Two Claim Innocence

BY ISACO TEMPEST

Two former officials in the food inspection division of the Oklahoma City Food Service Commission of America have been charged with food poisoning. Both men were arrested early Tuesday morning and were sent to the Oklahoma City jail on $1,000 bond each.

The two men, who have been employed by the food service commission for over 10 years, are accused of poisoning the meat that was served at a large banquet in the city last week. The meat was served cold and was found to be contaminated with a deadly strain of bacteria.

The men, identified as John Smith and James Brown, were charged with first-degree murder and were brought before Judge John Doe this morning. They pleaded not guilty to the charges.

A preliminary hearing will be held on Friday to determine if there is enough evidence to try the case.

The food service commission is a non-profit organization that provides food services to various institutions in the city. The commission has been in operation for over 20 years and has a reputation for providing high-quality food.

Civil Rights Bill Passed

BY VANCE TEMPEST

The civil rights bill, which was introduced last week, was passed by the Senate today. The bill, which is designed to protect the civil rights of all Americans, was debated for several days and was finally passed by a vote of 85 to 15.

The bill, which includes provisions for equal employment opportunities, fair housing, and an end to discrimination in public accommodations, was sponsored by Senator John Doe.

The bill now goes to the House of Representatives, where it is expected to be passed without amendments.

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CONDEMNATION SUIT

CITY FILES SUIT TO BUST TRUST

Utilities AuthorityTarget

By EMMETT TAYLOR

The utilities authority of Oklahoma City is looking into the possibility of merging with the city's water and power authority. The authority, which currently serves approximately 100,000 customers, is considering the move as a way to reduce costs and improve services.

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Inside News

Contract Approved

George Stark, the mayor of the city, has approved a contract with the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce for the provision of legal services to the city. The contract, which is for a one-year term, covers legal services related to a variety of issues, including land acquisition, real estate transactions, and municipal laws.

The contract is estimated to cost the city approximately $100,000 per year.

Nixon Briefs Leadership On Summit

By PAUL ENSLIN

The University of Oklahoma's Nixon Institute has invited former President Richard Nixon to speak to the university's leaders on the topic of leadership. Nixon, who is currently living in a retirement community in California, is expected to discuss his views on leadership and his experiences as President.

The event is expected to take place on campus on Friday, March 15th.

The University of Oklahoma's Nixon Institute is an endowed fund established to promote the study of leadership and to provide opportunities for leaders to learn from one another.

The event is expected to attract a large audience of leaders from various sectors, including business, government, and academia.

Rights Bill Voted

By INNOCENT DAVIS

The state's new laws, which were passed by the legislature last week, have been signed into law by Governor John Doe. The laws, which include provisions for the regulation of liquor sales, the protection of children from sexual abuse, and the establishment of a new Departments of Education, are expected to go into effect on July 1st.

The laws were met with mixed reactions from the public, with some supporting the new regulations and others expressing concern about the impact on small businesses and individual freedoms.

The governor's veto statements are expected to be released in the coming weeks. The governor may either sign the bills into law or veto them, and the affected parties are expected to appeal the governor's decision.
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Open Membership Contract Is Approved

By John L. Coyle

A joint resolution to approve an open membership contract was introduced by Comptroller David Nelson and Senate President Charles W. Davis, Jr., at the Oklahoma House of Representatives on Monday, January 31.

The resolution, which was passed unanimously, grants the Oklahoma House of Representatives the authority to negotiate and enter into an open membership contract with the Oklahoma Public Employment Association (OPEA).

The contract, which covers all employees of the Oklahoma House of Representatives, is effective for a period of three years and includes provisions for salary increases, health benefits, and retirement contributions.

Antibusiing Bill Vote Defended By Bellmon

By Harry B. Bellmon

Republican Senator Harry B. Bellmon has introduced a bill that would prohibit the use of funds for the implementation of the Oklahoma City Transit Authority's (OCTA) proposed anti-busing plan.

The bill, which is currently pending in the Oklahoma Senate, would amend the Oklahoma City Transit Act to prohibit the use of any funds for the implementation of any program or plan that would result in the displacement of any person from their current place of residence.

Controversial Film Slated At OCU

By Susan Adams

The University of Central Oklahoma (UCO) has announced plans to screen a controversial film on campus,引起 debate among students and faculty.

The film, which examines the history of the Tulsa Race Massacre of 1921, is scheduled to be shown on April 15.

World Briefs

China Urged To Join Talks

The United States has urged China to participate in talks on various issues, including trade and human rights.

A representative of the United States Department of State said that the US is concerned about the lack of progress in China's implementation of international agreements.

Hall Blasts Tulsa Press

The President of the Tulsa Press Club, John H. Hall, has unfairly criticized the Tulsa World for their coverage of a recent event.

Hall, who is a member of the Press Club's board of directors, told the Tulsa World that the newspaper's coverage of the event was biased and inaccurate.

The Tulsa World, however, has defended its coverage, stating that it was accurate and fair.
The PEOPLE'S Voice

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Bill Tharp

BREAST CANCER CAPABLE
Dr. George S. F. Smith

The United States government's decision to move the capital from Washington to New York City has drawn both support and opposition. Some view it as a necessary step to modernize the nation's capital, while others fear it would lead to increased costs and potential losses in national security. The people of Oklahoma have a unique perspective on this issue, as they have a long history of advocating for a move to a new capital. The Oklahoma Capitol, located in Oklahoma City, has been a symbol of the state's independence and has played a crucial role in Oklahoma's history. The capital city has been a center of political activity and has hosted numerous important events, including the signing of the Oklahoma Constitution. The people of Oklahoma have a strong sense of pride in their state's history and would likely have strong feelings about any decision to move their capital. It is important to consider the implications of such a move carefully, as it would have far-reaching effects on Oklahoma's future and its residents.

Credit Firm Bill Approved

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KANSAS' SWIFT ROAD PLAN

The Kansas Highway Department has announced plans for a new road program. The program will focus on improving the state's road network to better connect its many communities. The plan includes new bridges and highways to improve transportation access across the state. The project will be funded through a combination of federal and state funds, as well as through private investments.

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Coach Named At Panhandle

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Striped Bass Fishing On The Rise In State

Trull Hired By Arkansas

Market Summaries

Closing Prices Listed On The New York Stock Exchange
**Tax Hike Is Voted**

EDWARDS COUNTY — A vote to raise taxes on alcohol was approved, and county residents will see an increase in their tax bills starting in the next fiscal year. The vote was held during the county commission meeting, where members voted 3-1 in favor of the tax increase. The additional revenue will be used to fund various county programs and services, including road maintenance and police department salaries.

**Latest list of cigarette “tar” numbers from U.S. Government.**

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**Sales Tax Hike Asked**

A sales tax hike is being proposed to the city council for consideration. The proposal would increase the sales tax rate from 6% to 7% and would be used to fund various city projects. The council is scheduled to vote on the proposal next month.

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