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AMERICANS TAKE ALL THAT IS OFFERED IN THE OPEN MARKET.

MORE FAILURES TODAY

Stocks Decline at the Opening—Trust Magnates Confer With President Roosevelt.

By Associated Press. London, Eng., Nov. 4.—The Americans purchase today all of the gold offered in the open market, the total being about 400,000 pounds.

Aurora, Indiana, Bank Suspends.

By Associated Press. Aurora, Ind., Nov. 4.—Owing to the money stringency the Aurora National bank failed to open its doors today. The bank was organized in 1883 with a capital stock of \$50,000 and had deposits aggregating \$165,000. No statement has yet been made of its liabilities.

Prominent Hamburg Firm Suspends.

By Associated Press. Hamburg, Germany, Nov. 4.—The banking and brokerage firm of F. Lappenburg suspended payment today, owing to losses sustained through its customers. The firm, which also did an export and import business, enjoyed a high standing in financial circles.

Latonis, Ohio, Bank Suspends.

By Associated Press. Latonia, Ohio, Nov. 4.—The First National bank here failed to open its doors today. A notice posted on the door states that the concern will liquidate its liabilities.

Stocks Declined at the Opening.

By Associated Press. New York, Nov. 4.—Severe declines registered today in the first sales of stocks and the prices were wide apart. The losses quite generally ranged between 1 and 2 points. Canadian Pacific was down 3/4 and the Hill stocks, Southern Pacific, Reading, Anaconda and the American were down from 2 to 2 1/2 points.

Trust Magnates Confer With Roosevelt

By Associated Press. Washington D. C., Nov. 4.—E. H. Cory, chairman of the United States Steel corporation and Henry Phipps were in consultation with President Roosevelt for more than an hour today, the conference being participated in also by Secretary Root. While no details were obtainable, it is understood that the meeting related solely to the financial situation.

Seattle Follows Example of Others.

By Associated Press. Seattle, Wash., Nov. 4.—At a meeting of the clearing house association last night, at which every bank in the city was represented, it was decided to follow the other cities of the Northwest by adopting the use of clearing house certificates, ceasing cash payments except in small amounts for emergency purposes.

Open for Business as Usual.

By Associated Press. New York, Nov. 4.—The Trust Company of America and the Lincoln Trust Company, on which heavy runs were made last week, were opened for business as usual this morning.

Another Cashier Commits Suicide.

By Associated Press. Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 4.—A dispatch to the Banner from Huntsville, Ala., says that James R. Boyd, cashier of the Huntsville Bank and Trust Company, committed suicide this morning.

Discount Rate Raised Again.

By Associated Press. London, Eng., Nov. 4.—The rate of discount in the Bank of England was raised today from 5 1/2 to 6 per cent.

Over four hundred excursionists from points on the Wichita Valley were carried through Wichita Falls Saturday to the Dallas Fair.

The best line of boxed candies can always be found at the Cream Bakery.

WAS AWARDED \$2,954.16 BUT IS NOT SATISFIED.

Last Thursday night the condemnation case of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Railway Company vs. Holloman was argued before Commissioners Cather, Storm and Finley. Ira Holloman claimed \$15,000 for 11 6-10 acres of land which were taken for the right of way and damages to the balance of his tract of 154 acres in the south part of town. He claims that his land has been cut in seven pieces, and that the amount claimed is a reasonable estimate of the damage done. He was represented by Attorney James A. Morris of Lawton.

Providence Mounts and W. W. Griffin appeared for the railroad and argued that the amount asked was excessive, and that the benefit arising from the enhanced value of the land because of the railroad should be considered in mitigation of damages.

Friday the commissioners announced that they had assessed the damages at \$2,954.16. Mr. Holloman does not consider this any compensation for the loss resulting to him by reason of the building of the tracks, and will appeal the case.

In order to proceed with the construction of the road across Mr. Holloman's land, it will be necessary for a deposit equal to the amount awarded him to be made by the railroad.

On November 7 Commissioners Hawkins, Grant and Hamon will take evidence and assess the damages in the case of the railroad against Mrs. Lunsford.—Frederick Enterprise.

SANK IN BOSTON HARBOR STEAMER'S CREW ESCAPED.

By Associated Press. Boston, Mass., Nov. 4.—The steamer, the City of Birmingham, of the Ocean Steamship Company, struck a ledge in the harbor here early today while bound for Savannah and sank in ten fathoms of water about two miles below here. Her crew escaped.

VERNON TOO HEAVY LOCALS DEFEATED

Outweighed nearly fifteen pounds to the man, the Wichita Falls high school eleven went down in defeat before the husky Vernon lads in the initial football contest of the season at the ball park Saturday afternoon, the score being 11 to 0 at the end of the second half.

Although at a great disadvantage on account of their light weight the Wichita gridiron knights put up a game fight, holding their heavier opponents in the first half and by a series of end runs advancing the ball almost to their goal.

Vernon's two touchdowns were the result almost entirely of straight hard drives into the line of their opponents. The local eleven will play a return game at Vernon Saturday, November 16th.

Trusting the Stranger.

We have often warned our readers against placing too implicit confidence in the representations of strangers, and yet scarcely a week passes in which some smooth grafter gets in his work in our midst. There are several of our citizens here now desiring to get into communication with an insurance agent who worked the town some weeks ago. He took numerous notes, discounted them at the local banks, and, though sufficient time has elapsed, the policies in several instances are not forthcoming. It is a pretty safe plan when buying things, even insurance, from a stranger, to make the consideration payable only upon delivery of the goods.—Graham Leader.

HENRY BISHOP—"GOLD FISH KING," DEAD AT BALTIMORE.

By Associated Press. Baltimore, Md., Nov. 4.—Henry Bishop, known as "Gold Fish King," is dead at his home here. He developed here the largest gold fish industry in the country and supplied the parks in New York, Detroit, Washington and other cities with specimens.

VICTORY IS CLAIMED

BY BOTH PARTIES IN SEVERAL STATES IN TOMORROW'S ELECTION.

