

BACK TO THE MINES IS THE MESSAGE

UNION SECURES AN ADVANCE OF ABOUT THIRTY-FIVE PER CENT WITH A REDUCTION OF HOURS. AGREEMENT IS SIGNED BY THE OPERATORS AND MINERS—FAMILIES MOVING BACK TO THURBER, THE NEWS REACHING THEM EARLY YESTERDAY

In the vernacular of Billy Baxter, the operators and miners "out into the grate" last night at 7:40 o'clock, in celebration of the signing of the wage scale to apply to the coal mines at Thurber, Strawn, Bridgeport and Rock Creek.

All afternoon the committee was engaged in drawing up the agreement. Several copies were made, so that it could be signed by all interested parties, and at 6:45 o'clock there was a meeting of the joint conference in the parlors of the Worth.

Mr. Wardon read the agreement through from caption to final clause. Occasionally he stopped for a discussion of some point, but not a change was made in it. At 7 o'clock sharp Mr. Marston signed the first copy, and signatures then followed until all had been signed.

There were several congratulatory speeches and they "shook hands all round" at 7:10 o'clock.

As the time for signing was reached, it devolved upon either Mr. Marston, as president of the conference, or Mr. Hanratty, as president of the district, to sign first. Mr. Marston pushed the pen over to the president of the miners.

"After you, my dear Alphonse," said Mr. Hanratty.

"I insist that you shall sign first, my dear Gaston," said Mr. Marston.

"I prefer to sign after you, my dear Alphonse," said Mr. Hanratty.

"I wish I was back in that dear Bridgeport," said Mr. Astor.

"THIRTY-FIVE PER CENT ADVANCE" The result of the conference is that the miners get an increase of about 35 per cent all round, day laborers sharing as well in the benefits.

There appears to be excellent satisfaction over the result, and it was remarked by all last night that the best of harmony has prevailed.

COAL IS TO ADVANCE There is to be an advance in the price of Texas coal. This is made necessary by the advance in the wage scale. The matter was discussed at length, and it was decided that if the wages were to be advanced, the price of fuel must be higher, as the operators could not afford to hand out coal at the same price as under the old scale of wages.

THE AGREEMENT The agreement which was signed by the various operators, and by Peter Hanratty, W. M. Wardon and J. R. Edwards, for the miners, shows:

Mineral coal on the screened coal basis: For Thurber, from October 1, 1903, to January 31, 1904, \$1.15 per ton of 2,000 pounds; from February 1, 1904, to August 31, 1904, \$1.17 1/2 per ton.

For Rock Creek, from October 1, 1903, to January 1, 1904, \$1.17 1/2 per ton; from February 1, 1904, to August 31, 1904, \$1.20.

At Strawn, from October 1, 1903, to August 31, 1904, \$1.25.

At Bridgeport, from October 1, 1903, to August 31, 1904, \$1.40 per ton.

Entry driving and brushing is to be \$1.25 per yard. Back brushing shall be \$1 per yard at Thurber, Strawn and Rock Creek, and \$1.15 per yard at Bridgeport.

For straights the price shall be 25 cents per yard at Thurber, Strawn and Rock Creek. Bridgeport to be except.

Cribs are to be 75 cents each. Day wages are to be:

required in reaching such working places in the morning and departing at night.

When the men go into the mine in the morning they shall be entitled to two hours' pay whether the mine works full two hours. After the first two hours the men shall be paid for every hour's work or fractional part thereof.

It is also understood that no person shall be refused employment or in any way discriminated against because of membership or non-membership in any organization, and that there shall be no discrimination or interference with any employee who is not a member of any labor organization, by members of such organization.

A violation of the agreement on the part of a member of the United Mine Workers of America shall subject him to a fine, which shall be collected by the company and paid into the district treasury of the United Mine Workers. A violation of the agreement on the part of the operator shall subject him to a fine of \$100, to be paid into the same treasury.

A check weighman is provided for, to be paid by the miners.

The question of a doctor shall be left for local adjustment.

It is agreed that the miners and operators are to meet in joint conference the second Monday in July in Pittsburg, Kan., to agree upon a scale of wages to govern Districts Nos. 14, 21 and 25 for the year ending September 1, 1905.

A comparison with the former scale can be shown by the following: At the time of the strike the miners demanded \$1.25 a ton straight for mining coal. The company offered \$1.05, with bonuses ranging from 2 cents a ton additional for production of thirty to thirty-five tons a month to 10 cents a ton additional for an output of seventy tons or over. On other items the miners' demand and the company's offer compare as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Miner's demand, Company's offer. Rows include Boss drivers, Motormen, Drivers, Cagers, Trackmen, Timbermen, Ventilators, Engineers, Firemen, Firemen helpers, Topmen, Blacksmiths, Arkansas scale.

BACK TO THE MINES, BOYS THURBER, Tex., Sept. 26.—The miners who recently moved out of Thurber are today moving back, and work is to commence Monday morning.

Organizer Ed Cunningham arrived here last night. He brought the news that the conference had reached an agreement, which would be signed up at once, and all are to return to the mines. The news spread rapidly, and it required but a short time to get to work. Move the men back, Assistant General Manager M. A. Williams of the Texas and Pacific Coal company came on the same train with Mr. Cunningham. He ordered out the company teams to move the miners and their families and a start was made in repopulating the town which had become depopulated. Less than a fortnight ago they moved out. Today they are moving back.

The men who are here have been very patient. With their families, they have been camping about the woods at Mineral City, the union providing groceries, etc., for them. They have been waiting for the word from the committee and when it came there was great rejoicing.

Thurber has been the home of many of these people a long time and they did not want to leave it. They did so at the behest of the union, and now that the union has secured a full settlement, they are glad to get back.

All day there has been a continual stream of people following the road from Mineral City to Thurber.

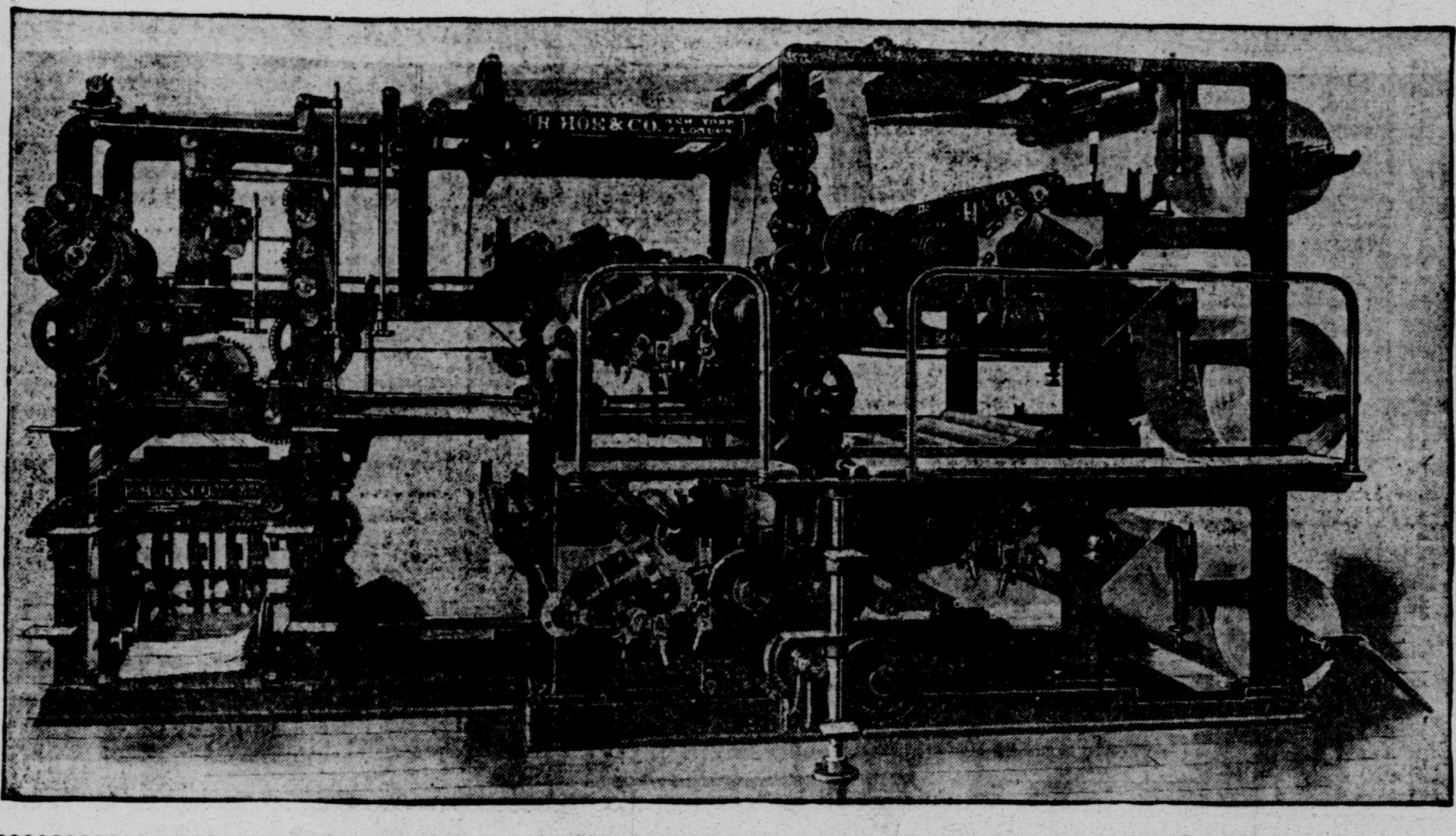
COMMISSIONERS ARE IN DALLAS

It Is Thought They Are Gathering Matter Concerning Express Companies

(Special to The Telegram.) DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 26.—State Railroad Commissioners Colquitt and Mayfield and the state commission's auditor and expert, H. G. Askew, are in Dallas gathering facts in connection with the express matters, presumably to be used in the suits pending against the express companies for forfeiture of their charters or permits to do business in Texas.

Neither Mr. Colquitt, Mr. Mayfield or Mr. Askew would talk for publication.

The Telegram's New Three-Roll Press



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POPE PIUS HAS THE RHEUMATISM

Confining Life in the Vatican Is Going Hard With the Pontiff

(Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.)

ROME, Sept. 26.—The pope is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism. His physicians have advised him to postpone all but the most important audiences until he is better. The restrictions of his life in the vatican are proving detrimental to the pontiff's health. He continues to chafe against the formalities and ceremonies of his position. Dr. Lapponi asked permission to go on a vacation to the north of Italy. Pius replied: "By all means go. I hope you will have a long vacation, both for your sake and mine." The pope continues depressed by the dangerous illness of his favorite sister, Antonietta, the wife of a tailor, named Derel, in the village of Salzano. His holiness regrets that the papacy prohibits him visiting his sister, to whom he always has been devoted because their characters are similar; independent and benevolent with a gusty temper. She and her husband have worked hard in their tailor shop all their life. She is a good tailor and declares she inherited her skill from her mother, who was a dressmaker before her marriage. The pope has ordered the best physicians to attend her and receives telegrams of her condition many times daily.

A SUICIDE AT BRENHAM

Mrs. Fritz Radd Hangs Self at Her Home Near Here

BRENHAM, Texas, Sept. 26.—Mrs. Fritz Radd suicided at Long Point near here today by hanging herself in a back room at her home. She had been married eight months. No cause is known for the deed.

TEMPLE SALOONS CLOSE

Town Will Be Dry for First Time in Thirty Years

TEMPLE, Texas, Sept. 26.—The saloons must close up their places at midnight tonight for the first time in thirty years. The local option law will then be in effect in Bell county.

TWO YEARS FOR SPEARS

Limestone County Man Is Convicted of Bigamy

TYLER, Texas, Sept. 26.—In the district court yesterday W. L. Spears was given two years in the pen for bigamy. Spears had a wife living in Limestone county and last spring married another woman living at Alto, Cherokee county.

UNKNOWN SHIP ASHORE

Myager Reports of a Wreck Received at San Francisco

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—Merchants' Exchange reports an unknown ship is ashore on the ocean beach six miles south of Cliff House.

REFUGEES' HARDSHIPS

Between Snowfall and the Turks They Have a Difficult Time

BIG ELEVENS IN OPENING FRAY

Yale and Harvard Win Games Easily—West Point Strikes Snag

(Special to The Telegram.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—The football season was ushered in today in most auspicious fashion. Three big games and a number of minor ones were played.

Yale defeated Trinity, scoring at will in the first half, at the end of which the total was 23 to 0. Trinity put up a harder fight in the second half, but Yale scored two more touchdowns.

Harvard bested Williams by clean and brilliant play.

Cornell did not allow Hobart to get the ball anywhere near the goal. Cornell's principal defect seems to be a propensity to fumble. Both teams showed lack of experience.

The scores were as follows: At New Haven—Yale, 35; Trinity, 0. At Cambridge—Harvard, 17; Williams, 0. At Ithaca—Cornell, 12; Hobart, 0. At West Point—West Point, 9; Colgate College, 0. At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania, 27; Dickinson, 0.

CHICAGO'S ANNIVERSARY

Centennial Celebration Began in Windy City Yesterday

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—The celebration of Chicago's Centennial anniversary began today and will continue six days. The exercises end with a civic mass meeting at the auditorium, at which the mayors of several of the largest cities in the country will be heard.

TALK OF RECIPROcity

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The withdrawal of American warships from Beirut seems unlikely for the present in view of the cablegram received at the state department today from Minister Leishman at Constantinople, stating that although advices from Beirut indicate the situation is quiet just now, nothing like permanent order is established. Mr. Leishman says the state of affairs there may yet be regarded as uncertain.

BRINGS A BIG NUGGET

Lump of Gold Worth Over \$3,000 Comes From the Yakon

(By Associated Press.) SEATTLE, Sept. 26.—Gold receipts from the northwest this week amounted to \$1,250,000. This great treasure came from Nome and the British Yukon on the steamers Ohio, Senator and Dolphin, which also brought \$20 passengers. Purser Robertson had in charge a great gold nugget taken from Anvil creek branch September 8, the exact value of which is \$3,285.90.

GEN. OLA SURRENDERS

Leader of Band of Insurrectos Gives Himself Up

(By Associated Press.) MANILA, Sept. 26.—General Ola, the leader of a band of insurrectos which has been creating considerable trouble in the province of Albay, Luzon, has surrendered to the American troops with twenty-eight officers and men of his command. He surrendered a few guns and promised to turn over all his arms. Governor Bates says this practically ends resistance in that portion of the island.

TEXAS REGIMENT AT FORT RILEY

Twelve Companies Who Volunteer Will Attend Army Maneuvers in Kansas

(Special to The Telegram.)

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 26.—It is now settled that the Texas regiment will take part in the army maneuvers at Fort Riley. Companies will be asked to volunteer for this detail, and from the number twelve will be selected and a provisional regiment will be formed. Field and staff officers will be selected in the same way. Enlisted men and officers will receive the regular army pay.

The maneuvers commence on the 15th and close on the 28th of October. The Texas regiment will leave on the 13th and return on the 29th.

MAY FILE MANDAMUS

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 26.—It is now almost certain that the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas will file mandamus proceedings to compel the railroad commission to approve the trackage agreements filed some months ago, which were turned down.

SITUATION IN LAREDO

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 26.—State Health Officer Tubor reports the situation unchanged in Laredo. He will remain there until Monday, aiding the state and federal quarantine inspectors and health officers in preventing the yellow fever from spreading.

HOUSTON BONDS APPROVED

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 26.—One hundred thousand dollars worth of Houston central fire station, market house and school bonds were approved by the attorney general and registered by the comptroller today.

NEW CHARTERS FILED

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 26.—The following new charters have been filed: South Texas Concrete Manufacturing Company of Galveston; capital stock, \$10,000.

Cumby Hardware and Furniture Company of Cleburne; capital stock \$5,000; incorporators, M. C. Spivey, R. E. Spivey and R. M. Spivey.

The Security Life and Annuity Company of America, with headquarters at Richmond, Va., has been licensed to solicit business in Texas.

TO BUY 40 LOGGING CARS

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 26.—A contract has been filed in the secretary of state's office by which the Sabine Valley railway agrees to purchase forty logging cars from the Marshall Car Foundry Company.

CITY WANTS INSURANCE

Houston Files Suit Against Company to Collect \$2,500

(Special to The Telegram.) HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 26.—The city today filed a suit against the North British and Mercantile Insurance Company to collect \$2,500 fire insurance policy on the furniture on the market house, which was burned two years ago.

SUICIDE AT GALVESTON

Coroner's Jury Finds that Mrs. Louise Pinto Took Poison

MADAM NORDICA ON MUNICH OPERA

She Says America Was Well Represented at Wagnerian Performances

(By Madam Lillian Nordica)

(Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) PARIS, Sept. 26.—The audiences which sit before an artist in the prince's theater at Munich to hear the music of Wagner are international. America has been well represented. Many of our cultured people go there solely for the music. For instance, New York was represented by Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. James Speyer, Chicago, by Mrs. Potter Palmer, Mrs. Spencer, Eddy and Mrs. Cator; San Francisco by the Princess Hatzenfeld and the Henshaws.

"The reflex action of this will be an increased taste for the music of Wagner and doubtless these ladies and gentlemen will tell our American girls of the necessity of studying if they wish to succeed."

"During the past ten years America has been treated to the very best talent which money can buy. This year Mr. Conrad has picked up some of the old singers of Mr. Grau and a lot of new ones who are not known even in Europe. I believe some of them were never on the stage. We are nearing the time when the United States will supply talent to all the great theaters and opera houses of Europe."

"Our girls have beautiful voices, but they lack serious application, dogged perseverance and a temperament which does not need to be pruned every step of the way. We have plenty of raw material. Our girls have not only voices but physique and intelligence. They must not be in too great a hurry and should look upon singing as a serious study like medicine or law. They must be able to study for four or five hours a day the language in which they wish to sing."

JUDGE TEMPLETON MAY QUIT OFFICE

Rumored on Apparently Good Ground That Resignation Has Been Forwarded

MAN MAY BE LYNCHED

Kentucky Community Is Roused by Case of Uxoricide

(By Associated Press.) MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Sept. 26.—At Imlay, Martin Green shot and killed his wife. After the quarrel he fled but was arrested. The killing was of such a nature as to arouse the country people around Imlay and they may lynch Green.

CURRENCY ADJUSTMENT

Will Be Principal Topic of Discussion at Coming Bankers' Meeting

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Secretary Branch of the American Bankers' Association has announced the official program for the twenty-ninth annual convention which will be held in San Francisco October 21 to 23, inclusive. The feature of the convention will be the report of the special committee appointed last year to prepare a plan of currency adjustment. This committee will report on the first day of the session, and it is expected that the report will furnish a basis for a thorough discussion of the currency question. The special committee consists of Charles S. Fairchild, former secretary of the treasury; R. C. Fahnstock of New York; Homer S. Wing of San Francisco; Myron T. Herrick of Cleveland and J. J. Mitchell of Chicago.

THOMAS H. BALL HASN'T RESIGNED

Sensation in Eighth District at the Announcement

TWO CANDIDATES OUT

Friend Says Congressman Has Been Importuned to Retain His Position

(Special to The Telegram.) HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 26.—Congressional affairs in this district are in an unexpectedly mixed shape. The democrats nominated Pickney of Waller and the republicans have nominated Urwitz of Harris upon Congressman Ball's announcement that he would resign in time to admit the election of a successor prior to the special session of congress.

It has developed that Congressman Ball has not yet resigned. He is not at home, but a friend of his says he has been importuned by the members of the Texas delegation to serve during the special session with a view to getting benefits for Texas in his place on the rivers and harbors committee. The belief here is that he will do this.

Some friends of both Pickney and Urwitz are rather surprised at the turn taken in affairs.

SENSATION IN AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 26.—A great sensation was sprung in political circles here today by the announcement that Congressman Ball of the Eighth district would withdraw his resignation and remain in congress. Governor Lanham said, in response to an inquiry, that his resignation had never been received and no election could be ordered until he was officially notified of the vacancy.

Ball is being severely criticized for not clearing up the situation, by either sending in his resignation or declaring that it is not his purpose to do so.

BIG STRIKE MAY BE THE RESULT

100,000 Employes May Quit in New York Because of Disagreement

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Another general shutdown of all building operations in this city, directly involving more than 100,000 employes, is believed to be a possibility, owing to the refusal of the Journeymen Stone Cutters to either sign the arbitration plan of the Building Trades Employers' Association or to work with members of a new union formed under the auspices of that association. As a consequence of this action the contractors are unable to finish buildings now under construction and after a long discussion have referred the entire matter to the nation builders' board of governors. Should a lockout be determined upon more than 100,000 men in all branches would be thrown out of work. However, such drastic action is scarcely probable.

Sailors are being employed on several big buildings to take the places of striking structural iron workers. The employers assert that the experiment has proved a great success, because the men of the sea are accustomed to climbing high in the air. The difficulty lies in the scarcity of men caring to desert their life at sea.

TROOPERS FOR TEXAS

First Squadron Now On Its Way to Fort Sam Houston

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—The first squadron of cavalry which arrived from Manila by the last transport left the Presidio en route to its new station at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, this morning. The second squadron is now on its way from Manila and will proceed to the same post on its arrival.

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NEW FALL MERCHANDISE STILL ARRIVING

Our increased trade demands so many more goods than formerly that we have goods coming every day. This we find is very satisfactory to our trade, as you know that every time you come to the store, you will see something new, besides you are not running any risk of buying goods that have been on the shelves for months. Another advantage you have by coming here, and that is, you pay less for what you buy—STRIPLING'S is known by all as "The store that saves you money."

Some of the New Dress Goods

We received a very choice line of colors in a 38-inch Zibeline this last week that will have a big sale, all the new colorings, per yard.....**50c**
A large line of new 54-inch Skirting, solid shades of grey, brown, blue, maroon, black and green, 75c would be cheap for it, Monday, per yard.....**59c**
Broadcloth, the very same quality that you will find in the down town stores at \$1.25 a yard, beautiful finish, all colors, per yard.....**\$1.00**
Venetian Skirtings, 52 inches wide, these popular skirtings we have in all the leading fall shades, others are asking 98c a yard, we sell it at.....**75c**

Black Silk Special

New Black Silks, one special that we are going to have on sale again this week is a 27-inch all silk, guaranteed black Taffeta that was made to sell at \$1.00 a yard, our bargain price for this is only.....**75c**
Black Peau de Soie, 27 inches wide, all silk and fast lustrous black, a good value at \$1.19, as a special bargain we offer this for one week at.....**98c**
Silk Crepe de Chine, sold everywhere at \$1.00 per yard—we have the following new shades: Corn, Nile, Champagne, Lilac, Cream White, Blue, Pink and Black—as a special this week, per yard.....**79c**
New Wash Waistings, silk mercerized and as fine as you can find at any price, the kind that is being sold in some stores at 75c a yard, offered here at.....**59c**

New Skirts and Suits

In our Ladies' Suit Department you will find many new skirts and suits tomorrow, some very pretty black skirts came in Friday, at.....**\$6.50 and \$5.00**
New Black Voile, Etamine, Broadcloth and Mistrel Skirts, trimmed up in the best style and intended for dress wear, prices.....**\$12.50, \$10.00 and \$8.00**
Black, blue and fancy mixed Cheviot Suits, in three-quarter lengths, these are the very newest styles and very special values.....**\$15.00 and \$12.00**
Walking Skirts, grey only, mostly short lengths, worth regularly \$2.00 each, on sale this week (all alterations free), at the special price.....**\$1.50**

Our New Kid Gloves

We have just received our new Kid Gloves for the fall trade and will show Monday all shades in guaranteed Kid Gloves worth \$1.25, at only.....**\$1.00**
We have also added to our Glove stock a complete line of shades and black in a regular \$1.00 quality Kid Glove that we are going to sell at.....**75c**
New black ribbons, all silk, in numbers 22, 40 and 60, the ribbon that is in such demand just at this time, special price, per yard.....**25c, 20c and 15c**
Shetland Floss, one of the best brands on the market, all the shades on the color card, no one else is offering it for less than 10c hank, Stripling's price.....**7 1-2c**

The Millinery Dep't.

Women's ready-to-wear Street Hats, in some 15 different shapes and styles, nothing like as great an assortment elsewhere, prices**\$2.00 and \$1.50**
Misses' Hats for school wear red, brown, grey and greens, all the most desirable styles for this fall, prices.....**\$1.50, \$1.00, 75c and 50c**

Hosiery and Corsets

Women's fine Hermsdorf Fast Black Hose, six styles to select from, those with white soles, half white split soles and all black, per pair.....**25c**
New Corsets from Dr. Warner's and of the Puritan make, every style that is going to be worn this fall, prices **\$1.50, \$1.00, 75c** and down to **50c**.

Flannels and Outing

White Flannels, new goods that have just been received, per yd. **35c, 25c** and.....**15c**
Blue and Red Flannels, plain and twill, prices. **35c, 25c** and on down to **15c**
Outing Flannels, the Amoskeag brand, the best known outing flannel on the market, elsewhere at 10c a yard, at Stripling's at, per yard.....**8 1-3c**
Flannelettes, bright, pretty patterns for Kimonos, House Wrappers, School Dresses for girls, etc., about one hundred pieces, on sale at.....**10c**

Fringed White Quilts

We are going to have on sale for the entire week our Fringed White Quilts, those worth \$2.00 each will be sold at the special price.....**\$1.69**
Fringed White Quilts in extra large size and sold regularly at \$1.50, choice center designs, Marseilles weave, special this week, only.....**\$1.25**
White Quilts with plain hem, finished ready for use and in full bed size, considered good value at \$1.18, this week's price will be only.....**98c**
Real Marseilles White Quilts with the plain hem and extra large size, a bargain for anybody at \$2.00, as a special offer this week.....**\$1.69**

Comforts and Blankets

We are having a large trade on Blankets and Comforts, although the weather has been very warm, the prices we are now making will not be continued long if the present lot on hand are closed out, manufacturers are wanting quite an advance on these goods, take advantage of these prices.
Grey Cotton Blankets, full size and good value at 75c a pair, sale price.....**50c**
White and Grey Cotton Blankets, 11-4 size, worth fully \$1.25, sale price.....**98c**
5-pound Blankets, these are extra large and a bargain at the price.....**\$1.35**
White Wool Blankets, special values at.....**\$4.75, \$3.25 and \$2.75**

Our New Dress Trimmings

We have the largest line of the fine silk Dress Trimmings that will be found in Fort Worth; Silk Applique, Black and Cream Wood Silk Lace, Pendant's Silk Bands, etc., prices per yard from **\$3.00** down to **\$1.50, 98c** and **10c**.
New wide Embroideries, intended for use on domestic and cambrics, four and five inch widths, worth up to 15c a yard, on sale at, per yard.....**10c**
New Cambric Embroideries from two to three inches wide, also Insertings of the same width, value up to 8c a yard, on sale at, choice for.....**5c**

Clothing for Men and Boys

In our clothing room you will find one of the best stocks of clothing to be found in the state; Men's Suits from.....**\$20.00** down to only **\$5.00**
Boys' clothing in every quality that you can call for, all ages, including child's from 3 to 8, and boys' sizes 6 to 16, prices.....**\$5.00** down to **\$1.50**

Two Special Offers

70-inch Cream Table Linen that is made in the little check weave and which always sell at 50c a yard, will be on sale here all week at only.....**42c**
Bleached Mercerized Damask, 54 inches wide, and a good 35c value; this will be found a very special bargain at the price we offer it, per yard.....**25c**

Womens & Misses Shoes

Our stock of Drew-Selby Shoes for women cannot be duplicated anywhere, the best known Shoes in the south for the money, prices.....**\$3.50** down to **\$2.00**
Girls' School Shoes and Shoes for dress wear, some have extension soles, others made dressy, patent and stock tip, prices.....**\$2.25, \$1.50 and \$1.25**

PROGRAM FOR COMING MEETING

Old Settlers Will Convene at Grunewald's Park
October 2

NEGROES TO BE BARRED

No Objectionable Characters Will Be Admitted to Park During the Reunion

Colonel Abe Harris, one of the old-time citizens of this county, and who has taken a great interest in the coming reunion of the pioneer settlers of Tarrant county, which include all those who settled here before the civil war, yesterday gave out the program of the meeting which will be held at Grunewald's park, beginning October 2, and continuing three days.
The reunion will be called to order at 10 o'clock by Mayor T. J. Paspolik, who will deliver the welcoming address. The response being made by Colonel Henry Holloway, who is accredited with coming to Texas behind the first yoke of oxen ever "driven" into the state.
At 1 o'clock dinner will be served, and will be in the form of a genuine old-fashioned barbecue, comprising all sorts of meat and fowl. The first address of the afternoon will be made by Ben Deering. He will be followed by several other well-known local speakers, whose addresses will be interspersed with songs and music. The principal musical feature will be a number on the piano by a woman who gave the first music lesson in Fort Worth, or Tarrant county, for that matter. On the first night the young people will be given the privilege of dancing.
On the morning of the second day the election of officers will take place at 10 o'clock, after which an address will be made by Captain B. E. Paspolik. This will conclude the business of the forenoon and in the afternoon at 2 o'clock Colonel H. S. P. Ashby will speak to the audience, giving them many interesting reminiscences of the pioneer days of this county. He will be followed by several others who will also make short addresses.
The afternoon of the second day will be devoted exclusively to songs and music and at night another opportunity will be given the young people to trip the light fantastic.
The last day being Sunday, the exercises will be devotional and the principal address will be delivered by Rev. Luther Little, pastor of the First Baptist church, the hour yet to be determined by the committee having the program in charge.
Colonel Harris asks that all those who will attend and bring baskets to have them properly labeled so that the committee will know who they belong to, to make of them when the reunion ends.
The management of the reunion have taken precautions to preserve order and all objectionable characters will not be admitted to the park. Negroes will also be barred.

General Debility

Day in and out there is that feeling of weakness that makes a burden of itself. Food does not strengthen. Sleep does not refresh. It is hard to do, hard to bear, what should be easy,—vitality is on the ebb, and the whole system suffers. For this condition take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It vitalizes the blood, gives vigor and tone to all the organs and functions, and is positively unequalled for all run-down or debilitated conditions.

Hood's PILLS cure constipation. 25 cents.

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| No. 11 | | 254 | 386 | 1.2 |
| No. 12 | | 131 | 129 | .0 |
| Totals | | 4,317 | 4,205 | 1.6 |

The actual attendance in the public schools last week was 4,317, or 302 more than the first week, and a sufficient number for six more teachers, fifty pupils to the teacher. There is still more room and seating capacity in No. 1, on East Second street, No. 2, on West Belknap street, and in No. 3, on Gay street, for a few more seventh or sixth grade pupils. These three buildings are all accessible, and unless restriction is made soon by parties now hesitating they too will be filled.
There is now need in the Sixth ward for four additional rooms. Next year the seventh grade occupying a room in the high school building must be accommodated in its own, or Sixth ward, building. There is ample ground about this school for such a structure.

GRADE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR

Miss Sallie Gibson, first grade; Miss Belle Bowdry, second grade; Miss Mattie Shaw, third grade; Miss Jessie Dihal, fourth grade; Miss Gotta McFadden, fifth grade; J. S. McGe, sixth grade; W. W. Witt, seventh grade.

DIRECTORS FOR STUDIES

G. R. Hammond, arithmetic; G. W. Harris, geography; L. M. Hammond, science; A. S. Burnett, history; Cullen Grimes, reading and spelling; J. F. McDonald, language; R. L. Paschal, nature study.

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Your druggist will refund you money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Ringworm, Tetter, Old Ulcers and Sores, Pimples and Blackheads on the face and all skin diseases. 50 cents.

HUNDREDS FLOCK TO THE WICHITAS

Excitement Over Gold and Silver Strikes in Oklahoma Is Growing

Yesterday R. Burdge of this city received a letter from E. M. Tucker, dated Roosevelt, Ok., stating that excitement over the rich gold and silver strikes in the Wichita mountains, twelve miles from Lawton, still continues and that hundreds of prospectors and mine seekers are flocking to that section of the territory.
Mr. Tucker states that the owners of the Bar mine, the property of the Big Four Company, recently shipped a car of ore to the reduction works at Denver and that the returns just received show that the ore averaged \$11.80 to the ton, which is considered very rich, as ore that gives only \$4 to the ton is considered valuable. The letter states that the returns have set the Lawton people wild and the enthusiasm is rampant. Several capitalists of Lawton are now considering the erection of a smelter in the mining district and also talk of building a railroad out to the mines from Lawton.
The Wildman Mining and Milling Company has already made arrangements to ship a carload of ore to Denver the first of this week.
Mr. Tucker says it is surprising the number of practical miners arriving in the district from Colorado, Utah and Nevada. They are making tests of the ore from the Wichita mountains for a distance of more than forty-five or fifty miles, and the indications point to one of the greatest mining booms since the discovery of the famous Cripple Creek district.
Mr. Tucker concludes his letter with the following statement:
"We anticipate a big rush to the Wichita mountains this winter. To form a correct idea of the mineral leads of quartz you will have to come here in person and see for yourself. We have more mineral-bearing veins in the same distance than exist in any other part of the world. When the Wichita mountains are developed it will be the greatest mining camp in the United States."

AN ABSOLUTE NECESSITY

So Think at Least One Traveling Man
I would as soon think of starting out without my mileage books and grip as to start out on a trip without a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in my valise, said a traveling man who represents a St. Louis hardware house. Why? Because I have to put up at all kinds of hotels and boarding houses. I have to eat good, bad and indifferent food at all hours of the day and night and I don't believe any man's stomach will stand that sort of thing without protest, anyway. I know mine won't. It has to have something to break the fall and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the crutch I fall back on.
My friends often "josh" me about it, tell me I'm an easy mark for patent medicine fakery, that advertised medicines are humbugs, etc., but I notice that they are nearly always complaining of their aches and pains and poor digestion, while I can stand most any old kind of fare and feel good and ready for my work when it needs me, and I believe I owe my good digestion and sound health to the daily, regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, year in and year out, and all the "joshing" in the world will never convince me to the contrary.
I used to have heartburn about three times a day and a headache about three or four times a week and after standing for this for four or five years I began to look around for a crutch and found it when my doctor told me the best investment I could make would be a fifty-cent box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and I have invested about fifty cents a month for them ever since and when I stop to think that that is what I spend every day for cigars, I feel like shaking hands with myself for I can keep my stomach and digestion in first class order for fifty cents a month. I don't care for any better life insurance.
My druggist tells me they are the most popular of all stomach medicines and that they have maintained their popularity and success because they do as advertised. They bring results, and results are what count in patent medicine as much as in selling bar-b-wire.

