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LOT UNEARTHED AT CALCUTTA BEING INVESTIGATED BY THE AUTHORITIES.

SERIOUS CONSPIRACY

icers Believe the Assassination of General Kichener and a Revolution Was Planned.

Associated Press. Calcutta, India, May 4.-The police investigating a native plot revealhere yesterday to murder Europeans means of bombs and the more they into the matter the more serious widespread the conspiracy ap-Documents seized at the house here the bombs and explosives were ing manufactured, reveal that it was art of the plot to kill Lord Kichener, nmander in chief of the British es in India and other high officials. The authorities believe they have led an attempted revolution. A numof prominent Bengalese are implied and sensationa, arrests are ex-

Jakey, Mikey and Ikey" at Airdome.

(Press Agent's Noitce.) the Allen Curtis Musical Company opens its week en THAW SEEKS TO ement at the Airdome and it promto be the best attraction seen in nita Falls in a good many years. Jakey, Mikey and Ikey, is a mu al play full of mirth and music that the long and successful run of year in New York. It is very light plot, as musical plays generally are, it guarantees to keep its audience one continuous uproar of laughter

The comedians, Curtis, Clamage, a lot of comedians that are hard as laugh producers. Miss Mararries the reputation of being the this city today. chole life of the play. She sings and dances herself into the hearts of

The singing and dancing chorus, hich numbers twelve pretty young men, carry the reputation throughthe country of being the best picklot of show girls seen with a musi-

show this season. The costuming and electrical effects th this production are very elabormusic is of the latest New publication and of the whistling

company will change plays producing the latest and most eccessful New York and Chicago mual successes. The plays will be an-unced daily in the Times.

he Woman's Home Mission Society. The chicken ple dinner given by us aturday, May 2nd, was a great sucess, netting us over seventy dollars. We wish publicly to thank those patonizing us, those contributing and hose kindly placing their store at our disposal. We feel more than grate ful that it was all given so freely, with put question as to what purpose it should be used. 'inere are many calls

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We are striving to increase our memership, to encourage sociability in the edy, to extend a welcome hand to be "stranger within our gates," and o raise funds to carry on our great

or it, a dozen crying needs, and each

penny shall be spent to its very great-

Our work is not entirely local. We help support one dormitory at the Denton industrial college, besides the elp we send to the district missions. A MEMBER.

WITH STILLETTOES.

Band of Italians Laid in Ambush and Attacked Poles. y Associated Press

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 4.-A number of Poles and Italians engaged in a loody riot at Hudson near here today. Two Poles were fatally wounded and wo others badly hurt, while many were injured and carried away by their companions. The police are now searching for these men and expect o make arrests today.

The cause of the trouble was that

he Poles took the place of striking talians at nearby coal mines.

Today the Italians laid in ambush nd attacked the Poles with stillettoes.

Swedish Bark Ashore.

By Associated Press. Buenos Ayres, May 4.—The Swedish bark Svanhild, from Pensacola, as prelously reported, is ashore at English Bank and her cargo is a total loss. Iwo of the crew were drowned.

After a hunt of five hours, during which a general alarm was sent out to the police of Camden, N. J., a 2-year old baby was found asleep under a chair in the house of a friend some distance from the residence of the distance from the residence of the

THIRTY DAYS IN JAIL

Was Sentence Given Man Convicted of Running a Bucket Shop.

sy Associated Press. Washington, D. C., May 4.—Percy Wade, recently convicted for violating the gambling laws of the District of Columbia by conducting a "bucket shop," was today sentenced by Justice Barnard in the criminal court to serve thirty days in jail. Wade took an ap-

LAID ON THE TABLE.

peal and was released on bond.

Vreeland's Financial Bir. Tabled By a Vote of Thirteen to Three. By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C. May 4.-The house committee on banking and currency today voted thirteen to three to lay the new Vreeland financial bill on the table. Those voting in the negawere Representatives Burton, Weeks and McKinney.

School Trustees Elected.

In the election for school trustees for the Wichita Falls independent school district Saturday, the following were elected: M. J. Gardner, T. J. Taylor and W. J. Bullock.

A heavy beard grows on the right side of the face of G. L. Collier of Columbia, Mo., but the left side is en-tirely smooth. Scientists are puzzled.

REGAIN LIBERTY

By Associated Press.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May, 4.-Harry K. Thaw's fight for liberty was continued in the supreme court here today. Thaw will endeavor to prove his sanity and his right to complete freedom. The hooley, Lindley, Leonard and Figg proceedings which were begun today, are based upon the writ of habeas corpus taken out at the instance of the erite La Pente, the prima donna, is prisoner to procure his release from artist in her line. Miss Winifred the asylum. The writ was made rereene, the winsome little soubrette, turnable before Justice Morschauser in

"I have received from Mrs. William Thaw an outline of her position as to her son's detention in Matteawan," said Colonel Bartlett today. "Mrs. Thaw is a highly conscientious woman, and I am convinced that she would not favor her son's release were she not thoroughly satisfied that he is sane at the present time. In heraletter to me she said:

'At no time have I been reconciled to my son's detention in Matteawan, but the summary order of the court was so swiftly carried ou that there was no opportunity for remonstrance against committing an acquitted man to an asylum for the criminally insane. It has been my cherishe ddesire that my son accompany me to Europe. For this I have all the more patiently endured until the present time. not do for the impression to gain ground, as it would if not contradicted, on the eve of action, that the family, notably myself, is opposed to what Harry is doing."

In the Duchess County Jail.

By Associated Press. Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 4.—As a result of today's proceedings to secure the release of Harry Thaw, it was de cided that Thaw should not be returned to the Matteawan asylum while the hearing was in progress, but should be confined in the Duchess county jail.

Railroads Fined.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ill., May 4.—In ninety-five eases filed by the government against six railroad companies for violation of the twenty-eight hour law for transportation cattle, Judge Landis in the Unit-

ed States district court today imposed fines aggregating \$10,100. New program tonight at Majestic.

