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## INCREASE WILL BE ONE HALF MILLION

ESTIMATES OF CITY TAXABLE VALUES FIX TOTAL AT THE SUM OF \$3,500,000.

## WILL HEAR COMPLAINTS

Board of Equalization Will Be in Session Friday to Consider the Citizens' Protests.

Taxable values for Wichita Falls are expected to reach the sum of three and one-half millions, according to estimates made at the city hall. The Board of Equalization will meet Friday to hear the complaints of those whose assessments have been raised and as soon as these are disposed of, the totals will be known.

An increase of about half a million over 1908 is looked for. This is a much smaller increase than that of 1908 over 1907, which was about a million. Last year's valuations totaled \$2,995,786. If the 1909 assessments are half a million higher, as is predicted, they will nearly reach the three and a half million mark.

Some idea of the increase is obtained from the fact that the total increases in the valuations of property owners whose names begin with the initials 'B' and 'C' amount to \$60,000. Probably the names of about one-tenth of the property owners in Wichita Falls begin with either B or C, and with that as a basis for the estimate, the totals will near the six hundred thousand mark. A large part of this, of course, is represented by actual improvements on the property listed.

With three and a half million dollars taxable values the city's income for the next year will amount to about twenty-three thousand dollars.

## ALLEGED TRAIN WRECKERS CAUGHT NEAR EL PASO.

Texas News Service Special.  
El Paso, Tex., July 14.—Sheriff Chastain and two rangers today brought Paltallon Ramos, Roscalo Esquivel and Tiburcio Esquivel from Marfa to El Paso. They are charged with wrecking the Southern Pacific train Monday evening by opening a switch. They are section hands and had a disagreement with the foreman.

## FOUR NEGRO CHILDREN AT WACO ARE BADLY BURNED.

Texas News Service Special.  
Waco, July 14.—The four negro children of Jack Baker are in a critical condition today as a result of burns received last night, when the mother locked the children in the house and went to church. A lamp exploded and the children were so badly burned that they will die.

## AGED VETERAN FOUND DEAD IN ROOM IN FORT WORTH.

Texas News Service Special.  
Fort Worth, Tex., July 14.—John A. Arnold, aged 63 years, a bookkeeper and a Confederate veteran, was found dead in bed at his boarding house this morning, death being due to natural causes. He was a member of the petty jury in the Forty-eighth district court, which adjourned for his funeral.

## Prayer Meeting.

Lest you forget, I wish to remind you of the prayer meeting tonight at 8:30. J. W. Bradley leads and the subject is "For What Are You Living In This World?" Come and worship with us. A baptism at the close of the praise service.

A. J. BUSH, Pastor.

Auditorium Tonight.  
Bell and Washburn in "A Crazy Mixture." Motion pictures. Illustrated song. Music by the orchestra. Admission, 15c. Children, 10c.

## JULY WHEAT ADVANCES IN CHICAGO MARKET

Chicago, Ill., July 14.—Wheat for July delivery advanced five cents a bushel on the board of trade today, jumping to \$1.25 during the first half hour's trading. The bulge was due to covering and to bad harvest operations in the West and Southwest.

Chicago, Ill., July 14.—Before the close, July wheat touched \$1.27, a gain of 7 cents over previous session.

## IS ROBBED OF PURSE CONTAINING \$35 IN CURRENCY.

A. J. Smith of Valentine, Texas, complained to the police today that he had lost his pocketbook containing \$35 and some valuable papers. While stopping at a local rooming house with his daughter, he placed the purse between the sheets on his bed and he says it was still there when he arose this morning. He forgot it when he went out to breakfast with his daughter at a restaurant and did not miss it until he started to pay his bill. He hopes to recover the purse and money without delay.

## BAD BOYS STEAL CLOTHES WHILE PLUMBERS ENJOY SWIM.

A party of plumbers went in the river for a swim late yesterday and while they sported themselves in the stream, some boys appropriated the pants of several of the swimmers, making away with them. Fortunately, two of the swimmers' pants were not taken and these went in search of the missing clothes. They were unsuccessful and were compelled to borrow some pants from a nearby house to get home in. Later it was learned that the trousers were taken for a joke.

## WILL SPRINKLE STREETS WITH OIL HEREAFTER.

Beginning tomorrow oil will be used for sprinkling the city's streets and relief from the dust is hoped for. The oil not only lays the dust more thoroughly than water, but it dries much more slowly and is in many respects more satisfactory.

## TEHRAN FIGHTING STILL CONTINUES

By Associated Press.  
Teheran, July 14.—Fighting in the streets here became more serious at midnight last night, when the Cossacks opened heavy artillery fire on the Nationalists from the north and east. The Nationalists succeeded in occupying the garden close to the house of Col. Lozhoff, where they are now being shelled by the Cossacks. The rifle and artillery fire has been practically continuous since yesterday morning. The Shah's troops are endeavoring to enter the city by one of the northern gates.

## PIPE HAS ARRIVED FOR EXTENSION TO CEMETERY.

The pipe for the extension of the water mains to the cemetery has arrived in the city and work will be started laying it without delay. It is hoped to have the work completed by August 1. The funds for this extension were raised by local subscription.

## Marriage Licenses.

M. N. Wheeler and Miss Bessie Coulter.

## CHINESE GOVERNMENT PROTECTS LEON LING

By Associated Press.  
Denver, Colo., July 14.—Chinese here say that their government, following reports from the Chinese consul in New York on the Elsie Sigel case, has set the seal of its official approval on the protection of Leon Ling by Chinese Masons and they say that he will never be found with the aid of his countrymen.

## ABILENE PARTIES MAY BUY GOODNIGHT RANCH LAND.

Judge Scurry and W. Jernigan of this city leave shortly for Goodnight, Texas, where they will inspect the famous Goodnight ranch. It is stated that Abilene parties have their eyes on the tract and will probably buy it, these gentlemen looking into the matter for them.

## WILL TAKE EXAMINATION FOR UNITED STATES NAVY.

Guy Hurb, son of W. H. Hurb, left today for Fort Worth, where he expects to undergo an examination preparatory to enlisting in the United States navy.

## MAYOR DAVIS AND PARTY TO SAN ANGELO BY MOTOR CAR.

Fort Worth, Tex., July 14.—Mayor W. D. Davis and a party of Fort Worth newspaper men leave here Saturday in an automobile for San Angelo to attend the mayors' convention there.

