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CARLYLE'S MEMORY MAY BE VINDICATED

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, March 3.—The publication of the letters of Mrs. Jane Welch Carlyle to Thomas Carlyle was the occasion of an interesting dinner last night. John Lane entertained a small company of literary men and the effect of the production of the letters suppressed by Froude was informally discussed. It is probable that the memory of the Chelsea philosopher which was left under a cloud by a partial and inconclusive revelation of his domestic relations, will be vindicated at the expense of Mr. Froude rather than of Mr. Carlyle.

STORY OF STOLEN JEWELS AND ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

(By Associated Press.) BOSTON, March 3.—Out of pity for a woman who had attempted to kill herself through grief over the loss of jewels and money, persons whose names are not made known, gave the police information which led to the arrest of Jacob Brenner on the charge of larceny of the articles. In court he was held for the grand jury. Mrs. Jacobovitch owned the jewels. She went shopping on Feb. 16 and carried her diamonds, valued at \$2,800, and \$700 in money in a bag which she had tied above her knee. During the afternoon she lost the bag. The police got no trace of the jewels and the advertisements brought no response.

QUARTER OF A MILLION LOST IN PORTLAND FIRE

(By Associated Press.) PORTLAND, Oregon, March 3.—Fire that started in the eighth floor of the Dekum block, corner of Third and Washington streets, early today destroyed property valued at \$250,000. The building was a brick structure, eight stories high and one of the finest structures in the city.

REGISTRATION FOR EL PASO ELECTION IN A JUMBLE

(Special to The Telegram.) EL PASO, Texas, March 3.—The registration for the April election opened today with two registrars, one named by the city and one named later by the county. The county registrar did not want to open the books and fled to Mexico. He returned last night, however, and the city registrar was appointed, because the county always had refused to name any, but as soon as the city registrar was named this time, the county also named one, with the result that two are now working.

HOW KNAPP DISPOSED OF BODY OF ONE VICTIM

(By Associated Press.) NEW ALBANY, Ind., March 3.—Edward F. King, whose wife is a sister of Alfred Knapp, arrived here this morning and almost positively identified the body of the woman found in the Ohio river yesterday as that of Knapp's third wife, Hannah Goddard Knapp. It is believed the body was put in a rough box and thrown into the Miami river at Hamilton, Ohio, Dec. 22, and that it floated on the surface and was discovered.

ADELE RITCHEE WILL MARRY

NEW YORK, March 3.—It is announced that Adele Ritchee, the comic opera actress, is soon to be married to George Holland of London.

ALLISON IS NOW THE OLDEST SENATOR

RETIREMENT OF JONES OF NEVADA LEAVES IOWA MAN NESTOR OF UPPER HOUSE

(Special to The Telegram.) WASHINGTON, March 3.—With the expiration of the Fifty-seventh congress today the curtain is rung down on the public career of one of the most popular and prominent statesmen that ever made their influence felt in the national legislative assembly—Senator John P. Jones of Nevada, who relinquishes his seat to Francis G. Newlands, chosen to succeed him at the last election. Senator Jones has been called the father of the senate, having served in that body continuously since 1872, and completed his fifth term, a record that has been surpassed only by Senator Sherman of Ohio and Morrill of Vermont.

WHAT HE WOULD HAVE MADE BY COMING HERE

(Special to The Telegram.) Wednesday last, a Seneca, Tex., farmer had 75 hogs on the St. Louis market, according to the St. Louis market report. For 20, averaging 207 pounds, he received \$6.80 and for 55 averaging 230, he got \$6.90.

NEW INDUSTRIES OF THE WEEK FOR TEXAS

(Special to The Telegram.) CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 3.—The progress in southern industrial development for the week just closed as reported by the Tradesman includes the following new organizations as among the most important: Texas—Athens, \$40,000 cotton compress; Port Arthur, \$200,000 oil company; Timpano, ice factory; Orange, creamery; Austin, \$2,500,000 light, heat and power company; Beaumont, \$10,000 oil company; Dallas, \$25,000 lumber company; Fort Worth, \$40,000 lumber company (Quarles).

BRAKEMAN KILLED IN A C. & O. TRAIN COLLISION

(By Associated Press.) HUNTINGTON, W. Va., March 3.—A passenger train on the Chesapeake and Ohio crashed into the rear of a freight train near Russell this morning, killing Freight Brakeman Charles Mill. Captain Davis of Russell and John Rose, fireman, were probably fatally injured.

MAN CONFESSES KILLING DURING DRUNKEN BRAWL

(By Associated Press.) PONTIAC, Mich., March 3.—George Lyons, under arrest here, has confessed that he is the man who shot and killed an officer at West Liberty, Ky., during a drunken brawl and escaped. He is being held here awaiting action of the Kentucky officers. After the shooting he entered the United States army, but was recently discharged.

BRITAIN MUST EXHIBIT TO VIE WITH GERMANY

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, March 3.—There is great satisfaction at the American embassy and among the representatives of the St. Louis exposition over the favorable attitude of both the king and the government toward the enterprise. The necessity for keeping abreast with Germany in industrial as well as in art exhibits is now recognized in Downing street.

CHINESE WILL GET RICH BY THE LOTTERY METHOD

(By Associated Press.) PEKING, March 3.—The Chinese government is contemplating the establishment of a great lottery as a means of increasing the revenues.

BRYAN TELLS HIS FRIENDS HE WILL BOLT

THIS IN CASE THE GOLD AND PLUTOCRATIC DEMOCRATS CONTROL THE CONVENTION

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 3.—William J. Bryan has informed his intimate friends in this city, says the Tribune, that if the gold and plutocratic democrats triumph in the next national democratic convention he will lead his followers from the hall and nominate an independent democratic ticket with a platform that will enlist the support of the radicals.

NO MORE JOBS FOR RELATIVES OF OFFICIALS

(Special to The Telegram.) AUSTIN, Texas, March 3.—The house this morning adopted Napier's nepotism resolution by a vote of 72 to 35; an amendment including the members of the legislature in its provisions was adopted by a vote of 71 to 39. Robertson of Bell added to the amendment the words "Articulate consanguinity in the third degree." This resolution will cause many changes to be made in some of the state departments, as there are many relatives employed in some of them.

DISCUSSION WILL BE VERY THOROUGH

From all indications the proposed changes in the city charter and the disposition of the bonded indebtedness of Fort Worth will be discussed from all points of view at the meeting of the Board of Trade tonight. Representatives of all sides of opinion on the two questions have expressed an intention of being present at the meeting and in almost every instance have intimated that they would probably say something.

JUDGE POINDEXTER SAYS SEDUCTION LAW IS A FARSE

(Special to The Telegram.) HILLSBORO, Texas, March 3.—Judge Poindexter in his charge to the grand jury, in commenting on the crime of seduction, declared there was no law against it in Texas, as the force of a law now on the statutes was a protection to seducers. Under the law, he said, a man can wrong a girl, and when he finds his case can't be put off longer he can get a marriage license and offer to marry her. If she refuses, that releases him and if she marries him she gets no protection. He said he had married one couple since he had been on the bench, but would he marry another. He married the couple, and after the scoundrel had solemnly promised to love, honor and protect the girl he quit her before leaving the courtroom. "I will never be a party to such a farce again," he declared, with emphasis. He expressed the hope that a legislature could be secured with the manhood to enact a law that would fit the crime.

SECY HAY AND HERBERT EXCHANGE RATIFICATION

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, March 3.—Secretary Hay and Sir Michael Herbert today exchanged ratifications of the Alaskan boundary treaty. The preparation of the cases of the two sides will proceed with all speed, as under the treaty they must be submitted to the arbitrators within sixty days.

MISS ROOSEVELT WILL RETURN NORTH THURSDAY

(Special to The Telegram.) NEW ORLEANS, La., March 3.—Miss Alice Roosevelt, Mrs. Edith Root, Mrs. McIlhenny, Mrs. Shattuck of New York, Miss Schenck of New York, W. E. Stauffer and the Misses Stauffer of New Orleans have returned from Aversy Island, Misses Roosevelt and Root will leave for Washington Thursday morning.

ANOTHER DAY OF CELEBRATION FOR POPE

THE OCCASION OF THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF LEO'S CORONATION IS OBSERVED

(By Associated Press.) ROME, March 3.—From sunrise today all Rome was alert, showing the most unusual animation and interest in the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the coronation of Pope Leo XIII. An idea of the number of people congregating at the Vatican may be formed by the fact that it was utterly impossible to get a carriage if the vehicle had not been ordered yesterday, especially as it is raining today.

THE POPE ENTERS

Shortly after 11 o'clock the pope was borne into St. Peter's. The people burst forth into a tremendous roar of welcome. Many of those present were overcome with emotion and sobbed loudly, while others fainted from excess of feeling or fatigue. After the celebration of mass the pope administered the papal benediction and retired from the altar. It is calculated that 75,000 persons were present, including 1,000 Americans.

SPLENDID TOPAZ FOR THE POPE

Aside from the golden tiara, the most magnificent gift received by the pope on the occasion of the silver jubilee of his pontificate is a wonderful topaz, a present from the citizens of Naples. The stone is the largest of its kind in the world, weighing 1 kilo 754 grams. It was found in the Garzes mines in Brazil and belonged to the Bourbons of Naples, from whom it passed into the Carlelli family of Naples. The face of the stone bears an engraving of "Christ Breaking the Eucharistic Bread."

ALL SIDES TO BE REPRESENTED AT BOARD OF TRADE MEETING

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OLD MAN GOES TO FIDDLE TO GET MONEY FOR BURIAL

(By Associated Press.) DERBY, Conn., March 3.—Though having an un-mortgaged farm and \$5,000 in two banks, Sherman Dudley, 81 years old, of North Madison, left his wife and daughter at home with no means of subsistence and went to nearby towns to fiddle at cheap dances to get enough money, as he expressed it, to have a proper burial.

MAKING BIDS FOR THE SHARKEY-MUNROE FIGHT

(Special to The Telegram.) NEW YORK, March 3.—Considerable interest is manifested in sporting circles in the bids for the Sharkey-Munroe fight, which are to be opened here this evening. Butte, Mont., is making a strong effort to secure the fight and it is not improbable that that place will be the scene of the battle. Fort Erie and San Francisco are also regarded as possible locations for the contest.

