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TROUBLE IS BREWING

GERMAN REICHSTAG IN AN UPROAR OVER CHANCELLOR VON BUELOW'S ACTION.

SURROUNDED BY POLICE

Strong Guard Maintained Around the Parliament Building—Armed Police Patrol Streets.

By Associated Press.
Berlin, Germany, Jan. 22.—Chancellor Von Buelow refused categorically in the Reichstag today to reply to a Socialist interpellation on the subject of Prussian suffrage. This precipitated a deafening uproar from the members, during which all the ministers left the house. The debate then continued before half empty benches. The parliament building has been surrounded since early morning with a strong force of police, armed with pistols and sabres. Furthermore, the principal thoroughfares of the city are being patrolled constantly by police, both mounted and afoot.

Today's Live Stock Market.
Special to the Times.

Port Worth, Tex., Jan. 22.—The total cattle receipts today were 3,000. The quality was generally fair.

Beef Steers—Receipts, 700, choice corn fed predominating. The market was active and prices were higher, tops selling at \$4.90.

Stockers and Feeders—Receipts were small and the quality was poor. The market was active, but prices were lower. Tops sold at \$3.15.

Butcher Cows—Receipts, 1,000, an abundant supply of fair grade South Texas grassers being on the market. Trading was active, tops selling at \$3.25 and grassers at \$2.90.

Bulls—Receipts were small and the market was active with tops selling at \$2.55.

Calves—Receipts, 900, some choice vealers being among the offerings. The market was slow and lower with tops selling at \$4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,500. The quality was fair and the market was active, but 10c lower. Oklahomas topped the market at \$4.37½.

CAN PRESCRIBE LIMITS.

Criminal Court of Appeals Affirms the Lower Courts in Saloon Cases.

Special to the Times.
Dallas, Tex., Jan. 22.—The court of criminal appeals today affirmed the decision of the lower court in the case of H. King from Tarrant county, and the relator was remanded to the custody of the sheriff. This case relates to the right of the city government to prescribe saloon limits.

The court also affirmed the T. P. Williams case from Dallas county, which in effect upholds the right of cities to prescribe saloon limits.

WITH FIRE AND DYNAMITE.

Attempt Was Made to Destroy Tobacco Factory Last Night.

By Associated Press.
Clarksville, Tenn., Jan. 22.—An attempt was made last night to set fire and dynamite the loose tobacco factory of the Hayes Sory Tobacco Co., local representatives of Italian Regies. Two negroes, Tony Allen and Walter Watkins, alias Frog Eye, were killed while trying to escape by one of the night watchmen. One negro escaped, but he is thought to have been wounded.

The Regies tobacco factory, since the recent trouble in the dark tobacco district, had been closely guarded.

When an investigation was made, it was found that the door of the factory had been saturated with coal oil and four sticks of dynamite placed about it. When the bodies of the two negroes were searched, sticks of dynamite were found on their persons in sufficient quantities to wreck the entire building.

Smith & Winsett are dyeing fast at 707½ Indiana avenue. They make it pay by dyeing every day. 113-ft

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THAW WILL INTRODUCED.

Anthony Comstock Testifies Concerning Thaw's Complaint of Wrongs Upon Young Girls.

By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 22.—It was 10:20 o'clock when the Thaw trial was resumed today. Mr. Littleton of the defense began at once on the preliminaries to prove Thaw's will and codicil were executed on the day of his wedding to Evelyn Nesbit in Pittsburgh. Miss Francis Pierce, who witnessed the signature and who testified at the last trial, was called to the stand.

Miss Pierce identified the papers, but District Attorney Jerome objected to admitting the will in evidence until the witness came forward to prove its custody from the time of its signing up to the present moment. Mr. Littleton temporarily withdrew the offer of the will as evidence. Justice Dowling ruled the codicil as competent evidence. The codicil provided a number of bequests to lawyers and others.

Anthony Comstock was called to the stand. He testified that Thaw called at his office in February, 1904, and complained of a party wronging young girls.

The letters read in evidence in the Thaw trial today gave the names of alleged victims of Stanford White in his famous 240th street studio house and referred to White's place as "Black-guard house," which Thaw declared "was consecrated to orgies and controlled by six or seven criminal scoundrels."

DEMAND HIS DISCHARGE.

Insult to American Flag Resented By Star Spangled Banner Association.

