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TEXAS BANKERS' FINE SHOWING

Deposits Total at \$36,867,749, An Increase of \$2,413,007

Special to the Eagle. Austin, Texas, Oct. 6.—A condensed statement showing the financial condition of 435 state banks and 49 trust companies, at the close of business September 1, was given out yesterday by the department of insurance and banking which shows a surprisingly fine condition, when the apparent shortage of crops is taken into consideration.

The statement shows the various kinds of deposits to be \$36,867,749 which is an increase of \$2,413,007 over the last statement issued June 23. Of this increase \$1,815,989 is of individual deposits subject to check. It also shows the total reserve of 47.3-10 per cent in demand deposits, in cash and with other banks, and 12.2-10 per cent of the demand deposits in actual cash in the banks.

DOG AND PONY SHOW COMING.

The Gentry's Will be in Bryan Next Tuesday and the Hearts of the Children are Glad.

The amusement lovers of Bryan know the Gentry Shows. It is enough to create immediate interest to announce that this great exhibition, with its wonderfully educated animals, great feature acts and beautiful street parade will exhibit in Bryan for two performances, afternoon and night on next Tuesday.

While Gentry Bros. have been visiting this city for 20 years, always presenting a "tip-top" clean and wholesome exhibition, it will be news to their patrons to learn that the exhibition which they will offer on next Tuesday is somewhat different from the Gentry show which has been seen here in the past. Animal actors no longer monopolize the program to the exclusion of all other kind of acts. Five hundred four footed producers as advance agents call them, still form the foundation upon which the show is built, but in addition there will be seen a number of high class circus acts which not only enables the management to present a more diversified program but which frees the show from sameness and similarity, and at the same time adds greatly to the ring performances as an entertainment. The time has also come, in the opinion of the Gentry Bros., for all high class tent shows to improve their street parade, which is, after all, a pretty fair index as to the character and quality of the performance, and their street pageant this season, while still a miniature affair, is said to be one of the handsomest on wheels.

A THOUGHTFUL ACT.

Bishop Seth Ward, who died recently in Japan, left his personal financial affairs complicated by an indebtedness of approximately \$4,000, chiefly upon his home in Houston. This fact came as a surprise to many friends who know how simply the Bishop and his family had always lived, and now known to be due to his extreme generosity. Some of the Bishop's most intimate friends and admirers in Houston are at the head of a movement to raise a fund with which to pay off the whole of the indebtedness before the remains reach home which will be about Oct. 20th. While a few wealthy personal friends might lift this burden from the widows shoulders, it is preferred that the amount shall be raised by the free-will offerings of the host of personal friends in the Bishop's native state.

Rev. Thomas H. Morris, pastor of the Methodist church in Bryan, will receive contributions for this section, and he requests all who desire to contribute any sum, large or small, to do so immediately.

TO THE LADIES OF BRYAN.

I take pleasure in announcing to the ladies of Bryan and vicinity that I have arranged to represent the Mistrot-Munn Company of Houston, in Bryan. Orders will be taken for the very latest in all ladies wearables, adhering strictly to the correct things in material, in color and style. Samples are now ready and you are invited to call at my home, residence of T. P. Boyett, and see them. All orders will be appreciated and will receive prompt attention.

Mrs. Edna Knox, Agent Mistrot-Munn Co.

COPENHAGEN TO GET PROOF FIRST

Cook Sends a Cable Straightening Out Tangle.

Special to the Eagle. Copenhagen, Oct. 6.—Prof. Terp, rector of the university here, has received the following cable from Dr. Cook:

"Press reports incorrect. My records go to you first."

"Signed, Frederick A. Cook." Dr. Cook, after his lecture in Baltimore last evening explained that immediately after they had been examined by the University of Copenhagen duplicate copies of his records would be submitted to all geographical societies of the world and to any other scientific body desiring them.

COTTON SPINNERS HOLDING SESSION

Seven Foreign Countries are Represented at Frankfort Meet.

Special to the Eagle.

Frankfort, Germany, Oct. 6.—The international conference of cotton spinners opened here yesterday. The discussions relate wholly to the crisis in the cotton and textile trades brought about through the overproduction and the necessity of its limitation by means of international agreement as to shortening the workmen's hours. Definite proposals will be taken up at tomorrow's sessions.

Germany, France, Italy, Austria, Belgium, Portugal and Holland are well represented in the conference.

