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THE FAT STOCK SHOW OPENS THIS MORNING

NEARLY A THOUSAND VISITORS VIEW FANCY ANIMALS IN THE NORTH FORT WORTH STOCKYARDS

THE CITY WELL FILLED WITH STOCKMEN

BEGINNING OF AWARDS MADE AT NINE O'CLOCK—SALE OF REGISTERED SHORTHORN CATTLE COMMENCES THIS AFTERNOON—THE EXHIBITION ONE OF THE FINEST EVER SEEN IN TEXAS—VISITORS SEE PACKING HOUSES

The fog that enveloped Fort Worth this morning and the threat of rain which afterward developed into an unpleasant drizzle, frightened but few of the lovers of fine stock from going to the North Fort Worth stock yard this morning in time for the opening of the seventh annual exhibit of the Fort Worth fat stock show.

Under the covered shed of the hog yards, neither rain nor fog bothered the visitors and promptly at 9 o'clock the judging of the cattle began.

Between 9 o'clock and noon, fully 1,000 visitors watched the judges at work in the show ring or strolled about among the pens admiring the fine animals. And there are fine animals to see. Never in the history of Fort Worth has so excellent an exhibit been collected. There are more than 1,000 animals—Herefords, Shorthorns and Red Polls. These are calves, heifers, cows and bulls, the choice selections from the best herds in Texas and the territories.

Washed, rubbed and combed, their horns polished till they shine like tortoise shell; nothing in the live stock world could be more handsome than the various animals. Perhaps the most extensive exhibit is that of the Herefords, many fine heads being seen. Short-horns come next and Red Polls are present in strong numbers.

THE VISITORS' COMFORT

Last week deep mud covered all the paths leading to the yards, but today the paths are laid deep with cinders, steps have been put in place at all embankments and the annoyance of muddy feet need not be feared. At various places signs directing the visitors have been placed; lunch and refreshments are served on the grounds and nothing for the comfort of visitors has been left undone.

THE PENS

The cattle are all in the hog pens with the exception of a few loads of beef cattle which are in the yards. The pens are lined deep with straw and all of the alleyways leading through them are paved with brick, covered with sand. The tops of the pens are low enough for convenience and all of the animals can be seen without climbing on the fence, as has been the case at other shows.

THE JUDGING

The judges in the show ring are as follows: W. T. Willis, Plattsburg, Mo.; Hereford, T. J. Wornall, Liberty, Mo.; Shorthorn, G. E. King, Taylor, Texas; beef cattle, hogs and sheep.

THIS MORNING'S WORK

Some of the awards made this morning were as follows: STEERS—3 YEARS OLD AND OVER

No. 1—Best car of steers, 3 years old and over, premium \$200; won by Kaiser & Sutherland, Fort Worth.

COTTON UP SEVEN TO ELEVEN POINTS

BULLS HAVE THINGS THEIR WAY AT OPENING BUT REALIZING CAUSES SETBACK LATER

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 5.—There was an active and excited opening in cotton this morning. Apparently having rallied their forces overnight, the bull clique gave such vigorous support to the market that the prices shot up from 7 to 11 points following the call and holding very strong for fifteen minutes, when scattered realizing caused a setback. The covering was on a heavy scale.

EXCITEMENT AT NEW ORLEANS NEW ORLEANS, La., March 5.—Considerable excitement raged in New Orleans on the cotton market today, futures losing from 6 to 14 points. The floor of the exchange was crowded. Liquidation in other markets is said to be responsible for the decline.

SULLY SAYS 15 CENTS NEW YORK, March 5.—Sully still holds that March cotton will go to 15 cents. "I am buying all I can get," he said, "and I didn't go into this deal with my eyes shut. Despite what Mr. Price and other bears have to say, the mills haven't got all the cotton they want, and there is not enough in sight to supply them with what they want unless they buy it from me and at my price. The weather has nothing to do with it. I don't care how much cotton they move to market. There are only about 2,000,000 bales in reserve and I hope to get hold of that. I am here to buy all cotton offered."

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NO TROUBLE YET IN COLORADO STRIKE

MILITIA IS STILL ON GUARD AT COLORADO CITY—ONE MILL WORKING UNDER PROTECTION

(By Associated Press.) COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., March 5.—The militia is still on guard at the mills, but there has been no clash with the strikers. General Manager MacNeill has refused to recognize the Smeltersmen's union, stating that the strikers will have to find their own solution. Under the protection of troops the Standard mill is working.

TWO WOMEN MET IN RIOT WITH FOREMEN

(Special to The Telegram.) PARKERSBURG, W. Va., March 5.—In a riot on the Little Kanawha river between the foremen and constables and thirty Italian laborers, in which axes, clubs and revolvers were used, one Italian had his arm cut off and four are said to be fatally hurt. After the fight twenty Italians escaped to the woods and had not been captured, although warrants are issued for their arrest.

WOMAN WILL FOLLOW TEACHINGS OF ZOROASTER

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 5.—The first recorded conversion from Christianity to Zoroastrianism took place at Bombay Feb. 2. Mrs. Tatta, a French lady, on that date was formally invested with the sacred thread and "sudra" of the Parsees. Mrs. Tatta afterward went through the Parsee marriage ceremonies.

MIRAGES SCARE COLORED WORKMEN

(Special to The Telegram.) TERRELL, Texas, March 5.—The long-continued wet weather has caused mirages to appear. The colored employees of the Terrell Pressed Brick Company threaten to quit work on account of the appearance of "ghosts."

ROCKEFELLER GIVING MONEY TO THE NEGROES

MAIRSHALL, Texas, March 5.—John D. Rockefeller has recently made a donation to Marshall. Mr. Rockefeller gives the sum of \$10,000 to Bishop College for the education of blacks. It is to go toward a girls' dormitory. Mr. Rockefeller is a Baptist. Wiley University, another institution for negroes in Marshall, also receives the same sum.

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W. C. Stripling offers some close prices on shoes and clothing today on page 2.

The Fair is showing some exceptionally nice things in spring costumes. Read the ad on page three.

Purvis and Colp are new advertisers in The Telegram. Their announcement of up-to-date livery is on page eight.

Washer Bros. An attractive ad today giving welcome to Fat Stock Show visitors and offering also good things in Suits and spring hats, on page eight.

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LACEY GIVES SOME ADVICE TO VIRGINIA

IOWA CONGRESSMAN BUTS IN ON THE QUESTION OF STATUE OF LEE AT WASHINGTON SAYS THAT VIRGINIA CAN MORE CONSISTENTLY HONOR MADISON OR MONROE THAN THE HERO OF THE CONFEDERACY

(Special to The Telegram.) WASHINGTON, March 5.—An indication of the feeling of some of the northern congressmen against the proposition to erect a statue of General Robert E. Lee in statutory hall in the capitol is given in a letter sent by Representative John F. Lacey of Iowa to a constituent who is a member of the Grand Army of the Republic and who recently transmitted to Mr. Lacey resolutions adopted by a Grand Army post in Iowa protesting against the project.

The letter written by Mr. Lacey has gained wide currency, and has caused great comment, especially among southern members of congress. Mr. Lacey, who was born in New Martinsville, now in Virginia, is opposed to the proposition. He thinks that Virginia would do better by erecting a statue in the capitol to James Monroe.

