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TYPHOID AND FILTRATION.

Typhoid fever has long been known as one of the most fatal and most widely prevalent diseases with which science has to contend, and reports of progress, therefore, in methods of prevention are always hailed with delight by the general public.

The filtration system whenever it has been given fair experiment has proven powerfully effective in controlling the source of infection, which although not altogether, are largely found in the water supply.

In discussing the results obtained in that city through the adoption of the filtration system, the Philadelphia Public Ledger says: "Typhoid fever has been so rapidly and greatly diminished in Philadelphia since the general introduction of filtered water that the occurrence of a considerable number of cases in a limited section of the city is remarkable chiefly because it calls attention to this general exemption. The officials are naturally and properly concerned to trace the origin of these cases, which may be quite independent of the water supply. But when it is recalled that only a few years ago the report of more than 400 cases in a week was not unusual, even these two or three scores scarcely dim the scientific triumph. No one imagines that water is the only means by which typhoid fever is conveyed. It is frequently conveyed in milk or in other food, and either food or milk may be contaminated by the agency of flies and in many other ways. But there is no doubt that the raw water from the Schuylkill and the Delaware was the great disease-bearer in Philadelphia until the system of filtration was adopted, and the success of this system has been already so strikingly attested that typhoid fever has been almost eliminated from popular apprehension."

Other cities have attained like good results by the same method, and it is believed that in the perfection of this form of service and its general extension to all parts of the country will come about a degree of exemption from this much dreaded disease, which, in effect, will amount to a signal triumph over it.

MORE INTEREST IN CORN.

Oklahoma's growing interest in the packing industry will doubtless serve as an additional incentive to corn and alfalfa production in this state. Although this is destined to become one of the great alfalfa states in the west, there is not as yet sufficient production of the crop to give it the importance that attaches to corn at this time.

Corn is now king. It has dethroned cotton and wheat is no longer a contender for the pre-eminence. Corn is the great tonnage maker from a rail way point of view. It is also the premier hog and cattle fattening agent. Oklahoma raises bumper corn crops and with the stimulus of a good local market the corn acreage will doubtless be increased from year to year—Oklahoman.

With Oklahoma City securing the Nelson-Morris packing plant and with southern Oklahoma being one of the finest corn belts in the west, there will be within the next year or two still another incentive for the farmers here to raise corn, and that will be a good market close at home.

Some bathing suit girls never venture in the water because they can't swim, and others because they haven't waterproof complexion.

Have you found some thing? A want ad will find the owner for you.

Men would be just wild to pay their taxes if it was against the law.

ARDMORE MEN ATTEND EXERCISES AT UNIVERSITY

SUPT. CHAS. EVANS DELIVERS COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS TO GRADUATING CLASS.

Non. Lew Cline, member of the board of regents of the state university at Norman returned home this morning from that place where he went to be present at the commencement exercises yesterday.

Superintendent Chas. Evans, of the Ardmore public schools made the commencement address and delivered the diploma. The exercises were held in a gymnasium at the university campus. The program was opened with music by the university orchestra. The students marched into the tent in their bands and gowns, following the faculty. Five members of the board of regents were present and several other men of note. The graduates are: Hugh Whannette, Mac Tracy, Wallace Capshaw, J. C. Crumpton, Veta Alden, Merle Larkin, O. C. Carter, E. W. Balluff, Sarah Hood, Charles Keppel, Karl Miller, Nannie Miller, Pearl Goodrich, Elva McFerrer, Della Robinson, R. P. Calvert, Harold Brown, Mabel Chase, Robert H. Riley, Harry Powell, Nellie Dean, Truman Horner.

MR. DASHNER RESIGNS

ARDMORE MAN NO LONGER AT HEAD OF OIL AND MILLING COMPANY.

Mr. George Dashner, general manager and president of the Ardmore Oil and Milling company, has resigned from the company and will make arrangements to enter another line of business. Mr. Dashner will remain in Ardmore, but will no longer be connected with the oil mill. The directors of the company have not decided yet as to who will be his successor.

IMPROVED MAFIA

AUTHORITIES UNEARTH CHAIN OF BLACK HAND BRANCHES WITH PROJECTING LINES.

Cincinnati, June 10.—Revelations in extortion and murder by the Black Hand as uncovered by the postoffice inspectors from the Cincinnati office show conclusively that the gang in Columbus, Marion, Dennison and Bellfontaine and other Ohio towns were organized along the same lines as the Old Mafia, but if anything with a much better system for concealing their movements. It is now known that the Ohio Black Hand, or the Hillman-Banana, as its members style it, had a branch in Pittsburgh and one in Cincinnati with a line to South Dakota. Meetings were held at which proceeds were distributed to members.

