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RUSSIAN CHAOS

Conditions in St. Petersburg
and Moscow Resuming
Normal Aspect

TROOPS QUIT THE STREETS

Confidence in Capital Being
Restored by General Tre-
poff's Measures

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 26, 12:05 p. m.—The aspect of the city was almost normal this morning and was decidedly calmer. Several newspapers have appeared. The authorities are following up the proclamation of last night and are doing everything to quiet public alarm. They withdrew the troops from the streets during the night, and not a soldier was in sight in the center of the city this morning.

In accordance with the promise to protect all workmen who will return to work, however, patrols still encircled the big industrial establishments.

By direction of the police, the owners of stores have taken down the boards which they had nailed over the windows and doors, in anticipation of riotous attacks. Governor General Trepoff has guaranteed them against pillage. The full effect of the Trepoff proclamation has not yet developed, although early reports indicate that some men returned to work this morning. Several smaller establishments are reported to have resumed business short-handed. The knowledge of the existence of one proclamation, however, was not general among the workmen until they read it on the bulletin boards, where many of them turned away, muttering refusals to listen to the government's promises. Others appeared to hesitate regarding what course to pursue. The workmen appear to lack leadership.

If, as the authorities believe, the majority of the workmen resume work, the strike movement will be broken and then the only thing feared is a recrudescence of bomb throwing. The government is also encouraged by the comparative quiet at Moscow yesterday, and they hope no serious trouble will occur there.

MOSCOW IS MORE ORDERLY

Celebration of Founding of University
Passes Without Incident—Troops
Still Patrol Streets

MOSCOW, Jan. 26.—2 a. m.—The festival yesterday of Tatiana, the patroness of Moscow, which it was feared would be marked by disturbances and possibly bloodshed, passed in comparative quiet although the whole city was in a state of alarm. The strike did not become general, but continued to spread gradually throughout the day. The official estimate at midnight was 40,000 men out. The authorities brought in reinforcements of Cossacks and dragoons from Vladimir and Tver, disposing of them so as to prevent a union of the Moscow strikers with the strikers from the various outlying districts, but strict orders were given to avoid spilling blood except in cases of extreme necessity.

The correspondent of the Associated Press, after carefully verifying the rumors of imminent collisions, is able to confirm the statement the only incident which occurred on Planitskaya street beyond Moscow river where the Cossacks charged but did not fire upon a crowd of 500 persons. After 9 o'clock last night the streets were almost deserted the people remaining indoors. The aspect of the city was strange and weird, the lamps glimmering through the fog revealing only a host of idle droskys, the garments of the drivers of sleighs and the horsemen being covered with hoar frost. The banquet in celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the foundation of the university of Moscow, the first in Russia, was held last night at the hermitage, the authorities thus displaying complete confidence in their ability to maintain order. The assembly consisted of professors and students, including many girl students. The usual revolutionary speeches were made in the course of which those present mounted tables and drank to the "St. Petersburg martyrs." The assemblage quietly dispersed being discouraged from demonstrations by a strong force of gendarmes.

The British colony is manifesting some uneasiness on account of the posting of a telegram saying the British are furnishing money to the strikers in the interest of Japan, but the cool headed do not manifest any alarm. The telegram appears, according to the Lislock to have emanated from an agency recently founded in Paris by a Latin-Celtic league, which also declares the British are responsible for German's coal strike in order to prevent the coaling of vessels of the Russian second Pacific squadron.

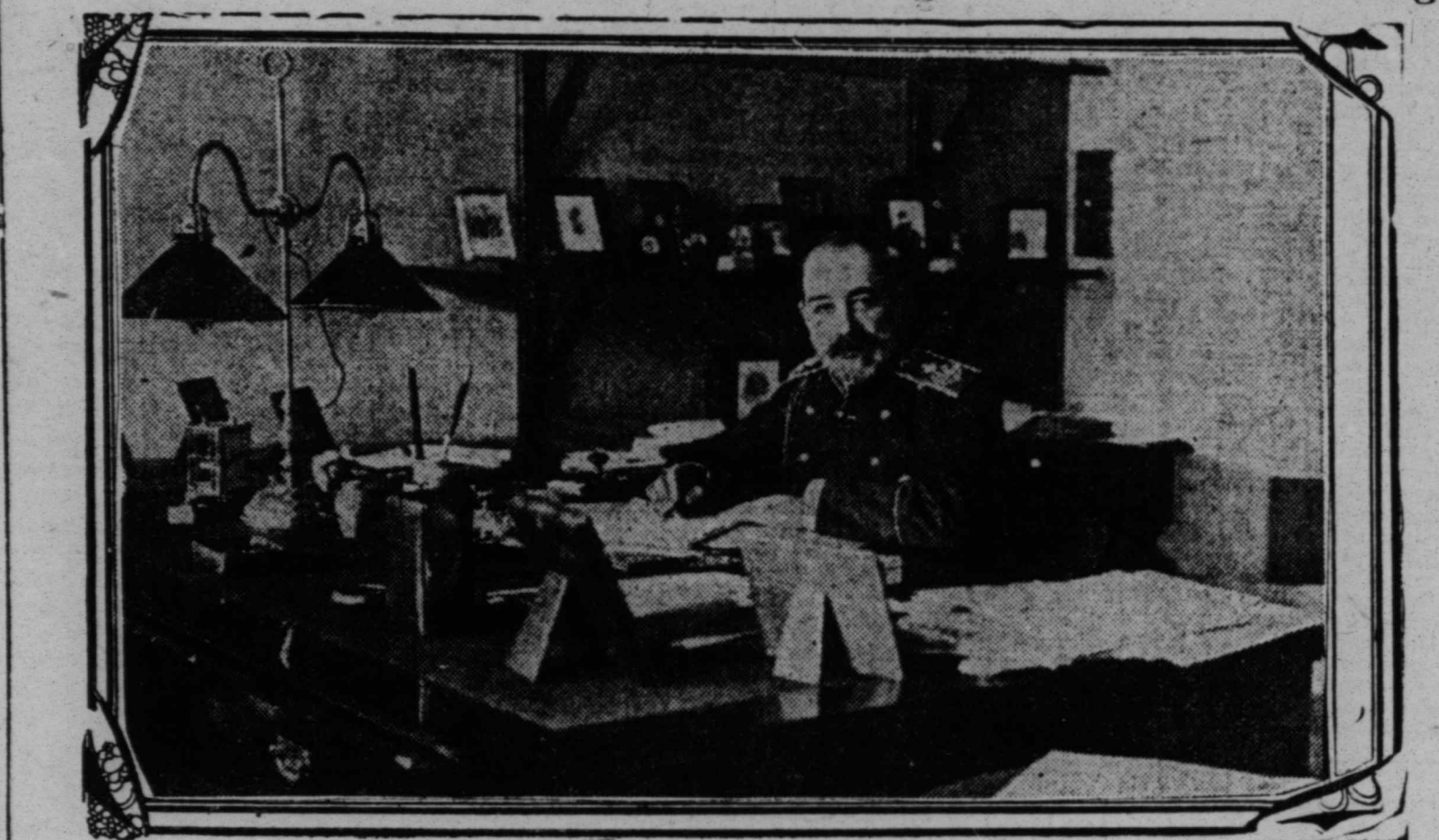
PREFECT PROMISES PROTECTION

Moscow Workmen Urged to Shun Agitators

MOSCOW, Jan. 26.—The proclamation of the prefect of Moscow has been posted at street corners, and is as follows: "Under the influences of threats of the evil-disposed persons, a strike has broken out. I therefore deem it my duty to notify the working population that energetic measures have been taken for their protection against agitators. Workmen wishing to resume their occupations can do so without danger."

Work has been suspended at several

He Stood Back of Russian Soldiers Who
Fired on Workingmen in St. Petersburg



(Copyright, 1905, by W. R. Hearst.) This is the latest photograph of Russia's minister of the interior, Prince Peter Dimitri Sviatopolk-Mirsky, successor of Von Plehve, who was killed by an assassin's bomb. For weeks rumors have been spread that the czar was about to depose Sviatopolk-Mirsky in favor of M. Witte, former minister of finance.

small railroad shops. The water works, electric light works and gas works are guarded by troops and the police. An attempt of a large body of strikers to interfere with the employees of the gas works was frustrated.

FACTORIES STAY CLOSED

Employees Decide Not to Resume Until Monday
ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 26, 11 p. m.—At most of the mills and factories where the men appeared for work, the employees decided not to resume until Monday. This is the case with the Russian Westinghouse Company.

MOSCOW STREETS QUIET

MOSCOW, Jan. 26.—The streets this morning are quiet. All newspapers, with the exception of three, have reappeared.

MOSCOW STREETS EMPTY

Curtain of Fog Hangs Over City—Few Troops Within Kremlin, but All Visitors Are Closely Watched

MOSCOW, Jan. 26.—A curtain of fog hangs over the city this morning. The streets are again almost deserted. All those who enter the Kremlin are subjected to scrutiny by a host of the police, but there are not many troops inside the walls, the natural strength of which is sufficient to insure the safety of the sacred treasures within, valued at countless millions. Grand Duke Sergius, former governor general of Moscow, and his family are occupying the little Nicholas palace. The garrison remains on the outskirts of the city. There has been no trouble up to this hour. The strike embraces the majority of the printing establishments.

STRIKE AT LIBAU

LIBAU, Russia, Jan. 26.—Workmen here are being compelled to leave the factories and mills by the more militant faction of strikers. Telegraph lines have been damaged. The strike has also begun at the wire works. Men singing songs and blowing trumpets went from factory to factory calling out workers. Some mills are still working.

STRATOFF PRINTERS GO OUT

STRATOFF, Russia, Jan. 26.—All the printers have struck. Employees of the Riazon-Ural railroad have joined in the movement. There has been no rioting thus far.

RUSSIAN SOCIALISTS PLAN DEMONSTRATION

Sympathizers With the Revolutionary Party Arrange for Meeting in New York Saturday Night

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—If the plans of Russian socialists in this city are not interfered with by the police, Madison Square Garden will be the scene next Saturday night of a great demonstration by sympathizers with the Russian revolutionists. There was some difficulty in getting a place of meeting sufficiently large to accommodate the crowd, but it was finally decided to turn the masquerade hall of an East side association set for Saturday night into a meeting. Several of the most eloquent speakers among the Russians of this city will make addresses.

After the dancers have enjoyed themselves for a few hours, a signal will be given at which a procession will form. Small red flags will be distributed to those in line and to the music of patriotic airs a march will begin. When this was first suggested it was believed that the demonstration would be confined to the persons attending the ball, but as the news spread through the East side that there was to be a "red" parade enthusiasm arose and within a few hours every Russian sympathizer in that section of the city was talking of the opportunity to give vent to their feelings.

LADRONES SEEK RANSOM

MANILA, Jan. 26.—Leaders of a band of Ladrones, which recently attacked the town of San Francisco De Malabon and captured the wife and two children of ex-Governor Trias, now demand ransom for the release of the captives.

WOULD LET STATE
GIVE STATISTICS

Report at New Orleans Cotton Convention Favors Giving Bi-Monthly Reports

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 26.—With most vital work already performed the Southern Interstate Cotton convention met today to receive and act upon additional reports of committees elaborating its plans to solve the cotton problem. A warm fight has been in progress since the opening of the convention in the committee on permanent organization, which is to carry into effect the work of the convention, but the expectation early today was that the differences would be reconciled in order that there might be no disturbance of the perfect harmony which has characterized the proceedings of the convention. President Jordan again presided over the convention at the forenoon session. Commissioner of Agriculture R. R. Poole of Alabama, as chairman, presented the report of the committee on statistics.

It was suggested that every state commissioner place himself in a position to secure complete returns from all gins operated in his state and of the entire number of bales ginned of crop of 1904 and 1905 and be in position to furnish this information twice a month during September, October, November and December, 1905, and monthly to March, inclusive. The committee approved the methods of the National Ginners' association as quickest and most feasible way of getting out reports. The state legislatures will be asked to take ample provision to enable their commissioners to carry out these ideas.

Former Senator John Lowndes McLaurin of South Carolina, presented the report of the committee on resolutions heartily approving the reduction of acreage and fertilizers and urging "All owners of cotton to hold it until the government report on acreage shows to the world that southern cotton farmers stand solidly together, and they demand with their agreement and demand the value of their products."

FAST TRAINS ARE
BLOCKED BY SNOW

Twentieth Century Limited Is Fast in a Drift and Must Be Dug Out

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Among the trains stalled on the New York Central is the Twentieth Century Limited, due in Chicago this morning. The train is stuck in drifts near Irvington with about fifty men and women aboard who will not be able to communicate with the outer world until 500 workmen sent out from New York can clear the tracks.

The passengers of the limited, however, will fare much better than those on some other snow-bound trains. They have plenty of light and heat, and there is a well stocked dining car attached. For several hours after the train left New York the dispatchers completely lost track of it. A member of the crew succeeded in reaching a telephone late at night and sent a message to Tarrytown telling of the dilemma. Snow was drifting in about the train ever minute, he said. An effort was made by a party of men from Irvington to get food to the men and women on the Albany express and the Croton local, but they could not fight their way through the drifts. They will remain warm as long as the coal holds out and the engine can force steam through the heating pipes, but they can get nothing to eat.

GOLD WAVE HERE
ON SECOND VISIT

Fort Worth Coldest Place in Texas This Morning—High Mark Is Reached

At 8 o'clock this morning the city of Fort Worth was the coldest place in the state of Texas. The mercury stood at 13 degrees, it being colder here than at Amarillo, where the temperature was one degree warmer. One year ago today, Jan. 26, 1904, at the same hour in the morning, the mercury stood at 12 degrees, just one degree colder than this morning's temperature. The present cold snap being the second of the year, came on the city at 1 o'clock last Sunday morning, practically beginning with the new week. At that hour the mercury stood at 32 degrees and since that time up till 8 o'clock this morning the silver in the tube has not gone above the 40 mark, and has been below the ice making point three-fourths of the time.

The coldest temperature reached this morning at 8 o'clock, when 13 degrees was registered. Wednesday at 8 a. m. the temperature was 15 degrees; Tuesday at the same hour 28 degrees; Monday, 38 degrees; Tuesday, 40 degrees; Wednesday, 24 degrees. The barometer at the local station was also eccentric this morning, standing at 31 inches, the highest point ever reached in this city. Predictions indicate warmer weather this afternoon and tomorrow, as warm conditions prevailing west of here are coming this way.

CHILD'S BURNS FATAL

WACO, Texas, Jan. 26.—Stella Eaton, 4 years old, died yesterday as the result of burns received from her clothing catching fire a few days ago. Another child about the same age is at the point of death from burns received while handling a dish of hot peas.

MONEY MISSING
FROM A LETTER

Imprint of Coin Plainly Visible on Envelope With Corner Opened

With the imprint of a \$5 gold piece on the paper, but with the coin missing, a letter addressed to Detective Burroughs for investigation. Maddox was received at police headquarters this morning. The envelope had a small hole near one corner just large enough to permit the passage of the coin, while on the inside were two sheets of paper in which the coin had been wrapped.

No writing or other means of identifying the sender was in evidence. The matter has been referred to Postmaster Burroughs for investigation. The case is a double mystery. Detective Maddox does not know who could have sent him a \$5 gold piece through the mail, while the question whether the money worked through the paper remains to be solved. The letter was mailed on a Santa Fe train, but the blurring of the postmark has made it impossible to tell just what train it was. Detective Maddox is much interested in the case and in conjunction with the postoffice authorities will endeavor to solve the tangle.

WASHINGTON FORECAST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—The forecast for the southwest is as follows: East Texas (north)—Tonight and Friday partly cloudy; warmer. East Texas (south)—Tonight and Friday partly cloudy weather; probably rain in west portion and on west coast warmer; fresh easterly to southerly winds on the coast. Arkansas—Tonight and Friday fair; slowly rising temperature. Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Tonight and Friday fair; slowly rising temperature.

STORM CAUSES
KEEN SUFFERING

Poorer Districts of New York Scenes of Untold Hardship and Need

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The clearing weather which followed the great storm of yesterday brought New York the coldest day in many years. During the early hours of the morning the mercury reached the zero mark and at 8 o'clock this forenoon stood at 2 degrees above. Terrible suffering is reported among the residents of some of the poorer quarters of the city, where thousands are without sufficient heat, clothing or food. Charitable institutions, where free lodging is given homeless, were packed during the night. Although the storm cleared comparatively early, many lines of transportation have been unable to make the usual schedules early today. The subway and elevated lines are running and in very good condition, but surface lines are practically unable to operate their cars. Efforts were made throughout the night to clear the tracks, but light snow drifted back on the tracks as fast as it was cleared away.

The intense cold held very steady during the forenoon. The mercury clung closely to the zero mark, rising at the rate of hardly one degree per hour. At least eight deaths resulted directly from the abnormal weather. All these victims were persons who fell in the street benumbed by cold. One of the most serious conditions which confronted New Yorkers today was the food and fuel supply. Already there is practically a famine in milk. Coal dealers reported today they had about two days' supply on hand and thought they could get more from wholesalers who have thousands of tons in barges on the New Jersey side of the Hudson river. Provisions of all kinds have been advanced in price by wholesalers and in many cases retailers have added two or three cents a pound to the advance of the larger dealers. Every railroad running to this city is suffering from the storm today. Not one of the through trains had succeeded in getting through in either direction and suburban traffic was in a serious state.

Conditions in Brooklyn are worse than in New York. On many lines no cars at all were running and thousands of persons were obliged to walk long distances to other lines only to find cars and trains filled to their capacity. Seventeen passenger trains from New York on New York Central, scheduled to pass Little Falls during the last fifteen hours, had not been heard from up to 9 a. m. Among them was the Twentieth Century Limited.

TWO DEAD IN BOSTON

Cold Accompanying Storm Causes Much Suffering

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 26.—Boston is slowly recovering today from the effects of yesterday's great storm. The streets are piled high with snow which thousands of men are working hard to remove. The mercury early today registered 5 degrees above zero. There was much suffering from exposure, which was the direct cause of two deaths in the city. Reports from the coast this morning showed that the storm at sea is continuing unabated. Blinding snow prevented observations seaward. A schooner which was driven aground in Province Town harbor yesterday, was still fast early today. Her identity has not been learned and tremendous seas are breaking over her.

LARGE STEAMER ASHORE

WOODS HOLE, Mass., Jan. 26.—A large steamer is ashore on Great Point Rock on the Nantucket shoals. Her identity has not been ascertained.

COLD IN PHILADELPHIA

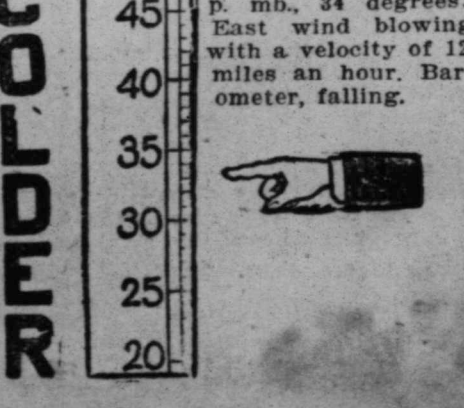
Mercury Drops to Zero During the Night

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 26.—Bitter cold weather today followed the snow storm of yesterday. The weather bureau thermometer registered six degrees above this morning. During the night the temperature was zero. No trains have arrived from New York or from the west and south.

AGED MERCHANT KILLED

HILLSBORO, Texas, Jan. 26.—As the Cotton Belt was coming in from Corsican an old gentleman named James Ivy was killed at Frost. He fell between the cars. He was once in the mercantile business at Frost. He was about 75 years of age.

THE WEATHER SPOTTER



GRAVE CHARGES FILED AGAINST
AMERICAN COUNSUL AT SHANGHAI

Resolution Introduced in House of Representatives Seeking to Inquire Into His Conduct—Protest by American Residents of China Filed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Representative Hughes of New Jersey introduced a resolution in the house yesterday directing the committee on judiciary to "inquire and report whether the action of this house is requisite concerning the official conduct of John Goodnow, judge of the United States consular court at Shanghai, China, and say whether the said judge has been guilty of corrupt conduct in office and whether the administration of his office has resulted in injury and wrongs to citizens in his court."

