

## AN AWFUL TRAGEDY

FOUR MEN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT AT COLORADO SPRINGS.

## FOUR OTHERS INJURED

Powerful Racing Car Was Speeding Down Hill at Rate of Sixty Miles When Accident Occurred.

By Associated Press.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 17.—Eight men, crowded into a powerful racing automobile built to hold but three passengers, dared death in a wild burst of speed down West Peurcaane street hill this morning and the most frightful accident in the history of automobilism in Colorado Springs resulted. Three men were instantly killed, mangled almost beyond recognition, a fourth died today and four others were injured. The machine, a six-cylinder 40-horse power Ford, is the same one which ran over and killed C. V. Dasey in the recent double tragedy in the auto race at Overland Park in Denver.

The dead are: W. H. Ralston, a dealer in auto supplies; John S. Gery, formerly of New York; H. Winnall and Britton L. Graves, a drug clerk. James English, George Buckley, F. H. Ward and A. W. Marksheffel were badly injured. Marksheffel, who was driving, lost control of the machine on the hill and it ran into a gutter and was thrown about forty-five feet, striking a telephone pole.

### Speeding Sixty Miles an Hour.

Ralston was a member of the Central Electric Company. Grey and Winnall were professional chauffeurs. Ralston and all the injured were Elks. A social session was given at the Elks' club last night to friends. At the close of the festivities some one suggested an automobile ride. The fun seeking crowd clamored aboard the huge racing machine, clinging to the guards, hood and seat and drove to Manitou, eight miles distant. The car is said to have been speeding at sixty miles an hour when the accident occurred.

Ringling Bros. big circus will exhibit at Abilene on Monday, October 7th.

## KELL INJUNCTION TRIAL TOMORROW

The final hearing in the Kell injunction suit will be heard in the Federal Court at Anadarko, Okla., tomorrow.

Several months ago the Federal Courts issued an order restraining the citizens of Kell from proceeding further in the matter of building and other permanent improvements. Subsequently the order was modified and tomorrow the case is set for a final hearing.

If a decision favorable to the Kell people is reached, the town is expected to grow rapidly and promises to become a town of no little importance.

### A Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all who helped us and gave us their sympathy in our sad bereavement in the loss of our precious little babe, and to say that the memory of their kindness will always be a warm place in our hearts. We are truly thankful for each and every assistance given us.

MR. and MRS. TALLY.

## TRAIN WAS WRECKED ON LEHIGH VALLEY

By Associated Press.

Easton, Pa., Sept. 17.—The Lehigh Valley express train from Buffalo to New York was wrecked early today near the Hattensburg Tunnel in New Jersey, thirteen miles from this city. A number of trainmen and passengers were injured, but none of the latter fatally. The train was running at a high speed when the locomotive jumped the track and plunged down the mountainside. Engineer Herbert Godley was injured internally.

## JORDAN FAVORS DEPOPULATION.

Educator Says Death of Two-Thirds Would Help Race.

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—"If We could have a great drought once every fifteen years, killing off two thirds of the population, and great care were taken to see that the best third, mentally, morally and physically, were preserved, what a magnificent race of people we would soon have," declared David Starr Jordan, president of Stanford University, in his annual address to the newly arrived freshmen.

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## DEATH IN DENVER OF A. M. MULLINIX

Word was received here today of the death in Denver Sunday night of A. M. Mullenix, superintendent of bridges and buildings of the Fort Worth and Denver Railway.

The death was attended by unusually sad circumstances. Mr. Mullenix was called to Denver by the illness of his son, Ray, who was an employe of the Colorado and Southern railway. He was suffering from a severe cold which threatened to develop a case of pneumonia, when he received news of his son's illness.

He insisted upon making the trip despite his condition, and, encountering cold weather, was stricken with pneumonia, which resulted in his death.

Mr. Mullenix had been superintendent of bridges and buildings for the Denver line about a year, but had been in the employ of the company in other capacities for four years.

### AGAINST STANDARD OIL.

Seventy-Five Subsidiary Companies Named as Defendants.

By Associated Press.

New York, Sept. 17.—Testimony was heard today in the federal suit against the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, brought in St. Louis last December. Frank B. Kellogg, in charge of the government's case, intimated today that the government would inquire into the character and the nature of the holdings of the Standard Oil company as well as its affiliations, if any, with the railroads. Seventy-five subsidiary companies of main corporation and a number of individuals, including John D. Rockefeller, are named as defendants.

### THREE WERE KILLED.

Airbrakes Failed to Hold Train on Steep Grade.

By Associated Press.

Leadville, Colo., Sept. 17.—Freight train No. 61, westbound on the Denver and Rio Grande railway, was wrecked near Pando, fourteen miles west of Leadville today, killing Engineer Fred McNichols, Fireman P. Ledger and brakeman Harry Sharpe, all of Saffia. The air brakes failed to hold on a four per cent grade in Tennessee Pass, and the train, after attaining a terrific speed, jumped the track. The main line is blocked by piles of wreckage.

### PETTIBONE CRITICALLY ILL.

Condition is Serious and It is Feared He Cannot Survive.

Boise, Idaho, Sept. 17.—George A. Pettibone was unable to appear in the district court this morning to have his case set for trial. The affidavit of the attending physician states that Pettibone is suffering from an ulcer of the bladder, which unless checked will prove fatal. An operation may be necessary, but the physician fears the patient will be unable to survive it. Pettibone is charged with complicity in the murder of Governor Steunenberg.

## FEARFUL EXPLOSION

FORTY KILLED AND MANY INJURED ON JAPANESE BATTLESHIP.