By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 22.—That a young Englishman who is employed by one of the large insurance companies trampled on an American flag in the company's office aroused the ire of the members of the Star Spangled Banner Association, which has formally demanded of the company that the man be discharged. It is said that following the insult to the flag two American clerks in the office gave the Englishman a thrashing. The association which has for its object the punishment of insults to the flag elected the two Americans who thrashed the Englishman to honorary membership.

Every garment we are showing is this season's purchase, but the price is cut in half. W. E. Skeen. 198-ft

Hagenback's Wild Animals at the Majestic. 216-ft

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BRYAN AND HARMON VISIT NASHVILLE

By Associated Press.
Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 22.—William Jennings Bryan and Judge Harmon of Ohio arrived here at about 9 o'clock this morning. Later, Mr. Bryan and Judge Harmon visited the capitol, where they made informal calls upon Governor Patterson and other State officials. While at the capitol Mr. Bryan briefly addressed the public school officers, who were in session. At 8 o'clock this evening Mr. Bryan will deliver a political speech in the Ryman auditorium.

PRIVATE BANK FAILS.

Institution Owned By A. G. Tisdell in New York City Suspends.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Ill., Jan. 22.—The private bank of A. G. Tisdell has suspended payments to depositors. A notice was posted on the door early today declaring that the bank had made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors to Charles A. Post.

Morris K. Jessup Dead.

By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 22.—Morris K. Jessup, a retired banker and long prominent in civic affairs, died early this morning at his home here of heart disease.

RAILROAD'S ANSWER

SETS FORTH REASONS WHY PETITION OF ESCHITI SHOULD NOT BE GRANTED.

HEARING ON JAN. 31ST.

Oklahoma Corporation Commission Will Decide the Justice of Eschiti's Petition.

The hearing of the petition of the citizens of Eschiti against the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Railway Company has been set for January 31st, before the Oklahoma Corporation Commission.

In their petition the Eschiti people asked the commission to compel the railway company to locate a depot at a point about a mile from the present station at Kell, at a point which the Eschiti people claimed would be nearer to Eschiti.

In its answer to the petition the railway company sets forth:

First, that it located its depot at Kell prior to the time of the establishment of the town of Eschiti; that the said station of Kell is not three miles away from Eschiti, as stated in the petition, but is only 1 6-10 miles, while the station prayed for by the petitioners is one mile and one hundred feet from Eschiti at the nearest point, air line.

Second, that the defendant company owns no land at the point proposed by the petitioners and that no satisfactory title can be obtained by condemnation proceedings.

Third, that in establishing its station at Kell, the defendant company did so with the view of accommodating the most people possible; that immediately west of Kell the road makes a sharp turn northwest and away from the large agricultural section dependent upon this road for its railway facilities.

Fourth, The defendant railway company says that it had acquired its present rights at its station of Kell by condemnation proceedings before there was any town of Eschiti, that its train was running to and using the siding and other facilities at Kell prior to the town lot sale at Eschiti, that it has established at said Kell station a large reservoir and a large water tank for watering its engines and suitable switches and wye for turning its trains, that the point at which the station is prayed for is a level prairie where no reservoir can be obtained even at great expense, and that it would be inequitable to compel this defendant to maintain two stations or to abandon its present station for one not so well located for business and where it cannot have as good facilities for taking care of its engines and protecting its property.

Fifth, Because in and around the station of Kell a large number of business houses have been established equal in number and importance to those established at Eschiti; that the amount of freight paid by the business men at Kell exceeds that paid by the business men of Eschiti; that the freight paid by the business men of Kell furnishes a greater revenue than the company could derive from a station located at the point prayed for in the petition.

Sixth, The defendant alleges that there is not sufficient business done by the business men of Eschiti to warrant the railway company in locating the station prayed for.

Seventh, Because this company is a new company, that owing to the unsettled condition of titles along its lines, that it has no towns to give its business, that no titles for towns can be acquired, either at the point mentioned in the petition or at any other point, and that it is unjust to this defendant to force it to establish stations where it can acquire no titles and where no towns can be built up; that the town of Eschiti was deliberately located off the line of railway by the United States government after due notice of where the railroad would in fact run; that the present owners of property at Eschiti deliber-

ately purchased their property after they knew that said town would not be on the railroad, and that after they knew where this defendant had established its station and that therefore they are not entitled to the consideration which would be due them if defendant had established its station after their rights had been acquired.

Eighth, The defendant prays that the said petition be denied, because its revenue will not justify it in maintaining two separate stations, and because as soon as titles are acquired that it expects to establish a station further east than Kell and further north than Red River spur, so as to draw business from the great extent of country east of this line of railway; that said station when established would be still nearer to Kell, and if a station were established south of Eschiti it would crowd its station closer together than the public convenience requires and closer than justice to the railway company dictates.