AN AMERICAN RESIGNS A SOFT JOB IN CHINA

(By Associated Press.) PEKING, March 3.—William D. Sands, the American advisor to the emperor of Korea, has resigned his post. It is reported that Korea has promised the Japanese minister to appoint a Japanese successor. The United States minister, Horace Allen, has advised the government that he thinks America is entitled to the appointment.

PATIENTS ARE DESERTED BY STRIKING NURSES

DEATH CERTIFICATES HAVE BEEN SOLD BY THE HUNDRED

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 3.—The records of the bureau of vital statistics in the health department, according to Assistant District Attorney Krotel, have been invaded and changed by the band of \$1,000,000 insurance swindlers through employees in the department by which the band have been enabled to collect upon bogus insurance policies which would not otherwise have been paid.

DEVICE FOR LIGHTING CARS BY ELICTRICITY

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 3.—Representatives from many railroads have witnessed a successful demonstration of a device for lighting railroad cars with electricity. The invention was tested on a run over the New York Central to Croton and return and the system will shortly be adopted.

PULLMAN AFTER PLAYERS WHO ACCEPT ADVANCE MONEY

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 3.—President Harry Pullman of the National League has taken a decisive step in the matter of the baseball players who accepted large slices of advance money from National League clubs which they still owe, and have since been ordered to play with American League clubs and return the advance money. A number of the best known players are among these, and a large sum is involved.

DIES AS THE RESULT OF HARD FOOTBALL GAME

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, March 3.—Hugh Guthrie Leighton, a graduate student at the Armour Institute, is dead as the result of a football game in which he participated last October. Death was caused by the weakening of his heart action. Leighton was prominent in athletics when in the University of Chicago, being a member of the football team. Last October he played in a hard inter-class game at the Armour Institute without previous training and strained his heart. He grew gradually worse until the end.

DEWITT CLINTON, ACTOR, DEPARTS LAND OF SHAMS

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Ill., March 3.—De Witt Clinton, an actor, who came to Chicago as leading man in the stock company playing at the Earl Temple, died early this morning of acute nephritis at the Hotel Newberry. His wife, known on the stage as Edna Eilsner, was with him. Clinton was a great-grandson of former Governor Clinton of New York. A sister resides in San Francisco.

ICEBOAT CRASHES INTO PILING AND KILLS BOY

(By Associated Press.) MUSKOGON, Mich., March 3.—Frank McNutt, aged 14, was probably fatally injured while ice-boating on Muskogon lake Sunday in a heavy gale. His boat became unmanageable and crashed into some piling. The boy was hurled against the abutment and a protruding spike pierced the top of his skull and was driven into his brain.

A FIDDLE TO HELP PAY DEBTS OF ARCTIC CLUB

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 3.—To help pay the debts of the Peary Arctic Club an old violin, relic of the ill-fated Greeley relief expedition, bequeathed by Roderick R. Schneider, its former owner, as he lay in the snow to die, in 1884, to the next explorer who should come so far north, is now for sale in Brooklyn. Mr. Peary found the violin and turned it over to the Peary Club.

LEAVE NEW YORK HOSPITAL WITHOUT WORD OF WARNING

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 3.—Falling in their efforts to have their new superintendent removed, the expert trained nurses of the New York Eye and Ear infirmary have left the institution in a body.

MIX MEDICINES AND LEAVE

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 3.—The strike of the nurses placed the institution in a helpless state for a time and it was necessary to ask assistance from other hospitals in order to attend to the fifty-seven patients who were in the wards.

POLICE PREVENT HEARING OF WITNESSES IN FINLAND

(By Associated Press.) STOCKHOLM, March 3.—The Afton-bladet publishes a dispatch from Abo, Finland, stating that the judges of the Abo high court are resigning wholesale, and that the police force are forcibly preventing the hearing of witnesses in the action brought against General Kaigorodoff, the governor of Helsinki, by the persons who were injured in the riots at Helsinki, first last spring.

HOME RULE IN IRELAND SEEMS DISTANT AS EVER

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, March 3.—The Birmingham papers credit the Lord Spencer, the liberal leader in the house of lords, with declaring in the course of a speech that he made in that city last Saturday that home rule for Ireland "was very distant and that it would be impolitic to bring it forward."

TODAY'S CLOSING MARKET QUOTATIONS

Full Report 12 Hours Ahead of Any Other North Texas Newspaper

LIVESTOCK MARKET

RECEIPTS
Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Calves.
Today 411 272 130 15
Last week 591 648 70 33
Last month 553 576 20 33

RECEIPTS BY RAILROADS
HOGS—Rock Island, 3 cars (201 head); Katy, 1 car (71 head).
SHEEP—Texas and Pacific, 1 car (130 head).
CATTLE—Houston and Texas Central, 4 cars (98 head); Katy, 2 cars (55 head); Texas and Pacific, 4 cars (114 head); Rio Grande, 4 cars (122 head).

INDIVIDUAL SHIPMENTS
Individual shipments to the yards for the past twenty-four hours were as follows:
HOGS—Kay Brothers, Athens, Texas, 40 head; A. E. Stephens, Lakona, Ok., 89; J. P. Stone, Itasca, 71; D. S. Lowe, Ringgold, 52.
SHEEP—A. H. Murry, Wills Point, 180 head.
CATTLE—Kay Brothers, Athens, 10 head; J. H. Paine, Argyle, 24; Denton Oil Mill, Denton, 24 head and 7 calves; J. S. Riser, Meridian, 23; George May, Mexia, 65; S. King, Mexia, 23; W. Main, Santa Anna, 37; W. Scott, Dublin, 57 head and 4 calves; J. S. Trimmell, Stephenville, 27 head and 7 calves; C. W. Merchant & Son, Abilene, 60; Mayfield & Hughes, Abilene, 55.

MARKET STILL STRONG
With somewhat lighter receipts in both hog and cattle pens the market today was active and strong. This was especially true of hogs, which again reached the top price of the year, \$7.10. The offering of cattle was a little light in some respects and many of the hogs were of light weight. For the first time in several weeks California competition figured in the hog market.
Armour is now a more active factor in both cattle and hog markets, buying now from the new plant. By Friday the new Armour plant will be using a large share of the yard receipts and by next Monday 1,500 cattle a day can be handled as easily as 1,000 last week.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES
HOGS—The market is strong with an unsatisfied demand for smooth hogs of the heavier weights. The following prices were paid this morning:
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
11..... 260 \$7.10 180 \$6.90
52..... 122 6.00 25..... 115 6.90
48..... 189 7.00 60..... 162 7.90
83..... 191 7.10
COWS—Following are some of the cow sales. The market is still good for fat cows, and the demand is not entirely supplied every day:
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
3..... 1,000 \$2.50 7..... 764 \$2.65
2..... 485 2.40 28..... 816 2.49
28..... 821 2.40 1..... 1,100 2.25
4..... 782 2.25 16..... 893 2.69
CALVES—A few calves were sold at the following prices:
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
8..... 292 \$3.00 4..... 350 \$3.50
STEERS—The prices for steers were strong, tops bringing \$3.70. Some sales:
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
23..... 1,060 \$3.70 1..... 950 \$3.00
BULLS—A lot of seven bulls averaging 1,265 pounds was sold at \$2.60.

MARKETS BY WIRE
CHICAGO STOCK YARDS
CHICAGO, March 3.—CATTLE—Receipts 4,000. Market steady. Beaves \$2.70@6.00; cows and heifers, \$1.50@4.80; Texas steers, \$3.90@4.50; stockers and feeders \$2.50@4.70.
HOGS.—Receipts 17,000. Market strong at yards; strong to 10c higher. Light hogs \$7.00@7.20; mixed \$7.00@7.55; heavy shipping grades \$6.00@7.40; rough \$6.40@7.15.
SHEEP.—Receipts 12,000. Native sheep \$3.60@5.30; western sheep \$3.75@5.73; native lambs \$4.75@7.00; western lambs \$5.00@7.10.
KANSAS CITY STOCK YARDS
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 3.—CATTLE—Receipts 7,000 including 1,000 Texas. Market steady.
HOGS.—Receipts 7,000. Market strong. Light hogs \$6.65@6.85; mixed \$7.00@7.20; shipping grades \$6.65@7.15; rough \$6.80@7.00.
SHEEP.—Receipts 3,000. Market strong.

ST. LOUIS STOCK YARDS
ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 3.—CATTLE—Receipts 5,000 including 3,000 Texas. Market steady. Beaves \$4.20@5.25; stockers and feeders \$2.35@4.20; Texas fed steers, \$3.40@5.00; cows and heifers, \$2.30@3.25; calves, \$7.00@12.00 per head.
HOGS.—Receipts 5,000. Market 5@10c higher. Pigs and light \$6.90@7.20; packers \$7.10@7.40; butchers \$7.25@7.55.
SHEEP.—Receipts 500. Native \$4.25@5.25; lambs \$5.40@8.50; Texas sheep, \$3.25@4.25.
Texas cattle, strong and strong and higher, active.

NEW YORK
NEW YORK, March 3.—The spot market had a quiet tone. Middlings, 10.45c. Sales, none.
Futures closed barely steady, after the following range:
Open. High. Low. Close.
March 10.23 10.15 10.16 10.17
May 10.15 10.17 10.07 10.09-10

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS
CHICAGO, March 3.—The grain and provision markets ranged as follows:
Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close.
May 77 77 77 77 7/8
July 73 74 73 73 7/8
Corn—
Outs—
May 45 45 44 44 1/2
July 35 35 35 35 1/2
July 32 32 32 32 1/2
Pork—
Cash 17.70 17.72 17.62 17.65
May 18.35 18.35 18.12 18.15
Lard—
July 9.75 9.85 9.72 9.72
August 9.80 9.97 9.80 9.87
Ribs—
July 9.70 9.70 9.60 9.60
May 9.90 9.92 9.82 9.82

NEW YORK STOCKS
The following figures, furnished by George C. Hoffman, Fort Worth, Texas, indicate the opening and closing prices on the New York Stock Exchange of the stocks named: Atchison, 84 3/4; Atchison preferred, 93 1/8; Illinois Central, 141 1/4; Louisville and Nashville, 122 1/2; Missouri Pacific, 109 1/8; Missouri Pacific preferred, 123 1/8; New York Central, 145 1/4; Pennsylvania, 147 1/4; Reading, 60 1/2; Rock Island, 46 1/2; Southern Railway, 34 3/4; Southern Railway preferred, 93 3/8; St. Paul, 173 1/2; Sugar, 130 1/4; Texas and Pacific, 39 3/8; Union Pacific, 96 1/2; United States Steel preferred, 83 1/2; 82 1/2. Sales of shares up to noon amounted to 389,300. New York call money at 4 per cent.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIP IN POOL AT STAKE AT DALLAS
Excitement runs high in pool circles around the Oriental hotel over the annual state championship tournament for amateurs. There are entries from all parts of the state, some of whom are Henry Root of San Antonio, Kid Eldridge of Fort Worth and L. Cohen of Dallas. This is the banner event of amateur pool players, as the Oriental hotel state championship tournament is looked upon by them as a contest of interest.
Manager Barnes of the billiard hall, has the greatest aggregation of amateurs that were ever gotten together at one time and promises some rare sport to the patrons and friends of the hotel. Besides the amateur state championship there are some very substantial cash prizes offered by the Oriental hotel which are not overlooked by the contestants.
Roots Wins from Terrell
In the opening game last night for the championship of Texas, Henry Root of San Antonio won from Terrell of Calvert by a score of 10 to 9. The features of the game was the excellent judgment of Root and the fine safety playing of Terrell. Terrell put up a good game, but Root made his score by a series of brilliant runs. The attendance was perhaps the largest of this season's series of tournaments. Tonight the game will be between Christian and Doran.
Windmills are returning to use in England. To discover one suitable for pulp, the purposes the Royal Agricultural society offers prizes of \$250 and \$50.

