

EVERYTHING IS IN READINESS

NEW ORLEANS COMPLETES ENTERTAINMENT ARRANGEMENTS

PREPARE FOR THOUSANDS

THE CRESCENT CITY WILL BE THRONED WITH SURVIVORS OF THE RANKS IN GRAY

THE DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

Judge J. H. Reagan of Texas, Sole Survivor of Jefferson Davis' Cabinet, Will Be Honored—Mrs. Stonewall Jackson Will Attend

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 12.—Everything is practically in shape for the reception. The auditorium, quarters for the veterans and arrangements for feeding them are all in shape.

The great betting ring at the fair grounds will be the dining-room and the tents in the infield will be provided with plank floors and cushioned mattresses.

The committee has bought 5,000 blankets and an equal number of cots, which will be placed in the Casquet building and the old Hotel Royal, which will accommodate 5,000 to 6,000 men in sleeping quarters.

The entertainment of those who are to be fed will begin with breakfast Tuesday morning, May 13. Ample provisions have been ordered to supply every want.

General Goden, commander of the Tennessee division, has written there will be 545 men in uniform, companies from the various states of that state.

They are bringing guns and blankets. It is hoped as many organized companies as can will bring blankets.

The attendance will be enormous. There will be about 5,000 from Tennessee, 3,000 from Arkansas, 25,000 to 40,000 from Mississippi, 12,000 to 20,000 from Texas, etc. Of course, Louisiana will have vast numbers.

Governor Frazer of Tennessee said Governor Terrell of Georgia, will be here with a large number of members of their staffs.

LIGHTNING STRIKES A BARN NEAR WEST

WEST, Texas, May 11.—Farmers in this vicinity are jubilant over the fine rains which fell Saturday and Sunday nights.

Lightning struck and burned a barn on the farm of J. E. Yergin near West Saturday night.

W. R. Denton of the tax collector's office, Waco, was in West yesterday visiting some folks.

Mrs. J. A. Casey and Mrs. J. E. Yergin were in Waxahachie Saturday, visiting friends.

Mrs. Dr. A. L. Wille's music class gave a recital at the auditorium Friday evening which was well attended.

Dr. W. A. Wilson, president of Baylor Female College, at Belton, was present and delivered the address of the occasion.

WANTS DAMAGES FOR THE WHITECAPPING

FRESHFIELD, N. J., May 12.—Former state Senator Henry C. Terhune is the defendant in an action brought by Charles Hebert of Matawan for \$35,000 damages sustained, he alleges, at the hands of a vigilance committee led by Mr. Terhune.

ARE SINKING NEW MINE AT LYRA, TEX.

LYRA, Texas, May 11.—The Lyra base bull team defeated the Thurber team on the latter's diamond yesterday. The score being 10 to 7.

Oscar K. Thannich of Fort Worth is spending a few days here with old friends.

L. B. Thompson and sister, Miss Dell of Ux, Texas, are visiting their sister, Mrs. H. N. Alexander of this place.

J. N. Delavan left this morning for Austin to attend the state meeting of Druids.

John Dalton is spending a few days in Santo.

Engineer A. Gyger reports having reached a depth of 165 feet in mine No. 2 at this place. It is some 240 feet to coal.

Alfred Hayden of Higbee, Mo., has accepted a position with the coal company.

Alex Waugh of Big Springs is visiting his brother, Superintendent R. M. Waugh, for a few days.

SON FIDDLES FOR A DYING FATHER

Carlo Brizzi, Author of Several Operas Passes Away While Listening to a Folk-Song Played on the Violin

NEWARK, N. J., May 12.—Carlo Brizzi, who came of a distinguished Italian family of composers, and was the author of several successful operas, is dead.

For half an hour before he passed away his son sat at the bedside and played the dying man's favorite airs. While the violinist was playing a simple folk song with a gentle harmony and plaintive melody, his father raised his head from the pillow and reached out, as if to take the instrument from the hands of the player.

Then he sank back again on the bed, dead.

Pneumonia was the cause of death. Brizzi wrote, among others, the opera "Christopher Colombo," in which Adeline Patti sang when the work was produced for the Chicago exposition. The prayer at the funeral of King Humbert was composed by Brizzi.

YALE NOW HAS THE ELECTIVE CRAZE

CHICAGO, Ill., May 12.—A dispatch from New Haven, Conn., says the Yale corporation has made the entire four years of the college elective by allowing freshmen in the future to pick five courses annually out of a set of eight, dropping any three of the eight they wish.

The vote makes it possible for the freshmen to drop Greek, Latin and mathematics if they wish.

Greek as a required subject for entrance examination was abolished, the change taking effect June 1, 1904. Advanced mathematics and modern languages will be accepted as a substitute for Greek hereafter.

The change will make a large difference in the preparatory in the country.

HEBREW VETERANS ASK INTERVENTION

NEW YORK, May 12.—About 500 members of the Hebrew veterans of the war with Spain, at a meeting in the Young Men's Hebrew Association rooms, adopted resolutions asking President Roosevelt to request the government of Russia to prosecute the perpetrators of the attack on the Jews in Kishineff.

EVEN CHINESE AID

NEW YORK, May 12.—A benefit performance for the relief of the Kishineff sufferers has been given in the Chinese theater here.

GRAVES DECORATED BY CHICO WOODMEN

CHICO, Texas, May 11.—The farmers of our community were made happy last night by the down pour of rain which lasted for several hours.

The Woodmen of the World paid respect to their dead yesterday by decorating their graves. A large crowd of Woodmen were present, including many visiting sovereigns.

VILJOEN TALKS OF THE BOER'S PLANS

NEW YORK, May 12.—General Benjamin Viljoen, former assistant commander general of the burgher forces in the Boer war and a member of the Volksraad, and General Snyman, a Boer commander, have arrived in this city from Mexico after completing arrangements with the Mexican government by which 83,000 acres of the best land of that country has been secured for a home for emigrants from South Africa.

General Snyman will await here the arrival of his family and General Viljoen will sail for South Africa on May 17 to conduct the first expedition to the new country.

"I expect," said General Viljoen, "to bring fully fifty families immediately and that others will follow soon. Fully a

QUARANTINE TO BE DECLARED TODAY

DENVER, Col., May 12.—What will be the most extensive quarantine of cattle effected within a few days as a result of the general prevalence of mange. Gov. Peabody will today issue a proclamation to other states and territories to the number of six or eight, which will come under the same rule before the end of the week.

Cattle from the Mexican border to Canada will come under these regulations and practically all the territory from the Rockies to the Missouri river will be affected.

F. R. LUBBOCK TO SPEAK AT ABILENE

ABILENE, Texas, May 11.—Abilene and surrounding country was treated to another rain Saturday afternoon, and to still another on Sunday afternoon, and as a result there is a fine season in the ground that some think will suffice for weeks.

The farmers around here are jubilant over the prospects for a good crop year. The indications are flattering at this time so far as the season counts. Perhaps the most dreaded contingencies now are hail and vermin.

Thursday the 14th will be memorial day of the General Tom Green chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy at this place. The day will be observed by services at the Presbyterian church, which will be tastefully decorated with flowers.

The services will be in keeping with the properties of the occasion, ex-Governor Francis R. Lubbock being on the program. From the church a procession will march to the cemetery where the concluding service will be held.

Mr. Geo. McDaniel who has been engaged in the hardware business here for several years has sold his entire business to Mr. R. L. Over of Dublin, who will move here and continue the business that is already so well established.

Miss Mary Chatfield who has been engaged as teacher in the colored public schools for this scholastic year, returned home Sunday, having finished her work there.

Attorney Wm. T. Wilson, formerly of Abilene, but now of Tombstone, Ariz., arrived here Saturday night for a few weeks' visit with old friends.

Dr. Butler of Eastland was attending to business in Abilene today.

Rev. J. W. Lee, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church here, resigned his charge Sunday to take effect in about two weeks. Rev. Lee will go farther west, and will be much missed by the people of Abilene, who have learned to revere him highly during his stay here.

CONFEDERATE CAMP FORMED AT THURBER

THURBER, Texas, May 11.—Erath camp of United Confederate Veterans met at the pavilion Sunday at 2 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a camp of sons of veterans. Judge C. C. Cummings was in charge of the camp.

Van Zandt, division commander, related his experience as a soldier during the days of secession.

Hon. Silas Buck spoke of the object and purpose of the camp in compiling history, promoting a kindly feeling and high estimate for the old veterans who now survive.

Commander Sawyer of Erath camp called upon all sons of Confederate soldiers who wished to organize a camp at this place to enroll their names with Adjutant W. C. Ready. Fifty or more enrolled and the camp christened "Thurber Camp."

The following officers were elected: William Lightfoot, commander; Claude H. Marchant, lieutenant commander; Vernon A. Garrison, adjutant; Dr. Kuykendall, sergeant; Jos. L. Mullins, quartermaster; Rev. W. H. Wycough, chaplain; W. R. Minter, color bearer; Van Zandt, division commander. The camp will meet every Sunday at 2 o'clock.

NEW RURAL ROUTES TO BE ESTABLISHED

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, May 12.—Dr. Rodman of this city has received information that his brother, Lieutenant Hugh Rodman, has been appointed governor of Midway Island, a small island about midway between Hawaii and Japan, in the Pacific ocean.

Lieutenant Rodman has been in the United States navy since 1875.

The post office department at Washington has ordered the establishment of six rural mail routes from this city, beginning July 1. The total length of these routes are 133 1/2 miles. The post offices of Ike, Oak, Nash and Maloney will be supplied by rural carriers.

AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE TREASURY

NEW YORK, May 12.—Clerks from the treasury department, Washington, have completed their task of counting the many tons of money in the vaults of the United States treasury in Wall street. The cash was found to be correct. The amount of money for which Hamilton Fish, the new assistant treasurer, becomes responsible is \$286,471,256. This consists of \$290,774,007 in gold and \$5,697,249 in silver, \$18,643,777 in paper money, \$112,648.86 in minor coins and \$20,756.86 in other paper, such as paid coupons and interest on paid check.

TALKS OF VICE AND FALLS IN A FAINT

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 12.—Mayor Weaver fainted before 300 guests at a banquet of the Methodist Social Union last evening and remained unconscious for about ten minutes.

