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Precinct Convention.

Crockett, July 28, 1906.

Convention met in opera house and called to order by J. W. Hail. On motion M. Bromberg, Jr., was elected permanent chairman and J. F. Duren secretary.

Motion carried that the chair appoint a committee of five to select delegates to the county convention.

The chairman appointed the following five members: J. W. Hail, Arch Burton, Bob McConnell, I. W. Murchison and J. G. Matlock.

The committee presented report of delegates chosen as follows: D. A. Nunn, Sr., J. W. Young, C. C. Stokes, C. C. Warfield, M. Bromberg, Jr., J. F. Duren, J. D. Hill, W. W. Davis, J. M. Ford, D. A. Nunn, Jr., J. F. Rains, C. A. Turner, H. Rice, H. O. Hall, W. B. Wall, W. W. Aiken, T. G. Box, A. J. Bennett, H. M. Gary, A. B. Burton, R. McConnell, A. LeGory, I. W.

Murchison, W. V. McConnell, J. G. Matlock, B. E. Hail, S. L. Murchison, John Millar, Gail King, Bud Hale, A. M. Rencher, Ben Satterwhite, John Monk and Porter Newman.

Motion was then made to adopt the report of the committee.

A substitute was offered by Mr. Barbee that the report of the committee be not adopted.

An amendment was then offered by Mr. Joe Adams which was accepted by Mr. Barbee:

That the convention reconsider its action in consolidating the two voting boxes, Crockett No. 1 and Crockett No. 2, in precinct No. 1, and that each precinct hold conventions separate and select delegates, which substitute was lost by a vote of 26 to 20.

The original motion to adopt report of committee was carried.

Upon motion the convention adjourned.
M. BROMBERG, JR.,
Chairman.
J. F. DUREN, Secretary.

Precinct Convention.

Be it remembered that on this the 28th day of July, A. D. 1906, pursuant to a call made by J. F. Duren, chairman, the democracy of voting precinct No. 2, begun and held their precinct convention, and were called to order by J. F. Duren, chairman of said precinct.

On motion, duly seconded, J. F. Duren was elected permanent chairman and Geo. W. Crook, secretary.

It was duly moved and carried that a committee of five be appointed by the chair to select delegates to the county convention which meets in Crockett on Saturday, August the 4th. The chair appointed the committee as follows: J. E. Bynum, W. A. Norris, P. H. Bayne, G. W. Broxson and V. Streeter.

After retiring to select the delegates the committee returned and made report of delegates selected to go to the county convention, as follows: N. B. Barbee, J. W. Wright, Z. Parrish, F. H. Bayne, Joe Adams, A. A. Aldrich, Geo. W. Crook, J. F. Duren, W. H. Kent, V. Streeter, W. A. Norris, J. E. Bynum, J. E. Monk, G. W. Broxson, W. H. Bayne, J. W. Shivers, Tom Waller, Robt. Shivers, Pat Barry, John Valentine, Jeff Sims, Dr. B. F. Brown, John Goolsby, J. S. Cook, C. C. Stokes and Mitchell Satterwhite.

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the committee was adopted and the committee discharged. J. F. Duren was placed in nomination and elected unanimously as chairman for the precinct for the ensuing two years.
Motion was made and carried

that the secretary furnish copies of the proceedings to the local papers.

Nothing further appearing, the convention adjourned.

J. F. DUREN, Chairman.
GEO. W. CROOK, Secretary.

Precinct Convention.

Crockett, Tex., July 28, 1906.

According to call of J. E. Downes, chairman of voting box No. 1, the democracy residing north of the San Antonio road in precinct No. 1 met in convention.

After stating the object of the meeting, J. E. Downes was elected chairman of said precinct for the next two years, W. B. Wall vice chairman and R. H. Wootters secretary.

On motion of B. E. Hail a committee was appointed to select delegates to the county convention. The following were appointed on the committee: J. S. Heard, James Christian, B. E. Hail, W. B. Wall, Joe Rice, T. W. Thompson and Dr. S. T. Beasley, who reported the following names: J. B. Ellis, Peyton Tunstall, B. E. Hail, J. S. Heard, John Sims, Henry Rice, Ellwood Dawson, Johnson Phillips, A. A. Aldrich, Polk Story, Riley Murchison, J. T. Bowman, S. T. Beasley, Z. D. Driskill, J. K. Jones, Tony Gossett, C. L. Edmiston, Jim Collins, G. M. Waller, A. M. Rencher, C. C. Warfield, John I. Moore, B. B. Warfield, G. B. Lundy, W. H. Denny, H. J. Arledge, John LeGory, W. B. Wall, J. E. Downes, R. H. Wootters and John Sheridan, and upon a

vote of the convention the same were duly elected.

On motion the convention adjourned.

J. E. DOWNES,
Chairman.

R. H. WOOTTERS, Secretary.

To the Democracy of Houston County.

In view of the fact that since the holding of the democratic convention in precinct No. 1 on the 28th of July, some dissatisfaction being expressed, I deem it proper to call attention to the following statement of facts:

In accordance with an order and notice of J. W. Hall, chairman of the executive committee, directing conventions to be held in each voting precinct in Houston county on July 28th, to elect delegates to the county convention, there was issued by J. E. Downes, chairman precinct No. 1, and published in the papers a notice as follows:

"Notice to Democrats:

Democrats of beats Nos. 1 and 2, in precinct No. 1, who vote at Crockett are requested to meet at the court house July 28th, at 10 a. m., to select delegates to the county convention.

(Signed) J. E. DOWNES,
Chairman Precinct No. 1.

In accordance with this notice, the democrats of precinct No. 1 met in the court house. It being there stated, and attention called to the fact that the Terrell election law forbids conventions being held within 100 feet of the voting place, by common and unanimous consent the convention adjourned to the opera house. A very respectable convention was formed, estimated to be 100 people, composed of citizens of both voting beats of this precinct, and proceedings were had as shown by report published in this paper of this date, signed by myself as chairman and J. F. Duren as secretary. M. BROMBERG, JR.,
Chairman of Precinct No. 1.

ELECTION RETURNS Incomplete

	Crockett No. 1	Crockett No. 2	Kennard City	Kennard Mills	Graveland	Lovelady	Augusta	Antioch	Warren	Weches	Colthorp	Daniel	Creek	Pleasant Grove	Weldon	Percilla	Jones' School House	Daly	Dodson	Porter Springs	Shiloh	Tadnor	Boggs	Druso	Holly	Freeman	Sunflower
Governor																											
T. M. Campbell	97	131	40	98	251	53	12	0	20	30	30		42	20								18				6	
C. K. Bell	31	29	3	29	8	50	20	7		0	0		2														
O. B. Colquitt	54	51	16	16	19	50	79	1		13	19		13	35								11		25			
M. M. Brooks	32	30	28	10	14	15	13	0	30				14											3			
District Attorney																											
Porter Newman	218	185	57	143	168	128	114	7		34	41	49	55		76				30	21		8		7		6	
Tom J. Harris	31	40	33	21	126	36	22	1		12	28	13	18		14				6	33		24		18			
Representative																											
I. A. Daniel	106	120	89	117	174	102	94	1	57	36	50	52	56		53				33	35		26		17		4	
Dr. J. B. Smith	117	127	2	64	119	68	43	7	6	11	21	11	17		18				3	18		6		9		2	
County Treasurer																											
D. J. Cater	167	204	58	87	221	149	102	8	31	26	49	52	56		54							16		12		5	
J. J. Cooper		46	39	91	73	25	35	0	32	23	22	11	25		16							16		17		1	
District Clerk																											
Nat Patton	63	67	43	126	176	61	77	8	22	23	27	29	20		29							21		13		6	
Joe B. Stanton	162	186	45	45	123	119	62	0	42	25	45	38	56		43							11		15			
Tax Assessor																											
J. H. Ellis																											
County Surveyor																											
Jesse Duren																											
County Judge																											
J. W. Madden	80	89	42	42	143	51	82	55	0	37	9	25	19	34	30	41	7	3	14	17		10	12	4		2	
John Spence	100	131	26	37	138	108	43	41	8	9	12	28	22	13	31	27	22	24	8	18		10	15	21		4	
E. Winfree	34	31	23	104	23	13	4	13	0	20	28	19	22	29		3	12		14	20		13	5	2			
County Clerk																											
N. E. Allbright	114	141	36	69	102	80	47	36	5	51	6	39	40	28		33						15		16		5	
J. J. Collier	20	15	40	67	60	26	61	54	0	11	28	15	2	11		8						9		4			
C. G. Lansford	92	97	15	46	186	65	29	30	3	4	15	18	21	36		41						8		6		1	
Tax Collector																											
John Brightman	79	104	34	59	46	37	18	9	0	18	10	22	12	8		8					21		14	2	1	5	
Oscar Goodwin	66	57	14	51	34	80	25	43	0	19	12	10	12	19		8					3		1	19			
Gus Goolsbee	82	91	43	70	221	53	96	58	8	29	27	33	39	48		66					36		17	7	9	1	
County Attorney																											
Earl Adams Jr.	183	171	76	135	226	143	87	49	8	44	31	39	45	57		40					33		17	23		4	
Marvin Ellis	46	55	2	29	57	26	49	36	0	9	9	16	13	11		23					9		10	4			
J. A. Ragland	45	27	13	17	20	3	2	24	0	10	9	15	3	8		9					10		5			2	
Sheriff																											
J. C. Lacy	129	187	48	114	79	57	31	58	0	24	22	29	35	48	40	14	12		25	44		17	12	1		2	
C. E. Lively		3	5	25	102	6	78	19	0	16	1	4	5	1		28	3		1			0	2	5			
A. W. Phillips	81	113	38	44	115	109	49	31	8	26	26	38	28	26	20	30	26		3	10		16	18	22		4	



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Augusta Letter.
Augusta, July 29, 1906.

