail Scott and Lucile Milford presided over the punch bowl.

As the guests assembled little Misses Laura Milford and Martha Cantrell escorted them to the cloak room, where the wraps were deposited and then the guests were conducted into the reception hall, to await the coming of the bridal procession.

Preceding the approach of the procession, Misses Huggins and Cantrell, in duet, rendered that beautiful song, "When We are Together." Mrs. Ewing Haisell then played Mendelssohn's spring song. Then she played Lohengrin's wedding march, and the bridal procession marched to the altar.

After the reading of the ceremony, Mrs. Haisell played Mendelssohn's wedding march.

Little Miss Mildred Rogers and Master Herman Montgomery dressed in white, as ribbon bearers, led the way. Then came little Miss Maxine Day, in pink, as the flower girl. Following the flower girl came the bridesmaids, Miss Glass a cousin of the bride and Miss Edna Stutsman. Then came the matron of honor, Mrs. Montgomery, a sister of the bride. Little Miss Bernice Montgomery as ring bearer came next, and then appeared the bride, on the arm of her brother-in-law, T. C. Montgomery. The procession proceeded to the altar, where they were met by the groom, and his best man, Mr. Clyde Edwards, of Morrisville, Mo. Rev. J. M. Cantrell, of the First M. E. church, south, then read the beautiful ring ceremony.

Following the ceremony a reception for the bride and groom was held, after which the young couple left for Chicago. They will spend the summer on the Great Lakes, returning to this city in August, and will then go to Nashville to make their home.

The costumes worn by the bride and her attendants were simply stunning. The bride was gowned in a beautiful creation of white satin duchesse, trim-

Earth Shocks Recorded.
By Associated Press.
Lawrence, Kans., June 16.—Beginning at 12:45 a. m., and continuing for two and a half hours, earthquake shocks were recorded at Kansas University this morning. The disturbance is estimated at thirty-five hundred miles away.

MOODY WILL RETIRE FROM SUPREME COURT

Washington, June 16.—It was learned yesterday that the suggestion that Justice Moody be retired came from the justice himself. His determination to leave the bench was reached as a result of some comment made recently. Justice Moody saw references to the fact that the result of a certain case would have been different if he had not been incapacitated and had been present to participate in the deliberations of the court. In view of these circumstances and by reason of the fact that his rheumatism troubles, which proved unusually stubborn, he decided that the best course would be for him to retire.

OKLAHOMA TO GET SHARE OF PUBLIC BUILDING FUND

Washington, D. C., June 16.—Senator Gore has secured the favorable report from the senate committee on public buildings for an additional appropriation of \$170,000 for the Oklahoma City public building. The appropriation has in mind the purchase of an additional site at a cost of \$140,000 while the remaining \$35,000 insures first class building material, the use of which has been impossible because of the meagre appropriation.

The program of the leaders of congress is that the house committee on public buildings shall on Saturday report the public buildings bill which shall be passed Monday under a suspension of rules, after two hours' debate, the revisionary committee, which has the bill in charge, will meet tomorrow and settle these items.

It is expected that Oklahoma will get about \$1,250,000. Muskogee, Lawton, Ardmore, Oklahoma City, Blackwell and Kingfisher being taken care of in the house bill.

Med with pearls and duchess lace. She carried a great bouquet of Bride's roses.

Both of the bridesmaids were gowned in pink crepe de chine, with Persian bands and pearls. The matron of honor was also dressed in pink crepe de chine, trimmed with pearls. The bride's traveling suit was of gray cloth.

Many beautiful presents, of linen, cut glass, silver and china were received. These were placed on display for the benefit of the guests. Among the collection were seventy-five handsome pieces of cut glass, a beautiful chest of silver and a pretty set of Haviland china.

The bride has been a resident of Vinita for the past several years, and is one of the most beloved young ladies of the city, and she has a host of friends whose good wishes follow her into her new career. The groom is not well known here but the good wishes of the friends of the bride extend to him. He is a professor of mathematics at Vanderbilt university and will resume his chair in that institution in September.

