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EMERSON IS READY TO SIGN CONTRACT

WILL PROBABLY RETURN WITH
MR. KEMP TO CLOSE WITH
THIS C.T.Y.

VISIT MINNESOTA PLANTS

Mr. Emerson Had Little Difficulty In
Securing Necessary Backing
For Enterprise

Telegraphic advices received yesterday afternoon from J. A. Kemp, who is in Chicago on business, were to the effect that he had met and conferred with H. A. Emerson, president of the United States Packing Company regarding the establishment of the packery in this city. The telegram stated that Mr. Emerson and his associates were now ready to sign the contract for the plant as agreed with the directors of the Chamber of Commerce when Mr. Emerson was here.

Mr. Kemp, together with Mr. Emerson and the latter's associates, will visit the packing plants at Austin, Minnesota, and at other points in that section. Several of those who are interested with Mr. Emerson in this plant are connected with these plants, which are about the same size and capacity as the one to be established here.

It is understood that Mr. Emerson will return with Mr. Kemp next week and that he will come prepared to close a definite and final agreement for the construction of the plant. When he left here, Mr. Emerson was confident that he would have little difficulty in interesting others in the proposition and Mr. Kemp's telegram stated that he had been successful in doing so.

In a letter to the Times, received today, Mr. Emerson briefly outlines his plans. He says:

"We expect to have the blue prints ready within thirty days and be in a position to advertise for bids so that building operations can begin within sixty days."

"It is our intention to build the most sanitary and up-to-date packing plant in the United States at Wichita Falls. It will not be the largest, but it will be constructed so that the capacity can

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ESTRADA'S FORCES MEET WITH CRUSHING DEFEAT BY GOVERNMENT FORCES

Texas News Service Special.
New Orleans, La., May 25.—A large force of Estrada's insurgent army was narrowly saved from complete annihilation near Bluefields late yesterday, according to a cablegram received today by the Texas News Service Bureau in this city.

Generals Lara and Rivas closed in on the revolutionists, who fought with desperation and were saved only by the timely arrival of General Mena with a large force of insurgents, who were en route to Bluefields. Estrada's forces were driven into a swamp where many were killed and captured and the rest scattered when Mena came up.

The revolutionists abandoned six large field guns and threw away their small arms. That a hundred were killed or wounded in Monday's battle is today confirmed. Madris has two other wings in that vicinity. Four hundred from the government ship Venus are preparing to join the infantry and make a general attack.

UNPLEASANT ODORS DOWN TOWN ARE CAUSING MUCH UNFAVORABLE COMMENT

A great deal of complaint has been heard recently on account of the decidedly offensive odor which emanates from restaurants and meat markets in the business section of this city. Anyone passing down some of the alleys where the sanitary regulations are very laxly observed, could take a smell of anaesthetics and feel good about it. The bad odor is especially noticeable at night, when there is less dust. Several of the local meat markets and restaurants and one or two of the groceries, have been guilty of practices

not conducive to fragrance or health and the matter has been called to the attention of the city council for action. A thorough cleaning of the alleys and a closer observance of the sanitary ordinances is needed and unless conditions change there are some decidedly unpleasant times awaiting Wichitans when the weather grows warmer.

AGED RESIDENT DEAD.

Miss Vanland Lived Near Texarkana Forty Years.
Texas News Service Special.
Texarkana, Tex., May 25.—Miss Martha Vanland of South Carolina, aged ninety-eight years, a resident of Miller County, Ark., for forty years, died at her home near here this morning. She was probably the oldest resident of the county and was never married.

MRS. ROOSEVELT CALLS.

Is Guest of Queen Alexandra This Morning.
By Associated Press.
London, May 25.—Mrs. Roosevelt visited Buckingham Palace today and had a long chat with Queen Alexandra. The call was made at the suggestion of her Majesty.

WICHITA TWICE WINNER; QUANAH AND THURBER DEFEATED YESTERDAY

Wichita Falls defeated both Quanah and Thurber in a double header yesterday afternoon, winning two interesting games. The scores were: Wichita Falls 4, Quanah 1; Wichita Falls 5, Thurber 4. The second game went ten innings before a long drive by Maxey, Wichita's second baseman brought Humphries in for the winning run. In the first game Quanah led by one run until the sixth inning, when, with two men on bases, Lusk drove to center field for three bases and stole home a moment later. Three pitchers were necessary to defeat Thurber in the second game. Gibson was landed on for two runs in the first inning and the visitors secured two more off Weeks, who replaced him in the third. Hancock then went in and held them scoreless, though he had to pull out of several bad holes in the sixth and seventh innings. In the ninth, after Humphries had reached first on an error and stolen second, Maxey hit a long drive between left and center for the winning run, giving Wichita Falls both games. Clean fielding and few errors featured both games.

HUMPHREYS IS ILL.

Mississippi Congressman Is Reported Dangerously Sick.
By Associated Press.
Memphis, Tenn., May 25.—Congressman Ben G. Humphreys of the second Mississippi district, whose home is in Greenville, is critically ill in a local infirmary. He was forced to leave Washington several weeks ago on account of a serious complication of diseases and was brought to this city for treatment.

MORE SPARRING PARTNERS.

Jeffries Has Used Up Present Ones and Wants More.
By Associated Press.
Ben Lomond, Calif., May 25.—More human punching bags are needed at Jeffries' camp, think his fellow-trainers and there is talk of two or three fast youngsters being added to his staff. Jeffries, in eleven rounds of quick ring work, used up his supply of sparring partners yesterday.

OLD VALUATION GOOD.

Supreme Court Rules On Roberts County Bonds.
Texas News Service Special.
Austin, May 25.—In the Roberts county bond case today the Supreme Court held that it is not unconstitutional for a newly organized county to issue bonds based on the valuation made by the assessor of the county to which it had been attached previously. Roberts county was formerly part of Bezar and was organized in 1889.

MEXICAN WAR VETERANS.

Reunion Is Being Held This Week at Houston.
Texas News Service Special.
Houston, Tex., May 25.—Fifteen veterans are in attendance upon the meeting of the fourteenth annual reunion of the State Association of Mexican War Veterans here this morning. Tomorrow they will be taken down the ship channel to the San Jacinto battlefield for a picnic.

BETTER CARE FOR WICHITA'S TREES

EMPLOYMENT OF CITY FORESTER
IS BEING CONSIDERED BY
ORGANIZATIONS.

IDEA MEETS WITH FAVOR

Will Cost \$1200 a Year and Effort Will Be Made to Raise the Money.

The employment of a city forester, whose duty it shall be to see that Wichita Falls has more trees and better trees, is being seriously considered by the Civic organizations of the city and by the city council. A well defined movement for the employment of such an official was started this morning at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors which body made a definite recommendation to the city council and to the Civic League to that effect.

The efforts of the citizens here to grow trees in front of their homes have met with rather indifferent success on account of the lack of experience and information on this subject. Sometimes the trees have been unsuited to the character of the soil and in other cases the trimming and watering has not been done in a way to bring the best results.

When Howard Everts Weed, the landscape lecturer was here several weeks ago, he recommended the employing of such an official and the idea met with favor locally. Nothing was done, however, until a young man by the name of Homer Cutler, recently here from Massachusetts conferred with local parties on the matter and he met with a great deal of encouragement. He is a school teacher by profession, but has taken a technical course dealing with the care of trees that has proven valuable to him. In addressing the directors this morning, he said that the results in local tree growing were far from the best and that some united effort was needed.

After discussing the matter the directors decided to urge the Civic League and the other local organizations to make an effort to raise the twelve hundred dollars which will be necessary to employ a forester for one year. It is probable that help can be secured from the city council. It is not decided who will be employed but everyone to whose attention the matter has been brought has become enthusiastic about the matter and sentiment seems to be very much in favor of some expert work along this line.

Has Been No Relief.

By Associated Press.
Washington, May 25.—There is not one line in the statutes to give the people reasonable railroad rates, declared Senator La Follette in the Senate today. "Nothing whatever has been accomplished," he said, "to afford a means of giving equal rates to shippers." The Wisconsin Senator spoke in support of the Cummins' amendment to the Railroad Bill requiring the prior approval of the Interstate Commission of any increase in railroad rates.

NORTHWEST TEXAS BASEBALL LEAGUE ORGAN- GANIZED YESTERDAY--LAKE WICHITA, QUANAH, THURBER AND ALTUS COMPOSE MEMBERSHIP

The organization of the Northwest Texas Baseball League was perfected at a meeting held yesterday afternoon, with Lake Wichita, Altus, Thurber and Quanah as the members. The league's season will open next Saturday with the series between Altus and Lake Wichita, while Thurber and Quanah will play at Quanah on the same date.

A regular schedule of games is being arranged for these four teams and Wichita Falls will have league baseball of the best sort this summer. All four of the teams have shown themselves to be fast ones and the games played so far give evidence that the race for first honors will be an interesting one. The Thurber nine has put up some of the best baseball yet seen on the local diamond, while the Altus nine has defeated the "Lads" several times. The Quanah nine has several of the old Farmersville nine and has always given a good account itself on the local diamond.

While this league is a small one, the support given it will do much to

CLOSING EXERCISES HELD LAST NIGHT

TWENTY-FIVE YOUNG MEN AND
WOMEN COMPLETE THEIR CA-
REERS AT HIGH SCHOOL.

PROGRAM IS PLEASING

Essays and Addresses By Young People Are Heard By Large Audience.

The closing exercises of the Wichita Falls high school were held last night at the opera house in the presence of an audience that filled that edifice to its capacity. Twenty-five young men and women received their diplomas, this ceremony being preceded by a program of unusual excellence.

A selection by the orchestra opened the exercises, followed by a well-rendered selection by a chorus of high school girls. Rev. Francis A. Joseph invoked the divine blessing upon the ceremonies. Miss Kathleen Stonecipher, one of the graduates, then rendered a piano solo, a military march, which was splendidly executed and roundly applauded.

Wiley Madison Fuller then delivered the salutatory address, his subject being "The Crisis—The Man." The young orator spoke in an unembarrassed and pleasing manner of the ordeals and the opportunities that await the young men today and discussed some of the present day problems that confront this country and the handling of them. Mr. Fuller received a hearty share of applause upon conclusion.

"Crowned By His Own Hand," was the subject of an essay by Miss Gladys Trueblood. This was excellent, both in composition and delivery and reflected well upon the instruction that had been given the class. Another excellent selection by the girls' chorus followed. Miss Selma Weaver read an essay on "A Shrine of Southern Memories," which dealt with the stories of the heroes of the South in a very complete and inspiring manner. Both the essays were clearly delivered and closely listened to.

The valedictory address, "The Making of a Man" was delivered by Burton Statton. This address dealt with the varied influences that have to bear upon a man's career in life and was replete with wholesome philosophy and good advice. In conclusion, he turned to his classmates and in a few well chosen words reminded them that the parting hour had come.

A selection from Moszkowsky was then rendered on the piano by Miss Jewel Alleen Waggoner, who performed with talent and grace, going through the difficult selection with all the technique of an artist.

Superintendent Toland then announced that Clarence Ouseley of Fort Worth, who was to have delivered the commencement address, was unavoidably absent. His place was supplied by Rev. J. L. McKee of this city, who spoke for about five minutes, urging the graduates to set their standards high, to be true to their ideals and to use the education they had received to

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

One Young Man Shoots Another in Nolan County.
Texas News Service Special.
Ballinger, Tex., May 25.—Clarence Brown, aged eighteen, of Nolan county, was instantly killed by a bullet from a revolver in the hands of a companion, Oscar Lloyd, last night, according to a message received here today. Thinking the pistol unloaded, the boys each had one trying to see which could snap at the other the quickest when a shot was fired and a bullet struck Brown in the neck. Lloyd declares it was an accident.

the best advantage, both for themselves and their fellow men.

President W. J. Bullock of the school board then spoke briefly, telling of the progress the schools have made recently and dwelling upon the importance of education. The young men and women, such as were then graduating, he said, would have to deal with the future problems of the commonwealth and it was well for the State that they were prepared to face those problems.

The class song was then rendered by the members of the class and the exercises closed with the distribution of the diplomas by President Bullock.

The following received diplomas: Clarence B. Barnett, Eva Benson, William Bilderbach, Annie Marshall Carrigan, Ruth Jewel Downing, Clifford Fore, Wiley Madison Fuller, Laura Leota Haynes, Othir Eugene Isley, Lester Scott Jones, Ralph Mathis, Morris Cecil Poore, Agnes M. Reid, S. Theresa Smith, Wayne Somerville, Burton Andes Statton, Jerome Seymour Stone, Kathleen Frances Stonecipher, Gladys Lillian Trueblood, Jewel Alleen Waggoner, Maud Walker, Selma O. Weaver, Guy Wilson, Ade M. Wood, H. Wascor Yeager.

DISTRICT ASSOCIATION IS TO MEET TOMORROW AT QUANAH--MANY PLANS

The Northwest Texas and Southwest Oklahoma Association of Commercial Clubs will meet tomorrow at Quanah for the purpose of reorganizing and starting the second year of its existence on a more substantial plane. About thirty-five clubs in this section have agreed to be represented at this meeting and the following will probably have delegates there:

Wichita Falls, Quanah, Vernon, Memphis, Iowa Park, Electra, Henrietta, Bowie, Frederick, Mangum, Altus, Elk City, Grandfield, Snyder, Clinton, Lone Wolf, Archer City, Newcastle, Olney, Graham, Jacksboro, Byers, Petrolia, Seymour, Haskell, Rule Crowell, Knox City, Acme, Wellington, Paducah, and Matador.

