

# TWO GREAT GUSHERS

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# COMANCHE'S WONDERFUL FIELD

One Near Our Tract No. 31 and the Other Near Tracts No. 1 and 32-- Adding Enormously to the Company's Holdings.

**REMEMBER--ONLY TWO DAYS LEFT TO BUY COMANCHE STOCK at \$1.00, the Price that the Trustees of the Company themselves Paid for It.**

After Saturday, May 24th at Midnight  
**\$1.50 Per Share**

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 There is no time to lose if you're to get Comanche yet at Par--\$1.00

**A. W. Fisher of the Davie Realty Co.**

126 N. Central Avenue

PHONE 3599

Representative for the State of Arizona

Detach and Mail

A. W. Fisher, Davie Realty Co. Date .....  
 126 North Central Ave.  
 Phoenix.

Please reserve for me ..... shares of Capital Stock of the COMANCHE COUNTY OIL COMPANY at the par value price of \$1.00 per share.

I enclose herewith (Check, M. O., Draft) for \$..... in payment of same.

Signed ..... Address .....



### CLOSE DEAL FOR TRACT FOR HUGE HOTEL ADDITION

**Hotel Jefferson To Be More Than Doubled in Size—Work on New Six-Story Building To Be Begun at Once**

A deal closed yesterday will result in considerably more than doubling the hotel room of the Hotel Jefferson. Hal Bird and R. M. Monaghan, proprietors of the Hotel Jefferson, closed a transaction which has been under way for some months with Marshall Humphreys and Leo Goldschmidt, the latter of Tucson, for the transfer of 150 feet on Jefferson adjoining the hotel on the east.

This property, with 150 feet more, formerly occupied by the old Dublin corral, was purchased by Messrs. Humphreys and Goldschmidt of Seth Hammond a year ago for \$80,000. Mr. Hammond had acquired it in the earliest times for a song, and he was never much of a singer. It was used as a corral up to five or six years ago.

Salim Ackel is the owner of the Hotel Jefferson. It was held by Mr. Bird on a five year lease, which had just expired, but he had a privilege of renewal for a period of five years and that was effected yesterday. It was on that, that the deal with Humphreys and Goldschmidt had hinged and, immediately after the new lease was signed, the latter transaction was closed.

It was stated last night that the construction of the new hotel building, which will be six stories, the height of the Jefferson, will be begun as soon as possible. There will be a light and air shaft between the two buildings except at the front and the rear. The space between the two buildings at the front will be occupied by a handsome lobby, so that the main entrance to the enlarged hotel will be on the Jefferson street side.

Plans are under way for the improvement by Messrs. Humphreys and Goldschmidt of the remaining 150 feet between this property and First street, but they have not yet been completed. Mr. Humphreys, however, said last night that block would be in a short time the best built and the most imposing one in the city.

Mr. Goldschmidt, though not interested in the construction of the proposed hotel building, has a record as a

hotel builder. He is the owner of the new Congress hotel in Tucson. It has proved so successful an enterprise that he is now constructing a counterpart of it there.

### ONE MORE DELAY IN STREET CAR PAVING

The street car company paving matter cannot be settled now until next Saturday. Another delay was added to the already long list yesterday, when the city commission took up the street car matter and the proposed ordinance putting it up to the car company to do the paving along tracks, or to have the city do it and then collect from the company.

General Manager Mitchell of the car company met with the commission yesterday and asked that action be delayed until Mr. Chalmers, counsel for the company, could be present. The commission finally adjourned until Saturday morning, when the matter will again come up.

Proposals for adjustment of the paving matter from both the commission and the company are contained in the ordinance before the commission.

### GRAND AVENUE MOTOR LINE PERMIT REVOKED

The permit or certificate of convenience and necessity held by William Stuckinger to operate a jitney bus service over the Grand avenue line to Six Points and the fair grounds has been revoked by the corporation commission.

Complaints were filed that the service was irregular and inadequate, that Stuckinger employed boys to operate, and that both cars were out of the service at times and no service whatever given.

The commission would have set a hearing, and given Stuckinger a chance to present his case, but they were notified by the surety company that, owing to the type of drivers and the condition of the cars they had cancelled the indemnity policies, so the commission holds, they have no choice but to cancel the permit.

It is understood that a permit will be issued to other parties to operate this necessary line.

**COLORED WOMEN'S CLUBS IN SESSION**—The Arizona Federation of Colored Women's clubs is holding its fourth annual convention at the Second Baptist church, corner Fifth and Jefferson streets. The session will be closed Thursday with a lawn fete and musicale. Many speakers are present from California and Arizona to address the meeting.

### SALVATION ARMY DRIVE LAUNCHED IN PARADE SAT.

Saturday night will be the occasion of the big parade put on by the Elks to introduce to the public the drive for the Salvation Army home service fund, which starts Monday.