## HOT WEATHER HERE CAUSES DISCOMFORT

NEGRO WOMAN IS PROSTRATED BY EXTREME HEAT OF THE PAST FEW DAYS.

## PASSES HUNDRED MARK

Mercury Was Playing Around 102 and 103 This Morning and Yesterday Evening.

The heat wave has struck Wichita Falls in full force and this morning the mercury was swaddling around the 102 mark and crawled a little higher toward the afternoon.

It was scarcely less hot yesterday and as a result of the heat, Martha Alexander, a negress residing near the "flat" was prostrated while at work in her yard. Medical attention was summoned for her and she was able to travel out on the northbound Denver last night, going to Plainview. So far as known, this is the only case of prostration in this vicinity.

Some comfort is derived from the prediction of the weather bureau of cloudy weather and there are hopes that this will be followed by rain. Wet weather is a necessity for the corn crop in this section and should this week end without any rain, the damage will be material.

## To Keep the Record Straight.

Editor Times—Just to keep the record straight, I signed the following statement about the bond issue of May 18th, to-wit: "I endorse the statement made above that the voting of the school bonds will not cause any increase in the levy of school taxes above the present rate of 50 cents." That statement was true then and is true now, for the rate for school purposes will be 50 cents. Very truly,  
W. J. BULLOCK.

Editor's Note—Were you present at the mass meeting of citizens held at the city hall, when the chairman of that meeting stated that he had assurances both from the city and school district officials that it would be unnecessary to increase the 1908 values in order to take care of the \$60,000 school and \$17,000 street paving bonds?

## Real Estate Transfers.

Burkard Warmuth to Marie Oeschner, lot 8 and the east half of lot 7 of the S. Davidson subdivision of the west half of block 248; \$850.

E. C. Perry and wife to P. P. Langford, an undivided half interest in section 4, A. B. and M. Survey No. 817, patent 608; \$100.

Frank Kell and J. C. Donoghly to E. Pray, the southeast fourth of the Ramon Trevino patent, containing 320 acres; \$6400.

James Bateson to C. E. Brown and H. Cranmer, lots 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in the Bateson addition; \$875.

C. Birk and wife to G. R. Kneel, lot 11 in block 18, Iowa Park; \$25.

## ROUTINE BUSINESS GIVEN ATTENTION AT LOS ANGELES.

By Associated Press.  
Los Angeles, Cal., July 14.—The grand lodge of Elks in session today took up the reports of the committees in charge of the various questions. An amusement program was carried out today at Long Beach, where thousands of visitors went to partake of a barbecue and witness other features. A grand ball will be given at Long Beach tonight.

## CONFERENCE FIGHT ON TARIFF IS NOW UNDER WAY.

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., July 14.—The real battle in the tariff conference begins today. The chemical schedule was taken up and the questions over which the senate and house were most widely at variance were considered. It is believed that some estimate will be made by adjournment tonight of the time needed to dispose of the tariff.

## MOSQUITOES KILLING CATTLE IN LOUISIANA.

By Associated Press.  
Abbeville, La., July 14.—News is received here today that cattle are being killed in large numbers along the Bayou Tigre and Mulberry by mosquitoes. The ravages of the insects are declared more intense this season than ever before in the history of this section.

## FOURTEEN MILLION PENALTIES ASKED

ATTORNEY GENERAL OF MISSISSIPPI FILES ANTI-TRUST SUIT AGAINST COMBINE.

## LUMBER COMPANIES SUED

Amount Sought is Minimum Under the Statute—Maximum is Four Hundred Million.

By Associated Press.  
Jackson, Miss., July 14.—Suits for penalties aggregating fourteen million dollars were entered in the chancery court of Holmes county today by Attorney General Sterling against the Retail Lumber Dealers' Association of Mississippi and Louisiana, under the anti-trust statutes of this State.

The suit was brought for the minimum possible under the law, being at the rate of two hundred dollars a day for nine hundred and eighty-five days. The maximum penalty would have been five thousand dollars a day or a total of over four hundred million dollars. There are seventy-two concerns involved.

## WILL ORGANIZE TONIGHT.

Sons and Descendants of Confederate Soldiers Urged to Attend.

All sons and descendants of Confederate soldiers are urged by Judge Scurry to be present tonight at the city hall for the purpose of organizing a camp of Sons of Confederate Veterans.

Every Confederate Veteran is also invited and urged to honor this meeting with his presence and assist in organizing the camp.

If you love, honor and respect your father, who fought for the "lost cause," there is no better way of showing it than by attending this meeting.

## SPRINGFIELD WITNESSES CONVENTION'S GOLDEN JUBILEE

Springfield, Ill., July 14.—Former pupils of the Ursuline convent in this city have gathered from far and near to take part in a notable celebration of the institution's fiftieth anniversary. The celebration began today and will continue over tomorrow and Friday. Tomorrow morning Bishop Ryan of Alton will celebrate high mass. Another feature of the program will be a reproduction of the first graduation exercises held at the institution in 1858. Among the participants will be Mrs. Rhoda Bissell Thomas of Belle, daughter of former Governor Bissell of Illinois. Mrs. Thomas was salutatorian of the class of 1858 and will deliver the same address at the golden jubilee celebration.

The Ursuline convent is one of the oldest institutions of religion and learning in Illinois. Mother St. Joseph, who founded the school, was in charge until her death in 1890. Since then the order of the Ursuline Sisters have been in charge and all branches of learning have been taught.

## Radium \$570,000 an Ounce.

London, Eng., July 14.—An ascertained commercial value of \$20 per milligramme (equivalent to \$570,000 an ounce) has been placed upon radium by a contract just entered into between the British Metalliferous Mines and Viscount Iveagh and Sir Ernest Cassell, for the supply of seven and a half grammes of pure radium bromide. This is the largest order ever given for radium, and it will come from the Cornish Pitchblende mine.

The seven and a half grammes are to be presented by Viscount Iveagh and Sir Ernest Cassell to the Radium Institute, which will be under the surgical direction of Sir Frederick Treves. The institute is expected to be ready to receive patients suffering from cancer about the end of the present year.

## Oscar Wilde's Unknown Admirer.

Paris, France, July 14.—Robert Ross, Oscar Wilde's executor, has concluded the legal formalities in connection with the purchase in perpetuity of a grave in the cemetery of Pere-Lachaise, where the poet's remains will be transferred next week from the cemetery of Bagneux, where they have lain since 1906. In this connection, according to a story published in the Paris papers this week, the sum of \$15,000 has been given by an anonymous lady for the erection of a monument over Wilde's grave.