At the conclusion of a bitter denunciation of the octopus of vice lent to his administration as a legacy, and just as he repeated a pledge that the present efforts to purify the city were not to be spasmodic, but initiative of an aggressive campaign that would be continued with vigilance, the mayor paused abruptly and leaned on the back of a chair. For a time he seemed to be at a loss for words, then he closed his eyes and sank into the arms of his secretary, who was at his side.

The last census gave the value of poultry raised in the United States during the year 1899 as \$136,891,877; of eggs produced in the same year, \$144,256,158.

SECTION MEN ARE INJURED AT WEST

WEST, Texas, May 11.—At 8 o'clock this morning a Cotton Belt officers' special train which was running over the Missouri, Kansas and Texas track from Hillsboro to Waco ran into an open switch while running about 25 miles an hour, striking a handcar in charge of the section gang. George Clark, one of the section men, had his right arm broken between his elbow and shoulder and his left leg broken near the thigh and was otherwise bruised up and is in a critical condition.

George Ballard, another one of the section men was also considerably bruised up, but his wounds are not considered dangerous. The section gang was working on the switch and the train was nearly on them before they saw it and while part of the men were getting the handcar in on the sliding one man remained at the switch and intended to set it for the main line, but in the excitement threw it for the siding.

The main address, concluding the session tonight will be delivered by Rev. Samuel J. Barrows of New York.

HIS CACHINNATION UNCONTROLLABLE

New Jersey Man Starts Laughing Because His House Burns and Can't Control His Risibilities for Three Weeks

GLASSBORO, N. J., May 12.—For three days Lewis Kreechner of Monroeville laughed and laughed. The doctors who attended him said it was hardly possible for him to recover. Kreechner has finally stopped laughing, however, and he will get well.

Kreechner was seized with laughing hysterics in the midst of the excitement of the burning of his home Friday night. Relatives and friends did all they could to stop him, but they did not succeed.

The sufferer kept on laughing at intervals of a few minutes, until he was weak and practically helpless. Many physicians were called in consultation, but their efforts were in vain for a long time. Finally, however, the paroxysms became less violent and finally ceased.

Captain Apfeld, with the cry "Come on, boys, there's work to be done," seized a rope and swung himself into the hold, although several had been nearly suffocated on the first attempt.

In the course of an hour the fire had been conquered. Near the place where the fire originated were barrels of oil. Had they ignited nothing could have saved the ship. In their flight Captain Apfeld and the men had their faces, arms and limbs blistered.

To show their appreciation of the fearlessness of the men in charge of the ship the passengers drew up a set of complimentary resolutions and presented them to the captain.

NEW CHARTERS ARE FILED AT AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Texas, May 12.—Charters were filed in the secretary of state's office yesterday for the following corporations:

Crouch Hardware Company of Fort Worth; capital stock, \$25,000. Incorporated by J. P. Crouch, W. R. Francis, B. A. Bowers, K. M. Watson and H. F. Scheer, all of Fort Worth.

Belton Cotton Manufacturing Company of Belton; capital stock, \$50,000. Purpose to manufacture and sell cotton goods. Incorporated by O. A. Robbins and Peter Hammermuth of Belton.

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CONFERENCE IS NEARLY AT END

ATLANTA, Ga., May 12.—The final day's session of the National Conference of Charities and Correction began this morning with Mrs. Alice N. Lincoln of Boston presiding.

The topic this morning was, "Disease and Dependence: Housing and Sanitary Inspection." The principal address was given by Homer Folks, commissioner of charities of New York city.

Dr. D. J. McMahon of New York spoke on "Accidents and Occupations as Causes of Dependence."

During the afternoon sectional meetings were resumed.

The main address, concluding the session tonight will be delivered by Rev. Samuel J. Barrows of New York.

A BRAVE CAPTAIN AND STURDY CREW

CHICAGO, Ill., May 12.—A dispatch from Philadelphia says the American line steamer Friesland, which came into port yesterday from Liverpool with 14 cabin and 638 steerage passengers, was in grave danger of destruction by fire during the voyage.

From one of the passengers it was learned that on the fourth day out Captain Apfeld was at breakfast with the passengers when news that the ship was afire was taken to him by the second officer. Exclaiming himself so as not to alarm the passengers the captain mounted to the upper deck, where smoke was pouring from the hatch in dense volumes. With an order to have the pumps manned, Captain Apfeld soon had the pumps engaged in hoisting out bales of cotton and barrels of resin, paraffin and wax.

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SYSTEMATIC SEARCH FOR EGAN'S BODY

KALISPEL, Mont., May 12.—The Great Northern railway has made preparations to renew the search for Superintendent Egan, who was lost while hunting in the forests last fall. Experienced woodmen have been engaged and a camp made near the spot where he was last seen. The search for Egan's body will be prosecuted systematically.

FAMOUS PAINTINGS TO BE AUCTIONED

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 12.—Seventy-four paintings, owned by the estate of Henry Sheldon of Brooklyn, have been sold at public sale here, realizing \$16,720. Among the most noteworthy pictures was J. L. Geromes' "Tiger Hunt in India," which brought \$1,300, and Francois Augustus Bonheur's "Castle in Fontainebleau Forest," for which \$1,800 was paid.

Among the pictures to be sold before the conclusion of the sale are Ziem's "Grand Canal," Jules Breton's famous "Gleaner," and Rosa Bonheur's "Deer in the Forest."

ONCE WAS WATER NOW IT IS FIRE

Residents Near Johnstown, Pennsylvania Are Making Superhuman Struggles Against the Forest Flames

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 12.—After fighting fires without rest for sixty hours, exhausted and choked with smoke, the lumbermen and mountaineers of Cambria, Somerset and Westmoreland counties are praying for rain. By the almost superhuman efforts of the inhabitants and with the aid of fire companies from Altoona and Johnstown the villages of Juniata, Vintondale and Twin Rocks have been saved.

On Laurel hill, in Westmoreland county, several houses have been burned and loss of life narrowly averted. Guards have surrounded the Conemaugh Powder Company's plant at Seward to prevent flames reaching that establishment.

LATROBE, Pa., May 12.—The most destructive forest fire of years is sweeping the ridge and threatening the destruction of Waterford and Laughlins-town. A force of men is fighting the fire.

BAIRD COURT HAS A LIGHT DOCKET

BAIRD, Texas, May 11.—District court opened here this morning with Judge J. H. Calhoun presiding, and A. S. Hardwick district attorney, representing the state. The visiting attorneys are A. H. Hirtley, John Bowyer, S. P. Hardwick, E. N. Hirtley, J. M. Wagstaff and J. F. Cunningham of Abilene, and Judge McCartney of Brownwood. There are no murder cases on the docket, and as far as The Telegram correspondent can learn, no murder has been committed in the county for several years. Five cases were finally disposed of today. The jury for the week was discharged this evening.

We had a good one-half inch rain here yesterday evening. Crops and grass all right now.

SIDESHOW SUBJECT IS RETURNED HOME

NEW YORK, May 12.—Joseph Bernstein, seven years old, who, with his mother, brother and sister, arrived recently in this country from Prussia, has been ordered deported, the immigration authorities having decided him to be ineligible for admission to the country because of his diminutive size, he weighing only fifteen pounds. The boy is said to be healthy physically and mentally, but because of his lack of growth is classed with the cripples.

Young Bernstein's father is employed in a glass factory at Toledo, Ohio, and has taken out his first citizenship papers.

Mrs. Bernstein and the children were on their way to join him. The mother will return to her former home in Prussia, but the brother and sister of the deported boy, will go to their father.

Germany has barred out American potatoes and all kinds of American preserved meat.

A TORNADO VISITS MOUNTCALM, TEX.

WEST, Texas, May 12.—Citizens of West were startled about 2:30 yesterday afternoon at the sight of a tornado which appeared to be about eight miles southeast of here and appeared to be traveling northeast.

It was learned here later by telephone message from Mountcalm, Hill county, that the tornado swept across a strip of country west of Mountcalm for a distance of five miles. Several people were injured, but further details are unobtainable.

DOMINO GAME HAS ENDING IN COURT

HILLSBORO, Texas, May 12.—Constable Tom Dalton and Deputy Hooker raided a negro domino game this morning and made four arrests. The negroes were playing for 5 cent chips and are stirred up over it, saying they didn't know it was against the law to play dominoes.

KORNEDAY WAIVES PRELIMINARY TRIAL

DALHART, Texas, May 12.—Before a justice court this morning Geo. F. Korneday, editor of the Dalhart Sun, waived preliminary examination on the charge of the killing of Judge Keith yesterday, and was placed under a \$4,000 bond to await the action of the grand jury.

The remains of Judge Keith will be interred here this afternoon.

POLICEMEN GATHER IN CRESCENT CITY

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 12.—The International Association of Chiefs of Police opened a four days' session here today. Major Richard Bivester of Washington, D. C., president, called the association to order. The attendance is large.

Mayor Capdevielle welcomed the visitors and extended to them the hospitality of the city. The session today was largely routine in character. An elaborate session of entertainments has been arranged by the local police department. Many of the chiefs are accompanied by their wives.

TWO PICKANINNIES JAILED AS BURGLARS

Jimmie Boykin, aged 12, and Eddy Gray, aged 11, two pickaninnies, are peering wistfully through the heavy bars of the county jail today. They were arrested at 12:16 this morning by Officers Clark and Hilderback.

They were taken to police headquarters and looked up for the night and today were transferred to the county jail. Here is the way the entry was made on the police register:

Jimmie Boykin, charge, burglary; occupation, foot-pad; age, 12; nationality, negro.

Eddy Gray, charge, burglary; occupation, foot-pad; aged, 11; nationality, negro.

According to the officers, this intrepid and sanguinary pair of enemies to society were caught in the very act of breaking into a house on Twelfth street, between Calhoun and Jones, just after midnight.

SEE OUR NEW FOOTWEAR TOMORROW.

H. C. Stripling

THE PRICE IS THE THING.

207-9-11 Houston and 208-10 Main

New Oxfords and Strap Slippers!