Guy Allsop, the exalted ruler of the local Elks, has issued a mandatory call to the thousand or so members of the local B. P. O. E. to assemble at the Elks home before 8 o'clock p. m. Saturday night to take part in the parade.

A corps of mounted officers will lead the parade, then the Salvation Army band, the entire Phoenix organization of the Salvation Army. There will be two more bands, two or more floats, and hundreds of Elks, all wearing the insignia of the Salvation Army, for strange as it may seem, all the Elks have joined the Salvation Army—for the purpose of this drive.

The parade will start at the Elks Home, move down Washington to Third street, back to First street, across to Adams, down Adams to Third avenue, back to Washington, and return to the Elks home.

Everybody is "for" the Salvation Army—ask any overseas man—and there is no doubt that the Elks will put on a real for sure parade and that there will be a regular crowd downtown to see it.

### ITEM OF THE PAST OF INTEREST NOW

In the Kansas City Times under the head of "In Kansas City Forty Years Ago" appears this item of local interest forty years later: "Mrs. T. T. Crittenden of Warrensburg was in the city yesterday the guest of Mrs. B. J. Franklin. Colonel Crittenden and Captain Franklin served together as Missouri congressmen." Mrs. Franklin is the mother of Judge Alfred Franklin, internal revenue collector and widow of the late Governor B. J. Franklin of Arizona during the last Cleveland administration. Governor Franklin had served two terms in congress from the Kansas City district and was later United States consul at Hankow, China.

Colonel Crittenden long after the foregoing item appeared was elected governor of Missouri. It was Governor Crittenden who offered the reward for the capture or death of Jesse James that led to the killing of that outlaw by the Ford brothers.

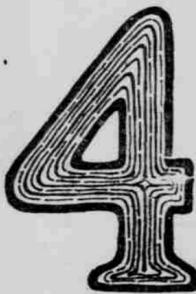
It was in the law office of a son of Governor Crittenden that a son of Jesse James secured employment as an office boy, and later studied law. He was admitted to the bar and is now practicing law in Kansas City.

**THESE WED—**Marriage licenses were issued yesterday J. E. Woods, 34, Phoenix and Margaret Porter, 23, Phoenix; Walter L. Knight, 23, Plainview, Texas and Wilma Agnes Towler, 24, Phoenix.

## Big 4 Is Off at Par in East

BIG 4 will be off at par in all territories Saturday night, May 24. Read the following and then come in. Phone or wire your order to our authorized representative.

**J. H. STONE 17 WEST ADAMS STREET PHOENIX, ARIZONA**



I will protect you from my 10,000 share reservation. The following wire was sent last night to ALL EASTERN representatives of BIG 4. BIG 4 IS BY, OF and FOR the Southwest first.

In ORDER to HOLD OPEN THE SALE of BIG 4 stock at PAR in our OWN territory until the last possible moment it was IMPERATIVE that a CUT be MADE SOMEWHERE.

Copy of telegram to ALL EASTERN Representatives:

Express all supplies collect immediately. Big 4 over the top with a RUSH. Cannot permit you to sell any more stock at par. Writing full details. Obey these instructions implicitly.

BIG 4 OIL & REFINING COMPANY

Big 4 is NOW in the ENVIABLE POSITION of not CARING whether another single SHARE of its STOCK is SOLD. BIG 4 is DEFINITELY, HANDSOMELY and OVERWHELMINGLY over the top. The ORDERS that come in from ALL SOURCES from NOW ON will be filled as far as possible for the REASON that BIG 4 wants as MUCH of ITS stock as possible held in the SOUTHWEST and to KEEP the SALE open AT ALL at HOME it has been closed elsewhere.

**DRILLING AMONG THE WONDER WELLS OF TEXAS:**

"Texas Chief, Block 97, north of our lease Block 88, reported on sand and stock selling 4 1/2 for one."

"Thrift No. 4, Block 83, just south of our 88 lease, selling 9 for 1."

"American Refining Co.'s well, Block 87, reported on SAND and another GUSHER expected from it any moment."

"Benson Oldham, northeast corner of Block 88, is expected in any moment."

"Golconda, Block 83, only 100 feet south of our 88 lease, reported on sand and their stock selling 6 for 1."

Eight OTHER GUSHERS are expected in near our properties.

All of their stocks selling from 5 to 10 for 1.

Big 4 is at this moment worth 2 for 1. But we are going to sell a few more shares at Par in the Southwest. But not a single share will be sold after Saturday, midnight, May 24. Mail orders post marked Saturday, May 24, will be taken care of out of my reservation.

Mail Orders Immediately

**J. H. STONE 17 WEST ADAMS STREET PHOENIX, ARIZONA**

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