LARGE ASSESSMENT PREDICTED.

State Revenue Agent Talks of Visits to Larger Counties.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 21.—According to Captain W. J. McDonald, State Revenue Agent, county tax assessments over Texas will be larger this year. Captain McDonald said that he has recently visited some of the assessors of the larger counties and finds that the aggregate will be much greater; that money, notes and credits are being rendered where none ever appeared before.

The last assessment totaled \$1,635,000,000, an increase of \$414,000,000 over the preceding year, and Captain McDonald thinks this year's increase will be larger than last and it looks like the aggregate will be at least \$2,050,000,000, perhaps more. The State ad valorem tax rate will be lowered accordingly.

CLOSED BY EXAMINERS.

Traders and Mechanics Bank in Pittsburg is Defunct.

By Associated Press.
Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 22.—The Traders and Mechanics Bank, a State institution, was closed today by the State bank examiners. The Treasury Trust Company, a subsidiary concern occupying the same building, was also closed, but voluntarily, it is said.

While making a flying switch in the freight yards yesterday Ross Collins was struck in the chest by a switch target and sustained severe injuries. He was taken to the home of his mother, Mrs. H. G. McGlasson. An examination fails to show that any bones were broken, but it is thought he may be injured internally.

ITALIAN MURDERER MAKES CONFESSION

By Associated Press.
Denver, Colo., Jan. 22.—The Republican today publishes the alleged confession secured by an Italian detective from Antonio Neroni, alias Bavori, charged with the murder of four Italians, three men and one woman, at Florence, Colo. The detective is Frank Sandesko of Pueblo, who, according to the story, gained the confidence of Neroni. Sandesko says that Neroni confessed that he killed the woman because she would not marry him and disposed of the three men in a most brutal fashion because he believed that they suspected him of murdering the woman.

Fleet Sails for Punta Arenas.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—Admiral Evans has cabled to the navy department from Rio de Janeiro that all of his fleet, with the exception of the Arethus, sailed today for Punta Arenas.

John B. Larkin Dead.

By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 22.—John B. Larkin, controller of Pittsburg and formerly postmaster, was found dead in bed at his home today. His death was due to asthma.

EVIDENCE IS ALL IN

ATTORNEYS ARE MAKING CLOSING ARGUMENTS IN FISHER RAPE CASE.

WILL SOON REACH JURY

Fate of the Defendant Will Be Placed With the Jury This Evening.

The evidence in the trial of G. H. Fisher, charged with the rape of Gladys Green, a 13-year-old girl, was concluded shortly after court recessed this afternoon and the attorneys are now making their closing arguments. Judge Carrigan will give his instructions to the jury after the closing of the arguments and it is probable that the case will reach the jury late this evening.

Fisher was placed upon the witness stand this morning in his own defense and in his testimony claimed that he had told the girl sexual facts and made an examination of her for her own good. He admitted improper conduct, not only toward the Green girl, but other little girls as well on one or two occasions.

The defense introduced several witnesses yesterday afternoon and this morning who corroborated parts of the Green girl's testimony.

The death sentence may be passed upon Fisher, provided he is found guilty and the closing hours of the trial are exciting intense interest.

The trial of L. G. Stearns upon the same charge in connection with the same child is set for 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, when a special venire of fifty talesmen has been summoned to be at the court house.

FEWER NURSERIES.

Report of Commissioner of Agriculture Shows Twelve Less Than Last Year.

Special to the Times.
Austin, Tex., Jan. 22.—The commissioner of agriculture today gave out a statement containing a list of nurseries in Texas. The list shows a total of 234, which is a decrease of 12 from last year.

GIVES NO DECISION.

Supreme Court Again Fails to Rule on Waters-Pierce Writ of Error.

Special to the Times.
Austin, Tex., Jan. 22.—The supreme court again today failed to pass on the writ of error of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, questioning the authority of the lower court in appointing a receiver to take charge of the property of the company in Texas. The supreme court has had this question before it for over a month.

GIRL DIES ON TRAIN.

State Normal Student Dies On Her Way to Her Home.

Special to the Times.
Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 22.—Vera Daniel, an eighteen year old student of the State Normal at Denton, died on a Katy train this morning, twelve miles north of Fort Worth, while en route to her home at Wylie. She was accompanied by her parents and a physician. Her death was caused by la grippe. The body was sent to Wylie today for burial.

