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UNION MEN MEET IN GALVESTON TODAY

THREE THOUSAND DELEGATES PRESENT—GOV. CAMPBELL MAKES ADDRESS.

NEW COMPENSATION LAW

Myers Proposed Measure Will Be Considered—Politicians Are on Hand.

Galveston, April 12.—Before more than three thousand representatives of organized labor of this state, Governor Campbell today delivered an address which officially opened the thirtieth annual convention of the Texas Federation of Labor. The Governor followed Mayor Lewis Fisher, and H. E. Hays. Among the organizations represented here are the Railway Carmen, State Printers council, Railway Trainmen, Locomotive Engineers, Firemen and Enginemen, Railway Conductors. Politicians from all over the state are here, including three gubernatorial candidates.

Perhaps the most important measure before the labor convention is the proposed employees compensation legislation which is strongly endorsed by State Labor Commissioner Myers, who arrived here last night. The politicians who will speak here during the week are expected to voice their opinions on the proposed law. While many laws will be recommended for bettering conditions for railroad employes it is not expected the railroads will oppose the measures in any way here, but will wait until the bills are introduced in the legislature. There will be a conflict over the adoption of some amendments to the constitution of the Federation Thursday.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Texas, April 12.—It is announced here today that O. B. Colquitt will not go to Galveston to address the State Labor convention as previous arrangements interfere. Davidson, Poindexter and Johnson, however, will attend. Governor Campbell and railroad Commissioner Williams left for Galveston last night.

SHRINERS AT NEW ORLEANS.

Imperial Potentate Heads Parade Through the Streets.

By Associated Press. New Orleans, April 12.—The sessions of the annual convocation of the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine opened here today. The executive deliberations of the order are held in Scottish Rite Cathedral, Imperial Potentate Street, preceded by a body of mounted police, patrols of Lulu Temple, Philadelphia and Aca Temple, Richmond, Va., marched to the hall and other Temples formed the rear guard of the parade.

LUMBERMEN MEET.

Are Holding 24th Session at San Antonio Today.

Texas News Service Special. San Antonio, April 12.—The twenty-fourth annual convention of the Texas Lumbermen's association opened here today at St. Anthony's hotel and will continue three days. Delegates are attending from all over Texas and Louisiana. The need of legislation regarding freight rates and forest conservation will be discussed.

BY ARBITRATION.

New York Central Dispute Will Be Settled.

By Associated Press. New York, April 12.—The wage dispute between the trainmen and conductors of the New York Central railroad and the officials of the company will be settled by arbitration.

JEFFRIES FELS TREES AND UNDERGOES RIGID COURSE OF TRAINING

By Associated Press. Ben Lomond, April 12.—Jeffries yesterday felled three trees and not only cut them down, but cut them up and converted them into fire wood. Wood chopping will be added to Jeffries' program of training. Just when Jeffries will begin boxing, no one is capable to say. He is whimsical about his work and rarely follows a set schedule.

TEXTILE CONFERENCE.

Many Questions Come Up Before Cotton Manufacturers.

By Associated Press. Memphis, Tenn., April 12.—The third Southern Textile conference began its session here today. Delegates from all Southern manufacturing states are in attendance. It is expected the convention will adopt resolutions bearing upon child labor, compulsory education, marriage and age consent laws and improved working conditions in Textile Mills and factories throughout the south. Gov. Patterson on behalf of the state, and Mayor Crump for the city welcomed the delegates.

LICENSE REFUSED.

Comptroller Refuses to Issue to Excursion Steamer.

Austin, Tex., April 12.—The state comptroller today refused to issue a license to an applicant from Beaumont to sell liquor on an excursion steamer. He held that the law does not provide for such a license, but does provide that minors shall not frequent premises where liquor is sold, as would be the case on excursion boats.

BILBO'S REPUTATION CONSIDERED BAD BY MANY ACQUAINTANCES

By Associated Press. Jackson, April 12.—In the bribery investigation cases today a number of character witnesses were introduced who considered Bilbo's reputation for honesty, integrity, truth and veracity bad. Principal Thames of the Poplarville school testified that Bilbo went to his school. Senator Tucker objected to the question why Bilbo left the school insisting that if the reason involved any moral transgressions the representatives of the press should be excluded. This was agreed to, and the reporters withdrew while Thames explained why Bilbo severed his connection with the school.

After Sheriff Harding had brought in the money which he testified had been received from the foreman of the grand jury, and which Senator Bilbo had said was the money he received for his vote, the prosecution rested its case. Judge Miller, for the defense, then took the stand and testified that Dulaney had told him that several members of the caucus had been bought for Vardaman, and were ready to be bought by anybody else. "He never said bought, or would buy votes for Percy or any one else," said the witness.

GAMBLING AND CARD PLAYING CONDEMNED BY EVANGELIST FINNEY

Another large crowd attended the services last night at the tabernacle. Evangelist Finney preached a very strong sermon in which he took occasion to denounce in very strong terms card playing. Whether in the gambling hall or in the parlor, he could see no difference. Neither could he distinguish between playing for a prize and money. It was all sin, and from the number of "amens" that went up from different parts of the audience it was evident that the evangelist's views on card playing, whether with playing cards or dominoes, received their most hearty endorsement. In the course of his remarks he cited a case where a mother, who had attended a social function in the afternoon and in conversation with her son at the supper table, told him she had failed to get the prize in the "cut," a piece of out glass ware, and was bemoaning the fact, when her son drew from his pocket a roll of bills, and handing them to his mother remarked: "Take this, mama, and go to the store and buy you one much prettier than the one you lost." The fond and devoted mother was both surprised and shocked when, on inquiring of her son where he had attained so much money, was told that he won it—in a poker game the night before. She refused to accept it on the ground that it was "tainted," when the son replied that he could see no difference in her winning at cards in a parlor and he in a regular gambling hall.

At the conclusion of the unusually strong sermon, Dr. Hamlin, pastor of the Christian Church, dismissed the congregation and an after meeting was held.

LOCAL BALL TEAM BEING IMPROVED

SEVERAL ADDITIONS HAVE BEEN MADE TO THE LINE-UP RECENTLY.

INDIANS TO PLAY HERE

"Apaches" From Fort Sill, Oklahoma, Will Be Here Tomorrow For Two Games.

Recent additions to the Wichita Falls baseball team have greatly improved its lineup and it is now considered one of the best semi-professional nines in North Texas. The lineup has been changed considerably since the first of the year and the pitching staff has been greatly improved.

Witherspoon of Denton, who is to be captain of the team, will arrive Friday to take active charge of it. Potts Word of Fort Worth, an amateur pitcher of some reputation has been signed for the team and will probably pitch one of the series beginning tomorrow. Gibson of Grand Saline, who pitched in Sunday's game, will be made one of the regular pitching staff. Hoffman, one of last year's famous Longview "Cannibals" has been signed for the outfield and gives good promise. Lusk, a Dallas boy, has also been added to the outfield and may become a fixture. Barry has been replaced at first base by McLarry, who played with Bonham last season. Barry was making good here, but went to Vernon to be captain of the team there.

The pitching staff now includes Gibson, Wilson, Hancock, Weeks and Ward, all of whom seem to be good men. The "Apache" team from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, will be here tomorrow for a series of two games. It is said that this team is composed of real live Indians, in war paint, and they are reputed fast ball players. A war dance at night will also be a feature of their local here. They will play the locals tomorrow and Thursday. Henrietta will probably play here Sunday.

FRED MORRIS ACQUITTED.

Baseball Player Who Killed Otto Meyer in Fort Worth Goes Free.

The following, concerning the trial and acquittal at Fort Worth of Fred Morris, the baseball player, who played ball in this city for a season, is taken from the Denton Record-Chronicle, at which place Morris resides:

"The jury in the Fred Morris murder trial at Fort Worth at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty. It had been out since 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

Not in years has there been more interest in a case here than in the Morris trial. The Record and Chronicle up to Sunday afternoon answered many inquiries about the case.

News of the acquittal, which was received here shortly after 4 o'clock, was very welcome and to many was a pleasurable surprise although the defendant never wavered from the belief that he would be acquitted. A hung jury had resulted in the first trial.

The jury stood 11 to 1 for acquittal on the first ballot and the one came over Sunday.

Morris is a very popular citizen of Denton and was charged with killing Otto Meyer of Brenham in a hotel at Fort Worth in March, 1908. The unwritten law was involved in the case and the first trial was held in Judge Buck's court, resulting in a hung jury with the standing then, it is said, for acquittal. A few weeks ago it was transferred to Judge Simmons' court. The case was taken up Monday and was given to the jury Saturday forenoon.

Mr. Morris came in Sunday night and Monday spent the day receiving the congratulations from hundreds of friends here."

GIVEN LONG SENTENCE.

Negro Gets Twelve Years for Assault on Officer.

Texas News Service Special. Waxahachie, April 12.—Zeke Smith, a negro who shot and wounded Deputy Sheriff Davis, last winter, was convicted in the district court here today on the charge of assault to murder and given twelve years and six months in the penitentiary.

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NORTHWEST TEXAS PHYSICIANS HERE

SEMI-ANNUAL CONVENTION BEING HELD WITH MANY IN ATTENDANCE.

WELCOME IS EXTENDED

Work of Section on Practice Taken Up This Morning—Several Papers Read.

The Northwest Texas Medical Association convened this morning at the Elks' hall for a two days' session, with about thirty physicians in attendance. A number of interesting papers on medical subjects were read this morning, the convention being opened with the welcoming address and the response.

President Wade Walker called the meeting to order soon after 9 o'clock and Rev. J. L. McKee delivered the invocation. W. F. Weeks, a young attorney of the city, extended a welcome on behalf of Wichita Falls in a very pleasing address. The response on behalf of the visitors was made by Judge James N. Wilkinson of Fort Worth, general counsel for the Texas Medical Association.

The minutes of the Mineral Wells meeting were read by Dr. Everett Jones of this city, acting secretary. The opening formalities dispensed with, the work of the section on practice was taken up, first there being the opening address by the chairman, Dr. George Bond, who said:

"Gentlemen of the North Texas Medical Association:

"It gives me much pleasure to open this section with the promise of such a splendid program. We are living in a day of the greatest progress the world has ever known and our profession is keeping even step with the profession. The study of medicine and its practice brings to us such responsibility that a healthy conservatism is an inherent consequence, that should, and will, always continue as one of its strongest foundation stones. But it no longer costs a medical man his reputation to advocate a principle that seems to antagonize preconceived medical thought. As a consequence, we are getting much chaff and much immature grain, but as the sifting process goes on, we are finding many sound grains that, though we may look on them with suspicion for a while, are proving wholesome.

"The devising of new instruments and methods for more positive examination and the endowment of great institutions for original research is bringing us nearer to that great goal, and exact science, than we had before dreamed of. Diphtheria antitoxin had a great fight before its universal acceptance, but the flexor serum for the cure of epidemic meningitis seems to be accepted at once and seems to be well worthy of such acceptance.

