MIDLAND VALLEY R. R. OFFICIALS, GET RIGHT

Something Happened, Somewhere and Tulsa Gets Mixed Up With Muskogee and Everything.

SERVICE IS UNSATISFACTORY

Chamber of Commerce Asking for Better Train Service Is Bewildeded By Company's Action.

A lot of sadly misinformed officials are located somewhere in the Midland Valley railroad offices, who should be quietly but quickly advised as to the standing and status of the cities along their route, for these same officials have confused Muskogee with Tulsa—Tulsa the world-famous center of the oil industry—and with Muskogee! At least, they have an emergency Pullman service from that city to the oil fields of Louisiana.

And whoever heard of a Muskogee oil operator?

With the Pullman service over the Frisco road from the new oil fields at Fort Worth, Texas, to the acknowledged oil center of the world is daily, or rather nightly used by hundreds of Tulsa oil men, the need arose for a similar line to the newer fields known as the Pine Island district recently opened up in Louisiana. A request for this convenience was sent to the Midland Valley officials by the Tulsa chamber of commerce with results as follows.

Word was received yesterday that the line is now in operation, but leaving Muskogee instead of Tulsa. The idea is for the Tulsa operators to motor down to Muskogee and thus make connections—a splendid idea with the state roads in their present deplorable condition.

The service is not satisfactory to the chamber of commerce which immediately sent in a complaint with the request to add Pullman service to the regular 4:27 o'clock train leaving this city for Muskogee each afternoon. The service over this route will in all probability be improved shortly.

$19,000 TOTAL AMOUNT OF CITY BUILDING PERMITS

A slight increase in total value over Wednesday's building permits was shown yesterday, the receipts showing exactly $19,000. Garages were in the lead, five permits being taken out, as follows: Mrs. N. A. Campbell, garage, cost $400, at 1718 South Main street; Anna Arthur, 1607 South Norfolk, residence $7,000 and garage $1,000; J. L. Mallett, residence and garage at 244 East Jasper street, cost $4,000; J. M. Light, addition to residence, 24 North Quanah, $100; Ray Garbett, residence and garage, Thirteenth and Peoria street, $5,000; D. O. Kehrer, residence and garage, South Peoria street, $5,250; N. T. Gilbert, addition to residence at 1517 South Elwood, $1,000; F. M. Kelly, brick bakery, 913 South Main street, cost $2,000, and N. Davis, addition to residence at 115 South Boston avenue, $250.

GEORGE B. SMALL HOLDS HIGH RAILROAD POSITION

George B. Small, a Tulsa boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Small, who left this city to accept a position with the fire underwriting firm of Martin & McClellan in Chicago and later was made superintendent of the fire loss and protection department of the Great Northern railroad, with headquarters at St. Paul, has just been invited by the United States railroad administration to go to Washington to accept the place of general fire inspector of the central western region, according to information received by relatives in Tulsa.

Pass Soldiers' Vote Bill.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 8.—A bill which would permit discharged soldiers and sailors to vote without having a poll tax receipt, was passed finally today by the legislature in special session. Governor Hobby, who advocated the measure, has indicated he will sign it. A similar bill passed by the legislature at a recent session, was vetoed by the governor on the ground that it was unconstitutional.

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Notice To Water Consumers

Water Bills in District No. 1 Must Be Paid by the 10th. This district includes all territory lying west of the center of Main street.
If cut off a fee of $1 will be collected before turning on.

City Water Department

Fourth and Cincinnati.

Lucky in Oil, So This Mr. Beyers Treats 'em All

Overwhelmed with joy, Ray L. Beyers of 212 West Second street, aroused the curiosity of pedestrians on South Main street last night by stopping the passersby and inviting them into a nearby confectionary so that he could "set 'em up." His willingness to supply strangers with cigars and cold drinks was a mystery until it was learned that his hilarity was the result of a telegram he received from New York telling him that he had been fortunate in some oil investments.

"I am surely lucky" was the only explanation he offered.

WATER DEPARTMENT OF CITY IMPROVING

Commissioner Curran Announces Work on New Intake and Flow Line Is Progressing.

City improvements are keeping step with all the other lines contributing to Tulsa's progress, among the bewildering number of things now in course of construction or improvement, the city water department is receiving a complete overhauling. A new intake and a flow line are being constructed by Lantry & Fike, contractors, under the supervision of H. K. Curran, water commissioner.

A reinforced concrete 150-foot chimney is being erected at the northeast corner of the engine house, and is now about 40 feet in height with the work going forward rapidly. This chimney will be necessary for burning coal instead of gas for fuel, which change is expected to cut the fuel bills down to less than half. An idea of the cost of upkeep may be obtained when it is realized that the April gas bill was $1,250.