At tomorrow's meeting officers will be elected for the ensuing year, and the plans for exhibits, immigration agents and advertising in general will be considered. Messrs. Huff Tandy, Marlow and Barrickmann will represent this city and it is hoped to have a number of others go from here if possible.

DEPOSITS DECREASE.

Not as Much in State Banks Now as in January.

Texas News Service Special.
Austin, Tex., May 25.—A decrease in deposits in state banks and trust companies is shown by the statement of the department of banking and insurance issued this morning as a result of the recent call for a statement of condition on May 2.

The total deposits are slightly over forty-six million dollars, as against fifty-two million dollars at the close of business on January 31st. The number of banks increased thirty-three in the same period of time.

DELANEY IS EMPLOYED.

Jeffries Former Trainer Will Coach Jackson Johnson.

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, Cal., May 25.—There is joy in Camp Jack Johnson as the result of the announcement that Billy Delaney, the veteran maker of heavy-weight champions is to coach the negro for the fight with Johnson. Delaney, who developed Jeffries, knows more about the retired champion than anybody else.

I. & G. N. HEARING ON.

Intervening Petitioners Before Court At Galveston.

Texas News Service Special.
Galveston, May 25.—The hearing of petitioners intervening on the I. & G. N. R. R. receivership case began here this morning before W. H. Flippen, Master in Chancery of Dallas.

The Hearings will likely continue several days.

"DEWEY" IS SUNK.

Supposed to Have Been Due to Carelessness.

By Associated Press.
Manila, P. I., May 25.—The general opinion that the sinking yesterday of the dry dock Dewey was due to carelessness rather than any deliberate purpose on the part of the station employees, who are Japanese, to cause damage.

CARNEGIE LIBRARY PLAN IS STARTED

MOTHERS CLUB LADIES INAUGURATE
MOVEMENT FOR SUCH
AN INSTITUTION.

TO INTEREST CARNEGIE

Effort Will Be Made to Secure Donation from Philanthropist for Building.

A movement for a Carnegie library in this city was instituted this morning when several of the parents and teachers' clubs appeared before the directors of the Chamber of Commerce to ask them to take up the matter. The need of an institution of this kind was very forcibly presented by the ladies. They called attention to the fact that other cities of this size are thus equipped and they felt that the time had come for Wichita Falls to take action. They wished it to be at some location close to the business section where the gymnasium which is intended as a feature, may be used by the boys.

The directors discussed the methods needed to interest Mr. Carnegie and appointed a committee consisting of Messrs. Kell, Huff and Noble to confer with the ladies on some plan to secure the donation from the philanthropist. It was stated that the donation would probably be forthcoming if a site were to be donated and satisfactory assurance given that there would be funds to support the institution.

The need of a public library has been long felt in this city and the ladies of the Mothers' Clubs feel that the time has come for some definite action to secure one. So many other matters have come up to take up the time and attention of the business men that there has been little opportunity to consider this movement. The Chamber of Commerce committee and the ladies will push the matter and will spare no pains to put the proposition through to a successful culmination.

The ladies who are representing the parents and teachers' clubs in this matter are, Miss Kate Haynes, Mesdames R. A. Thompson, T. L. Toland, S. H. Burnaldes, M. M. Adickes, Fain, Clark and J. W. Lee.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DIRECTORS ACT UPON SEVERAL MATTERS TODAY

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce met this morning and disposed of several pending matters. The Carnegie library matter and the employment of a city forester were considered, as sufficient elsewhere.

Messrs. R. E. Huff, J. B. Marlow, J. C. Tandy and Secretary Barrickman were delegated to attend the District Association meeting at Quanah tomorrow, together with any others who may be able to attend. Mr. Kell took occasion to explain his attitude on this question, saying he hoped no more time or money would be expended on it unless it was put on a substantial paying basis, sufficient to advertise this section properly. These views were voiced by several others present.

The directors adopted a resolution requesting all merchants to close next Monday afternoon in honor of the excursion crowd. One or two other minor matters were disposed of.

PARDONED SUGAR TRUST EMPLOYE IS A WITNESS BEFORE INVESTIGATION

By Associated Press.
New York, May 25.—In the trial of the sugar trust officials today, Oliver Spitzer, recently pardoned by President Taft, a former employee of the Sugar Company said: "I came here to unburden myself. I want to confess all my sins and get back to my family. I wanted to get rid of all that cancered within me in the Atlanta prison where I suffered so much. I must tell the truth and I would not have been behind the prison bars if I had taken the advice of my attorney and told the truth in the first instance."

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AWAITING DEATH, REPORTS DISASTER

STORY OF SINKING OF JAPANESE
SUBMARINE APRIL 15, AS TOLD
BY COMMANDING OFFICER.

ENTIRE CREW OF 14 LOST

Log Kept by Lieut. Sakuma, Who Perished With His Crew, Tells Story of How They Met Death.

Tokio.—One of the most extraordinary records of the Hopping, yet inevitable and avoidable, death has just come into the possession of the Japanese Navy Department. It is the record kept by Lieut. Sakuma after the fatal sinking of his submarine with himself and 13 men in the maneuvers in Hiroshima Bay on Friday morning, April 15.

The manuscript was found in the floating tower of the submarine when it was raised a few days later by a wrecking party sent out from the cruise Toyokuni. It is a sailor's log of rapidly approaching death. It opens with an entry made shortly after the fatal immersion at 10 a. m., in which the lieutenant apologizes to his superiors, and ends 2 hours and 40 minutes later with the words: "It is now 12:40 p. m."

The first news of the disaster reached Tokyo on the evening of April 15, but in the papers of the next morning only the barest facts were published. In the papers of the 20th a partial report was given. This report is interesting in the light of further developments, as it contains a fragment of Lieut. Sakuma's remarkable log which inspired a "tale" reported from the pen of a London journalist, in whose paper the bare facts had been photographed.

It was understood that the record left by Lieut. Sakuma was in large part in the nature of a confidential report to his superiors, but on April 22 the Navy Department allowed the complete document to be published, and it will live in Japan's history as a document of tragic interest. It is as follows:

"Words of apology fall far for me for having sunk my Majesty's submarine No. 4. My superiors are killed by my fault, but it is with pride that I inform you that the crew is a man have discharged their duties as sailors should with the utmost coolness until their dying moments.

"We now sacrifice our lives for the sake of our country, but my fear is that the disaster will affect the future development of submarine. It is therefore my hope that nothing will cause your determination to study the submarine until it is a perfect machine, absolutely reliable. We can die without regret.

"It was while making a gasoline fire that the boat sank lower and lower than was intended, and in our attempt to close the sluice the chain broke. We endeavored to stop the leakage of water with our hands, but too late, the water entered at the rear and the boat sank at an incline of 25 degrees.

"When it touched bottom it was at an angle of 25 degrees. The current submerged the electric generator, put out the light, and the electric wires were burned.

"In a few minutes hot gas was generated, making it difficult for us to breathe.

"It was at 10 a. m. on the 15th that the boat sank. Surrounded by poisonous gas the crew strove to pump out the water.

"As soon as the boat sank the water in the main tank was being pumped out. The electric light was extinguished and the gauge was inoperative, but it seems the water in the main tank was completely pumped out.

"The electric current has now become useless, gas cannot be generated, and the boat pump is our only hope. The vessel is in darkness, and I note this down by the light through the cooling tower at 11:45 a. m.

"The crew are now wet and it is extremely cold. It is my opinion that men enduring in submarine must possess the qualities of endurance and nerve, and must be extremely painstaking; they must be brave and daring in their handling of the boat. People may laugh at this opinion in view of my failure, but the statement is true.

"We have worked hard to pump out the water, but the boat is still in the same position. It is now 12 o'clock. The depth of water here is about 30 fathoms.

"The crew of a submarine should be selected from the bravest, the coolest, or they will be of little use in time of crisis—in such as we are now. My brave men are doing their best.

"I always expect death when away from home. My will is therefore prepared and is in the locker. But this is of my private affairs. I hope Mr. Toyokuni will send it to my father.

"A word to my superiors, the superiors. It is my earnest hope that your superiors will apply the means of living to the poor families of the crew.

This is my only desire, and I am anxious to have it fulfilled.

"My requests and best regards to the following: Admiral Nishizawa, commander of the navy; Vice Admiral Shimazumi and Fujii, Rear Admirals Mori, Yamamoto and Hara—the air program is so slight that I feel as if my requests will be broken—Captain Oguri and Mr. Commander Matsumoto, Lieut. Commander Matsumoto (this is my elder brother), Capt. Watanabe, Mr. Nishi and Mr. Hara—it is now 12:30 p. m. My breathing is so difficult and painful.

"I thought I could blow out gasoline but I am intoxicated with it—Capt. Nishizawa—it is now 12:40 p. m."

Here the cable ends.

The Navy Department, in its report of the disaster, says that the disaster happened here was at neither of the port and No. 4 submarine was at a point 1,200 meters distant east of the station. Warrent Officer Shing of the battleship, who had been changed to watch the boat, last night of the submarine at 11 a. m. on Friday. At first he did not feel the least anxiety about the safety of the boat, as he believed it would rise again. Feeling, however, that it did not after a certain time, he reported the matter.

It was conjectured that the crew would be their last about 2 p. m. on Friday, three hours after sinking. The cause of death was carbonic gas poisoning.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

Appropriate for His Traveling Expenses to Heavy Wall Street.

The Press regrets to see a disposition on the part of certain Democrats in Congress to interfere with the appropriation for the President's traveling expenses. The present effort seems to be to prevent the appropriation becoming retroactive, so as to cover something over \$1000 which has already been spent in making trips.

The Press has repeatedly said that it believed the money expended in carrying the President among the people and enabling him to make friends with the population in the different sections of the country is well placed. This last obstructive effort seems to us to be in the line of pro-grip politics. Why not allow the appropriation, which will certainly be made, to cover the travel already taken by the President? The President makes no mistake in traveling among the people. Certainly it is to the interest of the South that the President should get out of Washington, for he has done more traveling in the South than all the other Presidents since the Civil War. The people of the South are willing even now for this recognition, and this section has managed to keep in personal touch with the administration in Washington, so we have been brought in contact with it by President Taft.

The truth of the matter is that the President has made very many personal friends in the South. He shows a sympathy for Southern people, and has entertained them at the White House at luncheons, at dinners, etc., both formally and informally. He sincerely likes Southern types and we trust that Southern representatives will not be won over into the making of small points about not paying the President's traveling expenses. The President of the United States is not a prisoner in the White House grounds. During the Congressional interim he should travel. After the cordial way in which he has been treated in the South we should desire to see Southern representatives considering the traveling expenses with a microscope and drawing a line between the travel which is already done and that which he may hereafter do.

The National Democratic party is in excellent shape now, and the prospect of a Democratic House next year is very bright. We trust that Democratic Congressmen will busy themselves with My issues, and there are plenty of these, without going into small matters which would weaken the party in the eyes of the country. Congressmen, who vote themselves 25 cents a mile traveling expenses are not in a position to criticize too closely the President's railroad expenses. Let them ride and let ride. In the President has already spent \$1000 in traveling this year it is the best money he has invested during the term. Some time there is just as much good in bringing the President to the homes of the people as in sending Congressmen to the home of the President. And it costs a great deal less, we may rest assured.—Spartan Press.

Lively Ring Contest Expected.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 25.—There promises to be plenty of action—the quick kind—when Pat Moore, the Dover Philadelphia featherweight, and Jim DeLoach, the English champion, meet in a strenuous contest at the National Athletic Club tonight. The bout is regarded as sporting choice as the champion that has been pulled off here in a long time. With both fighters in prime condition as a result of a faithful training the contest is expected to be a truly one from start to finish.

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Messrs. Kemp and Kell asked Mr. Palmer L. Clark, President of the Chicago Horse Sale Co. and former owner of Clark's Horse Review, one of the leading turf papers, to select a horse that would do the breeding interests of this section the most good, and his choice as a result of thirty years experience is in keeping with the many solid improvements and expensive advantages Wichita Falls has been favored with by these gentlemen.