EDITOR COURIER:
Doubtless there never was a more quiet and orderly election held in Augusta than that which occurred here last Saturday. There was a total of 139 votes polled, many thinking it would have reached the 200 mark.

At the noon hour the former precinct chairman, Wm. Wall, announced to the assemblage the necessity of electing a permanent chairman for the incoming two years, and by a unanimous vote Mr. Jim McLean was chosen chairman, who, with a most obsequious bow and uplifted hat, acknowledged his acceptance in a most pleasant and pleasing address. W. D. Small was elected secretary of the same. The first business on hand was the appointment by the chairman of a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Charley Kennedy, J. H. Long and J. L. Beard, to select six delegates to the county convention which convenes at Crockett Saturday, August 4, 1906. The delegates appointed consisted of the following gentlemen:

J. S. Newman, W. M. Kirkpatrick, Jim Lucas, C. W. Kennedy, C. H. Long, W. W. Gandy and J. M. Sheridan. In casting their votes they were instructed to be governed by the results of the precinct election. As you doubtless will receive full returns of all precincts in time for the paper in tabulated form, we will not send in the vote from Augusta.

We hear of the ravages of the boll weevil in several places, yet it is our candid belief a heavy yield of the "fleecy staple" will be the reward of the more contented class of farmers who accept the consequences and results of their labors without a murmur.

The midsummer fruit season is at its height. Preserving, drying and canning is now all the go. Harvesting of peas, corn and peanuts will begin the last of August, earlier than usual, and a good deal of cotton will be open from the way it is now bolting out.

The Rev. Mr. Rial, of the Christian church, a learned and distinguished expounder of the living gospel, will preach to-night at the accustomed place of worship, and as usual will have a large attendance who are always pleased at his coming.

The COURIER, with its official returns of the election, will be eagerly looked for, and we shall abide the time as patiently as possible. While many of the candidates have had a really rough voyage prior to their election, no doubt by the time

the COURIER is out they will realize what a relief it will be to step into the old canoe and quietly paddle along down the placid stream of Salt Creek until it empties into the gulf of forgetfulness for two more long weary years at least.

Health of this immediate vicinity is remarkably good. The refreshing showers of late have revived vegetation considerably. The variegated roses in all their delicate hues are budding out anew and the cape jessamine opens its delicate petals and pregnates the atmosphere with its delicate odor, while the evening songsters vie with each other with their sweet carols. Ever thine,
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DISTRICT COURT.

Cases Docketed for the Special Term to be Held this Month.

CIVIL SUITS.

The following suits appear on the civil docket of the district court for the August special term: J. T. Etheridge vs Ed Carroll et al, suit to foreclose vendor's lien.

State of Texas vs H. W. Moore, et al, suit on bond forfeiture.

Chas. Stokes vs J. M. Spellers et al, suit to remove cloud from title.

C. C. Stokes vs Wm. Reid, suit to remove cloud from title.

E. B. Stokes vs unknown heirs of A. W. Beckham, deceased, et al, suit to remove cloud from title.

A. H. and R. H. Wootters, administrators estate of J. C. Wootters, vs Bat Denby et al, suit on promissory notes.

Kate Mooers vs T. J. Rowtain, to try title as well as for damages.

Mrs. A. C. Craddock et al vs unknown heirs of Levy W. White, suit to remove cloud from title.

Mrs. A. C. Craddock et al vs unknown heirs of Ehjah Wheeler et al, suit to remove cloud from title.

J. W. Jones vs Wm. Reid, Jr., et al, suit to remove cloud from title.

G. E. Darsey vs Wm. Reid, Jr., et al, suit to remove cloud from title.

J. W. Hail vs J. S. Brown Hardware Co., injunction and for damages.

State of Texas vs Henry Marlin et al, suit on bond forfeiture.

E. D. Moore vs T. D. Craddock, suit for damages.

W. H. Spinks vs A. L. Moore, suit on promissory notes.

Ella N. Mainer vs Smith Hallmark.

Robinson Bros. vs G. T. Brimberry, suit on promissory notes.

J. E. Hassank et al vs A. L. Keene, suit to rescind transfer.

Southern Pine Lumber Co. vs La. and Tex. Lumber Co., suit for damages.

J. R. McIver vs Fannie Sheffers et al, suit on promissory note.

A. H. Wootters et al vs Will Langham, sequestration suit.

J. W. Shelton vs J. G. Haring, to try title as well as for damages.

Bertrand Beer vs T. G. Box et al, to try title as well as for damages.

Mrs. Georgia Morrow et al vs Mrs. Lizzie Frazier, to try title as well as for damages.

P. Newman, county judge, vs the following defendants, in suits on convict bonds:

Martin Reese et al.

C. C. Mortimer et al.

S. H. Tullis et al.

Albert King et al.

Mitchell Jones et al.

J. W. Williams et al.

N. J. Bowdoin et al.

John Barnes et al.

Lacy English et al.

M. Bromberg et al.

J. F. Leathers vs Mitchell Jones, to foreclose vendor's lien.

J. W. Hail vs unknown heirs of Durastus Carr et al, suit to remove cloud from title.

Johanna Jlenes et al vs Eastern Texas R. R. Co., suit for damages.

R. B. Rich et al vs Western Union Telegraph Co., suit for damages.

J. V. Collins vs J. H. Nelson et al, to try title as well as for damages.

W. J. Meyers vs Eastern Texas R. R. Co., suit for damages.

La. and Tex. Lumber Co. vs A. L. Moore et al, injunction.

J. W. Hail et al vs unknown heirs of Geo. Lester et al, to remove cloud from title.

Chas. J. Birmingham et al vs John Douglas et al, to try title as well as for damages.

W. E. Hudman vs heirs of J. C. Jack et al, to try title as well as for damages.

J. G. Williams vs D. J. Jones, breach of contract and for damages.

Exparte Joe Price, for citizenship.

M. C. Dupuy vs La. and Texas Lumber Co., to try title and injunction.

CRIMINAL CASES.

The following criminal cases are docketed for trial at the August special term:

J. B. Satterwhite, murder.

Etta Berryman, murder.

J. I. Coon, arson.

Will Berryman, murder.

John N. Reeves, theft of hog.

Robert Burrell, burglary.

Phil White, Jr., theft of hog and receiving and concealing stolen property.

John Horton, murder.

John Crenshaw, assault with intent to rape.

Phil White, Jr., theft of hog.

Wright Whitley, theft of cattle, two cases.

Will Brown, assault to murder.

John High, theft of hog.

John High, theft of filed paper.

Charley Owens, assault to murder.

M. K. Kinsey, bigamy.

Jim Johnson, perjury.

DIVORCE SUITS.

The following suits for divorce appear on the docket for the special term of the court:

F. D. Luce vs Emma Luce.

F. J. Patton vs Abigail Patton.

J. A. Dykes vs Ruth Dykes.

Johannie Bell vs Amanda Bell.

Ida Harper vs Jim Harper.

Chanie A. H. Tate vs Geo. Tate.

Mobellie Rosas vs Jesse Rosas.

Belle Cross vs W. F. Cross.

Delta Hickman vs Richard Hickman.

Wm. Barclay vs Laura Barclay.

Buck Kinman vs Hattie Kinman.

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BELL IS CREEPING UP.

He Is Only 300 Votes Behind Colquitt. Brooks Is in Second Place.

Galveston, Tex., July 21.—The returns that the News prints this morning, added to those heretofore published, with due revision, account for a total vote of 227,397, which, in all probability, is more than two-thirds of the whole vote cast. From thirty-six counties these returns are complete, while from a large number of counties there is lacking only the returns in some instances of one or two boxes to make them complete. The counties from which the returns are complete are, as a rule, the smaller ones.

Of this total vote of 227,397 the several candidates for governor give the following: Bell, 49,934; Brooks, 55,954; Campbell, 71,193; Colquitt, 50,176.

It will be seen that Mr. Campbell's vote is slightly more than 51 per cent of the whole, that of Judge Bell a little less than 22 per cent, that of Judge Brooks slightly less than 25 per cent, while Mr. Colquitt's vote is a little more than 22 per cent of the whole.

The returns which the News printed yesterday showed that Mr. Campbell had received a little more than 30 per cent of the total vote accounted for at that time, so that the returns received yesterday indicate a slight gain. It will be also observed that whereas Mr. Colquitt was only about 3,000 votes behind Judge Brooks in the returns printed yesterday, he is, by this morning's returns more than 5,000 votes behind him. Judge Bell advanced in the returns received yesterday, and he is now within about 300 votes of Mr. Colquitt. Of course it will be remarked that the contest is wonderfully close, only 6,000 votes separating the last three candidates.

Other returns show: Lieutenant Governor—Davidson 87,544, Hill 83,585. Railroad Commissioners—Storey 85,551, Williams 82,908. Judge Court Criminal Appeals—Henderson 93,981, John 67,402. Judge Court Civil Appeals—Carter 14,763, Stephens 15,144.

The later returns continue to show a large lead for Terrell for Land Commissioner and for Sparks for State Treasurer, and Judge Henderson's lead for the Court of Criminal Appeals is increased. The vote of Davidson and Hill for lieutenant governor remains very close, Davidson leading by a little less than 4,000 in the returns to the News.

