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WHITE CHILD IN NEGRO HOME.

Negroes Were Good to Her and Objects to Going to White Home.

Washington, D. C., April 15.—The legal status of a colored family that has harbored a white child since infancy is being tested in the juvenile court this afternoon. The case is the most unique that has been tried before Judge De Lacy since the establishment of the juvenile court.

Edith Brown, a beautiful girl of 11 years, was taken from a negro home in Seventh street northwest some weeks ago by the officers of the board of children's guardians, and since that time has been in one of the homes maintained by the board. Every effort has been made to get some clue to the identity of the child's parents, but, failing in the attempt, it was decided to bring the girl before the court today.

When the case was called the court room was filled with negro lawyers, ministers and other colored people, who signified their intention of seeing that the case was contested to the full limit of the law. It is claimed by the board of guardians that the child was never legally adopted by the colored family, and that for this reason they have a right to put her in a home for white children.

Home Life Revealed.

The case was brought to the attention of the board by Mrs. Howell, attendance officer, who learned that Edith Brown had been absent from school several days. Going to an address on 7th street, between H and I streets northwest, Mrs. Howell found that the girl was living with a colored woman by the name of Brown and her married daughter, whose name is Prieau. The family lived comfortably and apparently was in good circumstances.

Mrs. Howell presented the facts to the board, and it was decided that Edith should be placed in one of the white homes. The girl rebelled at being taken from her home, asserting that both of the colored women were very good to her and that she did not want to be separated from them.

The Brown woman took the stand after the agents of the board had told their story, and explained to the court the manner in which she came into the custody of the girl. According to her story, she never had any children and several years ago expressed a desire to adopt a little girl. Learning of this, a prominent New York physician, whose name she could not recall, came to Washington to see her.

Parentage a Mystery.

The doctor told her that he knew of a three-months-old white baby girl, the daughter of a well known New York woman, that the colored woman could adopt. Having no idea that she would not be permitted to adopt a white child, the idea met with instant approval on the part of the Brown woman, and a few days later the girl was brought to Washington by the physician.

The physician never revealed the child's name nor the identity of her parents. The agreement was that the Brown woman would ask no questions. The baby never knew her real mother and the colored woman gave her the name of Edith Brown. She is a pretty child with a mass of rich black hair, dark eyes and a beautiful complexion.

Negro lawyers who have become interested in the case claim that there is no law prohibiting colored persons taking a white child to live with them. They claim further that the child has been given a good home and was well provided for; that the Brown woman sent her to a white school, and that her moral surroundings were all that they should be. They assert that if the girl can be taken from the colored family by law, white people have no legal right to adopt colored children.

By the word Lent is understood the fast of forty days preceding Easter, kept (after the example of Moses, Elias and Christ Himself) in order to prepare the faithful for the great festival of Easter.

THE FIRST INDUSTRY.

Problems of the Farm Curiously Ignored by the Ancients.

Why agriculture, the first industry to be learned and so obviously the most fundamental, was the last to be developed is one of the most baffling mysteries of history. One marvels at it afresh as one stands before a certain glass case in the Egyptian quarter of the British museum, wherein is a little group of farm utensils—a fractured wooden plow, a rusted sickle, two sticks tied together with a leathern thong and several tassels that had hung on the horns of oxen. To be sure, these implements were used 2,000 years ago—they were found in the tomb of Seti I.—but one remembers that when Egypt was using these bread tools, no better than those of the barbarians about her, she had a most elaborate government, an army and navy and art and literature.

The records and relics of other nations down through history show the same strange incongruity. For thousands of years the wise men of the world absolutely ignored the problems of the farm. A farmer remained either a serf or a tenant. He was a stolid drudge—"brother to the ox." Even the masterful old pilgrim fathers had no plows at all—nothing but hoes and sharp sticks—for the first twelve years of their pioneering.

And therefore for thousands of years there was hunger.—Everybody's Magazine.

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FEAR OF TROUBLE BAILEY CRITICISES

Dallas News.

Smithville, Tex., April 14.—For a moment toward the close of Senator Bailey's speech tonight it looked as if there might be trouble between representatives of the Bailey and anti-Bailey factions. It was occasioned by Murray Burleson, president of the First State bank and chairman of the anti-Bailey committee, asking Senator Bailey if he would read to the audience a telegram which he received today from Cullen Thomas.