## AN UNEXPLODED SHELL

An Unexploded Shell Was Being Removed From a Big Gun and Was Discharged.

By Associated Press.

Tokio, Japan, Sept. 17.—Forty of the crew were killed and many injured on board the Japanese battleship *Kashima* by the explosion of a twelve-inch shell within the shield after a target practice near Koreset on September 9. The fatalities included a lieutenant, two cadets and a staff officer. The explosion was terrific and the ship was badly damaged. The explosion followed an attempt to remove an unexploded shell from the gun. A majority of the bystanders were fearfully mutilated.

### ARCTIC EXPLORERS LOST.

No Word Has Been Heard From the William Bruce Expedition.

By Associated Press.

Berlin, Germany, Sept. 17.—A telegram from Advent Bay, via Hammerfest, states that nothing has been heard from the William Bruce expedition, which left their base of supplies almost a month ago with the intention of returning on August 28th. Bruce, with whom were Capt. Boagren, former companion of the Prince of Monaco, and Capt. Johnson, former companion of Dr. Nansen, took provisions for only two weeks and as no game can be found along the coast, it is feared they have perished in an attempt to cross Prince Charles Bay. Their sleds have been found near the landing.

### Denver's New Dispatcher.

W. F. Doran, lately connected with the Santa Fe at Temple, has succeeded C. M. Andrews as chief dispatcher for the Denver at this place. Mr. Andrews has gone to Childress to be chief dispatcher for the Denver at that point.

## COTTON SLUMPS

\$2.50 PER BALE

New York, Sept. 16.—A sensational decline in the price of cotton took place amid excited trading on the New York cotton exchange this afternoon.

As a result of the flurry October sold under 11c for the first time since last July, when prices were advanced on crop reports. Declines in the trading late in the afternoon reached 52 to 55 points or about \$2.50 per bale below the closing prices of Saturday night, and \$7.50 a bale below the highest September.

The leading factors in the decline were heavy speculative liquidation and selling in apprehension of weaker markets for spot cotton in the South.

The market was very active and operators were greatly excited during the decline.

At the lowest October option sold at 10.97c and January at 11.14c.

At the close October had rallied to 11.02c, and January to 11.26c, and the market steadied. Sales were estimated at 600,000 bales.

## HEAVY VOTE CAST IN TODAY'S ELECTION

By Associated Press.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 17.—An exceedingly heavy vote was cast today in the election in the Indian Territory and Oklahoma to pass on the adoption or rejection of the proposed constitution and the election of State and county officers. The weather is fine. An enabling act prohibits the sale of liquor in the Indian Territory for nineteen years and the vote today will determine whether prohibition shall be extended over Oklahoma also.

## DROWNED HERSELF AND CHILD.

Mrs. Baker, Hopelessly Ill, Drowns Daughter and Herself.

By Associated Press.  
Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 17.—Believing herself hopelessly ill, Mrs. Anna Baker, 31 years old, last night drowned herself and her 10 year old daughter in Johnson Lake, near the western limits of the city. She left a note, asking that her relatives in Streator, Ill., be notified. The Baker family came here about a year ago from Iowa, the husband recently returning there to settle up some business.

### ENGINEER KILLED

And Fireman Seriously Injured When Locomotive Blew Up.

By Associated Press.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 17.—The locomotive pulling passenger train No. 3, westbound on the Rock Island railroad, blew up at Callahan, Colo., today, killing Engineer John D. Hartman and seriously injuring Fireman A. E. Chisburg.

## SUICIDE OR ACCIDENT

## CORONER'S VERDICT

In the case of the finding of the body at the Denver tank yesterday morning Coroner Brothers has returned a verdict finding that the man came to his death by drowning but whether the drowning was accidental or with suicidal intent, Mr. Brothers has been unable to determine.

Others have advanced the theory that the man met with foul play and that his body was dumped into the pond from a passing train. The body was in such a state of decomposition that it could not be established whether cuts and gashes about the face and head were inflicted before death or by the body striking against the bars of the fence after it had come to the surface.

So far nothing has been learned which would give the least clew to the identity of the dead man.

The body was buried late yesterday afternoon.

### Change Will Be Delayed.

By Associated Press.

New York, Sept. 17.—It is said here that it will be at least ten months before Major General Leonard Wood assumes command of the Department of the East, in place of General Fred. D. Grant, who will then take command of the Department of the Lakes. The change was expected to take place this year, but the war department has decided to keep Wood in the Philippines until after Secretary Taft's visit, and to grant him extension of his leave of absence after his return to this country.

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## TO SET ASIDE FINE

STANDARD OIL ATTORNEYS HAVE SCHEME TO EVADE PAYMENT OF TWENTY-NINE MILLION DOLLAR FINE.

## THE ALTON'S IMMUNITY

Will Be the Grounds Upon Which the Standard Will Make Its Fight in Famous Case.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 17.—The Tribune says today: "The \$29,000,000 fine imposed upon the Standard Oil Company by Judge Landis in the Federal court recently, will be wiped out of existence on a technicality if the scheme of the Standard Oil lawyers is carried to fruition. In the event that the Alton railroad is granted immunity, which it has been established was promised through an agreement with former Attorney General Moody, the Standard Oil's attorneys will demand that the fine be set aside on the ground that they should have been apprised of this agreement in order that they might have questioned the Alton's witnesses properly."

### THIRTY PEOPLE DROWNED.

And One Hundred Houses Were Burned This Morning.

By Associated Press.

