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NEW POSTAL CLERKS ARE VERY EASY

ARE INVESTIGATING

WESTERN DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS LOOKING INTO THE DETAILS OF THE PLAN

HOW THE SCHEME WORKED

Useless Employees Would Give Up Their Cash to Gentle Strangers Representing Their Influence in Washington, in Order to Get Promotion Out of Turn

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, April 17.—Three postoffice inspectors from western divisions have been busy engaged in the federal building here examining employees regarding the alleged promotion syndicate. More than a dozen clerks in the general postoffice were called before the inspectors and questioned closely.

What answers the men made cannot be learned, nor will the clerks so questioned even admit that they were called upon in connection with the syndicate. It is evident all have been cautioned against talking.

While some of the postal officials will admit it is learned from a reliable authority that the method of the syndicate was as follows:

HOW IT WORKED

One of two or three men in the general postoffice in this city would approach a clerk who was on the list recommended for promotion. This clerk would be informed it was known he was not on the list of 1,616 men recommended by Postmaster Van Cott, the promotions to take effect July 1. The agent would say that, through certain Washington connections, he was able to promise that the clerk would be placed on the list.

Usually, unless the clerk was satisfied his record was so good his promotion was practically assured, an agreement was entered into whereby money was paid to the agent, the understanding being that if the promotion was not made the money was to be refunded.

It was evident that the syndicate had access to the list as recommended by the postmaster and sent to the division of salaries and allowances, for a comparison is said to have been made between this list and that of men employed in the postoffice. All the men whose names really had been left off the list were approached and informed that they had not been recommended for promotion, but it "could be fixed."

This was accomplished, it is said, by dropping some of the men recommended by the postmaster. It is understood also the list as recommended by the Washington department differed in many respects from that sent in by the postmaster. The amount paid to the agents is said to have been from \$25 to \$50 per man. To keep the men from talking to each other about the scheme, the agent represented to the employees approached that his friend in Washington who "had the pull" could get only one or two men on the list. This "friend" was represented as occupying a position so close to the chief officials that the addition of one or two names would be made a personal favor. Each clerk was cautioned he must not say anything about the plan would get to other ears and the clerks in Washington would be overwhelmed with applications from "new York friends" to get them on the list of recommended employees, the result being that none of them would get an advance.

It is said nearly a thousand clerks paid their money to the agents of the syndicate in New York.

In addition to the three inspectors at Waco examining clerks, six others are known to be in the city, detailed on other ends of the scandal.

INDIANS WILL RESIST PROPOSED ALLOTMENT

ARDMORE, I. T., April 17.—Reports from Pontotoc state that a large number of full-bloods near that place held a stormy meeting, the purpose being to resist allotment.

UNIQUE CLUB TO GIVE ANNUAL DINNER TONIGHT

NEW YORK, April 17.—The Amen Corporation, one of the most unique organizations in the metropolitan area, is to give its annual dinner at the Fifth Avenue hotel tonight. The dinner of the Amen Corner, for a number of years, have been given in the honor of an individual, but this year the dinner is to be given in honor of every member of the Amen Corporation—republicans, democrats, prohibitionists, socialists and all sorts and conditions of men.

Prominent among the invited guests are Senator Platt, Senator Dewey, ex-Governor Black, Senator Sherman, Mayor Low, District Attorney Jerome, Rev. Dr. Parkhurst, Governor Forker, Senator Hanna, Secretary Shaw, Archbishop Ireland, Congressman Chaffee and Judge Alton B. Parker.

CONEY ISLAND PRESENTS PICTURE OF DESOLATION

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, April 17.—Lide battered and wind swept, Coney Island presents a picture of desolation. The beach is strewn with driftwood and debris and cellars in the low-lying parts of the island are filled with water and the overflow of sewerage. Gangs of laborers are busy repairing the damage to the bulkheads in front of the Brighton Beach hotel, and the old concourse.

GENERAL CORBIN TO HEAD PARADE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Major General Corbin, adjutant general of the army and grand marshal of the parade at the Louisiana purchase exposition, will go to St. Louis tomorrow to remain until after the ceremonies. He will be accompanied by Mr. Allensworth, his confidential clerk, and will take personal charge of the work of preparing for the great parade. The general expects his work on the day of the parade to be the least of his task. He will have charge of the work of receiving and assigning the camps of the 5,000 regulars, as well as national guardsmen of almost equal number. Problems of transportation and maintenance will be worked out under his direction. He will have as his aids a number of prominent officers of the regular army as well as the adjutant general of the many states that have promised to send troops to take part in the great pageant.

SAYS RUSSELL SAGE HAS NEVER SMOKED

NEW YORK, April 17.—More than one woman in New York who is violently opposed to the use of tobacco by members of her sex is happy that the smoking parlor and tearoom of Mrs. Jacob H. Vanderbilt has been closed. One woman, who more clearly represents the Puritan school of women opposed to the so-called new ideas as regards woman's personal liberty in the small vices than any other, is Mrs. Russell Sage.

"I am glad," said Mrs. Sage, "that the place opened as a tearoom and smoking parlor for women is to be closed. I can't for the life of me understand the desire to smoke. Mr. Sage never has smoked. I believe he tried it once, however. I sometimes wonder what they did before Sir Walter Raleigh took tobacco to England. They found the Indian smoking. We got the habit from the savage, and in return our frontiersmen taught him to drink a great amount of vile whiskey."

DEPUTY SHERIFF ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

WACO, Texas, April 17.—News comes from Lexington, Lee county, that John Mundine, deputy sheriff and a well known stockman, was accidentally shot by the discharge of his pistol while getting off an Aransas Pass train. He was shot in the stomach and the wound is thought to be dangerous.

LUMBERMEN ADJOURN

GALVESTON, April 17.—After three days devoted to the important work of the Lumbermen's Association of Texas adjourned Thursday. Following officers were elected: W. B. Brazelton of Waco, president; J. D. Leeper of Galveston, vice president; Carl Drake of Austin, secretary-treasurer; a board of directors and the selection of Orange as their next meeting place next year, which will occur on the second Tuesday in April. The World's fair fund was materially aided, numbers of members agreeing to assess themselves 2 1/2 cents for every 1,000 feet of lumber handled in 1902.

MRS. VANDERBILT HAS HER TROUBLES

NEW YORK, April 17.—While the marriage bells were ringing in Newport for young Reinhold G. Vanderbilt Mrs. Jacob H. Vanderbilt, originator and founder of the first woman's smoking-room in this country, sat in her Fifth Avenue oriental parlors sadly contemplating the eviction notice which had just been served on her by her landlord.

Mrs. Vanderbilt says the way of the cigar smoker may be hard but that she will win out in the battle which she says the Vanderbilts are forcing on her. "It certainly looks as though I were being persecuted to the extreme," said Mrs. Vanderbilt to a World reporter, "but all the Vanderbilts and their retainers in the world cannot crush me in my endeavor to earn a living. The first intimation had of my being put out of this place was when the proprietor came to me and announced that I would have to leave. No man would act like that without some cause. There is money back of it, and he won't need to sell any Persian rugs for a long time, is my opinion.

"The very fact that he is trying to subject me to every humiliation and ruin my trade looks as though business were not at the bottom of it, but personal spite. And as the landlord has nothing against

SCHINZEL CAPTURED

INDIANAPOLIS POLICE PICK UP ALLEGED FORGER

WINFREY AFTER HIM

DALLAS CHIEF GOES TO HOOSIER STATE METROPOLIS TO BRING HIM BACK

FORMERLY A LOCAL CLERK

He is Charged With Obtaining \$500 in Fort Worth and \$600 in Dallas on Checks That Purported to be Issued by H. W. Williams Drug Company

Ernest Schinzel, former stock clerk for H. W. Williams & Co., wholesale drug house, whose alleged forgeries cost Fort Worth and Dallas bankers \$1,100 several months ago, is under arrest in Indianapolis. Chief of Police Winfrey of Dallas has gone to the Indiana metropolis to bring back the captive, and he is expected to land him safely behind the bars in Dallas next Monday or Tuesday, he departed for Indianapolis yesterday.

Schinzel, it will be remembered, received notice from his employers that his services would not be needed after a certain date. He then set carefully to work to prepare three checks. He signed these checks with the name of the secretary-treasurer of the company, used the company's perforating machine in punching in the proper figures and then, just a day or so before his time of service was up, went over to Dallas, where he succeeded in cashing two of the checks for a total of \$600 on the Exchange National bank and the bank of Gaston & Ayers. Next morning he cashed the third check for \$500 at the Farmers and Mechanics National bank in Fort Worth.

Schinzel, it is understood, was arrested in Indianapolis on a description of him sent out from Dallas at the time of the forgeries. After obtaining the \$1,100 Schinzel vanished and until he was picked up by the Hoosier state authorities not a word of his movements reached the ears of the Texas police.

When Chief Winfrey received word that the much-wanted man was under arrest he wired to Superintendent of Police Taffe of Indianapolis:

"Hold Schinzel at all hazards and fight hard any attempt to secure his release. Wanted for extensive forgeries here."

Chief Rea visited Dallas yesterday in connection with the case.

ADMITTED TO BAIL

SHERMAN, April 17.—In the Ben L. Thompson homicide case Thursday in the Fifteenth district court, Judge Maxey presiding, Ellis Stone was admitted to bail in \$5,000. The case has not been set for final trial.

TOOK MONEY TO BANK ON BIG WHEELBARROW

(By Associated Press.)

WOODBURY, N. J., April 17.—Officials of the National Bank are in authority for the statement that a man has brought for deposit in the bank \$18,500, which had lain buried in his back yard for years. They decline to give the name of the man, but say the money was nearly all in \$20 gold pieces.

The same bank received also a boxful of gold silver and nickel coins from another man, who had to take it to the bank on a wheelbarrow because it was too much of a load for two men to carry.

GOMPERS SAYS PARRY HAS LOST REASON

WASHINGTON, April 17.—President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor gave out a statement in reply to the annual report of President Parry of the Manufacturers' Association, which was read before that body in New Orleans. It says:

"If there was any doubt that Mr. Parry had taken leave of his reason the report, or rather harangue, which he made to his convention demonstrates it beyond any doubt. If the Manufacturers' Association in convention indorsed Mr. Parry's unjustified, indigest and malicious antagonism to the effort that the workers are making to secure material and moral improvement they simply write themselves down to his low level and stand committed with him for all the injury which must follow from his rabid utterances his ignorant antagonism which must provoke only resentment and retaliation."