The resolution is accompanied by seven-teen specifications. The first charges Jernigan, and that Mr. Goodnow sought to persuade one Rosenthal to instigate criminal prosecution against Jernigan in order to injure the latter's good name in the community. The eleventh charges that on June 15, 1903, Goodnow did "unlawfully aid and abet the destruction of documents, the documents in the case being those of Curtis vs. Volker," in consequence of which the sum of \$500 was extorted from the said Curtis and paid to said Goodnow; the twelfth, that Goodnow has rendered false and fraudulent accounts as to the rent paid on the United States consular jail for the support of



JUDGE JOHN GOODNOW

him with the embezzlement of \$246 on various dates during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, the second charges that he mailed false accounts to the secretary of state as to moneys expended for alleged court expenses; the third, that he presented a false claim for money against the United States to the secretary of state; the fourth charges embezzlement on Nov. 15, 1903, of \$643, paid into the court by the firm of Andrews & George, commission merchants, to the use of N. E. Chang Mow & Company; the fifth charges the appointment of George A. Derby as an expert accountant in the case between the firms mentioned in the preceding charges, the appointee being asserted to be wholly incompetent, and that the judge thereafter tried a perjured account from his appointment; the sixth charges conspiracy between the judge and others to defraud Maximilian Francis D'Sionek, a subject of Germany, of land valued at \$72,460; the seventh charges that on March 25, 1903, Mr. Goodnow appointed "a biased and prejudiced" assessor in the case of I. E. Giller & Company vs. the American Trading Company; the eighth, that in Sept. 20, 1902, he unlawfully deprived A. J. Burke, an American citizen, and attorney of record of Minneapolis, Minn., of his liberty, and seized and appropriated Burke's property to his own use, libeled and disbarred said Burke; the ninth charges oppression and tyranny by charges of intimidation and threats of criminal prosecution through which Burke was extorted from A. J. B. Burke \$11,374, being a one-third vested interest in the Chinese indemnity claim against George Warren; the tenth charges oppressive and tyrannical extortion of 250 taels from Thomas R.

United States prisoners, for the jailer, and for alleged services for said prisoners, and that Goodnow has knowingly falsified and knowingly certified that property belonging to foreigners was the property belonging to a citizen of the United States in order, as alleged, to give said property the protection of the United States flag. The fourteenth charge is in the main a duplicate of the preceding one.

The fifteenth charge is a conspiracy to "manufacture aliens into citizens of the United States" in consideration of large sums of money. The sixteenth charges Goodnow with appropriating to his own use fees in settling estates of American citizens who died at Shanghai and making false returns thereof. The seventeenth charges that Judge Goodnow did unlawfully and knowingly take jurisdiction of the case of George A. Derby against one R. C. Plant, the case being triable only before the United States ministerial court at Pekin. The result being that Plant was sentenced to a long term in prison and, it is believed, is serving the same in a California jail.

The resolution further charges that the said Judge Goodnow is incompetent to hold the office of federal judge, that he has never been admitted to practice law in any court in the United States or elsewhere, and that he is not a lawyer.

A protest against the retention of Judge Goodnow, signed by twenty American residents of China, is made a part of the resolution.

LAW AGAINST KILLING ROBINS

WACO, Texas, Jan. 26.—Replying to an inquiry from the central committee of the State Humane society, County Attorney O. H. Cross yesterday gave an opinion as to the killing of robins, many of the birds having been slaughtered during their brief stop here. He stated that the penalty for killing robins any month in the year was a minimum fine of \$5, a maximum fine of \$25 or a term in the county jail of from 5 to 100 days, or both fine and imprisonment.

ROBINS MIGRATING

WACO, Texas, Jan. 26.—Red-breasted robins which were in Waco by tens of thousands on Tuesday all disappeared as suddenly as they came. It seems that they swooped down for a meal of hackberries, then continued their flight. The migration in such numbers had not been noted before in a decade, and it was first thought they would stay here some time, as formerly these birds stopped for weeks in passing through.

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I ask no reference, no deposit, no security. There is nothing to promise, nothing to pay—either now or later. To any womanly sufferer who has not tried my remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative—I will gladly give, free, not a mere sample, but a full dollar bottle.

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deaden the pain—but it does go at once to the nerve—the inside nerve—the power nerve—and builds it up, and strengthens it and makes it well—and that is the end of womanly weakness.

Simply Write Me

Will you accept this opportunity to learn at my expense absolutely, how to rid forever of all forms of womanly weakness—to be rid not only of the trouble, but of the very cause which produced it?

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

WOULD COST TO CUT OUT PASSES

Senator Willacy Says It Now Would Require Special Appropriation

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 25.—In the senate yesterday the special order was the stringent anti-pass bill, brought in as a substitute for those introduced on the subject.

Senator Willacy asked for a postponement of the bill, stating that as chairman of the finance committee he is investigating what the passage of this bill will cost the taxpayers of this state; that at this time it easily means \$100,000 additional appropriation for traveling expenses, etc., and will probably go over \$150,000. He asked the senate to wait for facts.

The motion to postpone carried—14 yeas, 13 nays.

The senate passed bill by Hicks requiring annual reports of receipts, disbursements, indebtedness, etc., for corporations using municipal franchises, such as water, light, power, sewerage and street car corporations.

Finally passed Senator Smith's bill providing for the appointment in vacation of guardians for minors, etc., the selection to become permanent unless contested at the next regular term of court.

Finally passed Senator Looney's bill prohibiting common law marriage in this state.

Finally passed bill by Senator Hicks giving the supreme court jurisdiction in contempt proceedings arising in civil cases.

Senator Hawkins' state and county deputy bill was made a special order for Friday.

IN HOUSE COMMITTEES

The committee on private corporations reported favorably yesterday on committee substitute to house bill No. 127, by Mr. Davis of San Augustine, relating to the debts of firms and private corporations doing business in Texas. This bill requires the word "incorporated" to be written after every firm or corporate name.

The committee on labor reported favorably on house bill 231, by Hall and Blanton, providing those who act as locomotive engineers or firemen shall have three years' experience.

The committee on public health reported favorably house bill No. 63, by Mr. Witherspoon, proposing the promotion of medical science and the use of unclaimed bodies for scientific purposes.

The committee on state affairs reported favorably house bill No. 26, by Mr. Blanton, enacting a pure food law, and providing for the appointment of dairy and pure food commissioners.

IN SENATE COMMITTEES

The senate judiciary committee No. 1 reported favorably yesterday on Senator Beaty's bill, repealing the clause allowing \$10 costs for attorneys' fees in collecting claims against railroads, it having been declared unconstitutional by the supreme court of the United States.

Senator Holland's bill authorizing the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe to purchase and operate the Cane Belt railway company was considered.

Senator Davidson offered an amendment, requiring an road to transport free of charge the governor and lieutenant governor of Texas, heads of departments, sheriffs and members of the legislature.

He said he thought such a provision would solve the free press problem, making it legitimate and removing any supposed influence passes work on public officials. He stated that it is denied that passes are given to influence officials and

of burglarizing the Panther City Hardware Company's store about a month ago, at which time half a dozen shot guns were stolen.

When Coleman departed from Fort Worth he left a grip at his boarding house which gave the officers a clue which resulted in his arrest in Indiana.

Deputy Sheriff Hamill Scott will go to Indianapolis to bring Coleman back to this city if requisition papers are secured.

EXPECTS BETTER THINGS

J. M. Daugherty, a prominent cattleman of Abilene, was in Fort Worth Tuesday evening. Mr. Daugherty stated he thought the cattle conditions were not as bad as some were inclined to think, and that they would soon swing around into good shape.

LEGISLATIVE GOSSIP

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 25.—The Kennedy bill on revenue and taxation, which was printed and laid on the desk of members of the house yesterday, is perhaps the largest bill ever introduced in a Texas legislature. It comprised ninety-four pages, containing 51,335 words. The Terrell election law passed by the Twenty-eighth legislature comprised seventy-two pages, containing 21,404 words. From these figures it will be seen that the Kennedy bill is twice as long as the Terrell election law with 7,523 words to spare.

The democratic party of Texas should have attended a meeting of the committee on criminal jurisprudence today, when the bill by Mr. Brown of Karnes county was being considered, defining nepotism, to have learned how democratic platform demands were regarded. Mr. Brown of Wharton reminded the committee that the only member of the Twenty-eighth legislature who consistently and persistently advocated the redemption of democratic platform demands was G. S. York, a republican. "We were not sent here by the Houston convention," Mr. Brown said, "but by the people, and how are we under any obligations to those to whom we are indebted for our election." The Terrell and Thompson of Hunt county believed in platform demands, "but my people," he said, "do not condemn the practice, as has been shown by officers of the county elected by very large majorities who have appointed relatives to office."

Mr. Onion of Bexar said he was a loyal democrat, but did not believe the platform demanded any such drastic measures as was proposed by the Brown bill. Mr. Reiger of Comanche did not think any stronger language could be used than was used in the platform commendatory of the practice of putting relatives in office.

The committee was not able to reach a just conclusion on the matter, and so the bill will be the subject of further consideration.

When the bill of Mr. Low of Washington county, making June 3, Jefferson Davis' birthday, a legal holiday in Texas, was called up in the house yesterday evening it was passed without a dissenting vote.

TO CURE 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.

WEATHER

FORECAST UNTIL 8 P. M. tomorrow for Texas, east of the one hundred meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows: East Texas (north)—Tonight and Friday partly cloudy weather, warmer.

East Texas (south)—Tonight and Friday, partly cloudy weather, probably rain in west portion and on west coast, warmer.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

D. S. Landis issued the following statement of weather conditions this morning: The cold wave center is over Arkansas, with the temperature 20 degrees below freezing. New Orleans reports a temperature of 22 degrees for this morning.

The northeast quarter of the country is cloudy and unsettled conditions prevail. "Lows" are entering from the southwest, and the northwest, and temperatures are increasing west of the Rocky mountains. Rain is falling at Spokane this morning. The temperatures have increased from 10 to 20 degrees in the cold centers of yesterday.

Texas is partly cloudy to cloudy, and the west portion is warming up. Fort Worth is the coldest part of the state, being on a temperature line with Oklahoma.

D. S. LANDIS, Official in Charge.

WEIGHS 550 POUNDS IS DYING FROM COLD

Mother Superior of Franciscan Sisters' Home Not Expected to Recover from Illness

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Mother Francisco, general manager of St. Joseph's home at Peekskill, and Mother Superior of the third Order of Franciscan Sisters in this country, is dying from complications following a severe cold. She is one of the largest women in the country, her weight being 550 pounds.

GOING! GOING!! GONE!!!



NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE

A Public Tooth Brush A noted dermatologist says, "The time is coming when an unsterilized public hair brush will be as rare as a public tooth brush." The reason is that dirty hair brushes spread dandruff, and true dandruff is now known to be a contagious disease. Write to Herpicide Will Save It. Herpicide Will Save It. Too Late For Herpicide.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL

Few People Know How Useful it is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odoriferous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually cleans and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal, and other powdered antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon bring about a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat, and believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

SEWER CHARTER FORFEITED

Temple Council Takes Decisive Action, Leaving Field Open to Outside Companies

TEMPLE, Texas, Jan. 25.—At a regular session of the city council held tonight the charter of the Temple Sewer company was declared forfeited and the company of the fact. The sewer plant operated by corporations for ten or fifteen years, but drastic action was not taken for the reasons that the owners were home people and there was a possibility of their being able to overcome certain difficulties. The action of the council last night means that the bars are down and a sewer franchise awaiting some person or persons who can satisfy the council as to certain requirements. It is considered a valuable franchise and already several requests for the same are on file. The council also took occasion to endorse in the most positive terms the provisions of the Robertson bill now pending before the legislature for its passage as quickly as possible.

The bill was introduced by Hulst P. Robertson of Bell county. It empowers city councils in all towns and cities of the state to regulate the charges for water and sewerage by corporations operating under public franchise. The people of Temple have had a bitter experience in water and light rates and other cities of the state with less than 10,000 population have been similarly afflicted. The council resolution requests the various city councils over the state, the boards of trade and other commercial organizations and civic bodies to adopt similar resolutions and seek to convince the legislature of the pressing necessity that exists among the growing towns of the state for this supervisory legislation.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC Has stood the test twenty-five years. The first and original tasteless chill tonic. 50 cents.

RICH MANUFACTURER DIES AT HEMPHILL, TEX.

Body of J. Clarence Rickenbaugh, Fatally Injured in Runaway, Sent to Michigan for Burial

HOLSTON, Texas, Jan. 25.—J. Clarence Rickenbaugh, president of the Century Furniture Company of Grand Rapids, Mich., died at Hemphill as a result of injuries received in a runaway accident Nov. 28. The body was taken to Beaumont, embalmed and shipped to Grand Rapids for interment. Rickenbaugh was an extensive owner of timber lands in east Texas, besides owning a controlling interest in the Grand Rapids furniture plant, and was reputed to be a millionaire. The body was accompanied by his brother, wife and child.

A workman on the Siberian railway was accidentally locked in a refrigerator car and was afterward found dead. Imagining that he was being slowly frozen to death he had recorded his sufferings with a piece of chalk on the floor. The temperature in the car had not fallen below 50 degrees Fahrenheit throughout the journey.

The outside walls of many of the houses in Mexico are from three to six feet thick to withstand earthquake shocks.

ANTI-ROPING BILL TO PASS

Measure Prohibiting Contests Reaches the Engrossment Stage in House

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 25.—The bill introduced in the house by Hon. S. E. Johnson, J. of Gillespie county, prohibiting roping contests in Texas, has passed to engrossment in the house and has passed finally in the senate, which means that it will finally become a law.

If the expressions heard from the members of the house are indications, this action will be hailed with great satisfaction, not only by the great stock raisers, but all people who are in sympathy with the humane treatment of dumb animals.

The bill as engrossed is as follows: "And person who shall engage in stock roping contests for money, or prize roping contests, with other persons, or alone, in which cattle or other animals are roped as a test or trial of the skill of the person or persons engaged in, of any character, or for any championships, or for anything of value, or upon the result of which any money or thing is bet or wagered, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not less than \$100, nor more than \$500."

The committee on criminal law and procedure departed from the stereotyped form and made a strong and highly commendable report on this bill, asking the house to pass it.

ANTI-POOL ROOM REPORT

The full report of the committee recommending the passage of the anti-pool room bill is as follows: "An anti-pool room bill should pass for the following reasons: That there are four changes in the law as passed by the Twenty-eighth legislature, each of which is calculated to strengthen and make the bill more popular.

First—One material change in the bill is the amendment which makes it an offense to offer or tender a bet or deposit money to be tendered as a bet upon horse races to be run in another state. This amendment cures the weak place in the law, as pointed out in the Harry Windsor case, decided in 9 Texas Court Reporter, p. 900.

The second material change is increasing the punishment for running a pool room from a county court case to a felony, making it a penitentiary offense. This is the punishment for running a pool room as fixed by most of the statutes of other states. Make it a felony and thus rid Texas of the great pool room evil that now exists and bids her good name.

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The fourth material change is the change of procedure permitting the use of circumstantial testimony without the necessity of corroboration. It is an exact copy of that section of the penal code which permits the use of testimony in gambling cases in Texas.

The fourth reason why this law should be passed, as amended, is that the passage of this act will be an encouragement to state and county fairs by permitting the track side betting on the day the race is run and within the inclosure where the race is run, and proper safeguards against the syndicate bookmaking. Such exemption in favor of fairs is wise in that it encourages breeding of fine stock, promotes the exhibition of thoroughbred animals, agricultural, exhibits and farming implements. The fairs should be stimulated, as it begets a healthy social intercourse and commercial advancement.

"And the one great reason why this bill should pass is that it rid Texas of this great nuisance, the pool room."

PECOS COUNTY RANCH SOLD

Dull Brothers' Holdings, Consisting of 215,000 Acres, Bought for \$300,000

One of the biggest ranch sales made in this section in many years was consummated at Ozona. The immense ranch owned by Dull Bros. of Philadelphia, and located in Pecos county, west of the Pecos river, was bought by Noah Corder, Dick Russell and Irve Ellis of Menardville, Texas, and Lee Russell, president of the Texas-Rio Grande Commission company of East St. Louis, for \$300,000. The ranch includes 245,000 acres of graded Herford cattle, said to be the best land and cattle section of the Pecos river. Dull Bros., iron founders of Philadelphia, received this land on a contract for furnishing rails to the Southern Pacific railway and they were, it is said, permitted a choice of the land along the line between El Paso and San Antonio, with the result that they chose this body of land situated in Pecos county. John Young, the Ozona commission man, who negotiated the trade, receives a fee of \$9,000 for pulling the deal through, which is claimed to be the largest fee ever paid in Texas for the sale of a single ranch. At any rate, it knocks over anything ever paid before in Western Texas. Possession is to be given at once and Noah Corder, "Baldy" Russell and others are now en route from Menardville to Pecos county to receive the cattle.

N. C. Tisdale and brother of Eldorado have just finished dehorning 400 head of cattle. The dehorning policy is taking hold out here and seems to please the cattlemen.

Some sections appear to be not as well off for grass as they might be and unless more rains are had will be short on range before long. For the most part, however, the stockmen are all in fine shape as far as range is considered.

INSURANCE STATEMENTS FILED

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 26.—Annual statements were filed yesterday in the state insurance department by the following companies:

Austin Fire Insurance company of Austin, Texas. The statement showed the total fire risks written during the year to be \$4,485,709.18; premiums paid, \$82,245.90; losses paid, \$32,029.92; losses incurred, \$28,665.45. The company paid \$411.23 tax, office fees \$22.

Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance company of Hartford. Risks written, \$20,554.33; gross losses paid, \$124.85; losses incurred, \$266.50; tax \$205.34; office fees \$32; certificates \$19.

The General Accident Insurance company of Philadelphia was licensed to do

HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Busy Medication for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Live and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form. 35 cents a box. Remuneration made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

Buy Oak Leaf Lard IF YOU WANT THE BEST PURE LARD.

THE HOUSE AND ILLS OF WINTER



Coughs, Colds, Croup, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and La Grippe. Are All Forms of Winter Catarrh and all are Curable by Pe-ru-na.

Winter has its pleasures. The skating, sleighing and various other outdoor sports of winter, combined with its pure, bracing atmosphere, all tend toward producing a healthy condition of the body.

Yet, in spite of these pleasures, winter brings its ills. Most of them are in the nature of climatic diseases.

People are sometimes not as careful as they should be. They expose themselves unduly.

They are caught in cold, sleety rain. They enter the house with damp shoes and clothing and do not take the time or trouble to change to dry clothing.

They sit about the house and breathe the vitiated air of stuffy, unventilated rooms.

They do not take enough outdoor exercise and neglect hygienic precautions.

The amusements of the long evenings create a tendency to keep late hours and eat heavy meals before retiring.

All of these indiscretions create catarrhal diseases.

Coughs, colds, bronchitis, croup, pneumonia and lagrippe predominate, though indigestion and stomach catarrh are almost as prevalent as in summer.

The only remedy ever devised by the medical profession to successfully counteract these ills and permanently cure catarrh, is Pe-ru-na.

It cures catarrh in every phase and stage. It is not a palliative, but a permanent cure.

It strikes at once at the root of the catarrh by removing the cause of catarrh. It soothes and heals all of the various mucous membranes of the body, whether of the head, throat, lungs or stomach.

Pe-ru-na, together with a reasonable amount of care as to one's health, is the

only fortification necessary to keep off winter catarrh.

We give below only a few of the many commendatory expressions received by Dr. Hartman from people who have been cured of winter catarrh by Pe-ru-na.

When the Children Catch Cold. "If my husband or any of the children catch cold, lose their appetite, or have indigestion, a few doses of Pe-ru-na never fail to effect a cure."—Mrs. Annie Jones, Glenwood Springs, Col.

Catarrh of Head and Throat. "I have been giving my little daughter the Pe-ru-na regularly, and she is entirely cured of her catarrh of the head and throat."—Mrs. E. P. L. Geissler, 30 Milton St., Cleveland, Ohio.

A Severe Cold. "Last fall I took a severe cold which settled all over me. I thought that I would try Pe-ru-na. In less than a week I began to improve and kept on so until I was again able to do my work."—Mrs. Clara Litterer, Searfield, Ind.

Catarrh Became Chronic. "I was suffering from catarrh of the head and eyes. I began using Pe-ru-na after this trouble was well seated, but found that it took hold of the trouble at once. I was a grateful woman at the end of six weeks, when I found that I was well."—Alice Campbell, Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, Cal.

Health Restored by Pe-ru-na. "My health was excellent until about a year ago, when I had a complete collapse from overdoing socially, not getting the proper rest and too many late suppers.

"I was advised by a friend to try Pe-ru-na. I kept using it for three months. At the end of that time my health was restored."—Nellie G. Loomis, 911 Campbell St., Kansas City, Mo.