ELECTION OF A MAYOR

In Cleveland Attracts National Interest Close Contest in Kentucky, Maryland and Massachusetts.

By Associated Press. Baltimore, Md., Nov. 4.—The political leaders of both parties claim the State in tomorrow's election. The chair of the democratic State committee claims that Judge Caruthers for governor will have a majority of 12,000 and that the next legislature will be democratic. Chairman Parran of the republican committee claims the election of Gather for governor by from 8,000 to 13,000 majority.

Estimates are unchanged. The political leaders of both parties held to the estimates already given out as to tomorrow's election results. Chairman Standover of the democratic State committee claims the election of Judge Caruthers for governor by about 12,000 majority and the rest of the democratic State ticket, and a majority of the members of the legislature. Chairman Parran of the republican State committee is equally sure in his claim that the republicans will elect Gather for governor by from 8,000 to 13,000 majority.

Kentucky's Contest.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 4.—Kentucky, of the half dozen or more States to hold elections tomorrow, probably has the most interesting contest on her hands. The interest is due chiefly to strong efforts that the republicans are making to elect the governor and the equally determined campaign put up by the democrats. Not only are the republicans working for their State ticket, but they are also seeking to capture the legislature. Should they be successful in the latter endeavor it would mean the defeat of Governor Beckham for the United States senatorship.

The republicans have nominated Augustus E. Wilson for governor, and the democratic standard bearer is Judge S. W. Hager. The republicans have resurrected the Goebel affair and its ramifications is one of the issues of the campaign, while the democrats have brought the temperance question to the fore.

Seven Candidates in Bay State.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 4.—Seven candidates are seeking the governorship in Massachusetts, including the republican governor, Curtis Guild, Jr., who is seeking re-election for a third term. Henry M. Whitney, millionaire and a brother of the late William C. Whitney of New York, is the regular democratic candidate. Charles W. Hurdette, who failed to secure the democratic nomination, is running on an independent ticket and a platform which has as its chief issue opposition to the proposed merger of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad and the Boston and Maine railroad. In addition there are candidates on the socialist labor, socialist, prohibition and Independence League tickets.

To Vote on Liquor.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—The voters of Delaware tomorrow will have their first opportunity to ballot on the issue of prohibition. The campaign for and against the saloons has been one of the most exciting ever waged in this State and the result is awaited with keen interest. The vote will be by districts. It is generally expected that the larger cities will decide against prohibition, but it would not be surprising if the rural districts went "dry."

Settled in Mississippi.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 4.—Little or no interest is manifested in next week's election in Mississippi. This is due to the fact that the contest was settled by the democratic primary last summer. James K. Vardaman will be succeeded in the governorship by E. F. Noel.

Hot Fight in Frisco.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 4.—A fierce three-cornered race for the municipal government stakes will be decided at Tuesday's election in this city. Mayor Taylor, who came into office after the overthrow of Mayor Schmitz, is seeking re-election and has the support of the reform element of both political parties. Daniel A. Ryan is the candidate of the straight out republicans and P. H. McCarthy is the candidate of the union labor party. The labor vote predominates in San Francisco and it would seem as though McCarthy, the candidate of the union labor party, would be elected, unless either of the other two candidates succeeds in cutting in on the labor vote.

Only One State Officer in Pennsylvania

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 4.—But little interest is taken in the election, as the State treasurer is the only office to be filled. The republicans claim the election of John Osbeatz by 100,000 plurality, while the democratic managers believe that John G. Harmon will be elected.

Rival Claims in New Jersey.

By Associated Press. Trenton, N. J., Nov. 4.—Democratic State Chairman Hudspeth claims that reports from his field lieutenants indicate that Frank Katsenbach, Jr., will carry the State by about 7,500, while the republican chairman claims a majority of 21,000.

NORTHWESTERN COMPRESS RUNNING IN FULL BLAST.

The Northwestern Compress in this city started running this morning in full blast. About two thousand bales are on the platform awaiting compression and new shipments are coming in daily.

The St. Charles restaurant is headquarters for the celebrated Houma oysters prepared in any style. 144-H

DAVIDSON WORKING ON BAILEY REPLY

Austin, Tex., Nov. 2.—Attorney General Davidson did not give out to the press this evening his letter replying to Senator Bailey's last communication as was generally expected.

On account of a rush of business in his department, it was impossible for him to complete the letter. "I have been so busy with my official duties," said Attorney General Davidson, "that it has been impossible for me to complete the letter. It will be ready some time next week, when it will be given to the public."

LOST A THOUSAND DOLLARS TRANSFER DRIVER ARRESTED.

Special to the Times. Benjamin, Tex., Nov. 4.—The First National bank of Munday sent a thousand dollars in currency to the First National bank at Knox City yesterday, entrusting a young man named Dave Humphries, the driver of a transfer. On arriving at the latter place Humphries discovered that he had lost the money, claiming that he must have dropped it when he got out to open the gate. However, the bank officials claim that they have proof that he had the money in his possession after he arrived at Knox City, and they had him arrested. He waived examination and was put under \$1,000 bond to await the action of the grand jury.

MRS. CHADWICK'S DEPOSITION ORDERED OPENED TODAY.

By Associated Press. Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—The deposition of the late Cassie L. Chadwick in connection with the suit of Mrs. Jutte against Messrs. Hoffstat and Friend, president and vice president of the Pressed Steel Car Company, charged with a conspiracy, was ordered opened today by Chief Justice Mitchell of the Pennsylvania supreme court, sitting here. Efforts were made by the counsel for Hoffstat and Friend to keep the documents sealed.

TENSION IS HIGH

LIEUT. GOV. SANDERS ISSUES DEFIANT REPLY TO CAFFERTY'S DUEL CHALLENGE.

BLOODSHED IS FEARED

Situation is Dramatic and Governor's Repudiation of Sanders' Proclamation Adds Fuel to the Flames.