Additional returns also will be necessary to determine who has won the railroad commissionership, as only 2,600 votes separate the candidates, the difference being in favor of Judge Storey.

Stephens, for Judge of the Court of Civil Appeals, Second District, has less than 400 votes over his opponent, Mr. Carter.

PER CAPITA APPORTIONMENT.

For School Children Will Probably Be Below \$5.

Austin, Tex.: Governor Lanham is expected to return from Weatherford today or early tomorrow morning on account of the important meeting of the state board of education which the law fixes for August 1. At this meeting the board will make the annual apportionment of the school fund, which, in round figures, will be about \$4,250,000 to distribute among about 900,000 children within the new scholastic age, 7 to 17 years of age. Thus it will be seen that the per capita apportionment will be about \$4.75, against \$5.25 this year, but there were only 798,675 children of scholastic age and the total revenue was \$4,193,043. The new allowance can not exceed \$5 and probably will be near \$4.75.

Yeager to Conduct Services.

Beaumont, Tex.: Adjutant Yeager, one of the most prominent Salvation Army officers, and well known in Beaumont, is a visitor in the city, and will conduct services at the Salvation Army Hall. Adjutant Yeager was the first Salvation Army officer located in Beaumont, and built the present building on Wall street.

Judge Rains Dying.

Austin, Tex.: Judge C. W. Rains, state historian and librarian, and author of several historical volumes relating to Texas, is dying at his home in this city of tuberculosis of the throat.

Stabbed by Negro.

Humble, Tex.: Rubin Wade, colored, was seriously stabbed here last evening by Essie Hicks, a negro of fighting renown. Dr. Sandlin, who attended the negro, says he will recover.

HIS ONE WEAK SPOT.

Prominent Minnesota Merchant Cured to Stay Cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.

O. C. Hayden, of O. C. Hayden & Co., dry goods merchants, of Albert Lea, Minn., says: "I was so lame that I could hardly walk. There was an unaccountable weakness of the back, and constant pain and aching. I could find no rest and was very uncomfortable at night. As my health was good in every other way, I could not understand this trouble. It was just as if all the strength had gone from my back. After suffering for some time I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The remedy acted at once upon the kidneys, and when normal action was restored, the trouble with my back disappeared. I have not had any return of it."



For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

THE CAMERA FIEND.

Man Was Not Satisfied with Ordinary Amusement Like Taking Pictures.

A well-known criminal lawyer one day sauntered into a police court just as a case was called. It appeared that the defendant had no attorney, and the judge glanced about the room to see whom he might assign to the case.

"I'll take it, judge," the late comer said, wishing to pass away the time. "By the way, what is the man charged with?" the attorney presently asked.

"He's a camera fiend of the worst sort, Mr. Brown," the judge said with a slight smile. "I expect to send him to the workhouse for about three months."

"What!" the lawyer shouted, indignantly. "Your honor must be joking. Send a man to the rock pile for three months for a little harmless amusement like taking pictures?"

"Well," the judge said, mildly, "he don't take pictures much—it's the cameras he takes."

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An anticipated calamity that actually came?

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A bad man who was really as bad as he was reputed?

An actor that wasn't thoroughly delighted with himself?

An absconding cashier who wasn't "a trusted employee?"

A man who went wrong who wasn't "a highly-respected citizen?"

A woman criminal who was not "beautiful and apparently refined?"

A horse that could trot as fast as the man who sold him to you said he could?

Anybody who achieved sinlessness before starting a fusillade of stones at others?

A successful man who used up nine-tenths of his time telling what he was going to do next?

A prize fighter that went through the throes of the championship without becoming demoralized?

It Does It.

The remedy that cured your mother and your father of chills twenty years ago is sure good enough to cure you and your kids at the present time. Cheatham's Chill Tonic did it and will still do it. It's guaranteed.

International Cyclopedia.

The medical faculty of the Paris university plans an international technological encyclopaedia. It is to be issued in ten languages, including "Esperanto," the world language.

Ireland Loses Population.

The number of marriages registered in Ireland in 1904 was 22,961. The excess of births over deaths was 24,298, but this was more than offset by the emigration of 36,902 persons.

Visits European Military Schools.

Col. Charles P. Echols, of West Point, who has been on the continent visiting military schools, is now in England on the same mission.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures whooping cough, croup, colic, and all the little ailments.

Boys will be boys, especially the gay old ones who have passed 60.

LIKE EDGE OF THE WORLD

Unalaska, in the Alaskan Islands, a Desolate Spot—Where White Men May Not Land.

Unalaska resembles other northern stations, having warehouses, docks, the inevitable Greek church and a score of wooden cabins. Whalers leave here for the Arctic regions.

Dutch Harbor is a station for our revenue fleet. There is much coming and going of ships of all nations; there are quite a formidable fleet, and only two ships out of twelve carry colors of the same country.

Just before entering the harbor one notices a detached rock high against the side of the cliff. It bears a striking resemblance to a Russian priest in full robes. Touched by the sunset light, he seemed to stand blessing the harbor.

Sailing north out into Behring sea; one looks back at the desolate, silent, treeless islands, which seem to wall the edge of the world. Hundreds of miles west they run toward Vladivostok.

Two hundred and forty miles north of Unalaska are the Pribilof Islands; not large, but the greatest seal islands in the world. There are many fur seals around the shores of Behring sea and the Aleutian islands, but the great mass of them are bred on the Pribilof group. No white man is permitted to land on these breeding grounds without a permit, signed by the secretary of the treasury of the United States—Outdoor Life.

Garden City, Texas, Jan. 28, 1906. J. L. Ward Medicine Co., Big Springs, Texas.

Gentlemen—Two boxes of your Kidney Pills have cured me of kidney and bladder trouble.

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Scotch Welcome Automobilists.

Motor car reliability trials were held in Scotland recently, and the drivers were astounded at their reception along the route. In every town and village the women and children lined the roadside and shouted enthusiastic welcomes. Sprays of lilac and other flowers were thrown into the cars as they passed, and invitations to stop were given.

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"There is one remedy, and only one I have ever found, to cure without fail such troubles in my family as Eczema, Ringworm, and all others of an itching character. That remedy is Hunt's Cure. We always use it and it never fails."

W. M. Christian, Rutherford, Tenn.

"Cruising for Salvage."

One man in New York says he makes a good living by what he calls cruising for salvage. He goes about in an automobile and follows novices trying to operate recently purchased machines. If the machines break down or stop he comes up in time to offer his services as a tug or to offer about half the value of the machine if the owner is so disgusted that he wishes to sell.

Aged English Clergyman.

Rev. John Aldis, once the most prominent minister of the Baptist denomination in England, has reached the age of 98. He began life in a shoemaker's shop. Afterward he was sent to Horton college, near Bradford, now known as Rawdon college. Later he became pastor of Maze Pond chapel, London, and in 1866 he was elected chairman of the Baptist Union.

Railway Tariff Simplified.

Germany has just revised its railway tariff, which involves a multiplication of tickets. It is calculated that a traveler with a small family going from Mulhouse to Bale will find himself furnished with 60 tickets, in addition to which are those for baggage.

Destroys Odor of Gases.

M. Deletrain, of Geneva, has combined certain materials, put together in the form of a small solid cone, which, when dissolved in petrol of benzine, destroy the odors of burned gases, and leave an agreeable perfume behind.

FOUR YEARS OF AGONY.

Whole Foot Nothing But Proud Flesh—Had to Use Crutches—"Cuticura Remedies the Best on Earth."

"In the year 1899 the side of my right foot was cut off from the little toe down to the heel, and the physician who had charge of me was trying to sew up the side of my foot, but with no success. At last my whole foot and way up above my calf was nothing but proud flesh. I suffered untold agonies for four years, and tried different physicians and all kinds of ointments. I could walk only with crutches. In two weeks afterwards I saw a change in my limb. Then I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment often during the day, and kept it up for seven months, when my limb was healed up just the same as if I never had trouble. It is eight months now since I stopped using Cuticura Remedies, the best on God's earth. I am working at the present day after five years of suffering. The cost of Cuticura Ointment and Soap was only \$6, but the doctors' bills were more like \$600. John M. Lloyd, 718 S. Arch Ave., Alliance, Ohio, June 27, 1905."

CONFESSIONS OF DODD GASTON.

I have noticed that about the only place "silver threads among the gold" are really popular is in a song.

I feel reasonably sure of one thing: When I die nobody is going to claim that it was the result of overwork.

I do not much mind playing against a visiting man, but I do hate to be booked in competition with a baby.

Nothing would so completely reconcile me to death as the appearance, at my bedside, of some of my relatives.

I would really like to be fatter, but realize that I cannot afford it. Being fatter would mean a new dress suit.

I find that every young girl has a wild desire to wear her hair "up" and every old girl has the same desire to appear with "down."

I have noticed that the only time the banana does much business is at a season of the year when it has no competition.

I find that one of the hardest duties of the dramatic critic is to reconcile the average society play with the average stage furniture.

About all the ambition I have left is to grow rich enough to have a hack waiting for me while I lounge around inside smoking and "gassing."—Topeka Capital.

Iodine a Cure for Snake Bite.

For a sure cure for snake bite, take about seven drops of iodine, scarify and bathe the wound also with iodine. This remedy was first used by a medical officer in British service in India. It has cured both man and a number of animals; it never fails; it is really wonderful in its effects.

One instance I will relate. A young man working for me in the harvest field was bitten by a very large rattlesnake on one of his large toes. I gave him about seven drops of tincture of iodine on a little sugar, and to make doubly sure repeated the dose an hour later. His foot swelled, but next morning he was all right. I have had animals whose bodies have swelled considerably, but all have recovered from the bite.—Topeka Capital.



ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE
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Sunday Rest in Italy.

The question of Sunday rest is being agitated to a large extent in Italy, and a commission was named some time ago which recommended that as far as possible an uninterrupted rest of from 32 to 36 hours should be insured to all the working classes, and that in case of public services, the men who worked on Sundays should have one day off in the week by turns, domestic servants being entitled to a half holiday a week. The law does not apply to fishermen.

They Should.

"My honest conviction, based upon my own experience and that of my friends, is that 'Hunt's Cure' will cure a larger per cent. of skin troubles, especially of an itching variety, than any other remedy. Certainly those afflicted with any form of itch should try it."

J. O. Monroe, Atchison, Kas.

Rapid Increase in Population.

In eight years the population of Osaka, Japan, has increased from 811,800 to over 1,026,000. The number of factories has increased by 591.

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ALL OVER TEXAS.

Nelson Barron was instantly killed and G. Hargon painfully bruised as the result of falling from a tram at the lower Latcher & Moore mill at Orant.

A permit to do business has been granted to the New Process Roofing and Supply Company of East St. Louis, capital stock \$100,000. The Texas office is to be located in Dallas.

Office of Assistant Attorney General Pollard has held that a young man born July 29, 1885, is entitled to vote on July 29, 1906. He does not have to have poll tax receipt.

The ex-Confederates reunion will be held at Brownwood August 7, 8 and 9. The place selected for the reunion is the Gun Club Park, which is close to town and a pretty place for camping.

Miss Louise Lizzie Kane, a young lady about 18 years old, took fifteen grains of corrosive sublimate and died after several hours intense suffering.

Some months ago, in order to properly arrange the independent school district, the corporation of Roysse City was voted off. Saturday the town was reincorporated.

Senator Charles A. Culberson has accepted an invitation to deliver an address to the ex-Confederates on August 8, the first day of the reunion at McKinney.

The First National Bank of Dickens, Texas, has been authorized to do business, with a capital of \$25,000. R. D. Shields, president; W. A. Wilkinson, vice-president and cashier.

Charles H. Filson, Territorial Secretary of Oklahoma, issued a charter to the Kansas City, Lawton and Pacific Railway Company to build a road from Kansas City, Mo., to the Pacific Coast, at or near San Diego, Cal.

It is stated at the bureau of animal industry that within the next sixty days the fight against the Texas fever tick under the appropriation by the recent agricultural appropriation bill, will be in full swing.

The 20-months-old child of W. C. Davis, a farmer, four miles from Waco, fell into a tub of scalding water and died in a few hours. Arrangements were being made to scrub the floors when the child fell into the tub.

Judge Hough in the United States District Court of New York presented two indictments against three corporations as a result of its investigations into rebating in connection with the American Sugar Refining Company.

Among the 182 bills of indictment returned by the Grand Jury of Smith County were twenty-six that charged keepers of cold drink stands and pool rooms with allowing minors to enter and hang around their places and engage in games. The penalty is a fine of not less than \$20, nor more than \$10.

The cornerstone for the new Masonic Temple at Cisco was laid Thursday by D. D. Grand Master R. A. St. John. The following subordinate lodges assisted in the work: Cisco, Eastland, Ranger, Gorman, Carbon, Rising Star, Nimrod, Gunsight, Moran and Abilene.

Rev. Horace Bishop officiated in Ennis Wednesday evening at the marriage of F. J. Smith and Mrs. Elizabeth Hines, both said to be 85 years old. One blow starts the trouble—and occasionally ends it.

The Texas and Pacific railway has begun the erection of a new brick depot at Mesquite. It is to be 30x120 feet in size, provided with separate and roomy waiting rooms and will be a handsome structure.

Many a man's financial goose has been cooked in a jack pot.

The Palestine Gun Club has completed final arrangements for their third annual shoot, which will be held August 3rd and 4th, and which promises to be a great event.

Senator Charles A. Culberson has notified the committee in charge of the ex-Confederate and old settlers' reunion, to be held at Paris August 2 and 3, that he will accept the invitation to address the crowd on the latter date.

CAMPBELL IS AHEAD FOR GOVERNOR

He Has About One-Third of the Total Vote, as Indicated by Returns Up to Monday.

Galveston, Tex., July 30.—The News this morning prints returns which account for 160,363 votes cast for governor. This number is divided as follows:

Bell	34,267
Brooks	39,951
Campbell	50,081
Colquitt	36,084

This makes Mr. Campbell the leader, he having a plurality of the vote. His majority over Judge Brooks, who is the second man, is 10,150. Judge Brooks' lead over Mr. Colquitt, however, is only 3,227.

What proportion of the whole vote the returns of the News is, it is impossible to say, but undoubtedly it is considerably more than one-half. Therefore, while there can be no doubt that Mr. Campbell will have a plurality of the vote, the returns which The News presents this morning do not indicate with any degree of certainty who will be second in the race.

Mr. Campbell's vote, as shown by the News' returns, is about one-third of the whole, that of Judge Brooks is about 25 per cent, while that of Mr. Colquitt is lightly less.

The vote for the other candidates is shown in the following table:

Lieutenant Governor—	
Davidson	46,367
Hill	45,665

WRECK NARROWLY AVERTED.

Men on a Handcar Ahead of Excursion Train Find Obstructions.

Bay City, Tex.: The excursion train to Palacios Thursday night escaped wrecking by mere accident. Some maintenance men had placed obstructions on the track near Palacios, and Dr. Elliott, with a party on a handcar, making a hurried call before the arrival of the excursion train, ran into the obstruction and were violently thrown to the ground. None was seriously injured. They removed the obstructions just in time for the train with its hundreds of excursionists to pass safely.

Officers have a clew and are out now investigating.

TROOPS ARRIVED AT LAREDO.

Same as Those Over Which Sensational Reports Were Printed.

Laredo, Tex.: The two companies of colored troops, Twenty-Fifth Infantry, which were assigned to Fort McIntosh several weeks ago to replace the troops, but were transferred from that post to go to the Philippines, arrived yesterday and have gone into quarters. These are the same troops which sensational specials sent out a few days ago were reported to be rushing to the Rio Grande to put down the Mexican revolution.

Chappell Hill, Tex.: Cotton is beginning to move at a lively rate, but the continued rains are cutting the crop short. Some farmers think the crop is 30 per cent behind what it was at this time last year.

NO PLACE FOR MERE MAN

Traveled Far to Visit International Women's Congress, But Was Expelled.

The international women's congress, sitting in Paris, recently, witnessed a ludicrous scene. The ladies were in solemn conclave when suddenly there appeared a pair of trousers on the scene. For a moment the ladies were too perturbed to identify the specter, but after a moment of benumbing silence the president rallied, and in an icy tone identified it as "a man."

Then the apparition relieved the tension by explaining that it was the mortal presence of M. Legendre of Sens, an ardent feminist. "I stood," he said, "as feminist candidate at the last elections, and I have to-day taken 11 trains to appear among you. I am happy to enjoy this opportunity of supporting your cause."

Alas for enthusiasm when it is of the male persuasion and relates to matters feminine! The president rose, and, according to the London Globe,

South Africa claims for the Transvaal "the leading position among the gold-producing countries of the world," that colony having in 1905 produced \$104,019,370 of the \$375,180,370 of gold output of the world that year. The world's gold production in 1905 was the largest on record, exceeding that of 29 years ago by 400 per cent. The United States produced last year \$85,340,000 of

Treasurer—	
Garrison	36,241
Phillips	12,159
Sparks	47,988
Land Commissioner—	
Gilbert	30,155
Terrell	46,672
Railroad Commissioner—	
Storey	32,271
Williams	40,750
Judge Court Criminal Appeals—	
Stephens	8,634
Carter	7,505

The congressional returns are not by any means complete. Such as they are they show the following:

Second District—	
Broocks	4,363
Fourth District—	
Barrett	8,894
Randell	9,509
Sixth District—	
Hardy	3,589
Hendersoa	3,988
Mays	3,268
Twelfth District—	
Gillespie	5,353
Powell	1,679
Swayne	1,639
Sixteenth District—	
Cunningham	5,427
Smith	5,778

The later returns confirm the nomination of Congressmen Burgess and Gregg.

FIREMAN KILLED.

Wreck on Frisco Occurred at Paris—Engine Thrown From Track.

Paris, Tex.: A wreck on the Frisco near Kosma, fifty-three miles north of Paris, occurred at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The engine pulling the south bound Flyer, due here at 3:30 o'clock, being thrown from the track. Engineer Harlan was seriously injured, and the fireman, Skelton, was killed by being crushed under the engine. Details are not obtainable. Conductor Howard reports that no passengers were hurt, but did not state whether the coaches left the track.

Wet at the Camp.

Austin, Tex.: A heavy rain fell here yesterday morning, which was a God-sent to the soldiers in camp and to the dust-pestered people of Austin. The dust nuisance in the white limestone formation in this city was something awful and the hard rain was most welcome. It wet things at Camp Mabry, but sunshine will dry out the belongings of the troops.

Caldwell, Tex.: Shortly after midnight this section was visited by a heavy rain and a great display of lightning and heavy thunder. The ground is very wet and unless dry weather prevails cotton will be injured by shedding.

West Point, Tex.: Mr. John Richards marketed the first bale of the 1906 crop here. The bale weighed 560 pounds, middling cotton, and brought 10 cents and a premium of a barrel of flour.

