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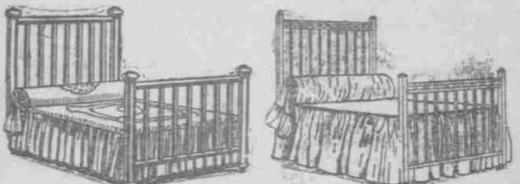
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Political Comment

Judge F. G. Morris's Candidacy.

El Paso, Tex., June 6, 1912. To the Public: I am glad to see Judge Frank G. Morris of this city so announced as a candidate subject to the action of the Democratic primaries for the position of chief justice of the court of appeals of this 8th district. The place now occupied by chief justice Vinton, who is not a candidate. The people cannot do better than elect Judge Morris. I know of no one better equipped for the position by reason of his experience as a lawyer and his long experience as a judge. I have known Judge Morris for 20 years; first when at Austin, Tex., where from 1893 to 1902 he was judge of the 53d district court. Judge Morris served at the state capital during the administration of governors Hogg, Culberson and Sayers. During this period when all the great state cases covering every question of law concerning state matters, corporate and land matters came in review before his court, all the leading attorneys of Texas came to Austin to try cases before Judge Morris. By his impartiality, courtesy, fairness and accuracy in the trial of cases, he made an enviable reputation and was considered among the great judges of Texas. His decisions, which appealed from, were almost always affirmed by the supreme court of Texas and the U. S. supreme court. He could have held the office for life, but voluntarily resigned on account of the inadequacy of the salary. If the people want a learned, accurate judge, possessed of a deep sense of justice and one who never tires of work, they should elect Judge Morris chief justice of the court of civil appeals, and I heartily commend him for the position. Besuregard Bryan.

TO SEND SURVEYORS FOR THE INTERURBAN

Locating Survey Will Enable Committee to Complete Right-of-Way Work.

A telegram has been received by the interurban committee saying that the surveyors of the Stone & Webster engineering corporation at Dallas are being assembled to come to El Paso for the purpose of making a locating survey for the valley line.

As soon as the locating survey is made, the work of the committee on the right of way will be concluded. It will be necessary for the engineers to decide finally upon the route of the road through the valley before the committee can complete its work of getting the land necessary for the right of way. At the present time practically all of the right of way has been obtained, but it will be necessary to wait until the final survey is made, as it may be changed from its present course, which practically parallels the county road to Ysleta. The next step after the final survey has been obtained will be the final signing of the contract. The present agreement of the Stone & Webster company is to begin construction work 30 days after the right of way is delivered. When president M. M. Phinney arrives next week he will go over the line and will conclude the negotiations for the road. A grading and construction crew will probably be sent here from the Dallas district for the valley line and the teams will start to work on it by July 15. An effort is being made to have the line changed so that it will run along the north side of the G. H. tracks and will tap the lower mesa land of the valley. But the company is planning to build a line which will permit cars to go to Ysleta in 40 minutes from El Paso. It is probable that the line will follow the county road. The company is planning to eliminate all possible curves and the final survey will be laid out on tangents as much as possible to permit the 40 minute schedule being made by the interurban cars.

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TAFT DECIDES IN FAVOR ELIHU ROOT

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Hoosevelt to senator Root as temporary presiding officer of the convention. Mr. Taft yesterday decided that Mr. Root should receive his support for permanent chairman. The news that the president had reached this decision was taken in Washington as a further indication that the president and his friends intend to fight Roosevelt at every point and was said to show that the president was confident that he has votes necessary to insure the selection of the New York senator in spite of determined opposition and to make permanent the temporary organization of the convention. Politicians here were inclined to look with favor upon Mr. Root for the permanent office. They said his selection would insure the occupancy of the chair by a man who could not be moved by the galleries and who could be counted upon to rule in an impartial way. The information that the president would like Mr. Root made permanent chairman followed closely the departure of his secretary, C. D. Hillis for Chicago. Mr. Hillis will be a personal representative of his chief.

ROOSEVELT RESTS AND TALKS LITERATURE AT HOME.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 6.—While his supporters were assembling yesterday for the pre-convention struggle, Col. Roosevelt spent most of the day reading horseracing and talking literature with New York friends. He gave little of his time to politics. He repeated his statement that he did not believe it would be necessary for him to go to Chicago, saying he expected a "square deal" from the Republican national committee. Later in the evening Col. Roosevelt commented on the outcome in South Dakota. "All the figures I have received," he said, "it looks like a clean sweep in South Dakota, as it would have been in most of the other states if we had had a fair show." The colonel was asked if he had heard that the Taft forces planned to make senator Root permanent chairman of the Chicago convention. "There is no sense in it," said the colonel. "The permanent chairman is elected by the convention and no one has a right to speak for the convention."

COLORADO SELECTS CONTESTING DELEGATES TO CONVENTION.