"I am not hired by anyone to put Mrs. Vanderbilt out," he said indignantly. "She is no business woman, and she and her partner think this is play. It is not play, and I don't want people in here who regard business in that light. I don't object to cigarette smoking for women, nor do the ladies annoy me who come in here. It is all Mrs. Vanderbilt's fault. She doesn't know how to conduct her affairs and I can't be bothered. I don't like being an advertising medium. Mrs. Vanderbilt thinks she can travel on her name, but I don't agree with her."

HEAD OF STEEL TRUST



CHAS. M. SCHWAB PHOTO BY FATTON, PITTS. PA.

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It is definitely known that Charles M. Schwab will continue to be the head of the steel trust in spite of the efforts of his enemies to oust him from the place. A powerful clique made a persistent attempt to get Schwab's place, but with the backing of J. P. Morgan and Andrew Carnegie the young trust magnate was able to retain supremacy.

WYNDHAM'S BILL SHAMROCK III IS LOUDLY CHEERED WRECKED BY SQUALL

DUBLIN, April 17.—By a unanimous vote the Irish national convention which met Thursday accepted in principle the Irish land bill introduced in the house of commons by Secretary Wyndham.

John Redmond opened the proceedings with an impressive speech.

"This convention," he declared, "is the most solemn, the most momentous event in the history of living Irishmen with the exception of the introduction of the home rule bill. There are in the lives of nations as there are in the lives of individuals opportunities which once lost can never be regained. Such an occasion I believe this to be."

DESTROYS LANDLORDISM

"Whatever defects Mr. Wyndham's bill has, and I am inclined to minimize them, its object is the complete and final abolition of landlordism in all its essentials. Ireland is united as she never was before. Each man must weigh his words and remember that the whole future of his country and the welfare of his children and that of unborn generations may depend upon the convention's decision."

DAVITT APPLAUDED

Michael Davitt received a great ovation. He demanded the release of Colonel Arthur Lynch, who is serving a sentence of life imprisonment after having been convicted of high treason, and one other Irish agitator who is still in jail and whose continued imprisonment, said Mr. Davitt, was unbecoming to the spirit of peace between Ireland and England.

Mr. Davitt expressed many differences of opinion with Mr. O'Brien. Mr. Redmond, by the majority of the delegates, but he promised to abide by the decision of the convention. Mr. Davitt spoke of the Irish agricultural laborer.

HAD CHECK SIGNED BY FORT WORTH MAN

WACO, Texas, April 17.—City Marshal John Collins and Police Officer Robert Buchanan arrested Mose Harris, a negro about 21 years old, yesterday, on what is claimed to have been an attempt to commit forgery. Harris is said to have had in his possession a check signed by J. A. Lenor, a stockman of Fort Worth, and indorsed by John Bouage, which he tried to pass on B. Efrom. He failed, however, as the matter was reported to the officers and Harris was arrested. It is said he is from Mount Pleasant.

ENDED WITH A CAMP FIRE

DALLAS, April 17.—Grand Army of the Republic and Woman's Relief installed officers Thursday. A camp fire was held at night. An excellent musical program was also rendered.

FORMERLY OF TEXAS

DR. JAMES L. GARTRELL HANGED TODAY

DELIBERATE MURDER

SPLIT OPEN THE HEAD OF HIS VICTIM WITH AN AXE BECAUSE HE NEEDED MONEY

CONFESSED HIS CRIME

When Arrested Finally Admitted His Guilt—Was Once a Member of Texas Legislature and Was a Probate Judge in Refugio County, This State

BUTLER, Mo., April 17.—Dr. James L. Gartrell, who was once a probate judge in Refugio county, Texas, and was also once a member of the Texas legislature, was hanged here today for the murder of D. B. Donegan, in March, 1901.

Gartrell was the oldest man in the history of Missouri, on whom the sentence of death was ever passed. He was 68 years of age.

BRUTAL MURDER

The crime for which Dr. Gartrell was hanged was most brutal. In March, 1901, D. B. Donegan, a gold miner from Colorado, came to Butler for the purpose of providing himself with an outfit to drive overland to Oklahoma Territory where he intended to buy a ranch. He met Dr. James Gartrell and the latter's son, William. The three became friends and arrangements were made whereby the three would drive to Oklahoma together.

One night the party stopped in a cabin, about a hundred miles from Kansas City. Hearing a noise, the son suddenly awakened to see that his father had killed Donegan, splitting the latter's head open with an axe.

NEEDED MONEY

"Father, why did you do it?" cried the young man, and his father's answer was, "Because, my son, we needed the money."

The two men carried the body of Donegan to a nearby creek and dropped it in. Later spring freshets washed the body out, the murder was discovered and the two Gartrells were arrested.

When confronted with the charge of the crime, Dr. Gartrell confessed that he had committed the murder, but exonerated his son.

Gartrell was tried, convicted, and sentenced to death. The execution took place this morning.

SHOULD LEAVE SUICIDE TO MOTHERS OF COUNTRY

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, April 17.—The Western New York Old Maids' convention opened yesterday in the village of Pittsford.

Miss Amelia Higginson, the president, in her opening address said: "President Roosevelt believes in the rearing of large families. He has a right to his opinion, but when he places childlessness in the same category with criminal acts he goes too far. The president is the father of what we Americans would call a large family. He is not the mother of a large family. We have heard nothing about race suicide from the mothers of America and we never shall."

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A PAINTER OF REPUTE SEEKS POLICE ASSISTANCE

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Ill., April 17.—James Sheehan, who, according to his story, is a painter of international reputation, and who in 1880 viewed his pictures on the walls of the London Royal Academy, applied to the South Chicago police last night for lodging. The man says he is on a tramp through the country in search of a suitable scene to transfer to canvas, in the hope that he may regain his lost fortune. Colorado and California, he says, are his objective points, and when he has made sketches in those localities, it is his intention to return to England.

BROWNWOOD BANK INCREASES STOCK

BROWNWOOD, Texas, April 17.—The Brownwood National Bank increased its capital stock from \$20,000 to \$100,000, the new stock being taken by J. A. Walker, J. A. Abney, G. N. Harrison, C. Q. Hassard and H. T. Williams, all of whom are Brownwood men.

The Odd Fellows are to have a picnic on the 21st, to which the neighboring lodges will be invited.

Will M. Adams of Terry county and Miss Irene Thompson of Brown county were married here Wednesday night and have gone to Terry county to live.

Three negroes and a white man had a rough and tumble fight Wednesday night over Booker Washington and Teddy Roosevelt. Two of the negroes were badly hurt and one of them, Doc Bagley, is in a critical condition. The question at issue is still unsettled.

Several farmers are moving here from Milan county because of the ravages of the boll weevil in that section, and believing that the altitude of this country will keep the weevil from doing any damage here.

A party of ten cattlemen from Tulsa, I. T., are here looking for steers, horses and mules.

The Frisco and Santa Fe roads are both handling from ten to twelve trainloads of cattle a day, shipping from Brownwood and adjacent towns to Oklahoma and Indian Territory. Local merchants shippers are complaining that the roads do not handle their shipments with anything like reasonable promptness since the rush began.

NAUGHTY THIEVES STEAL BIG STATUE

CHICAGO, Ill., April 17.—The big bronze statue of Atlas, which has stood on the fourth floor of the old Times building for more than a third of a century and which was placed in the structure by Wilburn H. Storey, has been stolen and the police were notified last night to make careful search for it. The statue weighed more than a ton and how it was carried from the building without attracting the attention of occupants of the police is a mystery.

The statue came into the possession of Carter H. Harrison, father of the mayor, with the purchase of the Times building and newspaper about twelve years ago. With the death of Mr. Harrison it went to the estate.

Editor Storey bought the statue in Europe, it is said, paying \$1,500 for it.

WILL TURN HIM OVER TO MEXICO

WASHINGTON, April 17.—In issuing a warrant for the surrender to the Mexican government of Dr. Charles S. Harle, now held in arrest at El Paso, Texas, on the charge of being an accessory to a murder committed in Chihuahua, Mexico, the state department took steps to secure the punishment of a peculiarly atrocious crime which has engaged the attention of the two governments and one of the big debt, in her opening address said:

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A BASEBALL PLAYER

TO BE LAUNCHED TOMORROW

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 17.—Everything has been put in readiness at the yards of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company for the launching tomorrow of the new 15,000-ton armored cruiser West Virginia, Miss Katharine White, daughter of the governor of West Virginia, will christen the cruiser, and there will be a large number of persons from the state to witness the event. All of the officials of West Virginia will be here and the state colony in Washington will be largely represented.

MILLIONAIRE'S DAUGHTER TO MARRY A WORKER

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, April 17.—The announcement has just been made that a University settlement in Edridge street, this city, is to marry Miss Caroline M. P. Stokes, daughter of a prominent New York family, to Anson Phelps Stokes, Sr., in June. Miss Stokes has been conducting a class work among the children of the poor in the city.

USE A MEGAPHONE TO CALL A STRIKE

CHICAGO, Ill., April 17.—A megaphone was used to call a strike in Chicago Tuesday. Business Agents of the Waiters' and Cooks' Union lay in wait at Kinsley's restaurant during the forenoon to prevent a wagon load of eatables from reaching the alleged non-union employees of the People's Gas Company at Center and Twenty-second streets. The wagon left for the plant about noon under a heavy police escort.

When the crowd of diners filled the restaurant and the business agents attempted to go in and call out the waiters and cooks they were prevented until "Lucky" Baldwin, business agent of the Bartenders' Union, came along. He was not known in the restaurant and had no trouble getting in and scouring a waiter,

to whom he gave a light lunch order, at the same time making himself known to him. The Mexican government has sworn out new charges and the two men will be arrested again and held for extradition.

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The cool Spring days are about over, you will want something to keep cool in from now on, instead of something to keep the cold out. Come to Stripling's for anything you want in Summer Goods, we have it, at prices to your liking.