## SAYS THAT RANDELL WILL NOT OPPOSE JOE BAILEY.

Texas News Service Special.  
Denison, July 14.—Andrew Randall, son of Congressman Randall, stated today that the reports sent out that his father was an aspirant for the seat of Senator Bailey were without any semblance of truth, and that his father had never said anything that might be so construed. He further said that his father would be a candidate for reelection, with Rice Maxey as his probable opponent.

## CITY ATTORNEY RESIGNED BUT WILL REMAIN IN OFFICE.

City Attorney Montgomery filed his resignation with Mayor Noble yesterday, but after being talked with by some friends, it was agreed that he should continue in the office, the city council being very much opposed to his going out. The resignation has not been accepted and probably will not be, the city officials say they need Mr. Montgomery for a "balance wheel."

## THIRD GAME BETWEEN MEMPHIS AND WICHITA TODAY.

The third game of the series between Memphis and Wichita Falls will be played this afternoon. The series has been very disappointing, neither of the first two games being more than passably interesting. If this afternoon's game is not more worth seeking, the fans may be returned their gate money, as the management has no desire to pass poor baseball off on Wichita Falls.

## WICHITA WINS SECOND GAME IN DECISIVE WAY

Wichita Falls, 14; Memphis, 5.  
In another one of those games that make the fans go home with a sour kind of feeling, Wichita defeated Memphis yesterday afternoon by the above decisive score. The result was hardly to be doubted after the first inning, when two runs by the visitors were followed by five for Wichita, the locals running in eleven tallies before the Memphians were able to score again. Schanafelt pitched for Wichita and yielded seven hits, which were kept well scattered. Wichita secured eight hits and seven errors by the visitors helped to run up the score.

## TRANSCONTINENTAL WALKER IS NEARING SAN FRANCISCO.

By Associated Press.  
San Francisco, Cal., July 14.—Edward Payson Weston reached Good-year at 1 o'clock this morning. He is thirty miles from the end of his transcontinental tramp.

## SPECIAL SESSION IS NOT OUT OF QUESTION

Austin, Tex., July 14.—The discovery of fatal errors in the pension law, the new liquor law and the new codification law, the desire for remedial action in the Santa Fe cut-off matter and the request of the Texas congressmen for immediate action on the income tax matter, renders it very possible, if not probable, that the legislature will be convened in special session before the end of the year.

## RISE IN MISSISSIPPI IS PREDICTED BY THE BUREAU.

By Associated Press.  
St. Louis, Mo., July 14.—The government weather bureau predicts a rise in the Mississippi within the next twenty-four hours, when it is expected that the stage of the river will reach thirty-five feet. Farmers have already lost thousands of dollars worth of crops and in lands washed away. The railroads will have to rebuild many miles of tracks.

## PRICE OF ICE IN FORT WORTH IS SHOVED UP.

Texas News Service Special.  
Fort Worth, Tex., July 14.—Consumers have been notified that the price of ice is advanced to thirty-five cents a hundred pounds, at which figure it sold before the reduction to twenty-five cents a few weeks ago. Dealers say there is no profit at twenty-five cents.

## AUDUBON SOCIETY COMES TO RESCUE

BEGINS CAMPAIGN TO PREVENT SHIPMENT OF HORNED TOADS FROM THIS STATE.

## EXTINCTION IS FEARED

Reptiles are Shipped Alive and After Being Metallized are Used for Hatpin Ornaments.

Texas News Service Special.  
Waco, Tex., July 14.—The Audubon Society of the north and east, whose headgear has been of late held in place by hatpins adorned with metallized horned toads, will soon have to look elsewhere for their skypiece ornaments if the Texas Audubon Society has its way. This organization has begun a campaign to stop the collection and shipment of horned toads from this State.

While there is no law on the statute books to prevent this traffic, the society will appeal to the governor and endeavor to secure some action by him that will stop the shipments from this State.

It is estimated that thousands of these toads have been sent from this State to grace the headgear of eastern and northern society. The toads are shipped alive and after being chloroformed are transformed to a metallic state by some patent process.

Austin has been the center of the toad industry and an enterprising party in that city has shipped by far the largest part of the toads that have gone north from this State. The toads are very thick around the capital city and many have been shipped from there.

Just what remedy the Audubon Society has in the matter is not clearly seen, but they are active and will do all in their power to prevent the extinction of the reptiles in this State.

## EXCEPTIONAL PAINS TAKEN TO SAFEGUARD THE CZAR.

London, Eng., July 14.—Scotland Yard is exceptionally anxious concerning the Czar's visit to England at the end of this month, as the authorities have received warning from various continental sources that among the foreign anarchists who have taken refuge in England during the last twelve months there are about a dozen of the most desperate type. It has been ascertained that several meetings of this particular group have been held recently in one of the larger provincial towns, and that on these occasions speeches of a most violent character have been made. The czar was invariably the subject of the open threats which the speakers indulged in and sufficient was said to account easily for the uneasiness existing among the high officials of the police department. If possible, therefore, the precautions taken to safeguard the Czar will be more elaborate than ever has been the case previously on the occasion of a foreign ruler's visit to England.

## VETERAN LEAVES PROPERTY TO THE CONFEDERATE HOME.

Texas News Service Special.  
Ardmore, Ok., July 14.—John W. Craddock, aged 75 years, a Confederate veteran, died yesterday after being overcome with the heat. It was learned today that a few hours before being stricken, Craddock had drawn his will, conveying his money and other personal effects to the State Confederate Home.

## APPOINTMENT OF HOLLOWAY IS OFFICIALLY GAZETTED.

By Associated Press.  
Berlin, Germany, July 14.—Dr. von Bethmann Holloway was today appointed Chancellor, succeeding Prince von Buelow.

## TULSA TO BATON ROUGE IS ROUTE OF PIPE LINE

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., July 14.—The right of way to the Prairie Oil Company for the immediate construction of an eight inch pipe line conduit from Tulsa county, Oklahoma, in a southeasterly direction to the Oklahoma-Arkansas State line was approved by the acting secretary of the interior today. The line will then extend to Baton Rouge, Louisiana.





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### IDLY WANDERING.

When the Overwrought Worker Gets Loose From Care.