LACEY'S LETTER

The Lacey letter, which is being read with great interest among Virginians, is as follows: "Captain W. H. H. Asbury, Ottumwa, Iowa: Dear Captain—Your letter, with resolutions, in regard to the Lee statue has been received. The claim is made by the Virginians that no acceptance by congress is necessary and that all they need do is to put the statue under the general law and need not ask anybody for authority. Congress has accepted by resolutions nearly all the statues that are in statutory hall. There are some there which have not yet been accepted, and may never be. Though I have not been taking any public action in this matter, I have personally talked with the Virginia delegation to dissuade them from this action. I felt free to do this, as I was born in that state myself. It seems to me that, with James Monroe still unprovided for, his name being in the mouth of every loyal American, north and south, and a household word in every part of the globe connected with a living doctrine on which we all unite, that Virginia cannot afford to sidetrack him and put up Lee instead, whose presence alongside of Lincoln and Grant in the national hall of fame might be considered as a statement to posterity that there was no distinction in merit between those who fought on this side of the union and those who fought against it.

"The bill has gone through the Virginia senate and is likely to become a law. I do not believe that congress will ever accept this statue, for it ought not to go into the capitol. If Virginia suffered from any poverty of great names and found difficulty in filling the place it might be different, but she has filled one of her two places with Washington and has one space remaining. People are asking why Monroe's statue is not there. They will be always asking why Lee's is there should it be erected.

MADISON OR MONROE

"There are already statues of Jefferson in the capitol, though not placed there by Virginia. There is none of Madison or Monroe. I said to one of my Virginia friends in the house if this statue is erected there ought to be inscribed on the pedestal, as showing the net result of General Lee's life, the following debit items: 'First, one Lost Cause; second, one great paternal Lee estate at Arlington turned into a cemetery and filled with 15,000 union dead; third, one 'peculiar institution' (human slavery) gone into oblivion; the grand old state of Virginia divided, with her coat and timber land transferred to a new state, and the debts of the Old Dominion still remaining. As a recognition of these results this monument is erected to the pure minded soldier and general, Robert E. Lee."

"The old soldiers of the United States—Union and Confederate—are fraternizing and heartily accepting the union of the states. Everybody, north and south, respects that General Lee failed in his efforts, however pure, but there should be, and must be, a distinction in our national capitol between those who have fought for the union and those who have fought to destroy it.

"To teach coming generations there is no difference between fighting under the flag and fighting against it would be a very great mistake. The statutory hall is one for the teaching of the nation. It should not be used to commemorate the actions of those who only fought to overthrow the national government. The propriety of glorifying the Confederacy in the national capitol. There should be forgotten the national capitol, but that does not involve a national abandonment of all distinction between taking up arms for the nation and fighting on the other side, however gallant the fight may have been."

The Fair

HOUSTON FIFTH AND MAIN STS.

VISITORS TO THE FAT STOCK SHOW

WELCOME! YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO MAKE OUR STORE HEADQUARTERS WHILE IN THE CITY. VISIT OUR READY-TO-WEAR SECTION. A FEW DETAILS BELOW

Spring Costumes

- Costumes of blue Linen with collar and yoke of allover lace, edged with fancy braid; cuffs of allover lace, skirt tucked and has yoke of allover lace. **\$16 95**
- Navy blue Etamine, waist tucked allover, has ecru Medallions, velvet collar, skirt tucked and flared, made over drop skirt. **\$24 50**
- Costume of gray Etamine waist has pointed yoke with French Knots, yoke finished with drawn work of gray silk, skirt made with yoke of drawn work and stitched folds, side plaited. **\$31 50**

Separate Skirts

- New Walking Skirts in gray, green, blue, black and snow-flake, \$4.98 to **\$6 95**
- New Etamine Skirt in black, unlined, two folds of silk around hip to form yoke, and two at top of flare. **\$7 95**
- Black Etamine with nine Taffeta folds from waist to top of flare, made over drop skirt. **\$8 95**
- A Skirt of Velling Cloth, folds of same around hips and down each side of the front, Taffeta drop skirt. **\$14 95**
- A beautiful showing of Dress Skirts in Peau de Soie, Crepe de Chine, Etamine, Allover Lace, Net, etc., up to **\$46 50**

Silk Petticoats

Here is a description of the woman who will be pleased with these lustrous new Silk Petticoats—Fastidious, captious, of perfect taste, an eye for color, a knowledge of cut and workmanship and a keen sense of values. The skirts are of rich, rustling Taffeta, and would be liked at much higher prices, black and colors, \$4.98 and between prices to **\$13 95**

Comics in Next Sunday's Telegram

Next Sunday's Telegram will contain a couple of the best comic cartoons that Artist Opper has ever put out. These are a part of the Hearst features that The Telegram is running every Sunday. This week The Telegram will depict the troubles of Alphonse and Gaston and also the antics of the Katzenjammer Kids. Alphonse and Gaston are still sojourning in Africa with their dear friend Leon. The latter seeks to photograph a baby rhinoceros and the terrible calamity that befell them is drawn in Opper's best vein.

The irrepressible youngsters seek to play one of their practical jokes on the Captain. The fun is fast and furious while it lasts, but like it always ends the Kids get another good, sound spanking.

Look Out for The Sunday Telegram.

KNAPP GIVES HIS REASONS FOR MURDER

HE WANTED TO DISGRACE THE FAMILY OF HIS SISTER—HIS WIFE A MURDERESS

HAMILTON, Ohio, March 5.—The reason for the making of his confessions have been given by Knapp to his sister, Mrs. Saddle Wenzel. The prisoner harbors ill will against his sister, Mary King, and his husband and does not attempt to conceal it.

"They told me," he said, "so I just thought I would tell everything, and if they were looking for disgrace, they could have it all. I hope they are satisfied now."

"I would like to have had the money to bury Hannah," said Knapp yesterday, when told that there was no question of the identity of the body, "but as the Kings have butted in and say they are going to bury her, they can do it."

It has been decided not to confront Knapp with the body of Hannah Goddard. Prosecutor Gard did not approve of putting the prisoner, now on the verge of a serious breakdown, through the ordeal. Neither is it likely for the present that he will show Knapp the ring and earrings, as no further identification is needed.

About noon the fourth wife of Knapp, Annie Gamble of Indianapolis, arrived at the jail. In company with the deputy sheriff and Knapp, she was admitted into the presence of Knapp. She asked Knapp if his confession of the horrible murders was true, and he answered that it was. Knapp pleaded with her to remain in Hamilton, but she refused to do so, saying she would return at once to Indianapolis. She would not believe the confessions unless Knapp himself told her they were true.

Knapp accused his last dead wife, Hannah Goddard Knapp, of murder.

"The woman I killed," he said, "was no better than I am. She committed murder, and I know it, because she told me so. In Cincinnati in May, 1894, she smothered her own baby to death and said it was an accident. Her word was never questioned, and she was never suspected of the murder. Hannah told me all about it."

NEARLY A HALF MILLION MEN MAY STRIKE MAY 1

NEW YORK, March 5.—The Tribune says today: Between 300,000 and 400,000 workmen in the building trades throughout the United States are expected to be thrown idle on May 1 on account of the forthcoming demands of the structural iron workers, which the manufacturers have decided to refuse. It was learned yesterday that the manufacturers and contractors who have been meeting from time to time in the last fortnight effected permanent organization on Tuesday night at a secret meeting in an uptown hotel.

AS USUAL, THE ENGINEER GETS THE WORST OF IT

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 5.—The northbound Seaboard Limited leaving Jacksonville at 1:10 p. m., was wrecked yesterday afternoon at Evergreen, two miles south of the Georgia line, fatally injuring Engineer Pierce and seriously injuring six other members of the crew, one of whom will probably die.

A CHANGE FOR THE BETTER

The Way Physicians Now Treat Catarrh
Physicians who formerly depended upon inhalers, sprays and local washes or ointments now use Stuart's Catarrh Tablets because as one of the most prominent stated, these tablets contain in pleasant, convenient form all of the really efficient and reliable catarrh remedies, such as red gum, blood root and Hydrastin.