We have just received large shipments of fine Slippers from C. K. Fox and the Drew-Selby Co., in all the late styles for women, also a big line of Misses' and Children's Slippers from G. W. Lewis & Co. These three manufacturers make nothing but guaranteed solid leather shoes and every pair of them is sold by us under a strict guarantee to give entire satisfaction. You will find many new styles that have not been shown before this season.

Drew Selby Co.'s Slippers

In the new goods from Drew-Selby we are showing fine Ideal Kid Oxfords with high Cuban heels, arched in-step, slight extension soles, as illustrated. These are very desirable for street wear, per pair \$3 00
Drew-Selby's fine Kid Oxfords with low Cuban heels, extension and thin soles, patent tip, per pair. \$2 50
Another kind from Drew-Selby has the light soles for dress wear and others have extension soles for street wear, opera and Cuban heel, patent tip. These are new styles that have just come out, per pair \$2 00



C. K. FOX'S FINE STRAP SLIPPERS

We have new Slippers from C. K. Fox in one, two, three and four straps, in Ideal, Patent and Vici Kid—the choicest styles that we've shown this summer are among these new lots.
Women's Ideal Kid Slippers from C. K. Fox with the new Louis XV heel, either 3 or 4-strap, turn soles, per pair \$2 50
Three-strap beaded Slippers, from C. K. Fox with the XV heel, very thin soles, made expressly for dress wear, per pair \$2 50 and \$2 00
C. K. Fox's patent Kid and Vici three-strap Slippers, opera and concave heels; both of these are new styles, per pair \$2 00
C. K. Fox's two and three-strap Slippers, with turn soles and opera heels—you will find these a special bargain at the price, per pair \$1 50
Old ladies' one-strap and three-point Slippers, low heels, turn soles, the popular shoe for house wear, per pair \$1 25



G. W. Lewis' Misses' Fine Slippers

We have these in all the prevailing styles for Misses, Children and Infants—bringing the children along, we can fit them up to perfection. These goods have just been received and are the newest out.
Infants' Slippers, sizes 2 to 5, all colors, patent tip, per pair 50c
Infants' Slippers, 2 to 5, beaded strap, patent and kid vamp, per pair 75c

Children's Slippers, sizes 5 to 8, in all leathers, styles, etc. at \$1.25 and \$1 00
Misses' 2 and 3-strap Slippers, patent kid, vici and Ideal kid, sizes 8 1/2 to 11, prices, \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1 00
Same quality of goods as those mentioned above, in sizes 11 1/2 to 2, at \$2.00, \$1.50 and \$1 25

MEN'S FINE SHOES

Our line of Men's Fine Dress Shoes is now complete, and we claim for the Heywood make, the highest art in shoe making, these come in several styles and are the very best that we've been able to find to sell at this price. \$3 50
We now have five kinds of Men's Shoes to show you for every day wear, two styles are in vici kid, three styles in calf skin stock, both congress and lace, coin and broad toe, sizes 6 to 11, per pair \$1 50
Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Patent Kid and Patent Colt Oxfords, at \$2.50 and \$3 00
Whittemore's Gilt Edge Shoe Polish, 25c size, on sale in shoe department, at 10c



PEOPLE'S PULPIT

The Telegram of Sunday goes for the Northern Texas Traction Company, and the service it renders the people in a manner that seems to me unjustifiable and unwarranted by the facts.
It occurs to me that the manifold blessings which this corporation confers upon an apparently unappreciative public are overlooked or possibly ignored. It seems that the aid and assistance it renders the city should be taken into account and due credit given.
One of the slogans of the present administration when it sought the votes of the people, was that corporations seeking valuable franchises from the city should be compelled to pay reasonable compensation therefor. The Northern Texas Traction Company has done this. When they sought a twenty-five year franchise over several miles of the principal streets of the city did it not cheerfully and generously waive a claim it held against the city for \$250? This any school boy can tell

you, is \$10 per year during the entire life of the franchise. What other corporation has ever done as much?
Again, it contributed \$2,500 to the construction of the viaduct. Morgan Jones, when he owned the property, agreed to pay \$25,000 or ten times as much, but that ought not to be laid up against the Traction company.
It has rendered a still more important service to the city. It broke Col. Lahey's pull. For many years strenuous efforts have been made to depose the colonel, with recurring failures. Did not the Traction company part with its trusty and loyal superintendent to defeat Col. Lahey and his pull? The value of this service is incalculable. What better man could be found for street commissioner than the Traction company's superintendent? He knows the needs and wants of the people.
Then consider the service. I heard a conductor on the city belt say a few days ago that he had made an extra round trip, in excess of the schedule before 11 o'clock. The man who expected to ride on the cars on schedule time could congratulate himself on getting

ting to his place of business four or five minutes earlier, if he caught the car. That he did not catch it is no fault of the company. He should have started earlier, knowing that the Traction company like "time and tide wait for no man."
Then think of the taxes they pay. The property cost a round half-million dollars, and is returned for taxation purposes at \$100,000, 20 per cent of its actual value. That the ordinary citizen pays on from 50 to 80 per cent cuts no ice in this. They are not Traction companies.
Think of the service. Are not the motormen instructed to stop on the further side of the crossings? They never stop till they get there, no matter what the condition of the street. Not infrequently when the streets are muddy they do better than this and run all the way from ten to one hundred feet beyond the crossings, allowing the traveler to get off in the mud and walk back, giving them full value for their money, and exercise they would not otherwise have.
All these matters should receive due consideration in discussing the subject, and go far to make up for the filth and discomforts so graphically portrayed by your correspondent.
Your article and the letter of "A Happy Citizen" are calculated to arouse a prejudice against the Traction company. Having undertaken, in a spirit of patriotism and self abnegation to manage the affairs of the city to their best interests they should be encouraged, least they become indignant and throw up the job and leave the people to look out for themselves. Then where would they be?
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MAY COMPROMISE THEIR GRIEVANCES

BOILER-MAKERS ON SOUTHERN PACIFIC GIVE FIFTEEN DAYS

Object to Repair of Engines of Union Pacific in Southern Pacific Shops at Sacramento—S. A. Stemmons Goes to the Rock Island—Briefs and Personal

What appeared yesterday to be prospects of one of the most important strikes in the history of the Southern Pacific, it is now believed, will terminate in a compromise.

The boiler-makers in the employ of the Southern Pacific at San Antonio, who have threatened to strike, this morning notified the company that fifteen days will be granted in which to adjust the differences out of which the trouble has evolved.

The real difference is between the Union Pacific boiler-makers and the company, the former contending that the Union Pacific is having engines repaired in Southern Pacific shops at Sacramento.

RAILROAD BRIEFS AND PERSONALS
S. A. Stemmons, formerly assistant city ticket agent in the local office of the Frisco, has accepted a similar position with the Rock Island, assuming the duties of his new position yesterday.

J. W. Hutchison of San Antonio, traveling passenger agent of the Frisco, is in the city today.

The Texas Millers' Association has petitioned the railroad commission for an open hearing for a revision of the present mill-in-transit rates.

Superintendent George E. Ayer of the El Paso division of the Santa Fe has created considerable excitement among employees of the road in general by recently posting a notice of dismissal of six conductors and engineers on the charge of frequenting saloons. It is claimed that some of the men who were thus dismissed are not what one would term "boozers," but that they simply happened to be detected in saloons during the rounds of the company's spotter. They claim that employees of the road had not had any previous instructions regarding such matters, and are, therefore, indignant.

The railroad commission has been advised that the gauge of the Warren, Corsicana and Pacific railroad is to be immediately changed from narrow to standard width. This road extends from Warren, where connection is made with the Dallas-Beaumont division of the Texas and New Orleans, to Campwood. Its original charter provided for its extension to Corsicana, a distance of about 150 miles, which improvement, it is reported, will now be made.

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CONSCIENCE MUST BE THE COLLECTOR

CHICAGO, Ill., May 12.—A dispatch from Kansas City, Mo., says the western Missouri Court of Appeals has decided that a member of the church congregation is not liable in law for the payment of the pastor's salary, and that a minister of the gospel must depend upon the good consciences of the members of his flock for his pay and has no legal hold upon them for it. This decision was made in the suit brought by Rev. J. H. Riffe against the congregation of the First Baptist church of Monroe City. Rev. Mr. Riffe was engaged at a salary of \$800 a year, but was not paid that much, so he sued for the balance. The clergyman won his case in the trial court, but the Court of Appeals reversed the judgment.



COUNT GHERARDESCA.

Count Gherardesca, an attaché of the Italian embassy, who will marry Miss Taylor of Washington, is heir prospective to a fortune, though he is already well off. The self-styled Prince Athrobald Stuart de Modena, who, December 17 last, married the former Countess Russell, was arrested recently, charged with false declaration at the time of the marriage. The Prince's real name is William Brown.

HEALTHY SYMPTOM

Miss Angell—And what are you doing for your rheumatism?
Mrs. McFee—"Deed, an' I don't need to do a thing for it; it's able an' willin' to work for itself."

Forty thousand birds, mostly sandpipers, are reported to have been killed recently on the North Carolina coast for millinery purposes.

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SCHUETZKE IS IN THE GAME TODAY

LOCKHEAD VS. RAILING IN THE PITCHER'S BOX

Work of the Fort Worth Club Steadily Improving—Dewey, the New Man, Probably Will Play First Base—The New Line-up

With a new line-up and consequently still more ginger, Fort Worth is playing Dallas at Haines' park in the first of a series of three games this afternoon.

The infield, it is announced, will be made up this afternoon of Fiedler, first base; Schuetzke, second base; Disch, short stop, and Combs, third base. Lucid will play right field; Poindexter, who seems at last to have found his batting orb, will remain in center and the dextrous Barrett will cover all the ground between here and Dallas.

It is Harry Lockhead's turn on the firing line. Dallas announces Railing as the curve dispenser whom she proposes to introduce. Railing is credited with a splendid assortment of slants. Lockhead's last two games have not been worth bragging about. In other words, he is due to pitch a good game this afternoon. The last good game he pitched was against Dallas a week ago last Saturday, when that aggregation got one run and four hits. He is earnestly requested to repeat the performance this afternoon.