CHICAGO HEIRESS DIES

Appendicitis Fatal to Daughter of Cyrus McCormick

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Elizabeth McCormick, the only daughter of Cyrus H. McCormick, is dead, aged 12 years. The death of the heiress of the millionaire family came as the result of an attack of appendicitis which began more than a week ago.

An operation has been performed and the patient had rallied, but a relapse followed from which she never recovered.

The number of cigarettes manufactured and sold in Canada increased from 34,000,000 in 1926 to 32,000,000 in 1928. In 1900 12,000,000 were manufactured.

No torture to that of a rheumatic. Prescription No. 251, by Elmer & Amend, quickest relief of all. E. F. SCHMIDT, Houston, Texas, Sole Agent.

A POINTED QUESTION

Nell is a little girl who is allowed to join the diners at her house when there are guests on the stipulation that she shall keep very quiet.

On several occasions the little girl was refused dessert, on the ground that "it was not good for her."

Recently, when there were not a few guests at dinner at the house in question, the youngster, having obtained permission to speak, naively asked:

"Mother, will the dessert hurt me, or is there enough to go round?"—Collier's for Jan. 28.

Puts light in the eye, tints the cheek with Nature's bloom, loosens the tension of life, brushes the cobwebs from the brain, that's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

\$5,000 Reward

Will be paid to the person or persons causing the arrest and final conviction under Art. 785 of Penal Code of Texas, of the party or parties who maliciously tampered with the switch and wrecked train No. 15 in Cleburne yards night of Jan. 16, 1905. W. C. NIXON, 2d V. P. & G. M. G. & S. F. Ry. Galveston, Tex., Jan. 24, 1905.



MELLIN'S FOOD

Baby's bright eyes, rosy cheeks, firm flesh and sound limbs are the results of using Mellin's Food.

You will be glad that you sent for a sample of Mellin's Food when you see how eagerly baby takes it.

ARRESTED IN INDIANA

The sheriff's office has been notified of the arrest and detention at Indianapolis of Julius Coleman, on information that he is wanted here on a charge

FOR BETTER OR WORSE

By EDWIN F. PAYNE

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CHAPTER I

M. R. PROTHROW spoke with the thoughtful deliberation of one who has come to the last bridge and is bound to make a stand, a final one.

"Of course Sam's no good; can't expect nothin' of him. But the boy's got to go to school; that's sure. Course he's old enough to work if it come to a pinch, but I want to see him get some learnin' an' he'll never get it if he waits for his father. I'm gettin' plumb sick of Sam."

Mrs. Peters bit off her thread with two sound teeth which happened to be opposite.

"You hadn't ought to be so hard on Sam," she said. "You know, Mose, he's good to me, an' because he's unfortunate you hadn't ought to feel hard toward him."

"Unfortunately" Mose snorted. "Just cussed lazy, you mean. What good is he? Ain't you supported him from the day you married him? Unfortunate! What has he done when he had a job? Soldered so much that he got sinned. Look at that job he had in Simpson's factory at \$300 a month, look'n' after them machines—no three hours' work a day—an' he threw it up because he had to be at the factory at 6 o'clock in the mornin'; said the hours were so long. What did he do down in Louisiana? Wasn't he down there a whole year peddlin' gospel books or some fool thing like that, an' didn't you have to set up nights to earn money to get him back? Better for you if you'd let him stay there."

Mrs. Peters had dropped her work in her lap and was thrusting the empty needle back and forth through a fold in her dress. A battered silver thimble capped one unadorned finger. Her fingers had the large knuckles peculiar to people who labor with their hands. Her almost expressionless face showed but few wrinkles save those about the eyes, which were caused by working by the light of a poor oil lamp. Her thin, dull brown hair was caught up at the back in a little unkempt knot, from which a few uneven ends straggled out.

"You hadn't ought to speak so about the Bible, Mose," she said gravely. "It ain't right, Sam thought he could make a livin' in Louisiana sellin' Bibles, but he was unfortunate. You think because you've been lucky every one ought to be lucky too."

"Yes, there's the rub, Lod. Sam won't work, an' he ain't no lucky, so I don't see how you're ever goin' to have anything. Some folks is lucky, an' a lot more had to work. I always had to work. Seems funny about Sam, too, 'cause it's always the people that couldn't make a livin' with their hands or brains that's lucky. Seems like work was a part of a habit. If you start in it it'll be got to keep it up the rest of your life, an' if you never begin, why, you'll get along somehow, particularly if you've got a good workin' wife."

Mr. Prothrow ran the end of a blunt finger through the red stubble on his jaw and gazed at his sister as though wondering how she would answer that. Mrs. Peters bowed at the need which she was putting slowly through and through her dress.

"I don't see how," she stopped and bent her head a little lower.

"Well," queried Mose.

"Well, I don't see how I can keep life in school any longer. He's ten years old, an' he's take him in Perkins' grocery, an' I can't see as they's any chance of his gettin' any work very soon, an' I can't keep on doin' it all much longer. I know 'tain't right for me to say that, but I can't work like I used to."

Mr. Prothrow looked down in his chair and saw the reddish brown boot out the full length of his leg. With the heel for a pivot he slowly moved his leg back and forth in a brand arc.

"No," he said slowly; then with a sudden attempt at sarcasm: "No, you're gettin' on, can't work more'n' fifteen or sixteen hours a day. You used to work sixteen."

"Now, look here, Lod," he went on quickly, "they ain't no use a monkey-in' this way any longer. Sam is a n' He never did smart you, an' he never will. You've been keepin' yourself an' life an' him for the last fifteen years—with my help—an' you can't say I ain't helped you a good deal. Don't think I'm regrettin' what I've done for you. You're my sister, an' what I've done has been for you an' life. But I'm plumb tired, Lod. I'm glad to do anything I can for you an' life, but I'm blessed if I'm goin' to support that lummock of a husband of yours!"

"Why, look at him!" he went on rapidly. "He's as big an' strong as I am, an' yet he can't keep one poor little wife an' his boy. I said can't keep 'em. Won't is the word. Just won't keep 'em."

Mose was excited now and, grasping both arms of his chair very tight, was leaning over toward his sister as though to impress his words with the weight of his physical presence.

Mrs. Peters nervously clasped and unclasped her needle scarred fingers, and her lips moved slightly a moment before she spoke.

"I know you've been good to me an' life; better'n we deserve. Mose, you've give us a heap of money, an' I don't know what we'll do none more'n' once if it hadn't been for you. Sam means well, an' he's good to me an' an' what are we goin' to do, Mose?"

Mose smiled in his outstretched leg

How to Get Well.

Every organ of the body is directly connected with the brain by nerves. The nerve cells in the brain generate nerve force—power—and send it to the organ through these nerves, and this nerve-force gives life and action. The organs work perfectly when there is sufficient nerve power. Lack of nerve force weakens the action of an organ and it works imperfectly—becomes sick.

Two-thirds of all sickness is thus due to weak or deranged nerves; it is therefore advisable to take Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve, because it makes nerve energy.

When you cure the nerves you remove the cause, and that's the way to get well.

"Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve cured me of nervous prostration after every other effort had failed to give me relief. My trouble seemed to begin with a general loss of strength and a breaking down of the nervous system. I suffered from headache, constipation and fluttering or palpitation of the heart. My appetite failed and I was so nervous and restless that I could not sleep at night. My husband, who is a druggist, brought me a bottle of Nerve. It helped me from the start, and continued using it until I had taken six bottles. My health was completely restored."

Mrs. SILLA M. MORROW, North Adams, Mich. Dr. Miles' Nerve is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee to refund your money. If it fails, he will refund your money. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Live Stock

TODAY'S RECEIPTS

Table with 2 columns: Item, Receipts. Includes Cattle, Hogs, Steers, Horses and mules.

TOP PRICES TODAY

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes Steers, Cows, Heifers, Bulls, Calves, Hogs.

NORTH FORT WORTH, Jan. 26.—The early run of cattle was below the normal receipts for the first day of the last half of the week, but arrivals kept stringing in until around 2,500 were in the yards. Compare with 2,698 the same day last week. 589 the corresponding Thursday last month and 1,983 the same day of the week a year ago.

The supply of beef steers was limited, offerings being mainly feeders. Some short-fed steers came in by rail and on the hoof. Competition on these was active on the part of the packers and outsiders, and quick sales were made at prices steady with the advance of yesterday. Feeder buyers were in evidence, and a fine lot of good feeders sold at satisfactory prices. Fat steers sold between \$2.50 and \$3, and feeder steers between \$2.40 and \$2.75.

The bulk of the cattle run consisted of cows, but few, however, of choice quality. On all classes of cows buying was active and the market ruled steady with Wednesday's advance.

The bull trade was steady on small receipts. Receipts of calves were light, confined to few individuals in mixed loads. The trade was asking for good calves, took all offerings at steady prices. Tops \$4.75, good heaves \$2.35@2.85, light thin calves \$1.50@2.

The swine trade yesterday showed more strength than the early market promised, and today's sales were even better, disclosing a betterment of 5c to 10c on all classes except pigs, and these ruled steady.

The supply was 3,300, against 3,048 Thursday of last week, 454 the same day of the week in December and 914 the corresponding day in January, 1904.

Packers were eager for hogs and the trade was asking for good calves, took all offerings at steady prices. Tops \$4.75, good heaves \$2.35@2.85, light thin calves \$1.50@2.

TODAY'S SHIPPERS

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M. H. THOMAS & CO. Bankers and Brokers. Cotton, Grain, Provisions, Stocks and Bonds. New York, New York Cotton Exchange, Liverpool Cotton Exchange and Chicago Board of Trade. Direct private wires to exchanges. Removed to 709 Main street, Fort Worth, Texas. Phone 3313.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Price. Lists various livestock items and their prices.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Table with 4 columns: No., Ave. Price, No., Ave. Price. Lists representative sales for steers and cows.

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COTTON

M. H. THOMAS & CO.'S LETTER

Our New York correspondent writes us as follows, in regard to the cotton situation:

The cotton market today was feverish and variable, influenced by the action of Liverpool, the resolution of the convention to reduce the amount of commercial fertilizer used to a like extent, and later by the publication of preliminary census report of the amount of cotton ginned to Jan. 16. Liverpool came somewhat dis-

appointing and slumped off rather sharply before the close and ended 3 to 5 points down. Our market opened steady and a shade higher, but developed heaviness on moderate selling, but on the appearance of the ginners' report prices advanced rather sharply; but on the heavy selling by Price and others the market declined rather sharply and then rallied on heavy buying by Wilson and Mitchell; but this was not sufficient to bring about an entire recovery of the early decline. The proposed reduction of 25 per cent in acreage means that the area planted will be limited to about 24,000,000 acres, if the resolution is lived up to by the great majority of cotton growers; but this is a price which remains to be demonstrated, and is too far off to be counted a market influence at present.

The preliminary ginners' report was disappointing to the bears, as it is only the first supplementary report and practically the only one that is regarded as a full report, and that this would show over 12,000,000 bales ginned to Jan. 16 in all countries. Today's report covers but 215 counties. Traders figure that on the basis of 215 counties reported there has been an increase of 38 per cent over last year. This is rather bearish, if anything, as on that basis it points to a crop of over 13,500,000 bales. The full report, however, must be had before anything like a definite estimate of the crop will be possible.

While the proposed reduction in acreage would indicate a prospective smaller yield of cotton for next season, an agreement to reduce the crop is regarded as indicative of final results and for this reason the ginners' report and the indicated large yield for this season will be the practical influence in the market. Spinners and traders realize the fact that there is an enormous quantity of cotton held back, which eventually must be offered for sale, and this knowledge naturally militates against the development of any bullish feeling in the market.

Prices are now on a low basis, but in the present bearish feeling on the part of the speculative element some further decline is not improbable, and we would prefer to await a lower level before taking the buying side.

M. H. THOMAS & CO. LIVERPOOL COTTON (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.) LIVERPOOL, Jan. 26.—The spot cotton market was steady, with moderate business. Sales 8,000 bales; middling 3,760. Receipts 14,400 bales, all American; 7,000, 1,000 bales.

The following was the range in prices: Yesterday's Open, 2 p. m. Close, Close.

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Remnants from the Great January Sales Marked Half and Less

Thousands of yards of seasonable Cotton, Wool and Silk Fabrics, accumulated by our great January sales, in lengths from 1/2 to 12 yards, have been reduced to close at HALF PRICE.

Black Goods, Velvets and Silk Remnants, at Half

Short lengths Black Dress Goods of fall weaves in lengths of 1 to 8 yards... HALF REGULAR PRICE. Remnants of Silks, Chiffons, Mousselines, Velvets, Corduroys and Dress Nets in plain and fancy colors, of desirable weaves, lengths from 1 to 12 yards—every one a bargain... HALF PRICE.

Remnants of Colored Wool Dress Goods

Short lengths of plain and fancy colored Dress Goods in the popular weaves, as Voile, Eolienne, Henrietta, Cashmere, Broadcloth and Etonish mixtures, in all the late shades; lengths of 1/2 to 8 yards; to make a clean sweep we offer them for Friday's selling at... HALF PRICE.

High Grade Wash Goods Remnants

Remnants of Linings, Flannelette, Outings, Ginghams, etc., in lengths of 1 to 5 yards; pretty patterns for kimonos, dressing saques, etc.; to close Friday... ONE-HALF ORIGINAL PRICE.

Remnants of Laces and Embroideries

Short lengths of Embroideries and Laces left from the past few weeks' heavy selling, all pretty designs and serviceable lengths; closing price for Friday's selling... ONE-HALF ORIGINAL PRICE.

Bargain Basement Short Lengths

Short lengths Calico, Domestic, Lawn, Flannelette, etc... HALF PRICE.

Plain and Fancy Ribbons

Short lengths plain and fancy Satin and Taffeta Ribbon... ONE-FOURTH REGULAR PRICE.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.) ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 26.—Cash grain was quoted today as follows:

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HEALTH RULE VIOLATION

Conducting of Water Supply into Stagnant Course Declared a Nuisance

Citizens taking a part in the circulation of the petition for the improvement of the conditions around the city hall have called attention to a portion of the revised health ordinances, designating nuisances, among which is the following: "The conducting into any alley or gutter of the waste water from any sink or tank, or any source of water supply that produces any pools of stagnant water in said alley or gutter."

CITY NEWS

Joe Henderson, patrol driver, has been taken ill and is confined to his home. His place is being temporarily filled by Officer Tom George.

Howard W. Peak of this city is in Washaeche on business today.

The commanding officers, Major and Mrs. Bonnett will conduct the services at the Salvation Army hall, 1609 1/2 Main street, Friday night.

While lying on the track struggling to rise, a horse owned by H. M. Floyd, was struck by a stock yard car on Main street this afternoon. The horse, being driven by Henry Moss, a colored man, was only slightly injured.

A BROKEN WIRE STOPS STREET CARS

Falling of Cable to Power House Caused Temporary Interruption of Traffic Last Night

Transportation on the Northern Texas Traction Company's lines in the city was suspended for over an hour last night, on account of the wire being down between this city and Handley. Five minutes before 9 o'clock every thing "went dead" and did not come to life again until a few minutes after 10 o'clock.

A SLEET STORM RAGING

Covers Territory Along Colorado Southern from Texline North—Poles Broken Down

Information received at the general offices of the Denver road this afternoon shows a bad storm raging from Texline north along the Colorado Southern.

MEMBER OF CHARITABLE BOARD

PARGOULD, Ark., Jan. 27.—Governor Davis has appointed Hon. M. F. Huddleston as a member of the state board of charitable institutions from the Sixth district to succeed W. E. Williams, resigned. Mr. Williams has been appointed sheriff of St. Francis county to fill the vacancy. Mr. Huddleston is a former member of the state senate and was lieutenant governor for two years.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

FELSENTHAL, Ark., Jan. 27.—Bus-

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The best indication of the business sagacity and acumen of a community is gauged to a very considerable extent by the prosperity of its banking institutions. When a community is prosperous, abundant wealth and contentment prevails. The bank clearings for the year 1904—\$188,484,695.02—show a marvelous growth over those of 1903—\$168,907,238.56, an increase of \$19,577,586.46. The year 1905, from the present heavy growth and commercial activity prevalent, shows that it will be the best year Fort Worth and Tarrant county ever had.

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Walter, a member of the Farmers' Alliance Merchants' company, was accidentally killed at the mouth of the lake near here. He was in a rowboat with John Berry and Jim Knox, his brother-in-law, and in stooping over a 45-caliber revolver dropped from his pocket, which was discharged, the ball penetrating his heart.

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Sophie Brandt as "The Princess."
—Elaborate production—Great cast—
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Night prices, lower floor \$1.50, \$1.00;
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Matinee Saturday.
ROSE COGHLAN'S REVIVAL OF SAR-
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"DIPLOMACY"
WITH
ROSE COGHLAN AND HOWARD KYLE
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Matinee Prices—Lower floor \$1.75, bal-
cony 50c.
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LADRONES STILL ACTIVE

MANILA, Jan. 26.—In response to
the request of Governor General
Wright, General Corbin will send to
the province of Cavite the third troop
of the second cavalry under command
of Major F. W. Shibley with the
infantry forces now fighting with La-
drones near Silang. Later advices
place the number of Ladrones at 200.
The fighting continues.

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Are greatly benefited by taking a few
doses of the Bitters, especially in cases
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toning and strengthening effect on their
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Dyspepsia and
Indigestion.

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Private Stamp
over neck of bot-
tle.

**SPORTSMEN PLAN
RABBIT COURSING**

Races Will Be Run on Open
Prairie to Determine
Merits of Dogs

Preparations are being made at present
in this city for the formation of a
rabbit coursing club. A dozen citi-
zens who have fast grayhounds are be-
hind the movement and will shortly
organize, elect officers and arrange to
have hunts in pastures near the city
where jack rabbits are abundant.

Aside from the sport of the races it
is the purpose of those interested to
race dogs against dogs in much the
same manner as horses. It is asserted
that at least twenty grayhounds will
be entered in the races and \$2.50 will
be charged as an entry fee for each
dog. The money thus collected will be
used to buy a handsome collar which
will be awarded to the fastest dog.

The dogs will run in pairs, being
released from a chain simultaneously
when a rabbit is jumped. The winner
of each race is picked until finally the
number narrows down to two dogs.
These are then entered in the final
contest deciding the winner.

A meeting of the rabbit men will be
held next week at which time officers
will be elected and arrangements made
for the contest. The contest will be
held about ten miles north of town.

The sport as followed here will pos-
sibly none of the inhumane features of
the California coursing where rabbits
were run in enclosed tracks with no
chance of escape.