New Orleans, Nov. 3.—The firm reply of Lieutenant Governor J. Y. Sanders today to what has been universally accepted as a challenge for a duel by Donaldson Caffery, son of the late United States senator Caffery, has created a dramatic political situation in Louisiana tonight. Another matter entirely foreign to the personal combat feature increases the tension. The practically rival proclamations of the lieutenant governor and Governor N. C. Blanchard to the coming extra session of the legislature were brought face to face by the governor's arrival here today from the East.

Early this morning, in close conformity to the code of honor, Mr. Sanders issued a written reply to the statements of Caffery. This statement declares that the lieutenant governor holds himself personally responsible for the utterances which caused the trouble, and adds:

"I am prepared to meet that responsibility and Mr. Caffery knows where to find me." Proceeding this statement, two representatives of each man in the dispute had held conferences and Mr. Sanders' friends had declared firmly that they would not accept a challenge in accordance with the dueling code because the lieutenant governor could not violate the state law making dueling a crime.

Next followed the "posting" of several sections of the statute by Mr. Caffery with handbills stating that satisfaction had been refused him by Mr. Sanders. These handbills declared that the lieutenant governor had called some of Mr. Caffery's statements untrue.

The discretion of both the lieutenant governor and Mr. Caffery is relied on to prevent a personal encounter. There are fears, however, that the friends of the disputants may be drawn into a serious quarrel.

Governor Blanchard, before leaving the East, announced that he would probably annul Mr. Sanders' proclamation, which placed corporation control before the extra session of the legislature.

TO CARRY CINCINNATI.

Republicans, Democrats and City Party Close Campaign. Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 3.—A triangular campaign for the control of the city politically closed here Saturday night with many meetings by the Republicans, Democrats and new City Party.

The latter stands for the separation of national politics and is making a strong fight on George B. Cox, who has regained complete control of the Republican party in Cincinnati. The Republicans maintain that their candidate, Col. Markbreit, editor of a German paper, will win and poll more votes than the other parties combined. The Democrats hope to re-elect Mayor Dempsey.

TO FINISH TRACK LAYING INTO FREDERICK THIS WEEK.

The track laying gang on the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Saturday night had the rails laid to a distance of only about seven miles out of Frederick. The road is making every effort to have the track laid into Frederick by Saturday night, and barring accidents and bad weather will complete the track laying this week and will be ready to run the first train into Frederick the first of next week.

The Eiler shows are always good. "Down Mobile" is the best. Band concert at noon. Show at night only. Under canvas, Monday, Nov. 4th.



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DOING EUROPE.

This Tourist Seemed to Have a Mania For Souvenirs.

I had met Jones before. In fact, meeting him had become a sort of habit. The first time I saw him he was hanging by his feet, an apoplectic, squirming mass, on the facade of Blarney castle, kissing the stone of eloquence. My camera caught him in the act. "Gad!" he sputtered when I told him that his feat was immortalized. "Is my face in it? Send me one, will you? That'll prove to the folks back in Zanesville that I did it."

I had run across him again in London, where all ways meet. I was sauntering around the Whitechapel ghetto, and through the window of an alley tavern I noticed two men drinking stout. One was a "bobby" in uniform. His eyes were bleared and his face purple. The profile of the other looked familiar. I walked in and beheld—Jones. The policeman, startled by my intrusion, brought himself together and wobbled out. Jones turned to me with a look of vast reproach.

"Glad to see you again, old man, but—why in the deuce couldn't you stay away a little longer? I'd have had it in half an hour more."

"Had what?"

"Why, his club. Lord, what a souvenir that would have made!" Our ways parted again for awhile. I was riding a wheel over the crest of the Black forest near Titisee, pumping slowly to the top of the long, white road. A pine cone struck my handle bar, another knocked my hat off, and I looked up. An aerial voice emitted a Tyrolean halloo with much unction, and I saw a swaying speck silhouetted against a cloud. My instinct told me it was Jones.

"Hey, old man!" he yelled, trumpeting through his hand, "take my picture—quick. You're just in time. Can't hold on much longer. Camera's at foot of tree. Lost it halfway up."

His camera was smashed, so I used my own. "Were you expecting me?" I asked when he shinned down, with barked hands and frayed trousers.

"No, not exactly. Look here—biggest pine cone in Germany, from the tallest tree on top of the highest hill in the Schwarzwald. There's something worth while!"

I admitted it, and we stood surveying the panorama of mounded hills and deep cut gorges full of the sound of falling water.

"Lovely!" I murmured.

"What? Oh, yes, I s'pose it is. But say—I wonder if I couldn't find a bigger cone somewhere in these parts. Let's move on."—Wilfred H. Alburu in *Outing Magazine*.

Free Lunch For a Lion.

He was selling suspenders on the street, but he declared, that in his palmy days he had been Professor Piccolomini, the lion tamer.

"What made you give it up?" he was asked.

"Well, you see it was this way. Once I was engaged to tame a lion called Frederick Barbarossa, who was certainly a wild proposition.

"But I was equal to the task. By slow and gradual steps I taught Frederick good manners. I used to walk into his cage, snap a whip, make him do stunts and all that sort of thing. Everything went along beautifully. But I got into trouble when I tried to teach Frederick to eat out of my hand."

"How?"

"Why, he ate three fingers out of my hand, confound him! Have a pair of suspenders? They work without hitching. Twenty-five cents."—*New York Times*.

A Boomerang.

A very rich, very economical and very parsimonious young squire was making preparations for a tenants' ball some years ago and at his wine merchant's discovered a cheap brand of champagne. "This," he said, "is a good brand of champagne. It is quite good enough for those people who will come to my tenants' ball. They couldn't tell the difference, anyway." Accordingly he ordered a dozen cases of the cheap wine. A day or two before the event, picking up his newspaper, he noticed that his wine merchant had a half page advertisement. He ran his eye over it and saw in big black letters the paragraph, "Try our celebrated champagne at 38 shillings a dozen, as ordered by Gobsa Gold, Esq., for his forthcoming tenants' ball."—*Illustrated Bits*.

Left Handed Praise.