Stylish Summer Suits

Men's Spring and Summer Suits that represent the very best workmanship in ready made clothing, all the new weaves, the latest cuts, the best materials, for use in hot weather—commencing with the lined and unlined at \$5.00 a suit we go on up to \$7.50, \$9.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$20.00

A Sale of Boys' Suits

Boys' Knee Suits in all grades, that we've been selling at \$1.50 to \$5.00, where sizes have become broken have been placed on a separate counter to be closed out tomorrow at a big reduction—the \$1.50 ones for \$1.00 and on up to the best ones that sold for \$5.00, at only \$3.50

New Spring Hats

We are showing a very large line of new Hats for Spring wear, including colors and black, splendid values, at \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.00 and \$1.50

New Neckwear

All kinds of new Neckwear for Men can be found in our Clothing Room, the light colors for evening wear and the dark ones for general use, prices 50c and 25c



W. C. Stripling & Co. MAKERS NEW YORK

A Stylish Summer Shirt

Many a man goes down town and pays \$1.50 for a fine shirt that he sell for one-half a dollar less money. We do not say but that he has a perfect right to do this, but to the man who would prefer to invest the extra half, we would ask that you come up and see what we are selling in these goods. We will leave you to be the judge. All the newest patterns to choose from, any size you want, at \$1.00

A Sample Shirt Sale

A lot of samples of Men's Shirts, including every style out this season, some are light, others dark, most of them would sell if bought regular at 75c, we get a third off on samples, you can have them the same way, choice of the lot for 50c

Three Big Undershirt Bargains

French Balbriggan and Sea Island Gauze Undershirts and Drawers, mercerized finish, garments that we could sell readily at 75c if we only asked that much, we worked hard to buy them cheaper than others could in order to give our trade a bargain, and you get a genuine one in these two special lots, at this price 50c
French Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, double gusseted, very fine twill, a garment that we are willing to have compared with those of other stores at 50c, all sizes, at 35c
Summer Undershirts with small stripes, also the plain Balbriggan kind, both have Drawers to match, a full line of sizes, at only 25c

IN THE SHOE STORE

Men's Patent Leather Oxfords, late style toe, some of the finest goods we have ever shown, any size you want, at \$3.50, \$3.00 and \$2.50
Men's Vici Kid Oxfords, all the newest styles for Spring, most of these are samples that we secured at a reduction, on sale tomorrow at \$3.50, \$2.50 and \$2.00
Men's Kid Nullifiers, thin soles, a popular shoe for house wear, prices \$2.00, \$1.50 and \$1.25
Baker's Ideal Kid, high shoes for Men, these are a new line just received, and a very fine dress shoe, all sizes, at, per pair \$3.50
Men's Vici Kid Shoes, in both thin and extension soles, every pair guaranteed to give satisfaction, all sizes, of a kind that sell at \$2.00 will be on special sale tomorrow at only \$1.50
Sample Shoes for Women that are worth almost twice the money, will be on our bargain counters tomorrow at special prices, lots at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25
C. K. Fox's Strap Slippers, beaded and plain, French and medium heels, all sizes, at \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$1.50
Children's Shoes of every description.

IN THE DRY GOODS STORE

All our 25c White Waistings will be on special sale tomorrow, some of these are in the mercerized madras and other pieces are fine oxfords, Saturday as a special, per yard 19c
10 YARDS FOR 25c
We will sell a good Scotch Lawn at above price tomorrow—limit 10 yards to a customer—this goods is often sold at 5c a yard, you buy it here at half price for one day, per yard 21c
Women's Drop-Stitch Hose that we formerly sold at 25c, these are a lot in the plain black lace effects, as a Saturday special, per pair 15c
OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT
Every woman that has visited our Millinery Department this Spring knows that we are showing the very best selection of popular priced trimmed Hats in the city. We've made a special effort to give the trade the very best that money could buy at the price, we are being rewarded for our efforts with a large trade and a well pleased lot of customers.
A good selection of Hats trimmed tastily by our Miss McCreary will be shown tomorrow at \$5.00, \$3.50 and \$2.50
Baby Caps at 20c to \$1.50

DR. GEORGE M'ADAM WILL SUCCEED DR. FISHER

Dr. George McAdam, formerly pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church of this city, has been tendered by unanimous vote of the trustees of the Fort Worth University, the presidency of that institution, and has officially advised his acceptance of the position to N. Harding, president of the board.

The above announcement will be hailed with much joy by the many friends of Dr. McAdam, who in the few years he has been a resident of this city greatly endeared himself to all classes of Fort Worth's people with whom he came in contact.

He is a genial, whole-souled, scholarly gentleman of great personal magnetism and drawing power, and who indicated while here his fitness especially for influencing the lives of young people.

Dr. McAdam is a native of Illinois. He is of good old Scotch parentage. His father was a veteran of the civil war. Dr. McAdam was educated in the elementary schools of his native state and of Nebraska, whither his father removed, completing his college course by graduating from De Pau University at Greencastle, Ind.

The metal of the man was apparent, when, as a graduate just from college, he entered upon his first pastorate on the frontier of Nebraska. His first appointment was Ogallala, Neb., well known to the cowmen of the west. Here he built his first church, organized a society and laid the foundation for that success which has come to him in later years.

His advancement was steady, always more than filling the place assigned to him. His work in Fort Worth is too well known to need any reference. How his church grew under his leadership, the splendid pulpit work, solidifying and organizing the church into a working force, are still in mind.

While it is to be regretted that Dr. Fisher has been compelled to lay down the work of the university, it is very fortunate that the trustees were able to secure the services of Dr. McAdam, who will doubtless carry forward what was so ably begun by Dr. Fisher.

Dr. McAdam comes from the pastorate of the Rogers Park Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago. He will enter upon his work as soon as he can arrange to be here.

MADDOX FLATS BABY FINDS A NEW HOME

Mrs. Lizzie Maddox, proprietor of the Maddox flats, last night gave the three-months-old baby boy that was left at the rooming-house by a woman who gave her name as Mrs. M. Foster of Stamford, to Mrs. Davis, who lives on Chambers street.

"My baby now has a good home and I am glad of it, although I find that I miss it when it did have it only a day and a half," said Mrs. Maddox today. "Mrs. Davis is well able to take care of it properly; she is an old lady and told me that all her children had grown up and gone away from home. When she read the story in The Telegram about the pretty babe, she came to see it and decided that she could not do without it. All her children are gone away, and I feel lonely often," she told me, so I let her take it. No; I don't know whether she intends to enter it in the baby show."

MORE MEN STRIKE AT THE NAVY YARD

NEW YORK, April 17.—Following the attempts of the Housemen and Bridge Workers' Union to tie up work on the crane for the battleship Connecticut at the Brooklyn navy yard, fifteen union machinists in the main power house at the navy yard, employees of the Quincy Engine Company of Quincy, Ill., have gone on strike. The men left work in compliance with orders of the National Machinists' Union. The strike is purely in sympathy with a strike now in progress against the engine company in Quincy. The government has given three days to the company to supply a new force of men.

NEW CLASSIFICATION FOR RACE HORSES

NEW YORK, April 17.—Under the administration of Charles C. Lloyd, who succeeds C. K. O. Billings as president of the New York Driving Club, a new system of amateur harness racing is to be introduced this year at Empire City park. It is proposed to classify the horses at the beginning of the season without reference to their public records, dividing them into twelve groups or classes, according to their estimated speed capacity. Whenever a horse wins a race in the class in which he starts he will go on to the next faster class, and on winning there will again move up to a still faster class, until he reaches the open, or championship class, if he is capable of doing so. According to this plan a horse will remain in a class until he has won a race in that class, but he cannot win twice in the same class. It is believed that the new system will operate to improve the sport and force every horse into the class in which he belongs.

THEY LAY IT UP TO A FORT WORTH MAN

The following story, which possesses a local flavor, is going the rounds of the press:
"Bishop C. C. McCabe, one of the most prominent men in the Methodist Episcopal church, was visiting in Fort Worth, Texas, not long ago. A New York paper wired him thus: 'C. C. McCabe, Fort Worth, Texas: What is your opinion on the Anglo-American alliance? Please write us an answer.' Now, it happens that there resides in Fort Worth a well known citizen of the name of C. C. McCabe. The telegraph company, knowing C. C. McCabe better than the visiting bishop, delivered the message at the former's house. The recipient was considerably surprised, but he promptly wrote this reply: 'It is a d-d good thing.' Just what the New York editor thought on receiving the return message is not a matter of record."
The city directory does not contain the name of C. C. McCabe, nor does the telephone directory. And the telegraph companies have no record of a message to or from C. C. McCabe. It is a good story, though.

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DYNAMITE DETAILS FIND NOTHING YET

CHICAGO, Ill., April 17.—Chief O'Neill's "dynamite detail" put in a day's work on top of the city hall yesterday, but failed to make the acquaintance of any one with an apparent desire to blow up the building, containing the Lorimer-Durborow ball.

A second rumor that dynamite was to be used reached Chief O'Neill during the day. The information came, the chief said, from a "civilian source," entirely independent of the warning of Wednesday, though relating to what is said to be the same alleged plot.

LOST—Between 108 North Calhoun and Menzies' dry goods store, a lady's small gold watch with diamond set in back. Finder return to Register and receive reward.

Springfield, Mass., union painters and paperhangers have presented demands for an increase in pay from \$2.50 to \$3 a day.

TEXT BOOK BILL PASSED BY THE HOUSE

AUSTIN, Texas, April 17.—The house this morning passed to engrossment the text-book bill. The senate is also considering its text-book bill with an amendment striking out an amendment that the principals of the three state normals shall not be eligible to membership on the board.

The house this morning reported finally on the senate concurrent resolution providing that the governor and superintendent of public instruction shall confer with the trustees of the Peabody fund regarding the future distribution of said fund in Texas.

A bill was also passed appropriating \$4,700 to repair the school building of the Corsicana orphans' home. The general appropriation bill was then taken up in the house and the penitentiary appropriation was resumed. An amendment was adopted requiring the superintendent to list with the governor all property belonging to the state penitentiary system.

DEATHS

FUNERAL OF L. L. CHESNUT

The funeral of Leander L. Chesnut, the music dealer, whose sudden death was yesterday afternoon of asthma, took place this afternoon from the family residence, 1409 East Twentieth street, to the new cemetery.

He was born Nov. 7, 1856, in Laurel county, Kentucky, and came to Texas in 1872, where he engaged in business. Eighteen years ago he moved to Fort Worth, where he built up a large business, which gave employment to twenty-three traveling salesmen at the time of his death.

Mr. Chesnut was a West Point graduate and was a member of a number of orders, among them the Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias and Women of the World. The funeral this afternoon was largely attended.

MINNA IS IN JAIL PARTNER MISSING

NEW YORK, April 17.—While Minna Williams, the nursery governess who was arrested Wednesday night, charged with having stolen \$25,000 worth of jewels and diamonds from the wife of her employer, a London banker, occupies a cell in Ludlow street jail, detectives are searching for a distinguished looking German with whom she went out Sunday morning to breakfast at the Casino.

Alexander Reitlinger, a merchant of this city and a brother of the London banker, asserts that about ten days after her arrival here, the woman began to take daily rides with this man, who it is thought will know where the \$10,000 worth of missing gems are.