PUSHING GOOD ROADS

County Convention Will Be Held in
Temple Next Monday

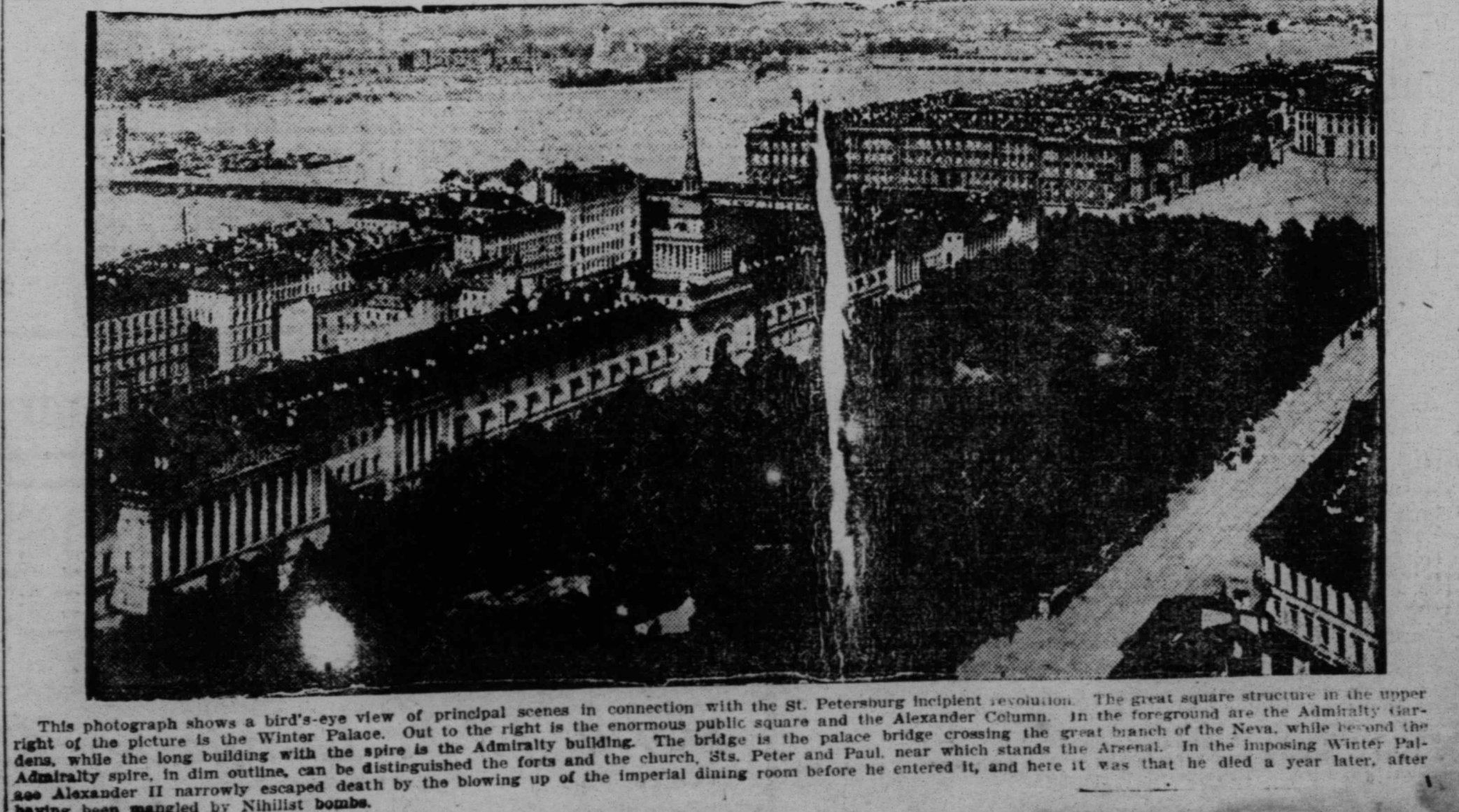
TEMPLE, Texas, Jan. 26.—A large
and enthusiastic meeting was ad-
dressed here Monday by W. E. Loucks,
national organizer of the National
Good Roads Association. There were
representatives present from the
county commissioners' court, the city
council of Temple and the Board of Trade.
Mayor F. P. Hamill was chosen president
and J. C. Mitchell secretary of the
meeting. As an outcome it was de-
cided to hold a Central Texas Good
Roads convention at Temple on Feb.
10 and 11 at which time the Katy Good
Roads train and the road making ex-
perts accompanying same will be here.
This is the only place in the state so
far where a two days' session has been
arranged for. A finance committee
was appointed and reported within a
few minutes that sufficient funds were
available to defray all the expenses in-
cident upon the convention. Temple
has been chosen for the place for hold-
ing the Central Texas convention for
the reason that Organizer Loucks re-
gards this section of country as sup-
plying ideal conditions for a good roads
kindergarten. He gave it as his opin-
ion that the best lands always make
the poorest roads on account of their
fertility and richness. Committees
were also appointed on reception, in-
vitation and resolution. The convention
is not to be strictly a Bell county af-
fair, but is intended for participation
in by all adjacent counties. Reduced
rates will be in effect on all railroads
within a radius of seventy-five miles.
A strong effort will be made toward
having an experimental mile of road
constructed here. Mr. Loucks heartily
favors the suggestion and will lend
it his aid.

CANDIDATE FOR CITY MARSHAL
The Telegram is authorized to announce
Andrew McCampbell, Jr., as candidate for
city marshal, subject to the will of the
qualified voters, April election.

The women of savage tribes have not
infrequently a wardrobe consisting of furs
which would be worth from \$5,000 to \$10,-
000. Grundeman, the explorer, relates
how one fair Greenlander wore a dress
of sealskin, with a hood of costly fur,
having an experimental mile of road
constructed here. Mr. Loucks heartily
favors the suggestion and will lend
it his aid.

The tide of travel the coming summer
will be toward the west, with Colorado
as the center, because its there that all
the big 1905 conventions are to be held.
If you have never taken a trip through
the Rocky mountains, make your plans
to do so while the low rates for conven-
tion visitors are in force. C. H. SPERS,
general passenger agent, Colorado, Min-
nneapolis, Denver, will tell you all
about Rocky mountain trips and Denver
as a convention city, if you drop him a
postal.

Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.
See it exterminate the poison, feel it re-
vitalize the blood and bring back that happy
joyous feeling of bygone days. 25 cents.
Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.



This photograph shows a bird's-eye view of principal scenes in connection with the St. Petersburg incident revolution. The great square structure in the upper right of the picture is the Winter Palace. To the right is the enormous public square and the Alexander Column. In the foreground are the Admiralty buildings, while the long building with the spire is the Admiralty building. The bridge is the palace bridge crossing the great branch of the Neva, while beyond the Peter and Paul, near which stands the Arsenal. In the imposing Winter Palace, Alexander II narrowly escaped death by the blowing up of the imperial dining room before he entered it, and here it was that he died a year later, after having been mangled by nihilist bombs.

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prostration. At times I was so run
down I could not attend to my minis-
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sleep. I began taking Duffy's Pure
Malt Whiskey. It gave me strength,
helped my digestion, settled my nerves,
and I gained 10 pounds in one month. I
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down, nervous, to take 'Duffy's.'"
Greenleaf, Mich. January 22, 1904.

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diseases my patients never fail to re-
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Whiskey. Taken as directed it is
found to relieve and permanently cure
consumption." Dr. E. H. Bowne,
Kingston, N. J., Aug. 2, 1904.

MR. THOMAS MORAN, TEMPER-
ANCE WORKER, SAYS:—"I have lived in
Rochester, N. Y., for almost 70
years and people know I am a strict
temperance man, but I unhesitatingly
recommend Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey
for the great good it did me during
my illness. Two months ago I was so
weak from bronchitis I could not raise
my head. I had a low fever and all the
symptoms of a relapse. The doctor
ordered my whiskey, and I would not
be living today but for its use. It
made me strong, vigorous—better than
I have been in years." July 26, 1904.

For over half a century men and
women prominent in the affairs of the
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than 7,000 doctors use it in their homes
and prescribe it regularly in their
practice, and it's used exclusively in
over 2,000 hospitals. It's an absolutely
certain distillation of malt, scientifically
combined with medicinal ingredients of
highest quality. It acts directly upon
the diseased organs and parts in a
natural manner, and strengthens and
builds up the entire system. It con-
tains no fusel oil. Every testimonial is
published in good faith and guaran-
teed.

George W. Callahan and George A.
Thomas as the two soldiers of fortune are
well matched pair and furnish much of
the comedy.

The Princess appears again tonight.



CAUTION—When you ask your
druggist or grocer for Duffy's Pure
Malt Whiskey be sure you get the
genuine. It's the only absolutely pure
medicinal whiskey, and is sold in sealed
bottles—never in flask or bulk. Look
for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist,"
on the label, and make sure the seal
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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Howard Cranmer and wife to U. P.
Meroney, lot 9, Jake Johnson's addi-
tion, \$400.
James F. Moore to Shaw Bros., lot
11, block A-3, Daggett's addition, \$5,
000.
L. T. Perkins to J. P. Daggett, 23
acres Mary Johnson survey, \$600.
H. V. Smith and wife to L. L. Smith,
50 acres, block 51, Shelby county school
land, \$900.
H. V. Smith and wife to L. L. Smith,
part blocks 47 and 48, Shelby county
school land, \$800.
H. V. Smith and wife to C. W. Wil-
son, 83 acres, block 51, Shelby county
school land, \$1,200.
E. E. Fosdick to Mrs. M. J. Wait,
block 23, Beacon Hill addition.
E. A. Tribble to W. L. Tribble, one-
third interest in lots 1 and 2, block 4,
Lloyd's addition, \$450.
C. M. Dodge trustee, to P. L. Lesser,
part block 10, Moore, Thornton & Com-
pany's addition, \$600.
S. Yates and wife to C. S. Strawn,
lots 219, 220 and 221, block 28, Ditto
Collins addition, \$150.
J. M. Judkins, lot 221 in Ditto Col-
lins addition, \$125.

AMUSEMENTS

Ever hear the phrase "You never can
tell?"
It applies to many things—women for
instance. Also comic operas.
Take the case of "The Princess Chic."
The Princess has been coming to Fort
Worth quite regularly of recent years; in
fact, ever since Marguerita Syva sang
the title part, and that wasn't yesterday.
Each year the Princess has grown more
familiar, occasionally with good voices in
one or two parts, sometimes with all
strong chorus and sometimes with all
the talent in the leading singers. Fort
Worth theater-goers thought they had
the Princess estimated just about cor-
rectly.

So a moderate-sized audience went to
Greenwall's last night—and got surprised.
It was like meeting an old friend two
weeks after his rich aunt has died and he
has fallen heir to new life along with a
comfortable legacy.
The Princess has evidently fallen heir
to several legacies—mostly in voices, but
chiefly in a stage director and conductor.
The latter two make the Princess move
with a vigor and smoothness that is bet-
ter, very much better, than anything in
musical comedy or comic operawise seen
and heard here in many weeks.
And the singing is better than it has
been since the Princess started on the
road. Sophie Brandt, who has the title
role, has a clear soprano and she sings
with a purity and power of tone that
reaches clear to the last row in the gal-
lery.

She has a trick of singing fortissimo
passages with the "I" capitalized, but
while she has an unusually powerful voice
she sacrifices nothing of smoothness. She
has a pleasing stage presence, and is al-
together a very satisfactory Princess.
Jane Vander Zee, who has the part of
the Princess' page, has a contralto that
is rich and pure. Her singing is so much
better than that of any Princess' page
who has ever appeared here, it is a con-
tinental surprise. A third good voice is that
of Gus Vaughan in the role of Duke
Charles. He has a sweet tenor and came
in for many recalls last night.
The comedy parts of the Princess this
year are not behind its other qualities.
Jack Henderson has the role of the
Duke's Chamberlain and Tom Smith Mar-
tin that of Pompadour, the Princess' steward.
Martin is by odds the best Pom-
padour that ever participated in the Prin-
cess' adventures.



ROSE COGHLAN IN "DIPLOMACY."

RUSSIAN WAR MAKES PLAY TIMELY
In view of the struggles between Rus-
sia and Japan in the far east, the pro-
duction of "Diplomacy" by Rose Coghlan
and Howard Kyle at Greenwall's opera
house Friday and Saturday nights, and
Saturday matinee, Jan. 27-28, is timely.
Sardou, the author of this drama, drew
Russian character with firm, strong
strokes. He laid bare the chicanery and
intrigue which has marked the Russian
diplomatic game in every capital of Eu-
rope and which at last met with a dis-
astrous rebuff through the energetic ac-
tion of the Japs in Korea and Manchuria.
In "Diplomacy" the Russian intrigues
are a pitied against the attacks of the
British embassy in Paris. There is a
mysterious countess who worms state
secrets out of crowned heads in the seem-
ingly innocent tittle tattle of drawing-
rooms; a poverty stricken Spanish mar-
quis; a hirling of the czar, a baron
who directs the tangled threads of spy-
ing and double dealing, and an exile from
Russia, a warm patriot who knows the
duplicity of these persons and reveals
it to Henri and Julian Beaudere, the Eng-
lish attaches. The plot comprises Dora,
the innocent young wife of Julian, thus
adding a love motive to that of politics
and diplomacy. In the end the straight-
forward methods of the English triumph
over their Russian rivals, the aspersions
on Dora are proven false and husband
and wife are happily reunited while the
designs of their enemies are completely
foiled. The scene of the play is Monte
Carlo and Paris in 1876, when England

CURED LUMBAGO
A. B. Canman, Chicago, writes March
4, 1903: "Having been troubled with Lum-
bago, at different times and tried one
physician after another, then different
ointments and liniments, gave it up al-
together. So I tried once more, and got
a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment,
which gave me almost instant relief. I
can cheerfully recommend it, and will
add my name to your list of sufferers." Sold
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Are you constipated?
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Sick headache?
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ANY of these symptoms and many others
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FT. SCOTT, KANS. FT. SMITH, ARK.
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all subjects. **REFUND MONEY.** Write us.
POSITIONS SECURED or MONEY REFUNDED.
The incandescents had green shades.

checked Russia's design at Constantino-
ple.

"THE RUNAWAYS."
When Arthur Dunn and "The Run-
aways" comes to Greenwall's opera house
Tuesday matinee and night, Jan. 31,
there will be presented here for the first
time the famous Fony ballet in the sen-
sational radium dances, which have been
the talk of the London and New York
City theater-goers for the past few
months. Radium dances are the latest
novelty in stage efforts. In the densest
darkness human figures, illumined and
casting no light on surrounding objects,
are seen dancing on the stage in a series
of bewildering evolutions. Suddenly the
upper part of bodies go sailing out of
sight of the audience, while the limbs go
on tapering through the difficult dances.
While the audience is lost in astonish-
ment at the novel sight, their wonder is
still further heightened by the sudden
descent of the vanished forms and their
union with the still dancing legs.

A NEW LADY MACBETH
Miss Louise Ripley, who is playing Lady
Macbeth this season in support of the
eminent tragedian, John Griffith, is a
Texas girl. She was born and bred in
Sherman, where her father for many
years was an important figure in commer-
cial life. The family moved to New
York a few years ago and Miss Ripley
adopted a stage career which has so far
been eminently successful. Her beauty
and talents have placed her among the
leading tragediennes of the day and after
the present season she will be an inde-
pendent star. Of course her appearance
will add extra interest to John Griffith's
engagements all through Texas and when
"Macbeth" is played here on Wednesday
matinee and night, Feb. 1, at Greenwall's
opera house.

PAY YOUR POLL TAX

A GOOD PRECEDENT
"My dear," said Mrs. Mildly as she
dusted Mr. Mildly's table. "This would be
a great deal cleaner world if there were
not any more in it."
"If there were not," retorted Mr. Mildly,
"the women would do exactly as the
Lord did—hunt around for enough dirt to
make a man out of."—Collier's for Jan.
28.

SEEK HOLMES ACCOMPLICE
Chicago Detectives Trying to Connect
Johann Hoch With Work of No-
torious Woman Murderer

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—The belief that
Johann Hoch, the man of many wives,
may prove to be the elusive and mys-
terious Edward Hatch, accomplice of H.
H. Holmes, the notorious woman murder-
der, whose crimes created excite-
ment all over the United States and
Canada in 1895, has led the police to
begin an investigation along that line.
At the time Holmes made his confes-
sions when in prison at Philadelphia
before his execution Hatch was gener-
ally regarded by the police as a
mythical character invented by Holmes,
but since that time there have been
revelations which are almost convinc-
ing that there was a man named Hatch
who did operate with Holmes in his
swindles and who aided him in making
way with the lives of the women and
children whom he murdered.

IMPERFECT DIGESTION
Means less nutrition and in consequence
less vitality. When the liver fails to
secrete bile, the blood becomes load-
ed with bilious properties, the digestion be-
comes impaired and the bowels consti-
pated. Herbine will rectify this, it gives
tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys,
strengthens the appetite, clears and im-
proves the complexion, infuses new life
and vigor to the whole system. 50 cents
a bottle. Sold by Covey & Martin, 819
Main street.

TO FLOAT SANTA FE BONDS
J. P. Morgan and Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Will
Participate

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—A syndicate has
been formed for floating the Santa Fe
newly formed \$22,000,000. It is a syndicate
to underwrite \$22,000,000 of the \$50,000,000
convertible 4 per cent bond issue of the
Atchafalpa road, which was authorized by
the shareholders at their meeting at To-
peka, Kan., Tuesday.

The contract for the underwriting has
been made with J. Pierpont Morgan &
Co., but Kuhn, Loeb & Co. will partici-
pate in financing the securities. The
bonds will, it is said, be underwritten at
par, less a commission of 2 1/2 per cent.

The elephant in his prime sleeps only
five hours a night, and the older he
grows the less sleep he requires.

Money enough to buy a box of Pills?
Then be thankful! It means so much to have a box of Ayer's
Pills always in the house. Just one pill at bedtime, now and
then, and you need have no fear of bilious attacks, sick-head-
aches, indigestion, constipation. Sold for sixty years. Lowell, Mass.

**KIDNEYS CALL
FOR HELP**

**BE WARNED
TODAY
FOR
TOMORROW
MAY BE
TOO LATE**

When the kidneys are sick there is al-
ways a warning to tell you of it, and no
time to lose. Kidney diseases are com-
mon and fatal—cause more deaths every
year than any other human ills. But in
nine cases out of ten this is due to neg-
lect. Kidney disorders are easily cor-
rected, but just as easily cured when
treated properly and in time.

Common causes of kidney troubles are
colds, fevers, exposure, strains and in-
dulgence in stimulants.

The kidneys are the blood filters, and
when they become sick, the blood is soon
laden with impurities, which the kid-
neys have failed to remove. This causes
backache, stiff, lame and sore muscles,
aching joints, spells of dizziness, head-
aches, rheumatic pains, sleeplessness,
nervousness and languor, weak heart and
many other irritable aches and ills.

Meanwhile the kidneys are fast break-
ing down, and from this cause the urine
become discolored and full of sandy
sediment; passages are too frequent and
often painful.

Uric acid crystallizes and causes gravel
and kidney stones. The bladder can not
perform its natural duties. Water which
should pass off in the urine collects in
different parts of the body, causing drop-
sical bloating.

The final outcome is either dreaded
diabetes or fatal Bright's Disease. Noth-
ing can cure the sufferer at any stage
except a medicine that cures the kidneys.

There is one remedy which never fails
to cure sick kidneys—Doan's Kidney Pills.
This specific helps the kidneys to take
out all the kidney poisons. Its effects are
lasting. Hundreds of cures have been
made by Doan's Kidney Pills in this city,
and many grateful people testify. Here's
one home case:

FORT WORTH PROOF

Mrs. J. E. Morris of 1802 Hemphill
street says: "My experience with Doan's
Kidney Pills proved them to be an ex-
ceedingly valuable and effective remedy.
I had read so many statements in our
Fort Worth papers, made by responsible
persons, recommending Doan's Kidney
Pills, that I finally procured a box of
John M. Parker's drug store and took
them as directed. In a comparatively
short time their curative powers were
promptly demonstrated. It is a pleasure
to recommend a preparation that so
thoroughly fulfills all the claims made
for it."

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IMPERFECT DIGESTION
Means less nutrition and in consequence
less vitality. When the liver fails to
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ed with bilious properties, the digestion be-
comes impaired and the bowels consti-
pated. Herbine will rectify this, it gives
tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys,
strengthens the appetite, clears and im-
proves the complexion, infuses new life
and vigor to the whole system. 50 cents
a bottle. Sold by Covey & Martin, 819
Main street.

SEEK HOLMES ACCOMPLICE
Chicago Detectives Trying to Connect
Johann Hoch With Work of No-
torious Woman Murderer

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—The belief that
Johann Hoch, the man of many wives,
may prove to be the elusive and mys-
terious Edward Hatch, accomplice of H.
H. Holmes, the notorious woman murder-
der, whose crimes created excite-
ment all over the United States and
Canada in 1895, has led the police to
begin an investigation along that line.
At the time Holmes made his confes-
sions when in prison at Philadelphia
before his execution Hatch was gener-
ally regarded by the police as a
mythical character invented by Holmes,
but since that time there have been
revelations which are almost convinc-
ing that there was a man named Hatch
who did operate with Holmes in his
swindles and who aided him in making
way with the lives of the women and
children whom he murdered.

Because of the similarity of Hoch's
operations with the criminal record of
H. H. Holmes, the cleverness with
which Hoch apparently disposed of
many of his wives and other singular
circumstances which the police refuse
to divulge, they are working to es-
tablish the fact that there was an Ed-
ward Hatch—name sometimes said to
have been spelled Hoch—and that he is
Johann Hoch, the man now being
hunted.

That Hoch used the name Hatch or
Hoch as one of his aliases about eleven
or twelve years ago, at the time of the
Holmes outrages, is declared to have
been made known to detectives work-
ing out the case and this line of evi-

Money enough to buy a box of Pills?
Then be thankful! It means so much to have a box of Ayer's
Pills always in the house. Just one pill at bedtime, now and
then, and you need have no fear of bilious attacks, sick-head-
aches, indigestion, constipation. Sold for sixty years. Lowell, Mass.

SOME ST. PETERSBURG POINTS MENTIONED IN THE TELEGRAM



No. 1, Sts. Peter and Paul church and fortress; 2, square in front of Winter Palace; 3, Winter Palace; 4, Admiralty building; 5, Grand Morskaya; 6, Moscow station; 7, Moika canal; 8, Trolitski bridge; 9, Horse Guards' barracks; 10, Palace bridge; 11, Nevsky prospect; 12, Vasali Island; 13, arsenal.