In addition to the many local society devotees who attended the wedding last night, were the following out of town guests: Mr. and Mrs. James Glass, of Holden, Mo.; Miss Glass and Willhoite Glass, of Freeman, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Majors, of Butler, Mo.; Mrs. Charles J. Wilkins, and Misses Jones and Miller of Morrisville, Mo.; Miss Montgomery, Mrs. J. M. Greening and Carl Montgomery of Centralia.

FIGHTING GRADUATED LAND TAX THROUGH THE COURTS

Oklahoma Law Passed by First Legislature Said to Be Contrary to Federal Constitution --Hearing Before Judge Cottrell on Temporary Injunction is Set for June 17-- Suit Filed for Permanent Injunction.

Guthrie, Okla., June 16.—Attacking the graduated land tax law of Oklahoma as being in violation of both federal and state constitutions, in that it seeks to take property without due process of law, denying to him the equal protection of the state laws and unlawfully discriminating against him and his property, George W. Gale, a resident of Illinois and a large land owner in McLain, Grady, Carter, Garvin and Stephens counties, has brought suit in the United States court for the western district of Oklahoma, asking for a permanent injunction to prevent State Auditor M. E. Trapp from certifying to the county clerks of these counties the taxes due on his property under the graduated land tax law for 1910.

A temporary restraining order was granted by Judge Cottrell and the application set for hearing June 17. Another similar case was filed at the same time, in which U. S. Joins, J. J. Eastes, J. C. Harris, George C. Howard, R. A. Fox, C. G. Howland, Mark Kirkpatrick, E. D. Stair, George Middleton, Davis Bartlett, Dunn & Gillam, C. R. Smith, William Kern, Mary S. Smith, Isaac Good, Mary Good, C. Schlotterback, James P. Allen, B. L. Hart, J. S. Calfee, J. S. Mullen, Will McKemie, J. Gladney, M. L. Mitchell, W. F. Maharry, E. R. Poole, John

COURT OVERRULES GOVERNOR HASKELL

Continues Temporary Injunction And Says Court Has Jurisdiction Over Executive's Acts.

Guthrie, Okla., June 16.—Judge A. H. Huston, of the Logan county district court this morning, overruled the demurrer of Governor Haskell to the petition of County Attorney James Hepburn, for an injunction, preventing the removal or transfer of the seat of government to Oklahoma City. The attorney general was given leave to except. The temporary injunction was continued in force until further orders. The court held the enabling act valid in imposing the condition that the capital should remain in Guthrie until 1913 and that the court had jurisdiction over the person of the governor in matters where he had no discretion and that the county attorney had the power to bring an application for an injunction, differing with Attorney General West, on all points.

TO ASK FOR PERMANENT INJUNCTION AGAINST FIGHT

San Francisco, Cal., June 16.—With the motion for a permanent injunction against the Jeffries-Johnson fight and an application for a temporary restraining order against the Kaufman-Longford contest, to be filed in the superior court here tomorrow morning, Attorney General Webb will file the first legal gun in the war declared on prize fighting in this state, by Governor Gillett.

Abstractor Locates Here.
Carl Gillette, who for the last few years has been manager of the Abstract department of the Fidelity Trust company, at Tulsa, has accepted a position with Tarlton & Company, of this city and will have charge of the abstract business of that company. He has already assumed the duties of his new position. Mr. Gillette is a competent abstractor and will be a welcome addition to the business circle of this city.

Harris, W. J. Cassady, J. H. Hinkle, C. M. McKemie, A. J. McKemie, Roy E. Scroggs, K. M. Stuart, H. F. Lefler, D. H. Morgan, Sam T. Roberts, K. P. Joyce, L. M. Maurer, E. C. Rickets and F. J. Longmeyer, all residents of Oklahoma, are plaintiffs.

The graduated land tax law passed by the first state legislature seeks to impose an additional tax on persons owning land in excess of 320 acres and of a value greater than \$12,500. It is in addition to the ad valorem tax and the rate increases with the amount of the holdings.