A GOOD RECORD
Fort Worth had the pleasure of defeating the Dallas gang two out of three on its own grounds recently. The local fans look for at least as good a record here.

The Texas League clubs have felt one another out now and from this time on it will be nip and tuck for every game. Fort Worth is putting up a good article of ball. It won four out of nine games on the recent trip, and since returning home has defeated the league leaders two out of three.

SCHUETZKE IN TRIM
Schuetzke has had considerable practice with college teams up north this spring, and declares that he is in excellent condition for the fray. It will be remembered that during the short time that he played with Fort Worth last year his left knee was in bad shape. He says that this trouble has entirely departed. He is a good hitter and an excellent fielder. The outlook is that he will prove a tower of strength in the infield.

Dewey, the new man from California, who is expected here Thursday or Friday, is the subject of many favorable reports. He is a youngster, and according to Lockhead and McMurray, is fast in all departments of play. He plays both the infield and outfield. He probably will be used at first base, unless Fiedler improves.

Play this afternoon starts at 4:30.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Games Yesterday
Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 2.
New York, 8; Detroit, 2.
Cleveland, 6; Boston, 5.
St. Louis, 2; Washington, 0.

Standing of the Clubs	Games	Won	Lost	Per cent
Chicago	16	11	5	.688
Philadelphia	18	11	7	.611
New York	17	9	8	.529
Boston	18	9	9	.500
St. Louis	14	7	7	.500
Detroit	17	8	9	.471
Cleveland	14	6	8	.429
Washington	16	5	11	.313

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Games Yesterday
New York, 9; Brooklyn, 1.
Cincinnati, 3; Pittsburg, 1.

Standing of the Clubs	Games	Won	Lost	Per cent
New York	18	14	4	.778
Chicago	22	14	8	.636
Pittsburg	23	14	9	.609
Brooklyn	20	10	10	.500
Boston	18	9	9	.500
Cincinnati	21	10	11	.476
St. Louis	22	6	16	.273
Philadelphia	20	5	15	.250

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Games Yesterday
Little Rock, 3; New Orleans, 1.
Atlanta, 3; Birmingham, 2.
Nashville, 16; Montgomery, 7.

Standing of the Clubs	Games	Won	Lost	Per cent
Little Rock	9	7	2	.778
Montgomery	14	9	5	.643
New Orleans	12	6	6	.500
Atlanta	14	7	7	.500
Nashville	13	6	7	.462
Memphis	11	5	6	.455
Birmingham	12	5	7	.417
Shreveport	8	3	5	.375

TEXAS LEAGUE

Games Today
Dallas at Fort Worth.
Paris at Corsicana.

Standing of the Clubs	Games	Won	Lost	Per cent
Paris	14	9	5	.643
Corsicana	15	8	7	.533
Fort Worth	15	7	8	.467
Dallas	14	5	9	.357

PERMITS TO ERECT FINE RESIDENCES

Permits for the following houses have been issued from the office of City Engineer Hawley:
J. J. Nunnally, lot 8, block 5, Jennings' South addition, two stories, seven rooms, \$2,356.
O. R. Menefee, lot 2, block 41, Jennings' South addition, three houses, two to be two stories of nine rooms each, costing \$4,500 each, and one to be one story, five rooms, costing \$1,500.
O. R. Menefee, north one-half of block 16, Jennings' South addition, two stories, nine rooms, \$15,000.
G. McKenney, lot 3, block 4, Twombly addition, one story, four rooms, \$450.
S. M. Trewthitt, lot 11, block 4, Union Depot addition, five rooms, \$1,200.
The United States weather bureau employs 1,400 trained observers at 180 stations.

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\$61 Takes you one way via Portland.
\$25 Colonist Tickets on sale daily, one way to California.
\$2 Plus one fare, Bellefontaine, Ohio, and return, May 21, 28, 29, 30, June 1.
CHICAGO ONE FARE round trip, account SUMMER SCHOOLS, June 13; limit September 11.
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Tickets can be purchased at the city office any time Saturday, May 16th in order to avoid the rush. For sleeper reservation or information, call or phone
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Table with columns for RECEIPTS, OFFICIAL RECEIPTS, RECEIPTS BY ROADS, and RECEIPTS AT FOUR MARKETS. Includes sub-sections for CATTLE, HOGS, CALVES, SHEEP, and PORK.

DRIVEN IN RECEIPTS. HOGS—W. C. Cronrith, 14; A. Hunter, 1; A. Houser, 4; E. T. Mund, 6; J. C. Randolph, 2; J. O. Mouser, 2; Joe Carter, 3; Charles O'Neal, 28; Moseley, 7; W. T. Hart, 1; G. P. Cherry, 7.

INDIVIDUAL SHIPMENTS. CATTLE—Hill & Williams, Frisco, 26; Kaff & Maggard, Morgan, 325; Hardesty & Burton, Joshua, 61; N. A. Fowles, Rogers, 20; R. W. Kirby, Lometa, 64; C. F. Lewis, Broome, 159; F. W. Hudson, Hico, 33; Lee P. Parks, Dublin, 30; L. Perkins, Driscoll, 23; M. V. Terry, Travis, 33; W. R. Peters, Lov, 25; Dillard & Lowry, Dilley, 11.

STOCK YARD NOTES. The cattle market today is quoted steady with hogs 5c to 10c lower. San Angelo expects to ship out 160 cars of sheep next week, a large percentage of which will be shipped to this market with a northern privilege.

LOCAL MARKETS. These quotations were furnished by the Watkins Hay and Grain Company: Prairie hay, \$12@14 per ton; Johnson grass, \$13 per ton; bran, \$1.10 per 100 pounds; corn, 60c per bushel, shelled; oats, 50c per bushel; chops, \$1.15 per 100 pounds; rice bran, \$1.6 per ton.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES. HOGS—Only two cars of hogs were offered on the market this morning and they sold 5c to 10c lower than yesterday. Best territory hogs shipped to this market at present would not bring over \$6.63.

THE WORLD'S WHEAT. "Statistically the world's situation on wheat appeals to us as being an exceptionally strong one," said J. H. Wrenn, in the Chicago American. "European stocks at 22,500,000 on May 1 are the second lowest in a decade, being lower only in 1898, when they were 20,540,000 bushels. This is offset, however, by the quantity afloat and in store in Europe, 56,000,000 bushels that year against 61,500,000 in 1897, the year when Mr. Lester foresaw the possibilities on the long side of the market. The speculative situation at this writing resembles that of 1897, in so much that the futures in this market are selling at a liberal discount under the cash rates for wheat in Liverpool and Paris are considerably higher. We fully realize that statistics are not, as a rule, a safe barometer, and that in the speculative world it is not wise to be guided by them."

NO LOSS OF TIME. I have sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for years, and would rather be out of coffee and sugar than if I sold five bottles of it yesterday to threshers that could go no further, and they are at work again this morning. H. R. Phelps, Plymouth, Oklahoma. As will be seen by the above the threshers were able to keep on with their work without losing a single day's time. You should keep a bottle of this remedy in your home. For sale by N. E. Grammer, druggist.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. WANTED—A girl for general housework. Address 115 North Rusk and Bluff streets.

WANTED—Five first-class non-union carpenters; wages \$2.75 per day. Apply Sales, 1500 bales. Futures were barely steady, the range of quotations being: Open High Low Close. May 10.11 10.11 10.11 11.00-01.00. July 10.55 10.77 10.45 10.48-09.

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NEW YORK STOCKS. NEW YORK, May 12.—The opening and closing quotations on the Stock Exchange of the stocks named were as follows: Illinois Central, 139 1/2; Missouri Pacific, 112 1/2; Missouri, Kansas and Texas preferred, 88 5/8; Rock Island, 44 1/2; Republic Steel, 15 1/2; Southern Pacific, 5 1/2; Texas and Pacific, 2 1/2; United States Steel, 21 1/2; 2 1/2; United States Steel preferred, 84 1/2; Frisco, 79 1/2. Sales to noon, 177,500.

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LABOR FEDERATION MEETS IN DAVENPORT

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COMPLIMENT FROM EPWORTH HERALD

The Epworth Herald of Chicago, in its last issue, has a very complimentary notice of Dr. George MacAdam, the new president of Fort Worth University. This paper is the organ of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church, which has a membership exceeding two millions, the paper alone having one hundred and twenty-five thousand subscribers. Under the heading of "For Service in Texas," on the editorial page, it says:

JUDGE DAVIS STILL IS HOLDING COURT

QUO WARRANTO CASE POSTPONED TO MAY 23. In the Forty-eighth district court this morning the quo warranto proceeding which was brought against Special Judge James S. Davis, with the object in view of ousting him from office, was called. On motion it was postponed until May 23. Therefore, Judge Davis, in all probability, will continue to preside in the county court until Judge Milam's health is restored.

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MOBILE STRIKERS ARE IN GOOD HUMOR

MERIDIAN, Miss., May 12.—One freight north and one south is the record of the train movements on the Mobile and Ohio today, save the passenger trains, which are operating on schedule time. There was no change in the situation. The strikers are endeavoring to keep the yards clear, but have managed only one engine. A strike breaker, Sam Askew, brought here from Birmingham, Ala., to take charge of the yards, was arrested this morning and fined for carrying concealed weapons.

PIRATES BATTLE ONLY FOR SHOW

NEW YORK, May 12.—A battle between the policemen who man the police boat and a squad of policemen disguised as river pirates was fought off the shores of Tompkinsville. There was no bloodshed, but the battle looked real enough and a number of Staten Island residents on the bay ridge shore were convinced that the police had made an important capture of river thieves.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

A. A. Hunter and Lucy Marion Wilson. Ed Coffee and Emma Grigsby, colored. Joe Wolf, June 1, special venire of 1903. Joe Wolf, June 1, special venire of 1903.

FAMILY FAILS TO FIND ITS FATHER

Mrs. Jim Burke and two little children came to Fort Worth last night to find Burke, who is a painter, and said to be working somewhere in the city. They failed to find him on their arrival at the Texas and Pacific station, so took their troubles to Officer Tames, who took them to the Richelieu hotel, where they are staying. They came here from Dallas, but their home was formerly at Collinsville, Texas.