BATTLESHIP MISSISSIPPI.

New Warship Completed and Turned Over to the Government.

By Associated Press.
Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 22.—The battleship Mississippi, constructed in the Cramp's shipyard in this city, was formally turned over to the government today. Captain John C. Frazier took command. No time will be lost in fitting the Mississippi for service.

DEADLOCK STILL ON.

Kentucky Senatorship Has Not Yet Been Settled.

By Associated Press.
Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 22.—There was no election for United States senator in the joint session of the legislature today.

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New Things in Jewelry.

Jewelers' Weekly.

An exquisite pendant, which may also serve as a brooch, is of nugget gold in empire design—a basket of flowers with bow knots, set with small diamonds.

The woven gold fobs with plainum designs are not so close and fine as formerly. They are about as flexible as the mesh of gold bags.

There is an attempt to revive the vogue for colonial silver in table and toilet articles. The simplicity of the beading design always makes an appeal to those of quiet taste.

Crosses have not been selling as well as formerly. But of the more expensive ones the jeweled cross on a narrow black ribbon, adorned with a few jeweled ornaments, has been most in demand.

The variety of jeweled and enameled watches, which are greatly in demand, is bewildering. Soft, dull greens are popular, and there is a shade of peacock blue that is having a decided run. The chains match in color and design.

Ribbon is still used for watches and lockets, the ornamental sections being in enamel of various colors. A piece of the ribbon, three or four inches long, holds the ring to which the locket or watch is attached.

The grape design seems to be making rapid headway. It has been adopted by several jewelers, who are making pendants, brooches, scarf pins and bracelets, using pearls of various shades, green enamel for the leaves, and such stones as olivines to heighten the color of the foliage.

A jeweler who has applied the "slide" idea to bracelets has a unique design which consists of small jeweled sections, circular in shape, that fit into the velvet band as studs do. They are placed at intervals of about an inch and look like dew sprinkled flowers on their velvet setting.

The bracelet formed of large links is having a conspicuous vogue. It is either in the old-fashioned style of two large sections, with a "stiff clasp" or it is composed of half a dozen links or more. One of the latter is a Louis XVI design, the green gold head of each link being set upon a ground of dark blue enamel. It is most effective and artistic.

The bracelet bag is a novelty launched by one of the dealers this season. It is made of silver or gold thread brocade, black lace covered brocade, leather or cloth in tapestry and Dresden effects, and it is plect in two large silver rings which slip over the hand. The interior is well finished, with several compartments, and the bags easily carried on the wrist, serve well for opera, shopping or automobile use. Their distinct novelty is their chief recommendation.

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SOME POLITICAL DOPE.

The Folk boom is another of the collection that seems to have taken to perpetual hibernation.—Augusta Herald.

Won't Judge Gray be mad if after declining all these dinner and banquet invitations he isn't nominated for the presidency after all.—Washington Times.

Now and then some one who wants to inject a little humor into the situation trots out the Woodrow Wilson presidential boom.—Washington Herald.

George Ade's withdrawal as a candidate for Fairbanks delegate shows that there are some booms which even he cannot hope to make more farcial.—New York Post.

There was a sympathetic meeting at the White House between President Roosevelt and Lou Payn. Their booms both swell with "views" about one Governor Hughes.—Troy (N. Y.) Press.

The rumor that an incipient boom is under way in behalf of W. L. Douglas, the shoe man, for vice president, suggests that maybe he would like to stand in somebody else's.—Birmingham News.

Secretary Taft, a candidate for president, makes prominent the fact that the secretary of war has about banished the saloon from the canal strip. Inasmuch as the natives go barefoot, there is no such thing as a bootlegger in the zone.—Chattanooga News.

All this talk about what Johnson would do, if nominated, seems to us to be a mere waste of time and words. The nominee has already been named. All that remains to be done is for the Denver convention to give its formal ratification.—Richmond Virginian-Pilot.

If anybody is going to succeed our present able secretary of war very soon, it would seem as though Mr. Magoon has had enough experience with dark colored people to be able to handle all the Brownsville troubles at least, that may come up in the army.—Syracuse Herald.

Wouldn't Senator Foraker like to be the ice man? Betwen the pommelings he is getting in Ohio, and the knockout received from the committee on military affairs, which has voted to uphold the president in the Brownsville case, he is not left much to hope for in the political prize ring.—Milwaukee Journal.