Senator Bailey replied that he didn't have the telegram with him. Then Mr. Burleson asked him if he would state the substance of the telegram.

"I have sent him a reply," Senator Bailey said, "and told him that nobody but a coward would send such a message by wire."

Immediately there was great confusion in the crowd. Mr. Burleson, standing on his seat, was talking, but what he said no one could hear at the front of the audience. Finally Senator Bailey was heard to shout: "Nobody but a dirty dog would try to break up a meeting in this way, and you won't tell me to my face what Cullen Thomas said in that telegram."

The word "har," repeated several times, was shouted in the vicinity of Mr. Burleson and several in the neighborhood began to move toward the platform. Senator Bailey's friends surrounded him, among them Roger Byrne, who began to talk excitedly, but no one could understand what he said. Meantime, many of the women in the audience, fearing that there would be trouble, fled from the crowd, but friends of Mr. Burleson surrounded him and dissuaded him from advancing toward the platform, and the episode was over, but the audience was so excited that it heard the rest of the speech standing. Senator Bailey charged that some of the men who are opposing him most vigorously are in the pay of selfish corporations and he predicted that these men would before long be uncovered. They were going to keep the fight up until after May 2 because they wanted to keep their names on the payrolls of these corporations, he said. The reason the corporations wanted him out of the senate was that he had shown himself able to handle big questions. Senator Bailey recited his part in the rate bill legislation in substantiation of this estimate of his services. It was when, during the rate bill discussion, he had disclosed these powers, that the fight had been opened on him, he said.

He denied with much vehemence Cullen Johnson's statement that he (Bailey) had never produced a shred of paper to show that he had ever paid Pierce back. "I understand Johnson said," he remarked, "that I never produced a scrap of paper to prove that I ever paid that money back. Did he say that here?"

Voices—Yes, he did.

Senator Bailey—That was a deliberate lie. I did not myself produce the checks and vouchers. I refused to do it. My friends wanted me to go home and get them, but I said I would cut off my arm before I would think it necessary to prove by documentary evidence that I had not told the people of Texas a lie. (Applause.)

"As a matter of self-respect, I refused to do it, yet the record shows and Johnson knows it, that I paid that \$1,500 and that \$3,300 back to the last farthing." (Applause.)

Senator Bailey then recited briefly the testimony of D. R. Francis.

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Story of a Bale of Cotton.

Abilene Reporter.

If a bale of cotton picked in Taylor county could talk it would tell about the following story: "Before the seed sprouted that produced me I was sold by the New York Exchange. Also before I was planted I was mortgaged to one of the merchants of Abilene. By the time the third leaf was formed on the stalks, a second mortgage rested heavily upon me. The rows in which I grew were chopped out by the children that should have been in school, and plowed with cultivators not paid for. Under the bright July sun I grew rapidly and my fruit was brought to maturity early in August. Under the hot burning sun the boys and girls picked me out of the bolls, I was carried to the gin and separated from the seed and wrapped in a dirty ugly dress of which I was very much ashamed. I was brought to the streets of Abilene and a lot of cruel men began to cut into my ribs and take out great locks from my side. They pronounced me middling and I was bought at 10 cents per pound. I was taken to the cotton yard and tipped the beam at 500 pounds. The public weigher sent the darkies round with sacks and they picked me good. I was then carried to the compress and my size was somewhat reduced and it cost 50 cents to do so. I was then picked again and billed for Bremen. It cost forty-nine cents per hundred to get me to Galveston. I was cut, sampled and picked at a cost of twenty cents. I was then put on board of a ship and sent to Bremen at a cost of five dollars. It cost twenty-five cents to unload me and get me into the factory. The factory men gave me two grades less than I got at Abilene, and I only tipped the beam at 450 pounds. I was placed in the factory by the side of some beautiful little bales dressed in white that I learned came from the dark continent of Africa. No holes were cut in their ribs and they were beautiful to look upon. I felt very much ashamed in their presence and they seemed to look with disdain upon my ungainly dress. I felt some better when the spinner came around and told me that my fibre was much better than that of the little white bales and that I deserved a better dress. It was woven into a beautiful white fabric and at considerable expense shipped back across the ocean and sold to the farmer that had produced me at a rate of \$6.50 per pound. After taking this long journey and being subjected to so many different experiences, and entailing so much expense upon my master, the producer, it set me to thinking and wondering why I could not have been manufactured at Abilene. Just think of it, counting buyers' and brokers' profits, and other expenses, it cost about ten dollars to get me to Galveston and ten more to land me in the factory at Bremen and besides I was robbed of fifty pounds of my staple by the time I got there. It took the same expense to get me back to Abilene. Now if the people of the Abilene country could hear the many reflections and insinuations upon their folly that greeted my ears on my trip across the ocean they would rise up in their might and build a factory at Abilene, and manufacture all their fleecy staple at home. Now, dear people of the Abilene country, I have told you an honest story for your good and while my memory may be at fault in some instances, in the main I have told you the truth and I hope it will soon open your eyes to the awful situation of our country."