"This seems to be characteristic of medical mental attitude of the respective periods.

"While the Flexor discovery is the great medical 'headliner,' there is much other endeavor in decent medical research and experiment that may be entitled to live, though perhaps in smaller print.

"What I shall call your attention to very briefly will doubtless prove of less value than many things you have gained yourself from recent literature, but I will give you a few that have impressed me, for what thought you may care to give them.

"Vasilus and Gheorgus report in Beliner Clinic, the cure of pellagra, acute and chronic, within 6 to 28 days, by injections of atoxyl, internal administration of arsenic andunctions of arsenical ointment.

"Rudisch in medical record states that sulphate of atrophine will cause sugar to disappear from urine and will increase carbohydrate tolerance, and will greatly aid in the treatment of diabetes and mellitus.

"Mercury succinide for tuberculosis as first advocated by Wright in the United States. Naval Bulletin, seems to have added a material factor in the treatment of this disease.

"Psychotherapy in the practice of mental and nervous diseases is doing much good and in many cases displaces physical restraint.

"Much is being written about the action of radium on disease, especially in cancer and skin diseases, but its scarcity and its prohibitive price carries it beyond the reach of the ordinary mortal. It is stated that this

metal which is produced as a bromide, is absolutely unattainable, only by a few endowed institutions, except in the weaker grades, which are insufficient for material results on any diseased conditions. As x-rays are shown to act almost identically with the action of radium, and as the same curative action on disease, it would seem that it should not take us away from practical things until it becomes more practical by virtue of easier and cheaper production.

"A very practical question in connection with this wonderful metal is the radioactive property that is shown to be possessed by most of our natural health giving waters, a property that can be given ordinary water by sufficient contact with radium. This is doubtless produced by its passing over radium giving substances in the bowels of the earth.

"The opsonic index seems to have fallen into innocuous desuetude, but material results are being derived from the vaccine theory, although its application lacks that exactness of detail promised by the 'index.'

"Emerson in the archives of international medicine, giving the results of (Continued on Page 4.)

NEW STATE BANK OPENS FOR BUSINESS AT BURK-BURNETT—OUTLOOK GOOD

The First State Bank of Burnett opened for business yesterday, State bank examiner J. M. Burroughs being present and granting authority under the laws of Texas to open.

The new bank has a capital of \$10,000, the board of directors is composed of some of the most substantial men of that part of the county, being as follows: H. Willis, A. F. Dodson, F. M. Schillings, W. C. Meyer, Wm. Borchelt, W. W. Graham and R. E. Huff. All, except the last named, are residents of Burk Burnett and the surrounding country. Mr. Huff is the president of the First National Bank of this city.

Mr. A. F. Dodson is president, and Mr. Schillings is the cashier of the newly organized bank, which starts under most favorable circumstances.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS.

Two Were Recorded By Seismograph Today.

By Associated Press. Lawrence, Kans., April 12.—Two distinct earthquake shocks were recorded last night by the seismograph of Kansas University. The first shock lasted seven and the second five minutes.

PECULIAR ELOPEMENT; CRIPPLE AND INVALID JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, April 12.—Lee M. Dale, a cripple, who is unable to walk except by the aid of crutches, and Miss Birdie Dawson, a confirmed invalid due to paralysis, both inmates of the Tarrant county poor farm, eloped last night and their whereabouts are unknown. The authorities are searching for them although no arrest can be made. Dale obtained a license yesterday.

BURGLARY AT HUNTSVILLE.

Merchandise Store Entered and Goods and Money Taken.

Texas News Service Special. Huntsville, April 12.—James Dougherty's merchandise store was entered and robbed by burglars late last night. They escaped with fifty dollars cash and \$300 worth of goods. There is no clue.

PILOT BOAT WRECKED.

Ten Drowned Today Off Coast of France.

St. Brevac, France, April 12.—The pilot boat Hirondele was wrecked off Cape Frehel in the English Channel, and ten persons were drowned. After striking, the vessel turned turtle.

LIQUOR QUESTION UP.

Nine California Towns Go Dry and Six Wet.

By Associated Press. San Francisco, April 12.—In municipal elections in California yesterday in which the liquor question figured, nine towns voted dry and six other towns endorsed the saloons.

ALLEGED "FAKERS" ARE UNDER FIRE

SUIT MAY BE BROUGHT AGAINST PARTY NOW PRACTICING IN THIS CITY.

ASSOCIATION IS ACTIVE

Matter is Being Considered This Afternoon and Definite Steps Are Expected.

The technical discussions of the Northwest Texas Medical Association were relieved this afternoon in an interesting manner when the question of the course to pursue against so-called "fakers" in the medical profession came up for discussion. At this writing, the matter of taking legal steps against a certain party now in this city is being considered and some definite course of action may be taken. The legal adviser of the Association has the matter under his attention and the question will depend largely upon his decision.

A meeting of the local physicians was held yesterday afternoon and this same party's methods were discussed at some length and the situation considered. It seems that he has a license to practice that this license has been revoked by the lower courts, but he can still practice under it as the case is on appeal to the Supreme Court. It is not unlikely that some definite action will be taken within the next few days.

LATER.—The following resolution was adopted by the Northwest Texas Medical Association by unanimous vote at 3:20 this afternoon. The article mentioned will appear in the Times tomorrow:

Resolved, That the Northwest Texas Medical Association hereby fully endorses the article relating to one Dr. J. LaFayette Berry, which was published in the April number of the State Journal of Medicine on page 451, which Journal is the official organ of the State Medical Association of Texas.

We feel that as physicians it is our duty to the public to call their attention to the facts recited in this article, all of which we verily believe is true, and we hereby request the local papers to publish these resolutions, with the articles above referred to.

W. H. WALKER, President.
EVERETT JONES, Secretary.

WILL WIN FIGHT.

So Says Pinchot in Letter to Friend At Dallas.

Texas News Service Special. Dallas, April 12.—In a letter addressed to his friend E. G. Dunlap of this city after he had arranged to meet Theodore Roosevelt in Europe, Gifford Pinchot, the deposed Forester, declares the fight for true conservation has just commenced and will be won.

NEGRO IS STABBED.

Barber is Arrested Charged With Assault to Murder.

Texas News Service Special. Dallas, April 12.—Sam Barnes, a negro porter in a Main street barber shop was stabbed several times this morning by Geo. A. Morgan, a barber, who was arrested and charged with assault to murder. Morgan claimed the deed was justifiable. Barnes may die.

NO TRACE OF COOK.

Expedition Finds That He Failed to Ascend Mt. McKinley.

By Associated Press. Fairbanks, Alaska, April 12.—The Fairbanks expedition to Mount McKinley reached the summit on April 3rd, after a climb of one month from the base, it was announced today. No traces of Dr. Cook's alleged ascent was found.

DETAILS OF ROOSEVELT PINCHOT MEETING CAN NOT BE SECURED YET

By Associated Press. Porto Maurizio, April 11.—Gifford Pinchot had a final talk with Roosevelt today and it is now accepted as a matter of course that Roosevelt is in possession of Pinchot's complete case against Ballinger's conservation policy. The announcement was made today that Roosevelt will address the National Conservation Congress late this summer.

HISTORY OF THE STANDARD OIL CASE

Which Was Ordered Yesterday To Be Reargued Before Supreme Court.

- 1862—John D. Rockefeller started in the oil business with \$4,000.
- 1865—Rockefeller became the owner of a refinery in Cleveland.
- 1870—Organization of Standard Oil Co. of Ohio, by Rockefeller and others.
- 1871—South Improvement Company arranges for rebates from railroads.
- 1879—Organization of "Vilas-Keith-Chester Trust."
- 1882—Organization of so-called "Standard Oil Trust."
- 1890—Passage of Sherman anti-trust act.
- 1892—Dissolution of "Standard Oil Trust."
- 1899—Reorganization of Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, as holding company.
- 1906—Filing of petition for dissolution of Standard.
- 1910—Circuit Court at St. Louis decrees dissolution asked for by government.
- 1910—Appeal to Supreme Court of the United States.

For years "Standard Oil" has been under the scrutiny of state and federal governments. During the last four years the litigation which bred today's decree has engaged the attention of the federal courts. Since March 14 of this year, the Supreme Court has weighed the controversy of these years. Today came the climax.

The first great fight over the methods of the Standard Oil interests was directed against the Standard Oil Company of Ohio. As a result of the litigation, this organization was dissolved. The stock drifted into the hands of trust of one form and another and more litigation followed. Then the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey was reorganized in 1899. With its capital stock of \$110,000,000, it became the holding company that is the holding company; that is, it acquired the stock of nineteen other oil companies which, in turn, controlled a still larger number of companies engaged in various branches of the oil business. The task of fighting "Standard Oil" had outgrown the states, and the federal government took up the cudgel.

The Bureau of Corporations was organized and as its first assignment, undertook an investigation of the Standard Oil. "It reached into the very vitals of the corporation," according to the description of that inquiry given in court by the Standard's counsel.

Then in 1906, Justice Moody, now of the Supreme Court, then attorney general of the United States, directed the filing of a petition in the federal circuit court for the Eastern District of Missouri, for the dissolution of the Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, as a combination in restraint of interstate trade and a monopoly, all in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. The petition was loaded with the ammunition collected by the states and by the Bureau of Corporations.

John D. Rockefeller, Henry H. Rogers, Henry M. Flagler, John D. Archbold, Oliver H. Payne, and Charles M. Pratt were named as individual defendants. The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey headed a list of 114 companies designated as "defendant corporations."

The hearing finally came on. Only the Waters-Pierce Oil Company was resident in the circuit, and the Standard denied the right of the court to compel the other defendants, outside the circuit, to appear in court. It lost in this contention. Testimony was taken in Missouri and in New York. Finally, early in this year, over three years after the filing of the petition in the circuit court, the four judges who had been called in to pass on the suit announced the decree of the court.

That decree upheld nearly every contention the government had made. It did, however, dismiss some of the defendant companies. It decreed that the reorganization of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey in 1899 constituted a combination and a conspiracy in restraint of commerce among the states and with foreign nations, and a combination and conspiracy to monopolize that commerce in violation of sections one and two, respectively of the Sherman anti-trust act.

The principal or holding company was enjoined from directing the affairs of the subsidiary corporations and the subsidiary corporations were prohibited from paying dividends to the holding company. The defendants were enjoined from engaging in interstate commerce, until the illegal combination was discontinued.

Least the defendants get around the decree in some manner, the court ordered them from carrying the combination into further effect either by the use of liquidating certificates given to trustees, or by an agreement or arrangement like that adjudged illegal.

It did, however, grant permission specifically for the distribution of

to the shareholders of the holding company of the shares in the subsidiary corporations.

Then the suit was brought to the supreme court of the United States on the appeal of the Standard. On account of the great importance of the case, it was advanced for an early hearing.