Tokio, Japan, Sept. 17.—Thirty persons were drowned and one hundred houses burned early this morning at Kesaka Mine, near Kotaru. The fire started in a mining works, and while attempts were being made to save the mine, the water reservoir was broken, flooding a portion of the village. Many women and children were among the victims.

### STRANGE MALADY.

Twenty Cases of Beri-Beri Exist in Japanese Camp.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 17.—Dr. I. D. Jones of Murdock, Neb., today informed the State board of health that twenty cases of beri-beri existed among the Japanese laborers at Alvo, Nebraska. The disease resembles paralysis.

## DEFENSE WILL ASK IMMEDIATE TRIAL

By Associated Press.

New York, Sept. 17.—When the criminal branch of the Supreme court opens next month and the case of Harry K. Thaw, charged with the murder of Stanford White, is called, Martin W. Littleton, the senior counsel for the defense, will demand an immediate trial. District Attorney Jerome, it is understood, will oppose an immediate hearing and it is believed that a date in December will be agreed upon.

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Wednesday afternoon fire broke out in Hence Wyatt's pasture. The fire started on the south side of the place and as the wind was in the south it was but a short time until it was beyond control. It burned 600 acres of grass and three stacks of feed. Many of the neighbors came to Mr. Wyatt's assistance and worked hard to stop the progress of the fire. Mr. Wyatt became separated from the rest of the party and when found was overcome by the heat. He was carried to the house and soon restored. It is supposed that the fire started in one of the railroad camps.

The Club Ranch. Last Friday evening E. B. Carver, manager of the Club ranch, phoned into the city for help to put out fire in the Club pasture. Several men responded and by 9 o'clock the fire was under control. It started from one of the brush cutting camps. The amount burned was estimated at 1,500 acres.

Four Thousand Acres Burned. Fire started at Moore's grading camp last Friday. One of the tents caught fire from a stove. During the excitement of trying to save the tent, the grass caught fire. As soon as possible the grade workers commenced fighting the prairie fire, but a strong southwest wind and the dry grass made it very difficult to control the flames.

The flames spread across the Hildebrand pasture, burning the entire north half of it. They had some difficulty in saving the house. The fire got into the T L pasture and could not be checked until it reached Lake Creek.

About 4,000 acres of grass and a tent and its contents were destroyed.—Archer City Dispatch.

Byers Happenings. Byers, Tex., Sept. 16.—Cotton ginning is the order of the day here now. Many bales have been ginned this week. Some farmers think that half a bale per acre is about the size of the crop this year, but it is of good quality and brings good prices.

A large audience greeted Rev. W. W. Milton of Bellevue, who came in Saturday to do the preaching for the Baptist meeting. Bro. Milton is doing excellent preaching.

Saturday, the 14th, just as old Sol was hiding behind the Westerhills, Mr. A. A. McCurry and Mrs. Zetta Crabb were united in marriage by W. W. Robinson at the Methodist parsonage. This was Mr. Robinson's first ceremony and in order to avoid any great embarrassment Rev. T. R. Bowles was near by to assist in case the young preacher failed. The contracting parties are from Oklahoma, but will locate just east of town.

A fine horse belonging to Claude Harding was seriously cut on a wire a few days ago.

A Mr. Burkhalter of Benvenue lost a horse last week, caused by wire cuts.

News has come here from over the Wichita stating that many hogs are dying. Mr. Tom Harrison is said to have lost four fine porkers. With the wheat crop a failure, corn cut short by dry weather and cotton short, we can't but sympathize with the man who loses a fat hog.

Mrs. A. W. Byers and Miss Lucile Hibberd are now in Kansas City for the winter.

Miss Dora Hughes will return to Austin tomorrow. Miss Hughes has been visiting in Byers since July.

Occasionally one of our citizens talks a little politics. Some are for Bryan and some talk of Culberson of Texas.

There will be a called meeting of the R. A. M. for Monday and Tuesday nights, Sept. 16th and 17th, for the purpose of work in Mark and Past. L. H. LAWLER, High Priest.

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C. B. McConnell Elected Vice-President of the International Broom Makers Union.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 15.—To the Editor of The Wichita Times:

Dear Sir: For the benefit of those interested in the welfare of the International Broom and Whisk Makers Union, I will say that their convention which has been in session for the past week in this city, adjourned today to meet in Milwaukee the second Monday in July, 1906.

The By-Laws were revised and a number of changes made which in the opinion of the delegates will be for the betterment of the organization.

The best of feeling has prevailed throughout the session and all subjects coming before the meeting were discussed with the utmost freedom and liberty.

The following is a list of the newly elected international officers:

President, M. A. Manthly, of Detroit, Mich.; First Vice-President, C. B. McConnell, Wichita Falls, Texas; Second Vice-President, David Harder, St. Louis, Mo.; Third Vice-President, Walter Rollo, Hamilton Ont., Dominion of Canada; Fourth Vice-President, H. M. Farr, Philadelphia, Pa.; Fifth Vice-President, Wm. Smith, San Francisco, Cal.; General Secretary and Treasurer, C. F. Dolan of Pittsburg, Pa.

There were twenty-two delegates present and six international officers, making a total of twenty-eight in all. Yours Respt.,

C. B. McCONNELL.

### PARKER TO ATTEND FAIR.

Chief Quannah to be Present at Oklahoma City Festivities.

Lawton, Okla., Sept. 17.—Chief Quannah Parker, of the tribe of Comanche Indians, stated that he has accepted the invitation of the State Fair Association to attend the fair in Oklahoma City with his wives and children and a few "good Indians." Toward the close of the State Fair Parker and his contingent probably will go to Collinsville, I. T., to be present at the great powwow and stomp dance that is to be given there at the invitation of Chief Spybuck, of the Shawnee tribe.