Two new 200-horse power boilers are now ready to be installed in the pump station, while Commissioner Curran is finishing the installation of two new filteration units of 1,000,000 gallons capacity each. These are expected to be completed within 60 or 90 days, and will thus be in use during the hottest part of the summer.

New bell lines to reinforce the distribution of the city is being rapidly brought to completion, and according to the contractors, Tibbetts & Pleasant, will most probably be finished by June 1.

Improvement of the present water system is strictly in keeping with the proposed new system now being planned by Henry A. Fressy, hydraulic engineer. All modern water systems should be duel systems, and in that event the present system will always be the relay sustem, no matter where the city water is obtained.

Rain Washes Away Kitchen.

"No, it wasn't the weight of my biscuits," said the cook, when the kitchen of a local restaurant caved in yesterday. It must have been one of those torrential rains that are so characteristic of Oklahoma, that put the kitchen out of commission.

The earth had been dug away from the foundation of the Lyons restaurant and yesterday's downpour undermined one corner of the structure. The structure gave way, causing considerable damage and necessitating the closing of the eating house. The damage has been repaired, however, and business will be resumed this morning.

$15 for Stealing.

Lewis Morallis, who with his partner, both Mexicans, were arrested by the local police Wednesday night alleged to have stolen a quantity of goods from one of the local stores, pleaded guilty at the municipal court Thursday afternoon and was fined $15 and costs. Madas was released.

TRAINED NURSE OUT FOR TANLAC

Graduate of London England Says She Improved Rapidly After Taking It.

Mrs. Lena Bloomfield, a trained nurse residing at 3900 San Jacinto street, Dallas, Texas, is but one among many in her profession who, after testing the merits of Tanlac, have come forward with unqualified indorsements of the "Master Medicine." Mrs. Bloomfield graduated in London, England, and for several years followed her profession in New York, Denver and Dallas. Her statement, coming as it does from one of such wide experience in relieving suffering, will be of interest to hundreds of this section who are seeking relief. In telling of the benefits she has derived from the use of Tanlac Mrs. Bloomfield said:

"Some time ago I had a severe shock that brought on nervous prostration and I suffered from awful headaches all the time. My stomach was out of order and most everything I would eat disagreed with me. I usually have a sunny disposition and try to be cheerful under all circumstances but I had become so weak and run-down and my trouble weighed on me so much I had gotten to the point where I felt depressed and despondent and had no desire to live or do anything else.

"A friend of mine recommended Tanlac to me and as I was anxious to find something that would relieve me I got a bottle. My improvement was particularly noticeable when I was on my third bottle, when my appetite picked up and my flesh became much firmer. Those headaches are leaving me and I don't feel so tired as I use to be all the time. My sleep is refreshing, my stomach and nerves are stronger and I feel I owe much to Tanlac for what it has done for me, and will continue to use it for some time because of the good it is doing me."

Tanlac is sold in Tulsa by Quaker Drug Company, Puritan Drug Company and by the leading druggists in practically every city, town and village in America.—Adv.

SAVE YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes, not only gives the pain of corns and bunions, and gives quick relief to sweating, calloused, tired, aching, tender feet, blisters and sore spots, but Allen's Foot-Ease rests the feet, keeps them cool and comfortable all the time, saving the constant wear on shoes caused by nervousness of the feet. Shoes and stockings wear twice as long when you walk in comfort. Try Allen's Foot-Ease today.—Adv.

FIVE DIVORCE SUITS IN COURT THURSDAY

Cruelty and Abandonment Figure Prominently in Claims of Those Seeking Legal Separation.

Five suits for divorce, in which abandonment and extreme cruelty figured as the chief allegations upon which the petitions are based, were filed in district court Thursday afternoon.

Ernea B. Boswell, in her suit against Francis O. Boswell, maintains that her husband, from almost the time of their marriage until their separation in July of 1918, has treated her with extreme cruelty and has also shown disregard for the welfare of his stepchild, the plaintiff's son. The plaintiff also alleges he has refused, since six months after the marriage, to properly provide for her wants or the needs of her child. She asks the restoration of her maiden name and other relief.

Otis Wright, asking divorce from Louella Wright, asserts that his wife has refused to care for her household duties since about one year after their marriage and on one occasion left the plaintiff and remained away from home for a period of five months, against the wishes of the plaintiff.

Wright states that when she promised to conduct herself differently he allowed her to return to their home. He says, however, that she again followed her former custom of leaving him without notice and that in August of 1918, finally abandoned him.

Rosela Huff, alleging failure of H. L. Huff to provide for her needs and to those of the four minor children living at home, asks divorce on the grounds of non-support. A restraining order, as asked by the plaintiff, was granted, preventing Huff from disposing of his property in Sand Springs, which the wife claims is under his control. Mrs. Huff asks $50 temporary alimony, $150 attorney fees and court costs. Huff is cited to appear before the district court May 12 to show cause why the temporary restraining order issued against him should not be made permanent pending the hearing of the suit.