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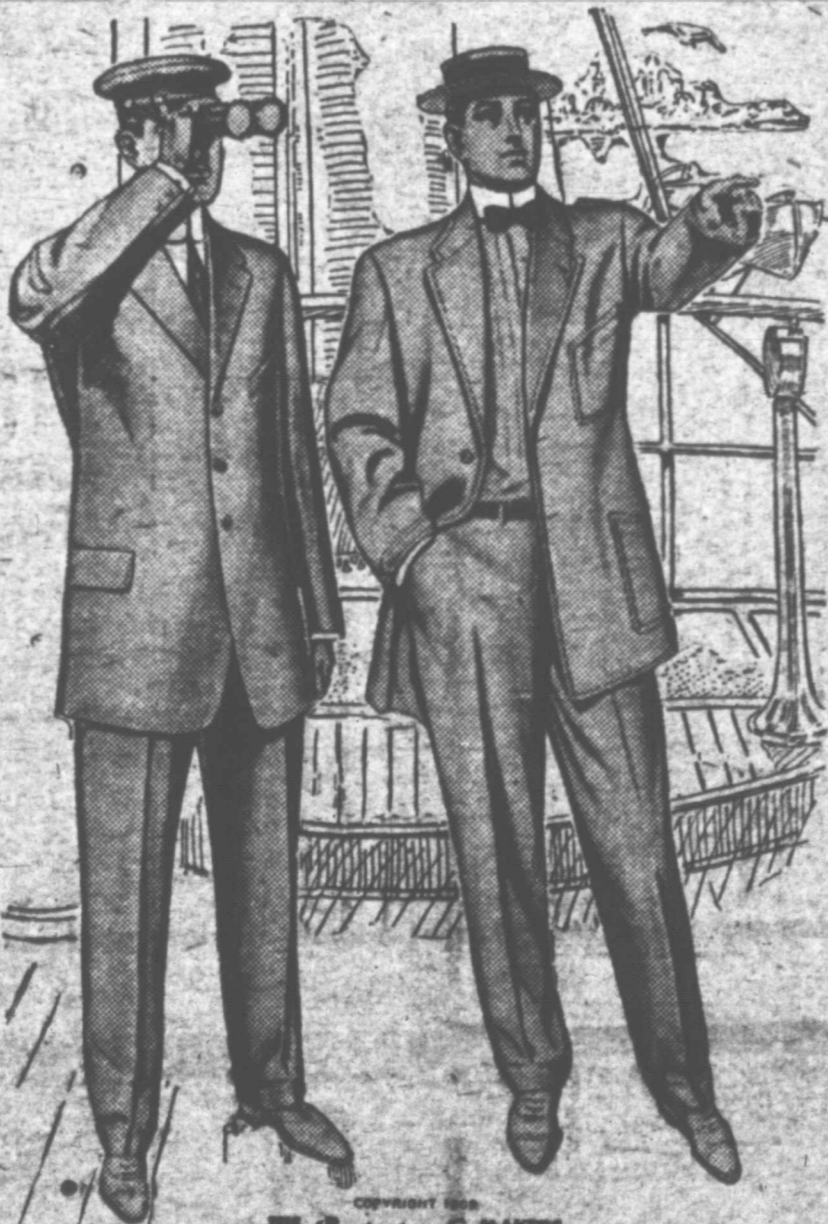
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WASHINGTON'S GRAFT.

Voices From the Metropolis Raised Against Use of Federal Funds.

We are reassured by the growing disposition on the part of congress to inquire into the astounding tendency of graft in Washington—graft at the expense of the national treasury, in fact. The debate in the house of representatives last Monday upon the "playgrounds appropriation" showed that a preposterous amount of the fund has heretofore been expended in salaries for "supervisors," as if children at play wanted or needed to be supervised. Incidentally it was shown by Mr. Burleson of Texas that the cost of so-called education in Washington was twice as much per capita as in Baltimore and three times as much as in New Orleans.

Of course, it will be argued by those interested that the proposed playgrounds are to be better in Washington than the playgrounds elsewhere and that the education is much better. The natural reply to this is that, in the first place, the government is not bound to provide parlor playgrounds and talented supervisors for Washington children; while as for education, it might be said by a really brusque person that the state is under no obligations to furnish a collegiate education to youngsters nine-tenths of whom are unable to utilize it afterward.

The trouble with Washington is that outside of the resident population not connected with the government the people of the city have come to look to the treasury for everything. Because the government pays their salaries they think it ought to provide them with overcoats in winter and furnish them with pongee suits in summer. If they want to entertain visitors they think the government should help.

Congress seems to be taking hold of this absurd and pitiable business with intelligence and courage. Of course, we cannot expect to convince a community of trained pensioners with omnivorous appetites that they have no superior claim upon the government, but it is possible to erect bulwarks about the federal treasury to protect it from their assaults.—New York Sun.

The Hollingsworth Twins.

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STORY OF SINKING OF JAPANESE SUBMARINE APRIL 15, AS TOLD BY COMMANDING OFFICER.

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Log Kept By Lieut. Sakuma, Who Perished With His Crew, Tells Sad Story of How They Met Death.

Tokio.—One of the most extraordinary records of the lingering, yet inevitable and heroic, death has just come into the possession of the Japanese Navy Department. It is the record kept by Lieut. Sakuma after the fatal sinking of his submarine with himself and 14 men in the maneuvers in Hiroshima Bay on Friday morning, April 15.

The manuscript was found in the conning tower of the submarine when it was raised a few days later by a wrecking party sent out from the cruiser Toyahashi. It is a sailor's log of rapidly approaching death. It opens with an entry made shortly after the total immersion at 10 a. m., in which the lieutenant apologizes to his emperor, and ends 2 hours and 40 minutes later with the words: It is now 12:40 p. m.

The first news of the disaster reached Tokio on the evening of April 16, but in the papers of the next morning only the barest facts were published.

In the papers of the 20th a partial report was printed. This report is interesting in the light of further developments, as it contains a fragment of Lieut. Sakuma's remarkable log which inspired a "fake" record from the pen of a London journalist to whose paper the bare facts had been telegraphed.

It was understood that the record left by Lieut. Sakuma was in large part in the nature of a confidential report to his superiors, but on April 23 the Navy Department allowed the complete document to be published, and it will live in Japan's history as a document of tragic interest. It is as follows:

"Words of apology fall for me for having sunk his majesty's Submarine No. 6. My subordinates are killed by my fault, but it is with pride that I inform you that the crew to a man have discharged their duties as sailors should, with the utmost coolness until their dying moments.

"We now sacrifice our lives for the sake of our country, but my fear is that the disaster will affect the future development of submarines. It is therefore my hope that nothing will daunt your determination to study the submarine until it is a perfect machine absolutely reliable. We can die without regret.

"It was while making a gasoline dice that the boat sank lower and lower than was intended, and in our attempt to close the sluice the chain broke. We endeavored to stop the inrush of water with our hands, but too late, the water entered at the rear and the boat sank at an incline of 25 degrees.

"When it touched bottom it was at an angle of 13 degrees. The current submerged the electric generator, put out the light, and the electric wires were burned.

"In a few minutes bad gas was generated, making it difficult for us to breathe.

"It was at 10 a. m. on the 15th inst. that the boat sank. Surrounded by poisonous gas the crew strove to pump out the water.

"As soon as the boat sank the water in the main tank was being pumped out. The electric light was extinguished and the gauge was invisible, but it seems the water in the main tank was completely pumped out.

"The electric current has now become useless, gas cannot be generated, and the hand pump is our only hope. The vessel is in darkness, and I note this down by the light through the conning tower at 11:45 a. m.

"The crew are now wet and it is extremely cold. It is my opinion that men embarking in submarines must possess the qualities of coolness and nerve, and must be extremely painstaking; they must be brave and daring in their handling of the boat. People may laugh at this opinion in view of my failure, but the statement is true.

"We have worked hard to pump out the water, but the boat is still in the same position. It is now 12 o'clock. The depth of water here is about 10 fathoms.

"The crew of a submarine should be selected from the bravest, the coolest, or they will be of little use in time of crisis—in such as we are now. My brave men are doing their best.

"I always expect death when away from home. My will is therefore prepared and is in the locker. But this is of my private affairs. I hope Mr. Taguchi will send it to my father.

"A word to his majesty, the emperor. It is my earnest hope that your majesty will supply the means of living to the poor families of the crew.

This is my only desire, and I am anxious to have it fulfilled.

"My respects and best regards to the following: Admiral Saito, minister of the navy; Vice Admirals Shimamura and Fujii, Rear Admirals Nawa, Yamashita and Narita—the air pressure is so slight that I feel as if my eardrums will be broken—Captains Oguri and Ide, Commander Matsumara, Lieut. Commander Matsumara (this is my elder brother), Capt. Funakoshi, Mr. Narita and Mr. Ikuta—it is now 12:30 p. m. My breathing is so difficult and painful.

"I thought I could blow out gasoline but I am intoxicated with it—Capt Nakano—it is now 12:40 p. m."

Here the code ends.

The Navy Department, in its report of the disaster, says that the steamer Reikisan Maru was at anchor off the port and No. 6 submarine was at a point 1,500 meters distant east of the steamer. Warrant Officer Sanagi of the Reikisan Maru, who had been charged to watch the boat, lost sight of the submarine at 11 a. m. on Friday. At first he did not feel the least anxiety about the safety of the boat, as he believed it would rise again. Finding, however, that it did not after a certain time, he reported the matter.

It was conjectured that the crew breathed their last about 2 p. m. on Friday, three hours after sinking. The cause of death was carbonic gas poisoning.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIPS.

Appropriation for His Traveling Expenses Is Money Well Spent.

The Press regrets to see a disposition on the part of certain Democrats in Congress to interfere with the appropriation for the President's traveling expenses. The present effort seems to be to prevent the appropriation becoming retroactive, so as to cover something over \$5000 which has already been spent in making trips.

The Press has repeatedly said that it believed the money expended in carrying the President among the people and enabling him to make friends with the population in the different sections of the country is well placed. This last obstructive effort seems to us to be in the line of pin-point politics. Why not allow the appropriation, which will certainly be made, to cover the travel already taken by the President? The President makes no mistake in traveling among the people. Certainly it is to the interest of the South that the President should get out of Washington, for he has done more traveling in the South than all the other Presidents since the Civil War. The people of the South are willing even anxious for this recognition, and this section has managed to keep in personal touch with the administration in Washington, as we have been brought in contact with it by President Taft.

The truth of the matter is that the President has made very many personal friends in the South. He shows a partiality for Southern people, and has entertained them at the White House at luncheons, at dinners, etc., both formally and informally. He naturally likes Southern types and we trust that Southern representatives will not be won over into the making of small points about not paying the President's traveling expenses. The President of the United States is not a prisoner in the White House grounds. During the Congressional interium he should travel. After the cordial way in which he has been treated in the South we should dislike to see Southern representatives examining the traveling expenses with a microscope and drawing a line between the travel which is already done and that which he may hereafter do.

The National Democratic party is in excellent shape now, and the prospect of a Democratic House next year is very bright. We trust that Democratic Congressmen will busy themselves with big issues, and there are plenty of this kind, without going into small matters which would weaken the party in the eyes of the country. Congressmen, who vote themselves 10 cents a mile traveling expenses are not in a position to scrutinize too closely the President's railroad expenses. Let them ride and let ride. In the President has already spent \$5000 in traveling this year it is the best money he has invested during the term. Some time there is just as much good in bringing the President to the homes of the people as in sending Congressmen to the home of the President. And it costs a great deal less, we may rest assured.—Savannah Press.