KING AND QUEEN IN EDINBURGH CASTLE

EDINBURGH, May 12.—The city of Edinburgh was in holiday attire today, and immense crowds of people warmly greeted King Edward and Queen Alexandra as they proceeded from Dalkeith castle to Holyrood palace, where they were to spend the night. The king and queen received a number of public addresses and presentations to their majesties followed.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 12.—The Women's General Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian church will be in annual session in Allegheny during the remainder of this week. More than 200 delegates have arrived, coming from all parts of the United States and including a number of women who are or have been employed in mission fields in India and Egypt.

OPTION ELECTION FOR ERATH COUNTY

STEPHENVILLE, Texas, May 12.—The commissioners court met here on the 11th, and after considering the petitions that had been filed, ordered a local option election for Erath county with the exception of the Thurber precinct. The pros. were represented by many preachers, who have been making speeches all over the county and all seemed to be greatly rejoiced. The saloon men and anti are going to organize and a hard fight is expected.

SPRING AILMENTS

There is an aching and tired feeling; the liver, bowels and kidneys become sluggish or fourteen years, says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was able to be around, but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this liniment and get well? It is for sale by N. E. Grammer, druggist.

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THE MOBILE STRIKE

Local interest is attached to the difficulty of the trainmen on the Mobile and Ohio railroad, who have gone on a strike for higher wages, the freight men asking an increase of 15 per cent over their present scale and the passenger men an increase of 12 per cent. One reason for Fort Worth interest in the strike is the fact that it was ordered by G. H. Wilkins of the Order of Railway Conductors and W. G. Lee of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, both of whom were here recently and who succeeded in a satisfactory adjustment of similar difficulties on the Fort Worth and Denver City railroad.

The most interesting features of the strike are the dignity with which it was inaugurated and its conduct up to the present time. The statements of Messrs. Wilkins and Lee in behalf of the trainmen and of General Manager Clarke of the Mobile and Ohio are among the most remarkable ever issued in connection with any railroad strike in recent years. They are remarkable for the spirit of fairness that characterizes them. After going over the preceding events that led up to the strike, Messrs. Wilkins and Lee say:

"The men feel that the company has used every method in order to postpone final settlement, thereby causing unnecessary expenses to them, and as a result all members of the Order of Railway Conductors and Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and others in train and yard service employed by the company have voted and are now instructed to leave the service in a body. They will use all honorable means to make the strike effective, but will not permit any acts of violence to be committed. They have a right to peacefully withdraw from the service and may honorably influence others of their craft to do likewise.

"Employees of other companies, members of these organizations, must not violate their schedules or break faith with their employers or allow sympathy to influence them to become involved in the trouble."

The statement of General Manager Clarke is equally unprejudiced, though looking at the matter from the standpoint of his company. It is as follows:

"I understand some of our conductors and brakemen have quit the service without notice as to time and date. We recognize their right in so doing, and request the turning over of such property of the company as may be in their possession to their superior officers and remaining off and away from the company's property and in no way interfering with the business of the company or its trains. Time tickets will be turned in and those leaving the service paid in full. We will proceed to operate the property in a lawful manner. Advise county and municipal authorities accordingly. We have no fight to make on any man or men, social or labor organization. You will proceed in an orderly and lawful manner to operate the property, conferring with the different heads of departments in all matters affecting the company's matters."

If wise heads can remain in control of the situation, the strike outlook presents nothing serious and bids fair to prove of interest in conducting future difficulties of like nature as they arise from time to time.

BRYAN AND THE PRESS

Mr. Bryan has been interviewed. Time was when that bare statement was not enough to excite more than a passing interest, when the silver-tongued speaker of the cyclone-swept state of Nebraska could be approached by even the most humble of the servants of the press and asked about almost any subject that might occur, from the cotnago of the United States mint down to the proper amount of Michigan mint required for a refreshing beverage on a hot day. But now it's different. Sad experience has taught its bitter lesson, and the dangers of trusting himself to reckless newspaper correspondents have become so

burned into the mind of the western orator that he has gone to the other extreme and borders on the ridiculous.

Interviewers, we are told, must submit written questions in advance for his perusal, and then must write down his answers verbatim as he gives them, making an interview that reads like the kind usually furnished country newspapers by press agents of barn-storming stars.

Mr. Bryan's democratic views are doubtless valuable, but they are not so valuable he cannot trust them to the intelligence of the press representatives, but must insist on their being put into writing while he watches his sentences grow.

Even the Delphic oracle in times of old, was content to utter its sage sayings through a funnel, trusting to ready priests to catch the words as they fell, but with Mr. Bryan it's different.

And, after all, what did he say anyway?

BY WAY OF IMPROVEMENT

The Telegram has often called attention to the many improvements it has made in the past and expects to continue making, but it is never more glad to refer to any improvements than those which are wholly for the benefit of the reader, for those who have shown faith in The Telegram by their loyalty and patronage.

For the past few days The Telegram has been receiving an additional Associated Press service amounting to 1,600 words daily. The increase in news service and a fuller report than has heretofore been given has been appreciated. The Telegram is now giving its readers more North Texas news furnished by its own staff of correspondents than ever before. Last night The Telegram printed more than eighty inches of these North Texas items, and as the list of correspondents is constantly being increased The Telegram hopes to cover the field still more thoroughly in the future.

These improvements are being made at no little expense, but their effect is plainly shown.

The Telegram is growing.

An excellent feature of Fort Worth's present rapid growth is that it is not limited to any single section of the city. A visit to the city limits in every direction will show scores of new homes being built, but a visit to the older parts of the town reveals the same kind of improvements. The whole city is being honeycombed with new residences and business buildings. The improvements are not those of any particular suburb or suburbs, but those of a Greater Fort Worth.

The powers of Europe have done a good many foolish things in their time, but they have at least showed wisdom in seeing through Macedonia's effort to get them entangled with Turkey in the present scrape. From all accounts, both sides are bad lots and not worth the powers' powder in behalf of either.

Wireless telegraphy and bloodless surgery have been among the greatest triumphs of the new century. Let us next advance to groundless coffee, harmless hash and seedless prunes.

The Denton Board of Trade has elected every male citizen a member of its organization. If Denton has real work to do, it should have included the ladies also.

Mayor Sanford of Waco will see no better waterworks system in Texas than the one he inspected while in Fort Worth. It isn't equalled in the southwest.

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DAILY SHORT STORY

JEALOUSY AND A FOX HUNT

(Continued from Monday's issue.) "Why, your devoted spouse and the lady of whom I spoke. Ah, Jove, here they are!"

"Good morning, Lady Boyda. This is a pleasant surprise." The black arched brows of the speaker were raised ever so slightly, and the stressed adjective rang discordantly in Lady Boyda's ears. Nevertheless she smiled radiantly, and replied with a laughing commonplace.

Sir Frank stared at his wife in wide-eyed astonishment. Poor, deluded man, having lived with one woman for just six months, to imagine that he knew anything about her or the sex in general. To add to his mystification his wife sent him a swift, bright smile and a nod, both of which she took elaborate care should not be lost upon the superb woman at his side.

"There she is, Boyda," interposed Lord Balharris, pointing. "That's Maelstrom. Isn't she a beauty? Stay forever, and warranted to jump anything round here, bar the Devil's leap!"

"The Devil's leap?" echoed Vera Cloytharp loudly. "That sounds interesting. Tell me about it, Sir Frank."

Thus enjoined, Wynstay began: "The Devil's leap is a natural fissure, about seventy feet deep, in the rocky soil of a field near Shorndon wood. Its position is a source of some danger to those having no knowledge of the neighborhood, as the gorge has been allowed to grow around the opening, almost hiding it from view.

"And its name?" persisted his fair interrogator. "How did it come by it, do you suppose?"

"Ah," replied Wynstay, "I'm afraid I can't tell you that. Possibly," laughing, "it may really have been the scene of some daring exploit by the gentleman in question. Anyhow, certainly no human being having his full complement of sense would attempt to cross it, except by means of an improvised bridge."

And so the talk went on, Lady Boyda meanwhile continuing in the blithest of spirits until Coghurst wood—the first to be "drawn"—was reached, and the hunt began.

"The hall" party stood together on a piece of rising ground commanding an extensive view and waited developments. Suddenly the familiar "vew halloo" came ringing up to them.

"There he goes!" shouted Sir Frank, excitedly. "He's heading Hastings way. Come along!"

The last two words were scarcely out of his mouth when the pack broke cover and went tearing across the open in pursuit of a dark something, which was plainly visible some distance ahead.

"This way!" cried Sir Frank again. "We may be able to head him off!" and in a moment the whole party had whipped up their horses and were following his impetuous lead.

The pace set, however, was in hunting parlance, a "cracker," and soon the majority of those who had started were left far behind. Vera Cloytharp, riding hard, had drawn up to Sir Frank, and the two went on neck and neck, with Lady Boyda's white, set face, not three yards behind.

From out the chaos of the little lady's whirling brain a single idea had sorted itself. Vera Cloytharp positively should not win her wretched bet. She, Lady Boyda, would prevent her! Yes, even if in the doing the great heart of Gil Blas were broken!

The pace was almost phenomenal, and soon Sir Frank's mount began to hold out

signals of distress. He kept his place, however, and presently the two leaders rose simultaneously at a grass bank topped by a wooden fence.

Both cleared well, but Sir Frank's mount, failing to sustain the shock of alighting, collapsed and rolled over. A swift glance in his direction sufficed to assure Lady Boyda that her husband was quite unhurt, and then she brought her hunting crop down smartly on Gil Blas' steaming flank. The duel had begun!

At the sound of the fall Vera Cloytharp gave a quick look back, and seeming to divine the other's intention, began to thrash her mount unmercifully. For some seconds there was no perceptible widening or narrowing of the gap between them, but at the end of a minute Lady Boyda saw, with a thrill of elation, that Gil Blas was slowly but surely drawing up to the leader.

Then suddenly she experienced a second thrill; but this time it was one of apprehension. Ahead of them, not three furlongs distant, a patch of gorse made a line of somber green across their path, and Lady Boyda knew—none better—that behind those innocent-looking bushes yawned the Devil's leap.

