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ASHEVILLE CONFERENCE CONSIDERS CREATION OF COMMISSION TO DEVISE PLAN.

WOMEN'S PETITION DENIED

They Will Not Have Laymen's Rights, As Numerously Requested By Them.

By Associated Press.—Asheville, May 11.—Interest centered in the report of the committee on itinerancy when the Methodist Conference began today. The majority of the committee concurred in the memorial petitioning that on unanimous vote the presiding elders, the preacher may be allowed to remain longer than four years in one charge. The minority asks the law be unchanged. A letter from Bishop Key to the Conference asked superannuated relations. The letter was referred to the committee on Episcopacy.

Several hundred petitions, memorials and resolutions asking laymen's rights in the Conference for women were non-concurred in today. The Conference adopted the report of the committee on Church Relations recommending the creation of a commission on federation between the Northern and Southern churches.

WACO LOSES T. C. U.

Will Probably Gain Hebrew College, However.

Texas News Service Special. Waco, May 11.—Though losing the Texas Christian University by the decision of the Board last night, this city is partly reconciled by the announcement this morning that it will gain the Texas Hebrew University, which will be the only one of the kind in the South. The city accepted the offer and donated a site and bonus. It is reported that the Texas Christian site will be bought by another denomination in the near future, but details are lacking.

TOWN PARTLY BURNED.

Forest Fires in Wisconsin Do Considerable Damage.

By Associated Press.—Wausau, Wis., May 11.—Forest fires have leveled the south half of the town of Mosinee, ten miles south of here. Just before wire communication was lost early today word was received that ten residences, four general merchandise stores, one drug store, two saloons and the postoffice and saw mill were destroyed. A report is received that the fire is under control.

MEET NEXT AT WACO.

Knights of Columbus Conclude Session at Beaumont.

Texas News Service Special. Beaumont, May 11.—E. C. Orrick, of Fort Worth was elected president of the Knights of Columbus at its session here today, and Waco was selected as the next place of meeting, after which adjournment was taken.

ANOTHER EARTHQUAKE.

San Jose Experiences Another Severe Shock.

By Associated Press.—San Jose, Costa Rica, May 11.—Heavy earthquakes were felt here today. Thousands of persons are leaving the city in alarm. A series of severe shocks was experienced yesterday.

PROFESSOR TOLAND PUTS IN GOOD BOOST WHILE IN AUSTIN ON BUSINESS

The following good words for Wichita Falls appear in an interview in the Austin Statesman, by Superintendent T. L. Toland:

"Natural gas found some time ago in the Petrolia, Clay county, gas fields, not only promises to play, but is actually playing, an important part in the commercial development of Wichita Falls, several smaller towns in that part of Texas, and even as far as Fort Worth and Dallas, according to Professor T. L. Toland, superintendent of the city schools of Wichita Falls, and a member of the state board of examiners, who was here yesterday on

business with the attorney general's department. Professor Toland says that this natural gas is now being piped to a number of small cities, including Wichita Falls, and also at Dallas. This gas is being furnished at a ridiculously low rate, which enables it to be used as fuel for manufacturing purposes at less than one-fourth the price of coal and other kinds of fuel. Several large manufacturing enterprises have sprung up at Wichita Falls, says Professor Toland, since this gas is being used for fuel purposes. The remarkable part of it is that, Superintendent Toland says, there is enough gas in that field to supply the entire state of Texas. All that is now being consumed at Dallas, Wichita Falls, Fort Worth and other points comes from one well. The promoters of this enterprise have now eleven more wells that have never been tapped.

"The mission to Austin of Superintendent Toland is to confer with the attorney general's department on an issue of \$40,000 of Wichita Falls' school bonds and when these bonds are sold the proceeds are to be used in the construction of two new ward schools to cost \$20,000 each. The city of Wichita Falls has just completed a new \$100,000 high school. More schools are absolutely necessary, he said, in order to keep up with the fast growing population, there being now upward of 10,000 people in that city, and every house is rented. Most of the people, Professor Toland said, come from other portions of the state.

ROOSEVELT VIEWS SHOW BATTLE BY GERMAN SOLDIERS WITH EMPEROR

By Associated Press.—Berlin, May 11.—Col. Roosevelt in company with Emperor William, witnessed a mimic battle in which twelve hundred members of the German militia engaged in the vicinity of Doberitz. Prof. Fraenkel, a throat specialist, decided today that Roosevelt would suffer no inconvenience through being a few hours in the open air.

Texas News Service Special. Washington, May 11.—Theodore Roosevelt today accepted by cable the appointment of President Taft to be special Ambassador to represent the United States at the funeral of King Edward in London May 20th.

REAR ADMIRAL KIERSTADT

Aged Sea Veteran Once Served With Farragut.

By Associated Press.—Philadelphia, May 11.—Rear Admiral Kierstadt, aged seventy-seven is dead here. He served with Farragut.

DEATH OF MISS MORROW YESTERDAY EVENING IS CAUSE OF MUCH SORROW

One of the saddest funerals ever held in Wichita Falls was that of Miss Leta Morrow, aged about 17 years, which took place at the Methodist Church, South, at noon today.

Deceased was the daughter of Rev. W. T. Morrow, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, and the cause of her death was carbolic acid, self administered, and as to whether it was taken by mistake or not, will probably never be known.

While the family were around the supper table Miss Morrow left the dining room for her own room, returning shortly, telling her father, whom she almost worshipped, good-bye and kissed him, saying she had taken carbolic acid and was going to die, and although physicians were immediately summoned, she expired in less than half an hour after the drug had been taken and before the physicians could reach the Morrow home.

Presiding Elder Roach preached the sad and impressive funeral service, and the church building was crowded to its capacity by the great throng of friends, many of whom were unable to gain admittance. At the conclusion of the funeral service, a solo, "There is Rest for the Weary," was rendered by Mr. R. D. Kennedy.

Before leaving the church, all were given an opportunity to view the corpse, and many did so.

At the conclusion of the church service the remains were escorted to the Katy depot where they were placed aboard the train to be conveyed to Gainesville, where they will be inter-

PACKING PLANT SEEMS TO BE WITHIN REACH TODAY

Proposition Was Submitted This Morning By United States Packing Co. Outlook Very Gratifying.

A proposition to establish a three hundred thousand dollar packing plant in Wichita Falls, employing two hundred men from the outset, was submitted the Chamber of Commerce directors this morning by President Emerson of the National Packing Company.

Wichita Falls can secure this industry by putting up a bonus of fifty thousand dollars. The directors accepted the proposition on behalf of the citizens. A mass meeting has been called for 8 o'clock tonight at the court house to take further steps to bring this plant here.

The submission of this proposition by Mer Emerson comes as the result of a very careful investigation of conditions here. In addressing the directors this morning he said he was convinced that this was the best place for such a plant and he believed that the initial movement would result in one of the largest plants in the country within a very few years.

He took occasion to express his abiding faith in the future of Wichita Falls and said that he was so sure of himself that in his travels he had declared that this city would eventually outstrip everything in Texas, Dallas not accepted. He had, he said made the packing business his life work, entering it when sixteen years of age and keeping at it, often in the face of overwhelming discouragement.

It would take, said Mr. Emerson, a total of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars to erect and equip the plant and get it into operation. It is proposed to incorporate for three hundred thousand dollars.

"If I establish a plant in this city," said Mr. Emerson, "it will be the cleanest, most sanitary packing plant in the United States. It will have the best men that money can procure to manage and operate it."

In spite of the fact that two large packing houses had come to Oklahoma City, continued Mr. Emerson, that city was less desirable than Wichita Falls as a packing plant and the big packers would, in his opinion, come to recognize this fact as soon as the first plant was in operation.

Mr. Emerson devoted a large part of his remarks to explaining details of the packing business and some of the figures submitted by him on the question of profits were very interesting. He reiterated his statement that Wichita Falls afforded an almost ideal opportunity for a packing plant and he urged the directors to think the matter over seriously. He invited an investigation of himself and of his ability to carry out his contract and closed by submitting his proposition as outlined above.

The directors then went into executive session and after a brief discussion a motion that the proposition be accepted prevailed. It was decided to call a mass meeting for 8 o'clock tonight at the court house to talk the matter over with the citizens. A committee consisting of Messrs. Anderson, Tandy and Marlow was appointed to see that a crowd was in attendance.

ANOTHER SHOCK.

San Domingo Experiences Another Severe Quake.

By Associated Press.—San Domingo, May 11.—A severe earthquake shock was felt here early today. There was no loss of life or damage to property in the city, but reports from the interior have not been received.

EXPLOSION REPORTED.

Battleship London is Said to Have Suffered.

By Associated Press.—London, May 11.—Reports are current at Dover that a serious explosion on the battleship London in Norwegian waters. The London battleship was of fifteen thousand tons and carried seven hundred and fifty seven officers and men.

RESULT UNDECIDED.

May Have to Hold Second Primary in Florida.

By Associated Press.—Jacksonville, Florida, May 11.—Returns today from the democratic primary held yesterday indicate that Broward and Tallahassee must run the race over again.

WILL SELL I. & G. N.

Agreed Judgment in Case To Be Rendered Today.

Texas News Service Special. Dallas, May 11.—Federal Judge McCormick and Meek at noon were engaged in preparing a decree of the court ordering the sale of the I. & G. N. railroad to satisfy the second and

third mortgages. W. H. Flippen, now Master in Chancery will be named Special Master to effect the sale. This is the result of the final hearing of the receivership this morning, when intervenors practically agreed to the basis of the court's decree as satisfactory to their several claims. As agreed, the decree of the court will provide as follows:

The sale of the property of the road, foreclosing the second and third mortgages, rates and interests of intervenors, with the question of priority preserved, to be determined later.

FIRE AT KRUM.

Ten Thousand Dollars Damage There Last Night.

Texas News Service Special. Denton, May 11.—Fire in the business section of Krum last night, eight miles west on the Santa Fe, caused a ten thousand dollar loss. The losers: Corbett's grocery, Withen's grocery, Wilkerson's grocery, Marshall's furniture, Dr. Goses drugs, and Dunham's restaurant.

700 DOCTORS AT DALLAS.

Amarillo Will Probably Secure the Next Meeting.