PROGRAM AT HANDLEY

Musical Numbers to be Played This Afternoon and Tonight
This afternoon at 5 o'clock and this evening at 8 the Northern Texas Traction Company will give their usual concert at Lake Erie pavilion, Handley. Cars will be run every half hour after 1 o'clock and the usual crowd is expected. The last car leaves Handley at 12:15 a. m. Following is the program:
March, "A Breezy Corner".....Herbert Walker
Overture, "Goddess of Night".....Thos. A. Allen
Fantasia, "Dream Pictures".....Chas. Bach
Intermezzo, "Mazepa".....Jean Schwartz
Operatic overture, "Lucretia Borgia".....Donizetti
Sacred selection, "The Garden of Eden".....Spencer Adams
March, "The Rival King".....S. C. Severley
Novelty, "An Afternoon Tea".....Robt. Keiser
Parade, "Ben Yacar".....F. Neddmezer
Medley, "Popular Hits".....E. Boettger
Comic opera selection, "The Amere".....Victor Herbert
March, "Colonial Guards".....Brooks

TELEGRAPHERS' UNION

Local Organization Was Completed in Fort Worth Last Week
A local union of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America was organized in Fort Worth last Thursday night and the officers elected for the ensuing term were: B. G. Lisle, president; C. L. McKay, vice president; Jerome Martin, secretary and treasurer. Besides these officers an executive committee of seven members was also elected.
There were twenty-two charter members. They include the commercial and brokerage operators, and it is said that the membership takes in every telegrapher in these two classes in Fort Worth.
The Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America is growing very rapidly and now has a total membership of about 7,000, and has only been organized eighteen months. There are unions in some seventy different towns. The national order held a convention in New York August 15, since which time there has been some twelve or fifteen unions organized.
The local union was organized by A. A. Davis, grand vice president of the national Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America, headquarters at Memphis, Tenn.

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ON THIS SPACE. THE NEW FALL COLLAR WILL BE SHOWN HERE IN A FEW DAYS. CLUETT, PEABODY & CO. MAKERS

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WILLIAMS TALKS OF THE MARKETS

Says Indications Are Higher Wheat Before First of January

S. R. Williams, vice president of the National Society of Equity, and president of the association in Texas, was seen yesterday by The Telegram and asked regarding cotton prices. He was asked: "What does the American Society of Equity advocate regarding the price of cotton?"
"The cotton growers in the south are not organized, and therefore are not in a position to resist a bearish market like the present, when speculators, as well as the country, are losers.
"Cotton around 9 cents at common points, when first gathered, is considered by many as a good price, and I do not consider that it would be just to the growers of Texas to advise them to hold for higher prices when the other cotton state are liberal sellers. I believe that 10-cent cotton will be the prevailing price before the next crop is gathered, but the indications now point to a bearish market until after January. The shortage of manufacturers have already been supplied through future trading and the market is waiting one.
"I think the government estimate of the crop is too large, and even under favorable weather conditions, will not be over eleven million bales."
"How about dollar wheat?" he was asked.
"There has been a great bear campaign in the speculation markets, headed by Mr. Armour and associates, which has knocked out all the small traders in futures, most of whom were buyers; but cash wheat has remained unchanged, being now not lower than 1c per bushel from the top price. Stocks in sight continue very much below last year, and the general belief now is that there will be a reaction. When the foreign markets fully appreciate the true conditions, as will be the case before January, very much higher prices will prevail. The advocates of dollar wheat before next harvest are unchanged in their convictions, and the country will continue to hold wheat until better prices rule.
"If the growers of wheat were organized more extensively, such an organization would be a great support to a market being manipulated by speculation, such as we have had during this month."

WOMENS & MISSES SHOES

Our stock of Drew-Selby Shoes for women cannot be duplicated anywhere, the best known Shoes in the south for the money, prices.....**\$3.50** down to **\$2.00**
Girls' School Shoes and Shoes for dress wear, some have extension soles, others made dressy, patent and stock tip, prices.....**\$2.25, \$1.50 and \$1.25**

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SAVE YOUR COUPONS COUPON SALE! SAVE YOUR COUPONS

EXTRAORDINARY SALE OF AMERICAN LADY CORSETS

TO bring this celebrated Corset to the notice of a greater number of the ladies of Fort Worth, we have made arrangements with the manufacturers to give the ladies who wear them the cost of the advertising. Next week, as a special inducement, we will give a discount of **25c on every American Lady Corset purchased.** Cut out the attached coupon, or bring one that we have already distributed this last week, and it will be good for 25 cents for any of our new Models of AMERICAN LADY CORSETS at—
\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 A FIT FOR EVERY FIGURE!

New Trimmed Hats

In the Millinery Room tomorrow, we will offer an exceptional line of moderate priced Millinery, with all the style excellence found in our finest models. Our milliners, accustomed to working on the finest class of merchandise, instinctively put the fine touch and dainty workmanship into the cheaper productions that is so marked a feature of their best work. Being surrounded by that style atmosphere which is so marked in our Millinery Room, it is impossible for them to make a hat, regardless of price, that does not bear the imprint of their finest workmanship.
 A most exceptional line of high class Millinery will be offered tomorrow at \$5.00 to..... **\$15.00**

25 GOOD FOR 25c 25

Special Offer of Parker-Lowe Dry Goods Co. Fort Worth, Texas.

25c Good for 25c

Save this Coupon

This coupon will be received as twenty five cents cash on each purchase of an AMERICAN LADY corset, for week advertised. Only one coupon received on the purchase price of each corset.

25 GOOD FOR 25c 25

Street and Runabout Suits

A complete display, illustrating the latest styles in Shopping, Runabout and Street Dresses now shown in our Suit Room. We have made most careful selections from hundreds of styles shown by the best New York makers of women's wear. Our selections cover the best and most approved ideas of the leading manufacturers. There is not a fabric of the day favored by fashion that is not here represented. New and exclusive fabrics, Scotch Mixtures, Men's Wear Mixtures, Zibelines, Gun Metal Effects, Broadcloths and Venetians. By far the largest collection of Suits and Costumes we have ever shown. A most attractive line of high class Costumes and Opera Cloaks now on show, together with a splendid line of the more moderate priced Suits and Wraps.

Kid Gloves

Monday morning about 75 pairs of good Kid Gloves, our regular \$1.00 quality, in black and dark colors, only in sizes 5½ to 5¾; **25c** while they last
 Complete line of sizes and colors in our Trefousse, Derby and Monarch Gloves—the best gloves imported, at **\$1.00, \$1.25 \$2.00** and..... **\$1.50**

Handkerchiefs

Sheer, All Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, our regular 15c quality; Monday..... **10c**

New Dress Goods

Among the late arrivals this last week, were a line of the genuine Scotch Tweeds and Men's Wear Mixtures, such as you see in all the late style Walking Suits in the Ready-Made Department.

These cloths have been sponged and shrunk, thus adding to their desirability. They are 56 inches wide; come in grays, browns, tans and mixtures, and are worth \$2.25; Monday's price will be..... **\$1.75**

A splendid line of Granites, Zibelines, Sangliers, etc. **59c**

Early Fall Underwear

The new Underwear for early fall wear is now here in the light and medium weights, so productive of comfort, before the time comes for putting on the heavier garments, these will be found here in the dainty finish in fine yarn qualities of which we have made such a reputation. These beautiful garments are most seasonable for early fall wearing.

Ladies' Light Weight Cotton Vests, high neck and long sleeves, crochet finish with tape, drawers to match..... **29c**

Ladies' Crochet Finished High Neck and Long Sleeves Lisle Thread Vests, at..... **50c**

New Silks

An attractive line of Fancy Silks now being shown at our Silk Department. Small figures, stripes, broken checks, etc., on changeable grounds, especially adapted for the shirt waist suits, that will be so popular; these beautiful silks instead of \$1.25, will be priced..... **\$1.00**

For Monday's selling, 23-inch Guaranteed Taffetas, the regular \$1.00 quality..... **75c**

To make room for our new line of 75c Colored Taffeta we will offer balance of our stock of solid Taffetas in blues, greens, reds, browns, tans and black; Monday..... **50c**

Comforts and Blankets

We open tomorrow, our Blanket and Comfort Department with the most complete line that we have ever shown. Splendid qualities of Blankets and Comforts will be offered during this Opening Sale at every much less than we will be able to duplicate them for later in the season. Our contracts were placed months before the tremendous advance in cottons and wools, putting us in a position to offer Blankets and Comforts today at about what we would have to pay if we were buying now.....A big saving guaranteed on all purchases in this department. Don't delay your purchases until cold weather pinches, when our stock will be broken, and we cannot give you advantage of our fortunate purchases.

- Extra Heavy Comforts, full size; Monday..... **75c**
- Full size Silkoline Covered Comforts, cotton filled..... **98c**
- Silkoline Comforts, cotton filled, figured on both sides..... **\$1.49**
- Extra large size Silkoline Comforts, cotton filled, fancy quilted or knotted; Monday..... **\$2.00**
- Satin Comforts, filled with carded cotton, extra large size, quilted or knotted; Monday, opening sale..... **\$2:50**

- 11-4 Gray Cotton Blankets, extra heavy, with fancy borders; Opening Sale..... **\$1.49**
- 10-4 White Blankets, part wool, fancy borders, Opening Sale..... **\$1 98**
- 10-4 All Wool Gray Blankets, fancy borders; Opening Sale..... **\$3.50**
- 10-4 All Wool White Blankets silk bound; Monday for..... **\$4.00**
- 11-4 All Wool California Blankets, fancy borders; Opening Sale..... **\$6.00**
- Unusual values in California Blankets, strictly pure wool at **\$7.50** and..... **\$9.00**

Our Bargain Basement

We have just completed the re-arrangement of our Bargain Basement, which is the greatest improvement we have yet made. Everything in the way of Piece Goods, Dress Goods, Percales and all merchandise of like character have been transferred to the north wall, where you can get a flood of daylight on the goods, and see exactly what you are buying. All the Hardware and House Furnishings have been transferred to the south side of the room, and all the goods requiring daylight, have been transferred to points where you can get as good light as can be found in any store in Fort Worth. To celebrate this change, we will offer tomorrow some special values all over the Basement floor.

- Good Quality Outing Flannel, in small pink and blue checks, for night gowns..... **5c**
- 9-4 Bleached Sheetting, per yard..... **17c**
- 27-inch Flannelette, in small and large figures for wrappers, kimonos, waists, etc., regular 10c quality..... **7½c**
- Monday only, we will give with every purchase of 25c or more in the House Furnishing Department, a Lightning Mouse Trap without charge. These are the most effective little traps that have ever before been offered.
- Manchester Chambray, the 10c quality; Monday..... **5c**

- Regular 15c quality Percales, best grade made..... **10c**
- Special values in Canton Flannels. We believe we can save you money on Bleached and Brown Flannels, as these goods were bought months ago, before the big advance. We will offer everything in this line at last year's prices, until present stock is sold.
- All Wool Tricot, in good quality; Basement price..... **25c**
- For Monday's selling, we will offer 42-inch Bleached Pillow Casing, regular 12½c value..... **10c**

GIN COTTON AT NIGHT

About 100 Bales of Cotton Are Being Handled Daily at Grandview
 GRANDVIEW, Texas, Sept. 25.—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company have a large force at work on the new depot for this place. It will be completed in about six weeks. The roof will be of tiling. It will be a handsome structure when finished and will be much appreciated by the citizens.
 Grandview has more new enterprises under way of completion than any city in Texas. The large two-story brick, 50x100 feet, which will be occupied by Root Brothers, furniture dealers, is about completed.
 The new \$10,000 waterworks plant will be in operation in the course of ten days. The electric light and power plant, it is

understood, will be completed soon, and will then be ready to furnish lights for the city.
 Business is brisk. Cotton is coming in at the rate of 100 to 150 bales daily. Three gins are running to their full capacity, operating during the day and part of the night. They have been ginning the last week an average of about one hundred bales per day. Cotton is opening rapidly and, notwithstanding the dry weather, boll worms and other insects that are damaging the plant, there will be a very fair crop gathered in this section.
 Some corn is being gathered and is selling for 35c per bushel. The yield is about thirty to thirty-five bushels per acre.
 W. R. Burton, while working in D. D. Pitt's gin, accidentally had his hand caught in the saws of the gin and re-

ceived quite a painful, but not very serious, hurt.

W. S. Matney, the cheapest first-class merchant tailor in the city.

MORE RIOTS

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the Liver or Kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest of all-around medicine for run-down systems. It dispels Nervousness, Rheumatism and Neuralgia and expels Malaria germs. Only 50c and satisfaction guaranteed by J. W. Fisher, druggist, and the Reeves Pharmacy.

A VERDICT FOR \$10,000

James Pope Given Big Damages for a Broken Leg
 HILLSBORO, Texas, Sept. 25.—James Pope secured a verdict at Tyler yesterday against the Cotton Belt for \$10,000 damages. He was a Cotton Belt brakeman and had his leg broken in an accident. He lives here.

ENNIS MAN ARRESTED

Charged With Violating the Local Option Law in Ellis County.
 WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Sept. 26.—On information furnished by Sheriff Nunnick, the United States marshal at Shreveport, La., this morning arrested Ike Cox, a citizen of Ennis, on two

complaints charging him with violating the local option laws of Ellis county. A complaint was also filed in the Federal court at Dallas, charging him with violating the revenue law. Cox is a well known railroad man and was formerly depot master for the joint station at Ennis.

GOES BACK ON HIS RUN

MARSHALL, Tex., Sept. 25.—Will Green, who has been foreman of the Texas and Pacific roundhouse here for some time past, tendered his resignation Thursday. Mr. Green will resume his former run on the New Orleans division. The appointment of his successor has not been made yet.

See the new goods and up-to-date prices at W. S. Matney.

WON'T ADMIT A WILL

Waco Jury Refuses to Allow Document to Be Probated.
 WACO, Texas, Sept. 25.—A jury in the district court yesterday refused to admit to probate a will alleged to have been written by P. T. McPartland of McGregor. The estate is worth about \$30,000 and at the time of his death no will was found. Later a will came to light leaving the bulk of property to Mrs. Mary Dolan of New York, a sister. The county court refused to admit this will to probate and the district court did the same. The jury not having been convinced of its genuineness much interest is manifested in the case.

MRS. LANPHERE TALKS

CLEBURNE, Texas, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Lanphere of Chicago lectured to the retail clerks' union last night. It has been revived as a result and new members have been added.
 About fifty of the copper and sheet workers of the Santa Fe shops had a smoker last evening.
 L. A. Hardie of Venus, who nearly lost his hand in a corn sheller this week, is here undergoing surgical treatment.
 Mrs. Thyra S. Wylie, designer and teacher of art embroidery, will give lessons at the J. M. Reagan Millinery Emporium every Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Stamping done.

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Mens Fine Suits, made of new Imported Cheviots, Cassimeres and Tweeds; collars carefully hand made, shoulders hand padded. The finest and best suit values ever given in this city.

Mens Suits—Fine Rough Woven Cheviots, dark grounds, new color over plaids, stripes and knots \$15

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The Lucky Phrase Will Appear Next Sunday

THE CATCH-PHASE WE WILL SELECT FOR PERMANENT USE IS IN THIS LIST.

One Dollar in Merchandise from our store if you can pick it out. Mail a postal card at once. Guessing ends next Saturday.

"Your dollars are Biggest Here. Your dollars Go Farthest Here. Every one trades equal at August's. Famed for Faultless Fits. We can crow, We have the Spurs. Take a think, Go to August's. Satisfaction thrown in at August's. It's common gossip—August's Reliability. We not only sell, we satisfy. The Quality you ought to wear at the Price you ought to pay. What's the Latest? Ask August. Wise buyers say if bought at August's it's all right. August Regal Emporium, Regal Clothes for Regal Folks. Don't dodge the Fact. You can't dodge the Fact. All Unite in granting undeniable Style to August's. Every Suit fits and every Fit Suits. All's Fair at August's. The Store that does business the only way. Be good to yourself. Get the August Habit. The Frugal Way. August's the Store what am. The Mecca of swell dressers. Satisfaction served at August's. August means a Summer month. One-twelfth of all the year. But A & L means every month, for they're here all the year. August A and August L tells it all and tells it well. Everything right up-to-now. Quality our Success. August's Suitable Suits Suit All.

Buy from August and be August. Every month of the year A & L. August clothes Texas. How about Yours? The Carnival of fair and square prices prevails at August's. August's the Clothiers can fit both your body and your purse. Get in Line and Go to August's. No trouble to fit a man. If it's out it is at August's. The Only Store. August Suits. First, last and always our aim is to please. We do unto others as we would have them do unto us. August Leads and the Rest Follow. For Style, Strength and Satisfaction go to August's. It's August All the year round. Quality and Price both right. August's have good habits. Wait, Go to A & L August's first for profit. The best for the least is always at August's. The Reliance Store—August's. August has the Best. August's goods are good goods. August's Prices Cheapen Shopping. "Distinction in style, price and honesty." Honesty, quality, price and fit make August's Clothing Strictly It. Not August for Less, but August for Best. Go see August and be glad. If at August's bought it's paramount.



\$15.00

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New Vests in silk and wool, both dark and light; really grand effects, including some from swellest English makers.

Men's New Shoes

The very refined new models in-- J. & M. Shoes at \$6.00 and \$5.00 and August's Famous Regent Shoes at \$3.00 August's Famous "Special" Shoes at \$3.50

SOLDIERS GUARD MINES CLOSELY

Members of National Guard at Cripple Creek Enforce Orders Strictly

CRIPPLE CREEK, Col., Sept. 26.—A detail of troops under the direction of Lieutenant McMilland have gone to Independence and Altman looking for certain men charged with having made open threats against the national guard and its officers. When arriving in Independence, one of the men Joseph Lynch, marshal of Independence was found in a saloon, and after he was disarmed, was brought to camp and placed with the rest of the prisoners in the guard tent. The commander also left a squad of cavalry surrounding the house that had been occupied by Mr. Dodsworth, a labor leader, with instructions not to allow any one in or out of their lines either to or from the house. The military officers hereafter will make specific charges against all persons that they may arrest. C. J. Kennison, president of district union No. 1, who is confined to the guard house at Camp Boldfield, became abusive and refused to obey the order of one of the sentries and was ordered into his tent. Kennison refused to comply with the order and the sentry laid his rifle on the ground and pushed the strike leader into his tent.

TRAINS QUARANTINED

Every Possible Precaution Against Yellow Fever Being Taken (Special to The Telegram.) SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 26.—Passengers on the L. and G. N. train from Laredo last night were not allowed to leave the train here. The train crews are allowed to stop with the understanding that they do not leave the right of way at Laredo. Every station between here and Laredo is quarantined against Laredo. There have been five deaths at Nuevo Laredo. Two cases diagnosed proved to be yellow fever.

ROOSEVELT AFTER DEER

President Decides to Pay a Visit to the Adirondacks (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—President Roosevelt will soon visit the Adirondacks at the request of William H. Seward of New York, according to a dispatch from Utica. The date of the president's arrival in the woods has not been definitely learned, but the guides are planning to give him some fine deer hunting.

NEW ROLE FOR ISLAND

Notorious Resort is Raising Money for a Mission NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—After a week's preparation, Coney Island, with its music hall and animal shows has turned itself into a charitable institution and styled the turnout Mardi Gras. It was done for the purpose of raising money to rebuild the island's lone mission recently destroyed by fire. Seventy-five thousands visitors patronized the affair, and nearly \$10,000 was raised.

WORK ON T. & B. V.

CLEBURNE, Tex., Sept. 26.—A gentleman came to Cleburne overland from Hillsboro. He states that he came along the line of the Texas and Brazos Valley, and that workmen are at work at intervals putting in culverts and leveling up the grade preparatory to laying cross-ties and steel, which will complete the road into Cleburne. He says that the statement was correct which was given out some time ago concerning the time of completion and that it will be finished by October 25.

WEAVER TRIAL POSTPONED

HILLSBORO, Texas, Sept. 26.—The Jess Weaver murder trial came to an abrupt termination last evening on account of the reported serious illness of a daughter of one of the jurymen, J. J. Dollar. She was said to be in a dying condition and he was excused with instructions to return Monday. The other jurors will be held until he returns.

PLANS OF THE PRISCO

It May Cross the Mississippi at Fort Adams, Miss. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 26.—The Frisco system may cross the Mississippi at Fort Adams, Miss. with its Memphis-New Orleans trunk line, instead of at either Angola or Baton Rouge, La. Fort Adams is ten miles north of Angola and at the mouth of the Red river. Two surveys have been made and a third one is now in progress. If the Fort Adams crossing is selected the route of the line will pass through a corner of Mississippi. A. L. Phillips, chief engineer, states that surveys have been completed from a point near Marion, Ark. on the Frisco west of Memphis to Frogmore, La. There is now only a small gap between Frogmore and the Red river that was not finished last spring because of the high water. This gap will be probably finished as soon as the surveys at the Fort Adams crossing are completed.

RAILWAY CONVENTIONS IN 1903

October 7—Master Steam Boiler Makers' Association at Chicago. October 12—Roadmasters' and Maintenance of Way Association at Kansas City, Mo. October 13—American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents at New Orleans, La. October 20—Association of Railway Superintendents of Bridges and Buildings at Quebec, Canada. October 28—American Railway Association at Richmond, Va. November 11—American Association of Traveling Passenger Agents at New Orleans, La. December 1—Annual meeting American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York city.

STOCKHOLDERS ARE UNDECIDED

(Special to The Telegram) BEAUMONT, Tex., Sept. 26.—Stockholders of the defunct Citizens National bank met last night, but reached no definite conclusion as to the bank's affairs. They meet again next Friday afternoon, when it is expected they will issue a statement of their attitude. Meantime the depositors and other creditors are in a state of anxious expectation. JAPANESE AT BEAUMONT BEAUMONT, Tex., Sept. 26.—S. Uchida, Japanese consul general, and party, arrived this afternoon and will remain until tomorrow. They were taken in charge by the chamber of commerce and shown the rice and oil fields. The Japanese are investigating with a view of locating colonists. They go from here to Crowley, La. TRACTION IMPROVEMENTS. BEAUMONT, Tex., Sept. 26.—P. L. Duffy, secretary and treasurer of the Beaumont Traction company, has returned from St. Louis, where he attended a meeting of the company's directors. He says St. Louis parties have bought an interest in the company and voted money sufficient to complete the projected extension and improvement. APPLICATION REFUSED BEAUMONT, Tex., Sept. 26.—District Judge Pope has refused the ap-

plication of F. A. Thomas for a receiver for the National Refining company.

MEETINGS ARE POSTPONED

BEAUMONT, Tex., Sept. 26.—On account of sickness in his family, Evangelist Stuart has postponed the meeting announced for this city.

DRILLING AT HIGH ISLAND

BEAUMONT, Tex., Sept. 26.—Drilling for oil has been resumed at High Island, forty miles from here on the gulf.

A STEP TO ETERNITY

Member of Chicago Board of Trade Jumps From Moving Train CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Confused, it is believed, by the thought that he was being carried past his station, Wm. J. Taylor, a member of the Chicago Board of Trade, and a leading resident of Kenilworth, stepped from a Chicago and Northwestern train at Wilmette last night and met death under the wheels. Just how the accident occurred is not clear, even to a number of acquaintances of Mr. Taylor who were on the train. As the train was pulling out of Wilmette he jumped from his seat and, running to the platform of the coach, swung from the train. The train proceeded without any one realizing that he had met injury, and his body was found on the track a few minutes afterward. Mr. Taylor was a member of the grain and seed firm of Wright & Taylor. He was 36 years old and had been connected with the Board of Trade for seven years.

SEABOARD WON'T BE TRANSFERRED

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The great Rock Island system will not take over the Seaboard Air Line, which has just been bought by interests closely affiliated with the Rock Island. That announcement was made in Wall street today, following the departure from this city of ex-Judge W. H. Moore, who was here two days in consultation with his associates in the Rock Island syndicate. Wall street regards the Seaboard as practically dominated by the Rock Island, but it may be some time before financial conditions will be considered favorable to the merging of this semi-independent southern system into a Rock Island corporation. It is certain that the Rock Island plans for the development of a comprehensive railway system in the west and south include the Seaboard lines and various projects made for Rock Island and Frisco extensions are largely dependent upon future affiliations with the Seaboard system. President Williams of the Seaboard denies that he is to leave the system or that his policy is to be changed.

NEGRO LODGED IN JAIL

WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Sept. 26.—Henry Stewart was arrested at Ferris yesterday on a complaint charging him with assault to murder. He was brought to Waxahachie last night and lodged in the county jail. He is charged with inflicting a severe knife wound on Henry Newsum Thursday night. Both are negroes.

MONKEY WRENCH FELL

CLEBURNE, Tex., Sept. 26.—A farmer named Lightfoot was standing under one of the tall poles which

are being put in by the Independent Telephone system. A heavy monkey wrench fell from the top of the pole and struck Mr. Lightfoot in the forehead and it was thought he had been dangerously hurt. His skull would probably have been crushed had not the force of the fall been broken on a wire.

BROUGHT TO MARSHALL

WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Sept. 26.—Sheriff Minnick left this morning for Marshall to bring back to Ellis county like Cox, who is wanted in the courts here on two charges of violating the local option law. He was arrested at Shreveport yesterday morning by a United States marshal on information furnished by Sheriff Minnick. On instructions from the sheriff, Cox was brought to Marshall and lodged in jail. He is also charged with violating the United States internal revenue law.

WU TO WATCH COMMERCE

Late Minister to United States Assumes New Duties at Peking (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Wu Ting Fang is leaving for Peking to assume his duties as vice president of the board of commerce, says a dispatch from Shanghai. The establishment of the new board does not arouse expectations on the part of the Chinese merchants, who are fully aware that the government is less influenced by recognition of Chinese commercial and financial necessities than by the desire to create new posts, the correspondent avers, for the ever-increasing number of officials. It is a criminal offense in Hungary to lend money at usurious rates, and a Pressburg money lender was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment for that offense recently.

YOU WANT BOTH! When you try on a pair of shoes look for two things—COMFORT AND STYLE. Note Monday's showing. Unmistakably an aristocratic shoe—made of soft, pliant, extra high grade leather; patent and plain. The step is easy—the tread elastic—the movement graceful— \$3 THE FAMOUS SHOE STORE, FT. WORTH. 709 HOUSTON ST.

FOLLOW THE FLAG Wabash Route NEW YORK, BOSTON, BUFFALO, NIAGARA FALLS, DETROIT, CHICAGO AND ALL EASTERN CITIES. The shortest and only line from Kansas City or St. Louis running over its own tracks to Niagara Falls or Buffalo. Time and equipment unexcelled. THREE SOLID, FAST, THROUGH TRAINS DAILY. Leaving St. Louis 9:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 11:32 p.m. Arriving at Detroit 7:50 p.m. 9:40 a.m. 12:10 p.m. Arriving in Buffalo 4:05 a.m. 6:50 p.m. 7:50 p.m. Arriving in New York 3:30 p.m. 7:40 a.m. 7:50 a.m. Arriving in Boston 5:20 p.m. 9:50 a.m. 10:10 a.m. UNEXCELLED SERVICE BETWEEN ST. LOUIS AND CHICAGO. Leave St. Louis 9:22 a.m. 9:05 p.m. 11:32 p.m. Arrive in Chicago 5:20 p.m. 7:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m. THE NEW, FAST, SOLID ST. LOUIS-ST. PAUL TRAIN. Leaving St. Louis 2:10 p.m. Leaving St. Paul 7:10 p.m. Arriving in Minneapolis 8:15 a.m. Leaving Minneapolis 7:45 p.m. Arriving in St. Paul 8:50 a.m. Arriving in St. Louis 2:00 p.m. Stopovers allowed on all tickets via Niagara Falls. Meals served in Wabash Palace Dining Cars. Hours of valuable time saved by purchasing tickets via Wabash Route. Consult ticket agents of connecting lines or address W. F. CONNER, S. W. P. A. 353 Main Street, Dallas, Texas.

TARRANT COUNTY TAX SHOWING Total assessed valuation, 1902. \$24,515,220 Total assessed valuation, 1903. 22,085,180 Increase 2,430,040 Credits, notes, etc., 1902. 528,680 Credits, notes, etc., 1903. 379,575 Decrease in debts 149,105

With more money on deposit in the banks, with a 20 per cent decrease in individual debts and with a 11 per cent increase in valuation of property, the people of Tarrant county are justly inclined to call themselves prosperous. William L. Sweet, county and state tax assessor, last night completed a tabulated statement which contains the results of the taxable values of Fort Worth and Tarrant county for state and county, or \$24,515,220, an increase of \$2,430,040, or 11 per cent over last year. This means that the total to be paid by the people of the city and county, on state and county taxes this year is \$25,768.89. Assessor Sweet's statement is as follows:

Acres of land in survey 553,876 Value \$5,734,570 Horses and mules 16,802 10,844,080 Cattle and jennets 31,731 256,965 Sheep 111 6,775 Goats 529 585 Dors 6,944 18,259 Vehicles 6,272 1,370 Goods and merchandise 1,140 1,130 Materials and manufactured articles 241,295 293,145 Engines and boilers 101,905 66,470 Money of banks and bankers 1,047,230 965,890 Money other than banks 187,915 238,950 Credits, notes, etc. 279,575 258,680 Bonds and stocks 11,000 528,680 Shares in companies, etc. 1,000 5,000 Property, corporations (except railroads) 5,000 5,000 Property of railroads, telegraph companies, etc. 2,769,420 2,235,400 Miscellaneous property 466,690 341,065 Totals \$24,515,220 \$22,085,180

The several specific taxes and the estimated returns thereon are as follows: State ad valorem tax \$40,863.87 State school tax 44,125.37 State poll tax \$1.50 per capita 12,450.00 County ad valorem 150,770.15 County poll \$1.25 per capita 2,075.00 District school 10,305.25 Total except poll tax and district schools \$235,768.89 Note—Where no figures are shown in the column under 1902, no returns were made in that year.

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FOR MONDAY AND THE BALANCE OF THE WEEK

REMARKABLY low prices in each department. Our showing of autumn goods is larger than ever before. We are better prepared to show our patrons and friends this year; our store is better arranged and our improved store management is better. So you will be waited upon properly when you visit our store. Count on getting satisfaction at our counters.

NOTE THE BARGAINS WE ARE OFFERING FOR ALL NEXT WEEK

At the Notion Counter

- Good Fancy Elastic, all week.....1c
- Mennen's Talcum Powder, worth 25c anywhere, only .15c
- Good Pearl Buttons, for all week, per doz.....2 1-2c
- Wire Hair Pins, sold regular at 2 1-2c, our special price, per paper.....1c
- Good Pins, per paper.....1c
- White and Colored Seam Braid, 4-yd bunches, only 2 1-2c
- Ladies' Belts, worth up to 40c, to close out, your choice.19c
- No. 80 Taffeta Ribbon, our 25c grade, go for one week.15c
- Good Towels, our 12 1-2c grade, per pair.....9c

W. B. Corsets

We carry a full line of this celebrated brand. 50c to \$1.50

New Waistings

- All our \$1.00 Fancy Mercerized Oxfords and Vestings go for.....89c
- All our 50c Fancy Waistings for.....43c
- A beautiful line of Oxford Waistings, worth up to 40c, our special price.....25c
- Fancy Satin Stripe Fleece Oxford Waistings, a pretty line of them.....15c

Dress Goods Bargains

Displayed on center counter a big line of Fancy Suitings, 36-inch wide, in all the new colors; they are regular 65c values; our special price.....48c

Ladies Street Hats

See our line of Ladies' Hats, all the very newest styles. Pretty line of Outing, for one week.....5c

Ladies Shirt Waists

For one week we offer our \$2.50 line of Mercerized Oxford Waist for.....\$1.95

In the Staple Department

- Good Calico, for one week only.....4c
- Berkley's Cambric, 36-inch wide, sold everywhere for 10c, our special price.....8 1-2c
- Amoskeag Gingham, 7 1-2c quality, for one week.....6c
- All book-fold Percales, our 10c grade, go for.....7 1-2c
- Good wide sheets, our 50c quality, our special price.....39c
- Good wide Bleached Table Linen, the regular 25c grade, for.....19c
- Ladies' Bleached Ribbed Vests, a nice thing, only.....25c
- One lot of Torchon Lace, 2-inch wide, special.....5c
- Children's Grey Hose, worth 8 1-3c, for one week, per pair.....2 1-2c
- Trunks, Grips and Suit Cases. See our line. We can suit you.

Bargains of Interest

- Men's Shirts, good line of colors, choice.....19c
- Men's Negligee Shirts, just received a new lot of them, regular 50c grade, choice.....33 1-3c
- See our window.
- Boys' Knee Suits, a pretty lot for school wear, from \$1.00 up to \$4.00
- Boys' Knee Pants, our 25c grade, go for one week at.....15c
- Men's Black Pants, our \$1.25 line, go for one week.....85c
- See our Men's Suits, they are the very newest in style and colors.....\$4.00 up to \$15.00
- All our Ladies', Men's and Children's \$1.25 Shoes go for one week.....95c
- Men's Sox, in black, blue, red and tan, our 10c quality, our special price.....7 1-2c
- Boys' Suspenders, per pair.....9c
- Men's Elastic Seam Drawers, worth 50c everywhere, our special price.....35c

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NEW CHURCH AT ITALY

Contract for Methodist Building Has Been Awarded

WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Sept. 26.—The contract for erecting a new Methodist church at Italy has been awarded to J. E. Hullen for \$1,875. The contract calls for carpenter work only and does not include painting, papering, doors, windows, seats and brick foundation.