SUBSTITUTE WORLDS FAIR BILL IS PREPARED

AUSTIN, Texas, March 5.—Some of the friends of the proposed St. Louis World's Fair appropriation held a caucus last night and discussed the question of eliminating some of the features of the bill that is pending in the house so as to do away entirely with the objections that have been raised to it on constitutional grounds. With this end in view, Hon. J. L. Peeler of Austin was instructed to prepare a substitute bill which will contain none of the provisions of the original bill which were held by some to have been unconstitutional. Mr. Peeler will give notice to the house on next Saturday that he will on Monday call up the bill and move to substitute the one which he is preparing.

The largest gold mine in Central America, the Rosario, produced \$1,000,000 last year.
It's a 100 to 1 shot. Is that money far, but it costs nothing to play it.

HOMER BIRD WILL MEET HIS FATE TOMORROW

FAITHFUL WOMAN FAILS TO SAVE HIM FROM THE GALLOWS WHICH HE DESERVES

WASHINGTON, March 5.—President Roosevelt, having declined to interfere, the execution of Homer Bird, the Alaska murderer whose case has attracted widespread attention, will take place tomorrow in far-off Sitka. The case of Bird reads like a novel. Six years ago he was a well-to-do business man of New Orleans. He had a beautiful and talented wife, several children and a happy home. Then he met the other woman, Naomi Strong, for whom he neglected his wife and children. In 1897 he organized an expedition to Alaska, taking the woman with him, and also three men—Hurlin, Patterson and Sheffer. When the party had reached a point near the Slaughter House on the Yukon, Bird was seized with jealousy on account of the attentions of the other men to the Strong woman. He deliberately shot and killed Hurlin and inflicted a fatal wound on Patterson, from which the latter died several weeks afterward. Sheffer and the woman managed to escape and reported the facts. Bird was arrested, and at the trial the Strong woman testified against the man she had aided in ruining, and largely on her testimony, Bird was convicted of murder and sentenced to be hanged. Then his wife, who had been basely deserted, took up her efforts to save his life. She came to Washington and appealed to all the authorities here who could do anything for her husband. An appeal was pending in the courts, however, and President McKinley would not act until the appeal had been disposed of. The supreme court granted Bird a new trial. He was again put on trial and was once more convicted. Again there was an appeal on a writ of error, and a third trial was granted by the courts. On this trial Bird was for the third time convicted of murder, and as a result his execution takes place tomorrow in the jail at Sitka where he has been confined for nearly five years.

The devotion and self-sacrifice of Mrs. Bird has been most extraordinary. She attended her husband upon all three of his trials; came to Washington to see President McKinley when the first respite was granted and has expended all the money which she could raise for his defense and appeals. During her recent visits here she has been received by President Roosevelt, Attorney-General Knox and others with the greatest consideration, but the convincing evidence of Bird's guilt and the atrocity of the crime made it out of the question for any further clemency to be exercised.

DALLAS WILL HAVE SOME FAST BALL PLAYERS

DALLAS, Texas, March 5.—The Dallas players in the Texas League will report in Evansville, Ind., and open the season there March 29 and 30, and jump from there to Greenville, Miss., and play through the Cotton States League. Any team wishing exhibition games with Dallas, can address Manager C. B. Moran, Horse Cave, Ky., or Nashville, Tenn. Moran has a fast gang of youngsters to pick his team from. The following are the players he has to pick from: Catchers, Berry and Kelly; pitchers, Clark, Ralling, Eastman, Myers, Ragan and Zook; infielders, Ury, Stouch, Daugherty, Claycomb and Clark; outfielders, Nickell, Wells and Curtis. Daugherty will cover second and captain the team. The Texas League of 1903 promises to be the fastest this state has had since '88. All the clubs are paying good salaries, and have all signed strong teams. Ted Sullivan promises Paris the best team that city has ever had. In Wolf, Bateman, Welter, McKay, Butler and Walsh he has a fast gang of youngsters, who can all hit. Some of them may not be found in the Texas League in 1904.

SHAMROCK WILL BE LAUNCHED IN APRIL

LONDON, March 5.—It is now learned Shamrock III. will not be ready for launching March 17, as was originally planned, and the event will have to be postponed until next month, when the builders are confident that everything will be in readiness.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY

Stormy, wintry weather characterized the month of February in practically all parts of the state; marked fluctuations in temperature were frequent and precipitation was greatly in excess of the normal. This abnormal condition was due to the development of extensive disturbances over the lower California coast, all of which passed eastward over this state. Such a storm passed across the state during the 15th and 17th, and another of marked intensity crossed during the last week of the month; both of these storms gave unusually severe weather, the former being followed by a cold wave of great intensity, which brought freezing weather to all parts of the state and temperatures below zero in the Panhandle. Heavy snows were general over the northern and northwestern parts of the state and gave ample protection to the winter grain from the frequent cold waves.

SEARCH FOR BURIED TREASURE AT M'KINNEY

M'KINNEY, Texas, March 5.—A mysterious excavation was made last Friday night on Johnson's branch, a quarter of a mile west of the public square, in the corner of Crease Graves' farm. It was evidently a search for buried treasures. Old barrel staves and rusty iron hoops were found near by which bore the appearance of having been buried many years. The hole appeared to have been eight or ten feet deep, as it had been filled in with chunks and logs several feet

WHAT A SAMPLE BOTTLE OF SWAMP-ROOT DID.

To Prove What the Great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, Swamp-Root, Will do for YOU, Every Reader of The Daily Telegram May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.



W. F. Lohnes, a prominent business man of Springfield, O., writes the following strong endorsement of the great kidney remedy, Swamp-Root, to the editor of the Springfield, O. Republic:

"Having heard that you could procure a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, free by mail, I wrote to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle and it was promptly sent. I was so pleased after trying the sample bottle that I sent to the drug store and procured a supply. I have used Swamp-Root regularly for sometime, and consider it unsurpassed as a remedy for tropic liver, loss of appetite and general derangement of the digestive functions. I think my trouble was due to too close confinement in my business. I can recommend it highly for all liver and kidney complaints. I am not in the habit of endorsing any medicine, but in this case I cannot speak too much in praise of what Swamp-Root has done for me."

(W. F. LOHNES.)
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The mild and extraordinary effect of the world-famous kidney and bladder remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

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provided favorable weather conditions obtain.

Wheat, rye, barley and fall-sown oats continue in excellent condition generally, but in some sections more or less damage has resulted from excessive rains and the large amount of water that covers the low portions of many fields. While the freeze of the 15th-17th killed down fall-sown oats, it is the general opinion of observers that no irreparable damage to this crop has been wrought. Spring oats were killed in scattered sections, and considerable replanting of this crop will be necessitated. No damage of any consequence to winter grain by insects is reported.

Extensive loss to truckers and fruit growers was occasioned by the cold wave of the second decade of the month despite precautionary measures that were taken. Vegetables such as radishes, cauliflowers, beets, squashes, lettuce, etc., were either killed outright or badly damaged. Many truckers experienced the loss of all plants that were in "cold frames"; hot bed plants were saved in nearly all instances. The cabbage crop escaped without extensive injury. It is difficult to state the amount of injury to fruit from the hard freeze, but no doubt it was considerable in regions where the buds were well advanced; in some sections peach trees were in blossom at the time of the freeze, but are now in bloom again.

Loss of cattle, because of the severe weather during the month, has been considerable, especially in the northwestern counties, where feed was scarce and heavy snow and intensely cold weather prevailed. From several counties in the western part of the coast district reports of loss of cattle from blackleg and lamp-jaw have been received.