MOTHERS, DO YOU KNOW

the many so-called birth medicines, and most remedies for women in the treatment of her delicate organs, contain more or less opium, morphine and strychnine? Do You Know that in most countries druggists are not permitted to sell narcotics without labeling them poisons? Do You Know that you should not take internally any medicine for the pain accompanying pregnancy? Do You Know that Mother's Friend is applied externally only? Do You Know that Mother's Friend is a celebrated prescription, and that it has been in use over forty years, and that each bottle of the genuine bears the name of The Bradford-Regulator Co.?

Do you know that when you use this remedy during the period of gestation that you will be free of pain and bear healthy, hearty and clever children? Well, these things are worth knowing. They are facts. Of druggists at \$1.00. Don't be persuaded to try a substitute. Our little book "Motherhood" free. THE BRADFORD-REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

THE DELAWARE HOTEL Modern, European N. D. WATSON, Propr. C. R. EVANS, Mgr.

HOTEL WORTH FORT WORTH, TEXAS. First-class. Modern. American plan. Conveniently located in business center. MRS. W. P. HARDWICK, O. P. HANEY, Managers.

BUTTER Butter, Creamery 30c Butter, fresh country 25c Butter, white 20c WEAR BROS. Across From High School Building. Both Phones 357.

Fort Worth Humane Society The society requests that all cases of cruelty to children, dumb animals and birds be reported immediately to its secretary, J. C. Miller, Natatorium Building. Unsigned communications will receive no attention.

Young, Middle, Aged and Elderly. If you are sexually weak, no matter from what cause; undeveloped; have stricture, varicocele, etc. MY PERFECT VACUUM APPLIANCE will cure you. No drugs or electricity. 75,000 cured and developed. 10 DAYS TRIAL. Send for free booklet. Sent sealed. Guaranteed. Write today. R. V. EMMETT, 208 Tabor Bldg., Denver, Colo.

Scott's Santal-Pepsin Capsules A POSITIVE CURE For Inflammation of Catarrh of the Bladder and Urinary Kidneys. NO CURE NO PAY. Cures quickly and permanently the most obstinate cases of Gonorrhea and Gleet, no matter of how long standing. A bottle 75c. Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00, or by mail, postpaid, \$1.50. Scott's Santal-Pepsin Co., Delimitation, Ohio. Sold by Weaver's Pharmacy, 504 Main St.

Buy Oak Leaf Lard IF YOU WANT THE BEST PURE LARD.

MISS IRENE BRADSHAW DENTON, Texas, Jan. 25.—Miss Irene Bradshaw, aged 20 years, died here today of pneumonia. Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

BOSQUE COUNTY CONDITIONS E. S. Wallace of Clifton, Texas, reached the Fort Worth market with a car of cows. In speaking of the conditions in the Clifton vicinity, he said: "Neither the condition of the range or the stock is anything to brag about. I have seen things much more favorable to the cowman than they are at the present time; but I guess we will have to take things as they come."

WANT BETTER PRICES W. L. McCracken of Chattanooga, Okla., was a visitor at the stock yards Wednesday. In speaking of cattle conditions, he stated that cattlemen were holding cattle at higher prices than those offered. "Later on in the season the prospects are good for a better market," said Mr. McCracken, "but at the present time it can stand a heap of improvement."

BRYAN AND PARKER HOLD CONFERENCE

Nebraska Man Says That New Strength Will Come to Democracy From West

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—A political conference lasting three hours has been held here between William J. Bryan and Alton B. Parker. The meeting is stated to have been arranged by Norman K. Mack of Buffalo, a member of the democratic national committee. It is stated by the Herald that Bryan made his views quite plain and expressed the belief that the west and south must have the dominant voice in the management of the democratic national interests. He predicted that within a few years there will be great internal changes in both party organizations and men who now call themselves democrats will come out openly as republicans, while professed republicans will declare themselves democrats; that the new strength for the democratic party will come from the west, while the new republicans will appear in the eastern states, and that the "trust question" will overshadow everything else in the next campaign. There was no discussion of any financial questions.

LATE LUNCHERS BOLTED

When Robbers Entering Restaurant, Started Firing Revolvers, and Then Robbed Proprietor

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 26.—Two masked men robbed the Beaumont restaurant at the corner of Fifth and Main streets early this morning, taking about \$700 in money from the cash register, a gold watch of the proprietor, and three shots to frighten the guests and made their escape. They wore handkerchief masks and carried revolvers in their hands. While one of them drove the waiters and cook into the second story rooms, the other stood up the manager of the place, took his watch and then rifled the cash register. A number of guests were in the place but they fled in every direction. Many people were on the street and to frighten these the robbers fired three shots and disappeared into a dark street.

WEDDINGS

WILLIAMS-STORY George B. Williams and Miss Effie Story were united in marriage Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents at 119 Gounah street by Rev. Luther Little, pastor of the First Baptist church.

GATES-McDADE Cards have been issued announcing the marriage of Miss Maggie McDade and Andrew Gates of Sherman Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Gates will make their home at Sherman.

Robert Burns' family bible, containing interesting family entries, was sold at auction in London for \$8,250. The buyer was a London dealer.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

We don't put Scott's Emulsion in the class of advertised cure-alls; it doesn't belong there. We hardly like to use the word "cure" at all, but we are bound to say that it can be used for a great many troubles with great satisfaction. Its special function is to repair the waste of the body when the ordinary food does not nourish, and this means that it is useful in many cases which are indicated by wasting. We'll send you a sample free. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

ARION CONCERT A SUCCESS

Numbers by Mickwitz, Ashenden and Members of Chorus Well Received. Pianist Given Welcome

The Arion concert Wednesday night, the first of the season's series, was attended by a large number of associate members. The general public also was represented most flatteringly. The excellence of the program delighted and encouraged the Arions and their soloists, Harold von Mickwitz, pianist, and Clarence B. Ashenden, baritone.

Special interest centered in the Mickwitz numbers on account of the distinguished position he has held in Texas for many years as a teacher of tone forming and musical interpretation. Because of his reputation and his superior abilities, his appearance must be considered in comparison with other players of prominence. By this comparison there was a little disappointment. In the Chopin suite, the Polonaise, C minor Op. 49, embracing a little hardness of tone and mechanical phrasing that is not looked for in Chopin. The Etude was brilliant technically but did not appeal musically. The Ballade, A flat, was more satisfactory. The melody was being given with exquisite deftness of touch and tone, while the forte passages exhibited a precision and strength that mark the musician who gives authority to their interpretations. The two minor numbers, Paderewsky, proved great favorites. Mr. Mickwitz reminds more of Paderewsky than of other players familiar to Fort Worth audiences. Both in technique and mentality he belongs to the school of his Polish contemporary. The rendering of the minuets strengthened the resemblance.

Mr. Mickwitz will always be welcome in Fort Worth. If he is not the greatest living pianist, he is so far superior to some who come out of Texas with much sounding of trumpets that the Fort Worth musical public will give him the welcome genuine ability commands everywhere.

Mr. Ashenden has been heard so often in Fort Worth that an audience of friends gave him enthusiastic applause. Not only is he a singer of talent and accomplishments, but he has the prestige of a Dallas residence and following that adds greatly to the popularity of his numbers last night. A Chadwick suite suited his voice admirably, and his encores were insisted. The last time he appeared was for the prologue from Il Pagliacci, a brilliant composition that can not be heard too often.

The Arions were generous with their ensemble numbers, unusually so, and therefore left the audience more than usually well satisfied. The opening number was Cox "Song of the Stein," the others being "Serenade," "Attenhofer," "Lullaby of Nature," "Gethel," and "Hort von Stein." The requested encores were granted and all were sung capably.

RATES FIXED FOR FARMERS MEETING RAILROAD NEWS

The Rock Island has announced a cheap round trip rate on account of the annual meeting of the Texas Farmers' Union to be held at Fort Worth from Feb. 14 to 17. The rate will be one and one-third fares and the return limit is Feb. 18.

Extensive preparations are being made for the convention and it is asserted over 1,000 delegates alone will be present. Other roads are expected to follow with similar rates. Several thousand visitors are expected in addition to the delegates.

For the Grand Southern Handicap foot which is to be held at Houston the Rock Island also authorizes a one and one-third round trip rate. This shoot takes place Feb. 6 to 9.

The Independent American Knights of Liberty will hold a convention at Dallas from Feb. 27 to March 4, and the round trip rate over the Rock Island will be one and one-third fares. Reduced rates are also announced for the grand lodge meeting of Odd Fellows to be held at Houston, March 6 to 9.

The Scottish Elite reunion will be held at Galveston this year from March 20 to 23. Reduced rates for this event are also made by the Rock Island.

Reduced rates are announced for the annual convention of the Texas Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias at Mineral Wells, April 24 to 27, and several other meetings during the month of February and March.

RABBITS TO AID CURE FOR PLAGUE

Medical University Students Will Use Bunnies in Anthrax Experiments

Who has good healthy rabbits or guinea pigs for sale?

The Fort Worth Medical college desires about six of either of the little animals for inoculation for the study of germs. The bunnies for the animals have been provided at the medical college and there bunny or Mr. Guinea Pig, as the case may be, will be inoculated with the poisonous serum while the doctors and students await results. Bunnies will be used for the study of anthrax, or charbon, as it is sometimes called, a disease very prevalent among cattle. The rabbits will be inoculated with the germs of this disease, penned up and the effects noted by the physicians and students. When death comes the students will microscopically examine the tissue of the animal and isolate the germs.

The guinea pigs are especially desired for the study of diphtheria antitoxin. Guinea pig No. 1 will be inoculated with the diphtheria germs, then its weight determined and recorded. The animal will finally succumb to the disease and then guinea pig No. 2 will be brought forth. He, too, will be inoculated with the diphtheria toxin, but instead of allowing him to die the doctors will fill him full of diphtheria antitoxin at the same time. The second little fellow, it is expected, will live. Inasmuch as he is to be inoculated with the same diphtheria germ as No. 1, it proves if he survives, that the antitoxin has the desired effect. The recording of the weights enables the physicians to determine the strength of the antitoxin administered and in this way the proper amount for human beings can be determined.

Another use which will be made of the guinea pig is that when he succumbs to the disease he will be dissected and portions of his body distributed among the students. Those aspiring to be physicians will have ample opportunity in this way to find and study the germs in the tissue of the animal.

LETTER TO O. S. LATTIMER

Dear Sir: Would you like to hear of a 20-year paint?

Mr. James A. O'Neill's house, Henderson, N. C., was painted twenty years ago with Devoo's paint, and it never painted again till last year; it then looked better than common paint in half that time.

The reason is: Devoo is all paint and true paint; while the common paints are Gethel and part false. Don't pay to monkey with paint.

And Devoo costs less than any of 'em; not by the gallon, of course; by the house and year. That's how to reckon it. Go by the name. Yours truly, E. W. DEVOO & CO., Brown & Vera sell our paint.

TO ESTABLISH GULF LINE

Reported Rock Island-Eisen Will Operate Steamer Service

According to reports received here there is more than a probability that the Rock Island-Eisen system may establish a new steamship line to Progress, Mex. C. B. Cleveland, a representative of this company, has been ordered to Yucatan to investigate commercial conditions in that state and it is rumored that in case his report is favorable it is understood that this system will be inaugurated.

The Frisco recently made a freight agreement with the Mobile and Ohio railroad company whereby it would transfer their Mexican freight to that road at Tupelo, Miss., for New Orleans and thence to Tampico or Veracruz, by steamer. The Mexican-American Steamship Company has been named.

NOTES AND PERSONALS A. M. Hall, traveling passenger agent of the Katy, has gone to Amarillo. Land and Tax Commissioner Cunningham of the International and Great Northern, was in the city Wednesday from Palestine.

MOTHER GRAY'S APPEAL TO WOMEN If you will send me your name and address I will mail you FREE a package of Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf, a certain, pleasant remedy for Women's ills. It is a safe monthly regulator and never failing. If you have pains in the back, Urinary, Bladder or Kidney trouble, use this pleasant union of Australian herbs, roots and leaves. All druggists sell it, 50 cents, or address The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

REV. CARLISLE P. B. MARTIN, LL. D. Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." Sold by Covey & Marlin, 819 Main street.

FUNERAL OF DUKE GOODMAN

Body Attended by Brother Officers Taken to Purcell for Interment This Afternoon

The body of Colonel Duke Goodman, inspector general of the Texas division, United Confederate Veterans, who died at an early hour Wednesday morning at his home on West Third street, was taken to Purcell, I. T., this morning, accompanied by General K. M. Van Zandt, Adjutant General George Jackson, Lieutenant E. W. Taylor and R. E. Beckham.

The body was taken over the Santa Fe. The burial will take place at Purcell, the home of Mrs. Goodman's family, this afternoon. Members of Lee camp, of which Colonel Goodman had been an active member for ten years, acted as an escort from the residence to the Santa Fe depot.

The carrying agent between these two points, but they do not make the port of Progress. It is supposed that the Rock Island-Frisco system intends to put on boats of their own to handle the business which is at present being delivered to the American-Mexican Steamship Company, and in addition inaugurate a line of vessels which will make the port of Progress. The statement is made that the Mexican-American company may put in a steamer line in conjunction with the Rock Island-Frisco system. Nothing is known in either Rock Island or Frisco general offices here regarding the reported venture, it being stated that affairs of this character are considered only at general headquarters.

FROM LAKE TO GULF

Kansas City Southern to Form Connecting Link for Goulets

George Gould and the Wabash interests, it is reported, have been negotiating for the control of the Kansas City Southern, which is to be used as a connecting link in a through line from Minneapolis to the Gulf of Mexico via Des Moines, St. Joseph and Kansas City. Such a transaction has been discussed for some time locally, but knowledge of definite progress regarding it is wanting.

It is known, however, that Gould is behind the deal and the statement has been made that the deal may be concluded and the new enterprise put into operation from Minneapolis to Port Arthur, on the gulf coast, within the next twelve months.

Should the negotiations now pending fall to mature, there is a report that the new company will build its own line from Kansas City to the gulf, in case the Kansas City Southern will not dispose of its line.

EL PASO AND DURANGO INSPECTED

A report from Denver states that the El Paso and Durango railroad company, capital \$300,000, has been incorporated in the interest of the Phelps-Dodge combination as an alternative, if its building of the Durango-Clifton road proves too costly. The proposed line is 400 miles long, with an 120-mile branch to Albuquerque.

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SPECIAL CARS VIA INTERURBAN The Interurban is prepared to run SPECIAL cars for select parties, lodges, etc., at low rates. For full information call GENERAL PASSENGER AGENT, PHONE 100.

FARM LANDS ALONG "THE DENVER ROAD" IN NORTHWEST TEXAS (THE PANHANDLE) Are advancing in value at rate of 20 per cent per annum.

Do You Know Any Equal Investment? As our assistance may be of great value toward securing what you need or wish, as regards either Agricultural Properties or Business Opportunities, and will cost nothing, why not use us? Drop us a postal. A. A. GLISSON, Gen. Pass. Agt. Fort Worth, Texas.

To California In Less Than 3 Days To Mexico City, Mex. In Less Than 2 Days NOTE SCHEDULE AND THROUGH SLEEPERS TO OTHER POINTS Leaves Fort Worth 8:00 p. m. Arrives San Antonio 7:30 a. m. Arrives Houston 8:15 a. m. Arrives Galveston 8:20 a. m. Arrives San Angelo 1:50 p. m. I'll make your reservations in advance. T. P. FENELON, C. P. A., 710 Main St., Fort Worth. Phone 193.

Read Telegram "Want" Ads.

Special 20% Discount Sale on Paint! For 30 days we will allow for CASH only 20 per cent off on all "Palace Car" ready mixed house paint. Regular \$1.65 value, for net cash \$1.32. Better put in your supply at once as we won't have it long at that price. No better paint sold at twice the price, and we challenge comparison. Card of 32 colors free. The J. J. Langewer Company Opposite City Hall. Both Phones 608.

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Valuable Prizes Free

Commencing Jan. 9 and continuing until after the issue of Jan. 31, certain words will be misspelled in the advertisements on the classified page of The Telegram every day. Some of the errors may be unintentional, but they count just the same.

The three subscribers to The Telegram who turn in the largest list of errors found between Jan. 9 and Jan. 31 will receive:

- For the largest correct list of errors, beautiful shirt waist, latest style, value... **\$5.00**
- For the second largest correct list of errors, a gentleman's hat, cost... **\$5.00**
- For the third largest correct list of errors a 5-pound box of Jacobs' best candy... **\$3.00**

Read the ads carefully. Do it every evening. Keep record of the ads every day as they appear. Send your complete list to The Telegram office as soon after the issue of Jan. 31 as you can. No answer will be received after 12 o'clock noon, Feb. 2. Announcement of winners will be made in the issue of Feb. 2. Remember, every error you can find will count. If the same error occurs in more than one issue it will count every time you find it. All answers must be enclosed in an envelope addressed to "Contest Editor Want Page," Telegram. All incorrect words must be listed carefully and neatly on a sheet of paper each day by itself.

HELP WANTED—MALE

IF YOU ARE COMPETENT
In all a high grade business or technical position there are many opportunities on our lists which you would like to consider. We have a unique system of supplying right men for right places and right places for right men, and hundreds of employers rely on us to fill all their responsible positions. Our booklets, which are free for the asking, tell all about our methods. Offices in 12 cities.

HARGOODS (Inc.), Brain Brokers
977 Commercial Building, St. Louis

WANTED—100 men to buy a pair of Keith's Konqueror Shoes, \$2.50 and \$4.00. Apply at Monnie's.

FRESH DRY BATTERIES F. H. CAMPBELL & Co. Phone 2531.

BOUND ELECTRIC CO., FRESH DRY BATTERIES

WANTED men to learn the barber trade. Shortest and most thorough method. Practical experience, careful instructions, little expense. Board and tools provided. Course now and complete during busy season. Catalogue free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

YOUNG MAN as permanent Fort Worth representative for correspondence school; mostly office business; experienced man preferred; part time only required; a lucrative position will be made to the right man. Address immediately Box 1553, Denver, Colo.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade and fill demand for spring rush. Few weeks complete; positions guaranteed; board and tools provided; can nearly earn expenses before finishing. Call or write Moler Barber College, First and Main Sts.

WANTED—An experienced grocery solicitor on the South side; must have good references. Phone 1507 or call 218 Kentucky avenue.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position as watchman or any kind of other work I can make a living at. F. E. Doyle, 604 Magnolia street.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS WANTED—We want an agent in every town to sell our Dustless Floor and Carpet Brush. A Gold Medal winner at St. Louis World's Fair. Different styles for use in private houses, stores, schools, offices, lodge halls, etc. Reduces dust 97 per cent. Every brush guaranteed. Big money and permanent income to live agent. None other need apply. Previous experience unnecessary. Milwaukee Dustless Brush Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

AGENTS WANTED for meritorious, fast selling, profitable article; sample free. Send stamp. Cotton Belt Chemical Co., Austin, Texas.

Try Telegram Wants Ads.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, chiropody or electrolysis (removing superfluous hair). Splendid pay and big demand for this work. Can learn in few weeks. Call or write, Moler College, First and Main streets.

WANTED—Good woman for general housework and help with children. Wages \$3. Phone 1096.

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Apply 917 Cherry street.

LADY assistant for branch office; established business; \$18 paid weekly; no investment required; position permanent; previous experience not essential. Address Branch Manager, Como Block, Chicago.

WANTED—First-class cook. 815 Lamar street.

ALEXANDER'S

\$2 \$2.50 and \$2.25 Custom Tailored Shirts, to close out \$1.50, at M. ALEXANDER'S, The Haberdasher, 6th and Main

FINANCIAL

6 TO 8 PER CENT paid on deposits in MUTUAL HOME AND SAVINGS ASS'N (INC., 1934), 611 Main St.

MONEY TO LOAN on personal indorsement, collateral or real estate security. William Reeves, rooms 406 and 407, Fort Worth National Bank building.

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

SIMON'S LOAN OFFICE makes loans on all articles of value. 1503 Main st.

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

SEE THE BANK LOAN COMPANY for loans on stock, salary and household goods. 108 West Ninth, S. W. phone 2-1111. New phone 322-whits.

A LIMITED AMOUNT OF MONEY to build houses for rent or sale, on desirable real estate in Fort Worth. Address, Tillman Smith, 317 Houston street, Fort Worth.