On March 14, of the present year, the final argument of the case began. It lasted three days. For the Standard Oil, the most brilliant lawyers obtainable pleaded its cause. John G. Johnson of Philadelphia, headed the list, and associated with him were John G. Milburn of New York and D. T. Watson of Pittsburg. For the government, Attorney General Wickersham in person and Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul, directed the fight.

The government dwelt upon what it termed the Standard's enormous profits and high prices, the pipe lines as an aid to monopoly, numerous "contracts in restraint of trade," railroad rebates and discriminations in connection with the alleged monopoly by the Standard on railroad lubrications and various forms of "unfair methods of competition."

The circuit court based its decree on the single finding that the reorganization of the Standard Oil Company in 1899 was a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. In its fight before the supreme court the government argued that even if this were not a violation of the law, other acts were. For instance, there had been a continuing conspiracy to monopolize the trade, the government claimed. In support of this contention of existing monopoly it pointed to the finding of the circuit court to the effect that the Standard, from 1899 to 1907:

- Produced more than 1-10 of the crude oil obtained in this country.
- Owned and operated more than 1/4 of all the tank cars used to distribute its products.
- Manufactured more than 3/4 of all the crude oil refined in the United States.
- Transported more than 4-5 of the petroleum derived from the Pennsylvania and Indiana oil fields.
- Marketed more than 4-5 of all the illuminating oil sold in the United States.
- Exported more than 4-5 of all the illuminating oil sent forth from the United States.
- Sold more than 4-5 of all the paraffin sold in the United States.
- Sold more than 9-10 of all the lubricating oil sold to railroad companies in the United States.
- Throughout the fight the reorganization of 1899 was the storm center, and in defense of that action the legal talent of the Standard directed its energy.

The claim was set up that the reorganization of 1899 did not restrain trade by reducing competition, because "the properties involved in this suit formed a non-competitive group prior to the passage of the Sherman act in 1890 and their transfer to the New Jersey corporation in 1899 did not alter their status or restrict competition."

This same defense was made in the circuit court. That court held that the power of the principal company after the transfer of 1899 to fix the prices at which the corporations should buy and sell the articles in which they dealt, the terms of their purchases and sales, their rates for the transportation of oil and its products and all the infinite details of their vast operations in which they might compete was greater, more easily and quickly exercised and hence more effective than it could have been in the hands of 3,000 scattered stockholders. It held that the corporations were potentially competitive if not active competitors.

The government advanced the same argument before the supreme court, as it had done before the circuit court. The Standard replied by contending that the doctrine of "potential competition" would mean that one person could be compelled to compete with himself. The argument over the subject and the discussion of what constituted a monopoly consumed many hours of the hearing.

As to its monopolistic tendencies, the Standard's attorneys entered a denial, but boasted of its largeness, as the natural development and out-

Experts Endorse Cottolena.
"Marion Harland," Mrs. Janet M. Hill, and Mrs. Sarah Tyson Horer, are three cooking authorities whose names are familiar to almost every housewife. Each has her own distinctive methods of work, but it is interesting to note that on the all-important question of a cooking fat, they are unanimous in recommending COTTOLENA. "Marion Harland" says of COTTOLENA: "It has given complete satisfaction." Mrs. Hill says: "Very satisfactory; glad to recommend it." Mrs. Horer says: "A much more healthful product than lard."
With such authority behind it, every housekeeper will be safe in giving COTTOLENA at least a trial. It is a vegetable oil, containing pure and more wholesome than lard and is cheaper, too, one-third less being required.

growth of business begun nearly fifty years before.

"By unfiring energy, with infinite skill, with abundant capital and the steady reinvestments of early profits," said Mr. Watson in his brief prepared for the court. "These men and their associates created out of an entirely new, unique and unprecedented production of crude oil, a new, universally used and cheapest illuminant the world has ever known. They succeeded, as if one had developed unexpectedly a gold or diamond mine, and abundant revenue legitimately became theirs."

The reply of the government to this line of argument was summed up in one outburst of Mr. Kellogg in addressing the court, when he shouted: "They waved the black flag over the land as others had done over the sea!"

"FOREST PEOPLE" OF FRANCE.

British Settlement in Royal Woods Has a Curious History.

Attention has been called in France to a little British settlement which still exists in the very heart of the country not far from Bourges, in the province of Berry. Its inhabitants have received the name Foretains, or forest people. Their history is a curious one.

In recognition of the services which John Stuart, constable of Scotland, rendered to the French nation, one of its kings, Charles VII, 500 years ago, granted him a park in the forest of Hauteburne, and subsequently gave the Scotchmen, whom he settled there, the right also of feeding pigs and cutting wood in the adjacent royal forest of Allouery. They also were exempted from the payment of general taxes, salt tax or the dues levied by the neighboring town of Bourges; and finally a royal magistrate was appointed for their special benefit.

This magistrate used to sit booted and spurred, with his sword by his side, and for many years his decisions were given without appeal, not only in all civil, but in criminal cases as well, which affected the proprietors or humbler inhabitants of the forest.

The Scotchmen cleared the forest of its old trees and planted instead orchards, and then invited others of their countrymen to come and join them. Since then they have preserved something of their Scotch origin as well as their lofty, staid, active and vigorous form. They cultivate both beards and whiskers, and both in accent and peculiarities of speech show their descent.

In dress they only differ from the inhabitants around them by wearing long leggings with spurs attached. Many of the names are Scotch or English, such as Talbot, Cromwell, Halliday and Goodwin.—Detroit News-Tribune.

HELEN WARE ON HER SUCCESS.

Not Luck, But Making Opportunities, Won for Her.

In the February number of the Green Book Album, Helen Ware contributes an article on nursing an ambition. The following excerpt from the article is worthy of reproduction:

"My friends often remarked on the fact that I was so lucky. But it wasn't luck. It was just hard, constant work. When I was out of an engagement I didn't sit down and wait for the managers to send for me. I went out after work. I did not go to the actors' exchanges and talk over my troubles with fellow actors who were in the same predicament. I went and talked with the managers; told them what I had done and what I wanted. I did not go to see a manager once and wait. I went to see him every day, and all that I knew just as often. If there was anything to be had I wanted my name on the list of applicants, and I wanted the managers to know that my name was there. In the meantime, I kept right on studying. That isn't luck; it is making the best of one's opportunities. One might almost be justified in saying that it is making opportunities."

"In the last few years it has been just as much work for me to get the things I wanted that it did in the earlier days. I have not sat down and waited for a manager to bring me the plum. It might have been possible for me to have secured, with little effort, the same sort of engagements I had been having, but my ambition was getting stronger and bigger, all the time, and I insisted upon reaching out for something better. So I have kept right on working earnestly, persistently."

Miss Ware is to be starred this coming season by Henry B. Harris, in a new play by Byron Ongley.

College Oratorical Contest.

Myerstown, Pa., April 12.—Albright College was the mecca today for a number of college orators and a host of student "rooters" who assembled for the annual oratorical contest of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association. The institutions represented include Rutgers, Susquehanna, Geneva, Grove City, Juniata, Gettysburg, Lebanon Valley and Albright colleges.



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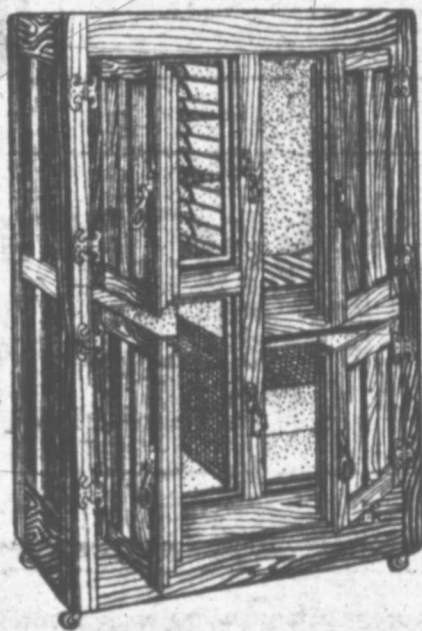
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"WORRY DIGS THE GRAVE."

Herbert Zimmerman Avoids Anxiety. He's 104 Years Old.

Crosswicks, N. J.—Herbert Zimmerman, 104 years of age, believes that work is the cause of disease and death. He does not believe that a man, even one of his mature years, should go to sleep three or four hours before midnight and arise before daybreak. He says such a routine makes life a burden. For the past twenty years Zimmerman has been retiring at 3 o'clock in the morning and arising whenever he felt sufficiently rested. He enjoys the best of health. He believes that many others could live the same number of years if they did not worry and were not over anxious to store up wealth.

"Worry kills ninety-nine out of every one hundred," said Mr. Zimmerman. "The worry germ does more harm than the germ of many contagious diseases. When I was a boy my father, mother and two brothers died of worry, and I made up my mind at an early age that I would never allow trouble to dig a grave for me. I sleep as long as necessary and eat whenever I'm hungry. This regular meal idea never appealed to me. Sometimes I have eaten but one meal in a day, and upon other occasions I have eaten five. Since I was 30 years old I have taken three or four small glasses of whiskey daily. I now smoke fifteen cigars a day and have been an inveterate smoker since I was 14 years old."

Mr. Zimmerman is now in the real estate business. He spends five hours in his office daily, working all the time. Every afternoon he walks at least four miles and is considered a physical marvel by those who know him.—Kansas City Times.

Progressive Democracy.

There is a tidal wave of democracy rising in the hearts of the people of this country. Whether the Democratic party rides on its crest, or is smothered beneath it, depends upon the democratic party being democratic. If the party is dominated by the agents of special privilege, it will not benefit by this growing sentiment against privilege. If the party anywhere bows down to the Golden Calf and prostitutes itself to the greed of special interests this tidal wave will sweep it into deserved defeat.

Thomas Jefferson taught that the leaders of the party must hold their power by heeding the just demands of the people, not by hushing them. When a breach occurs between the leaders of the party and the masses in any state, the party must either have new leaders, or its disaster is near. If the Democratic party is to succeed it must be progressive, not reactionary. There is a battle going on in this nation today between progress and reaction, between dollars and men, between money and morals, between privilege and equal rights. If the democratic party is true to ideals it must stand for progress, and put men above dollars, morals above mon-

ey, and equal rights above privilege. If the party is not true to its own principles, it cannot expect the people to be true to it.

There has been too much shouting of party names, and too little teaching of the principles that political parties are supposed to stand for. We have reached the point in this country that when a man says he is a democrat, or a republican, it does not necessarily reflect the principles he believes in, and if he expresses the principles of government in which he believes, we cannot tell from that what political party he belongs to. The hope of the nation must be in the principles of democracy, and what the democratic party needs is to take an affirmative stand for them. There is an independent spirit abroad in the land today, and it is to this spirit we must appeal. The party must convince the people not what it proposes to do for itself, but what it can do for them. An aggressive fight for progressive ideas will do more in winning political battles than all the gold that could be poured into the party treasury.