Secretary of State Elihu Root has completed his sixty-third year. During his term he has traveled farther than any of his predecessors in the office. He has visited South America, Mexico and Canada.

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- For District Attorney, 30th Jud. Dist.:
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- For Constable, Precinct No. 1:
PETE RANDOLPH.
- For County Attorney:
T. B. GREENWOOD.

BAILEY'S ATTITUDE TOWARD BRYAN.

John S. Gibson of Corsicana, a life-
long friend of Senator Bailey, has given
the following letter to the press:

Corsicana, Tex., April 12.—Hon. Joseph
W. Bailey, Delaware Hotel, Fort
Worth, Tex.: Dear Senator—Referring
to our conversation of yesterday evening
at the Main hotel, just before you
left our city, in which I asked you
if, should you be a delegate to the
National convention, you would be in
favor of Mr. Bryan. I asked you this
question because you said nothing
whatever in your speech made during
the afternoon concerning Mr. Bryan.
Many of us were left in doubt whether,
in case you should be sent as a dele-
gate to Denver, you would uphold the
views of Mr. Bryan in an hour of trial,
or whether you would merely carry out
the instructions which we are sure this
State will give Mr. Bryan.

In response to my question asked at
the hotel and while you were in a car-
riage hurrying to catch a train, you
stated that you would obey instruc-
tions. That I believe. But there seems
to be some doubt as to your
loyalty to Mr. Bryan, and a great many
of your friends, like myself, are anxious
about the matter, and respectfully ask
you to make a plain and brief state-
ment as to what your action would be
in case you should be placed upon a
committee of platform and resolutions
at the national convention. Would you
draft or assist in drafting a platform
that would be wholly in harmony with
Mr. Bryan's views and wishes?

This letter I assure you comes from a
life-long friend, but I am also very
much devoted to Mr. Bryan. I have
followed you through all your trials,
and have upheld your hands whenever
you were assailed. Your troubles at
Austin relative to your association
with Pierce and your connection with
the Tennessee railroad properties are
matters of the past, and I care little
about them. But you are now aspiring
to a position where policies of national
importance are to be promulgated. Mr.
Bryan is very dear to the hearts of the
democrats of Texas, and I therefore
hope that you will clearly define your
attitude toward Mr. Bryan.

Trusting that you will give some ex-
pression of your views in response to
this communication at the earliest pos-
sible date, I am very truly yours,
JOHN S. GIBSON.

THEN AND NOW.

It's wonderful how people do cling
to the garments of a successful man.
The writer espoused the cause of
James Stephen Hogg when he was first
mentioned as a candidate for governor,
and remained with him until the storm-
tossed statesman declared that he
would accept no further political hon-
ors. We wrote everything in his favor
that we could think of, we went over
the country trying to persuade others to
support him, we left our room when
we should have been in bed in order
to vote for him, we shouted until we
were as hoarse as a jackass when the
news came that he was elected. Hogg
had many political enemies in those
days—in fact he had but a small ma-
jority over George Clark in 1892. Hogg
succeeded and has been called to his
fathers—and how politicians have
changed since '92. Men who fought
Hogg in '90 and '92 now praise him and
cuss others because they were not for
him. Editors and speakers who oppose
Senator Bailey, cry out against Bailey
supporters that they fought Hogg,
while prominent Bailey editors and
speakers denounce anti-Baileyites be-
cause they refused to support Hogg.
So it always is with successful men.
George Clark came within a few thou-
sand votes of defeating Hogg and for a
year was the embodiment of all politi-
cal wisdom to a large and noisy fol-
lowing, but Clark's banner went down
and nobody ever bids for support now
with the statement that he supported
George Clark. It remains to be seen
whether Senator Bailey is to continue a
political idol or fall from the pedes-
tal. If he triumphs, a few years hence
no man will be considered in good
standing who opposed him; but if his
banner goes down in defeat no graver
charge can be brought against the as-
pirant for office than that he was a
follower of Bailey. "Nothing succeeds
like success."—Honey Grove Signal.