BOAT CAPSIZED 120 WERE DROWNED

3y Associated Press. St. Petersburg, May 4.—A ferry boat on the River Dneiper was capsized yesterday near Byhkoff in Mohileff and a hundred and twenty persons were drowned as a result. The boat was filled with passengers and their wives and children returning from church. It was overcrowded and became unmanageable in midstream. The passengers got into a state of panic and overturned the boat by crowding to one side. The passengers were swept

Hundreds of wild ducks are dying on the marshes near Lake Erie, death being due, examination has shown, to a small insect resembling a flea.

fully one han of them lost their lives

Katie Tuiseda, a Polish girl, died in Savannah as the result of blood poison- claimed, bought four million bushels

BAHLEY'S LEAD 18,613

LATER RETURNS REDUCE SENA-TOR'S MAJORITY FROM FIG-URES FIRST REPORTED.

STRENGTH IN OLD FIFTH

Senator's Old Congressional District Stands By Him-Anti Men Carry Home Counties.

Special to the Times.

Fort Worth, Tex., May 4.—Corrected returns up to noon today give Bailey 116,342 against Johnson's 97,629, giving a majority for Bailey of 18,613.

Special to the Times. Fort Worth, Tex., May 4.—Despite the claims of the Bailey campaign committee that the Senator's majority in Saturday's primar.es is from thirty to fifty thousand, complete reports from two hundred counties show that Bailey's exact majority is 18,613.

Only a very few boxes are out and they will not give in two hundred

Johnson carried just seventy-two counties, a really remarkable showing when it is known that Bailey declared publicly that Johnson would not carry fifteen counties.

Reports from Gainesville say that Senator Bailey is pleased with the result and will return to Washington in a day or two.

Riddle and Johnson also declare that they are pleased over the showing and will continue the struggle.

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This morning's Dallas News says: The News has reports from several counties which merely say that Johnson carried the county, but give no figures, or, in some cases, these reports state the majority by which he carried the county, without giving the figures polled by each ticket. In these cases it is impossible, of course, to include these counties in the tables for making up the totals. The counties from which such inadequate returns have been received are Scurry, Sterling Coke, Sutton, Schleicher, Irion and Mi-

The Johnson ticket seems to have carried the third, the fifth, the tenth and the eleventh congressional dis-(Continued on Page 7.)

TODAY'S MARKETS.

Special to the Times. Fort Worth, Tex., May 4.-The total cattle receipts today were 6,700. The market was generally steady.

Beef Steers-Receipts, 2,000, mostly grassers. Market active and higher at \$4.00@ \$5.55. Butcher Cows-Receipts 600.

ity fair. Market active at \$3.95@ \$5.50. Calves-Receipts 550. Quality fair: Market active and lower. Tops sold at \$4.50.

Hogs-Receipts, 2,600. Quality fair. Market active, but lower at \$5.300

Chicago Grain Market.

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53	53%	53%
47%	471/2	47%
37	37%	37%
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Local Grain Market.

The Wichita Mill is paying \$1.00 per bushel for No. 2 wheat; 65 cents per bushel for shelled corn and 55 cents per bushel for ear corn.

Big Advance in Futures.

Sy Associated Press.

New York, May 4.—Cotton futures made a sharp advance on the New York cotton exchange today, May options advancing 37 to 41 points above the closing figures Saturday and from 60 to 80 points above last week's low down the stream by the current and level.

> Corn Reaches High Point. By Associated Fress

Chicago, Ill., May 4.-Corn today on the Board of Trade touched 70% cents for May option. This is the highest figure since 1902. It is said that James Patten and W. H. Bartlett, who, it is ing, caused by swallowing wire hair of May delivery, are responsible for the The Christian Church Revival.

The revival at the skating rink was well attended yesterday at both ser vices, and there were four additions to the church.

Prof. Ridenour caught our people nicely and will be of great help to the song service.

G. L. Bush of Gainesville arrived this afternoon and spoke at 4 o'clock. He er of the Bush family. You should hear him regularly to appreciate him.

A sunbeam choir will be accepted him. will preach again tonight and on

A sunbeam choir will be organized as 4 p. m. All the children are invited to join this choir. The singers of all the churches are cordially invited to aid us in the song service.

Services each day at 4 and 8-p. m. Come and enjoy this feast of the soul with us.

A. J. BUSH, Pastor.

Attorneys C. C. Huff and J. T. Mont gomery are at Memphis, Texas, where they are interested in some cases in court there.

Complaint Withdrawn.

After investigating the charges against Jack Connelly, the actor who was arrested early Sunday morning upon a serious charge, County Attorney Greenwood yesterday morning came to the conclusion that the charges were without foundation and had the complaint withdrawn.

Beaver Creek, the only box in Saturday's primary not reported in yes Chairman Kiddle today announced terday's Times, cast one vote for Bal- appalling rapidity, drove him back. His that the anti-Balley committee had ley and six votes for Johnson. Balley's spent less than \$5,000 in the present total vote in the county was 423 and Johnson's 311, giving Senator Bailey a majority of 112. With the exceptions of the Frieberg and Beaver Creek boxes, the Fort Worth ticket headed by Senator Bailey had a majority in every box in the county.

So far as reported, Bailey delegates were also selected in all the precinct mass conventions. These delegates will meet in the court house at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon to select a delegate to the State convention in Fort Worth.

The complete unofficial vote in the Wichita county boxes was as follows:

City Hall—Bailey, 85; Johnson, 57; Court house—Bailey, 173; Johnson, 160. Iowa Park—Bailey, 69; Johnson, 5. Clara—Bailey, 3; Johnson, 1. Elec-tra—Bailey, 30; Johnson, 17. Allen-dale—Bailey, 6; Johnson, 4. Frieberg -Balley, o; Johnson, 10.

Bailey 423; Johnson, oil.

A Ten Per Cent Dividend. retary was read, showing the condition capes, and so were saved with comof the company and how the property parative ease. Soon the flames broke

had been handled during the past year. A resolution was offered by J. A. the fire escapes. Some of the more Kemp and seconded by W. F. Jourdan, hardy ones braved the flames and complimenting the manager for his made their way through smoke and successful management of the business flames down the iron stairways. for the past year.

