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RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR SEES KING EDWARD

GREAT BRITAIN'S MONARCH EXPRESSES SATISFACTION AT PROGRESS OF EVENT IN SETTLING THE NORTH SEA INCIDENT AND APPROVES METHOD WHICH HAS BEEN ADOPTED—AN INTERVIEW BETWEEN HIM AND COUNT BECKENDORFF IS CORDIAL ONE—BEARER OF A MESSAGE FROM THE EMPEROR TO THE KING

DETAILS SLOWLY WORK OUT

Draft of the Convention is Drawn, But It Must Go to St. Petersburg for Revision—Baltic Fleet Sails From Vigo After Several Officers Have Been Detached to Appear Before the International Commission When It Sits to Discuss the Dispute—Russia Fails to Notify England of the Officers Who Are Detached and Oversight Is Vexatious

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Count Beckendorff, Russian ambassador, was received in audience by King Edward at Buckingham palace this afternoon. It is assumed the ambassador is the bearer of a message from Emperor Nicholas. The ambassador had a cordial interview with the king, who, it is understood, expressed his satisfaction at the present method of settling the dispute. Up to the time he saw the king, Count Beckendorff had received no notification that a detachment of the officers from the Russian squadron at Vigo would attend the sessions of the international commission, nor had he heard of the sailing of the squadron from Vigo. The ambassador hoped, however, to receive without delay information concerning the officers detached.

REFORMS ARE PROMISED IN RUSSIA

Trial of Those Responsible for Anti-Jewish Riots Are Being Held in Open Court at the Present Time

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 1.—Russian papers devoting much space to trial at Gornel of those alleged to be responsible for the anti-Jewish riots in September last year. The thing is almost unprecedented. The Novost, Jewish organ, is especially gratified at the trial being conducted with open doors, declaring this marks a new era on the part of the government towards the Jewish question. Thirty-four representatives of the provincial Zemstva were summoned to St. Petersburg by Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky, minister of the interior, to participate in the consideration of peasant reforms in an assembly here November 14. The program is not yet announced except in a general way but there will be an exchange of views on necessities of local government and the matter of offering the peasants land reforms. The papers display greatest gratification, some saying they have waited over twenty-five years for this moment, contending the calling into a conference of representatives of Zemstva in connection with the land and peasant legislation is in effect beginning a land parliament.

WORK IS DELAYED BY VICEROY'S DEATH

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The viceroy of Nanking, Li Hsing Jiu, formerly minister to Japan, is dead, cables the Herald's Peking correspondent. He was recently transferred from Foo Chow because the former viceroy of Nanking was unable to settle upon a scheme for the improvement of the Wangpu river at Shanghai. Important work, already delayed three years, must now be further postponed. Li Hsing Jiu's alternative scheme for the Wangpu improvement was approved by the powers but France objects to the provision for reversion to the original scheme in case of failure.

CONVICTION AT WACO FOR MAKING TREASON

WACO, Texas, Nov. 1.—What is claimed to be the second conviction and penitentiary sentence for white capping ever recorded in the state was brought in yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock when Albert Bettis, charged with this offense, was found guilty by a jury and given two years in the penitentiary. Bettis was arrested about three months ago on a charge of sending threatening notices to negroes on the farm of L. C. Penry, a few miles north of Waco, the notices warning negroes to get out and stay away or they would be visited by dire punishment. An ex parte examination was held at the time, and Bettis was arrested, gave bond and was indicted later by the grand jury. The trial yesterday was not out a few hours and the jury was not out over twenty minutes. Bettis is a young white man who has been in this section a few years. The notices which were sent out by the whitecappers scared the negroes for a time, but they were reassured when the white people took the matter up and began suing it.

Nothing definite has yet been decided regarding the details of the international commission. Another cabinet meeting has been summoned for Wednesday to consider the Anglo-Russia convention covering the inquiry into the North Sea incident. The ambassador informed the Associated Press the departure of the squadron would naturally follow the detachment of these officers, in accordance with the understanding reached between himself and Foreign Secretary Lansdowne last week.

Lack of information vouchered by the officials to the British press regarding the causes of these delays leads to all kinds of scare suggestions of bad faith on the part of Russia, and tends to spread rumors for which it is difficult to find adequate reason. The government received a notification from the British consul at Vigo that the Russian squadron had sailed from there today. Some irritation is felt at the fact that the Russian government failed to previously notify the government regarding the detachment of officers. Ambassador Beckendorff is hourly expecting official advice and while the foreign office is obviously annoyed at not knowing officially whether Russia has carried out her part of the bargain, no serious consequences are anticipated. It is officially stated to the Associated Press that with the exception of the foregoing omission to notify the government, no hitch has occurred.

BALTIC FLEET SAILS

LONDON, Nov. 1.—A dispatch from Vigo, Spain, to a news agency here, says the Russian fleet sailed at 9 o'clock this morning.

HEAVY FIRING HEARD

VIGO, Spain, Nov. 1.—Heavy firing was heard in the offing this morning. It is attributed to artillery practice.

A QUIET NIGHT

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 1.—General Bekharoff reports the night passed quietly.

FIGHT IN MOONLIGHT

GENERAL KUROKI'S HEADQUARTERS, Oct. 31, via Fusan, Nov. 1.—The Russians took advantage of the bright moonlight last night to cannonade the Japanese from position on the left wing of the central army, but were repulsed after an action which lasted several hours. During which both infantry and artillery fire was brisk and continuous until daylight. The Japanese today, for the first time, replied to the Russian bombardment, which has been frequent for several days past.

DIVIDE THE MONEY

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—Rough estimates of the gate receipts of the Gans-Britt fight place the amount at about \$25,000. The pugilists will equally divide the share, according to previous agreement. Britt to receive per cent in the event of losing and 15 per cent if a winner.

BRITANNIA: "WAIT! NOT YET!"



AS TO POLITICS THE STATE LOSES

At Chicago Headquarters Republicans Say Parker Can Have Indiana and New York But That He Cannot Win

A POLL BY GOV. ODELL

While Admitting They Do Not Need the Empire State They Are Claiming That It Will Come to Them—Taggart Is Making a Hard Fight

(Written for The Telegram by H. Gillson Gardner, Special Correspondence to the Newspaper Enterprise Association.)
CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—With election day only a week off, the presidential campaign is still quiet, and the odds heavy that the republicans will win. Right or wrong, the impression is overwhelming at western headquarters that Theodore Roosevelt is as good as elected. This is in spite of anything that may happen in New York or Indiana. The latter state is today the most doubtful of the states which are classified in the "doubtful" lists. It is one of which democratic hopes are most sanguine. And it is still the one which gives the republicans most worry. But republican success is predicted without reference to Indiana and without New York. Reports from the latter state are more encouraging to the republicans of late, but it is not absolutely necessary to have New York to win. The republicans feel that their chances are so much better than the chances of the democrats in New Jersey, Connecticut, Delaware, Rhode Island and even in West Virginia that they can afford to be careless about New York and Indiana. For these states are all essential to democratic victory. Wisconsin and Illinois have been counted out of the democratic columns, and there is no very bright prospect of carrying more than two or possibly three of the intermountain states. Montana and Nevada will probably be found in the democratic column, and Colorado may go that way also. Idaho is about an even chance. But this would give but 11, with a possible 13, electoral votes for Parker, to be added to the solid south and the votes of New York and Indiana. But this would leave Parker short about 15 votes. The poll of New York state made by Governor Odell and his excellent machine has done wonders in raising the flagging spirits of the Empire state republicans. It is said to be one of the most complete and carefully made polls ever made of the state, and the totals are a surprise even to Chairman Cortelyou of the republican national committee. No one even thought of such a republican plurality as 95,000, which is what the poll promises—and the republicans are now even talking of carrying the state ticket with Higgins. This would be the severest blow possible to the Parker managers. If they do not elect their state ticket they will have to retire permanently from political business. But while democratic fortunes have been declining in the east, they have been having a corresponding rise in that important part of the west termed Indiana. It is estimated by Chairman Goodrich of the republican state committee of Indiana that no less than \$200,000 has been spent there by Tom Taggart up to date. The result is that Indiana has an organization such as it has not known for years—if ever. Practical politicians know that money is useless in a state without organization; on the other hand an organization may be comparatively useless without money. But given both, and the result is votes. The republicans have an organization, and money. But this is no more than they always have had. The element to be considered in making a prediction is the presence of money and an organization on the democratic side. That stay-at-home vote, and that floating vote, and that vote which will not go to the polls without the inducement of a carriage or a two-dollar bill is to play an important part in the Indiana election.

First of Cases Brought Against Railroads and Express Companies Is Heard and District Judge Sustains Defendants

ANTI-TRUST LITIGATION

Effort to Prove a Combine Because of Exclusive Contracts for Express Business on the Roads, Fails in Preliminary Hearing

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 1.—The state of Texas was knocked out yesterday by Judge W. L. Brooks in the Twenty-sixth district court in the case of the state of Texas against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company of Texas and the American Express Company, the court sustaining the defendant's general demurrer. This case, along with about forty others, was brought by the state against the different railroads and express companies doing business in Texas for the alleged violation of the anti-trust act of 1903 by making a contract for the exclusive handling of business, thereby destroying competition. About three months ago the defendant's demurrers were sustained but the plaintiff amended and yesterday the cases again came up for consideration, and after hearing the argument on both sides the court sustained the defendant's demurrers. This is a complete victory for the railroads and express companies as far as this court is concerned. The attorneys for the plaintiff immediately gave notice of appeal to the court of civil appeals, Third district. This case was made a test case and the decision of the court affects all the others brought for the same alleged offense. In the forty cases penalties aggregating nearly \$1,000,000 were asked by the state. J. B. Leavitt of Cuero and G. W. Allen of Austin argued the cases for the state, while the railroads and express companies were represented by Judge H. M. Garwood of Houston and Justice C. H. Miller of Austin. The court held that under the authority of the opinion of Justice Brown of the supreme court in the Shippers' Express case, the express and railroad rates being subject to regulation by the railroad commission, there can be no substantial restriction of competition by the contract alleged by the state to be in violation of the anti-trust act of 1903.

A NARROW ESCAPE IN ACCIDENT TO AUTOMOBILE

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—In an automobile accident at Piedmont Mrs. Victor H. Metcalf, wife of the secretary of commerce and labor, has narrowly escaped serious injury, according to an American dispatch from Oakland, Cal. She was with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bowles and Paymaster Littlefield, U. S. N. While on a steep incline the machinery gave way and the brakes failed to work. Suddenly the car began to run backwards and realizing the danger, Mrs. Metcalf jumped. An instant later the car backed into the bank and was overturned. Littlefield and Mrs. Bowles were thrown out, while the latter's husband was caught beneath the machine, which had to be righted before he could be rescued. Beyond a severe shaking up, none extricated.

CHOCTAWS FIRE ON HUNTERS

DENISON, Texas, Oct. 31.—J. A. Robertson, who is here today from Blue county, Choctaw Nation, reports that several hunting parties from Texas have been fired into by the Mississippi Choctaws, who have located on Blue river. Two persons have been similarly wounded. The Mississippi Choctaws say that they will allow no hunting in their country. They are all fullbloods and cannot speak a word of English. The officers have been notified of the situation. Last winter two Texas hunters were killed by Indians near the mouth of the Boggy, one of them had his eyes gouged out by a young Choctaw, a recent graduate of the Carlisle school.

WOMAN RECOVERS WHILE COFFIN IS READY

PARIS, Texas, Nov. 1.—Mrs. Hickman, living twenty miles northeast, supposed to be fatally burned several days ago, when her clothing caught from a stove, was reported dead yesterday. A coffin was secured and preparations for burial were in progress when the woman showed indications of returning life. A physician was hurriedly summoned and she was resuscitated, and today is reported to be in a fair way to recover.

ALL QUIET AT LARACHE

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—A French cruiser has received a message by wireless telegraph from the cruiser Lenois to the effect that all is quiet at Larache, on the coast where a band of rebels recently declared a siege, says a Herald dispatch from Tangier. The message would indicate that the besiegers have abandoned their purpose of capturing the town.

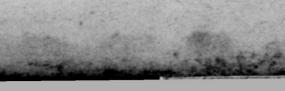
ENGLAND MOBILIZES FLEET DECKS CLEARED FOR ACTION

GIBRALTAR, Nov. 1.—It is reported that the garrison here is being held in readiness to take up its appointed positions on the rock at a moment's notice. The garrison has been mobilized and the artillerymen have been ordered to take up their positions at the different batteries on the rock. The channel squadron has been ordered to be in readiness at an hour's notice. British warships were strictly patrolling the straits all night long last night. They intercepted the collier London Bridge, bound from Barry to Port Said, and brought her in here at noon. 2:50 p. m.—Vice Admiral Beresford's flagship, the battleship Caesar, has just fired the gun recalling the officers of the channel squadron on board of their respective ships. All the ships are cleared for action. The preparations have caused disquietude as the regular mobilization terminated October 30. All quick-firing batteries have been manned this afternoon and detachments of infantry have been detailed for duty. The search light station is being strictly guarded.

parent in regard to the alarming telegrams from Gibraltar, but at the admiralty the movements of the warships there is stated to be the completion of the plans for mobilization, although at Gibraltar it was said that mobilization terminated last Sunday. There appears to have been some conflict in the orders issued to the fleet, owing to the sudden change in the diplomatic situation, which may possibly account for the fleet's movements. At both the foreign office and the Russian embassy it is positively stated that there will be no hitch in the negotiations, except in case of Russia's failure to notify the British government of the names of the officers detached from the Russian squadron.