If the republican party does not represent privilege, then it has no reason for existence, for the democratic party represents the other side, founded as it was upon the Maxim, "Equal rights to all, special privileges to none." This motto embraces every essential of real democracy. Whatever the political problem before us we may safely seek its solution by this rule.—Hon. Joseph W. Folk in Norman E. Mack's National Monthly for April.

Neglected His Warship.

Portsmouth, N. H., April 12.—A courtmartial convened at the Portsmouth Navy Yard today for the trial of Commander Frank K. Hill, U. S. N., on charges growing out of the condition of his ship, the gunboat Marietta. Keen interest is manifested in the case, not only because of Commander Hill's excellent record as an officer, but because the charges are without precedent in the history of the navy. The only reason suggested for the alleged action of Commander Hill in allowing the Marietta to become "dirty" was that he had lost interest in the ship because he did not believe the command of the gunboat was commensurate with his rank.

Inez Smith entertained quite a number of friends Saturday evening at 1300 Austin, from 4:30 to 6:30 o'clock. Games of various kinds were played, the one most enjoyed by all was "Feeding the Bear." Grandfather Dixon standing afar off was tastefully trimmed with the feedings. Clara Morrow being the lucky one, won the prize, a Japanese receptacle. Merriment and laughter was heard throughout the evening. Refreshments were: ice cream and cake. All departed at 6:30 declaring they had a good time.

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Wisconsin Law to Aid Tollers.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 12.—Numerous prominent manufacturers, leaders of labor organizations and representatives of insurance companies were on hand today at the opening of the final hearing by the special committee appointed by the last session of the Wisconsin legislature to consider the subject of industrial insurance. Following the hearing the committee will draft an industrial insurance measure to be presented at the next session of the legislature.

After a thorough study of the European systems of compensation for industrial accidents, the committee chose the German scale of compensation. This gives to the man who loses time through injury received while at work 65 per cent of his wages. This compensation is not to be paid, however, except in cases where the victim is disabled for more than two weeks.

Medical attendance is provided under the proposed Wisconsin system. In fatal cases where the victim leaves persons wholly dependent upon his earnings, the survivors are to receive an amount equal to three years' wages of the dead man. The proposed bill requires employes who elect to come under the system (the compensation bill is optional) to cover the risk by insuring either in an insurance corporation or in a mutual company.

Silver Service for Battleship.

Charleston, S. C., April 12.—A magnificent silver service was presented to the battleship South Carolina, one of the finest ships of the United States navy, at anchor in Charleston harbor, today by a committee of eminent citizens of the state, headed by Governor Ansel. The formal ceremony took place at noon in the Academy of Music, which was thronged with a brilliant assemblage of invited guests from every part of South Carolina. In addition to the silver service there was presented to the battleship a handsome flag donated by the South Carolina chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The flag was presented by Mrs. Virginia Mason Bratton, the state regent of the society. The address of acceptance was made by Captain A. F. Fechteler, commander of the battleship.

The silver service comprises nearly forty pieces and cost \$5,000. On the larger pieces are designs representing famous events in the history of South Carolina, including Jasper at Fort Moultrie, Marion's banner to the British officers, Mrs. Mott's destruction of her home, and etchings of Generals Sumter, Moultrie, Marion, Pickens and other fighting heroes of South Carolina.

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For District Attorney, 30th Judicial District.
S. M. FOSTER.

For County Judge,
C. B. FELDER.
M. F. YEAGER.

For County Attorney,
T. B. GREENWOOD.
T. R. BOONE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector,
J. W. WALKUP.
PETE RANDOLPH.
W. E. SKEEN.
G. C. RHODES.

For County and District Clerk,
W. A. REID.

For County Tax Assessor,
JOHN ROBERTSON.
J. M. HURSH.

For County Treasurer,
T. W. McHAM.

For County Commissioner Precinct 1
G. W. FILGO.
D. E. THOMAS.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1
W. E. BROTHERS.

For Constable, Precinct No. 1,
F. J. SEELEY.
J. D. JONES.
CHAS. P. YEARY.
R. T. (Tom) PICKETT.

For County School Superintendent,
H. A. FAIRCHILD.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Wichita Falls and vicinity
—Tonight and Wednesday part-
ly cloudy weather; warmer to-
night.

The Dallas News observes that Taft may think he is having a hard time, but if the statistics were available it would probably be developed that he doesn't have as many troubles as a month as Governor Haskell of Oklahoma gets into before breakfast. Come to think of it, Governor Haskell has had a fairly good share of trouble. It seems that there are men in office in that state who object to being dictated to entirely by the governor. Some of them take the unique position that they are responsible to the people rather than to the governor. Gov. Haskell is a pretty good-sized man, in some respects but he is somewhat inclined to be the whole works, to which there appears some objection.

The Dallas News is not supporting any one of the five candidates for governor, probably for the reason, in the first place that, in the opinion of the News, not one of them measures up to the gubernatorial size, and secondly, because it does not want to be charged with the defeat of any one of them by giving him its support. The News, according to some who envy its prosperity and the able manner in which it is conducted, has never supported any candidate for governor who won out. If it continues to pursue its course it has so far in the present campaign, its envious rivals in the newspaper field will not be able to make that charge any longer.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered a reduction in the charge for upper berths in sleeping cars, holding that it is unjust and unreasonable to charge the same for upper and lower berths. So many of us are not able to ride in either that the decision will be of little interest.

It is announced that republican administration leaders have determined to "carry the war into the enemy's country." That will be covering a large territory.

The El Paso Herald suggests that instead of turning out some of the inmates of the Confederate Home, there should be an addition to the Home. That would be better, indeed. It doesn't sound well to talk about turning an old soldier out of the home. And in this connection, it is interesting to note that at a meeting of the Grand Army Post at Fort Worth recently, a resolution was adopted to the effect that if the state refuses to care for these old soldiers, that post will pay its share toward caring for them.

A poll of democratic editors taken by the Chicago Tribune to ascertain who is the most available man for the democratic nomination for president in 1912 shows the following figures: Bryan, 418; Roosevelt, 159; Marshall, 81; Gaynor, 39; Taft 24; Harmon, 414; Folk, 93; Clark, 44; Lafolette, 27; Hughes, 18; Scattering, 97.

Candidate Cunyus says he submitted a proposition to Poindexter and Johnson, who claim to be simon pure prohibitionists, to submit the question of which of the three is the stronger candidate, the other two to retire, but that neither replied. He says now that he is in the race to stay until the people pass on the question.

SCIENCE AND AFTER LIFE.

Conservation of Energy Demands Continuance of the Soul.

Our life is a constant growth of the human intellect, closely connected with the development of the human body. But we know that there is a continuous interchange of cells, decaying and forming, and yet, though the living tissues may in the course of time be entirely renewed, the individual continues to exist; it remains one and the same. But even the matter and energy which have been given off from the living body have not disappeared; they are still in existence, though disconnected from the life-giving principle. Should we not demand that there should be a similar conservation for the invisible part of our life? I have not the power to describe what the life after death is; the intellect will not tell us.

While I have to content myself with the assertion that mind is as indestructible as matter and energy, my firm belief in evolution and in orderly plan of the universe leads me to doubt that there can be any retrogression in its development. I believe my spirit will after death be more advanced in all the characteristics of the human soul.

And thus I find no difficulty whatever in believing in a personality embracing the whole universe and ultimately blended with the madelous intricate system of material bodies, a personality different from ours, it is true, but, since I form a part of it, one of the same nature as my own, only grander, wiser more powerful and more just.

In conclusion, let me say that the views here advanced were not obtained by adherence to any theological or philosophical dogma, but were the result of a purely scientific search after a word picture which would satisfy not only the intellect, but the human soul.—Dr. Grellie of Michigan University.

Withdraws From Constable Race.

H. E. Stearns, flagman at the 7th street crossing of the "Denver," who has been a candidate for constable of precinct No. 1, requests the Times to say that owing to his age, being now in his 67th year, he has decided that he could not fill the office to the satisfaction of either himself or the people, in the event he should be elected, and while he felt confident of his election, he thought that it was his duty to his friends who have never failed to support him for any office which he has ever asked for and obtained, to withdraw from the race and allow them the opportunity of supporting some one of the other half dozen candidates for the position. He withdraws in favor of no particular one, as he considers that all of them, while his opponents, so long as he was in the race, were his friends. He will continue to hold his job with the "Denver," a position which he feels he can fill to the satisfaction of his employers.

The Times is authorized to announce W. E. Brothers as a candidate for reelection to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, Wichita county, subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held on Saturday July 23rd. Mr. Brothers has held this office for the past six years, and refers to his record as the best evidence of his qualifications and efficiency. He is one of the oldest and first citizens of Wichita county, highly esteemed by all, and is a democrat and ex-Confederate soldier. The Times respectfully presents his claims for reelection to the voters of this precinct for their careful consideration.

Valuable notes and papers were stolen from me on the night of April 8th, 1910. All parties are hereby notified not to trade for any papers payable to me without my genuine signature. DAVID ROGERS, Jolly, Texas.

NORTHWEST TEXAS PHYSICIANS HERE

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experiments on the circulation, states the results of artificial respiration on an animal, apparently dying of edema of the lungs, and calls attention to the fact that rhymical variation of pressure at any point of circulation seems to some extent to assist circulatory stimulation, and to this extent heart action. This seems to me rational and if through such aid we might relieve one of these helplessly distressing cases, it would lift a nightmare off our shoulders, and would at least give our helpless hands something to do.

"Some of you have already wondered how I have this long kept away from the constant wonders and discoveries of my own chosen specialty. Of course, though, on second thought, you would realize that any undue prominence to this subject would be inappropriate for this paper. Permit me only, in closing, to say that X-Ray and Electro-Therapeutics is keeping even step with that even step kept by the general progress of medicine with the wonderful progress of this wonderful world, that becomes vastly more wonderful every day we live."

Medical Jurisprudence.
Following Dr. Bond's address, Dr. K. H. Beal of Fort Worth read an interesting paper on "Non-Surgical Abdominal Pains."

This was followed by an interesting discussion on medical jurisprudence, dealing with the medical profession in its legal phases. Dr. Bacon Saunders of Fort Worth, opened this feature of the meeting with a discussion of malpractice and how it should be dealt with. Judge Wilkerson of Fort Worth, legal adviser for the association, turned the light on some phases of the question in a very interesting manner. He gave some cautionary advice to the doctors in their practice and defined their limitations in operating.

Following this discussion, adjournment for dinner was taken. The discussion was continued for a short time after dinner, after which the association took up another matter, as reported elsewhere.

Among those in attendance at the meeting are:

Doctors D. C. Durringer, William R. Howard, Wilmer Allison, George Bond, and Bacon Saunders of Fort Worth; Doctors John S. Turner, T. P. Tipton, R. D. Rolfe and H. G. Walcott of Dallas; Dr. W. P. Dooley of Iowa Park; Dr. McGehee, of Burk Burnett, and a number of others who failed to register. Practically all of the local fraternity is in attendance upon the sessions of the association.

