

TATUM RAISED CHECK.

Called for \$25, but He Added Two Others and Drew \$2,500.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 8.—The news leaked out yesterday that for four days past the local officers have been making a quiet but none the less earnest search for a check raiser who succeeded last Friday in swindling a Fort Worth bank out of a large sum of money.

On Friday a man giving his name as J. R. Tatum of Chickasha, I. T., presented a certified check for \$2,500 at the First National bank. He explained that he did not wish to draw all the money, but required \$500 at once to complete a deal. He would deposit the remainder with the bank.

The \$800 was promptly paid to him and he departed. Later the suspicion of the officers of the bank was aroused and an investigation was set on foot. The investigation showed that the bank had been defrauded out of \$775, for the check, originally calling for \$25, had been raised in a clever way to \$2,500.

The police were notified at once and a search for the man was begun by Detective Jim Thomason. Tatum evidently had left town immediately after getting the \$800, for he was nowhere to be found.

On Monday the same man swindled the jewelry firm of R. C. Glover & Co. of Dallas out of a \$475 diamond stud. Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock he entered the jewelry store of Linz Bros. in Dallas, and exhibiting the diamond which he had just got from Glover & Co., said that he wanted to get another one like it for a ring.

The suspicions of the firm were aroused and the police were notified, but Tatum got away.

Detective Thomason received word from the Dallas police that the man he was after was in Dallas, and he left here at 3 p. m. Monday for Dallas, but Tatum again vanished.

Tatum's wife is at present residing at Waxahatchie, where, it is said, his folks live. They are said to be well to do.

The Best Remedy for Croup.
From the Atchison, Kan., Daily Globe:

This is the season when the woman who knows the best remedies for croup is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night by a whoop from one of the children. The croup remedies are almost as sure to be lost, in case of croup, as a revolver is sure to be lost in case of burglars. There used to be an old fashioned remedy for croup known as hive syrup and tincture, but some modern mothers say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better and does not cost so much. It causes the patient to "throw up the phlegm" quicker and gives relief in a shorter time. Give this remedy as soon as the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by City Drug Store, F. J. Ramsey and Ardmore Drug Co.

Many a man gives a dollar to charity and takes it off his wife's allowance.

One Minute Cough Cure.
It is the only harmless cough cure that gives quick relief. Cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, whooping cough, pneumonia, asthma, la grippe and all throat, chest and lung troubles. I got soaked by rain, says Gertrude E. Fener, Muncie, Ind., and contracted a severe cold and cough. I failed rapidly; lost 48 pounds. My druggist recommended One Minute Cough Cure. The first bottle brought relief; several cured me. I am back to my old weight, 148 pounds. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the phlegm, relieves the cough at once, draws out inflammation, cures croup. An ideal remedy for children. City Drug Store.

Every man may have his field of usefulness, but a lot of them are too lazy to cultivate it.

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Premature Explosion.
St. Louis, Nov. 7.—While blasting in a cut at Jeffersburg, Mo., sixty-four miles from here, today, two laborers were killed by premature explosion and a number of others injured, according to advices received at the office of the St. Louis, Kansas City and Colorado railroad in this city at 1 o'clock this afternoon. A special train bearing physicians and nurses was sent to the scene from St. Louis.

The man who can't pay his hatter plunges his head in debt.

A Thanksgiving Dinner.
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Beating the devil around the stump is apt to give one vertigo of the morals.

BANKRUPT NOTICE.

In the United States Court for the Southern District of Indian Territory, in bankruptcy. In the matter of W. O. Williams, bankrupt, in bankruptcy.

To the creditors of W. O. Williams of Chickasha, in the district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 22d day of October, A. D. 1902, the said W. O. Williams was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in Chickasha on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1902, at 10 a. m. in the forenoon at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

E. HAMILTON, Referee in Bankruptcy. First published Oct. 30.

WARNING ORDER.

In the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Southern District: Katie Garner, plaintiff, vs. Mose Garner, defendant. No. 5,380. The defendant, Mose Garner, is warned to appear in this court in thirty days and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, Katie Garner.

Witness Hon. Hosea Townsend, Judge of said court, and the seal thereof, this 7th day of November, 1902. (Seal) C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk. J. C. THOMPSON, Atty for Non-Res. First published Nov. 7, 1902.

Hogs Taken Up.

Taken up at my place on Hickory creek, west of Ardmore, two hogs, one a barrow, the other a sow. They are unmarked and about 18 months old. Owner can have hogs by paying expenses. 5-2t. T. J. CRADDOCK.

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F. C. SHARON, S. W. P. A., 823 Main St., Kansas City, Mo.

RAILROAD EXCURSION RATES

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International Livestock Exposition. On November 23 and 30 the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe will sell round trip tickets to Chicago, for \$27.40, limited December 10.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Annual meeting American Bankers' association, New Orleans, La., Nov. 11 to 13. On Nov. 7, 8, and 9 the G. C. & S. F. railway will sell tickets to New Orleans, La. and return for \$19.65, limited ten days from date of sale.

W. A. DASHIELL, Ticket Agent.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm of Gus Aaronson & Co., composed of Gus Aaronson and Louis Landau, Jr., has this day been mutually dissolved, Louis Landau, Jr., retiring and Gus Aaronson continuing the business, assuming all indebtedness and collecting all outstanding bills. GUS AARONSON, LOUIS LANDAU, First published Oct. 9, 1902.

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WARNING ORDER.

In the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Southern District: Chas. Fleming, plaintiff, vs. Bettie Fleming, defendant. No. 5,355.

The defendant Bettie Fleming is warned to appear in this court in thirty days and answer the complaint of plaintiff Chas. Fleming.

Witness Hon. Hosea Townsend, Judge of said court and the seal thereof, this 10th day of October, 1902. (Seal) C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk.

H. C. POTTER, Attorney.
S. H. BUTLER, Atty for Non-Res.
First published Oct. 10, 1902.

WARNING ORDER.

In the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Southern District: Emma R. Masterson plaintiff vs. James Masterson defendant. No. 5,331.

The defendant, James Masterson, is warned to appear in this court in thirty days and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, Emma R. Masterson.

Witness Hosea Townsend, Judge of said court and the seal thereof, this 4th day of October, 1902. (Seal) C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk.

A. RENNIE, Attorney.
R. N. COFFEE, Atty for Non-Res.
First published Oct. 8, 1902.

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