Wants Copies of Citizenship Rolls of Five Civilized Tribes.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—Senator Clapp of Minnesota, chairman of the Senate Indian Affairs Committee, today introduced a resolution calling on the secretary of the interior to produce copies of the citizenship rolls of the Five Civilized Tribes of Indian Territory, specifying the required rolls with great exactitude. They are to be examined in connection with the many attacks made, alleging unfairness, both of omission and commission.

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The Democrats of Texas are going to elect the candidates of their own choice this year to fill all State and legislative offices without regard to where such candidates stand on "the Bailey matter," and from present indications those who are trying hardest to inject into Texas politics this matter are going to be disappointed when the votes are counted. While it is well known that Attorney General Davidson is not a political friend to Senator Bailey, there are thousands of Democrats who are warm political friends of the junior senator from Texas who believe that Davidson has done nothing but his duty and will give him their hearty support for re-election. On the other hand there are perhaps just as many who, while not approving of Senator Bailey's conduct, still recognize that to deny him the honor of representing Texas as a delegate-at-large to the National Democratic convention would be an injustice to him as well as to Texas and the Democratic party, from the fact that he is one of Texas' representatives in the United States senate and will be for six years to come. Generally, this is an honor which goes with the office, and so long as those who were opposed to his re-election did not succeed in defeating him, there is not much to be gained by keeping up a continual fight. It will be time enough to renew the fight on Senator Bailey when he again offers for the office. Sensible Democrats will take this view of the matter.

The Sick.

Mayor T. B. Noble, who has been confined to his room for the past few days with a severe attack of la grippe, is reported as some better today.

Robert Allen, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stone, who has an attack of pneumonia, is convalescing, and thought to be out of danger.

COMMISSIONS ORDER TO DENVER ROAD

The official order of the Texas Railroad Commission affecting the Fort Worth and Denver has just been made public.

In substance the order directs to the Fort Worth and Denver that adequate and suitable depot facilities shall be constructed at Decatur, Electra, Quannah and Amarillo; plans for which to be submitted for the approval of the commission within thirty days after the date of this order and said depots to be completed by or before December 31st, 1908.

The Rock Island is directed that an adequate and suitable depot building be constructed at Amarillo; that plans for same be submitted for the approval of the commission within thirty days after the date of this order and that said building shall be completed by or before December 31st, 1908.

Denver to Complete Ballast.

Furthermore the commission directs the Denver that the work of ballasting the entire roadbed between Ft. Worth and Texline be carried forward, using not less than 2,500 to 3,000 cubic yards of broken stone or heavy sand and gravel ballast per mile, and that the work of ballasting shall be completed on or before December 31st, 1908.

That the company renew all decayed and unserviceable ties to the extent of not less than 600 per mile on the average for the entire line, within six months after the date of this order.

All ties placed in the track since Dec. 1, 1907, may be credited to the amount required.

The order made by the commission will probably have the effect of hastening some of these much needed improvements, but practically all of them were under way or under contemplation before the inspection was made by the commission.

Ballasting on the Denver has been under way for over a year and has continued all winter without any cutting down of force. Much of the track has now been ballasted and has been provided with sound ties, so that the heavy business which the road is doing can now be handled without the larger number of accidents which made the road notorious last year. Schedules on the Denver have been lengthened in response to orders of the commission and on account of the

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rebuilding work, but with the completion of this work the Denver can put on passenger schedules better than any which have yet been in operation in this section.

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DEMOCRATS MEET IN DENVER.

National Committee Preparing Plans for Convention.
Denver, Colo., Jan. 22.—The Democratic National Committee's Subcommittee on Arrangements for the Democratic National Convention met here today and began consideration of the plans for the auditorium, now under construction, in which the convention will be held next July. The members here are: Thomas Taggart of Indiana, chairman; John I. Martin of St. Louis, sergeant at arms; Norman E. Mack of New York, Roger C. Sullivan of Illinois, John T. McGraw of West Virginia, Clark Howell of Georgia, R. M. Johnson of Texas, James C. Dahlman of Nebraska, Urey Woodson of Kentucky and John E. Osborne of Wyoming.

We are going to have some cold weather in January and February, so you had best take advantage of our cut price sale on cloaks and suits. W. E. Skeen. 198-1f

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SPRINGER SCORES U. S. SENATE.

Aggregation of Millionaires, Put There By Trusts, He Says.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 22.—Preliminary to the meeting of the National Association, the Colorado Cattle and Horse Growers' Association met today. President John W. Springer, in an address, said that the United States senate was an aggregation of millionaires put there by the trusts. He criticised the strict protectionists of Massachusetts, who demanded a reduction of the tariff on wool and hides, but pooh-hooped

the Western cry for a reduction on clothes and shoes.