VETERAN PUGILIST DIES

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—George Rooke, 62 years old, who at one time claimed to be middleweight champion pugilist of the world, is dead in a Newark, N. J., hospital. He was comparatively unknown to the younger generation of pugilists and sporting men in general but a quarter of a century ago he was a star in pugilistic circles. All his contests were fought with bare knuckles. His last fight was when he defeated "Paddy" Ryan in Chicago, twenty-five years ago.



REFUSES TO PAY TAXES TO THE STATE

Persons in Ochiltree County Who Buy Public Land Will Not Contribute to the State Revenue

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 1.—The comptroller is having rather an unpleasant experience with some of the tax payers of Ochiltree county, the result of which may cost the people of Ochiltree their county government, with all its attendant blessings. There are in the county a goodly number of citizens who have purchased land from the state, paying the usual amount in cash, and giving obligations to pay the balance in forty years at 3 per cent interest. They bought as actual settlers and are on the tracts and engaged in building homes. These persons refuse to render their land to the county assessor for taxation for some reason, and the commissioners' court of the county, who were appealed to settle the controversy, have sustained them in their refusal. These purchasers contend the land is not their property until it is paid for, and should not in justice be subject to taxation until final payment is made and patent issued. In other words, they contend that while they are using the land and making a living on it they should not be interfered with by the assessor, but allowed to use it for forty years tax free. The matter has been referred to the governor for action. Just what course he will take to protect the state is not known. The course of the county commissioners in the matter may force him to take steps to dissolve the county government.

NEW INCORPORATIONS

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—New incorporations during October in the eastern states reached a grand total of \$215,500,000 for companies capitalized at \$1,000,000 or more. Of this sum the new tobacco consolidation furnished \$189,000,000. Otherwise the total would have amounted to only \$26,500,000. This is close to the August figures of \$32,960,000, the low water mark for a number of years. However, not since May, 1903, when the total was \$20,650,000, have last month's returns been exceeded.

W. C. Stripling

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- \$9.00 Scotch Cheviot (pepper and salt effect), for **\$6.50**
- \$7.00 Scotch Cheviots, for..... **\$4.50**
- \$7.50 Gray Mixtures, for..... **\$5.00**
- \$10.00 Gray Mixtures, for..... **\$7.50**

OVERCOATS

- Overcoats that other stores sell for \$15.00; Stripling's price..... **\$10.00**
- \$16.50 Overcoats for **\$12.00**
- \$18.00 Overcoats, for **\$13.50**
- \$22.50 Overcoats for **\$16.50**

10c AND 15c HOSE FOR 5c

Hose and you will find them at this price in every store in town; 2400 pairs will be sold this week for 5c per pair.

MEN'S HATS

- J. B. Stetson's \$6.00 Hats for. **\$5.00**
- J. B. Stetson's \$5.00 Hats for. **\$4.00**
- Western Hats with a guarantee to each, **\$3.00** and **\$2.50**—as good as any.
- 50 Sample Hats worth \$2. for **\$1.00**

SAM ROSEN MAY EXTEND LINE TO THE WEST

There Is Much Talk of Longer Length of Rail for the Street Car Service Now Building in This City

Sam Rosen of the Rosen Heights street car line was seen this morning and asked

NEURALGIA PAINS.

Rheumatism, lumbago and sciatic pains yield to the penetrating influence of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates to the nerves and bone and being absorbed into the blood, its healing properties are conveyed to every part of the body, and effect some wonderful cures. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

If his company contemplated an extension of the line from its present terminus, about two miles from the packing plants. He replied that for the present the road would not be built further than its present terminus, or rather to the point to which the grading has been completed.

Another officer of the company, however, stated that there is considerable talk about extending the line, and that the matter is now under consideration, but that he was not in position at this time to talk regarding the extension, which he believes will eventually be made.

The plans at this time have relation with an extension to the Confederate park and thence to Mineral Wells, and that the road will at a future date reach out to these points is not doubted by even members of the company.

The Telegram has often referred to the project of building an electric line to Mineral Wells, and the subject has been so favorably received by citizens along the projected route that handsome subscriptions have been offered. Especially are the people of Mineral Wells deeply interested in an interurban road from Fort Worth. They say it will be a great thing for that place, besides proving a good investment to the company fortunate enough to construct it.

ing to projectors of the Mineral Wells road as a connection with it would probably be made.

Referring to this matter, Mr. Rosen stated he would have more to say later on.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

TRINITY 23, AUSTIN COLLEGE 6

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Nov. 1.—The first game of football for Waxahachie this season was played yesterday afternoon between the Trinity University team and Austin College team of Sherman. The visitors outwitted the home team, but they were inferior in the art of kicking the pigskin. Trinity is considered one of the swiftest teams in the state, and this was thoroughly demonstrated in the game yesterday afternoon. Steele made a dash of sixty-five yards around the left end of the visitors, making the first touchdown for Trinity in three minutes and two seconds after the first kick-off. Trinity's second touchdown was made by a long run by Steele. The visitors made only one touchdown and that was in the first half. Trinity made two touchdowns in the first half and one in the second. The game resulted in the following score: Trinity 23, Austin College 6.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

PUPIL'S VIEW OF THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE

Man Whom Parker Taught in District School Pays a High Tribute to Former Schoolmaster and Present Friend

B. D. Mendelssohn of New York, who is in the city today, was a pupil of Judge Parker's in the district school he taught before studying law, and talks most interestingly of the great jurist and his early life.

Mr. Mendelssohn, who was engaged with G. Y. Smith when seen by a representative of The Telegram, declares that the opinion which seems to be held even by some democrats that Judge Parker is not a man of the greatest power and mind is utterly unfounded.

"Take his record on the court of appeals of the state of New York, and judge from that of his ability," said Mr. Mendelssohn.

Speaking of the early life of the democratic nominee, he said, he first knew Judge Parker when himself a small boy, he attended district school at Accord, N. Y., his school master being Alton B. Parker. After teaching two seasons, Parker studied law with Judge Schoonmaker, a man of great ability and later a member of the interstate commerce commission. While still studying law, Parker was elected clerk of the board of supervisors, and a short time later became surrogate, a position corresponding to the county judgeship of this state.

During all this time he was known personally by Mr. Mendelssohn and his successive rises in the state service have spoken for themselves.

A letter from Judge Parker in response to nomination congratulations is one of the prized possessions carried by Mr. Mendelssohn.

"Parker is a quiet, modest man of great ability," was the way his former pupil summed him up in closing.

ARCHBISHOP DIES AND COADJUTOR SUCCEEDS

Passing Away of Father Elder Leaves Rev. Henry Moeller as His Successor in Office of That Diocese

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 1.—Archbishop Henry Moeller is receiving many cablegrams and telegrams of condolence on account of the death of Archbishop Elder. The bells of St. Peter's cathedral expended the hour from 6 to 7 o'clock this morning in tolling eighty-six times for the dead prelate. The celebration of All Saint's Day began with prayers for the dead at all churches, which were attended by unusual crowds at the early morning services and continued throughout the day.

The third archbishop of Cincinnati, Most Rev. Henry Moeller, D. D., was, until the death of Archbishop Elder, coadjutor and titular to Archbishop Areopoli. He was native born and was raised in Cincinnati. He attended the parochial school at St. Joseph's, and then went to St. Xavier's College. He went to Rome to enter the American College for his theological studies.

On June 10, 1876, he was ordained a priest by Msgr. Lenti, and he then returned to America. He taught at Mt. Saint Mary's Seminary, and then became pastor at Bellefontaine. In 1879 he became chancellor to Bishop Chatard at Indianapolis, but a year later Archbishop Elder called Dr. Moeller to be his chancellor and secretary, and for twenty years he occupied this position, being the closest companion of his superior until August 27, 1900.

Dr. Moeller was consecrated as bishop of Columbus and on April 27, 1903, received a papal bull from Rome appointing him coadjutor to Cincinnati, with the right of succession. Archbishop Moeller was born December 11, 1849. In physical appearance he is in direct contrast to the

deceased prelate. He is large and has an imposing stature, is a forceful speaker and a reserved man.

A SMUGGLER IS CAUGHT IN THE ACT

He Was Carrying Away a Bag Containing a Valuable Drug for the Treatment of Consumption

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Customs agents in Hoboken have arrested a longshoreman in the act of removing from a dock a bag containing 350 ounces of a drug used in the treatment of consumption, which is said to be worth in this country \$150 an ounce. The prisoner declared the bag was handed to him over the side of a steamer just in from Europe and that he was told to carry it immediately to an address in Manhattan, where he would be well paid.

Officials of the customs service are of the opinion that there is an organized gang of drug smugglers operating here largely in the manner described by the longshoreman. A duty of 25 per cent prevails on nearly all medicinal preparations and drugs, making the successful smuggler lucrative returns.

ENGINEERS QUIT COAL MINES IN ILLINOIS

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 1.—A special from Illinois points indicate less than 100 to 200 coal mines in that state are holding out today as results of the strike of the engineers which went into effect at midnight. The total number who deserted their posts of duty are about 800, and nearly 50,000 miners were thrown out of work as a result. The engineers do not look for an early settlement of the difficulty, which was brought about by the action of the Illinois Operators' association in cutting the wages of the holding engineers 5 1/2 per cent.

YOUNG MAN FOUND WITH BURGLAR TOOLS

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 1.—The body of James Hendrix, aged 22, one of the most prominent young men of Montgomery, was found on a shed over the American Bank this morning. Beside him were burglar tools, a stick of dynamite and in his pocket a pistol. He was killed while trying to cut an electric wire that ran into the bank. Hendrix had a splendid position, and there is great mystery surrounding the body and burglar's tools. It is believed he was used as a tool and others may be implicated.

PROCLAMATION FOR THANKSGIVING DAY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The president today issued his Thanksgiving proclamation setting aside Thursday, November 24, to be observed as a day of festival and thanksgiving by all the people of the United States at home and abroad.

HE DENIES THE ROAD IS TO BE ABSORBED

PEORIA, Ill., Nov. 1.—E. E. Leonard, whose resignation as president of the Toledo, Peoria and Western Railway Company, was announced yesterday, in an interview denies that the Pennsylvania lines will take over the Toledo, Peoria and Western.

PALMA'S SON IS HERE ON TRIP TO MEXICO

Jose E. Palma, eldest son of the president of the Cuban republic, was here yesterday on his way to Mexico from the World's Fair. He expects to remain in the republic two months visiting all the important cities for the purpose of studying trade conditions and also to create interest in a movement for free trade with Mexico.

"Though as yet but few manufacturing exist in Cuba, the trend of events show that they are coming," said young Palma. "Notably is this true with regard to sugar refineries with plants to handle the byproducts. Cuba is beyond doubt the greatest sugar-producing country on the globe, though heretofore its operations in that direction have been hampered more or less by adverse conditions with which planters had to contend."

"Now that these hindrances have been removed and invested capital may be assured of a stable government we look for an unprecedented era of investments."

The commerce of the island is increasing daily, says Mr. Palma, and he believes that the reciprocity treaty between the United States and Cuba has much to do with this. He says that the two natural outlets for the surplus products of the island are the United States and Mexico, and he believes that free trade should exist between these two countries and Cuba. He said: "Both parties to the agreement would be benefited for the reason that we can produce some things cheaper than our neighbors, while they in turn can send commodities to the island lower than any other nation on the globe. In the production of sugar, coffee, tobacco and fruits of all kinds we have no equal, and it would seem mutually advantageous to have a reciprocity treaty whereby we could secure necessities without exorbitant tariffs and in return ship the luxuries mentioned."

Mr. Palma says that Cuba needs immigrants and is making bids for them. He says: "We want the best class of immigration, and not the leavings of the European countries. The government recently appropriated \$800,000 to be used for encouraging immigration with a view to increasing the agricultural element on the island. More laborers are wanted—the kind who will take the pick and shovel and earn an honest living. Our republic is most friendly with the United States and Mexico, for we realize that with these two big republics the major portion of our business will have to be done. The people of Cuba have given up the idea of the United States means to grab the island because the attitude of this nation has been shown too plainly by recent acts on its part. The United States has always acted fairly with us and for that she will always have the undying gratitude of the Cuban people."