Texas News Service Special. Dallas, May 11.—Over 700 are attending the Medical Association of Texas second day's meeting here. Routine business today and entertainment this afternoon and tonight are planned. It is expected Amarillo will secure the next meeting.

WELL KNOWN AERONAUT INJURED IN ACCIDENT IN KENTUCKY YESTERDAY

By Associated Press.—Center, Ky., May 11.—A. Holland Forbes of New York, an aeronaut, and J. C. Yates of New York, an astronomer, who were injured in a balloon accident near here yesterday, are this morning reported alive and both conscious. No intimation of the cause of the accident has been received and it is not known whether or not the men are fatally injured.

By Associated Press.—Louisville, May 11.—A telephone message from Center, Ky., at ten o'clock was to the effect that Astronomer Yates was injured internally it was feared fatally. Aeronaut Forbes is still unconscious, although he rallies at intervals.

The usual informal dance for the ladies will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Elks' club rooms. This innovation is proving very popular and is largely attended every Thursday.

TRIBUTE TO PROF. JOURDAN, WHO ENDS LONG RESIDENCE IN WICHITA

W. F. Jourdan, known to all as Prof. Jourdan, who for ten years was superintendent of the city schools, later embarking in mercantile pursuits, and still later in the business of real estate, has moved to Del Rio, Texas, at which place he will make his future home. He goes there to become agent for the State of Coahuila in securing colonist for a large tract of irrigated land.

While superintendent of the city schools here, Mr. Jourdan raised the standard of education from that to be found in an ordinary village to our high rank in keeping with the growth of the city, and, on retiring from the profession, turned the school over to his successor, affiliated with the best schools of the state. He leaves one hundred and twenty graduates to attest his work as an educator.

As a citizen and business man, he is noted for his cordiality and hearty hand-shake, always having a pleasant greeting for everyone.

Mrs. Jourdan will be missed by all, and especially by the ladies of the city who have organized clubs for the furthering of the plans to build a greater and more beautiful Wichita Falls. She was, at the time of her leaving, president of the Floral Club and a member of the Unity Club.

We wish for them a most prosperous future, and assure them that Wichita Falls will extend to them a hearty welcome to return, in case they do as most do, who leave—come back.

WYATT HOTEL TO BE OPENED ON JULY 1

WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY BE COMPLETED AND READY BY THAT DATE.

\$15,000 A YEAR OFFERED

Owner Has Not Yet Entered Into Any Agreement For Leasing of Building.

In the opinion of the owner, Wiley Wyatt, his new hotel building will be thrown open to the traveling public by the first of next July, by which time it will have been completed. The numerous delays which have impeded the completion of the building have been obviated and it is to be rushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

The furniture for the building was purchased by Mr. Wyatt recently and he states that it will be as handsomely furnished as any hostelry in the state, not even excepting the large hotels at Dallas, and it is his intention to keep its standard up to those of the best hotels in the state.

Mr. Wyatt has already received an offer of fifteen thousand dollars a year on the lease of the building, but as yet has not entered into any agreement, as he wishes to place certain restrictions upon the management. It is possible that he will not lease the building at all, but operate it himself under the tutelage of a competent hotel manager.

NO PRIMARY PLANNED.

Canvass Fails to Confirm Published Report.

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, May 11.—Messages sent by the Texas News Service today to the leading local option districts in North and East Texas regarding the reports that the prohibitionists are seeking to have a primary to choose one of the gubernatorial candidates brought information that no such move is known at Abilene, Gainesville, Marshall, Paris, Sherman, Texarkana or Greenville. Rumors are current that the leaders are considering the elimination of both Poindexter and Johnson and supporting a "dark horse" but decline to talk for publication. It is said Johnson will not object to the primary but Poindexter scoffs at the idea.

VICTORIA CASE DECIDED.

Disputed Public Square Property to be Divided.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., May 11.—The Supreme Court today reversed in the case of Victoria against Victoria County, involving the ownership of the Court House Square, instructing the district court to give the southern half of the square to the county and the northern half, except the jail to the city. The jail will remain the property of the county until it is no longer used for that purpose.

PLANS MANY REFORMS.

S. P. Benbrook of Houston, Plans Pen- itentiary Methods.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., May 11.—A Penitentiary Board meeting was held here today in the governor's office, with S. P. Benbrook of Houston, secretary for the National Prison Reform Association present. He plans to bring before the next legislature a scheme for paroling prisoners and the merit system, as well as other reforms.

OUTLOOK GOOD FOR THIS CITY LANDING FIREMEN'S CONVENTION FOR 1911

The outlook for Wichita Falls landing the 1911 Firemen's convention is excellent, according to a telegram received by the local department this morning.

"We have got things coming our way," says Chief Stampff in his telegram today, "and with a little help we will win. We have Waco and Austin to beat. I do not think Hillsboro is in the running. Get everyone to help."

The chief requests all local fraternal organizations, as well as the banks and other organizations, to send telegraph invitations to the convention and help the next year's meeting.

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Opening of the Tenth Biennial. Cincinnati, O., May 11.—The Tenth Biennial Convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs held its opening session at Music Hall today. The hall was handsomely decorated and was well filled with delegates representing women's clubs in all parts of the United States. The opening session was devoted partly to routine business, partly to the discussion of several important subjects relating to the best interests of the general organization and the affiliated societies or clubs. In the afternoon the visiting delegates were the guests at a

reception at the Sinton Hotel of the Ohio Federation of Women's Clubs. The formal opening of the convention will be at Music Hall tonight, when the delegates will be welcomed by Governor Harmond, Mayor Schwab and others. The convention will continue an entire week, and will close next Wednesday evening. Many matters of importance, like conservation, woman's suffrage, public health and morals, child labor, domestic science, universal peace, etc., will be discussed during the sessions. Try a Times want ad for results.

SOME REAL BARGAINS

- No. 1. 12-room two-story rooming house in business section, 806 Scott avenue, rents for \$50 per month. Price \$8500.
- No. 2. Two new four-room houses, just completed in high style; bath room, two porches, city water and gas, rents for \$17.50 per month. Price \$1250.
- No. 3. Three-room house, two porches, newly finished, on Broad street, between 15th and 16th. Rents for \$15.00. Price \$900.
- No. 4. Two vacant lots on Broad, between 15th and 16th streets; corner \$500, inside \$400.
- No. 5. Four vacant lots, 15, 16, 17 and 18, in block 15, south front; \$1250 if sold this week.
- No. 6. Two vacant lots on Elm street, \$225 each if sold this week.
- No. 7. One lot on Tenth street, close in; \$1850.

MACK THOMAS, Owner Phone 522

REPRESENTATIVE HAMILTON MAKES SNAPPY TARIFF SPEECH TODAY

By Associated Press. Washington, May 11.—A tariff speech, snappy with epigram, bristling with aphorism, preaching the doctrine of the simple life as the bulwark of civilization and protection as the producer of prosperity, was delivered in the House today by Representative Hamilton of Michigan. It pictured nine months of increasing revenues and encouragement of American industry under the Payne bill. It drew on the legitimate spoils of trade and the policies and declarations of foreign statecraft as the justification of the protection policy. It attributed the high cost of living to increased gold production, to demand crowding supply, to extravagance of a feverish generation and to almost everything else but the tariff.

Mr. Hamilton is chairman of the territories committee of the House and his speech is likely to figure conspicuously in the next republican national campaign propaganda. He favored the creation of a bureau in the Department of Commerce and Labor to permanently carry on the work now being done by the tariff board, supplementing it with a corps of foreign speaking experts the reports of whose investigations of selling prices and labor costs at home and abroad would furnish a standard of measure of conflicting claims in the framing of a tariff law.

He contended that the tariff plank in the republican platform provided both upward and downward limits and that "by so much as you raise duties above the difference in cost of production at home and abroad, after due allowance for the foreign custom of selling goods cheaper abroad than at home, by so much you permit domestic monopolies to overcharge domestic consumers."

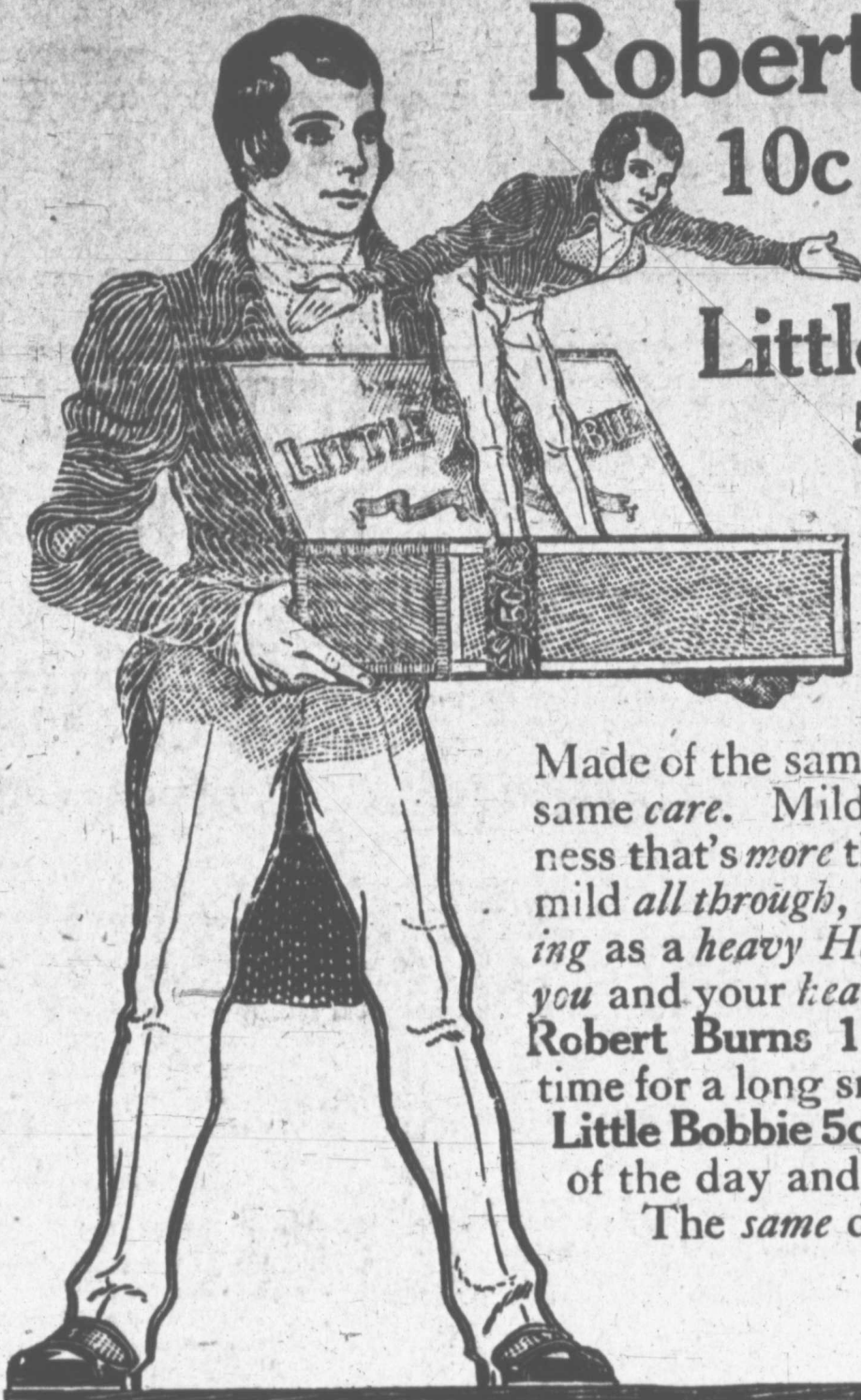
"A few years ago," said Mr. Hamilton, "boys wore out their father's old clothes made over according to a neighborhood pattern; now they have to have store clothes and socks to match their neckties and a college yell. A man was considered well off if he kept a horse and buggy; now he has to have an automobile if he has to mortgage the place to get it. The average business man does business with a telephone at one ear, a stenographer at each elbow, a telegraph office next door, a wireless station within easy reach, an automobile at the door and before many years he will want a flying machine to avoid the crush in the street below."

