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BRYAN, TEXAS, March 6, 1909.

The Taft inauguration was a sure enough frost. Let us hope that it was not an omen.

Everybody is of the opinion that the change from rough rider to a smooth dancer is a mighty good thing for the country.

Debt is peonage, not only in Mexico but everywhere. It is so in the very nature of things and legislation cannot make it otherwise.

A statistician has figured out that sixty-seven in every hundred murders are due to the pistol-toting habit. Yet public opinion still coddles the pistol-toter.

While the big dogs, Waco and Temple, were fighting over the Katy division terminal, Eddy, a small pup, slipped in and got away with the bone.

Wilbur Wright says an aeronaut is perfectly safe in the air. Of course, Wilbur's brother Orville could have told him that there is no danger except at the instant when he hits the ground.

It is useless to speculate what might have been had not Senator Bailey broken Thomas Mitchell Campbell's backbone with that little tap at San Antonio, for "of all sad words of tongue or pen" etc. The record is made and it is a failure.

The possibilities of the possum, with presidential favor, seem to be unlimited. Already he is worth \$10 apiece as a household pet and some enthusiasts suggest that he be substituted for the eagle on the national coat of arms and on the coins.

The haziness of the atmosphere indicates that forest fires are raging somewhere and this ought to remind us that during this period of extreme drought extraordinary precautions are necessary to guard against destructive conflagrations both in town and country.

It begins to look like Tennessee is lapsing into anarchy and it may be necessary for Uncle Sam to intervene and establish a republican form of government there. If the people are incapable of self-government the territorial system would be better for them than state sovereignty.

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The woman's clubs of Bisbee, Ariz., have been warned by the officials that they will be prosecuted if they continue to violate the gambling laws. The officers of Bisbee must be extraordinarily scrupulous about the performance of their dues. If the gambling laws were strictly enforced in Texas there would be a big sensation in almost every town.

We speak of poets and artists as if they were classes apart possessing superior endowments. This is a mistake. Every true man and woman, boy and girl is both a poet and artist and one who lacks these faculties is a deformity. There is, of course, a difference in the degree of endowment and in many the faculty is not developed, but the almost universal appreciation of poetry and art proves that it exists.

In his campaign speeches and in his inaugural address Mr. Taft made the clear cut statement that he favors revising the tariff on the basis of making the duties equal to the difference between the cost of production between the cost of production abroad and the cost of production at home. If he succeeds in getting this done honestly it will greatly cheapen the cost of living, go far toward solving the trust problem and put new life into the merchant marine. We sincerely hope the event will prove the new president to be both sincere in his promises and able to make them good—unlike his immediate predecessor, who was a reformer with his mouth only.

### Election Ordinance

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Bryan: That an election for City Officers, to-wit: Marshal, Secretary and three members of the City Council, shall be held by the qualified voters of said City, at the County Court House in Bryan on the first Tuesday in April next, it being the sixth day of said month; and the presiding officer, together with such others as he may appoint, shall hold said election in accordance with the City Charter and Ordinances and the State Law governing elections.

Adopted by the City Council and approved by the Mayor this 4th day of March, 1909.

J. T. MALONEY, Mayor.  
J. B. HINES, City Secy.

### Eagle Nearly Carries Off Child.

Montgomery, Ala., March 4.—A huge bald eagle, measuring seven feet from tip to tip, swooped down near a cottage in Coosada township, ten miles from Montgomery, occupied by a negro named Sephus Brown and attempted to fly away with his three-year-old daughter, Johanna. The pickaninny was waddling about the back yard in a freshly starched white dress when the bird snatched her in his talons. The father and mother ran out and threw themselves prancing on their knees. The load was evidently too heavy, for when the eagle tried to clear a low cotton seed bin the dress of the child caught the post, and the bird delivered of its hold.

### Another Attempt Made.

Sacramento, Cal., March 4.—Another vain attempt was made by the anti-Japanese element in the assembly to exclude Japanese from the public schools. An unimportant school bill by Sackett of Ventura was called up for final passage, when Poldley of Red Bluff offered an amendment barring not only Chinese and Japanese, but all Asiatics. The amendment was voted down.

### Tucker on Retired List

Washington, March 4.—Secretary of War Wright approved the findings of the retiring board in the case of Col. William F. Tucker of the pay department of the army, and son-in-law of Mrs. John A. Logan. This places Col. Tucker on the retired list for life on three-quarters pay.

### Purse Presented Haskell.

Guthrie, March 3.—Friends of Gov. Haskell presented him with a purse of \$750 to be used in his defense in the Muskogee town lot cases, the presentation being made by Lieutenant Governor George Bellamy. The sum was made up of subscriptions ranging from \$10 to \$100.