FIGHT MAY BE MOVED TO SOME OTHER POINT

San Francisco, June 16.—The order of Governor Gillett to stop the Jeffries-Johnson fight on July 4, caused consternation among the fans, but the promoters and principals do not seem much perturbed, as they can go to some other point. This is what the big ones say:

"I have nothing to add to my letter to Attorney General Webb. My position is fully set forth therein."—Governor Gillett.

"I shall file a petition with the superior court in two or three days asking for a restraining order against the Johnson-Jeffries fight, principals and promoters."—Attorney General U. S. Webb.

"We will not contest the action of the court if the first ruling goes against us. It will then be Reno, Ely or Salt Lake."—Tex Rickard.

"I will fight wherever they get us together. I will fight Johnson tomorrow, down here on the river bank."—James J. Jeffries.

"I am ready to go any place to fight. It makes no difference to me."—Jack Johnson.

"It looks like the game is off here but we may hold the Langford-Kaufman fight next Saturday for all that."—Promoter Louis Blot.

"It looks like the finish. I can see no way to contest it. The governor represents both the civil and the military authority of the state. They have put a crimp in the game in California."—Jimmy Croffroth, promoter Ketchel-Langford fight, July 2.

WATERS-PIERCE OIL CASE IS STARTED AT ENID

Enid, Okla., June 16.—The trial of the Waters-Pierce Oil company on the charge of violating the anti-trust laws began before Judge Carter here yesterday. Attorney General Charles West is prosecuting the company. The deposition of Robert A. Anthony, commissioner of the Missouri supreme court, who heard the testimony in the Missouri suit against the Standard Oil company, in which he stated that H. Clay Pierce testified to an understanding between the Standard Oil company relating to a division of territory, was introduced. The state offered in evidence a book was claimed by the prosecution will show sixty-eight per cent of the stock in the Waters-Pierce company to be owned by the Standard Oil company.

Abandons Cross Country Flight.
By Associated Press.
Kansas City, Mo., June 16.—J. C. Mars, the aviator, who yesterday attempted an aeroplane flight from Topeka to Kansas City and was forced to abandon the trip after alighting at Midland, Kans., thirty miles from Topeka, said he would not resume the flight. He prepared to ship his aeroplane to Louisville, Ky., where he is entered in the aviation meet.

Refuse to Settle Strike.
By Associated Press.
Little Rock, Ark., June 16.—Eleven hundred machinists on the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain railway systems refused a proposition of the company to settle the strike in progress since May 2. The local committee men stated today that all negotiations for a settlement had been declared off.

FACTORY MAN SEEKING LOCATION IN VINITA

Vinita is today entertaining a guest who may be the means of locating an excellent manufacturing company in this city. This guest is T. J. Morrow, representing the Baxter Springs Planning Mill & Fixture company, and he is here relative to locating his plant in Vinita. He is investigating the possibilities of the town today and tonight will attend the meeting of the Commercial Club and will submit to that organization a proposition to locate here. A large attendance of club members and others interested is desired.

SAYS ENABLING ACT IS NOT BINDING ON STATE

Oklahoma City, June 16.—At the state fair park last night Governor Haskell stated his position on the summary removal of the capitol and again held that the enabling act was not binding on Oklahoma. He declared that when the people of Oklahoma, by an overwhelming majority voted for Oklahoma City as the permanent seat of government he had not alternative than to come to Oklahoma City to transact official business because the constitution requires such business to be transacted at the state capital.

"There was never any merit in the claim that the people of Oklahoma could not locate their state capital wherever they saw fit," Haskell said. "The provisions in the enabling act which required the capital to remain at Guthrie until 1913 was nothing more than a suggestion to the constitutional convention by vote and the constitutional convention refused to adopt the suggestion by a vote of more than ten to one."

Sheriff Mahoney at Guthrie has apologized to Haskell for his acts in searching state officials and declared it was not the intention to interfere with state officers.

NEW RATES WILL COST OKLAHOMA SHIPPERS MUCH

A personal of the new freight tariffs to go into effect today show a number of rate increases and that the shippers of Oklahoma will be compelled to pay a good many thousand dollars more in carrying charges to the railroads than would have been paid had the rates, as demanded by the corporation commission, been held valid.