On motion, all the old directors, consisting of Frank Kell, Ed. Howard, R. E. Huff, T. C. Thatcher, Wylie Blair, G. D. Anderson and N. Henderson were re-elected to serve, for the ensuing

The stockholders meeting then adjourned and a meeting of the directors was called.

On motion Frank Kell was re-elected president; Ed. Howard, vice president and general manager; G. D. Anderson, secretary and treasurer.

A dividend of 10 per cent was de-clared on all capital stock and the secretary authorized to issue each and every stockholder a check for the

NOMINATIONS FOR MAIL CARRIERS

Postmaster Bacon this morning for warded to the postoffice department at Washington the following nominations for city mail carriers: W. H. Bachman; Charles Nieman, Henry M. Campbell and Kelly A. H. Ross. In addition T. P. Norwood and George Barney were nominated as substitute carriers.

The nominations were made from the six applicants who received the highest grades in the civil service examination in this city several weeks

Charles Nieman, nominated for carrier, lives at Gainesville, and George Barney, nominated for substitute carrier, lives at Ennis. The others reside

in this city.

It is probable that the department will follow Mr. Bacon's recommenda-tions in the appointments and if the ap-plicants pass the physical examination required they will begin service on the 15th day of June, when free city mail delivery is inaugurated in Wichita

FORT WAYNE, IND., HOTEL GUT. TED BY FIRE AND MANY LIVES WERE LOST.

Blaze Leaped Through Elevator Shaft Like a Flash and Flery Barriers Cut Off Escape.

By Associated Press.

Fort Wayne, Ind., May 4.- Early to day the death roll of the Aveline hotel fire stood at eleven known dead, with several persons still unaccounted

At daylight the body of a man was recovered from the ruins. This was since Sunday evening. The body was identified as that of Charles Benjamin

of Detroit, Mich.
Of the dozen or more persons injured by burns or in leaping from the burning hotel, all are doing well, with the exception of E. M. Matthews of Columbus, Ohio, whose death is hourly expected. There are a number of persons yet missing, but their number and their identity is problematical, as the register and other guest records of the hotel were burned.

R. E. Trible of Dalhart, Texas, is among the missing.

The fire was first discovered at 3:30 clock in the elevator shaft by Night Clerk Ralph Pipkins. He rushed to the upper floors alarming the guests until the flames, which had spread with efforts, however, saved many lives: The hotel was erected half a century ago and the woodwork was dry as tinder. It burned like matchwood and, within a few minutes from the time the fire was discovered, the whole in-terior of the hotel was a mass of flames that filled the corridors and rooms with suffocating clouds of smoke and laid flery barriers across all means

of escape, save by the windows.

Leap From High Windows. The fire department resuced many by means of ladders, but some, frenzied by the onward rush of the flames. leaped from the high windows to the paved street. R. S. Johnson of Pana, Ill., jumped from the fifth story. His body struck a batcony and bounded far into the street. He was a crushed and Beaver Creek-Balley, 1; Johnson, bleeding mass when picked up and died a-short time later in St. Joseph's hospital. As the fury of the flames increased, men and women were seen in the windows of their rooms, where they wildly implored help. Some did not wait for the efforts of the firemen, and leaped to the street. Several At a meeting of the stockholders of the Times Publishing Company, held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms this afternoon, the report of the sec. from the windows, and curled about the fire escapes. Some of the more

General Dodge Coming.

General G. M. Dodge and a party of Fort Worth and Denver and Wichita Valley officials are expected to arrive here late this afternoon after the completion of their tour of inspection of the Wichita Valley road.

The party left Abuene at 9 o'clock this morning, where General Dodg who had been at El Paso, joined the other officials.

Frank Trumbull, president of the Colorado and Soutnern lines, spent several hours in the city yesterday en route from Fort Worth to Denver.

General Dodge will go north over the Denver, after spending a few minutes here today.

Undergoes Operation.

Sheriff Davis returned today from Fort Worth, where he has been attending his wife, who underwent an opera-tion last Friday. Mr. Davis informs us that his wife is doing as well as could be expected.

The six-months old infant of Marion Overturf and wife living on fee street died Saturday night and was buried in the Riverside cemtery yes-terday afternoon. Rev. W. F. Fry. of-

Nichols-Hardy.

At the home of Rev. R. E. Farley
Sunday morning, Miss Clara Hardy
and J. C. Nichols of the Mabeldean neighborhood were united in marriage.

The Baccalaurate sermon to the graduates from the Wichita Falls high school will be delivered by Rev. G. L. Bush of Gainesville next Sunday mark ing. The service will be held at the skating rink. More definite announce ments will appear later.

A cow swam thirty miles in the Massissippi river following the steamer Spread Eagle, which carried the ani-mal's calf. After the long swim the cow was rescued by fishermen.

GET YOUR NEW SPRING SUIT

NOW--and have the Pleasure of Wearing it the whole season

Last year's clothes won't do, however fine the woolens. They look their part, Lines are wrong, seams wrong, lapels wrong, stitching wrong, pockets wrong, sleeves wrong. The general appearance is very different from the new fashion plates, and the colors are passe. The art of tailoring is steadily progressing-this season's clothes are not only different—they are more pleasing.

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Visit to Wichita Falls:

Mayor Buie, President Hastings of the Commercial Club, R. L. Penick, a member of the street committee, and Secretary Wade of the Commercial Club recently spent a half day in Wichita Falls making a study of the street improvements there. They found hustling Wichita Falls had twenty-five miles of cement sidewalks, all of which are connected with ce ment crossings of uniform width.

sidewalks, based upon the general statutes and it is quite likely that Stamford will pass a similar ordinance. The thusiastic and say that they will not cars, seventy-two passenger cars and be satisfied until Stamford has as 123 cabooses. many sidewalks and street crossings and in addition will urge permanent street paving. The council and committee are now,

in correspondence with street paving men, some of whom will visit Stamford and as soon as the details can be agreed upon and an engineer selected, sidewalks and street paving will be taken up systematically. Are Already Paving.

Some citizens are not waiting for the general movement to begin. McHarg avenue is perhaps in the lead, but Ferguson street, which goes to the Wichi-ta Valley and will lead to the union station, is a close second, and the property owners on that street say that they are going to take the lead.