The Times today publishes some
matter sent out by the Minnesota dem-
ocratic club in the interest of Gov-
ernor John Johnson's candidacy for the
presidential nomination. While the
Times is quite willing to publish the
matter it most certainly does not in-
dorse his candidacy and stands firm-
ly in favor of the nomination of Wil-
liam Jennings Bryan.

The stork paid a visit to the Wichita
Falls Sanitarium this afternoon and
left a 10-pound baby girl for Mr. and
Mrs. W. T. Wilson. The name of the
young visitor is Miss Aileen Eloise
Wilson, and she has the distinction of
being the first baby born in the san-
itarium. Both mother and child are
doing nicely.

Hit With an Oil Can.

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Everybody cordially invited to hear these, especially the one in the afternoon.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

Special to the Times.
Fort Worth Tex., April 16.—The total cattle receipts today were 5,400. The market was generally steady.
Beef Steers—Receipts 1,000. Quality fair. Market slow, but steady at \$2.40 @ \$5.50.
Butcher Cows—Receipts 400. Quality fair. Market active and higher at \$2.50 @ \$4.25.
Calves—Receipts light. Quality fair. Market active and steady, tops selling at \$4.50.
Hogs—Receipts, 2,400. Quality was good to choice. Market active and higher at \$5.40 @ \$5.60.

The Candidate.
He cometh up like a flower and re-tireth from the race busted. His friends fillet him with false hopes and atmosphere. He swelleth like a toad and thinketh the world his'n. He smil-eth upon mankind and sloppeth over with humor. He kisseth the children and scattereth his microbes among innocent babies. He privately cheweth a clove when he meets a preacher, and as he converseth with him he standeth to the leeward and curbeth his breath with a strong bit. He goeth home late at night to his weary wife with a beery breath and cold feet. He riseth up before times and hiketh forth without his breakfast, saying: "I go to see a man." The dead beat lieth in wait and pulleth his leg to a queen's taste. He "nalleth a lie," but before election he runneth short on nails. He giveth liberally to the church, he subscribeth a good sum to the band, contributeth to the poor whose barn was burned, he sendeth a small keg hither and a large keg thither, he yieldeth up his substance with apparent alacrity. After the election he goeth back of the barn and kicketh himself and teareth his hair and calleth himself a Rotterdam fool.—Ex.

Senator B. F. Looney will speak at Iowa Park tonight and tomorrow will speak at Vernon.

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COOLNESS AND NERVE

The Story of the Last Deal In a Lively Game of Poker.

A FORTUNE ON THE TABLE.

The Hand That Won the Rich Stakes and the Man Who Held It—What Senator Sharon Had to Pay to Satisfy His Lingering Curiosity.

There were many lively games of poker played in San Francisco in the old days, and many good stories have been told of the nerve and coolness of the players who participated therein. The following story of one of those games was printed in a San Francisco paper some years ago:

The Palace hotel in the early days of its existence was the arena of some big poker games. Senator Sharon was an enthusiastic lover of the game, and when it happened that Senators Stewart and Jones of Nevada and Judge Dick Mesick "occurred" in the hotel at the same time there was sure to be hot work. It happened upon one of these occasions that a certain Mr. Hall from Boston was at the hotel.

Mr. Hall was a smooth and affable gentleman and completely won Senator Sharon's heart because of his love for Byron and his excellent memory, he being able to quote hundreds of lines of the poet's verse without a halt. Byron was Sharon's favorite bard. He had made his works his life's study, and any one who appreciated him had a call on the senator's friendship.

On a certain evening the three senators and Judge Mesick met in the hotel lobby. It was just before dinner, and while they were chatting Mr. Hall put in an appearance. Mr. Sharon at once introduced Mr. Hall to his friends and invited the party to dinner, which was served in Senator Sharon's room.

After dinner Mesick proposed a little game of "draw." No one said nay, though Mr. Hall diffidently remarked that they did not play much in Boston, where he came from, but that still he was willing to stand in, and do his best.