"I don't seem to hear so many compliments on my last poem," said the poetess, "as on its illustration. 'You just ought to see it!' they exclaim. 'It is so beautiful!'"

"It's the same way with me," put in the artist. "They come and stand before my pictures and sigh and say, 'Oh, what lovely frames you have!'"—*New York Press*.

Domestic Bliss.

Nagger—I've put one poor fellow on his feet anyway. Mrs. Nagger—Whom have you been fooling your money away on now? Nagger—Your next husband, madam. I've had my life insured.—*London Answers*.

ARM BROKEN IN FALL.

Frank Daugherty, Editor of the Herald, Sustains Painful Injury.

Frank Daugherty, editor of the Wichita Herald, was the victim of a distressing accident Saturday evening at his home on West Eleventh street.

Mr. Daugherty, who, on account of his affliction, is compelled to use crutches to walk about, was walking from his buggy across a lot, when one of his crutches caught in some weeds and threw him to the ground. His left arm received the shock of the fall and was painfully injured, but it was not known that a fracture had been sustained until Dr. Burnside was called on Sunday afternoon, and found that the bone had been fractured about half way between the shoulder and the elbow. The injury is causing Mr. Daugherty much pain and at the best it will be several weeks before he will have any use of the arm at all.

Mr. Daugherty has the sympathy of many friends, who wish him a speedy recovery.

Is Wanted at Denison.

Will Williams, a negro wanted at Denison to answer a charge of larceny, was arrested here by Sheriff Davis Saturday night and some of the articles alleged to have been stolen were found upon the negro, among which was a gold Masonic watch charm valued at \$50.00. Williams walked right into a trap laid by Mr. Davis, who had sent word to the negro that he had a telegram from Fort Worth for him. When Williams appeared before the sheriff to claim the telegram he was promptly placed under arrest. The sheriff of Grayson county is expected here today to take Williams back to Denison for trial.

All should hear the "Down Mobile" show band at noon. It is said to be one of the best bands traveling and well worth hearing. You make no mistake by attending the performance at night. Eller's shows are always good. Under canvas, Monday, Nov. 4th.

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Another View.
Mrs. Tourist—I'm afraid that the monkey wouldn't please my husband. Vender—But madam will find it easier to find another husband than to get a monkey like that for 3 plasters!—Translated For Transatlantic Tales From Le Rire.

An Artemus Ward Story.
When Artemus Ward was at the height of his fame he received a telegram from Tom Maguire, then the leading amusement manager of the Pacific slope. It asked Artemus, who was then delivering his funny lectures in New York, what he would take for fifty nights in California. The prompt and laconic response was "Brandy and water." Maguire somehow failed to see the point, and he wired Ward for an explanation. He got it in the shape of a thirty word message costing \$16.50, for rates were high in those days, which stated that a diagram would be sent by the following mail.

Not Prepared.
"What is a third of fifty-three and a third?" asked her friend, who was adding up her weekly accounts.
"If you'll wait I'll run home and get my diploma and show you that I am a college graduate and a woman of mind," she returned, "but don't spring questions like that on me all of a sudden."—New York Press.

The Modern Play.
"I want you to write me a play."
"What sort of a play?"
"Well, we have seventeen specialties. Get me up enough stuff to wedge 'em apart."—Kansas City Journal.

The Limit.
Mrs. Wiggs—Cook has only broken one plate today, dear. Mr. Wiggs—That's better. How did that happen?
Mrs. Wiggs—It was the last one.—London Graphic.

A man must make his opportunity as oft as find it.—Bacon.

NOT GOOD PATIENTS.

Doctors Are Hard to Manage, Says a Trained Nurse.

"I suppose it is treason to my superior officer to say so, but doctors are certainly not easy patients to manage," remarked the trained nurse. "At least, this has always been my experience, and most nurses, you will find, agree with me in the matter. I have recently been nursing a physician through typhoid, and my experience with him was typical of the cases of the profession in general.

"Doctors know altogether too much for their own peace of mind, you see. Each new symptom is recognized, and if it is an unfavorable one, why, the patient's weakened condition usually leads him to lay great stress upon it. Then, since he has always been in a position to issue orders to the nurse, he cannot easily bring himself to take orders from her, and he is disposed to criticize and take exception to treatment which the ordinary patient receives as a matter of course.

"But perhaps the most troublesome thing of all is the mania which the doctor has for taking his temperature. If he has a moderately high fever and is allowed to use the thermometer as often as he wishes he can fret and worry over the result enough to send his temperature up materially. More than once rather than exasperate a physician patient by a refusal to let him have the thermometer and rather at the same time than let him know just how high his fever was I have dropped the instrument just as I was in the act of handing it to him. Of course I apologize for my carelessness at such times, and the regret really does not have to be all assumed, for I am at the expense of buying myself a new thermometer.

"At one time I had an inaccurate instrument, which never registered high enough, and I used to call it my doctor's thermometer. By a little dexterity I could substitute this for the one I actually used myself, and the encouragingly low temperature it would show would greatly please the patient."—New York Times.

SHOWING OFF A GUEST.

The Innkeeper Was Determined Fessenden Should Appear.

One night while ex-Secretary of the Treasury Fessenden was on a political mission to the northern part of Maine he stopped at a small hotel.

In the center of the house was a big stove that warmed two rooms. In one of the apartments Judge Fessenden established himself and prepared to take proper comfort during the evening. Just as he had got well located with a book the landlord, a six foot French Canadian, came in.

"Excuse me, 'seir," said he, "but Mr. Ed Wiggone of Maysville, she be in de odder room, an' she wan' to see Mr. Fessendeen."

"Tell Mr. Wiggon I'll be in a little later," said Judge Fessenden, turning another leaf in his book.

The landlord went out. He returned in a moment. "Mr. Wiggone she send his compliments, an' she say dat she wan' Mr. Fessendeen right away."
The interruption just at that moment rather nettled the judge, who was in no way accustomed to dictatorship. He sent back such a sharp reply that it was easily seen that the landlord was cut by his asperity. In just thirty seconds the landlord was back. Judge Fessenden raised his eyes to find the man staring at him with a look of desperate resolve. With suppressed excitement in his tones the tall landlord spoke.