SALARY and chattel loans. See trust you. Texas Loan Co., 1210 Main st.

SVE MONEY—See Dr. Crenshaw, Dentist.

Ready Reference Directory

NELSON & DRAUGHON COLLEGE
Bookkeeping, Shorthand, etc., 8th & Main.

REAL ESTATE RENTALS
Tex. Adv. Realty Co., 1206 1/2 Main.

GASOLINE ENGINES AND WINDMILLS
F. H. Campbell & Co., 1711 Calhoun St.

JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS
CROMER BROS., 1515 Main Street.

DENTAL WORK
Drs. Garrison Bros., 501 1/2 Main St.

TICKET BROKERS
B. H. DUNN, member A. F. B. A., 1620 Main street.

WANTED
DON'T sell furniture or stoves until you see us. We pay more than anybody, cash or trade. Don't buy furniture until you see us. We sell cheaper than anybody, cash or credit. Roberson & McClure, 202 Houston st. Phone 72.

WANTED to buy for cash customer, a good farm in Tarrant or Dallas counties. Write us at once, Texas Land and Investment Co., room 315 and 215 N. Texas Bank Bldg., Dallas, Texas.

WANTED—The use of a piano. Has any one a piano in storage who would prefer its having good care in a home. No children; no boarders or lessons. Satisfactory references given. Address, Piano, Telegram, or phone 1493.

WANTED—Suits to press and dye. All kind of alterations made. Telephone 1476-green, new Mrs. Bradley, 209 E. Fifteenth street.

WANTED—Everybody to know we are selling groceries of the best quality at the lowest prices. Compton Grocery Co., 509 South Main. J. B. Compton, Manager. Telephone 848-3 rings.

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WANTED TO TRADE piano for good buggy horse. S. D. Chesnut, 303 Houston.

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WANTED
To trade a piano for a well located lot in Fort Worth. Address Piano, 109 West Sixth street, Fort Worth.

MISCELLANEOUS

ALL KINDS of scavenger work. Phone 2918. Lee Taylor.

EXCHANGE—Furniture, stoves, carpets, matings, draperies of all kinds; the largest stock in the city where you can exchange your old goods for new. Everything sold on easy payment. Ladd Furniture and Carpet Co., 704-6 Houston street. Both phones 652.

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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.

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Scholarship \$10
\$10 pays for a four months' scholarship, night school at the Nelson and Draughon Business College, corner Sixth and Main streets. Phone 1307. J. W. Draughon, President.

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401-403 Houston St.

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FOR SALE
BOUND ELECTRIC CO. RENT MOTORS.

TO SELL any amount of dry oak stove-wood and chunks. Give us your order. The Mugg & Dryden Co.

They are down. What? Pants, \$10.00 for \$8.00, \$8.00 for \$6.00, \$6.00 for \$4.00. Any suit in the house for \$25.00.

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FOR SALE—Great bargain: Fine Steinway upright piano; good as new. Address, Bargain, care of this office.

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FOR SALE—Jersey milk cows; reasonable prices. Phone 2526.

FOR SALE—12-room flat, partly furnished, \$250, one-half cash, one-half on time. Mrs. H. M. Price, 297 1/2 Main street.

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Found, at Monnie's the best pair of Men's Shoes for \$3.50. It's Selz' Royal Blue.

LOST OR STRAYED—One bay horse about fourteen hands high, right eye out, shed all around. F. H. Campbell & Co., 1711 Calhoun.

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MEN, do you know what you have been missing by not stopping at Kingsley's, Eighth and Throckmorton?

SAFES
FIRE PROOF SAFES—We have on hand at all times several sizes and solicit your inquiries and orders. Nash Hardware Co., Fort Worth.

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Our \$7.50 Overcoats, \$1.95.
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AWNINGS made at Scott's Awning Works and Awning Factory. Phone 147 1-ring, new phone 663.

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TAKE her a box of Rubel & Allegretti's and she will have a feeling for you.

WANTED—TO BUY
WANTED TO BUY—a second-hand platform scale, 1,000 to 2,000 pounds capacity; must be in good repair. Answer, D. R., care Telegram.

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Latest Styles at CONNER'S Book Store

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FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished. 400 Balfinger. Phone 3152.

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Will afford you a month of solid comfort if spent for one of the best rooms at The Kingsley, Eighth and Throckmorton.

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TRADE and we want to exchange money or furniture for your old. \$1 per week furnishes your room completely. We loan money on storage goods. We also have furnished houses for rent.

NIX FURNITURE and STORAGE CO.
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DO you want the best? If you are thinking of buying a rabbit survey, phaeton or anything in the vehicle line, see others, then see us. Fife & Miller, 312 Houston street. W. J. Tackaberry.

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We Take Old Buggies in Exchange for New.
Carriages and Harness.

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Suits cases from \$1.35 up. Trunks from \$1.50 up. Henry Pollock Trunk Co., 74 Main street. Phone 65.

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KEY FITTING. Bicycles. Phone 1303-2. E. 107 West Ninth.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses for rent, 6 per cent money to loan on business property; 9 per cent money to loan on residence property. D. S. Hare & Co., real estate agents, 611 Main street.

OPPORTUNITY WAITS UPON NECESSITY.—You need a home, and it is our opportunity and pleasure to sell you a neat cottage, in a splendid location, where you will have all the advantages of churches, schools, street cars, gravel streets, good sidewalks, city water, etc. Price and payments can be made to suit you. See at once W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

HOMES FOR ALL IN NORTH FORT WORTH—Buy a home on Diamond St. Addition, close to packing houses, all school, water works, streets and sidewalks easy terms. Just like paying rent. Glen Walker & Co., 115 Exchange Avenue and 115 West Sixth Street.

I HAVE several lots on Rosen Heights that can be bought at a sacrifice. The Cotton Belt Development Company, in Cotton Belt Ticket Office.

IT IS NOT NECESSARY for you to have much money in order to buy a home from us on our easy payment plan. If you are tired of paying rent, see W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

FARMS AND RANCHES anywhere in the state. See us for fruit and truck land. Bargains in city property. Cotton Belt Development Company, in Cotton Belt ticket office, Fifth and Main.

PHONE 2833 if you have a five, six or seven-room house to rent.

DEPRISE NOT THE DAY OF SMALL THINGS—We don't and you won't. We are prepared to sell you a home in one of the most desirable and rapidly growing suburbs of the city for a small price, a small cash payment and small monthly installments. If you are interested, see W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

WE HAVE ALREADY SUPPLIED a good many people with homes on our easy payment plan, and still have some choice lots left. If you are paying rent, would like to save it, call and see W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

LIVE WIRES

TWO 2-room houses, on lot 50x125, close in, if sold at once \$550; both rent for \$12 per month.

SIX-ROOM house in good condition, lot 50x107; rents for \$15; if sold this week \$850.

BEAUTIFUL east front lot on St. Louis avenue; sewer, etc.; if sold within 10 days \$650.

NEW 5-room house, hall, bath, fence and barn; lot 50x140; this is a beauty, see it.

WE WILL build to suit you on your own terms—Come with your plans. MONEY to loan, payable on or before. IF YOU want a home or investment, see us this week for bargains.

Haggard & Duff, Phones 340. 613 Main St.

WE WILL SELL OR TRADE for city property, forty-four acres of fine land on interurban road. Fosdick & Mitchell.

IF YOU are hunting for bargains in farms, ranches or city property, the A. P. Thomas Realty Company certainly has them. 509 Houston street.

AN EXAMPLE IN ARITHMETIC—Buy a house for seven years, at \$12.50 per month, \$1,050. Buy from us a neat, four-room cottage, built for you, on a splendid lot 50x125 feet, fenced and close to street car. Our price for all \$550, on monthly installments that need not exceed \$12.50 per month, on our easy payment plan. See W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

COME to see us and we will tell you something about the FRUIT LANDS in Eastern Texas. The investor and homeseeker should investigate this matter. Cotton Belt Development Co., in Cotton Belt Ticket Office.

FOR SALE AND EXCHANGE—We have anything that you want for sale or exchange. City property, farms, ranches, stocks, etc. See us. E. T. Odom & Co., 512 Main street. Both phones.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Modern 10-room house, southwest side, will sell at a room house, or trade for cottage. Don't pass this if you want a well located, splendid home. An elegant cottage close in on West Side, must be sold. Do not overlook this. Phone 2925. A. N. Evans & Co.

REAL ESTATE at Haggard & Duff.

BARGAIN HUNTERS—New modern 7-room 2-story house, halls, bath, pantry, linen closets, porches, porcelain bath tub, sink, fence, barn, corner lot, southwest side, near car line; price \$2,250, \$100 cash, \$30 per month. Phone 674.

SOME fine exchange propositions in farms, ranches and merchandise for Fort Worth city property or for other North Texas property. A. P. Thomas Realty Co., 509 Houston st., upstairs.

AT THIS season of new aspirations and new resolutions, make up your mind to own your home before another month is past, or the rent collector comes around again. We will build you a neat, modern cottage, on a splendid lot, in a fine location, close to street car, and sell all to you so you will have no trouble in paying for it on our easy payment plan. See W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

A. P. THOMAS REALTY CO. have moved to 509 Houston street, front rooms, second floor, new floor building.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN A NEAT 4-room plain cottage; south-east front, on a corner lot 50x125 feet, within two blocks of street car. Price and terms can be made to suit you. See us at once. W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

GREAT BARGAIN—A very modern two-story, 9-room dwelling; gas and electric lights; water and sewer connections; east front; servant's house; bath; rent collector comes around once a month. Price \$1

TWO DAYS OF WONDERFUL VALUES!

Special—Friday and Saturday—Special

Cutting the Price on Winter Goods Making Room for Spring Stocks

CLEAR THE SHELVES AND COUNTERS of winter goods. Make room for the reception of great stocks for spring—that was the order given to every department manager. The consequence—the prices have been dropped on winter goods to the very lowest possible notch. Prices half what the goods ordinarily command. There is a real and positive economy in every item offered. We tell you here of a small part. Come and see what this great two days' sale—Friday and Saturday Final Clearance has in store for you.

MANY LINES OF SPRING GOODS ENTER THIS SALE AT BARGAIN PRICES—GINGHAMS, PERCALES, WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, LACE, SILKS, ETC.

Ladies Tailored Suits

If you are fortunate enough to procure one of these Suits, you'll have nothing but satisfaction to express for your purchase. No more elegant styles produced this season than the ones we offer during the two days' sale.

Women's Suits in Black, Blue, Brown and Fancy Mixtures.

Those that were \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$16.50; for this last two days' clearance sale—	Those that were \$18.50, \$20.00 to \$27.50; for this last two days' clearance sale—	Those that were \$30, \$35 to \$45; for this last two days' clearance sale—
9.50	14.25	19.50

50 Misses Coat Suits

To clean up the Misses' Coat Suits we have named a price that will surely make quick work of them. Plain cloths and fancy mixtures, size 14, 16 and 18; regular price was \$10.00 and \$12.50. Good styles, best workmanship and you have yet several months to wear just such suits. At price named it is less than half price—think of the mighty saving; Friday and Saturday; choice..... **\$4.95**

Spring Waists

We are pleased to announce the new spring 1906 Shirt Waists. To say that they are the most perfectly stylish and exquisite waists, is drawing it mildly. We have never had the good fortune to show a more perfect line. Finest Embroidered Lawns, Lincens and Madras. You should not fail to make a call of inspection. In many of the choice creations we have but one and two of a kind. These you should see and have put aside. Every price waist from the 98c line up to \$12.50, now on show.



Shirt-Waist Suits

First shipment of the popular Taffeta Shirt Waist Suits are now on display. See our show windows. Take elevator to second floor; not the newness in styles. Every changeable shade and many fancy mixed taffetas—Suits you can buy from \$12.50 to \$25.00. Also a good line of the Mohair Shirt Waist Suits, in the leading colors. The Mohair Suits bid fair to lead all other fabrics this coming spring and summer. First shipment on display; price reasonable. Call and see this line; price, \$7.50, \$8.98 and \$10.00.



Womens Coats, Wraps

Don't think that winter is over and you'll not have further use for a wrap. Plenty of cold days ahead, and a wrap purchased at the price we sell them for will give you good service next season, besides we are offering special cut prices on Rain Coats, also Children's Wraps. Coats in solid colors and mixtures.

Ladies Short Coats, several styles; were \$4.00 and \$5.00; clearance sale—	One lot Ladies' Short Jackets; were \$6.00 to \$10.00; clearance sale—	One lot Ladies' Coats—all styles; were \$8.50 to \$15.00; clearance sale—
2.25	3.85	4.95

Clearance of Millinery

Not a hat to be left unsold in our Millinery Department. A price will sell them. Not many left, but you may find what you want to piece out the season—the price shan't bother you. Come, see the prices—values cannot be conveyed to you through this ad. A half and a third regular price will sell the Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Hats—

2.50 1.50 75c 25c

Clearing Petticoats



One lot Ladies' Silk Petticoats, good grade; former price \$5.00 and \$6.00; rustle silk, plain and changeable colors; sale price..... **\$3.75**

Good values, heavy Silk Petticoats, plain and changeable colors, \$6.50 and \$7.50 values, made of rustle silk; clearance sale price..... **\$4.89**

Ladies' Black Spunglass Petticoats, good rapid sellers at 75c; we shall sell 200 of them, in black and fancy colors; sale price..... **48c**

Ladies Sweaters

We have 25 high-grade hand knit Sweaters, in pretty shades, all wool, regular \$4.00 goods; we shall clear out at..... **\$2.75**

Ladies' hand knit zephyr Sweaters, beautiful plain and fancy woven stripes, regular \$5.00 grades; we shall sell them at, choice..... **\$3.75**

Ladies' fine knit Fascinators, made of soft zephyr, also Shawls and Scarfs, values 50c to \$7.00, all in one lot; grand choice, each..... **39c**

Womens Skirts and Waists

\$2 Walking Skirts 98c

Ladies' blue, black and brown Walking Skirts, cut, shape and make perfect; sold hundreds of them at \$2.00; what are left go in our two days' sale at..... **98c**

\$5 Womens Skirts \$2.50

This lot of Skirts is the odds and ends of our stock—one or two of a kind—in dress and walking length, plain and fancy mixtures; many styles, but all this season's goods—skirts that sold for double the price; sale..... **\$2.50**

200 Mohair Skirts \$2.98

We have just received and placed on display for this sale an extra good special—200 Mohair Skirts in blue, black and brown—a remarkably good bargain—this spring's leading seller; price..... **\$2.98**

\$1.50 Winter Waists 69c

Just 295 Mohair and Flannel Waists—our regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. They are in all the leading colors; the price to clean up the lot is, choice..... **69c**

\$3.50 Madras Waists \$1.45

Ladies' Flannel and Madras Waists—all this winter's styles—those we sold at \$2.50 to \$3.50 are placed in one lot; marked at one price to close out..... **\$1.45**

Our Great Shoe Sale

\$1.50 and \$1.75 Shoes \$1.19

One lot of Ladies' Shoes—those we sold so many of at \$1.50 and \$1.75; clean up these two lots at one price, choice..... **\$1.19**

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes \$1.98

Our line of Ladies' Shoes that sold at \$2.50 and \$3.00, will go in one lot—take your choice while the sale lasts at..... **\$1.98**

\$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes \$2.98

All our fine \$3.50 and \$4.00 Ladies' Shoes, every style leather, heel, toe and sole, worthy makers' goods; in this sale, only..... **\$2.98**

\$5.00 and \$6.00 Shoes \$3.98

One lot of Ladies' high-grade Shoes, very finest and best that can be bought at \$6.00 a pair, late shape heel, toe and sole, all sizes; sale price..... **\$3.98**



Clearance of Ladies Underwear

Making room for the spring stock now arriving. Come get these winter goods at great savings. Come for these Friday and Saturday. Ladies' terry fleeced Vests and Pants, 25c values; to close at..... **17c**

Ladies' regular made best cotton fleeced Union Suits, \$1.25 grade..... **98c**

Children's heavy fleeced Union Suits, the 25c grade; sale but..... **17c**

Ladies' extra heavy fleeced Pants and Vests, regular 50c quality..... **25c**

Ladies' Union Suits and Pants and Vests, 75c grades; sale price..... **49c**

Ladies' ribbed fleeced Union Suits, 50c quality; now going at..... **25c**

Lot of fine Zephyr Wool Fascinators, 25c and 35c grades; choice..... **17c**

Truly a Silk Occasion Out of the Ordinary

Started this sale Monday with thousands of yards of high-grade Silks for little money. We shall continue this most astounding silk offer Friday and Saturday. Every yard of this silk offered Friday and Saturday is a positive underprice purchase, which arrived last week. If you want a silk dress at about half, you had better come with the crowds Friday and Saturday. Note the prices:

49c

100 pieces of Fancy Taffeta Silk Suitings, in all the leading colors; shades that are light, medium and dark—Silks that are 27 inches wide, and retail at 98c. We have sold many silks, but this is the greatest and altogether best bargain lot we have ever offered; choice of this 98c lot, yd., 49c

35c

We place on sale 50 pieces of high-grade Silk and Mercerized Crepe with a silk stripe. This fabric is soft and clinging—comes in all the leading light and medium shades, such as reseda, Nile, pink, blue, lavender, mais, tan, black, brown; regular 50c fabric.

Fancy Taffeta Silk Suitings, stripes, bars and checks, the regular 69c grade, 19 inches wide; our price for this choice lot, yard..... **39c**

Most exquisite line of choice spring designs, medium and light colors, checks and stripes, 20 inches wide—well worth 98c; our price in this sale..... **75c**

A big lot of the choice new spring Silks, full 27 inches wide, fancy flecks, dots and interwoven colorings; other stores will ask \$1.25; our price is..... **89c**

A beautiful lot of fancy 20-inch Suiting Taffetas, spic, span, new patterns and colorings, regular 75c grade; you may buy here, yard..... **59c**

NOTE THIS—A Fancy Suiting Silk that is full 36 inches wide, bright, new spring shades and designs, regular \$1.50 grade; this sale, yard..... **\$1.19**

35 pieces Fancy Suiting Silks, full 27 inches wide, beautiful colors, stripes and checks—just what you will want for future and present year, \$1.25 values, yard..... **63c**

10 pieces Changeable Taffeta, 36 inches wide—splendid value at \$1.00 a yard; our sale will wipe out the lot, per yard..... **59c**

20 pieces new Chiffon Taffetas, in the leading colors. This fabric is fully guaranteed to wear, is 27 inches wide; our price will be..... **98c**

Just 40 pieces new Changeable Taffetas, soft and rustle finish, most exquisite color blending, 27 inches wide; price for the sale is..... **89c**

Plain Solid Colored All Silk Taffetas, in the leading shades—will wear satisfactorily, 19 inches wide; price for the sale is..... **45c**

Black Guaranteed-to-wear Taffeta, 36 inches wide; tested grade, well worth \$1.25; only 5 pieces to sell; first come, first served; sale, yard..... **89c**

27-inch Black Guaranteed Taffeta—a good \$1.00 value; a beautiful luster finish; only 200 yards to sell; you'll never better this at..... **75c**

Changeable Dress Taffetas, pure silk, soft and rustle finish—this is our regular stock we've been selling so much of at 75c; price..... **69c**

36-inch Black Beau de Soie, as good as any you can buy at \$1.25; bright finish, guaranteed to wear and not get shiny—a great bargain; price..... **89c**

One lot of Mexican Grenadine, in evening shades—pink, light blue, lavender, Nile, black, cardinal, tan, 30 inches wide 75c actual worth; price..... **59c**

36-inch Black Beau de Soie, also 27-inch, both \$1.49 values; you may take your choice at one price—we know this to be a most worthy grade; price per yard..... **\$1.19**

The best bargain in the whole lot is Chiffon Poplin, in the leading shades, 27 inches wide, regular \$1.00 grade—will wear like leather; will not spot; yard..... **79c**

Shantung Pongee in the leading shades, 30 inches wide, regular \$1.25 values—a pure silk fabric that will wear, spring shades, yard..... **79c**

27-inch Black Beau de Soie—a grade that is cheap at \$1.25—will not crock nor grow greasy; bright, pure silk; sale price, yard..... **82c**

36-inch Black Taffeta Silk—you have never bought this grade under 75c, chiffon finish, brilliant black; for the great sale, yard..... **49c**

Blankets Clearance Prices

You will never have a better chance to secure real worthy Blankets at real downright bargains. We ask you to come and see.