For a few brief seconds, as a kaleidoscope picture of the maddening events of the previous evening passed over her mental vision the little lady battled with an insidious prompting. Then it was down under, and she cried out shrilly: "Bear to the left, in front there! The left, the left!"

But her only answer was a furious backward glance and Vera Cloytharp's whip fell like a fall. A few more seconds, while the hoofs thundered and their breath came fast and then they were almost level. The patch of gorse was not twenty yards away.

"You fool!" screamed Lady Boyda. "Can't you understand? It's the Devil's leap. Pull that rein. Pull it, I say!" and the little lady made a frantic snatch at Maelstrom's bridle. Seemingly blind with passion, Vera Cloytharp raised her crop and struck her would-be savior a violent blow in the face.

It was then, in that supreme moment, that the true nobility of Lady Boyda's nature asserted itself. At any cost, she resolved, this mad creature should be stopped. At the sound of the swish which had accompanied the felling Gil Blas had swerved aside; but now, feeling an unusually fierce tug at the right side of his mouth he swung obediently round and charged headlong into the flying form of Maelstrom.

There was a thud and a sickening crunch as the animals came together, and then both went down, their riders rolling on the turf amid a whirl of flying hoofs.

With the instinct of self-preservation, Vera Cloytharp rolled clear and scrambled to her feet, dazed but otherwise unhurt. A few yards away a small white face, with a dark and growing stain of crimson upon it, was turned upward to the calm sky.

"My darling!" My love! My wife! Speak to me, oh, speak!" It was the agonized voice of Sir Frank Wynstay, who, having caught and remounted his steed, had followed them, and now pressed passionate kisses on a mouth that was bloodless, unresponsive and cold.

Afterward—a matter of hours—it became again as of old, but the time between sufficed to teach Sir Frank Wynstay many things. And among them was this—that in the possession of the heart of her whom he called wife he was "lord of a mine of wealth untold."

Good Stories Well Told

Charles Francis Adams, who was escorting a British friend to view the different objects of interest in the vicinity of Boston, brought him to Bunker Hill. They stood looking at the splendid monument, when Mr. Adams remarked: "This is the place, sir, where Warren fell."

"Ah!" replied the Englishman, evidently not posted on local historical matters, "did it hurt him much?"

Mr. Adams looked at his friend. "Hurt him," said he, "he was killed, sir."

"Ah, he was, eh?" said the Englishman still eving the monument and commencing to compute its height in his own mind. "Well, I should think he would have been to fall so far."

"I see the Brooklyntes are to erect a memorial to Henry Ward Beecher," said Robert A. Graham of Oregon. "I remember his receiving about as big a fee as anybody for twice performing the marriage of the late Collis P. Huntington. The latter was called abroad by important business, and desiring to take the present Mrs. Huntington with him, they were quietly married by Mr. Beecher, who received a check for \$500. Returning to America, the Huntingtons had a fashionable wedding and reception."

"Mr. Beecher again officiated and again was paid \$500."

"Dear me," remarked the distinguished divine as he looked at the check, "it is almost a pity, Mr. Huntington, that you are not a Mormon."

R. R. Beatty of Washingtonville, N. Y., told this story the other day: "I was well acquainted with Josh Billings and his family when he was an auctioneer. He once sold a lot of cows for a Mr. Halght, who lived near Hackensack, generally known as Deacon Halght, because of his strong religious principles—in which not a great deal of confidence was reposed. One of the cows made a bolt and ran square over Joshua, knocking him down. He arose in his wrath and began swearing, whereupon Deacon Halght

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stepped up and said: "Tut-tut, Mr. Shaw, you should not swear. Josh scratched his head and remarked: 'Well, deacon, you pray a little sometimes, but I think neither of us means much by it.'"

Paul Dresser, the song writer, was in the Marlborough cafe when Lew Dockstader, the minstrel, blew in.

"Heard one of your old songs not long ago, Paul," said Lew.

"Is that so?" said Paul, and he was so pleased that he forgot himself and ordered the drinks.

"Yes, that's right," said Lew. "I was in a little barn-storming town all alone that night, and being lonesome, I dropped into the town theater. The play was the one with the old sawmill act in it. You know—the villain grabs the beautiful heroine and straps her to the saw log and then sets the wheels to going round. Say, they had a buzz saw there that would make the elevated road seem as quiet as a cemetery. It just whirled like an Irish banshee and sent the sawdust flying in all directions."

"Is that so?" asked Paul.

"Yes," said Lew, "that's right. Well, before the show opened up I met the manager at the hotel and he told me he had no hand, but wanted to hire one in the town for the occasion. So I went around with him to help him out, and we hired a jacking fiddler or two and supplied what was made to answer for an orchestra. The music was something awful, but so was the show, so things went along pretty fairly until the great sawmill act was reached. The girl had been tied on, and the old saw was eating into the papier-mache log for all there was in it. Nearer and nearer came the jagged teeth of the saw to the girl. The audience held its breath. The saw was ripping things right and left when Bill Jones and those other two musical monstrosities struck up your old tune, Paul."

"Yes, yes," said Paul, and he was so excited that he ordered the drinks again, as the waiter looked inquiringly. "What did they play, Lew?"

"Why," said Dockstader, with a yawn, "they started up the old tune and sang the words to it. 'Just Tell them That You SAVED ME.'"

Dresser was sorry that he bought those drinks.

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I took a walk two miles long after supper last night, and all I heard was eight pianos on which eight girls were trying to play the "Maiden's Prayer," and all that I saw was the prevailing fashion in shirtsleeves and mother Hubbard's.

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And then there's Ireland's new land bill, Which all Great Britain agitates; 'Twill be explained as plain as day, When our

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The candidates for president, And likewise all their running mates, Will be paired off without a doubt, When our

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But just one fact will fail to flow From oratory's loosened gates; And that's who has to foot the bills, When our

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—THE IDLER.

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Miss Bertha Cannon of Bridgeport is visiting her sisters here today.
Captain M. B. Loyd is in Terrell and expects to return tonight.
V. Green has gone on a business trip to Mineral Wells.
John Ferrell is in town from Handley today.
Miss May Peaker of Handley is in the city.
S. M. Ward is quite sick at his home on West Ballinger.
N. A. Steed, a prominent cattleman of Baylor county, is a visitor in the city.
Miss Elizabeth Tarlton will entertain the Marguerites Thursday afternoon.
Naamah Council will exemplify degree work at the meeting to be held tonight.
W. E. Connell and Ben O. Smith are in Sherman attending the bankers' convention.
Judge Edward R. Meek was in town yesterday from Dallas, where he has been holding court.
Work has been begun on the handsome residence of F. L. Jaccard on Lake avenue.
Mrs. M. J. Swartwood of San Antonio is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Taylor, at 116 Lamar street.
Mrs. E. B. Cyrus of El Paso spent Sunday in the city, visiting friends. She left yesterday for Dallas.
The Woman's Missionary Society of the Tabernacle church met this afternoon at 3:30.
Miss Ruth Wingfield gave a talk on "Buds and Branches" at the Carnegie library this afternoon.
Mrs. T. B. Campbell of Dallas is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nellie Hoskins, at 114 East Weatherford street.
There will be an ice cream and strawberry social by the Glenwood Methodist church tonight.
Mrs. A. Neal of Kansas City, who has been visiting her daughter in Fort Worth, returned home last night.
Mrs. E. W. Turner of Fort Worth, after a few weeks' stay in Mineral Wells, returned home much improved.
Chief of Police Roa is in New Orleans attending the annual convention of the International Association of Chiefs of Police. He will remain in the Crescent City next week to take in the Confederate reunion.
Detective Thomason has recovered some clothing that was stolen from the store of L. G. Gilbert recently by a shoplifter. He has arrested a negro who gives the name of Wyatt Brown. The negro will be transferred from the city calaboose this evening to the county jail.
Dr. Haescher (Munchener Med. Woch) says that the method of hardening children by means of cold baths is not only unnecessary, but it is sometimes injurious. It increases rather than diminishes their susceptibility to "colds," thus inducing coryza, throat affections, bronchitis and pneumonia.

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THE DELEGATES ARE GONE TO EL PASO
The annual meeting of the Texas Woman's Press Association will be held in El Paso this week and the border city is making preparations for entertaining them in truly El Paso style. The members were coming into Fort Worth all day yesterday, this being the rendezvous, and left last night over the Texas and Pacific.
Among those in the party last night were Mrs. Elizabeth McGary of Austin, Mrs. A. G. Barbour of the Gonzales Engineer, Mrs. R. H. Harrison of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Bass of Temple, Mrs. Kate Alma Orgain of Temple, Mrs. Cora Baron Foster of Houston, Mrs. W. L. Lamoreaux of Dallas, Mrs. M. K. Lockridge of Fort Worth, Mrs. Henri C. L. Gorman of Fort Worth, Mrs. A. P. Boyd of Paris, Mrs. Sterling Robertson of Waco, Mrs. T. Jeff Smith of Waco, Mrs. H. T. Hopkins of Waco, Mrs. Katherine Menton of Beaumont, Mrs. Fred B. Robinson of Waco, Mrs. Gillen Cuney of Crosswell, Mrs. Kate H. Makenson of Georgetown, Mrs. Ida Van Zandt Jarvis of Fort Worth, Mrs. Frank Varson of Cisco, Mrs. C. A. Westbrook of Lorena, Mrs. Corneila Branch Stone of Galveston, Mrs. Mary C. Chabot of San Antonio, Mrs. M. M. Jouvencot of Sherman, Mrs. Mary T. Manlove of San Marcos, Mrs. W. C. Banks of Temple, Mrs. A. P. Hall of Temple, Mrs. Cortlandt Lawrence of Beaumont, Mrs. Alice M. Yancy of Taylor, Mrs. R. H. Hill of Waco, Mrs. Rosa Fontaine Howell of Fort Worth, Mrs. Nellie Houston Brimbrugh of San Antonio, Mrs. J. D. Alexander of Cisco, Mrs. W. A. Sayres of Temple, Miss Pearl Casbell Jackson of Houston, Mrs. A. V. Winkler and Miss Myra Winkler of Corsicana, Mrs. Fred A. Scott of Austin, Miss Ella Graves of Austin, Mrs. T. E. Cranfill of Waco.
Mrs. Fred B. Robinson of Waco is the president and among the representatives in the session last night were heard opinions that she would be re-elected if she should allow her name to come before the meeting.
Mrs. James M. Bass of Temple is the association secretary and E. P. Turner, the press women's "angel," forwarded to Mr. Bass transportation for the meeting. Mrs. Bass is to be the guest of Mrs. R. F. Hammett, and when Mr. Hammett heard of the coming of Mrs. Bass an invitation was at once forwarded to the hostess of the party, who will, with El Paso's mayor, watch how women do things when away from their husbands.