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### HAPPY MARRIAGES.

#### Value of the Spirit of Compromise in Wedded Life.

If marriage meant the wedding of a saint and an angel there would be no problems to solve, no perfections to attain, no progress to make. This may be why there are no marriages in heaven.

On earth it is different. Husband and wife are strongly human. No matter how lovingly united or how sweet their accord, they never have the same temperaments, tendencies or tastes.

Their needs are different, their manner of looking at things is not identical and in varying ways their individualities assert themselves. At any critical moment if both express at the same time a desire to defer to the other's taste the result is foreordained happiness. This makes matrimony not merely union, but union and unity.

The spirit of compromise does not mean a continuous performance in the way of self surrender and self sacrifice; it does not mean ceasing to be a voice and becoming an echo; it does not imply or justify the loss of individuality. It means simply the instinctive recognition of the best way out of a difficulty, the quickest tacking to avoid a collision, the kindly view of tolerance in the presence of weakness and errors of another, the courage to meet an explanation half way, the generosity to be first to apologize for a discord, the largeness of mind that does not fear a sacrifice of dignity in surrendering in the interests of the highest harmony of the two rather than the personal vanity. —Deliberator.

#### —ALWAYS CHEERFUL.

#### Even When He Lost Both Feet He Could Find Consolation.

Brown's cheerfulness was a source of wonder and admiration to his friends, according to the Ladies' Home Journal. Either his religion or his philosophy taught him to accept everything as a wise dispensation. But then he had a large share of worldly goods, his friends argued, and nothing but adversity would shake his faith.

Therefore when a promising crop was washed away by a flood the neighbors were much astonished to hear him say: "It's all for the best. I was blessed with an overabundance last year."

In the winter his house was burned to the ground. To his neighbors' solicitations he calmly responded: "The house never suited us anyway, so it is all for the best."

Other calamities befell Brown, but still he refused to be disheartened.

The climax came when he was in a railroad accident. Both feet were so badly crushed that amputation was necessary.

Sympathetic friends gathered from all quarters. They dreaded to hear the lamentations they were sure would greet them, for even Brown could hardly be expected to pass this lightly by.

"Guess you are pretty well discouraged, aren't you, with both feet cut off?" ventured some one. "Do you think this is all for the best?"

But Brown nodded his head, smiling wanly, and said:

"They were always cold anyway!"

#### Unprofitable Adam.

There is occasion for much beating about the bush for answers to many questions put by wise theologues to timid people, but one set of men found their match in the old Scotchwoman under examination for admission to church fellowship.

"What are the decrees of God?" she was solemnly asked.

"Indeed, I trow, he kens that best himsel'."

"What kind of a man was Adam?"

"Ou, just like ither fouk!" was the quick reply.

The questioner insisted on a more definite answer. "Weel," said she, "he was just like Jeems Madden, ye ken."

"How so?"

"Weel, naebody got anything by him and mony lost."

#### Started the French Walking.

The celebrated Dr. Tronchin, friend of Voltaire, Rousseau and Diderot, was the inventor of walking. In France until his epoch (1700-81) the leisured class never walked either for health or recreation. Walking was only practiced by the tiers Etat. Folks footed it from one place to another simply because they possessed neither coach nor sedan chair. Dr. Tronchin, an initiator in many other respects, introduced "les elegants et les elegantes," writes a historian, to take what is now called a constitutional. To stroll abroad was named "tronchiner" after the inventor, and for their airings both sexes had special costumes and shoes, the latter being more especially necessary. The verb "tronchiner," by the way, has not had the fate of our "to boycott," having passed into disuse long ago. —Westminster Gazette.

#### Active Enough.

Physician (reflectively)—"H'm! The case is one, I think, that will yield to a mild stimulant. Let me see your tongue, madam, if you please. Husband of Patient (hastily)—"Doctor, her tongue doesn't need any stimulating.—Pearson's Weekly.

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Ed. Howard, General Manager.  
S. D. Donnell, City Editor

Wichita Falls, Texas, Sept. 17th, 1907.

We suppose Dives is getting all that is coming to him, but we sincerely trust that in addition to the regulation agony, he is not compelled to undergo the torture of a telephone service that resembles Houston's—Houston Post.

The telephone companies, it appears, seem to care little for the kind of service they render patrons. Nearly every city and town in Texas is complaining. Here in Wichita Falls we got a raise on rentals, and naturally expected an improvement in the service, but so far have been disappointed. Instead of improving, the service gets worse, until now it is almost a nuisance. The more business the company gets, the less it appreciates it. The Times has all along discouraged the organizing of a new telephone company for Wichita Falls, but it begins to look now that if this is not done the patrons of the concern which now enjoys a monopoly of the telephone business in this city will never do anything towards improving the service.

The first issue of the Four Six Star, published at Burk Burnett by F. J. Graves, has come to our exchange

desk. The first number of the Four Six Star is a bright, newsy paper and Editor Graves is to be complimented. Burk Burnett is growing rapidly and we predict that the Four Six Star will ever be in the front ranks of progress.

### THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Kansas City Live Stock.	
Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000. Market steady.	
Southern steers	3.25@4.85
Southern cows	2.00@3.50
Stockers and feeders	3.25@5.25
Bulls	2.25@4.00
Calves	2.50@6.50
Western steers	3.50@5.50
Western cows	2.50@4.00
Sheep—Receipts, 1,000. Market slow.	
Muttons	5.00@5.70
Lambs	6.50@7.30
Range wethers	5.00@5.90
Fed ewes	4.50@6.25

Chicago Live Stock.	
Chicago, Ill., Sept. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000. Market steady.	
Beaves	4.00@7.25
Cows	1.25@5.50
Texas steers	3.75@5.00
Calves	5.50@7.75
Western cattle	4.00@6.50
Stockers and feeders	2.40@5.00
Sheep—Receipts, 22,000. Market 10 cents lower.	
Western	5.25@6.25
Yearlings	5.50@6.40
Lambs	5.00@7.60
Western	5.00@7.50

Lead, Copper and Silver.	
New York, Sept. 17.—Lead weak at 4.65@4.75. Lake copper weak at .154@.16. Silver .67 3/4.	

Spelter.	
St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 17.—Spelter dull at 4.60.	

Money and Stocks.	
New York, Sept. 17.—Money on call strong at .03 3/4@.05 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, .06 1/2@.07 per cent.	
Closing stocks—Archison, 81; preferred, 90; New York Central, 1.06 1/2; Pennsylvania, 1.20; Southern Pacific, .88 3/4; Union Pacific, 1.29 3/4; preferred, .77; copper, .61 3/4; steel, .28 3/4; preferred, .91 3/4.	

Omaha Live Stock.	
Omaha, Neb., Sept. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000. Market slow to 10 cents lower.	
Western steers	3.50@5.50
Texas steers	3.25@4.50
Cows and helpers	3.25@4.25
Canners	2.00@2.85
Stockers and feeders	2.80@5.10
Calves	2.75@5.50
Bulls and stags	2.25@4.25
Sheep—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady.	
Yearlings	5.70@6.10
Wethers	5.25@5.60
Ewes	4.75@5.35
Lambs	6.75@7.40

Wool.	
St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 17.—Wool is steady. Territory and western mediums, 20@25. Fine medium, 19@23. Fine, 18@20.	

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### TEXAS EXHIBITS AT ILLINOIS FAIR

A representative of the Texas Real Estate and Industrial Association was in the city yesterday to see what could be done toward securing an agricultural and industrial exhibit from Wichita Falls to be exhibited at the Illinois State fair.

In conjunction with the Five Million Club and the Commercial Secretaries' Association, the Industrial Association is securing exhibits from a number of Texas cities for this purpose.

Some money will be required for this project and the Chamber of Commerce will be asked to take some action in the matter.

#### Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds filed for record in the county clerk's office on September 14th and 16th, 1907:

R. V. T. S. Co. to A. Lohoefer et al., lots 9 and 10 in block 26; consideration, \$600.

R. V. T. S. Co. to A. Lohoefer et al., 22 1/2 acres of Redman survey 517; consideration, \$2,400.

D. C. Kolp to D. Halney, block 36 Iowa Park; consideration, \$185.

T. B. Noble et ux., to F. J. Schaefer, lots 11 and 12 in block 151; consideration, \$5,000.

J. A. Kemp et al to J. E. Haney, west half block 62, R. R. V. lands; consideration, \$2,062.

M. M. Addicks to B. C. Marshall, lot 3 in block 223; consideration, \$1,150.

R. R. V. T. S. Co. to E. T. Matthews et al., lot 46 in block 22, and lot 7 in block 25 Burk Burnett; consideration, \$350.

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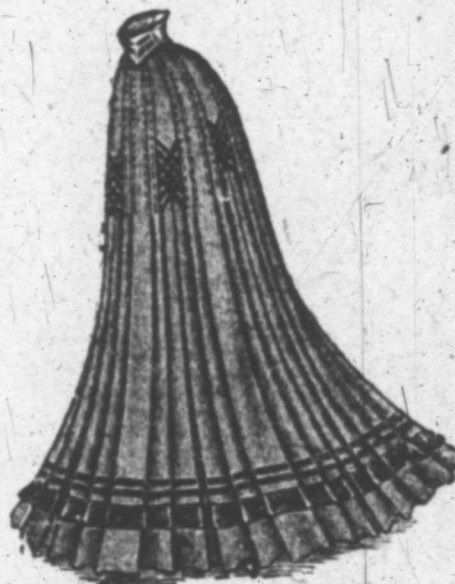
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FOR SALE—Four gallon milk cow. Apply to J. G. Fain. 105-1f

WANTED—Private boarders. Good location, close in. 1005 Travis street. 108-2tp

WANTED—A boy to deliver the Dallas News. Apply at Noble's book store. 109-2t

FOR RENT—Furnished room for rent. Apply at this office or address P. O. Box 476. 109-4f

WANTED—A boy between the ages of 12 and 16 to learn the automobile trade. Apply at Glass' garage, corner Sixth street and Ohio avenue. 106-6t

FOR SALE—At a bargain, good paying business with well established trade. Box 845, Wichita Falls. 105-6t

SCHOOL TEACHER—Wanted at Archer City. Middle aged man preferred. J. S. Scott, Archer City, Texas. 109-3t

LOST—Gold signet ring with the letter "J" on same. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to Jerome Stone. 108-3t

WANTED—At Ziegler's, a good strong boy to learn the tinners' trade. Must be not less than 15 years old and not afraid of work. 89-1f

A new barrel of mackerel just received by King & White. d&w-1f

As soon as it is ascertained when the railroad will be completed to Archer arrangements ought to be made to give a royal reception. Have all the people of the county come and have a good time.—Archer City Reporter.