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Rio De Janeiro—Secretary Root has arrived here from Bahia. He was welcomed by a representative of Gen. Rio Branco, the Brazilian foreign minister, and by the civil and military authorities. He was heartily cheered by the assembled crowds.

Secretary Root was taken ashore in a royal barge formerly owned by the king of Portugal. Sixty black oarsmen manned the 30 oars. It carried the American colors.

As the barge was pulled ashore the German, Argentine and Brazilian cruisers in port saluted.

Baron Dorio Branca, the Brazilian foreign minister, received Secretary Root at the landing, where they were speeches.

The military display was profuse and brilliant. One hundred thousand people saw the procession as it passed through the streets, and received it with great cheering.

The streets were decorated with flags and natural flowers.

An Address of Welcome.

Secretary Root was welcomed in a brief address by Gen. Rio Branco, who spoke of the advantages of a Pan-American alliance. An enormous procession composed in part of cavalry, carriages, police and lancers escorted Secretary Root through the streets to the historical Abrantes palace. The palace has been given over to the occupancy of Mr. Root and his party, through the courtesy of the Silva family. Here the Americans were greeted by throngs of students and citizens, who enthusiastically applauded speeches by Secretary Root, Ambassador Nabuco and American Ambassador Griscom. The latter, who spoke in Portuguese, made a bit with his auditors. Secretary Root and Ambassador Griscom visited President Alves at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Banquet and Reception.

Secretary Root was given a banquet during the evening by 30 of the most prominent men of all parties, and literature. After the dinner Mr. Root attended a reception at the president's palace, which was a brilliant affair. The palace and gardens were decorated with royal splendor. There were the most friendly manifestations toward the United States on all sides.

MOB BALKED BY A SHERIFF

Boarded a Steamer With the Prisoner, the Gallows and also the Coffin.

Crisfield, Md.—William Lee, the colored youth who was sentenced to death in Baltimore three weeks ago for assaulting two women in Somerset county, and who had been threatened with lynching, was hanged by Sheriff Brown on Smith's island, in the presence of his deputies and a few witnesses. The hanging was orderly.

The mob that had threatened to burn Lee at the stake was completely outwitted by the sheriff.

To carry out this purpose Sheriff Brown went to Baltimore and placed his prisoner aboard a steamer of the Maryland oyster navy, and immediately sailed down the bay. He took with him a gallows which had been borrowed from Baltimore county and also a coffin, and was prepared to hang Lee on the deck of the vessel after reaching the waters of Somerset county, should there be any signs of a mob on shore.

Eleven Lost in Deep Water.

Spokane, Wash.—The engine, express car and smoking car of the Great Northern's fast train, west-bound, are submerged in the deep waters of Diamond lake, about 20 miles from Spokane. Nine men who went down in the smoking car and the engine crew were drowned. As the train came through the portal of a tunnel the rails spread and the engine plunged down a 60-foot embankment into the lake, followed by the express car and the smoker.

Was a Nephew of Bismarck.

St. Louis—Former Lieut.-Gov. Henry C. Brokmeyer, aged 80, died at St. Luke's hospital. He had been ill for some time, and had recently undergone an operation. His family were at his bedside. He was born in Prussia, in 1826, but spent most of his life in Missouri. He served as lieutenant governor, and at one time was acting governor. He was a nephew of Bismarck, the "Iron Chancellor" of Germany.

WASHINGTON NEWS

Capital of Alaska—The capital of Alaska was changed from Sitka to Juneau when Gov. Hoggatt rented rooms at the court buildings at Juneau for an office. The attorney general decided that this action effected the change.

Power From Niagara—At the war department it is announced that Secretary Taft had granted permits to three companies to withdraw from the Niagara river water for power.

Crop Reporting—The scope of the work of the bureau of statistics under the department of agriculture has been extended to include alfalfa, hemp, broomcorn, kaffir corn, sorghum, bluegrass, millet, sugar beets, Canadian peas, cow peas, beans, cabbages, onions, tomatoes, apples, lemons, blackberries, raspberries, strawberries, cantaloupes, watermelons and peanuts.

Demand for Dimes—An extraordinary demand for 10-cent pieces has developed within the past week or two, so that United States Treasurer Treat says that he is unable to meet it, and that the mints would have to be set to work.

Deaf and Dumb—A special report on the blind and deaf just issued by the bureau of census, shows that there were in the United States, in 1904, 64,763 blind persons. Of these, 57.2 per cent were males.

Mob Thought It Was a Funeral—Mayfield, Ky.—Allen Matthis, a young negro, was arrested and jailed on the charge of attacking a young girl. A mob gathered to lynch him. The sheriff, having a coffin in the jail for a white man who had just died, placed the negro therein, removed the "remains" to the Paducah jail for safe keeping.

The Marshall Field Tax Levy.

Chicago—The estate of Marshall Field will be called upon to pay \$2,800,000 taxes. The court of review has fixed the valuation of the personal property of the estate at \$130,000,000. The real estate is worth about \$50,000,000. The court has gone back seven years and levied taxes, alleging that the tax had been dodged.

A Diver Loses His Life.

St. Louis—W. H. Pickard, diver, lost his life beneath the waters of the Mississippi. He was in his diver's suit, when the life-line broke. The body sank so deep in the sand that eight strong men were required to pull it out. He was 25 feet from the surface.

Decided Against Dowie.

Chicago—Judge Landis, in the federal court, decided that Dowie does not own Zion City. He refused to appoint a receiver, but decided that the citizens of Zion City should elect a new leader, under the state election laws. Dowie will be cared for in the shape of an allowance.

More Troops for Border Posts.

Fort Worth, Tex.—Twenty-one cars loaded with federal troops passed through here en route to Mexican border posts. It is believed the government is strengthening the posts in anticipation of the threatened uprising in the sister republic.

Fish and Harriman Agree.

New York—Stuyvesant Fish and E. H. Harriman have reached an understanding under which there will be no contest at the Illinois Central railroad election, and President Fish will handle the Harriman proxies.

French Sailors Kill Yankee.

Chefoo, China—Lieut. Clarence England, navigating officer of the U. S. cruiser Chattanooga, was killed by a rifle bullet fired from the French cruiser Dupetit Thouars, while at practice.

Put Off Till Autumn.

Kharkov, Russia—A press correspondent here finds that the revolutionaries are actively preparing for an armed uprising and a reclamation of the republic of Kharkov in the autumn.

President of Chili.

Santiago, Chili—The electoral delegates have elected Don Pedro Monte president of the republic of Chili for the ensuing term of five years.

To Issue Philippine Bonds.

Washington—The government will issue \$1,000,000 Philippine bonds September 1 to assist in taking up \$1,500,000 outstanding issue.

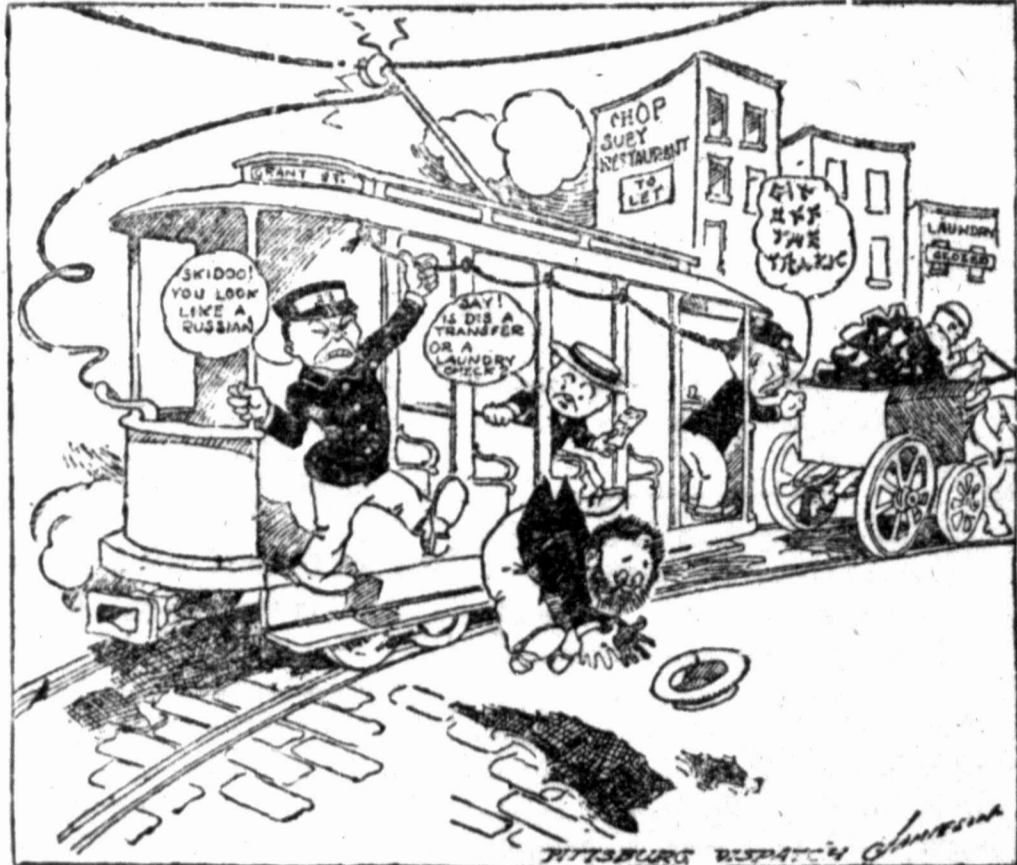
An Express Clerk With Nerve.

New York—Samuel Byerly, an express clerk, who bid for \$5,800,000 Panama bonds, has sold his right, and will net \$20,000.