WASHINGTON FORECAST

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The weather forecast for the southwest is as follows: Arkansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and East Texas—Tonight and Wednesday weather unsettled and probably scattered showers; unsettled.

MINISTER FILES A SUIT FOR DAMAGES

PARIS, Texas, Nov. 1.—C. M. Threadgill of Coalgate, I. T., formerly pastor of the Centenary Methodist church here, through attorneys today filed suit in the Sixty-second district court against the Paris Daily News for \$30,000 damages, alleging libelous statements in articles published several weeks ago.

VESUVIUS IS ACTIVE

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Mount Vesuvius has again begun giving signs of activity, cables the Herald Naples correspondent. The crater is noiselessly emitting dense columns of dust, which the wind carries westward in such quantities that at Torre and Portici umbrellas are necessary.

RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE

Frank Kendrick, South McAlester and Amarillo railway postoffice, has resigned. Ferd Eisworth of Oklahoma has been appointed to the El Reno and Mangum railway postoffice.

Thomas L. Hopson of Madill, I. T., has been appointed to the South McAlester and Amarillo railway postoffice.

DOES NOT ACCEPT

HILLSBORO, Texas, Nov. 1.—County Clerk Mark Wington challenged Hon. Mark McLemore for a joint discussion today, but the challenge has not been accepted. The republicans say that

Tonight

Just before retiring, if your eyes are sluggish, out of tune and you feel bilious, constipated, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

And you'll be all right in the morning



PURITY QUALITY FLAVOR



Greenwall's Opera House

TONIGHT AT 8:15 Voelckels & Nolan's Greater BLACK PATTI TROUBADOURS Headed by Black Patti (Sistereth Jones), greatest singer of her race.

Wednesday Matinee and Night, Nov. 3. The big scenic comedy-drama, "A HIDDEN CRIME"

A thrilling drama of true heart interest and comedy. Matinee Prices—25c to any part of the house. Night Prices—25c, 50c, 75c.

Friday matinee and night, Nov. 4. W. E. Nankeville's great melodramatic triumph, "HUMAN HEARTS"

An idyl of the Arkansas Hills. The Acme of dramatic realism. No advance in price. Seats on sale for above attractions.

AN ARBITRATION TREATY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Secretary Hay and Ambassador Jusserand signed a treaty providing for a settlement by arbitration of any possible disputes between the United States and France. It is drawn on the lines of the Anglo-French arbitration treaty.

A STEEL INDUSTRY

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The government, according to a Herald dispatch from Valparaiso, accepted conditionally a proposal by a French company to establish a steel industry in Chile.

MRS. JAMES LOUGHRAY

The death of Mrs. James Loughray occurred yesterday at her late residence, 505 Bessie street, Glenwood. Mrs. Loughray was 49 years of age. Funeral services were held this afternoon from the residence.

"JOINTS" ARE CLOSED

BONHAM, Texas, Nov. 1.—The "frosty joints," or cold storages in Bonham closed yesterday. The tax on the sale of that beverage was too high for the income. There were four joints of this kind in Bonham.

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Best Greeley Potatoes, peck..... 20c	New Mince-meat, 20c kind, 2 lbs. 25c	Gallon Maple Syrup..... 75c	2-lb. E. J. Peas, 3 cans..... 25c	25c K. C. Baking Powder..... 15c
Best Greeley Potatoes, bushel... 75c	Sweet Cider, 60c kind, per gallon 35c	Olives, per quart..... 25c	3 cans Batavia Pumpkin..... 25c	10 bars Swiss Soap..... 25c
Best Pumpkin Yam Sweet Potatoes, peck, 20c; bushel..... 65c	New Crop Pecans, per lb..... 10c	3-lb. Cal. Apricots, can..... 12 1/2c	3 cans 3-lb. Tomatoes..... 25c	16 bars good Soap..... 25c
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Pure Leaf Lard, 10-lb. cans for \$1.00		2-lb. superfine Batavia Peas, can 15c		Evaporated Appricots, 2 lbs..... 25c
		2-lb. E. J. Peas, per can..... 10c		Evaporated Peaches, lb..... 10c
				Evaporated Figs, 3 lbs..... 25c

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Market Quotations

NORTH FORT WORTH, Nov. 1.—Receipts of cattle...

COTTON (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW YORK FUTURES (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW YORK SPOTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

LIVERPOOL SPOTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

GRAIN (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

STEERS (No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price)

COWS (No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price)

BULLS (No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price)

CALVES (No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price)

HOGS (No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price)

FOREIGN MARKETS (KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK)

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK (ST. LOUIS, Nov. 1.—Cattle—Receipts)

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK (CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Cattle—Receipts)

NEW CHARTERS FILED AT THE STATE HOUSE

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Southern Trust Company of Houston, Capital stock, \$100,000.

Zively Well Pulling Company of Beaumont, Capital stock, \$500.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN CABLE (LIVERPOOL, Nov. 1.—The following changes were noted in the corn and wheat markets today)

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS (CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—The grain and provision markets were quiet as follows)

NEW YORK STOCKS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

INSPECTION BY GOVERNMENT (Concerning the sale of diseased meat in this city)

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Embalmers made several Fort Worth people very sick during the past week, but none of them were as bad off as W. J. Logan.

Justice John Terrell this morning established the record for old age marriages in this county.

The groom was R. W. Callahan of this city, who lives at 804 Maddox avenue.

Callahan is well known in the city and despite his years is still most energetic.

Canadian railroads are offering as high as \$1.50 and \$1.75 a day for laborers for construction work.

Operator Kirk Craddock of the Western Union office at the Texas and Pacific depot is taking a vacation.

Deputy United States Marshal W. O. Thomas has gone up into the Panhandle county on a business trip.

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RAILWAY CONSOLIDATION

Governor James S. Hogg is still on the rampage so far as the consolidation of Texas railroads is concerned, and it may be confidently predicted that he will continue on the warpath so long as any schemes of that kind are on the tapis. Lately there has been some disposition manifested to question some of the governor's statements concerning the effect of consolidation and the following extract from his Decatur speech of Saturday will serve to shed some light on his contentions:

Governor Hogg declared the consolidation of old railroads with new railroads is wrong, is harmful to public interests and should not be permitted. He explained that when he referred to old railroads he meant those built prior to the passage of the stock and bond law, in 1893, 8,000 miles, and the new ones, the 2,900 miles, built since the passage of that law. He explained that the roads built prior to the passage of the stock and bond law received 25,500,000 acres of land, besides bonuses, subsidies, rights of way and franchises of untold value, and in addition there were issued bonds to the extent of \$265,628,959 on 8,977 miles of road that could be duplicated for \$150,000 a mile, or an aggregate of less than \$1,000,000. The lands at \$4 an acre that were given the railroads would amount to over \$10,000,000 over the value of the value of tax exemptions, free rights of way, town lots, private donations, county and city bonds and valuable franchises and actual construction of the roads cost the stockholders practically nothing. The bond issues aggregating \$265,000,000 were laid on the public at 75 per cent fraudulent and fictitious.

To prevent the railroads further fleecing the people and forcing the payment of freight rates based on fictitious values, the stock and bond law was passed. Under the operation of this law the reports show that the present outstanding indebtedness of the railroads of this state, averaging \$35,596 a mile, while the commission's valuation of them shows the actual worth to average \$18,129 a mile and the value of the companies, under their property for taxes averages \$8,483 a mile. It will be seen that through the operation of the stock and bond law the average value of the outstanding indebtedness has been reduced from over \$40,000 a mile to less than \$35,000, and that about \$33,000,000, which has been saved the public during the ten years this law has been in effect—a saving of \$8,000,000 a year through this one law alone.

At this point Governor Hogg declared that in twenty years the savings to the people through the operation of this law will be something startling. He urged his hearers to watch close and sacredly guard what they had gained. He declared that a few dozen non-resident speculators, police-buffers, horse-racers and future plungers, like sappers and miners are working to get around and destroy this law to the end that their bond thrashers may grind on and on with its constant flow of gold to enrich their coffers and support their wild extravagance from the resources of Texas.

Governor Hogg declared that in the past this law has been greatly circumvented and thwarted by special acts of legislation, and they expect to further thwart this law by merging suburban lines, or trunk lines, by special laws authorizing new ones, by merging interurban or electric railways with steam railways, and by authorizing railway companies to extend the time of payment of their bond debts, over \$35,000,000, which will become due in the next eight years.

He declared that every merger bill that has been passed has resulted in the public getting cheated and swindled. He cited the case of the absorption of the 105 miles of the Austin and Northwestern, having a bonded and stock indebtedness of \$7,819 a mile, with the Houston and Texas Central, having a bonded indebtedness of \$50,877 a mile, whereby the Austin and Northwestern was immediately loaded with a debt of \$43,958 per mile and a great injustice done the people living along that line.

Governor Hogg gave the following five reasons how the consolidation affects the public. They were: 1. That by letting an old line, or one with a heavy indebtedness, absorb a new one, or one with light debts, the people through whose section the new road runs are forced thereby to pay what they do not owe.

NOVEMBER 1904 calendar with a decorative border and a central illustration of a woman in a long dress.

Gleanings From the ... Exchanges ...

A smooth-tongued scoundrel enticed a young girl from her home in Waller county a few days ago to Houston, where a fictitious marriage ceremony was performed. Then, of course, followed desertion, leaving in its wake a wretched home, a ruined woman. Two of the girl's brothers followed the scoundrel to Haltsville, Texas. A fresh mound in the graveyard and a new face in hell, is the Texas way of doing things, and a mighty good way it is, too.—McKinney Gazette.

While the Texas way of doing such things may seem a little harsh to those who place small estimate on woman's honor, yet it must be regarded as the proper procedure under such distressing circumstances. The man who thus despoils a woman of her greatest jewel deserves the death that is usually meted out to him.

John D. Rockefeller told his son's Sunday school class that the poorest man in the world is the man who has nothing but money; he can get a lot of gratitude if he gives it away.—Houston Chronicle.

It will be readily noticed that Mr. Rockefeller is not satisfied with poverty as he defines it, but is steadily trying to grow poorer all the time by grinding more wealth out of the people.

President Roosevelt felt at the time of the Tyler trial that the verdict of acquittal was given on account of the age and infirmities and tears in court of the old offender, and so refused to congratulate him on his acquittal or write him a note of sympathy over his trial. That opinion the president has not changed, and so long as he is of that opinion there are not democrats enough in the country to make him falsify his record. The refusal is being used to brand the president with as a vindictive persecutor, but the crusade against graft in the public departments was entered into honestly by the president and he stands pat on his record. His next four years will find all the departments and grafts thoroughly purged out.—San Antonio Light.

Democrats are not blaming the strenuous one for his activity in investigating the postal scandals. On the contrary, they are anxious to assist him in turning all the rascals out. In fact, they are so anxious in the matter they are willing to see the president himself included in the number that walk the plank.

Terrill will be in the automobile races at the San Antonio fair tomorrow, being represented by E. H. R. Green's fine ten-horsepower Renault. Five machines from Dallas will also be in the running. There are also some fine automobiles in San Antonio, and altogether some lively races are anticipated.—Terrill Transcript.

THE YELLOW HOLLY

BY FERGUS HUME, AUTHOR OF "THE MYSTERY OF A HANSON CAB," ETC. Copyright, 1903, by G. W. Dillingham Co.

George Brendon attends social gathering of shabby London gentility at Mrs. Jersey's boarding house, with his friend Leonard Train, a boarder in the house. His object is to learn from Mrs. Jersey Jersey's supposed knowledge of his birth. Mrs. Jersey had ordered during the night. Twigs of yellow holly which Brendon wore in his buttonhole (given him by his sweetheart Dorothy Ward) found by Train, beside cold body. Inquest reveals nothing. Train and Brendon have slept together and though Train can not reason out how Brendon had passed out of the room during the night (because Train had locked the door in a way that Brendon could not get out) he suspects Brendon guilty of the murder. Dorothy's mother, who hates Brendon and looks on his suit for Dorothy's hand with disfavour, speaks of yellow holly in Brendon's presence. Brendon claims he is grandson and heir to Lord Derrington, but the latter denies claims because of belief that Brendon's mother's marriage had never been recorded. Lola Volsey, a music hall dancer, loves Brendon because of service performed for her. Lola learns of Brendon's love for Dorothy and confesses that she has hired a detective, Bawdsey, to track Brendon. Brendon, who Lola fears Brendon's success in proving his birth will draw him from her. At a dinner party given by Mrs. Ward, Derrington meets Brendon for first time, the latter thinking the former knows him not. Train is present and while Brendon and Derrington are testing each other Mrs. Ward draws Train's story of the night of murder and Train's conclusion of Brendon's guilt and the story of finding of yellow holly at side of body. Train inadvertently confesses Brendon was hired by her to watch him. Secrets revealed to Brendon by Bawdsey. Tells Brendon he is apt to be arrested charged with crime, if he doesn't leave the country. Claims Lord Derrington and Mrs. Ward are both anxious to have him leave the country. The detective tells Brendon how Mrs. Ward got information and also accuses him of crime. A passage way is discovered. There is a discussion by the two of Brendon's birth. A call is made to Lord Derrington with good results. Two meet in the park where they are convinced Derrington that he is as smart as himself. Both admit being in the house on the night of the crime. Derrington admires Brendon and decides to make him his heir. The old lord advises Mrs. Ward to talk to Dorothy, Vane and Mrs. Ward go to see dancing of the Spanish woman. A discussion when Lord Derrington joins the party arose as to who sent the yellow holly. Dorothy dreams of Lola and goes early to the park where she sees her. Lola makes demands of the other. They are refused. Lola then disappears. Bawdsey can't find her. The search is in vain. Brendon wants to see Bawdsey who killed his father. He is referred to Roger Ireland. The crime in San Remo is connected with the murder of Mrs. Jersey. Mrs. Ward goes to see Lord Derrington. Dorothy waits in brougham outside. Brendon and Lola had gone to see Derrington. The two drive in the park. Lola is discussed. In meantime the lord and Mrs. Ward discuss marriage of Dorothy to Vane. The two fall out in the discussion and each goes through to the other to tell what they know of the whole affair. Looks like the two had made for themselves a pretty mess.