At four o'clock this afternoon the association adjourned to attend the festivities at Lake Wichita.

GROUND HOG FALSE PROPHECY

Prof. Willis Moore Says He Did Not Make Good This Year.

Washington—Prof. Willis L. Moore, chief of the Weather Bureau, has a grouch on the groundhog. "You never pick up a paper," said Prof. Moore, "that you don't see harsh criticisms of the weather bureau. If we miss the time of the coming of rain by half an hour, we are declared grossly incompetent. People make speeches and say the weather bureau is spending too much money. Then somebody writes a long magazine article about us. They say we never have been right for two days on a stretch.

"If I did not see a kick on the weather bureau in the paper every morning and afternoon or find half a dozen complaining letters on my desk every day I would feel lonesome and neglected. But while the abuse is going around why not be impartial with it?"

"What about the great weather prophet, the groundhog?"

"He is the greatest four-flusher that ever looked at a cloud and pretended to tell what was in it.

"What did he do this year? Did he make good? Not a bit of it. He was as far off as we were about the probable weather conditions.


"He crawled out of his hole on February 2, saw his shadow, got his picture in every paper in the country and then beat it back to his cavernous lair, leaving behind the idea that the remainder of February and all of March would be marked by bad weather."

"Was it a reliable forecast? I should say not. We have had the mildest and most beautiful March in years. Yet the groundhog gets off without a single roast. And next year people will be just as eager to believe in his judgment."

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The Worst Speaker.

Assemblyman John C. Hackett of New York recently told this story in a speech, says the Cleveland Leader: "I was up in Rockland last summer and there was a banquet given at a country hotel. All the farmers were there and all the village characters. I was asked to make a speech. 'Now,' said I, with the usual apologetic manner, 'it is not fair to you for the toastmaster to ask me to speak. I am notorious as the worst public speaker in the state of New York. My reputation extends from one end of the state to the other. I have no rival whatever when it comes—' I was interrupted by a lanky, ill-clad individual, who had stuck too close to the beer pitcher. "Gentlemen," said he, 'I take 'ception to what this here man says. He ain't the worst public speaker in the state. I am. You all know it, an' I want it made a matter of record that I took 'ception.' 'Well, my friend,' said I, 'suppose we leave it to the guests. You sit down while I say my piece and then I'll sit down and let you give a demonstration.' The fellow agreed, and I went on. I hadn't gone far when he got up again. 'S all right,' said he, 'you win; needn't go no further.'"

POSTED HERSELF.

And Then Told the Author About His Book of Travel.

Prince de Talleyrand one day, when rising from lunch, said to his wife, a very ignorant lady: "You will have at your side at dinner tonight a very remarkable man. He has written his travels. For heaven's sake, do talk to him sensibly. As you pass through the library ask for the book and glance it through and bring the conversation to this subject. Do not forget to ask for M. Deon's work."

The princess obeyed, but the thought of the torrent of sarcasm which would follow an unsuccessful issue of her lord's commands made her forget the name of the author. "Give me," said the princess, addressing the librarian, "the adventures of this traveler. Listen, now, a name which ends in 'ou.'"

"I know," said the librarian, smiling, and he handed her "Robinson Crusoe."

Mme. de Talleyrand read the book and was enchanted with the story, and more so with the thought that she was to dine with the author. At night she found herself next to M. Deon at table. She was not long in turning the conversation into the line directed by the prince, as she said to her neighbor: "Your travels have interested me deeply, monsieur. What joy you must have experienced in your lonely island when you found 'Friday'!"—From "L'Esprit de Talleyrand."

HELD HIS JOB.

The Boy Was Willing to Be a Friend to Senator Hanna.

When Senator Hanna was walking through his factory in Cleveland some years ago on the lookout for new ideas or anything which would aid the progress of business he overheard a little red headed lad remark: "Wish I had old Hanna's money and he was in the poorhouse."

The senator returned to his office and rang to have the boy sent to him. The boy came to the office timidly, just a bit conscience stricken, wondering if his remark had been overheard and ready for the penalty. As the lad twisted his hands and nervously stood on one foot before the gaze of those twinkling dark eyes fixed on him by the man at the desk he felt the hand of Uncle Mark on his shoulder: "So you wish you had old Hanna's money and he was in the poorhouse, eh? Suppose your wish should be granted. What would you do?"

"Why," stammered the lad, "the first thing I would do, sir, would be to get you out of the poorhouse."

The senator laughed and sent the boy back to his work. Today he is one of the managers of a large factory, but he never tires of telling the story that held his first job.—Joe Mitchell Chappie in National Magazine.

Paying For the Spots.

"I conceived a perfectly dandy scheme for saving my table linen and teaching Jack to be dainty about his carving," said a young married woman. "Every time he gets a spot on the tablecloth I have him cover it with a coin. The larger the spot the larger the coin, and more often than not it takes paper money to cover it all. Then Nora takes up the money when she clears the table, and we save it up to buy kitchen utensils."—New York Press.

Think It Over.

Fuddy—What a happy world this would be if more of us got what we wanted! Dudy—Yes, or else fewer of us got what we deserved.—Boston Transcript

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WOMEN ARE GROWING TALLER.

Young Girls Are Now Frequently Taller Than Mothers.

Strange news comes to us from England. Women are growing.

This does not mean that the sex is widening its sphere of influence or that women are strengthening their hold upon society, nor that they are developing intellectually, but that they are ever growing taller than they used to be. Not this or that particular woman, but the whole sex in general, or at least women in civilized countries. The average woman is steadily growing taller. Young girls of from 15 to 18 years are even now three inches taller than their mothers. In 1895 the average height of a young girl was only five feet three inches. Now she is at least five feet five, and the growth continues.

"So much the better," you may say. "This is making a more robust, more majestic race and toward the middle of the Twentieth Century we shall see magnificent couples, such as those which astonished the Roman conquerors in the barbarian provinces at the time of Caesar."

But you are mistaken.

It is not the race which is growing taller. It is woman—woman alone. Her companion remains stationary, or is even inclined to grow smaller. Thus the difference in height, which was the pride of the masculine sex, is little by little disappearing. When the average woman shall be five feet eight or even five feet ten, the masculine sex shall have lost this advantage for good and ever, and the young man will have to look up to meet his sweetheart's eye.—Marcel Prevost in New York American.

NOVELS, LONG AND SHORT.

English Plan for Shorter Stories. Length of Some Old Ones.

A plan to shorten novels to an average length of about fifty thousand words and to sell them to the general public mainly through the large de-

partment houses, for 50 cents apiece, is being put forward again both in this country and Great Britain.

The dies is bound to fail, as far as the length of novels is concerned. An arbitrary measure of 50,000 words or of any other number cannot be fixed for what should be a work of art. Novels differ as widely as pictures in scale, and nearly all that have lasted for many years are long.

"Don Quixote" has about 600,000 words; "Tom Jones" about 500,000; "Vanity Fair," esteemed by many the best novel in the English language, about 500,000, and all the other important Thackeray novels, except "Henry Esmond," are nearly as long. With a few exceptions the Dickens novels contain about 400,000 words apiece. Neither Thackeray nor Dickens was at heart a historical novelist, and when they undertook work of this kind they ran out quickly.

George Eliot needed at least 300,000 words to tell a story; George Sand used nearly a half million in her masterpiece, "Consuelo"; Dumas spent a quarter of a million on "The Three Musketeers" and three-quarters of a million more on its two sequels, "Twenty Years After" and "The Vicomte de Bragelonne." "Les Miserables" stretches out to 650,000 words; Tolstol tells the fall of "Anna Karenina" in 400,000, and he puts 700,000 in "War and Peace." The famous Polish trilogy of Sienkiewicz exceeds a million words.

Almost the only instance of a short novel of the very first rank is "The Scarlet Letter," which is but 75,000 words. However, there are only four or five characters in it and the action is brief. It may be that the novelists of the present day are not able to produce great effects because they must write for the passing moment, and by the time they got acquainted with their own characters they are compelled to bid them farewell.—New York World.

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Dr. Berry has made a success in the treatment of chronic diseases, such as cancers, tumors, gallstones, nerve troubles and female disorders. He has done so without the knife—there has been no return of the troubles. He has delivered the goods and is on the ground where his work was performed. He challenges any one to point to his failures. The doctor is a graduate of surgical medical college, having attended two terms in the University of California, (preliminary and regular) preliminary and regular in Bellevue Hospital Medical college, N. Y., and part of a term in Philadelphia before he graduated his first term. He has graduated several times since in New York and San Francisco. He is registered to practice in more states and territories than any other living physician. He has treated scores of the best known people of the state and have their unqualified approval. He has been maliciously libeled by certain parties and by a certain medical trust journal and has already commenced suit against some of them and has instructed his attorneys to prepare the papers in other suits. He has several of the best lawyers in Texas employed to fight the medical trust and their hirelings. Adv.

Daughter of Wyoming Senator Washburn, Washington, D. C., April 12.—Society in the national capital was interested today in the wedding of Miss Frances Dyer Clarke, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Clarke of Wyoming, and George Hobart Chapman of Boston. The ceremony took place at noon in the Church of the Incarnation, the Rev. William T. Snyder officiating. The bride and her cousin, Mrs. Clarence Clark Hamlin of Colorado Springs, as matron of honor, and Harold Fabian, a classmate of the bridegroom at Harvard, acted as best man.

ALFALFA FLOUR.

It is Being Largely Used in the West and Makes Excellent Bread.

Omaha—Alfalfa, which, until comparatively recently was considered as feed for cattle, horses and hogs, only has been discovered to have value as a food for humans. The dry leaves are being ground into meal and flour, mixed with wheat flour and sold on the market as a composition out of which bread, biscuits, pancakes and pastry are being made.

Time was, and it was not so very long ago, when you met a man on the street and if you wanted to crack a real funny joke, you remarked: "You can do so and so, but you can't eat hay." Make that remark today to an Omaha man and he will tell you that he is eating hay. In other words, at the present time more than half of the families of Omaha are eating hay. This hay eating is not confined to the poor, but extends to the people who are in comfortable circumstances, and they all say they like it.

To make the alfalfa meal and flour

the grass is cut early in June and at a time when it is in full bloom. It is cured in the sun and, if possible, without being wet by rain. When thoroughly dry the leaves are stripped from the stalks and these leaves, mixed with wheat at a ratio of one-third alfalfa and two-thirds wheat are ground into a course meal. This meal is used for cakes as well as for a breakfast food. That desired for bread and pastry is ground still finer and boiled, and when placed upon the market can be sold for about 80 cents per sack of 50 pounds, whereas a good trade of wheat will retail at \$1.50 to \$1.75 per sack of the same weight.