Railroads, life insurance companies and other corporations and trust interests, he said, must be made to cease the monopolizing of utilities and necessities. "If they do not cease their tactics," he said, "I know there is not a man in this hall who will not rise up and compel them, if it is necessary to hang them as you would hang babies."

President Roosevelt's policy of government control of grazing lands, in and out of the forest reserves, was unanimously indorsed by the Forest

Reserve Grazing Land Committee of the American Live Stock Association. The committee is drawing up a set of resolutions which it will offer to the convention, which is in session, tomorrow.

R. E. Huff informs the Times that Wm. M. McGregor, and not himself, was elected a director in the new bank at Olney.

Singer Sewing Machines sold; \$3.00 cash and \$3.00 a month. W. A. McClellan, salesman and collector. Phone 533. 214-6t

SNELL CASE IS CONTINUED.

Judge's Illness Causes Adjournment Until January 27th.

Clinton, Ill., Jan. 20.—Because of the illness of Judge W. G. Cochran, presiding in the Snell will contest, the DeWitt County Circuit Court has been adjourned until Monday, January 27th. The judge was compelled to adjourn court Friday at noon because of an attack of indigestion, which late Sunday night developed into grip.

The attorneys held a consultation for two hours this morning in an effort to decide upon some other judge to continue the case, but met with no success.

Richard Snell, the son, contesting the will, has arranged with a dozen alienists to testify concerning his millionaire father's mental condition. Among them is said to be a well known specialist from Chicago and another from St. Louis.

Jan. 22 In History.

1266—First English parliament to which knights of shires, citizens and burgesses were summoned. The barons, under the lead of Simon de Montfort, earl of Leicester, arose against King Henry III, and overthrew him at Lewes in 1264.



1558—John Winthrop, colonial governor of Massachusetts, born in Suffolk, England; died in Boston 1649.

1788—George Gordon Noel, Lord Byron (Lord Byron) born; died 1824.

1870—George D. Prentice, famous wit and for 40 years editor of Louisville Journal, died in Louisville; born in Preston, Conn., 1802.

1901—Queen Victoria died at Osborne palace; born 1812.

1906—George Jacob Holyoake, British author and lecturer, died at Brighton, England; born 1817.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:

Tonight and Tomorrow Morning. Sun sets, 5:02; rises, 7:14. Moon rises, 8:57 p. m. Moon's age, 19 days.

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HOUSE NO.	NO.	STREET	PRICE	HOUSE NO.	NO.	STREET	PRICE
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2	312	Cor. 4th Bur.	1650.00	21	410		1250.00
3	400	Cor. 4th Bur.	1650.00	22	412	Cor. 4th Austin	1300.00
4	402		1400.00	23	500	Cor. 4th Austin	1500.00
5	404		1400.00	24	502		1250.00
6	406		1400.00	25	504		1250.00
7	410		1450.00				
8	412	Cor. 5th Bur.	1700.00				
9	500	Cor. 5th Bur.	1800.00				
10	504		1500.00				
11	508		1500.00				
12	511	with lot 8	1600.00				
13	507		1400.00				
14	505		1400.00				
15	503		1650.00				
16	501	Cor. 5th Bur.	1550.00				
17	413	Cor. 5th Bur.	1650.00				
18	411		1400.00				
19	409	7th	1500.00				

Vacant Lots

Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Block No. 121,	Price each	\$250.00
Lot No. 4,	145,	350.00
Lot No. 10,	144,	300.00
Lots No. 4, 5, 6 "	144,	200.00
All inside lots west half of blocks No. 121, 122, 145, each		200.00
Corner lots west side same blocks		250.00
Prices on other lots on application.		

These houses are extra well built and finished; large rooms, solid concrete foundations, all flues built from the ground, all screened, wired for electric lights, a small barn goes with every house, lots 50x150 feet, running back to the alley. Liberal terms given. Reasonable cash payment, balance on monthly, quarterly, semi-annual or annual payments at 8 per cent interest. There is no better town in which to invest than Wichita Falls, and no better property in the city than this; close in, free from dust, the best of soil, well drained, and the highest land of any part of the city lying in the valley. The telephone and electric light companies are now putting in their respective lines, and the water mains will be installed in a very short time. To see the property and for full particulars, call on,

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The Color Line in the North.