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SEARCH FOR BURIED TREASURE AT M'KINNEY

M'KINNEY, Texas, March 5.—A mysterious excavation was made last Friday night on Johnson's branch, a quarter of a mile west of the public square, in the corner of Crease Graves' farm. It was evidently a search for buried treasures. Old barrel staves and rusty iron hoops were found near by which bore the appearance of having been buried many years. The hole appeared to have been eight or ten feet deep, as it had been filled in with chunks and logs several feet

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INTEREST IN GOOD ROADS CENTERS IN BROWNWOOD

BROWNWOOD, Texas, March 4.—The recent rains have had a tendency to create an interest in good roads in the Brownwood country. The roads here are generally so good that the people pay but little attention to them, but for two months past there has been over eight inches of rainfall, with two pretty good snows mixed in for good count. Conditions therefore are unusual. The Business League has appointed a good roads committee and at yesterday's session of that body Hal R. Hardeman, of that committee, was appointed a delegate to the good roads convention at Dallas, March 13 and 19.

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THE WEATHER

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J. W. Adams & Co., Feed, Fuel and Produce, 400 W. Weatherford. Phone 529.
Dr. McCoy, specialist, Columbia building.

Mr. Foote's postponed german will be given Thursday night this week.
Roy & Leffler, practical jewelers, 602 Main street. Work called for and delivered. Phone 1535.

Dr. Furman, over Smallwood's drug store, opposite Hotel Worth.
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A. G. Webb, a prominent cattleman of Bland, Texas, is in Fort Worth attending the fat stock show.

Mrs. George E. Johnson, who has been confined to her home for the past week with illness, is convalescent.

Miss Rose Howard will talk on "Orpheus and Eurydice" in the young people's room of the Carnegie library at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

The regular monthly meeting of the Julia Jackson chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, is postponed until next Friday. By order of the president.

The students' recital to have been given tonight at the Fort Worth university has been indefinitely postponed on account of the illness of several students who were to have taken part.

A defective fire caused a small blaze at the home of G. Horr, 1605 East Fourth street last night, doing about \$5 damage. The department responded to an alarm and quickly extinguished the fire.

The general board of education is responsible for much of the advance in educational work and methods in the country, and the southern branch is greatly responsible for the improved conditions in the south. Professor Claxton is said to be a very interesting speaker.

The switchboard of the fire alarm system is being set up in the central fire station today. It is enclosed in an oak cabinet, which is the work of Lusher & Rockett. The board will be ready for use in two or three days. It is being placed in a room at the rear of the second floor.

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PRIZES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS WHO READ THE TELEGRAM

Here is a chance for some bright and energetic boy or girl to earn \$5 between now and April 5. The Telegram offers the chance to anyone who is energetic and wide-awake.

The Telegram wants items of news. It wants to know when people leave the city or come to it. It wants to know who are visiting here. It wants to know about the meetings of societies and other organizations. In other words, it wants to know all the little as well as big happenings in Fort Worth.

Such items are news and The Telegram wants to print news. The Telegram believes every boy and girl in Fort Worth has fifty and perhaps a hundred friends who come and go and hold meetings that should be mentioned in the paper. Believing this, The Telegram hereby offers prizes for boys and girls who will bring to The Telegram office or write and send to it or telephone to it bona fide items of news such as have been described.

Two prizes are offered. The boy or girl sending in the largest number of items by April 5 will receive \$5 in cash. The one sending in next to the largest number will receive \$3 in cash.

Each boy and girl must keep a "string" of the items he or she sends in. Each one sending in items will make a "string" by cutting from The Telegram the items sent in and printed and pasting all the clippings secured in this way together.

The Telegram office will also keep a "string" for each boy and girl and the winner of the contest will be determined after figuring up the "strings" at the end of the month.

In order that The Telegram office may keep its "strings" correctly, every item sent in must be accompanied by the name of the boy or girl who sends it. No boy or girl will be given credit for an item which is not accompanied by the name.

The Telegram office is at 1010-1012 Houston street, and the editorial room telephone number is 676.

Every item must contain the correct name and initials and address of every person mentioned in it. The names must be spelled correctly. The facts stated in the item must be correct. Any boy or girl who sends in an item which is found to be untrue will be ruled out of the contest.

All items must be in The Telegram office before 1 o'clock of the day on which they are to be used. Remember, The Telegram wants always to know about things the day they happen. Announcements for future events will be all right and will count in the contest. Items that have already been printed in The Telegram, whether gathered by regular reporters or by contestants will not be printed a second time and will not count in the contest.

PRISONERS' QUINTET GIVES CONCERTS

Many men of musical tendencies have languished behind the bars of the city prison, but never before have such singers been gathered in as compose the quintet which now gives nightly concerts.

Three negroes and two white men are in the organization and the work they do would put in the shade many other organizations which appear in evening dress before the footlights.

ARE NOT STYLISH
"Our chorus isn't much for style," said Police Clerk Newby yesterday. "They don't stand up in a row all dressed in the latest, but they sing just the same."

"One sits in a corner, another lies on the floor and a third leans against the wall. But when they start up everybody listens."

A FULL QUINTET
The prison organization is a complete quintet, having a first bass and second bass, first tenor and second tenor and baritone. The voices mingle perfectly.

"The men don't sing just for their own amusement," said Clerk Newby. "A religious service is held here every Sunday and they lead in the singing and do good work."

The members of the organization were locked up to serve out small fines for minor offenses.

FORT WORTH AND ITS IMPASSABLE STREETS

Fort Worth's bad streets cost the city a good citizen and his family during the last week.

A well known physician and surgeon of Cleveland, Ohio, came to Fort Worth a little over a week ago. He brought his family with him. They located in a prominent boarding house of the city and for four days waited for the rain to quit and the streets to dry up sufficiently to allow getting down town.

But the "longed for" never came and in thorough disgust Fort Worth was "shook." The doctor took his family to Washington, D. C., where the streets are at least passable.

And this may be but one of a dozen cases that the general public ever hears of. There are probably many others who have done the same thing. Nothing will disgust a stranger so much as to have to literally wade, shoo-p-tro, across a muddy street crossing. It's bad enough to have streets that are impassable to vehicles, but when it comes to a pass where the crossings are in such condition that one cannot get across the street it must be admitted that things have reached an almost intolerable state of affairs.

Houston street never before was in such a deplorable condition. At the west crossing on Ninth street one runs a grave chance of being literally drowned. This crossing is evidently way below the grade. There is a gutter just off the slope which veritably goes down into the bowels of the earth and makes even the strongest team of horses or mules strain hard at the traces to pull a wagon through. The other three crossings at the same intersection are little better. All the way up and down Houston street there are few crossings that are in better condition.

Houston street merchants are losing dollars and dollars every day in this kind of weather. The street which passes their doors is practically impassable. No one is going to use the street unless it is absolutely necessary. What a difference there might be if the street was paved. Paving prostitution is surely a thief which is robbing Houston street merchants every hour in the day.

The only real consolation—and a mighty poor one at that—for the Houston street merchant lies in the fact that though Main street is paved the mud is so thick on the brick surface that a stranger has an even chance on a toss up as to whether the street is paved or not. The lower end of Main street is in about as muddy a condition as it could possibly get. A great deal of the fault of this state of affairs on Main street lies in the fact that there are sections on the street which have never been paved and vehicles in pulling through these sections fill the wheels full of sticky mud, which is later thrown off on the pavement. There are property owners on Main street who are mighty poor specimens of loyalty and progress.

There are so many things to condemn in the streets of Fort Worth when the weather is bad, that one hesitates to point out the bad places. To do so would make more composition for The Telegram's typesetting machines than they could get out during the balance of the week, setting nothing else.

Fort Worth's salvation lies in better streets. The city must rely on strangers to build up the town. The process of upbuilding will go mighty slow with the kind of streets that the city now has.