Weather Conditions
WASHINGTON FORECAST
WASHINGTON, May 12.—Showing in the forecast tonight: Monday, fair to clear; Tuesday, fair to clear; Wednesday, generally fair, preceded by showers in the east portion tonight; cooler tonight, day.
Oklahoma and Indian Territories—Tonight and Wednesday, fair and cooler; Tuesday, frost in north portion Wednesday morning.
East Texas, north—Tonight and Wednesday, generally fair; warmer in west portion.
East Texas, south—Tonight and Wednesday, generally fair; light to fresh northerly winds on coast.
West Texas, north—Tonight and Wednesday, generally fair except probably showers Wednesday; warmer, tonight.
West Texas, south—Tonight and Wednesday, generally fair; warmer Wednesday.
Observer George Reeder issued the following report this morning:
The rain area has moved eastward and now extends from the lower portion of the Missouri valley southward to the Gulf, and eastward to the South Atlantic coast. Light and scattered showers fell over the eastern portion of Texas and heavy rains in Arkansas, the lower Mississippi valley, Alabama and Georgia during the past twenty-four hours. Clear and cooler weather prevails in the northwest section of the country with frost in the Dakotas, Nebraska, Colorado and Wyoming. Nearly all of the cotton, wheat and corn regions have been benefited by good showers during the past two or three days.
Generally fair weather will prevail in Fort Worth vicinity until Wednesday night; the temperature changes will be slight and unimportant.


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 Fall.
Amarillo 56 74 12 0
El Paso 48 66 12 0
Fort Worth 56 71 12 0
Galveston 62 76 6 0
Memphis 69 76 16 0
Montgomery 60 72 12 0
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Oklahoma 52 66 12 0
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WHOOPIING COUGH
A woman who has had experience with this disease, tells how to prevent any dangerous consequences from it. She says: "Our children took whooping cough last summer, our baby boy being only three months old, and owing to our giving them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, they lost none of their plumpness and came out in much better health than other children whose parents did not use this remedy. Our oldest little girl would rattle lustily for cough syrup between whomps." Jesse Pinker, Hall, Springdale, Ala. This remedy is for sale by N. E. Grammer, druggist.

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AMUSEMENTS
The Curtiss Comedy Company opened the second week of its roof garden season to a bigger crowd than was present on the opening night of the season, which indicates that the company is advancing in popular favor, as last night certainly was not more favorable for roof garden purposes than was the opening night. The play for the first half of this week is "Lost and Won," which the program describes as a "four-act sensational comedy." It is really a melodrama, and last night it was given a finished interpretation by the company. The hit of the performance was made by Edna Graham, who as Lavina Ann Murphy, did one of the best pieces of character acting seen recently in Fort Worth, or long ago either for that matter.
Miss Dale as Edith Vincent, the innocent wife, against whom the husband's suspicions are aroused through the machinations of an adventurer and her confederate, did some splendid emotional work, especially in the scenes where she pleaded with her husband not to separate her from her children.
The acting of Celia Staples as the daughter of the wronged wife, completely captivated the audience which was much more enthusiastic than any preceding one this season. W. S. Hammer as the confederate of the adventurer and Gertrude Phelan as the adventurer, would have won hisses from the gallery gods if there had been any of them present.
In the vaudeville department Frank Cushman re-established himself as a warm favorite by introducing a new budget of songs and stories. He finally had to tell the crowd that he must decline more encores as the performance must proceed. Hugh Morrison, who had the part of an eccentric Irishman in the play also did a singing specialty that was thoroughly enjoyed. Ted, a remarkable dog, gave a pleasing exhibition.
Beginning with Thursday night's performance "The Circus Girl," which is called a three-act farce comedy on the program, will be the bill.

ADDITIONAL NEWS OF DALHART AFFAIR
The following details of the shooting at Dalhart yesterday, brief mention of which was made in last evening's Telegram, were received today.
DALHART, TEXAS, May 11.—Judge W. T. Keith of Bowie, who has been an attorney of Dalhart for some time, and George F. Kormegay of Brownwood, editor of the Dalhart Sun, a weekly newspaper, met this morning near the former's office, and in an altercation Keith was killed by being shot through the body. Keith was arrested last week for carrying concealed weapons, and in Kormegay's last issue of his paper he alluded to the fact that he was making threats that were conveyed to Kormegay, who armed himself this morning.
Kormegay was passing Keith's office and was called in. After a heated discussion Kormegay left and Keith followed him, hurling abuse and epithets at Kormegay, close witnesses say. Kormegay was seen to pull his gun and fire, and Keith dodged into his office, quickly returning when he received the second shot. Kormegay then turned the corner of a building and, as Keith approached the corner, he shot once and missed his mark. Turning he sank to the sidewalk and expired.
The coroner's verdict placed his death at the hands of Kormegay, who is under arrest, and his preliminary trial will be held tomorrow before Judge Bowers. Public sentiment is evenly divided.

IT WAS A GOOD ONE
The rain that was needed to round out the crops, no fears now for the grains and feedstuffs in Fort Worth's territory, boys and packing-house products in plenty now. Some of the packers and numerous investors have been waiting for good assurances that nothing but the good rain we had could have furnished. Byers & Trice, real estate brokers, advise the purchase of property now as a sure and safe investment.
They have for sale the best to be had in improved and vacant business property on both Main and Houston streets. Can offer some of the most desirable residences and lots to be had at cheap prices and easy terms. If you wish to sell or buy, see them at 709 Main street or phone 1192.

NEWS AND PERSONALS FROM BRENHAM, TEX.
BRENHAM, TEXAS, May 11.—Dr. R. H. Lambert will leave Saturday for New York where he will take a polytechnic post graduate course in a medical college there. Dr. Lambert has just received a new and up-to-date X-ray machine, one of the best that has ever been brought into the state.
Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Massey of Cameron are here on a visit. Mr. Massey was formerly pastor of Goddard's Memorial church in this city and has many friends here.
The school board will meet tomorrow to select teachers for the ensuing term.
Only one marriage license was issued here during the past week.

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The heart when exhausted relaxes just as does any weakened or exhausted muscle, causing the circulation to wholly or partially cease, when the person becomes weak, or perhaps faint. Should the relaxation continue for a minute or two sudden death is the consequence. If you're weak, if it flutters, palpitates, tires easily, you should immediately begin the use of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. This great blood and heart tonic has been uniformly successful in the treatment of heart disease. It enriches the blood, strengthens the heart nerves, regulates the pulse and improves the circulation.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

J. B. Colton to Mrs. B. E. Anderson, 1 acre S. G. Jennings survey; \$650.
 D. E. Phillips and wife to Northern Texas Trust Company, 43 acres G. N. Butts survey; \$500.
 S. A. Wood and wife to E. C. Manning, lot 4, block T, Portwood subdivision, Field's Hillside addition; \$3,500.
 J. C. Ingram to David Hinkson lot 18, block 26, Union Depot addition; \$1,060.
 A. T. Baker to M. D. Handley 2 acres McLemore survey; \$270.
 B. M. Morris to S. Yates block 28, Ditto and Collins addition; \$300.
 Jas. Harrison to J. E. Wagner lot 3, block 2, Jas. Harrison addition; \$325.
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 J. A. and W. T. Gibbons and others to W. H. Blair lots 3, 4, 5, 6, block 12, Rosen Heights; \$801.50.
 Sam Rosen to J. A. and W. T. Gibbons lots 2, 4, 5, 6, block 12, Rosen Heights; \$726.50.
 Geo. Halley and others to W. J. Bailey north 1/4 J. W. Connor 320 acre survey; \$18,000.
 S. J. Brawner and wife to A. W. Smith 100 acres J. Reasonover survey; \$2,750.
 D. E. Phillips to J. S. Goodwin all of block 10, W. Handley; \$638.
 J. S. Goodwin and wife to D. E. Phillips and others lots 1 to 15, inclusive, block 10, W. Handley; \$700.
 R. G. Johnson, trustee, to Tom Mason and others 5 acres M. Baugh survey; \$348, trustee's deed.
 Joe Whitehead by Constable L. L. Hudson 50 acres T. Beedy survey and 50 acres D. Strickland survey; \$35, deed by constable.

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

Fort Worth is probably destined to become the live stock mart of Texas from present indications. Armour and Swift are doubling the capacities of their Fort Worth plants, realizing that they can pay more for cattle and earn more per head than elsewhere. Early in June Armour will be able to handle 1,200 head of cattle per day and Swift will probably be as well fixed. It is an interesting and prophetic fact to note that not a week passes that does not witness the arrival of one or more representatives of packing-houses that are not yet located in Fort Worth. It is believed that two more packing-houses will be erected before the year is over. This has been a phenomenal rise in a paying industry.—Denison Herald.

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CURES ILLNESS BY STARVATION

R. L. Morehous, Formerly of Fort Worth Tells How He Found Health

HUNGRY THREE WEEKS

The following letter was received by The Telegram this morning from R. L. Morehous, formerly of Fort Worth, and now at Los Angeles, Cal. The accompanying story is from the Los Angeles Herald of May 4:

Fort Worth Telegram, Fort Worth, Texas.

Dear Sirs—Thinking that enclosed clipping will be of interest to my Fort Worth friends, I send it to you. I am feeling fine and hope some day soon to see dear old Fort Worth. Yours respectfully, R. L. MOREHOUS.

The clipping is as follows:

Dr. Tanner of fasting fame has a new disciple in this city. He is R. L. Morehous, and on April 11 he broke a fast of twenty-one days. The feat was accomplished at San Jacinto, and Morehous declares that during his period of fast he ate no food whatever, and drank nothing but water. Mr. Morehous returned to this city convinced that fasting is the remedy for most of the ills to which the body is popularly supposed to be heir.