"Mr. Wiggone say she wan' see Mr. Fessendeen quick, an' she gues' o' de house, an' I say she gon' to see him."

Forthwith the big landlord swooped down on the astonished gentleman, seized him, tucked him under his arm and strode across into the room of the peregrinary gentleman from Maysville. "Mr. Wiggones," calmly said the landlord, as matter of fact as though he had just delivered a pitcher of ice water, "here be Mr. Fessendeen." He set the indignant "caller" down on a chair and retired smilingly.

Power of Imagination.
Illustrating the strange power of the imagination, E. F. Benson, author of "Dodo," tells this incident: A doctor he knew had found it necessary to give a patient for many evenings an injection of morphia to enable him to get some sleep. After awhile the doctor thought it advisable to stop the morphia, and for two nights his patient was unable to sleep, owing to great pain. On the third night the doctor, being still unwilling to administer morphia, injected plain water instead. The man slept perfectly and awoke in the morning with what is known as a morphia mouth.

Inopportune Advice.
Mrs. Ascun—Miss Crabbe is a member of your suffrage club, isn't she?
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Wichita Falls, Texas, Nov. 4th, 1907.

There has not been such a thing as a vacant residence or business house in Wichita Falls for the past two years. As quick as one tenant vacates a house or it becomes known that the house will be vacant there is from one to a dozen applicants for it and as a rule it is rented to one of the applicants before it really becomes vacant. So long as this is the case, the prosperity of Wichita Falls is assured. There is no reason why the present prosperous condition of the people of Wichita Falls should not continue. It is true, the money panic has struck the Southwest a hard blow, but things are getting easier, and from the present outlook it will not be a great while until confidence will be restored. When this is done there will be an abundance of money to conduct the commercial affairs of the world. Our banking institutions are solving the problems in a satisfactory manner.

MISSOURIAN'S BEARD IS THE LONGEST IN THE WORLD.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 3.—Congressman Champ Clark of Missouri has sent this letter to a Washington newspaper:

"In your issue of Sunday you have a picture of S. G. Brinkley of North Carolina, whose beard reaches to the floor when he stands erect and is called a record beard.

"I desire to state that the article is misleading. As compared with some of my constituents, this man has merely a goatee. I have two valued friends, both living in the same township in Pike county, Missouri, whose beards put those of Mr. Brinkley and the Prophet Aaron to shame.

"Valentine Tapley of Spencerburg, Mo., has a beard that measures eleven feet and six inches in length. Judge Elijah Galés of the village of Curryville has a beard that is nine and a half feet long.

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The Woodland Tragedy at the Olympic tonight. 149-11

DROPPED INTO LAW.

The Hotel Man Turned His Court Experience to Account.

A Missouri judge, traveling on circuit, once had before him in a small country town a case in which a tavern keeper was held for the payment of a large amount of money which he had not agreed definitely to pay. The court declared that, although his agreement was not on record, it was involved by construction or implied in his participation in a business proceeding connected with it.

After judgment had been rendered the court adjourned for dinner, and the judge found that the only eating house in the place was the inn kept by the defendant in the case he had just decided. He also found that the defendant personally superintended the preparation of the meals and that the food was charged for on the European plan.

The judge called for two boiled eggs, which, with the other food he ordered, were brought to him done to a turn. He ate them, and at the end of the meal the bill was presented to him. He was astonished to read on it the following items: Two boiled eggs, 15 cents; two chickens at 75 cents, \$1.50.

Calling the proprietor, he asked: "How's this? I've had no chickens. Why do you charge me for them?"

"Those are constructive chickens, your honor," answered the innkeeper.

"What?"

"Why, they are implied in the eggs, you know," the man persisted.

His honor began to understand and said no more.—New York Times.

CUPID AT THE BAR.

Why the Loving Maiden Posed as a Grand Jury.

"If you were a—jury, Clara," said the embarrassed young lawyer hesitatingly, "I could plead my cause with more self possession. But in Cupid's courts I don't think I can claim to be a first class advocate."

"Perhaps you have not had an extensive practice, William," suggested the maiden softly.

"That's it exactly, Clara," eagerly rejoined the young man, moving his chair a little nearer. "I'm a new hand at this business. But if I felt sure the jury—"

"Meaning me?"

"Yes—wasn't prejudiced against the counsel?"

"What kind of jury are you considering me, William?" she asked, with downcast eyes.

"A common jury, of course. You couldn't be a grand jury, you know."

"Why not?"

"Because I don't plead before grand juries."

"I think, William," said the blushing maiden, "I would rather, for this occasion, be considered a grand jury, if you don't mind."

"Why, dear?"

"Because—" And she hid her face somewhere in the vicinity of his coat collar—"because I have found a true Bill!"—London Answers.

A Seasick Hero.

No man is a hero while seasick. Lafayette was sent by Washington and congress to France to ask further supplies of men and money for the American colonies. He sailed from Boston in the frigate Alliance, and a passage had to be cut for the ship through the ice. Off the Newfoundland banks the ship was assailed by a terrible tempest, which threatened destruction, and Lafayette was very seasick. His aide-camp, the Chevalier de Pontilaud, who relates the incident in his memoirs, heard him soliloquizing thus on the hopelessness of the situation and the emptiness of glory:

"Diable! I have done well certainly. At my time of life—barely twenty years of age—with my name, rank and fortune and after having married Mile. de Noailles, to leave everything and serve as a breakfast for codfish!"

The Moslem Faith.

Myths of the most bewildering kind spring up and flourish and often bear a ripe harvest in the minds of ignorant Mohammedan populations during times of crisis. A saint or two can work wonders among them at the psychological moment, and saints of the most truculent type are as common in Morocco as blackberries are in England. These people have no ideas of evidence or of probability. Though they lie freely themselves, their credulity in the word of a holy man is boundless.—London Times.