\$5,000,000 WAS OFFERED FOR HOME

Morgan is After Historical Old World Palace.

Special to the Eagle.

Venice, Oct. 6.—J. P. Morgan is said to have expressed a desire to purchase the Reggia at Menteau, formerly known as the Corte Reale, one of the most famous royal residences in all Europe.

Mr. Morgan is said to have offered \$5,000,000 for this magnificent and ancient structure, a fabulous fortune in this country, but the government holds Reggia as one of the Kingdom's monuments and relics, so it was impossible to accept the American's offer.

AT THE TENT THEATER.

The crowd that ventured forth to the Tent Theater last night saw the best play as yet presented by this popular company—"The Demon's Power" is one of the grandest lessons ever presented in our city and each member of the company handled their respective roles in a manner that proved them to be A. No. 1 artists. Those that missed this grand performance have something to regret. Tonight they present the play they presented 2 weeks ago, that beautiful story of home life, "Mr. Jim Bailey." This production was pronounced by the large audience that witnessed it as being the best play ever presented in Bryan. It is one of the sweetest heart-touching stories ever told so don't fail to see the greatest of all plays Mr. Jim Bailey tonight. Tomorrow night the feature play of the week—"The Mysterious Miss Creighton," a society drama in 4 acts. It is a very beautiful story, well told and everyone will enjoy it. On this occasion Mrs. Harrison will wear her beautiful \$750 Worlds Fair Gown and the scenic effects for this production are great.

Sauces..

During the cool days the mind naturally turns to Fish, Oysters, Roasts, Etc., and they in turn suggest

Sauces..

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DEATH OF C. BETHEA SR.

Was Father of County Attorney Bethesda and Prominent East Texas Citizen.

Relatives and friends in this city were apprised by wire yesterday of the death of Mr. C. Bethea Sr., at his home at Livingston at 7 o'clock on Monday afternoon, after a long illness. He was the father of County Attorney Lamar Bethea of this city who with his wife were with his father at the time of his death.

Mr. Bethea was born at Fayetteville, Ga., May 14th, 1838, and was raised in Georgia and Alabama. He enlisted in the army from Alabama in Company C, 3rd Alabama Infantry. He served in this command one year and was transferred to Company I, 2nd Alabama Cavalry under General Joe Wheeler and served with distinction in this command throughout the remainder of the war.

He moved to Texas from Hattiesburg, Miss., Jan. 1st, 1887 and settled in Tyler county. In 1891 he removed to Polk county and resided there until his death.

He was a prominent citizen of East Texas and left his impress on the public affairs of that section of the state. He leaves a wife and two sons and one step son, viz: Lamar Bethea of this city, Cade Bethea of Livingston and J. W. Ball of Livingston.

He was laid to rest at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in Forest Hill cemetery, in Livingston.

PATENTS ISSUED TO TEXANS.

Schley & Davis patent attorneys of 401 Main street Dallas, Texas, announce the issuance of the following patents to Texans for the week ending Oct. 2:

S. L. Blake, Paducah, pipe puller and holder.

J. T. Farrell, Houston, switch stand.

P. A. Guenzel, Bartlett, balling press.

G. P. Humphries, Commerce, adjustable stand support for mirrors.

R. F. Kreiter, assigner to M. E. Layne, Houston, check valve.

W. H. O'Bannon & J. M. Field, San Antonio, said Field assigner to said O'Bannon, spring motor.

R. R. Snowden, Houston, dry separator.

W. W. Sands, San Angelo, power ejector.

J. H. Van Zandt & W. E. Thacher, Ft. Worth, flushing cistern for closet bowls.

J. R. White, Scroggins, vehicle coupling.

M. S. Woods, Lufkin, fire escape.

NOTICE.

Sealed bids for the building of the city hall for the city of Bryan, according to plans and specifications now on file at the City Secretary's office, will be received up to 3 p. m. of the 18th day of October, 1909. The City Council of the City of Bryan reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

269 J. B. Hines, City Sec.

The Daily Bill of Fare

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- Barrel Pickles, sour, 3 doz. 25c
- " " Dills 2 " 25c
- " " Mangos 1 " 30c
- " " Sweet Mixed, qt. 25c
- " " Kraut, 6 pounds. 25c
- " " Mackerel, 2 and 3 for 25c
- Bottled Olives, Manzanell 30c
- " " Queen 25c
- Hot Relish 25c
- Prepared Mustard 10c, 15c, 25c

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