(Continued from Yesterday.) It was quite a banquet, for Derrington lived in a most expensive manner. The table was a round one, laid with exquisite taste, and was placed under a kind of velvet tent, which shut off the rest of the room and made the meal particularly cozy. It was perfect, and after the somewhat stale food of his lodgings George enjoyed the meal greatly. Derrington himself did not eat much, but he took great pleasure in seeing George enjoy his viands.

After the dinner, during which the old lord was confirmed in his good opinion of George, he said: "There's coffee in the library, and we can talk over our cigars. Up I get, George, your arm."

He not only asked for it, but took it with marked pleasure. The footman in attendance returned to the servants' hall to state that the "old devil" (the domestic name for Derrington) had quite taken to the new young gentleman. Meanwhile Brendon was seated in a comfortable chair enjoying one of the best cigars he had ever placed between his lips. At his elbow smoked a cup of Mocha, and in the chair on the other side of a roaring fire of sea timber smiled Lord Derrington. He looked a grim and determined old gentleman as he bent his shaggy brows on his grandson.

George was very comfortable and also felt grateful for the kindness which his grandfather was showing him. At the same time he felt as though he were acting wrongly in hobnobbing with a man who persistently blackened his mother's memory.

"I suppose you wondered when you received my invitation," said Derrington. "I did, sir. I wondered very much." "And you felt inclined to refuse." "I had almost made up my mind to."

"Why did you change your mind?" George pondered and looked again at his host's shoes. "Well, sir," said he, after a pause, "I thought that after a dinner we might come to understand each other better, and I am anxious for peace."

"And for recognition of your birth." "Naturally. The one included the other."

"Does that mean you will fight till you get what you want?" "Yes," said George curtly and then closed his lips with a firm determination to give battle if necessary. At the same time he felt it was rather awkward after eating Derrington's food. A sudden impulse made him rise. "What's the matter now?" asked Derrington, not moving. "Well, sir," burst out Brendon, "I have a feeling that we are going to quarrel, and in your own house, and after that very excellent dinner I don't want to behave rudely. It will be better to postpone this talk."

Life a Burden

There are times when life seems a burden—when you are tired, worn-out, have dull pains in the head and a continual feeling of uneasiness. You have no appetite, and your digestion is poor; your sleep broken, and you get no rest. Little annoyances seem great mountains of trouble, and you are blue, melancholy and given over to gloomy forebodings.

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"You are perplexed," he said quietly. "I thought you would be. To explain myself clearly it will be better to tell you the whole story from the beginning." "What story?" "The story of your mother's marriage and of my quarrel with your father. Do not be afraid. I shall say nothing to hurt your pride. But I fear Percy was not overburdened with brains. He was gay and thoughtless and thriftless. Your talents, George, come from your mother. She must have been a remarkable woman."

"However, to continue," pursued Derrington, pushing away his empty cup, "Percy saw Miss Lockwood, he fell in love with her, and finally he eloped. I wrote him a letter saying he was to return or I would never see him again. He declined to return and remained on the continent with his wife. I never did see him again," added Derrington quietly, "for three years later he was murdered at San Remo."

"In his letter to you did my father say he was married?" "He did, but at the time, as he did not say where the marriage was celebrated, I thought he mentioned it out of obstinacy." George colored. "I don't see why you should have so misjudged my mother," he said hotly. "Admitting that she was not born in the purple, she was in a good position and had no reason to run away with my father."

"She was in love with him, I believe." "Even then she would not have eloped unless it was to be married." Derrington nodded. "You are perfectly right," he said. "I tried to disbelieve in the marriage, but in my own heart I knew there was one. I have behaved very badly, George."

"You have, sir. But as we are now reconciled the less said about the thing the better. You are quite sure you do not know where the marriage was celebrated?" "No, George, I do not. After the death of your father I tried to find out, but it was impossible. Had I really seen the register of the marriage I should have acknowledged you as my heir. As a matter of fact," added Derrington, with a burst of candor, "I did not trouble much to search, as I feared lest the marriage should be verified."

George wriggled in his seat. "Let us say no more," he said. "Very good. I have confessed my sins, and I have received absolution from you. At the present moment we will leave the murder of your father at San Remo alone and come to the appearance of Mrs. Jersey in my life. You were with your grandfather Lockwood in Amelia square. I had constituted my second son my heir, and I had relegated to obscurity the escapee of my son Percy. All was nicely settled, in my humble opinion, when Mrs. Jersey appeared to make trouble. That was eight years after your father's death."

"Where was she in the meantime?" "I cannot say. She told me nothing of her history, but from a word or two which she let slip, I believe she must have been in the United States. Why she went there from San Remo or for what reason I cannot say. She came here to see me—we had an interview in this very room—to demand money."

"What threat did she make?" "She said that she knew where the marriage was celebrated, adding that if I did not give her an annuity she would go to Lockwood and help him to prove that you were my legitimate grandson and heir."

"Did she say if the marriage was celebrated in England or abroad?" "No, sir. Mrs. Jersey was a remarkably clever woman, and if my son Percy had married her she would have made a man of him."



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RAILROAD NEWS

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PASSENGER AGENTS BACK

General Passenger Agents Auer and Gleason of the Rock Island and Denver, respectively, have returned from attendance at the meeting of the Trans-Continental Passenger Association at St. Louis.

BAGGAGEMEN OUT

Effective today the position of baggageman on the Houston and Texas Central has been abolished, following in the steps of the other roads, and hereafter the baggage will be handled by the express messengers, who will be paid jointly by the railroad and the express company.

ALASKAN EXCURSIONS

Chairman Charlton of the Trans-Continental Passenger Association has sent out notices to the members of the association of a series of Alaskan excursions to be given in connection with the Lewis and Clark exposition. Steamers will sail from Tacoma, Seattle and Victoria right into the heart of Alaska, visiting Douglas City, the Treadwell gold mines, White Pass Summit, Davidson, Taku and Windham glaciers, and Father Duncan's Indian settlement on Annette Island, where his flock of 1,000 braves op-

erate canneries, saw mills and other industries.

HOLDING UP DECISION

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 1.—The railroad commission is holding up its decision in the case of the alleged consolidation of the Fort Worth and Denver City and Colorado Southern railroads, on account of the multitude of other things demanding attention.

The commission has not stated what its final action will be, but it is generally believed they will instruct the attorney general to institute to forfeit its charter.

The commissioners believe a practical consolidation of these lines has been effected in violation of the laws of Texas, and they would not have voted against the consolidation had been accomplished, and the attorney general holds that the consolidation has been made and so advised the commission, and upon these hypotheses the opinion is based that the Denver people will be proceeded against.

NO REPORT YET

AUSTIN, Nov. 1.—Commissioner Allison Mayfield, who spent several days last week investigating the complaint of the citizens along the route of the passenger service of the Texas Mexican railway from Corpus Christi to Laredo, has made no formal report to the commission of his investigation, but it is learned from a reliable source that he will sustain the complaint.

The gross earnings of this road last year according to its report to the commission was about \$15,000 per mile, which would seem to indicate that the road was financially able to make such improvements as first-class traveling accommodations demand.

A NEW ROAD

AUSTIN, Nov. 1.—The attorney general yesterday approved and the secretary of



The youth of Fort Worth and vicinity had a great time last night. All the pent up energy of the past twelve months was turned loose. The telephones at the city hall were kept busy with all sorts of calls for the assistance of the police and for several hours the officers were having a very busy time. This morning when an invoice was taken of the numerous affairs reported it figured out considerably. The police, however, were lenient with the majority of the offenders caught, for they, too, were once boys, and after giving the youthful offenders good lectures they were sent home and admonished not to do it again. Of course, the boys won't until next year and then it will be the same story over again.

A HALLOWEEN PARTY

A successful Halloween party was given last evening by Miss Conkling in the Fort Worth University chapel. About thirty students were dressed in representative costumes of different nations, the other students attended in a body.

The girls drew their partners by lot and the Witch droned the jingles: Rich man, Poor man, Beggar man, This Lawyer, Doctor, Merchant Chief, Chinaman, Spaniard, Farmer, Pop, Indian, Dutchman, Soldier, Cop.

A woman who had gone out walking in the early part of last night with a little child was hit on the temple with a rock which was meant for some one else. The woman was not seriously hurt and fortunately, too, for the party throwing the missile never meant it for her, but for a window. This happened on Taylor street about 9 o'clock in the evening.

At some places the youthful trouble makers turned on water hydrants and state recorded the charter of the Peach River and Gulf railway company. This line as projected commences at Willis in Montgomery county and terminates at the crossing of the Texas and Pacific, a distance of about 100 miles. The capital stock of the company is \$100,000, and those who are projecting it are A. W. Miller, C. S. Vido, R. Waverly Smith, B. L. Sparks, C. H. Moore and Maxey Stewart of Galveston; James G. Beryhill, Des Moines; W. S. Sloge, S. A. Lincoln and E. S. Henrich of Alton, Iowa, and M. M. Riener of Timber, Texas.

OPEN TO BROWNSVILLE

After having been reverted to her former isolated state for a period of five weeks, Brownsville is again in communication with the outside world and through trains are again leaving the depot of the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railway for Corpus Christi, where connection is made for all points north and east.

Suspension of train service on the lower portion of the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railway was occasioned several weeks ago, when the high waters of the Rio Grande formed a junction with the Arroyo Colorado, carrying away the steel across the latter stream on the mile south of Harlingen. The work of repairing the damage was promoted as speedily as the waters in the Arroyo receded and now the entire line is reported to be in good condition for traffic. Authentic reports from the section indicate that little or no damage to farm lands or property has resulted from the recent high water, but to the contrary that actually in the direction of agricultural and industrial development in that promising section has not been retarded in the least, but is even now progressing with renewed vigor. New settlers are constantly taking up new land in the valley and making extensive preparation for next year's crops.

GALVESTON-DULUTH LINE

BONHAM, Texas, Nov. 1.—Colonel Ed D. Steger has returned from Dallas, where he had been to hold a conference with Colonel John N. Simpson, looking into the details of the arrangement in which Colonel Simpson is to go to Paris, France, to take charge of the financial end of the Galveston-Duluth railroad proposition.

Colonel Steger has received information from his French associates in this mammoth deal that everything at that end of the line is in readiness, and in company with Colonel Simpson will leave the 15th for Paris to complete the negotiations. Colonel Steger will return to America at once and will bring with him three million dollars, which he will deposit in the local banks, to be used in starting the work on the proposed line, which will begin in about thirty days.

Associated with Colonel Steger in this deal is G. M. Grigsby of Longview, who is represented to own about one hundred miles of railroad in the southern portion of the state, which it is stated will be a part of the new line. Just what line of road this is, the writer is not yet advised, but the facts will be made known at the proper time.

It is further stated that Mr. Grigsby is an extensive railroad construction contractor, and owns a thousand railroad scraper teams and outfits, which he will put to work on the line here soon as the surveying starts.

Colonel Steger has made his formal proposition to the people of Bonham and Fannin county to locate the general offices and machine shops here, and has been assured by local parties that his proposition will be accepted, and to that end preliminary arrangements are now under way.

Plans for the eight-story office building, to be located near the D. B. and N. O. railroad, are now being proposed by the architects. This building will be constructed of Bonham white brick, and will cost several hundred thousand dollars. Work on this building will begin not later than January 1.

took away buggies and gates, but the most of the latter were reported as having been easily found this morning. Windows were broken at several places and in those cases where the parties were known who did the deviltry, warrants have been issued and today service is being had on them. Altogether the boys of Fort Worth had a swell time, and the police will tonight tighten the screws on them, if they attempt to observe the Cabbage night, which in all well regulated communities follows Halloween.