For feed and coal, see the Wichita Grain and Coal Company. d&w-1f

## BIG DECLINE IN COTTON.

Drives the Local Buyers to Cover and the Market is Quiet.

The cotton market has struck the toboggan and the bears seem to have put the bulls to utter rout. In New Orleans yesterday there was a decline of \$5.00 per bale on spot cotton and the market closed with futures down 36 points. At Galveston the market was down \$2.50 per bale and the decline has been general, every market in the United States being affected.

The decline in the big markets has driven the local buyers to cover and most of them are not wanting to buy any except at much lower prices until the market becomes steady.

Cotton which would have sold readily ten days ago at 13 cents is not finding any buyers today at 12 cents. The price of unginned cotton today ranged from 4 to 4 1/4 cents. There has been strong competition in the local market and the buyers have been paying the top of the market.

## STRONG OPPOSITION

To Chicago's New Charter on Account of High Tax Levy Permitted.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Ill., Sept. 17.—A special election was held here today for the purpose of determining whether the new charter granted the city at the last session of the legislature should be adopted. The new charter provides for the concentrating of the power to levy taxes for city park, school and library purposes in the city council. It also provides that by a referendum vote the city may issue bonds up to 5 per cent of the total valuation of all taxable property, and consolidate into one the three park systems. All long-time public utility grants are to be submitted to a referendum vote on the petition of ten per cent of the voters. There is strong opposition to the adoption of the new charter, because it permits a tax levy as high as seven per cent on the assessed valuations.

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## The Christian Church Revival.

The services last night were good. The audience was not so large as before, but attention and interest the best. The sermon on "Faith" was up to Brother Lockhart's high standard, and many said "the best yet." There was one to accept the Christ.

The subject for tonight is "Repentance." Come and hear what our belief is to repentance is, or, as the evangelist says, what the Bible teaches on the subject.

Our church people have stood nobly by the work and there must now be no faltering nor flagging. Now that the battle is on and every soldier of the cross must be at his post if we would capture this town for Christ. "Loyalty to Christ" and if "we move at His command" unitedly, we will possess the land for His kingdom.

These are days of opportunity that will not come to us often, so let us be up and doing while it's called today.

Twenty-six have been added to the church thus far and many more have need to be saved. Shall we lead them to the Christ?

The morning services are full of interest and Biblical instruction and all should avail themselves of these.

There are parties in our city who say they have not heard a sermon for ten and even fifteen years; there are professed Christians who could bring these persons out to church and our Saviour, whom we preach and in whom we believe, is able and willing to save them if they will only accept Him loyally. Shall we not strive to bring these to Him? "Go out and compel them to come" said Jesus to His disciples. Are you a disciple of the Lord and Saviour? Then go out and by kindness and persuasion compel them to come and hear the message of salvation.

Services begin at 7:45 p. m. and 10 a. m. All should hear the sermon tonight.

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### SCOTSMEN IN KILTS.

That is One Sight You Will Not See in Edinburgh.

A writer of the London Tatler has been in Edinburgh and reports as follows: There is one thing that always disappoints the visitor to Edinburgh, and that is a complete absence of kilts, or, rather, the absence of Scotsmen in kilts. If you meet a man wearing a kilt in the streets of the Queen City of the Forth it will be a grave mistake to suppose that he is the laird of Gormuck or some other equally famous highland chieftain. He is nothing of the sort. As a matter of fact, his name is Hodgkins, and he is employed during eleven months of the year licking up envelopes for a firm on the shady side of Lothbury avenue, London, E. C.

Another mistake which strangers are apt to make lies in supposing that the good people of Scotland talk Scotch. I shall never forget my surprise on the occasion of my first visit to Edinburgh, when a policeman at the corner of Frederic street, to whom I remarked pleasantly that it was "braw, braw, braw" nicht the nicht, whateffer, told me to push off and stop asking him conundrums. Scotsmen do not as a rule talk at all. They possess the gift of silence to a really remarkable degree. I know a gillie named Donald, who lives in Perthshire, in whose society I have sometimes spent whole days staking the elusive stag without his ever vouchsafing a single remark of any kind. I remonstrated with him once, pointing out that such silence as his almost amounted to taciturnity. He promised to try and cultivate a certain measure of garrulity, and after we had walked across the heather for five hours, during which time I could see that his brain was working feverishly, he suddenly turned to me and exclaimed, "You's a fearfu' earthquake they had in Jamaica!" after which striking effect he relapsed once more into his habitual attitude of respectful silence.

### "OLD GLORY."

The Way This Name For the Stars and Stripes Originated.

The term "Old Glory," used to designate the flag of our country, is a favorite, and the expression is a very happy one.

It is said by those who claim to be well informed that the name originated with William Driver, captain of the bark Charles Doggett. This statement appears in a history of the Driver family, and from this we find the following facts:

Driver was a successful deep sea sailor and was at the time making his vessel ready for a voyage to the southern Pacific in 1831, just as the brig was about to set sail, a young man at the head of a party of the captain's friends saluted Driver on the deck of the Doggett and presented to him a handsome American flag 19 by 38 feet in size. The banner was done up in stops, and when it went aloft and was flung to the breeze Captain Driver, says the tradition, then and there named it "Old Glory." The flag was carried to the south seas and ever afterward treasured by its owner.

Driver removed to Nashville, Tenn., in 1837 and there died in 1886. Before the outbreak of hostilities between the north and south Old Glory flew daily from a window in the captain's Nashville house, but when the rumors of war became facts it was carefully secreted.