The commodities of Oklahoma such as oil, cotton, coal, hay and grain and lumber are provided for in separate tariffs, each in a different classification. These show that increases aggregating perhaps twenty-five to thirty-five per cent are made. In some instances for short hauls the increase is 100 per cent with a graduated reduction down to within ten or fifteen per cent of the former rate.

Rates are charged at so much per hundred pounds on a mileage basis figured in factors of fives. Thus there is a rate for each commodity for five miles, from five to ten miles, from ten to fifteen miles and so on. In most cases the rate is considerably increased for the shorter distance. The longer hauls are also increased in most every classification, but not in so great a proportion.

The coal schedule and those for petroleum, hay and grain, cotton and other products of the state, show a decided increase. The lumber schedule is remarkable in that it shows decreases.

Sam Crockett to Sing.
The management of the Auditorium added much to the pleasure of its patrons yesterday by securing Sam Crockett, the well known baritone, to sing at each of the performances. Mr. Crockett needs no introduction to Vinita people as he lived here for a number of years, and his reputation as a singer is still fresh with the people. Mr. Crockett will begin his engagement at the Auditorium Friday night.

ANOTHER WAR IS EXPECTED IN HOUSE

Madison and Clark Offer Resolutions and Attempt to Depose Speaker May Be Repeated.

Washington, June 16.—The next big battle in the house of representatives is brewing rapidly. All parties and all factions of parties were occupied yesterday with consideration of the proposition. The leaders of both republican and democratic parties as well as the "insurgents," were engrossed with it.

The question has resolved itself to what the house shall do to provide means by which a member may recall a bill or resolution from a standing committee after that committee has failed to report. In short, the end sought is how to prevent legislation from being smothered in committee. One of the highest parliamentary authorities on the republican "regular" side said today that Speaker Reed and every speaker succeeding him had been of the conviction that such a plan should be devised.

The difficulty of providing such a scheme and at the same time not make it a vehicle for filibustering by a hostile minority heretofore has deterred action. It is the general opinion now, however, the present session will see some such rule adopted by the house.

Two proposed rules on the subject were offered in the house today, one by Representative Champ Clark of Missouri, leader of the minority, which represents the composite democratic idea on the subject, and another by Representative Madison, republican, of Kansas, one of the leaders of the "insurgent" republicans.

Both attempted to deal with one condition, but in somewhat dissimilar parliamentary manner. The Clark resolution was the product of a conference in the minority leader's room, lasting most of the afternoon, which was participated in by all the democratic members of the rules committee and Representative Sherley of Kentucky. The latter is the author of a similar resolution which he presented some weeks ago. The Clark resolution largely is founded on the Sherley resolution.

The Madison resolution is designed to secure "insurgent" support. Other "insurgents" have offered resolutions on the subject which are pending. Representative Fish of New York has two and Representative Fowler of New Jersey one. Both the Clark and Madison resolutions were referred today to the rules committee. This committee will meet tomorrow. Representative Sherley will appear before it and other rule proponents also will address the committee.

The "insurgents" held a meeting today on the question of the rules and the general subject of "insurgency" in the room of Representative Lenrott of Wisconsin, but accomplished nothing, and the meeting adjourned until 2 o'clock tomorrow. It is expected that this conference will consider the question of again attempting the disposition of Speaker Cannon from the chair. The question of rules "reform" may not reach the floor of the house before next week, but the movement is gathering volume rapidly.

NO CONFLICT IN AFTON AND VINITA CELEBRATION

An event that will add much to the success of the Fourth of July celebration in both this city and the one at Afton, was the decision of the citizens of the latter town to hold their celebration on Saturday, July 2, so as not to conflict with the Vinita celebration on the Monday following the Fourth. This was a most gracious act on the part of Afton and will be appreciated in this city. It is the plan of the Afton people to hold their celebration on Saturday and then come to this city on Monday and celebrate here. It is hoped that as many Vinita people as possible will attend the Afton celebration. They no doubt will be well repaid for making the trip, and the attendance of many Vinita people is necessary as acknowledgement of the courtesy extended by Afton.

Sam R. Frazee is again able to be at his desk in the International Bank & Trust company, after an operation for appendicitis.

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