A FATAL CLIMAX

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—As the climax of a Halloween prank William Sears, 33 years old, was mistaken for a thief early today and was shot in the back and instantly killed by Policeman Nichols Smith.

Sears and Frank McKune, 18 years old, were passing through an alley when they were seen by the policeman. They carried between them a basket, calling to them to halt the policeman says they paid no heed to him. After repeated calls Smith fired and Sears fell, while his companion disappeared shortly afterward. He said that he and Sears had been playing Halloween pranks in the neighborhood, but he failed satisfactorily to explain why he ran after being called upon to halt.

COUNTY COURT MATTERS

Judge Milan disposed of the following cases: James Lawson, charged with theft, was fined \$1 and ten days in jail; on a plea of guilty Georgia Mum, charged with aggravated assault, was fined \$25. Travelling Passenger Agent Hughes of the Texas and Pacific was here yesterday afternoon.

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TAX PAYMENTS BREAK RECORDS

Receipts at the city tax office yesterday were the greatest in the history of Fort Worth, a total of \$41,201.06 being added to the city's revenue as a result of the last 2 per cent discount day.

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PLAIN TAXES MAY DEFEAT ROOSEVELT IN WEST VIRGINIA



W.M.O. DAWSON IS REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF WEST VIRGINIA, AND JOHN J. CORNWELL, THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE.

(By Jacob Waldeck, Staff Correspondent to the Newspaper Enterprise Association.)

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Oct. 30.—Three great battles are involved in the political campaign in this state. They are for the national ticket, control of the state administration and United States senator. And the greatest of these is not over the glorious array of patriotic, moral and economic questions presented in the national platforms. It's taxes. Common taxes, of the kind people pay at the treasurer's office. That issue overshadows everything. Men are far more interested in their relation to the tax duplicate than they are in the Filipino and the tariff.

Roosevelt is exceedingly popular. The state's great manufacturing interests that favor a protective tariff. On a straight fight, the president would go through by a big plurality. As things stand he will probably carry the state by a small plurality.

The democratic candidate for governor seems to have a strong lead over his opponent, while the legislature is very much in doubt.

Republican managers admit that they have been hard hit by the tax issue. They add, though, that their troubles have come mainly through misrepresentation of the new republican tax laws by the democrats. They say the people are now beginning to see the laws in a new light.

can see what your taxes have been, and what they are under these new republican laws.

It looks as plain to the farmer as would be the feeling of pain if a building should fall on him. Then the orator takes up the republican claim of reduced tax rate and insists with quotations from the constitution and various other authorities that there has been no real reduction of the tax rate; that the farmer is going to pay just about three times as much taxes as in the past.

Hundreds of republican business men are opposed to the republican candidate because of acts performed by him in his capacity as secretary of state. In the efforts of these men and many other republican bolters of vote for Cornwell and Roosevelt, the votes will be entirely lost, because of the complex voting requirements in this state.

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Under the new republican plan, feeling most interest in the tax question and fearful of losing their ballot, will vote the democratic ticket straight.

A strong fight is being made by the democrats on the proposition that there should be a direct tax on the oil, gas and coal produced in the state. Republicans claim that the new law taxing those lands at their full value constitutes a fair system of taxation. The democrats retort that under this law the burden of taxation falls on the oil, gas and coal companies developing the wells seven-eighths. Under this new law the owner of the land pays all of the tax. If the product were taxed then seven-eighths of the amount would be paid by the corporation. Coal lands as a rule are owned by the companies developing them, so that the question of whether the tax shall be on the property or on the product does not cut so much figure. In McDowell county land now listed at \$4 will be raised to \$2,000 an acre.

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SENATOR N. B. SCOTT. His Re-election to the Senate Depends on This Fall's Election.

territory was taxed simply as agricultural and timber land. Within a few years it dawned upon the people that a tremendous amount of wealth was being taken out of the state without paying tribute to the tax collector. Tax reform became an important question.

Last spring the republicans were so divided in a bitter fight for the governorship nomination that it seemed probable the party would split and two tickets be placed in the field. W. M. O. Dawson, the candidate of one faction, is said to have promised in case of his nomination and election to bring about a reduction of tax on land and increase the burdens of corporations. Charles F. Teter, his opponent, made general promises of a just system of taxation, but his candidacy was supposed to be favored by the corporations. Republican leaders seeking to avert a split in the party caused the governor to call a special session of the legislature, and secured the enactment of tax reform laws. These laws provide that farms which have heretofore been assessed at one-third their value at forced sale, shall be assessed at full value. They provide for the increased listing of personal property and for new taxes on foreign corporations and public service corporations sufficient to pay the expenses of the state. In order that the county authorities might not squander increased revenue the legislature reduced the maximum tax rate.

Therefore the republican argument is that, while the property appraisal is higher, the tax rate will be so decreased that the money paid by the farmers in taxes will be a smaller amount than in the past. To make this plain to the farmer, of course, involves rather a long and complicated argument.

The democrats have a snap. The orator arises in the district school house and calls upon any one of his audience to tell the value at which his farm is assessed. A man may answer that it is \$10 an acre. The orator writes \$10 on the blackboard. The orator then asks the man how much he would take for his farm. The man may answer about \$20 an acre. The orator writes \$20 under the \$10.

"There," he says triumphantly, "you



SENATOR STEPHEN B. ELKINS. He is Supporting the Republican Ticket Under Hardships.

and that on election day the majority will be with the entire republican ticket.

Democratic leaders are very confident that John J. Cornwell, their candidate for governor, will win. They are hopeful that his plurality will be large enough to pull through the national ticket.

Both sides are well equipped with money. The purchasable vote is large and the buying of it in some districts open and shameless. Fists and guns and ballot-box stuffing have decided many a precinct contest. As these methods are orthodox, however, and the managers on both sides are experienced gentlemen with plenty of earnest followers and plenty of money there may be no great advantage to either side in the districts where formal methods are used to register the solemn judgment of sovereign citizens.

As has been said the great big thing in the campaign is the tax issue. It is the subject of most heated discussion in all parts of this state. Over at Mill Creek last Sunday a couple of members of the congregation talked it over after church. They were even more in earnest than is usual in neighborhood arguments. When this particular controversy ended, it was found that one of the contestants had been shot to death and another fatally stabbed.

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This directoire costume is of moleskin chiffon velvet. The vest, laid in horizontal folds, is of palest lavender; the same forms the ends and loops from the elbow. The buttons are of gray and lavender enamel in quaint design. The gray is pretty with pale green or a rose pink. If the wearer does not find lavender becoming.

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The fair will continue for some time, and those who have not visited St. Louis so far should not fail to do so now. This is the best time of the year to travel. No dust, heat or cinders to mar the beauty of your trip. This opportunity to visit the fair, via the Cotton Belt, should be taken advantage of now, and not delayed "till a little later on," when it will be too late. Remember: The Cotton Belt makes all arrangements for you in advance. Rooms at reasonable rates, and meals at moderate prices are arranged. Thus one who travels via the Cotton Belt obviates what has been to others, a disagreeable feature in connection with a visit to the fair.

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STATE SUPREME COURT

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 1.—The following proceedings were had in the supreme court today:

Reversed and rendered—American Central Insurance Company vs. Hope Nunn from Hopkins county. J. H. Robinson and other vs. First National Bank of Marietta, from Cooke.

Motion for mandate to issue granted—Western Union Telegraph Company vs. Sanford G. Bowen, Harris.

Motion for rehearing overruled—International and Great Northern Railroad Company vs. Mrs. Kate Shuford, Hays.

Causes submitted—V. Wise et al vs. Jno. B. Goodhue et al; Jefferson; Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company vs. A. E. Larkin, Bell.

LOCAL TEAMS IN TIE GAME

Polytechnic Scrubs and the Carlisle Military Academy played one of the most interesting and exciting minor games of the season at Polytechnic College yesterday, neither side being able to score.

Despite the failure to score, the work of both teams was good, several good runs and sensational plays being made.

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Leave St. Louis	9:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	9:05 p. m.
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"In Old Kentucky" is a favorite drama with the theater goers and last night there was a large audience to witness the production. The cast was a very good one, and the play with its sentiment and romance, its thrilling features and its tragic events, was given in a manner of excellence which pleased every one present. The negro band was good and there was much enthusiasm during the second act, when the buck and wing dancing was given.

BLACK PATTI TROUBADOURS An eminent New York dramatic critic writes as follows after seeing this season's Greater Black Patti Troubadours, which is at Greenwall's opera house to-night: "One of the largest audiences in the history of the house welcomed the Black Patti Troubadours to the Star theater last night, and was rewarded by hearing a splendid singing organization. 'Looney Dreamland' is the title given to the one act extravaganza that serves as a medium for the performers, and while even the faintest semblance of a plot is lacking, the lines are replete with wit of the highest order. It is a toss-up between the comedians and the singers, but the honors of the performance go to Black Patti, who appeared during the action of the second act and sang several melodies with rare sweetness. Her range is bordering on the wonderful, and her high notes especially are clear and sweet to an exceptional degree. The large crowd present last evening welcomed her with an ovation of applause, and she was compelled to reply to the encores until, from sheer weariness, she made her excuses. Ida Foreman sang with marvelous grace and endurance. John Rucker, Bobby Kemp, James Crosby and Anthony Byrd were successful in handling the comedy in excellent style. Mattie Phillips, the 'unbleached soubrette,' was heard in comic ditties which she sang in a manner that carried the immense audience by storm. The most

NORTH FORT WORTH ROSEN HEIGHTS STOCK YARDS

Nash Furniture Company. North Fort Worth has begun to rival Dallas in becoming hibernating quarters for amusement companies and other aggregations. The first move along this line has been the securing of the Mississippi Minstrels, a traveling tent company, which has taken up its winter quarters on the outskirts of the city. The company comprises a large number of people, and quite a large collection of property matter, and will remain in its present quarters for several months or until the opening of spring makes open air shows again profitable.

CUTTING SCRAPE Two unknown negroes became engaged in a cutting scrape in the colored quarter of North Fort Worth yesterday, the affair resulting so seriously that it was found necessary for one of the participants to have about twenty stitches put in his make-up as a result of the meloe. Jealousy of a negro woman was reported to be the cause of the altercation.

NOTES AND PERSONALS The Halloween social given in North Fort Worth last night proved a success both socially and financially. M. Hall has returned from a trip to St. Louis. An increase of interest in the North Fort Worth kindergarten is reported. Ground is expected to be broken for the coal storage and ice plant, the railroad spur to the site having been almost completed. A heavy wholesale delivery wagon completely blocked traffic on the car lines between Fort Worth and North Fort Worth yesterday afternoon, becoming stalled across the trolley tracks, where it was being driven to avoid the bog in the flats.

CROPS IN TEXAS

BONHAM, Texas, Nov. 1.—It was predicted a most momentous cotton crop dictated a month ago that by this date the entire cotton crop of this county would have been gathered. This prediction, however, did not hold good, as there is yet quite a lot of cotton in the fields. From present indications, Fannin's crop of cotton this year will equal any within the past ten years. The receipts at the yards are not quite so great as in other years, but the farmers have numbers of bales stored at home waiting for higher prices. There is perhaps not more than 60 per cent of this year's crop marketed. The wheat acreage this winter is not quite so great as was expected, on account of the dry fall, which prevented the farmers from properly preparing

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"A HIDDEN CRIME" Like everything else in which the public is interested, there are plays good, bad and indifferent. "A Hidden Crime," which comes to Greenwall's opera house Wednesday matinee and night, November 2, is considered one of the good ones by the newspapers of the east, where it has played during the present season. "A Hidden Crime" is a story of the Pacific coast, with considerable heart interest and affords splendid opportunities for scenic display.

"HUMAN HEARTS" So strong an impression did "Human Hearts" make upon a prominent clergyman in New York that he wrote to the gentleman impersonating Tom Logan, vigorously endorsing the play and informing him of his intention of trotting all the orphans of a local asylum out to see it at his own expense. And he did.

"THE LITTLE HOMESTEAD" On Saturday matinee and night, November 2, comes the return of "The Little Homestead" company. This play made a decided impression here last season and as the best seats will go like proverbial "hot cakes," it is well to take advantage of the fact that they will be on sale three days in advance and secure them early.

The ground, however, that which has been planted is looking fine since the splendid rains of a week ago.

WEATHER RECORD

Table with columns: Stations, Temperature (Min, Max), Wind, Rain. Includes stations like Abilene, Amarillo, Atlanta, Bismarck, Chicago, Cincinnati, Corpus Christi, Davenport, Denver, Galveston, Huron, Jacksonville, Kansas City, Lander, Little Rock, Memphis, Miles City, Modena, Montgomery, Nashville, New Orleans, North Platte, Oklahoma, Omaha, Palestine, Phoenix, Pittsburg, Rapid City, St. Louis, St. Paul, Salt Lake, San Antonio, San Diego, Santa Fe.