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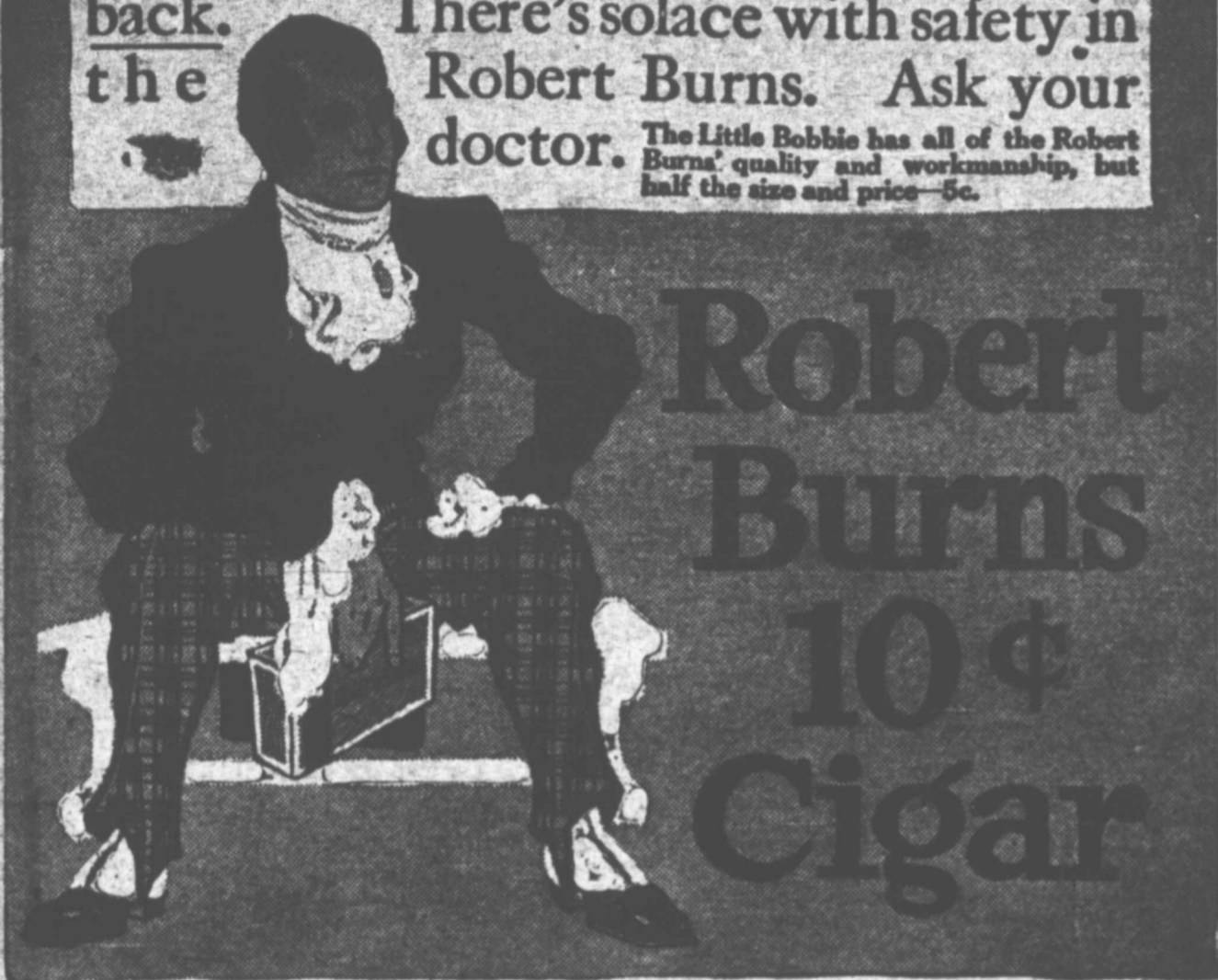
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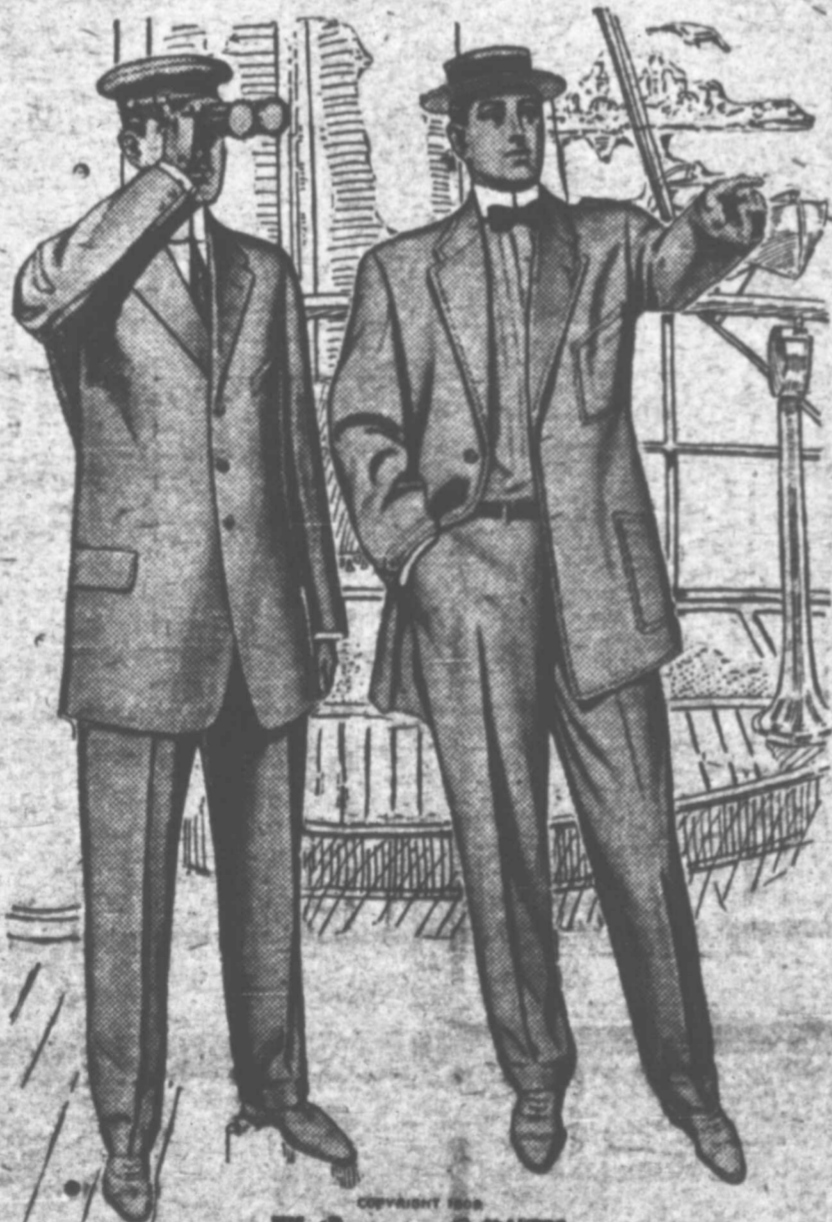
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SENATOR BOURNE'S STATE.

Will Soon Vote on as Many Bills as Its Legislature.

In Oregon, whose democratic system of government Senator Bourne has just eulogized, the voters are going to have their patience put to an exceptional test in the next election. We have watched the progress of the initiative and referendum in the state with much interest, for the experiment there has been conducted under favorable conditions. The population is more than usually intelligent and has more than the usual capacity, industry, patience—or whatever it is that is required to make a pure democracy successful. It reads a large book about the various legislative proposals submitted makes up his mind, and votes upon everything with unabated zest—at least with zest unabated hitherto—and in general its decision has been sensible—about as sensible as might be expected from the average legislature.

But is there no limit to the patience and industry of the Oregon voter? At the last election he had to pass upon a score of legislative proposals after digesting a book as big as a "best seller" setting forth their merits and demerits. This was only an appetizer, so to speak. This year, as we learn from the Oregonian, he will have about thirty proposals before him.

The Oregon people are only just learning to use the initiative, and there appears to be a tendency in every group or locality which has some project at heart that would be hopeless before the legislature to submit it to the whole people of the state. Normal schools are initiating bills to revive themselves in three different towns. Five new counties are trying to carve themselves out of existing counties. There is an employers' liability measure urged by the labor unions to be submitted to the people; also a measure creating "people's inspectors"—whatever that might be; another for the payment of expenses of delegates and of presidential electors at direct primaries. We take off our hat to the popular legislators of Oregon. If they keep up their interest they will soon vote on election day upon as many bills as come before a legislature in a session, and the voters' guide on legislative proposals will be as big as an unabridged dictionary.—New York Tribune.

WASHINGTON'S GRAFT.

Voice From the Metropolis Raised Against Use of Federal Funds.

We are reassured by the growing disposition on the part of congress to inquire into the astounding tendency of graft in Washington—graft at the expense of the national treasury, in fact. The debate in the house of representatives last Monday upon the "playgrounds appropriation" showed that a preposterous amount of the fund has heretofore been expended in salaries for "supervisors," as if children at play wanted or needed to be supervised. Incidentally it was shown by Mr. Burleson of Texas that the cost of so-called education in Washington was twice as much per capita as in Baltimore and three times as much as in New Orleans.

Of course, it will be argued by those interested that the proposed playgrounds are to be better in Washington than the playgrounds elsewhere and that the education is much better. The natural reply to this is that, in the first place, the government is not bound to provide parlor playgrounds and talented supervisors for Washington children; while as for education, it might be said by a really brusque person that the state is under no obligations to furnish a collegiate education to youngsters nine-tenths of whom are unable to utilize it, afterward.

The trouble with Washington is that outside of the resident population not connected with the government the people of the city have come to look to the treasury for everything. Because the government pays their salaries they think it ought to provide them with overcoats in winter and furnish them with pongee suits in summer. If they want to entertain visitors they think the government should help.

Congress seems to be taking hold of this absurd and pitiable business with intelligence and courage. Of course, we cannot expect to convince a community of trained pensioners with omnivorous appetites that they have no superior claim upon the government, but it is possible to erect bulwarks about the federal treasury to protect it from their assaults.—New York Sun.

The Hollingsworth Twins.

Manager Franklin takes pleasure in bringing the Hollingsworth Twins back to Wichita Falls for a week's engagement, starting Monday night, May 30. The Twins have an entirely new repertoire of plays and the opening play Monday night will be "La Belle Marie," an American comedy-drama in 5 acts. The Twins Company will show in the Franklin tent theatre, located at the corner of 10th and Ohio.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, May 25th, 1910.

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of Archer County.
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C. B. FELDER.
M. F. YEAGER.

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

For Sheriff and Tax Collector.
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W. E. SKEEN.
G. C. RHODES.

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For County Tax Assessor.
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For County Treasurer,
T. W. McHAM.

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D. E. THOMAS.

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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.

PULPIT AND SALOON IN POLITICS.

Hall County Herald (Memphis): It is strange how some people buck at a proposition of "politics in the pulpit." They don't object to politics in the saloon, but just as soon as the preacher expresses a political preference they "go up in the air," and fly into a rage of criticism. It looks like it is just as proper for a preacher to have an opinion and express it as it is for a lawyer or a doctor. Strange what foul notions some people have.

It is rather agreeable to contemplate the church as a sacred edifice and the pulpit as its sanctum sanctorum. But when it is known that a certain so-called house of worship is given over to the consideration of mundane matters, and that the speaker's stand, elevated pulpit, is the rostrum which spellbinders, whose feet are yet redolent of political mire, mount to give emphasis and circulation to uncensored incubations, that knowledge detracts from the public's reverence for the putative sanctuary. As to saloons, they are neither better or worse than politics. A saloon is just a saloon, and nobody expects it to be anything else.—Dallas News.

Doubtless the above is a slam at Dr. Rankin, but it is well to bear in mind just at this stage of the game, that the papers, (some of them big ones) which are slapping the good doctor most severely are the same which were recently seeking interviews from him but a comparatively short time ago, whether he spoke from the pulpit or from the stage. At that time Dr. Rankin was a great and good man. Can it be possible that in so short a time he has fallen in the estimation of the people?

One enterprise brings another. This is verified by events transpiring in Wichita Falls nearly every day. Less than two years ago one brick plant with a daily capacity of 50,000 was induced to locate here, it proved a success, finding it almost impossible to fill orders. Recently a second company was organized with double the capacity for brick-making as the first, and will be in operation before January 1st 1911. This action on the part of the second company has not by any means, discouraged the first, for within less than three days after the sec-

ond company for the manufacture of brick was organized, its stockholders held a meeting and increased the capital stock to \$75,000, which will double the capacity of the first plant, and not satisfied with this, the same men who have their money in the first plant, organized an entirely new company with a capital stock of \$100,000, for the purpose of putting in a third brick plant. The three plants will have a combined capital of \$275,000, and the combined daily capacity for brick-making will be in the neighborhood of 250,000 brick. Of course, Wichita Falls cannot hope to grow fast enough to use all the out-put of these three plants, but her neighbors in the surrounding territory for 100 miles on every side of her, are growing also, and Wichita Falls wants to, and doubtless will prove a strong competitor when it comes to furnishing them with brick. There is an inexhaustible supply of the right kind of clay for the manufacturer of brick here, and there is no telling how many other factories of the same nature will locate. With natural gas as a fuel, an abundance of water, six railroads with seven outlets over which to make shipments, the prospects are that Wichita Falls will soon be known far and wide as the largest brick manufacturing center in Texas.

During the past two years the enrollment in our city public schools has increased from 950 to near 1700. This gives a pretty good idea of how fast Wichita Falls has grown during that period. At the present rate of growth in the scholastic population the two additional buildings to be constructed with the \$40,000 realized from the sale of the school bonds voted recently, together with the new \$60,000 high school building, which has just been completed, will be no more than is needed in another year.

The Mothers' Clubs of this city are requested to meet in joint session Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Methodist church, corner 10th St. and Scott avenue. A large attendance is urged as the meeting is called for the purpose of arranging for the lecture to be given by Mrs. Turner of Dallas, at an early date. —10-2tc

Deeds Filed for Record—May 24.
(Furnished by the Wichita Abstract Company.)

J. A. Kemp and Frank Kell to Highland Irrigation and Land Co., (1) 105.08 acres of S. P. R. R. Co. survey; (2) 165.89 acres of S. Holloway survey; (3) 200 acres of S. P. R. R. survey No. 2; (4) 119.02 acres of Day Land and Cattle Co. survey; (5) 11 acres of the W. W. Brown survey; (6) 37 acres of J. English survey; (7) block 36, league 1, Denton County school lands; (8) 156 acres of Annie E. Cummins survey; (9) 100 acres of blocks 13 and 14, league 1, Denton County school lands; (10) 164.09 acres block 25, league 1, Denton County school lands. Consideration: \$182,620.00.

Kemp and Kell to C. C. Huff, lots 1 and 2, block 151, city \$18,550.00.
C. C. Huff to Kemp and Kell, one-third interest in lots 1 and 2, block 151, city: \$3,550.

O. A. Knauf to W. K. Knauf, block 68, Red River Valley land; \$1500.
J. S. Bridwell and F. E. Gaston, to C. C. Huff, lots 13 and 14, block 152, city: \$3,500.

W. W. Jackson to E. W. Creed, lot 4, block 22, I. Jalonick addition; \$1300.

Catholic Order of Foresters.
Boston, Mass., May 25.—The annual convention of the high court of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters began its sessions in Faneuil Hall this morning with a record-breaking attendance. Prior to beginning the business sessions the delegates attended the celebration of solemn high mass at St. Mary's church. The annual reports show that the order made gratifying gains during the past year, the total membership now amounting to 31,000.