MR. FRANKLIN BUYS AUTO

PAVED STREETS AND GOOD COUNTRY ROADS ARE INDUCEMENT FOR ENTHUSIASTS.

With Ardmore's fine paved streets and rapidly improving country roads auto enthusiasts are beginning to recognize these advantages and to invest in the "joy riders." Mr. Wirt Franklin, of the law firm of Apple & Franklin is the latest Ardmore man to purchase an automobile, having just received from the Economy Motor Buggy Company a handsome new machine.

It is of the buggy type with top and made for service. The body of the machine is high enough to enable it to pass over large obstacles in the road. Mr. Franklin is fast becoming an adept at driving the new machine.

The Catholic ladies will give an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. Gill on West Main street this evening.

The average woman is dreadfully disappointed if her worst suspicions don't come true.

Nobody in the world is brave if you only find the particular thing that scares them.

OUTLOOK IN OKLAHOMA

FINANCIAL CONDITIONS SEEM TO INDICATE A GOOD BUSINESS YEAR SAYS BANKER.

Guthrie, Okla., June 10.—That financial conditions are conducive to a good business year is the opinion of Robert Stollberg, cashier of the Guthrie National Bank, in a statement on banking matters issued locally yesterday. During the last eighteen months, he says, the situation has passed from one extreme to another. While in January, 1938, currency was scarce, forcing institutions to resort to issuance of scrip within the year the supply has increased until a plethora of unemployed capital is found in every monetary center.

"As the interest rate always depends upon the supply of available money," Mr. Stollberg says, "the interest rate has gone to the lowest point during recent years, and yet even with this low interest rate the banks are carrying large quantities of currency in their vaults and on deposit in reserve banks."

"What is true of the country at large is also applicable to the institutions of the southwest," Mr. Stollberg continues. "The healthy mean between the two extremes which have existed in monetary market is now being sought by all people who are interested in the welfare of the country. An adjustment of monetary affairs is being earnestly sought by all business and banking interests. Congress has appointed a monetary commission, which is working zealously on the situation. It is collecting data from various sources in order to reach a conclusion as to the proper legislation which should be passed. The influence of this commission is being felt everywhere. All financial legislation is being referred to it. An example of the commission's activity occurred when on the 28th day of April, 1939, reports were called for by the controller of the currency and the state banking departments of every state in the union. This meant that for the first time in the history of the United States every bank and trust company made sworn statements on the same day."

"The prospect of an abundant harvest is also having its influence upon the financial situation. The effect of 'winter killing' which is the largest element of determining the volume of the agricultural products of the country are known at the present time. The experience of bankers throughout the country during the past years affords the assurance that August will bring a large demand for ready funds in order to move the crop now maturing in the fields of the great west and south. This demand will continue strong until the 1st of January at least and in anticipation of this demand the money market is growing stronger and more certain."

"When all things are carefully weighed in connection with the financial situation there is every prospect of a prompt return to the good times which this country has had with the exception of the recent depression for the last twelve years. There is every prospect of unusually good prices for farm products and fair wages for labor. A disposition is shown on the part of all business men to act upon the optimistic side of the situation and do their part in creating active business conditions."

ARDMORE BLUES DEFEAT THEIR OLD TIME RIVALS

GAINESVILLE JUST MISSED A SHUTOUT IN YESTERDAY'S GAME—HITS AND HEAD WORK.

To the final head work and steady pitching in yesterday's game against the Gainesville team, is due the fact that the Texans were barely able to avoid a shutout, as with all the winks and nudges and extra work made two batters strike out and a short infield drive from the third finally put out the runner. It was a crucial state in the game in the seventh inning and excitement was rife.

Schoeck, who has pitched a couple of times on the job all the time. Ray came in bunched to the hand full of enthusiastic fans who journeyed out to Lorena park to witness the defeat of the haughty ball tossers from the Texas city.

Schoeck who has pitched a couple of times for the locals, was on the mound for Gainesville and it looked for a short time like he would have to sit down at the beginning when Ardmore sound three times on several errors and a double by Snapp. He righted up and struck out the first three men up in the second and pitched a hard game all the rest of the way, the locals being able to bring in only one more run in the third on singles by Lathrop and Whitlington and a couple of blundering errors on the part of James in left.

It was one, two, three, with the Greys nearly all through, they being unable to get past second until the sixth. In the sixth, Ganett hit to left center, was safe on Whitlington's error and Holland hit to left and scored Ganett with the only earned run of the game.

Standing of Ardmore Team.

Games Games Games Played Won Lost

Madill 3 2 1
Tishomingo 2 0 2
Gainesville 3 1 2
Sulphur 1 1 0
Elks 2 2 0
Denison 1 1 0
Whitesboro 1 1 0

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STATE CAPITAL NOTES.