The Ellis County Independent Telephone company has completed a long distance wire to Corsicana and that city is now in communication with Waxahachie. The work of stringing long distance wires will be continued by this company until Hillsboro, Waco, Houston and San Antonio are connected.

See the new goods and up-to-date prices at W. S. Matney.

WEST PERSONAL NEWS

Several Students Leave to Enter Various Schools of the State

WEST, Tex., Sept. 25.—Carl G. Willie left Monday morning for Bryan, where he will enter the A. and M. College.

John R. Keeton of Dallas was in West several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Yeargin came here last night from Memphis, Tenn., where they had been visiting Mr. Yeargin's mother.

Professor and Mrs. W. H. Nichols left this week for Huntsville, Tex., where they both will enter Sam Houston normal as students.

Jack Clossner is very sick at his home near town.

A protracted meeting is in progress at the Christian church. Much interest is being manifested. Rev. Joe Harding is preaching.

CROW WAS WELL KNOWN

News of His Suicide at Beaumont Shocked Gatesville

GATESVILLE, Tex., Sept. 26.—The people of the entire town were very much shocked yesterday evening when a telegram from Beaumont announced that L. P. Crow had committed suicide there. Mr. Crow was for many years one of the leading business men here, having left here less than a year ago. He was liked by everybody here.

A telephone message from Levita gives an account of the burning of W. G. Mayhew's gin at that place last night. The amount of insurance is unknown.

The new postoffice building is receiving the finishing touches. It is to be occupied on the first of next month.

Prescription No. 2854, by Elmer & Amend, will not cure all complaints, but it will cure rheumatism. E. F. Schmidt, Houston, Texas, sole agent.

HER HOME IS UNKNOWN

Aged Woman Found Near Boyd Is Unable to Give Account of Self

BOYD, Tex., Sept. 25.—Constable Bob Castles this afternoon found a lady walking on the railroad track near here. She says she is 93 years old. She weighs about 80 or 90 pounds. She says her name is Siders and that she lives in Oklahoma. She is unable to give anything definite concerning herself. She says she left Fort Worth Monday and was on her way to the Chickasaw Nation. Constable Castles took her to Decatur and the county judge will try to locate her people.

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CORN GOOD AT TYLER

Crop Is Turning Out Much Better Than Was Expected

TYLER, Tex., Sept. 24.—Cotton is coming in a little and the price is going down very rapidly. Cotton here is very short. Corn is making a better average than has been made for years.

J. T. Van Centon of Missouri has purchased D. V. Rutledge's farm of 120 acres. He is going to start a dairy.

L. A. Henry has moved into his new residence on South Broadway.

The Interurban will furnish half hour service for the society cake walk Monday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The special car for the cake walkers, which the traction company furnishes free, will be attached to the 8 o'clock car.

LOCAL FRATERNAL SOCIETY EVENTS

Supreme Vice President to Visit Fort Worth

A WEEK OF PLEASURE

Sovereign Grand Lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows Meets in Boston

IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN NO. 95

At a regular meeting of the Improved Order of Red Men, Ontario Tribe No. 95, held last Monday, an election was held to fill the vacancies caused by the resignation of the former officers and resulted as follows:

Sachem, Less L. Hudson.

Senior sagamore, Thos. McKee.

Junior sagamore, Mr. Thatcher.

Propbet, C. M. Brown.

Chief of records, A. R. Bennit.

Keeper of wampum, E. F. Moore.

First sannah, W. J. Cantt.

Second sannah, George W. Blue.

At the same time an election for captain of the degree team was also held and the unanimous vote of the tribe was accorded to Mr. Thatcher. As captain he intends to make a grand success of the team and to that end has called a meeting of all members of the tribe at 9 o'clock this morning at the wigwam, when the team will be selected and the degree work commenced.

EUTAW COUNCIL NO. 13

Not to be behind in the fraternal work for the Free Fall Festival, the members of Eutaw Council have decided to take an active part in it. Last week they secured one of the choicest locations for their booth, and now have committees out hard at work perfecting all details for a booth this year. The committee which has been out soliciting report that they have received the most liberal donations that could be expected and with the assistance proffered from various sources will have a booth that will be both a credit to themselves and the festival. At 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Mrs. Bailey's residence, 420 Galveston avenue, a meeting has been called for the purpose of perfecting the plans. Committees will be appointed and a general outline of the work to be done thoroughly gone over. Mrs. Anna Bowman, Pochontas, and Mrs. H. H. Bailey, chairman, are especially anxious that all members of the council will be present at this time and urge every member of the council to make it a special point to be in attendance.

BANQUET TO GRAND CHANCELLOR

Loyal lodge No. 97, Knights of Pythias of Yoakum, Tex., last Wednesday night gave a big banquet in honor of a visit paid them by Grand Chancellor J. F. Onion of San Antonio. Besides the local members, large delegations from the near by towns were present.

COLUMBIAN LEAGUE SOCIABLE

Redman's hall was a scene of merriment Friday night, the occasion being the usual monthly "social" given by Trinity lodge No. 82, Columbian League. The opening address was delivered by Dr. J. L. Cooper, after which a very interesting program was given by the

senior class of Miss Pauline Stevenson, and many of the participants were compelled to respond to a third and fourth encore.

After the program was rendered ice cream and cake were served to each and every one present, after which the hall was cleared and dancing began. The Columbian League has a reputation for giving enjoyable affairs of this kind and to say that all present were delighted is putting it mildly. The following is the program:

Address.....Mr. Richie

Address.....Dr. J. L. Cooper

Address.....Commander A. R. Bennit

Highland fling.....Grace Twining

Song.....Arthur Machet

Tambourine dance.....Willia Thompson

Song.....Bessie McKillen

Song.....Miss L. N. Dabbs

Song.....Susa Anna

Song.....Miss L. N. Dabbs

Song.....Grace Twining

The Columbian Herald, the official organ of the order, has the following complimentary notice of A. R. Bennit, the efficient commander of Trinity lodge No. 82:

"A. R. Bennit, special deputy at Fort Worth, Tex., is recovering from an attack of sickness. We knew there was something wrong when the applications stopped coming in. Bro. Bennit has not got time to remain sick long, for he is too busy writing applications for Trinity lodge No. 82."

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give consent. It is estimated that 30,000 visiting Odd Fellows are now in Baltimore. The sovereign grand lodge in secret session refused to grant the Rebekah branch of the order the right to establish a death and funeral fund.

We guarantee the quality of all prescriptions, regarding purity, accuracy, and as being strictly in accordance with the physician's order. Haddaway Drug Co. Two stores, Marine and Rosen Heights.

GILMER SCHOOL OPENS

Pupils Will Have to Use Old Buildings for Some Time Yet

GILMER, Tex., Sept. 25.—Gilmer High school opens Monday, September 28, with Professor W. D. Allen of Marshall, Tex., as superintendent. The school will have to open in the old building, as the new one is not completed.

It is getting very dry and dusty, rain being needed very much. Cotton is coming in rapidly.

LIVE STOCK LAW LOST

The Measure Falls to Carry in Parker County.

WEATHERFORD, Sept. 24.—The stock law and jail bond election, which was held in this county last Saturday resulted against the two propositions submitted. Following is the total vote:

For the stock law 708, against 954. For the jail bonds 468, against 1,358. The election passed off very quietly.

Mrs. Francis Moore entertained a few friends yesterday evening.

Last night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Creekmore, Miss Eva Creekmore and Mr. William Werneburg of Cisco were united in marriage by Rev. F. M. Masters of the First Baptist church.

The bride is well known here.

Maj. J. S. Young of Fort Worth was here today.

Sheriff Bratton and Constable Doggett were in Fort Worth today.

Sheriff Averett of Milam county was here today.

W. S. Matney, the cheapest first-class merchant tailor in the city.

VIGOR--O NATURE'S FOOD

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Ladies' free Monday night when accompanied by a person with a paid 50c ticket if purchased before 6 p. m. Monday.

Seats on sale at box office.

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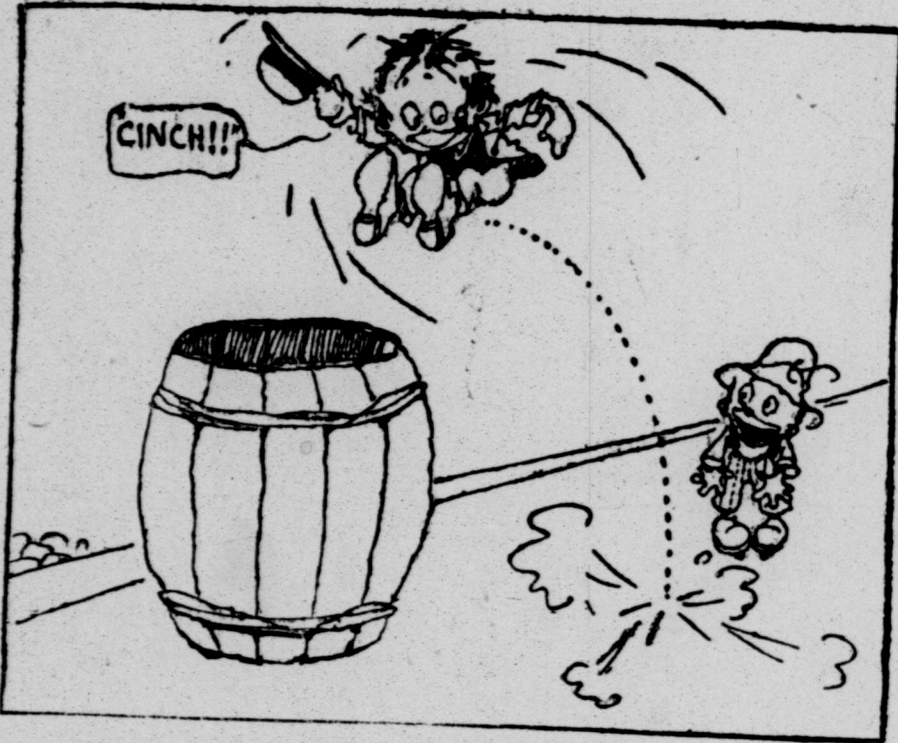
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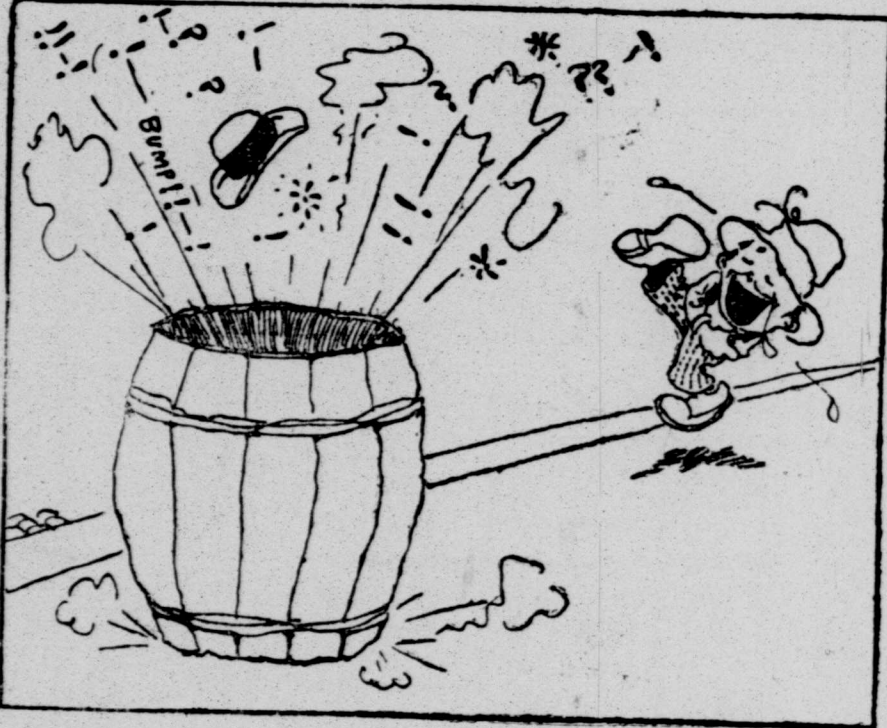
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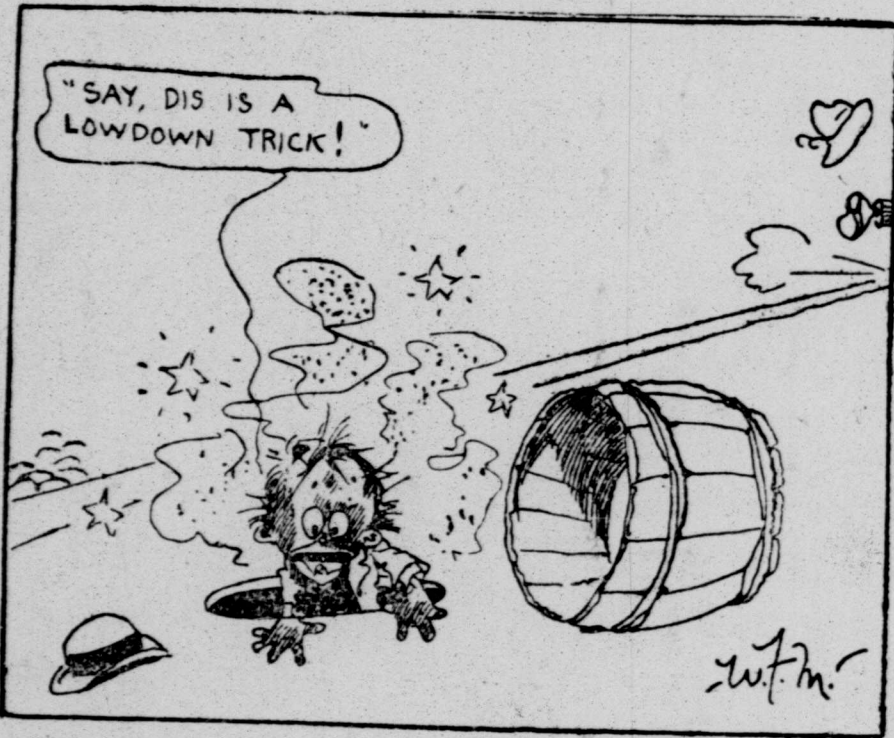
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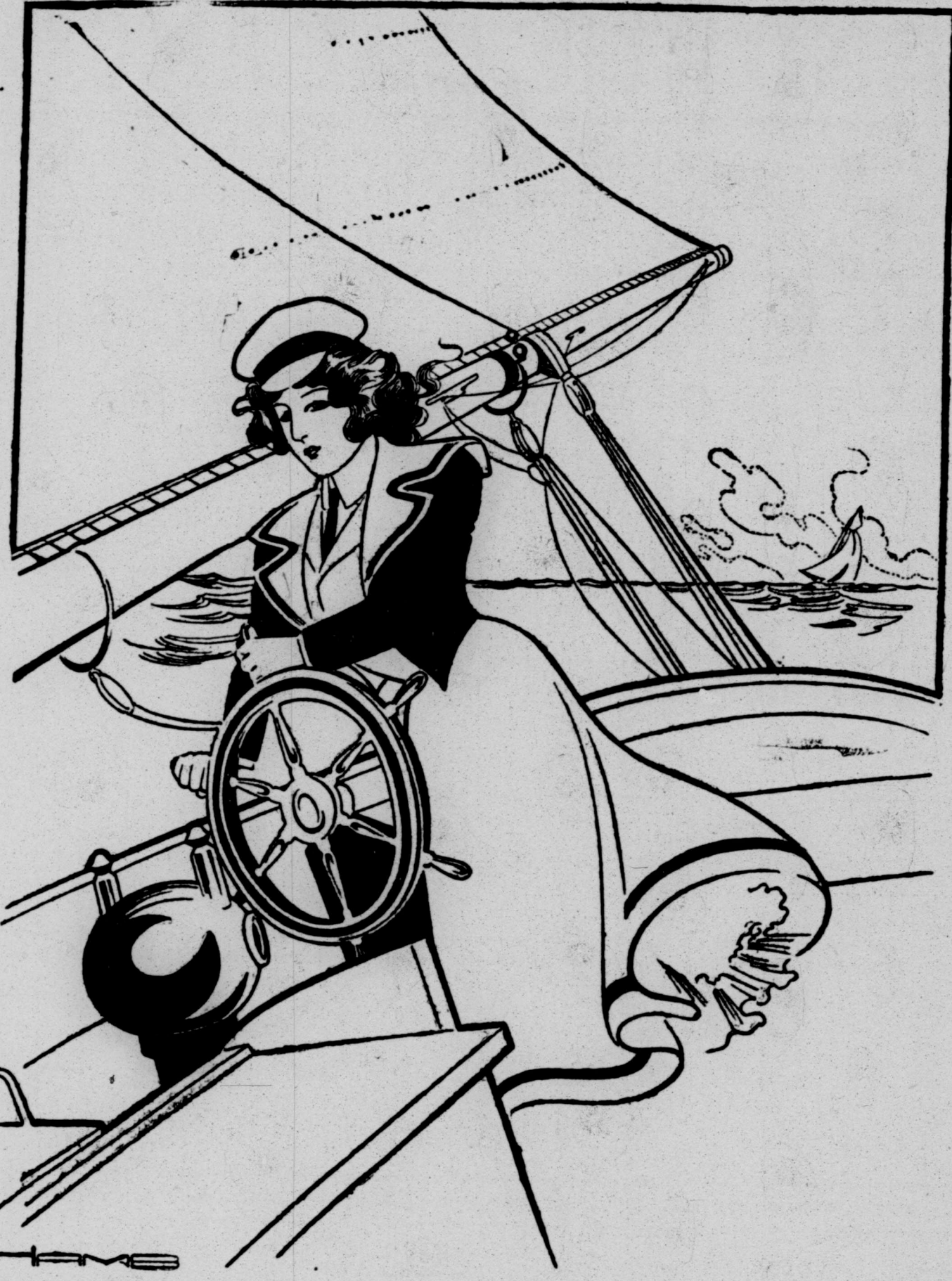
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A runaway has just passed. Can you find the man and his horse?



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She Tries the Yacht.



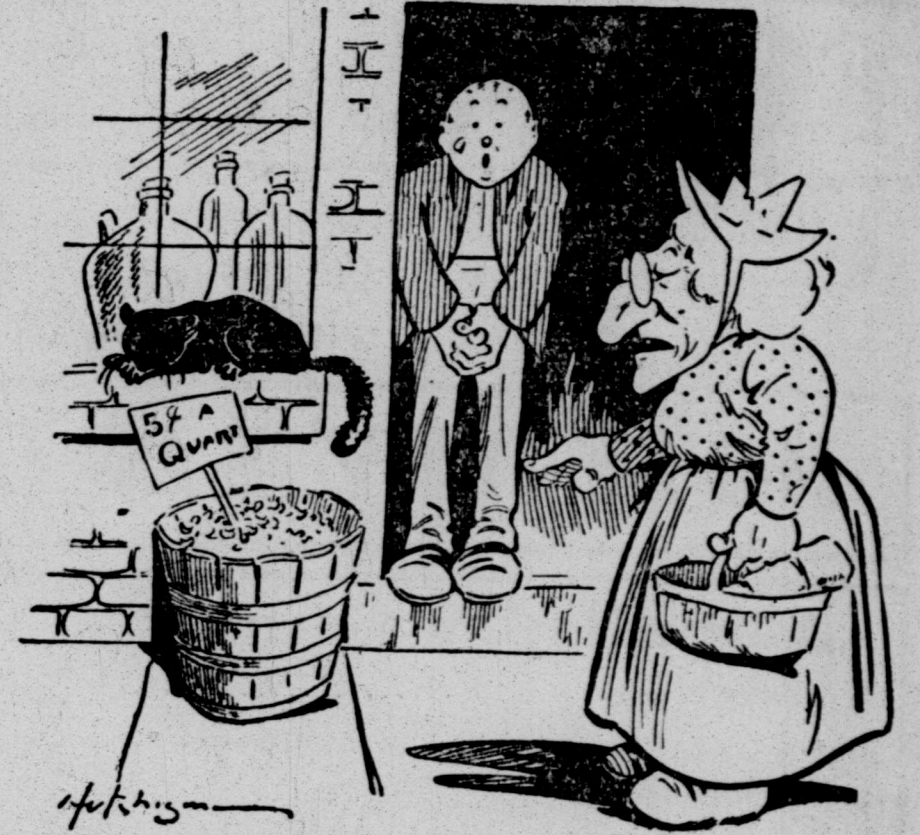
THE RETORT COURTEOUS.
Humorist—How soon is he going to sail?
Gyp—Aw-w-w—jest as soon as somebody kin raise de wind.



She—Roastern Aul, the critic, says the Spanish writers of fiction are vastly superior to ours.
He—He's right. I read a Spanish history of the late war yesterday.



Her Mamma—I think that Mr. Squeezer is a perfect bear!
Maud—Er—yes; he is a little that way.



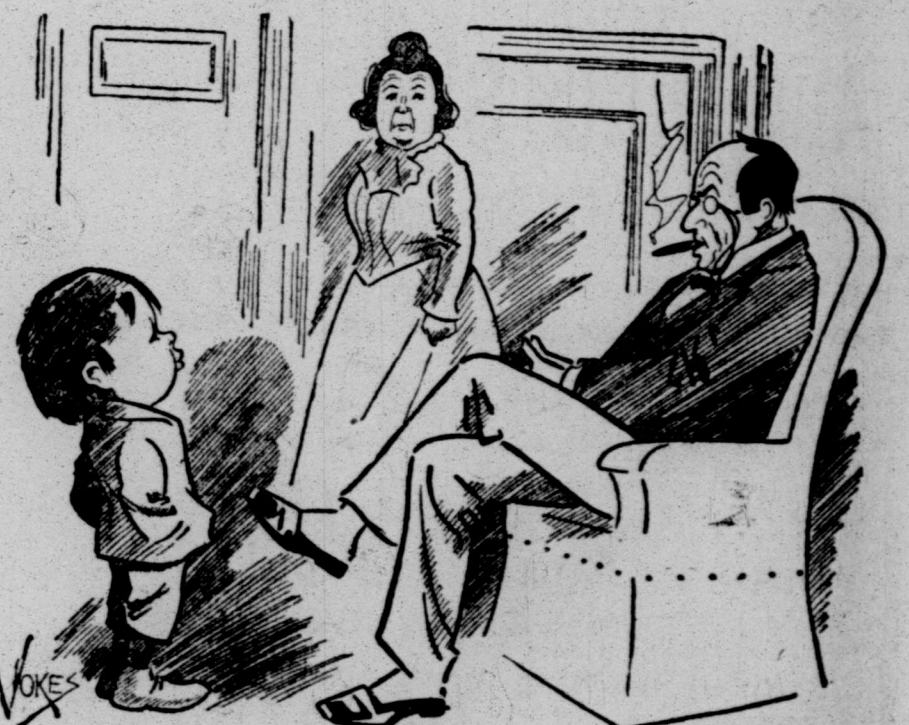
"What do you sell dried apples for, young man?"
"Cause I can't get any other job, ma'am."



COULDN'T STAND IT.
She—I've always wondered why those poor Venezuelans wouldn't accept Carnegie's \$25,000.
He—Oh! well, I suppose they thought they'd have to support a couple dozen libraries if they did.



Strolling Sherlock—I deduce from dese facts dat I'm not wanted in dese!



Bobby—Pop, did you know mamma very well before you married her?
Henpeck—No; I'm afraid not.

JURY IS HELD OVER SUNDAY

Twelve Men in Murrell Murder Case Are Still Divided

SAY THEY CAN'T AGREE

Judge Smith Orders Them to Resume Consideration of the Case

At 5:30 yesterday afternoon Judge Mike E. Smith, in the Seventeenth district court, summoned the jury, which since Friday morning has been weighing the law and evidence in the case of the State vs. J. J. Murrell, charged with killing Z. M. Smith.

The twelve good men and true had notified the judge several times during the day that they were unable to agree on a verdict, and when, finally, as evening drew on, he summoned them, they appeared with alacrity and looked upon the judge with expectant eyes. It was Saturday night and they were all tired and worn out by the long wrangle.

The judge questioned them. They first said that there had been two changes in the standing of the jury since it retired, one Friday and one yesterday, but a moment later corrected this by saying that both changes took place Friday. They also said that while the jury was not evenly divided, there was no hope of an agreement.

Judge Smith then announced that he did not feel justified in discharging the jury.

"You may retire and resume consideration of the case," he said. Later he instructed Deputy Sheriff Pritchard, who is in charge of the jury, to inform the members that if they agreed upon a verdict before bedtime he would return to court and receive it and dismise the jury.

The jury upon receiving orders to again retire to the jury room looked crestfallen and the twelve men filed back into the room with the air of men marching to execution.

The jury retired last night without having found a verdict.

HEAVILY FINED

George Dillard, one of the three men who were arrested by Officers Speight and Orr Friday night, charged with working the knife racket on Gerhard Hackfeld, a young German, for \$30, was tried before Judge Milam in the county court yesterday afternoon. After hearing the testimony, Judge Milam imposed a fine of \$500 on Dillard and sentenced him to serve six months in jail. The cases of the other two men will be tried later.

MARRIAGES

Justice Rowland was called upon to tie the matrimonial knot yesterday afternoon for a young Dallas couple. H. W. Blake and Miss Suanna Bowen were the contracting parties. Other licenses issued were as follows: R. R. Mathews and Miss Lizzie Swearingen. Peyton F. Gwynn and Miss Forrest Rosa Croom.

SUITS FILED

Robert Smith vs. Northern Texas Traction company, damages. State of Texas vs. W. B. McNatt, \$50, being a fine imposed in the case of the State vs. John Brown. Marvin H. Gray et al vs. A. M. McKillen et al, debt and foreclosure. Ed Brown vs. Mary Brown, divorce. J. M. Bedford vs. Northern Texas Traction company, damages. R. L. McMillinville vs. Armour & Co. Nellie B. Bosanko vs. R. J. Bosanko, divorce. L. E. Standifer vs. A. C. Standifer, divorce. Evelyn Times vs. Joseph Times, divorce.

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The court of civil appeals for the Second district will convene Monday, October 5. The following cases are set for submission on that date: Interstate National bank vs. W. N. Clayton, from Potter county; Lula Grimes et al vs. Fidelity and Casualty company, from Tarrant county; Western Cottage Piano and Organ company vs. B. E. Anderson, from Tarrant county; T. and P. Railway company vs. W. B. Currie, from Mitchell county; T. and P. Railway company vs. Daugherty & Voliva, from Mitchell county; Northern Texas Traction company vs. E. P. Mackey, from Tarrant county; G. C. and S. F. Railway company vs. H. Spilwin, from Cooke county; C. R. and T. Railway company vs. C. L. Lovelady, from Wise county; St. L. M. and S. Railway company vs. J. H. White & Co., from Mitchell county; St. L. M. and S. Railway company vs. John Lovelady, from Mitchell county; C. E. and T. Railway company vs. E. L. Lovelady, from Young county; E. H. Burditt vs. J. F. Russell, from Mitchell county.

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So Certain Will Be Your Cure of Piles If You Desire Immediate Relief From Pain.

Are you suffering from the agonizing disease of piles? Is your life one of pain and unhappiness and misery? Do you want to be cured? Your cure will be certain, complete and as lasting as your life by using a simple, natural remedy that gives immediate relief. No knife, no torture, no pain and no loss of the privacy of your own apartment. The Pyramid Pile Cure has home. The Pyramid Pile Cure has cured cases. It is in the form of a suppository and is applied directly to the affected parts, giving instant relief. It will cure you just as certain as you try it. Of this there is no question or shadow of a doubt. A prominent Milwaukee lady says: "For years I suffered intense agony from piles. I have been shattered from many times I prayed that death might release me from my torture. No man on earth can ever know what misery and pain I endured. Pyramid Pile Cure cured me completely. For two years I have not had a symptom of piles. I can never thank and praise you enough for this blessed deliverance." Pyramid Pile Cure is for sale by all druggists at 50 cents a package. If not kept by your druggist will be sent on receipt of price by Pyramid Drug Co., Main St., Marshall, Mich. Write for free booklet on the nature, treatment and cure of piles.

ll county. The following cases are set for October 17: M. H. Dickson vs. N. B. Fields, from Childress county; Supreme Lodge, United Benevolent Association, vs. J. E. Johnson, from Tarrant county; T. and P. Railway company vs. John Lovelady et al, from Mitchell county; F. M. Brown and W. T. Lee vs. Fidelity and Deposit company, from Tarrant county; Ft. W. and D. C. Railway company vs. Mary E. Lintthcum et al, from Tarrant county; Greer, Mills & Co. vs. Henry Crenshaw et al, from Jack county. All pending motions for rehearing, as well as all other motions filed since adjournment of last term, will be submitted on Friday, October 9.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

W. S. Essex to J. H. Braswell, lots 18 and 19, block 33, and lots 6 and 7, block 38, Polytechnic Heights addition, \$120. Duke vs. Martin to J. H. Hoover, 6 1/2 acres P. H. Ahler's survey, \$550. Hugo Von John to Fritz Emskamp, lot 21, block 4, Union Depot addition, \$1,100. J. C. Hall to Mrs. H. Hall, 180 acres W. E. King survey, \$1. J. M. Billington et ux to E. R. Billington, part J. Wilcox survey, \$200. J. M. Billington et ux to E. R. Billington, part J. Wilcox survey, \$200. H. D. Stephens to E. R. Billington, part J. Wilcox survey, \$50. Taylor Shires to E. R. Billington, part J. Wilcox survey, \$55. J. D. Reid to E. R. Billington, part J. Wilcox survey, \$69.66. R. W. McKnight et ux et al to T. M. Watson, lots 8 and 9, McKnight & Putman addition, Arlington, \$70. R. M. McKnight et ux to J. A. Coker, lots 6 and 7, McKnight & Putman addition, Arlington, \$70. J. A. Coker et ux to R. L. Toliver, lots 6, 7 and 8, McKnight & Putman addition, Arlington, \$70. T. M. Watson to J. A. Witherington, lot 9, McKnight & Putman addition, \$15. R. M. McKnight et ux to R. L. Toliver, lots 4 and 5, McKnight & Putman addition, \$70. J. P. Garrison et ux to J. A. Coker, lot 8, Putman & McKnight addition, Arlington, \$25. J. M. Watson to J. P. Garrison, lot 8, McKnight & Putman addition, Arlington, \$20.

DELEGATES DETAINED

Canadians Are Held up by American Immigrant Inspectors (By Associated Press.) MONTREAL, Can., Sept. 26.—William Callard of Torquay and John Falconer of Dover, England, delegates to the congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, while on their way to Boston to embark for home were detained ten hours by an immigration inspector at Newport, Vt., because they failed to produce the required medical certificates. The occurrence, when reported here, caused much comment.

WHAT COULD THEY DO?

Hobson's Choice Is Left to Canada in Matter of American Laws (By Associated Press.) OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 26.—When the house of commons was adjourned at midnight, Mr. Clark of Toronto complained that two of the brother delegates of the recent convention of British Chambers of Commerce had been held up by United States immigration officials at Newport, Vt. Minister Fielding replied that he did not know what the Canadian government could do if Americans passed laws that Canadians thought unreasonable.

AN ARTIFICIAL DISEASE

Massachusetts Doctor Makes Extended Experiments With Cattle (By Associated Press.) BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 26.—As the result of a series of experiments covering several weeks, Dr. Samuel E. Bennett, in charge of the local United States bureau of animal industry, is reported to have demonstrated that a virus is capable of producing a cattle disease which cannot be distinguished from the foot and mouth disease, which recently caused much trouble among New England herds.

A CAR WHEEL COMBINE

\$9,000,000 Is the Capital Stock of New Organization (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—A meeting of leading car wheel manufacturers has been held in Atlantic City for the purpose of completing details of the proposed combination to be capitalized at \$9,000,000. The new combine will be known as the National Car Wheel Company. Its headquarters will be in New York and leading concerns throughout the north will be taken in.

FARRELL MAY QUIT IT

Rumored That Well-Known Sporting Man May Leave Turf (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—It is reported that Frank Farrell, owner of many good race horses, among which are The Muskegeer, King Pepper and Blues, has decided to retire from the turf. He is the principal stockholder of the New York American League Baseball Club and desires to devote himself entirely to its development.

LITTLE GIRL SPANKED

Nothing Unusual Except That It Occurred in a Court Room NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—By order of Recorder Lazarus, sitting at Bayonne, N. J., Mattie Kanton, 9 years of age, has been publicly whipped in court by her father. The latter laid his offspring across his knees and applied fifty lashes with a cat-o-nine-tails, while an audience which included fifty women looked on. The victim confessed having stolen eggs from the grocers and taught her playmates to help themselves in the Bayonne stores to all sorts of trinkets.

JUSTICE WYLY IS DEAD

New Orleans Judge Who Fought Louisiana Lottery Expires SOUTH NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—William Gillespie Wily, a justice of the supreme court of Louisiana, died last night on board the steamship St. Louis as she lay at anchor off Sandy Hook. His home was in New Orleans. He had been abroad all summer. He was feeling ill when he boarded the St. Louis at Southampton and had to take to his berth. Pneumonia developed and he grew worse and died at 11:30 last night. He was 72 years old. Justice Wily attained prominence in the South in fighting the Louisiana lottery.

LINCH REACHES THE SCENE OF REBELLION

CORRESPONDENT PICTURES TERRIBLE DESOLATION WROUGHT IN MACEDONIA BY THE RECENT UPRISINGS AND SAYS THE SULTAN'S ARMY CANNOT COPE WITH INSURGENT FORCES

(Special Cable to The Telegram. Copy-right 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) BY GEORGE LYNCH.