The most valuable piece of all the missing jewelry, a necklace containing 488 pearls, has been returned by a jeweler to whom Miss Williams took it a few days ago.

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REA'S REPORT SHOWS ACTIVITY OF POLICE

Chief of Police W. M. Rea this morning completed his sixth annual report to the city council on the work of the police department. It contains some interesting statistics on crime and intoxication. It discloses the fact that the local department has just passed through what is probably the most active year in its career. There were 4,131 arrests made during the year ended March 31 and of this number 3,008 were committed to jail. The total number of arrests is just twenty short of being a thousand more than were made during the preceding year, the total for that year being 3,151.

The personnel of the force is made up of thirty men, including the chief, three detectives, assistant chief, clerk and patrol driver. There are sixteen foot patrolmen and five mounted officers.

Here are some of the more interesting figures given in the report for the year just closed:

Of the total number committed to jail, 1,523 were Americans, 953 negroes and 532 foreigners. Of the latter 334 were Irish, 46 German, 34 Mexican, 34 Hebrew, 20 French, 15 Scotch, 11 Italian, 13 English, 1 Polish, 5 Indian, 2 Bohemian.

Of the total number of white, 1,395 were male, 128 female; of the negroes, 731 were male, 222 female.

Of cases sent to the county 169 were felony charges, 296 for misdemeanors and 11 for lunacy, a total of 475.

In the district courts a total of 507 cases was given to 82 prisoners arrested by city officers. In the county court 476 prisoners were fined \$3,516 and sentenced to 4,025 days in jail.

Among the arrests were 260 disreputable women, 409 persons for fighting, 918 for intoxication, 45 for carrying pistols, 102 confidence men, 173 bums, 258 for theft, 50 for aggravated assault, 15 fugitives from other cities, only 1 for seduction, 42 for burglary, 20 for theft of over \$50, 12 for highway robbery and 21 for assault to murder.

One was given the death sentence—Jeff Van.

BROWNWOOD DOCTOR HAS RARE OLD SKULL

BROWNWOOD, Texas, April 17.—Dr. W. B. Anderson of this city has in his possession what is undoubtedly the skull of a human who existed many centuries ago. It was found in a vault built of stone, buried beneath the ground. In the same inclosure were the skulls and some of the bones of five human beings. They were dug up about a week ago on the farm of W. F. Grogan, who lives four miles east of Elkins and fifteen miles down the bayou.

To realize the length of time that must have elapsed before such a shaped head could develop into the present shape of the human skull it is but necessary to see this relic of centuries past. The facial angle, near 90 degrees in the human of today, does not exceed in this specimen 45 degrees at the least estimate. The head is just about twice as long as it is deep—that is, from the back of the head to the protruding lower jaw is about twice the distance from the top of the skull to the bottom.

More remarkable still, perhaps, is that the skull contains only twenty teeth, and yet every bit of available space is taken up by them. Today man has thirty-two teeth. Yet this skull has only twenty.

KALIPH'S BALL

DALLAS, April 17.—The ball of the Kaliph was a grand event and the ladies' dresses a vision of loveliness. The figures of the stately minuet were gone through with as in olden times and costumes as resplendent as in those days. Leading society people from all over Texas were in attendance.

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MISSOURI GETS CONTRACT FOR HER STATE BUILDING

ST. LOUIS, April 17.—The contract for the erection of Missouri's building at the World's Fair was let Wednesday to Streblow & Phelps for \$1,084,480. The entire state commission was present at the meeting, as was also the architect of the building, Isaac S. Taylor. Eight bids were opened, and the one accepted was the lowest.

The commission was in session all afternoon and the details of the sculptural ornaments for the building were discussed. The plans for the latter are elaborate and it is intended to dispose of a number of permanent pieces after the Fair, as the state govern-

ment may see fit. Two of the most prominent pieces of permanent statuary will be heroic bronze portraits of Napoleon and Jefferson.

Rheumatism, more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by Prescription No. 2851, by Elmer & Amend. E. F. SCHMIDT, Houston, Texas, Sole Agent.

Lawn mowers sharpened and repaired and gasoline stoves repaired at T. P. Day's, 414 Houston street.

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LOST—Between 108 North Calhoun and Menzies' dry goods store, a lady's small gold watch with diamond set in back. Finder return to Register and receive reward.

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The Fair The Fair A Sale of Skirts.

We offer tomorrow three lots of Skirts, at a great un-derpricing. All these skirts were formerly worth from one-quarter to one-third more, but for Saturday selling they have been put in three lots and you get the benefit of the reductions.

Table with 3 columns: LOT No. 1, LOT No. 2, LOT No. 3. Descriptions of skirt lots and sale prices.

Hose Specials, Saturday.

- Ladies Fancy Stripe Lace Lisle Hose in new oxford mixtures of black and white and all fancy colors, at 50c. Ladies' Prime Hermsdorf Black Superior Maco Lisle Hose in beautiful all-over lace patterns, a regular 60c value, for Saturday 48c.

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LIVE STOCK MARKET

Table with columns: RECEIPTS, OFFICIAL RECEIPTS, RECEIPTS BY ROADS, STOCK YARD NOTES, LOCAL MARKETS.

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SKIRTS

See our New Skirts before you buy. \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and up to \$18.00; 25 per cent less money than any other house in Fort Worth can show.

WHITE GOODS

We have the largest assortment of white goods in Fort Worth and we want to sell them, and now is the time we want to do it, so we offer special inducements on all over 20c yard of 20 per cent discount for Saturday only.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear. Don't forget to take a look at our Ladies' Muslin Underwear. We have the garments made up for less than you can buy the goods for.

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GRAIN-PROVISIONS

Table with columns: GRAIN-PROVISIONS, CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS, Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, Barley.

HIDE MARKET

Table with columns: HIDE MARKET, Dry flint, heavy beef, etc.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table with columns: NEW YORK STOCKS, NEW YORK, April 17—Opening and closing quotations of the stocks named.

GENERAL STOCK NOTES

At Boston last week 41,000 pounds of Texas wool sold at 16 to 18 cents a pound.

TO STAMP OUT THE "CREEPS" IN CATTLE

During the cattlemen's convention held in El Paso recently, it will be remembered that a resolution was offered by E. K. Fawcett of Val Verde and adopted without argument looking to the stamping out of "creeps" in cattle.

DID THEY WANT TO KILL COUNTY ATTORNEY?

Special to The Telegram. WAXAHACHE, Texas, April 17.—While going home from the city last night an attempt was made to assassinate County Attorney Farrar.

CATTLEMEN HAVE ALL PLANS MADE TO FIGHT PACKERS

DENVER, Colo., April 17.—A meeting of live stock men with representatives from a dozen states west of the Mississippi river, met here yesterday in response to a call made by President John W. Springer of the National Live Stock Association.

HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL SPECIAL RATES

Beaumont and return, \$11.75. Date of sale, April 21. Account Texas division League conference.

LIVERPOOL

Table with columns: LIVERPOOL, April 17.—The spot market had an easy tone.

NEW YORK

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NEW ORLEANS

Table with columns: NEW ORLEANS, La., April 17.—Spots were quiet and steady.

SINGLE SERVICE FOR FIRST MONTH

NEW L. AND G. X. TIME CARD FOR MONTH OF MAY. Double Passenger Train Service Offered June 1—City Ticket Office Equipped for Business—Other Railroad News.

Those who have seen the new schedule of the train service to be inaugurated by the International and Great Northern May 1, say there will be but one train each way, daily, during the first month.

RAILROAD BRIEFS AND PERSONALS

E. W. Martindell, traveling freight agent for the Santa Fe, is in the city. W. L. Morris of Palestine, traveling passenger agent for the L. and G. N., was in the city yesterday on business.

TEACHERS MEET AT YANKTON

YANKTON, S. D., April 17.—The annual meeting of the Southwestern South Dakota Educational Association, which opened here today, has attracted more than two hundred teachers from all parts of the territory embraced by the association.

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SOUTH MALESTER 1 T. APRIL 17

A gas explosion in mine No. 11 of the McAlester Coal and Mining Company, at Buck, resulted in the death of Dave Fife and the injury of Tom Wharton, R. T. Tolia, Cienna Tell, Frank Johnson and several soloists of wide fame will take part.

QUINTET IN JAIL

At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon the following guests registered at police headquarters and were shown to an apartment: W. Staley, E. J. McWilliams, H. L. Orrick, Lee Coffman and Frank Nicholson.

USEFUL

A Philadelphia tells this story of his nephew: Five-year-old Robin shared my couch the other night. He was a proper bed fellow, regardless and kickless.

VERY LOW RATES

To points in Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon and British Columbia, in effect daily, from Feb. 15 to April 30, via Chicago Great Western railway.

Saturday Bargains

Gloves, very special in Silk, for women, in black, white and all colors. Kayser Patent Tip Gloves, at 50c, 75c and \$1.00. One Lot of Kayser Silk Gloves, in 5 1/2 and 6 only, these in most all colors, best quality of silk sold at \$1.00 and \$1.25; if you can wear the size supply yourself, per pair, only 30c.

Hosiery--Very Special

More than 200 dozen of Women's and Children's Hosiery in plain and lace, nice fine quality, fast black and are superior to most Hosiery sold at 25c, all on sale at per pair 15c. Our assortment of Women's Hosiery in Drop Stitch and plain, is the best we have ever shown, at 25c, 35c and 40c. VERY SPECIAL—A lot of Fancy Embroidered Lace Hose, that sell at 75c, special, per pair 50c. NEW BELTS—Very swell line, all the new buckles and made up with best Satin Ribbons in black and white; price range 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and upward to \$2.50. The new Coin Girdle in narrow and wide, at \$1.35, \$1.98 and \$2.98.

Saturday Will be Another Busy Day In Millinery

Better come early as possible to avoid the afternoon rush. Two lines of handsome trimmed hats in several shapes and differently trimmed, will go on sale at about half value. Big lot to pick from \$3.98 and \$5.00.

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Rheumatism Is Not a Skin Disease.

Most people have an idea that rheumatism is contracted like a cold, that the damp, chilly air penetrates the muscles and joints and causes the terrible aches and pains, or that it is something like a skin disease to be rubbed away with liniment or drawn out with plasters; but Rheumatism originates in the blood and is caused by Urea, or Uric Acid, an irritating, corroding poison that settles in muscles, joints and nerves, producing inflammation and soreness and the sharp, cutting pains peculiar to this distressing disease.