FORECAST The forecast for Texas east of the one hundredth meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows: East Texas—Tonight and Wednesday.

PERMANENCE OF CURE

The Chief Merit. Many so called pile remedies will afford the user slight temporary relief, but the majority of sufferers do not expect more than this. Women especially, after having tried every preparation recommended for the cure of Piles, have come to the conclusion that there is no cure except by an operation. This is right, and is a source of dread, because of the shock to the delicate nervous system of women, and many of those afflicted, have resigned themselves to the situation with never a thought that there is any help in sight for them. We invite the attention of all such to the experience of the lady whose address is given below. "I feel it my duty to recommend the Pyramid Pile Cure, for after suffering ten years with a most distressing form of Piles, I am entirely cured, thanks to this remedy. Anyone doubting this can write to Margaret Brady, 156 Whitman St., Cleveland, Ohio." "Ten months later she writes: 'I am glad to say that I am still perfectly free from Piles, and have not had the slightest trouble since I first used your remedy. I am well known in Cleveland and have advertised Pyramid Pile Cure extensively here. I take pleasure in doing so as it saved me from an operation, which I always dreaded, and you are assured the remedy can have no firmer advocate than I.'" Testimony like this should convince the most skeptical, that Pyramid Pile Cure not only cures, but cures to stay cured. It is in the form of a suppository; can be applied in the privacy of the home, directly to the parts affected, and does its work quickly and painlessly. Druggists sell this famous remedy for fifty cents a package, and we urge all sufferers to buy a package now and give it a trial tonight. Accept no Substitutes. Write Pyramid Drug Company, Marshall, Mich., for their little book on the cause and cure of Piles, which is sent free for the asking.

Little Mavericks

HEAVY CATTLE LOSSES Parties in the city yesterday and today from the northwestern portion of the county report unprecedented loss among cattle on account of the recent severe spell of weather. It is said the stock drifted from the wind and driving rain and many were killed as a consequence. It is stated the loss is not attributable to the actual cold weather, as is often the case in such instances, but that in drifting against fences the thin stock would be crowded and forced to lie down, when the others would trample them to death. It is an almost if not entirely unprecedented occurrence that cattle in any number should be lost from weather conditions in this latitude during October and in this instance is a great surprise, as well as source of loss. Among those who are said to have lost heavily in that section are the following: S. L. Carroll of Godley, lost fifty head. Sam Hardcastle of Godley, lost fourteen out of twenty-one head. W. Oldhouse, near Cresson, lost seventy-five head. Mrs. Wilson of Cresson lost fifty head. As many as a dozen others are reported as having lost from one to five head. That portion of the county is the greatest cattle producing country in this section of Texas and the loss there is taken as an indication that a disastrous season is in store for the cattlemen.—Cleburne Enterprise.

ABILENE CATTLE PREMIUMS In the live stock exhibit the following awards were made: Best 2-year-old Jersey bull, J. E. Taylor. Best 1-year-old Jersey bull, E. N. Kirby. Best 1-year-old Jersey cow, E. N. Kirby. Best 1-year-old Jersey heifer, E. N. Kirby. Best registered Hereford bull, J. S. Manly. Best grade Hereford cow, J. S. Manly. Best graded Hereford cow, J. S. Manly. Best registered Short Horn bull, Cockrell & Moore. Best registered Poll-Durham cow, Cockrell & Moore. Best Short Horn bull, J. F. Rhea. Best registered Short Horn bull under 2 years, J. F. Rhea. Best Short Horn bull, 1 to 2 years, J. F. Rhea. Col. J. W. Childers on best registered Short Horn cow, best graded Short Horn heifer, best graded Short Horn cow, best graded Short Horn calf, best graded Short Horn bull and best beef steer.—Abilene Reporter.

THE BEEF TRUST The beef trust in the last eight years has advanced the price of meats at retail prices. It has advanced wages 12 per cent. It has maintained the price of cattle at a figure practically stationary for five years.

GOOD HORSE SENSE. Sometimes it pays a cowman to turn back. Burke Burnett of Fort Worth has packed up between 2,000 and 3,000 young steers recently, and he gives his reason for it in the following: "I got tired of my cattle for nothing, and I decided that if the cowman would turn loose their stock at prevailing prices, I would buy the market to the extent of buying a few. It has always been my observation that it pays to buy stuff when it is low and sell it when it goes up. That is a very simple rule, but a most profitable one. I believe that the cattle market today is lower than it will be in a few months from now, and for that reason I went into the open market and made several purchases. When the cattle go up, you will hear people saying, 'Buck Burnett is a lucky man,' when the question of luck hasn't got anything to do with the case."

WORKING SOME EXPERIMENTS. The Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture has assigned one thousand dollars for the recent congressional appropriation for experiments in animal breeding and feeding to the co-operative investigations with the respiration calorimeter now in progress at the Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station. Plans have been made for an investigation upon the influence of age and individuality upon the metabolism of cattle and two pure-bred yearling steers, one an Aberdeen-Angus and one a Jersey, have been purchased for use in the investigation. Careful records will be kept of the food consumed and the rate of growth of these animals. In addition, occasional digestion experiments will be made with them to determine the assimilability of the food and the actual production of lean meat. In this way it is hoped to secure more exact knowledge as to the actual points of difference in the feeding qualities of the dairy and beef types of cattle.

PRICES ARE DISAPPOINTING Pierre Wibaux, the big Montana cattleman, was in Chicago today en route from his ranch at Wibaux, Mont. Mr. Wibaux did not come out to the yards, registering at the Auditorium Annex early today.

CURED CONSUMPTION Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said that he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago. Since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We can not do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c. 50c. \$1.00. Sold by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

while he will go east this evening. Speaking of the range situation in Eastern Montana, he says the general situation has been quite satisfactory this season, as far as condition of the ranges is concerned, though prices have been disappointing to all owners, who had high hopes of obtaining a much better range of values for their offerings on the market. The packing house strike seriously affected the range cattle trade, and to the labor difficulties here early in the season Mr. Wibaux lays the causes for the low prices now ruling. Speaking of ranges in general, he said: "A considerable number of cattle have been held back in our country this season, owing to the low prices prevailing at market points, and while rangemen had planned extensive shipments of stock, and greatly in excess last year, the total marketing from Montana will show but a comparatively small increase over the number which came from the ranges in 1903."—Chicago Live Stock World.

WYOMING SHEEP TROUBLES A dispatch from Big Piney, Wyo., says: Ranchers arriving here from the vicinity of Gray's river report a pitched battle between the sheep and cattle forces between the river and Piney creek, in which 700 sheep, the property of the Butterfield outfit, were driven over a high cliff and killed.

The trouble originated over the expulsion of the Butterfield sheep from the forest reserve, where it is claimed the herders drove them without permit. In this instance the outfit was driven from the reserve by Forest Ranger Miller and put off on the west side. On again entering the forbidden range the reserve officers ejected them on the east side and in a strong cattle country. The territory learned of the details of the trouble on the reserve and run the sheep over the cliff.

THE ADMINISTRATION has obtained a temporary injunction restraining the committee in the trust from combining to control prices. The bureau of corporations has been "investigating" the trust. Prices are still fixed and controlled by the trust. O. G. Denham, one of the ruling factors in the trust, says: "We are going to support Roosevelt most emphatically. We have been satisfied with his administration and will be well satisfied to have him continue in office."—New York World.

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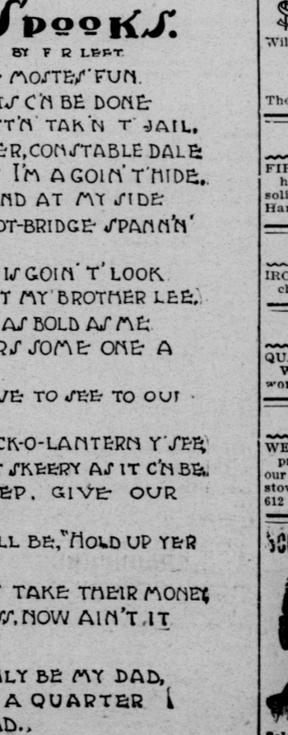
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The Prize Winners!

The Telegram begs to report that the three following are the winners in the Fourth Classified Misspelled Word Contest:

- L. LIMMER, 1116 Cherry street.
- CLARENCE BILLS, 1003 Macon street.
- FRED ROUGHTON, 608 East Hattie street.

Checks have been prepared for these prize winners. Many other correct answers came in, but the three who received awards were first received. The envelopes, as they came into the office, were numbered and opened in order of numbering. The first three numbers, which had the correct answers, were made the winners. The "officially" misspelled words were in the Telegram Saturday, and were four in number. Some errors other than the official errors appeared, but these did not count.

Another contest is now on. It started with last Sunday's issue. Some day during the week "officially" misspelled words will appear. The conditions are stated below. Several hundred replies came during the past week. Try for one of these prizes this week.

Three Cash Prizes

To stimulate interest in The Telegram classified pages, three prizes of \$1.00 each are going to be awarded EVERY WEEK to the three persons who will each week find certain misspelled words on this page in one of the seven issues of each week. Only the business manager of the paper will know on what day the words will be misspelled. It may be Monday. It may be Tuesday. It may be Wednesday or Thursday or Friday, Saturday or Sunday. The misspelled words will appear only on one day of each week. New prizes will be awarded every week. The three who get correct answers to the paper first will receive the awards. There may be two words or names misspelled. There may be three or even four. Maybe more. No one will know except the business manager and none but him will know what the words are. Watch the Want Page every

day. If you think Sunday is the day, read the ads on the want page very carefully. If it isn't, read Monday's paper carefully. If that is not the lucky day try Tuesday, and so on through the week until the right day turns up. It won't take you long to run over the ads every evening. When the right day comes around write a letter to the Contest Editor and tell him who you think the errors are. Mark the envelope "For The Contest Editor of The Telegram," and either bring or send it to The Telegram office. As each envelope is received it will be immediately numbered. The first three envelopes containing the correct answers will entitle the owners to the three prizes of One Dollar each. Each contest closes Saturday at 6 o'clock p. m. Each contest will begin with the Sunday morning paper and runs through the seven issues of the week. Telegram employees or members of their families not allowed to compete.

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\$5.00 REWARD for return of one bay mare. Branded H. on left shoulder, left eye out. No. 102 Bellvue street.

FOUND—Monday, overcoat. Call room 22, Powell Building; pay charges.

LOST—From transfer wagon on North Side Monday, a volume of Century Dictionary, red morocco binding. Return to Invoice Department, Armour's, for reward.

STRAYED—On my premises, one bay mare colt, white on left hind foot. Inquire of W. A. Crague, 619 Main st.

LOST—A Sunday school medal. Return to 207 Carson avenue and receive reward.

POWDERS

Velvetine keeps the skin soft and smooth. Sold by Covey & Martin, Druggists, 810 Main street, phone 9.

SCHOLARSHIP FREE FOR ONE MONTH DAY OR NIGHT. Clip and send or present this notice.

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Manhattan Bar J. N. TRAPP, Proprietor. Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars. 1214 Main Street.

Our Glasses Always Fit



Our glasses stop headaches, straighten cross eyes and relieve nervous disorders, when due to eye strain. We fit more glasses than all others in Fort Worth combined. We guarantee to satisfy. Examination free.

LORD, Optician.

Do you want to Buy, Do you want to Sell, Do you want it Repaired, Do you want your Mirror Resilvered, If so, call at Furniture Exchange, 308 Houston St. Both Phones.

10c a Day Will buy any article in our store. C. Nix, The Furniture Man, 302-4 Houston street.

Buy Your Neck Fixings AND TOGGERIES OF **M. ALEXANDER** EXCLUSIVE MEN'S FURNISHER, MAIN AND SIXTH STREETS.

FINANCIAL I HAVE a limited amount of money to invest in vendor's lien notes. Otho S. Houston, at Hunter-Phelan Savings Bank and Trust Company.

MONEY TO LOAN—Few thousand dollars for three, six, nine, twelve months. Address D. C. Telegram office.

MONEY TO LOAN on farms and ranches by the W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Co., corner Sixth and Houston streets.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos, stock and salaries. The Bank Loan Co., 108 W. 9th St. Phone 2496-97, New phone 922 White.

LOANS on farms and improved city property. W. T. Humble, representing Land Mortgage Bank of Texas Fort Worth National Bank Building.

THE J. J. LANGEVER CO., opposite the city hall, decorators of the first class.

LIQUORS FOR FAMILY USE It Must be Good If it comes from **I. MAYER** FAMILY LIQUORS 1210 Main St., Fort Worth, Tex.

TO EXCHANGE HAGGARD & DUFF, real estate and city property, 706 1/2 Main st.