Contracts have already been et for cement sidewalks on Ferguson street to the Wichita Valley station on the east side of the street and this work will begin at a very early date. Other portions of the town are also worked up over the movement and the interest is growing.-Stamford News.

On this beautiful sun-kissed Sabbath morning when the good Lord and all His radiant angels are with us in Heavenly Houston-the City of Anthems-it is a sweetly solemn thought that down in the turbid tides of the unresting gulf the horde of Gruetites. who have disturbed Texas are lashed by the purging waves. We hated to do it, but the sword of the Lord and Gideon was placed in our hands and ed to look the sharks in the face.-Sunday's Houston Pest.

In 1906 the receipts of the Shantung Railroad company amounted to \$1,010. 706 and expenses to \$424,870, and a 41/2 per cent dividend was paid to stock-holders. The pasenger rates are 2.5 cents first class, 1.3 cents second class and .4 of a cent gold third class.

According to the report of the geo-logical survey of British India the pro-duction of coal in that country in 1907

Interesting Items. Brazil is using an immense amount of cement, but none of it from the Unit-

ed States.

-Italy's imports from this country are not quite \$67,000,000 a year, and ours from that country are only \$36,000,000.

Belgium is now importing yearly about \$1,500,000 worth of automobiles, motor cycles and bicycles. These imports have been quadrupled in four Wichita Falls has an ordinance on years.

America in 1906 supplied the South Manchurian railway with 50.955 tons Stamford citizens who made an investi- of steel rails, 7,422 tons of bridge magation at Wichita Falls came back en. Iterials, 205 locomotives, 2,040 freight

> The boys of the Kishoregamz school football team recently refused to play for a cup on the ground that it was of foreign manufacture. As a result, 12 of the head scholars were expelled

> In 1906 the imports of wheat and flour into the United Kingdom were 78 per cent of the total supply. In 1905 the imports were 35 per cent and in France 3 per cent. In the United King-dom in 1996 the imported supplies of meat were 47 per cent.

It is related that in passing through her husband's library recently the attention of the Empress of Japan was attracted by a peculiar-looking ma-chine. On learning that it was a typewriter and having it explained to her, she became interested and began to hit the keys. Now it is said she does the the correspondence for the Emperor.

A golden eagle supposed to be the oldest ever captured in this locality was shot by George Bates in the Crow Creek District. From the tall feathers of the bird and other characteristics Curator Adams of the State Normal School, believes the bird at least seventy-five years old. It measured over six feet from tip to tip and will be mounted.—Greely correspondence Denver Republican.

It is reported that Queen Alexandra of England, Queen Maude of Norway, the Czarina and the Queen of Portugal we had to smite them. But when we are all fond of using the typewriter in think of the mess we have driven into corresponding with their intimates. It the chasms of the deep, we are asham- is probable that all of them put together do not use the machine as much as Carmen Sylva, the Queen of Rou-mania, who rattles off her poems and stories on a typewriter.

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THE STOCK MARKET.

Accuracy of the Exchange in the

Barring the case of manipulation, which carries its own remedy and which is one of the evils of speculation, the stock market tells the truth. Temporarily indications may be misteading. but it is eventually shown that its analysis of events is correct. The silent panic of March, 1907, was a premise of the panic of November. Dur ing the intervening seven mouths prices dropped steadily, showing plainly that there was a weakness in the financial and industrial structure. The utter foolishness of blaming speculation for the downward movement is obvious The stock market with its de recont of prices said as plainly as it was pos sible to say: "Danger! Stand from up

Something similar happened in 1893 Bradstreet's for July 29, 1893, shows that twenty representative stocks fell' on an average 45 points, or more than 50 per cent, between January and July This mitigated the effect of the panic.

One of the most striking illustrations of the cold blooded accuracy of the exchange is recorded by Proudhon in the Speculator's Manual, published at Paris in 1857, in which he shows that in the later days of Napoleon and the restoration, while French patriotism was at white heat, prices on the bourse advanced with each victory of the allies, reflecting the belief that the defeat of Napoleon meant more for France than the success.—John Paul Ryan in Metropolitan Magazine.

ROYAL SCHOOLMASTERS.

Kings Who Turned to Teaching to Make a Living.

In the early part of the life of King Christian 1X, of Denmark there was no prospect of his ever becoming the ruler of that country. With this in view he became a schoolmaster at the German university of Halle.

Being too poor to keep a servant, the Dowager Czarina Dagmar of Russia, one of his daughters, used to help her mother to do the household work and take care of the younger children. During this period there were King Frederick VII, and several others in the direct line of succession that stood before Prince Christian; but, by a succession of deaths that occurred, he became the heir apparent, and after the death of King Frederick VII. In 1863 he was proclaimed King Christian IX. of Denmark.

Another instance of a similar nature is that of Louis Philippe. During the time he was exiled from France, then being the Duc de Chartres, he became a teacher of mathematics, and geography in Switzerland. About thirty-six or thirty-seyen years afterward, on Ang. 9, 1830, he was proclaimed King Louis-Philippe of the French.—London Answers.

Puzzling Differences In Weights.
Which is heavier, a pound of feathers
or a pound of lead? They weigh the

Which is heavier, a pound of feathers or a pound of silver? The pound of feathers is heavier, because feathers are weighed by avoirdupois weight, which has 7,000 grains to the pound, while the precious metals are weighed by troy weight, which has only 5,760 grains to the pound.

Which is heavier, an ounce of feathers or an ounce of silver? An ounce of silver, because in the troy ounce there are 480 grains, while in the avoirdupois ounce there are only 437½ grains. The avoirdupois pound of 7,000 grains is divided into sixteen ounces, while the lighter troy pound of 5,760 grains is divided into twelve heavier ounces.

The First "Coin Sweater."

"Coin sweating," which so often figures in the Old Bailey calendar, is a very, very old crime. More than six centuries before Christ there was a coin sweater, one Alexander of Byzantium. He was chief officer of the public treasury, and he amassed an immense and sudden fortune by "clipping" the money in so skillful a manner that his frauds could only be discovered by weighing. The Byzantines gave him the nickname of "The File" from his making such dextrous use of that tool, whence probably comes the modern term of "file" applied to thleves, pickpockets and cunning hardheaded scoundrels - Pearson's Weekly.