"We now have 100,000 factories, employing 6,000,000 people, keeping time to the demands of 90,000,000 folks. The protection policy has built up an annual factory output of \$13,000,000,000, paying out \$3,000,000,000 in wages and has kept the machinery of protection in motion until it has developed a horsepower equivalent to 90,000,000 men. The country never was more prosperous."

"The farmer has been caricatured by cheap city humorists, preyed on by grasshoppers, locusts and money lenders, and misled by predatory politicians. Now he has come into his own and I am glad of it. He is one of the safest, soundest, cleanest elements in our civilization. The city would have dried up, rotted or exploded but for the country that came into town day before yesterday. Too much of the country has been coming to town though. The farmer is receiving only a fair price but middlemen are charging too much for handling and trying to attribute the responsibility to the farmer. The time has gone by however when thrifty gentlemen can take toll of the farmer and out of the consumer and fool both at the same time."

Mr. Hamilton charged the cheap politician with singing one song in the city and another, of a different tune, in the country. He described the situation as filled with contradictions, everybody bickering to locate the blame for high prices. "Bills, resolutions, investigations, commissions, boycotts, anti-meat societies, anti-egg societies, anti-food trust and vegetarian organizations are rampant and in the midst of it the democratic gentlemen, after time-honored custom, are diligently trying to convert discontent into votes."

We are getting further away from the old fundamental human relations that sustain and console folks. We are always going somewhere and going very fast and generally go our ways separately, although we jostle one another on the sidewalk. It is an age of steam enginism. We run the machine and the machine runs us. The talk on the street today becomes the law of tomorrow. Politics means parties; parties the people, and parties have to have leaders and chief priests and scribes and pharisees and camp followers. This is the golden age of the spot light, opera bouffe, whirling dervish form of politician who leads for a while, but the true leader must build success on fundamental right. Discussing unscrupulous dealers and



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the segregation of food supplies. Mr. Hamilton declared the cold storage system made it possible, if not customary, for the frozen remains of an ancestor to remain in cold suspense until its progeny had grown to middle age and then for them to meet in fricassed reunion on some bill of fare, both as strictly fresh. The unmaternal incubator had become the mother of the chicken.

"There shall not grow up among us," concluded Mr. Hamilton, "a privileged class above the law. This government shall wisely control men and associations of men. The government shall not fall of its mission among men."

FARM WARNS THE CITY.

Economic Adjustment and Closer Relations Demanded.

By what law, God-given or man-created, have the denizens of the cities a greater right to the comforts, the luxuries, the pleasures of life than have the tillers of the soil? The wonderful prosperity of the last dozen years has developed a life of reckless extravagance in this country. The great number of wealthy people now present in every large city has set a pace for high living with which the less fortunate are trying to keep up. Economy and self-denial seem almost to have become a lost art.

The city gait is entirely out of relation and proportion to the more rigid economy practiced by the rural population. There must and should be an economic adjustment upon a plane of closer equality, and this means that we must eliminate some of our most extravagant habits; that we may not satisfy all of our expensive desires. We make living expensive because

we submit to excessive charges rather than deny ourselves some useless luxury. Let us begin our economy at the right point. Let those men who need some expression for their excessive boycott spirit turn it against the \$5 to \$25 a day rooms at their hotels. Let those ladies direct it toward the \$25 to \$50 hat that has not \$4 worth of actual material on it.

When they have done that they will have accomplished a double good—they will have brought these and kindred articles down to a reasonable basis, and they will have saved sufficient means to pay the farmer and the retailer fair and honest compensation for their food-stuffs. They will have given new strength and power to the principle of "live and let live."—Senator McCumber, in Columbian Magazine.

Rumored Extension of Southern.

It is unofficially reported that the Kemp and Kell interests have bought the railroad now running from Mineral Wells to Graford, and that the Wichita Falls and Southern will extend from Newcastle to that place.—Newcastle Register.

"Business Opportunity."

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See the Economical Gas Burner at the Traveler's Wagon Yard, 307-5tc

BASEBALL NOTES.

"Doc" Gessler is doing fine stick work for Washington. If the Giants can keep up their present clip, they will make it interesting for Pittsburg and Chicago.

McHale, the crack pitcher of the University of Maine team, has signed with the Boston Americans.

It is said that President Ebbets has promised his Brooklyn players a fat bunch of money if they finish in the first division.

Joe McGinnity says that his Newark bunch is the best team in the Eastern League and much stronger than several major league teams. And only five more months before the close of the season.

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The Wichita Ice Co.

THE OLD RELIABLE

We thank the people of Wichita Falls for their liberal patronage for the past several seasons and wish to let them know that we appreciate same. In this connection we wish to announce that our delivery wagons will be run to every portion of the city, both resident and business districts, and the more patrons we have to serve the better we like it. There need be no fear of not getting good service by giving us your orders, for we expect to take care of our patrons at all events, even if we are forced to double our force of teams and men. Again thanking you for your patronage, and soliciting a continuance of same, we beg to remain, Yours Greatfully,

The Wichita Ice Co.

PHONE 6

ALL SHOES

REDUCED

BEGINNING

Saturday, May 14th

AND LASTING FOR 10 DAYS ONLY

We have had many special sales, but we believe that we have never offered to the people of Wichita Falls such exceptional values as we are presenting in Shoes these 10 DAYS. Mens', Ladies' and Childrens' in both high and low cut. Note prices quoted below:

LADIES'

Dorothy Dodd		Pries Meyer	
\$4.00	reduced to \$3.30	\$3.00	reduced to \$2.25
\$3.50	reduced to \$3.00	\$2.50	reduced to \$1.80
\$3.00	reduced to \$2.70	\$2.00	reduced to \$1.38
		\$1.75	reduced to \$1.20

MENS'

Bostonian		Harlow	
\$5.00	reduced to \$4.00	\$5.00	reduced to \$3.75
\$4.00	reduced to \$3.25	\$4.00	reduced to \$3.15
\$3.50	reduced to \$2.90	\$3.50	reduced to \$2.90

CHILDRENS'

Lewis		Webster	
\$2.50	reduced to \$1.95	\$3.00	reduced to \$2.70
\$2.25	reduced to \$1.80	\$2.50	reduced to \$2.10
\$2.00	reduced to \$1.65	\$2.25	reduced to \$1.80
\$1.75	reduced to \$1.45	\$2.00	reduced to \$1.62

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"Where Quality Is Higher Than Price"

The Middleman's Profit

Excessive profit taking by middlemen was the reason assigned for the high prices of food-stuffs by B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the Frisco System, in an address which he delivered recently before the National Convention of the Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union, which was in conference in St. Louis. He declared that the heavy reductions in freight rates of the past few years had been absorbed by the dealers and not shared in by the farmers' or consumers. Better marketing methods were advanced as a means by which farmers would get better prices for the food they raise and at the same time lower figures would be given to those who buy the stuff for use in the kitchen. This railroad man described the demagogic politicians as a distributing and expensive middle agent and urged that he be cut out in the dealings which the railroads and the farmers should have with each other.

"The most important force for the welfare of the nation will come when the land owners of America are organized," said Mr. Yoakum. "This organization is important not only for the benefits which will come to the farmers, but on account of money which will be saved by the consumers. It is not prices received by farmers which make living expenses high, but the profits of the dealers handling the foods between the farmer and consumer."

"The Florida farmer receives \$2.25 for a bushel of green beans, the railroad gets 50 cents for the 800-mile haul to New York and the consumers pay \$6.40 for this same bushel of beans. There is 35 per cent for the grower, 8 per cent for the carrier and 57 per cent for the dealer. This is not a fair division."

"Thirty cents a dozen was the average price of eggs in New York last year, while the farmers of Arkansas and Missouri received 15 cents. The freight was two cents a dozen. The men who receive the eggs at a freight station in New York and deliver them to the consumer take 13 cents a dozen profit."

"The rice farmer of Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas gets two and one-half cents a pound for the grain and the consumer in New York pays ten cents a pound for this rice. The freight is one-half cent a pound. If the rice farmer were paid 3 and one-half cents (one cent more than he is now getting) and the dealer took one cent profit (which is 25 per cent) the New York consumer would get 20 pounds of rice for a dollar, instead of ten pounds, as now."