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AMUSEMENTS

"MACBETH"

As Macbeth Charles D. Herman is fully as good as he is in Othello. The tragedy was presented last night before a somewhat larger audience than the one of the preceding evening. Francis McGinn, who made a good logo the previous evening, is a better McDuff, and Miss Anna Roberts is better as Lady Macbeth than as Desdemona.

The audience liked Francis McGinn when, as MacDuff, exiled to England, he heard the news of the murder of his wife and children. His final duel with Macbeth was done with a spirit and vigor that was also well applauded.

The company returns here for a matinee and evening engagement Saturday.

AL H. WILSON
Al H. Wilson is always sure of a cordial welcome and liberal patronage in this city, but this season he can confidently look forward to arousing even greater interest and enthusiasm, as he comes in a new romantic play "A Prince of Tatters," by that prolific writer, Sidney R. Ellis, a play in which he has scored great personal success.

The supporting company is all that could be desired and the management, Messrs. Yale and Ellis, have staged the play on a lavish scale of scenic splendor.

Mr. Wilson comes to Greenwall's opera house tonight for the last performance.

KATHRYN KIDDER

In the fine quality of power and the great compass of facile expressions, no payer is further to the fore than Miss Kathryn Kidder, whose local appearance at Greenwall's opera house Friday night, March 5, in Dumas' latest success, "An Eye for an Eye," will prove one of the events of the season. Although a young woman, her successes have included almost the entire range of Shakespeare's heroines. Everybody has heard of her prodigious hit in the title role of "Mme. Sans Gene."

Theatergoers fortunate enough to have witnessed Miss Kidder's performance of the vivacious French haughty of Napoleon's early campaigns rank it as one of the delights of this generation's limited list of refined theatrical pleasures.

WARDE COMPANY

"Romeo and Juliet" comes to Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee, March 7 and Saturday night "A Battle of Hearts," will be presented by Mr. Charles D. Herman and the famous Warde Company. The leading role will be taken by Mr. Herman who has been connected for many years with Louis James and Frederick Warde, and has met the approval of both the public and press all over the country. The female parts will be taken by Miss Anna Roberts, a young and beautiful and promising actress, and the other roles by members of the famous Warde company that supported the great tragedian Frederick Ward last season, that has made a happy impression wherever they have appeared.

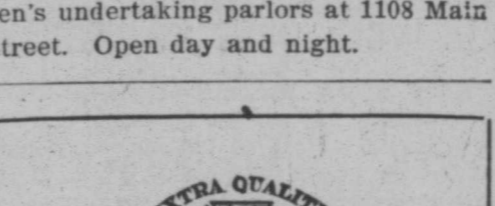
Mr. Herman carries a complete production for each of his plays.

MOREY STOCK COMPANY

The Morey Stock Company will open a five-nights engagement at Greenwall's opera house Monday night, March 9, their opening play "Credit Lorraine."

If accompanied by a paid 30-cent ticket one lady will be admitted free Monday night, but free seats must be reserved at the seat sale before 6 p. m. Prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents. Daily matinees commencing Tuesday.

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WATCH FOR CROOKS IN STOCK SHOW CROWD

The prisoners' dock in the corporation court showed the effects this morning of the fat stock show. The police have been instructed to look out for suspicious characters and several men who were arraigned before Judge Stewart this morning received rigid examination.

The Cattle Raisers' convention in El Paso will be a great drawing card for the crooks of the country and Fort Worth during the stock show will be a convenient stopping place for them on their way west.

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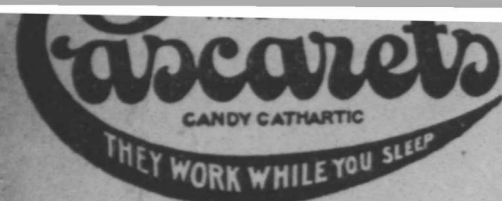
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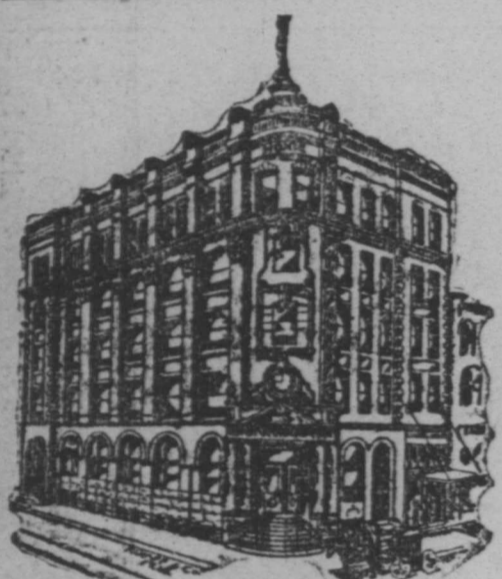
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INJURED - BURNING AND SCALDING ADD TO HORRORS

COLUMBUS, Texas, March 5.—A terrible wreck occurred on the Southern Pacific last evening two miles east of Alleton and five miles from this place. As regular westbound passenger train No. 7 was coming around the curve on the McLeod place about 3 o'clock this afternoon the engine, tender, baggage and mail cars and two passenger coaches left the track, resulting in the killing of two colored passengers and the serious injuring of ten or twelve more, and injuring of Engineer Ben Pickrens and the serious if not fatal injuring of Fireman Frank Roberts.
The catastrophes occurred upon a dump about ten feet high, thrown up for the purpose of elevating the track above overflows, and the supposed cause is the spreading of the rails.

The engine completely turned over and around and is now headed to the east on the north side of the track. The tender and mail car passed it and went off to the south, the tender being thirty feet from the track. The baggage car passed over the engine into the ditch, and the colored coach lodged on top of the engine, with the smoking car next to it. As the colored coach fell upon the engine, the bottom was completely knocked out of the forward end and it immediately filled with hot steam, completely blinding the passengers and burning and scalding several of them almost beyond recognition. Two fell through upon the hot engine and were almost instantly burned to death. At a late hour their bodies are still under the wreck, within sight, beyond the reach of rescuers.

The engineer and fireman were picked up from the ditch where they had fallen and were nearly drowned when rescued. Mr. Pickrens' wounds are not serious, but Fireman Roberts has serious wounds in the hip and thigh and a severe cut in the cheek.

MEN FIGHT LIKE CAT AND DOG IN ALABAMA

GUNTERVILLE, Ala., March 5. — A telephone message from Grant, a small hamlet, seven miles from this place, gives the details of a bloody fight which occurred near that place between the Taylor boys and the Barkleys.

As a result, Tom Barkley is dead and three others are injured. The Barkley boys, Joe and Tom, were moving their household effects, when the Taylors began ganging them about moving the cat. The Barkleys got mad and the fight began. Seizing a heavy stick Tom Barkley knocked down two of his tormentors and made for the remaining one. This one pulled a pistol and began firing, shooting Tom Barkley through the arm. At the conclusion of the battle Tom Barkley was lying in the dust, with his skull crushed, a pistol ball through his arm and many knife wounds in his body. He lived only a short time.

The remainder of the party were covered with wounds and severely injured.

CUBAN RECIPROCITY TO BE PUT AHEAD OF PANAMA

WASHINGTON, March 5.—There is a probability that the Cuban reciprocity treaty will be taken up at the extra session of the senate in advance of the Panama canal treaty, but the order of business will not be determined for a day or two. When the senate goes into executive session today the treaties will be referred to the committee on foreign relations, a proceeding which is made necessary by the expiration of the old congress and the opening of the new. It is the desire of Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee, to have the senate dispose of as many as possible of the pending treaties. These include not only the Panama canal and Cuban treaties, but extradition treaties, and also some others of minor importance.

It is generally believed the called session will continue for two or three weeks.