"Look out for Hall," remarked Sharon. "I never heard a man make that remark yet who was not to be watched." He spoke in jest, but his words were sooth.

The cards were produced, and the game at a dollar ante was inaugurated. There was no limit. Now, with such veterans as Mesick, Jones and Stewart the pot was not allowed to get cold for lack of chipping. The men played with varying success, and things ran pretty even for an hour or so. Mr. Hall was cautious and dribbled away his checks with indifference. After one of Hall's deals Mr. Stewart hopped in with a twenty dollar bet. Jones, evidently pleased with his hand, saw him and went \$50 better. Mesick and Sharon were not afraid and took some of the pie themselves. Mr. Hall, the dealer, scanned his hand carefully and concluded that there was something in it for him. All drew—Hall one card—and then the fun began. Round and round again went the "deal." Stewart and Jones dropped out. Mesick stood a few more raises and then retired, leaving the fight to Sharon and Hall. There was by this time \$20,000 in the pot.

"I'll raise you \$10,000, Mr. Hall," said Sharon, his thin lips set and his voice low and determined.

Hall's answer was to ring the bell, and when the waiter appeared he asked him for a blank California bank check.

"I presume, gentlemen, my check is as good as cash," he said politely. "Certainly, sir," replied Senator Sharon. "You see our checks in the pot already."

Slowly and deliberately Hall filled out the check, signed it and spread the blotter over it without a tremor. Then he pushed it quietly to the center of the table and said:

"I have seen your \$10,000, senator, and go you \$15,000 better."

Sharon looked at him steadily for some moments. Hall's composure was perfect. There was a half smile of confidence on his face, but no indication of boastfulness or excitement.

"Mr. Hall," said Sharon, "I feel sure you hold the better hand, and I do not care to waste my money. The pot is yours, sir."

Without any appearance of exultation Hall raked in the coin, bills and checks, separated them and put them in his pockets. Meanwhile his hand lay face down upon the table.

"Mr. Hall," said Sharon, "I will give you \$100 if you will show me your hand."

"Senator Sharon," replied the Bostonian, "it is not enough. Nor would I show it to you now for \$1,000. Still, to satisfy your curiosity, I will put this hand in an envelope, seal it up in your presence and put it in the hotel safe, to be called for by you ten days hence, but upon this condition: That you will put \$250 in an envelope, to go into the hotel safe and to be delivered to me nine days hence."

Sharon reflected for a few minutes. It was a struggle between curiosity and coin. Finally curiosity conquered, and both envelopes were sealed and entrusted to the custody of the clerk. When the ten days elapsed, Mr. Sharon called for his package and examined the hand—nothing but a pair of deuces and ten high. He had been the victim of a colossal bluff.

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Friends of Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota have issued a letter and a pamphlet that together constitute an address to the Democrats of the country. Both make a strong appeal to Democrats everywhere to exert themselves to see that the Denver convention shall be a deliberate body that will look the field over and choose a candidate who, while representing modern Democracy, can win at the polls.

The letter, which is signed by Frederick B. Lynch, treasurer of the Minnesota Democratic State Central Committee, who has opened offices in the Grand Pacific hotel, Chicago, is as follows:

Dear Sir: You are a Democrat, and it is because you are a Democrat that this is addressed to you, with the feeling that you will exert yourself to give the party one of the greatest essentials to victory, a strong and acceptable candidate for the presidency.

The Democracy of the nation have for 12 years been losing ground and the belief is general that under the old conditions defeat is certain. For months the party has been drifting toward an autocratic convention, where popular choice is to be subordinate to personal will.

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If you and the other Democratic leaders of the country will but respond to the invitation and the opportunity extended to you by the Democrats of Minnesota, we can escape from the blighting tradition of defeat, and rehabilitate the party and the nation by a great political victory next November.

There is still ample time to see that enough delegates are elected to the Denver convention to make that a deliberative Democratic body that will

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In view of the foregoing, is it not the duty of every loyal Democrat desiring his party's success, if it can be had without the sacrifice of principle, to take judicious and comprehensive thought of the situation and exert himself to see that the delegates to the national convention at Denver, July 7, shall go there unfettered by the dead hand of the past and prepared to consider calmly the political outlook and the chances of Democratic success, and then with cool and careful judgment select a nominee who can win?

This is a Democratic year, if the Democrats of the nation will but make it so.