MONASTIR, Macedonia, Sept. 26.—I have arrived at Rilao monastery, the largest in the peninsula. I find wounded men lying unparalyzed on the ground near Parin, with 2000 Turks and one insurgent killed. The Dumenoni volunteers in this district are awaiting orders to cross the frontier.

TURKS IN DANGER

Until the sultan hurries more troops to the Macedonian border the present situation cannot be relieved. Only by practicing unparalyzed fanaticism can the Turks now maintain themselves, and they are in daily expectation of an attack, which may mean their total annihilation.

A scattered army of between 200,000 and 300,000 insurgents is lurking within a radius of five or six miles from here and if they can be gathered into a semblance of order by a leader there will soon be a concerted movement against the Turkish encampment. This is being predicted by both sides. Rumors have reached here during the past twelve hours of additional massacres in the districts of Okrida and Leren by Albanian troops. Fearful descriptions are given by couriers of the scenes in the disaffected districts, the soldiers showing mercy to none and displaying a fiendish barbarism never before witnessed.

Steps are being consummated by the Bulgarian government to order the immediate mobilization of the army. As soon as that is accomplished the Bulgarian frontier will be patrolled and any advance made by insurgents or Turks will be met with a determined resistance.

A SCATTERED WASTE

All this region for 200 miles around resembles a scattered waste awaiting the match to blaze into an international holocaust.

THOUSANDS HAVE DIED

According to the most available statistics 100,000 men, women and children have fallen victims to fire and sword in the Balkans during the past three months, and there is every indication that the number will be doubled in a similar period unless the European government, actuated by moral American encouragement,

nilion of the union and a better scale of wages. When the demand was presented this afternoon the street railway management peremptorily refused to even consider the demands of the union. This led to the action of the street car men tonight.

CAPTAIN ROGERS IN TOWN

He Was in Charge of the State Range Force at Thurber During Strike (Special to The Telegram.) BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Dr. Charles D. Stockton at 12 o'clock tonight made the following statement regarding the condition of Mrs. Jeff Davis: "Mrs. Davis' condition is unchanged. Drs. Roswell D. Park, Charles Cary, Allen Jones and myself had a consultation this afternoon and it was decided to continue the treatment which has been followed since the beginning of Mrs. Davis' illness. Mrs. Davis' condition is serious but not necessarily fatal."

The gravest fears are entertained at the Castle Inn for the life of venerable Mrs. Jefferson, the most famous living remembrance of the stirring days of the southern Confederacy. The widow of the man who sought to split the union and make a divided country, lies at the point of death in the hospital in which former President Millard Fillmore resided. There are few hopes held out for her recovery. For days she has been suffering from intestinal troubles. Dr. Stockton, the famous specialist, diagnosed the complaint as an obstruction of the intestines.

Her condition, according to the physicians' daily reports, has been unchanged and that is a startling report when the doctor's trip to Colorado Springs, in which he was engaged in a contest with the principal stockholder of the New York American League Baseball Club and desires to devote himself entirely to its development.

THE COMPANY MUST PAY

Ontarian Premier Issues Orders Regarding Land Grants (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Premier Ross of the Ontario government has announced, says a Times dispatch from Toronto, that if the wages due the employees of the Consolidated Lake Superior and St. Mary's Railway are not forthcoming Monday he will issue instructions to withhold all certificates of land grants due the company on account of the construction of the Algoma Central railroad. The eighty miles already constructed will have entitled the Algoma Central to about 600,000 acres of land.

NEGROES KILL OFFICER

Chicago Policeman Foully Murdered by Blacks He Had Stopped (By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—Policeman Dennis Fitzgerald was shot and fatally wounded today at the corner of Doyle fourth and Michigan boulevard, by one of two negroes whom he had stopped. While he was talking to the men one of them struck him in the forehead with a pair of brass knuckles, knocking him down and stunning him. While he lay on the ground the negroes beat him nearly to death with his own club, and finally shot him with his own revolver, inflicting a wound from which he cannot recover. After being taken to the hospital Fitzgerald revived long enough to say that he knew one of the men, and that his name was Lewis Filford. No arrests have been made as yet.

WACO STREET CAR STRIKE

WACO, Texas, Sept. 26.—At midnight the street car motormen ordered a strike on the Citizens' with way. The differences are a demand for the recog-

OCTOBER!

THE month we all hail with delight, etc. Let us talk business, Grocery business, a subject that gets nearer our hearts and pocketbooks than all the poetry that has ever been composed on the above subject. We call your attention, first to our Improved Service. We are highly gratified at the complimentary remarks incidentally passed by our customers on our service during the month of September. We expect to double it during the month of October. As to prices, we are fast becoming known as leaders of right prices in the city of Fort Worth. As to the quality of our goods, they speak for themselves. Our business motto is "GOOD GOODS AT RIGHT PRICES." We will convince you that we live up to that motto every day we do business in Fort Worth. We want your October business. If you want us to call and take your orders we are prepared to do it and get your goods back to you on good time. Our Phone Number is 448. New goods that have just come in: New Irish Mackerel, a little high, but they are big and fat. New Cape Cod Cranberries. Genuine Herkimer County, New York, Cheese, but no higher than Western. Old Time Maple Syrup, a pure Maple Sap, positively none can be made better. A fresh car of that peerless of Flours--Albatross. Look for prices in tomorrow's Telegram.

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MRS. FISH MAKES A FEW REMARKS

Ridicules Statement That She Is Mrs. Astor's Rival

DOESN'T LIKE NEGROES

Also Disapproves of Too Much

Attention Being Paid to Foreign Lords

(Special to The Telegram.) ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 26.—"You know how old Mrs. Astor is? Well, she's 80. She's more than that, she's 84. The poor old lady has one foot in the grave. Do you think I am her rival?" said Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, who had just read a statement that she and Mrs. Astor were rivals for the leadership of the "400" in Newport and New York.

"Harry Lent is a very ordinary person," she continued. "He is just like anybody else. I was at the dinner where it was said he had monkeys as guests and didn't see any of the monkeys."

"Speaking of dress, Mrs. Roosevelt, the wife of the president, it is said, dresses on \$300 a year, and she looks it. I think that in dress the American woman imitates Europe too much."

Continuing, Mrs. Fish said: "Well, Mrs. Roosevelt looks like she wears \$300 a year gowns; I would not like to be a president or a president's wife. I should not like to have to eat with negroes. I do not believe in equality; it would never do. We cannot mix with the negroes. The negro and negro equality will never come about. There will always be classes in this country."

"We are coming more and more to have an aristocracy and a common people. I do not believe in being too democratic. Europe is older than we are and she can get along without different classes. There are many different kinds of people and they cannot all be equal in any country. I would like to enter politics, for there are many things in this country I want to change. I believe that women could do a tremendous amount of good in politics."

"Newport is just now paying too much attention to foreign lords. I think that this country is making itself ridiculous in regard to titles. The marriage of Miss Goolet to the Duke of Roxburgh is the latest piece of this sort of folly. They paid down \$200,000 to do it. Of course, the duke is not as bad as some foreigners who have married American girls, for he has some money, about \$60,000 a year, but that is not much for people in this station. I think it very foolish."

"BURGLARS GET LITTLE WAXAHACHE, Texas, Sept. 26.—Burglars cracked the safe of Teague & Purris here tonight, but they got little for their trouble."

REPORTED RESIGNATION

Rumored that Judge Templeton May Quit His Office (Special to The Telegram.) DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 26.—It is reported that Judge Howard Templeton, associate justice of the court of civil appeals of the Dallas district, expects to resign soon. Governor Lanham said today he had not received notice of the resignation.

GENERAL MILES AT BEAUMONT

BEAUMONT, Tex., Sept. 26.—General Nelson A. Miles and Ex-Governor Hogg arrive tonight. The general has become interested in the Beaumont oil field and is on a trip of inspection.

How Do You Look?

The chances are you can't tell. Some day when you get older you would be willing to give any price to know how you look now. It will be too late then. Don't get photos that make you look like some one else. Get photos that look like you.

GREER'S ART STUDIO, 509 MAIN STREET. PHONE 919, 4 RINGS. FRAMES. MOULDINGS.

For a Few Days Heating Stoves Were Wanted Badly

It's so hot now, tho', that people seem to have gotten out of the notion of warming up—and seem to be thinking more of buying cooking stoves and ranges—and from the number of sales that we are making we are evidently offering special inducements that it might be well for you to look into.

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ROCK ISLAND SALE IS NOT COMPLETED

TRANSFER OF TEXAS LINES TO CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND GULF NOT YET COMPLETED, PENDING ACTION OF STOCKHOLDERS

Vice President and General Superintendent S. B. Hovey and Newton H. Lassiter, general attorney of the Rock Island in Texas, returned yesterday morning from Topeka, Kan., where they went to confer regarding the transfer of the Chicago, Rock Island & Texas, Chicago, Rock Island & Mexico and the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Texas to the Chicago, Rock Island & Gulf.

The mileage of the various properties included in the transfer is as follows: Chicago, Rock Island & Mexico, 91; Chicago, Rock Island & Texas, 150; and Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf, 113. There are something like sixty-five miles of grade on this line completed and ready for the steel beyond Amarillo and the line is being built as fast as the work can be done.

When the matter of transferring the above roads had been completed Mr. Lassiter and Mr. Hovey went over the various properties in a special car and visited the general offices of the roads at Dalhart and at Amarillo, where conferences were held with the stockholders.

Asked if he could say whether the Rock Island would build from Dallas to Houston and Galveston, his reply was that he could not. In fact, Mr. Lassiter had no right to shed on the Rock Island's maneuvers in South Texas.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE LIBRARY VOTE IS WITHHELD THIS WEEK

There will be no announcement of the vote in the contest for the library this Sunday. All votes have been locked in the big coupon box in The Telegram office and on next Sunday the standing will be announced. Meanwhile the friends of

the various organizations which are interested in the outcome of this contest will do well to continue hustling for votes. It is not often that an opportunity is presented for an organization to obtain a fine library such as the one to be seen at the Ellison furniture store.

Table listing various organizations and their vote counts, including Prof. Heathcote's School of Oratory (91,854), Elks Lodge (43,824), and others.

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TELEGRAM LIBRARY VOTING TICKET. This ticket when cut out and mailed or brought to The Telegram, properly filled out, is— Good for Five Votes. Includes fields for Name of my Favorite Organization, My Name, and Address.

TARRANT WINS ONE-SIDED GAME

Dallas Courthouse Team Defeated by a Score of 27 to 9—The Features

The Fort Worth Panthers yesterday redeemed themselves for their past defeat by the Dallas Bloodhounds, by clawing them down to the back and then ripping them crosswise. At no time did the Bloodhounds have a show. The Panthers started out in a rush. Seven runs were made in the first inning and the Fort Worth boys held their lead till the end of the game.

The feature was the base running of "Battleship" Kaiser. When the dust and excitement had subsided it was found that the score stood 27 to 9 in favor of the Panthers. The lineup was as follows: Batters: Tarrant, Gaskill, Ard, Catcher, Gaskill, Pitcher, Ard, First Base, Hahn, Oliver, Second Base, Hall, Miller, Third Base, Brock, Hall, Shortstop, Allen, Elliston, Left Field, Prager, Nash, Center Field, Coble, Pippin, Right Field, Kaiser, Umpire—Ray McKinley.

HEAVYWEIGHT MEET TODAY. A meeting of the Fort Worth Heavyweight football team will be held at Central fire hall this evening at 8:30. All those who wish to try for the team are requested to be present.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Boston, 4; Chicago, 3. Batteries—Pittenger and Moran; Lundgren and Raab. New York, 4; Pittsburgh, 1. Batteries—McGinnity and Warner; Kennedy and Phelps. Philadelphia, 7; St. Louis, 2. Batteries—Sparks and Roth; McFarland and O'Neil. Brooklyn, 10; Cincinnati, 7. Batteries—Jones and Ritter; Ewing and Peltz.

For Men Try our Florsheim Shoe. There is a style for every occasion. They are fashion's favorite, and the wearer is as proud as the maker. Lee Newbury, Ft. Worth, Dallas, 6th & Houston, 258 Elm.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Chicago, 7; Washington, 4. Batteries—Owen and Sullivan; Patton and Kitteridge. St. Louis, 6; Boston, 2. Batteries—Seuer and Shannon; Young and Criger. Philadelphia, 4; Cleveland, 2. Batteries—

DEVoured BY WORMS. Children often cry, not from pain, but from hunger, although fed abundantly. The entire trouble arises from immitation, their food is not assimilated, but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once, very much to the surprise and joy of the mother. 25c at H. T. Pangburn & Co's.

Dr. BURKHART'S VEGETABLE. WILL FILL YOUR VEINS WITH Pure, rich, healthy blood. How can you expect to be strong with that poisoned blood weakening your system? Thirty days' treatment 25 cents. All druggists.

les—Henley and Howers; Rhoades and Dennis. Detroit, 13; New York, 8. Batteries—Mullin and McGuire; Wilkins, Wolfe and Beville. In the double header between Detroit and New York the second game was called in the fifth inning on account of darkness, with the score 5 to 1 in favor of New York. The second game of the double header between St. Louis and Boston was called on account of darkness.

GAME THIS AFTERNOON. The Retail Clerks will line up against a fast Dallas amateur nine this afternoon at 4 o'clock on the Haines' park diamond. Hawn will pitch for the local white Hambrick will pitch for the visitors.

MISS KELLER TO BE THE QUEEN

Voting Closes With This Popular Young Lady in Lead

WILL PRESS THE BUTTON

After Opening the Carnival She Will Receive the King When He Arrives

Table listing names and vote counts for Miss Carrie Keller, Miss Minnie Bennett, Miss Fama Holly, Miss Kate Humphreys, Miss Hattie Mae Anderson, Miss Mabel Davidson, Miss Nita Hollingsworth.

Miss Carrie Keller has been elected queen of the Fort Worth Fall Festival, the voting closing at 10 o'clock last night.

A large crowd gathered at carnival headquarters last night to hear the result. Voting for several days had been spirited, and there was a doubt all day yesterday, and a quantity of votes went into the box, but the Keller votes came strong at the close. A committee composed of J. H. Tiller, R. R. Barrow and John A. Walker counted them, and at 10 o'clock it was announced that Miss Keller had won the honor. She was the recipient of many congratulations from a host of friends.

Miss Keller is a popular young lady with all who know her. She is the daughter of E. H. Keller, a prominent merchant of this city, and in several points in North Texas, where she has visited she has many friends. She has a queenly beauty and a graceful carriage, and in royal robes she will grace the carnival over which she will reign.

Not only does she press the button which starts the carnival, but she will receive the king. The coming of the king will be mysterious and the personality of that monarch is to remain a mystery until the ball Friday night. He will arrive in state on a special train at noon Tuesday of carnival week. The queen will meet him at the station, and will accompany him to the palace. They will attend in the various parades which have been arranged, but it is not until the grand ball that his identity will become known.

It is believed the selection of Miss Keller as queen will draw a large crowd to the carnival on Gainesville. The young lady is very popular in that city, where she visits several times each year. She is quite accomplished in music, and her talent has entertained the social folk of that North Texas town on many occasions.

HAVE YOUR SUITS CLEANED AT GASTON BROS., 306 HOUTSON STREET.

J.P. Those suffering from weak nesses which sap the pleasures of life should take Javen Pills. One bottle will tell a story of marvelous results. This medicine has more rejuvenating, vitalizing force than has ever been offered. Sent by mail in plain package, only on receipt of this adv. and 51c. Made by its originator, G. L. Howell Co., proprietors, Hood's Sarsaparilla, Lowell, Mass.

COOL WEATHER FORECAST TODAY

Table showing yesterday's temperatures for various times of day (7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 m., 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m.).

Fort Worth sweated yesterday in midsummer temperatures, but the weather man holds out strong hope of relief today.

"Partly cloudy and cooler; probably showers," is the forecast.

W. S. Matney, the cheapest first-class merchant tailor in the city.

CITY IN BRIEF

Nash Hardware Company. Curran's Hand Laundry, Sixth and Burnett streets. Phone 1741-4 rings. Crouch Hardware Company, 1007 Main street, successors to W. R. Francis. J. W. Adams & Co., Ice, Feed, Fuel and Produce, 409 W. Weatherford. Phone 530. Viavi, Mrs. L. G. Thomas. Phone 1281. The time of your life may be had at the dance and cake walk Monday night. All for 50 cents. For all kinds of tin and galvanized iron repair work go to Crouch Hardware Co., 1007 Main st. Phone 568.

Don't forget the cause for which the cake walk is given. For 50 cents I can give my guest and myself a great treat when the beautiful art exhibit comes. I can be one of the purchasers of some of these fine pictures, to stay in our library. I can help to entertain our cultured guests, who will visit us on November. The Grocery Wagon Delivery will be

Century Building WASHHER EIGHTH and MAIN. Stick to Washer and Wear Good Clothes. A Seasonable Topic! What to Wear and Where to Buy It. THIS question presents itself each season to every man, and the clothes question is not an easy problem to solve at best... A good plan is to place yourself in our hands—we are clothing specialists. We are in a position to suggest and advise... Aside from our immense stock of Clothing, we can interest you in Hats, Shoes and Furnishings, in fact, everything a man requires for a well stocked wardrobe..... Always feel at liberty to come here. We will answer your questions, show you our goods, and await your own pleasure to buy.



organized into a union next Monday night at Labor Temple at 8:30. S. J. Thompson, organizer of the National Brotherhood of Teamsters, will officiate.

"Quick Meal" steel ranges at the Crouch Hardware Co., 1007 Main st.

Have you seen that beautiful cake Turner & Dinger gave for the cake walk? I wonder who will get it.

"Charter Oak" stoves and ranges at the Crouch Hardware Co., 1007 Main st.

A negro, whose name could not be learned, was assaulted last night about dusk, while walking on East Front street. Three men called on him to halt and as he did not do so, one of them struck him with a rock. Unconsciousness followed. Dr. R. Chambers, who attended him, does not believe he is seriously injured.

If you want the best heating stove in the land buy the "Charter Oak" for sale by Crouch Hardware Co., 1007 Main st.

Rev. W. H. Claggett, president of the board of trustees of the Texas Presbyterian University, will give his lecture on "Texas before the Photographers" State convention in the city hall on next Tuesday evening at 8. Mr. Claggett will throw on a screen 150 photographs from his, showing Texas from the early days of the Indians up to the present time. Admission free.

Miss Carrie Keller will be soloist at the First Baptist church this morning.

THEY NEVER FADE. No matter how cheap; 24 stamp photos, 25c. Photos, 75c to \$35 per dozen. 705 Main st. JOHN SWARTZ.

PERSONALS.

It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1015-17 Main and 515-15 Houston street.

Dr. A. R. Bond, refracting eyesight specialist, 509 Main street.

Mickle-Burgher Hardware Company would be pleased to submit prices.

J. M. Berry of Dallas paid an official visit to U. C. T. council No. 71 last night.

W. L. Cate, assistant superintendent of the railway mail-service, was not at his desk yesterday, owing to a severe cold, which has settled in his head.

Samuel R. Ratliffe of the Texarkana and El Paso railway postoffice was yesterday promoted from class 5 to class 4b.

W. S. Matney, the cheapest first-class merchant tailor in the city.

The Berlin Society for the Protection of Animals addressed the question, "How did you like it?" to the guests who participated in the horseshoe banquet which it gave recently in Berlin. Over 300 replies have come in and all make a strong chorus of praise. 21 YEARS A DYSPEPTIC. R. H. Foster, 318 S. Second street, Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for 21 years; tried many doctors without relief; recently I got a bottle of Herbine. One bottle cured me. I am now tapering off on the second. I have recommended it to my friends; it is curing them, too." 50c at H. T. Pangburn & Co's.

IS HUNTING CLAY NEAR FT. WORTH

Terra Cotta Manufacturer Hopes to Be Able to Locate in This City

A. D. Jones is here from Sherman, and is investigating the different clays to be found in this part of the state suitable to enter into the make-up of terra cotta and sewer pipe. Mr. Jones was formerly a manufacturer of considerable magnitude and was the senior of the Jones Brick and Terra Cotta Co., Zanesville, O.

Mr. Jones was seen last evening by The Telegram and asked what the prospects were for his locating in Fort Worth. He said that he felt certain clay near here and that there would be considerable interest taken in the enterprise by the citizens of Fort Worth.

He was in consultation yesterday with officials of the Rock Island Railroad Company for the purpose of ascertaining whether there could be found along that company's line between Fort Worth and Dallas clay that could be used in the manufacture of terra cotta. Mr. Jones said that he understood there were fine deposits of this clay along the Rock Island between this city and Dallas.

Mr. Jones said last night the only thing that would prevent him from locating a factory in this city was the fact that suitable clay could not be had in this part of the state.

Mr. Jones put down the first brick paving in Fort Worth—the brick between Main and Houston on Sixth. He will continue his investigations this week by making trips to Bedford and Calloway, where he will be provided with samples of the soil.

If suitable soil is found a big fancy brick, pipe and tiling plant will be established close by. A company with \$250,000 capital is ready to begin operations in this vicinity providing the right soil is found in profitable quantity.

Calloway is the midway station on the new Rock Island line between Fort Worth and Dallas and it is expected to become a second Arlington. It is in the heart of a fertile agricultural country and if this big plant should be established there would at once assume commercial importance.

The Rock Island, rather than have heavy grades on its line between Fort Worth and Dallas, devoted a large sum of money to cutting through the hills it encountered and the deep cuts enable Colonel Jones to examine at a glance the formation of the subsoil in the neighborhood of Bedford and Calloway. If it proves to his liking at either point he probably will recommend the establishment of a plant in this county. "We would employ about 125 men from the start," he said yesterday. "This section needs just such an industry as we propose to launch and we believe that it would prove to be a money winner from the first. Northern and eastern capital is behind the enterprise."

THE ARCADE

New goods coming in every day. We just received a nice White and Gold Grenley's make, that is very dainty. We cannot tell you of all the new goods in this space, but would be glad to have you call and let us show you through. Here are a few prices:

Table listing various household items and their prices: Churn Dashers (10c), Double Roasting Pan (40c), "Savoy" Roasting Pan (\$1.25), Buffalo Steam Egg (45c), Poachers (45c), 18-inch Lined Heater (\$1.75), Next to the 18-inch (\$2.25), Still larger size (\$3.00), 25 Marbles (5c), Clothes Baskets (40c), Clothes Hampers, in willow (\$1.25), Paper Racks in white, regular price 50c, now 35c, Stone Cuspidores (15c), Nails, per lb. (4c), 100-ft. Rope (50c).

Our Stoves must go, to give room for Toys that are coming in. Last season in the stove business.

LEE HAGOOD, Prop. 1204-1206 MAIN STREET.

YESTERDAY

Seemed like the good old summer time at our fountain. The crowd was great. Quality has made our Creams, Betsys and Sherbets famous.

R. A. ANDERSON, THE DRUGGIST

712 Main Street..... Open All Night. IN THIS STORE QUALITY IS THE THING.

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THE BIRTH OF THE OPAL (Successful American) The sunbeam loved the moonbeam...

She fled like a dream before him, Her hair was a shining sheen; And oh, that fate would annihilate The space that lay between.

Just as the day lay parting In the arms of the twilight dim The sunbeam caught him, he sought And drew her close to him.

And stirred by love's first shock, She sprang afraid like a trembling maid And hid in the niche of a rock.

And the sunbeam followed and found her And led her to love's own feast, And they were wed on that rocky bed, And the dying day was their priest.

And lo! the beautiful opal, That rare and wondrous gem, Where the moon and sun blend into one, Is the child that was born to them.

The following communication from Mrs. Ducker, president of the St. Cecilia's, touches a point that is agitating a number of clubs and societies:

On account of no available place, like other organizations of similar nature, the St. Cecilia Choral Club of women's voices will not be able to appear in public. It is a crying shame no hall is to be had in which such concerns could be given, and we must not endure this state of affairs long...

A little maid's second birthday is always something to celebrate, and when the little maid is a sweet and winsome as a posy everybody wants to help in the celebration.

Those who were present were: Catherine Thompson, Mary Davis Tempel, Mary Spear, Katherine Ross Terrell, Beall Smith, Olga Honea, Frank Ball Tempel, James Thompson, John Lord Burke, Thomas Burke, John Edmund Burke and Gland Wright, Mrs. Tempel, Mrs. John Burke, Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. John Terrell and Miss Beal Ochsner were among the grown up guests.

Mrs. Cone Johnson was the guest for several days last week of Mrs. W. P. Lane. Mrs. Johnson has been in Denton, attending the opening of the Girls' Industrial School, and visited Mrs. Lane in the interests of the work of the Daughters of the Confederacy this year.

Mrs. George Bennett entertained with a luncheon Tuesday in honor of W. L. Wooten of New Orleans.

The Arions were guests at the Country



Red is the color of danger, whether on the semaphore or on the skin. When the face is reddened by eruptions, when boils break out on the body, or the angry red of sores and ulcers is displayed in the flesh, it is nature's danger signal.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood, and removes the effete matter which clogs and corrupts it. It cures pimples, boils, eczema, scrofula, sores, ulcers and other consequences of impure blood.

I feel greatly thankful for what your medicine has done for me, writes Mrs. Chase, Secaucus, N. J. I suffered with scrofula of the head for twelve years. Tried every kind of medicine that I heard of but found no cure. Every one that looked at my head said they never saw anything like it. The last doctor I consulted with before applying to you I got worse every day. Was so miserable that I was unable to do any work at all. After taking two bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and using the local treatment you prescribed for me, I was cured and my head was entirely free from scrofula.

Accept no substitute for Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. There is no other medicine which is just as good for disease of the blood and the eruptions which are caused by the blood's impurity.

FREE. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Advice is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send twenty-one one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or thirty-one stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. E. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Club last Saturday evening and a happy evening was spent in song and conversation. A number of guests were present to enjoy the program.

Mrs. L. J. Clayton entertained the Kensington Club last Thursday afternoon, a large number of guests being present to meet the cordial hostess and congenial members.

The guests of the Yozollas filled several coaches of the interurban Wednesday evening, the german at Handley proving an irresistible attraction for the friends of the club. The cool breeze urged the most indifferent to follow Mr. O'Farrell, the leader of the club, in the favorite figures and a spirit of gaiety reigned throughout the evening.

The number of dancers and guests were unusually large and no complete list was attainable. Among the lookers-on and dancers were: Mr. and Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. Dietrich, Mrs. Grammer, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Von Zandt, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Sangummet, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Comer, Captain and Mrs. George West, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Van Zandt, Mr. and Mrs. Otto, Mr. and Mrs. Winters, Mrs. Duggan, Mr. and Mrs. Parks, Mrs. Rozelle, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Peak, Mr. and Mrs. Walton, Mr. and Mrs. Reyer, Mrs. Fine, Mr. and Mrs. John Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Cheatham, Mr. and Mrs. Tipton, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Cheatham, Captain and Mrs. Bins, Misses Binyon, Van Zandt, Dargett, White, Bradley, Pendleton, Ochsner, Bessie White, McLean, Tarlton, Stripling, Carlton, Louisiana, Lucille White, Beggs, Bartels, Bennett, Martin, Chalk, Carter, Lanier, Smisson, Wilkes, Hunter, Ellis, Spencer, Stiles of St. Louis, Beal, Anderson, Connor of Dallas, Saunders, Bonner of Oak Cliff, Hollingsworth, Juanita Hollingsworth, Kretz, Drake, Labatt, Bradley, Polk, Hortense, Mrs. Jere Van Zandt of Dallas, Murdoch, Littlejohn, Frances Davis of Beaumont, Haas, Phenix, Coppage, Lyons, Pankey, West, Edna Pennington, Perry, Mallard, Hosmer, Daniels, Yeates, Jessie Binyon, McCarthey, Bowlin and Willie Bowlin, Messrs. J. W. Tennessee, Martin, Hendricks, Bewley, Reynolds, Bauer, Shedd, Adams, Maddox, Elliott, Fuller, Lydick, Staude, Robt. Fuller, Wayne, Gernsbacher, Demaret Smith, Clements, Pitner, Stark, Samuel of Dallas, of New Orleans, Homan, Malone, Collett, Craddock, Phillips, Harding, Poindexter, Hardie, Knight, Tarlton, Crosby, Townsley, Card, Gentry, Brown, Human, Bishop, Hoos, Keith, Littlejohn, Cheatham, Wood, Crenshaw, Trigg, Samuels of Dallas, Baker of Dallas, Hyde of Sherman, Boaz, John Martin, Gardner, Cheatham, Lea, Bartels, Doyle, Paschal of San Antonio, Maddox, Jennings, Texas, Francisco, Bibb, Collett and Andrews.

The pool of the natorium is always a gay resort and on Tuesday the hilarity is universal. Last Tuesday evening Rev. and Mrs. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fakes, Mrs. G. W. Matton, Mrs. Sterley, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Pressnell, Misses Hunter, Pendleton, Ragsdale of Bonham, Wilkes, Leach, Starley, Spencer, Messrs. George Scott, Haywood, Andrews, Clements, Collett, Martin, Robert Noble, splashed in the limid water and found the splashing lots of fun.

Mrs. M. R. Sangummet entertained with luncheon Wednesday, the guest of honor being Mrs. Kheber Van Zandt, Jr. To meet her the Priscilla club were also guests. The day was delightful and the guests found many opportunities to enjoy the many beautiful views from the vantage of this artistic home. There was a bit of needlework displayed, but the chief charm of the occasion was the luncheon, with its culinary triumphs.

The guests were Mrs. K. M. Van Zandt, Jr., Mrs. Trice, Mrs. Stutz, Harrison, Mrs. Mart, Mrs. Bunting, Mrs. Matton, Mrs. Collett, Mrs. Sangummet and Miss Sangummet.

The season has not given to society more opportunities for enthusiastic praise than the german Monday evening when Dr. and Mrs. Capps and Miss Beal entertained in honor of Miss Beal of El Paso. It was preeminently an occasion of beauty, grace, and refinement, the petite and winsome guest of honor, the radiant and regal young hostess, all wearing the outward and visible signs of a power the world delights in honoring. Her beauty, grace, and distinction were noticeable in the house party and the guests, and with incomparable music created a scene of brilliancy and beauty.

In the receiving line were Dr. and Mrs. Capps, Miss Beal of El Paso, Miss Varner Beal, Miss Nash, Mrs. Grammer, Mrs. Kaufman and Dr. Talbert. Mrs. Capps wearing a handsome Irish point medallions and insertions, Miss Beal of El Paso a shirred frock of white crepe de chine and Miss Varner Beal a tulle and white tulle gown with Van Dykes of meelin lace, over blue taffeta. Ices, coffee and sandwiches were served a la buffet.

Marshall Spoons lead with Miss Beal, the favors being flowers, American flags, roses on canes and Japanese lanterns. The latter were introduced in a figure with the lights turned off, the maze of the dance outlined by the dim trail of light being most effective.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Capps, Mr. and Mrs. John Winters, Mrs. and Mrs. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Dr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Fodick, Mrs. and Mrs. Godwin, Mrs. and Mrs. E. L. White, Dr. and Mrs. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Dietrich, Mr. and Mrs. Evans, Dr. and Mrs. Sam Dr. and Mrs. Covert, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dr. and Mrs. Harper, Capt. and Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hawley, and Mrs. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. G. Newby.

Misses Van Zandt, Binyon, Yarklee, Alice and Mabel Davidson, Ellis, Connel, White, Martin, Hollingsworth, Stripling, Ochsner, Carter, Wilkes, Juanita Hollingsworth, Hogsett, Bradley, Lucille White, Dargett, Pendleton, Hunter, Proctor, Swaine, Humphreys, Spencer, Nash, Chalk, Bartels, Gibson, Spencer, Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Littlejohn, Beggs, Saunders, Taylor, Newton, Reynolds, Collier of Dallas, Padlock, Callaway, Samuels of Dallas, West and Smith.

Dr. Irion, Dr. Trigg, Dr. Chilton, Dr. Dunlap, Dr. Loving, Messrs. Fain, Maddox, Manning, Green, Ochsner, Costan, Francisco, Adams, Beyer, Fredley, Adams, Stark, Smith, Malone, Bishop, Martin, Guthrie, Jennings, Cheatham, Padlock, Phillips, Nixon, Arnold, Williams, Adams, Van Zandt, Gagnan, Littlejohn, Kretz, M. E. Martin, Wardlaw, Evans of Dallas, Robinson of Dallas and Samuels of Dallas.

Marriage anniversaries are looked upon with favor by the Better Half, and the members joined Mrs. Samuel Dodd Triplett in a happy day Friday, helping her celebrate her second anniversary with much satisfaction. There was a delightful luncheon with bouillon, cracker and celery, deviled crabs, stuffed tomatoes, fried chicken, chipped potatoes, pickles

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Autumn Business at THE DAYLIGHT STORE

Dress Goods and Silks

Our Dress Goods and Silk Department is now complete, comprising the newest weaves. You will find in this department plain materials for calling and church costumes, rough Scotch Cheviots, English Knickerbocker, Zibelines and all that class for the coat suits. Heavy Oxford Skirtings in all serviceable street shades; 54-inch Broadcloth, always in evidence for dressy costumes, in all shades, at \$1.25, \$1.50, up to \$3.00

48-inch Irish Cream Basket Cloth, one of the handsomest materials for coats and suit, at, yd. \$1.50

48-inch Cream Bedford Cord, suitable for infants and misses' coats and costumes, at, yd. \$1.50

Flake Mohairs in red and white, black and white, green and white and blue and white, 46 inches wide, at yard \$1.10

New Canvas effects, all shades and popular price, 38-inch at 50c

Mistral Cloths, in navy, red, brown and black, 38-inch 50c

All Wool Tricots, in bright, pretty shades, just the right thing for house waists and children's school frocks, at yard 25c

Wool, good special for Monday, 10 pieces, consisting of Serges, Mohair, Zibeline, Checks and Plain, just the correct fabrics for children's school dresses. We place them on center table and close the lot for 39c

In the Art Goods Department. This department is kept right up with the times. Just as early as any novelty comes out we secure it.