PRESIDENT-ELECT ENTERS CAPITAL OF HONDURAS

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, March 5.—Advices that have been received here from Costa Rica say that General Bonilla, the president-elect, to whom General Sierra refused to surrender the presidency, has entered Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras, and that General Sierra and General Arias, who was appointed president by Sierra when the latter took the field against Bonilla, have retreated to a stronghold in one of the northern departments, accompanied by their best fighting men.
It is not believed here that General Bonilla will succeed in retaining power at Tegucigalpa.

Chronic Diarrhoea

Mr. C. B. Wingfield, of Fair Play, Mo., who suffered from chronic dysentery for thirty-five years, says Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy did him more good than any other medicine he had ever used. For sale by N. E. Grammer, druggist.

Special Rates Via M., K. and T.

\$10.00 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.

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City Ticket Agent, 905 Main street.

The crystal palace tower at the St. Louis fair will be 1,050 feet high.

MURDER OF HIS SWEETHEART YEAR AGO THIS MONTH

KANSAS CITY, March 5.—Unless there is unexpected intervention on the part of the executive power "Bud" Taylor, formerly a well known ball player, will be executed tomorrow. Taylor's crime was the murder of his sweetheart, Ruth Nollard, March 2, 1901. The deed was one of the most cold blooded crimes ever committed in Kansas City.

Taylor, who was married and had one child, became infatuated with Miss Nollard and their intimacy lasted several months. They had many quarrels, followed by threats of violence, warrants for Taylor's arrest, and usually by reconciliations. But the girl finally transferred her affections to another and this so crazed Taylor that he determined to take her life. In fulfillment of his plans he rented an up stairs room in West Ninth street, through which thoroughfare he was sure the girl would pass, and, armed with a repeating rifle, he patiently lay in wait for his victim for three days. Finally his vigil was rewarded by the appearance of the girl and her younger sister coming down the street arm in arm. He took deliberate aim and fired three times in rapid succession. The girl fell pierced by two bullets, and she died soon after being removed to her home. After her arrest he made an unsuccessful attempt at self-destruction. At his trial epileptic insanity was urged as a defense by his attorneys. He was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged.

The condemned man is not yet 25 years of age. His mother died soon after his conviction, but he has other relatives in this city, Chicago and New Orleans. Strenuous efforts have been made to save him from the gallows, but four weeks ago final hope was abandoned when the state supreme court reaffirmed the decision of the lower court.

CARS PILED HIGH AND DOZEN PEOPLE INJURED

KANSAS CITY, March 5.—More than a dozen persons were injured, three cars were derailed and one coach was demolished last night in the Kansas City yards of the Union Pacific, when a west-bound Rock Island train ran diagonally with an eastbound Rock Island train, which was late, trying to make a siding. The locomotive and baggage cars of the eastbound train were on the side track, when the westbound train reached the switch and crashed into the smoking car as it was passing from the main track to the side track. All the injured persons were in the smoking car, which was turned over and crushed. Two day coaches behind the smoker on the incoming train were thrown off the track but the sleeping cars held to the rails.

The westbound train was running at a good speed when it struck the eastbound train. The passengers in the day coaches were bruised.

The westbound train carried passengers for the southwest, while the incoming train brought passengers from Colorado and the west.

A NEW TRIAL DENIED TO ALBERT T. PATRICK

NEW YORK, March 5.—Recorder Goff has denied the motion for a new trial for Lawyer Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of William M. Rice. The motion was made on the grounds of the "newly discovered evidence" of promises of immunity to Valet Jones, who confesses that he killed Rice at Patrick's instigation, and a report of the autopsy in which no discovery was made that the civil and criminal cases had been allied on the prosecution's side. Patrick's lawyers have appealed from the decision. The case, on appeal, will probably not be ready until autumn, and a decision is hardly expected within a year after that. Rice was killed in September, 1900.

A REMARKABLE CASE

One of the most remarkable cases of a cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I run down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength."

MILLIONS FOR STEEL WORKS IN TENNESSEE

CHATTANOOGA, March 5.—In Wayne county Pittsburg capitalists have just completed the purchase of 72,000 acres of the richest fields in the southern iron belt, and an initial investment of \$5,000,000 is to be made in developing the properties. Furnaces equaling in capacity any in the Chattanooga or Alabama district will be built, rolling mills and other plants for finishing will be erected, and the iron will be carried from the rough ore to structural steel on the premises of the new company.

BENEFIT FOR FAMINE SUFFERERS IN FINLAND

CHICAGO, March 5.—For the benefit of the famine sufferers in Scandinavia and Finland the Norwegian National League gives a mammoth concert and entertainment in the auditorium tonight. The Hon. Luther Laffin Mills is to deliver the oration, and the United Norwegian Singing societies will render patriotic songs. It is hoped the relief fund will be increased several thousand dollars by the entertainment.

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SAYS UNITY OF RACES IS COMING TO PASS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 5.—Bishop John W. Hamilton of the Methodist Episcopal church, whose remarks on miscegenation a few days ago have attracted much attention, arrived here today. He says:

"I was illustrating what the church should be in unity by the example of the family, and that led me to speak about marriage. I said I had married many sorts of couples; that I even had married a white girl to a negro, and then I spoke about the tendency of the race to become as it originally was, a unit. It was not what I like, but what is coming to pass."

"In the South last year 30,000 mulattos were born. We say the Indian is dying out when the truth is that he is dying in. Society is receiving squawmen and saying nothing about it. Remember, that I have not been saying that this is my taste in the matter, but I have no business choosing a wife for another man."

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," says Henry T. Crook, pressman of the Asheville (N. C.) Gazette. "I contracted a severe case of rheumatism early last winter by getting my feet wet. I tried several things for it without benefit. One day while looking over the Gazette, I noticed that Pain Balm was positively guaranteed to cure rheumatism, so bought a bottle of it and before using two-thirds of it my rheumatism had taken its flight and I have not had a rheumatic pain since." Sold by N. E. Grammer, druggist.

PRUSSIAN CROWN PRINCE WILL MAKE TOUR OF LEVANT

BERLIN, March 5.—Within a few days the Prussian Crown Prince and his brother, Prince Ethel Friedrich, will set out for the Trieste on a two months' tour of Egypt and the Levant. An English yacht, specially chartered for the occasion, will take them in the first instance, from the Adriatic to Alexandria. From this historic city they will visit Cairo and the Pyramids, sail up the Nile, visit the Cataracts, and see the progress which Khartoum is making under British rule. From Egypt they will set sail for Jaffa, and then push on to Jerusalem and other holy places which the emperor visited in imperial state a few years ago. On their return from this pilgrimage they intend to pay their respects to the sultan, and from Stambul they will visit King George at Athens. The return home will be by way of Naples, Rome, Florence and Venice.

VISITORS INVITED

The committee earnestly requests that the citizens of Fort Worth attend this show as stated above; everybody will be comfortable, and you can get anything you want to eat. The Northern Texas Traction Company will run any number of first-class cars to accommodate the crowd and the committee can truthfully say the visitors and citizens of Fort Worth will see a class of cattle never shown before in this country. Come to the stock yards and look them over, and see the kind of cattle it takes to improve our natives so that we can keep our packing houses supplied with as good beef cattle as the northern states furnish.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS MEET AT HOUSTON

(Special to The Telegram.)
HOUSTON, March 5.—Members of the brotherhood of locomotive engineers are here from all the Southern and Western states in attendance on the big union meeting which will be in session during the next two days. The list of visitors is headed by Grand Chief P. M. Arthur of Cleveland, and a number of the other officers and members of the national executive committee are present. The business sessions, the first of which was called to order in the auditorium this afternoon, will be interspersed with various features of entertainment provided by the local members of the organization.