Emma Wilson, in her suit against Ed Wilson, states that her husband abandoned her less than six months after their marriage at Sapulpa, September 29, 1917, and has since refused to return to her. She asks the restoration of her maiden name, Emma Sullivan, and other relief.

Henry Banks asks divorce from Margaret Banks on the grounds of desertion, the plaintiff alleging his wife abandoned him.

Muskogeeans in Tulsa.

Among the Muskogeeans in Tulsa yesterday were A. F. McGarr, former mayor, recently appointed referee in bankruptcy by Judge Robert L. Williams; D. Hayden Linebaugh, former United States district attorney, Roscoe Cate, attorney, and H. G. House, capitalist and prominent republican politician.

Services at Temple Israel.

Regular Friday evening services will be held at the Temple Israel at 8 o'clock tonight, second floor of the courthouse, with Rabbi Menkes officiating.

PRELIMINARY HEARING OF OF ALLEGED MURDERER

The preliminary hearing of Spurgeon Poole, the negro charged with the murder of John Malone in the northeast part of the city April 29, will be held before Justice S. C. Maxey Friday morning.

The defendant has been non-communical since his arrest shortly after the affray, in which Malone, a negro was shot three times through the body. Poole was placed under arrest by Patrolman R. E. Whitney, after the latter had been made the target of two shots fired by the defendant in an effort to escape. While no reason has been assigned to show the cause of the shooting of Malone, it is believed that Poole and his victim quarreled a few hours before the affair over the result of a card game.

ROXANA SEEKS REBATE ON GAS FREIGHT RATES

Alleging that excess freight rates on shipments of gasoline from Cushing to Little Rock, Ark., was charged by the Santa Fe railroad, the Roxana Oil company sought reparation in a hearing held before Commissioner Fleming of the interstate commerce in the federal building yesterday.

The Roxana company alleged that a rate of 29 cents was charged, whereas the rate from McAlester to Memphis, Tenn., a greater distance was only 19 cents. Attorneys for the railroad produced evidence to show that the standard rate is 27½ cents. Commissioner Fleming withheld decision. Rice and Lyons, attorneys, represented the Roxana company.

CUT THIS OUT

OLD ENGLISH RECIPE FOR CATARRH, CATARRAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES.

If you know of some one who is troubled with Catarrhal Deafness, head noises or ordinary catarrh cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. In England scientists for a long time past have recognized that catarrh is a constitutional disease and necessarily requires constitutional treatment.

Sprays, inhalers and nose douches are liable to irritate the delicate air passages and force the disease into the middle ear which frequently means total deafness, or else the disease may be driven down the air passages towards the lungs, which is equally as dangerous. The following formula, which is used extensively in the damp English climate, is a constitutional treatment and should prove especially efficacious to sufferers here who live under more favorable climatic conditions.

Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parmint (Double strength). Take this home and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar, stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and hearing improve as the inflammation in the eustachian tubes is reduced. Parmint used in this way acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system and has a tonic action that helps to obtain the desired results. The preparation is easy to make, costs little and is pleasant to take. Every persons who has catarrh or head noises or is hard of hearing should give this treatment a trial.—Adv.

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30 DETROIT BUSINESS MEN LOOK OVER TULSA

Oil Property of Grant C. Stebbins Visited by Financiers Yesterday Afternoon.

Headed by A. L. Jelly, a part of 25 business men of Detroit, Mich., visited Tulsa Wednesday evening and spent Thursday visiting the oil properties of the Gladys Belle Oil company and Charles F. Noble. The party was scheduled to begin the return trip to Detroit Thursday night.

Grant C. Stebbins entertained the visitors with a dinner party at the Country club Wednesday night and a banquet was the occasion of entertainment for the visitors last night. The trip was not made with any special mission in mind but merely to investigate Oklahoma and Tulsa. The concensus of expression among members of the party last night was one of pleasure at the manner in which they had been entertained here.

Baby Coming To Your Home?

The Wonderful Event That Will Bring Much Gladness.

Are you looking forward, dear prospective mother, to the wonderful, glorious time when you shall hold in your arms the little mite, which is of your flesh and blood, with feelings of misgiving?

Now is the time to get in condition to meet the crisis and three generations of women have found in the time-tested preparation, Mother's Friend, a grateful, penetrating remedy to prepare their systems to withstand the shock.

The action of this famous remedy is to relieve tension on drawn nerves, cords, tendons and ligaments, to relieve strain and discomforts, such as nausea, nervousness, bearing-down and stretching pains. By regular use during the period the muscles expand easily when baby is born, pain and danger at the crisis is naturally less and the more quick to recover. Do not neglect the use of Mother's Friend. It is for external application only, is absolutely safe and wonderfully effective.