Cotton Blankets, white, gray and tan, 10-4 size; to close out at only..... **49c**

Good heavy Cotton Blankets, the regular \$1.00 grade; Friday and Saturday, sale price..... **69c**

All wool white and gray Blankets, extra-size, regular \$6.50 quality; now only..... **\$3.95**

Here is a great chance—fine white all wool \$12.50 Blankets; Friday and Saturday, pair only..... **\$7.50**

Good size Bed Comforts, the usual \$1.25 grade; price for the two-day sale..... **98c**

Comforts, good size, light and dark colors, \$1.75 grade; sale..... **\$1.39**

Fine soft Comforts, light and dark colors, \$2.50 grades; sale..... **\$1.98**

See Other Page—Sale of Staples and Clothing

98c

We will again offer the \$1.50 to \$2.00 all wool Skirtings, Suitings and Cravanned Cloths—most excellent assortment. You will want this weight fabric and shades through the entire summer. Economize—buy now.

Burton-Peel Dry Goods Co.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Will be Two Days of Phenomenal Price-Reducing at Burton-Peel's

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All priced to make Friday and Saturday busy days and turn out staples at about half regular worth. We ask you to read each item, assuring you that everything quoted here is, and can be had at the store. We never misrepresent, hence we never disappoint.

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25,000

Yards of Torchon and Point d'Esprit Lace and Insertions, good machine-made lace at half what you usually pay for like values.

TORCHON LACE 2 1/2c

The same grades you pay 5c a yard for, we place on sale at half the regular price; thousands of yards, **2 1/2c** at

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The same lace you willingly pay 10c a yard for---Edges and Insertions to match; during Friday and Saturday **5c**

POINT D'ESPRIT 5c

Thousands of yards of new patterns in wide and narrow Plat., Val., and Point d'Esprit Lace, regular 10c grades; choice **5c**

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5000 yards new spring Percales, book-fold, light and dark dress styles, 8c quality **5c**
 Red Seal and Toilet du Nord Gingham, new spring styles, retail at 10c and 12 1/2c; sale **7 1/2c**
 2000 yards A. C. F. Gingham, spring styles---mill ends---10c grade; our sale price **6c**
 10,000 yards Flannelette---ends and what we have left of our 10, 12 and 15c grades; grand choice, yard **5c**
 5000 yards of short ends, 2 to 10-yard lengths Outing Flannel; choice, per yard **2 1/2c**
 A great big lot of Amoskeag Outing Flannel, regular 10c and 12 1/2c values; choice, yard **5c**
 A big lot of Fancy Sateens, Coverts and Suitings, regular 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c values; grand choice **10c**

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500 Pillow Cases, size 42x36, good muslin, the kind we sell at 12 1/2c; this special sale, each **9c**
 The Mohawk Valley Pillow Cases, 42 and 45x36, hemstitched, hand-torn and hemmed, 29c grade; special sale **23c**
 A pretty, full bleached hemstitched Pillow Case, 42x36, regular 25c grade; special sale, each **19c**

Special Sale of Bed Quilts

100 White Crochet Quilts for a medium size bed, the 60c grade; special, sale price **39c** each
 A case of White Quilts, full size, a good weight, choice patterns, regular 98c quilt **75c**
 One case Crochet Quilts, heavy weight, choice patterns, worth regular \$1.25; special **98c** sale price, each

100 White Crochet Spreads with fringe, a most exquisite line, worth \$1.49; sale **\$1.25** price, each
 White Marseilles pattern Quilt, extra large size, choice designs, regular \$1.98 grade; **\$1.49** price
 A number of styles in plain and fringed Quilts, pretty patterns, \$2.25 value; this sale, **\$1.75** price

White Marseilles Spreads that are perfectly designed, some with fringe, full large; in this sale at the special **\$2.49** price of
 Fancy Colored Marseilles Quilts, pink and blue, full size, choice patterns; special, in this sale **\$2.98**
 Fine imported Marseilles Spreads, large sizes, choice patterns; price, special, \$7.50, \$6.25 and **\$3.98**



Out Go the Men's Suits at About Half

This will be the last call on Men's Suits---the prices we quote below for our great last two days---Friday and Saturday---sale, will make short work of the selling, and it is an extraordinary offering in view of the fact that we have more than two months of weather for winter suits yet to come. Along the same line of the suit close-out is the clearance of overcoats. These will be sacrificed. Many great values in high-grade Rain Coats of the cravenetted fabrics, used through the entire year. Will we see you at the sale?

\$6 For Men's winter weight Suits that formerly sold at \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00; last call---come and take your choice for **\$6.00**

\$8 For Men's winter weight Suits that formerly sold at \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$20.00---last call; come, take your choice for **\$8.00**

\$10 For Men's winter weight Suits that formerly sold at \$20.00, \$22.50 and \$25.00---last call; come, take your choice **\$10.00**



See Other Page for Bargains in Womens Wear

Winter Underwear

50c GARMENTS 25c

What we have left of the 50c heavy fleeced Jersey Ribbed Underwear for men, the very best 50c garment on the market; to close out the lot, come and get them, garment **25c**

\$1.00 UNDERWEAR 69c

A splendid saving on high-grade warm Underwear, Universal Mills, elastic seams, most comfortable garment made, \$1.00 regular price; to close out the lot, per garment **69c**

25c BOYS' UNDERWEAR 18c

We shall close out the Boys' fleece lined Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, the regular 25c quality, a good one, too; special, garment **18c**

Men's Bostonian Shoes \$2.69

\$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes---think of the saving. Good, dependable wearing and comfortable fitting shoes. We sell thousands of pairs and never a kick on quality. But we want the space these heavy winter weights occupy, for our light weight spring lines soon to arrive; hence we say---these \$3.50 and \$4.00 Bostonians for **\$2.69**



Men's Trousers for \$1.39

Here is a good worthy offer---Men's All Wool Cassimere and Worsted Pants, good patterns, regular \$2.00 to \$3.00 values---should sell out in a few hours Friday. About 200 of them, all sizes, winter weights; pair **\$1.39**

Men's Shirts 69c

SPRING STYLES

To make this sale an interesting one we include a shipment of 200 dozen Men's Negligee Shirts. They are made of the best madras ever put in a dollar shirt. They retail in all other stores at \$1.00, but we loff off the profit in order to keep sales up and make the dull days busy; new spring patterns, neat designs; price **69c**

Men's Shirts 89c

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Men as a rule do not take to the odd pricing, as 89c for a \$1.50 shirt; they go into a store and lay down their good \$1.50 for just such shirts as we shall sell Friday and Saturday at 89c. New spring styles, neat designs, fine madras, most worthy makers' goods; come and buy a half dozen; special, each **89c**

Overcoats 25 % Off

A very good percentage to save---25 per cent saved, and a good two months yet to wear an overcoat. Besides it will wear you several seasons. We shall not quote prices. We have overcoats from \$5.00 on up to \$35.00. We mark in plain figures; you figure a quarter less on every dollar and take the coat.

Boys' Clothing

Winter stocks badly broken, but we wish to sell every suit, hence you may come and fit out the boy for the least you have yet paid for like quality. Splendid All Wool Suits at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50. Worth again as much in nearly every instance. Bring the boy Saturday and save money.

Many Special Things on Sale
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SALE OF SILKS

TWO DAYS OF WONDERFUL VALUES!

Special—Friday and Saturday—Special

Cutting the Price on Winter Goods Making Room for Spring Stocks

CLEAR THE SHELVES AND COUNTERS of winter goods. Make room for the reception of great stocks for spring—that was the order given to every department manager. The consequence—the prices have been dropped on winter goods to the very lowest possible notch. Prices half what the goods ordinarily command. There is a real and positive economy in every item offered. We tell you here of a small part. Come and see what this great two days' sale—Friday and Saturday Final Clearance has in store for you.

MANY LINES OF SPRING GOODS ENTER THIS SALE AT BARGAIN PRICES—GINGHAMS, PERCALES, WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, LACE, SILKS, ETC.

Ladies Tailored Suits

If you are fortunate enough to procure one of these Suits, you'll have nothing but satisfaction to express for your purchase. No more elegant styles produced this season than the ones we offer during the two days' sale.

Women's Suits in Black, Blue, Brown and Fancy Mixtures.

Those that were \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$16.50; for this last two days' clearance sale—	Those that were \$18.50, \$20.00 to \$27.50; for this last two days' clearance sale—	Those that were \$30, \$35 to \$45; for this last two days' clearance sale—
9.50	14.25	19.50

50 Misses Coat Suits

To clean up the Misses' Coat Suits we have named a price that will surely make quick work of them. Plain cloths and fancy mixtures, size 14, 16 and 18; regular price was \$10.00 and \$12.50. Good styles, best workmanship and you have yet several months to wear just such suits. At price named it is less than half price—think of the mighty saving; Friday and Saturday; choice.....**\$4.95**

Spring Waists

We are pleased to announce the new spring 1905 Shirt Waists. To say that they are the most perfectly stylish and exquisite waists, is drawing it mildly. We have never had the good fortune to show a more perfect line. Finest Embroidered Lawns, Linens and Madras. You should not fail to make a call of inspection. In many of the choice creations we have but one and two of a kind. These you should see and have put aside. Every price waist from the 98c line up to \$12.50, now on show.



Shirt-Waist Suits

First shipment of the popular Taffeta Shirt Waist Suits are now on display. See our show windows. Take elevator to second floor; not the newness in styles. Every changeable shade and many fancy mixed taffetas—Suits you can buy from \$12.50 to \$25.00. Also a good line of the Mohair Shirt Waist Suits, in the leading colors. The Mohair Suits bid fair to lead all other fabrics this coming spring and summer. First shipment on display; price reasonable. Call and see this line; price, \$7.50, \$8.98 and \$10.00.

Womens Coats, Wraps

Don't think that winter is over and you'll not have further use for a wrap. Plenty of cold days ahead, and a wrap purchased at the price we sell them for will give you good service next season, besides we are offering special cut prices on Rain Coats, also Children's Wraps. Coats in solid colors and mixtures.

Ladies Short Coats, several styles; were \$4.00 and \$5.00; clearance sale—	One lot Ladies' Short Jackets; were \$6.00 to \$10.00; clearance sale—	One lot Ladies' Coats—all styles; were \$8.50 to \$15.00; clearance sale—
2.25	3.85	4.95

Clearance of Millinery

Not a hat to be left unsold in our Millinery Department. A price will sell them. Not many left, but you may find what you want to piece out the season—the price sha'n't bother you. Come, see the prices—values cannot be conveyed to you through this ad. A half and a third regular price will sell the Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Hats—

2.50	1.50	75c	25c
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Clearing Petticoats

One lot Ladies' Silk Petticoats, good grade; former price \$5.00 and \$6.00; rustle silk, plain and changeable colors; sale price.....**\$3.75**

Good values, heavy Silk Petticoats, plain and changeable colors, \$6.50 and \$7.50 values, made of rustle silk; clearance sale price.....**\$4.89**

Ladies' Black Spunglass Petticoats, good rapid sellers at 75c; we shall sell 200 of them, in black and fancy colors; sale price.....**48c**

Ladies Sweaters

We have 25 high-grade hand knit Sweaters, in pretty shades, all wool, regular \$4.00 goods; we shall clear out at.....**\$2.75**

Ladies' hand knit zephyr Sweaters, beautiful plain and fancy woven stripes, regular \$5.00 grades; we shall sell them at, choice.....**\$3.75**

Ladies' fine knit Fascinators, made of soft zephyr, also Shawls and Scarfs, values 50c to \$7.00, all in one lot; grand choice, each.....**39c**

Womens Skirts and Waists

\$2 Walking Skirts 98c

Ladies' blue, black and brown Walking Skirts, cut, shape and make perfect; sold hundreds of them at \$2.00; what are left go in our two days' sale at.....**98c**

\$5 Womens Skirts \$2.50

This lot of Skirts is the odds and ends of our stock—one or two of a kind—in dress and walking length, plain and fancy mixtures; many styles, but all this season's goods—skirts that sold for double the price; sale.....**\$2.50**

200 Mohair Skirts \$2.98

We have just received and placed on display for this sale an extra good special—200 Mohair Skirts in blue, black and brown—a remarkably good bargain—this spring's leading seller; price.....**\$2.98**

\$1.50 Winter Waists 69c

Just 295 Mohair and Flannel Waists—our regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. They are in all the leading colors; the price to clean up the lot is, choice.....**69c**

\$3.50 Madras Waists \$1.45

Ladies' Flannel and Madras Waists—all this winter's styles—those we sold at \$2.50 to \$3.50 are placed in one lot; marked at one price to close out.....**\$1.45**

Our Great Shoe Sale

\$1.50 and \$1.75 Shoes \$1.19

One lot of Ladies' Shoes—those we sold so many of at \$1.50 and \$1.75; clean up these two lots at one price, choice.....**\$1.19**

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes \$1.98

Our line of Ladies' Shoes that sold at \$2.50 and \$3.00, will go in one lot—take your choice while the sale lasts at.....**\$1.98**

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All our fine \$3.50 and \$4.00 Ladies' Shoes, every style leather, heel, toe and sole, worthy makers' goods; in this sale, only.....**\$2.98**

\$5.00 and \$6.00 Shoes \$3.98

One lot of Ladies' high-grade Shoes, very finest and best that can be bought at \$6.00 a pair, late shape heel, toe and sole, all sizes; sale price.....**\$3.98**



Clearance of Ladies Underwear

Making room for the spring stock now arriving. Come get these winter goods at great savings. Come for these Friday and Saturday. Ladies' terry fleeced Vests and Pants, 25c values; to close at.....**17c**

Ladies' regular made best cotton fleeced Union Suits, \$1.25 grade.....**98c**

Children's heavy fleeced Union Suits, the 25c grade; sale but.....**17c**

Ladies' extra heavy fleeced Pants and Vests, regular 50c quality.....**25c**

Ladies' Union Suits and Pants and Vests, 75c grades; sale price.....**49c**

Ladies' ribbed fleeced Union Suits, 50c quality; now going at.....**25c**

Lot of fine Zephyr Wool Fascinators, 25c and 35c grades; choice.....**17c**

Truly a Silk Occasion Out of the Ordinary

Started this sale Monday with thousands of yards of high-grade Silks for little money. We shall continue this most astounding silk offer Friday and Saturday. Every yard of this silk offered Friday and Saturday is a positive underprice purchase, which arrived last week. If you want a silk dress at about half, you had better come with the crowds Friday and Saturday. Note the prices:

49c 100 pieces of Fancy Taffeta Silk Suitings, in all the leading colors; shades that are light, medium and dark—Silks that are 27 inches wide, and retail at 98c. We have sold many silks, but this is the greatest and altogether best bargain lot we have ever offered; choice of this 98c lot, yd., **49c**

35c We place on sale 50 pieces of high-grade Silk and Mercerized Crepe with a silk stripe. This fabric is soft and clinging—comes in all the leading light and medium shades, such as reseda, Nile, pink, blue, lavender, mais, tan, black, brown; regular 50c fabric.

Fancy Taffeta Silk Suitings, stripes, bars and checks, the regular 69c grade, 19 inches wide; our price for this choice lot, yard.....**39c**

Most exquisite line of choice spring designs, medium and light colors, checks and stripes, 20 inches wide—well worth 98c; our price in this sale.....**75c**

A big lot of the choice new sprink Silks, full 27 inches wide, fancy flecks, dots and interwoven colorings; other stores will ask \$1.25; our price is.....**89c**

A beautiful lot of fancy 20-inch Suiting Taffetas, spic, span, new patterns and colorings, regular 75c grade; you may buy here, yard.....**59c**

NOTE THIS—A Fancy Suiting Silk that is full 36 inches wide, bright, new spring shades and designs, regular \$1.50 grade; this sale, yard.....**\$1.19**

35 pieces Fancy Suiting Silks, full 27 inches wide, beautiful colors, stripes and checks—just what you will want for future and present year, \$1.25 values, yard.....**63c**

10 pieces Changeable Taffeta, 36 inches wide—splendid value at \$1.00 a yard; our sale will wipe out the lot, per yard.....**59c**

20 pieces new Chiffon Taffetas, in the leading colors. This fabric is fully guaranteed to wear, is 27 inches wide; our price will be.....**98c**

Just 40 pieces new Changeable Taffetas, soft and rustle finish, most exquisite color blending, 27 inches wide; price for the sale is.....**89c**

Plain Solid Colored All Silk Taffetas, in the leading shades—will wear satisfactorily, 19 inches wide; price for the sale is.....**45c**

Black Guaranteed-to-wear Taffeta, 36 inches wide; tested grade, well worth \$1.25; only 5 pieces to sell; first come, first served; sale, yard.....**89c**

27-inch Black Guaranteed Taffeta—a good \$1.00 value; a beautiful luster finish; only 200 yards to sell; you'll never better this at.....**75c**

Changeable Dress Taffetas, pure silk, soft and rustle finish—this is our regular stock we've been selling so much of at 75c; price.....**69c**

36-inch Black Peau de Soie, as good as any you can buy at \$1.25; bright finish, guaranteed to wear and not get shiny—a great bargain; price.....**89c**

One lot of Mexican Grenadine, in evening shades—pink, light blue, lavender, Nile, black, cardinal, tan, 30 inches wide 75c actual worth; price.....**59c**

36-inch Black Peau de Soie, also 27-inch, both \$1.49 values; you may take your choice at one price—we know this to be a most worthy grade; price per yard.....**\$1.19**

The best bargain in the whole lot is Chiffon Poplin, in the leading shades, 27 inches wide, regular \$1.00 grade—will wear like leather; will not spot; 79c yard.....**79c**

Shantung Pongee in the leading shades, 30 inches wide, regular \$1.25 values—a pure silk fabric that will wear, spring shades, yard.....**79c**

27-inch Black Peau de Soie—a grade that is cheap at \$1.25—will not crock nor grow greasy; bright, pure silk; sale price, yard.....**82c**

36-inch Black Taffeta Silk—you have never bought this grade under 75c, chiffon finish, brilliant black; for the great sale, yard.....**49c**

See Other Page—Sale of Staples and Clothing

Blankets Clearance Prices

You will never have a better chance to secure real worthy Blankets at real downright bargains. We ask you to come and see.

Cotton Blankets, white, gray and tan, 10-4 size; to close out at only.....**49c**

Good heavy Cotton Blankets, the regular \$1.00 grade; Friday and Saturday, sale price.....**69c**

All wool white and gray Blankets, extra-size, regular \$6.50 quality; now.....**\$3.95** only.....

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Good size Bed Comforts, the usual \$1.25 grade; price.....**98c** for the two-day sale.....

Comforts, good size, light and dark colors, \$1.75 grade; sale.....**\$1.39**

Fine soft Comforts, light and dark colors, \$2.50 grades; sale.....**\$1.98**

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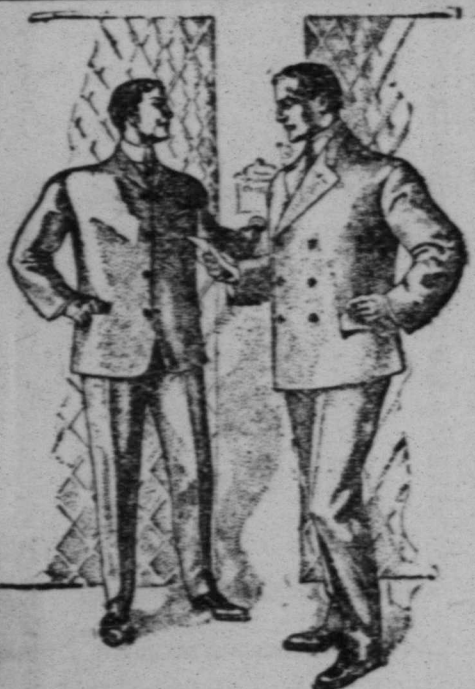
500 Pillow Cases, size 42x36, good muslin, the kind we sell at 12 1/2; this special sale, each 9c
The Mohawk Valley Pillow Cases, 42 and 45x36, hemstitched, hand-torn and hemmed, 29c 23c grade; special sale
A pretty, full bleached hemstitched Pillow Case, 42x36, regular 25c grade; special sale, each 19c

Special Sale of Bed Quilts

100 White Crochet Quilts for a medium size bed, the 69c grade; special, sale price 39c each
A case of White Quilts, full size, a good weight, choice patterns, regular 95c quilt 75c
One case Crochet Quilts, heavy weight, choice patterns, worth regular \$1.25; special sale price, each 98c

100 White Crochet Spreads with fringe, a most exquisite line, worth \$1.49; sale \$1.25 each
White Marseilles pattern Quilt, extra large size, choice designs, regular \$1.98 grade; \$1.49 price
A number of styles in plain and fringed Quilts, pretty patterns, \$2.25 value; this sale, price \$1.75

White Marseilles Spreads that are perfectly designed, some with fringe, full large; in this sale at the special \$2.49 price of
Fancy Colored Marseilles Quilts, pink and blue, full size, choice patterns; special, in this sale \$2.98
Fine imported Marseilles Spreads, large sizes, choice patterns; price, special, \$3.98 \$7.50, \$6.25 and



Out Go the Men's Suits at About Half

This will be the last call on Men's Suits---the prices we quote below for our great last two days---Friday and Saturday---sale, will make short work of the selling, and it is an extraordinary offering in view of the fact that we have more than two months of weather for winter suits yet to come. Along the same line of the suit close-out is the clearance of overcoats. These will be sacrificed. Many great values in high-grade Rain Coats of the cravanetted fabrics, used through the entire year. Will we see you at the sale?