The money jar! Have you made your estimate yet?

Russia for 15 years has encouraged the cultivation of cotton in Turkestan, and she has succeeded. In 1859 the cotton crop was 76,000 bales, while the estimated production for 1903 will be 594,000 bales.

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ATTEMPTED ASSAULT CASE ON TRIAL

trict court began this morning hearing evidence in the case of the state of Texas against J. J. Randle, charged with attempted assault upon Mrs. C. C. Crow. Most of the morning was taken up with securing a jury and Mrs. Crow was placed on the stand about 11 o'clock. She gave an account of the alleged assault upon her, one of the chief points in her testimony being that so far as she knew Randle was not intoxicated at the time. Randle is a deliveryman for a grocery and took an order of goods to the Crow home at the time of the alleged assault. Two other witnesses were examined before noon when the court adjourned until 5 o'clock this evening on account of the funeral of Chesley A. Daniels, who made his home up to the time of his sudden death with County Attorney O. S. Jattmore.

WANTS HIS INSURANCE
Judge Smith of the Seventeenth district court spent the morning on the case of Thomas V. Wright against the Travelers' Protective Association. Wright is suing for \$510.70 due him, he alleges, in benefits for the time he was incapacitated from working by an injury to his ankle. Wright alleges that he had a policy in the association guaranteeing him \$25 a week in case he was injured. He says as a result of a sprained ankle he was confined for twenty weeks and three days.

ATKINS GETS VERDICT
J. W. Atkins secured a judgment in Judge Smith's court last night for \$1,500 damages from the Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railway Company for injuries to his arms and legs. His case was on trial two days and went to the jury yesterday, the verdict being returned last night.

The evidence in the case of J. E. McCaskey, charged with swindling, has not yet returned a verdict in Judge Dunklin's court, although it has been at work since yesterday. In the county court this morning E. G. Brown pleaded guilty to a charge of aggravated assault and was fined \$25 and costs. His bond was forfeited and his attorneys entered the plea for him.

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BENEFIT ENTERTAINMENT SWEDISH SUFFERERS

The Society Sophia organization of the Swedish women of Fort Worth, gave an entertainment in the hall at 1409 Main street last night for the benefit of the famine-stricken people of North Sweden. There was a large attendance at the affair, including all the members of the Swedish Men's Club, which is known as the Oscar Club. A program was rendered consisting of the following numbers: Address of welcome by Rev. Mr. Dahl; piano solo by Miss Hulda Johnson; recitation by Mr. Bergstrom; recitation by Miss Ery Johnson; piano solo by Miss Lillian Johnson; recitation by Christy Anderson; recitation by Miss Lillian Walker, 4 years old; humorous speech by J. Karberg; national hymn of Sweden, sung by the audience. Coffee and cake were served and a neat sum realized from admission. The two Swedish societies of Fort Worth have raised about \$200 for the famine sufferers of their fatherland and are continuing their efforts. The money is sent to distributing points in North Sweden, where it is used to help the sufferers.

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THE DENVER ROAD IS FREE OF SNOW

LEAD RAILROADS—THE DENVER TRAINS ARE NOW BEING OPERATED ON SCHEDULE TIME

Crowds Going to El Paso to the Cattle-men's Convention Will Be Handled Without Delay, Being Routed by the Rock Island at Dalhart

The snow blockade prevalent some days ago on the Fort Worth and Denver City railroad has been entirely cleared and the Denver officials say trains are being operated over this line on regular schedules. The opinion has become prevalent to some extent that the Denver will not be able to accommodate those who are anticipating a trip by way of this route to El Paso next week to attend the annual convention of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association. The Denver, with its Rock Island connections at Dalhart, will afford every accommodation at its advertised rates, and those who have been anticipating this trip over this route may be assured that there will be no delay or inconvenience on account of recent blockades, all of which have been cleared.

RAINS PLAY HAVOC
The rains of the past few weeks are having direful effects on the roadbeds of the various railroads of the state. Trains are uncertain quantities and the management of the various roads in the territory thus affected are experiencing unprecedented, protracted trouble in the operating department of the service. It is impossible to make schedule time, and a four or five hour delay is common. No. 6 on the Texas and Pacific, due at 6:30 this morning, did not arrive until 11 o'clock. Rock Island No. 1, due at 7:10, arrived four hours late, which was the fate of the Cotton Belt, No. 5. With the exception of No. 5, the south-bound Santa Fe, which was three hours and twenty minutes late this morning, little trouble was experienced in the way of late trains by passengers at the Union depot.

HEAVY TRAFFIC
On account of the large amount of business on the Rio Grande division of the Texas and Pacific and the shortage of motive power, six engines have been transferred from the Marshall division to Big Springs, for use on that division.

CELEBRATED HOG CASE ENDED
Another decision was reached in the celebrated "fat hog" case in the courts at Kansas City last Tuesday. This lawsuit has been in the courts for years and has an interesting history. A. P. Bowring owned a fat hog which he exhibited in a tent at county fairs. It weighed 1,500 pounds. He shipped it over the Wabash railroad and in transit it died. He sued the Wabash for \$1,500, alleging that the hog died because it was not properly cared for on the train. That suit was brought in Clay county and it was tried twice. In the second of these trials Bowring lost, and he appealed to the Kansas City court of appeals, which reversed the judgment of the Clay county circuit court and sent the case back for another trial. At the third trial Bowring dismissed the suit at the close of the evidence and judgment was rendered against him in favor of the Wabash railroad for \$261 costs. Bowring then brought suit in Jackson county and took a change of venue to Johnson county, where in March, 1900, he obtained judgment for \$225. So that while Bowring had a judgment against the railroad the railroad also had a judgment against him for a larger amount. Then the railroad company brought suit to have its judgment set off against Bowring's judgment. The trial court refused this request of the railroad company, holding that as Bowring was the head of a family the hog was exempt from execution under the judgment for debt. The railroad company appealed and the court of appeals reversed the judgment of the lower court for the reason that Bowring had sold to another his judgment against the railroad company and thereby all right of exemption ceased.

FURTHER ORGANIZATION
An effort is being made at various places throughout the United States to organize the employes of railroads engaged in section work or road maintenance. The union is known as the Maintenance of Way Association. It is said that as soon as the employes in this department of the work become thoroughly organized a demand will be made for a general advance in the wages of men employed on the section to \$12.75 a day instead of from \$11.25 to \$13.25, the present remuneration for such work.

IMPORTANT TO RAILROADS
Railroad companies throughout the United States, operating with the latest improvements, will be interested in the result of the case of Sprague vs. the Santa Fe Railroad Company, decided in favor of the company recently at Emporia, Kan. The damage suit while nominally for \$15,000, carries greater value to it than is implied in the figures represented in the amount of property destroyed. Plaintiff claimed a spark from an engine caused the conflagration. Judge Madden instructed that if the company had good modern appliances and careful and competent engineers and firemen who operated the engines in a careful and prudent manner, then the company was not liable. This was the third trial. In both previous cases the juries disagreed.

WABASH-IRON MOUNTAIN MERGER
Assertions equally as positive as the denials continue prevalent regarding the merger of the Wabash and Iron Mountain interests. It is now said that the deal will be formally closed within a very few days and that the \$50,000,000 bond issue of the Iron Mountain was primarily for that purpose. It is said that it will be a comparatively easy matter to bring the two roads together, and should control of the Wabash be transferred to the Iron Mountain there would be little change in the traffic arrangements now existing between the two properties.