Every member of every community is interested in aiding the farmers to organize a system of doing business direct from the field to the table. Effective organization cannot be had by creating prejudice through politicians who have no relief to offer. The cotton growers are not organized and they are losing money daily. The railroad takes \$4.50 for hauling a bale of cotton from gin to spinner, but the speculator must have \$5.50 per bale. The time will come when the states will construct warehouses to aid the farmers in marketing their cotton. I understand that Louisiana is to be the first state to take this important step. Under this proposed Louisiana warehouse system every farmer, individually or through his organization, can ship cotton to New Orleans and hold it until he is ready to sell. His warehouse receipt is better in the hands of a New England or Manchester spinner than the contract of a speculator to deliver the cotton.

"One of the things most advocated by the Farmers' Union is a greater proportion of federal appropriations for agriculture. In a recent speech in the lower house of the congress, Chairman Tawney of the committee on appropriations, said that 71 per cent of the revenues of the government went for military expenses, which amounted to \$430,000,000 for that period. This is 33 times as much as appropriated for agricultural purposes. This session of the senate has passed a bill providing for \$2,500,000 to pay for a few acres of land in Washington to give a better view of the capitol. This is the kind of reclamation which Washington understands and to improve these few acres the legislators are ready to give one quarter as much as given for agriculture."

"If the government would spend one and a half million dollars a year for 12 years for drainage surveys and in opening waterways to the gulf, it will make available 25,000,000 acres of Mississippi Valley land for cultivation and this would be at a cost of 75 cents an acre. This average would provide 80 more farms for 312,500 families, or a million and a half people. It costs \$35 an acre to reclaim land by irrigation. The states of Arkansas, Missouri and Louisiana are begging for money for reclamation by drainage, but the politicians at Washington are not disposed to heed their appeals."

"During the last five years 400,000 Americans, principally farmers, have

left the United States for Canada and they took with them \$1,000 each. Canadian officials, all of whom are taking a personal interest in securing the best class of farmers for their country, estimate that this year they will get 130,000 American farmers, and that they will bring with them \$132,000,000.

"Nearly all we hear from Washington is about military exploitations and unimportant political controversies. There is no word of encouragement for the development of the country's resources. If we had men in public life who would take the same interest in working out these questions on a practical, common sense basis, leaving off their tirades against the railroads, their services would be of greater advantage to the farmers and consumers. The kind of politics which has been preached to the farmers for 20 years has kept the farmers from advancing their interests and keeping pace with those who are organized. To arrive at the high business standard to which the farmers are destined, their business, like others, must be conducted in the most economical manner."

"In proposing closer relations between the farmer and the railroad I know that some politicians will criticize my motives, but I appreciate the fact that in having a business talk with you I am talking to the largest producers of railroad freight and it is to our mutual interest to talk over things and know each other better."

"The farmers and the railroads have something to co-operate with and something to co-operate for. The products and supplies of the farms constitute 42 per cent of the freight of the western railroads. It is to our interest to work with you in bettering your market facilities, for the more prosperous you are the more business you have for us. In working out economics, the consumer is also benefited. First let us eliminate the men who talk radical ideas to foster hatred and malice between the producer and transporter. Taking your products from your farms to the market and in aiding you to get the best prices are the ways in which we can profitably work together. We do not need any middle agent. We can talk straight at one another and save money by doing so. In short, let us work together."

"THIS IS MY 68th BIRTHDAY."

Samuel R. Van Sant.

Samuel R. Van Sant, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, was born in Rock Island, Ill., May 11th, 1844. When the Civil War broke out he left school and enlisted in an Illinois cavalry regiment. After three years of active service he was mustered out and returned home to finish his education at Knox College, where he spent two years. Learning the trade of calker he went into the boat building business with his father, and later became actively engaged in the business of transportation on the Mississippi River. In 1883 Mr. Van Sant located at Wiona, Minn. He was elected to the Minnesota legislature on the republican ticket in 1892 and served two terms, being speaker of the house during his second term. In 1901 he was elected governor of Minnesota and served four years.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

- May 11.
- 1647—Peter Stuyvesant arrived in New Amsterdam.
- 1751—Ralph Earle, first American historical painter, born in Leicester, Mass. Died in Connecticut, Aug. 16, 1801.
- 1794—Samuel Adams inaugurated governor of Massachusetts.
- 1833—Omnibuses first used in city of Boston.
- 1858—Minnesota is admitted to statehood.
- 1861—Blockade at Charleston established by steamer "Niagara."
- 1865—Last fight of the Civil War at Palmetto Rancho, Texas.
- 1880—Sir Alexander Tilloch Galt appointed first highway commissioner for Canada in London.
- 1904—International convention of the Y. M. C. A. opened in Buffalo.

Notice to Stock Owners.

Dr. E. M. Wiggs, Veterinary Surgeon, is now located in J. G. Gilbert's new brick barn. An up-to-date veterinary hospital is being established and there are ample facilities for care and treatment of animals. Dr. Wiggs also has a small hospital for dogs at 808 Lamar avenue. Call telephone No. 14, for office, or 430, for residence. Calls answered day or night. —309-St

Our representatives, Brock & Woolsey, will be at the Brown Palace hotel Wednesday the 11th. Be sure to call and investigate our proposition, the best money-making proposition on the market today. We want men with brains and ability.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, May 11th, 1915.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Wichita Falls and vicinity
—Tonight, increasing cloudiness; colder. Thursday, cloudy and colder.

HERE'S OUR WAIL.

Speaking of building cities by spending your money at home, reminds the Times that some of those who ought, above all others, to follow this advice are the very fellows who disregard it. If a vote should be taken on any specified day in Wichita Falls to decide whether the city and county governments should purchase their supplies from home concerns, the Times believes that the result would show a very decided majority in favor of the home concerns, but notwithstanding this statement, the very blanks upon which the tax payers list their property and the receipts furnished the tax payers upon the payment of their taxes are printed by concerns which do not pay one cent of tax money to the city or county governments. This is done in the face of the fact that there are at least

four reasonably well equipped printing offices in Wichita Falls, one at Burkburgett, one at Iowa Park and one at Electra. The four shops in Wichita Falls furnish employment to at least forty people, but if they depended upon receiving any great amount of patronage from the two local governments in order to meet their pay-rolls on Saturday night, they would soon find themselves in rather embarrassing circumstances.

One reason for this condition is that none of the local printing offices are prepared to turn out blank book work, and these foreign concerns, who do nothing toward building up Wichita Falls other than send a man here to take up orders, cut the price below the cost of production on work which can be done by the local printers, making up the loss on a class of work necessary in carrying on the affairs of the city or county government which cannot be handled by the home printers. This business has been worked so systematically by these large concerns (some of them employing non-union labor) that it is beginning to hurt the local printers, and that is why the Times, as one of the sufferers, is sending up this "wail," if such it might be called. The Times dislikes this business of complaining as much as any one. It also dislikes to pay out its good money for city and county taxes and stand by and see some foreign concern walk off with it in payment for work which ought to be done at home.

The Times, in entering this protest, realizes full well that even if it should happen to take effect and in some measure stop the practice of "sending away for that which can be done just as well at home," it might be the last of any one of the four printing offices to receive this work, from the fact that it has the temerity to call attention of the public to the fact that those who can preach most eloquently "of and for Wichita Falls and her enterprises" while vote-hunting are sometimes found among those who always have a cordial welcome for the enterprising salesman for outside concerns, who, by methods above explained, succeed in making them believe that the prices of local printers on work they can do are entirely out of line with prices he quotes.

An interesting item of news from Arkansas is contained in a statement of the Arkansas Gazette to the effect that the prosecuting attorney of Pulaski county on Monday dismissed all of the indictments growing out of

alleged hoodling in the Arkansas legislature in the session of 1905. The grand jury of Pulaski county indicted about twenty members of the senate and house of that session on charges of bribery, perjury, etc., in connection with railroad legislation, the state house bill and liquor legislation. The prosecuting attorney who drew the indictments afterwards resigned his office to accept an attorneyship with the Iron Mountain railroad, which it was alleged had spent large sums of money to control legislation, and this action on the part of the prosecuting attorney created a great deal of sentiment in favor of the persons indicted. Two of the members of the senate indicted were re-elected to the senate after they were indicted and another was nominated at the recent primary election.

MR. BRYAN IN POLITICS.

The future attitude of William Jennings Bryan, the great commoner, towards politics is fully explained in the latest issue of the Commoner. The Commoner says:

"A number of eastern papers and some in the west have made the mistake in assuming that because Mr. Bryan takes part in the discussion of moral and religious questions he has therefore lost interest in politics. For the benefit of those who have been misled by the assumptions or suggestions of this kind the Commoner begs to give assurance that Mr. Bryan is as deeply interested today as at any other time in his life in the science of government, in political problems and in the discussion of the principles and policies under consideration by the American people. He expects to continue in politics during the remainder of his days, and he expects to be just as active and just as earnest in the discussion of these questions as he has been in the past. The readers of the Commoner may, therefore, expect that Mr. Bryan will deal with all questions, state and national, upon which the people are ready to act. The fact that Mr. Bryan is not a candidate for any office and does not expect to be, instead of lessening his interest, really relieves him of embarrassment and makes it possible for him to do more than he could when he might be accused of having personal interest in the results of the campaign."

Mr. Bryan said that he would rather "be right than president," and he also declared that if he can accomplish more toward good government as a private citizen than if he were in office, he would be content to re-

main a private citizen. Mr. Bryan was a candidate for the presidency, but he was not fighting for the office. He was rather fighting for a great principle and those who know his great patriotism would not expect him to give up his fight now.

ABOUT WHAT PLATT DID.

Lemuel E. Quigg Tells of Some of His Notable Qualities.

The well known ex-Congressman and chairman of the New York State Republican convention, Lemuel E. Quigg, writes an interesting and discriminating appreciation of the late Thomas Platt in an article in the North American Review for May, entitled "Thomas Platt." He finds Mr. Platt to have possessed four notable qualities, namely, those of unflinching good judgment at critical moments, patience, loyalty and a fourth which seems to be between charity and the power of forgiving—the quality of not keeping alive a resentment because it was not worth while. His three great achievements he considers the following:

"He took the liquor question out of party politics and settled it in New York State in a way that quieted the prohibitionists, removed from the Republican party the menace of their activity and so connected the sale of liquor with the payment of the expenses of government as permanently to discourage the further agitation of the liquor question in this state. He created the Greater New York. He prevented the nomination of McKinley on a platform that would have conceded something to the advocates of free silver. And the period that was distinguished by his accomplishment of these three things, a period of nearly twenty years, knew no successful resistance to his leadership in the republican party in New York, and the acts of that party under his leadership met with public endorsement at the polls."