When a business man suffers from overstrain or a student from overwork sometimes, instead of taking to bed, he disappears. Suddenly he is missing, all trace of him lost. His family and friends invariably fear the worst. They imagine he has met with accident and is lying unconscious in a hospital or has parted with his wits and is confined in an asylum or has even taken his own life.

These things are all possible, but the probable thing is none of them. The probable thing is that the overwrought man has yielded to a natural impulse and instinctively has sought a cure by becoming a wanderer for the time. He has put the cares of the old life behind him and with them the people that recall the old life and has given himself up to the healing of the road. To drift with no well defined object, to see strange places and faces, ever to answer the call of the beyond—"die ferne," as the Germans call it—is more than a dream lying somewhere in the back of every man's mind, where it was lodged by some ancestor of the nomad period; it is one of nature's own remedies for the worries of life.

For the man with a great sorrow, for the man with a troubled conscience, for the man whose nerves are not treating him right, travel, change of scene, is one of the things the wise physician will prescribe. If it be a veritable tramp afoot the cure will be speedier and more complete and may work physical regeneration into the bargain.—New York Mail.

### A FLOWER AND A WISH.

The Romantic Marriage of De Lesseps of Suez Canal Fame.

Sir Henry Brackenbury tells in Blackwood's Magazine the story of the romantic marriage of M. de Lesseps. A Frenchman living in Reunion was compelled by the illness of his wife to take her to France. He sailed with his wife and two young daughters, but the wife died on the voyage. Some time afterward the Frenchman called on M. de Lesseps, told him of

his misfortunes and of his sufferings on the long sea voyage and expressed the wish to dedicate the remainder of his life to the furtherance of the construction of the Suez canal. De Lesseps gave him an appointment at Ismailia, and employment was found in one of the workshops there for his daughters.

One day De Lesseps' attention was attracted by these two girls, with whom he entered into conversation. He came again next day and gave to each of them a flower, saying that they should frame a wish the last thing at night and that if in the morning they found that the flowers had opened the wish would be granted.

On the following morning he went to their house and found one of the girls smiling, the other in tears. He asked the cause of the latter's sadness. "My flower has not opened," she replied.

"Tell me your wish, so that if possible it may be granted," responded M. de Lesseps.

"Ah, to you least of all men I can tell it!" was her answer. The great engineer married her.

### Chinese Dramatic Crudities.

Here is a sample of one of the naive bits of Chinese stage craft. Hom Ling, leading tragedian, playing the part of the younger son, renders a solo which means that the widow and orphans are going to the temple to celebrate funeral rites. The property man sets on the stage a little box for an altar and throws over the widow's head a white veil, symbol of mourning. Then Hom Ling, as the younger son, waves his hands and kicks his foot like a man punting a football. This signifies that the rest of the family is out of his sphere of action. The scene has officially changed from a house to a temple. So, while the rest of the family kneels before the altar, Hom Ling strolls over and chats with one of the musicians who happens to be resting.—Everybody's Magazine.

### What Forty Poles Make.

A good story is told about a certain professor whose business it was to lecture to a number of students on surveying. During one of the lectures the professor said that in his opinion the

pole was of little or no value. To the astonishment of those present a Polish gentleman arose and after accusing the professor of insulting his countrymen demanded an apology.

The professor thereupon explained that the pole to which he referred was merely a term of measurement. The Polish gentleman, seeing his mistake, asked the professor to forgive his apparent rudeness. To this the professor smartly replied:

"You could not be rude, sir, even if you tried, for it takes forty poles to make one foot!"—London Mail.

### The Amazon River.

Although not the largest or longest river, the Amazon is the most wonderful river in the world, with a mouth 150 miles in width and with a force of water that repels or at least over-comes the ocean to a distance of more than fifty leagues. Yet in spite of the weight of the river the tide makes its influence felt for 500 miles from the coast. The easterly trade winds blow almost invariably upward, so as to be ready to help the vessel against the adverse currents.

### In Disguise.

"Do you mean to say that you flirted with your wife all the evening at the masked ball and didn't know her?" "That's right. But she was so deuced agreeable how was I to know her?"—Exchange.

### ANCIENT GUNS.

Remarkable Weapons That Were Used by the Turks and Chinese.

At the siege of Rhodes the Turks constructed mortars by hollowing out cavities in the solid rock at the proper angle, and in the arsenal at Malta is a trophy of the long and glorious defense of Valetta in a Turkish gun, about a six pounder, composed of a copper tube coiled over with strong rope and "jacketed" with rawhide. In the same collection are some antique "quick frers," breechloaders, with small bores and immensely long barrels, like punt guns. The Malay pirates put great trust in the long brass swivel guns called "jela," and in Borneo these jela were used as a kind of currency, large sums being estimated in guns.

The Chinese cast excellent bronze guns (there is a fine specimen of them in Devonport dockyard), but so little did they understand gunnery that in the so called "opium war" the forts of the Bocca Tigris, defending the Canton river, had the guns built immovably into the walls. The Sikh gunners opposed to England in the two Punjab wars, though they loaded with amazing recklessness, shoveling in the powder from open boxes, stuck to their guns to the last. The blood of the first man killed was smeared on the gun, and the whole detachment died beside it sooner than retreat.—Chambers' Journal.

### A Blowing Up.

"Now, Willie," said the teacher to a small pupil, "can you tell me what dynamite is used for?" "Yes, ma'am," answered Willie. "It's used to blaspheme things with."—Chicago News.

### Before and After.

"A woman is as old as she looks," quoted the wise guy. "Before or after she is dressed to go out?" queried the simple mug.—Philadelphia Record.

What you do for an ungrateful man is thrown away.—Latin Proverb.



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## Rules For Dealing With the Fly Nuisance

- Keep the flies away from the sick, especially those ill with contagious diseases. Kill every fly that strays into the sick room. His body is covered with disease germs.
- Do not allow decaying material of any sort to accumulate on or near your premises.
- All refuse which tends in any way to fermentation, such as bedding straw, paper waste and vegetable matter, should be disposed of or covered with lime or Kerosene oil.
- Screen all food, whether in the house or exposed for sale.
- Keep all receptacles for garbage carefully covered and the cans cleaned or sprinkled with oil or lime.
- Keep all stable manure in vault or pit, screened or sprinkled with lime, oil or other cheap preparations, such as are sold by a number of reliable manufacturers.
- See that your sewerage system is in good order; that it does not leak, is up to date and not exposed to flies.
- Pour kerosene into the drains.
- Burn or bury all table refuse.
- Screen all windows and doors, especially in the kitchen and dining room.
- If you see flies, you may be sure that their breeding place is in nearby filth. It may be behind the door, under the table or in the cuspidor.
- If there is no dirt and filth there will be no flies.
- If there is a nuisance in the neighborhood write at once to the health department.