When the war broke out the precious flag was quilted into an innocent looking comfortable and used on the captain's bed until Feb. 27, 1862, when the Sixth Ohio marched into Nashville. Then the flag came out of its covering, and the captain presented it to the regiment to be hoisted over the captol.

There it floated until it began to tear in ribbons, when it was taken down and a new one placed on the building. After the death of Captain Driver the first Old Glory was given to the Essex institute at Salem, where it is still preserved and may be seen by the curious.—Kansas City Journal.

### Too Much to Expect.

Camp Meeting John Allen, the grandfather of Mrs. Nordica, was for many years a picturesque figure among the Methodist ministers in the state of Maine. He was a good deal of a wag, and his utterances were much appreciated by both saint and sinner. At one time, having gone to Lewiston to attend a quarterly meeting, he was approached in the street by several young men who were evidently out for a good time. "Camp Meeting John," said the spokesman, "who was the devil's grandmother?"

"The devil's grandmother," replied the old man in the quick, sharp tone so characteristic of his speech, "the devil's grandmother—how do you expect me to keep your family record?"—Cleveland Leader.

### Mit Harder.

"Woman is considered the weaker vessel," she remarked, "and yet"— "Well?" she queried as she hesitated. "And yet," she continued, "man is the oftener broke."—Exchange.

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### New Fall Silks and Dress Goods.

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### PANBESA'S LETTER.

An Account of an Egyptian City Thirty Centuries Ago.

Probably the oldest letter in the world is the letter of Panbesa, written fifteen centuries before Christ to his friend, Amenemapt, a scribe.

The manuscript is of perishable papyrus, and it is amazing that it should have survived for more than thirty centuries and still be legible.

It is preserved in the collection of the British museum. It has been several times translated. It presents an interesting picture of life in Egypt in the time of Rameses II. It is more in the nature of a literary production, a poem composed in celebration of the visit of Pharaoh to the city of Panbesa, than an ordinary letter of today.

Panbesa "greeted his lord, the scribe Amenemapt, to whom he life, health and strength," and then goes on to describe the verdant fields, the thrashing floors, the vineyards, the groves of olives, the orchards of figs, the great daily markets, with their fish and waterfowl and swarms of purchasers.

The citizens had their "sweet wine of Khemi, pomegranate wine and wine from the vineyards," and to these they added "beer of Katl."

There was music in plenty furnished by the singers of the school of Memphis.

On the whole, Panbesa seems to have been a pleasant place to live in. "The lesser folk are there equal with the great folk," and Panbesa writes that its maidens were "in holiday attire every day," with locks "redolent of perfumed oil."

### THE CITY OF CANALS.

Venice and the Many Islands Upon Which It Is Built.

Venice is one of the most singular and famous cities in Europe and is built upon a cluster of islands in the lagoon. This lagoon is banked off from the Adriatic by a long, narrow sand bank which is divided into a number of islands, six in number. Inside of this sand bank and between it and the mainland is the lagoon, a sheet of shallow water. In parts of this marshy, sea covered plain islets have become consolidated into ground, firm enough to be cultivated.

And in the midst of a crowded cluster of such islands, amounting to between seventy and eighty in number, the city of Venice is built. The chief of these islands is called Isolda de Rialto, or Island of the Deep Stream. The islands, in many places mere shoals, afford no adequate foundation for buildings, and the city for the most part is built upon an artificial foundation of piles and stones.

The Grand canal divides Venice into two equal parts and is the main thoroughfare for traffic and pleasure. The city is subdivided by some one hundred and forty-six small canals or water streets, and the gondola is used for the carriage. Access can also be had to various parts of the city by land, there being over three hundred bridges across canals. The Rialto, the most famous bridge, spans the Grand canal. There are also narrow lanes in among the houses.

### The Overruling of a Judge.

A judge once awoke in the night to find his room in the possession of two armed burglars. Covered by the pistol of one of the marauders, the judge watched the proceedings with his usual judicial calm. One of the depredaters found a watch. "Don't take that," the judge said. "It has little value and is a keepsake." "The motion is overruled," replied the burglar. "I appeal," rejoined the judge. The two burglars consulted, and the spokesman then replied: "The appeal is allowed. The case coming on before a full tribunal of the supreme court, that body is of the unanimous opinion that the decree of the lower court should be sustained, and it is accordingly so ordered." Pocketing the watch, court adjourned.

### Logic and Metaphysics.

Joaquin Miller was once conversing with a learned professor who was visiting California. To the poet's query, "What do you do?" the professor answered that he held the chair of metaphysics and logic at a New England university. Whereupon the venerable Miller, with an encouraging smile, reassuringly patted the professor on the shoulder. "Logic and metaphysics, eh? Well, I suppose we must have people to look after those things, even if they don't exist."

### Torture.

"The Carthaginian mercenaries," he said, "incased their prisoners in a cement that as it hardened contracted. You can't imagine how uncomfortable this was."

"Oh, yes, I can," she answered. "I once had on a tight bathing suit when it began to shrink." — Los Angeles Times.

### Plenty of Old Ones.

Mr. Chipps (looking up from the paper)—The doctors have discovered another new disease. Mrs. Chipps—Well, I wish they'd stop looking for new diseases long enough to find a cure for my old rheumatism. — London Telegraph.

### WOMEN RAP NEW MUSTACHE

Latest German Styles Comes in for Much Caustic Criticism.

Berlin, Sept. 16.—Fashionable men and the beaux and the fops were wearing a scrubby mustache called indifferently "America" and "English," which would be utterly foreign in Hyde Park or on Fifth avenue. Only a few months ago these same men were proud and happy to adorn their upper lips with a mustache cut like that which characterizes Emperor William. So patriotism may have, in part, invited the storm of public criticism of the new mustache from women.