YOUR COUCH MAY END IN THE GRAVE IF NEGLECTED.
DR. BELL'S
FINE-TAR-HONEY
GUARANTEED TO CURE COUGHS, COLDS, LA GRIPPE AND INCIPIENT CONSUMPTION. ALL DRUGGISTS.
15c, 50c & \$1.00 BOTTLES. This Trade Mark is a guarantee.

DEATH REVEALS HEAVY LIFE INSURANCE

GUTHRIE, Ok., March 3.—An autopsy was held over the body of Horace Hagan, a widely known politician and banker, who died suddenly yesterday, supposedly from heart disease.
The examination indicates opium poisoning.
It is stated that Hagan took an overdose of the drug to allay pain.
The stomach will be removed and examined.
Hagan carried heavy life insurance, said to aggregate \$100,000, the last \$20,000 of which was secured but ten days ago.

DANCING MASTERS WILL MEET HERE

A convention and school of dancing masters of the south will be held in Fort Worth this summer. The exact date has not yet been chosen, but it will be in either June or July.
Professor Harry Foot of Foote's Dancing Academy has been in correspondence with other masters in Texas, Arkansas and Indian Territory, and plans for the meeting are assuming definite shape.
AT LEAST 200
"There will be between 200 and 300 dancing teachers here for the meeting," said Professor Foote this morning. "The masters in all the cities and larger towns are enthusiastic over the plans."
The intention is to hold a convention, lasting about three days, at which many matters of interest to the dancing teachers will be discussed. Following this a normal school will be organized to be in session thirty days. Experts from New York, Buffalo and Davenport, Iowa, have been engaged to give lessons during the session in both fancy dances and ball dances. It is expected that most of those who attend the convention will remain for the school.
At the end of the school term a ball and banquet for the dancing masters will be given.

YOUNG WOMAN TAKES MORPHINE

Pearl Hathaway, a young woman who has been known to the city and county authorities since January, committed suicide about 9 o'clock this morning by taking morphine in a room over the Crystal cafe, on Main street.
Espionancy is believed to have been the cause of the deed, as the woman was to have been tried in the corporation court tomorrow on a minor charge. She had been before the court once before on a charge of vagrancy.
LITTLE KNOWN HERE
Little is known here regarding the deceased, except that her family lived in California. The only article of value she left was a pair of large diamond earrings.
The inquest on the remains was held by Justice Terrell.

ROCK ISLAND FRISCO DEAL STILL GOES UNCONFIRMED

Wall street is still speculating regarding the Rock Island-Frisco deal and every day there is a story to the effect that an announcement will be made probably the day following. As yet, however, the men who know are silent.
There are rumors of a hitch in proceedings caused by a refusal of the Frisco people to take the volume of securities offered them by the Rock Island. Other rumors have it that the details are being completed of a deal which will startle the railroad world by its magnitude.
In the meantime, about the only authoritative talk is that of James Campbell of St. Louis, probably the most influential director of the Frisco, who is quoted by the Globe-Democrat as saying that Morgan had secured control of the Frisco stock and securities. Mr. Campbell declined, however, to state for whom Morgan was acting, leaving that for a statement which the Morgan banking house is expected to issue in a few days.
Mr. Campbell is quoted as saying that no credence can be put in the report about the Southern and the Georgia Central being involved in the deal.

TEXAS ROADS PREPARE FOR RUSH OF STOCK

All Texas roads are preparing for the rush of live stock which is due to begin in about thirty days. Several of the lines are concentrating their supply of stock cars in various parts of the cattle country getting ready to handle the business and meet all demands.
W. V. Galbreath, general live stock agent for the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, was asked this morning whether the car famine in other parts of the country would cause any difficulty in handling stock.
"Of course, there's a shortage of cars everywhere," said he. "And when the stock cars are not needed for stock they are used for other kinds of non-perishable freight. But we have kept track of them, and have plenty on hand to meet the business."

TALKING UP THE FORT WORTH STOCK YARDS

Mr. C. C. French, of Fort Worth, representing the Fort Worth Stock Yards, was here yesterday and called on the Round-up. Mr. French gave us some very interesting data about the new packeries which will be formally opened on the 6th of March, at which time the public has as an invitation to be present and witness the workings of the plants in detail. He says they must be seen in order to appreciate the magnitude of them. After getting in through running order Mr. French says the two plants will use 1200 head of cattle per day, and as many hogs as can be bought, up to 5000 or 6000 per day. Three thousand men are employed in all, and the cost of both plants, stockyards and railroads will be something near \$5,000,000.—Clisco Round-up.

RAILROAD NEWS AND PERSONALS

H. B. Hughes, traveling passenger agent for the Texas and Pacific, with headquarters in Fort Worth, has returned from New Orleans, where he attended the Mardi Gras.
The Santa Fe has given up its efforts to use Indians and Mexicans in its track work and wants to replace them with white men. A trial of Japanese proved futile and the company has decided that one white laborer is equal to three of any other kind. Higher wages will probably have to be paid in order to get the number of white men necessary for the work planned by the company.
Frisco tracklayers are said to be within three miles of Quanah, working on the extension from Lawton. Business men of Quanah are enthusiastic over the results expected from the opening of the line, which will give them direct communication with St. Louis and Kansas City.
C. W. Strain, southwestern passenger agent of the Frisco, with headquarters in Dallas, and J. W. Hutchison, traveling passenger agent for the Frisco in San Antonio, were in Fort Worth this morning.
W. W. Miller, trainmaster of the Katy, is in the city today.
F. C. Rhea, live stock agent of the Katy in San Antonio, was a Fort Worth visitor this morning.
All trains into Fort Worth were late this morning from one to four hours. So far as could be learned at the passenger stations the cause was soft tracks and orders to run slow.
J. L. West, assistant general freight agent of the Katy with headquarters in St. Louis, was in the city this morning.
Dispatcher W. J. Lewis of the Texas and Pacific was in Dallas yesterday visiting his brother, who is seriously ill with pneumonia.
The Rock Island's Golden State Limited is expected through here again tomorrow morning. The line through the Panhandle is still buried in snow and sand.
The Denver is still running trains only to Amarillo as the track beyond there is blocked. The snow which fell last week has not melted.
General Manager Trice of the International and Great Northern, who went to Mineral Wells last week to recuperate from a long illness, is reporting improving slowly.
The Katy is making arrangements to extend its train service between Coffeyville and Parsons, Kan., on through to Earlsville, E. T., to which point the Oklahoma-Texas extension is completed. The surveys on the extension are now south of Guthrie.
J. R. Buchanan, former general passenger agent of the Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley railroad, is expected to be chosen chairman of the Southern Passenger Association if that body is reorganized.
F. H. Manters has been appointed assistant general freight agent of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, with headquarters in Chicago. He succeeds J. W. Tedford.
Mr. Manters was general agent of the freight department and his place there is taken by G. A. Aird, who has been commercial agent for the Santa Fe in Cleveland.

MEMPHIS IS NEAR THE DANGER LINE

(By Associated Press)
MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 3.—The river rose one-tenth of a foot during the last twenty-four hours and now is one and three-tenths feet above the danger line.
The lowlands are submerged and much distress is reported at many points south of here.
If the volume of water now rushing south in the Ohio river reaches here before a fall in the Mississippi river there will be disastrous floods.

A BIG BOSTON FIRM GOES TO THE WALL

BOSTON, March 3.—The failure of Turner & Bro. of this city was announced on the stock exchange today.
The firm was interested largely in the Massachusetts Consolidated Mining Company and western railway projects. The failure is attributed to the stringency of the money market.

DIVERSE OPINIONS ABOUT THE NEW LAW

The question of the interpretation of the recently enacted live stock inspection law is now agitating those persons who are interested in the collection of fees for state inspection, which the law prohibits. The language of the law appears to be plain enough. It is claimed, however, that the law does not prevent the inspection of live stock being brought into a state and the exaction of a fee therefor; that it applies only to shipments through a state. A Wichita paper recently published a special from its Washington correspondent which contained a ray of hope for the Kansas live stock sanitary board. It stated that Representative Long had asked Dr. D. E. Salmon, chief of the bureau of animal industry, for an interpretation of the new law, and that Dr. Salmon had said "that Kansas could not inspect cattle passing through the state; but that he saw nothing in the law to prevent inspection of cattle consigned to Kansas points." This is taken to mean that Kansas can continue the inspection of cattle shipped into the state from other states and territories and charge a fee therefor. The law framed is not so understood by those who framed it and advocated its passage. It is understood to permit cattle having a clean bill of health from a federal inspector to pass into or through any state or territory. The law will undoubtedly have to be passed upon by the United States supreme court in order to settle this question of interpretation—Kansas City Drovers Telegram.
Among Fort Worth cattlemen the generally prevailing impression, at the time of the passage of the law, was that state inspectors have the right to re-inspect cattle shipped to points within their jurisdiction, but that they have no right to inspect cattle shipped through the state.

THESE HAIR TOPICS

Druggist—Now, here's something I've been selling with great success for years. It will raise a luxuriant head of hair in a few weeks!



WHAT CAN WE DO FOR YOU?