New studies in Pillow Covers, all the new color effects in pretty designs, at 45c

Mercerized Cords to match at 10c and 15c

One lot of very pretty covers, reduced to 10c and 15c

We have the full line of wools in now, in Shetland, Saxony and Germantown.

Ladies' Underwear

New arrivals each day. This department is being filled up with the choicest things the market affords. An inspection will pay you. A few special offerings for Monday's selling:

Boys' and Misses' Sweaters, in all shades, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00

Newport Scarfs, in a wide range of colors and prices, from 50c to \$2.00

One lot Ladies' Vests and Pants at 15c and 25c

Men's and Boys' Waists, all sizes, at 25c

Ladies' Corset Covers, knit, at 25c and 50c

Cloak and Suit Department

Our aim is to make this the very brightest spot in the house. Never before has any season produced such a wide range of styles and materials.

We mention just a few of the many styles and prices shown.

White Goods Department

Waistings—No grander array of white and colored Waistings can be found anywhere than you will find here; plain white with new designs, white with colored dots and figures; the new shade the attraction of the season; all prices from 25c, 39c, 45c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c and 90c

Special for Monday, 35c quality 25c

Special for Monday, 50c quality 39c

Special for Monday, 75c quality 50c

Household Linens

Our Household Linens. Being direct importers of Linens for more than fifteen years has given us many secrets about Linens that some merchants don't know. With this help we think we are safe in saying that the bulk of good reliable Household Linens come from this house. One thing is certain, no one sells better Linen than we do; no one sells it for a less price. A special make of Linens which we handled when we came to Fort Worth for 5 years and which many readers have on their tables yet was taken away in 1896 from all but one large retail house who thought he could handle the output. At the end of two years he was overloaded, then they gave it to another metropolitan store and still they got overloaded and at the end of two years more the manufacturers had to establish their own selling agency in New York. The secret of it all is those Linens were so old fashioned—without adulteration or cheapening—so tough wearing that when a family is supplied they must wait years before new are needed. It is a fact that one hotel in this city is using table cloths now which we sold them in 1893. Many would be surprised to see how little more it costs to buy good Linens than it does the kind that do not deserve the name of Linen.

Ask for the Linens that are made in Soran, Germany. This week we hold our opening Linen sale for this season. We do not claim that all the Linens offered in this sale are good as they might be or that they are all Linen, but if you have towels, napkins, crash, damask or sheets and pillow cases to buy, better be on hand this week. Towels at special prices in this sale at 8c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 17c, 25c, 30c 35c up

Special quality Glass Toweling, no lint, all Linen 10c

Napkins at special prices in this sale at 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.75 up

Try to be here Monday.

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and ice tea, charlotte russe and cake. Afterward, a game of cards, minus prizes but replete with skill and good nature filled the afternoon. These present were: Mrs. Black, Mrs. Parks, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Rozelle, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Kline, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Stanley and Mrs. Walton. Mrs. Walton will be the hostess, this week.

October 21 is Daughters of the Republic day at the San Antonio fair, and The Telegram has received an invitation from the De Zavala chapter to be present on this day, which has been set apart as another occasion on which all Texans should "Remember the Alamo."

The approaching marriage of Miss Irene Woodcock to John Elliott of Dallas has aroused much interest among the society folk. Miss Woodcock and Mr. Elliott have both many friends here and throughout the state who will be interested in this announcement.

The Children of the Confederacy met in their rooms in the court house Wednesday afternoon and participated in an excellent program. Miss Melton, the director, played a duet with Minnie Luther. There was a recitation by Lena Dunlavy, a piano solo by Pearl Tarkington, a reading by Will Stripling and a piano solo by Gladys Randall. The next meeting will be on next Wednesday.

The "As You Like It" met for the last time this summer with Mrs. W. P. McLean, Jr. last Thursday. Next week they will be known again as the Merry Wives, the winter name of this collection of charming matrons. The players with Mrs. McLean were Mesdames Ellis, Gardner, Hoarne, Ransone, R. L. Van Zandt, Collett, Anderson, T. D. Ross, Stephens, Busbee, Berney, Whitta; Misses McLean, Bessie McLean, Ransone and Stripling.

The announcement is made that Miss Mamie Brook of Waco, several months ago a popular guest of Miss Mary Swaine, was married last March to Brice Alexander, a wealthy planter of the southern part of the state. The marriage has been kept a profound secret for these many months, but now all over the state congratulations are following the announcement.

Last night at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Swaine, Miss Forrest Croon and Peyton Gwynne were married. The ceremony was simple in the extreme, the recent death of the bride's mother prompting to the elimination of all elaborate preparation. Rev. B. B. Ramage performed the ceremony, John F. Swaine giving the bride away. Miss Mary Swaine was the maid of honor and Percy Fullinwider of Palestine, the groomsmen. The marriage of these two popular young people will give satisfaction to a wide circle of friends. Among the girls none has been more loved and admired, among the younger men Mr. Gwynne has been a universal favorite. Their union, which is the culmination of a several years' courtship, will give opportunity for a world of loving congratulations.

The bride wore a cloth tailored gown, with hat to correspond, and carried a bouquet of roses. Miss Swaine's frock was of white silk chiffon. She, too, carried roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwynne will spend a few days in Dallas and will then go to Palestine, their future home.

Cards will be issued in a few days for the marriage of Miss Edna Connel to Miss Edmondson of Dallas, the date of the ceremony being October 22. Society has been contemplating many weddings that are scheduled for the next few weeks, but in none has there been greater interest shown than in this one. Miss Connel is one of the handsomest and most popular of the younger girls and the interest therefore is unusually pronounced.

Miss Calhoun entertained the Marguerites last Thursday morning, the guest and members present being Misses Daggett, Drake, Spencer, Hunter, White, Van Zandt, Vera Daniels, Crowley, Markie, Lucinda Daniels, Mesdames Rozelle, Winters, Van Zandt and Martin.

There were the delectable of scores cards a la Japanese, the work of Miss Vera Daniels, and a Gibson head in pen and ink on white panne velvet, also the work of Miss Daniels, that went to Miss Hunter, the winning club member. The guest prize was a handsome hat pin and was won by Miss Crowley.

Miss Beal will be the next hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jere Van Zandt have issued invitations for high five for next Thursday evening. That date is the anniversary of their marriage and the guest will go with many congratulations for their happiness that has been so abundantly proven.

CLUBS

The chairman of all committees, also all members of the advisory council, composed of the presidents of all the women's clubs in the city, are requested and urged to meet Thursday morning, October 1, at 10 o'clock, at the rooms of the Women's Wednesday club in the Carnegie library.

This meeting is called to further arrange for the meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs in this city November 10th to the 13th. (Signed) MRS. BACON SAUNDERS, Chairman. MISS MARGARET McLEAN, Secretary.

Next Saturday afternoon is the date for the first meeting of this club year of the Department club. The work done by this club last year was surprisingly encouraging. The president, Mrs. Frank Brady, gives the following outline of it, purposes and objects:

This club is dedicated to the enlargement and development of woman's activities, and a practical application of the knowledge gained for the good of herself, her home, her community and her state. The work is broad in its scope, extending into the fields of education and literature, that woman may work with intelligence and understand the principles that form the foundation of success; it goes into domestic science and trains the hand in those arts which better enable her to direct the affairs of home; in music and art, the esthetic side of her nature is developed, thereby adding new and higher pleasures to life, and better than all, the spiritual side of her being grows day by day as she feels for the helpless and the suffering, and her whole nature is broadened and made sweeter, purer, nobler, as she gives of her labor and her love.

(The reports of the various departments of the Department club will be found on page 14.)

The Penelope Club will resume this winter's study, commencing October 6 (Tuesday afternoon). The course of study for the coming year embraces the study of English literature of the Elizabethan age, supplemented with papers on painting, music and sculpture of that period, together with the literature and current events of the present time.

The first meeting of each month will be a business meeting and parliamentary drill. Mrs. Blanche McCarty, parliamentarian, will have charge of the parliamentary work.

The club will entertain the members one afternoon of each month with a social hour, the different members of the club acting as hostesses.

The officers for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. Margaret Morris Heathcote; vice president, Mrs. Elizabeth McCarty; recording secretary, Mrs. Lois Fisher; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Agnes Geer; treasurer, Mrs. Ola Gable; critic, Mrs. Julia Hill; parliamentarian, Mrs. Blanche McCarty; ex-presidents, Blanche McCarty and C. M. Brown; delegate to the state federation, Lois Fisher; alternate, Agnes Geer.

Following is the program for the first meeting: Greetings, by the president; address, "Ten Pictures of Summer Pleasure"; music.

The president requests a full meeting on account of business relating to the meeting of the State Federation.

The art department of the Women's Club met with Miss Melton last Thursday studying the illustrations of some of the artists whose works adorn the Louvre. Among them were Isidore Fils, Delacroix, Flindrin and Veruet. There were several prints on view and the meeting was most profitable. The section will meet with Mrs. Sterley this week.

The Trio Club, at its meeting Monday afternoon, elected Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Groom to membership. The club is actively practicing for a recital which they will give soon, and for the open rehearsals which will be one of the features of this year's work. The club will furnish one number at the musical evening during the meeting of the State Federation in November.

PERSONALS

Miss Carrie Keller has returned home after a trip to Gainesville.

Miss Edrington will go to Dallas Tuesday to be the guest of the Misses Crawford for the parties that are to be given during the fair.

Mrs. W. P. McLean, Jr., and W. P. McLean III spent Friday in Dallas.

Miss Elizabeth D. Bell was the guest of Mrs. Joe Adams last week on her way to Austin from Colorado.

Mrs. A. L. Matlock is visiting in Stephenville.

Mrs. A. S. Goetz is visiting in Dallas.

Mrs. Shuter is the guest of Mrs. Rainey on route from Colorado to her home in Dallas. She expects to return next month for a visit of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Byers and Miss Gertrude Byers are in Chicago, but are expected home in a few days. Miss Mary Byers will remain in Chicago for her art studies this winter.

Mrs. Annie McLean Moores has returned to Nashville, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. George Jackson has returned from Sweetwater, Texas, where she spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Conner are now in New York, after several weeks spent in Boston and Newport. They will reach St. Louis in time for the vellel prophet's ball.

The Zane-Cettis are expected home from Colorado this week.

Miss Tommie Montgomery has returned home from a two-months' stay at Asbury Park and in New York city.

Mrs. Irbly Dunklin is expected to return from New York and Chicago this week.

Miss Lola Mayfield left last week for Belton, where she will attend school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Dinglee and Miss Mary Dinglee have returned from Canada, where they spent the summer.

Mrs. E. C. Fakes and Miss Grace Fakes have returned from California, having spent the last two months on the Pacific coast.

Miss Artle Binyon is visiting relatives and friends in Dallas during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Van Zandt, Jr. left Friday for Mexico, after a visit of a month.

Miss Alice Laneri has returned from a visit to Waco.

Mrs. Mims of Thurber was in town last week.

Miss Alma Cunningham of Waco is the guest of Miss Alice Laneri.

Edward Paschal of San Antonio was among the out of town guests for the Yozolla dance Wednesday.

Mr. Boyd of Tennessee is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. J. White.

Miss Frances Davis of Beaumont is the guest of Mrs. J. M. Collins.

W. A. Wooten of New Orleans, adjutant general on the staff of Commander-in-Chief Passoux of the Sons of Veterans will return to New Orleans tomorrow after a visit here of several days. General Wooten came to Texas on business connected with the Sons of Veterans. General Van Zandt and General Cabel of Dallas being the officials with whom he has been in communication.

Miss Louisa White will go this week to Waco for a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bulough Gray sailed last week from England. They will spend several days in New York before returning home.

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EMPRESS CARLOTTA IS DYING IN PRISON

PATHETIC END OF LATE EMPEROR MAXIMILLIAN'S WIFE, WHO STILL IMAGINES HERSELF QUEEN OF MEXICO

BY MALCOLM CLARKE. (Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.)

BERLIN, Sept. 26.—Coincident with reports that mad Empress Carlotta, widow of Maximilian, is dying in her prison Chateau de Bouchant, near Brussels, there arrive from Vienna persistent rumors that it is knowledge of the near approach of Carlotta's end which revives the scandal of King Leopold's dissipation of her fortune, which caused Emperor Francis Joseph to turn a deaf ear to all the Belgian monarch's arguments in favor of meeting between them when Leopold was recently at Budapest.

It is gossiped in court society that the Austrian emperor has kept close watch of the bodily and mental condition of his ill-fated near relative's widow, and that King Leopold's failure to make restitution of her property or to exert herself to mitigate the unpopularity of her surroundings, has had more to do with his coolness toward that monarch than even the latter's cavalier treatment of the Countess Longy.

The story is told by an American who claims to have been a witness of the emperor's discomfiture. "What kind of a 'nese are you—a Japanese or a Chinese?" The Oriental smiled blandly, and with a courteous bow, replied: "Before I answer your inquiry will you kindly inform me the kind of key you are—a monkey, a donkey, or a Yankee?"

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AN UNCONVENTIONAL EMPRESS. The German empress has begun riding again, an exercise she had left off for some time. Her majesty was never very fond of riding, nor a very skilful horsewoman, and since her accident last winter she has become rather nervous. In the broad avenues of Wilhelmshöhe park and over the soft grass, however, the kaiserin enjoys the exercise, and the kaiser is delighted to get on horseback again after his long cruise and his Vienna visit. Prince Joachim and little Princess Luise ride for a long time every day, generally accompanying their parents, and both children are good in the saddle.

All sorts of anecdotes are being told about the kaiserin's late journey through Posen and Silesia, the two provinces which suffered most severely from the inundations. On one occasion her majesty, while being ostensibly bored by the long dissertation of the mayor of a little town, suddenly interrupted him with the irrelevant words, "addressed to Countess Kellers." "Oh, what a pretty baby!" And before any one could say the German equivalent for Jack Robinson the empress was petting the bonnie infant of a woman in the crowd.

One day while being taken solemnly round the prescribed route of damaged streets by the bugmaster, her majesty suddenly disappeared from view altogether, turning up again at an unexpected point. The consternation among the officials of the village was terrible, but the kaiserin put them all at their ease very soon. She had merely paid the cottagers a visit on her own account, and they had every reason to bless the visitor. Her majesty plainly showed she meant to be tied down by no officialdom, but intended to find out the people's troubles all by herself. And she found plenty of them.

LAWNS FOR AUTOMOBILES. It is settled that the coming session of the reichstag will witness the enactment of well considered laws governing the use of automobiles. Auto enthusiasts need not worry, for the kaiser himself and enthusiasts both for the sport and for the important

Industry, is handling the matter in his own way. In a general way the English bill will be taken as a model for the German statute. In accordance with a ministerial order, there has now been completed a statistical compilation of all accidents caused by motors with details of fatalities, injuries to persons, animals and property, as well as particulars of collisions with tramway cars, carriages and persons. It is said that the bearing of these casualties upon the forthcoming legislation will not be such as to "spoil sport."

CHINESE REPARTEE. The Chinamen who recently arrived in Germany to learn the western art of war are also learning to give it for quiet observation of the scene, approached the latter, saying: "What kind of a 'nese are you—a Japanese or a Chinese?" The Oriental smiled blandly, and with a courteous bow, replied: "Before I answer your inquiry will you kindly inform me the kind of key you are—a monkey, a donkey, or a Yankee?"

HEAVY RAILS FOR HIGH SPEED. The higher the speed the heavier the rails have to be—that is a principle thoroughly demonstrated in the tests of the new electric trains on the Berlin-Zossen line, and the reichstag has granted \$75,000 for an equipment of rails which will weigh eighty-two instead of sixty-seven pounds.

Not while William II is still "strenuous" will the impressionist school of painting be allowed to become supreme in Germany. This is indicated by the successful appeal lately made to the kaiser by artists whose works were rejected by the management of the Annual German Art Exhibition.

Out of 2,000 pictures offered only 600 were accepted, and it is alleged that the selections are due to favoritism and improper influences. It is stated that the modern impressionist school is favored at the expense of the other styles.

The painters of the 2,400 rejected pictures laid their grievances before the emperor. A high official in the ministry of education, Privy Councillor Mueller, who is chiefly responsible for the management of the art exhibition, has quitted his post. It is understood the change is due directly to the emperor's initiative.

It is probable that next year the emperor intends to participate personally in the selection of the pictures, when the impressionists, whom he abhors, will secure less prominence.

HE HAS MANY VICTORIES

Captain Ed B. Willis' Success as Prohibition Lecturer. DENTON, Texas, Sept. 25.—Captain Ed B. Willis of Denton, who is perhaps personally known to more people than any man in Texas, has returned from Angellina county, where he took an active part in the local option election which recent-

Usually begins with the symptoms of a common cold; there is chilliness, sneezing, sore throat, hot skin, quick pulse, hoarseness and impeded respiration. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Home-Boiled Syrup (the child will cry for it), and at the first sign of a croupy cough apply frequently Ballard's Snow Liniment externally to the throat. 50c at H. T. Pangburn & Co's.

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ly came off in that county. By invitation Captain Willis addressed the labor organizations at Longview on Labor Day. He went from Longview direct to Nacogdoches county, worked in the election in that county, and then went to Angellina county. Although a strong prohibitionist, Captain Willis is respected and admired by, and is personally popular with, the anti, because he is consistent, earnest and sincere. He has a badge of victory from seven different counties where he has lectured and worked in prohibition campaigns in the last fifteen months, including Smith, Denton, Wilbarger, Fannin, Hunt, Nacogdoches and Angellina.

RAINS AT ODESSA HELP THE GRASS Toyah and Midland Have Also Been Benefited by Good Showers

COLORADO, Texas, Sept. 26.—C. W. McFadden, whose ranch is out near Odessa, came in last night. From that point tomorrow he will ship four cars of fat cattle to St. Louis. He says they have had three big rains out there the past few weeks, the last one being on the 23rd, and he now has several large lakes of fresh water in his pasture. He says the country from near Midland to Toyah has recently had fine rains and that the grass is growing rapidly and unless a very early freeze visits that section his country will have grass sufficient to carry the stock through the winter season.

E. J. Howard, from out near Portales, is here for a few days this week. He came through Cochran, Yoakum, Terry, Gaines and Martin counties and says the grass everywhere he went is exceedingly short and long part of the way the grass has been burnt off, and that in such places there is of course no hope for any grass this year to be of any value.

Captain A. P. Bush was in from the Triangle ranch of Borden county today. He says in his part of the range rain has been scarce this year, grass is very short, cattle are too poor to ship, and in his judgment it is now too late for the rains to bring grass enough to carry the cattle through the winter. In fact he says a number of parties are already moving their cattle far out to better grass, and that to find grass in abundance not already engaged is no easy matter. A. J. Long, J. Slaughter, G. W. Simpson and a number of others he mentions have gone away with cattle in search of better range.

H. C. Caldwell has bought the Hippo wagon yard and is now in possession. S. G. Key sold 329 acres this week, five miles southwest of town, to E. B. Gamel of Comanche county for \$1,550.

J. E. Bass of Magnolia, Ark., today ships two cars of horses purchased at this place to his home, town. He paid a fair price for these horses.

E. E. Beckwith yesterday shipped two cars of fat cattle to Fort Worth. H. N. Lightfoot shipped one car of horses to Eastland yesterday.

Lovelady & Stokes shipped two cars of fat cattle to Kansas City yesterday. Bob Gary a few days ago sold forty head of 2-year-old steers to Gulf Road for \$1,350. These were good steers and the price realized was more than any other than any sale here for some time.

County Judge W. B. Crockett left this morning for Lubbock, where he has important business in the district court. E. Clayton, a prosperous stockman of this county, has sold his fine residence in this city to P. B. McEntire, a stockman of Sterling county for \$2,250, provided a clear title can be given. This is a probability, one that enforces the law, too, and that is the chief inducement that brought Mr. McEntire here.

Mrs. J. F. Clayton will leave tomorrow on an extended visit to relatives at Greenville and during her trip will spend a few days at the Dallas fair.

WANT A FOOTBALL GAME

Members of New Team Organized at Weatherford Want to Play WEATHERFORD, Texas, Sept. 25.—The Hughey & Turner school of Weatherford has organized a fast football team and E. B. Canon, Jr., as manager, is anxious to correspond with the management of any school in the state.

Landon McFall, a young attorney of the county clerk's office of Dallas county, today accepted a position in the grand jury of Parker county which convenes on October 4. There are hardly any cases of importance to come before it. William Burke returned from Dallas today.

John Huffington of Fort Worth is here. Rev. J. P. Lynch went to Dallas today.

Miss Katherine White went to Dallas today.

Mrs. H. A. Thomas of Fort Worth is here.

IF THEY GET HARMONY

Conditions of Republican Success as Outlined by Hillsboro Postmaster HILLSBORO, Texas, Sept. 26.—Postmaster Harry Beck went to Dallas today to attend the republican harmony meeting. Mr. Beck is enthusiastic and asserts with much confidence that the republicans can elect the governor of Texas next year, provided they get up genuine harmony at Dallas.

IT SAVED HIS LEG P. A. Danforth of La Grange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, It is the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed only 25 cents. Sold by the Reeves Pharmacy and J. W. Fisher, druggists.

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Correct Styles In Coats We will show Monday some very new and fetching styles in Ladies' Short and Long Coats and Jackets. We print below short word pictures of six new ones, and invite you to come and see many others. LADIES' JACKET of Melton Cloth, black only, deep cape over shoulder, stole collar, stole ends trimmed with buttons and pendants; cape and collar piped with satin, full sleeves and fancy cuffs. \$7.95. SHORT BOX COAT of tan and castor, Kersey Cloth; fancy storm collar, deep cape trimmed with stitched straps and buttons, stitched strap of self material around the neck, on each side of front and around bottom of coat; full sleeve finished on cuff and stitched bands and buttons. \$11.50. SHORT COAT of Tan Kersey Cloth, two fancy capes crossed in the back and finished with silk braid medallions and pendants; front trimmed with straps and military buttons, box plait down each side of front, two rows of buttons, front faced back with gray satin and a touch of green velvet and fancy silk braid, full sleeve with large fancy stitched cuff, button trimmed. \$31.50. SHORT BOX COAT of Kersey Cloth, in tan, trimmed down front with four stitched straps of the material, the fastenings of stitched straps, two rows of buttons, military cape trimmed with straps and buttons, fancy sleeves, trimmed with straps. \$11.50. LONG COAT of Castor Kersey Cloth, in 36-inch length, standing collar, military cape trimmed with stitched straps and brass buttons, stitched strap down each side of front, two rows of buttons, fancy sleeves trimmed with straps and buttons, satin lined to the edge. \$18.50. LONG COAT of Kersey Cloth in castor, 42-inch length, fancy double cape, trimmed with straps and buttons, standing collar of velvet and braid, trimmed on front with four stitched straps of the material and buttons, two straps down full box back, full fancy sleeve, finished with straps, stitching and buttons; a handsome garment. \$24.50.

The Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Section Of our store is receiving daily additions to the many new and handsome Suits and Skirts already on exhibition. Our buyers have scoured the markets for the best and we assure you that every new style that was at all to be considered is well represented here. You will find if you give us an opportunity to convince you, that quality and price considered, our Suits and Skirts cannot be duplicated elsewhere.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats New Autumn Waists Buying exquisite Trimmed Hats here does not necessarily mean paying high prices. We have the most charming effects, stylish, becoming and desirable, at our well-known low prices. You will see many of the most exquisite models of the year from the leading trimmers of Paris and New York. We are receiving new ones every day; then our own trimmers are making a showing that takes in every new and correct style as well as many exclusive effects. Our showing of Untrimmed Hats and Trimmings is complete in every detail—Plumes, Pompons, Wings, Birds, Mercury Wings, Veils, Scarfs, Cut Steel Ornaments, etc., etc. White Madras Waist, embroidered in Lily of the Valley designs, at \$2.98 \$3.99. Oxford Waists with tucked front and pearl buttons. \$3.25. Pretty Waist of tan brocaded madras, has yoke and stole effect down front; stock with long tabs and finished with miniature buttons; only. \$6.45. Waist of black and white brocaded madras, double-breasted effect, with two rows of large pearl buttons down the front; stock has two tabs. \$5.95. Beautiful Waist of white brocaded madras, oak leaf design in autumn colors. \$4.98. Very pretty Cream Madras Waist, silk brocaded in leaf designs; three plaits down each side of front, corded in white silk; lovely stock with point turn-over. \$7.95. Many other styles of Madras Waists in white and colors, ranging from 59c, 98c, \$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.25 and. \$3.99.

Waistings, Vestings Fall Hosiery Autumn Neckwear New Satin Oxfords in white ground with new designs in plaids and figures: 69c, 85c 98c. Vestings in pure white with fancy dots of blue, green, black and red; 69c and. 95c. Beautiful Oxford Vestings with medallion effect, in blue, pink and black; 98c, \$1.10 and. \$1.25. All Wool Challies in kimono designs, light and dark shades. 39c. Many designs in Oxfords for Gentlemen's Vests are shown now. See them, in white, with small dots and colors. "There are hose and hose, I do suppose. Of a million kinds," said she. "But of all the hose this country knows. These are the hose for me." "Onyx Blacks never change color." Ladies Onyx Black Cotton Hose, ribbed tops, good weight, spliced heel and toe. 25c. Ladies' Onyx Black Fleece Lined Hose. 25c. Ladies' Onyx Black Cashmere Hose. 25c. Ladies' Ingrain Black Lisle Hose, white heel and toe. 35c. Ladies' Onyx Black Ingrain Lisle Hose, best lisle thread white spliced heel and toe. 48c. The new and popular Cape Collars of lace with the long stole ends; of Venice Lace and Wood Silk Lace, in white, black, cream and ecor; range in price from \$1.98 up. \$12.95. The newest things in stocks and collars, made up of chiffons, silks, velvet ribbon, beads and applique; many with long ends; prices from \$3.25 to. Just out—"Vassar Fibro" Collarine for collars, by the yard, in white and pink. 75c. "The Beanel" Collar, of silk, with four-in-hand ties; all colors; 75c and. 98c.

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MISS WELLS IS STILL IN THE LEAD

Marine Band Contest Continues to Hold Interest and the Leaders Are Well Bunched With Miss Mattie Cooper a Close Second

The first relay in the Marine Band contest closed at midnight, Wednesday, September 23. Between that time and Wednesday, October 7, at midnight, for every cent paid in on subscriptions to The Telegram, three votes will be counted. The contest continues to attract a great deal of attention and the contestants are showing their interest by continuing to do good work for the splendid prizes that have been hung within their reach. The time is getting short now, and long before the contestants realize it the closing days will be upon them and perhaps an opportunity to win one of the prizes will have been lost.

Table with 2 columns: Contestant Name and Votes. Includes Miss Nannie Wells (63,885), Miss Mattie Lee Lewis (44,100), Miss Rebecca Cloud (10,200), Miss Mattie Cooper (61,842), Miss Cassie Boswell (42,900), Miss Saunders (7,750), Miss Beulah Fulgham (56,140), Miss Mary Yarbrough (38,600), Miss Markuerite Hensley (7,680), Miss Myrtle Broyles (54,640), Miss Ethel Maxoffin (24,600), Miss Nellie Williams (7,520), Miss Lizzie Bishop (50,840), Miss Minnie Hartman (17,200), Miss Neta Hensley (7,520), Miss Tottie Moore (50,560), Miss Katie Richie (17,200), Miss Eva Holungsworth (6,480), Miss Berta Johns (48,500), Miss Nora Mudy (10,140), Miss Eva Beckom (2,480), Miss Isabelle Nation (44,340), Miss Mattie Cooper (44,100).

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The Churches of Fort Worth

Presbyterian BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN—Services today at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; preaching by the pastor. Services preparatory to communion, Sabbath, October 4, will be held next week on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Preaching by Rev. James O. Reavis, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Dallas.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Dr. MacAdam, president of the Fort Worth University, will preach at this church at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. today. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. George MacAdam will preach at both morning and evening services. Music morning service; Anthem, "Let the Earth Rejoice" (Schnecker), choir; tenor and bass duet, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (Bark), Messrs. Estes and Reeske. Evening service; Anthem, "Tarry With Me" (Emerson), choir; soprano solo, "His Steps," by Mrs. Blanche Ormonde. Mrs. Ormonde has just returned from New York, where she studied two years with Hugh Williams.

Baptist BROADWAY BAPTIST CHURCH—At the Broadway Baptist church, corner of Broadway and St. Louis avenue, the pastor, J. W. Gillon, will preach at both hours today.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Luther Little, pastor, will preach at both services. Morning theme, "An Appeal to the Higher Motive." Evening theme, "Christ Forgiving Sin." B. Y. P. U., 7 p. m. John Carney will speak at the B. Y. P. U. meeting.

Methodist FIRST M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, corner Fourth and Jones streets, Dr. S. H. Werlein, pastor—11 a. m. topic, "The Triple Temptation;" 8 p. m. topic, "The Brutal Turk and the Persecuted Eastern Christian."

Episcopal CHURCH OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS, Union Depot addition—Service, with sermon by lay reader at above church every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and service with sermon at 4 o'clock. Take the Glenwood car.

Christian Science FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, corner St. Louis and Terrell avenues—Services on Sunday at 11 a. m.

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and at 8 p. m. Sunday school immediately after morning service. Subject today, "Reality." Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. Free reading room open daily from 1 to 5 p. m.

Christian TABERNACLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Fifth and Throckmorton streets—James S. Myers, pastor. Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and Sunday evening at 7:45. Evening theme, "The Problem of the Young Man." Sunday school at 9:30. Christian Endeavor at 6:45. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the evening service.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH—At the First Christian church today Rev. R. R. Hamlin will deliver an address at 11 a. m. on "Sunday School Work." At 7:30 p. m. he will speak on "Things That Keep People Out of the Church."

Congregational FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, corner College avenue and Leuda street—Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m.; subject, "In the Footsteps of Jesus. Being a Trip to Palestine." At night at 7:30 the subject will be, "Happiness for Two Worlds."

Bible Class The Rev. George W. Ray, pastor of the Congregational church, is making a specialty of Bible study at the Wednesday evening meeting at the chapel, corner of College avenue and Leuda street. His exposition of Paul's letter to the Galatians will be followed by other Epistles. He has also done very successful work among young men at the Y. M. C. A. rooms every Monday evening, the attendance being rapidly on the increase. Soon they hope to be a class of one hundred, if not more.

QUALITY NOT AN ISSUE Reginald—Won't you sing for us, Miss Muriel? Miss M.—Oh, I daren't sing after such good music as we've been having. Reginald (gallantly)—But I'd rather listen to your singing than to any amount of good music.—Youth.

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Weekly Report Received at M. K. & T. Headquarters Shows Slight Gain

(Special to The Telegram.)

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 26.—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company issued from its headquarters in this city today its report on the condition of the cotton crop along its lines in Texas; station reports being sent in by wire between the hours of 5 o'clock this forenoon. A perusal of these station reports shows that the crop has not deteriorated at any point during the last week or ten days; on the contrary the tone of the reports seems to be favorable to improving conditions. A third of a bale to the acre on an average, taking local conditions from all parts of the state as a basis of judgment, reports, which are as follows: Denton—Cotton unchanged; considering lack of moisture, crops doing very well. Cotton coming in fast. Denison—Cotton improving; sunshine needed. Dallas—Cotton same as last week; some reports of shedding account dry weather, but it is generally believed plant can stand dry weather for some time without any damage.

Fort Worth—Cotton since last report practically unchanged, excepting portions where boll weevil exists; yield will be from one-third to one-half bale per acre. Gainesville—Cotton doing fine; probably make three-fourths bale to acre. Fine weather for opening and picking; receipts about 250 bales per day at Gainesville.

Greenville—Cotton about the same as last report; plant not putting on any new bolls; no weevils. The army worm is still at work. Yield about bale to every four acres. Fine weather. Receipts improving and being shipped as fast as bought.

Hillsboro—No change in cotton crop. Yield will average half bale per acre; fine weather and cotton being marketed very fast; no boll weevil; no rain past week; rain would benefit cotton very little.

Houston—Past week very favorable for both cotton and rice, being dry and warm, and all that is wanted is continuance of same condition; both crops being taken care of very fast and the cold wave seems to have left no mark on rice and very little on cotton.

Jefferson—Cotton badly damaged by drought; yield of one-fifth bale per acre. McKinney—Cotton conditions unchanged.

Mineola—Cotton practically unchanged since last report; rain now, with late frost, would mature more bolls and increase yield.

New Braunfels—Plant dying, not fruiting; boll weevil kills all blooms as fast as they appear; there will be no top crop. Pittsburg—Cotton about one-fourth bale per acre; still suffering by drought and leaf worm. Rockwall—No change in crop situation since last report; weather conditions all that could be desired.

N. E. RUBIN, 305 HOUSTON STREET. Big reduction in Ladies Tailor Made Suits Monday. Dependable Fall Merchandise in an irresistible manner, every item is an argument in our favor. To prove this store has the underselling power, we urge you to attend this sale. Dress Goods and Silks. Millinery Specials Monday. Wash Goods Specials. Ladies' Shoes. Children & Misses Shoes.

Tutt's Pills. This popular remedy never fails to effectually cure Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness. And ALL DISEASES arising from a Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion. The natural result is good appetite and solid flesh. Dose small; elegantly sugar coated and easy to swallow. Take No Substitute.

THE KATY WAY. There's a Way for the SUMMER TOURIST. Read Telegram WAN "ADS".

FORT WORTH FALL FESTIVAL, OCT. 5-10, 1903. ALLEGORICAL NIGHT PARADES. FLOWER PARADES, ETC. BRONCHO BUSTING. MERCHANTS DISPLAYS. VISIT THE GRANDA PLAZA. JOLLY PEOPLE. 6 BIG DAYS 6 HOT NIGHTS. SPECIAL RATES ON ALL RAILROADS INTO FORT WORTH. Ask the Agent about Cheap Rates and Special Trains.