Just Breaking In.

Up to the age of sixteen Dick had retained the proper scorn for things feminine; then he went to dancing school and fell smitten by the charms of several youthful Eyes. Accordingly Dick approached his father and requested theater tickets for two.

Father complied and merely asked as he turned over the seats, "Which girl is it?"

"I'm going to take Mabel," responded Dick.
"Then she's the one you like best?"

"Then she's the one you like best?" father continued.

Dick turned a superior and pitying eye upon his parent. "Oh, no; I don't like her best! You don't understand the situation, father. It isn't the girl I care about. It's the experience I want."—New York Times.

Light, Appetizing Spring Foods

When you have the spring fever it takes a different kind of food to satisfy you and energize you than it does in the winter.

The heavy toods must be dropped and lighter and more cooling foods eaten

. These are about the best we know of :

Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes, crisp and delightful, good with or without cream, 10c per package.

Dr. Price's Celery Flake Food, an excellent wheat preparation.

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"Yes," she told her friends on return ing to the village, "Louisy took me to the opery, and it certainly was a sight. It was real interesting looking round before it begun, and I enjoyed it some afterwards, too; really I did. There was so many folks in it and such a lot of going and coming and marching and

grouping it made quite a picture. "And the music, too-some of it had quite a swing to it, most as good as a p'rade. But it went on and on and on. and I begun to get pretty tired of it. and it kep' on and on, and I got tireder and tireder.

"You see, 'twa'n't like a cantata at home, where you know the folks. That's different. It don't matter then how long the story strings out, and singing any kind o' story does string it out ridiculous; but, knowing the folks, there's always something interesting you can turn your mind to and for

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"Then I always find it kind o' entertaining to watch out for Lonny Raker's gold front tooth to flash when he opens wide on a top note, and oh, well, you know how 'tis. There's al-

by the end of an hour of bang and tootle and tum-te-tum and tra-la-la I'd had all I wanted, and but for hurting Louisy's feelings I'd ha' left. She says 'twas grand, and I dare say 'twas, but give me the town hall and home talent every time."-Youth's Companion.

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The latest election returns confirm majority would be less than 20,000 in rendition of their property values and the State, and it must be remembered voting was done under a strict party test, which was prescribed by the State Democratic Executive Committee, a majority of which was in vote, and it safe to say but few other ness is more publicity and it is the than democrats offered to vote. Con-railroads turn to deal. The Telegram sidering that the Ba. ey forces had al-

most complete control of the party ma-chinery, the Waco ticket, in polling 45 per cent of the democratic vote, has not done so bad. It was the first real test. Until the proper time comes for another to be made, the matter should be dropped.

Both Sides to Blame.

In a clear-sighted review of the rail road situation in the United States at the present time, a contributor to the Broadway Magazine says what is now most needed is a series of public conferences in different parts of the country so that the whole matter may be thoroughly thrashed out. There are three big facts, says the author of this article, on which all parties must soon er or later agree

1. The railways have been guilty of many offenses. In the one item of rebating, they have been persistent law-breakers for twenty years. They fer a favor by reporting same to the have given special favors to the big shippers. They have been too reck less in watering their stock, and in playing the Wall street game. Worst of all, they have controlled and corgangs of lobbyists and by having their own partisans elected to public office. All the trouble that the railway men are suffering at present from politics nothing more than the inevitable back swing of the pendulum.

2. The railways have been terribly punished. Thei rtraffic has fallen off ten million dollars a week. have lost their political grip in at least three States out of four. The interstate commerce commission, and forty-three State commissions, suddenly become seats of authority. Their stocks are selling at half-price. They need money for improvements-'A billion a year for five years," says J. J. Hill; but they are unable to borrow it. They have been fined and regu-of red tape. Seven railroads, with six thousand miles of track and half a billion dollars of liabilities, are now in the hands of receivers

> The railways and the people must learn to co-operate, for neither can prosper in the long run, at the expense of the other. stage coach and the canal boat are gone forever. The railroad is an ab solute necessity to the people; and the people are an absolute necessity to the railroad. In a country as vast and as highly civilized as ours, the railroads ate the veins and arteries through which flow the life blood of the na-

Of the three propositions stated, only the last shows the weakness of Utopianism. Both sides in the struggle between the railroads and the people are to blame, but the question of co-operation between them is a problem somewhat large for even magazine writers to attempt to solve.

Supposing that the question of cooperation is dropped and in its place there be substituted a mutual spirit of fairness. Such a spirit would require of the people having privileges to give. the railroads that they demand an honest return for those privileges; and on the other hand, since railroads increased the taxable values of the whole community, they ought to receive the benefit of a lower rate of taxation than other industrial corporations. Fairness on the part of the rallroads would require that with the privilege of lower taxation rate and less restrictions what the Times said editorially Sunthat are imposed on other industrial day morning-that Senator Bailey's enterprises, they would make a full would so endeavor to obey the spirit as well as the letter of the laws that the people would not constantly be at the expense of costly prosecutions to

force the railroads into obedience. Several months ago the Telegram favor of Senator Bailey. Under this pointed out that the first step toward strict test none but democrats could attaining that desirable mutual fair-

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penditures they are making and have made and take the public into their confidence, at least to some extent, about their earnings, much better feel

ing will begin to prevail on both sides. President Trumbull of the Fort Worth and Denver is a believer in this policy and in a recent article appear ing in the Telegram it was frankly admitted by the Denver road that it is holding its own in the matter of earnings this year as it did last. On the other hand it is as frank to tell of its plans for spending \$700,000 in im-

More publicity, not of the specula tive or theoretical variety, but the pub-licity which deals with simple facts, will be of value both to the railroads and the people. It will lead to a better understanding on both sides and a better understanding is a prime essential before the desirable mutual spirit of fairness can be secured.

Sure Enough Hogs.