If you have a want that you want filled, bring it to us and we will lay it before nearly all the people in Fort Worth. Maybe you have a house you want to sell or rent. The real estate columns of The Telegram are the recognized directory of the properties in Fort Worth that may be had for lease or purchase. The Telegram daily carries more of this class of advertising than any other paper. The reason for this is because it goes into the homes and before the people who would most likely be interested in what you have to offer.



WAS ALSO AFFECTED

"I have a weakness for old china."
"So has our servant girl. She doesn't seem strong enough to carry it."
Charged with begging a Halifax man advanced the excuse that he was "lame through vaccination."

FORCE MAKES GOOD LIVING EASY

Shoemakers were among the first to organize in this country, the Boot and Shoe workers' Journal declares. The first shoe workers' union was organized in Philadelphia in 1792, and there was a strike in all shops in that city in 1793.

W. E. Stripling
THE PRICE IS THE THING.
207-9-11 Houston and 208-10 Main

OUR ANNUAL WHITE GOODS SALE
SPECIAL EVERY DAY THIS WEEK
All our 40c wash silks at per yard 25c
White Mercerized Madras and Oxford at per yard 25c
All our 50c line of Women's Shirt Waists, at 35c
Women's \$3.00 black cloth skirts, this week, at \$1.98
Our 50c Cambric Petticoats, on sale this week, at 25c
Sheer White Lawn and Dimity on sale at per yard 10c
Cream Scrim with Fancy Stripes, the \$1.30 kind on sale this week, per yard 50c
Good quality bleached Domestic, 36 inches wide 50c

Special Bargains from the Shapira Stock
Men's 50c elastic Seam Drawers, all sizes, spring weight, this week's price 35c
Men's Collars, all styles of the 15c grade from the Shapira stock, on sale at choice for 10c
Men's 25c Socks from the Shapira stock are being sold this week at only 15c
Men's Pants that Shapira sold at \$1.50 a pair, we are selling at \$1.00
Men's Pants that Shapira sold at \$2.50 a pair, we have on sale at \$3.50

Men's Shoes on Special Sale this Week
Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co.'s "own make" fine shoes for men Shapira sold these at \$3.50 a pair, our price \$2.50
Shoes for men from the Shapira stock that sold at \$3.00 we have on sale this week, at \$2.25
Men's Shoes of the Hamilton-Brown make that Shapira sold at \$1.50 a pair these are guaranteed solid, our price, per pair, \$1.00

ALL GOODS ADVERTISED IN SUNDAY'S TELEGRAM WILL BE ON SALE THE ENTIRE WEEK

SO CHANGED

"Could you love a brunette?"
"Why, I don't know; I did love one once and one day she was in a hair-dresser's, and when she came out she was a blonde."
WEAK AND LOW-SPIRITED
A Correspondent Thus Describes His Experience
"I can strongly recommend Herbine as a medicine of remarkable efficacy for indigestion, loss of appetite, sour taste in the mouth, palpitation, headache, drowsiness after meals with distressing mental depressions and low spirits. Herbine must be a unique preparation for cases such as mine, for a few doses entirely removed my complaint. I wonder at people going on suffering or spending their money on worthless things, when Herbine is procurable, and so cheap." 50c a bottle at H. T. Pangburn & Co.'s.

S. T. Bibb & Co.
Phone 147. 1004 Main St.

CLEVER DAMSEL

"I am going right home," declares the angry mama. "I simply will not promenade when the rude men stare in the way they do." Here she gave her pretty daughter a suspicious look.
"Yes, mama," answered the wise maiden. "I have noticed how they all keep looking at you, and it embarrasses me to see my mother the object of such unsought attention, even if, as some folks say, she does look young enough to be my sister."
"Oh! well," said mama, "if they will look, I suppose they just will look, and I suppose there is no reason why our pleasure should be prevented by the bad manners of a few men."
And the promenade that afternoon was longer than ever.
Holton, Mo., with a population of 4,500 has seventeen churches.

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Capital and Profits - - \$265,000.00
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SPECIAL RATES VIA MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS RAILWAY
\$9.05 to San Antonio and return, en route Woodmen of the World, construction. Tickets on sale March 3 and 10. Final limit for return March 15.
\$9.65 to San Antonio and return, en route state Epworth League construction. Tickets on sale April 23. Final limit for return April 28.
T. T. McDONALD, City Ticket Agent, 906 Main street.

The Humanitarian League has petitioned the British home secretary to abolish or largely restrict the custom of flogging for breaches of discipline which still exist in English prisons.

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THE RACE QUESTION
I am not, nor ever have been, in favor of bringing about, in any way, the social and political equality of the white and black races.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN
I am certain that the negroes will be free, and I am equally certain that they can never live on the same soil on terms of political equality with the whites.

THOMAS JEFFERSON
No abstract principle of benevolence can reverse the great family instinct that settles the question for us.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES
Texas is resplendent with opportunities for the young man of ambition and energy.

A new bank for Fort Worth and another for North Fort Worth is an indication of the constantly increasing volume of business that is being handled at this point.

One wonders if the legislature will make it unlawful for one to practice Christian science on himself or herself.

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Cleveland. Another thing: his record in politics is not absolutely unassailable by the opposition.

Smoot, the Mormon, should be refused his seat in the United States senate without excess of politeness or ceremony, and if it be proved, as now seems likely, that as well as being a member of the Mormon church, he actually has two wives, he should be given the swift kick.

Governor Cummins of Iowa has more than a state following for the Republican nomination for the presidency in 1904.

George Kennan's disclosure in a recent magazine of the blackness of Addicks in the state of Delaware has earned him the fierce hatred of the "gas" man and his gang.

Germany is stretching out a long arm after Mexican trade by establishing a line of steamers from Hamburg to the coast ports of the latter city.

The fat stock show that will be held in this city beginning late this week promises to eclipse all previous exhibitions of the kind held anywhere in the Southwest.

A Printer Greatly Surprised
I never was so much surprised in my life, as I was with the results of using Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

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THE IDLER'S NOTE BOOK

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DAILY SHORT STORY

A Matter of Diplomacy
BY MINNIE INGWERSON.

(Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst. (Great Britain rights reserved.) " * * * and we love each other. That's all about it, sir."

"Your present income, Mr. Chesney, is three hundred a year. How do you propose to marry?" "Well, sir, the matter is like this. We hadn't contemplated an early marriage, but Marjorie loves me, and is willing to wait till I get on, and—"

"And you want my consent to an indefinite engagement," concluded Sir James, pleasantly. "Ah!" said the diplomatist enigmatically. He was temporizing with Chesney.

"Marjorie is headstrong," he thought, and a glance at his visitor's strong jaw further convinced him of the necessity for more subtle tactics.

"Of course, as you say, sir," continued Chesney, after a pause, "my income is only three hundred a year, but those Colonial works which I carried out some time ago have proved rather a success, and that gives a sort of reputation—besides, Mr. Langdon has promised to—"

"Thank you, Langdon," said Sir James warmly as he rose. "You have relieved me immensely. As for the appointment—oh, well, let him have whatever you please—both are remote enough to answer the purpose."

With which expression of magnanimity he took his departure, thoroughly satisfied with his own cleverness in having solved a difficult problem.

"Behind, in his room, The Cynic sat staring rather aimlessly into the fire. The immobility of his face had relaxed a little and his habitual hard and stern features had taken upon them an unusual softness.

"In among the coals strange pictures flitted past—things altogether foreign to the cynical philosophy.

A girl was there with soft hair, and a man without money; then a tempting offer in a fever-ridden colony—a good-by. It all galloped past through his brain like the charge of cavalry in a cinematograph.

"The Cynic rose and, walking to a window, stared down on the moving crowd. Seeing the many happy faces, a softer feeling came over him.

"Why not?" he said at length. "Tressidy said the youngster might have either. The question of salary evidently escaped him, but that's his lookout, and why should I not save one man's belief in humanity—why?"

"Then he sat down and wrote to Chesney. "And this wonderful news, Dick?" "Read it," said Chesney dramatically, as he handed her an open letter.

"Marjorie glanced at the official heading. "From the Colonial office," she said, and they offer you a post at Calcutta, but, oh, Dick—you won't go—I can't let you—I—she broke off and threw herself into his arms with a sob.

"Read on, Maduff," quoth Chesney flippantly. Marjorie turned her wet eyes on him reproachfully, then with difficulty read the letter.

"It is worth seven hundred and fifty pounds a year, and—of course you will give me up and go—and I—I—" "You little goose," whispered Chesney, lovingly. Can't you see three hundred a year, plus seven hundred and fifty equals—"

"One thou—Oh, Dick, of course. And now—hiding her face on his shoulder, "we can."

"You won't mind India, darling?" "With you? Oh, Dick!" "So this is how you keep your word, Mr. Chesney," broke in a voice behind them wistfully.

The baronet looked from one to the other in utter perplexity, then deep down in his soul gave vent to a very vigorous and popular expression. "But he kept his word."

Oh, mystery of the morning glories, Oh, wafter of air, of windless hours, Oh, wonder of the deepening dawn— Afar, still far, the morning's bluish My spirit hears, among the spheres, The round earth's ever-quickening rush!

A single leaf on yonder tree The planet's rush hath left, bathed And soon all branches whispering low— That whisper wakes the nested birds— The song of thrush before the blush Of dawn, the dreaming world has stirred!

The old moon withers in the East— The winds of space may drive her far In heaven's chance waits the priest— Dawn's pontiff priest, the morning star!

And yonder, lo! a shafted glow— The gates of day-spring fall ajar— By Edith M. Thomas, in the March Scribner's.

A typical Cuban house as a relief in contrast to many of our over-crowded homes. As one enters the front door that reaches halfway to the ceiling there can be seen the courtyard (patio) beyond, with its tropical plants, fountains, statuary, etc., from which the rooms open by means of the invisible sliding doors of highly colored glass.

The floors are tiled brilliantly and often beautifully and one sees invariably the same furniture of either bentwood or cane, suggesting a cool place to sit and dream of what one is going to do tomorrow.

In fact, "mamama," accompanied by the Spanish shrugging of the shoulders, is almost the universal motto one gets to any request here—for a too warm to do anything today. The kindest, balmiest breezes are ever blowing over the city, and the nights are always cool.—From "America's Island Ward," by Blanche V. NeSmith, in Four-Track News for March.