A Courthouse Destroyed.

Mayville, Tenn.—The courthouse and other buildings were destroyed by fire here. The loss will reach \$125,000.

ANOTHER PHASE OF THE "YELLOW PERIL."



It is Reported That a Number of Japanese and Chinese Intend to Seek Positions as Conductors and Motormen.

RECEIVER FOR ZION CITY

FEDERAL COURT DECLARES IT A TRUST ESTATE.

DOWIE AND VOLIVA OUSTED

An Election Will Be Held September 18 For a New Leader—Dowie's Compensation.

Chicago—Neither John Alexander Dowie, founder, nor Wilbur Glen Voliva, present general overseer, is given the property, estimated to be worth \$12,000,000 to \$21,000,000, in the decision handed down by Judge K. M. Landis, of the United States circuit court, in the Zion City case. Instead, Judge Landis declared Zion City a trust estate, named John G. Hatley, member of the Chicago board of trade, receiver of the property and ordered the holding of an election September 18, when the people of the Christian Catholic Apostolic church in Zion City shall choose their overseer. Judge Landis will decide later what compensation Dowie will be allowed for his past services.

The nub of the court's decision is in the ruling that contributions of property and money given Dowie was in trust. Judge Landis declared the conveyance of the Zion City property by Voliva under power of attorney to John Alexander Granger to be void. Judge Landis quoted from writings of Dowie to show that the latter had always regarded the property of his church as a trust.

The adjudication in the bankruptcy proceedings against Dowie was also set aside so that pending litigation against Dowie may automatically be restrained until the entire litigation is ended.

Receiver Hatley's bond of \$25,000 was approved by the court, and he went immediately to Zion City and assumed charge of the property.

GAVE NOTHING TO CHARITY

Russell Sage Left His Many Millions to His Widew.

New York—The will of Russell Sage, which was filed for probate, Friday, bequeaths all of his estate to his widow, Margaret Olivia Sage, after the payment of \$25,000 to each of Mr. Sage's nephews and nieces, and \$10,000 to his sister, Mrs. Fanny Chapin, of Oneida, N. Y.

Mrs. Chapin has died since the will was made.

The will also provides that in case of any of the beneficiaries contesting the probate of it, they shall be cut off from any share in the estate.

There was nothing in the will to show the value of Mr. Sage's estate. The will was dated February 11, 1901, and was sworn to by Edward Townsend and R. W. Freedman as witnesses. It consists of about 800 words. Nothing is left to charity.

Duma Contemplated Republic.

St. Petersburg—A cabinet minister said: "If the duma had not been dissolved it would have proclaimed a republic next September. Two hundred persons participated in the conspiracy, the discovery of which caused the dissolution of the duma. The conspirators were arrested and their papers seized. This ends the revolution for years to come."

Drop Lunacy Commission Idea.

New York—The proposition to make an attempt to secure a lunacy commission to adjudicate Thaw insane has been dropped, even by counsel retained by Mrs. William Thaw.

Some Terse Telegrams

Litchfield (Ill.) Chautauqua opens on its new grounds.

Gov. Folk of Missouri addressed Chautauqua at Pontiac, Ill.

Kipling opposes Boer control of Transvaal in a new poem.

C. H. Whitaker, editor Clinton (Mo.) Daily Democrat, dead.

Rev. J. Taylor Loom, 35 years Baptist pastor, Georgetown, Ky., dead.

Eben Challes, 68, dead at Rosedale, Ind., from shock caused by son's death.

Near Ladysmith, Wis., John Diet and wife whipped six militiamen.

Big Four summarily dismisses six conductors on Chicago division.

Frank M. Horner, East St. Louis, Ill., raises bananas in his yard.

Frank Holliday, 82, for 42 years postmaster, died at Deming, Ind.

Louisiana republicans will make no state campaign.

Democratic gubernatorial nominations in Texas a free-for-all.

James McKerly, prominent miner in Virginia City, Nev., dead.

Lee Sing fined to tune of \$300 for smoking opium in St. Louis.

T. A. Renner and bride drowned in cloudburst near Meeteetse, Wyo.

Mayor says prize fighters and toots must leave Seattle.

Pig iron advances in price; demand above supply.

Montana wheat reported thick and well-headed.

Missouri Iron Mountain Co., Missouri, owner of mountain, dissolved.

Business in New York dry goods market larger every day.

United States treasury has over \$170,000,000 cash balance.

Chicago bulls disappointed in the wheat market.

Great oil fire at Marseilles, France; heavy loss.

Kerndin von Saar, Austrian author, killed himself.

August Mueller, 42, St. Louis, wrote "beware of drink," and killed himself.

Abraham Lynch, resident of Macon county, Ill., for 60 years, is dead.

Mrs. Mary L. Boyd, a well-known teacher, dead at Richmond, Ind.

Epidemic of typhoid fever raging at Milan, Mo.

Twenty filthy slaughter houses are closed for good at Philadelphia.

German immigrants reported in slavery at lumber camp, Lockport, Ala.

Samuel Barber, Springfield, Ill., insane after fight with bulldogs.

The Stromboli volcano is throwing out lava.

Russian securities decline in European money centers.

Ethel Lengrea, 11, Wenona, Ill., died of lockjaw; toy pistol.

Ed Bateman, Mt. Vernon, Mo., must hang for attacking a woman.

Queen Wilhelmina III. Hopes for an heir to throne gone at this time.

Georgia legislature enacts law closing bucket shops.

John Doran, Cherokee, Kas., will beat wife no more; she killed him.

Baker P. Andrews, 72, wealthy, dead at Lincoln, Ill.

Judge at Seattle, Wash., questions sanity of "Holy Roller" women.

Missouri will erect building at Jamestown exposition.

Man with pipe blew up powder house at Mount Vernon, Pa.; 4 killed.

Minister Morgan, at Havana, says no outrages on Isle of Pines.

Sixteen ice dealers indicted at Cincinnati.

President orders eight-hour law extended to navy department.

Arkansas City (Kas.) joints have been closed.

Bernhard McLaughlin, hit by copperhead at Waterloo, Ill.; whisky saved.

F. D. Farr, Kansas City, bitten by dog, now barks and snaps.

Prisoners in jail at Washington, Ind., struck for chickens.

Nothing Succeeds Like "EGG-O-SEE."

The man who preaches the best sermon; the man who tells the funniest stories; the man who keeps the best store; or the man who makes the best goods soon finds that people come to him. Merit is the best advertisement in the world. People speak well of things they know are good. They pass the good word along.

The best breakfast food is EGG-O-SEE, for it contains all the life-giving properties of nature's best food, which is wheat.

EGG-O-SEE is deeply in debt to the thousands of wives and mothers who use it in their homes, for these good women tell their neighbors about this great food.

Children and aged persons alike are friends of EGG-O-SEE.

Merit and common sense are the things that advertise EGG-O-SEE most. EGG-O-SEE is cheap. A 10-cent package contains ten liberal breakfasts. EGG-O-SEE is sold everywhere. Grocers must keep it if they want to keep their good customers, for good customers insist on buying EGG-O-SEE.

The fact that no preparation, no cooking is required, makes EGG-O-SEE very popular. Open the package; put as much as you like in a dish; pour on milk or cream and eat. It is delicious. It is wholesome. It makes you strong.

A lot of interesting facts about EGG-O-SEE have been published in book form entitled, "Back to Nature." This book also has a course of physical culture—fully illustrated. Anyone wishing this book will receive it free by addressing EGG-O-SEE Company, 10 First St., Quincy, Ill.

TRUE COURAGE

"Towards Love no luck!" These are Elizabeth Kulmann's brave words.

J. Brisbane Walker believes that "No man can be truly a gentleman if a coward."

"Fortune never helps the man whose courage fails." This is a bit of the wisdom of Sophocles.

Says George Horace Lorimer: "No man is a failure until he's dead or loses courage—and that's the same thing."

Sydney Smith long ago remarked that "A great deal of talent is lost to the world for the want of a little courage."

"When moral courage feels that it is in the right there is no personal daring of which it is incapable," says Leigh Hunt's conviction.

Said Rochefoucauld: "True bravery is shown by performing without witness what one might be capable of doing before all the world."

"Fear, which only is another name for ignorance, is all that ails us. Understanding alone conquers fear." This is the successful creed of Helen Williams Post.

Avoid Government Service.

The students from the Italian universities and government school are no longer content to seek poorly paid government employment or to enter into the ranks of the overcrowded professions, but are seeking technical instruction so that they may join in the new movement and make an adequate future for themselves.

DIDN'T BELIEVE

That Coffee Was the Real Trouble.

Some people flounder around and take everything that's recommended but finally find that coffee is the real cause of their troubles. An Oregon man says:

"For 25 years I was troubled with my stomach. I was a steady coffee drinker, but didn't suspect that as the cause. I took almost anything which someone else had been cured with but to no good. I was very bad last summer and could not work at times.

"On Dec. 2, 1902, I was taken so bad the doctor said I could not live over 24 hours at the most, and I made all preparations to die. I could hardly eat anything, everything distressed me, and I was weak and sick all over. When in that condition coffee was abandoned and I was put on Postum, the change in my feelings came quickly after the drink that was poisoning me was removed.

"The pain and sickness fell away from me and I began to get well day by day, so I stuck to it until now I am well and strong again, can eat heartily, with no headache, heart trouble or the awful sickness of the old coffee days. I drink all I wish of Postum without any harm and enjoy it immensely.