### TO KILL FLIES:

The London "Lancet," the leading medical journal of the world, says that the best and simplest fly-killer is a weak solution formaldehyde in water (two teaspoonfuls to the pint). Place in plates or saucers throughout the house. Ten cents worth of formaldehyde will last an ordinary family all summer. It has no offensive smell, is fatal to disease organisms, and is practically non-poisonous except to insects. Pyrethrum powder, which may be bought at any drug store, burned in the house will also kill the flies.



# Note The Reductions

Men's Pants.	
\$6.00 Pants now	.....\$4 00
\$5.00 Pants now	.....\$3 75
\$4.50 Pants now	.....\$3 50
\$4.00 Pants now	.....\$3 00
\$3.50 Pants now	.....\$2 60
\$3.00 Pants now	.....\$2 00
Boy's Knee Pants	
75c values now	.....50c
50c values now	.....35c
Men's Oxfords.	
\$5.00 Oxfords now	.....\$3 50
\$4.50 Oxfords now	.....\$3 25
\$3.50 Oxfords now	.....\$2 50
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# MINSTRELS COMING!

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### Geographical Knowledge in 1492.

But very little was known in regard to the extent of the world in Aristotle's day, in the fourth century before Christ, and but very little more was known about it 1,800 years later, in the time of Columbus. In 2,000 years the world had in reality retrograded rather than advanced. It was the popular belief in the time of Columbus that the world was flat, though many contemporary scholars thought differently. The great civilizations of the world at that time were grouped around the Mediterranean sea, although England was a considerable power and the Scandinavians were a great maritime people. But Europeans at that time knew but little of Asia and but little of Africa, and America, of course, was undreamed of. Even after Columbus had discovered the latter continent he was perfectly oblivious of the fact. He thought Haiti was Cipango or Japan and for a long time regarded Cuba as a part of the mainland of Asia.

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No. 7 ..... 2:15 a. m. 2:25 a. m.

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No. 2 ..... 1:50 p. m.

No. 4 ..... 11:15 a. m. 11:35 a. m.

No. 6 ..... 3:25 a. m.

No. 8 ..... 2:25 a. m. 2:35 a. m.

Wichita Valley.

No. 1, to Abilene—Leaves. 2:00 p. m.

No. 5, to Abilene—Leaves. 12:05 a. m.

No. 2, From Abilene—Ar. 12:15 p. m.

No. 6, From Abilene—Ar. 3:15 a. m.

No. 3, to Byers—Leaves. 9:30 a. m.

No. 10, to Byers—Leaves. 2:30 p. m.

No. 7, From Byers—Arrives. 1:30 p. m.

No. 9, From Byers—Arrives. 6:05 p. m.

M. K. and T. Railway.

Arrives

No. 271, From Dallas. 10:15 p. m.

No. 9, From Denison. 12:50 p. m.

Leaves

No. 272, To Dallas. 6:30 a. m.

No. 10, To Denison. 2:00 p. m.

### MATHEMATICAL SIGNS.

Origin of Plus, Minus, Multiplication and Division Symbols.

The sign of addition is derived from the initial letter of the word "plus." In making the capital letter it was made more and more carelessly until the top part of the "p" was finally placed near the center; hence the plus sign as we know it was gradually reached.

The sign of subtraction was derived from the word "minus." The word was first contracted in m. n. s., with a horizontal line above to indicate that some of the letters had been left out. At last the letters were omitted altogether, leaving only the short line.

The multiplication sign was obtained by changing the plus sign into the letter "x." This was done because multiplication is but a shorter form of addition.

Division was formerly indicated by placing the dividend above a horizontal line and the divisor below. In order to save space in printing, the dividend was placed to the left and the divisor to the right. After years of "evolution" the two "d's" were omitted altogether and simple dots set in the place of each. As with the others, the radical sign was derived from the initial letter of the word "radix."

The sign of equality was first used in the year 1557 by a sharp mathematician, who substituted it to avoid frequently repeating the words "equal to."—St. James Gazette.

### UNCLE SAM.

The Way Our Nickname is Said to Have Originated.

This familiar nickname for the United States is said to have come about in the following manner:

During the war of 1812 the United States government entered into a contract with Elbert Anderson to furnish supplies to the army. Whenever the United States buys anything from a contractor it appoints an inspector to see that the goods are up to the specifications. In this case the government appointed a man by the name of Samuel Wilson. He was a jolly, whole souled man and was familiarly known as Uncle Sam.

It was his duty to inspect every box and cask that came from Elbert Anderson, the contractor, and if the contents were all right the cargo was marked with the letters "E. A.—U. S." the initials of the contractor and of the United States.

The man whose duty it was to do this marking was something of a joker, and when somebody asked him one day what these letters stood for he said that they meant Elbert Anderson and Uncle Sam.

Everybody, including Uncle Sam himself, thought this a very good joke, and by and by it got into print, and before the end of the war it was known all over the country, and that is how the United States received the name of Uncle Sam.—Des Moines Register and Leader.

### Worshipping a Turtle.

At a place called Kotron, on the French Ivory Coast, the natives believe that to eat or destroy a turtle would mean death to the guilty one or sickness among the family. The fetich men, of which there are plenty, declare that years ago a man went to sea fishing. In the night his canoe was thrown upon the beach empty. Three days afterward a turtle came ashore at the same place with the man on its back alive and well. Since that time they have never eaten or destroyed one of that species, although they enjoy other species.

If one happens now to be washed ashore there is a great commotion in the town. First the women sit down and start singing and beating sticks; next a small piece of white cloth (color must be white) is placed on the turtle's back. Food is then prepared and placed on the cloth, generally plantains, rice and palm oil. Then, amid a lot more singing, dancing and antics of the fetich people, it is carried back into the sea and goes on its way rejoicing.

### Too Much Expense.

"Yes," said Mr. Tyte-Phist, "I was just stepping on the car when the conductor gave the motorman the signal to go ahead, and the car started. My foot went out from under me, and I sat down on the muddy crossing, ruiding a twenty-two dollar suit of clothes."

"Then you sat there, swore like a trooper and gnashed your teeth in rage, I suppose," remarked the sympathizing listener.