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FOR SALE—A rubber tired runabout buggy. Parties wanting same call on Wm. Joehrendt, 804 Lamar ave. 148-3t

FOR SALE—A good bicycle for sale reasonable. Apply at Robertson's drug store. 146-4t

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 800 Travis st. 147-3t

\$25 REWARD—For arrest and conviction of parties who overturned out-house at my residence last night. T. J. Boyd. 147-3t

FOR SALE—160 acres of creek bottom land, within five miles of Iowa Park; 120 acres in cultivation, the balance in sage grass, at \$15 per acre for the next fifteen days. Jackson & Moore. 133-4t

LOST—Thursday evening a red leather purse, containing several bills, gin ticket and other papers bearing name of Joe McDonald. Finder will be rewarded upon leaving at this office. 148-4t

FOR SALE—Three heavy work teams, one new Superior drill, cotton planter and cultivators, 300 bushels of new corn and fine bunch of hogs. Will sell for cash or approved security. Address Box 446. 149-2t w-1t

Peters Urges Sale of Cotton.

Houston, Tex., Nov. 3.—Col. Peters of Calvert, Texas, president of the Southern Cotton Association, and a prominent cotton authority in Texas, comes out in an open letter urging the Texas farmers to sell cotton at present prices, saying that 15 cents is impossible and 8 cents is probable.

It is believed here that the holding movement has been broken by the financial situation.

AGED WOMAN DEAD.

Grandma Doss is Dead at the Age of Ninety-Seven Years.

Word reached this city this morning of the death of Grandma Doss at the home of her son-in-law, John Doyle, living near Charlie. Mrs. Doss was 97 years of age and was probably the oldest person in this section of the State.

The funeral service was held late this afternoon.

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Believing that she had found her affinity through the medium of a matrimonial agency and after exchanging many perfumed missives with the Rev. J. J. Roberts of Lake Park, a comely and apparently well educated woman, who gave her name as Miss Middleton, traveled 2,000 miles from a town in Vermont and arrived at Valdosta, Ga., over the Georgia, Florida and Southern railroad, to meet her future husband. Fond anticipations turned to mortification when she found that the Rev. J. J. Roberts was a negro preacher and known in the town as "Burnt Eye Jake," who got his name from the fact that he had lost one eye in a fire.

The startling discovery came as a shock to the young woman, who had barely enough funds to pay her transportation back to Vermont. She declined to give her address or speak of her family connections, but boarded a train for her home. She had one look at "Burnt Eye Jake."

Editor Allison at Dallas.

T. L. Allison, editor of the Weekly News at Electra, Wichita county, was in the city yesterday seeing the Fair. "Electra is the metropolis of the territory recently opened to settlement in W. T. Waggoner's ranch," said Mr. Allison. "Mr. Waggoner sold 91,000 acres of land in quarter sections. The sod land this year produced half a bale of cotton to the acre and the second year land from three-quarters of a bale to a bale. One farmer picked nineteen bales from twenty acres."

"The town of Electra was opened only last week. Outsiders can now come in and secure lots. We have a population of about four hundred to begin with. I believe we shall have a population of 2,000 within a few weeks. Electra is on the Denver railroad, half way between Wichita and Vernon."

The quarterly meeting of the Methodist church will be held tonight under the charge of Presiding Elder Dr. T. R. Pierce. At this meeting the various departments will make their closing reports for the year before the conference which meets at Sherman next week.

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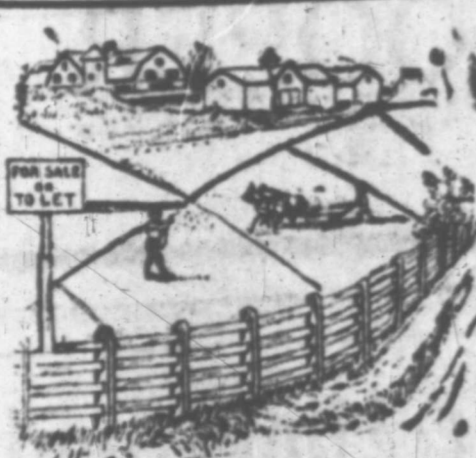
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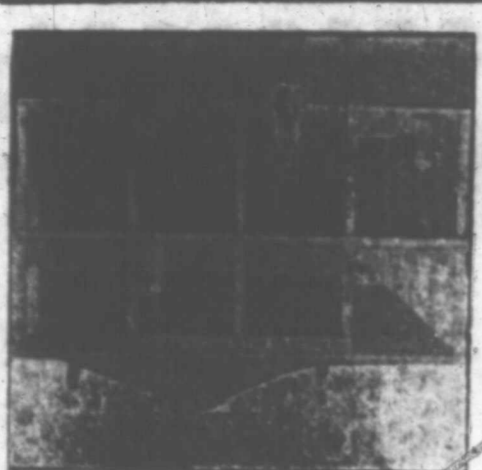
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Ways of the Men Who Lose Their All in Wall Street.

What becomes of the men who lose in Wall street. They are seldom heard of. The visitor to New York gets the notion that the gay crowd of men at the Waldorf—the "uptown street"—comprises them all. But this crowd is altogether misrepresentative and has no true sign value, says a writer on Wall street in the New Broadway Magazine.

You can retain your equilibrium easily in watching them by remembering that Runner of New Britain is hiding somewhere, a fugitive from justice; that Jumper of Milwaukee is in prison; that there are many other men who went down hard with big crashes, and that for every one of the big men there are 10,000 little men whose losses are smaller, but not a whit less fatal.

You would find some of them tonight in New York. If you knew in what window to look, figuring anxiously and endlessly, looking over insurance papers to see if further loans are admissible.

Their wives are sewing; their daughters are studying stenography. You will find others hanging about hotel lobbies, and the moment you catch their eye or grip their hands you know that they are nervous, distraught, broke, restless—typical Wall street victims.

The others, professionals, parasites, satellites, winners, you will find in the cafes and hotel restaurants, making up a large part of the crowds at Sherry's and Delmonico's, Martin's and Rector's, the Waldorf, Manhattan, Astor, St. Regis and Holland House. Wall street by day demands the Great White Way at night. From the moment the market opens till its close the game is a fast and furious one of sharp trickery, clever dodging, rallery, bluffing, hypocrisy, lying.