So far, the only thing that can be regarded as objectionable about the alfalfa meal or flour is the color. Instead of being white, it is a bright emerald green. This color remains through the cooking process, and a plate of hot biscuits or a "plate of cakes" comes to the table as green as the grass of the field.

So far as being nutritious, the alfalfa product has the wheat and corn badly beaten, and experiments show that a man who eats alfalfa products can work longer and harder, experiencing less fatigue than a man who makes a meal out of meat. Then, too, it is a medicine in a way, as it acts upon the nerves, and Omaha doctors have commenced prescribing it as a remedy for insomnia.

For the nerves, the alfalfa hay comes to the consumer in another form. The blossoms are gathered just at the time when they are in full bloom. Like the hay, they are dried without moisture, and when bone dry they are ground to a fine powder, which is a light blue. This powder is made into tablets and constitutes a medicine that, while it will not cure all the ills, will play havoc with insomnia, indigestion and all manner of stomach difficulties.

Alfalfa is a crop that can be raised on almost any kind of land, but it thrives best where the soil is loose and porous, with a subsoil that is of similar character. In other words, it will not do as well, nor can the best results be obtained on clayey land or land with a heavy and solid subsoil. So far as investigation has been carried the states of Nebraska, Kansas, Wyoming and Colorado have been the most successful in the culture of the plant.

In the states named alfalfa will produce three crops of hay per year and will average an and one-half tons per acre per cutting. The first cutting is early in June; the second four to six weeks later, and the third late in August or early in September. It is cut and gathered the same as any other hay, costing about \$1.50 per ton to put it in the stack and \$2 more per ton in the event it is baled for shipment to market. On board the cars it is worth a good average of \$8 per ton, making the net profit per acre per year in the neighborhood of \$20. Besides this, after the last cutting, the stubble, horses and hogs until winter and until the field is covered with snow.

Experiments made by the state agricultural colleges show that for feeding the dry alfalfa hay is one-third better than clover, equal to shelled corn and almost equal to wheat bran. For fattening hogs it is almost equal to corn.

Wonderful for Fattening Hogs. One Nebraska farmer who experimented with it as a hog fattening food turned 100 head of hogs into a 12-acre field, fenced into four lots. He grazed in one lot a few days and then turned them into another, following this plan in order that his alfalfa would not be fed too close. The outcome was that he put an average of 140 pounds of flesh on each hog at a cost of \$1.25.

It has reached a point in this state where many of the alfalfa growers are selling their hay at the high price of \$8 per ton, or at least they are selling a goodly portion of it, and are then buying the alfalfa meal which answers the double purpose of hay and grain. The meal is a composition of the hay, ground stalk and all, mixed with molasses, a pound to 1/2 pound of shelled corn as a fattening food.

While alfalfa will live and produce a good crop for at least 20 years, the best results are attained by rotating with other crops. It is sowed and cut three years, then ploughed up and the ground planted to corn or sugar beets for a couple of years, after which it is again sowed to alfalfa. On light or sandy soil the roots will grow down 10 to 15 feet to moisture and this fact has proven to be the satisfaction of the western experts that it would be a profitable crop in the older states of the east, where the ground is supposed to be practically worn out. It contains all of the properties that serve as a fertilizer and when grown upon the poorest of lands of the west, for a number of years, the result has been that when the land has been ploughed up it has produced bumper crops.

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Monument to Henry Clay.

Lexington, Ky., April 12.—The 133rd anniversary of the birth of Henry Clay, who was born in Virginia April 12, 1777, witnessed the completion and dedication of the new monument erected here in his memory to take the place of the memorial which was destroyed by lightning several years ago. The new monument was designed by Charles J. Mulligan of Chicago and depicts Clay in the period of greatest vitality, in the full strength of his oratorical powers, delivering a speech in congress.

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Absentminded Dyer.

Charles Lamb had a friend named George Dyer who was perhaps the most absentminded man on record. It was Dyer who, leaving Lamb's Islington home at broad noonday, walked straight into the New river. He was known to take up a coal scuttle instead of his hat, to walk home with a footman's cockaded hat on and even to leave one of his shoes under the table and get well on his homeward way before discovering his loss. He called at a friend's one morning, heard that the family was away in the country, left his name in the visitors' book, and a few hours later called again, asked for the book again and was astonished to see his own freshly written name. Once, when Proctor breakfasted with him, Dyer forgot the tea. The omission being noted, he filled the teapot with ginger. Proctor left as soon as he could to get a better breakfast at a coffee tavern, and there Dyer strolled in and asked him how he did, quite unconscious of having seen him earlier.

Lawyer's Wills.

A remarkable specimen of a lawyer's invalid will was that of Sir Joseph Jeckyll, master of the rolls, who died in 1738 and bequeathed his fortune after his wife's death to pay off the national debt. "Sir Joseph was a good man and a good lawyer," was Lord Mansfield's comment, "but his bequest was a very foolish one. He might as well have attempted to stop the middle arch of London bridge with his full bottomed wig." The testator's patriotic intentions were therefore treated as proof of mental weakness, and his will was promptly set aside. Among the many blundering wills that lawyers have made for their clients, if not for themselves, the strangest on record was that of a Dublin gentleman who left all his money to the elder son of his brother and, if he had no elder son, to the second.—London Chronicle.

Raindrops.

Drops of rain vary in their size perhaps from a twenty-fifth to a quarter of an inch in diameter. In parting from the clouds they precipitate their descent till the increasing resistance opposed by the air becomes equal to their weight, when they continue to fall with uniform velocity. This velocity is therefore in a certain ratio to the diameter of the drops; hence thunder and other showers in which the drops are large pour down faster than a drizzling rain. A drop of the twenty-fifth part of an inch in falling through the air would, when it had arrived at its uniform velocity, acquire a celerity of only eleven and a half feet per second, while one of a quarter of an inch would have a velocity of thirty-three and a half feet.

A Peacemaker.

It is a commonly accepted belief that nothing short of being pried loose will induce a bulldog to give up his grip on another dog or on an intruder, but this is a mistake. A little household ammonia poured on him as near his nose as circumstances will allow will make him let go immediately. The fumes of ammonia are so overpowering that a dog cannot possibly maintain his grip and his breath at the same time.—Country Life in America.

A Word to Parents.

Never amuse your children at the expense of other people; never allow your children to ridicule other people. Neglect this advice and the time will assuredly come when these children will amuse themselves with your follies and ridicule your authority.—Exchange.

Which Was the Worse?

"When I returned from our poker party last night my wife just looked at me; not a word was spoken."
"My wife looked at me, too, and I don't believe that a word was unspoken."—Houston Post.

Reaching Conclusion.

"I imagine from your speech that you are a taxidermist."
"What makes you think so?"
"Principally because you tell me I am as wise as an owl and then try to stuff me."—Exchange.

Peaceful.

Mrs. Frost—Who was it that said "Peace, perfect peace?" Frost—Some one whose telephone was out of order.—Life.

"Cheerfulness is one of the surest indications of good sense."

California Democrats Confer.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 12.—The plan of battle to be followed by the Democrats in the approaching state campaign, a campaign that promises to be one of the hardest fought in the history of California, is to be thoroughly threshed out at a two-days' conference of the party leaders which began in this city today. It is also expected that when the delegates leave for their homes tomorrow, night they will have a pretty clear idea of the make-up of the state ticket, though sentiment may prevent the conference from making any formal indorsement of candidates as contrary to the spirit of the new state primary law. Former Governor Theodore A. Bell, so far the most prominent candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, declares that he does not desire the indorsement of the state conference but prefers to abide by the result of the August primaries. There is some talk, however, to the effect that the Bell followers may take the bit in their teeth and attempt to force an indorsement as the best means of defeating the plans of the former governor's political enemies.

The Democratic platform for the coming campaign has been practically agreed upon. The "emancipation of California from Southern Pacific rule" is to be the battle slogan. The trenchment in public expenditures, equal and uniform taxation, the initiative, referendum and recall for municipalities, counties and the state, the improvement of the public school system, the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people, and a more efficient control of transportation companies looking to the prevention of excessive rates and unfair discriminations.

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No. 3	12:15 p. m.	12:25 p. m.	
No. 5	11:45 p. m.		
No. 7	2:15 a. m.	2:25 a. m.	
Southbound Arrives			
Leaves			
No. 2	1:50 p. m.		
No. 4	11:15 a. m.	11:25 a. m.	
No. 6		2:25 a. m.	
No. 8	2:25 a. m.	2:35 a. m.	

Wichita Falls and Northwestern	
Leave Mangum	7:15 a. m.
Arrive Altus	8:10 a. m.
Leave Altus	8:10 a. m.
Arrive Frederick	9:20 a. m.
Leave Frederick	9:30 a. m.
Arrive Wichita Falls	11:45 a. m.

North Bound—Train No. 2.	
Leave Wichita Falls	2:15 p. m.
Arrive Frederick	4:30 p. m.
Leave Frederick	4:40 p. m.
Arrive Altus	5:50 p. m.
Leave Altus	5:50 p. m.
Arrive Mangum	6:45 p. m.

Wichita Falls and Southern.	
South Bound—Train No. 11.	
Leave Wichita Falls	2:20 p. m.
Leave Archer City	4:20 p. m.
Arrive Olney	5:30 p. m.
Leave Olney	5:30 p. m.
Arrive Newcastle	6:30 p. m.

North Bound—Train No. 12.	
Leave Newcastle	6:30 a. m.
Arrive Olney	7:30 a. m.
Leave Olney	7:30 a. m.
Arrive Archer City	8:40 a. m.
Arrive Wichita Falls	10:15 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	2:15 a. m.
No. 3, to Byers—Leaves	8:00 a. m.
No. 10, to Byers—Leaves	2:20 p. m.
No. 7, From Byers—Ar	11:30 a. m.
No. 9, From Byers—Ar	6:00 p. m.

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POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

Minnesota Republicans will hold their state convention in St. Paul June 23.

The Democratic State convention in Iowa will be held in Ottumwa July 27

William M. Glenn, a member of the Kansas senate, is out for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor.

The Republicans of Michigan will rally in Lansing April 27 for the annual convention of the Republican State league.

Samuel A. Cook, ex-congressman from the Sixth Wisconsin district, has announced himself a candidate for the United States senate to succeed Senator La Follette.

More than sixty candidates, including Democrats and Republicans, have entered the contest for nomination for state offices in the Oklahoma primary election in August.

President Barrett, of the Farmers' National Union, denies that his organization has any intention of joining with the American Federation of Labor to form a new national political party.

Col. L. P. Ross of Lawton has entered the race for the Democratic nomination for governor of Oklahoma. He is understood to favor local option and a resubmission of the prohibition question.

A spirited political contest is believed to be brewing in New Jersey over the re-election of United States Senator John Keen, whose term will expire next March and who is a candidate for re-election.

Many New York state Democrats continue to urge that former Supreme Court Justice D-Cady Herrick, the candidate for governor in 1904, should succeed William J. Conners as chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

Recent reports from Maine state that the fight that is being made there by former Supreme Justice Frederick A. Powers for the seat of Eugene Hale in the United States senate has assumed an interesting aspect and promises to become sensational before the legislative conventions are called.