Georgia Odd Fellows in Session.
Athens, Ga., May 25.—Hundreds of Odd Fellows from all over Georgia are here in attendance on the annual convention of the grand lodge, which began a three days' session today. The annual reports prepared for presentation to the convention show the order in this state to be in a flourishing condition, there being 488 lodges with a total membership exceeding 35,000.

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be doubled without great additional expense. Mr. Kemp, of your city, and the writer will inspect several packing plants this week which are in successful operation within a few hundred miles of Chicago. It is our intention to take advantage of every improvement that has been made within the past few years and we hope to be able to advertise the products from the Wichita Falls packing house, truthfully as coming from the most sanitary packing house ever built in this country. We expect to put up better goods and obtain better prices for our product than any other concern operating in the Southwest."

CONSPIRACY OF SLANDER.

Failure of Case Against Ballinger Results in Petty Attacks.

The fight against Secretary Ballinger which has altogether failed to establish any facts discreditable to that officer has degenerated into a general campaign of insinuation against the President who is responsible for the retirement of Ballinger's opponents. The original "charges" have quite sunk out of sight in the prolonged effort to create distrust of the whole Administration.

This has gone beyond all bounds of reason and decency. The President investigated the allegations of Glavis and the others, personally consulting with them, and with the department officers whom they accused. When his conclusion had been reached he asked the Assistant Attorney General for the Interior Department to prepare a statement which he could use. He had also received a memorandum of the whole case from the Attorney General, on which his final action was based, and this he asked Mr. Wickensham to complete as a part of the official record.

The fact that this rescript of the legal opinion, though completed afterward, was given the date of the original report has been seized upon by the "prosecution" to frame an "inference" of duplicity and deceit. And as if this were not contemptible enough, they now produce the stenographer who took down the statement of the Assistant General to assert that the President used a passage from it in his letter to the subject, with various melodramatic details designed to convey the idea of a secret conspiracy on Ballinger's behalf.

It would not matter if the President had used it all, if it suited him. As a matter of fact, he wrote his own letter, upon his own judgment and responsibility. The original memoranda upon which he worked could be of no consequence to anyone. What, then, can be the object of this latest "testimony" except, by the manner of its production and the gratuitous innuendo attached to it in newspaper headlines, to besmirch the integrity of the President?

The President can need no defense against the insinuations of unknown subordinates or the open malice of political foes. Public opinion was originally quite impartial as between Ballinger and his enemies. Even the failure to establish any tangible accusation against the former might not have been convincing that the President was wholly right in his judgment of the case. But the failure of the prosecution of Ballinger has led it into such a complex conspiracy of petty slander and mean misrepresentation that self-respecting men ought to unite for its suppression.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

WANT STORES TO CLOSE.

Proper Celebration of Next Monday is Asked For.

The following call has been issued: To the Business Men of Wichita Falls: Your attention is called to the fact that next Monday, May 30, is Decoration Day and that Lake Wichita will be formally opened on that date to the public. Excursions from Elk City, Ft. Worth and intermediate points will be run to Lake Wichita at very low rates. In the evening a ball game between the Altus, Oklahoma team and the Lake team will be one of the special attractions.

Being a legal holiday, the banks and postoffice will be closed and the Lake Wichita management and the Chamber of Commerce would appreciate it if every merchant will observe the day as a half-holiday by closing up his place of business at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, thus permitting all of our citizens to participate in the observance of Decoration Day and of the opening of the amusement resort.

Very truly yours,
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
By R. E. Huff, Pres.

Attest:
W. C. Barlickmann, Sec.
May 25th, 1910.

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—397-43c KING.

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The elements that have combined to make this Sale such a great success thus far will be further strengthened by our endeavor to make the coming week one of even greater importance. We have arranged many new lots and still further reduced many items. When you consider the fact (in connection with the low prices we are naming) that you are offered bright, new merchandise, right in the heart of the season, it's no wonder we have been kept busy.

Not Only Is the Price a Feature But Desirability as Well

In choosing from our big stock in this great MILL OVER-PRODUCTION SALE you choose from newer, better assorted and more satisfying lines than have ever been offered in any previous sale this early in the season.

THE STORE THAT SELLS FOR LESS

Lays down the price so low it makes it easy for you to pick up bargains on anything you want throughout its various departments.

Don't fail to visit our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department. Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Ladies' Dresses, Skirts, Coat-Suits, Petticoats, and in fact everything in this department on sale this week at prices that should certainly interest you.

Come again, and bring your friends or send them to this Great Sale. Thousands have already profited by this Big Sale—Have You?

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The New Idea

PRESERVES HAVE MADE A BIG HIT

You remember we told you a few weeks ago about the new way of making preserves by using fresh apple pulp as filler.

A number of women have tried it since our first announcement and already they are sending repeat orders. Just pure fruit—apples and sugar—that's all there is to it, but it's great. And so very inexpensive, too—only 40c per quart jar.

Your choice of—
Red Raspberry,
Strawberry,
Plum,
Peach,
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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, close in; bath, lights and phone. Phone 145. 811 Indiana avenue. —282-4f—

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FOR RENT—Four desirable rooms on Tenth street; choice location; will rent single or en suite; also one double room. Plenty of good cistern water and all modern conveniences. Apply at 1210 Tenth street. —10-4f..

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WANTED—Gentleman wishes board and room close in. Address P. O. Box 382, giving location and rate. —4-4tdh—

WANTED.

Wanted—Boarders and roomers at 709 Austin. —8-3tp..

WANTED—Woman or girl to do general housework. Apply at 701 Lamar or phone 298. —7-4tc..

WANTED—To sell new steel safe; cost \$130, for \$75. MOORE-JACKSON & PERKINS. 295-4tc—

WANTED—To rent, a desirable, modern cottage, of four or five rooms; preferably on "the hill." Must be equipped with bath gas and other modern conveniences. Address "C. S." care Times. —212-4f-dh

WANTED—Bids for the erection of a 1 1/2 story frame cottage, to be constructed within the city limits of Wichita Falls, Texas. Plans and specifications may be had at the office of E. Von der Lippe, Architect, upon deposit of \$10.00 for the safe return of plans. —7-7tc—

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Two new four-room houses on north side of river. R. H. BUTER. —10-6tp..

FOR SALE—On Burnett avenue, two residences. For particulars see J. E. Lee, 1105 Burnett. —9-4tc..

FOR SALE—Buggy, saddle and driving horse; also good milch cows. G. C. Patterson at the Texas Wagon Yard. —302-4tc

FOR SALE—Two-burner, Detroit Jewel gasoline stove, with oven; first-class condition. 1304 12th street. —261-4tdh

FOR SALE—Three modern cottages, renting for \$78 per month. Corner Burnett and Eighth streets. Bargain if sold at once. ANDERSON & PATTERSON. —6-4tc..

FOR SALE—Lots 6 and 7, block 230, also lot 2, block 100, Wichita Falls, to close settlement estate Mrs. S. W. Speed. For price and terms, write Dr. C. DODDS, Champaign, Ill. —1-12tc

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—80-acre farm in Ellis County and one 80-acre farm in Comanche County, clear of incumbrances, to exchange for Wichita Falls property. 5 and 10-acre tracts near car line for sale. F. W. TIBBETTS. —5-6tc..

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LOST—Ladie's signet pin, with "O" engraved on it. Return to Times office. —10-3tc..

WITH THE FIGHTERS.

Tom O'Rourke will referee the bouts at his New York club in the future. Harry Lewis has signed to meet Young Joseph, an English boxer, in Paris. Ad Wolgast has signed to meet Lew Powell in Los Angeles next month. Young Erne and Joe Hirst have been matched to box in Reading, Pa., on May 25.

Frank Picato, the California lightweight, and his manager, "Raphide" Kelly, have returned to the Pacific Coast.

Something new; something good; all ready—Codfish. Phone 261. KING'S —307-4tc

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Texas League Results.
Shreveport 7, Dallas 2.
Fort Worth 2, Oklahoma City 2.
Houston 10, San Antonio 3.
Galveston 5, Waco 4.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Houston	36	23	13	.639
Dallas	36	22	14	.611
Galveston	36	22	14	.611
San Antonio	34	19	15	.559
Fort Worth	35	16	19	.457
Oklahoma City	37	16	21	.432
Shreveport	37	15	22	.405
Waco	35	10	25	.286

Where They Play Today.

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

National League Results.

Pittsburg-New York; rain.
Boston 3, Cincinnati 0.
Brooklyn 6, St. Louis 0.
Chicago 5, Philadelphia 3.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburg	26	16	10	.616
Chicago	28	17	11	.607
Cincinnati	28	16	12	.571
New York	31	17	14	.549
St. Louis	32	16	16	.500
Philadelphia	27	13	14	.481
Boston	30	11	19	.367
Brooklyn	31	11	21	.344

Where They Play Today.

Brooklyn at St. Louis.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
No other game scheduled.

American League Results.

Washington 3, Detroit 2.
Boston 4, Cleveland 3.
St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 1.
Chicago 5, New York 5.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	27	20	7	.741
New York	27	18	9	.667
Detroit	31	17	14	.549
Boston	29	15	14	.517
Cleveland	28	13	15	.464
Washington	31	13	18	.419
Chicago	26	10	16	.384
St. Louis	27	6	21	.222

Where They Play Today.

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

Sunday School Picnic.

The Baptist Sunday School will hold its annual picnic at Lake Wichita tomorrow. Street cars will leave the City National Bank corner at 9 o'clock, making stops at the corner of 9th and Indiana, 10th and Indiana, Lamar and 10th, 19th and Lamar, 13th and Burnett, 13th and Broad, 10th and Broad, 9th and Broad, 9th and Holliday, 9th and Brooks and at the car sheds. Fare for the round trip, 15 cents. Those who are not able to pay their fare should not stay away on that account, as the Sunday School will attend to that for them.

Cars start from the lake at 5:00 and 5:30 p. m.
All the ladies are requested to bring along with them well-filled baskets.
By order of the Committee.

RED MEN ELECT.

Galveston Man Sighem—Meet in Dallas Next Year.
Texas News Service Special.
Beaumont, May 25.—The Improved Order of Red Men in state convention here today selected Dallas as the next meeting place and selected H. A. Sappington of Galveston as Grand Sachem, and Joe Snetser of Laredo as Great Prophet. The convention will adjourn tomorrow.

SUPPER WASN'T READY

And Chicago Woman is Dead From Resultant Beating.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Ill., May 25.—Because she did not have supper ready for her husband Monday, Mrs. Frank Lowandowsky died today. The husband will be charged with murder, according to the police, who say her death was due to the beating given her by the husband.

Meeting of Hardware Men.

Rome, Ga., May 25.—Prominent hardware dealers from many parts of Georgia gathered in this city today for the annual convention of their state association. The program extends over a period of three days and provides for the discussion of trade topics.

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Charlotte, N. C., May 25.—Millions of dollars saved by the thrifty wage workers of the country were represented in the large assembly room of the Colonial Club this morning at the opening of the annual convention of the United States League of Local Building and Loan associations. The attendance was made up of several hundred delegates, representing over a score of states.
President Jay W. Sutton of Bault Ste. Marie, Mich., called the gathering to order at 10:30 and introduced Mayor Hawkins, who made an address of welcome. James M. McKay of Youngstown, Ohio, responded for the visitors. President Sutton then delivered his annual address, which was followed by the report of the general secretary, H. E. Cellarius of Cincinnati. Routine business occupied the remainder of the session. The speakers at the af-

ternoon session included former Governor Durbin of Indiana, Thomas J. Skuse of Brooklyn, George F. Bilbore of Omaha and Alexander Moore of Port Huron, Mich. The convention will conclude its business tomorrow.

Warning.

Lake Wichita has been posted against fishing.
Proper parties can secure permits to fish with hook and line between the hours of 8 a. m. and 10 p. m., on application to the manager at the office at the lake. A close watch will be kept throughout the season and a reward of \$25.00 will also be paid for evidence that will convict any one of breaking the laws against poisoning or dynamiting fish in any of the waters forming a part of Lake Wichita.
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SHE'S BACK IN SCHOOL.

Gussie Hobler, Slave to Court Order Tries Short Frock.

Back to her studies in the Cannon street public school yesterday morning went Gussie Hobler of No. 32 Columbia street, the big girl in her seventeenth year and engaged to be married when Magistrate Krotel had her ordered to return to her study on penalty of imprisonment.

She had let her hair fall again on her shoulders and had tied it with a big blue ribbon. She had intended to go in a short frock, since the school books and the magistrate insist that she is only fifteen. But no sooner had she put it on than she took it off again. One glance told her it made her a "rainy daisy" for a flood, and she had no desire to appear before Magistrate Krotel charged with causing a crowd to collect. When she returned from school she said she had not had the bad time she feared.

"No one laughed at me," she explained. "In fact, the children treated me very differently from the magistrate. They were all kind to me. Everybody tried to make me happy. Miss Simpson, the principal, urged me to stay till February, when I would graduate, and then I could get married on graduation day and so have a double celebration."

"I only wish I could do that, and I would if I did not feel I must help my parents. My father and mother want me to stay till then. Those threats of Magistrate Krotel about sending me to prison have terrified them. But you remember that there are ten of us and soon will be eleven, to live on \$9 a week. I still feel dreadful at being spoken to like a wicked criminal, as Magistrate Krotel spoke to me."