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TEXAS LIEUTENANT CUTS THROAT AND DIES ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 17.—Lieutenant Thomas F. Howard, a graduate of West Point and living at Boone, Texas, committed suicide today with a razor. He had been on sick leave and was in a sanitarium for treatment.

HEIFERS—Thirty-three heifers, averaging 418 pounds, sold for \$2.38. HOGS—No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price.

STOCK YARD NOTES The Kansas City hog market was 1 to 10 cents higher today.

RECEIPTS Receipts of cotton today at the leading accumulative centers, compared with the same day last year, were as follows:

LOCAL MARKETS These quotations were furnished by the Watkins Hay and Grain Company: Prairie hay, \$12.64 per ton.

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DAILY SHORT STORY

A Nurse's Heroism

(By Harry A. Armstrong.) Rain was still falling in torrents the next morning, and the tents were a welcome shelter from the storm. All day Amy went back and forth among the patients, dressing the wounds of the patients, dressing the wounds, as had been her wont. Steadily the rain came down and occasionally cocoonants fell upon the roof of the tent. Then Amy laughed. So she spent the day. When evening came the wind blew a gale, and the men-of-war in the harbor tugged at their anchor chains and tossed on the waves. Planks were about between the door of the tent and the gate that stood open and led to the street. Amy was alone with her patients, for the night nurses had not come, and the storm raged on the outside.

Suddenly there came a shift in the wind. For a moment the tent swung back and then pitched forward, the center pole swayed and down came the canvas over bunks and wire nets and the patients and nurse. These were times when everyone looked out for himself, and quick as a flash the natives made for the opening—those who could and who were not tangled in the roof of the tent. There was but one gate, and for this the Filipinos dashed, through the rain and gathering darkness, only to find it closed, and beside it the nurse was standing.

Outside this gate soldiers were walking their beat. Amy shook the planks that formed the barrier. "Go to the hospital and raise the canvas," she called. And these men, used to obeying orders, ran to the fallen tent and reared it against the wind and the rain. More soldiers came and formed a guard, the line of which reached to the fallen tent. Slowly they brought the natives out of the inclosure, and the last to leave was the nurse.

"You have been better than a whole regiment of soldiers," the major remarked as he came out of the wind and rain into the hospital that night and found the Filipinos there, for these men with bandages were sleeping in the hall, and the major had been told how Amy had held them back, and how with her own hands she shut the gate. "The storm will not last much longer and then you are to ride in my calisa to the house where you live. These men will be kept here until we can put up the tent again."

When the daylight came the storm had gone and the sun shone. Amy slept long into the forenoon, for she was tired with the night vigil. The major called and ate dinner with her, and as the moon came up over the bay they were sitting again on the sea wall. What words were spoken cannot be told, only that Amy went to her room that night a happy girl, and the major engaged a passage for himself and bride on the returning transport. They were married—Amy and the doctor—before the boat sailed, and on the day of departure stood at the rail and watched the island of Luzon fade away.

"It was what I thought was my duty," the girl replied, smiling at the major in his white regimentals by her side. "To take care of Filipinos?" laughed the doctor. "Duty is a good thing. I wish there were more of the same kind. I hope you will not change as you grow accustomed to the scenes. The rainy season will soon be here, and then there will be nothing beautiful about the place," declared the major. And even as he spoke a change came over the moon's reflection in the water, and the shadow gradually became wrinkled and checked and then disappeared altogether, leaving the bay in the dark. "I do believe a si-moon is coming," the major said, pulling his white cap to its military position. The woman by his side sprang from the wall upon the sands next the houses, and together they hastened home. Waiting for him was the major's boy, a native, who knew by the look of the sky that a storm was brewing.

HISTORICAL

Teacher—And what is the pilgrims did at Plymouth Rock? Little Albert (whose mother is in society)—I know. They played bridge till 3 o'clock in the morning.—Chicago Record-Herald.

LAMBS EASY MONEY

Stoxenbonds—I see by the financial columns they expect easier money in Wall street. Beenshorn—Why, are the lambs wandering down there again?—New York Times.

TO BE CONGRATULATED

Mrs. Outtoun—I understand you have an old retainer. Mrs. Subbub—Yes, indeed! Bridget has been with us three weeks.—Harper's Bazaar.

SOPORIFIC

Mrs. Sharpe—My husband's been troubled with insomnia terribly of late, but he got some sound sleep last night. Mrs. Noddore—Some new medicine? Mrs. Sharpe—Well, yes; I told him I was sure I heard burglars downstairs.—Philadelphia Press.

NEGROES MAKE THINGS EXCEEDINGLY INTERESTING

CORSICANA, Texas, April 17.—Two negroes—William Hughes and John Beet—both employes of the Scates oil mill, began quarreling about 2 o'clock Wednesday night and Hughes suddenly pulled a pistol and fired. The bullet missed Beet and before a second shot could be fired the foreman of the workmen interfered and prevented bloodshed. Hughes ran away and is still at large.

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WRONG ATTRACTION.

"No," said the theatrical manager, not unkindly; "no, you will not do for the chorus." "But why?" sighed the fair young voice. "My dear young lady," was the gentleman's response of the manager, "people do not go to the comic opera nowadays to see the graceful rise and fall of the Adam's apple. I regret to state that our audience demands more limbs than larynxes."

AMONG EXCHANGES

Herman R. Dietrich, editor of a republican newspaper at Utica, Mo., is to be consul general at Guayaquil. The late consul general at that point, Thomas Nast, died of yellow fever. But a man who has run a republican newspaper in Missouri is not afraid.—Albany (N. Y.) Argus.

Bribers and hoodlums will soon be forced to adopt the philosophy of ordinary criminals, which is to the effect that crime is a game with the chances largely against the player. That this true philosophy is manifest by the fact that criminals are pitted against the organized and overwhelming force of society as a whole.—St. Louis Republic.

Descriptions of the Vanderbilt wedding presents read like an inventory of a pawnshop window, and if the courts keep on smashing railroad mergers that's where they may land.—Chicago Chronicle.

Jim Howard, the defendant, seems to be the only citizen in this country whose interest is worked up to the intense degree over the latest Goebel murder trial in Kentucky.—Atlanta Journal.

Germany has put up her tariff bars against us and we have no cause for complaint. We have ours up about as high as we can reach.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

THE TEXAS PRESS

Corsicana is a good newspaper field. The Courier-Light has just placed an order for a new fast press, an electric motor and an entirely new dress of type. The Courier-Light's job office will also be improved and when the work is finished it is said 'twill be the best equipped newspaper office in any town of the size in Texas.

The Statesman is kept very busy making a good paper, but it pauses long enough to remark that it is making it.—Austin Statesman.

That's a positive fact.

SANTA FE'S BUSINESS BREAKS RECORD

E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe system, in a recent interview at San Francisco, Cal., is quoted with saying that the Santa Fe is doing more business than ever before in the company's history, and the statement applies to passengers as well as freight. The phenomenal conditions are prevalent in the territory of the company everywhere. The Santa Fe's president sees no reason for a change in the immediate future in existing business conditions.

FRISCO SAID TO BE BEHIND DEAL

Some time ago the Vernon, Roswell and El Paso Railroad Company incorporated to build a line from Vernon, Texas, on the Fort Worth and Denver City railway, to El Paso by way of Roswell, N. M. It is understood that the Frisco system is behind this deal and this is but another evidence that the Frisco system is leading that way. Work on the grading is to be commenced at once, so it is reported, and the line is to be in operation as far as Crowley by the first day of July next. The company's right of way agents have now contracted for a right of way for the first fifty miles out of Vernon and are working on the balance of the line through Texas.

HUTCHINSON TERMINUS FOR THE C. O. & G.

The Rock Island Railroad Company, it is reported on good authority, has leased from the Santa Fe railway the use of the Hutchinson and Southern from Anthony, Kan., to Hutchinson and will make Hutchinson the terminus of the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf railway. Eventually a north-and-south line of railroad will be built from Hutchinson to Belleville, Re-public county, in the northern part of the state, thus connecting with the Rock Island main-line to Denver. A quarter section of land south of the Arkansas river has been bought by the Rock Island and on this the roundhouse and terminal for the Choctaw railway will be built. It is understood that the lease of the Hutchinson and Southern tracks is of short duration, as the extension of the Choctaw to Hutchinson already has been surveyed.

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BASE BALL.

Captain Lucid and his men gave a batting and baserunning matinee at Haines' park yesterday afternoon. Fort Worth university opposed the league club, or rather didn't oppose it, for the final score was 38 to 4. Buchanan and Lockhead pitched the first and last part of the game for the leaguers and allowed no runs. Just by way of a trial, Captain Lucid permitted Hubert, who was signed to play the outfield, to twirl the middle three innings, and it was during the time Hubert was in the box that the university boys corralled their runs. Lucid's crowd garnered twenty-seven base hits and made two fielding mistakes; the university made seven hits and nine errors. The leaguers pilfered twenty-two bases. Indeed it was a splendid work out for them.

Frenby and Pease pitched for the university, neither being effective.

There are several reasons why the university is not able to put a better nine in the field. In the first place, it maintains no athletic fund and the players are compelled to buy their own uniforms, bats, gloves and other athletic equipment out of their own pocket money; the athletic spirit does not seem to meet with the proper encouragement. The players on the baseball team have little opportunity of working together and developing a system of signals and team play.

Some plan should be outlined at once by the university authorities whereby athletics will be properly managed and encouraged. There is nothing that advances a school quite so well as fast football and baseball clubs. When a parent is thinking of sending his son to a college there are usually five or six, all of which he regards as good, and he gives his son the choice. In nine cases out of ten the young hopeful will choose the one that possesses the best baseball and football clubs. Even if he is not an athlete, he wants to be in a school that is a winner in athletic contests, because every boy wants a chance to celebrate a victory for his side, although he may not be responsible, even in part, for it. The university authorities may put it down as a fact that \$1,000 expended in athletics will result in more advertising for the school than a similar sum expended in any other way.

Captain Lucid soon after he got here realized that he had a base running team, and ever since then has been working hard to develop this ability in his men to the highest point possible. It looks like a certainty that the team will easily lead the Texas League in number of stolen

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REV. H. A. BOAZ ELECTED PRESIDENT

FORT WORTH MAN HONORED WITH STATE PRESIDENCY

Officers Chosen by Texas Sunday School Association This Morning—Committee Reports Summarized—Late Arrival of Delegates—Closing Session Tonight

- President—Rev. H. A. Boaz, Fort Worth.
- Vice President—Rev. John W. Jones, San Antonio.
- Charles L. Deasy, Dallas; Rev. J. Frank Smith, Dallas; Rev. R. J. Hamlin, Fort Worth; Herbert Post, Fort Worth; Rev. J. N. Ivy, Waxahachie; Rev. C. C. Clark, Terrell; Rev. E. E. King, McKinney; R. F. Butts, Houston; A. P. Moore, Tyler; W. F. Woods, San Antonio; J. T. Hall, San Antonio; A. F. Wendehr, San Antonio; W. N. Wiggins, San Antonio.