HOW MANY MEN SHOULD A GIRL BE ENGAGED TO?
How many men should a girl be engaged to before she is married? The question strikes at the root of society and generations to come will be influenced by it.

Just as the kitten acquires valuable practice by playing with the dummys before she enters upon the serious business of the professional mouser, so before the knot is tied it is proper that a girl should fortify herself with as many preliminary trainings as possible. This does not imply recklessness nor that superficial skimming from one subject to another which precludes a proper mastery of the problem.

Enough time should be taken to hook the man thoroughly, and when he is properly and steadily in hand to study him until the possibilities are exhausted. Only then, says T. M. Masson in the March Cosmopolitan, should he be relinquished and another specimen should be selected, and so on until the final adjustment.

The ideal toward which you are directing your efforts is, of course, to acquire such a working knowledge of all men that when you are married the management of one will be a second nature—a habit of life that imposes no additional strain and does not take away your attention from the other enjoyments that you have a right to expect.

THE HEAD OF THE TOBACCO TRUST
Mr. Duke, the head and organizer of the tobacco trust, is himself a very modest man, always willing to attribute to one or another of his energetic associates the credit for the various business coups that are accredited to the tobacco trust, but his business methods, bold to the points of audacity, have often startled some of the more timid of the American and Continental stockholders.

He never hesitates to pursue to his legitimate conclusion any course that he can back upon, and he has the reputation of being a fighter who never asks quarter, though he frequently extends it. A few years ago, when reference was made to the two salaries of \$50,000 a year which Mr. Duke was drawing as president of the American and the Continental companies, he is reported to have remarked that he earned all the money that was paid to him "by avoiding the fool mistakes that the other fellows made."

MASTERS IN MUSIC
The second number of Bates & Guild's new publication, "Masters in Music," has been received. It is devoted to Chopin and contains a sympathetic sketch of the composer whose work and life have always been associated with something of the mysterious. Besides the life of Chopin, which is illustrated by a fine tint engraving, the magazine's contents include the usual number of critical estimates on Chopin's work by the foremost critics of both continents. Not least among the good things of the number are several of Chopin's most characteristic compositions, which are reproduced.

No torture to that of a rheumatic. Prescription No. 2851, by Elmer A. Amend, quickest relief of all. E. F. SCHMIDT, Houston, Texas, Sole Agent.

The other day Senator Pettus, who is 92 years old and who always wears a long black broadcloth frock coat of antique luster cut and a pair of baggy trousers, appeared in a jaunty new suit.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF

THE WEATHER

The forecast until 8 p. m. Wednesday for Fort Worth and vicinity: Tonight and Wednesday, generally unsettled and cloudy weather with occasional rain; not much change in temperature.

Nash Hardware Co. Blessing's Studio, Sixth and Houston. Dr. Abdlil, dentist, Columbia building. J. W. Adams & Co., Feed, Fuel and Produce, 409 W. Weatherford. Phone 520. Attend Foot's cotton Thursday night. Dr. McCoy, specialist, Columbia building.

Mr. Foot's postponed german will be given Thursday night this week. Roy & Lefler, practical jewelers, 602 Main street. Work called for and delivered. Phone 1536.

G. Y. Smith has returned from New York, where he spent several weeks buying goods for the spring trade.

E. H. Lowe, president of Parker-Lowe Dry Goods Company, returned Sunday from the East, where he purchased a stock of spring goods.

Texans at the Metropolitan—J. Walter Mann, San Angelo; J. B. McCarley, Dublin; W. F. Smoot, Denton; J. W. Shysman, Jacksboro; J. W. Davis, Abilene.

The meeting of the Fifth Ward Parents and Teachers' Club to have been held tomorrow (Wednesday) has been postponed on account of sickness in the family of the president, Mrs. R. L. Tinsley.

Naoma council, No. 11, Degree of Pochontas, will have a regular meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The committee on entertainment, will report on the advisability of having a ball in about two weeks.

A small blaze at the home of A. W. Caswell, 1306 Hemphill street, yesterday afternoon burned up a small amount of bedding, but did no damage to the building. The department was called out.

The annual missionary tea to be given tonight will be the chief social event of

GREENWALL'S OPERA HOUSE
Mr. Arthur F. Ward presents
MR. CHARLES D. HERMAN AND THE WARDE CO.
presenting
Tonight,
"Othello."
Wednesday matinee, March 4—
"Lion's Mouth."
Wednesday night, March 4—
"Macbeth."
Saturday matinee, March 7—
"Romeo and Juliet."
Saturday night, March 7—
"A Battle of Hearts."
No Advance in Prices.

Thursday, March 5, matinee and night. The Famous German Dialect Comedian and Golden Voice Singer,
AL H. WILSON
in a new play
"A PRINCE OF TATTERS"
Matinee Prices—Lower floor, 75c. Balcony 50c. Night Prices—\$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c.
Friday, March 6.—Night only.
Miss Kathryn Kidder in "An Eye for an Eye."
Seats on sale for above attractions.

COLD AND GRIP
If you have a cold do not let it run until you have pneumonia, but buy a box of Dr. Johnson's Cold and Grip Tablets and cure your cold in one day. These tablets are laxative and will reduce inward fever.

For sale by
DILLIN BROS.
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1697 is the Number of Thos. Witten's undertaking parlors at 1108 Main street. Open day and night.
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the season at the Broadway Presbyterian church. The women of the church are busy today making the final preparations for the affair, at which a large attendance is expected.

Mrs. W. V. Galbreath is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Belle Hall Small, and her niece, Miss Henrietta Frey of Sedalia, Mo.

Street pavers began work again on lower Main street this morning after an enforced idleness of two weeks. They were laying brick this morning just south of the Texas and Pacific crossings.

Mrs. George E. Nies left this morning for a short visit in Ranger, Texas. She was accompanied by her brother-in-law, H. D. Nies of Iowa, who has been visiting in Fort Worth and Dallas for several weeks.

Thomas B. Clark, stenographer in the office of Superintendent Gaines of the railway mail service, has been promoted in the service, but his work will still be in the Fort Worth office.

The revival services at the Polytechnic Heights Methodist church which began last week will continue throughout the present week, with preaching daily, including Wednesday. The services so far have been very successful and there have been a number of conversions.

Four piles of paving brick occupy the streets around the city hall this morning for laying on the street crossings which the city council has ordered. The work will begin in a few days. The crossings will enable pedestrians to reach the post-office from Main street without becoming mired.

H. L. Hanson offered his head in evidence in the corporation court this morning to prove that he had been hit. Judge Stewart failed, however, to find either the knot or the hole which Hanson said adorned his cranium and a fine of \$2 and costs for being drunk was the result.

Texans at the Worth—L. M. Fitzgerald, Denton; T. A. Winchell, Waco; L. F. Borne, Gainsville; J. H. Freeman, Austin; Mrs. Dan Waggoner, G. S. Waggoner, Decatur; W. J. Young, Galveston; F. S. Hastings, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Thurmond, Denton; W. K. Rose, Mrs. J. C. Rose, Paris; T. M. Gilbaugh, Galveston.

T. C. Bunch of 1301½ Main street, a messenger for the Wells-Fargo Express Company, was painfully injured last night in stepping from his wagon on Houston street, between Third and Fourth streets. The sidewalk where Mr. Bunch stepped is in bad condition. He slipped on it and his right ankle turned, the ligaments being torn. Dr. Irwin, who attended him, says it will be ten days before he can use the ankle.

J. F. Ellis & Co., real estate dealers, have taken in Robert L. Greene as a member of the firm, the name being changed on March 1 to Ellis & Greene. Jerry F. Ellis, James M. Ellis and Robert L. Greene are the members of the new firm and the offices are at 708 Main street, in the same rooms with the Wells-Fargo Express Company. Mr. Greene, the new partner, is from Kansas City, but has long been interested in Texas property. The other partners have been in business in Fort Worth for twelve years.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?
Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co. of Chicago, discovered, some years ago, how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for Piles, For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases. DeWitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine.

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1 gallon Claret	75c
1 gallon Zinfandel	\$1.00
1 gallon Sweet Catawba	\$1.50
1 gallon Port or Sherry	\$2.25
1 gallon Tokay	\$2.50
1 gallon Angelica	\$3.00
1 gallon Imported Sherry	\$3.00
1 gallon Green River Whisky	\$3.50
1 gallon Clark's Pure Rye	\$4.00
1 gallon Cedar Brook	\$4.00
1 quart Green River	\$1.00
1 dozen pint Beer	\$1.25
1 dozen quart Beer	\$2.00
1 dozen Domestic Ale and Porter	\$1.25
1 dozen Imported Ale and Porter	\$2.25

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UNIFORM TEXTBOOK BILL IS OPPOSED

FORT WORTH SCHOOL BOARD TAKES DECIDED STAND ON SUBJECT

Superintendent Hogg Submits Report Asking for Two New Buildings and Discussing Attendance in All Wards—Protection Needed From Trespassers

The board of trustees of the Fort Worth public schools has taken a decided stand against the uniform text book bill now pending in the Texas legislature.

At a meeting of the board yesterday afternoon a resolution was adopted, only one trustee opposing it, asking the legislature not to include Fort Worth in the uniform text book law. The contention of the trustees is that a city which supports its own schools should have control of them in all matters. Major K. M. Van Zandt, president of the board, was the only trustee who opposed the resolution. Major Van Zandt argued that the same text books should be used throughout the state.

The other trustees present were Dr. F. D. Thompson, B. F. Sprinkle, E. F. Sturley and J. F. Zurn.

WANT SPECIAL POLICE
A petition from the principals of the various schools was presented asking the appointment of the janitors as special police to arrest trespassers on the school grounds who interfere with the pupils and damage school property. The request was laid on the table with the suggestion that the police should be telephoned for to arrest such lawbreakers.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT
Superintendent Hogg submitted his semi-annual report which is as follows:

It has been thought that a semi-annual report should be given your honorable body, and hence the following is submitted: The first item in the schools, and of the greatest importance is the preliminary normal for teachers of the city schools. This showed upon the part of the board wise forethought, and great liberality—since the entire expense of this period was met by the board—this expense including also the salaries of the teachers for the time.

It is believed that the teachers thoroughly appreciate this upon the part of the authorities, and as a consequence their entire time and spirit was thrown into the work, thus gaining familiarity with the course of study that was to be done.

On Monday, Sept. 15, the school opened for real work. The average number of pupils attending the first week were 3,857; continuously increasing, reaching the maximum the week of Nov. 7 of 4,221. There has been an average actual attendance for the space of period covered by this report of 4,169; not varying over 100 any week.