Edward of England.
From the Kansas City Journal.

In spite of their dignity and power, kings must die and share the common dust with their subjects. Earthly majesty must crumble and fade before that Omnipotence which sweeps us all to a mysterious destiny that no human intelligence has penetrated. Edward of England was the ruler of an empire that reaches to the furthestmost continents and seas. In his own person he embodied the Englishman's idea of order and authority. While the ancient theory of "divine right"

has little acceptance in these latter days, there are many who still believe that the omniscient Sovereign who guides the planets in their courses and fixes the stars in their places also dictates the appointment of the rulers of men.

For years King Edward had suffered with an affection of the throat, and at various times alarm has been felt for his life. But recently there seemed to be a deeper anxiety not expressed in words. All England was depressed and the news dispatches chronicled gloomy messages reflecting the air of uneasiness that prevailed throughout the kingdom. It was hoped that the illness would pass and that the king might recover his normal health. But the hope was not realized. The king is dead.

England faces a severe political situation that has been regarded by many as a crisis. The fate of the hereditary house of lords hangs in the balance. The people are rebelling at the injustice of that political system that gives a handful of men control over vast possessions of lands and houses while the masses are pleading for an opportunity to cultivate the soil. Thousands and thousands of acres are held in private hands as shooting preserves and parks in the sight of multitudes on the verge of starvation which the products of the idle lands when cultivated would allow.

King Edward held the key to the political situation in England. There was a firm belief that he would find a way to alleviate the sufferings of the people and at the same time avert a catastrophe in the social order. There was need for him to live. Yet human needs and human desires weigh little in that larger scheme of things which is working to a higher end. Edward's reign has been benign, tactful and peaceful. What will follow it is certain.

EXCURSION TO LAKE.

Denver Passenger Agent Makes Investigation at Wichita Falls.

A. A. Glisson, general passenger agent of the Fort Worth and Denver, went to Wichita Falls Tuesday to confer with citizens there concerning the running of an excursion from Fort Worth and other points along the Denver on account of the amusement features at Lake Wichita, and while there will probably discuss a proposition for the running of a trades excursion out of that city.

The business men of Wichita Falls, and especially those interested in the development of Lake Wichita as a pleasure resort, have been negotiat-

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- For Judge 30th Judicial District
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W. E. SKEEN,
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- For County and District Clerk,
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- For County Tax Assessor,
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- For County Treasurer,
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- For County Commissioner Precinct 1
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D. E. THOMAS.
- For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1
W. E. BROTHERS,
J. J. MANLEY.
- 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.

ing with the Denver for reduced rates and excursions for several months, and it is probable that excursions to Wichita Falls will be inaugurated within the next few days.

Lake Wichita is the largest inland body of water in the state, covering approximately 3,600 acres. It is located only a few miles from the city and can be reached by the Wichita Falls and Southern railway and by an electric car line. The electric line runs along the top of the dam for a distance of a mile.—Fort Worth Record.

Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, is now under the management of Joe Woodman, who also looks after Sam Langford.

The Economical Gas Burner can be adjusted to any stove. 307-5c

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Come here expecting to find absolutely the best values you ever saw. You will not be disappointed; your expectations shall be exceeded in every instance. We guarantee that our prices are lower and the values such as YOU COULD ONLY PICTURE IN YOUR MOST EXALTED MOMENTS OF IMAGINATION. Were we to use the most emphatic language we could not sufficiently impress upon you the importance of these bargains.

SATURDAY, MAY the 14th This Gigantic Mill Over-Production Sale will record the most important event ever held in Wichita Falls TO THIS END THE BIG STORE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY FRIDAY, MAY 13th undergoing important changes and to mark down all goods. Saturday morning at 9:00 o'clock, we will open up on a scale of activity that will excel anything ever witnessed in this part of the state. We urge it as a duty upon every man, woman or child to attend this Stupendous Bargain Feast.

Thousands and Thousands of Dollars worth of Mill and Factory Goods, bought direct from the mills and factories months ago, before the advance, and at a time when the mills and factories were extremely anxious to sell. We can, we will sell you these goods in this sale for less than you could buy them for today, were you a merchant.

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FOR RENT—Choice front office rooms in suits of two rooms, \$12 to \$15 per month in Vreeland building, 8th street. See H. J. BACHMAN, Real Estate and Insurance Agent. 307-4tc

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WANTED—A girl for general housework; no washing or ironing; German preferred. Phone 145. 811 Indiana. —307-4tc

WANTED—Stock to pasture; 1 1/2 miles northwest city. Plenty grass and water. Suter farm. Phone 599-2 long. B. B. WOODALL. 283-26tc

BIDS WANTED—E. Von der Lippe, architect, will receive bids for the erection of a 5-room bungalow at Wichita Falls, Texas. Plans and specifications may be had at the office of the architect by depositing \$10 for their safe return. —309-6tc

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I buy, sell, rent or exchange electric fans. FRED MAHAFFEY. 290-4tc

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NOTICE—We have several good bargains in farm and city property. See us about it; also list your property with us. WICHITA LAND CO. —304eod-12t

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FOR RENT—Good house; modern conveniences; close in. J. T. A. FLEMING. 308-3tp

FOR RENT—Two-story, six room house; all modern conveniences. East front; three blocks from business center; will be vacant in few days. H. W. WOOD, Phone 238. —310-1tc

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LOST—Dark, tan grip. Return to the Times office and receive reward. —308-6tp

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YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Texas League Results.
Galveston 3, Fort Worth 4.
Houston 5, Oklahoma City 4.
San Antonio 7-4, Shreveport 2-4.
Dallas 2, Waco 1.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Houston	24	16	8	.667
Dallas	25	16	9	.640
Galveston	25	14	11	.560
San Antonio	26	14	12	.538
Shreveport	25	13	12	.520
Oklahoma City	25	11	14	.440
Waco	24	9	15	.375
Fort Worth	24	8	16	.333

Where They Play Today.

Galveston at Fort Worth.
San Antonio at Shreveport.
Waco at Dallas.
Houston at Oklahoma City.

National League Results.

Chicago 9, New York 5.
Boston 5, St. Louis 3.
Brooklyn 1, Pittsburg 0.
Cincinnati 3, Philadelphia 6.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburg	17	12	5	.706
New York	20	13	7	.650
Philadelphia	17	10	7	.563
Chicago	18	10	8	.556
Cincinnati	16	8	8	.500
Boston	18	7	11	.389
Brooklyn	20	6	14	.330
St. Louis	19	6	13	.315

Where They Play Today.

Boston at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.

American League Results.

Detroit 5, New York 3.
Chicago 10, Washington 3.
Boston 4, St. Louis 3.
Philadelphia, Cleveland 1, (12 in.).

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	17	13	4	.765
Detroit	20	13	7	.650
Cleveland	19	12	7	.632
New York	16	9	7	.562
Boston	19	9	10	.474
Chicago	17	8	9	.471
Washington	22	6	16	.273
St. Louis	16	3	13	.188

Where they Play Today.

Chicago at Washington.
St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.

"THE THIRD DEGREE."

It is Chief Topic of Discussion at Police Meeting.

By Associated Press.
Birmingham, Ala., May 11.—"The Third Degree" was the subject for discussion at the morning session of the International Association of Police Chiefs of the United States and Canada. A number of papers were presented during the day on subjects pertaining to the operation of police departments.

B. OF L. E.

Three Thousand Delegates Attending Biennial Meeting.

By Associated Press.
Detroit, Mich., May 11.—More than three thousand delegates registered this morning for the opening tonight of the Biennial Convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, which will remain in session here until June 4th. Six hundred delegates to the Women's Auxiliary, which will also be in session during the Brotherhood convention, are here.

MEET AT CINCINNATI.

Federation of Women's Clubs is in Session There.

By Associated Press.
Cincinnati, O., May 11.—The Biennial Convention of the American Federation of Women's Clubs formally opened here today. Reports from clubs whose total membership is close to eight hundred thousand are in attendance. The convention will be in session until May 19th.

TOWN MAY BE DESTROYED.

Forest Fires Were Advancing on Grand Marais, Last Night.

Texas News Service Special.
Duluth, Minn., May 11.—Grand Marais, on the north shore of Lake Superior, is believed today to have been destroyed by forest fires, which were advancing on it last night.

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In Memory of Polish Heroes

Washington, D. C., May 11.—With military pomp and splendor and amid the enthusiastic demonstrations of a great concourse of people, the handsome bronze statue of Casimir Pulaski and Thaddeus Kosciuszko, the Polish heroes who aided General Washington with the military experience at the hour of the greatest peril in the American Revolution, were unveiled in this city today. Seldom has an event presented so many brilliant features of military pageantry and at the same time give occasion for the expression of gratitude felt by the nation toward the distinguished foreigners who came across the Atlantic and out of disinterested motives did all in their power to aid the American cause. For two hours the crowds that lined Pennsylvania avenue saw rank on rank of Polish patriots, members of the Polish National Alliance, march in company with American blue-jackets and soldiers and at the same time hear the Polish national airs played along with "America" and "The Star Spangled Banner."

The president of the United States and members of the cabinet, the diplomatic corps, justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, members of Congress and many others prominent in official life, as well as a great gathering of citizens, took part in the double ceremony of the unveiling and dedication of the two memorials.

The military parade was headed by General Taskar H. Bliss, acting chief of staff, with Col. Benjamin Alford, adjutant general, as his chief aide. The first division comprised regular troops from Washington barracks and Forts Myer, Hunt and Washington and the naval contingent of three companies of blue-jackets and a battalion of marines, the United States Marine Band heading the column. The second division consisted of the District of Columbia Militia, composed of the first and second regiments of infantry, the First Separate Battalion, the Signal Corps, and the First Battery Field Artillery. The third division of the parade was composed of the high school Cadets and the fourth division of the Polish patriotic societies.