Write the Bradfield Regulator Company, Dept. N, Lamar Building, Atlanta, Georgia, for their Motherhood Book, and obtain a bottle of Mother's Friend from the drug store. It is just as standard as anything you can think of.—Adv.

LUKINS AUTOMOBILE CO. ENTERTAINS EMPLOYEES

More than 25 employees were the guests of the Charles Lukins auto company last night to a dinner in the private dining room of the Ketchum. The dinner was the first of a series of meetings that Mr. Lukins explained will be held once a month.

The company is state distributors for the Peerless motor cars and local distributors for the Firestone tires and products. Lukins is president and Mr. M. P. Leihy, a recent addition to the company's directorate is also the general manager. For several years Leihy has been branch manager in Kansas City and brings with him an experience that has helped make automobile history.

Mr. Lukins, who has built up his organization to a plant of high efficiency, stated that he was justly proud of his organization; that he believed in co-operation and wished for any suggestions or complaints to be mentioned at these monthly social gatherings.

Chinese Wires Cut.

PARIS, May 8.—American Minister Reinsch at Peking has informed Secretary of State Lansing that all wire communication out of Peking has been cut except for one wire which goes to Siberia.

THIN, FRAIL PHOSPHATE FOLKS NEED

Nothing Like Plain Bitro Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are usually due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate quickly produces a welcome transformation in the appearance, the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

This increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, soon disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

CAUTION.—Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not owing to its remarkable flesh-growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.—Adv.

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Wirthmor Blouses

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Third Floor

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Seco silk tops with taffeta flounces and small ruffles; shown in American beauty, rose, tan, purple, orchid, turquoise and black. Friday only at this special price. **2.95**

Third Floor

New Bungalow Aprons

Light percales in stripes, figures and plain colored coin dots; open down left side; some slip-over styles; attractively trimmed; all sizes. Priced $1.95 to **1.25**

Fourth Floor

Special
Fine Silk Camisoles

—of flesh colored wash satin in slip-over style; ribbon straps; georgette or lace trimmed. Special at **$1.69**

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—of extra good quality wash satin in tailored types or trimmed with laces, rosettes or ribbon. Special at **$2.48**

Fourth Floor

One-Day Sale of Soaps

Probably no department in our entire store is more generally popular than the Toilet Goods section. Through handling the best standard nationally famous brands its volume of sales shows wonderful growth week by week. This applies especially to soaps for all purposes.

As a one-day feature we place on sale these brands at specially reduced prices.

Jergen's Scented Soaps—For guest or hotel use, 12 for 49c
Graham's Vegetable Soaps—For toilet use; contains no animal fats; 3 for 25c
Lifebuoy—the health soap for the bath 7c
Rose Bath Soap, 2 for 21c
Palmolive Soap 8c
Scotch Tone Peroxide Soap, 3 for 19c
Goblin Soap—Quickly removes dirt and grease; 6 for 25c
Cologne Bouquet Soap; 3 for 25c
High-grade Bath Tablets; one special lot, 2 for 21c
Jap Rose Glycerine Soap; 3 for 25c
Resinol Soap 21c
Cuticura Soap 21c

Main Floor

Attractive House and Porch Dresses Priced $8.95 to $3.50

Dresses that may be donned first thing in the morning, which you can wear around for the usual little neighborhood calls or for a comfortable afternoon on the porch, all the time knowing you are neatly and tastefully attired.

Well made of good quality ginghams and percales in loose or belted styles, some having Barmon adjustable waist line; collars and cuffs in contrasting colors; shown in all sizes from 16 to 46. Many desirable plaids, checks and plain colors for selection.

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Pound Writing Paper—Full linen; in white only; an extra good value. Special **29c**
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Knitted garments carefully fashioned and comfortable, perfect fitting; in a complete stock of high-grade lines and all sizes.

Women's Fine Ribbed Union-suits—Plain tailored tops; open seat; shell knee. Special— **$1.69 and $1.39**
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White Washable Glazed Kid Oxfords—Five eyelets with turn soles and high French heels. Priced **$12.00**
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White Reinskin Cloth Pumps—Small tongue, turn soles and high covered heels. Priced **$7.00**
Walking Oxfords—With flexible welt soles and military heels, shown in black, brown and white. Priced $11 to **$6.00**
Brown Kid Oxfords—Made of soft fine leather, has hand-turn sole and high French heel. Priced **$11.50**

Main Floor

Friday Bargains in Wall Paper

Kitchen, bedroom and hall papers in blocks and allover designs; borders to match; roll, special **5½c**
Hall, dining or living room papers in shadow stripes and gold effects. Roll, special **12½c**
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