Among those who are regarded as potential candidates for the speakership in the event of the Democrats controlling the next congress are Representatives Champ Clark of Missouri, Olli M. James of Kentucky, John J. Fitzgerald of New York, Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama and Swager Sherley of Kentucky.

The City Democracy and the Civic Alliance, the former looked upon as a straight-out Hearst organization in New York City and the latter as a sort of Hearst annex, are engaged in an active campaign to increase their memberships. This is taken to mean that Hearst intends to put up a fight at the primaries next September against the regular organizations.

The lists are now practically filled for the coming Democratic state primary in Texas. There are five candidates for governor, four candidates for lieutenant governor, three candidates for railroad commissioner, four candidates for controller and three candidates for judge of the court of criminal appeals. The candidates for governor are Cone Johnson of Tyler, R. V. Davidson of Galveston, William Poindexter of Cleburne, F. M. Cuyus of McKinney and O. B. Colquitt of Terrell.

WHY SO UNPOPULAR?

Senator Peeler Tells Why Legislature Is Not Praised.

Senator J. L. Peeler of Austin was asked what makes the legislature so unpopular. He replied: "The question is easily answered. It is because the state democratic conventions stick a lot of rot in their platforms every two years and the members of the senate and house being practically all Democrats enact them into laws. Then the people howl and abuse the legislature. Everybody knows that the state Democratic primary selects the candidates for the different offices, and that being all the people are interested in, they do not ordinarily attend the conventions. The result is the state conventions are mostly composed of politicians, some of whom could not be elected justice of the peace at home, and they resolve on this and that and adopt this plank and that plank, and then expect the legislature to enact them into laws. If the senators and representatives do not vote for the bills introduced in accordance with the platform, they are denounced as traitors to the Democratic party, and if they do vote for them, then they are cursed from one end of the state to the other. The great majority of the people know we already have too many laws, and that if about one-third of them were repealed and the others straightened out, the state would be in much better condition. Let the Democratic party quit its foolishness and the legislature will not be so 'unpopular.'"

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Bishop Hall
Rt. Rev. Arthur C. Hall, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Vermont, was born in Berkshire, England, April 12, 1847, and received his education at Christ church, Oxford. After his ordination in the Church of England in 1872 he became a licensed preacher in the diocese of Oxford as a member of the Society of St. John the Evangelist (better known as the Cowley Fathers). On coming to the United States in 1874 he was appointed assistant priest of the Church of the Advent in Boston. From 1882 to 1891 he was in charge of the Mission Church of St. John the Evangelist in the same city. In 1894 he was elected and consecrated as bishop of Vermont. Bishop Hall has a wide reputation as a preacher of eloquence and power. In addition to his clerical duties he has found time to lecture and write extensively on theological and kindred subjects.

Wise and Otherwise.
Wichita Falls Times: The Daily Oklahoman urges that the excellent standing of the two United States senators from that young state is the very best argument in favor of the direct primary for the election of those officers. There is no doubt that a good many eastern and northern states could improve upon the grade of men representing them in the senate by the direct vote of the people. But as long as the Republican party is in power that plan will be avoided as long as possible.

Oklahoma appears to have two very able and popular senators. So much for direct elections. But inasmuch as the general run of officeholders in Oklahoma are abused by their political opponents more harshly than any other officials in the United States, it must be inferred that even vox populi sometimes stutters.—Dallas News.

Woes of the Auto Speeder Increase.
Redwood City, Cal., April 12.—Under the provisions of a new county ordinance which went into effect here today the speed of automobiles is limited to 20 miles an hour on country highways and to 10 miles an hour in cities and towns. A unique feature of the ordinance is that autoists must stop their cars when signaled to do so by drivers of horses. This is for the purpose of preventing accidents. Violation of the law constitutes a misdemeanor punishable by a maximum fine of \$50 or 25 days' imprisonment in the county jail. The informer is to receive \$10 for his trouble in case the county collects a fine.

Textile Meeting at Memphis.
Memphis, Tenn., April 12.—Pursuant to the call issued recently by Governor Patterson of Tennessee a three-days' conference of representatives of the textile manufacturing plants and the labor organizations of the Cotton States was begun in this city today. The chief purpose of the conference is to arrive at some agreement in respect to the hours and conditions of labor in the southern cotton mills.

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C. C. Willard and wife to C. Bick, part of the Tolefario survey; \$26.80.

Floral Heights Realty Co., to A. L. Huey and A. T. Threadgill, lots 1 and 2, block 57, Floral Heights; \$750.

T. B. Noble and N. Henderson to Lee Simmons, lot 7, block 246; \$200.

Floral Heights Realty Co., to E. W. Pyle, lots 9 and 10, block 34, Floral Heights; \$575.

K. D. Jackson to C. B. Tallafiero, lot 5, block 4, Burk Burnett; \$60.

Floral Heights Realty Co., to Marvin Smith, lot 3, block 34, Floral Heights; \$300.

Wichita Development Co., to B. G. Walston, lot 6, block 240; \$200.

T. R. T. Orth to W. C. Heath and Frank Kell, blocks 1 and 2 out of the Kell and Heath subdivision of the John W. Massey survey; \$9250.

Sanders Walker and wife to C. Badgett, lots 20 and 21, block 45, Electra; \$1200.

J. R. Adcock and wife to J. E. Franklin, lot 2, block 173; \$2825.

Brown and Cranmer to D. M. Perkins and W. W. Jackson, lot 2, block 121; \$275.

J. A. Kemp to T. M. Smith, 5 acres of the John A. Scott survey; \$140.

W. A. McCutcheon to E. G. Cook, lot 7, block 233; \$1200.

E. G. Cook and wife to O. S. Cook, lot 7, block 233; \$1600.

C. F. and S. Y. Collins to J. J. Simon, lot 7, block 4, Southland addition; \$500.

N. Henderson to J. J. Dolman, lots 15 and 16, block 23, Jalonic addition; \$600.

C. F. and S. Y. Collins to J. J. Simon, lot 1, block 2, Southland addition; \$500.

Farmers Union Warehouse Co., to Wichita Valley Railway Company, right-of-way across block 10, B. and J. addition; \$1 and other consideration.

R. E. Huff and W. M. McGregor to N. C. McIntyre, surveys 15 and 16, John Scott tract; \$2000.

G. A. Fitzgerald to W. C. Livingston, 100 by 150 feet out of the E. Austin survey; \$380.

Red River Valley Townsite Company to S. W. Holland, north half of lots 1 to 6, block 28, Burk Burnett; \$125.

Red River Valley Townsite Company to S. W. Holland, south half of lots 1 to 6, block 28, Burk Burnett; \$125.

A. J. McDaniel to W. B. Funk, five acres of the T. J. Redman survey; \$1000.

W. B. Funk and wife to A. J. McDaniel, lots 1 to 6, block 28, Burk Burnett; \$1000.

S. W. Holland and wife to W. B. Funk, lots 1 to 6, block 28, Burk Burnett; \$550.

J. A. Kemp, Frank Kell and N. C. McIntyre to W. C. Bennett, part of the Cyrus Eakman survey; \$4272.50.

Floral Heights Realty Co., to M. C. Bennett, lots 7 and 8, block 13, and lots 2 and 3, block 36, Floral Heights; \$1350.

J. A. Kemp to Frank Kell, an undivided one-third interest in an undivided three-fourths interest of block 2, John A. Scott survey No. 1 block 5, John A. Scott survey No. 1, north half of block 6, John A. Scott survey No. 7 and all of block 4, Scott survey No. 7; \$1500.

J. A. Kemp to Frank Kell, an undivided half interest in about 120 acres of the Day Land and Cattle Co. tract, eleven acres of the W. W. Brown patent, about 37 acres of the J. English survey, about 155 acres of the Denton County school lands, 169 acres of the Thomas Toby grant and 102 acres of block 26, league No. 1, Denton County school lands; \$1500.

J. A. Kemp to Frank Kell, an undivided half interest in 175 1/2 acres of the Day Land and Cattle Company and Harvey Cox surveys; \$1500.

T. R. T. Orth to J. A. Kemp and Frank Kell, 165 acres out of John A. Scott's survey Nos. 5 and 6; \$1000.

Rose E. Clopton to George Trewhan, part of lots 5 and 6, block 235; \$4600.

D. M. Perkins to J. C. Hunt, lot 7, block 208; \$1600.

A. Springer and wife to Mrs. T. L. Coleburn, an undivided one-sixth interest in part of lot 1, block 12, Bellevue addition; \$250.

William Guthrie and wife to W. H. Guthrie, 150 acres of Section 24, block 7, H. & T.-C. survey; \$1650.

H. M. Trueheart to J. M. Rejtor, lot 24, block 2, Bellevue addition; \$225.

C. F. and S. Y. Collins to J. B. Craig, lot 2, block 4, Southland addition; \$450.

J. M. Smith and wife to J. E. Jones, 220 acres of section 20, H. & G. R. R. tract and 65 acres of section 11, same tract; \$10,900.

Marvin Smith to L. D. Pais, an undivided half interest in lot 3, block 44, Floral Heights; \$150.

A. W. Karrenbrock to M. H. Barwise and B. E. King, lot 2, block 173; \$3250.

H. M. Trueheart, lot 14, block 2, Bellevue addition; \$125.

W. G. Livingston and wife to Orville Bullington, part of a three-acre tract out of the E. Austin survey; \$205.

R. H. Suter and wife to W. M. Peters, lot 22, block 11, Bellevue addition; \$500.

J. T. Davis and wife to Julius Meyer, lot 12, block 25, Electra; \$55.

Julius J. Meyer to Albert C. Meyer, 123 acres of the James C. Moore patent; \$5815.

Julius J. Meyer to Louisa Meyer, 100 acres of the James C. Moore patent; \$4728.

Nicholas Smith and wife to A. L. and A. C. Thornberry, lot 1, block 204; \$2500.

E. S. and N. H. Bigger to F. J. Maier, 51 1/2 acres of the Cherokee County School land; \$1955.

F. J. Maier and wife to E. S. Bigger, lot 3, block 121; \$1600.

J. R. Jordan and wife to J. F. Jasper, part of lot 1, block 239; \$2000.

Floral Heights Realty Co., to L. D. Gerger, lots 13 and 14, block 61, Floral Heights; \$650.

Floral Heights Realty Co., to W. H. Zimmerman, lots 1 and 2, block 59, Floral Heights; \$625.

Floral Heights Realty Co., to J. H. Jones, lot 11, block 52, Floral Heights; \$225.

Mrs. M. M. Adickes to Minnie Gafney, lot 9, block 206; \$4500.

Wichita Development Co., to M. H. Moore, lots 4 and 5, block 240; \$400.