The fasting was done for a purpose—Morehous didn't simply wish to prove that he could stand the fast, but wished to rid himself of rheumatism. Until he took the treatment, he declares, he was afflicted with this ailment for fully five years, and at times it grew so severe that he would be forced to lay aside his business and seek his bed. Since taking that treatment, he says, he has had no rheumatism, and is not afraid that it will return to him.

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But his stomach, grown accustomed to the lazy life it had been leading, disliked the idea of going back to work again. Morehous insisted now upon eating, and the stomach, just to get even, began to make him experience pangs of hunger. Friends and acquaintances comforted him by telling him that after the second day the fast-breaker generally went crazy. Then Morehous tried a different diet, and the crisis was passed successfully. He parched field corn and drank the water it was soaked in; he ate boiled eggs and drank sterilized milk; sometimes he drank a little grape fruit juice.

Mr. Morehous is stopping at the Hotel Vogel. He weighs about 150 pounds now, or ten pounds less than when he began fasting. He eats but one meal a day, at the noon hour. Disciples of vegetarianism convinced that meats are not good to eat, and his meals consist principally of vegetables and fruits. He declares that he is well satisfied with one meal a day, and has come to the conclusion that the great mass of people eat too much.

NOTIFY TENANTS THEY MUST MOVE

NEW YORK, May 12.—Tenants of more than one hundred residences and apartment houses in the streets adjacent to the New York Central railroad yards, have been notified to vacate the premises they occupy before June 12 when the work on the new twenty-million-dollar terminal is to be begun.

Formal notices were served last week on lessees of property from Forty-fifth to Fifty-first street, and extending from the present car tracks on the east to Lexington avenue on the west to Madison avenue.

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 "'Tis 'Force' that gives me strength and vim."
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Ten thousand fish—all black bass—arrived in Fort Worth this morning from the government station at San Marcos, Texas, for distribution in the lakes and streams around Fort Worth. The applications for these fish were filed with the government fish commissioner at Washington nearly a year ago through City Engineer Hawley for the city, George T. West for the Hunt Lake Club, F. M. Haines for the Hunt Lake and through an Arlington man representing Lake Calloway, which is situated near that city. The fish commissioner sent a requisition for 10,000 small fry black bass to the station at San Marcos and in due course the shipment arrived. George West was at the Santa Fe depot early this morning to take possession of the Hunt lake shipment. Henry Dickson took charge of the shipment for the Trinity river and Station Agent Weiler of Handley received the stock for Handley lake. The fish for Calloway lake were sent to Arlington at once. Within a year the fish will be large enough to reward anglers for catching them and within a year and a half they will be large enough to furnish fine sport. In about a year and a half they will begin breeding rapidly and they no doubt will furnish good sport and good eating for the anglers of Fort Worth for years to come. Henry Dickson, the assistant city engineer, distributed Fort Worth's share in the Clear Fork this morning above and between the dams.

GRANITE TOMB FOR AN ACTOR'S TOWSER

NEW YORK, May 11.—Lying in a rosewood coffin, his head resting on a pillow of flowers, the body of Tyras, a Harlequin Great Dane dog, was borne away to the dog cemetery at Scarsdale, followed by a procession of nine automobiles, which carried about forty mourners. Tyras belonged to an actor and character impersonator. The dog was 13 years old, had appeared on the stage in nearly every country of the world. He had been twice around the globe, had played before the czar of Russia, the empress of China, the mikado of Japan and at the time of his death wore a beautiful collar given to him by Cecil Rhodes. The dog was presented ten years ago by Prince Charles of Denmark to his owner, and in the actor's presentation of "Great Men of the Past and Present" he always had the dog by his side in his impersonation of Bismarck, as Bismarck for years was always accompanied by his Reichshund. While returning from Australia last January with his master, the dog became blind while the ship was crossing the equator. Arriving in New York he was taken to a dog hospital, where he died of Bright's disease. A large granite monument will mark the dog's last resting place.

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A CHAIN ON THE RAILS RESULTS IN SLIGHT LOSS TO COMPANY

Police Say Motorman Was Running Without Headlight—Company Says Motorman Had Slackened Speed of the Car. Another Kick Registered

Last evening, between 10 and 11 o'clock, car No. 32 on the City Belt line of the Northern Texas Traction Company's city service, left the track and crashed into a telephone post, severing it completely and damaging the car. The accident occurred at the intersection of Main and Oleander streets. The car was in charge of Conductor Crosby and Motorman Ester. There were four passengers on the car, all of whom were unharmed. The cause of the wreck was due to the car striking a chain extending across the track, and not visible to the motorman, whom the police say was running without a headlight. A horse which had been staked out to a long chain had pulled up the anchor and crossed the track, leaving the chain on the rails. At the office of the company this morning, the statement was made that the motorman saw the horse at the side of the track and had slackened the speed of his car until passing the animal. He did not, however, see the chain, which caused the car to leave the track, but while running at a slow speed. The pole, when it fell, damaged the hood of the car, which, with the exception of the broken telephone pole, was the only damage resulting from the accident.

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GENEROUS BULLS EASY WITH SHORTS

NEW YORK, May 12.—The shorts in cotton made another rush to cover this morning but the demand was mainly due to the enormous selling by the clique for the twofold purpose of realizing and at the same time preventing a bear panic. On the other hand the cables were disappointing and receipts were full, the weather fine and new crop accounts glowing, but these factors were set aside for the time being in view of the more immediate necessities of speculative shorts. July and August were active months and it was apparent that the short interest still lingered in May which remained steady at 11 1/2 to 11 1/4 within the first hour. July which closed at 10.64 yesterday sold up to 10.75 and off again to 10.51. August which closed at 10.33 sold up to 10.37 and ran off to 10.25. September which closed at 9.43, sold up to 9.45 and declined to 9.41.

TEXAS STUDENTS TO GRADUATE TUESDAY

NEW YORK, May 12.—The Union Theological Seminary final examinations are being made. Forty will be graduated Tuesday next. Among them Wesley D. Thompson, D. A., Cumberland University, 1897; B. D. Thompson, 1900; Terrill, Texas; Columbus Polk Goodson, Austin; James Albert Hendricks, Plano, are graduating students.

LATEST NEWS FROM TWO SEATS OF WAR

TANGIER, May 12.—Advices from Teluan say the inhabitants of that town which is now entirely surrounded by the hostile tribes who set fire to numerous gardens and plantations in the state are in great panic. Troops are being dispatched thither.

ARMENIAN PROGRESS CONSTANTINOPLE, May 12.—Armenian revolutionary bands have entered the districts of Bayazid and Sassun in Armenia from Russia.

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Sam H. Taylor, printer and embosser, has moved from 309 to 1214 Houston street.

It is stated that on Jan. 1, 1903, there were 1,134 bituminous coal mines in operation in Pennsylvania, as compared with 948 on Dec. 31, 1900.

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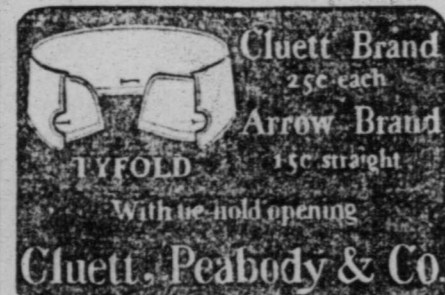
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ADDITIONAL CITY BRIEFS

The Postal Telegraph Company has completed the extension of a wire to the Union Stock Yards, and within the next few days will greatly facilitate the service of the local office by the installation of a ten-wire switchboard and a set of dynamos. The singles and duplex wires will be replaced by duplex and "quad" wires. Leon Loeb has opened a microscope picture parlor at 302 Main street, to which the general public is cordially invited. Mr. Loeb's attractions are strictly moral, and any woman or child may view his assortment of pictures without fear of being in any way offended. Mr. Loeb is also the inventor of an automatic piano playing instrument, which he has on exhibition. Fort Worth may be made the headquarters for the manufacture and sale of this instrument.

More than one hundred and fifty books on the war in South Africa have been published.



THE X-RAYS Recent experiments, by practical tests and examination with the aid of the X-Rays, establish it as a fact that Catarrh of the Stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How Can I Cure My Indigestion?" Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia and prevent or cure Catarrh of the Stomach. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by all druggists.

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POINTS TO CONSIDER:

Maypearl is 15 miles from any town, making an exclusive trade territory of more than 15 miles radius. There are already a number of residences and business houses built, and under construction, including a Hotel and Lumber Yard. A \$6000.00 COTTON GIN is soon to be erected, and a BANK is assured. 1 1/2 miles southeast there is said to be an inexhaustible bed of Finest Red Brick Clay. Lots have been donated for a church (Methodist) to be built at once. A movement is under way to secure a schoolhouse. The projected line of the I. & G. N. R. to Dallas, starts from Maypearl. The country around is thickly settled with a substantial class of Farmers and all available lands are in cultivation. An important feature is the fact that the town site is located on a piece of land, the soil of which is mixed with sand, thus doing away with the traditional "Black Waxy" mud in wet weather to a large degree, making it ideal for truck, although the country around is of the genuine Black Waxy.

Table with train schedules: Train Leaves Fort Worth, Train Leaves Everman, Train Leaves Lillian, Train Leaves Venus, Arrives Maypearl, Special Train leaves Leroy, Special Train leaves Penelope, Special Train leaves Walling, Special Train leaves Irene, Special Train leaves Mertens, Special Train leaves Italy, Special Train Arrives Maypearl.

Returning North train will leave Maypearl 7:31 p. m. Special Train leaves Mart 6:30 a. m. Special Train leaves Waco 7:30 a. m. Passengers from the South should arrive at Waco evening May 13, and take Special Train leaving there at 7:30 a. m., 14th, and attend the sale. L. PRICE, 2d Vice. Pres. and Genl Mgr. Grand Union Station, Fort Worth. City Ticket Office, 809 Main St. D. J. PRICE, Genl Pass. and Ticket Agent.

Thursday, May 14th

Remember the Date—The Auction Sale and a Grand Barbecue Dinner.