BRIGHT NEW FALL GOODS CROWD THIS STORE!



Offered Monday at prices that emphasize BURTON-PEEL'S proud position as the greatest value-givers in Fort Worth — SENSATIONAL values that cannot fail to bring out the greatest crowds of the season tomorrow. Read the offerings below CAREFULLY—and while you're reading, REMEMBER that we are talking about RELIABLE AND DEPENDABLE merchandise—the kind that you can buy with ABSOLUTE confidence, in wear and worth—the sort that will give satisfaction and pleasure—STANDARD qualities that are backed with out guarantee of "Your money back if you want it." Every item that follows is important. THE SILK WAIST AND SUIT OFFER SHOULD HAVE YOUR PROMPT RESPONSE.

Sale Coat Suits

\$5.00 Here is a chance you have never had the equal—29 Ladies' Tailor Made Suits—no long tail coats—only the short coat, blouse and Norfolk styles. Not in absolute favor, but for every day shopping and business suit this chance is positively unequalled. Coats silk lined; some plain tailor made, others trimmed; some unlined, others with drop; Venetian, Broadcloth, Cheviot, Mixtures, etc. Suits that sold from \$12.49 up to \$18.50 go in this sale Monday at one price.

\$5.00

If You're Wise You'll Get a Bargain



Silk Waist Sensation

\$3.39 Just 50 Taffeta Silk and Louisine Waists, hemstitched tucks and trimmed in all the leading light colors; also white and black—a lot of Waists that retailed at from \$6.49 to \$8.50; many are as perfect as the day they were made, others a little mussed; choice, Monday, \$3.39.

The second lot is of a much higher grade, made with large sleeves, tucks, hemstitched and button trimmed; made of Crepe de Chine, Louisine and Peau de Cygne, in white and light shades; values \$12.50 on up to \$25.00, in one lot at one price; choice Monday but.....

\$6.98



See the New Imported Coats \$32.50 to \$100.00

See the New Visiting Costumes \$35.00 to \$100.00

\$1.98 Children's Reefers, worth in any other store \$3.00; we let this big lot go at \$1.98; blue, brown, green, cardinal and tan; collars trimmed with braid.

\$3.49 Petticoats with good taffeta silk ruffle, spunglass top, all colors and black—price should sell every one Monday.

69c Ladies' Percal Wrappers, good standard goods, well made with fitted lining, worth 98c—only 42 at this price.

\$4.98 Ladies' Walking and Dress Skirts, made of new Knickerbocker, Serge Cloth and Cheviots, all colors, seams neatly bound, stitched and trimmed, worth \$6.49.

\$7.50 Elegant line of Dress Skirts, made of all wool Knickerbocker, Camel's Hair, Serge, Foule, etc. New flare trimmed hip, etc.; well worth \$9.00, in the best shades.

\$1.50 Ladies' Walking Skirts; brown, gray, blue, black, Melton Cloth; regular \$2.50 skirts; Monday, \$1.50.

\$18.50 Ladies' Coat Suit, made of Scotch Knickerbocker Cloth; new flare skirt, seams all neatly bound; long coat lined throughout with satin; \$25.00 value.

\$22.50 A new Coat Suit of Black Cheviot and Foule Cloth; new flare skirt, trimmed bands and buttons; long coat, lined throughout with satin.

\$9.98 A lot of Swell Coats, long lengths, made of Kersey Cloth, trimmed with bands of contrasting shades, velvet collar and tabs—well worth \$12.50.

\$2.98 A lot of Children's and Misses' School Coats, age 4 to 18, round cape collar, trimmed with Soutache braid and satin bands; shades, brown, blue, green, garnet and tan; a regular \$4.00 coat for \$2.98.

Staples Underpriced

4c A yard for good Outing Flannel; start the season with 7c value for 4c.

5c A yard, good Blue and Red Figured Percal—cant' match them under 8c.

9c A yard, good 12 1/2c Fall Ginghams in dark or light plaids and checks.

10c A yard, beautiful 12 1/2c Teasledown, in checks, stripes and solid colors.

4 1/2c A yard, yard wide Bleached Domestic—a limit of 20 yards to each customer.

12 1/2c A yard, new Oxford Waist-ing, good value at 20c; special, Monday only 12 1-2c.

9c A yard, a choice lot of 12 1-2c new Flannelette; Monday special sale, 9c.

5c A yard, good Straw Ticking, the regular 10c; Monday special, but 5c.

Linens Underpriced

38c A yard, the genuine Oil Red Turkey Table Damask, 50c grade; Monday, 38c.

5c A yard, good Cameron Roller Crash, 16 inches wide—while it lasts, 5c.

4c Each, Unbleached and Bleached Towels 18x34, cotton huck; Monday; not over 12 to a customer.

12 1/2c Bleached and Unbleached Turkish Bath Towels, 22 x44, 20c values; Monday, 12 1/2c each.

49c Per pair, Pure Linen Damask Towels, knotted fringe and plain hem border, worth 69c.

75c A yard, a fine 72-inch Table Damask, pure linen, 98c grade; Monday, 75c.

98c A dozen, Pure Linen Napkins, full 3-4 size, worth all of \$1.49 a dozen.

50c A yard, extra weight full bleached All Linen Damask, 69c grade; Monday, 50c.

Dress Goods Underpriced

15c A yard, again Monday the 40c Half Wool Checked Dress Goods, splendid for school dresses.

49c A yard, 50 pieces assorted style Dress Goods, plain and fancy, 38 to 50 inches wide, 69c and 98c.

98c A yard, Zibeline and Coverts, for skirts, 54 inches wide, all colors, \$1.25 goods for 98c.

25c A yard, again the All Wool Tricot; also 36-inch Suiting, plain and fancy weaves.

99c A yard, Monday extra special, the 36-inch All Silk Black Peau de Soie, \$1.39 value.

79c A yard, Monday for the new Shirt Waist Silks, pretty line of broken checks.

69c A yard, Monday for the 36-inch Black Taffeta, regular \$1.00 grade.

50c A yard, "Monday only," 36-inch Black Taffeta, 75c grade—while it lasts, 50c.

Notions Underpriced

3c Yard for Brush Dress Binding, all colors, 10c grade.

10c Pair Ladies' Belt Hose Supporters, 25c grade.

3c Card, 2 dozen Collins' 10c Hooks and Eyes

2c Each, School Slate Sponges, 10c grade.

25c Silver Gift Trimbles, in plush box.

5c Bunch, Featherstitch Braid.

Hosiery Underpriced

15c A pair, Monday, Children's Fine Hose, lisle and Maco cotton, broken lines, 25c, 35c and 49c grades, fast black, all sizes in the lot; choice, pair, 15c.

8c A pair, Children's Heavy Ribbed School Hose, all sizes, 10c and 12 1-2c grades, but 8c pair.

33c A pair, Ladies' Fast Black Maco Cotton and Lisle Hose, 49c grade; sale Monday, 33c a pair.

49c A pair, Monday, a big lot of Ladies' Fast Black Lisle and Cotton; also Fancy Hosiery, 69c and 75c values.

15c Each, Monday the 25c Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs.

25c Each, Ladies' Swiss hemstitched and scalloped borders, 49c grades.

5c Each, Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, for school children.

12 1/2c Each, Monday, Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 25c.

Shoes Underpriced

\$2.00 Ladies' Vici, patent tip, extended sole, opera heel, \$2.50 shoe for \$2.00.

\$3.49 Ladies' Shoes, vici, turned sole, also extended sole, French heel, very fine, \$4.00 shoes for \$3.49.

\$1.49 Ladies' Shoes, vici, stock tip, military heel—a \$2.00 shoe; Monday special, but 1.49.

\$2.00 Misses' Patent Leather Shoes, also vici, patent tip; regular \$2.50 shoe.

\$1.49 Misses' Vici, patent tip, extended sole, good \$1.75 shoe; special, \$1.49.

\$1.25 Boys' Box Calf Solid Leather Shoe, \$1.50 quality; Monday, extra size, 8 to 12, \$1.25.

75c Children's Shoes, vici, patent tip, solid leather, \$1.00 shoe for 75c.

\$1.50 Boys' Vici and Box Calf Shoes, heavy sole school shoe, \$1.75 grade for \$1.50.

Clothing Underpriced

39c A pair, Boys' Knee Pants in all wool fabrics, 50c and 69c grades, size, age 4 to 14; choice, 39c.

\$1.50 Boys' All Wool Suits for school wear—Meltons, Cheviots, Kersey, \$2.00 suits, \$1.50.

\$3.00 Boys' All Wool School Suits, perfect assortment, carefully made and lined; \$4.00 suit Monday, \$3.00, age 4 to 14.

\$1.98 250 Men's Wool Pants, Kersey and Meltons, all sizes, \$3.00 Pants for \$1.98.

95c Men's Negligee Shirts of good soft Matras, beautiful patterns; \$1.50 shirt for 95c.

33c Men's Elastic Seam Drawers, all sizes, 50c regular price; Monday, but 33c.

50c Men's 4-inch Hand and String Ties—a new line of patterns. See window; special, 50c.

\$5.00 Men's Worsted Suits, well lined and finished, neat patterns, sack coat suit, worth \$7.50 for \$5.00.

Ladies Underwear

15c Ladies' and Children's Fleece Vests and Pants—a lot on job counter, 25c values.

49c Misses' Union Suits, wool mixed, 75c grade—on job counter; choice, 49c.

25c Ladies' and Misses' Union Suits, regular 49c grade, nicely fleeced.

25c Ladies' and Misses' Vests and Pants—on center table, 39c grade, 25c.

49c Ladies' Fleece Union Suits, all sizes; white and gray.

Chiffon Ruffs Sacrificed

98c We throw on sale counter Monday a lot of Chiffon Neck Ruffs that are somewhat mussed from handling, values \$2.00 to \$4.00, at one price; choice, 98c.

Elegant new Fall Neck Ruffs, late styles in black, gray and white—dreams of beauty; price \$17.50 down to **\$1.50**



Trimmings and Garnitures

The largest and most varied line of fine and medium Trimmings ever shown here. Malta, Venice, Irish Point, Yak, Wood Fiber and Escorial Bands, 25c up to \$4.98 a yard. Also handsome Embroidered and Spangled Bands at 49c to \$10.00 a yard. New Collars with stoles or long round effects, in all the leading fashionable laces, \$1.50 on up to \$17.50. The new Silk Fringe in white, black and colors, 75c up to **\$3.50**

FALL FESTIVAL WILL OPEN WITHIN A WEEK

Only one more week, and the "Greater Fort Worth Fall Festival" will be ready to open.

Excursion rates of \$1 round trip have been granted by all railroads for a radius of 100 miles, and low rates for longer distances, and every day during the event, each railroad has its "special day," and all secret and fraternal orders have their "special days." Advertising matter has been distributed to all quarters, and the people are coming.

Too little attention is being paid to the committee's appeal for a list of rooms and boarding places. Only four have responded. The buttons and flags have arrived, each containing the "Greater Fort Worth" coat of arms.

The queen is now known and preparations for the coronation will proceed at once. Promptly at 7 p. m. Monday, October 5, the queen attended by her "maids of honor" will enter the royal court, and after the coronation a fine program will be given by the talent employed by the different shows. The entire plaza will remain in comparative darkness until the queen is crowned. She will press the button and turn on fifty arc lights and over a thousand incandescent lamps, making a brilliant and thrilling sight. The admission to the coronation will be 25 cents. Doors will open at 6 p. m. All visiting bands in uniform who volunteer their services any day during the festival will be admitted free to all shows.

There will be parades every day, commencing with the arrival of King Francis at high noon, Tuesday, October 6, accompanied by the military Elks, Knights of Pythias, etc. Then on Wednesday come the Red Men, Macabees, Eagles and the gorgeous flower parade.

Thursday is "circus day," and the Patriarch Militant, L. O. O. F., and Ancient Order of United Workmen will all give parades, and in the evening the "flower parade" will be repeated with the addition of all the mounted and gayly costumed attaches of the Forepaugh-Sells show and the gilded parade wagons. This alone will be worth a trip to Fort Worth. Friday, October 9, will be "United Labor Day," and the parades will excel those of September 7 in numbers and enthusiasm, because each union will have a float showing its special line of business. The illuminated allegorical night parades, merchants' and societies' display will excel anything heretofore attempted. The illuminations and fire works will be grand in the extreme as it is the intention of the committee to have many of colored fires and fountain fire works mounted on wagons in the parade, one at or near the head, one in the center and one at the end, to keep up a continual exhibition during the entire line of march. No rockets will be fired. This will create a scene of splendor which, coupled with the colored fires and Roman candles of the merchants and individuals, will never have an equal in this section. On this night those who desire to do so are asked to mask and form a division in the parade. It is expected that every business house in the city will decorate in the colors of the secret or fraternal order of which the proprietors are members. This idea will give a variety of blending that will add much to the grandeur of the picture. The military will be prominent in all parades. Captain Bracton C. Carter and the Fenibels, Colonel Cecil A. Lyons, Captain O. Paget and his Dallas company and General Frederick D. Grant, commanding Fort Sam Houston at San Antonio, are all expected to take prominent parts in the program of the week. Automobile enthusiasts are inviting their friends who own machines in Paris, Dallas, Waco, Sherman and other nearby cities to join them in putting on an automobile division. The parking houses have requested that they be assigned a division. The king's ball will be a society event. It is now known that fourteen floats are being prepared by fraternal orders, fifteen floats by merchants or manufacturers and ten by the labor unions. The line of march will be up Main and down Houston streets. An effort will be made to have Houston street put in good shape by filling in the holes and leveling where needed. Quite a number of inquiries have been

TRAGEDY AVERTED

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. Guaranteed by J. W. Fisher's drug store and Reeves' Pharmacy. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.

GERMAN SYRUP

We want to impress on our readers that Doosche's German Syrup is positively the only preparation on the market today that does relieve and cure consumption. It contains the specifics, such as pure tincture of ginseng, etc., which have been so highly indorsed for the cure of coughs, colds and consumption by the great medical congresses. The consumptive, whether his disease is in the throat or lungs, must have rest at night, and be free from the spasm of dry and racking cough in the morning. The diseased parts want rest, healing and soothing treatment, and the patient needs fresh air, good food, etc. German Syrup will give free and easy expectoration in the morning with speedy and permanent relief. Small bottles, 25 cents; regular size, containing nearly four times as much, 75 cents. At all druggists.

TOOK MILES, TOO

(Philadelphia Ledger.) An anecdote about General Miles concerns an innocent professional. It was in an uptown hotel. A number of men were gathered around listening to the speaker, a slender and rather magnetic man. "Yes," he was saying, "I was in the midst of it at Santiago?" "Were the Spaniards good fighters?" "Rather. But I took five of them unaided—officers, too—in Cuba, and two more in Porto Rico." "May I ask who you are?" inquired the general. "Yes, indeed, I'm Mr. Clinedinst, the photographer, from Washington, and I took you, too, in Porto Rico."

BURGLARY AT BRUCEVILLE

BRUCEVILLE, Texas, Sept. 25.—The general merchandise store of E. Chapanon was burglarized Wednesday night and goods to the amount of \$50 taken.

A PURGATIVE PLEASURE

If you ever took De Witt's Little Early Risers for biliousness or constipation you know what a purgative pleasure is. These famous little pills cleanse the liver and rid the system of all bile without producing unpleasant effects. They do not grip, sicken or weaken, but give tone and strength to the tissues and organs involved. W. H. Howell, of Houston, Texas, says: "No better pill can be used than Little Early Risers for constipation, sick headache, etc." Sold by druggists.

POSITIONS \$50

or More Per Month Guaranteed. Pay \$10 tuition on entering and balance \$10 per month after position is secured. We will take twenty-five more students under this offer and not require entrance. Call and see us at once or send for a catalogue. Daughon's Practical Business College, corner Seventh and Houston.

Today's Market Quotations

Latest and Most Complete Report Printed in North Texas

HOG MARKET CLOSES WEEK

Light Run of Hogs Sell Slow and Lower—Cattle Are Steady and Active

NORTH FORT WORTH, Sept. 26.—Not including 655 cattle which came in yesterday after the market closed and were forwarded out, the receipts today were 106 head, with twenty cars reported for this afternoon's arrival and which will be forwarded out late this evening.

Today's run was composed of three cars of medium to fair quality steers, and one car of mixed cattle, all of which, sold on the early market at steady to strong prices.

Lighter steers, weighing 825 pounds, sold at \$2.65, which price was fully steady with yesterday's. No choice quality cows were in and the best stuff offered sold at \$2. Cattle were scarce and the few received in mixed shipments sold strong on an active market.

One calf, weighing 150 pounds, taken from a mixed consignment shipped in by John Bray of Valley View, sold at \$2.50, with the heavy rough calves weighing 200 to 300 pounds at \$2.75.

With a light run of 153 head, the hog market this morning opened slow and dull and the entire morning was taken up in disposing of the light receipts. One lead of Oklahoma hogs, shipped in by J. McKnight of Thomas, sold at \$5.20. They averaged 265 pounds and, considering the quality, sold fully 50 cents lower than Friday.

On the local market last week Armour & Co. bought 1,234 hogs, 44 sheep, 29 lambs, and 292 calves. Swift & Co. bought 2,669 cattle, 1,134 hogs, 83 sheep and 230 calves.

John P. Duggett, president of the North Texas Live Stock Commission, Company, is spending a few days on his ranch north of town.

G. S. Young of Monahans, Texas, was on the yards late Friday afternoon with 214 calves, consigned to the National Stock Yards, St. Louis.

In a short time Fort Worth will lead all other markets as a horse and mule center. From all indications the losses sustained by Iowa cattle feeders last year, going to cause a big dropping of the number of cattle to go into the feed lots of that state.

There was hardly enough sheep on the market last week to quote a market. The local packers are receiving sheep from northern markets to supply their local mutton trade.

There is little change in the bull market, best quality bulls selling at \$1.85 to \$2, the medium and ordinary kinds at \$1.75 to \$1.80.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes J. K. Gardner, Midland, 38, 142; First National Bank, Stanton, 39, 142.

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price, No., Ave. Price. Includes No. 25, 950, \$4.10, 28, 921, \$4.10.

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price, No., Ave. Price. Includes No. 1, 150, \$5.00, 1, 100, \$4.00.

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Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes Kansas City Live Stock Receipts, 200; market nominal.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes Hogs—Receipts, 2,600; market steady.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes Mixed and butchers, \$5.70 to \$5.85; good heavy choice heavy, \$5.85 to \$5.95.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes Horses and mules—Receipts, 5; market steady.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes W. O. Reminger, Henrietta, 3, 5.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes STEERS—Three cars of medium weight fair to good quality steers were offered on the market at steady prices.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes COWS—A few medium quality cows recently with a mixed shipment of heifers and calves were offered on the market.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes CALVES—Receipts of good quality calves this week has been very light, but good and the light offerings have sold at steady and strong prices.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes HOGS—The light receipts of hogs sold on the market closing 50 cents lower.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes STOCK YARD NOTES—As a hog market Fort Worth makes no concessions.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes A. N. Snapp of Wortham was a visitor at the yards yesterday.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes J. H. Fisher, a well-known southern Texas cow man, was on the market yesterday with two cars of steers.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes John Bray of Valley View, sold at a mixed consignment of cattle sold one 160-pound calf at \$5.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes The receipts of live stock at the stock yards last week were: Cattle, 7,429; calves, 2,077; hogs, 2,771; sheep, 521.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Name, Price. Includes Yesterday afternoon fifteen cars of high-grade black Galloway cows from the National Stock Yards Commission, Company, were received at the yards for water feed and rest.

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NEW ORLEANS COTTON NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 26.—While unjustified erratic premiums have pretty well disappeared in our market and the whole position is thereby solidified, Liverpool has yet to experience the depressing effects of this opening.

PROMISE OF RISE ISN'T FULFILLED Predictions of a Squeeze Come to Naught OCTOBER'S WEAKNESS After Selling 20 Points Above Far Months It Declines Beneath Them

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—With only 8,000 bales of American cotton in stock, Liverpool presents a sorry spectacle with September very weak and spinners absolutely indifferent to the situation.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 26.—Spot cotton was easier today. Middling 7 1/2. Sales 650 bales.

WEATHER CONDITIONS Forecaster George Rebeck issued the following statement this morning of the weather conditions:

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—Wheat—Our market today was almost featureless, the only noticeable thing that came to our attention being the buying of September and December by one of the large elevator companies and selling of May.

GRAIN MARKETS QUIET Buying of September and December Wheat the Only Feature

CORN The corn market was influenced to a great extent by the actions in wheat. The trade was almost entirely local.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Following is the weekly bank statement issued today:

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STOCKS ARE IRREGULAR Most Severe Losses Suffered by the Local Tractor Interests

WINTER SUPPLY GOOD Indications Point to a Good Run of Hogs This Fall

THE PLEASURE OF EATING Persons suffering from indigestion dyspepsia or other stomach trouble will find that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet.

NEW YORK NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Spot cotton was quiet. Middling 11 1/2. Sales none.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, St. Louis, Sept. 26.—Market steady.

GREAT HORSE AND MULE MARKET

Fort Worth Promises to Be the Center of the Trade in the Mule Market

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GRAIN MARKETS QUIET Buying of September and December Wheat the Only Feature

CORN The corn market was influenced to a great extent by the actions in wheat. The trade was almost entirely local.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Following is the weekly bank statement issued today:

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STOCKS ARE IRREGULAR Most Severe Losses Suffered by the Local Tractor Interests

WINTER SUPPLY GOOD Indications Point to a Good Run of Hogs This Fall

THE PLEASURE OF EATING Persons suffering from indigestion dyspepsia or other stomach trouble will find that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet.

NEW YORK NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Spot cotton was quiet. Middling 11 1/2. Sales none.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, St. Louis, Sept. 26.—Market steady.

TIME TABLE

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS AT FORT WORTH

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REPORTS OF THE DEPARTMENT CLUBS

PHILANTHROPY

The motto of this department is, "Help those to help themselves..."

We have done well. We can do better by the co-ordination of public and private charity...

We further suggest the establishment and maintenance of manual training schools, cooking and sewing classes...

We recommend that this committee renew its efforts to co-operate with the Board of Trade and our municipal authorities...

We have touched several points in a general way and have laid the foundation for future work along lines that should arouse an interest greater than that now manifest...

EDUCATION

Believing that there are legitimate channels through which women can assist in the upbuilding of more effective work in our public schools...

Intelligent support and cordial sympathy of this community for the officers and teachers of our city schools.

Since this work is being successfully done for the grade school by their Parents' and Teachers' clubs...

The object of this department is to create a greater interest and skill, not alone in painting, but in drawing, especially from nature and still life.

Our work will be directed along the lines of drawing, modeling and using colors, believing that the power to do these things well constitutes the real language of art.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Domestic science, or, as it is sometimes called, "household science," includes not only the art of cookery, but also that of sewing, weaving and the making of baskets.

essential part in the study of domestic science will be instruction in the principles which underlie the proper performance of household labor and in training that will enable the student to apply these principles.

Housekeepers and other classes outside of the public school will study the composition, combination and digestibility of the various foods; also the most nutritious and economical methods of preparing these food products.

The work in sewing will include the study of fabrics and the making of various useful articles; also cutting by pattern and draughting of undergarments.

Classes in basketry and weaving will be formed and this work will satisfy the desire of both those who wish something useful and something educational.

MRS. JAMES W. SWAYNE, Chairman. MRS. ELIZABETH S. SLAUGHT, Graduate of Pratt Institute, Director.

MUSIC

Music touches every key of memory and stirs all the hidden springs of sorrow and of joy. I love it for what it makes me feel as well as what it makes me remember.

It is the endeavor of this department to arouse a greater interest in the higher grade of music. To accomplish this the lives of the artists (for such they are) are studied, then their best compositions.

MRS. HENRIETTA HENDRICK, Director.

LITERARY

The Literary Section of the Department club has, of course, arranged their Year Book, and will hold their first meeting Saturday, October 2, with the General Department club.

WHO WILL BE THE NEXT PRESIDENT?

Various Candidates Are Offering Themselves for the Highest Office

BY J. J. CONWAY, M. A.

(Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.)

PARIS, Sept. 26.—The candidate for the Elysee are now bracing up for the final struggle which is imminent.

Prime Minister Combes is also in the field, but the common consent is that he lacks tact and is too thorough for practical politics.

His toiler has killed him. He is being used as a poster and a fashion plate, and nothing kills in France as fast as ridicule.

There remains the learned and frigid Waldeck-Rousseau with the Bismarckian look in his eye.

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Leading Fashion Journals for October—at silk counter use them.



The better judge you are of goods, the more likely you will be to buy here.

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SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. Nunnally will teach Indian bead work here next Saturday. The new Indian Bead Work Loom (two sizes), 25c and...

Monday Sale of Table Linens

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS. 56-inch Bleach Table Damask, value 35c; special, yard 22c. 56-inch All Linen Bleached Table Damask, value 40c; special, yard 29c.

Tweeds, Granite Cloth, Etamines, Albatross and Henriettas, black and popular colors; many of these worth 65c a yard; special, Monday, yd., 50c.

this season and it is yet early, so you may depend on seeing new Silks here every week. 21-inch and 27-inch, mostly "quiet" effects, yet elegant patterns, at per yard 98c.

Fall Dress Goods

Interesting Specials Tomorrow on Special Table. 40 inches wide New Coverts, Zibelines, Tailor

Newest Silks and Velvets

CORRECT STYLES. 27-inch Black Taffeta, lustrous and good wearing; Monday special, yard 69c.

New Skirtings

We have arranged a special table for a sale of about 15 different kinds of stylish materials for skirts and suits.

THE NATIONAL ENTERTAINMENT

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DONT FAIL

To visit Mme. Trecho, the celebrated palmist and card reader, at tent Eleven and Houston.

KING EDWARD IS GOING NORTHWARD

He Will Visit Scottish Highlands—An Industrious Earl Who Works

BY PAUL LAMBETH. (Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.)

LONDON, Sept. 26.—King Edward will shortly proceed on a visit to Mar Lodge, the Highland home of the Duke and Duchess of Fife.

Earl Percy, the Duke of Northumberland, whose name is mentioned as the probable successor to the new Lord Salisbury as under secretary for foreign affairs.

FURNACE MAN KILLS SELF

MT. PLEASANT, Tenn., Sept. 26.—A. M. Locke, formerly of Cincinnati, but until recently superintendent of the J. M. Gray iron furnace at Rockdale, Tenn., has committed suicide here, presumably because of ill health.

KENTUCKY MAN DIES OF GRIEF

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 26.—John Hegarty, a well-known citizen, is dead here from grief over the loss of three of his children during the past few years.

TO FILL A VACANCY

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Sept. 26.—O. H. Chapman of this city has been elected a member of the board of trustees of the Trinity University to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. J. C. Smith.

THE FORT WORTH Sunday Telegram will appear on Sunday, October 4, with a fine four-page colored comic section and a superb four-page colored magazine section with four other pages of the best short stories and fiction printed.

EARL A HARD WORKER

Earl Percy, the Duke of Northumberland, whose name is mentioned as the probable successor to the new Lord Salisbury as under secretary for foreign affairs.

It was from the union of these two that the family which has played so large a part in the history of England sprang.

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In the year 1172 Richard Talbot, son of Lord Talbot of Eccleswell and Linton, crossed the Irish Channel in the train of Henry II. and obtained for his services the Lordships of Malahide.

A nice question will arise in case these estates are sold and distributed among a variety of new owners as to who will exercise the ancient privileges which the family have clung to so tenaciously through succeeding generations.

Over the mantelpiece in the famous hall of the Castle of Malahide is a fine picture of the Blessed Virgin, and a picture disappeared when Cromwell, according to local tradition, this miracle came back when the rightful owner was Edward...

LIVER OUT OF WHACK?

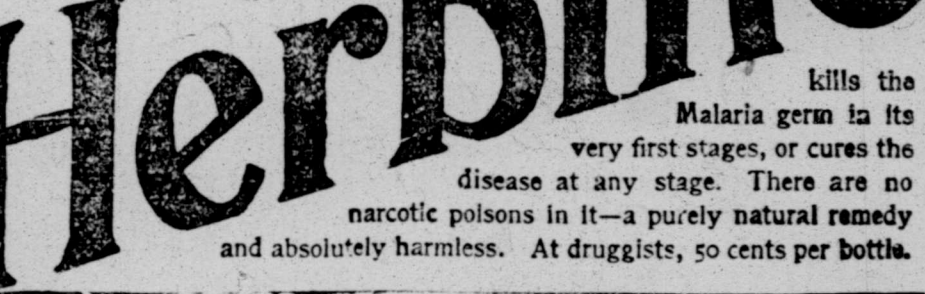


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THE LOVE OF LULU AND LEANDER—Leander Forgets the Tickets.

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1. LEANDER: "Goodness me, Lulu, I have forgotten the tickets! You go into the reception room; I'll run home and get them. I will not be gone more than three-quarters of an hour."
LULU: "Oh, Leander, how careless of you. We will miss the entire first act. I have a good notion to make you take me right back home."



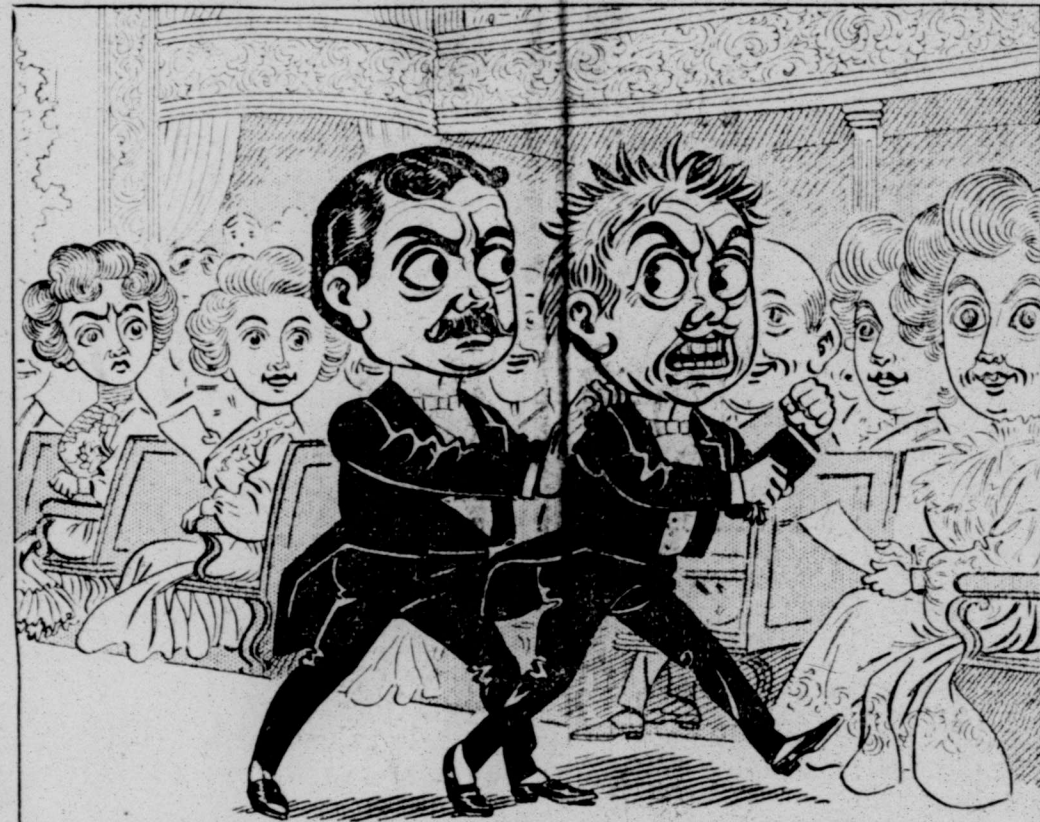
2. CHARLEY GETTHERE: "How do, Lulu? How do, Leander? What's the trouble? Left your tickets at home? Want Lulu to go into the reception room and wait? I can fix it better than that. I have two good seats here, and Lulu can have one of them until you come back; then she will not miss any of the show. Come on, Lulu. Go home for your tickets, old man."



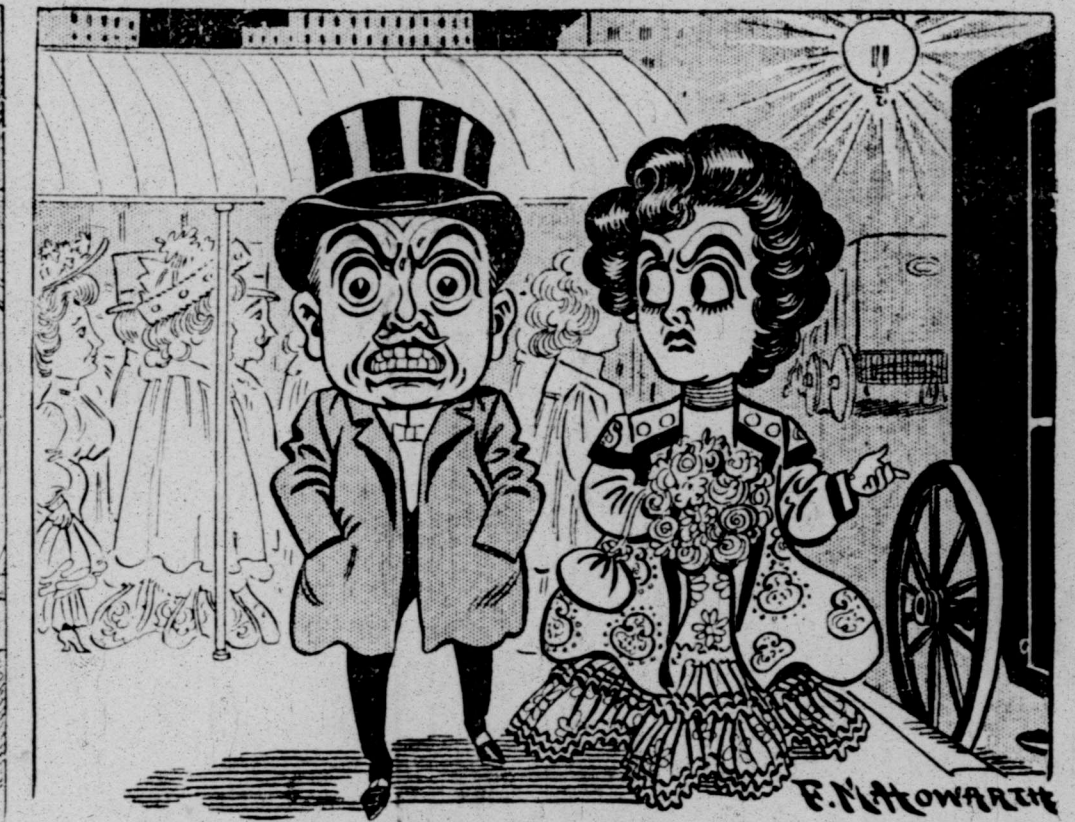
3. LEANDER (returning forty-five minutes later): "Here we are, Lulu. Come on, our seats are down there in the middle of the fifteenth row."
LULU: "But this is such a delightful seat up here, Leander; I can see everything. You go and sit down there and wait for me when I come out."