The above officers were formally elected and installed at morning session of the Texas Sunday School Association, which is meeting in Fort Worth this week. Rev. B. W. Spillman of Nashville, Tenn., field secretary of the Southern Baptist convention Sunday school board, officiated as installing officer.

The delegates arriving last night and the few enrolled this morning materially increased the attendance at the sessions last evening and today. Twenty counties are represented by delegates. At the morning session today, many workers from organized counties volunteered upon their return home to cross the county line and organize counties which are at present unorganized.

The entire morning session was devoted to discussions of various topics of interest to Sunday school work, and also to a conference of state and county officers.

At the session last evening the constitution of the association was amended, the changes providing for five vice presidents instead of one, and for fifteen members of the executive committee, instead of five, the officers of the association to be also members, ex-officio, of the latter committee.

The convention adjourned yesterday afternoon in time for the delegates to visit the packing houses and stock yards. The session tonight will close the work of the convention. There will be two addresses, the first by Mrs. Mary Bryner, and the second by Rev. B. W. Spillman of Nashville, Tenn.

REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS

At the afternoon session yesterday various county reports were heard, all indicating an active work in counties represented. Reports of state officers were also received at this time. The executive committee reported very satisfactory results in the work throughout the state. The report requested more funds, however, and recommended that a state field worker be maintained at an estimated cost of \$500.

The report of Adèle Phillips of San Antonio, state primary superintendent, detailed much interesting data in regard to that department, in which there is greater interest and greater need for renewed energy as soon as finances will permit.

The report of Lewis Collins of Dallas, general secretary, indicates an addition of twelve counties to the association during the past year, making the total at January 1, 1903, thirty-nine. During the year there were held thirty-four county and fifty-eight precinct conventions. Regarding the financial condition of the association, Mr. Collins' report says:

"As has been the experience in other states, finance is the rock on which our bark gets her hardest knocks. No church is back of the work, and yet several have urged support. I hope for similar expression in the large meetings of the others during this year. If all of the schools will offer the 3 per cent member, the funds will be provided for several field workers and for adequate office help. There has been steady improvement in the number of schools offering for this work."

"The total cost of the work for 1902 was \$1,672.82. The total income was \$1,317.09. The deficit of \$355.73 has been borne by the general secretary. I confidently expect 1903 to show receipts equal to the expenses."

"The year began with an indebtedness of \$500, carried in bank over the signature of two officers. Some steps to meet the obligation have been taken, including the action of Dallas Ministerial Association calling on churches to take a special offering for the purpose, inasmuch as they had never been asked to give to the cause and had reaped immense benefits from the work of the association during the past years. The appeal was sent to nearly a hundred ministers. One church has responded—the Second Presbyterian of Dallas—giving \$13.50. Reminders will be sent to the others after the convention, and it is hoped that others will speak to their congregations in behalf of the work."

PLEDGES EXCEEDED \$500

At the session last evening over \$500 was raised in pledges for defraying the expenses of the state association work, besides the county pledges made during the previous afternoon. The work of securing the financial obligations was in charge of Rev. B. W. Spillman of Nashville. The largest individual pledge was the first one, by Professor W. N. Wiggins of San Antonio.

At the evening session the convention listened to two very interesting addresses, the first by Rev. H. M. Hamlin, D. D., of the Nashville, Tenn., and the second by Rev. George W. Truett of Dallas, on the subject, "The Main Work of the King's Teachers—Soul Winning."

PROGRAM THIS AFTERNOON

The program this afternoon is as follows:

2:00—"The Help of the Blackboard in Teaching," Mrs. Bryner.

2:25—"Helps and How to Use Them," Rev. B. W. Spillman.

3:15—"Our Sunday School Offering for Missions," Rev. John Wm. Jones, San Antonio.

3:40—"An Approved Workman," Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner.

4:05—"Sunday School Leakage," Rev. B. W. Spillman.

CLOSING SESSION

The program announced for the closing session will begin with a song and praise service at 7:30 o'clock this evening. This will be followed by some "Pointers," by Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, after which the program is as follows:

8:30—"How to Fill That Sunday School," Rev. B. W. Spillman.

9:15—Resolutions. Farewell words of promise from all, answering: (1) I will report promptly to a called meeting of "teachers and officers of our school" or "S. S. workers of our town," or "our precinct convention," etc. (2) Which one thing will I most emphasize? One minute limit.

Farewell song and benediction.

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It was a little after 10 o'clock when the fire was discovered on the third floor of the Parlin and Orendorff building, and although the alarm was quickly turned in, the entire structure was a mass of flames when the firemen arrived.

The fire started among the piles of "knocked down" buggies and the oil-soaked wood made an intensely hot fire that was impossible to quench.

The building, a three-story brick structure, stood on Jefferson and Elm streets, extending all the way from Elm street to Pacific avenue. It was built of brick, was three stories high and was erected about twelve years ago.

The building was filled with one of the largest stocks of vehicles and agricultural implements to be found in the entire state. Wagons, buggies and farm machinery of all kinds were consumed in the blaze, little being saved.

An unoccupied building next to the warehouse was also destroyed by fire.

Weather Conditions

The Rocky mountain disturbance is now central in Utah and Idaho; it shows considerable more energy than yesterday, and influences the weather conditions throughout the Rocky mountains and plateau region, resulting in rain in Utah, New Mexico and Arizona, and cloudiness westward to the western portion of Texas. Clear weather with moderate temperature prevails in Texas and throughout the trans-Mississippi region, including all of the corn, wheat and cotton belts. Showers are likely in Fort Worth vicinity some time during Saturday.

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:

Stations—	Min.	Max.	Wind.	Rain.
El Paso	52	78	14	0
Fort Worth	45	73	14	0
Galveston	58	78	6	0
Jacksonville	52	66	14	0
Kansas City	44	60	14	0
Little Rock	46	60	14	0
Memphis	44	54	8	0
Mobile	48	58	6	0
Montgomery	46	58	6	0
Nashville	46	54	8	0
New Orleans	52	72	8	0
Oklahoma	40	68	8	0
St. Louis	44	60	8	0
St. Paul	34	58	14	0
San Antonio	50	70	6	0
Shreveport	48	70	14	0

SALVATION ARMY IS RAISING FUND

Members of the Salvation Army in the city are still engaged in the work of raising Fort Worth's quota to the Salvation Army self-denial week fund, which amounts to \$100. A large amount of this sum remains to be raised. An appeal will be made to the churches of the city to aid in this work, and representatives of the army will be present at the principal places of worship next Sunday morning to receive offerings. The money thus raised is used in the mission work of the army.

INDIANA'S LEGISLATURE HAS PASSED A LAW

Indiana's legislature has passed a law giving unlicensed bodies to the medical colleges, and repealing the law under which the resurrectionists were recently convicted.

VERMONT YOUNG MEN ARE NOW IN SESSION

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 17.—Many delegates and visitors are here for the state convention of the Young Men's Christian Association. The gathering will be formally opened with a reception and banquet this evening and the proceedings will continue through Sunday. The speakers are to include prominent association workers of Vermont, Ontario, Massachusetts and New York. Major General O. O. Howard has promised to conduct the meeting Sunday evening.

PERMITS FOR NEW HOMES ARE ISSUED

The following building permits have been issued by the city engineer:

J. W. Draughton, lot 4, block 1, Rector's addition, two stories, 7 rooms; \$2,000.

Denton Jones, lots 27, 28, block D, Wray's subdivision of block 18, Welch addition, five rooms; \$1,400.

John Tancred, lot 28, block 2, McAnulty addition, five rooms; \$800.

P. J. Connelly, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 12, Texas and Pacific addition, lumber shed; \$500.

WILSON TO SPEAK AT STARKVILLE, MISS.

STARKVILLE, Miss., April 17.—This was a red letter day for the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the occasion being the laying of the cornerstone of the new Science hall. The ceremonies were conducted under Masonic auspices and addresses were delivered by Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, D. A. Tomkins of Charlotte, N. C., and others. The new hall is a large and commodious structure, containing all modern improvements essential to the use for which the building is intended.

SOUTHERN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

ATLANTA, Ga., April 17.—The Woman's Board of Home Missions of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, began its fifth annual session in this city today. Delegates are in attendance from Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Louisiana, Virginia and other states. Reports to be presented to the convention show that the society has had a year of great activity.

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It was a little after 10 o'clock when the fire was discovered on the third floor of the Parlin and Orendorff building, and although the alarm was quickly turned in, the entire structure was a mass of flames when the firemen arrived.

The fire started among the piles of "knocked down" buggies and the oil-soaked wood made an intensely hot fire that was impossible to quench.

The building, a three-story brick structure, stood on Jefferson and Elm streets, extending all the way from Elm street to Pacific avenue. It was built of brick, was three stories high and was erected about twelve years ago.

The building was filled with one of the largest stocks of vehicles and agricultural implements to be found in the entire state. Wagons, buggies and farm machinery of all kinds were consumed in the blaze, little being saved.

An unoccupied building next to the warehouse was also destroyed by fire.

Weather Conditions

The Rocky mountain disturbance is now central in Utah and Idaho; it shows considerable more energy than yesterday, and influences the weather conditions throughout the Rocky mountains and plateau region, resulting in rain in Utah, New Mexico and Arizona, and cloudiness westward to the western portion of Texas. Clear weather with moderate temperature prevails in Texas and throughout the trans-Mississippi region, including all of the corn, wheat and cotton belts. Showers are likely in Fort Worth vicinity some time during Saturday.

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:

Stations—	Min.	Max.	Wind.	Rain.
El Paso	52	78	14	0
Fort Worth	45	73	14	0
Galveston	58	78	6	0
Jacksonville	52	66	14	0
Kansas City	44	60	14	0
Little Rock	46	60	14	0
Memphis	44	54	8	0
Mobile	48	58	6	0
Montgomery	46	58	6	0
Nashville	46	54	8	0
New Orleans	52	72	8	0
Oklahoma	40	68	8	0
St. Louis	44	60	8	0
St. Paul	34	58	14	0
San Antonio	50	70	6	0
Shreveport	48	70	14	0

SALVATION ARMY IS RAISING FUND

Members of the Salvation Army in the city are still engaged in the work of raising Fort Worth's quota to the Salvation Army self-denial week fund, which amounts to \$100. A large amount of this sum remains to be raised. An appeal will be made to the churches of the city to aid in this work, and representatives of the army will be present at the principal places of worship next Sunday morning to receive offerings. The money thus raised is used in the mission work of the army.