Why postpone all hope of success and the beginning of the restoration of Democratic control for another four years?

Did Away with Passes.

In one of his messages, Gov. Johnson said: "If the public officers are not adequately compensated now for their services, fix the compensation to such an extent as to make it reasonable compensation and do away with the possibility of any officer becoming a beneficiary of the favor of corporations, and by reason of gratuities being placed under some obligation to the corporation which extends the courtesy. And urge most earnestly the early enactment of a law which will forever abolish the system in Minnesota." And it was done.

MAN THE NATION REQUIRES.

John A. Johnson the Ideal Occupant of the Presidential Chair.

As president, Gov. Johnson would have the qualities that might be described as logically and historically needful at this time, representing both in thought and by concrete achievement all of the progressive reforms to which the American people are now thoroughly committed. His personality and his methods are such that, coming into office after the strenuous and even terrifying political and financial experiences of recent years, he would be prepared to hold all that has been gained, restore an era of good feeling and smoothly and comfortably prepare the way for such additional advanced legislation as the times require. In a word, Gov. Johnson is precisely the kind of a leader the nation requires at this time, ready for new legislation to meet new needs, but careful and conservative in his methods. The same confidence-inspiring, vote-getting attributes that have made Gov. Johnson so popular in Minnesota that there is absolutely no question that he could carry the state as the Democratic presidential nominee will make him equally popular with the voters of the nation, once they have an opportunity to become acquainted with the man.

Every political campaign has its individual conditions. It is found in this contest that Gov. Johnson possesses a strength peculiar to him alone and by which he is certain to bring to the Democratic party upwards of a million votes in the middle west that have hitherto been Republican. This condition insures beyond a reasonable doubt victory for Democracy and Gov. Johnson in the following states: Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Montana, Washington and Michigan.

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He is opposed to the government ownership of railways, by state or nation, but, as his acts show, is a strong believer in just and rigorous regulation.

He is opposed to over-sea expansion.

He favors "the peaceful consolidation of the continent from Panama to the Arctic circle."

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While the momentous decision recently given by the supreme court in similar cases coming up from North Carolina and Minnesota may have the effect of invalidating some of the railway legislation secured by Gov. Johnson in Minnesota, the fact remains that he has done what he set out to do and secured the enactment of popular and beneficent legislation. It, as now seems probable, the epoch-making decision of the court in large measure transfers railway legislation from the states to the national legislature, it becomes of particular significance that one of the earliest acts of Gov. Johnson's career as a member of the Minnesota legislature was the introduction of a memorial to congress to extend the powers of the interstate commerce commission; a memorial which ante-dated the extension of those powers by some four years.

Reynard the Fox.

Reynard, or, as it is more usually written, Reynard, is the name given to the fox in a famous German epic of the fourteenth century, called "Reynard the Fox." The book is really a satire on the state of Germany in the middle ages, the different animals, each of which are given a special name, typifying different institutions. Thus Reynard the Fox stands for the church, Isengrim the Wolf for the barons and Nodel the Lion for the emperor. Other characters are Tibert the Cat and Bruin the Bear. Both in the last named case and that of Reynard the personal name given by the author has passed into common speech.

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A girl in St. Joseph, Mo., says she cures log-someness by finding in the telephone book a man—whose name looks well—stranger or not, no matter—calls him up, and after "jolly"ing him half an hour feels all right. Every man, she says is willing to talk.

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The differences that had existed between the citizens of Olney and the Wichita Falls and Southern Railway have been satisfactorily adjusted and a contract has been signed by the railway officials whereby the owners of property in the old town of Olney have been given sites in the new townsite and their buildings and stocks will be moved at the expense of the railroad.

This agreement was reached Tuesday evening at a meeting of the people of Olney with Mr. Frank Kell of the railroad company. The meeting was begun at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and was in session until 9 o'clock that night and when that time came contracts had been signed with every property owner in Olney.

The agreement whereby the railroad company was to give sites in the new town and was to move the buildings and stocks was reached in a short time, but when it came to the allotment of locations in the new townsite the people could not agree among themselves and finally Mr. Kell had to settle that matter also. Now that the townsite matter has been definitely settled the people of Olney, as well as the railroad, are highly pleased.

A town lot auction will be held at Olney, probably in the 10th of May.

Mollycoddle Fairy Stories.