"What did you learn today?" was asked.

"Oh! I was not to start regular lessons until tomorrow. I was helping in the office a bit today, and in addition learned a lot of geography. See, here it is."

She handed over excellently written sheets containing notes upon the solar system.

"That is good to know," she said. "But do you think there is anything there that will help me make a living or be a useful wife to a working man?" she added with a touch of bitterness. "I do want to know things, but I could get the books out of the public library in the evenings and teach myself, and could be helping at home."

"It's dreadful hard for a girl when two rights get in a mixup for her, and they say they'll send her to prison because she wants to do what she knows is the rightest thing. It's right I should go to school, but it's a lot righter that a girl like me should go to work and not be a burden on her poor parents—anybody can see that. When I eat I feel like I'm robbing my little brothers and sisters of their food."

"My sweetheart, Morris Seigel, was not able to get away from business this morning to go to the school and help ask for my working papers. But he says that, if I like, we'll get married Saturday, and then I'll be free, and the magistrate couldn't talk to me like he did. We are going to talk it over tonight. It seems the only way out of the trouble."—New York World.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

- 1636—Sir Henry Vane became governor of Massachusetts.
- 1776—The British generals, Howe, Clinton and Burgoyne, arrived at Boston.
- 1787—First cotton mill in the United States started at Beverly, Mass.
- 1800—Ralph Waldo Emerson, famous writer, born in Boston. Died at Concord, Mass., April 27, 1882.
- 1810—William Henry Channing noted clergyman, born in Boston. Died in London, Dec. 23, 1884.
- 1846—Sir John Franklin sailed off his last expedition to the Arctic.
- 1848—Major General Winfield Scott received by the municipal authorities of New York.
- 1861—Union troops destroyed the railroad between Alexandria and Leesburg, Va.
- 1862—Gen. Banks defeated at Winchester and driven across the Potomac.
- 1891—David Butler, first state governor of Nebraska, died at Pawnee City. Born in Green County, Indiana, Dec. 15, 1827.
- 1899—More than one hundred buildings in St. John, N. B., destroyed by fire.
- 1900—Welland Canal dynamiters sentenced to life imprisonment.
- 1902—Rev. Phillip J. Garrigan consecrated as first Roman Catholic bishop of Sioux City.
- 1909—Andrew Carnegie gave \$1,000,000 for a hero fund in France.

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THE LION'S ROAR.

An Appalling Sound That Brings Terror to the Traveler.

Once in the lion country you learn the real reason why he is termed the king of beasts. He looks it. Besides, there is the terror he casts over all the brute creation about him. And as for terror, there is one feature of life in East Africa that the traveler never forgets—the lion's roaring. To me no other sound in nature is more awe inspiring, more appalling, especially if heard at really close range or among hills, where the echo resounds in its rolling double bass. Contrary to the common idea, lions do not confine their thunderous calls to the night only. Frequently in open daylight one may be startled by a sudden outburst. They are a noisy lot too. At night I have heard a band keep up the dire chorus for hours at a time, a blood curdling concert that brings to mind every tale, fanciful or true, of their daring, of their fierce ramparts and might. It seems, still further, to have an added dreadfulness when one is lying within the frail walls of a tent, with only the canvas between one and the formidable musician.

Listen now! There goes one booming in the distance, a roaring obligato that breaks into from six to a dozen calls. From the first to the fourth the volume usually increases; then it dies down. At very close quarters one hears the roar melt gradually into a purr, itself diminishing to a growling, discontented mumble that lasts for about half a minute, or there is the other sound, equally menacing—a soft and suggestive crunching noise, as though the beast had already settled to a grewsome meal. The lion's voice is mighty, as mighty as his strength. Forget his habits, his love of carnion and his daylight turn of cowardice and you have the impression of a king of beasts—a real royalty along the brute creation.—Everybody's Magazine.

BUILT ON DISCIPLINE.

Big Department Stores Are Managed Like an Army.

"This is like an army," the manager explained when I went to him to ascertain by what system he handled the big department store. "The assistant managers are the generals, the department heads the colonels, the floorwalkers majors, and so on down the line. Only matters which are out of the ordinary routine are brought to the commander in chief."

"The organization is built on discipline. Each individual knows what work he has to do, and if he fails the failure reacts directly upon him. Thus each in turn is responsible to the one above him until the responsibility reaches this office. In the final analysis I am responsible to the firm. If a girl ties a bundle wrong or there is a dispute with a customer I am directly responsible, although I have probably known nothing of the incident. I pass the actual administration of authority and responsibility right down the line until the person who is at fault feels it personally. Doubtless hundreds of things happen in this store every day of which I have no knowledge, and I don't need to know about them. So long as the man to whom I have delegated the authority delegates it in turn to some one who knows how to use it properly there is no reason why I should interfere."

"This is the way it should be. I should not consider that we had an effective system if it were otherwise. A system must be so perfectly organized and every man must know and live up to his responsibilities so sincerely that I could walk out of this office today and not return for six months."—Interview With Manager of New York Store in Bookkeeper.

Eating Away an Island.

Strength is not a thing usually connected with maidenhair fern, yet if its roots have not sufficient room they will break the pot in which the plant grows. Blades of grass will force the curbstones between which they spring up out of their place, and in a single night a crop of small mushrooms have lifted a large stone. Indeed, plants have been known to break the hardest rocks. The island of Aldabra, to the northwest of Madagascar, is becoming smaller and smaller through the action of the mangroves that grow along the foot of the cliffs. They set their way into the rock in all directions, and into the gaps thus formed the waves force their way. In time they will probably reduce the island to pieces.—London Globe.

The Judge's Error.

"Give one verse of 'The Star Spangled Banner.'"
"I can't do it, judge."
"Quote a passage from the constitution."
"Too many for me."
"Then I can't naturalize you, my man."
"But I was born here, judge. I don't want to be naturalized. I'm after a better job."—Kansas City Journal.

Unkind.

The Kind Lady—You clear off or I'll set the dog at you.
The Tramp—Ah, 'ow deceptive is 'uman natur'. Fer two nights I've slept in your barn, eaten of yer poultry an' drunk of yer cider, and now yer treats me as an utter stranger.—London Sketch.

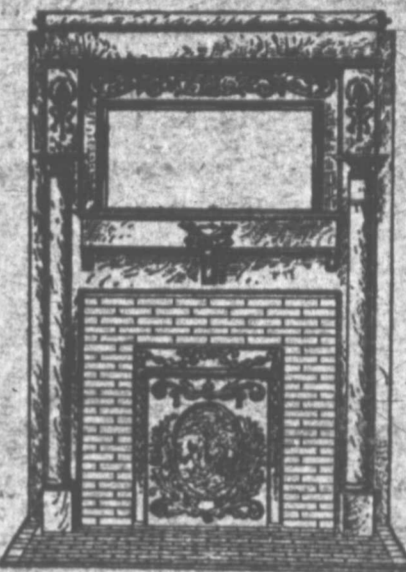
The Sphinx.

"What was the riddle of the sphinx?"
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Argentina Holds Centennial Birth Fete.

Buenos Ayres, May 25.—Argentina looked backward one hundred years today and bowed low to the little band of patriots of Buenos Ayres who compelled the last of the Spanish viceroys to resign, an act which broke the power of the Madrid government and marked the beginning of the present independent republic. The boom of guns at dawn today ushered in the centennial celebration, for which preparations have been going forward for over two years, and which will continue in one form or another until next December. From the capital and metropolis down to the smallest village and hamlet of the republic the populace is giving itself up to the joyousness of the occasion.

One of the most pleasing features of the occasion is that Argentina is not alone in its celebration. At the splendid military port of Bahia Blanca, 300 miles south of the capital, there lie some of the finest fighting ships of the nations of Europe and America, all of which are proud of the privilege of having a share in Argentina's festivities. The American cruisers, Montana, South Dakota, North Carolina and Tennessee and the scout cruiser Chester are there, together with a British squadron, consisting of the cruisers Argyll, Harms and Amethyst, under the command of Rear Admiral George Le Clerc Egerton.

Quartered in the best hotels of Buenos Ayres or at the residences of its leading citizens are many foreign statesmen and soldiers of note, who have come to present to the republic the congratulations and good wishes of their several governments. Foremost among these special ambassadors

- ◆ Facts Concerning Argentina.
- ◆ The country was first discovered by the Spaniards in 1515 and settled by them in 1553.
- ◆ It joined the insurrection in 1811, and became independent in 1816.
- ◆ The Argentine Constitution is almost identical with that of the United States.
- ◆ The confederation is composed of fourteen provinces and ten territories.
- ◆ Total area of the country, 1,135,840 square miles; population, 6,210,428.
- ◆ Buenos Ayres, the capital, is one of the twelve largest cities of the world.

is Major General Leonard Wood, Chief of Staff of the United States Army.

The great event today was the formal opening of the international exhibitions by Dr. Jose Figueron Alcorata, the president of the republic. There are two of these international shows. One is the railway and land transport exposition, devoted entirely to that branch of industry and including everything pertaining to locomotion from the horse car to the airplane. The second international exposition is an agricultural and live stock show, which comprises exhibits from all parts of the world. Among the nations that have sent exhibits to the two expositions, are, Great Britain, the United States, Japan, Germany, Belgium, France, Italy and Holland.

A third exposition, national in scope, is devoted to an illustration of the industrial progress of Argentina during the first century of its independent existence.

In addition to the expositions there are to be numerous other interesting features in connection with the centennial celebrations of the next few months. In Buenos Ayres and in all other cities of the country the municipalities and voluntary citizens' committees have prepared for elaborate festivities.

One of the most important events will be the assembling in this city of the Fourth International American Conference, which has its headquarters in Washington, and which will be attended by distinguished delegates from the United States, Mexico and the republics of Central and South America.

The dedication of a number of national memorials are to be included in the program of the centennial celebration. In the principal park of Buenos Ayres a great monument is to be erected to commemorate the birth of the republic. There will also be unveiled statues of several of the heroes who first raised the standard of insurrection against Spain and of the foremost leaders among the patriots who comprised the congress which met in the city of Tucuman, in July, 1816, and issued a declaration of independence. Fifteen years later, after a valiant and unceasing struggle against great odds, the declaration of independence signed at Tucuman became an accomplished fact and Spain lost her last claim upon American territory.

FAMOUS CHURCH REOPENED

Interior Decoration of Ensenanza Edifice Most Beautiful in Mexico.

In the re-opening of the old Ensenanza Church on Calle de Donceles, formerly Cordobanes, one of the richest and most valuable gems of art work was restored to public enjoyment.

This church was among the property confiscated by the state at the time of the constitutional reform movement and the separation of the church from state in Mexico. It was later conditionally restored as a house of Catholic worship, and in 1894 condemned again by the government for the purpose of enlarging the federal district and palace of justice and civil courts' building. The church was built about 175 years ago out of funds donated by a wealthy, Spanish countess and placed in charge of the religious order that conducted the Ensenanza convent, now used by the federal courts.

In addition to the handsomely carved high altar, a rich piece of work in cedar overlaid with pure gold leaf and reaching to the top of the nave, are ten side altars, equally as handsomely carved and also overlaid with fine gold. Very little, comparatively, of the wall space is left uncovered by these massive gilded furnishings, and this space is filled in with immense oil paintings, some of the rarest works of art of the kind in the city of Mexico, including one or two genuine masters.

On account of the rare value of these decorations and their unique character as the only church decorations of the kind in Mexico, Secretary of Finance Lamantour some time ago took steps to have the temple restored to the religious authorities, succeeding in hav-

ing the plans for enlarging the court buildings over that site. The keys were turned over to the archbishop of Mexico, who in turn placed the church in care of Father Francisco Alvarez. For the past six weeks Father Alvarez has had workmen employed cleaning the altars and paintings and otherwise renovating the temple, and when it was opened for service May 3 it formed perhaps the richest and most pleasing church interior in the republic.—Mexico Record.

Public Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between C. W. Hendricks and E. T. Phelan of Wichita Falls, County of Wichita and State of Texas, under the firm name of Hen-Phe Company, is, by mutual consent, dissolved on this, the 12th day of May, 1910.

All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received and paid to the said E. T. Phelan, and all demands, claims and debts of every character and description are assumed by the said E. T. Phelan, and are to be presented to him for payment. The said C. W. Hendricks retires from the said firm and the said E. T. Phelan will continue the business under the name of "The Do-Bis Co."

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All creditors consenting to said assignment must within four months after the publication of this notice make known to the assignee their consent in writing and within six months of the date of this notice file their claim as prescribed by law with the undersigned who resides at Wichita Falls, Texas, which is also his postoffice address.

Witness my hand this the 30th day of April, 1910.
ORVILLE BULLINGTON,
May 3-10-17-24-31 Assignee.

King of Saxony's Birthday.

Dresden, May 25.—A general holiday was observed throughout Saxony today in celebration of the forty-fifth birthday of King Frederick Augustus III. His Majesty was born May 25, 1865, and succeeded to the throne upon the death of his father in 1904.

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THE MIRROR TONIC.