### Her Mouth Was Closed.

Jack—Miss Peachy started to say something about the impropriety of kissing the other evening, but she didn't finish. Tom—Why not? Jack—Because I took the words right out of her mouth.—Chicago News.

## Walker's

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### Called Meeting of City Council.

Called meeting of the City Council held in the Parker building, March 4th, 1909. Present: Hon. J. T. Maloney, Mayor, and Aldermen W. E. Saunders, E. S. Derden, G. M. Brandon, and J. E. Covey.

The following ordinance, entitled "Election Ordinance" ordering that an election for City Officers, to-wit: Marshall, City Secretary, and three members of the City Council be held at the County Court house of Brazos County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, next, was read on three several times, and the rule requiring same to be read on three occasions having been suspended said ordinance was finally passed.

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The Mayor then appointed J. W. Batts as Judge of said election.

Motion prevailed that the Council appoint the Five Aldermen and the Mayor, a committee to handle the municipal improvements which are to be made under the bond issue.

Motion was made, seconded and adopted that the business men of Bryan be asked to appoint a committee of six to advise with the City Council relative to the Municipal improvements, and the secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Eugene Edge, President of the Retail Merchants Association, requesting him to call a meeting of the business men of Bryan with a view to appointing this committee.

A motion prevailed that the City Plaza be laid off into blocks and lots and the Mayor was appointed a committee of one to have the work done.

The matter of retiring outstanding bonds was discussed, but action was deferred until the next regular meeting.

On motion, the Council adjourned.

### A Persistent Hen.

Ever hear about our little red hen? Well, sir, she was on the set for keeps. Couldn't keep her off. Old doorknobs, soda bottles, lamp chimneys, match safes—anything was good enough for her. Finally I put her on three mud turtles, and I hope to die if she didn't hatch out alligators—yes, sir, three of 'em! One of 'em ate her up, and when we opened him there was the hen settin' on his back teeth, and they'd swelled up so they choked him to death.—Exchange.

### PERRYMAN PASSES AWAY.

Famous Creek Indian Dies Four Miles West of Tulsa. Tulsa, Okla., March 5.—Cornelius Perryman, the famous Creek Indian, who led his race at their councils, died at his home Friday, four miles west of this city, aged sixty.

### Thought Fell From Train.

Sulphur Springs, Tex., March 5.—The body of an unidentified man was found near the Cotton Belt tracks. Both legs were severed and the head crushed. A watch and a small amount of money and a letter addressed to H. H. Jackson, Tearkana, Ark., were found in the pockets.

It is thought the man fell from a train and was run over.

### Probably Fatal Wound.

Sapulpa, Okla., March 5.—L. C. Harper, a policeman, was shot and probably fatally wounded by a robber whom he caught in the act of stealing. His assailant escaped but was struck by a bullet from the officers gun as the miscreant was fleeing.

### Six Skeletons Unearthed.

San Antonio, March 5.—Laborers blasting rock unearthed six skeletons, believed Indians, as arrow heads, war paint and weapons were found near by.

## CHURCH NOTICES.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Services at the First Baptist church Sunday as follows:  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.; H. H. Newton Supt.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m.; Jim Thomas Pres.  
Monthly Conference at the close of the morning service with reports from all the auxiliaries. You are cordially invited to attend these services and worship with us.  
M. E. WEAVER, Pastor.

**First Methodist Church.**  
Sunday, March 7th.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., by the pastor. Morning subject: "Morality vs. Godliness;" evening subject: "Gospel Power."  
Junior League, 3 p. m.  
Senior League, 6:45 p. m.  
Everybody welcome to all services.  
THOMAS H. MORRIS, Pastor.

**Free Baptist Church.**  
Services at the Free Baptist church on next Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 9:45; preaching at 7:45 p. m. No preaching service at 11 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend these services.  
T. A. SEARCY, Pastor.

**Presbyterian Church.**  
Sunday services at the Presbyterian church as follows: Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. Westminster League at 4 p. m.  
The public cordially invited to attend these services.

**Christian Church.**  
Rev. Edwin D. Hamner of Bay City, will preach at the Christian church in this city at both morning and evening services. Sunday school at 9:45; Endeavor at 6:45. A cordial invitation to all.

**Administrators Notice.**  
Any person having claims against the estate of W. A. Bell, will please present same at once.

JNO. K. PARKER,  
Administrator.

**NOTICE!**  
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J. T. MALONEY, Mayor.

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