\$6 For Men's winter weight Suits that formerly sold at \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00; last call---come and take your choice for **\$6.00**

\$8 For Men's winter weight Suits that formerly sold at \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$20.00---last call; come, take your choice for **\$8.00**

\$10 For Men's winter weight Suits that formerly sold at \$20.00, \$22.50 and \$25.00---last call; come, take your choice... **\$10.00**



See Other Page for Bargains in Womens Wear

Winter Underwear

50c GARMENTS 25c
What we have left of the 50c heavy fleeced Jersey Ribbed Underwear for men, the very best 50c garment on the market; to close out the lot, come and get them, garment 25c
\$1.00 UNDERWEAR 69c
A splendid saving on high-grade warm Underwear, Universal Mills, elastic seams, most comfortable garment made, \$1.00 regular price; to close out the lot, per garment 69c
25c BOYS' UNDERWEAR 18c
We shall close out the Boys' fleece lined Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, the regular 25c quality, a good one, too; special, garment 18c

Men's Bostonian Shoes \$2.69

\$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes---think of the saving. Good, dependable wearing and comfortable fitting shoes. We sell thousands of pairs and never a kick on quality. But we want the space these heavy winter weights occupy, for our light weight spring lines soon to arrive; hence we say---these \$3.50 and \$4.00 Bostonians for \$2.69
Men's Trousers for \$1.39
Here is a good worthy offer---Men's All Wool Cassimere and Worsted Pants, good patterns, regular \$2.00 to \$3.00 values---should sell out in a few hours Friday. About 200 of them, all sizes, winter weights; pair \$1.39



Men's Shirts 69c

SPRING STYLES
To make this sale an interesting one we include a shipment of 200 dozen Men's Negligee Shirts. They are made of the best madras ever put in a dollar shirt. They retail in all other stores at \$1.00, but we lop off the profit in order to keep sales up and make the dull days busy; new spring patterns, neat designs; price 69c

Men's Shirts 89c

SPRING STYLES
Men as a rule do not take to the odd pricing, as 89c for a \$1.50 shirt; they go into a store and lay down their good \$1.50 for just such shirts as we shall sell Friday and Saturday at 89c. New spring styles, neat designs, fine madras, most worthy makers' goods; come and buy a half dozen; special, each 89c

Overcoats 25% Off

A very good percentage to save---25 per cent saved, and a good two months yet to wear an overcoat. Besides it will wear you several seasons. We shall not quote prices. We have overcoats from \$5.00 on up to \$35.00. We mark in plain figures; you figure a quarter less on every dollar and take the coat.
Boys' Clothing
Winter stocks badly broken, but we wish to sell every suit, hence you may come and fit out the boy for the least you have yet paid for like quality. Splendid All Wool Suits at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50. Worth again as much in nearly every instance. Bring the boy Saturday and save money.

Many Special Things on Sale
Friday and Saturday
Not Mentioned Here



SEE OTHER PAGE
For Sale of Ladies Wear
SALE OF SILKS

The Non-Irritating Cathartic Hood's Pills

CITY BRIEFS

PAY YOUR POLL TAX

Queen Quality Starch. All Grocers. Cut flowers at Drumm's. Phone 101.

Three prizes given away on C. C. page of The Telegram. Charles Miller, formerly of the firm of Miller & Voss, is now located at 215 Main street. Phone 1230.

BRIEFS

Mayor Henry Miller of Weatherford is in the city. Miss Carpenter of Bowling Green, Ky., is visiting Miss Virgie Van Zandt.

IN THE COURTS

County Court Filings. George W. Sheep against Texas and Pacific Railway Company, damages.

MORE BETTING CASES

Twelve additional horse race betting cases are scheduled to come up in Justice Terrell's court Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

POLL TAX COLLECTIONS

County Collector Walker reports today that up to Wednesday night 5,500 polls had been paid in addition to about 500 exemptions recorded.

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Buy Oak Leaf Lard

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FIRE DRIVES 150 OUT IN STORM

Many Rescued From Blaze in New York Tenement During Blizzard

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—With the temperature at zero and the wind at 40 miles an hour, with the driving, blinding sharp fine snow, 150 persons were driven from their homes early today by a fire which threatened to destroy whole blocks of tenement houses in the Bronx.

Although no lives were lost, many persons who were forced to flee in their night clothing, suffered severely from the exposure in the terrible weather and it is feared some of them may not survive.

COUNTY COURT

The damage case of G. A. Parnell against the Northern Texas Traction Company was dismissed.

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Miss Felicia's Fall

By Eleanor Porter

MISS FELICIA was the soul of honor, but there came a day when the serpent entered her garden of Eden, and she succumbed. It was after this manner: Felicia strongly disapproved of men on general principles. In her young school days no small boy beamed and perspired under a load of her school-books, and at Miss Gray's select finishing school no troubled teacher caught her in clandestine flirtations.

It was at the Ladies' Aid society so-called that the serpent first wriggled into her horizon, and it was the silly chatter of Helen Armstrong and Maude Norton that brought it forth. Miss Felicia sat just in front of the gushing maidens, and their girlish confidences were distinctly audible to her.

"Why, Helen, I should simply die of mortification if I didn't have an offer before I was thirty!" said Maude in a horrified whisper.

"Me, too," giggled Helen sympathetically, quite unaware of the iron that had entered the soul of the little woman in front of her.

Miss Felicia was proud. Her blood was the bluest in town and her laces the oldest and rarest. Her pet vanity was the thought that all the village must look upon her with perhaps a mild envy, but here was something wanting, something so profoundly essential that the lack of it caused these chits of girls to look upon her with scorn and derision—upon her, Felicia Winthrop!

It was only a day or two later that Miss Felicia received a letter—a business letter—addressed in a bold masculine hand. While she sat reading it in the garden Helen Armstrong came rushing heedlessly through the gate.

"If you please, Miss Felicia," said the young girl breathlessly, "mamma wants to know if she can take your rule for angel cake!"

A bright red spot blazed up in either cheek, and something caught Miss Felicia's breath away. Now was the time to show this saucy chit of a girl that her scorn was quite uncalled for. Miss Felicia laughed self consciously and hastily put the letter out of sight.

The blush and the hurried motions were enough for the romantic Helen, and before night half the town knew that Miss Felicia had had a letter from her "beau."

"Who is it, Miss Felicia?" "Where did you know him?" "Why didn't you tell us before?"

It was then that Miss Felicia suddenly found herself possessed of a wonderful fund of imagination. She put all her newly awakened romantic sentiment into the development of the personality of her lover, and it was not long before she almost believed in him herself.

When they had asked her his name, she had given the first that came into her mind, Paul. She was thinking of Paul Raymond, the curly headed little boy that used to sit across the aisle from her at the village school. Paul had worshipped her in those faraway days, but the chilling dignity of the sedate little miss had effectually prevented his showing it save in soulful glances. Felicia never forgot the queer little fluttering feeling she had when they encountered that compelling gaze, and some way "Paul" slipped easily from her lips as her lover's name.

Though she constantly refused to give his surname, her neighbors had no idea of being obliged to forego the pleasure of knowing it; so after wisely putting their heads together and remembering the adoring glances of this same small

boy they informed her one day that they had found out and that Paul Raymond was his name. The youth in question having left the town for parts unknown at the tender age of fourteen, he was not there to dispute the honor, and as Miss Felicia gave only a frightened, embarrassed exclamation in response to their confident announcement the name remained.

As time passed Miss Felicia sank deeper and deeper in the toils of her own invention. She intimated that she had met and known her lover again while at boarding school, and since then they had corresponded. This, of course, necessitated a regular and frequent interchange of letters between her and the aforementioned business man of the bold handwriting, for she must receive letters to give color to the statement. Indeed, she now squandered a large portion of her income on books, her correspondent being in reality a dealer in all kinds of publications.

Then, too, once a week she inclosed a blank sheet of paper in an envelope and addressed it with elaborate care to "Mr. Paul A. Raymond, Care General Delivery, Boston, Mass." After a time she occasionally ventured to pen a word or two of greeting on the blank sheets to her imaginary sweetheart, and once she wrote: "You are my lover now, but you don't know it. I hope you don't mind. I only wanted you for show, you know." She derived a sort of absurd comfort from this explanation, feeling that something was due this creature of her brain.

One day the village gossip said to her: "Do let me see your ring, Miss Felicia."

"Ring?" repeated Miss Felicia inquiringly. "Yes—engagement ring, of course. Haven't you got one?" said she, looking sharply at her.

"No—yes—er—I mean—it's coming soon," she stammered confusedly, and the next day a certain city jeweler was slightly amazed by an order for an "engagement ring suitable for a maiden lady—something nice," signed "Miss Felicia Winthrop."

All this was very well, but it could not last forever. The villagers insisted upon knowing when the wedding was to take place, and this was particularly disquieting to the bride elect. She could only gasp a hurried, "Oh, I don't know; not yet awhile!" but it cost her many a sleepless night before she solved the problem—she must kill her lover.

She had no trouble in manufacturing a convenient deadly disease, and she promptly went into deep black. She wrote to the book dealer and told him she never intended to buy another book as long as she lived and not to write again. Thus she made sure that none of those incriminating, boldly addressed envelopes should come through the mail.

It must have been a fortnight later that Miss Felicia received a call from the village gossip. The woman's face was flushed, and her nervously excited movements plainly portended something unusual.

"Now, Miss Winthrop, I hope you'll be calm. It ought to be broke gently, you know. Now, be calm—very calm—it's a nice day, ain't it, Miss Winthrop?"

By this time Miss Felicia was thoroughly unnerved. "Sarah Ann Jones, what are you talking about?" said she sharply. "Tell me—tell me this minute, now! Quick!"

"Be calm, Miss Felicia; be calm. 'Tain't much, only you've been deceived—your lover ain't dead!"

"What?" demanded Miss Felicia, starting from her chair. "I say your lover ain't dead, and he never did die. He's come back, and he's right here in this very town, and maybe you'll see him tonight!" blurted the woman, fairly bursting with the exuberance of her disquieting information.

She had her desired reward, for Miss Felicia fell in a limp little heap, and four distracted neighbors had to be summoned before she was brought back to life—and her lover. Then she shut herself up in her room and refused to come out, even when a stalwart, blue eyed man came up her little path with long strides and pulled twice at her tinkling doorbell.

Toward night she stole down stairs and out the back door, then followed a winding path to a little grove of trees behind the house. From a child she had always taken her knotty problems there to solve. The big, blue eyed man was on the watch and followed, so Miss Felicia had scarcely seated herself when she sprang to her feet with a little scream.

"Don't be frightened, please; I am Paul Raymond—don't you remember? I used to sit opposite you in school. Won't you please shake hands with me?" said he pleadingly.

Miss Felicia gave him limp fingers and looked longingly toward the house. "No, don't go back just yet. I want to speak to you, please." Then the color in his face matched her own as he began a little awkwardly: "Miss Winthrop, I don't know how to say what I want to, but I used to know and—or—like you long ago, and—I understand that the people here have kind of got the idea that you and I are lovers"—speaking very fast—"and I just wanted to say that maybe we could keep 'em from talking if you'd be willing to be sort of friendly with me. Of course," he added quickly, "I shouldn't expect you'd give me anything else—till by and by—when you know me better. If you thought you could, perhaps?"

It was long years afterward that Felicia found among her husband's papers a worn package of letters, most of them, but not all of them, blank, and addressed to "Mr. Paul A. Raymond, Care General Delivery, Boston, Mass."

SENATE BUSY ON STORAGE BILL

Measure Makes It Misdemeanor to Drink on Premises in Restricted Districts

AUSTIN, Jan. 26.—The anti-cold storage bill occupied the attention of the senate today. A number of speeches were made for and against the bill. The measure seeks to make it a misdemeanor for any one to drink liquor on the premises of a cold storage established in local option precincts of the state.

A memorial was presented to the senate this morning signed by every chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy of the state petitioning the legislature to make June 3 Jeff Davis' birthday a legal holiday.

A bill was introduced in the house today creating a board of railway telegraphers' examiners and making it unlawful for persons to be engaged in such occupation of railway telegrapher without a license.

A bill was presented in the house providing for the appointment by the governor of a commission of five to revise the criminal and civil codes of the state. A bill was also introduced making it penal to traffic in questions to be answered by applicants for positions to teach in the public schools.

The committee on revenue and taxation was in session all morning considering making it penal to tax bills before it. Railroads have been given five hours to discuss bills.

POLL TAX PAYMENTS

Personal Canvass of Iron Foundry Results in Seven Payments

By means of personally visiting a local iron foundry yesterday and making a canvass among the employes, Deputy City Assessor and Collector Littlejohn was able to secure seven additional poll tax payments, which added to those issued at the city hall office, makes yesterday's total 157.

The custom of keeping the office open till 9 p. m. is still observed, City Assessor and Collector Gilvin announcing that the plan will be carried out until the closing of the polls on the last day of this month.

Only five days remain now until the citizen who has not paid his poll tax will be disfranchised. A penalty will be imposed on all delinquent taxpayers on that date as well, 1 per cent being added to all accounts.

Collections are proceeding as usual at the county and North Fort Worth offices.

TO NAME CONVENTION DATE

Meeting of Committee Called for Saturday Night, When Announcement Will Be Made

A meeting of the executive committee recently appointed by the Elks to arrange for the coming convention in this city will be held next Saturday evening, at which time the exact date for the convention to be held during May will be determined.

From indications received to date the convention in this city will be one of the largest gatherings of the body ever held in the state, it being estimated that fully 3,000 delegates will be present. Although being a Texas convention it is expected a large number of Elks from the territories will attend.

TO COMPLETE GOULD LINE TO SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 26.—It is said now actual construction work on the Western Pacific railroad will begin within two months and the Gould road to San Francisco promises to be an accomplished fact in the near future. Rights of way and San Francisco terminals are said to have been finally secured without fear of interference, and the necessary money is available, the sum of \$50,000,000 is all ready, having been underwritten to be drawn upon as needed for construction work.

MULE'S BITE IS FATAL

Waco Man Dies After Peculiar Accident. WACO, Texas, Jan. 26.—Robert Kincheloe, an aged resident of Waco, died yesterday after a brief illness. His thumb was bitten off by a mule a few days ago, and his death followed. He leaves three sons in Waco and one in San Antonio, R. L. Kincheloe, besides his wife.

Curse OF DRINK

Drunkenness Cured to Stay Cured By White Ribbon Remedy

White Ribbon Remedy will cure or destroy the diseased appetite for all alcoholic drinks, whether the patient is a confirmed inebriate, a "tippler," social drinker or drunkard. Impossible for any one to have an appetite for alcoholic liquors after using White Ribbon Remedy. It has made many thousands of permanent cures, and in addition restores the victim to normal health, steadying the nerves, increasing the will power and determination to resist temptation.

Indorsed by Members of a Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Mrs. Anna Moore, Press Superintendent of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Los Angeles, Cal., states: "I have tested White Ribbon Remedy on very obstinate drunkards, and the cures have been many. I cheerfully recommend and indorse White Ribbon Remedy, and advise any woman to give it to any relative suffering from drunkenness." Sold by druggists, 50c and \$1.00, and by Weaver's Pharmacy, 504 Main Street, Fort Worth.

Friday and Saturday Specials!

Runkle Bros. Sweet Chocolate 5¢ Finest Elgin Creamery Butter 30¢ 16 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1.00 8 1-3 lbs. clean Rice. 25¢ Self-raising Buckwheat, package 10¢ A 25-lb. Japan Sugar Can free with one can Baking Powder.

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HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by him. WALKING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

M'CUE MUST HANG

RICHMOND, a., Jan. 26.—The supreme court of appeals has denied the supplementary appeal in the case of ex-Mayor McCue of Charlottesville, convicted of wife murder. He is sentenced to be hanged Jan. 20, and was respited by Governor Montague until Feb. 10.

ARMY STANDARD HIGH

Of Fifty-One Applicants This Year, but Eight Are Accepted. Of fifty-one applicants for enlistment in the army since the first of the year in this city only eight have been accepted so far and forty have been rejected. The other three are on probation. This is the highest number of rejections in proportion to the number of applications for enlistment that there have been since the Spanish-American war. The reason ascribed for the rejection was the physical unfitness of the applicants. A high standard is being maintained, a nearly full quota being now in service.

NEW ROCK ISLAND TRAIN

Increased Traffic on Line to Graham Indicates Step. At the general passenger department of the Rock Island it was ascertained today that the new train to be run over the road from Graham via Bridgeport to Fort Worth, mention of which was made in The Telegram Wednesday, will probably be put on Feb. 5. Trainmaster Jones is stringing a time card for this new schedule.

This third train between Bridgeport and Fort Worth over the Rock Island will arrive in this city at 10 o'clock in the morning and depart for Graham at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Increase in business at points on the line from Fort Worth to Graham has induced this additional train service.

TALKS ON NATURE

A. E. Burnett will give a talk on "The Stary Firmament" in the Young People's room of the Carnegie Public Library on Saturday morning, Jan. 28, at 10 o'clock. The young people, their parents and friends are cordially invited to attend.

PROMINENT PIONEER DEAD

DENISON, Texas, Jan. 26.—Fred A. Shulze, a prominent pioneer, died yesterday of paralysis. He was a captain in the federal army during the civil war.

C. C. ADS SAW FILER

WANTS SAWS to file. Leave orders with your butcher shop. Eli Reeves, experienced saw filer, corner Second and Houston streets. Phone 1329-1 ring.

FUEL AND KINDLING

PHONE J. W. ADAMS and let him fill your order for fuel or kindling; prompt delivery. Phone 530.

WANTED—Six ladies or gentlemen of good address to represent old, reliable firm of \$250,000 capital; \$2 to \$2.50 per day guaranteed, with early promotion if worthy. Address with stamp, L. E. Fort Worth, care Telegram.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman of ability to travel and represent old established firm; \$50 per month and expenses, paid weekly. Address with stamp, L. E. Fort Worth, Texas, care Telegram.

FOR SALE—Lunch counter cheap. Small, nice place, suitable for confectionery. Must sell now. Cause, sickness. Apply, Sandel Hat Co., 311 Main street for particulars.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, cord wood, horse and buggy. 1007 South Main street, 2 o'clock, Friday, Jan. 27, C. M. Ferguson.

HANDSOME WIDOW, worth \$65,000, wants immediately able, industrious husband. Address, Actna, Oneonta Bldg., Chicago.

POSITION in a clerical capacity, railroad work preferred, by married man. Address Box 184.

BARGAIN—If sold at once, confectionery business, fifteen years established trade. B. Z., care Telegram.

FOR EXCHANGE—I have a lovely home on Quality Hill; all modern conveniences, for exchange for property close in. Phone 3152 for further information.

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Dr. Crenshaw The Dentist Eighth and Houston Sts., over Blythe's.

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THE FOOLISH FARMER burns his cotton and gazes upon the sparks as they fly. But the wise man burns our wood to keep him warm and dry. Positively we sell wood. Comparatively we sell MORE wood. Superlatively we sell the MOST wood for the money. Give us a trial order.

North Side Fuel Co. Phone 2098—3 Rings

Clearance Sale

We are still giving 25 per cent off on all Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases. Come and convince yourself.

Henry Pollack Trunk Co. 908 MAIN STREET.

ARMORE MAN SHOT

ARDMORE, I. T., Jan. 26.—H. T. Kirby, tax collector for the Chickasaw nation, was shot this morning at Chickasha. His recovery is doubtful. A ball from a 45 caliber weapon entered his side and lodged against his spine. R. E. Hughes, a traveling man, was arrested. He says the shooting was accidental. Kirby lives here. Hughes was released at the examining trial.

PAY YOUR POLL TAX