SYNOPSIS OF FIRST SIXTEEN WEEKS
Pupils admitted 4,908
Pupils lost 704
Present roll call 4,194
Days taught 82
Total attendance in days 321,858
Total absence in days 16,376
Total number tardy 1,588
Total number dismissed too early 2,528
Total number truants 74
Total number suspensions 34
Total number corporal punishments 262
Special promotions 18
Perfect in attendance 992
Per cent retained 85
Total pay pupils \$7
Amount collections \$224.53
Teachers absent in days 60
Teachers tardy 1
Visits of superintendent 242
Visits of principals in our buildings 354
Visits of parents 311

"The protracted sickness of Professors Prugh and O'Neal, account for a large number of days absent by teachers. The one teacher only should be tardy shows remarkable promptness upon part of teachers.

TRUANCY DECREASING
Upon the part of the pupils truancy, tardiness and "dismissed too early" have continually decreased, and it is hoped that these may be entirely eradicated. The monthly cards sent out to the parents show a healthy progress upon the part of the pupils in their studies.

The greatest irregularity is witnessed in the eighth grade pupils in the high school—this grows out of the fact that too many were advanced, not promoted. There were advanced to this grade, the eighth, over nine hundred, while in the ninth grade seventy were promoted, 151 left over making for that grade only 221. For the tenth grade seventy-one promoted, added to twenty-eight left over, making ninety-nine, and the eleventh grade thirty-eight promoted, with only two left over, making for the eleventh or graduating class forty, or these three grades were about what ought to be expected.

In regard to examinations of both teachers and pupils—whatever may be said about them, they do it fairly conducted, show what the teachers as well as the pupils know of the subject in hand. The monthly institutes have been regularly attended and the teachers with the fewest exceptions have been present, and have entered into the spirit of the discussion.

The main subject this session being education in the south—taken up by states. It is known to your honorable body that in the conduct of the schools—the management of the buildings the superintendent has relied upon the principals, and it is with pleasure as well as with gratification that he has to report that they have done their part well—successfully. In order for them to do this they must have had the support of the teachers as they all report they have. The supervisors of the writing and drawing, and vocal music, should be commended for their fidelity, for their successful re-insuring these departments allowed to go into disuse for several years.

OF CALISTHENICS
Calisthenics, while taught, is not systematically done. It was not possible to get a suitable person to take charge of this among the teachers.

It is known to some members of this board that it has been the desire of the superintendent for many years to see manual training engrained upon our course of study. This of course will require an

COURT SAYS THEFT OF COAL MUST STOP

Judge Stewart of the corporation court has declared war on the coal thieves who are operating in the railroad yards. Most of them are small boys and girls of dusky hue.

"We're going to get all these boys and girls who steal coal," Judge Stewart told one small offender this morning. "We are going to keep right after them. It must stop."

"I'd rather the city would furnish you coal than have you steal it. Stealing coal trains you to steal other things, and you must not do it. Now go home and tell your parents what I've said."

MOUNTED A CHAIR
Ed Johnson was the boy told to go home, and he went. During the court's lecture he had stood on a chair, thus bringing his head above the level of the tables.

"De officah tol' me to git up heah so de judge could see me," he said.

WANTS ANOTHER BOY
Walter Mobley, a larger negro, was charged with little Johnson with trespassing in the railroad yards. He had been released on bond and failed to appear, although his father had promised to have him in court. Judge Stewart ordered the bond forfeited and Mobley arrested.

"I want to get these boys and stop this practice," said he.

A MAD DOG HUNT EXCITES HEIGHTS

Polytechnic Heights enjoyed a regular mad dog hunt with guns and pistols Sunday afternoon. No game, however, was secured, as the mad dog disappeared mysteriously after attacking several dogs belonging to residents on the Heights.

The dog first put in an appearance on the west side of the Heights and attacked J. H. Dickey's fine shepherd pup. Members of the family went to the rescue and drove the strange dog away.

He ran then straight to the McDermott home and attacked a pointer. Several persons living near had noticed the peculiar actions of the stranger by this

time and when he pounced upon the pointer they declared war.

GUNS SECURED
Armed with guns several men started in pursuit of the dog, but were unable to overtake it, although the chase was continued all the way to the Polytechnic college. The animal ran close to Professor John B. Bishop in trying to escape, but made no attack on him.

The search for the dog was kept up for some time, but he has not yet reappeared on the Heights.

Those who saw the animal describe him as a shepherd dog with black head and white collar and breast.

PANHANDLE NEVER HAD WORSE STORM

AMARILLO, Texas, March 1.—The Panhandle is still buried under one of the heaviest snowstorms that ever fell in this section of the state. Seventeen and one-half inches on a dead level is the official record of the weather bureau and, although this is the third day of fair weather, but little impression has been made and today the snow is hardly thawing in the sunshine.

Railway traffic is almost at a standstill. The northbound Fort Worth and Denver City came in this morning after being blocked for thirty hours past only a few miles from Amarillo. The Checotah nor the Santa Fe from the north have neither gotten in during the past three days. Fort Worth and Denver City

trains which arrived today will turn and go back to Fort Worth, it being impossible to get a train through to Trinidad. The Pecos Valley trains are turning at Portales, N. M., and going back to Roswell and Carlsbad.

Reports are beginning to come in slowly in regard to range conditions and cattle are dying by the thousands. It is hard to estimate the probable loss at this time, but it will undoubtedly be enormous. There has been snow on the ground for practically two weeks, and this is more than the limit for cattle on open range with no feed. It is the big cattle raisers, though, who will suffer the heaviest losses, the small ranchmen having feed on hand and being able to give the stock more attention.

study; that in line with this idea there was given to the national educators last year a discussion upon this subject—namely, and perhaps from the very highest authority, Professor Nichols Murray Butler, president of Columbia university. In connection with this same idea there will be found upon the program of the National Educational Association meeting this year, Feb. 24 to 26, Cincinnati, these two significant subjects:

1. "A Readjustment of the High School Curriculum," by B. W. McCoy, principal of the high school of Cincinnati.

2. "Reduction of Time in the Elementary Schools," by James M. Greenwood, superintendent Kansas City, Mo.

Two such prominent places given upon a single program show how the thought on this subject is awakening. This, however, will come up, if at all, in the future, and is only mentioned here as current history.

'PHONE CONDUITS ARE BEING LAID

WORK BEGINS ON HOUSTON STREET THIS MORNING
Laborers Dig Trench in Houston and Eleventh Streets—Will Go North to Belknap—Material Has Arrived

Workmen began this morning digging a trench in Eleventh and Houston streets for the conduits of the Fort Worth Telephone Company, whose exchange building is to be erected at Eleventh and Throckmorton streets.

About seventy-five men were at work on Eleventh, between Throckmorton and Houston, and on Houston, between Eleventh and Fifth. They are moving north and will open a trench two feet deep and eighteen inches wide from Eleventh street north to Belknap street. The excavation is being made along the east side of the street.

MATERIAL ARRIVED
Several car loads of material for the new telephone system which had been delayed in transit arrived Saturday and the work will now advance rapidly. It is believed that the local system will be ready for operation in nine months. The work on the exchange building will begin in sixty days.

PREDICTS FORT WORTH WILL BE BIGGEST CITY OF TEXAS

Seymour News: Fort Worth will be the largest town in Texas is only a prediction of some, yet it was only a few years ago that people were saying it was too close to Dallas to ever make a large town. Prosperity creates prosperity and prosperity builds a town. Seymour has the same showing as Fort Worth had in years gone by. Nuf said!

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One dozen \$5 photographs for \$3. Short time only. Guaranteed first-class.
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END COMES TO 50 YEARS OF PROHIBITION IN VERMONT

BURLINGTON, Vt., March 3.—Today marks the passing of liquor prohibition in Vermont, which has been a "dry" state for more than half a century. At an election last month the state voted by a narrow majority to discard the prohibitory law and adopt in its place a high license local option law, with seven classes of license, ranging in cost from \$1,200 for the general saloon to \$10 for the drug stores selling on physicians' prescriptions. Today the new law becomes effective and the cities and towns vote on the question of granting licenses. The indications are that the vote will be in the affirmative in the larger places, while the smaller towns will decide to continue prohibition.

SO SWEET AND PLEASING IN TASTE!
Mrs. C. Peterson, 625 Lake street, Topeka, Kan., speaking of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, says: "It has never failed to give entire satisfaction, and of all cough remedies it is my favorite, and I must confess to my many friends that it will do and has done what is claimed for it—to speedily cure a cough or a cold, and it is so sweet pleasing in taste." 25c, 50c and \$1 bottle at H. T. Pangburn & Co.'s.

"Municipal trading" at Liverpool in the matter of electric tramways last year provided 25,165 pounds in aid of the rates.

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Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

Every Bottle Warranted



Every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is guaranteed, and the dealer from whom it is purchased will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using it.

The many remarkable cures of colds and grip effected by this preparation have made it famous over a large part of the civilized world. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. It not only cures colds and grip, but counteracts any tendency towards pneumonia.

This remedy is also a certain cure for croup, and has never been known to fail. When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack.

Whooping cough is not dangerous when the cough is kept loose and expectoration free by the use of this remedy.

It contains no opium or other harmful substance, and it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult.

Look Out for a Chill.

However slight, at this time of year and in this climate, it is a forerunner of Malaria all tired

Herbiline

It kills the Malaria germ in its very first stages, or cures the disease at any stage. There are no narcotic poisons in it—a purely natural remedy and absolutely harmless. At druggists, 50 cents per bottle.

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9th and Houston Sts.

THE RICE GROWING INDUSTRY OF TEXAS

ITS MAGNITUDE DESCRIBED BY A TELEGRAM CORRESPONDENT FROM AUSTIN — THE HUGE INTERESTS INVOLVED — PROGRESS OF THE ANTI-POOL ROOM BILL FATHERED BY CURTIS HANCOCK OF DALLAS — A HEADLESS CORPSE UNEARTHED

(Special to The Telegram.)

AUSTIN, Texas, March 2.—One of the important measures now before the legislature is house bill No. 135; by Hon. R. C. Duff of Jefferson county, the object of which is to authorize the chartering of corporations for the purpose of growing rice, with power to acquire and hold land for that purpose, to exercise the right of eminent domain in constructing canals and levees necessary for the irrigation of rice lands, and to establish and operate necessary pumping plants by means of large steam and water mills and machinery for milling and cleaning rice. The subject is one of special interest because of the fact that the rice-growing industry is a comparatively new feature in the wonderful and gratifying development of the coast country of Texas as now enjoying, one that has already added more than \$15,000,000 to the values of property in that region, and which gives every assurance of doing from ten to a hundred fold more in the future.