Nerves are constantly tense; the brain must be clear and quick at every move. Successful lying uses up gray matter, and the flash and festivity of the Tenderloin at night are just unnatural enough to fit in and offer the kind of recreation desired.

SAW HIS OPPORTUNITY.

The Reporter Seized It and Got His Real Start in Life.

All the city traveling public loves a strap hanger because it has a fellow feeling for him. This is why the story of how Frank Vanderlip, the banker, got his start has an almost universal appeal. It happened when Vanderlip was a reporter on a Chicago newspaper and writing financial news. The traction situation then, as now, was almost impossible. Charles T. Yerkes was traction dictator, and the stockholders and the public never had a word to say in the conduct of the roads. Nor could they get any definite idea of the financial condition of the properties.

The time for the annual meeting of the stockholders of the principal road came along. At all the meetings Mr. Yerkes had rattled off the reports in the usual undecipherable corporation way, and no one knew what was doing. So Vanderlip planned a coup. He bought a share of stock, which admitted him to the meeting. He had been a stenographer before he became a newspaper man. When Mr. Yerkes sat into his breezy explanation of finances the young reporter took down everything he said. Mr. Yerkes used one striking phrase, and it was this: "The passengers who have seats pay the operating expenses, but the strap hangers pay your dividends."

The next day the sentence topped Vanderlip's account of the meeting. It aroused a storm of discussion, for it laid bare some of the traction methods; also it got Vanderlip a raise in salary and a promotion.—Saturday Evening Post.

Nothing Like That in America.

"This was told me the other day," said a man, "by a friend who has just made the tour of Ireland. He was at the lakes of Killarney, and a Jarvey driving one of those side seated cars was telling him of a visitor who was attempting to masquerade as an American, but had all the outward signs of being an Englishman."

"You say, sort," said the Jarvey, "that you live in the United States. Were yez ever in Dubuque, Ia.?" "I was," said the traveler. "I was there for a fortnight."

"'Oh wid ye!' said the carman. 'Ye were never there. Divil a fortnight do they have in America.'"—Indianapolis News.

Getting It Right.

It was on a street car in the city of Washington. Two colored women in cheaply gorgeous splendor were talking, and one chanced to mention a Mr. Jinks in her conversation.

"Excuse me," said the other woman, "but his name is not Jinks. It is Mr. Jenks."

"Oh, I sees," said the other woman complaisantly. "I sees that you puts de access on de pronoun."—Lippincott's.

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At close of such meeting there will be held a meeting of the board of directors to elect officers and for the transaction of any other business as may come before the meeting.
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STREET CARS GET GOOD PATRONAGE.

Yesterday, last night and today the street cars have been making regular and frequent trips between Highland park and the depot and the number of passengers who have been carried has gone beyond what was expected by almost everybody.

Yesterday the cars were pretty well crowded and last night at times there was not even standing room within a car.

Most of those who rode, of course, were riding because of the novelty of being able to take a car ride in Denton. Some, though, were using the cars as a means to come to and from the business part of town and today many of the merchants and clerks who live in the west part of the town rode home for meals.

At the end of the car line in Highland Park a nice grove of oak trees has proved an alluring spot for some and those have spent a portion of the day there, where they can get the woods and breezes of the country, but still be within easy reach of home.

Later it is possible that some form of entertainment will be arranged for Highland park, so that town people may go there for an afternoon or evening of pleasure.—Denton Record and Chronicle.

Council Meets Tonight.

The City Council will meet in regular monthly session tonight. The report of Engineer Horton on the sewer survey recently made and the estimated cost of putting in the same will be presented at this meeting and other matters of importance will be considered.

Lincoln J. Carter's big scenic production, "Down Mobile," under the personal direction of W. A. Eller, is one of the best shows that will visit our city this season. They come well recommended by press and public. Under canvas, Monday, Nov. 4th.

The Mischievous Girls at the Olympic tonight.

TRIPLE EXTRACT.

Process by Which the Odor of Flowers is Obtained.

Flowers that are to be used in the manufacture of perfumes are always gathered at nightfall or quite early in the morning, when the dew is upon them. Before they are gathered, however, receptacles are prepared for them in the shape of large frames, over which are stretched cotton cloths well saturated with olive oil or almond oil. The cut flowers are brought in and are thickly spread on a frame. Then another frame is fitted over it, and that in turn is well spread with flowers. Then a third frame is fitted over the second spread of flowers, and thus the work goes on until a huge pile of flowers is prepared.

This flower heap is left for two days, at the end of which time the flowers are removed from the frames and replaced by fresh ones. The frames are filled and emptied every two days until two weeks have passed. Then the cloths are detached from the frames and placed under great pressure, and all the oil is pressed out of them. The oil thus obtained is heavily charged with the fragrance of the flowers, and it is mixed with double its weight of very pure rectified spirit and put in a vessel called a "digester," which is simply a porcelain or block tin kettle that fits in another kettle. When in use the outer vessel is filled with boiling water.

In this vessel the mixture of oil and spirits "digests" for three or four days. Then, after having cooled, the spirit is decanted into another vessel, holding the same quantity of fragrant oil, and the digesting process is repeated. After being thus digested three times the spirit is found to have taken up enough of the perfume, and it is then decanted from the oil for the third and last time through a tube, one end of which is filled with cotton wool to serve as a filter. The fluid thus prepared is called "triple extract."

THE PERFECT LIKENESS.

A Snuffbox, a Portrait and a Surprised Monarch.

It is related of Frederick II., king of Prussia, that he one day made a present of a golden snuffbox to one of his counts. When the latter opened the lid he found the picture of an ass painted upon the underside of it. Though he scarcely relished the king's joke, he said nothing at the time, but as soon as he quitted the king's presence he sent one of his valets with the snuffbox to the city and gave him instructions that the picture of the ass was to be painted out and a portrait of the king put in its place.