Guthrie, June 10.—Miss De Bernia Rogers, critic teacher at central normal school at Edmond, resigned position June 10. No successor has been appointed, but probably will be at the meeting of the board, June 12th.

Hon. E. D. Cameron, state superintendent of public instruction will address the county normals as follows: Cleveland county, June 12nd, at Norman; Choctaw county, June 13rd, at Nowell; Pittsburg county, June 14th, McAlester.

The Texas Building Co. has completed their work on the Langston colored university, and it is understood that the same has been received by the board. This is one of the best and most complete negro school buildings in the world.

From everywhere comes the report that the summer schools have a large attendance than ever before. The Edmond school has enrolled more than six hundred for the summer term.

The laws for building the Ada Normal school and other educational and charitable institutions will go into effect tomorrow. During the past two months Senator Campbell Russell of Warner, Okla., has caused to be circulated petitions for the purpose of referring these schools to a vote of the people which in effect would have put off the construction of those referred until after the next general election or special election called for that purpose.

It appears however that the people are in favor of the immediate construction of these institutions as Senator Russell has failed to get even the 14,000 names necessary to call a referendum. He gave up the fight yesterday and informed assistant secretary of state, Leo Meyer, that he was going back to his farm, and had utterly failed in getting the required numbers of signatures.

The Green Valley Irrigation Ditch Co. of Guyton, Okla., filed with Secretary Barrett of the agricultural board, plans for an irrigation ditch through sections 15 and 16 in township 13 north range 16 E. C. M. Texas county.

The company asks for the privilege of taking nine cubic feet of water per second from the Beaver river for irrigation purposes. The application is signed by Warren Keen, Lee Brown and Blanche Brown. Under the law of 1935, the secretary of the board of agricultural is ex-officio state engineer, hence his duty to file such papers. The law has since been modified so that the state, instead of the secretary, gets the fees.

That capital still has confidence in Oklahoma is evidenced by the application for charters filed with the secretary of state today.

Oklahoma State Bank of McAlester, capital \$25,000. Pioneer Car Co., of El Reno, capital \$10,000. Bob Furniture & Racket Co., Custer City, capital \$5,000. Columbus Oil and Gas Co., of Sulphur, capital \$10,000. Oklahoma Stockmen Co., of Oklahoma City, capital \$50,000. Bristow Building & Loan Association, Bristow, capital \$50,000. Oklahoma State Bank of Tuttle, \$15,000. World Publishing Co., of Dewey, capital \$5,000. Bartlesville Light & Water Co., capital \$200,000. Chelsea Refining Co., increased its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$200,000. The Clinton Cemetery Association of Clinton, Okla., and the Oklahoma Cemetery Association of Tulsa were incorporated.

Anti-Bet Law Effective.

Austin, Tex., June 10.—Answering an inquiry from Houston, Assistant Attorney General Crawford rules the anti-race betting bill will go into effect tomorrow night at midnight. The bill did not carry the emergency clause, and under the constitution becomes effective ninety days after adjournment of the regular session of the legislature, by which it was passed. The ninetieth day will begin 12 o'clock Saturday morning, which is contemporaneous with 12 o'clock of Friday. This construction of the law will prevent races at Houston which had been proposed for Saturday.

The moment the bill goes into effect, betting on a horse race becomes a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of from \$200 to \$500, if a book is made or a pool is sold, and punishable by a fine of \$25 to \$100 if a bet is made or pool bought.

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NEW STATE LAWS EFFECTIVE NINETY DAY PERIOD EXPIRES

Yesterday more than two-thirds of the bills passed by the second Oklahoma legislature became effective, and will be the law of Oklahoma until repealed or amended. There were 119 bills which did not carry the emergency and therefore did not become laws until 90 days after the adjournment of the legislature. Of this number 42 are senate bills and 77 house bills.

The second legislature attached the emergency to less than one-third of the total number of bills passed where as more than half the laws passed by the first legislature carried the emergency clause.

Among the laws which become effective are some of the most important passed by the second legislature including the Keys fish and game bill which revolutionizes the game laws of the state the bill amending the tax ferret law so that no back taxes unpaid before statehood can be collected under the new law and reducing the compensation of the tax ferret to 10 per cent of the collection; the Bradford juvenile court law establishing courts for delinquent children in connection with the county courts in each county and providing for the appointment of probation officers, and a law reducing the gross production of tax on coal from two to one-half per cent, making the tax the same as that on oil.

Several important laws affecting laborers in mines a lien on all property of the mining company for unpaid wages, requiring railroads to build sheds at division points for protection of mechanics working in the yards during storms.