A leader of society writes to a newspaper that she will not recognize any of her acquaintances who wear "a tooth brush" on his lip. "Man is naturally very ugly," another lady declares in print. "The only natural adornment he ever had was his mustache, and that he is ruthlessly mutilating now. Instead of the graceful, hirsute ornament of the past, he is marking his face with a lot of bristles." Yet a thin woman is organizing a league of unmarried girls, each of whom pledges herself not to marry a man who sports an "English" or "American" mustache.

Seeking to explain this feminine outburst, a newspaper ventures to suggest that "the new mustache tickles a woman's delicate face too much." Then the paper rejects its own suggestion by saying that any mustache is better than none, and quoting the old proverb: "To kiss a man without a mustache is like eating an egg with out salt."

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### TEXAS SALOONIST TO MEET.

To Decide Whether to Strictly Obey New Laws.

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 17.—Texas saloonkeepers are to hold a meeting at San Antonio the latter part of this month, at which it is expected that some arrangement will be reached as to whether the new liquor law will be observed strictly, or whether it will be ignored in part in sections where public sentiment is in favor of Sunday saloons.

Saloon men are much at sea as to how the provisions of the new law will affect them when the time comes to secure new licenses. The provisions for forfeiture of license are simple, and to avoid this penalty for violation of the law is the interesting question to come before the coming meeting.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

R. C. Malone of Abilene is in the city today.

Judge Henry Sayles of Abilene is in the city today.

M. L. Hooker of Charlie was transacting business in the city today.

S. T. Scaling, a prominent business man of Dundee, was here today on business.

Mrs. Theodosia Beasley and family left today for San Antonio to visit relatives.

Attorney C. C. Huff left for Lawton this afternoon to look after legal business.

T. F. Wilson of Kansas City is in town looking after his business interests here.

T. P. Dorris, a prominent farmer who lives near Iowa Park, was here today on business.

Miss Edna Trice of Claude, Texas, is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Hatcher.

Samps Suttlemyer of Seymour was in the city today on his return home from Mineral Wells.

Miss Helen Beavers left today for Waxahachie, where she will become a student of the Trinity University.

Mrs. J. A. Thornton and little daughter have returned from their visit to friends at Fort Collins, Colorado.

Mrs. Walter Black of Bowie, who has been visiting J. W. Black and family, of this city, left today for Seymour to visit relatives.

T. J. Davis and family of Roscoe arrived in the city today on their way to Iowa Park, at which place they will reside in future.

Mr. Tom Weidman has returned from a six weeks visit at his old home in Indiana and other points of interest in the Eastern States.

T. H. Vinson, traveling representative of the Wichita Commercial College, left this afternoon for Abilene, where he will spend several weeks.

Col. and Mrs. H. Specht, accompanied by the Misses Vogel, all of Fort Worth, are in the city on their return home from Colorado Springs, Colo.

S. C. Bailey, State evangelist of the Baptist church, with headquarters at San Antonio, who has been the guest of O. B. Woodring and family of this city, left for home today.

Miss Daisy Sanders of Magnolia, Ark., arrived in the city today and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Hatcher. She will leave tomorrow for Chillicothe to visit her brother, W. E. Sanders, and family.

Mr. J. T. Cooper returned Saturday from Live Oak county, where he attended the opening of the Simmons ranch, which took place on the 10th, when 60,000 acres of land were auctioned off in blocks of from 5 to 640 acres each. Thirty-six States were represented at this big sale and every acre of the land was sold. This large body of land is to be settled up by a thrifty set of farmers. Mr. Cooper is well pleased with the country, which is forty miles northwest of Corpus Christi and eighty miles south of San Antonio.

### DEAF MAN GOOD TELEGRAPHER.

Sight and Touch Make Portland Operator Expert.

Portland, Me., Sept. 17.—Although he cannot hear, Peter J. Foley, in the Western Union office here is one of the best of operators. To hundreds of senders on the Eastern wires it will be news that for the last eight years "Fo," as he signs himself, has not heard a sound. He has developed his sight and feeling so that he copies just as accurately and rapidly as men with normal faculties.

Foley has been with the company eighteen years. When he realized that his hearing was falling he began to develop his other faculties. To operators the loss of hearing has invariably meant the loss of a livelihood.

After his misfortunes, Foley was put at office work at his regular salary. Soon, however, he amazed his manager by announcing that he was ready to take up his old position. He practiced until by watching a sounder he could interpret dots and dashes. By lightly resting his fingers over the sounding bar he also takes messages by the sense of feeling.

His chief difficulty is in answering calls, which makes it necessary for him to watch the sounder. He has one advantage, however, over other operators, in being able to keep his instruments adjusted accurately. So acute has become his sense of touch that he detects the least change of current. He is forty years old, and has a family of three little children.

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### Three New Autos.

The Wills Automobile Company on yesterday received three new Buick automobiles, one of which was sold to Mr. Wiley Blair and one to Mr. J. A. Kemp. Both gentlemen had previously bought machines of the same make, but in order to permit the Wills Auto Company to fill a rush order from Galnesville turned them back to the company and ordered new machines.

The third machine has not been placed and will in all probability be placed in the company's garage for service.

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M. J. Gardner is building a handsome nine-room house at the corner of Tenth street and Broad avenue, which he will occupy as soon as completed. Mayor T. B. Noble is building another handsome residence at the corner of Bluff avenue and Eighth street.

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