A few days later a distinguished company dined with the king. The count was one of the guests, and after a time he produced his snuffbox and pretended to examine it with the air of a man who was proud to have received such a gift from the king. The latter, wishing to enjoy a little amusement at the count's expense, mentioned to the Duchess of Brunswick that he had made a present of the box to the count on the preceding day. She desired to inspect it, and when the box was handed to her she opened the lid and, looking inside, cried in raptures: "Perfect! The likeness is charming! It is one of the best portraits of you that I have ever seen!"

She handed the box to the person next to her, who was equally charmed with the likeness. From one to another the box was passed, and all testified to the excellent resemblance which the picture bore to the king. The king, thinking that the ass' head was still to be seen on the snuffbox, felt exceedingly embarrassed and scarcely knew what to make of the incident, but at last the snuffbox, having made the tour of the table, came to his hands, and the first glance showed him how cleverly the count had anticipated his little joke and turned it against him.

The Music Critic.

At the risk of making this an apology as well as a confession I venture to express the hope that I may some day have the means to enjoy the best music without need of telling three hundred thousand or more readers why: whether Caruboni had tears in his voice; how Mme. Sembrich-Eames looked and acted; whether the second soprano was off key; the basso dependent upon the prompter; the conductor too fast or too slow, according to actual stop watch and metronome; how the lights were managed; whether the audience was large and appreciative or otherwise and whether the music was good, bad, indifferent and why.—Atlantic.

A Bit of Sarcasm.

A young man who had prolonged his call on his sweetheart a few nights ago was surprised when a window in an upper story was raised as he left the house and the voice of the mistress called out, "Leave an extra quart this morning, please!"—Argonaut.

Her Fourth.

Lawyer—As your husband died intestate, you will of course get a third. Widow—Oh, I hope to get my fourth. He was my third, you know.—Town and Country.

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PERSONAL MENTION

J. A. Fisher of Electra was here on business today.

The Misses Garrison attended the Dallas Fair yesterday.

W. R. Lee of Seymour was transacting business here today.

Mrs. L. A. Thornberry of Thornberry was shopping in the city today.

Miss Lillian Redding left yesterday to take charge of the school at Maybelle.

J. F. Keller of Dallas is in the city transacting business and meeting old friends.

Miss Sarah Beach of Macon, Ga., is in the city visiting her niece, Mrs. E. A. Hughes.

Mr. W. H. Suddith has been quite sick for the past few days, but is now some better.

M. Dodson, one of Burk Burnett's enterprising citizens, was transacting business here today.

Mr. R. M. Burns of Parish, Texas, an old time friend of Judge Edgar Scurry, is in the city on business.

Rev. Stuckey and Dr. Pierce went to Iowa Park this afternoon to conduct the funeral service of infant Mary Holley.

Miss Martha Kenan, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. T. Montgomery, returned to her home at Seymour yesterday.

Rev. K. W. Lawler of Dundee was in the city today en route to San Antonio to attend the State Baptist convention.

Attorney L. H. Mathis left for Amarillo this afternoon, where he will be attorney in a case which comes up for trial tomorrow.

W. W. Hund arrived from Corpus Christi Saturday to spend several days at his farm near this city, looking after business matters.

P. J. Hanson, car distributor for the Wichita Valley railroad, left Friday for Temple, Texas, where his marriage to Miss Lillie Wagner took place yesterday. Mr. Hanson and his bride are expected to arrive in Wichita Falls tomorrow to make their home.

Mrs. H. C. McGlasson returned last night from Denison, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Moore.

Messrs. J. J. Lowry and L. H. Lawler left today for San Antonio, where they go as delegates to the State Baptist convention in that city Nov. 7th.

The Misses Van Dusen, Miss Laurel Mahoney and Miss Mabel Fields were among the many who attended the Dallas Fair from this city yesterday.

Mary M. Holley, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Holly of Iowa Park, died at 6 o'clock Sunday evening. The body will be brought to this city for burial this afternoon.

Dr. S. H. Burnside left today on a business trip to St. Louis. He was accompanied by his nephew, Lewis Burnside, who will return to his home at Lancaster, Ky., after spending the summer with relatives here.

Miss Maud Matheny returned today from Washburn, where she had been teaching school for the past three months. She has resigned her position there to accept a better one in Archer county.

Baxter Brown, an engineering expert representing the Continental Trust Co. of St. Louis, is spending a few days here inspecting the Wichita Falls and Northwestern and the Southern railroads for the Trust company, which is interested in the bonds of these railroads.

Rev. J. T. Griswold of Colorado, presiding elder of the Colorado district, Rev. John R. Morgan, presiding elder of the Abilene district, Rev. J. R. Nelson of Nashville, missionary secretary of the conference and a large number of other ministers of the M. E. Church South from points southwest, passed through the city today on their way to Amarillo, where the Northwest Texas Conference convenes Wednesday morning. Some of the members of the party will have traveled over six hundred miles by the time they arrive at Amarillo.

KILLS A YOUNG BOY.

Tragic Death Ends Day's Hunting of Youths Near Seymour.

Seymour, Tex., Nov. 3.—Olin Hoover, a little boy 12 years of age, was accidentally shot and killed yesterday by Walker Johnson, a 10-year-old boy. They were hunting and just as Walker discharged his gun at some ducks on a pond, Olin moved in front of the gun, and the entire load of shot entered his head, causing instant death. Olin was a very bright boy. The sad occurrence is very much deplored by his many friends and the friends of the two families.

Enjoy a laugh at the Olympic. 149-11



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Cotton Market Erratic.

Cotton made strong advances at the opening of the market this morning and then declined. According to a report received late this afternoon the market closed about six points higher than the opening.

If C. H. Hardeman, the popular grocer, weighs out ten pounds of coffee for you when you ordered only five, don't reprove him, for this morn-

ing he held the scales when a pretty baby daughter tipped the beam to 10 pounds. The stork and Dr. Guest left the young lady at the Hardeman home on Burnett street this morning.

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