LET US MAKE your face. We can add charms to your winning ways and you will be delighted with your photos. John Swartz, 705 Main street.

FARMS, ranches and city property to sell or exchange. For bargains see us. Houses to rent in any part of the city. Plenty short time money. Both phones. Texas Advertising and Realty Co., 107 West Eleventh street.

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SITUATIONS WANTED A LADY with two children wishes a position as cook or housekeeper. Phone 226, new phone.

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WANTED—A situation as housekeeper. 315 Jackson street.

WANTED—Position as clerk in hardware store, by married man of twenty-five. Ten years' experience and understands bookkeeping. Can also do shop work. Can give references as to character and ability. Speak German. Address, D. W. H., care Telegram.

SITUATION as stenographer by young woman, rapid, thorough and efficient; references. D. B., care Telegram.

10c A DAY will buy any article in our store.

C Nix The Furniture Man, 302-4 Houston street.

FOR RENT FOR RENT—300 East Summit avenue. West Side, 6-room house, modern conveniences, \$15 per month. Two 5-room cottages with barns, North Side, \$13 and \$15 per month. Hubbard Bros., 112 West Ninth. Phone 2299.

FOR RENT—New five-room house; strictly modern; good barn and servant's quarters. 1317 North Henderson street. E. T. Bergin. Phone 1412.

FOR RENT—All or part of my residence, 300 East Fourth street, 12 rooms furnished, large reception hall, bath, gas, electric lights, grates and phone; close in.

FOR RENT—A large commodious hall, modern conveniences, centrally located, 602 Main street, by day or night, week or month. See A. Holden, 1111 Main street, Phone 719-4 rings.

FOR RENT—A five-room house, 1014 Cherry street. Apply 920 Burnett.

FOR RENT—Good three-room house, 705 East Third street. Enquire Mrs. Mary Baggot.

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H. C. Jewell H. Veal Jewell H. C. JEWELL & SON, The rental agents of the city, 1000 Houston street.

FOR RENT CHEAP—New five-room house, corner Sixth avenue and McKnight, two blocks from car line; has hall, bath, gas, electric lights, mantel, etc. Also five-room house at 300 Bessie street. Inquire, Miss Boaz, corner Wheeler and Daggett.

FOR RENT—Five-room, modern cottage, electric lights and bath. 212 Galveston avenue.

FOR RENT — Four-room furnished house to party without children. See Mrs. Francis at Stearns & Stewart.

FOR RENT—On West Side, a five-room house, hall, bath and hot and cold water, light, barn and servant's room and a five-room modern house. E. T. Bergin, new phone 1412.

FOR SALE FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop, wood and iron work; good house, 60x24 with two furnaces, cold tire setter and all other up-to-date tools; good business; in black land country; well established business; reason for quitting not able to stand hard work. Write or see me, J. W. Mixon, Palmer, Texas.

FOR SALE—A complete or partially complete household of five rooms at bargain, if taken before 1st, at 710 West Belknap. House for rent.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For a small stock of confectionery, the Vernon Dye Works, tailoring, cleaning and re-fitting, repairing, pressing, first-class shop, good house and lot fronting the square, title clear. Fully equipped with stock and tools, big territory and plenty of work; no competition or tailor; it's a snap; must sell at once; other business; price, everything, \$650. Address Box 336, Vernon, Texas.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, \$600 below cost, if sold at once, a first-class restaurant, paying \$250 per month above expenses, one of the best locations in the city, well established trade; will bear close investigation. Two years more lease on building. This place is situated in the heart of the city. Apply to A. W. Samuels, fire insurance agent, 112 West Ninth street, between Main and Houston, down stairs.

FOR SALE—House and lot at 615 Florence street.

FOR SALE—Saloon, at a bargain, old stand, partly on payments. Write at once. Address M. L., care The Telegram.

FOR SALE—Solid oak flat top desk and revolving oak office chair, for \$11. Room 408, Wheat building.

FOR SALE—A first class Olds Mobile cheap for cash. Apply 1611 Hemphill.

FOR SALE—Wall paper, ready mixed paints and window glass, at the old reliable shop opposite city hall, The J. J. Langever Co.

WINDOW GLASS, window glass, window glass—One car just arrived. Prices will be lower than ever. The J. J. Langever Co., opposite city hall.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, beautiful oak writing desk-book case. 905 Taylor street.

FOR SALE—Fixtures, counters, shelving, figuring for ladies' apparel hangings and mirrors, for sale very cheap. Inquire of Abe M. Mehl, 1211 Main street. Phone 719-3 rings.

FOR SALE—A first-class stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes and Store Fixtures, located in good town Central Texas. Invoice \$20,000. Write or inquire McGowan & Wade, Scott-Harrod Bldg., Fort Worth.

FOR SALE—Good barbecue stand. Apply 107 South Main.

FOR SALE—Second-hand, splendid toned upright piano, cheap. See it, 1103 Sixth avenue.

FOR SALE—100 loads rich chip manure, for flowers or garden. Apply at once to William Bryce, 818 Monroe street, Phone 1932.

BANK RAILING BANK RAILING—TEXAS ANCHOR Fence Co.; catalogue. Fort Worth.

THE MOST of the best for the least money. Wolfe Cigar Store.

ROOMS FOR RENT WANTED—TO SELL A PIANO AND take part pay in board for one of my agents. Address Piano Company, care Telegram.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS with board, bath, phone and electric lights. Rates reasonable, 1110 Lamar street.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms; modern conveniences; for light housekeeping. Apply, 211 1/2 Main street.

FOR RENT—Two rooms at 400 Ballinger street; furnished.

FOR RENT—Front room with board in new modern home. Phone, on two car lines. 514 East Belknap.

FOR RENT—Four nice furnished rooms, up stairs. 701 Jennings avenue. Phone 3177.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with bath, for light housekeeping; \$12.50 per month. New phone 812. Address T. care Telegram.

FOR RENT—Three rooms, furnished or unfurnished; bath. 214 Calhoun

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with bath, for light housekeeping; \$12.50 per month. New phone 812. Address T. care Telegram.

FOR RENT—Elegant furnished room with bath and phone. References required. Apply 804 Lamar street.

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ROOMS AND BOARD—Modern conveniences, 922 Macon street.

TO STUDENTS OR HOUSEKEEPERS—Three comfortable rooms, \$2.50 per week. 607 Pecan.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 823 Lamar street.

FURNISHED front room, bath, phone, electric light, \$8 per month, 400 Main street, top floor.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping or roomers, with bath. 800 West First street.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms and bath-room, nicely located, one block from street car, can arrange for light housekeeping. 1108 East Weatherford.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 214 West Sixth street.

FOR RENT—Twelve large rooms over Monnie's, corner First and Houston. Light, water, gas. Call 303 Lamar street.

FOR RENT—One large furnished room, for one or two gentlemen. 917 Cherry street.

New, Up-to-the Minute

MEN'S FURNISHINGS ARRIVING DAILY FOR THE CRITICAL DRESSER AT

M. ALEXANDER THE HABERDASHER, MAIN AND SIXTH.

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BOAZ'S BOOK STORE Handles all of the state and city adopted school books; also a first-class stock of school furnishings.

MONEY TO LOAN Do you want a little money weekly or monthly payments on your salary? Empire Loan Co., 1212 Main.

LUMBER THOS. M. HUFF, DEALER IN LUMBER. Shingles, Sash, Doors, Lime and Cement. Figure with me before buying. Phone 2150, Corner Railroad avenue and Lipscomb street.

FURNITURE WE HAVE purchased stock of goods from Lee Fleming at great discount and will continue business at his stand, Lower Second and Houston streets. SPECIAL BARGAINS in Furniture, Stoves and General Household Goods for cash. R. E. Lewis Furniture Co.

UMBRELLAS WANTED—1,000 umbrellas to reconstruct and repair. Corner Second and Main streets. Chas. Baggett.

AWNINGS AWNINGS made at Scott's Renovating Works and Awning Factory. Phone 167 1-ring, new phone 863.

BOARD & ROOMS WANTED WANTED—Room and board in private family. State price. Apply, M. M. C., care Telegram.

WANTED—Room and board with private family for man and wife; South Side preferred; references exchanged. Address G., care Armour & Co.

OSTEOPATH DR. HARRIS, Osteopath, fourth floor, Fort Worth National Bank building. Telephone 733 and 3308.

It will pay you to go to The Daylight Store

KEY FITTING ONE of the largest stocks of keys in Texas at Bour's Electric Co., 1045 Houston street, phone 837.

EUREKA REPAIR SHOP MACHINIST, gun and locksmith. Bicycles, keys, models. Phone 1509-2 r. 107 W. 9th.

REAL ESTATE U NEED A

THREE nice little houses on car line, water, etc., sell on easy terms. We have eight lots. On small cash payment will build to suit. Four-room house, fence and barn, \$800; see it. 5 rooms and hall, water, fruit trees and walks, \$1,500, \$100 cash. If you can't raise at \$100 bring \$50; will do the rest at \$15 per month. House rents for \$16. Several lots on Hemphill, cheap. One or two lots can trade for couple of good horses. If you have anything to trade see us. Will trade you nice lot for horse and buggy or both. Lots convenient to car, water in street.

Haggard & Duff 706 1-2 Main Street

CORYELL COUNTY LANDS—Write Chrisman & Wells at Gatesville, Texas, for information and prices. We have some bargains for trade or sale in large or small tracts.

FOR BARGAINS IN CITY PROPERTY, farms, ranches, and business chances, see E. T. Odum & Co., 105 West Fourth street. Both phones.

DO NOT BUY until you see us for desirable property in the city and good farms; on best terms. GEORGE W. CLARK REAL ESTATE AND LOAN COMPANY, 105 West First street, Fort Worth, Texas.

WE CAN SELL your home on Lipscomb; also your east front lot on Hemphill, if prices are right. See us at once, or phone 360. George W. Clark Real Estate Co., 105 West First street.

FOR COMFORT, DURABILITY, STYLE, FINISH, see

WOOD & WOOD FINE VEHICLES, 401-403 Houston St.

FOR SALE—Desirable house and lot at 1307 Hemphill street. Apply Robert G. Johnson, administrator, 302 West Building.

FARMS, ranches and city property, small payment, \$10 per month; houses to rent in any part of the city; plenty short-time money. Texas Advertising and Realty Co., 1205 Main.

HOUSES FOR ALL IN NORTH FORT WORTH—Buy home on Diamond Hill Addition, close to packing houses, with school, water works, streets and sidewalks easy terms, just like paying rent. Glen Walker & Co., 115 Exchange Avenue and 113 West Sixth Street.

A SNAP—House and lot on Henderson, \$1,300; \$400 cash, balance \$15 per month. 1205 Main.

PERSONALS VIAVA—Mrs. L. G. Thomas. Phone 1254.

When in need of WOOD, phone 625, Toole's Wood Yard.

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FOR MINERAL WELLS Water Phone Mineral Water Depot.

School Books

Complete Line at **CONNER'S Book Store**

"PALACE CAR." "PALACE CAR." "Palace Car." Can you remember it? That is the name of the Best ready mixed paint on the market, sold only by The J. J. Langever Co., opposite city hall.

IT AWAYS PAYS TO GET THE BEST. The Crown saloon, under new management. We handle the best of everything. When passing by stop and give us a call. Corner Seventh and Main streets.

DHS. KING AND RATLAFF, Surgeon Dentists, Fort Worth National Bank Building. Phone 934.

NOTICE—Having caught up with all back orders, I am now prepared to black and set up your stoves without further delay. Hugh H. Lewis, Hardware. Phone 396, 806 Houston street.

BUGGIES AND WAGONS GET YOUR VEHICLES rubbered and your horses shod at Schmitt's Shop, corner First and Throckmorton streets.

VEHICLES—All grades and styles.

WOOD & WOOD 401-403 Houston St.

DO you want the best? If you are thinking of buying a new survey, phonograph or anything in the vehicle line, see others. Stop. H. A. WILLIAMS, 213-215 West Second street, Fort Worth.

CURIO STORE Call and see our new MEXICAN DRAWNWORK, Navajo Blankets and Rugs. JOHN BONDURANT'S CURIO STORE, 703 Houston Street.

We Have It! 14 MESH WIRE Mosquito Proof

Agee Bros. Screen Co.

HELP WANTED—MALE WANTED—Buy with bicycle to work from 5 p. m. to 10 p. m.; permanent place. Postal Telegraph-Cable Company.

WANTED—Men to learn barber's trade. We have located our Texas branch in Fort Worth on account of better advantages for practice; few weeks completes, can nearly earn expenses before finishing. Address all correspondence Moler Barber College, First and Main st.

WANTED 100 men to buy a pair of Seiz Royal Blue \$3.50 shoes. Apply at Monnie's.

ANY PERSON to distribute our samples; \$13 weekly. "Empire," 4 Wells street, Chicago.