Mose, the darky cook of a party of surveyors in eastern Texas, was great ly approved by the razorback bogs that roamed around the camp. One evening while he was at the spring a particularly ravenous band of these "piny woods rooters" raided the cook tent and ate-up everything that was edible and some things that weren't. For several moments after his return from the spring Mose could find no words to express his feelings. "Waal," he finally exclaimed, "de good Lawd subtainly knowed his business when he named hawgs 'hawgs!' Dev sho' is hawgs!"-Everybody's Magazine.

Amenities of the Fair Sex. Mrs. A.-I thought Mrs. C. was friend of yours. Mrs. B .- And so she is. Mrs. A.-Well, she isn't. She's a hypocrite. Mrs. B.-How do you know that? Mrs. A.-Because she tried to get me to say something mean about you. Mrs. B .- She did? How? Mrs. A.-Why, she asked me to tell her what I really thought of you.—Chicago News.

Bobby's Reason. Little Bobby was saying his prayers at his mother's knee, but so rapidly that she asked him why he did not speak more slowly.

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Carry Home Counties.

All of the men who were candidates for delegates at large on the Johnson ticket seem to have carried their home countles, the only doubt being as to The returns from that Harris county ounty last night indicated that the ohnson ticket had been successful, Smith, Johnson's home county, went McLennan for him overwhelmingly. ounty, the home of Cullen Thomas, which he ran, while Erath county, the home of Hon. Lee Young, also showed a partiality for the Johnson ticket. Of the candidates for delegate at large on the Bailey ticket, Senator Bailey himself and perhaps Mr. Storey were the only ones to carry their home counties; Judge Brooks lost Dallas, while Tom Grene county, the home of Col. Andrew Jackson Baker, joined with the enemy.

Johnson Carries Johnson. Johnson county went for Hon. Cone Johnson, and it might be added that box No. 2 in Cleburne, wher eHon. D. W. Odell and Judge William Poindex ter cast their ballots, also gave a majority for the Waco ticket. The town of Bailey, named after him, gave Sena-tor Bailey its majority.

Bailey's Majority Stender. That Senator Bailey's majority in the State, considering the size of the vote, is an extremely slende rone, far as the present returns reveal the fact, may be shown in two ways. For example, the returns show that he got only 541/2 per cent of the total vote cast. The same fact may be shown by referring to the vote given to him in the old Fifth district. Here his majorities were overwhelming, and with out the partiality it may be assumed he enjoyed in those counties, it might have been that his majority would have been so small as to have left the result in doubt even till now, old Fifth district, when Senator Bailey was its representative, was composed of Rockwall, Collin, rannin, Grayson, Denton, Montague, Cooke and Wise These eight counties gave nim a majority of 10,948, which is more than half of the whole majority.

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er, chaplain and gorgeously liverled

coachmen and footmen. The forms

have been changed, and the visit is

now pald to the high court, but the

spirit of the act remains, for the lord

mayor opens his term in the Mansion

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The instrument used for expressing

this traditional idea is an old fash-

loned cocked hat. When the lord may-

or in his splendid robes of office en-

ters the high court with his retinue in

costume he solemnly lifts his cocked

hat three times from his head and sa-

lutes the lord chief justice and the

The judges always wear robes and

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day they have also a flat black cap,

which can be slipped over the top of

the wig. The lord chief justice and his

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they would place the crown on a level

The lord mayor, with his retinue,

then visits the judges in other courts

to invite-them to the Guildhall ban-

quet. When the rustling noise of the

procession is heard each judge fumbles

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of black cloth and crowns his wig

with it. The lord mayor takes off his

three cornered hat three times, and the

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Bryan's Representative Sees Situation in Different Light.

Washington Correspondent in Houston

Washington, D. C., May 2 .- Frederick B. Lynch, treasurer of the democratic State committee of Minnesota and manager of Governor John A. Johnson's campaign, is in Washington meeting democrats. Mr. Lynch states that he has to learn the first thing that even remotely discourages the rect. hopes he has for his candidate's success at the democratic national con-

"I am a little inclined to notice the rumor that a few o. Mr. Bryan's friends have expressed a wish to have the Denver convention abolish the ancient and time-honored two-thrids rule in case it becomes necessary to insure Mr. Bryan's nomination.

do not believe, in the first place that Mr. Bryan would sanction such extraordinary change from established usages, and it he did I do not believe many of his adherents would join him in so doing. It is one thing to have admirers, friends and supporters, but there is a limit beyond which political friendship will not venture.

The two thirds rule applies to Judge Gray, Judge Judson Harmon, Governor Johnson and all candidates before the national convention, and before radi cal action could be taken all the can didates should be consulted and the matter discussed by the friends of all the candidates. Then, if by common consent, it were thought advisable there could be no objection.

Not in Interest of Single Person. 'It is surely understood by all demo crats that the Denver convention is not to be held in the interest of any one No one candidate has the monopoly of the true and genuine spirit of democracy and the mighty hosts. are to meet there to do the very best

for the party and the country. Calmness and fairness should inspire every act, from the temporary to the perma-nent organization, and running all through the appointment of commit-There is another thing to be reck oned with, and that is the second

choice question. Would it seem reasona delegation which was instructed for Bryan to consent to abolish the two-thrids rule in his interest. ignoring the minority in the State from which the delegation comes which had its expression in declaring for a sec ond choice? Another factor might enter into

an attempt to abrogate the two-thirds rule, and that is the resistance of those delegates who were instructed before all the candidates had announced and whose political sympathies have shifted. This change of heart would not cause disobedience to instructions, but it would manifest itself in marked degree-in the event any unfair advantage were proposed.

"I want to say that there is too much independence in a democratic National view is that the delegates instructed convention to brook unreasonbale dictation or unfair methods and no man, Governor Johnson or Mr. Bryan, could force such action if he desired.

I can say for Governor Johnson that he bears no malice, no rancor or anything but the kindest feeling for Mr. to state how many delegates are in-Bryan and the othed candidates, and structed for Johnson, and in what, if he would be pained to know that any passion would be exhizited in the Na. name has been mentioned.

"Governor Johnson thinks that the

concensus of the best judgment of the convention should prevail, as success is the watchword, the sine qua non that animates the democratic breast.