"This seems like a strong story, but I would refer you to the First Nat'l Bank, the Trust Banking Company, or any merchant of Grant's Pass, Ore., in regard to my standing, and I will send a sworn statement of this if you wish. You can also use my name." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Still there are many who persistently fool themselves by saying "Coffee don't hurt me." A ten days' trial of Postum in its place will tell the truth and many times save life. "There's a reason."

Look for the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in packs.

TO THE NORTH POLE

BY AIR-SHIP



By the aid of that most marvelous modern invention Walter Wellman, Washington correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald and noted arctic explorer, is making a third attempt to reach the north pole. Of the countless number of attempts to conquer the elements of the far north few, if any, have ever excited the interest of this expedition of Mr. Wellman and his chosen companions.

It is this thing of going about it in a new way that lifts the Wellman expedition to a plane high above all previous efforts in point of interest that places it in a class by itself. The devices fixed upon by Mr. Wellman were selected because they were the latest offerings science has made which were available for the purposes of the expedition.

The two expeditions made by Mr. Wellman, one in 1894 and the other in 1897-98, like those of all other explorers, were made on the theory that the pole could be reached by sledges drawn by dogs. The first of these expeditions was made from Spitzbergen and the second from Franz Joseph Land. The same obstacles encountered by other explorers were met by Mr. Wellman, and the trials were futile, except in that they furnished the explorer with a comprehensive knowledge of conditions both atmospheric and by land and water.

bustion type and using gasoline for fuel. The combined horsepower of the motors is 100, although the contract called for only 75. The largest motor is 70 horsepower, and in calm air provides a speed of from 12 to 14 miles an hour. With all motors working, the ship will be driven 19 miles an hour in calm.

The surface of the bag measures 21,098 square feet, and the volume is 224,225 cubic feet. The hydrogen which the bag is inflated is made of sulphuric acid and iron shavings, and 165 tons of these materials, carefully selected, were shipped to the expedition's base on Dane's Island. The ascensional power of the inflated bag is 15,300 pounds. The weight of the ship itself and its equipment and crew is 7,000 pounds, leaving approximately 8,300 pounds for cargo. The gasoline carried weighs 5,500, which is equal to a power endurance of 150 hours' motoring with the 70 horsepower motor in full operation. At the rate of from 12 to 15 miles an hour this means that the airship will be able to travel 1,300 miles in calm air, or far enough to carry the airship from the base of supplies to the pole and back and then back to the pole again.

What the Car Will Carry.

Suspended from the bag is the car, or basket, which contains the motors

boat represents the precaution against the chance of the destruction of the ship or its sinking into open water. Into it are packed when not in use the cables for the guide rope and the retarder, two of the most important attachments of the airship.

In the construction of both bag and car the utmost care has been exercised and only the highest possible quality of materials used. A rigid system of material inspection was maintained to reduce to the minimum the chances of flawed materials inadvertently being used.

Such, in brief, is the airship in which will be made the most remarkable journey in history. It represents the highest degree of skill known to the mechanical work. No principle in the construction of the ship itself or of its propelling appliances has been followed which has not been proved to be sound and thoroughly practicable. The monster bag and its attachments do not stand for a theory any more than does the automobile that skims the boulevards. The automobile breaks down at times and becomes utterly useless, but the proportion of efficiency is great enough to make automobile construction one of the big industries of the country. The Wellman airship holds the same relation to the possible high-speed airship of the future as the automobile in its present stage of development does to the possible non-breakable automobile of the future.

Mr. Wellman's Own Views.

It is interesting to note that in the gossip discussions of the venture by men who pretend to know nothing of aeronautics nor the polar regions, the two objections most often urged are the two which caused Mr. Wellman and his associates in the construction and outfitting of the ship the most perplexity. The manner in which he proposes to overcome one of these dangers—that from fast, adverse winds—has been explained by Mr. Wellman, thus:

"We have already explained how we hope to make progress with our airship by means of our motors and screws when the winds are favorable in direction, and also when they are unfavorable, but not of too great velocity. What are we going to do when they blow adversely and also too strongly to permit us to advance with the motors?"

"This brings us to one of the fundamental features of the method which we have adopted. It is this:

"1. With favorable winds or unfavorable winds of relatively small velocities—motor at a proper speed of from ten to 17 geographical miles per

PECK'S BAD BOY ABROAD



The Bad Boy and the Groceryman Illustrate the Russo-Japanese War by Exploding the Grocery—Dad's Experiment at Raising Hair on His Bald Head.

BY HON. GEORGE W. PECK.
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The old groceryman had a war map spread out on the counter, and for an hour he had stood up in front of it, reading a morning paper, with his thumb on Port Arthur, his fingers covering the positions occupied by the Jap and Russian forces in Manchuria. There was a crash in front of the grocery and the old man jumped behind a barrel, thinking Port Arthur had been blown up, and the Russian fleet torpedoed.

"Hello, Matsuma, you young monkey," said the old man, as the bad boy burst the door open and rushed in with a shovel at shoulder arms, and came to "present arms" in front of the old man, who came from behind the



WHEN THE FIREWORKS WENT OFF IN THE GROCERY.

barrel and acknowledged the salute. "Say, now, honest, did you put that chunk of ice in the stove the day you skipped out last?"

"Sure Mike!" said the boy, as he ran the shovel under the cat that was sleeping by the stove, and tossed her into a barrel of dried apples. What are you doing with the map of the seat of war?"

"Oh, I was only trying to figure out the plan of campaign, and find out where the Japanese would go to when they are licked," said the old man. "This thing is worrying me. I want to see Russia win, and I think our government ought to send them all the embalmed beef we had left from the war with Spain, but if we did you monkey Japanese would capture it, and have a military funeral over it, and go on eating fish and rice. When this country was in trouble, in 1864, the Russians sent a fleet of warships to New York and notified all Europe to stand back and look pleasant, and by the great horn spoons, I am going to stand by Russia or bust. I would like to be over there at Port Arthur and witness an explosion of a torpedo under something."

"Well, you and I are just alike," said the boy. "Let's have a sham battle, right here in the grocery. Get down that can of powder."

"Taint against the law, is it?" said the old man as he handed down a tin canister of powder. "I want excitement, and valuable information, but I don't want to unduly excite the neighbors."

"Oh, don't worry about the neighbors," said the boy, as he poured a little powder under the barrel of dried apples. "Now, as you say, this is Port Arthur. This chest of Oolong tea represents a Japanese cruiser outside the harbor. This box of codfish represents a Russian fort, see? and the stove represents a Russian cruiser. This barrel of ax handles is the Russian army, entrenched behind the bag of coffee. Now, we put a little powder under all of them, and lay a train from one to the other, and now you get out a few of those giant firecrackers you had left over from last Fourth of July, and a Roman candle, and we can illustrate the whole business so Alexovitch and Ito would take to the woods."

The boy lit the Roman candle, got behind a barrel of potatoes and turned the sputtering Roman candle on the giant firecracker under the stove, and when he saw the fuse of the firecracker was lighted, he turned the torch on the powder under the barrel of dried apples, and in a second everything went kiting; the barrel of dried apples with the cat in it went up to the ceiling, the stove was blown over the counter, the cheese box and the old groceryman went with a crash to the back end of the store, the front windows blew out on the sidewalk, the store was full of smoke, the old man rushed out the back door with "his whiskers singed and yelled "Fire!" while the bad boy fell out the front door with his eye winkers gone, and

his hair singed, the cat got out with no hair to brag of, and before they could breathe twice the fire department came clattering up to a hydrant and soon turned the hose inside the grocery. There was not very much fire, and after tipping over every barrel and box that had not been blown sky-high the firemen gave one last look at the inside of the grocery, one last squirt at the burned and singed cat, that had crawled into a bag of cinnamon on the top shelf, and they went away, leaving the doors and windows open; the crowd dispersed, and the bad boy went in the front door, peered around under the counter, pulled the cork out of a bottle of olive oil and began to anoint himself where he had been scorched. Hearing a shuffling, as if arctic overhauls filled with water, in the back shed, and a still small voice, saying, "Well, I'll be condemned," he looked up and saw the red face of the old groceryman peering in the back door.

"Have all the forts and war ships come down yet?" said the old man, looking up toward the ceiling, holding up his elbow to ward off any possible descending barrel or stove lid. "I now realize the truth of Gen. Sherman's remark that war is hell. Gosh! how it smarts where the skin is burnt off. Give me some of that salad oil," and the old man sopped the oil on his face and head, and the boy rubbed his lips and ears, and they looked at each other, and tried to smile two cracked, and wrinkled and scorched smiles, across the counter at each other. "Now, you little Japanese monkey, I hope you are satisfied, after you have wrecked my store, and fitted me fer the hospital, and I want you to get out of here, and never come back."

"Say, you are unreasonable. Do you think I will go off and leave you to die here under the counter of blood-poisoning, like a dog that has eaten a loaded sausage? Never! I am going to nurse you through this thing, and bring you out as good as new. I know how you feel towards me. Dad felt the same way towards me, down in Florida, the time he got skinned."

"What about your dad getting skinned in Florida? I never heard about it," said the old groceryman, as he took a hand mirror and looked at his burned face.