Denver, Colo., June 6.—Three hundred progressives of Colorado, called in convention by Denver leaders, last night elected a protesting delegation of 12 to the national Republican convention at Chicago. The meeting memorialized the national convention, the delegates to express their favor for Theodore Roosevelt for the presidency. Juvenile Judge Ben R. Lindsey is one of the 12 selected. About 19 counties of the state were represented. Resolutions first were adopted by the convention, then the call for the meeting had been widely published. They held that the state and congressional Republican conventions had not been representative of the people, and had been controlled by Bryan, Guggenheim and the office holders. It was resolved that a delegation of 12 be elected to ask for the seats of the Republican delegation headed by senator Simon Guggenheim.

LAFOLETTE MAY HAVE CANDIDATE FOR CHAIRMAN.

Washington, June 6.—If colonel Roosevelt forces a fight on senator Root for temporary chairman of the Chicago convention the La Follette delegates will put up a candidate of their own in opposition to him, it was announced here today by state treasurer Dahl, delegate at large from Wisconsin.

DRYAN'S NAME SETS WEST VIRGINIA CONVENTION WILD.

Parkersburg, W. Va., June 6.—"If you can't agree on Wiltshire," the shouted congressman Littlepage, at the state Democratic convention today, said the delegates to nominate that Cicero of the west, William Jennings Bryan. The band had sufficient time to play through two pieces before the demonstration subsided. The report of the resolutions committee instructed the delegates at Baltimore to vote for Clark at Baltimore was adopted, after defeat of an amendment to eliminate all reference to presidential candidates.

WILSON MAKING HARD

Raleigh, N. C., June 6.—Supporters of governor Wilson will strive to have the state Democratic convention here today instruct its delegates to nominate Underwood leaders will fight for an unopposed delegation. About 300 delegates are said to favor neither candidate, and probably hold the balance of power. "Brighten up" opportunity may overlook you in the dark.

INCREASES \$150 AN ACRE IN VALLEY

Valley Land Sold Five Years Ago For \$50 Brings \$200 an Acre.

In five years time a tract of 13 acres of valley land eight miles east of El Paso, has increased in value \$150 an acre. W. F. Payne owned a strip of land containing 12 acres five years ago and sold the tract at \$50 per acre, or \$600. Wednesday he bought the very same tract back from McElroy and Nagle and paid \$200 an acre for the 12 acres. He paid \$2400 for the entire tract, the increase in the value of the land being \$1,800.

Bungalow Nearly Completed.

The six room bungalow which is being built by S. E. Patton, at 3520 Douglas street, in east El Paso, is rapidly nearing completion. The finishing work on the house is now being done and the house will be ready for occupancy in a short time. The cost will be \$1250.

Building a Bungalow.

A five room bungalow is being erected for Vandy Backett at the corner of Lee and Rio Grande. Work on the house has been in progress some days. The building will cost about \$2800. S. E. Patton is the contractor.

Is Remodeling Home.

R. E. Dawson is having his home at 3017 Alamo street, in the west end. Two rooms are being added to the building and the work is being done by S. E. Patton. The improvements will cost about \$1200.

TAFT SIGNS THREE YEAR HOMESTEAD BILL

Bill Also Provides For Five Months' Absence from Claim Each Year.

Washington, D. C., June 6.—President Taft today signed the three year homestead bill permitting entrymen on public lands to prove their claims in three instead of five years. Following five months absence from a claim each year, and reducing the acreage to be cultivated on large claims from 80 to 40 acres. The pen used was given to representative Taylor, of Colorado. The bill is designed to so liberalize the homestead laws as to check the immigration of American farmers to Canada.

U. S. TROOPS ACTIVE ON CUBAN SOIL

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from Oriente province today no forward movement of troops is expected until the soldiers relieved of plantation guard duty by the American marines have rejoined their respective commands and the guerrilla corps now being organized has begun to take the field.

Erecting Block Houses.

One company of marines from the United States naval station is on guard at Guantanamo. The rest of the marines have been distributed among the various plantations owned by foreigners who had complained to the mayor that the Cuban troops were inefficient to afford protection. Block houses are now being erected in the suburbs to protect Santiago.

Rebels Attack Cobre Mines.

Santiago, Cuba, June 6.—The rebels last night attacked the Cobre mines, and the firing continued for one hour when they were repulsed by the gendarmes. No government force was present. The rebels also engaged a government guard at Punta de Sal, the landing place for Cobre, but were repulsed. The rebels are now concentrating at Palmar, and are expected to attack the city of Santiago.

The United States gunboat Paducah, recently stationed at Dalquiri, lay off the Cuero mines last night but as no foreigners there have been reported to their consuls here begging for protection.

The columns under Col. Valiente and Col. Valliant have returned from the field. It is understood their plan of campaign proved a failure and that a halt has been called until a new plan can be perfected.

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CATTLE IMPORTS SHOW BIG GAINS

Importations For May 1911, Exceed Those of May, 1911, by 17,553 Head.