The ceremony of unveiling the Pulaski statue occurred in the triangle on Pennsylvania avenue opposite the National Theatre, where the massive figure of the Polish general has been erected. Surrounding the statue were great stands to accommodate the many officials and guests invited to take part in the exercises. After the invocation by Bishop Paul Rhode of Chicago, President Taft addressed the assemblage and pronounced a splendid tribute to the valor and military genius of Pulaski who, after fighting for the freedom of Poland against the great invading powers of Russia, Austria and Prussia, offered his services as a volunteer in the American cause.

Following the unveiling of the Pulaski statue, the scene of the ceremonies was transferred to LaFayette Square, where the Kosciuszko memorial was displayed to the public gaze for the first time and formally dedicated with imposing ceremonies. The statue is a gift of the people of the United States by the Polish National Alliance and that organization was in charge of the dedication ceremonies. Secretary of War Dickinson and John Smulski of Chicago delivered the principal orations. In eloquent addresses both speakers paid glowing tribute to the memory of the soldier and patriot, who planned the defense of West Point and later did valiant service in the campaigns in the Carolinas and Georgia.

This statue dedicated today take rank among the most imposing memorials in the national capital. The Pulaski memorial is the work of a Polish-American sculptor of Chicago, Mr. Casimir Chodzinski. The work shows Pulaski in the hussar uniform of his native country, seated upon the back of a moving horse of fine mould and graceful lines. The rider presents a picturesque and martial appearance, with the long military cloak thrown back from his shoulders. The horse and rider stand upon a high granite pedestal.

The monument to Kosciuszko stands at the northeast corner of LaFayette Square, two of the other corners of which are adorned by the handsome memorials to LaFayette and Rochambeau, while the fourth corner will be occupied later by a statue of Baron von Steuben. Gen. Kosciuszko is represented as the hero of two hemispheres. A map of America with the American eagle guarding its liberty, is at the front of the pedestal. In the rear the other hemisphere is represented as divided by a coiling snake, standing for the depotism of European and Asiatic monarchs. To the right a Polish farmer, armed with a scythe, is protecting a Polish soldier who has fallen in battle. At the left an American soldier is severing the bonds of an American farmer. Above this group stands Kos-

ciuszko, holding a sword in one hand and in the other a map showing the West Point fortifications.

Heads of the Church.

Baltimore, May 11.—The fifty-fifth annual meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention, the largest religious gathering of the year, was informally opened this afternoon with a brief business session for the selection of officers and the appointment of committees. The Hon. Joshua Levering of this city was re-elected president by a unanimous vote and practically all of the other important officers were chosen to serve another year. Tonight, in the Lyric theatre, the formal opening of the great gathering takes place. Governor Crothers and Mayor Mahool will be on hand to welcome the visitors and the annual convention sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. W. L. Pickard of Georgia.

For several days delegates and visitors have been pouring into Baltimore in large numbers. The gathering is representative of one of the greatest religious bodies of the American continent. The clergy is represented by theologians of eminence and orators of renown, the laity by financiers whose influence is international, and by lawyers and members of other professions who have reached the top round of the ladder of fame. Former Governor Northern of Georgia, Lieut. Gov. Ellison of Virginia, Dr. J. B. Marvin, of Louisville, A. J. S. Thomas of Greenville, S. C., Gen. M. R. Lowry of Mississippi, President F. W. Boatwright of Richmond College, and President S. J. Jameson of Mercer University are among the distinguished laymen who are to speak before the convention. Included among the eminent clergy who will lead in the discussions are the Revs. J. B. Gambrell and Geo. W. Truett of Dallas, Dr. Lansing Burrows and O. P. Gregory of Atlanta, Rev. W. H. Smith of Richmond, Rev. Dr. E. C. Dargan of Macon, and Rev. Dr. E. Y. Mullins, president of the Baptist Seminary at Louisville.

During the session of six days all the church work, which includes the three great organizations of the Baptist Church South, the Home Missionary Society, with headquarters in Atlanta; the Foreign Mission Board, with headquarters in Richmond, and the Sunday Schools Publications, will be reviewed. For the first time in the history of the convention the young people's work, the laymen's missionary movement and general education will be brought directly before the convention.

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San Jose, Cal., May 11.—San Jose today looks like Naples or Seville in carnival time. In celebration of the opening of the annual Rose Carnival the inhabitants of the city together with hundreds of visitors are dressed in holiday attire and ready to enjoy four days of mirth and merrymaking. The floral decorations are the most gorgeous ever seen in California. Athletic sports, floral pageants and other carnival features will occupy the program until Saturday, when the celebration will wind up with a great aviation meet and a magnificent night parade.

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No. 3. 5-room house on 10th street, with 78 foot front by 160 feet deep, nice place. Price \$3000; one-half cash.

No. 4. 70x150 feet lot on Burnett, 3 doors of car line, nice lot. Price \$1325; one-half cash.

No. 5. 100x200 on car line on 9th street in Bellvue addition. Price \$3000; one-half cash, balance notes 10 per cent.

No. 6. 105x162 1/2 ft. on 10th street, 5-room modern house, a swell home; tenth street will be paved before long. Price \$6150; one-half cash, notes 3 per cent interest.

No. 7. A swell 4-room house with vacant lot on 17th street, 105 ft. front by 165 ft. deep; a bargain; see this property. Price \$2400; one-half cash, notes on balance 10 per cent.

No. 8. 105x165 corner 16th and Bluff, south front, 2 blocks of old high school. Price \$1325; one-half cash.

No. 9. 2-room house on 13th street at car line, lot 50x165, good well. Price \$1150; one-third cash, balance 10 per cent.

No. 10. Two lots 100x165 on 12th street, all kinds of fruit trees, gas, water and sewer in front of lot, one-half block of car line, right at new high school; this is a bargain. Price \$2500; one-third cash, balance 10 per cent.

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No. 16. 2-room house with 12 lots on 8th street at convent; all modern. Price \$13,000; one-half cash.

No. 17. 4 business lots close in, 100x150 on Indiana, good well on same. Price \$16,000; one-third cash, balance 8 per cent.

No. 18. 6-room modern house, corner, 70x150 on Burnett, close in. Price \$3500 cash.

No. 19. 5-room modern house on Lamar, close in, lot 50x150. Price \$2800; one-third cash.

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It seems that there are no discoverers like college professors. Prof. W. M. Wheeler of Harvard, has just announced that the fall of Greece and Rome was due to the mosquitoes which brought in malaria from Asia and Egypt. Thus he simplifies great questions on which many historical students have spent their lives only to leave the problems still in dispute.

Gibbon, who generally appears in six monumental volumes, believed that the decline and fall of the Roman empire was due to the increase of luxury, old age and decay. He has a great deal to say about the entrance of the Turks from Asia, but he does not chronicle the coming of a single mosquito. In fact, it is doubtful whether he mentions the mosquito in any one of his volumes. Certainly he has no distressing account of its stinging the Roman people to death. The German writers are famed for thoroughness and accuracy of detail, and we cannot see how the ravages of such a formidable invader, if it really ravaged, escaped the attention of the great Mommson.

We fear that the professor will have yet more trouble with his theories when he goes back to Greece. Ovid tells how the world changed into a cow was chased about the world by an insect. But it was a gadfly, not a mosquito. If the mosquito had existed actively in Greece, a discerning goddess like Juno would certainly have chosen it as the instrument of her jealousy and vengeance.

The Greeks themselves were originally an Asiatic people, and when they were sending off into Europe the emigrating streams that founded Athens, Sparta, Corinth and other famous cities, an energetic, intelligent insect like the mosquito would never have stayed behind. And if the professor's logic is good, why did Egypt herself, which he claims to have been one of the countries responsible for the mosquito, endure about 6000 years?

When you go over to Asia the same tale is true. Babylon was the New York and London of its time for a couple of thousand years or so, and Nineveh fell before the busy battleax, not the buzzing insect. May it not be that the malaria introduced by the mosquito is fully offset by the activity and energy produced by its sting?—New York World.

WHEN ROOSEVELT TRAVELS.

He Asks Innumerable Questions and Makes Men Like Him.

Everywhere Mr. Roosevelt has insisted upon meeting all sorts of people and visiting all sorts of places and from the White Nile to the Danube men have been surprised at his geniality, his good fellowship, his humor, his energy, his frankness, his curiosity like the mosquito which has found rest in the asking of myriads of questions, and in his remarkable versatility, his familiarity with history, archeology, architecture, politics and persons from his knowledge of Arabic literature to his acquaintance with the antiquities of Egypt and Rome. This versatility did not surprise his American comrades, who know of his marvellous faculty for reading photographically and retaining in the memory like a phonograph, but it amazed the foreigners. And when he had occasion to speak at universities, schools, banquets, whether he spoke without or with preparation, his hearers, whether English, Egyptian, Italian or Austrian, almost to a man looked upon him as one of the greatest orators they had ever heard. Many even went so far as to say that after hearing him they could well understand how and why he had become such a great man in his own country—it was his matchless eloquence. When told that his new friends had put him in the peerless class of orators, Colonel Roosevelt's smile was eloquent indeed.—Walter Wellman in the American Review of Reviews.

Women's Whist Tourney.
Chicago, May 10.—The thirtieth annual congress of the Woman's Whist League began at the Hotel LaSalle today with over 500 in attendance, including many of the most prominent woman whist players of the country. The tournament will continue until Saturday when the final matches will be played.

PUNISHED BY CONSCIENCE.

Two Confessions of Crime Brought About by Mental Torture.

Two remarkable confessions of crime have come to light within the last few days. Gorge B. Warner, murderer of Pulaski Leeds, has surrendered to a Montana sheriff, declaring that he is weary of the life of a man "wanted" for murder and dodging detection. Warner was never insane, and ought to have been sent to Frankfort instead of Hopkinsville.

In Antioch, Ill., a full-blooded Oneida Indian, who murdered his wife six years ago on the Tuscarora reservation in New York, surrendered, confessing the crime and asking to be sent to New York for trial. According to the Indian's story, he discovered the unfaithfulness of his wife. He was walking with her, when she confessed and said that she would commit suicide by jumping into the stream. He was not content to see her kill herself, but kicked her as she was making ready to fling herself from the bank. A coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide when the body was recovered. The murderer removed to Illinois and worked on a farm. Mental anguish caused him to confess to his employer, but he was not believed. He finally went to a police magistrate with his story.