We have a fine chance to win this year. Let us improve our opportunities and refute the charge, often merited, that democrats always can be trusted to do the foolinsh thing."

Abbott Disputes Lynch's Claims Willis J. Abbott, who is regarded as Mr. Bryan's personal representative in Washington, takes gissue with Mr. Lynch as to Johnson's chances for the

nomination. "Just by way of discussing his theo ry that Mr. Bryan will not have half of the delegates in the Denver convention, let me point out what he has laimed in order to prove his proposi-To begin with he claims all un tion. instructed delegations are anti-Bryan delegations. This is notoriously incor-Seven out of eight of the uninstructed delegates from Rhode Island are pronounced Bryan men; ten out of vention, which is to be held in Denver, the, fourteen uninstructed delegates from Connecticut are strenuous Bryan The refusal to instruct was not due to any hostility to Mr. Bryan, but to the essential conservatism of East ern democrats, which has merely manifested itself in this way. Mr. Lynch claims all of the New England states. The only two that have acted are send ing Bryan delegates, while the primaries in Massachusetts. were swept from one end of the state to the other by the Bryan forces, and the delegation from that'state will be for him. Mr. Lynch

> I do not know his experience in politics, though it must be quite comrehensive, as he says it is not work for children or youngsters. But nobody can tell wha that New York delecation will do. New York has never nstructed for anybody except a New York candidate, and the fact that it s uninstructed now is not indicating hat it will not vote for Mr. Bryan the first ballet. The New York Herald , which is not a Bryan paper and which is nearer the scene of ac ion than Mr. Lynch of Minnesota says New-York will vote for Bryan He claims Pennsylvania. Now Min nesota is a long way from Pennsylva-Washington and New York are

claims New York

The Situation in Pennsylvania.

"I am informed, both by letter and through the personal interviews with democrats who have led the revolt against Colonel Guffey, who is pushing the Johnson canvass there, that fifty-one out of the sixty district delegates in that state who have already been elected are for Bryan. Mr. Lynch lays great stress on the action of Michigan when the State committee refused to endorse Bryan by a majority one vote. Incidentally Michigan is State that has never been carried for a democratic presidential ticket And yet he ighored the action of the West Virginia State committee, which ndorsed Bryan by a vote of ten to five, and the action of the Ohio State committee, which also indorsed him.

My own information is that notwithstanding his statement, every Pacific coast State will send a Bryan delegation. While it is wholly probable that some of the Southern States may not instruct, the friends of Mr. Bryan utterly refuse to accept an uninstruct-

ed delegation as a Johnson delegation. One fact which Mr. Lynch failed to bring out in his very convincing interfor Bryan or known to be favorable to of which was one red one, and this him now exceed two hundred and thir-

There are six delegates instruc ed for Judge Gray. Perhaps the next time that Mr. Johnson's representative is interviewed he will be kind enough any, State convention, Mr. Johnson's

profuse antiquarian remains of the great city, are forgotten carent quia vate sacro.- London Spectator.

Had Practiced. Cardinal Richelieu once listened to an earnest sermon by a shoemaker. The man was simple and unaffected and apparently not at all dismayed by the presence of the cardinal;

"How could you preach to me with so much confidence?" Richelieu asked him in evident surprise.

"Monsigneur," replied the shoemaker, "I learned my sermon by reciting it to a field of cabbage heads in the midst practice enabled me to preach to you."

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Probably one of the most important and early assassinations was that of Philip of Macedon, which occurred in the year 336 B. C. Not only did it terminate the career of one of the most remarkable men of his time, but it led to the accession of Alexander the Great, an event which very likely would not have taken place at all had Philip continued to rule and had him-

self selected the successor to his throne. Philip of Macedon then was at the height of his power, and the battle of Chaeronea had made him the undisputed master of Greece. When leaving the theater in which his sister had been united in marriage to Alexander, king of Epirus, a man sprang toward the ruler and thrust a sharp, short sword into his side. As the assassin ran toward a swift horse his sandal caught in a vine stalk, and his pursuers killed him with their spears and tore him to

Olympias, his former wife, was said to have aided in the conspiracy. This assassination, one of the earliest in point of time, bore a strong resemblance in its surroundings to that which claimed President Abraham Lincoln's life. In both cases there was an individual murderer, the scene was a theater, the act was done with incredible audacity in the presence of a large concourse of people, and the murderer was crippled by a misstep after the fatal blow.

In the history of ancient Rome there stands out one political assassination which marks the first occasion on record in which the conflicting economical interests of different classes in a republic were settled by resort to the weapon of the assassin. This was the murder of Tiberius Graechus, which soon was followed by the enforced sulcide of his brother, Caius Gracchus. This deed was the direct result of the former's attempt to enforce an agrarian law passed as an act of justice to the poorer classes of Roman citizens.

In the turmoil that attended the voting of the tribes Tiberius was struck down to death by one of his own colleagues, a tribune of the people. This chapter of death was written in 133 B. C. History has dealt at length with the assassination of Julius Caesar on the ides of March-the 15th of the month-in the year 44 B. C., and of the Import of this event in the history of ancient Rome.

At the time of the assassination of Julius Caesar the Roman people had reached a degree of perversity and degeneracy almost impossible of modern comprehension. His death had a most demoralizing effect upon the people. The hand of the master who might have controlled the unruly masses and restrained the degenerate nobility lay palsied in death. Later events had their mainspring from this source, and the years from 37 to C8 A. D. were marked by the assassinations of Tiberlus, Caligula, Claudius and Nero .-New York Herald.

A Lost Compliment.

An eminent singer of foreign birth whose appetite is such that it almost rivals the fame of his voice dined at a table where all the women were reasonably mature, with the exception of the nineteen-year-old daughter of his host, who sat at the great man's left. The artist paid avid attention to his plate until the latter stages of the repast, when the dishes began to come slowly enough for him to engage in conversation with the young person, to whom in the Latin manner be paid a asin compliment, assuring her in her rivate ear that to him she "seemed like a flower among vegetables."

"Then I can scarcely hope to occupy first place in your thoughts at dinner,' she responded demurely.