INDIANA'S LEGISLATURE HAS PASSED A LAW

Indiana's legislature has passed a law giving unlicensed bodies to the medical colleges, and repealing the law under which the resurrectionists were recently convicted.

VERMONT YOUNG MEN ARE NOW IN SESSION

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 17.—Many delegates and visitors are here for the state convention of the Young Men's Christian Association. The gathering will be formally opened with a reception and banquet this evening and the proceedings will continue through Sunday. The speakers are to include prominent association workers of Vermont, Ontario, Massachusetts and New York. Major General O. O. Howard has promised to conduct the meeting Sunday evening.

PERMITS FOR NEW HOMES ARE ISSUED

The following building permits have been issued by the city engineer:

J. W. Draughton, lot 4, block 1, Rector's addition, two stories, 7 rooms; \$2,000.

Denton Jones, lots 27, 28, block D, Wray's subdivision of block 18, Welch addition, five rooms; \$1,400.

John Tancred, lot 28, block 2, McAnulty addition, five rooms; \$800.

P. J. Connelly, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 12, Texas and Pacific addition, lumber shed; \$500.

WILSON TO SPEAK AT STARKVILLE, MISS.

STARKVILLE, Miss., April 17.—This was a red letter day for the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the occasion being the laying of the cornerstone of the new Science hall. The ceremonies were conducted under Masonic auspices and addresses were delivered by Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, D. A. Tomkins of Charlotte, N. C., and others. The new hall is a large and commodious structure, containing all modern improvements essential to the use for which the building is intended.

SOUTHERN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

ATLANTA, Ga., April 17.—The Woman's Board of Home Missions of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, began its fifth annual session in this city today. Delegates are in attendance from Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Louisiana, Virginia and other states. Reports to be presented to the convention show that the society has had a year of great activity.

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"And keep what yourself?" replied the boy.

"And keep the little piece myself," said the girl.

"Well, what are you kicking about?" replied the boy, "ain't you got it?"

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 - A. B. Moore, 312 Main St.
 - Haddaway Drug Co., North Fort Worth.
 - Goldstein, corner Thirteenth and Main.
 - Brashear & Hill, cor. Twelfth and Main.
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AMUSEMENTS

GREENWALL'S OPERA HOUSE

Tonight at 8:15. Matinee Saturday, 2:30. ANNA EVA FAY

Matinee Saturday for ladies only, 25c

Night Prices:

- Lower Floor and Balcony..... 30c
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One week commencing Monday Night, April 20.

Matinees daily from Tuesday.

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Change of bill at each performance.

Monday Night: "ON THE VERGE OF RUIN."

Ladies Free Monday with each 30c ticket if purchased before 6 p. m., Monday.

Seats on Sale for Above Attractions.

AT GREENWALL'S

Monday, April 27, MATINEE AND NIGHT, Annual benefit tendered Treasurer Mitchell W. Greenwall.

First time here of Bronson Howard and David Belasco's master production, "BARON RUDOLPH"

A great cast, including Thomas J. Keogh. Seats now selling.

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PAPAL DELEGATE TO MAKE A TOUR

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Archbishop Falconio, the papal delegate to the United States, is preparing for a tour through California and the southwest. He expects to leave Washington April 21, and will be away about a month. During his absence he will dedicate new Catholic churches at San Antonio, Texas, and at Los Angeles, Cal.

Have you property to sell that will make a good showing as to net monthly income?

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Dr. L. A. Barber, chairman; Dr. J. C. Anderson, Dr. A. C. Walker, Dr. Bacon Summers, Dr. James Anderson, Dr. John E. Covert, Dr. W. A. Link, Dr. R. D. Talbot, Dr. C. L. Miller, Dr. H. S. Brodie, Dr. Lloyd Pollock, Dr. J. E. Pollock, Dr. R. Chambers, Dr. Withers, Dr. L. E. R. Simpson, Dr. A. J. Mullenbach, Dr. E. L. Stephens.

BANKS
Hunter-Phelan Savings Trust Company, J. C. Phelan, first National bank, Ben O. Smith, Farmers and Merchants National Bank, American National Bank, John C. Harrison and K. M. Van Zandt, one each.

CATTLEMEN
Frank Nevill, E. W. O. Richards, E. L. M. Richards, H. Chad Barkus, H. W. H. Wells, H. L. Cash, 10 cents.

CLUBS
Country Club.
William Coleman (colored), H. Commission Men.
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Felix P. Bath, George P. Kaufman, H. Pridmore, F. A. Kuhn, A. A. Ivonich, one each, and Morris E. Ramsey, two years.

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Ethel Clerks' Protective Association, one year.
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The following lumber dealers each sell for one year:
Egerton-Lingo company.
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Texas Lumber and Lumber company.
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J. E. Quarles Lumber company.
William Cameron & Co.
J. H. Armstrong & Co.
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PLUMBERS
I. D. Kane, chairman.

FLORISTS
Baker Brothers, one year.

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Winfield Scott, 1109; Capt. E. W. Redbeck, 1109.

CLUBS
The Monday History Club, Woman's Wednesday Club, Current Literature Club.

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Hunter-Phelan Savings Bank Company, American National bank, first National bank, Fort Worth National bank, Farmers and Merchants, State National bank, one each.

OPERA-HOUSE
Phil W. Greenwall, one.

MUSIC TEACHERS
Miss H. Hendricks, one two years; Professor Schreiner, one two years; Professor Goodall, one.

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High school teachers, one each.

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J. J. Langner & Co., George Mulkey & Son, Burns & Hamilton, one each.

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E. H. Lowe, chairman; E. J. Parker, W. C. Scripling, Monnie Brothers, J. Brown, Messer, G. T. Smith, J. Pommer, one each.

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W. L. Smalwood, Woodworth-Cameron Company, one each.

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Dr. A. J. Lawrence, chairman; Dr. G. B. Williams, Dr. Ike Mayfield, Dr. C. S. Mattison, Dr. Nugent, one each.

RESTAURANTS
W. F. Calhoun, one.

RAILROADS
C. D. Link, one for two years.

TRANSFER AND STORAGE
N. M. McVigh, one.

CIGAR DEALERS
J. A. Starling, one year.

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TRUSTWORTHY PERSON in each county to manage business of old-established house of solid financial standing. Straight bona fide weekly salary of \$15 paid by check each Wednesday, with all expenses direct from headquarters; money advanced for expenses. Manager, 383 Coston Building, Chicago.

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WANTED—SALESMEN
Wanted—Two salesmen in each state \$50 and expenses; permanent position. Penick's Tobacco Works Co., Penick, Va.

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FOR RENT—A grocery store or meat market; also a butcher's outfit. Apply at Lexington and West Seventh. Mary Bigger.

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FOR RENT—A modern five-room cottage, elegantly furnished, location the best, close in on south side, to party without children. Owner (a lady and little boy) reserves one room and desires to board with family. Allison & Burgher, 601 Main street. Phone 1490.

FOR RENT—Brick store room on Main street. Inquire of S. L. Larimer, 1209 Main street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished cottage of 7 rooms, bath, barn, and servant's house; man and wife will reserve one room and board with tenant. 702 East bluff. Phone 1715 1 ring.

ROOMS TO RENT
FOR RENT—South front room, with board. 502 East Weatherford. Phone 1045.

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FOR RENT—To right party three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. References exchanged. 419 Jennings avenue. Apply 2064 Houston street.

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Beaumont and return, \$11.75. Date of sale, April 23. Account Texas Division Travelers' Protective Association.
Austin and return, \$15.50. Date of sale, April 15. Account of unrolling of Confederate monument.
San Antonio and return, \$9.50. Date of sale, April 24. Account of Battle of Flowers.
San Antonio and return, \$9.00. Date of sale, April 23. Account State Epworth League conference.
New Orleans and return, \$10.50. Date of sale, May 11 and 18. Account United Confederate Veterans' reunion.
Colonist rate to California, \$3, on sale daily till June 15.
For further information call or write: W. E. SMITH, C. P. & T. A., 811 Main street, Worth Hotel Building. Phone 488.

SPECIAL RATES VIA MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS RAILWAY
\$1.20 to Waco and return, account destination new buildings Baylor University; meeting Daughters of the Republic, Texas Veterans' Association and Texas State Historical Association. Tickets on sale April 19 and 20, final limit for return April 21.
\$1.50 to New Orleans and return, account American Medical Association. Tickets on sale May 7 and 8, final limit for return May 15.
\$1.95 to New Orleans and return, account United Confederate Veterans' Reunion. Tickets on sale May 17 and 18, final limit for return May 24.
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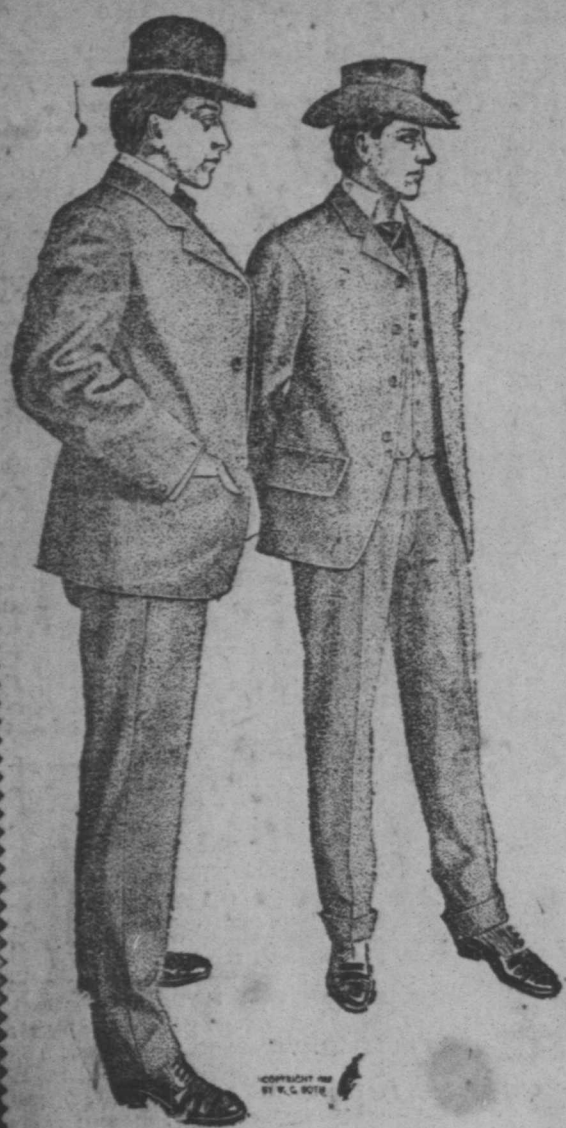
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CHANGE FORECAST IN POLICE COMMITTEE