Among important bills relating to education which become effective are laws repealing the county high school law, permitting the establishment of county demonstration farms in each county appropriating \$60,000 for secondary schools of agriculture in the third, fourth and fifth supreme court districts, authorizing boards of education to erect two or more school houses in the same district, requiring the teaching of agriculture, horticulture, stock feeding and domestic science in the schools, appropriating \$20,000 for a secondary school of agriculture in the panhandle district of Oklahoma, establishing a normal school at Ada, a school for the feeble minded at Enid, creating an industrial school for girls at Chickasha and an eastern university preparatory school at Claremore and establishing the state school for the deaf at Sulphur.

The other laws that become effective today are: Senate bills—amending the law relating to appeals of criminal cases; relating the number of trustees of religious, charitable benevolent and educational institution, prohibiting the screening of coal before weighing, requiring the payment of interest direct to the state, county or municipality instead of to the treasurer; amending the law relating to the construction of drains and ditches, authorizing the payment of a reward of \$50 for the capture of horse or mule thieves, legalizing the special election at Kingfisher held November 10, 1938, ratifying a bond election held at Geary, relating to conveyances, legalizing the incorporation of Hooker, ratifying the action of the city council at Enid in vacating certain streets and alleys, defining the procedure for the mortgaging or sale of the homestead of an insane husband or wife, legalizing the incorporation of Arnett, providing for the calling or special elections by the governor under the initiative and referendum.

Also laws, authorizing the school land commissioners to sell a section of school land near Woodward, allowing railroads to increase their capital stock without paying the extra charter fees required of other corporations, authorizing the voting of bonds to build a bridge across the south Canadian river, making Hooker a county court town, authorizing the sales of 40 acres of school land near Kingfisher for cemetery purposes, amending statutes regarding descent and distribution, relating to negotiable instrument, pensioning disabled and retired firemen, requiring foreign corporations to maintain resident agents, authorizing the incorporation of trade insurance companies, to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal corporations in their names and emblems; amending county weighers' converting surplus funds from territorial levies to territorial institutions for which they were made providing for issuance of patents on sale of certain public lands; general primary election law; providing additional clerk hire for county treasurers; amending law relating to wills; for taking state census and collecting agricultural statistics; appropriation for transportation of prisoners and ex-

penes pardon board; appropriation for geological survey; appropriation for care of state prisoners, for state board of health, state board of agriculture, for deaf, dumb and orphan negro children, for state library, for Ft. Supply asylum, for state mining board, for Ft. Gibson blind school, for state election board, for state printing, for bank commissioner, for national guard for A. and M. college, to pay for animals killed, for colored A. and M. university and for state university.

House bills—Providing for one trial only in action for trial of real estate, to permit sale of apple cider; repeal in county auditor law; appropriation for Mina Johnson; for fire escapes for normal schools and Langston; providing state board of examiners for nurses; perpetuating criminal court of appeals; appropriation for agricultural schools at Tishomingo and Warner; establishing county courts at Prague; providing for attorneys' liens; appropriation for regents of state schools; establishing court town at Eldorado; making it a felony to sell liquor to minors; for county courts at Davis; authorizing Jenks township, Tulsa county, to build bridge; establishing county court at Coweta; removal of obstructions for streams; legalizing bond issue at Watonga; legalizing incorporation of Hollis; legalizing incorporation of Buffalo; making Billings county court town; making Lenapah county court town; establishing county court at Hominy and Fairfax, at Lexington, Crowder; authorizing county commissioners of Tulsa to buy toll bridge; authorizing sale of certain school land adjacent to towns; for county court at Blanchard; to require cotton ginners to report to board of agriculture; for selecting temporary judges; for encouraging farmers' institutes; for restoring lost court records; to protest additions and townsites from nuisances; defining punishment for joint robbery; terms of county court in various counties; prohibiting sale of infected fruit trees; legalizing organization of Jordan Valley Townsite Co.; regulating practice of pharmacy; appropriation for deaf school at Sulphur; appropriation for Whitaker Okmans' home; validating election at Muskogee; amending mining laws; appropriation for historical society; appropriation for corporation commission; appropriation for A. and M. college; creating state dairy commission; appropriation for west side normals; appropriation for U. P. schools at Claremore and Tonkawa.

Those parties had prospected the whole country and only awaited the opening of the country, which at that time was expected to be done in a very few months, on a very liberal basis, not as it was finally opened, with so many restrictions and red tape to harass those who wanted to open the oil and gas belt around Ardmore.

Through some unfortunate circumstances most of these oil lands around Wheeler passed out of their hands and into the hands of the Santa Fe railroad, who developed that oil field and have oil and gas aplenty and proved that these pioneers of the Ardmore oil belt were correct in locating the oil deposits.

That as rich or richer oil lands underlie the vicinity of the corporate limits of Ardmore is also known to some of those who organized that company in 1899.

They have followed the oil sands from the Arbuckles to Red river and know where a gusher can be drilled.

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