4. LEANDER (angrily): "But I brought you here. You MUST come."
LULU: "MUST come! Well, I like THAT. Now I will NOT. S-s-s-sh! You are annoying the audience with your loud talk."
AUDIENCE: "Shut up! We can't hear a thing! Put him out!" etc., etc., etc.



5. THE USHER: "I don't care whether you have tickets or not—out you go. That's all right, but you can't stand up there in the aisle and have a scrap that disturbs the whole audience. Now keep quiet or I'll hand you over to the police."



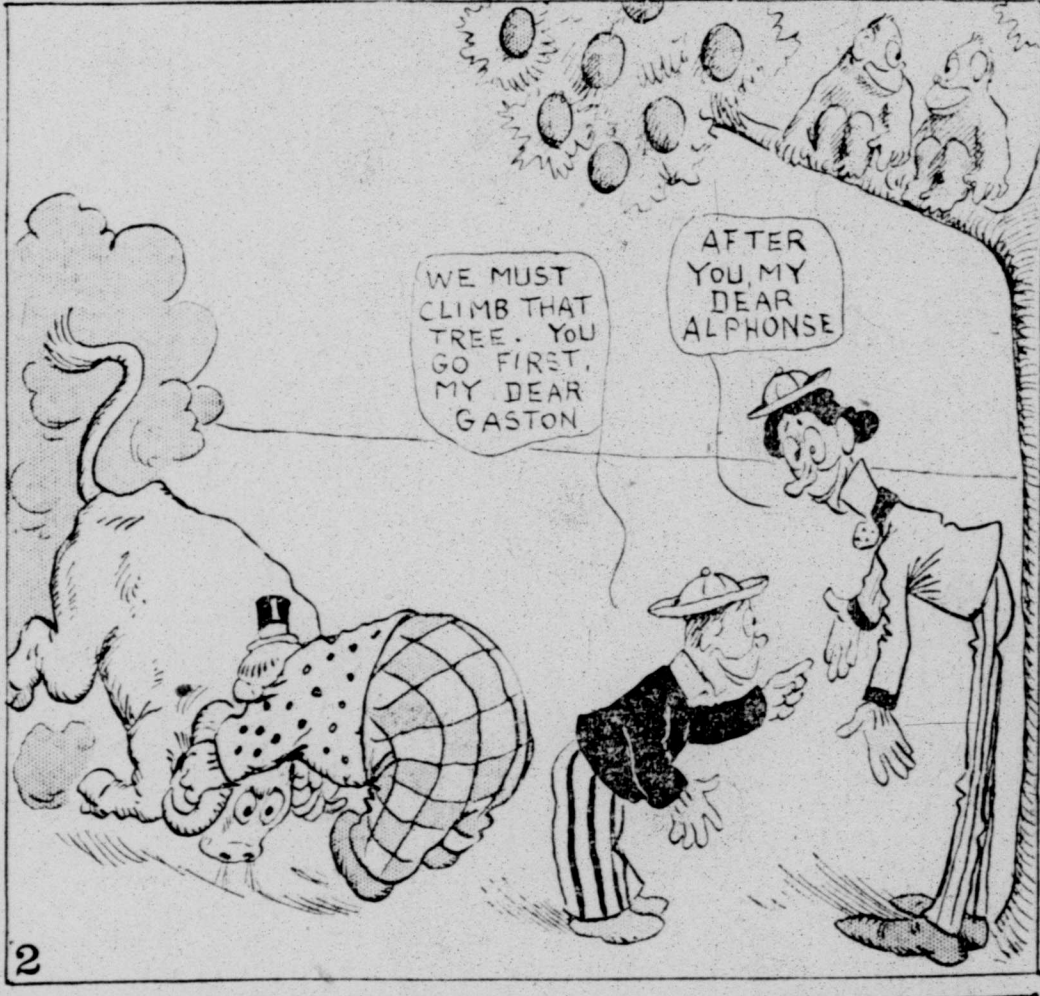
6. LULU (fiercely, on her way home): "Yes, you can see me home—you brought me here. I never felt so mortified in my life. You are a disgrace to humanity, you are. I don't know what I should have done without Charley Getthere. Just see the beautiful bouquet he bought me. I'll never go to the theatre with you again."

ALPHONSE, GASTON AND THEIR FRIEND LEON IN DARKEST AFRICA. Leon is a Chump!

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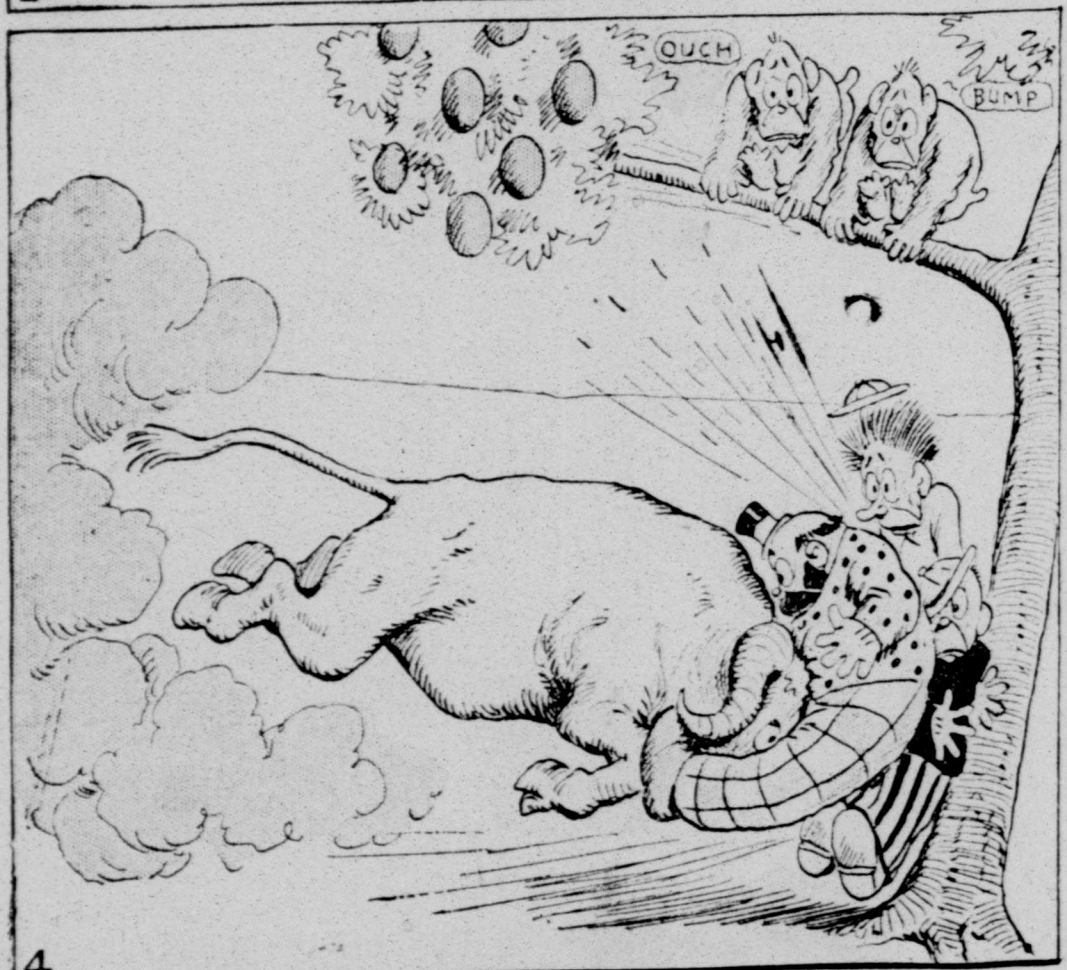
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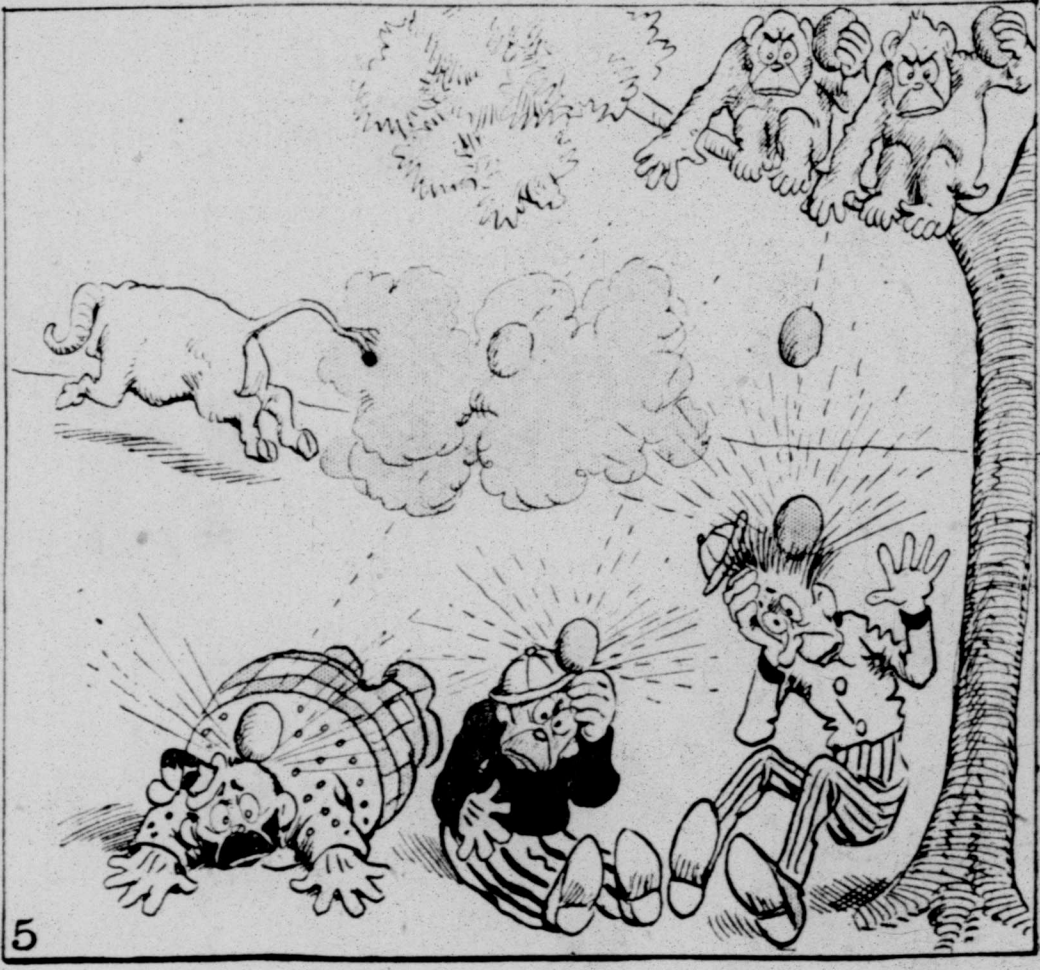
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| \$15.00 to \$25.00 worth, for \$1.00 down and.....\$1.00 week | \$ 75.00 to \$100.00 worth, for \$10.00 down and.....\$3.00 week | \$250.00 to \$350.00 worth, for \$ 75.00 down and.....\$ 7.50 week |
| \$25.00 to \$35.00 worth, for \$2.50 down and.....\$1.50 week | \$100.00 to \$150.00 worth, for \$15.00 down and.....\$4.00 week | \$350.00 to \$500.00 worth, for \$100.00 down and.....\$10.00 week |

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In The Theater

Attractions for the week:
Arnold Stock Company in repertoire, five nights.
McFadden's Row of Flats, Saturday.
 The past week in theatrical affairs came in with a repertoire company, and passes out with vaudeville. The Ewing-Taylor Company occupied the opera house three nights in repertoire, "Darkness and Daylight," a dramatized version of Mary J. Holmes' novel was the next, and "Looking for a Wife" closed. Last night the opera house was dark.
 Two attractions are billed to appear at Greenwall's opera house this week, Monday night for five nights with matinees daily from Tuesday, the Arnold Stock Company, in a repertoire of up-to-date dramas, opening Monday night with "A Daughter of Satan."

"In the Hands of the Enemy," Thursday matinee, "The New East Lynne," Thursday night, "Resurrection," Friday matinee, "A Double Life," Friday night, "Buffalo Bill."
 Night prices, 10c, 20c and 30c; matinee prices, adults, 20c; children, 10c.
"McFADDEN'S ROW OF FLATS"
 Merriment, song and beauty are the predominant features of the ever-popular "McFadden's Row of Flats," which comes to Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, October 3. There has been no farce comedy ever written which has enjoyed the same degree of public favor as has "McFadden's Row of Flats." It not only amuses the people and distracts their attention from the ordinary cares of life, but it gives them a chance to

production. The novel had a large sale, in fact, was read by easily one-half of the women of America, who know full well the possibilities of a dramatic version of the beautiful love romance. Although of a quiet nature, the play at times rises to a great emotional height. It has a pathetic element of more than ordinary power, and the entire theme and treatment of the plot is pure. Above reproach is the excellent cast employed to interpret the various characters. In the leading role, Miss Helene Carral, an actress of great beauty and ability, has made a pronounced success.
 Harry Beresford, the young comedian, whose stellar debut was made two years ago, will this season attempt greater things. His offering being none other than J. M. Barrie's greatest work, "The Professor's Love Story," a play in which the author of "Little Mary," "Admiral Creighton" and Maude Adams' greatest success, "The Little Minister," has put more heart interest and given a depiction of quainter humor than in any of his other works. To the many lovers of Barrie's clever writing, the coming of this attraction will appeal with special interest.

Greenwall Opera House Saturday, Matinee and Night, Oct. 3rd

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ARNOLD STOCK CO.
The Arnold Stock Company comes to Greenwall's opera house for five nights commencing Monday night, September 28. Matinees to be given daily from Tuesday. Change of bill at each performance. The opening play, Monday night is that well known successful drama, "A Daughter of Satan." This comes direct from New York, where public and critics alike were loud in its praise. Besides the sensational effects that abound in it, "A Daughter of Satan" boasts of absorbing plot in which love, gratitude and other human passions are striving; it is lightened by comedy that makes you laugh whether you want to do so or not. The cast embraces artists who are accustomed to run up and down the gamut of human emotions, and who can provoke laughter as easily as they can compel tears, or set the CUT nerves a thrill in the fierce conflict of passion. The scenery is newly painted and built expressly for this production. There is a fair amount of singing and dancing interspersed with the serious portions of the entertainment.

PLAYS COMING SOON
Charles Dickens' masterpiece, "The Pickwick Papers," has an immortal volume's famous characters, will be interpreted by the De Wolf Hopper Opera Company. The stage version of Dickens' favorite work is called "Mr. Pickwick" and it comes here with a record of three months on Broadway. Mr. Hopper will positively appear as Pickwick.

Children are great patrons of the Mason and Mason Company in "Rudolph and Adolph." The entertainment, while not a "kid show," is one that children enjoy because it is bright, funny and clean, and is so

The repertoire for the balance of the engagement will be:
"Tuesday matinee, "The Fairy of the Well," Tuesday night, "Midnight in Chinatown," Wednesday matinee, "A Runaway Wife," Wednesday night,

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acted as to be intelligible to the little ones. There is no doubt that the announcement of the coming of "Rudolph and Adolph" will arouse much interest in the public schools. At every matinee so far this season the number of children in the audience has been surprisingly large.
The coming presentation of "Dora Thorne," a dramatization of Bertha M. Clay's novel of the same name, has excited considerable interest among theater goers. Although in its first season, the play has enjoyed a remarkable run of success since the initial

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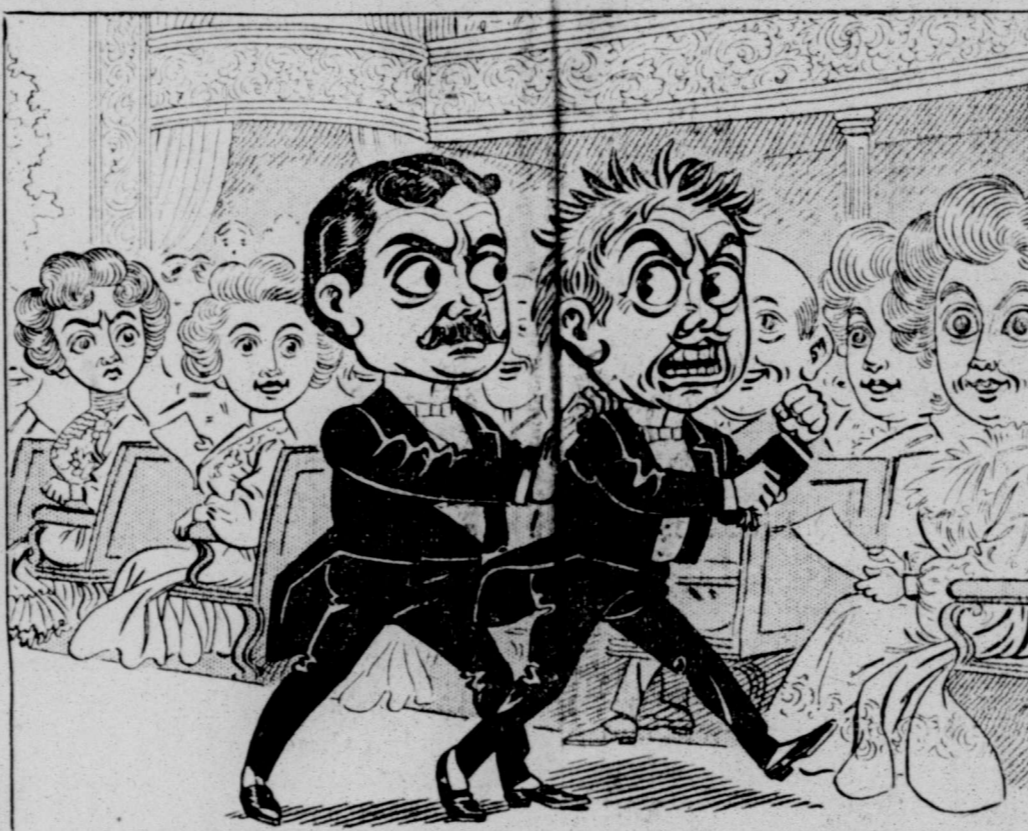
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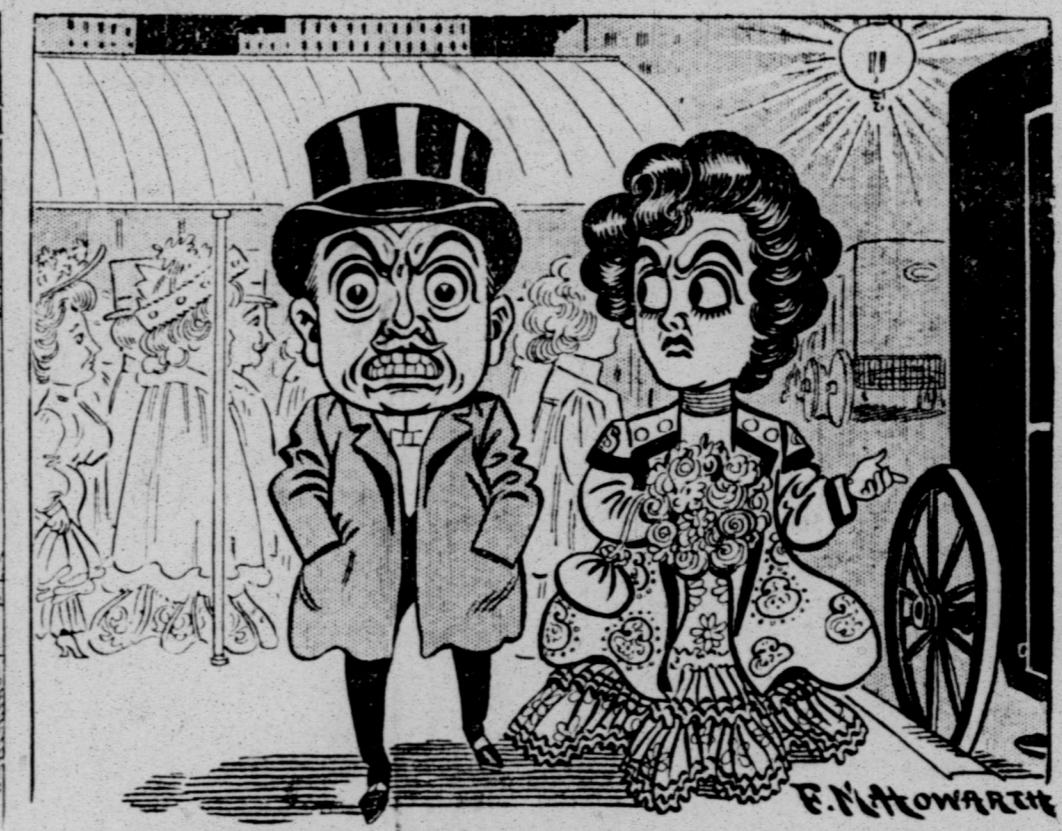
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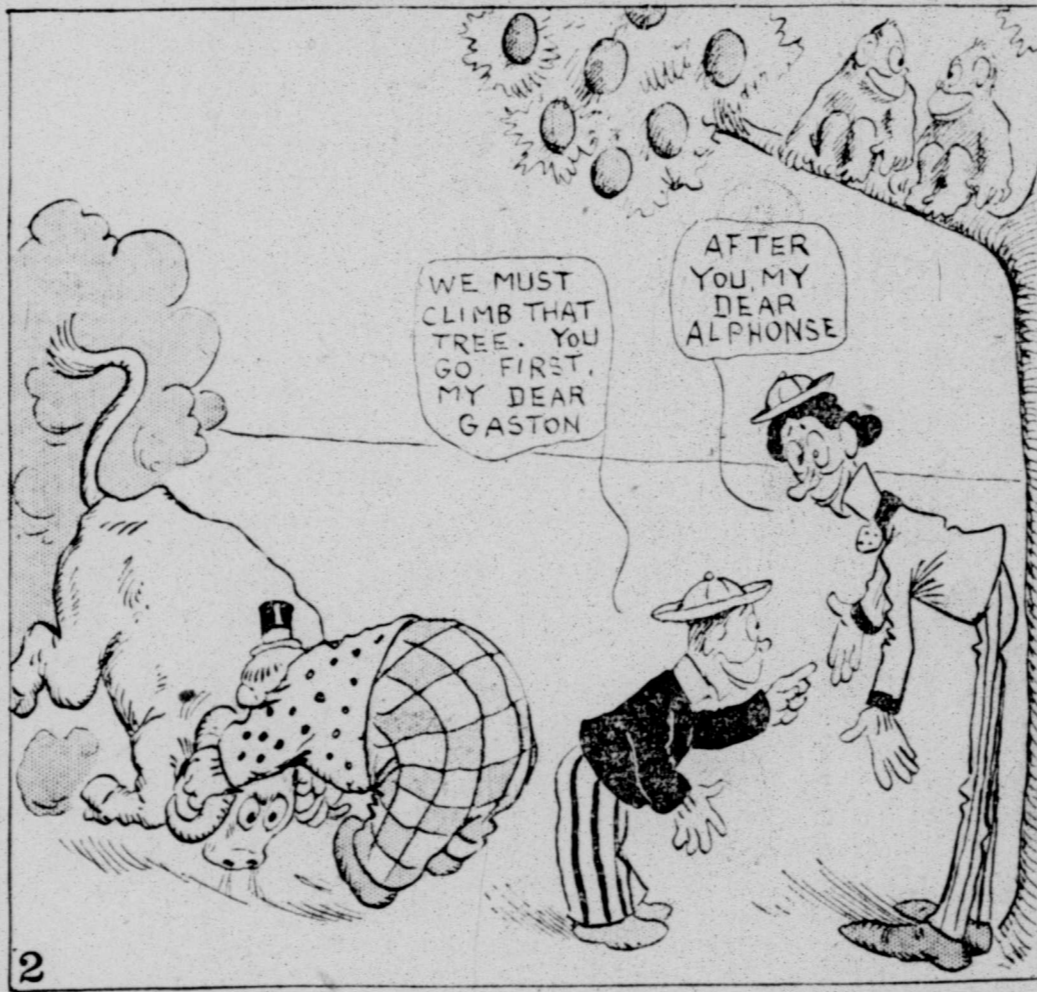
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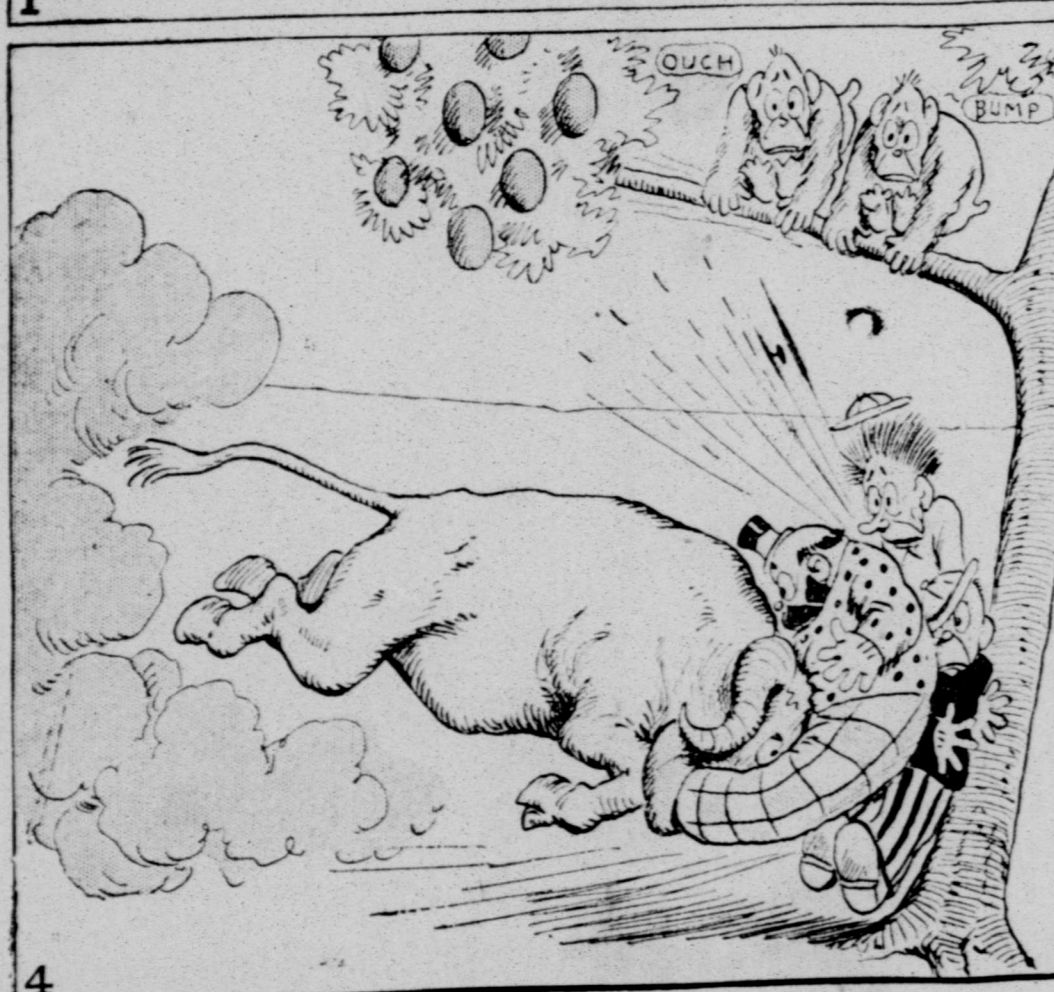
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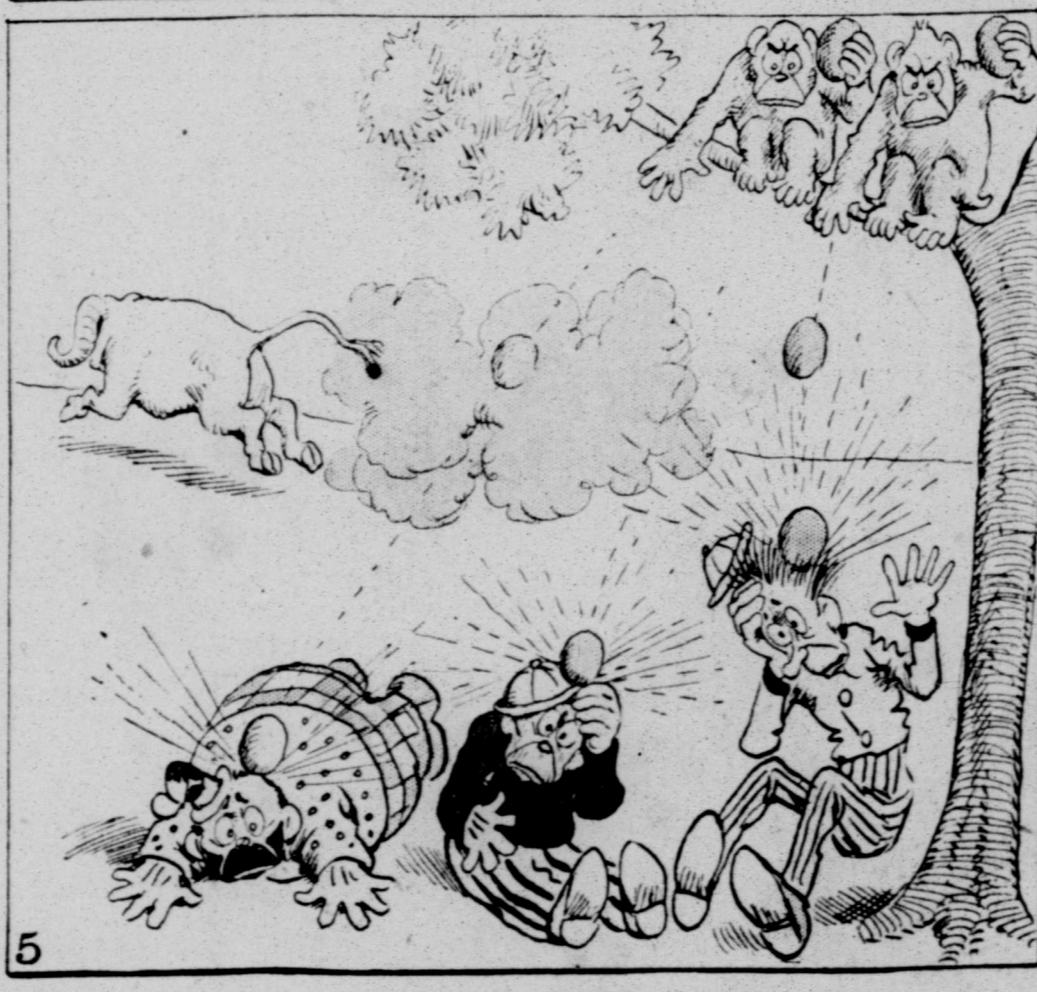
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Editorial Section of The Fort Worth Telegram

The Sea and The Soul

By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory

And he said to his servant, Go up now, and look toward the sea.—I Kings, xviii., 43.

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DOUBTLESS the servant enjoyed obeying the command, for we all delight in looking toward the Sea. About Old Ocean, nature's grandest creation, there is for every one of us an abiding charm.

And what is the explanation of the charm? What is the secret of the mighty hold that the Great Deep has upon our minds?

Is the secret at bottom a selfish one? Old Thales, the father of philosophy, maintained that water was the first principle of all things, and it looks as though the old Greek might have been right.

Water enters largely into all our food—yes, and into the make-up of our very bodies. It is scientifically correct that man is a "few pounds of solid matter distributed through six pailfuls of water."

This all-essential element comes from the sea by evaporation and then by rainfall. The mountain spring is nothing more nor less than distilled sea brine.

Hence the question that was asked a moment ago: "Is ocean's attractiveness for us down at bottom an affair of selfishness?" Is the sea interesting to us mainly because of the instinctive feeling on our part that upon the Sea depends our very

life?

It is not at all likely that such is the case, and we must look further for the explanation of ocean's great hold upon us.

The Sea appeals to our sense of the infinite, and that is why it has such a fascination for us.

Emerson somewhere tells the story of the woman who, in her old age, and after having passed all of her life far inland, was finally taken down to the seashore. Looking off over the great waters the old woman threw up her hands and exclaimed: "Thank God! I have at last found something of which there is enough!"

In the old woman's soul there was a hungering and thirsting after something boundless, something that she could not see the other side of, and the ocean seemed to her to be just that thing.