When a Peak Into a Hand Glass May Help a Patient. The looking glass, whether a plus or a minus quantity, plays a more important part in the sickroom than most nurses and physicians give it credit for. "All things considered, I think it a good plan to give a sick person a chance to look at himself occasionally," said a prominent doctor-recently. "Of course the indulgence must be granted with discretion. If a patient is really looking seedy a turn at the looking glass is equivalent to signing his death warrant, but if taken at a time when braced up by some stimulant or a natural ebullition of vital force a few minutes of communion with his own visage beats any tonic I can prescribe. It thrills the patient with new hope. It makes him feel that he isn't quite so far gone as he has thought and that possibly a fight for life is, after all, worth while. Being thus sensitive, a persistent withholding of a mirror convinces the patient that he must be too horrible for contemplation, and he promptly decides that the best thing for him to do is to give up the ghost and get out of the way. "That is one of the mistakes hospitals were apt to make up to a few years ago. When I was a young fellow getting my first practice after graduation I served on the staff of several hospitals, and in all, especially in the free wards, those aids to vanity, were strictly forbidden."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE TIPPING HABIT.

It Was Worse in the Eighteenth Century Than It Is Now. The tipping habit is bad enough nowadays, but in the eighteenth century it was a greater evil than it is at the present time. A writer in the Cornhill Magazine tells some stories to illustrate the old condition of things. In Edinburgh in 1700 tipping became such an evil that the Society of Clerks enacted that all servants should be forbidden to take tips and members be forbidden to give them. This example was followed by other clubs and societies. Today there is a rule in most clubs against feeding the servants. An eccentric Irish gentleman, Lord Taaffe, used to attend his guests to the door, and if they offered any money to the servants who were lined up with the guests' baggage the host would say, "If you give, give it me, for it was I that did buy the dinner." A well known colonel while sitting at dinner inquired the names of the host's servants. "For," said he, "I cannot pay them for such a good dinner, but I should like to remember them in my will." Another eccentric gentleman after patiently redeeming his hat, sword, cane and cloak to the very bottom of his purse turned to the two remaining servants who were waiting obsequiously, each with a glove, and said affably: "Keep those. I will not trouble to buy them back. They are old and not worth a shilling."

A King's Trick.

King Gustavus III. of Sweden had been frequently invited to the little court of Schwerin. In 1783 he paid a visit to Germany, and as soon as the Duchess of Mecklenburg heard of his approach she prepared fetes in his honor. But Gustavus, who disdained the petty courts of the small rulers, sent two of his attendants—a page named Peyrou and Desvovages, a valet who had formerly been an actor—to be entertained by the duchess. The two personated the king and his minister, Baron Sparre, and sustained the characters throughout. They accepted as their due all the homage meant for their master, danced with the Mecklenburg ladies who were presented to them, and Peyrou went so far as to ask one of the ladies for her portrait. Meantime Gustavus was enjoying himself elsewhere in secret.

Richmond Castle.

Richmond castle was originally one of the strongest of Norman keeps. It was probably founded by Alan Rufus, one of the sons of the Duke of Brittany, who took a prominent part in the suppression of the Saxons. At a later age the castle passed into the possession of Edmund Toller, who married Margaret Beaufort and became the father of Henry VII. Henry was born Earl of Richmond, and he bestowed the title upon the magnificent palace which when king of England he built upon the banks of the Thames. Thus the Richmond beloved of cockneys has a comparatively modern origin. The curfew, by the way, is still rung from the tower of Richmond castle at 6 a. m. and 9 p. m., a custom "that has continued ever since the time of William the Conqueror."—London Globe.

Games in Manchuria.

The long haired tiger is found throughout Manchuria wherever there is hilly country, but is never found on the plains. It is extremely difficult to bag and is by no means numerous. In addition to tiger the following game may be found in Manchuria: Bear (black and brown), wapiti, Sika deer (two species), roe deer, serow, wild pig, leopard and lynx. All, however, are scarce and hard to bag, with the exception of roe deer and pig.—London Field.

It All Depends.

Teacher—Now, boys, here's a little example in mental arithmetic. How old would a person be who was born in 1875? Pupil—Please, teacher, was it a man or a woman?—London Gentleman.

BUZZARDS' NESTS.

The Same Ones Are Rarely Used Two Consecutive Seasons. The flight of the buzzard is as well nigh perfection as is possible to find. In fact, he might be called the most perfect aeroplane in existence. To see him soaring between the bare hills, with a vast green fertile valley below him and with the spring sun lighting up his brown plumage as he slowly sails around with outspread pinions, is a sight never to be forgotten. The buzzard usually chooses a ledge on a cliff for an eyrie, but in certain parts of Wales there are a few well used nests in trees, and as they are generally used by some bird of prey each season they grow to an enormous size. The buzzard does not, as a rule, use the same nest two consecutive seasons, but returns to it the third, and after that allows another season to elapse before occupying it again. Two nests are often constructed in one angle, and an amusing incident happened a few years ago in one of these places. The hen laid one egg in each nest, and, as it was quite impossible for her to sit on both at once, we did her a good turn by placing one of these eggs in the nest with its companion. The result of our kindness was that a collector passed by about two hours afterward and put both eggs in his collecting box. When I thought the matter over I came to the conclusion that that old buzzard was not half such a fool as we took her to be, and if we had left the eggs as we found them the bird might have had a chance of rearing one youngster.—Country Life.

A STRANGE REVERSAL.

Napoleon and Wellington and an Exchange of Residences. In the days before the Suez canal was opened to the world St. Helena was a frequent port of call for British vessels bound to and from India and the far east. This custom, explains Harper's Weekly, was caused by the need of obtaining supplies for the long voyage, and it was therefore for this reason that the ship which on one occasion bore the Duke of Wellington, then Sir Arthur Wellesley, returning to England from India, touched at the island. The great commander spent one night at Jamestown at the house of a Mr. Balcom. Ten years later Napoleon Bonaparte landed to begin his six years of exile and was assigned to the same room that his conqueror at Waterloo had occupied. This coincidence came to the knowledge of the duke at Paris during its occupation by the allied forces, and he dispatched the following letter to the British officer then in command at St. Helena: "I am very much obliged to you for Mr. Simpson's book, which I will read when I have a moment's leisure. I am glad you have taken the command at St. Helena, upon which I congratulate you. You may tell 'Bony' that I find his apartments at the Elysee Bourbon very convenient and that I hope he likes mine at Mr. Balcom's. It is a droll enough sequel to the affairs of Europe that we should change places of residence."

His Quick Wit Saved Him.

An ancestor of the great Tolstoy was an officer in the Russian army and a great mimic. One day he was impersonating the Emperor Paul to a group of his friends when Paul himself entered and for some moments looked on unperceived at the antics of the young man. Tolstoy finally turned and, beholding the emperor, bowed his head and was silent. "Go on, sir," said Paul. "Continue the performance."

The young man hesitated a moment, and then, folding his arms and imitating every gesture and intonation of his sovereign, he said: "Tolstoy, you deserve to be degraded, but I remember the thoughtlessness of youth, and you are pardoned."

The czar smiled slightly at this speech. "Well, be it so," he said.

Willing to Pay.

When the British square at the battle of Abu Khas, in the Nubian desert, was penetrated by the dervishes one of them attempted to spear a gunner who was in the act of ramming home a charge. The Briton brained the Suddans, but the rammer head split on the man's hard skull. Next day the gunner was sent for. Mistaking the reason and knowing from experience that soldiers are charged for government property which they break, he led off: "Please, sir, I'm very sorry I broke the rammer, but I never thought the fellow's head could be so hard. I'll pay for the rammer so as to hear no more of the case."

Obedient.

"Well, my little man," queried the minister who was making a call, "do you always do as your mamma tells you?" "You bet I do," answered the precocious five-year-old, "and so does papa."

Papa Was Seen.

She—You will ask papa, will you not, or must I? He—Oh, I have seen him. Fact is, he made the suggestion that it was about time for me to propose.

Conceited.

Gyer—That fellow Pufkins reminds me of a ball of twine. Myer—What's the answer? Gyer—He's completely wrapped up in himself.—San Francisco Star.

Truth is the highest thing a man may keep.—Chaucer

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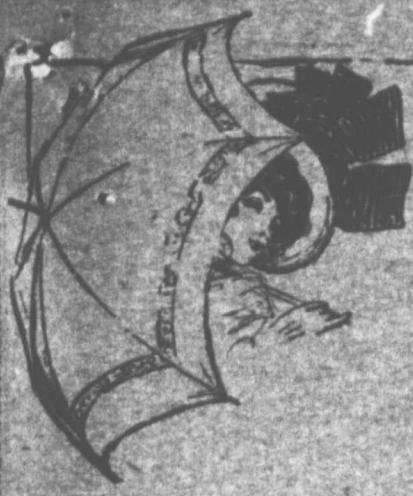
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JEFFERSON'S PICTURES.

A Wonderful Landscape Painted Entirely from Imagination. Marvelous were the products of Jefferson's inspiration. He had created a school of his own. He was prone to portray forest scenes, with tree trunks of wonderful size, in accurate military formation. Old mills were a favorite subject with him, especially old mills with water wheels, and in some of his paintings he actually accomplished the impossible, for to all intents and purposes he succeeded in making the water run uphill. This having been called to his attention by an overcritical friend, Mr. Jefferson responded, that he was well pleased with the result, for "few men could have accomplished it."

When president of the Players club, a position he held for so many years before his death, Mr. Jefferson presented to the club a large canvas of his own. If the writer remembers correctly, there was a pond in the foreground, with rushes, a tumbledown house and a large and rather theatrical looking forest, all painted, the artist boasted, in the dead of winter in his own sitting room and entirely from his imagination. When it was first displayed on the walls—for of course none of the old gentleman's gifts was ever refused—it attracted much attention, and one day Mr. Jefferson, being in the club, seized a brother member, who happened to be a man whose pictures had on more than one occasion won prizes in the salon, and stood him before his own masterpiece. "Now, I want you to tell me," he said frankly, with his childlike and delightful smile, "what you think of it."

"Well," replied the painter, responding to the pressure on his arm, "I'd like to have one hung as well as that." And the old gentleman was delighted. During his lifetime that picture remained in its prominent position, and whenever Mr. Jefferson entered the club he would manage to maneuver himself in front of it, regarding it from all sides and angles, and hardly ever did a picture receive so much praise and so little criticism as that marvelous landscape.—James Barnes in Bookman.

ATTACKED BY SHARKS

A Whale's Terrific Battle With a School of Thrashers.

AN AWE INSPIRING CONTEST.

The Unequal Fight Was Ended by the Death of the Courageous Mammal, Who Was Torn to Shreds by Her Ferocious Assaultants.

Early one morning while engaged in building new quarters for the lighthouse keeper at Breaksea Island, near Rottnest, Western Australia, the contractor and his men noticed a bull whale, with a cow and calf, passing the island some distance off. They watched them with interest for a while, noting the immense size of the two parents and the methodical regularity with which columns of water rose from their blowholes and then resumed their labors.

An hour or so later—about 9 o'clock, to be exact—the men were startled by an extraordinary noise, apparently coming from the eastern end of the island, a noise unlike anything they had ever heard before. Dropping their tools and staring toward the east, they beheld such a sight as it falls to the lot of few people to witness. There, not 500 yards from the shore, was being waged a battle to the death—a fight between the great cow whale previously seen and a school of thrasher sharks. The calf was swimming about distractedly, but the old bull had disappeared, having basely deserted his family at the first approach of danger.

The sharks, as though acting in accordance with some preconcerted plan, had completely surrounded the two whales and, apparently realizing that nothing was to be feared from the calf, concentrated all their efforts upon the cow. Again and again they charged in upon her, their jaws snapping, tearing at her mighty sides until the sea was red with blood. Meanwhile the cow lashed her tail furiously, hurling up sheets of reddened water and occasionally crashing down with terrific force upon one of her voracious opponents. Maddened with pain and rage, she dashed this way and that, but the sharks hung to her side with a persistency and ferocity that made the fascinated onlookers shudder. Now and again the wildly lashing tail would catch one of the assailants, driving it beneath the waves—no doubt killed or disabled—but the remainder rushed in undismayed, tearing viciously at the mammal's bleeding flanks or butting her with the force of battering rams.

Presently the spellbound spectators realized two facts—first, that the calf had disappeared in the melee and, second, that the tortured whale was undoubtedly becoming weaker. It was obvious that the unequal struggle could have only one ending. Still, however, she fought on doggedly, winning admiration and sympathy by her exhibition of hopeless courage. Altering her tactics, by a supreme effort she buried her whole great bulk clear of the water for a moment, and the fascinated onlookers beheld the sharks hanging from various parts of her gleaming body by their serrated teeth. Then down she went again with a crash like thunder, and for an instant whale and sharks were buried amid masses of foam, heavily colored with the poor mammal's lifeblood. Rising again, she essayed another change of plan, making for the rocks and desperately striving to rub off the clinging sharks against their edges. But the thrashers were equal to the occasion. While those on the outside maintained their grip, the others dived under their enemy and charged her anew, tearing at the whale's side in an ecstasy of ferocity that was bloodcurdling to witness.

