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## STANDARD OIL WANTS PIPE LINE THRU TEXAS

Wants Regulations Changed Releasing Companies From Obligations as Common Carriers and Prohibiting Owning of Wells.

Special to the Eagle.

Washington, May 10.—What may result in the Standard Oil company building a pipe line from Oklahoma through Texas to the Gulf is being considered here today by the Interior Department. Commissioner J. G. Wright of Muskogee, Okla., is here conferring with Secretary Ballinger relative to changes in the pipe line regulations vitally affecting Texas and the Gulf line companies. The pipe line companies want relief from the regulations which force them to ad-

mit that they are common carriers and prohibit them from owning producing wells, and which give the secretary of the Interior the right to take charge of the companies in case of any violation of the regulations. If this relief is granted it is believed the Standard will undertake to build the pipe line.

### WILL GIVE LEGISLATURE A REST.

Special to the Eagle.

Austin, May 10.—While Governor Campbell will not divulge his intentions, it is the general opinion among the legislators that a third special session will not be called immediately even if the bank guaranty bill and the bill refunding the state bonds fail. The governor realizes that there would be great difficulty in maintaining a quorum after tomorrow. It is believed that he will not reconvene the legislature for a month or six weeks.

## FIGHT ON BANK DEPOSITS GUARANTY MEASURE

No Quorum in Senate. Conference Committees Cannot Agree. Third Special Session to Be Deferred,

Special to the Eagle.

Austin, Texas, May 10.—An unexpected fight developed in the house today on the bank deposits guaranty measure when Representative Nickels moved to table the motion to reconsider the vote by which the Nickels-Ray bank bill was postponed indefinitely last Saturday. This motion by an opponent of guaranty legislation nonplussed the members and Vaughn declared that such action would defeat all bank guaranty legislation. He said that the positive rejection of one bill means the defeat of all the others. The house by a decisive vote refused to table the motion.

### No Quorum in Senate.

A quorum failed to materialize in the senate this morning, so many of the members being engaged on the several conference committees. An

effort will be made to hold a session later this afternoon.

### Conference Committees Can't Agree.

The free conference committee having the senate bank deposits guaranty bill under consideration worked all morning behind locked doors and no agreement had been reached at noon today when the committee recessed. It is expected that the committee will report at four this afternoon either on agreement or a disagreement. It is reported that the capitalization of state banks and the rearrangement of the guaranty fund are the contested points in the committee.

The conference committee on the state railway bill reported at noon that an agreement could not be arrived at and requested the appointment of another committee.

## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK OF BRYAN, TEXAS

As made to the Comptroller of the Currency at the close of business April 28th, 1909

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts .....	\$316,545.75
U. S. Bonds and Premiums .....	104,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures .....	2,626.00
<b>CASH AND WITH BANKS .....</b>	<b>134,529.54</b>
	\$557,701.30

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock .....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits (Net) .....	105,048.24
Circulation .....	50,000.00
<b>DEPOSITS .....</b>	<b>352,653.06</b>
	\$557,701.30

I, E. W. Crenshaw, Assistant Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
E. W. CRENSHAW, Assistant Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of April, 1909.  
FRED. L. CAVITT, Notary Public Brazos County, Texas.

Correct—Attest: G. S. PARKER, J. N. COLE, J. W. ENGLISH, Directors.

## STORM DAMAGE HEAVY AT WICHITA FALLS

Loss \$50,000, including Many Dwellings and Methodist Church.

Special to the Eagle.

Wichita Falls, Texas, May 10.—Additional reports of Saturday night's storm, received here today, indicated that the damage in this vicinity will reach \$50,000. A number of dwellings were completely destroyed. The greatest single loss was the wrecking of the Methodist church.

## THREE HUNDRED BANKERS IN HOUSTON.

Special to the Eagle.

Houston, May 10.—Three hundred delegates were present in Prince's theater this morning at 10 o'clock when President Yantis of the Texas Banker's Association called the annual convention to order. The morning was given over to welcoming addresses and responses. President Hilland of the Central National bank of St. Louis delivered a notable speech.

The bankers are not enthusiastic over the hybrid bank guaranty bill, but say they will meet any conditions the legislature may prescribe.

### KILLED BY FREIGHT TRAIN.

Special to the Eagle.

Strawn, Texas, May 10.—Charles Green of Stephens county, a farmer, was instantly killed this morning by a Texas and Pacific freight train. He had arrived only a few minutes before from Cisco and was standing between the rails of the track when struck by the train. He leaves a widow and three children.

## TO REPLANT LARGE ACREAGE IN LONG LEAF PINE.

Doucette, May 10.—Director Pinchot of the National Forestry Commission, accompanied by Yale students, met representatives of the yellow pine interests of Texas and Louisiana, who convened here today in the mills of the Thompson Lumber company. plan was proposed to the pine interests to purchase a large tract of cutover land and replant it in long leaf pine.

## HASKELL STILL CLINGS TO TECHNICALITIES

Claims Federal Court Has No Jurisdiction. Jury Short One Man. One Hundred Witnesses Summoned. Secret Service Men Present.

Special to the Eagle.

Tulsa, Okla., May 10.—The attorneys for the defense in the case of Governor Haskell and prominent citizens of Oklahoma, charged with conspiracy in the townsite frauds, announced today that they will move the dismissal of the special grand jury which was organized today for reinvestigating the charges. Haskell's attorneys claim that the enabling act which joined Oklahoma and Indian Territory contains no clause whereby crimes committed in either of the territories prior to statehood can be investigated and therefore the federal court has no jurisdiction.

Federal Marshal Victor is short one man of the sixteen drawn for the jury. The proceedings are not likely to begin activity before tomorrow. Judge John A. Marshall of Utah is presiding. Attorney Rush, special counsel for the government is here. He said this morning that a hundred witnesses have been summoned. A large number of secret service men are present. The investigation may continue until next Monday.

### HASKELL JURY INCOMPLETE.

Special to the Eagle.

Tulsa, Okla., May 10.—Eleven members of the Haskell jury have been accepted this morning. Three of the sixteen were dismissed, one is sick and one missing. An order has been made for drawing eight more tallies. Governor Haskell is here awaiting the proceedings. The court has adjourned until tomorrow.

### DIED FROM INJURIES.

Special to the Eagle.

Wichita Falls, Texas, May 10.—Elmer Perry, aged fifteen, died late last night from injuries received on his return from horseback riding. When dismounting, the saddle turned and the horse, becoming frightened, kicked and dragged him.

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