"No," said Mr. Tyte-Phist. "I may have sworn a little, but I didn't do any gnashing. My teeth are new and cost me \$30."—Chicago Tribune.

### Waked Them Up.

Dr. Hans Richter, the famous conductor, while supervising a rehearsal in a London theater once was much annoyed at the calm way the players were taking the impassioned music. "Gentlemen, gentlemen," said he, suddenly stopping short, "you're all playing like married men, not like lovers."—Westminster Gazette.

### Not His Fault.

Howell—A good deal depends on the formation of early habits. Powell—I know it. When I was a baby my mother hired a woman to wheel me about, and I have been pushed for money ever since.—London Mail.

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## THE ADVANCE IN COTTON.

The rapid advance in the price of cotton within the past few weeks, taken in connection with the unfavorable condition of the growing crop in the States east of the Mississippi river would seem to give assurance of much higher prices for the crop of 1909 than were obtained for the bulk of the crop of 1908. Middling cotton is now officially quoted at 12 1/4 cents in Houston and it may be considerably higher before the season closes. Yet the fact is notorious that the bulk of the crop of 1908 passed out of the farmers' hands at a price below 10 cents. The government estimates the average price of the season up to June 1 at 9 1/2 cents. The grade of Texas cotton being somewhat above the average, slightly higher prices were obtained in this State.

The present high prices, even though so near the close of the season, means a large increase in the aggregate wealth of the cotton States. The one lamentable fact in connection therewith is that the advance did not come in time for the farmers to share in it directly.

The effect the recent advance will have on farmers will no doubt be to stimulate them to renewed efforts to place themselves in a position to extend the period of the marketing of their crop over the entire twelve months.

"The fault of injudicious and precipitate marketing of the cotton crop," says President W. B. Thompson of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, "is of long standing, and it carries lamentable consequences in its train. Within three or four months practically the entire production passes from first hands. The demand that awaits the crop in September and October is speedily satisfied, but the farmer does not withhold his offerings. At best the producer cannot but suffer from the hurried sale of the crop. Cotton, like any other product or commodity, if it is to sell for its material value, must be offered only as demand calls for it. Unless the supply is adjusted to the demand the producer will continue to lose a part of the legitimate return on his investment of money and toil."

The wise farmer, if he has not already done so, will begin right now to lay up the sinews of war which will enable him to be independent of the market during its sluggish periods. And, to be plain about it, the "sinews" referred to consists largely of sustenance for man and beast, which every farmer may produce in abundance, if he will.—Houston Post.

Wichita doesn't wish to appear hoggy, but after we get that West Texas Normal, a fifty thousand dollar post-office will be entirely too small for our needs.

The governing boards of the State University and A. and M. College held a joint session at Austin recently. Misery loves company.

Young Persta is following the example set by Young Turkey.

## Bank Talk

No. 4

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Prohibitionists now claim that Texas passed a prohibition law in 1856 and that it has never been repealed. Why doesn't some enterprising county attorney get busy and try to collect fines for every drink sold during the fifty-odd intervening years?

The fact that they are mutual sufferers from the governor's vetoes will probably cause the University and A. and M. to handle each other much more gently in the annual football games next fall.

We hereby retract all the nice things we have said about Wichita's cool weather. One hundred and two in the shade yesterday and not a single hopeful word from the weather man.

Governor Campbell ate hardtack at the encampment, dispatches state. Reckon it tasted better than the crow he swallowed after Messrs. Ripley and Biggars had their little say.

The report that Harriman has left this country for good is denied. Probably when Harriman leaves this side of the big ditch he will take this country along with him.

The income of Wichita Falls' Chamber of Commerce is not surpassed by any city in the State save four, all about four times as large as this city. There's a reason.

The judge at the Ella Gingles trial threatened to take a picture of the ladies present, but an unconscious straightening of hats was the only move they made.

About the only remedy we can find for this hot weather is to turn the thermometer upside down. Then the mercury will go lower.

Dr. Osler was 60 years old yesterday. He seems to have overstayed his limit by a score of years, but we are still willing to see his theory tried—on him.

We fear the editor of the Star-Telegram is getting sentimental. He recently perpetrated a column-editorial on "The Passing of the Razor-Back."

A bee sting proved fatal in Iowa recently. Some of the Texans with gubernatorial bees buzzing around their bonnets better be careful.

## NATIONAL IRRIGATIONERS MEETING AT SPOKANE.

Spokane, Wash., July 14.—Historic incidents, showing the transformation of the Northwest from semi-savagery to civilization, will be depicted in parades of progress the afternoon of August 10 and the evening of August 11, in connection with the seventeenth session of the National Irrigation Congress in Spokane, August 9 to 14. There will also be a march in review by the industrial and irrigation army the afternoon of August 12, when it is expected to have 10,000 uniformed men in line. The evening parade will be illuminated. E. F. Cartier Van Dassel has been appointed grand marshal and will be assisted by a large staff of mounted aides.

The various divisions will be headed by the Fourteenth Cavalry band of Walla Walla, under the direction of William Ostermann, followed by Indians from the Spokane reservation, led by Chief Jim Sam, who was recently chosen successor to the late Oliver Lott. They will bring with them their squaws and some of the tribal finery and gala day garb, also their best horses and make camp near the city.

The advent of Captains Lewis and Clark and their followers into the Clearwater country will be depicted by men in costumes of the period on a series of floats, followed by floats showing trappers and traders in garments of fur, carrying implements of their occupation. Then will come a number of floats bearing the early missionaries and Jesuit priests, also the hardy pioneers who made their way across the plains in the old-fashioned prairie schooners, miners' pack trains with grizzled prospectors carrying rifles, picks and pans, and a band of wild and woolly cow-punchers, wearing broad brimmed sombreros, chaps and high-heeled boots with clanking spurs.

Another division will show the early lumbermen with axes and crosscut saws, loads of logs, finished lumber, shingles, sash and doors, followed by a magnificent display of farm machinery, including plows, drills, harvesters, headers and combines, with 22 horses attached to the latter, and loads of grain and flour bringing up in the rear.

The third division will be headed by a float with the official emblem of the National Irrigation Congress showing Science bidding the Desert drink. This will be represented by two beautiful young women in classic garb posed in the shade of a bearing fruit tree.