More and more feeble grew the whale's struggles, and at last, to the heartfelt relief of the spectators, for her death fight had been terrible to behold, the great body turned over and sank beneath the red tinted water. The unequal battle was over, having lasted from 9 o'clock until noon, as awe inspiring a contest as man was ever privileged to witness. The men went back to their work greatly impressed by the unique spectacle, and expressions of sympathy for the whale were heard on every side.

Forty-eight hours afterward the whale's body, which had in the meantime become distended with gas, rose to the surface and exploded with a roar like a miniature powder magazine, causing the startled people to rush to the shore to discover what had happened. On examination of the remains it was discovered that every shred of the outer flesh of the whale had been torn off by the sharks, who had doubtless gone off to repeat their tactics upon some other hapless leviathan.—Victor Pitt-Kobley in St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

What He Said. One of the witnesses in a case in a Dublin court was asked, "Did you sell Major Studdert a horse?" "No, sir." "Did your father sell Major Studdert a horse?" "No, sir." "Did your grandfather sell him a horse?" "No, sir." "Well, then, did any member of your family sell Major Studdert anything?" "Yes, sir." "Who did, then?" "I did, sir." "And what did you sell Major Studdert?" "I sold him a mare, sir." The counsel sat down, and the court roared.

Politeness is like an air cushion—there's nothing in it, but it saves the lady's head.

EQUATORIAL AFRICA.

Three Things a White Person Must Have to Live There.

Without a mosquito bar a white person would be unable to live on the equator, writes Ida Vera Simonton in the Delicatore.

No matter how hot and stifling the night—and no other place can be so stifling as the equatorial African night during the long rainy season in the midst of the jungle—one must sleep under a closely tucked in mosquito bar, not the ventilated kind civilization knows, but one of closely woven stuff through which no air circulates.

When the mosquito bar was let down it took in almost the entire room, but it proved especially useful in sickness and convalescence. It permitted existence free from insect bites. As malaria is the white man's most insidious foe and comes from the bite of the mosquito, every precaution must be taken against it. Three things are absolutely necessary in Africa—a mosquito bar, a water filter and quinine.

The bed was made by a native carpenter. The frame was of wood, the slats of bamboo ribs fitted closely together with the pith side uppermost. They didn't give a bit and were an excellent dancing floor for the dried plantain leaves which made the mattress. The leaves were confined beneath ticking tacked to the four sides of the bed, but they matted easily, and every night it was continuous leaf turning for me. The bamboo was slippery, and insomnia kept me and the leaves on the move, so that most of the time I slept on a hard surface. My pillow was of dried sweet smelling grass. Whoever says that hard beds are beautifiers should sleep upon an African bed.

Gold Heated Water. Over 4,000 years ago an elaborate system of filtration was established by the Egyptians to purify the waters of the Nile. In both Rome and Athens hot water was drunk in preference to cold by the small minority who used water for drinking purposes. Chamberlain, writing in 1690, notes that the habit of drinking hot water was spreading among all classes in France. "Some warm it by holding it over the stove. Others dip burning bones into it. Rich people plunge a bar of hot gold into their water before drinking it, and the less wealthy a bar of hot iron, while the very poor are content to warm their drink with a live coal."

Get His Number. Uncle Zeph had had some trouble getting about on the cars and complained of the employees. "When a conductor is uncivil to you take his number," said his nephew.

Two days later uncle came in somewhat battered, but looking triumphant. "I got the number," he said, with a satisfied air, "but I had to grab the bull by the tail."—Buffalo Express.

Had a Frisky. "Have a drink, old man?" "No, I've cut it out." "Aw, be sociable." "Well, my companion here will take a drink with you. He's my social secretary."—Kansas City Journal.

Entirely Capable. "Is your new maid capable?" "Yes, indeed. She can tell callers I don't want to see that I've cut and make them believe it."—Detroit Free Press.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE



Fort Worth and Denver City.	
Northbound—	Arrives Leaves
No. 1	1:45 p. m. 1:50 p. m.
No. 2	12:15 p. m. 12:35 p. m.
No. 5	11:45 p. m.
No. 7	2:15 a. m. 2:25 a. m.
Southbound—	
Arrives Leaves	
No. 2	1:30 p. m.
No. 4	11:15 a. m. 11:35 a. m.
No. 6	3:25 a. m.
No. 8	2:25 a. m. 2:35 a. m.

Wichita 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	9:30 a. m.
Leave Frederick	9:30 a. m.
Arrive Wichita Falls	11:45 a. m.

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

Wichita Falls and Southern.	
South Bound—Train No. 11.	
Leave Wichita Falls	1:30 p. m.
Leave Archer City	4:30 p. m.
Arrive Olney	5:30 p. m.
Leave Olney	5:30 p. m.
Arrive Newcastle	6:30 p. m.

North Bound—Train No. 12.	
Leave Newcastle	6:30 a. m.
Arrive Olney	7:30 a. m.
Leave Olney	7:30 a. m.
Arrive Archer City	7:30 a. m.
Arrive Wichita Falls	10:35 a. m.

Wichita Valley.	
No. 1. To Abilene—Leaves	7:30 p. m.
No. 2. To Abilene—Leaves	12:00 a. m.
No. 3. From Abilene—Arrives	12:15 p. m.
No. 4. From Abilene—Arrives	3:15 p. m.
No. 5. To Byers—Leaves	9:00 a. m.
No. 6. To Byers—Leaves	2:30 p. m.
No. 7. From Byers—Arrives	11:30 a. m.
No. 8. From Byers—Arrives	6:00 p. m.

Missouri, Kansas and Texas.	
From Dallas, St. Louis and Beyond	10:35 p. m.
To Dallas, St. Louis and Beyond	6:30 a. m.
From Dawson, St. Louis and Beyond	12:30 p. m.
To Dawson, St. Louis and Beyond	1:30 p. m.

G. A. R. Veterans at Terre Haute. Terre Haute, Ind., May 25.—An army of war veterans, their families and friends, invaded Terre Haute today and will remain in possession of the city until the end of the week. The occasion is the thirty-first annual encampment of the G. A. R. department of Indiana and the annual meetings of the various auxiliary bodies. The gathering was ushered in to-day with interesting ceremonies attending the dedication of a monument erected to the memory of the soldiers and sailors of Vigo county. The program included addresses by Governor Marshall and several of the department officers of the Grand Army.

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BASEBALL NOTES.

Sanjour Hugh Jennings of Detroit, sent Catcher Beckendorf to Toledo. Heber Suggs, the Detroit cast-off, won six straight games for Cincinnati.

More than one-half the regular players in the American association are ex-leaguers.

The New York Giants have sold Ewer Klavitter to the Memphis league club.

Harry Pape has been released from the Boston Americans to the New England league team.

Paul, the old major league pitcher, scouting among the Southern clubs for the Philadelphia American.

His first appearance in Pittsburg. Frock of the Boston Doves, Wagner, Miller and Flynn in Boston.

Kansas City club has purchased Beau from the St. Louis Cardinals. Outfielder Moran from the Doves.

If the Athletics are not stopped pretty soon there will be no joy on the American League circuit outside of Philadelphia.

Lewis Beerbauer, Jr., playing with the Erie O. and P. League club, is a son of the famous old second baseman of the Athletics.

Roy Patterson is here again and is pitching good ball for Minneapolis. Roy always does his best work the year that Halley's comet comes around.

The Cleveland team figured in both the no-hit games played in the American League this season, winning the first one and losing the second.

Right after Roger Bresnahan had been named by President Lunch the Cardinals took four straight games from the Giants. Will President Johnson please write a few lines to Jack O'Connor and the Browns.

The ladies are advised that a chart of the Woodmen Auxiliary is being organized in this city, at a low rate for this week.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mayor T. B. Noble, is on the sick list today.

Mrs. M. W. Boger of Jolly, was shopping in the city today.

Capt. J. B. Beard of Boulder, Colorado, is in the city on business.

Mrs. G. W. Lawler left this afternoon to visit friends at Iowa Park.

J. M. Warren, editor of the Newcastle News is here today on business.

Headames J. A. Kemp and M. M. Adickes left this evening for Dallas.

Mr. J. W. Rolling and little son returned this afternoon from Ft. Worth.

Tom Cobb, of Iowa Park was here today looking after business interests.

L. F. Wilson of Kansas City, is here today looking after business interests.

E. E. Neale a business man from Holliday, was transacting business here today.

Mrs. B. F. Baker of Fort Worth, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Clabey of this city.

Mrs. W. J. Donald of Lawton is in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. P. Langford.

Dr. J. H. Wilson of Quanah was in the city today on his return home from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Mr. Z. T. Apple, a highly respected citizen from Iowa Park is in the city, visiting his son, S. H. Apple and family.

Mrs. J. L. Bramer of Houston is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. H. Carroll, who is quite ill at her home on Ohio avenue.

Robt. E. Sawdon, an esteemed citizen from the Thornberry neighborhood was here today transacting business.

H. L. Hollister station agent for the Northwestern Railway Company at Frederick, was here today meeting friends.

J. L. Jones who is now associated with the Richardson Drug Company at Amarillo, is here today renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. J. B. Rigabee of Lawton and her daughter, Mrs. L. D. Cochran of Burkburnett are in the city the guests of Mrs. J. C. Morris.

Mrs. Kate Smith of Childress who has been in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Denison, left this afternoon for Henrietta.

Mrs. P. P. Langford and children returned last night from Huntsville, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hyatt.

Mrs. T. J. Taylor and daughters, Misses Vera and Thelma, left today for Linden, Texas, where they will spend the next month visiting with relatives.

Mrs. J. L. McKee and children left this morning for the Ozark Mountains, where they will spend the summer.

Dr. McKee expects to join Mrs. McKee and the children the first of August.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilson arrived here today from St. Joseph, Mo., and will again make this city their home. Mr. Wilson will be connected with the Blair & Hughes wholesale Grocery Company.

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hart Type Foundry of Dallas, is in the city today on business. Mr. Baillo was prominently mentioned recently as a candidate for vice-president, but is not running.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Postal Savings Bank Bill to Be Discussed Tonight.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., May 25.—A caucus of republicans on the Postal Savings Bank Bill will be held tonight. There is a wide divergence of opinion.

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LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Morehead and little son of Shreveport, La., are in city visiting Mr. Morehead's sister, Mrs. R. W. Riddels. Mr. Morehead, who was in Wichita Falls several years ago, and installed the Newby Ice plant, says Wichita Falls is the best town he has seen in several different states, and he may decide to locate here.

The city Board of Equalization, consisting of Messrs C. W. Bean, M. J. Gardner and J. L. Jackson, convened yesterday afternoon for the purpose of fixing the city values for 1919. They will probably be in session several weeks.

The Alumni Association of the high school will meet tonight at the Y. M. C. A. rooms for the purpose of effecting permanent organization and carrying out its program. A large attendance is expected.

C. C. Huff has purchased from Frank Kell and J. A. Kemp the two lots at the corner of Sixth street and Indiana, occupied by a livery barn, for a consideration of \$18,550.

A Choral Club is being organized here with a membership of about two hundred and considerable interest is being manifested on the part of local singers.

The "Irish Lads" left this afternoon for Quanah, where they will play on Thursday, returning here Saturday.

RACE TRACK LAW UPHELD.

is Sustained By Action of Criminal Appellate Court Today.

Texas News Service Special.

Austin, May 25.—A clean cut, striking decision was given by the Court of Criminal Appeals here this morning upholding the anti-race track gambling law passed by the Thirty-first legislature, the Court refusing to grant the application for habeas corpus asked by Jack Walsh of Grayson county, who is held on two counts for accepting and placing a bet on a race at Juarez, Mexico, on February 1st. The lawyers for Walsh argued that the provisions do not extend over the Interstate transactions, that the law is discriminatory and in violation of the Fourteenth amendment, that the law fails to properly define the offense, that the law is so vague as not to be understood and that it relates to all others so as to affect others. The Court declares that it is not necessary that a bet actually be placed in the state, nor is it necessary that a race happen because the law expressly forbids the action of betting.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—New York Spots.
New York, May 25.—The market for spot cotton opened quiet and 5 points lower. Middlings, 15.30. Sales, 5302 bales.

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

	Open	High	Close
May	14.90	15.03	15.03-a 05
July	14.94	15.06	15.06-a 07

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.
New Orleans, May 25.—The market for spot cotton opened steady; price unchanged. Sales, 125 bales. To arrive, 600 bales. Middlings, 15c.

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

	Open	High	Close
May	14.75	14.91	14.91-a 93
July	14.88	15.05	15.05-a 06

Cotton—Liverpool Spots.
Liverpool, May 25.—Spot cotton, 8.07. Sales, 7,000 aables. Receipts, 1,000 bales.

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

	Open	High	Close
May-June	7.76½	7.76½	7.73
June-July	7.73	7.73	7.69
July-Aug	7.68	7.68	7.64

Chicago Grain Market.

	Open	High	Close
Wheat—	108	110½	110½
May	98½	99½	99½
July	57½	58½	58½
Corn—	59½	60½	60½
May	39½	39½	34½
July	38	38½	38½

Fort Worth Cattle.
Texas News Service Special.

Fort Worth, Tex., May 25.—Cattle, 5,300; Hogs, 3,000. Steers, lower, tops \$6.00; cows, lower, tops \$4.50; calves, higher, tops \$6.25; hogs, lower, tops \$9.25.

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