LOCATING NEW LINE
A special from Austin, Texas, to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat under date of March 2, contains the information that

the Panhandle and Gulf Railroad Company, which is the Texas corporation of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient, will soon place engineers in the field to locate their proposed branch line which is to run from San Angelo, Texas, to Laredo, on the Rio Grande border, a distance of about five hundred miles. This branch railroad and Great Northern and the Mexican National. It will also connect with the San Antonio line of the Mexican Central, which is now under construction. It will traverse a section of the state that is now lacking in railway transportation facilities.

GRAND OPENING BALL
Invitations have been issued to the opening ball of the spring season at the Crescent hotel at Eureka Springs, Ark., the date of the event being Saturday, March 14. The Crescent is one of the largest and most popular hotels in the Springs city. It is operated by the Frisco system, and is under the management of E. E. Sumner. The Frisco maintains low rates to Eureka Springs from Texas points the year round.

CAME VIA FORT WORTH
Rock Island passenger train No. 29 was blocked on its usual route from Kansas City to El Paso, and was compelled to come via this city, arriving here over the Texas and Pacific at 2 o'clock this morning.

MANY EMIGRANTS
Cotton Belt and Texas and Pacific trains from the east last night brought an unusually large number of emigrants for Oklahoma and southern Texas points. Transfers for various points representing the respective destinations of the travelers were made here last night and this morning, belated trains and broken connections resulting in more or less disappointment and confusion.

RAILROAD NEWS AND PERSONALS

A territorial charter has been granted to the Oklahoma and Southwestern Railroad Company with \$500,000 capital to construct a line through Custer, Roger Mills and Day counties, Oklahoma. The incorporators are Martin Lally of Little Rock, Ark., and Oklahoma capitalists. Dr. J. A. Moore of Marshall, Texas, recently appointed to succeed Dr. B. F. Eads, deceased, as chief surgeon of the entire Texas and Pacific system, has the distinction of being the youngest chief surgeon of a great railway system in the southwest, and, it is thought, perhaps in the entire United States. Dr. Moore is not yet 30. He is a man of brilliant attainments and has many friends, who predict a great future for him. George Gudeon, chief of construction for the Western Union Telegraph Company, is in the city today.

John F. Rogerman of Dallas, traveling passenger agent for the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern, is in the city. John F. Lehane, general freight and passenger agent for the Cotton Belt, with headquarters at Tyler, is in the city for a few days' visit with his family. W. S. R. Parker, commercial agent for the Santa Fe, has returned from a business trip to various points in the Indian Territory. E. L. Hunter, live stock agent for the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, is home for a few days, primarily to attend the fat stock show. W. S. Polhemus, superintendent of the joint track, is improving rapidly from a week's illness.

SENATE MEETS IN SPECIAL SESSION

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, March 5.—The United States senate met at noon today in special session called by the president. The scene was a brilliant one, and not unlike the opening of every session of congress. The oath was administered to twenty-six senators, sixteen of whom had been re-elected.

SMOOT IS SWORN IN
In his message to the senate President Roosevelt asks for special attention to the Colombian canal treaty and reciprocity treaty with Cuba. He says: "Of great and far-reaching importance are these two treaties to the welfare of the United States and the urgent need for their adoption requires me to impress upon you the inconvenience of meeting at this time." Among the new senators sworn in was Smoot of Utah. No objection was made to his taking the oath, to which he subscribed with an emphatic "I do."

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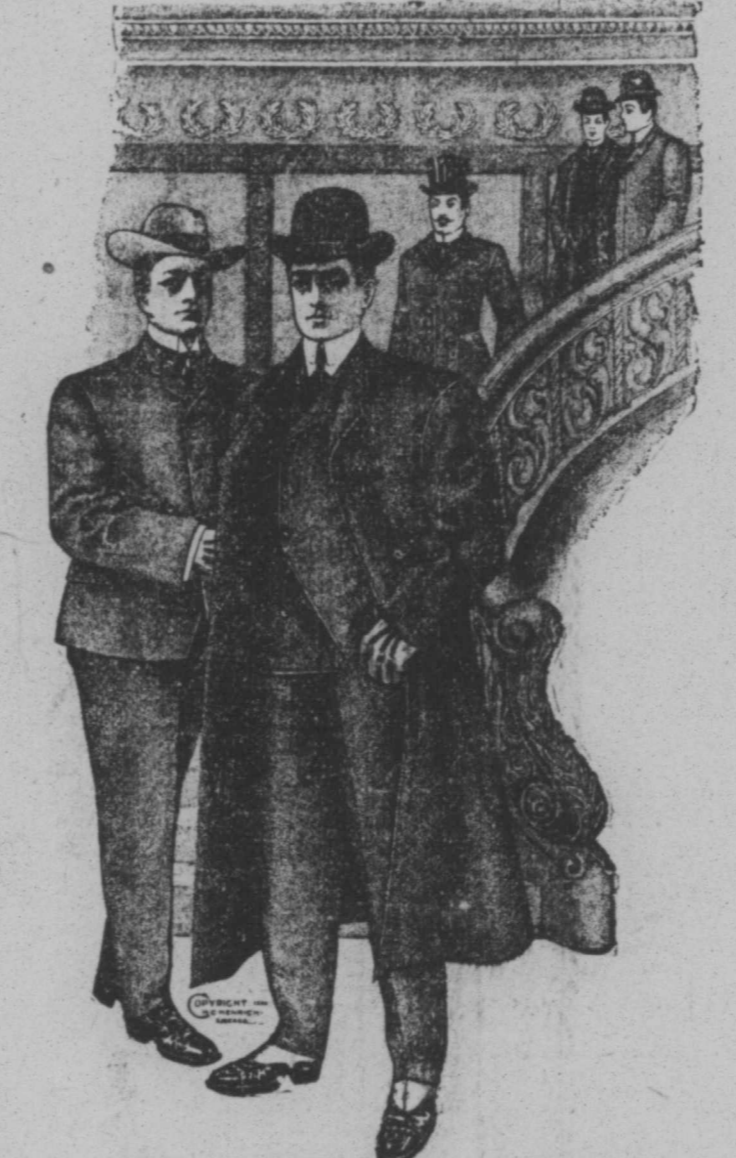
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TRUSTEES WILL MEET IN MCKINNEY MARCH 18-19

Rev. D. R. Claggett, president of the Texas Presbyterian University, which is to be opened at McKinney, Texas, arrived in Fort Worth this morning from El Paso, where he had been on a visit. He spent the morning with Rev. Junius B. French of the Broadway church. Dr. Claggett announced that the board of trustees of the university would meet in McKinney for the first time March 18 and 19. A special two days' program is being arranged for the occasion and the people of McKinney plan to make the meeting a memorable occasion. Addresses will be delivered by several distinguished Texans and a few persons from other states. Judge Brown of the Texas supreme court will be one of the orators. McKinney has given \$50,000 for the ground and buildings and \$30,000 toward the endowment of the university and 250 acres of land has been secured. Of this 100 acres will be used for a campus and will be artistically laid out with winding driveways. The remaining 150 acres will be sold for residences and it is believed will bring \$50,000.

ADDITIONAL CITY BRIEFS

John Dart of Palestine purchased a car load of mules in the local markets yesterday.

Miss Bertha Summy of Fort Worth is at home with her relatives on South Vine street—Tyler Courier.

Mrs. Dave Bomar of Fort Worth is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bomar—Galveston Hesperian.

Oliver Peegees of Longview is in the local market for a car load of mules, are also John R. Mahone of Marshall and H. S. Dees of Little Rock, Ark., the latter for two cars.

The regular meeting of the domestic science department of the Department Club will be held at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning in the rooms of the cooking school at 207 East Fifteenth street.

Cookie & Simmons today report the receipt of two cars of mules, one from Hillsboro and one from Bonham. Through R. C. High the above firm reports the sale of one car to James Tier of Cushman, Louisiana.

"I am thinking seriously," he began, "of....."

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