Having followed the color line in the South, it is of extraordinary interest and significance to learn how the negro fares in the North. Is he treated better or worse? Is Boston a more favorable location for him than Atlanta or New Orleans? A comparison of the "Southern attitude" and the "Northern attitude" throws a flood of light upon the negro as a national problem in this country.

Most of the perplexing questions in the North pertain to the city, but in the South the great problems are still agricultural. In the South the masses of negroes live on the land; they are a part of the cotton, sugar, lumber and turpentine industries; but in the North the negro is essentially a problem of the great cities. He has taken his place in the babel of the tenements; already he occupies exclusive neighborhoods like the San Juan-Hill district in New York and Bucktown in Indianapolis, and, by virtue of an increasing volume of immigration from the South, he is overflowing his boundaries in all directions, expanding more rapidly, perhaps, than any other single element of urban population. In every important Northern city, a distinct race problem already exists, which must, in a few years, assume serious proportions.

Country districts and the smaller cities in the North for the most part have no negro question. A few negroes are found in almost all localities, but an examination of the statistics of rural counties and of the lesser cities shows that the negro population is diminishing in some localities, increasing slightly in others. In distinctly agricultural districts in the North the census exhibits an actual falling off of negro population of 10 per cent between 1880 and 1900. Cass county in Michigan, which has a famous negro agricultural colony—one of the few in the North—shows a distinct loss in population. From 1,837 inhabitants in 1880 it dropped to 1,568 in 1900. A few negro farmers have done well in the North (at Wilberforce, Ohio, I met two or three who had large farms and were prosperous), but the rural population is so small as to be negligible.—Ray Stannard Baker in February American Magazine.

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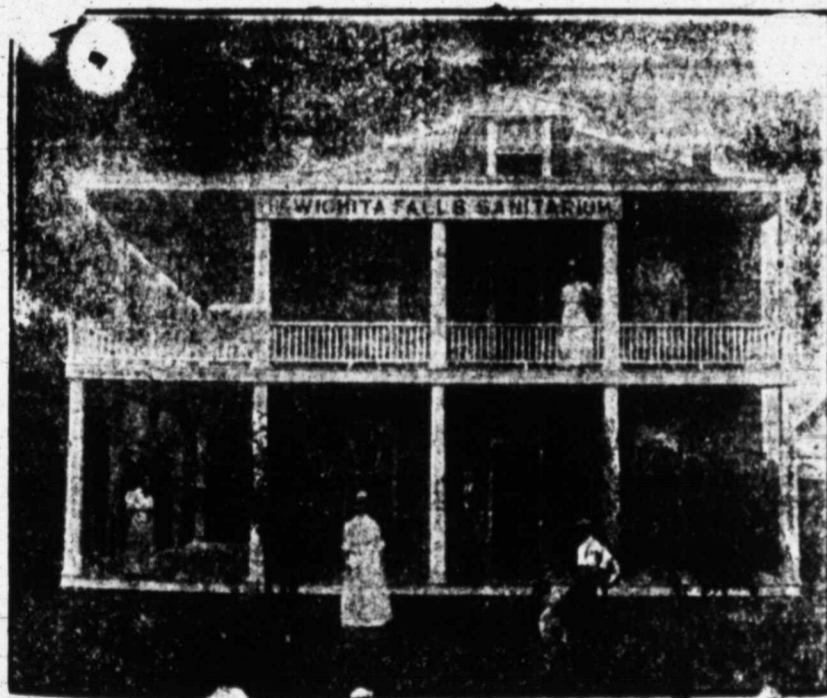
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Cold-Blooded Totals.

The total of exports from the Philippine islands to the United States last year was \$12,079,000, with American exports to the Philippines reaching \$5,155,000. These totals are given by the report the Chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs has just made to the secretary of war.

Against this American trade the same report shows a total of \$13,500,000 in Philippine bonds, issued under American authority and outstanding, with interest to be paid annually from the trade profits of the islands.

As a business matter, it seems that if we hold \$13,500,000 Philippine bonds on which the Filipinos must pay interest from the possible profits on \$12,079,000 exports to this country, the processes of benevolent assimilation during the time they remain unfit for self-government may be calculated with sufficient accuracy in advance by anyone who has a common school education in the use of the multiplication table as far as percentage.

As they were bought from Spain and are being held under the colonial system of government ownership, they have been encouraged to hope that after a generation they may buy themselves free from this system out of their savings under it. Bearing on this point, it appears that they have paid in taxes for a year \$15,646,000, with total imports of only \$28,785,000 and total exports of only \$33,713,000.