There was "enough" of it, and to spare, and in the joy of her soul the old lady devoutly thanked God for her first glimpse of the sea!

The old woman was not different from the rank-and-file of humanity. As some one has said: "Man is a yonder-minded animal." He looks, not down at his feet, but off—far off—toward something larger than anything that exists in his immediate environment.

Art, poetry, music, religion—what are they but the attempt on man's part to realize to himself his soul's dream of the infinite?

Upon that word "infinite" it is of course possible to play a great many variations, but it is here used as meaning something larger, more beautiful, and more perfect than anything that we have as yet come into possession of.

The sculptor takes his chisel and mallet and tries to locate a little gleam of the infinite in his statue. The painter tries to catch it on his canvas. The musician tries to voice it in his music. The poet struggles to express it in his verse. The saint would embody it in his pure and gentle life.

All history is in attestation of the fact that man is never satisfied with himself, is forever and ever striving as it were to lift himself above himself, to make himself more than he is today, to attain to a loftier and still loftier level of intellectual and moral life.

And so, when man, with these large aspirations in his soul, goes down by the great, wide Sea, he feels a thrill of rapture—because the greatness of the Sea reflects the greatness of his own thoughts and hopes; and he stands there thanking God that at last he has found something of which there is "enough."

At last he finds that which is great like his own dream, large like his own soul-hunger, boundless like his own immortal hopes!

There is still another reason for ocean's attractiveness and for the mighty spell it holds over us.

The ocean is never still. We have never been able to guess what the wild waves are saying, but they are always saying something. They are never dumb, never silent.

The tides come and go. The billows chase one another in the everlasting game of hide and seek. The mighty currents go coursing along through the invisible depths in the perpetual play of blind man's buff.

The sound of the surge on the beach—now with the deep bass of the tempest, and now with the gentle lullaby—is unceasing. Day and night, winter and summer, through sunshine and through storm, the Sea must be busy—is busy.

Perpetual motion? Look toward the Sea and you will learn what it means.

And so again man finds in the Sea his counterpart. If the Sea is never still, neither is man's soul.

His mind is always thinking. His heart is always either loving or hating. His deep, mysterious soul is always hoping or despairing!

When night throws its mantle of darkness over the earth and the beasts of the field retire to their dens, man is not permitted to rest—for even in his sleep he must dream over again the thoughts of his waking hours.

"Break, break, break, on thy cold gray stones, O Sea!" cries the law of the waters; and it is obeyed. "Think, think, think, all

thy mortal life through, O man!" cries the law of human nature, and it, too, is obeyed.

The restless Sea and the restless soul—the one ever surging and rolling, the other ever thinking and hoping—both the visible setting forth of the tireless, deathless Energy to which we give the name—"God."

And because the Sea is such the soul loves it, seeing in it the emblem of that deathlessness, of that immortal energy and life, after which it longs, as the "hart panteth after the waterbrook."

It were well if the sea should not appeal to us in vain. It were well if its mighty voice should enable us to enter into the spirit of the poet's lines:

The world is too much with us; late and soon,

Getting and spending, we lay waste our powers;

Little we see in nature that is ours.

We have given our hearts away, a sordid boon!

The sea that bares her bosom to the moon; The winds that will be howling at all hours, And are upgathered now like sleeping flowers;

For this, for everything, we're out of tune; It moves us not. Great God! I'd rather be A pagan suckled in a creed outworn, So might I, standing on this pleasant lea, Have glimpses that would make me less forlorn,

Have sight of Proteus coming from the sea, Or hear old Triton blow his wreathed horn.

The Poor Suitor

By Dorothy Dix

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CUPID has inaugurated a new order in courtship. A girl, whose stern parent refuses to let her marry the poor, but worthy, young man of her choice, appealed to the courts, whereupon the judge appointed a guardian to administer upon her love affairs, with the happy result that she was given legal permission to marry her impecunious sweetheart.

This admirable precedent is not likely to be followed to any great extent. Romantic maidens will prefer to elope as heretofore. Girls of yielding dispositions will continue to let their mothers pick out their husbands for them as they pick out their hats, but if there could be some dispassionate and unprejudiced commission appointed to inquire into when parents are right and when wrong in opposing their daughter's choice of a husband, a great deal of trouble could be avoided.

Undoubtedly there are times—as when a man is drunken, or immoral, or even Take the case of a girl who belongs to plain no-account—when a father and mother are just as much bound to try to keep their daughter from marrying the man she is in love with, as they would to pre-

vent her committing suicide, if she had a tendency to kill herself, but there are hundreds of other cases where the opposition is merely based on difference of religious views, family pride, or lack of money, that are utterly unjustified.

And the chief source of opposition is poverty. It is the impecunious suitor who is oftenest persona non grata with his lady love's family.

Of course one may say that nobody can make a girl marry a man unless she wants to, and that the time is passed when she could be locked up in a turret chamber and fed on bread and water until she was willing to espouse the husband her parents had selected. That is true, but there are moral thumbscrews that are just as agonizingly effective as physical ones ever were, and nobody but the girl herself knows how often they are applied.

A good family that is poor. Her people have made sacrifices to educate her. She knows all the pinching economies that are hidden from the public. She recalls how often her mother's old black dress has been made over in order that she may have fresh, new ones. She knows the privations her father endured to dress her so she may go in good society.

Nobody puts it into words, but she knows as well as she knows anything that she is expected to marry rich, and that only by doing that can she repay her family for all the hardships they have undergone for her sake. She looks at her mother's tired face, worn with care; she sees her father's bent shoulders and the young sisters, whose own futures would be secured by her making a brilliant match; sympathy, gratitude, her duty to others, are all urged upon her, and she knows that if she goes her own way and marries the poor man she loves, she will be adding another sorrow to burdens that were already crushing, and so unless she has the moral courage of a hero and a backbone like a telephone post, she gives in and marries the man her mother wants her to marry, instead of the one she wants to marry herself.

One could better understand a mother's desire for her daughter to marry rich if the rich were invariably happy, or to make a brilliant marriage if brilliant marriages always stayed brilliant, but they don't. Riches have a way of taking wings, and we have all seen girls whose nuptials were celebrated with a splendor befitting royalty almost, returning home, heart-broken

and miserable, to take in sewing to support themselves. Indeed, looking at it as a simple business proposition, and with reference to a girl's future support, it is strange that it doesn't oftener occur to parents that the man who has held the same position in a store or office for a few years in succession and saved up a thousand dollars is a better chance that the gilded youth who never did a day's work in his life or made a dollar, and whose one star performance was being born a somebody's son.

Parents are justified in trying to protect their daughters from grinding poverty, but when they go further than that they go too far, and they have no right to object to the suitor who can offer a girl an honest heart, a clean bill of health and a willingness to work for her. He may have little else to give her. They may have to begin housekeeping in a three-room cottage or a boxhouse flat. They may have many years of toil and struggle and privation before them, but they will have love to sweeten it and happiness to gild it.

The most beautiful sight in America, and the one that offsets the hideousness of our divorce courts, is the middle-aged prosperous couples who have begun poor and

worked up together. They have scrimped together for the money for the husband to go into business for himself; they have economized to buy their first home; they have had every plan and hope and ambition and triumph together, and they have grown into a one-ness that those who have always been rich and prosperous never know.

It is the very flower and perfume of our hard-working, commercial national life, and the girl who marries a rich old man in order to have the pleasure of spending his money, instead of a poor young one in order to have the fun of helping him make his money, makes the mistake of her life.

Besides, fortunes change so rapidly in this country—the pendulum swings so fast—that the difference between marrying a man who has inherited a fortune and a poor, hard-working man, who has his fortune still to make, is almost a choice between whether you would rather be well off when you are young or rich and prosperous when you are middle-aged.

And before parents refuse their daughters their blessings and send the poor suitor about his business they should try to solve this conundrum.

The Mystery of the Moonlight

By Garrett P. Serviss

WHAT is the secret of moonlight? Will the surprising discoveries of hitherto unsuspected forms of radiation lead on to a solution of this mystery? That there does reside a mysterious power in the beams of the moon nobody can deny. One of the inexplicable experiences of human life is the strange charm exercised by the full moon when she rides high in a cloudless sky. Everybody feels it, acknowledges it, submits to it and delights in it. It can be no mere superstition, for learning does not banish it, and the most cultivated minds enjoy it as keenly as the most ignorant. The fire-light in an open fireplace has a wonderful

charm, but it differs from the charm of moonlight. It promotes talk, but the moonbeams awake the imagination which is silent.

A mixed party of men, women and children, sitting on a broad porch in the full moonlight, becomes a company of dreamers at the touch of the magic beams. Insensibly conversation ceases, a feeling that in broad daylight the more practical, hard-headed members of the party would contemptuously designate as sentimentality comes over every individual and takes possession unresisted. Gray-haired men and women drift back on this mystic sea to their days of youth and courtship. Their

fancies, which have been stifled and smothered so many years by the dust of hard, practical life, come trooping out again as bright and joyous as children released from confinement. The younger people have no need to go backward. They are now in the days when love rules, and under the moonlight lies its kingdom. Tongues that stammer or are silent by day or in the lamplight, speak now with eloquence which seems but a reflection of the silvered landscape. Yet all spoken words are low, subdued, musical, for the ear, like the heart, has become strangely vibrant, responding to marvelous spiritual melodies that arise from the charmed air.

What is there about the moon that can give rise to so potent an influence in its beams? If we ask astronomy to tell us what the moon is the reply comes, "A dead world, almost airless, and quite waterless and dried up." If we look at the moon with a powerful telescope we are struck dumb by the awfulness of its dead craters, and the fearful barrenness of its steep mountains and its broken plains. We can see no reason whatever why the sunlight reflected from its surface should exercise a resistless fascination when it falls upon the earth.

Perhaps the fascination is a subjective effect. It may be that there is no peculiar

quality in the moon's light that affects the human organism, and the phenomena which we perceive when the full moon is shining may really arise within ourselves, being suggested by the subdued nature of the moonlight and its contrast to the glare of daylight.

However this may be, the experiences of a night when the full moon shines and the air is clear are among the memorable things of life. On such a night in darkest Africa or Asia, no less than in civilized Europe and America, all hearts are thrilled with a power, the source of which seems apparent, though its nature is unexplained.

Health is Better Than Beauty

M. De Castellane

HEALTH! Supreme attribute which permits woman to struggle against the parsimonies of nature! A healthy woman, who is strong and takes good care of her body, can always hope, with the aid of style, to inspire love. The greatest service a mother can render her daughters is to give them good health. For, though a mother cannot always control the features of her children, such as to give them Greek noses or satin skins, she can always be mistress of their health and by a sustained system of hygiene and education, build them up vigorous constitutions.

In the United States, more than in any other country, this truth is appreciated. There is no other nation in the world the

sight of whose daughters gives the spectator such an impression of healthful energy. The reason of this is not only that the American, like all young nations, possesses a plentiful supply of the sap of youth, but also because of the great importance which is given in the United States to outdoor life and physical exercise.

"But," you will say, "you are preaching to converts." I know it. But I also know that American women often carry their passion for open-air sports so far as to sacrifice the adornment of their persons, and the art of coquetry to a desire for virility. In a word, they often forget that they are women, and thereby lose a portion of the advantage which they would get by an appearance of vigor.

Why, for instance, when they play tennis or row, do they feel obliged to don those frightful caps which give them the appearance of errand boys? Why wear knickerbockers when cycling? What is there charming about a woman astride of a horse under the pretext that it is safer to ride that way? The first thing we know all our daughters will be dressed like men, and we, their fathers and mothers, will have to ask them their names before addressing them in order to know whether it is to the boy or the girl that they are speaking. True, feminism lifts woman to man's level, but it does not attempt to disguise their sex!

These foolish disguises would merely make us laugh if it were not for the serious disadvantages which they entail. I cannot

insist too strongly upon the fact that this mania for masculinity is an important factor in attenuating the power of attraction which a strong, healthy woman would have for a man.

When you are unanimously declared, young ladies, to possess the freshness of the rose with the brilliancy of the carnation, you may step fearlessly into the arena and measure your charms against those of the most beautiful woman. It is not always they who carry off the prizes.

The woman who possesses a strong constitution has a powerful spell at her command with which to keep her husband's love. Wherever he goes she can follow—from one end of the world to the other; in the forests of mid-Africa or the deserts of

Siberia, she can be at his side, sharing his privations; being in every way his other half and forming with him an admirable whole! Would beauty, a tenderness, or a pleasant disposition assure them so complete and lasting an empire over the object of their love? It is doubtful.

Health may often prove to be the most powerful agent for happiness in a woman's life.

Let women cultivate their muscles and prepare themselves for devotion to outdoor sports for resistance against the intemperances of all climates; let them build up constitutions which will stand privation; let them conquer health. But, upon no condition must they imagine that they can ever be men.

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BUILD THE CANAL

Now that the time fixed by the president within which the Colombian government was to accept the offer of this government in regard to the construction of the interoceanic canal, has expired, it devolves upon the president to turn to the congressional act which left the matter in his hands for disposition. Strong influences are being brought against the construction of this canal. Collis P. Huntington, the greatest railroad man of his time, who pushed the tracks of a great railroad system from the rising to the setting sun, did not look with favor upon the construction of such a waterway joining the two oceans, as he saw in it a competition for the freight-carrying company which he controlled. With the distance between New York and Frisco shortened by the improvement on the isthmus which is proposed, the shippers would turn to the cheaper method of transportation, and the railroads would necessarily lose a great deal of the business which they now control. His opposition met with the favor of other men controlling railways and the influence of the railroad world has been turned against the project. Congress should see that this influence is unsuccessful in its purpose. If the president does not act in the matter with the diligence believed to be necessary, inquiry should be made to ascertain why.

It has been told in the press of the country, the republican newspapers speaking in criticism with those of democratic faith, that President Roosevelt has accepted certain courtesies from the railroads. Twenty-five trips have been made in special cars and special trains, the entire expense being borne by the corporations which are opposing the interoceanic canal.

Is the president thus influenced? Has he forgotten the necessities of the people, in the interest of corporations which gave him luxurious apartments in which to travel?

One trip in a special train was from coast to coast, occupying a period of 65 days and costing \$65,000. This amount is more than the United States pays the president for one year as executive.

Will this handsome present from the corporations persuade him to defeat the canal matter if he can?

Speaking of the benefits of the Nicaragua route, the Engineering News says: It is not to be doubted that the abandonment of the Panama route and the taking up of the Nicaragua route again will be accompanied by a new warfare against the Nicaragua route on the part of a certain section of the daily press. Yet the relative merits and demerits of the two routes were so carefully and impartially set forth in the report of the isthmian canal commission three years ago that there is little excuse for such intemperate utterances as are frequently found in print from the advocates of each side. The fact is, as every impartial student of the matter is aware, that a ship canal entirely satisfactory for all purposes can be made at either Panama or Nicaragua. Each has certain advantages and certain disadvantages, but the isthmian canal commission recommended Nicaragua at first rather than pay the excessive price originally demanded by the Panama Canal company for its rights.

The Memphis Commercial Appeal finds these benefits in favor of the Nicaragua route: Nicaragua is a healthy country; Panama is a plague spot where thousands of lives have already been lost. Nicaragua would allow sailing vessels to go through, while the doldrums at Panama would prevent it. The engineering difficulties at Nicaragua are not exceptional. The Bahia dam at Panama, according to the canal commission, would require ten years to build and it is an undertaking of exceptional difficulty.

Since the Spanish occupation, the earthquakes at Panama have been twice as numerous as those at Nicaragua. The Nicaragua canal is a virgin enterprise. The Panama canal has from the start been the biggest swindle the world has ever seen. At least \$200,000,000 was spent on it up to 1889, when only one-third of it was completed. A commission sent out by the French government estimated that it would cost \$342,000,000 to complete the canal; and in 1890 the receiver appointed by the French government reported that it would take as much as \$600,000,000 to complete it at sea level. Of course, the French engineers may have been mistaken, but their estimates are calculated to raise a mighty doubt as to the cost of

finishing this historical swindle. The last reason is that, being further to the south, vessels would have to go about 1,000 miles further to go through the Panama canal than through the Nicaragua canal.

These arguments have been shown from time to time, and the country is familiar with every one of them. It is not so much a question now of which route. It is a question whether the president will act as he has been instructed by congress. Colombia has declined to ratify the Hay-Herran treaty, by which the Panama route was selected. There is but one thing for this country, and that is to go to work on the other, and President Roosevelt should do so without delaying the matter to give the railroads another opportunity to fight it.

The canal would give the Southern states a great benefit not now enjoyed. It would make bigger ports and better ports on the gulf coast, and the South would enjoy a commercial privilege which has hitherto been the good fortune of those ports on the North Atlantic coast.

COTTON MANUFACTURING In an interview in The Telegram yesterday Mr. J. H. Connelley says the indication is that the southern states will soon be manufacturing all the cotton raised in the south, his basis for such a statement being the decrease in production because of the boll weevil and the increase of the southern mills.

Statistics show that southern mills takings are on the increase every year. Gradually the looms and spindles are moving to the locality of production, and where the experiment has been attempted it has proved successful. Mills make a good profit on the investment, and it is found that although the work is new in the south, labor must be educated, and local conditions must be adjusted to suit the new order of things, it proves to be a paying industry.

A review of the figures concerning the past season's crop of raw material makes it indisputably evident that the bulk of cotton goods manufacturing of this country is being speedily conveyed to the cotton-producing states. A few years ago the mills in these states consumed only about 20 per cent or one-fifth of the total amount of cotton consumed by American mills, while mills in New England consumed four-fifths. During the year just closed the percentages, while not yet reversed, show conclusively that the textile industry in other sections is but transient and is beyond the shadow of a doubt, steadily shifting its looms and spindles to this section. Of the total consumption of 3,968,364 bales by American mills, 2,000,729 were taken by southern mills, against 1,967,635 bales taken by mills in the north. Added to the above figures the 9,673 actual bales of foreign cotton, mostly Egyptian, taken by southern mills, brings the figure to 2,010,407, against the addition of 130,274 bales of foreign cotton consumed by northern mills, making their total 2,098,009. The close comparison of these figures should be sufficient to convince the most skeptical that the center of cotton manufacturing does move and the following table, which shows the takings by northern mills and actual consumption by southern mills of American cotton up to August 31 of each year for the past ten years, will show in which direction the center is moving.

Table with 4 columns: Year, Sou. Mills, Nor. Mills, Total. Rows for years 1894-1903.

Thus it will be seen that this section is now manufacturing over 50 per cent of its cotton as a careful investigation seems to show that every bale taken has in general been consumed and we have just crossed the dividing line and lead in the manufacture of cotton goods. That the above figures will show a vastly greater percentage in favor of southern mills at the end of next season cannot be disputed, for with over a million additional spindles now in the various courses of erection and which will be in operation within the next one hundred days, the figures cannot possibly show otherwise than a marked increase. We have passed the division of quantity and just so sure will we within the next few years, pass the division of quality.

The Eastern Argus of Portland, Maine, has issued a centennial number. That paper was first issued September 8, 1863, being founded to support President Jefferson and being an unwavering advocate of his principles. The first issue was but four pages. The anniversary number is fifty. It is yet working in the same line of political thought, and its daily issues are valuable contributions to the literature of the period.

The transcontinental railroads are opposed to the interoceanic canal. President Roosevelt has had twenty-five trips in special cars and special trains, the railroads paying the expense of the travel and providing all the luxuries of the table and buffet. Is this the reason the president delays action in the canal matter?

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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CLEANINGS FROM... THE EXCHANGES

We are glad of one thing: that is to see so many of the farmers in this district in favor of the new school building and better schools. They have studied the question from a financial and an educational standpoint and see that it is a good thing. The farmer should be in favor of a comfortable school building more than any other man. It is a well known fact that his children usually go to school but five months in the year, as they generally help with the crops until October and November. This puts them in school the very coldest time of the winter and if a comfortable house is not prepared they will lose much of their time, as they do not care to ride several miles to school in cold weather when they know they will be uncomfortable all the time they are there. A great many farmers are for the school—Collinsville Times.

Farmers should be for better school and better teachers. The boy and the girl in the country has very little opportunity to take advantage of the educational benefits afforded by the state and when they are in school they should have the benefit of sanitation and every comfort so that health is protected while the mind is being improved.

Two socialists have been arrested in Porto Rico for insulting the American flag. They called it a rag fit only to cover rascals and criminals. This gives the right of free speech, hasn't it? Doubtless the socialists became excited reading of the postoffice scandals.—Houston Chronicle.

The socialists were wrong. It is a "rag" fit to float over the trestle, the best and the bravest people in the world and to a people of that class owe allegiance. There are rascals and criminals serving under it and they can be found in federal departments both in Washington and in the Indian Territory.

In Dallas recently two men met, who are friends. One is Hon. Charles A. Culbertson, United States senator, an ardent admirer of William Jennings Bryan of Lincoln, Neb. The other is Judge Gaines of the Texas Supreme Court, and an ardent admirer of Grover Cleveland of Princeton, N. J. Judge Gaines decried on the virtue of the latter, and Senator Culbertson praised the former. Judge Gaines was rapturously enthused when speaking of Grover. Senator Culbertson said: Cleveland is a... Judge Gaines then remarked: "Bryan is a... at that, then," remarked Senator Culbertson, and since that time Bill Sterrett of the Dallas News has been "letting it go at that."—Denison Herald.

Now who will be the presidential nominee?

It is probable that San Antonio will adopt and put in force an ordinance against the "end-seat hog" similar to that in force in many other cities. The traction company, it is said, would find it difficult to enforce the rule to "move up" without an ordinance covering the matter and providing a penalty against those who refuse to conform to it.—San Antonio Express.

Why should such a regulation obtain? The man who gets there first ought to be entitled to whatever seat is vacant, whether it be in street car or theatre. The end seat is convenient and first come should be first served. The "end seat hog" agitation is foolish.

The Denison Herald has established a branch office in Sherman and will invade the territory of the Sherman papers. The Herald has the advantage of being the only daily paper published in its town, while there are two dailies in Sherman.—Terrell Transcript.

The Herald is a good paper and is getting better every day. Editor Thompson deserves all the success he is having.

One of the European scientists says that "there are no chateau or vineyard wines shipped to the United States." It is a well established fact that more champagne is drunk in the province of Champagne, France, than is raised and manufactured in that province. Newark cider is the substitute in this country for champagne.—Austin Statesman.

It don't matter what it is, it tastes good. Bring out another cold bottle of Newark cider.

Farmer Shaw is reported as absolutely insisting that ex-Governor Hogg shall make the race for the democratic nomination for attorney general. The ex-governor is reported as having reached the hesitation point. At the same time the announcement is made that the "storm tosse" has again taken up residence in the political center until the possibility of a race fairly launched. The Journal would like to see Hogg become a candidate, not because it believes his services are needed in the state but because it would afford opportunity for a thorough explanation of the relations of the Hogg-Swayne syndicate with Standard Oil. His candidacy would add zest to the campaign and it might also be educational.—Beaumont Journal.

There is a defy for Farmer Shaw and Former Governor Hogg. Answer it?

The wild west show headed by Frank James and Cole Younger is about to disband. A big row has been kicked up between Younger and James and the owners of the aggregation, things are in a bad way generally. The halcyon days of the highwayman are over, and the Wild West Library of other days belongs on the top shelf now.—Dallas Times-Herald.

The former bandits quit the show because they would not stand for the grafters. They are living honest now and they deserve credit for the effort they are making and the manner in which they show it.

"You can't buy that man, but you can fool him. That will yield the same results at a less expense" is said to have been the wording of a lobbyist's report to his company. Folks who have seen legislatures in

session express no surprise at the report.—Bonham Favorite. There is one folk who is making an effort to find out who can be bought and who can be fooled.

FEVER CROSSES THE RIO GRANDE

LAREDO, Texas, Sept. 26.—Jose Cortinas and Frank Kilkner died yesterday and the physicians pronounced the cause of their deaths yellow fever.

Laredo is using every effort to hold the fever in check. Every surrounding county, including Bexar, has quarantined against this city and the people have made up their minds to face the impending danger with courage. The situation in Nuevo Laredo has become worse in the last twenty-four hours. J. F. Kimball, vice consul at that place, was taken sick Thursday, but it is hoped by his friends that he has the disease.

The government experts, in company with the local physicians, held an autopsy on the remains of one of the fever victims here late last evening, and all concurred in the opinion that the disease is genuine yellow fever.

MCCAULEY STILL ALIVE

Negro Politician Has Slight Chance of Recovery From Wounds. DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 26.—At noon A. J. McCauley, the noted negro lawyer, editor and republican politician of Dallas, who was shot three times last night, it is alleged by his step-son, Andrew Tension, was still alive at the city hospital, but the doctors would not express any opinion concerning his chances of living. The bullet that entered the middle of McCauley's back has not yet been located. Andrew Tension is still at large. The state harmony republican meeting, called by McCauley for today in Dallas, has been indefinitely postponed because of the shooting.

TEMPLE STEAM PLOUGH

Has Been Found to do the Work Very Satisfactorily. TEMPLE, Texas, Sept. 26.—Joe Hollingsworth of Temple went to Eddy yesterday and installed a steam plough outfit on the O. Beard farm near that place. The field was a solid turf and had been for four years in Johnson grass. With a twelve-horse power simple engine and seventy-pound steam pressure, three sets of discs were pulled, cutting six inches deep and furrows seven feet wide.

FEDERATION OF WOMEN

Clubs Announce Their Policy for the Coming Year. SHERMAN, Tex., Sept. 26.—The Federation of Women's Clubs of Sherman, which includes several organizations each of strength, numerically and otherwise, has announced a vigorous policy along three lines, to wit: The beautification of court square, creating of a park, the general enforcement of the garbage laws and the city ordinances against cruelty to animals. They will appeal to both the city and county authorities to assist them.

A TEMPORARY CONVEYOR

Will be Erected to Replace Southern Pacific Loss. GALVESTON, Tex., Sept. 25.—It has been decided to build a temporary conveyer for the Southern Pacific elevator to replace the one destroyed by fire Monday afternoon. It is expected the new affair will be in operation within two weeks. Meantime it is proposed making arrangements for handling the grain shipments through some of the other elevators in Galveston.

NEW COMMERCIAL CLUB

Kaufman Business Men Meet and Complete an Organization. KAUFMAN, Tex., Sept. 25.—The business men of Kaufman met at the Citizens' National bank Tuesday night and organized the Kaufman Commercial club with about twenty-five members. J. J. Gibbs was elected president and G. B. Taylor vice president. The selection of secretary and treasurer was postponed until the next meeting of the club.

A WOMAN'S CLOSE CALL

She Stumbles In Front of a Train and Has a Foot Mashed. WINDOM, Texas, Sept. 25.—Mrs. F. J. Winkins, in attempting to cross the Texas and Pacific railway track in front of a moving train, stumbled and fell. She managed to crawl off, but was considerably bruised. Her foot was mashed, necessitating the amputation of some of the toes.

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Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson. TEN JURORS ON CASE Two Men Have Become Ill During Trial at Abilene. ABILENE, Tex., Sept. 25.—Another one of the jurors in the Merrill case has been taken sick, and had to be excused. The case is now being tried with only ten jurors by consent of both sides in the matter.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY

Alto Man is on Trial in District Court at Tyler. TYLER, Texas, Sept. 26.—The case of W. L. Spear of Alto, charged with bigamy, is now on trial in the district court. Spear eloped with a Miss Driggers of Alto several months ago and married her in this city. The young girl's father charges that Spear was already married, but not living with his wife.

DISTRESS AFTER EATING Judge W. T. Holland of Greensburg, La., who is well and favorably known, says: "Two years ago I suffered greatly from indigestion. After eating great distress would invariably result, lasting for an hour or so, and my nights were restless. I concluded to try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it cured me entirely. Now my sleep is refreshing and digestion perfect." Sold by druggists.

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THOUGH REPUBLICAN PARIS LIKE KINGS

NOTHING SATISFIES LIBERTY-LOVING FRENCHMEN SO MUCH AS A VISIT FROM SOME MEMBER OF ROYALTY

BY PAUL VILLIERS (Special Cable to The Telegram. Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.)

PARIS, Sept. 26.—No matter how democratic we have become Paris must always have its king.

Nothing or nobody is so popular in Paris as a real live king, no matter whether he comes officially or incognito.

Paris is not Paris if it does not contain a monarch. It is since 1789 that a king has possessed the attraction of the French people.

Between the past visit of King Edward and the approaching visit of the king of Italy, the king of Greece has spent a few days here.

He very conveniently filled up a vacancy, and Rue de la Paix was delighted.

King Leopold of Belgium and King Carlos of Portugal have, of course, been here, but they are almost as of ourselves, especially King Carlos, whose wife is French.

King Oscar of Sweden's imposing figure is also a familiar sight to all of us and almost as popular as the democratic King George of Greece.

At least once a year some Oriental potentate, as King Chulalongkorn or the Shaah of Persia of the sultan of Morocco, arrives in thousand and one night's splendor and departs as a shooting star.

At times we cannot boast of the presence of a king we have at least almost always a reigning prince here in the person of the prince of Monaco.

One might be tempted to say in the language of the cook books, "To make a good republic, take a few kings."

QUEEN WILL COME, TOO The postponement which the death of Pope Leo put to the visit of King Victor Emmanuel to Paris will have one happy consequence.

There is, in fact, nothing which prevents this gracious and beautiful queen from accompanying her consort to France.

It was said, and generally believed, that the fact that she was expecting an heir, and that for this reason she had to evade all excursions, prevented her from visiting this city in July, when her husband first thought of going to the metropolis of the world.

The expectation of an heir has not been realized, and the queen, who is very much in love with her husband, and does not like the idea of being separated from him, will now be seated at the side of the king of Italy at all the celebrations which have been arranged in this honor next month.

of these in this city, have taken pity for the poor flies and several complaints have been made to the above-named society.

Society in turn was equally moved to tears thinking of the torments put upon the poor insects, and was ready to step in and help the hapless flies.

This, however, the society cannot do if the flies are not declared to be domestic animals as long as the present charter does not allow it to extend its protective sympathy to wild beasts.

The question of deciding this will probably come up before the imperial court of arbitration, who will give an opinion as to whether flies are to be classed among hyenas, leopards and serpents or with canary birds, turkeys and watch dogs.

HIS BIRTH UNNOTICED The European press has passed by almost in silence the birth of a little prince who one day may make a great name for himself and go a long way towards solving that everlasting puzzle, the near eastern question.

At the end of last month the Princess Natalie, wife of Prince Mirko of Montenegro, gave birth to a son, who will very probably some day become the prince of Montenegro.

But on his mother's side he is the heir of the Obrenovitch dynasty of Serbia, for the Princess Natalie was a Mile, Constantinovitch, in whom, since the murder of King Alexander, are vested the right of that family.

It is quite possible that the baby prince, if he has any ambition, may some day unite the crowns of Montenegro and Serbia and restore that empire of the Serbian czars, of which so much has been heard of late.

At any rate his career will be worth watching.

A FLAG THAT IS LOST When Monetti Garibaldi, the son of the great patriot, died, the family wished that the flag which the "thousand" carried when they made their celebrated invasion of the Neapolitan kingdom should be shown at the funeral.

They therefore telegraphed to the mayor of Marsala, who was supposed to be the possessor of the relic.

The mayor replied that he had not got it, but that it was at Palermo; so the mayor of Palermo was telegraphed to.

COMMITTEE WILL VISIT TERRITORY Senators in Charge of Indian Affairs Leave Washington in October.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 26.—Senator Stewart, chairman of the senate committee on Indian affairs, in an interview yesterday, stated that preparations are being made for the journey of the committee to the Indian Territory.

LEAVE ABOUT OCTOBER 20 "Our purpose," said the senator, "is to leave here about the 20th of October, and spend probably ten days or two weeks there. We do not intend to go into a detailed investigation of all the alleged scandals which have been given so much prominence recently at this time.

He also replied that he had not got it, and said that it was in the possession of Signor Antonia Pelligrini, but that its authenticity was very doubtful.

General Canzio, one of the survivors of the expedition, said that the flag possessed by Signor Pelligrini is nothing like the real one, which was merely a tri-color of three pieces of cotton nailed to a staff.

At the battle of Catalini the standard-bearer was shot and the flag lost. It was said to have been captured by a Neapolitan sub-lieutenant, but all traces of it have now disappeared.

HE WANTS TO BE AN EMPEROR A dispatch from Lisbon to several English papers has again continued the report as printed in the Portuguese press that King Carlos is seriously thinking of becoming an emperor, not in the style of Monsieur Lebaudy of an empire of Sahara, but a real civilized empire in Europe.

The king, according to these reports, is anxiously waiting for the King of Spain to die, in which event he will immediately proclaim a union between Spain and Portugal and make himself emperor of a new state called Iberia.

There is only one serious difficulty in the way and that is that the King of Spain is a good deal younger than King Carlos and of a very vigorous and very robust constitution and shows absolutely no inclination to leave this world.

FRENCHMEN EAT OPIUM For some time the authorities of French China have been very much disturbed by the increasing use of opium among the French soldiers.

A few months ago the lieutenant governor of Cochin-China had to send on a circular order to all his subordinates in which he warned them against all the curses contained in the little copper pipe.

The order, however, has had absolutely no effect, and opium is consumed in larger quantities than ever before, and, what is worse still, it is even imported into France proper.

During the last colonial congress held in Paris it was pointed out that enormous quantities of opium were carried into France by way of the two great ports, Toulon and Marseilles, and that in both these cities numerous opium dens were in existence.

Since that time Paris has taken in large quantities of the deadly drug, and places where opium may be smoked have sprung up all over the city, as well in the poorest as in the most fashionable quarters.

The law as it exists now cannot stop this new scourge which threatens France, but a new league has been formed for the purpose of organizing all over France a strong fight against the deadly drug, which is exceedingly much more dangerous than alcohol or tobacco.

It is sincerely hoped that the next chamber will pass a law restricting the imports of opium and make it a serious offence to use opium in any form except upon the advice of a physician.

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