Crime sometimes brings its own penalties when the law fails to mete out the proper punishment, but, unfortunately, not so often as to serve as a warning example and constitute a deterrent influence. The Indian's repentance and confession when he had been exonerated by a coroner's verdict and was not sought shows that the training and education of the criminal do not determine his capacity for suffering the sting of a guilty conscience. The educated murderer is often fairly well content, to all outward appearances, with securing an acquittal. Conscienceless savagery shows survivors in the civilized individual of enlightened antecedents equally as remarkable as the sense of moral responsibility that cause an Indian to brood over an undetected crime until his conscience forces him to make a confession and court punishment.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Jackson, Ga.—"I will get 16 cents for this bale of cotton or I will never sell it," was the declaration made by T. H. Greer, thirty-eight years ago. He kept his promise and got his price, but it took him thirty-eight years to do it. Back in 1875—December 19, to be exact—T. H. Greer, a prosperous farmer of Butts county, ginned a bale of cotton by water power, the gin being the Griswold, then in use and the old hand-lever press was used. The war had not been over long at the time, cotton was high—higher than it has been since then, with one exception. The market was 16 cents that season, but as this bale was late in being turned out from the press the market had slumped, and after loading the bale in his wagon Mr. Greer took it to Griffin, only to be refused 16 cents, whereupon he would not sell for less than that figure. Accordingly he carried the bale of cotton back home, where it remained until last month.

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TOBIN'S GREEK TOO OLD
Student Fails to Impress Moderns in
Class Rooms.

The Greek vocabulary which Ed-
ward L. Tobin, census enumerator, ac-
quired in his college course through
many a dark hour over the pages of
Xenophon and Homer availed him not
at all when he attempted to use the
beautiful speech of ancient Athenians
in official converse with Greeks born
twenty-five centuries after the age of
Pericles.

The excited talk of the local Hel-
lenes was partly intelligible to Clas-
sical Student Tobin, and some of what
he said was understood by the foreign-
ers, but after a very busy hour, which
yielded few results, the young man
employed some brisk United States in
telephoning his request for an inter-
preter.

Something like this was the dia-
logue which preceded:
"Where dwellest thou, my friend,
and in what manner do men name thee
in the market place?" would inquire
Tobin in the lowing Attic of the great
authors who lived at Athens.

"What does the fellow want?" would
be the excited query of Harmodius,
turning to his friends. Harmodius
never had read the odes of Pindar,
but he has sold thousands of ban-yano-
no's since coming to America in the
steamer three years ago.

After the gabbling and waving of
the assembled Greeks died down a
little, Tobin would take another whirl
at his experiment.

"Pray thee, friend, what is thy vo-
cation? What trade pleist thou and
in what quarter of the city? This
would be in the most correct of clas-
sical Greek, but it would only cause
another storm of exclamations and
cross shoutings among the swarthy
allens.

"Listen to the guy! Does he think
he is really talking?" This question
is the latest slang of tenement-house
Athens or patois of the Aegean sea-
port is roared out of a dozen voices:
Their bewilderment grows and their
suspicion, too.

"Come my friends, thy elected rulers
would know these things. Therefore,
delay not thou in the telling of them,
but bespeak thyself freely and from
the heart." So, or something like it,
Enumerator Tobin, in his pure Attic
of Aristophanes' day, implored.

"What does he say about govern-
ment?" A boy streaked with black
from his day of shining boots shook
the question, but none can answer
him. The Greeks, jostling together
in suspicion and dark surmise, can un-
derstand only enough to make them
wary, and Tobin, who catches ever
less of their villainous dialect, gives
it up as a bad job. His guardian pa-
trolman can suggest nothing except
an interpreter, and the enumerator
hastens to the nearest telephone,
where he gets a promise from Chief
Haid, in the office of Census Super-
visor Baker, that one will be furnis-
hed.

Little incidents like the above are
nothing strange among the enumerators
who have to gather statistics from
the foreign-born portion of St. Louis'
population, but the work there, as
in other districts of the city, is
progressing nicely. It has to, for to-
day and tomorrow must, by law, see
the work complete, or practically so.
The regular decennial invoice of the
nation will end tomorrow, and it is a
big job to be rolled up in the short
space of two weeks.

Several enumerators have been re-
pulsed by persons who declined to
give any information, but in each case,
after special agents called and read the
riot act, or whatever statute applies
to this offense, the human claims have
been only too glad to come across
with their precious little old facts and
thus avoid a federal prosecution, with
the possibility of a \$100 fine.—St. Louis
Republic.

IRISH DO THE FIGHTING.
Pension Roll Recalls Story of Battle of
Bull Run.

A correspondent in an Eastern pa-
per points to the fact that while Ire-
land has but about one-seventh the
population of the rest of the United
Kingdom, it draws nearly one-half the
pensions paid in that country.

And that reminds us of the old sto-
ry of the crippled Irish Confederate
soldier who was showing a stranger
over the field of Bull Run. He pointed
out how Beauregard had stationed the
army where the Black Horse Cavalry
worked, where the stone wall regiment
stood, how the fight progressed until
at the critical moment Joe Johnston
came with his army, turned the tide
of battle and made the final rout of
the union forces, and insisted all
through that the Yankees would not
fight, that the Southern boys just
whipped them everywhere. But the
visitor asked him if there were not
some of the Yankees that fought, if
the Sixty-ninth Regiment and one or
two other Irish regiments did not
fight. "Oh, Yes," he said, "they
fought." Then pausing a moment, he
resumed: "To tell the truth, sory, the
Irish did most of the fighting on both
sides that day."—Salt Lake Evening
Telegram.

THE GAME WAS SO ABSORBING.
Two New York Women Had a Long
Tramp in Consequence.

Baltimore—Mrs. E. W. Knapp and
Mrs. Elsworth Childs of New York
had a long tramp across country as
the result of becoming too absorbed
in a game of dummy whist. They
were to have been guests at a bridge
party given at the Maryland Country
club on Tuesday afternoon. They
started from New York on Monday af-
ternoon and decided on a game of
dummy whist to relieve the monotony
of the trip.

So absorbed did they become in the
game that the train was well on its
way to Washington before they be-
came aware that they had passed Bal-
timore. It was an express scheduled
to make no stop between Baltimore
and Washington, but the conductor,
yielding to their entreaties, stopped
at Odenton, whence they made a cross-
country cut to the Interurban electric
railway.

They got to Baltimore in the eve-
ning, but not knowing their hostess'
address went to the Belvedere. Their
hostess, who made several trips to the
railroad station did not find them until
after midnight.—New York Tribune.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

Port Worth and Denver City.

Northbound—	Arrives	Leaves
No. 1	1:45 p. m.	1:50 p. m.
No. 3	12:15 p. m.	12:25 p. m.
No. 5	11:45 p. m.	11:55 p. m.
No. 7	8:15 a. m.	8:25 a. m.
Southbound—	Arrives	Leaves
No. 2	1:50 p. m.	2:00 p. m.
No. 4	11:15 a. m.	11:25 a. m.
No. 6	8:25 a. m.	8:35 a. m.
No. 8	2:25 a. m.	2:35 a. m.

Wichita Falls and Northwestern
South Bound—Train No. 1.
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 9:20 a. m.
Arrive Wichita Falls 11:45 a. m.

North Bound—Train No. 2.
Leave Wichita Falls 2:15 p. m.
Arrive Frederick 4:20 p. m.
Leave Frederick 4:20 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 2:30 p. m.
Leave Archer City 4:20 p. m.
Arrive Olney 5:20 p. m.
Leave Olney 5:20 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—Arrives 12:15 p. m.
No. 6, From Abilene—Arrives 3:15 a. m.
No. 3, To Byers—Leaves 8:00 a. m.
No. 10, To Byers—Leaves 2:20 p. m.
No. 7, From Byers—Arrives 11:30 a. m.
No. 9, From Byers—Arrives 6:00 p. m.

Missouri, Kansas and Texas.
From Dallas, St. Louis and
Beyond 10:25 p. m.
To Dallas, St. Louis and
Beyond 6:30 a. m.
From Denison, St. Louis and
Beyond 12:30 p. m.
To Denison, St. Louis and
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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Hearing in Kansas Murder Case.
Arkansas City, Kas., May 11.—Few cases in the criminal history of this locality have ever aroused so much general interest in this county as the case of Louis W. Potterton and Mrs. Emma A. Allen, his foster mother, whose preliminary hearing upon the charge of having poisoned Mrs. Frances Patterson, the wife of the defendant Potterton, has been set for today, before Justice G. H. McIntyre.

In June of last year Louis W. Potterton, an engineer on the Santa Fe Railroad, married Miss Frances Kimmell, an orphan who owned real estate valued at more than \$10,000, and whose life was insured for \$5,000 in the Union Central Life Insurance Company at Wichita, Kansas. Mrs. Potterton died at noon on January 1st, of this year, after a short illness, which puzzled the physicians. After considerable hesitation, the two attending doctors signed a statement that Mrs. Potterton had died of "Addison's Disease." The authorities were not satisfied with this statement and an investigation by the coroner was ordered. An autopsy was made and the physicians, although they found suspicious indications, declared themselves unable to say whether death had been caused by poison or not.

Thereupon the authorities decided to send the stomach and other viscera of Mrs. Potterton to the state chemist for analysis. In due time a report was received stating that the organs contained more than fourteen grains of arsenic and upon this finding the doctors decided that the death of Mrs. Potterton had been caused by poison. After a brief investigation, Potterton the husband, and his foster mother, who has been keeping house for him, were indicted for the murder of Mrs. Potterton and the preliminary hearing was set for today.

County Attorney E. J. Fleming and his deputy will represent the prosecution, while the defense will be in the hands of Faulconer & Cunningham and L. C. Brown. The theory of the prosecution is that Potterton and his foster mother committed the crime to obtain possession of the valuable real estate and personal property of their victim. The insurance company has refused to pay the insurance on Mrs. Potterton's life to the estate.

Off For a Visit to Fatherland.