Next in line will be floats of the districts in the Northwest and other States, followed by exhibits of fruits and grasses of the various communities on elaborately decorated vehicles, with flower covered carriages, automobiles and smart traps and a large

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number of caparisoned saddle horses. It is expected that every district in the Inland Empire will be represented in this division of the parade, also that communities in New Mexico, Texas, Kansas, California, North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, Missouri, New York, Illinois, Colorado and other States will participate in this event.

The parade of the industrial and irrigation army will show representatives from every district in which irrigation is practiced on the continent. Practically every marching club will be headed by its band of music. The parade will begin immediately after the close of the afternoon session on August 12, and the plan is to have each district distinguished from the other by uniforms or head-dress. This will afford opportunities to the various marching clubs to bring their communities directly to the attention of thousands of delegates and visitors from the eastern, middle western and southern States.

"We expect to have marching clubs from the irrigated and dry farming districts in Idaho, Oregon, Montana and Washington," said Mr. Van Dassel. "Also California, Wyoming, Utah, North Dakota, South Dakota, Colorado, Nevada, Arizona, Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma and other States in the middle west, east and south, and the provinces of British Columbia and Alberta."

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All the beggars are not holding out a hand to passersby in the street. You probably know the man who is ever whining for help. If a farmer, he thinks his neighbors should help him get in his grain or do his plowing. If in business, he is always trying to borrow or wanting some one to boost him or drum up customers. He never seems to think of relying on his own efforts. There is a well known fable about the larks in a grainfield. As long as the farmer depended on his neighbors and relations to come and cut his grain the larks felt perfectly safe. When the man determined to cut the grain himself the larks knew it was time to seek safety elsewhere. There are times when every one needs help, but help should be asked only when one has made every possible effort for himself. Too much help given a man weakens his character.—Milwaukee Journal.

#### A Quiet Rebuke.

An "objec" admonition" like the one described by Warren Lee Goss in his article, "Campaigning to No Purpose," published in Johnson's "Battles and Leaders of the Civil War," is often more efficacious than storms of reproach. One day the colonel of the regiment noticed a soldier on parade wearing a badly soiled pair of gloves. "Corporal," said the officer, "why do you set the men such a bad example as appearing before them in dirty gloves? Why is it?"

"I've had no pay, sir, since I entered the service," returned the corporal. "I can't afford to have them done up."

The colonel drew from his pocket a pair of gloves, spotlessly white. Handing them to the corporal, he said quietly: "Put these on. I washed them myself."

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#### Von Holstein's Dress Coat.

Prince Bulow once invited Herr von Holstein to dinner, telling him that it was to meet the emperor. "But," replied Holstein, "I don't believe that I have a dress coat at present. I will try, however, to get one made in time, and if I can't perhaps the emperor will take me as I am." This, the Times says, was reported to his majesty, who said that Herr von Holstein was to appear in any garb he pleased. When the meeting took place Holstein was in his usual frock coat, and the emperor laughingly tapped him on the shoulder and said: "I see that dress coat wasn't ready. It doesn't matter."

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#### An Epitaph.

In the churchyard of Leigh, near Bolton, will be found a tombstone bearing the following amazing sentence: "A virtuous woman is 5s. to her husband." The explanation seems to be that space prevented "a crown" being cut in full, and the stonemason argued that a crown equals 5 shillings.—London Notes and Queries.

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To the ordinary housemaid the falling of a house plant into a violent paroxysm of coughing is naturally disconcerting. Yet there are plants which will do this when the broom or the duster begins to make dust fly. This singular plant is the "coughing bean," known to the botanist as the Eutada tussiensis. It is a native of warm and moist tropical countries and cannot and will not stand dust. When dust settles upon the breathing pores in the leaves of this plant and chokes them a gas accumulates inside the leaves and when it gains sufficient strength forcibly "blows off," clearing the pores of dust and making a sound exactly like coughing. At the same time the leaves tremble and the plant actually "gets red in the face" through the sinking of the green chlorophyll grains and the appearance of red particles on the leaves. This plant is sometimes used as a house plant, and sweeping the room sets it coughing, to the intense astonishment of persons not familiar with its peculiarities.—London Chronicle.

#### Paid For the Kiss.

Lord Northcote was once made curious use of while governor general of Australia, says London M. A. P. Strolling one night through an avenue of somber trees to a friend's house to dinner, he was suddenly pounced upon by a maidservant, who kissed him effusively and pressed a little parcel into his hand. "Here's a sausage for you. I can't come out tonight, as master has company," she whispered and as mysteriously disappeared. When he got to the house he found one of his servants loitering by the gate. "What are you doing there?" asked Lord Northcote. "I'm waiting for my sweetheart," the man stammered. "Where is she?" "In service here." "Ah, then, I am right—Here is a sausage from your sweetheart, and she wishes me to tell you that she cannot come out tonight, as her master has company." Seeing that the man looked nervous, he added kindly: "She also gave me a kiss for you, but perhaps you would rather wait until you see her. Here is 5 shillings instead."

#### Round About Dorking.

The neighborhood of Dorking, where George Meredith lived, has many literary associations, independent of its connection with that famous novelist. It was at Burford Bridge, near Dorking, that Keats completed "Endymion" in November, 1817; close by, at the Rookery, was born Father Malthus, the popular economist, and at West Humble Frances Burney, after her marriage with General d'Arblay, built Camilla cottage with profits of her novel of that name and settled down. Sheridan resided at Polesden and John Stuart Mill at Micklemham, while other illustrious residents in the locality in earlier times were John Evelyn and Daniel Defoe. To most people, however, the chief literary association of Dorking is with Dickens, for was it not at the Marquis of Granby's, variously identified with the White Hart and the Old King's Head, that Mr. Weller, Sr., made the fatal blunder of proposing to a "ridder?"—Westminster Gazette.

#### English Difficult to Pronounce.

The difficulty of English for strangers does not lie in its orthography, but in its pronunciation. Abroad people will constantly say that they can read and write English readily, while unable to utter a word or to understand a word of the spoken language, as, of course, vice versa, a great many English and Americans can read and write French long before they can understand or make themselves understood. The other languages are just as difficult for them to pronounce as English is for others. The only difference is that English stands alone with its system or lack of system of pronunciation. When a Frenchman knows how to write German he is at the same time able to speak the language, if not beautifully, at least so as to be understood. The same holds for a German speaking French.—Professor Albert Schinz in North American Review.