C. B. Pickle to Ben Talley, lots 26, 27 and 28, block 2, L. and S. addition, Burk Burnett; \$200.

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From my work I have become convinced that because a woman achieves financial and mental independence, it by no means follows that she need lose a whit of her feminine perceptions and refinements. As I think over the long list of splendid women of all ages and conditions whom I have known in the business world, it seems to me it would be difficult to find any equal number of women in any sphere of life who possess more of the spirit of true womanliness. I mean not alone nobility of character, but all those daily personalities of mind, body and soul which are and always will be the everlasting joy and distinction of the true woman. There comes to my mind in this connection a certain gentlewoman of my acquaintance who for over twenty years has worked in the office of a certain concern, and though her work is essentially masculine in its nature, and her days are passed entirely among men, I never knew a gentler or more delicate personality than hers. Violeta, which she keeps always on her desk, are quite as fitting to her in the environments of an office as they would be had she never passed out of the luxurious surroundings of her youth.—Eleanor B. Richardson in the Bookkeeper.

WOLGAST TAKES STAND.
He Says He Will Hold Them Off for Awhile.
Ad. Wolgast, who is now carrying the title of lightweight champion in his vest pocket, is looking pretty far ahead, with an idea of holding on to it as long as possible. There is a recognized, though unwritten, law among sporting men, especially in regard to fighting, that a properly-backed-up challenge issued within a reasonable time after a man wins a championship must be recognized and a fight arranged or the title forfeited. Wolgast does not propose to be regulated by any such old-fashioned notions, but he is going to handle the championship question to suit himself. Wolgast has positively refused to consider a match for the lightweight championship with either Tommy Murphy or Owen Moran and he also turns down the proposition of a fight with Joe Gans or any other negro. Over in England they have a different way of holding championship affairs. They look on fighters over there as fighters merely, and not as theatrical attractions, and a man must either fight or quit the game. When a man wins a championship he can hold it as long as he is not challenged by any other fighter in his class, but when, after a reasonable time passes and another fighter comes along and issues a challenge, with a deposit of a forfeit of 100 pounds, or \$1000 in our money, the holder of the title is compelled to fight or give way to the new-comer.

That regulation like a reasonable one, and, as most things in the pugilistic line are handled over there by the National Sporting Club of London, there is no getting away from the decision of the officials of that great organization of sporting men. Here we have no such body to govern the sport, and the only rule is custom, which is enforced by public opinion. It is the case of such men as Wolgast which calls attention more and more everyday to the need of a great international ruling body, such as has been proposed by Sporting Life, of London, to handle all entanglements which may arise in connection with them.

Destroyer Launched at Bath.
Bath, Me., April 12.—At the shipyards of the Bath Iron Works the torpedo boat destroyer Paulding was successfully launched today. As she slid from the ways the new naval vessel was christened by Miss Emma Paulding of Huntington, L. I., daughter of the late Admiral Hiram Paulding, in honor of whose memory the destroyer was named. A large number of invited guests attended the launching. The Paulding is of 400 tons displacement and is designed to have a speed of 29 knots.

Peabody Hall Dedicated.
Appleton, Wis., April 12.—Peabody Hall, an addition to Lawrence College, was dedicated today with interesting exercises. The principal speakers were Rev. William S. Westcott of Chicago, Neal Brown of Wasau and Judge Thomas H. Ryan of Appleton. The new hall cost \$35,000 and is to be used by the college conservatory of music.

Allendale News Notes.
Allendale, Texas, April 11, 1910.—School closed here Friday. Mr. Alexander returned to his home at Dundee.

Mrs. Willie Jackson of Randlett, Oklah., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Haynes, who reside near Allendale.

Mr. West Allen from Mississippi, is visiting his brother Mr. C. C. Allen of this community.

Little Miss Louise Deaton of Wichita Falls is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Billingsley this week.

Mr. J. B. Sisk and family who have been residents of this place for some time left Tuesday for their new home in Iowa Park. We regret very much to lose these highly esteemed people from our neighborhood.

Rev. Crowell of Archer City will reside where Mr. Sisk formerly lived.

Among those who attended the entertainment at Dundee Saturday night were: Misses Hattie, Willie, Cora, and Ida Gunn, and Maymie Billingsley, Messrs Frank and Claude Gunn, Joe Whitten, Walter Sisk, Will Raymond Billingsley. They returned home Sunday, all report an enjoyable time.

Miss Jessie Gunn of Wichita Falls was visiting relatives in Allendale Sunday.

The Misses Emma and Johnnie Coker of Wichita Falls, were the guests of their friends, Misses Cora and Ida Gunn, several days last week.

Mr. Jake Lane was visiting friends here Sunday.

Pasturage.
I am prepared to pasture 20 or 40 head of cattle or horses, at the Alf Walker farm, 3 miles out, on the Fort Worth and Denver road. Price, 75c for cattle and \$1.00 for horses, per month. E. O. GLICK. —283-6t

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The body is made of stamped steel, well proportioned and neatly trimmed. That's what makes it nicer than any cast iron gas stove. Steel don't break, cast iron does, steel needs no stove polish, cast iron does; steel heats quickly, cast iron heats slow. Then what argument can be offered against the Clark Jewel. It's the best if for no other reason than we sell it; we have been in the business long enough to know.

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"THE ONE-PRICE CASH STORE"
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PERSONAL MENTION

J. S. Duke of Mangum is in the city looking after business interests.
 J. C. Hunt left this afternoon for a few days business trip to Fort Worth.
 Ralph Hines, one of Iowa Parks' enterprising business men, is in the city.
 E. B. Carver of Archer City is here today meeting friends and transacting business.
 Luther Taylor, a cotton buyer from Henrietta is here today transacting business.
 Mr. David Rogers, one of Jolly's highly esteemed citizens, is here today on business.
 E. A. McCleskey and J. B. Winfrey of Iwa Park, were here today transacting business.
 Mrs. W. M. Dameson left this morning for a few days visit with relatives at Iowa Park.
 Dr. A. R. Matthews of Archer City, is here today attending the Northwest Texas Medical Association.
 Judge R. F. Arnold, of Graham, candidate for Judge of the 30th Judicial District, is in the city today.
 Mr. Giles Culver from the Thornberry neighborhood is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. O. S. Cook.
 W. H. Francis of Seymour, and vice president of the Wichita State Bank of this city is here today on business.
 Mrs. J. W. Penn of Byers and Mrs. W. M. Brown of this city left this afternoon to visit their mother at Iowa Park.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Morris left this morning for Mineral Wells, at which place Mr. Morris goes to be treated for rheumatism.
 W. A. McClellan left this evening for Fort Worth in response to a telegram stating that his father was not expected to live but a few hours.
 Mrs. R. E. Nutt left this morning for Fort worth at which place she will be joined by her husband, and from there they will go to Beeville, where Mr. Nutt has extensive business interests.

FIRE ENGINE DAMAGED.

Collided With Passenger Engine and Horses are Killed.
 Texas News Service Special.
 Dallas, April 12.—While making a run this morning the engine of the fire department was struck by a west bound T. & P. passenger train. Both horses were fatally injured, the truck damaged and the firemen badly shaken.

Notice.

The J. L. Powell Land Commission Company of Wichita Falls, Texas, has every kind of bargains you want in lands and city property. Write your wants. J. L. Powell Land Commission Company. 250-1fc—

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 General Medicine and Surgery,
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The neatest, cleanest and most fashionable cafe in Wichita Falls—where you will be given polite and courteous attention.

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LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The auto fire engine was tested again yesterday afternoon and gave a very satisfactory account of itself. This was the first test before the new city council and the machine will probably be finally accepted at the next meeting of that body.

O. C. Robertson of Iowa Park, is in the city today for the purpose of attending a meeting of the board of directors of the First State Bank and Trust Co., of which he is a member. The meeting was held at 2:30 this afternoon.

J. T. Webster, assistant secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at Waco, will be in Wichita Falls tomorrow to confer with the directors of the local Y. M. C. A. Mr. Webster may accept the secretaryship of the local association.

A large party of young people enjoyed a picnic and dance at the lake pavilion last evening, the occasion being a very pleasant one for all concerned.

The medical visitors left at 4 o'clock this afternoon on the street cars for Lake Wichita where they will enjoy a motor boat ride and supper this evening.

The ladies of the Christian church will serve a chicken pie dinner on Trades Day, first Monday in May. Place will be announced later.

Work will be started on April 15, it is stated, on the new store buildings on 8th street, between Miller's drug store and the railroad tracks.

The friends of Miss Bessie Jackson, will regret to learn that she is quite sick with slow fever at her home, 1300 Tenth street.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to John W. McGee and Miss Hattie Long of Burkburnett.

The local lodge of Elks will meet tonight and initiate several candidates into the mysteries of the order.

Feed! Feed! Feed!

Phone 437 for coal and feed of all kinds. 122-1f MARICLE COAL CO.

Your choice: Puffed rice or wheat, shredded wheat or grape nuts, Phone 261. 277-1f KING'S.

W. A. Freear's Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets are making a "hit" with the ladies. 285-2tc—

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—New York Spots.
 New York, April 12.—Market for spot cotton opened quiet and 20 points higher. Middling, 15.30. No sales.
Cotton—New York Futures.
 The market for future cotton opened and closed steady.
 Open High Close
 May 14.75 14.95 14.85-a 89
 July 14.43 14.54 14.51-a 52

Cotton—New Orleans Spots:
 New Orleans, April 12.—Market for spot cotton opened steady; price unchanged. Middling, 14 5-8c. Sales, 237 bales. To arrive, 307 bales.
Cotton—New Orleans Futures.
 Market for future cotton opened and closed steady.
 Open High Close
 May 14.43 14.46 14.45-a 46
 July 14.46 14.53 14.52-a 53

Cotton—Liverpool Spots.
 Liverpool, April 12.—Spot cotton, 7.91. Sales, 7,000 bales. Receipts, 24,000 bales.

Cotton—Liverpool Futures.
 Market for futures opened and closed steady.
 Open High Close
 April-May 7.65 7.65 7.63 1/2
 May-June 7.61 7.61 7.61
 June-July 7.56 7.57 7.56 1/2
 July-Aug 7.51 7.52 7.51 1/2

Chicago Grain Market.
 Wheat— Open High Close
 May 111 1/2 114 1/2 111 1/2
 July 104 1/2 105 1/2 104 1/2
 Corn— Open High Close
 May 57 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2
 July 60 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2
 Oats— Open High Close
 May 42 42 1/2 42 1/2
 July 39 1/2 40 1/2 40 1/2

Fort Worth Cattle.
 Texas News Service Special.
 Fort Worth, Tex., April 12.—Cattle, 2,000; hogs, 1,800. Steers, higher, tops \$17.00; cows, higher, tops \$5.75; calves, steady, tops \$5.50; hogs, lower, tops \$10.05.

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We venture the prediction that Dr. Rankin will get in the Poindexter band wagon when it comes his time to move.—Moore County Pioneer.

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