Detroit Free Press.

Mrs. William Hefferman, one-time president of the Illinois Congress of Mothers, says:

Give the children the kind of fairy tales they like, the good old ones dripping with blood and creepy with horrors and cruelty. Let them have the slaughter and the killing, the fiery dragons and the witches, the poison and the treachery. They are much better stuff than the goody-goody, slushy, slushy, milk-and-water stuff that is put on the market today.

This is treason, but confess now, didn't you like Bluebeard and Sister Anne and the Babes in the Wood and Hop o' My Thumb, and Red Riding Hood, and even that beautifully wicked Apollon on the embazoned title-page of "Pilgrim's Progress," and the hobgoblins of the pit, yes, and Siegfried and Brunhilde and the dragon and Alberich and Dietrich of Berne, and Astropho and his hippogriff and Roland, and the massacre of Roncevalles?

Did these things seriously affect your humane sensibilities or wreck your nerves, or narrow your outlook? Isn't the knowledge of the old folklore of the race picked up in childhood—knowledge which you would probably never otherwise have obtained—of infinitely more value than the story of Peter Rabbit or Squirrel Nutkin, or the little boy who was good and never got his feet wet?



"The Wichita Falls Route"

The Wichita Falls & Northwestern Ry System.

Time Card Effective January 12th. To Frederick, Daily, Leave

Wichita Falls 2:45 p. m.

From Frederick, Daily, arrive

Wichita Falls 11:30 a. m.

New Time Card for Wichita Falls and Southern, Effective Feb. 28th.

Leaves Wichita Falls 3:10 p. m.

Arrives South Junction 3:30 p. m.

Arrives Lakeview 3:50 p. m.

Arrives Archer City 5:15 p. m.

Arrives Annarene 5:55 p. m.

Arrives Olney 6:40 p. m.

Leaves Olney 7:30 a. m.

Arrives Annarene 8:15 a. m.

Arrives Archer City 8:55 a. m.

Arrives Wilson 9:40 a. m.

Arrives Lakeview 10:20 a. m.

Arrives South Junction 10:40 a. m.

Arrives Wichita Falls 11:00 a. m.

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Hartford Times.

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. E. Durden of Burkburnett was a visitor here today.

Judge J. T. Montzomery left this afternoon for Fort Worth.

J. B. Winfrey of Iowa Park was transacting business here today.

W. T. Gardner, one of Jolly's staunch citizens, was here today on business.

Rev. A. W. Tempke of Bowman was transacting business in the city today.

W. E. Kaufman of Fort Worth is in the city, the guest of the St. James hotel.

A. Lindbloom of Oklahoma City is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eldridge.

H. J. Norwood left this afternoon for Durham, Texas, to visit his daughter, Mrs. J. K. Scoggins.

M. W. Boger, a prominent farmer and stockman of Jolly, Texas, was here on business today.

Miss Fay Doran of Wichita, Kansas, is in the city visiting the Misses Charlotte and Beth Doran.

Bismark Houssels, a prominent business man of Vernon, was among the visitors in the city today.

G. W. Reeves of Chattanooga, Oklahoma, was in the city today en route to White Wright to visit relatives.

Mrs. Robert Robertson and children left this afternoon for Isadore, Oklahoma, to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huggins.

L. H. Mahaffie, a popular knight of the grip, with headquarters in this city, made a business trip to Archer City this afternoon.

Mrs. M. J. Barnes of Dundee, who has been in the sanitarium here for the past month, left yesterday for her home, greatly improved in health.

Miss Edna Sentell of Kell City, Oklahoma, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Bessie Gullahorn, of this city, left for her home this afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Matthews and daughter, Miss Tommie, of Archer City, were in the city today on their return from Harrold, where they had been visiting relatives.

Miss Jennie Huggins, who is attending the St. Mary's academy of this city, left this afternoon for Isadore, Oklahoma, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huggins.

Judge R. E. Hendry, who has been confined to his home on Scott avenue for about a month on account of illness, is now very much improved and expects to be out again within a few days.

Gone to Chicago.

In a letter to the Times James Shumake writes from Fort Worth under date of the 15th, that he left there yesterday for Chicago, accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shumake, where he expects to undergo an operation at Mercy hospital in the hope of receiving some relief.

It will be remembered that Mr. Shumake came near losing his life last fall at Thornberry by a bale of cotton falling on him and breaking his back. He has been in the hospital at Fort Worth for the past four months.