Keen interest is manifested in aldermanic circles today over the prospective changes to be made in the standing committees of the council by Mayor Powell at tonight's meeting. It is rumored that the mayor is contemplating several important changes. It is said that Alderman Ward will be replaced as chairman of the police committee and a change also is forecast in the make-up of the street and alley committee. When the mayor was asked about his rumored intention today he said that there would be very few changes in the present make-up of the committees, which is as follows: Finance—Newby, Henderson, Moreland. Purchasing—Lehane, Waggonman and Moreland. Street and alleys—Waggonman, Moreland and Orrick. Water works and electric light—Lehane, Ward and Murray. Public buildings—Waggonman, Ward and Lehane. Fire—Murray, Ward and Lehane. Public grounds—Lydon, Orrick and Waggonman. Railroad and electricity—Henderson,

Orrick and Waggonman. Public schools—Moreland, Newby and Waggonman. Sewers—Henderson, Newby and Waggonman. Printing—Lydon, Moreland and Henderson. Hospital and paupers—Orrick, Murray and Henderson. Judiciary—Orrick, Moreland and Lydon. Claims—Moreland, Lydon and Orrick. Police—Ward, Murray and Lydon. Public health—Murray, Henderson and Moreland. Ways and means—Henderson, Orrick and Moreland. What you pay for extracts is important, but what you get for your money is ten times more important. Burnett's Vanilla costs more because worth more. HAVE YOUR SUIT CLEANED AT Gaston Bros., 906 Houston street. Dr. Whitman of the University of Chicago, one of the Carnegie Institute's advisers, recommends a biological farm for the study of heredity, variation and evolution.

LOSS TO WORKMEN

A PROMINENT LABOR LEADER DISCUSSES AN ISSUE

Gives His Own Experience as an Employee in the Railroad Shops—Couldn't Afford to be Sick

Mr. A. C. Holmes, of Oneonta, N. Y., an employe of the railroad shops at that place, is well known in labor circles and his own experience, recently related, deserves the attention of every workman who has lost time and money on account of sickness. Mr. Holmes said: "Two years ago I had a severe attack of grip which left me in a bad condition. I was so weak that I frequently had to lay off for two or three days at a time during a period of four or five months. I could not very well afford to do this, but there was no help for it—I simply was not able to work. I lost flesh, got nervous, had awful headaches and felt worn out all the time. "I had read of some remarkable cures made by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People in cases like mine and so decided to try them. A few boxes helped me and I think I took ten altogether. They drove all traces of the disease out of my system and made me feel like a different man. I have told many of my acquaintances about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and what they did for me."

After an attack of the grip there is always left behind some troublesome effects. Often these are worse than the disease itself and seem to baffle all efforts of physicians. Health is shattered—the blood becomes poor, the flesh falls away, the sufferer grows nervous and irritable, and even slight exertion causes shortness of breath. These are dangerous symptoms and indicate that the system is in a state that invites pneumonia, bronchitis or even consumption. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, however, will not only quickly restore the health after an attack of the grip and expel the lingering germs but, working upon the blood, will render the system proof against the disease. In hundreds of cases just as remarkable as that of Mr. Holmes it has been shown that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have surely accomplished this result. At all drug stores or sent postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents a box; six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

WOULDN'T RISK NEGRO

HENRY YOUTSEY TELLS OF THE MURDER

MADE PLANS SURE

SAYS GOVERNOR TAYLOR MADE PLANS CERTAIN FOR KILLING LATE WILLIAM GOEBEL

HOWARD FIRES THE SHOT

Witness Swears That the Defendant Shot Goebel, Disavowing His Former Statement That He Didn't Know Which Man Did the Shooting—Court Room Packed

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 17.—The courtroom was packed almost to suffocation this morning when Henry E. Youtsey resumed the stand to give his testimony in the trial of James Howard, charged with the murder of the late Governor William Goebel.

Youtsey told of making arrangements with Mason Hockersmith (colored) to kill Goebel. Youtsey said that Governor Taylor told him he could not afford using the negro to do the deed. Youtsey also told of meeting Howard and making arrangements for the shooting. "I pulled down the window blind and arranged for the shooting, showing Howard the rifle," he said.

"Didn't you take to Tom Campbell after your trial, that it was either Jake Vanbibber, Berry Howard, Tallow Dick or Jim Howard; you did not know which, fired the shot?" "Probably I did, but it was false," answered Youtsey.

Youtsey was first called to the stand yesterday morning.

Youtsey said he saw Howard for the first time a few minutes before the shooting. Howard had a letter sent him several days before by the witness at Governor Taylor's dictation. Youtsey says he took Howard into the office of Caleb Powers, then secretary of state, which had been especially arranged for the shooting. He showed Howard the Marlin rifle, the bullets and the window from which the shooting was to be done. He says Howard asked what he was to get for doing the shooting. "What do you want for it?" Youtsey says he asked, and that Howard said he wanted a pardon for killing George Baker. "I told him he could have that and more, too," said Youtsey.

"About that time," said the witness, "Goebel came in the gate, and I pointed him out to Howard, and then ran from the room. As I disappeared down the steps to the basement I heard the crack of Howard's rifle."

Youtsey said that after the shooting he passed through the statehouse basement, and a few minutes later came back into the executive building from the east side entrance. "I stayed in the office of Assistant Secretary of State Matthews," said he, "for a few moments, and saw Matthews break open Caleb Powers' office and find the guns that had been left in there."

Youtsey said that at the time of the shooting he was private secretary to Auditor Sweeney, but that while his political status was not definitely fixed, it was understood he was to have a good place under Taylor.

"Governor Taylor," said Youtsey, "directed everything we did. We regarded him as our leader, and he was morally responsible for all we did. We knew we had the governor and the pardoning power behind us, and we were not afraid of punishment for killing Goebel."

During Youtsey's testimony, Howard sat with his eyes riveted on the witness. His wife sat behind him. Howard did not change expression. Youtsey, on cross-examination, said that after he was arrested, and later sent to the penitentiary, he still held hope of getting his liberty. He thought Yerkes would be elected governor and would pardon him. Yerkes was defeated, however, and about a year ago he decided to talk, and did tell his story to Prison Physician Tobin.

Youtsey said further that he had an additional incentive to tell the story, as Taylor, Powers and others had used him as a cat's paw and he was despised and then deserted him when he got into trouble. Youtsey, in reply to questions, admitted that he had not been compelled to work in the prison since he made his confession to the grand jury. He claimed, however, that he had been sick, having been troubled with grip and pneumonia. He will continue his evidence on cross-examination tomorrow.

HILLSBORO IS HONORED BY THE GRAND LODGE

HILLSBORO, Texas, April 17.—A charter for a commandery of Knights Templars has been granted to Hillsboro by the grand lodge. The lodge will be organized at once. This is regarded as quite a distinction for Hillsboro, as this honor is only granted to the larger and more important cities.

BENNETT MURDER TRIAL IS ON AT HILLSBORO

HILLSBORO, Texas, April 17.—The jury is out with the John Henderson criminal assault case. The Ben Bennett murder case is on trial. Bennett is the negro who is charged with killing his wife and a negro man at Mount Calm a year ago while in a jealous rage.

ADDITIONAL DELEGATES AT THE CONVENTION

The following additional delegates have registered since yesterday noon: Willie Culwell, W. M. Sowden, Miss Mollie Culwell, Rev. George S. Glover, Rev. A. O. Evans, Miss Vida Stanfield, Weatherford; Miss Pattillo, R. R. Leawthey, Jr., Dock Reques, W. V. Smith, Miss Nancy Speaker, Mrs. J. J. Gurley, Mrs. Tyree L. Bell, Mrs. S. Howell, Miss Maude G. Howell, B. J. Robert, B. Jones, Mrs. Lillian Barrett, Dr. Price Cheaney, E. H. Conibear, Mrs. E. H. Conibear, Rosa L. Conibear, Mrs. W. Buchanan, Mrs. H. C. Ermsinger, Miss Virgie Fontaine, Dallas; Mrs. W. H. Purcell, Cleburne; R. M.



MRS. MARY FOSTER BRYNER Secretary of the primary department and field worker of the International Sunday School Association, embracing all denominations in the United States and Canada. Mrs. Bryner's home is in Peoria, Illinois.

Inlow, Nevada; Cal E. Kefr, Corsicana; Alma Rawlins, Lancaster; Blanch Lindsay, Mexia; Miss Helen Davidson, Waco; Mrs. J. R. Neece, Mexia; Leon Rogers, Oxford; S. M. Bond, Jeanette; H. L. Pearson, McKinney; Lizzie Green, Hillsboro; M. P. Evans, Orphans Home; W. B. Hargrove, News Cape; L. C. Collier, Midkiff; W. M. Hosford, Sterrett; W. T. Henderson, Grapevine; Mrs. E. H. Morehead, Grapevine; Mrs. B. O. D'Neil, Grapevine; W. A. Baird, Ferris; Miss McKnight, Ferris; B. Everett, Waco; Willie Culwell, Weatherford; Miss Ella Belle Manlove, Austin; John V. McCall, Cleburne; Z. A. Hudson, Graham; Clarence Gray, Dallas; W. W. Cunningham, Amarillo.

FLOYDADA HAS A KILLING FROST

FLOYDADA, Texas, April 14.—The thermometer registered 10 degrees below the freezing point at daylight this morning. Nearly all, if not the entire, fruit crop is killed.

COLUMBIA IS NOW THE LARGEST UNIVERSITY

NEW YORK, April 17.—Columbia has at last passed Harvard in the number of students, and is now the largest university in America. The entire student enrollment is 5,581, as compared with 5,044 last year and with Harvard's registration of 5,468 authoritatively compiled about three months ago.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT IS LOOKING WELL

CINNABAR, Mont., April 17.—President Roosevelt came into Fort Yellowstone Thursday, looking to be in splendid condition and enthusiastic over the good time he has had. Secretary Loeb met him at Major Pitcher's headquarters and the two transacted some routine business, the first work the president has done with his secretary since going into the park.



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