#### The Battle of the Nations.

The conflict called the "Battle of the Nations" was the battle of Leipzig. It was fought on Oct. 16-18, 1813, between the soldiers of Russia, Prussia, Austria, Sweden, Denmark and Holland, under Schwarzenberg, on the one side, and Napoleon's army of allies, on the other. It was one of the greatest battles of modern times. A half million of men were engaged, and the casualties on both sides were 96,000. It resulted in overwhelming defeat for Napoleon and the liberation of Germany. Troops from every nation of Europe participated in it, hence the "Battle of Nations."

#### Over the Limit.

Husband (reading from his paper)—Here, they say, is a comet coming toward the earth, traveling at the rate of a million miles a minute. Wife (awaking from a doze)—Why don't they enforce the speed laws better?—Baltimore American.

#### It Makes a Difference.

In Lever's "Charles O'Malley" the hero's boast while on his way to a duel, "I can break the stem of a wineglass at fifteen paces," was met by his friend and mentor with the comment, "Yes, but the wineglass hasn't a pistol in its hand."

#### Fate.

"They used to say I was a man with a future."  
"And now?"  
"Now they refer to me as a man with a past. Wish I could have a present once."—Cleveland Leader.

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Some of these all night bakeries have lunch room attachments, where people stop in to eat going to or from work, while others do a bakery business only. At either customers come in at all hours of the night to buy things to carry away, just as people do at any hour of the day, for the people who go to work at midnight or at 1, 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning want bread and bakery stuff before they go, just the same as do those who begin their labors at 7, 8 or 9, and there is likely to be in their neighborhood an all night open bakery where they can regularly supply their wants.

From 2 to 5 a. m. are the hours that mark low ebb in the all night bakery trade, but customers are dropping in all night long.—New York Sun.

#### Expensive.

"Yes," said the young wife proudly, "father always gives something expensive when he makes presents."

"So I discovered when he gave you away," rejoined the young husband.—Exchange.

#### A Polite Waiter.

"Here, waiter," exclaimed an irascible diner, "this beef you have given me isn't fit for a pig to eat!"

"Well, sir, don't eat it then!" the waiter advised pleasantly.—London Scraps.

When flatterers meet the devil goes to dinner.—Italian Proverb.

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**Personal Mention.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nutt left this afternoon for San Antonio.  
 Dr. D. Meredith left this afternoon for Fort Worth on business.  
 W. K. Perry of Grandfield, Oklahoma, was transacting business here today.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Raley left this morning to visit relatives at Bryson, Texas.  
 John Heagen, a business man from Frederick, Oklahoma, was in the city today on business.  
 Mr. J. W. Blackstock and daughter, Miss Edith, were the guests of friends in the city today.  
 Judge R. E. Hendry and family returned this afternoon from the Judge's ranch at Mabelle.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wade, who have been visiting relatives at Arlington, returned last night.  
 Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Price returned yesterday from their visit with relatives at Tulsa, Oklahoma.  
 The Times is glad to state that Mrs. T. B. Noble, who has been quite sick, is reported much better today.  
 J. D. Stine, a prominent citizen of Henrietta, was in the city today, en route to Byers to look after property interests.  
 N. M. Clifford, city ticket agent for the Fort Worth and Denver, returned last night from a three weeks sojourn in Colorado.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lovelace returned this afternoon from a month's pleasure trip in the mountains of Colorado.  
 Mrs. J. K. Scoggins of Durham, Texas, who has been visiting relatives in this city, left for her home this afternoon.  
 Misses Elra Burner and Elenor Dowdy of Henrietta passed through the city this afternoon en route to Petrolia to visit friends.  
 Mrs. T. T. Reese left this morning for Detroit, Michigan, at which place she will remain with her mother, Mrs. C. E. Reid, during the summer.  
 Miss Louise Millican of Fort Worth, who has been visiting Mrs. T. S. Freeman of this city, returned to her home yesterday.  
 Mrs. H. A. Bourland of Dallas, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. L. of this city, left for her home this afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Barth left this morning for Kansas City, where Mrs. Barth will visit with relatives, while Mr. Barth goes to the eastern clothing markets.



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**THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.**

**Cotton—Liverpool.**  
 Liverpool, Eng., July 14.—Spot cotton 6.83d. Sales 7000 bales. Receipts 11,000 bales.  
 The future market opened easy and closed weak.

	Open	High	Close
July-August	6.67	6.69 1/2	6.63
Oct.-Nov.	6.58	6.59 1/2	6.53 1/2
Dec.-Jan.	6.56	6.58 1/2	6.52

**Cotton—New Orleans Spots.**  
 New Orleans, La., July 14.—Market for spot cotton opened firm and 1-16c up. Middlings, 12 1/2c. Sales 200 bales. None to arrive. On contract, 700 bales.

**Cotton—New Orleans Futures.**  
 The future market opened very steady and closed barely steady.

	Open	High	Close
July	12.75	12.75	12.71
October	12.72	12.72	12.67-68
December	12.73	12.73	12.68-69

**Cotton—New York Spots.**  
 New York, July 14.—Market for spot cotton opened quiet and ten points down. Middlings, 13.05. No sales reported.

**Cotton—New York Futures.**  
 Future market opened and closed very steady.

	Open	High	Close
July	12.53	12.58	12.55-57
October	12.66	12.66	12.62-64
December	12.68	12.68	12.65-67

**Chicago Grain Market.**

	Open	High	Close
Wheat	120 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
July	111 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
September	109	109 1/2	109 1/2
December	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
July	67	67	67
September	57 1/2	57 1/2	57
December	49	49	48 1/2
July	43	43 1/2	43 1/2
September	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
December	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2

**Fort Worth Livestock.**  
 Cattle—Receipts 3,300 head.  
 Hogs—Receipts 1,500 head.  
 Steers—Market higher. Tops sold at \$4.60.  
 Cows—Market steady. Tops sold at \$3.50.  
 Calves—Market lower. Tops sold at \$6.00.  
 Hogs—Market higher. Tops sold at \$7.90.

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Dallas	87	48	39	.552
Shreveport	84	46	38	.548
Oklahoma City	82	42	40	.521
Fort Worth	85	38	47	.447
Waco	87	36	51	.411
Galveston	86	34	52	.395

**Results Yesterday.**  
 San Antonio, 9; Houston, 2.  
 Galveston, 2; Waco, 1.  
 Fort Worth, 3; Shreveport, 2.  
 Oklahoma City, 3; Dallas, 1. (Called at end of seventh inning to let Oklahoma City catch train.)

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