In making mention of the new members initiated into the order of Elks on the night of the 14th, the name of Mr. W. E. Skeen was unintentionally omitted. The error was called to our attention by a prominent Elk and the correction is made with pleasure.

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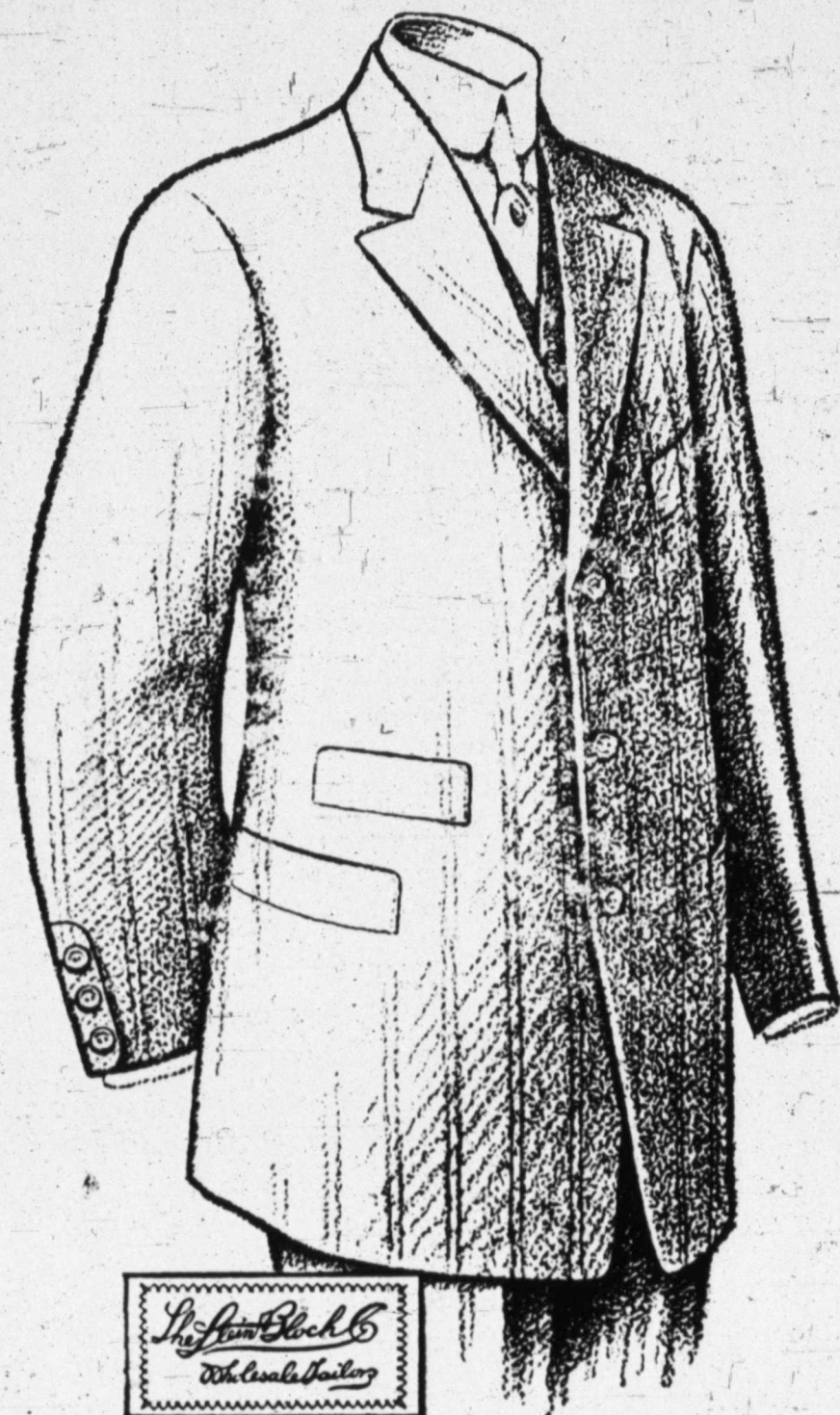
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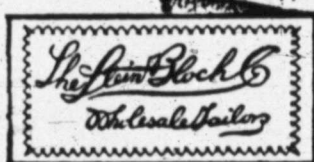


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