The El Paso customs district receipts from the cattle importation for the month of May, 1912, greatly exceed those for the same month in 1911. This year's receipts for May were \$355,904, as compared with \$96,970 of last year, an increase of \$158,834. The number of head of cattle imported last month was 25,752, as compared with 7199 head imported in the same month the year previous, an increase of 17,553 head.

The increase is due largely to the conditions prevailing in Mexico at both times. Last year during the month of May the Madero revolution was in progress and the railroads were completely tied up for the greater part of the month, so that no cattle could be moved from the Mexican ranches. This year it has been different, and although a revolution is in progress in the very same district as last year, the rebels have kept the railroad open and have allowed cattle to be exported.

The importation figures include all of the cattle brought to the El Paso district, which extends through to the port at Columbus, N. M.

To Buy In 2000 Head.

Nearly 2000 head of Terraza cattle are due to arrive in El Paso next Saturday from the Terraza ranches in the state of Chihuahua. The cattle are being brought to the United States by the El Paso Livestock Commission company of this city. The cattle will be loaded at Sauc for shipment over the Mexican Central road. Fifty stock cars have been shipped south in order to bring the cattle to the border. The shipment is more of the 50,000 head of Terraza cattle which are being exported from Mexico.

LOCAL PYTHIANS TO HOLD CELEBRATION

A gala time is being planned by the local members of the El Paso lodge No. 82 Knights of Pythias, and Matice Temple No. 21, Pythian Sisters, for tonight in joint celebration of the election of two of their members to the grand lodge of Texas, and of the 25th anniversary of the institution of the order in El Paso. El Paso lodge No. 82, having been started on May 18, 1887 by the late Judge A. W. Spencer, Mrs. Matilda Burroughs, of the local Pythian Sisters, and U. S. Goen of lodge No. 82, have been appointed inner guards of the Grand lodge of the state of Texas.

A program of music and speeches has been prepared and all knights, invited to attend. The party will be building above the K. of P. hall. It will begin at 8:30 o'clock.

He's One in a Million.

(From Judge.) There's a man whom I don't know by name. Who belongs in the fans' Hall of Fame. That his grandma was dead. He cried, "Sure! Go ahead to the game!"

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PETITIONS GRANTED BY THE COUNCIL

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electric sign at 210 North Stanton street.

William Rosing was granted permission to extend the balconies on the second and third stories of his proposed building, the corner of Rio Grande, Roosevelt and Mundy avenues, four feet beyond the building line.

Permission was given the Texas Bank & Trust company to place over the door at their place of business, 294 North Oregon street, an electric sign.

William S. Sappin, application for a hawkers license, was granted.

The application of W. L. Pearson & company to erect a basement stairway in building located on lots 1 to 4, block 150, Second and Stanton streets, Campbell's addition, was granted.

The Methodist Episcopal church mission was given permission to stretch a gospel tent on lots 23 and 30, block 42, Bassett's addition.

Petitions Referred.

The petition of Chas. Rohrer for correction of taxes was referred to finance committee; the application of West Electric street and West Boulevard from its intersection with the east line of the alley in block 18, Sunset Heights, was referred to the city council by the owners of property on those two streets and the petition called for the improving of east Rio Grande street and West Boulevard between its intersection with the west line of North Oregon street and with the east line of the alley in block 15, Sunset Heights.

The improvements asked by the petitioners contemplated the grading and raising of the streets, the construction of curbs, and the paving of the roadway with bluestone pavement. The petition was referred to the street and grades committee.

Vehicle Ordinance Adopted.

An ordinance providing for the licensing of public vehicles engaged in the carrying of passengers and passengers for hire in the city, regulating the same and prescribing the place where they shall stand at the union station, and prohibiting soliciting or crying out for traffic at the station, and licensing runners, was adopted, dispensing with the rule requiring the reading of the ordinance at two regular meetings of the city council.

The ordinance requires that every owner of vehicles employed in this character of traffic shall secure and register with the city clerk a number to be attached to his vehicle in conspicuous place. The license fee fixed in each case was as follows: Each omnibus, \$25 per quarter; of three months, each hack, \$150 per quarter; each automobile, \$150 per quarter; each wagon, \$25 per quarter.

All public vehicles engaged in El Paso at the union station, according to the ordinance, are required to take their stand on the north side of San Francisco street along the curb line, in the following positions: First and next toward the building buses; second, to east of omnibuses, hacks;

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CREDIT MEN CLOSE UP A GROCERY STORE

Through the Credit Men's association the grocery of S. D. Ambrose, in East El Paso, has been closed by an attachment suit on behalf of the creditors who are members of the association. The indebtedness of the grocery is said to be \$3500.

The Shacklee Grocery company's store on Mesa avenue and Franklin street has also been sold by the association as a means of straightening out the financial affairs of the company. In addition to these two operations, the Credit association is now operating the J. W. Prude Mercantile company's store at Tularosa, N. M.

The citizens of Abilene have voted to expend \$10,000 for fire department equipment, and \$7,000 for the erection of a crematory.

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