THE LAND AT HAND

In his speech before the house when this bill was first up for consideration, Mr. Duff pointed out that from the Sabine river to the Rio Grande, a distance of 500 miles, there is a continuous belt of fine black prairie land, averaging fifty miles width, traversed by many large fresh-water streams and predestined by nature to supply the markets of the world with rice. From figures and data not claimed to be entirely full it was shown that within that area there are already 182,170 acres under irrigation for rice, the value of which has been enhanced from \$2.50 an acre to \$50 an acre; that many hundreds of thousands of dollars have been invested there for heavy pumping machinery and rice mills, and millions in the construction of irrigation canals, some of which cost \$5,000 per mile and are as large as ordinary rivers and so deep that barges can be navigated on them in conveying the rough rice from the fields to the mills.

POSSIBILITIES ARE ENORMOUS

One may obtain an idea of how large are the possibilities of development of the rice industry by a few simple calculations. An area 50x500 miles contains 25,000 square miles, or 16,000,000 acres, which, at \$50 per acre, would be worth \$800,000,000. While it is true that the entire area there could not, of course, be put into rice fields it is true on the other hand that the value of the rice mills and other machinery and appliances might almost supply that deficiency. The rice crop is not subject to danger from drought and boll weevil and the like and \$40 an acre is, I am reliably informed, a safe and conservative estimate of the average annual profits in rice-growing, as shown by experience during a series of years past. Now, if one-half that area be put in rice the money product therefrom at the average rate above given, will be \$320,000,000 a year, and in forty years, which is now about the average human life, it will aggregate \$12,800,000,000.

THIS IS NOT CONJECTURE

Do you not think, my dear reader, that this is an item large enough to warrant a little necessary legislative attention in its behalf? These estimates are not based like those I once made on the output of the Beaumont oil wells, on mere speculative conjecture and exceedingly remote possibilities. There is scarcely any industry more certain in its results than rice-growing under a proper system of irrigation and no agricultural pursuit whatever in which capital is as willing to invest. At the time our statute with reference to the formation of corporations was enacted there was no rice-growing industry here. Now it is here and a suitable amendment to the statute is requisite in order to meet the new and advancing conditions. That is all that need be said here of the propriety of the legislation Mr. Duff is asking for by his bill, unless it be to mention the self-evident fact that corporations are absolutely essential to the proper carrying on of an industry requiring the investment of so large an amount of capital. The only question pertaining to the matter, if any, will relate to a proper safeguarding, in this bill or elsewhere, of the laws authorizing corporations to be formed for carrying on the rice-growing industry in all its branches, as well as those for carrying on any and all other lines of business.

The vast interests here involved are ably represented in the legislature in the person of Mr. Duff, who has made the subject of corporation law a specialty for a number of years past, and is now universally recognized not only as one of the strongest and most talented lawyers of the Texas bar, but also as being the leading corporation lawyer of his section of the state. He is also a gentleman who, in addition to a profound knowledge of the law, has a graceful and ready address, an unusually fine command of language and the rare and valuable faculty of making friends of all those with whom he is brought in contact; and Texas is to be congratulated in having so worthy a son to represent her in dealing with a subject of such financial magnitude.

ANTI-POOL ROOM BILL

Hon. Curtis Hancock, whom the staid old Galveston News recently referred to as "the brilliant and brainy young member from Dallas," is making a gallant and winning fight for his anti-pool room and anti-turf exchange bill, which is intended to prohibit the operation of turf exchanges and pool rooms and the betting on any horse race except on the day the race is run and within two hundred feet of the race track. Mr. Hancock is daily in receipt of many letters assuring him of the moral and active support of the best citizens of the state. These turf exchange pool rooms appear to be a recent and unusually pernicious form of gratifying and increasing the gambling mania, and I notice a statement coming from a gentleman who served on the grand jury at Dallas last summer to the effect that more young men and boys were being ruined by the two licensed pool rooms in Dallas than by all the other gambling dens in that city. It is urged against the bill that it should prohibit gambling of all kinds, and betting near the track as well as elsewhere, etc. Well, it would be a gigantic task to try to cure all the evils of the body politic at once. A half loaf is much better than no bread at all, and if we do a little today, and a little more on each tomorrow, we will finish the task after awhile.

AGAINST UNLAWFUL INSURANCE

Another of the important bills on the calendar of the house is the one introduced by Hon. Hayne Nelms of Trinity county, defining unlawful insurance business, and declaring a penalty against any agent, director, officer or solicitor who does an insurance business in Texas not in conformity with the requirements of the statutes, or who attempts to do business here without a certificate of authority from the commissioner of insurance as required by law. This bill has been pronounced by able insurance lawyers to be one of the best measures before the house, and it is to be hoped it will soon become a law. Mr. Nelms is devoting a large part of his time to the insurance law. He believes the wildcat insurance companies now defrauding the people of Texas should be outlawed, as a protection both to the people and to good insurance companies now doing business here. As chairman of the committee on insurance, statistics and history, he has helped to shape quite a number of bills introduced by others than himself, regulating the insurance companies and their business.

AN IMPORTANT SUBJECT

How important the subject of insurance is to the people of Texas and how vast are the interests involved may be illustrated by reference to reliable and carefully compiled data contained in the opinion of Associate Justice Sam J. Hunter, in the case of New York Life Insurance Company vs. Smith, 41 S. W. Rep., p. 653, in which it is shown that during the then past ten years the people of Texas had paid in premiums to three New York life insurance companies alone the sum of \$18,644,124.85, and that the excess of premiums paid by the people of Texas between 1885 and 1897 to fire and life insurance companies—over and above the losses paid back to them, mind you—would itself aggregate a total of about \$25,000,000. Mr. Nelms is a gentleman in every way qualified to deal with the vast and important interests connected with the insurance laws, and it is a matter of gratification to his many friends that he has selected insurance as the subject to which he proposes to give his special attention here.

DESECRATION OF GRAVE YARDS

Senate bill No. 228, recently introduced

by Hon. W. P. Sebastian of Stephens county, and which amends the existing penal statutes in reference to the desecration of graveyards and the unauthorized removal of bodies buried therein, has a history of somewhat peculiar interest. Last year a physician in Shackelford county had a patient, a young man, to die of what appeared to be some sort of brain affection. The doctor's theory was that a clot of blood had formed which rested against the brain, and he requested permission of the father of the deceased to make an autopsy of the brain in order to ascertain if his theory was correct. Such permission was refused by the father who, a few days after the funeral, noticing that the mound of earth over the grave appeared to have been recently disturbed, opened the grave and the coffin and discovered that the head of the corpse had been cut off and taken away. The doctor was indicted and convicted under the statute forbidding the removal of any dead body without due authority.

The case was carried to the court of criminal appeals, and an able brief was filed therein by Senator Sebastian and Messrs. Calhoun and Webb of Albany, Texas. In addition, Senator Sebastian went up to Dallas and orally argued the case, and on last Wednesday the court rendered its judgment, reversing and dismissing the case on the ground that the indictment was fatally defective in not alleging the name of the deceased person, and because of grave doubts that an offense had been committed under the statute, since only the head and not the body had been removed. The court suggests in the opinion the advisability of an amendment so as to meet such character of cases, and Senator Sebastian's bill is offered in accordance with that suggestion. The merits of the measure and the great personal popularity of Mr. Sebastian, now serving his second term in the senate and his fourth term in the legislature, together give assurance that this bill will soon become a law on the statute books. B. R. WEBB.

Having a Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

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TITLED WOMAN WHOSE SONGS BRING HER WEALTH

(Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) London, March 3. (By cable to The Fort Worth Telegram)—Lady Arthur Hill, whose husband, Lord Arthur Hill, is heir to the Marquisate of Downshire, is a very pretty woman and very popular in London society.

She is the only titled woman whose published songs provide her with abundant "pin money."

She is the composer of "In the Gloaming," a song that has been sung by every amateur in the United States.

Her royalties in one year from this popular song amounted to \$5,000.

She was at one time companion to the Marchioness of Downshire.

It was then that her husband met and wooed her. She refused him, fearing the match wasn't equal.

She went into seclusion, but her lover found her and won her.

It was while in seclusion that she composed "In the Gloaming."

THE STOMACH IS THE MAN

A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength cannot be restored to any sick man or weak woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cleanses, purifies, sweetens and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.


KING OF SPAIN LIBERAL WITH HIS DECORATIONS

(Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) Madrid, March 3. (By cable to The Fort Worth Telegram)—The king of Spain has "gone the limit" in awarding decorations. His youthful majesty has decreed that the child of the Princess of Austria, if a boy, will receive the insignia of the Order of the Golden Fleece, the collar of Charles III and the ribbon of Isabella la Católica.

If the child is a girl, the less excited decoration of the Order of Maria Luisa is to be bestowed upon her.

Never before has a monarch arranged for the decoration of a person before his or her birth.

The young king of Spain, however, apparently desires to prove himself a far-seeing person.



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PUTNAM NEWS NOTES

PUTNAM, Texas, March 2.—About two inches of snow fell last night. The wood question is getting a little serious out here now for the first time in twenty years. F. P. Shackelford left this morning for Dallas to attend the grand lodge of the Odd Fellows. J. H. Surles has been elected to attend the grand lodge of Woodcraft, which meets in San Antonio next week. He says he is going to spend a few days in Fort Worth with his friends, looking through the packeries. The Telegram office and other noted industries of Fort Worth. There has been no loss among cattle in this county yet. There is a strong probability that Putnam will have a telephone exchange soon. There are a great many people watching the drugless doctors bill now in the senate. The doctors seem to be in favor of the bill; the other people seem to be against it.

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WEATHER MAN'S TALK IS VERY GLOOMY

The sun shineth alike on neither the just nor the unjust, and Texas in general is gloomy. The weather man who careth not at all for his eye but casteth it far into the future refuseth to talk of sunshine, declaring that there is none in sight for the coming thirty-six hours. In the meantime it doth behoove everyone to say frequently that never such weather as this was seen in Texas before, no, not even from the beginnings. GENERALLY UNSETTLED. "Tonight and Wednesday, generally unsettled and cloudy weather with occasional rain; not much change in temperature," is the way the weather man's official prognostication reads and there is every proof today that he knows what he is talking about. The sun has not even to shine and the rain has been occasional enough to justify an umbrella.