\$550 WILL purchase established business in Fort Worth that will return \$100 per month. See us quick. A. N. Evans & Co., 14th and Main

GIGANTIC SALE

BEGINS TOMORROW AT 9 A. M.

\$150,000 WORTH OF HIGH GRADE TAILOR-MADE CLOTHING FOR MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN, TO BE DISTRIBUTED INTO THE HOMES OF THE PEOPLE, BY A. & L. AUGUST, FORT WORTH, TEXAS, GREATEST AND OLDEST CLOTHIERS, IN TEN DAYS, BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, AT 9 A. M.

WE ARE OVERSTOCKED

Right at the beginning of the season, when our entire fall purchases have arrived, we find ourselves pinched for room. A campaign season stares us in the face, and we are compelled to open the season with this mighty sale which will positively continue for TEN DAYS ONLY. Our entire \$150,000 stock at the mercy of the public for Ten Days. Take into consideration that this sale will be of great importance to the people for a radius of 150 miles, and is the very largest sale that was ever attempted—involving thousands upon thousands of dollars. It will convey to you some idea of the marvelous bargains that we are going to place on sale for Ten Days, beginning Wednesday, November 2, at 9 a. m. sharp. Our building is now closed to re-mark and rearrange our mammoth stock, and will open again Wednesday, November 2, at 9 a. m.

Seventh & Main **A. & L. August** Ft. Worth, Texas

Below we quote the BIG VALUES that meet the demands of the present day, with every item a bargain never before heard of in the state of Texas, and every price herein quoted we guarantee absolutely correct.

The Best and Greatest Values on Earth Now Stare You in the Face!

The only question is—can you, dare you, in justice to yourself, overlook a chance like this to save at least one-half the price you will be obliged to pay the regular dealer for high-grade fall and winter merchandise for men, boys and children? Use good, common sense with which Nature has endowed you. Come and see with your own eyes and be convinced.

A CLOTHING SALE WITHOUT A PARALLEL!

A. & L. August, Fort Worth, Texas' Greatest Clothiers' entire stock will go in this grand offering and the greater part for less than the actual cost of the raw material. It will pay you to come a hundred miles to visit this sale. Remember, no postponement. This great sale will close in Ten Days, and the prices we quote are for this sale only. We must and will have room. For that purpose we will inaugurate the greatest sale ever conducted in the state of Texas. Opens Wednesday, November 2, at 9 a. m., at A. & L. Augusts', Fort Worth, Texas.

Just think of the following propositions and remember that all goods purchased can be brought back during the sale and money cheerfully refunded. Below we quote a few of the many thousands of bargains that will be placed on sale.

Men's Overcoats



PRICES REACH THE LOWEST LIMIT IN THIS GREAT OVER-COAT SALE

All go at about **One-Half Their Real Value!**

Overcoats that are the peer of any that you will see elsewhere at \$10.00, in English ulster cloth, melton and beavers, domestic kerseys in blue-black; some Italian lined, others with heavy serge, good strong sleeve lining, plain or lapped seams, marvels of goodness, at..... **\$4.98** Overcoats of best domestic kerseys, in blue, black and brown, heavy meltons; some fancy mixtures, with belt effect, 52 inches long, splendid garment, usually retailed at \$15.00; during this sale..... **\$7.98** Another side-winder that penetrates into the swell-front, high-profit dealers is this—any line and every line of Overcoats that they offer in Fort Worth or any city in the state of Texas at \$18.00 we will gladly duplicate during this sale at \$9.98, but during this sale our \$9.98 Coats will match many shown for \$20.00. They come in new shades and all the latest effects, form and loose fitting, and regulation length, at..... **\$9.98** Overcoats at \$12.98, \$15.98, \$17.98 and \$19.98 represent the product of the world's most celebrated loom and the world's most skillful tailors. They equal \$35.00 and \$40.00 custom-made garments in every respect, and these prices are just one-half their value, \$12.98, \$15.98, \$17.98 and \$19.98

Hats and Caps

About 100 dozen Men's Fine Hats, all the newest shapes, styles and colors, worth up to \$2.50, at this great sale, only..... **\$1.48** About 90 dozen Men's Fine Hats, this includes the newest style Columbia, Pantourist, and our own special designed style, worth \$3.00; at this sale, only..... **\$1.98** We carry the largest stock of John B. Stetson Hats in Texas.

Hundreds of Men's and Boys' Caps, worth 50c, only..... **19c** 65 dozen Men's and Boys' Caps, worth 75c, only..... **39c**

Men's and Boys' Shoes

Men's Shoes, made of Vici Kid, Box Calf and French Calf, all the newest shapes and styles and guaranteed strictly solid throughout, worth \$2.50 to \$2.75, only..... **\$1.79** Men's Shoes, high grade Velour, Vici and Box Calf, in the new Bon-Ton and Piccadilly toes—Shoes that are dressy and right up to now, worth easily \$3.50, only..... **\$2.48** Men's Shoes, made of the very finest leather, including Foerderer's famous Vici, and Eugene's Patent Leathers, They come in all widths, all sizes and all styles; regular price \$4.00; only..... **\$2.89** Boys' Shoes, strictly all solid leather, strongly made and back-stayed—just the thing for school wear, regular \$1.50 values; only..... **98c** Boys' Shoes, in all the up-to-date leathers, new style too and shapes—a nice, neat shoe for Sunday wear, regular \$2.25 values; only..... **\$1.38**

Men's Suits

Sweeping Bargains in Men's Ultra Fashionable Winter Suits All go at About One-Half Their Regular Value

This will secure for you choice of many patterns of Men's good durable Suits, made up of good and strong fabrics of merit and fashion. **\$4.98** for Men's heavy winter Business Suits, an immense range of fancy Scotch mixed chevots in medium shades of brown and gray, dressy-looking, fancy mixtures, in small checks and plaids and mingled effects; single and double-breasted sack styles. These are certainly the grandest values in the state at this price..... **\$4.98** Try and match them anywhere and their equal cannot be found in any store under \$8.50 to \$10.00. **\$7.98** for Men's Fine Suits, comprising a grand assortment of single and double-breasted Sack Suits, in black, blue and brown chevots; some solid melton in gray and brown, nobby Scotch mixtures in all the newest and most desirable shades, all superbly tailored; coats French faced finished, perfect fit guaranteed; values that are equal in every respect to suits that sell for \$15. Our price **\$7.98** **\$9.98** for Men's Fine Dress Suits, extra fine—equal in every respect to fine custom work. This season's best style and best sellers in cassimeres, chevots and Scotch mixtures, and ever-reliable Tibets. Better value or better made garments have never been offered by any concern in Texas. We claim them to be the equal of any \$18 garment in the market; at this sale only for..... **\$9.98** Men's Fine Suits at \$12.98 are such as you'll search for in vain in any other house in the Union at the prices named by us. You will pay fully twice as much money for them elsewhere; in English unfinished worsted, imported Tibets, heavy worsted serge suits, in French chevot suits, fancy tweed worsted suits, and other fabrics of finest weave; all go in this sale at..... **\$12.98**

Men's Fine Dress Suits

We have put on sale at \$15.98 such as no other concern in America can touch for double the price. They come in single and double-breasted Sacks and Chesterfields. In black, blue and latest shade of brown, and Scotch mixtures, all tailored "to a turn" into suits of such surpassing styles that no competing house in the whole Union can sell them for less than \$25.00 to \$30.00. All styles, all sizes, all colors..... **\$15.98** Full dress Tuxedo Suits at \$14.98. We are offering as an "Extra Special" Silk and Satin Lined Tuxedos, made of fine English Broadcloth, tailored and trimmed throughout, as good as any custom-made garment. All worth fully \$25.00 to \$30.00. At this great sale, only..... **\$14.98**

VALUES THAT KNOW NO EQUAL IN Men's Pants

Every color, every shade, and every latest style of worsted, cassimeres, clays and chevots, in plaids, checks, stripes and plain—all go in this sale at less than cost to manufacture. Men's latest style Cassimeres and Fancy Worsteds, in all shades and pretty stripes, all sizes; regular price \$2.50; all go in this sale at..... **\$1.49** Fine Fancy and Plain Worsteds, all sizes, all styles, all colors, all go in this sale at..... **\$2.48** Fine Pants that always sell at \$5.00 and \$6.00—stripes, chevots and fancy worsteds; all go in this sale at..... **\$2.98** and **\$3.98**

A. & L. AUGUST SEVENTH & MAIN, FORT WORTH

Boys' Suits and Overcoats

This is certainly the greatest opportunity parents ever had placed before them to buy the same quality at about one-half the price you will have to pay elsewhere.

Boys' two-piece Suits, single and double-breasted jackets, made of chevots and cassimeres, positively worth \$2.00; during this sale..... **\$1.39** Boys' Suits in double and single-breasted styles—material the best grade, in fast color chevots, popular styles, well made and well trimmed throughout; positively worth \$3.00; during this sale..... **\$1.39** **\$2.98**—This amount of money entitles you to the choice of 25 distinct styles of Boys' Suits and Overcoats. The fabrics used are dependable, very swell and up-to-date. The novelty in styles is artistic and elegant; all stayed on the inside to make them extra strong for boys' wear—garments that were always sold at \$5.00; all go in this sale..... **\$2.98** **\$3.98**—Thirty distinct effects in Boys' ultra fashionable Knee Pant Suits, in all the swiftest of novelties and staple styles; also Overcoats; sale price..... **\$3.98** 500 pairs of Boys' Knee Pants, worth 25c..... **9c** 500 pairs of Boys' Knee Pants, worth 75c..... **39c**



Youth's Clothing

\$3.98—This is a small amount of money to pay for a Youth's Suit or Overcoat, and yet we will place them on sale beginning Wednesday, November 2, for ten days—\$5.00 and \$6.00 Overcoats at \$3.98 for the choice. The garments are properly cut and made up from strong, service-giving fabrics, and all at..... **\$3.98** **\$5.98**—At this price we submit to your choosing ten lots of Youth's Single and Double-breasted Suits, in plain and fancy mixtures, chevots and tweeds, substantially made, perfect in fit and finish, also dark and mixed meltons and kerseys and tweed Overcoats—\$10.00 is the price you would always have to pay; in this ten days' sale..... **\$5.98**

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THE IMPORTANCE OF PURE BLOOD A prominent physician said recently: "Very few people realize the necessity of keeping their blood in a perfectly pure condition; of taking a good blood purifier at frequent intervals throughout the year. Fact is, they don't think much about it—they know that they have blood; but what it is doing inside of them, other than circulating they have never stopped to think. Even when they get sick, they say, 'Just my luck—I haven't been anywhere or done anything to get this Rheumatism, Catarrh, Eczema—or what ever it may happen to be—it just seemed to come on me all of a sudden.'"

But as a matter of fact it didn't. Nothing just happens in nature. For days, weeks or possibly months their blood had been storing up poison because of some weakening of the organs of excretion and secretion. Then along came a germ—(germs of all diseases are constantly in the air on the lookout for a good home)—and was breathed in; saw a good spot to raise a family and staked out a claim in that man's blood. That's the history of diseases—and it all goes back to the purity or impurity of the blood. We are all of us constantly in the midst of vast swarms of invisible disease germs of all descriptions and it is only those of us whose blood is pure that don't get sick. The rest yield to the first disease germ that finds a lodgment, because the impurities in their blood are food and drink to germs. It is probably because the Foerg Remedy Co. of Evansville, Ind., and composed of the leading citizens of that city (not patent medicine men) has discovered this important medical fact and made it the groundwork of Foerg's Remedy, that it is so successful. Indeed this remedy is revolutionizing the treatment of such diseases as Specific Blood Poisoning, Scrofula, Eczema, Rheumatism, Catarrh and other diseases, having their origin in impure blood and the germs that thrive in it. It is an important fact and one well worth remembering that everyone's blood has periods of being impoverished or self-poisoned at some time or times during the year. Our bodies are much like delicate pieces of machinery that require going over and oiling very frequently, with a genuinely good blood purifier. Such a purifier is Foerg's Remedy. That its makers are confident at least that they have found a sovereign cure for Specific Blood Poisoning and Scrofula is evidenced by the written guarantee they give to refund the purchaser's money if the remedy fails to cure. And if it cures these greatest of blood diseases, there can be no doubt of its efficacy in curing all minor blood troubles. Mr. Parker of the Parker drug store, is enthusiastic in his praises of Foerg's Remedy and says that although hundreds have bought from one bottle at \$1.00, to 6 bottles at \$5.00, not a single person has asked for his money back.

NOVEMBER A breath of the glory of summer Sweeps over my soul today. Though the winds are searching and tireless And November's skies are gray. Yet beyond all the mists and the shadows, The fragrance and beauty arise, And I tread—by some magic and music— In the pathways of Paradise. —Lilian Whiting in the November Metropolitan.

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