These are cold-blooded totals: They are results under an administration which proclaims itself the champion of the "Square Deal." What do such totals stand for if not exploitation, oppression and enforced bankruptcy?—St. Louis Republic.

SWEETWATER WINS SUIT.

Injunction Forbids Orient Removing Headquarters.

Sweetwater, Tex., Jan. 21.—Judge Sheppard in the district court here has granted the injunction asked by the citizens of Sweetwater to compel the Orient railroad to retain its offices, shops and roundhouse here. According to the petition the road is under contract to make Sweetwater its headquarters, but had planned removing to San Angelo.

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PERSONAL MENTION

J. G. Hardin of Burkburnett was transacting business in the city today.

T. H. Kemp, one of the leading business men of Olney, is in the city today.

Mrs. Dave Lynch of Seymour is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Flint Murphy.

A. V. Haynes, manager for the Farmers' Union gin at Chillicothe, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. W. F. Simmons of Ardmore, Oklahoma, is visiting her brother, T. J. Taylor, in this city.

Deputy Sheriff John G. Bills of Tillman county, Oklahoma, was in the city today meeting old friends.

Mrs. Clarence Hunt of this city is in Dumas, Texas, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lamb.

Mrs. John Strom of Denison arrived in the city this afternoon on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown.

J. D. Dyson, a prosperous young farmer from Wilbarger county, was in the city today en route to Ringgold on business.

The friends of Mr. J. M. Brown Jr. will regret to learn that he is quite ill with la grippe at his home, 1205 Lamar avenue.

Herbert Diggs, a popular knight of the grip, with headquarters at St. Louis, is in the city calling on his trade today.

A. J. Schultz, one of the well to do farmers from near Iowa Park, was in the city today, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Diggs.

Judge J. H. Barwise, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. H. Carrigan, left this afternoon for Romero, Texas, to look after business interests.

W. A. Carrigan, who has been visiting his parents at Hope, Ark., returned home this afternoon. Mr. Carrigan also visited Hot Springs with the hope of being cured of rheumatism and says he is much improved in health.

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TRAGEDY IN A RESTAURANT.

Young Woman Kills a Man and Attempts to Take Her Own Life.
By Associated Press.

New York, Jan. 22.—A sensational shooting occurred during the lunch hour today in a restaurant of a large Broadway department store, when the room was crowded, mainly with women.

A young woman entered the dining room, walked rapidly to a table at which Frank Brady, an advertising solicitor, was sitting and shot him, causing instant death. She then turned the weapon upon herself and fired three bullets into her own body, causing serious wounds. She was removed to a hospital and her identity has not yet been learned.

Corporations Show Surplus.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 21.—No better evidence of the prosperous condition of the State, notwithstanding the recent financial flurry, can be found in the statement by Secretary of State L. T. Dashiell.

Mr. Dashiell declared that 40 per cent of the corporations which are now making their reports and paying their franchise taxes for the year ending May 1, 1908, show a healthy surplus. This is encouraging news, as such a surplus shows corporations are doing a fine business and are in excellent financial condition.

A short time ago the State department sent out notices to the 7,000 domestic and foreign corporations doing business in Texas, advising them that their franchise tax for this year is due May 1, and many of these are now filing their reports and paying taxes.

Another indication of the buoyant financial condition of the State is in the fact that since the beginning of this year there has been a large increase in the number of new corporations chartered. This is especially gratifying in view of the new law, which requires that 50 per cent of the capital stock paid in before a charter can be filed for record in the department. This new law has done away with the flooding of the State with various characters of promoting concerns.

W. W. McDowell, once a leading business man of Wichita Falls, but now of Gainesville, was in the city today en route to Frederick, Oklahoma, on business.

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12.00	"	"	"	"	"	8.00
10.00	"	"	"	"	"	6.65

This gives you a chance to buy STEIN BLOCH Clothing, the finest clothing in America, at 33 1/3 discount. This sale for CASH ONLY—We need the money.

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When you get tired of your collars breaking, remember the Sherman Steam Laundry, the best in the State. Headquarters next door to St. Charles restaurant. Allen Brandenburg, agent.

If you want good coffee buy one pound from King & White. You will want more. 211-1f

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TRINITY AND BRAZOS VALLEY.

Amendment to Charter is Authorized By the Attorney General.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 22.—The attorney general today approved an amendment to the charter of the Trinity and Brazos valley railroad, authorizing it to change its principal headquarters from Fort Worth to Houston and increasing its capital stock from \$300,000 to \$500,000.

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