And the eminent singer could not think of an answer.-Harper's Weekly.

He Got It.

"If Groucher ever comes around your place borrowing anything," said Wise. "don't let him have it."

"You've spoken too late," said Huskie. "He was around yesterday." "You're easy. What was he borrow

"Trouble. He's in the hospital today."-Philadelphia Press.

Responsible For It All.

Hewitt-I never should have had any trouble with my wife if it hadn't been for that man. Jewett-How did he make trouble? Hewitt-He married us. -New York Press.

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BIRD VISION.

keener eyesight than does man. It is a fact that the eyesight of man is go

ing to get worse in the future and is getting worse all the time—that is, we

are growing more near sighted. The occupations of a majority of men in cities compel them to do their work at very close range. This removes the

pecessity of the farsighted eyes with

which most men are endowed. It is

probably a good thing that we are be-

As an example of the visual capacity

of some birds one has to think for a moment of a hawk poised several hundred yards above a meadow in which

a field mouse or a small chicken is bidden. In a few seconds after the quarry is sighted it is seized by the

bird, whose sharp sight has not only

detected it, but whose wonderful ac-

commodative apparatus permits of a sure and continuous fixation from hundered dreds of meters to less than a meter

within an incredibly short space of

time. Variations in the character of

this acute vision are seen in many other birds—in the humming bird, that darts here and there so quickly that the human eye cannot follow it and yet comes suddenly to rest on an almost invisible twig; in the woodcock, that flits through the dark woods,

avoiding every tree, shrub and branch

as if they were nonexistent; in the owl,

that combines good diurnal with good

nocturnal vision, and in the kingfisher, that sees as well in the air as he does in water.—Dr. C. A. Wood in Chicago

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CURES FOR LOVE.

Absence is one of the means of curing love. Two thousand years ago Ovid advised his readers who wished to cure themselves of an unlucky attachment to flee the capital, to travel, beat or till the soil.

"Love," said Coleridge, "Is a local anguish. I am fifty miles away and not half so miserable."

But other men have found that absence increases love. La Rochefoucauid probably hit upon the truth when he said that "absence destroys weak passions, but increases strong ones, as the wind extinguishes, a candle, but blows up a fire." If the love is all fancy and has little strength it may be cured by personal contact with the object. But the safer plan perhaps is to keep out of the way; hence travel is a good expedient. Business perhaps is a better one. Ovid said, "If you desire to end your love employ yourself and you will conquer, for love flees business."

Still another expedient is reflection upon the unhappiness of married life.

A man in search of this view can find it everywhere. Addison said that "beauty soon grows familiar to the lover, fades in his eye and palls amon the sense," and Hazlitt that, "though familiarity may not breed contempt, it takes the edge off admiration."

Goethe said, "With most marriage it does not take long for things to assume a very piteous look." But none of these men married happily. Goldsmith said. "Many of the English marry in order to have one happy month in their lives," and Colley Cibber. "Oh. how many torments lie in the small circle of a wedding ring!"

But undoubtedly the best way to get rid of one love is to have another. "All love may be expelled by love as poisons are by other poisons," says Dryden. Heine says: "The most effective antidote to woman is woman. In such a case the medicine is often more noxious than the malady, but it is at any rate a change, and in a disconsolate love affair a change in the immorata is unquestionably the best policy."

More Oratory Wanted.

The remark made on a prolix Scotch counsel when some one observed that he was "surely wasting a great deal of time" is among the wittlest of bar an ecdotes: "Time! He has long exhausted time and has encroached upon eternity!"

It is seidom, to do the judges justice, that they encourage this failing in counsel. But in Cockburn's memoirs we are told how a dull and common-place advocate was almost frightened out of his wits by an observation of Lord Meadowbank, who thought his style undignified, "Declaim, sir. Why don't you declaim? Speak to me as if I were a popular assembly."—St. James' Gazette.

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transacting business here today.

After a two months stay at Marlin,

A. E. Holley returned yesterday, greatly improved in health. J. B. Stamps of Gilmore, Texas, is in

the city, the guest of his cousin, Mr. V. G. Skeen, and family.

Mrs. J. W. Stone left this afternoon for Denver, to have her little son, Rob-

ert Allen, treated by a specialist.

Mrs. W. L. Yauger and daughter,

Mrs. W. D. Tyson, of Iowa Park, were in the city today, the guests of Dr. and

Mr. R. L. Yates of the Fort Worth and Denver of this city, left this afternoon for Memphis, Texas, to attend

A. Bell of Dyersburg, Tenn., are the study plans.

Miss Bertha Taylor of Holliday, who lech of this city, returned to her home this afternoon.

A. Newby, vice president of the City National bank of this city, has returned from San Antonio, where he had been for the benefit of his health.

Mr. T. G. Stearns of the Beaver Creek netghborhood, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Montie, are in the city visiting relatives.

Railroad Gossip.

A rumor which has not been confirmthe Wichita Falls and Northwestern by railroad offices as soon as complet-is soon to be extended from Frederick, ed, it is stated. Oklahoma, into Greer county, Oklahoma, and that the work on the extension

will begin this summer.

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Stamford, Tex., May

greater activity in sidewars transacting business in the city today. Iton in Stamford now than ever be-George T. Darling of Electra was fore. The city council says to the prop-shaking hands with friends here today. erty owners on a block that if they E. M. Bledsoe of Talbot; Texas, was will build permanent sidewalks the city will put in street crossings, and Mrs. J. P. Jackson left this morning for Carrolton and Dallas to visit religible will be sidewalk building.

The council is negotiating with an engineer to fix the grades and as soon as engaged, the work will be pushed rapidly.

The commercial club passed a strong resoultion indorsing the movement, urging the council to use the money that will soon be at its command for permanent street paving and crossings.

The president appointed the following men as a street improvement committee to act with a like committee from the city council: C. M. Patillo, R. L. Penick, R. V. Colbert, P. P. Berthelot and T. M. Richardson Jr. This committee was appointed at the request of the city council. These men are among the leading business W. T. Walker and daughter, Mrs. R. men and have given the subject much study and are losing no time in making

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