CONDITIONS ARE RAINY. Weather throughout the state is described as follows: Unsettled conditions prevail generally throughout the greater portion of the country this morning. Light rain is falling along the south Texas coast, in Louisiana and Alabama; a moderate thunderstorm occurred at New Orleans this morning early. The temperatures have risen 10 degrees or more in Texas, and thence throughout the central portion of the middle west; the line of freezing has receded farther north and west, and now skirts the extreme western border of Texas, where the temperature is about 30 degrees.

Cloudy and generally unsettled weather will prevail in Fort Worth and vicinity with occasional rains tonight and Wednesday; the temperature will change out slightly.

WEATHER RECORD. Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours—minimum and maximum temperature, wind in miles per hour at 8 a. m. and rainfall in inches:

Table with columns: Stations, Min. Max. Wind, Rain. Rows include Abilene, Amarillo, Atlanta, Elsmarck, Cairo, Chattanooga, Chicago, Cincinnati, Corpus Christi, Davenport, Denver, Detroit, Dodge City, El Paso, Fort Smith, Galveston, Huron, Jacksonville, Kansas City, Lander, Little Rock, Marquette, Memphis, Miles City, Mobile, Modena, Montgomery, Nashville, North Platte, New Orleans, Oklahoma, Omaha, Phoenix, Pittsburgh, Pueblo, Rapid City, St. Louis, St. Paul, Salt Lake City, San Antonio, San Diego, Santa Fe, Shreveport, Vicksburg.

Special for Ladies. "We want it emphasized that we will be especially glad to see the ladies," said Mr. Shirley. "Every lady in Texas is invited to visit the plant and we would like every lady of Fort Worth to come out during the three days, as we will be better prepared to entertain them then, than at any other time. "As long as they last, we are going to give a Swift art calendar to every lady who passes through the plant. We will also serve lunch, consisting of beef extract, crackers, butterine, and other products of the plant. "Of especial interest to the ladies will be the butterine department which will be in complete readiness for their visit."

Everybody is Busy. About the packing houses and stockyards everybody is busy getting ready for a big crowd of visitors Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Steps have been taken leading down from the level of the packing houses to the level of the stockyards and good paths have been made so that there will be no danger of muddy feet, even if it does rain.

Route for Visitors. Following is the route for visitors at Swift's during the three days of the show. Visitors will be received at the stairway northwest of Swift and Company's general offices. Thence from stairway to northwest corner of porch of general office; east on porch to main door; through lower floor general office to side door on east side; from general office south side; east through second floor smoke house to west door second floor smoke house to open dock; south on open dock to vestibule dock; through vestibule dock to north pork house vestibule; up one story in north pork house vestibule to third floor; into north door pork house third floor to west door sausage manufacturing; through sausage manufacturing to south door; south from sausage room to center vestibule; through center vestibule to beef house on third floor; through beef house to south vestibule on third floor; up south vestibule beef house to fourth floor; from fourth floor beef vestibule through fourth floor beef house; north through south vestibule pork house and through pork house to north vestibule; to fifth floor in north pork house; making circle in north door; from fifth floor to eighth floor in north vestibule pork house; through package storage eighth floor pork house through vestibule into eighth floor beef house past ice making plant; from ice making plant to center vestibule down to seventh floor; from seventh floor through visitors walk, the killing floor and down temporary stairway to sixth floor to center vestibule; down stairway of center vestibule to fifth floor; from fifth floor center vestibule through oil house platform past butterine churn and down stairs to butter working floor; around butter worker back to stairway on east side of oil house;

CURES SCIATIC RHEUMATISM. Mrs. A. E. Simpson, 509 Craig street, Knoxville, Tenn., writes, June 10, 1899: "I have been trying the baths of Hot Springs, Ark. for sciatic rheumatism, but I get more relief from Ballard's Snow Liniment than any medicine or anything I have ever tried. Inclosed find postoffice order for \$1. Send me a large bottle by Southern Express." Sold by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

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LITTLE DOING IN THE COURTS

VERDICT FOR THE DEFENDANT RETURNED IN PULLIAM SUIT

Several Fines Are Assessed in the County Court, the Heaviest Being Against W. R. Garrett—Two New Suits Are Filed in District Courts

Comparatively little business was done except in the county court today. In that court, the following fines have been assessed since yesterday's report: Clarence Freese, exhibiting gaming table, \$25 and ten days in jail; Fred Jones, same charge, \$75 and thirty days in jail; George Pardue, \$1 and 1 hour in jail; W. R. Garrett, adultery, \$100 and costs.

Garrett is the man who is charged with having lived with Mrs. Ella Parr in a tent in North Fort Worth. SEVENTEEN-H DISTRICT COURT. The jury in the case of J. T. Pulliam vs. the Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railroad, suit for damages, returned a verdict for the defendant this afternoon. The suit of W. H. Atkins vs. the Fort Worth and Rio Grande, suit for damages, was then taken up.

NEW SUITS FILED. The following suits were filed in the district court today: A. S. Hall et al vs. T. J. Bryan et ux, foreclosure; W. T. Humble et al vs. J. D. Keating, suit to establish dividing line.

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ADDITIONAL CITY BRIEFS

The funeral of Maurice Rosen, who died in El Paso Sunday, will take place at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the residence of M. Goldstick, 504 West Weatherford street. All friends are invited to attend. S. Duncan, formerly with A. Harris in Dallas, has accepted a position with the Parker-Lowe Dry Goods Company and will have charge of the dress goods department. Mr. Duncan has had wide experience in dress goods. Anna Carter Lee chapter of the Children of the Confederacy will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. John B. Mulkey of Chillicothe, Texas, are visiting relatives and friends in Fort Worth. Miss Lundy L. Cox is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. H. W. Lowe of Oak Cliff. Mrs. Sullivan A. Brown is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. L. Daniels, in Dallas. In London last year the number of husbands who advertised disclaiming credit obtained by their wives was 378.

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Special Rates Via M., K. and T. \$19.50 to Galveston and return, account Scottish Rite reunion and ceremonial service of the Mystic Shrine. Tickets on sale March 7 and 8; final limit for return March 15. \$9.05 to San Antonio and return, account Woodmen of the World convention. Tickets on sale March 9 and 10; final limit for return March 15. T. T. McDONALD, City Ticket Agent, 906 Main street. Street car conductors in Switzerland are paid 80 cents a day for 12 hours.

WEATHER BUREAU GIVES GOOD SERVICE

Washington, Feb. 27.—[Special.]—The weather bureau is sometimes criticised because it does not exactly hit off the situation in predictions. You see, when fair is predicted and it turns out stormy, or vice versa, our attention is sharply called to the error. On the other hand, when the predictions are right they excite no comment. But the weather bureau accomplishes one thing that is of great importance—in foretelling the big Atlantic coast storms. No one can estimate the lives saved and the shipping that is preserved by reason of the warnings that are always sent out in ample time to keep the ships from leaving port. The bureau may err in a prognostication occasionally, a mountain storm or some other weather feature may cause an occasional prophecy to go awry, but it does not fail to catch the fierce coast storms in time to give the mariners proper notice. Mr. Willis Moore, chief of the bureau, has reason to be proud of this portion of his work.

Congress Appreciative. Congress has shown its appreciation of the work of the weather bureau by constantly adding to and increasing its scope. The agricultural interests of the country are responsible for this to a great extent, for the farmers have learned to depend upon and profit by the weather service in the planting and harvesting of their crops. It is the men in congress who come from the agricultural districts that stand behind the weather service of the country. But they are not alone, as business of all kinds is more or less interested in the weather reports. The value of the reports is shown in the fact that they are carried all over the country twice a day by the Associated Press, which means that the papers in the country want them. Chief Moore is progressive and is striving every year to improve the service.

Adams and Gillett. When Representative Gillett of Massachusetts criticised the great expenditure upon scientific publications and especially the illustrations of these works, he got himself into hot water. Not only has he had the scientific men criticising him, but he has also been called to account on the floor of the house. Representative Adams of Pennsylvania was one of his critics, and Gillett retorted somewhat humorously. "I have no doubt," said Gillett, "that in the long evenings, when we perhaps suppose that he is getting relaxation from the intricate problems of international law which absorb his time, he is really in his room communing with ichthyosaurus and megatheriums."

As the gentleman and I are together about three evenings a week," said Adams, "we spend our time very profitably together." "Profitably to which one?" asked Representative Mann of Illinois amid some laughter. "Perhaps I have occasionally misjudged my friend," continued Gillett, "and when I have sometimes seen him here with the dreamy, sentimental look in his eyes, which I perhaps thought were turned upon the gallery and found their inspiration there, I was mistaken and that really he was in a reverie and had returned in fancy to his favorite realms of the eocene and silurian ages."

A Portrait of Webster. Senator Hoar recently made a notable addition to the many things of value in the literary, historical and artistic way he possesses in securing a painting of Daniel Webster showing that great statesman at his best. Senator Hoar knew the famous Massachusetts man and says that the picture is a very good likeness of Webster as he knew him. The picture has been in the judiciary committee room for some time and is admired by all who have seen it. President's Southern Ancestors. Rev. J. E. Kirby, a Congregational minister of this city, has traced out the origin of the family of President Roosevelt in the south. He says: "In 1690 an English expedition was sent out to found a settlement at Darien, on the isthmus of Panama. After remaining there for a year, for some reason the party took ship and sailed for England. On the way they passed the Carolina coast and, being short of provisions and water, stopped at the little settlement at Charleston to replenish their supplies. The people of Charleston, hearing that there was a Scotch minister aboard the vessel, invited him ashore to preach. The Scotchman accepted the invitation. While on land, the guest of the colony, a hurricane arose, which destroyed the vessel in the harbor, together with all hands. The minister accepted a call from the small Charleston church and made his home in the settlement. His daughter married a man named Bullock. From this latter couple was born the founder of President Roosevelt's family in the south."

From Scandinavia. The northwest has been peopled to a great extent by men of Scandinavian birth, and Minnesota has her share of these desirable people. They soon become politicians and are generally successful, as the next Congressional Directory will show. The state will have, in the senate a Norwegian, Nelson, and in the house one Swede, Lind, and two Norwegians, Volstad and Steenson. ARTHUR W. DUNN.

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