New York, May 11.—Hundreds of members of the Krieger Bund, an association composed of German-Americans who fought for their fatherland in the Franco-Prussian war, assembled at the dock of the Hamburg-American line today and gave their two hundred comrades who sailed on the liner Pennsylvania for a visit to their beloved fatherland, as the honored guests of Emperor William, many rousing cheers as an affectionate sendoff. The emperor, who wishes particularly to honor the German veterans from across the sea, has given instructions to the effect that an unusually elaborate program has been prepared for the reception and entertainment of the visiting members of the Krieger Bund. During the three months of their visit they will be the guests of the emperor and will be received, not only at the Berlin court, but at the courts of everyone of the state and principalities of the German empire. Parades and military spectacles, receptions and excursions, a trip on a German warship and a visit to the tomb of Gen. von Moltke are among the features of the program arranged for the entertainment of the honored visitors. Four Washingtonians, representing the Minute Men of the Revolutionary war, will accompany the German veterans as a guard of honor and will also be the guests of the kaiser during their visit.

Allendale News Notes.

Allendale, Tex., May 11.—Mrs. Mable Norris left Saturday for a few days' visit with friends and relatives at Spring Creek, Texas.

Mr. Floyd Billingsley of Wichita Falls, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Billingsley, of this community.

Misses Emma and Johnnie Coker of Wichita Falls, were the guests of the Misses Cora and Ida Gwinn several days this week.

Mrs. J. B. Slisk and sons, Walter and Paul, of Iowa Park, were in Allendale Wednesday of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Swartz of Wichita Falls, were visitors in Allendale Sunday.

Misses Johnnie and Emily Crowell of Bowman, were the guests of Misses Hattie and Willie Gwinn Monday. Miss Mayme Billingsley, who has been quite sick for the past week, is now able to be up again.

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SHE WEDS ON A WAGER

And Now Game Chorus Girl Has Time to Repent.

Too ill to leave her bed and lamenting the fate which impelled her to keep her word and pay a prize fight bet, pretty Edna Elliott, formerly a chorus girl at the Olympic Theatre, lies in her apartment at the Leonide Hotel, the wreck of a 24-hour courtship and marriage. On the outside the girl's friends are doing all in their power to secure a divorce for her from the second party to the romance, Allen Webster, who just at present is in parts unknown.

The girl married on a prize fight wager. She is now doubting the wisdom of paying debts of honor.

The affair occurred before the Langford-Flynn prize fight on March 17. Miss Elliott was a zealous supporter of Jimmy Flynn, and on meeting Webster the night before the fight offered to bet him the white man would win. He accepted her bet and it was arranged that should Flynn come out of the mill a victor he was to pay her \$25. On the other hand, should Langford win, she was to marry Webster.

They shook hands on the proposition and awaited results. When the black man knocked his opponent out Miss Elliott's troubles began.

She was game enough to carry out her part of the program to the letter. The couple ran away to Santa Anna and were married. The pleadings and protests of the girl's friends did no good. Blossom Seeley, one of the girl's best friends, begged her on his bended knees not to take the foolish step, but to no avail. The girl had given her word, and she was determined to keep it.

In a few days married life began to pall on young Webster, and suddenly, without even taking the trouble to tell his wife, he hiked for other parts of the world. She was left alone, without money or means of gaining money.

She still had a number of friends, however, and her gameness attracted more. Gail Henry, another chorus girl of the Olympic, generously offered to share her room with the deserted wife. Others of the company aided her in different ways, and Blossom Seeley, the soubrette of the Alphin-Fargo forces, was especially kind to her.

A few days after being deserted Mrs. Webster became ill. Worry and grief over the way her husband was treating her was too much for her to bear, and she was confined to her bed, unable to do anything for herself. The chorus girls from the Olympic redoubled their efforts to aid the girl, and pending divorce proceedings are the result.

"I'm through with married life for good," said Mrs. Webster last evening. "Blossom warned me about it, but I didn't have sense enough to heed her warning. If I had I would have been much better off."

As soon as she is able Mrs. Webster will again take her place in the chorus and continue her stage career. That alone has cost her enough, she says, as she was disowned by her parents for appearing on the stage. It is not believed that the husband will contest the divorce proceedings. She will cite desertion and non-support as grounds for having the decree granted.—Los Angeles Herald.

War Veterans at Hutchison.

Hutchison, Kas., May 11.—An unusually large number of veterans are attending the 29th annual State encampment of the G. A. R., which met here today for a three days' session. In addition to the veterans there are many members of the Woman's Relief Corps and other auxiliary bodies present. The city has extended a warm welcome to the visitors. Three candidates are contesting for the office of commander, Joel H. Rickel, the present incumbent, Lewis Mayo, of Leavenworth and E. T. Deaver of Junction City. Commander-in-chief Van Sant will be here for the last day of the encampment.

Locomotive Engineers at Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., May 11.—Hundreds of members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers were present here today at the opening of the annual convention of the organization. At the conclusion of the business here the members will journey to Cleveland to assist in the dedication of the new million-dollar home of the brotherhood in that city.

Illinois Prohibitionists.

Decatur, Ill., May 11.—More than 1,500 delegates came to Decatur today to attend the Prohibition State convention. The convention will discuss plans for a vigorous "dry" campaign to be pursued throughout Illinois this summer and fall.

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PERSONAL MENTION

M. G. Talbot of Petrolia, was meeting friends here today.

E. Colgin, a hardware man from Megorgie, was here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Rosenstein of Dallas, are in the city, guests at the St. James.

M. W. Boger, a prominent cattleman from Jolly, was here today transacting business.

O. T. Anderson, a business man from Olney, was here today transacting business.

J. B. Evans, a well-to-do farmer from Burkburnett, was here today transacting business.

Capt. Sam A. Bellah of Decatur, was in the city today on his return from a business trip to Dundee.

T. M. Harrison and little son, of Wapanucka, Okla., are in the city, visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Page.

Miss Laura Crowell, who has been visiting relatives in this city, returned to her home at Dallas yesterday.

S. P. Hawkins of Burkburnett, one of the oldest settlers and best farmers of Wichita county, was in the city today.

S. H. Crosby, manager for the Chillicothe Lumber Company, was in the city looking after business interests today.

Miss Esther Coraline left this afternoon for Fort Worth, at which place she will be the guest of the Misses Durrett.

Mr. W. M. Coleman returned this afternoon from a two weeks' visit at Mineral Wells, greatly improved in health.

S. M. Foster, candidate for district attorney, left this afternoon for Petrolia and Byers in the interests of his candidacy.

W. R. Traveek, a business man from Olusta, Okla., was in the city today on his return from a prospecting tour through Old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gilbert and children left this afternoon for Weatherford, at which place Mrs. Gilbert will remain during the summer.

J. W. Mathis of Iowa Park, was in the city today en route to Henrietta to hear Hon. Cone Johnson, candidate for governor, speak.

Rev. C. F. Maer was in the city today, en route to his home at Bowman from Henrietta, at which place he had been conducting quarterly conference.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Morris of Grandfield, Okla., were in the city today, accompanied by Mr. Morris' mother and aunt, Mrs. M. T. Morris, who were en route to Marietta, Ga., at which place they will visit relatives.

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R. S. Allen to S. L. Fowler, same land as above; \$28,000.

J. R. Jordan to J. A. Brown, lot 14, block 101; \$400.

J. B. Marlow to Lula E. Howard, lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, block 101; \$600.

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LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

A series of six team games has been arranged between the Lake Wichita team and the local team, beginning next Saturday. The first three games will be played at the town park and the second three at the lake. Ladies will be admitted free to the town games and it is expected that large crowds will attend the series. Up to date these nine have played two games, each winning one game by a close score.

The Chamber of Commerce will take up with the Adams Express Company the question of a one-line rate from South Texas. At present a two-line rate applies, as the Adams does not go into South Texas and as a result the express rates on truck and fruit from the coast are decidedly burdensome to local merchants.

The walls of the building at the corner of 8th and Ohio, the site of the new 5-story office building, were pulled down yesterday and the site will be entirely cleared by the end of the current week.

The county commissioners are still in session today, attending to a number of routine matters before they take up the equalization work.

GET EMERGENCY RATE.

College Ball Teams to Travel Same as Leaguers.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., May 11.—The railroad commission today ordered emergency rates of a cent and a half a mile to parties of fourteen, for the benefit of college baseball teams who have been refused the rate permitted league teams. Chairman Mayfield opposed the reduction.

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San Antonio Man Suffers Heavily from Burglary.

Texas News Service Special. San Antonio, May 11.—Diamonds and jewelry valued at seven hundred and fifty dollars were stolen when thieves ransacked the home of A. C. Pancost last night while the family were away. A negro was arrested on suspicion, but the valuables were not recovered.

By Associated Press. Duluth, Minn., May 11.—A wireless dispatch received at noon today, stated that Grand Marais is safe after an all night battle with the flames.

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THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—New York Spots.
New York, May 11.—Market for spot cotton opened quiet and 10 points higher. Middlings, 15.80. Sales 1,710 bales.

Cotton—New York Futures.
Market for futures opened quiet and steady and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
May	15.23	15.40	15.39-a 40
July	15.12	15.27	15.26-a 27

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.
New Orleans, May 11.—Market for spot cotton opened steady and closed 3 1-16c higher. Middlings, 14 15-16. Sales, 435 bales. To arrive, 190 bales.

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.
Market for futures opened and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
May	14.93	15.07	15.07
July	15.13	15.27	15.24-a 25

Cotton—Liverpool Spots.
Liverpool, May 11.—Spot cotton, 8.12. Sales, 10,000 bales. Receipts, 2,000 bales.

Cotton—Liverpool Futures.
Market for futures opened firm and closed barely steady.

	Open	High	Close
May-June	7.80	7.81	7.80
June-July	7.75 1/2	7.76 1/2	7.75 1/2
July-Aug	7.70	7.71 1/2	7.70

Chicago Grain Market.

	Open	High	Close
Wheat—	111 1/2	112 1/2	112
May	102 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
July	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Corn—	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
May	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
July	40 1/2	41	40 1/2

Fort Worth Cattle.

Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, Tex., May 11.—Cattle, 3,500; hogs 3,200. Steers, lower, tops \$5.50; cows, lower, tops \$5.00; hogs, higher, tops selling at \$9.50.

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