"Why, that was when we first got down there," said the boy, looking at the old man and laughing. "Gee! but you would make a boy laugh if his lips were chapped. You look like a greased pig at a barbecue. Well, when we struck Florida, and dad got so he could assimilate high balls, and eat oranges off the trees, like a giraf, he said he wanted to go fishing, and get tanned up, so we hired a boat and I rowed while dad fished. I ast him why he didn't try that new prescription to raise hair on his bald head that I read of in a magazine, to go bare-headed in the sun. He ast me if anybody ever raised any hair on a bald head that way, and I told him about Mr. Rockefeller, who had only one hair on his head, and he played golf bareheaded and in two weeks had to have his hair cut with a lawn mower, 'cause it made his brain ache. Dad said if Rockefeller could raise hair by the sunshine method he could, and he threw his straw hat overboard, and began to fish in the sun for fish and hair. Well, you'd a dide to see dad's head after the blisters began to raise. First, he thought the blisters was hair, but when we got back to the hotel and he looked in a glass, he see it wasn't hair worth a cent. His head and face looked like one of these hippopotamus, and dad was mad. If I could have got dad in a side show I could have made a barrel of money, but he won't never make a show of himself, not even to make money, he is so proud. There is more proud flesh on dad than there is on any man I ever nursed. Well, dad ast me what was good for blisters, and I told him lime juice was the best thing, so he sent me to get some limes. They are a little sour thing, like a lemon, and I told him to cut one in two and soak the juice on his head and face, and I went to supper, 'cause dad looked so disreputable he wouldn't go to the dining room. When I bought the limes the man gave me a green persimmon, and of course dad got the persimmon instead of the lime, and when I came back to our room after supper dad was in bed, yelling for a doctor. Say, you know how a persimmon puckers your mouth up when you eat it? Well, dad had just sopped himself with persimmon juice, and his head was puckered up like the hide of an elephant, and his face and cheeks were drawn around sideways, and wrinkled so I was scart. I gave him a mirror to look at himself, and when he got one look he said: "Henry, it is all over with your dad, you might just as well call in a lawyer to take my measure for a will, and an undertaker to fill me with stuff so I will keep till they get me home by express, with handles on. What was that you called that fruit I sopped my head with?" and he groaned like he was at a revival. Well, I told him he had used the persimmon instead of the lime juice I told him to, and that I would cure him, so I got a cake of dog soap and laundered dad, and put on stuff to take the swelling out, and the next day he began to notice things."

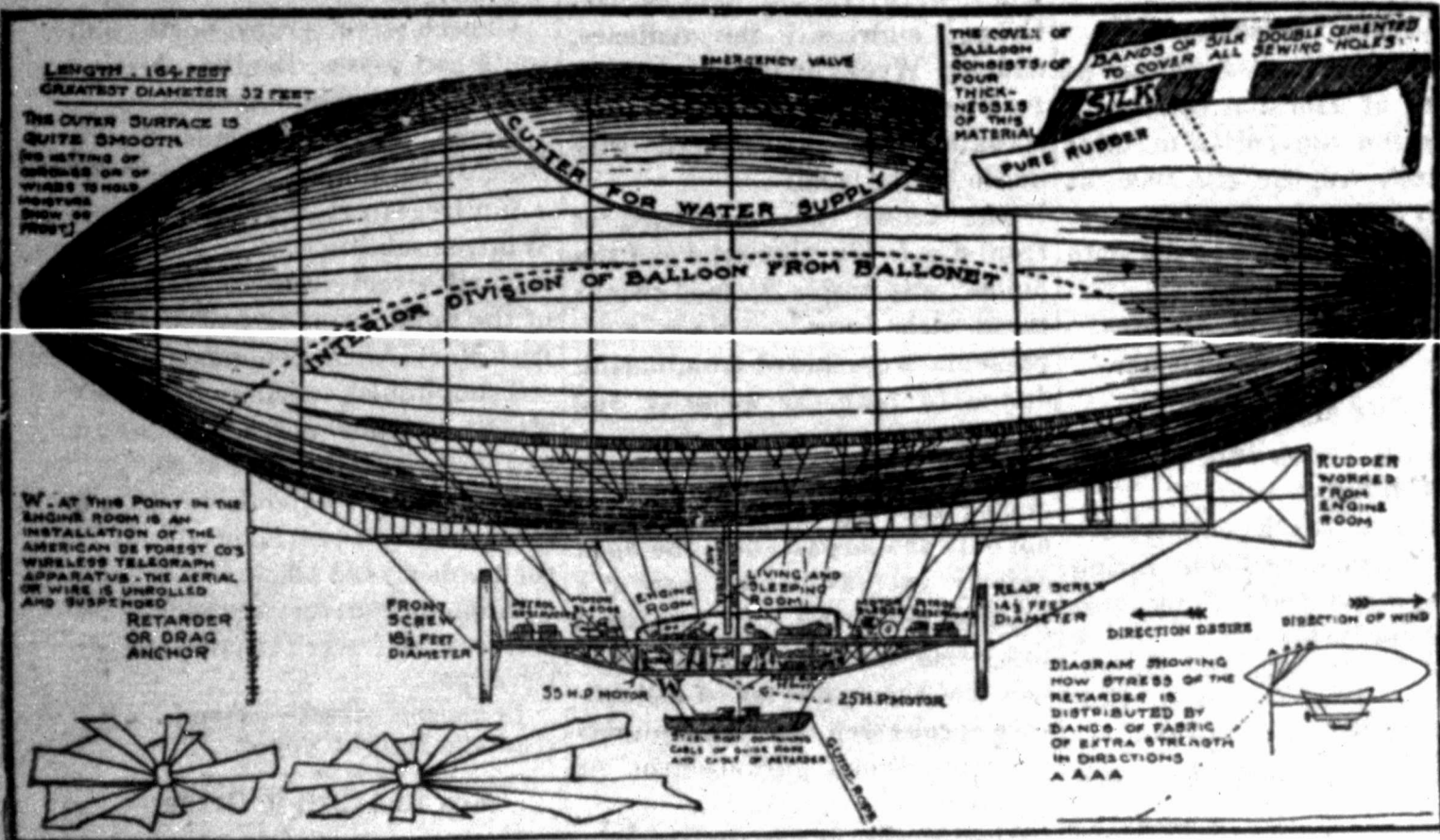


DIAGRAM OF THE WELLMAN AIR SHIP.

Showing the equipment of the expedition, and how it is arranged in the car, and showing a section of the material of the ship.

From an easily reached base of operations in northern Spitzbergen, latitude 80 degrees 50 minutes, the distance to the mathematical pole is but 550 miles, making the flight there and return 1,100 geographical miles. Calculating the distance at 1,200 miles, there would be required but 100 hours of airship motoring at the rate of 12 miles an hour. Santos-Dumont repeatedly had made 19 to 23 miles an hour with small airships equipped with correspondingly small motors. The Lebaudy ship had made 25 miles an hour, and its average speed through a long series of flights had been above 20 miles an hour. Under all conditions in which airship flights have been made a speed of from 12 to 15 miles an hour has been easily obtainable.

Description of Ship.

A general description of the airship is as follows:

In length it is 164 feet. Its greatest diameter is 52 feet. The materials of which the bag is made are pure rubber and silk, with the top of the bag a perfectly smooth surface, which will not accumulate frost, snow or sleet, and thereby decrease the ascensional power. By a simple device provision has been made for the removal of snow from the top of the ship.

The propelling power of the airship lies in three motors, of the inner com-

gasoline supply, cabins for the explorers, motor sledges, scientific apparatus and food supply. This last item weighs 800 pounds and is contained in a chest containing 16 cubic feet. When it is stated that this supply is sufficient to nourish five men for 75 days some idea of the great economy of space being practiced may be gained. Of course, the disposition of the weight in the car is such as to insure perfect balance under normal conditions. The gasoline reservoirs are four in number, two at each extreme end of the car. In the engine-room is placed, besides the motors, the wireless telegraph apparatus. The car is 52 feet long by six feet by eight feet in its other dimensions. Its construction represents the maximum of strength and the minimum of weight, being entirely of steel tubing.

The power from the motors is transmitted to a shaft at either end of which is a screw propeller with broad blades, which offer the greatest efficiency. The forward screw is 18 1/2 feet in diameter and the rear screw four feet less in diameter. There is but one rudder, which is above the car and below the rear end of the bag. This rudder is operated from the engine-room with a simple steering apparatus.

Below the car there is suspended a steel lifeboat, nonsinkable and noncombustible, but of very light weight. This

hour, with 12 miles per hour as perhaps the mean speed.

"2. With unfavorable winds of higher velocities—stop the motors and throw out upon the ice sheet over which we are sailing a dragging anchor or retardateur—a device calculated to offer the maximum of resistance in proportion to its weight—and by this means to drift slowly with the adverse wind.

The expedition is distinctly American, for all the mechanical aid that foreign countries have given in the preparations, and for the deep interest they are taking in the project. It is an American journalist, backed by an American newspaper, to whom credit is due for the bold and intelligent conception. It is typically American that all of science and the arts that other nations had to offer has been marshaled under the American flag for the aerial journey into the unknown north. The giant airship has been christened the "America," and, if the next few weeks shall demonstrate that the plans of Mr. Wellman were well founded and the explorer shall sail triumphantly to the pole, the first act will be the dropping of the American Stars and Stripes over the spot which has lured nearly a thousand brave men to their deaths.

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is delicious and refreshing. Give us your patronage when thirsty.

Your Friends,
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Local Items.

Notice to Advertisers.

Copy for advertisements must be in this office not later than Tuesday morning to insure insertion. No deviation will be made from this rule in the future, because to do so delays publication, causes the paper to miss outgoing mails and works an all round hardship on all concerned.

I sell olives cheap. Try a bottle.
F. P. PARKER.

J. D. Woodson and Quin Lundy are ill.

Austin Woodall was at Huntsville Sunday.

The Presbyterian church is being repainted this week.

Reduction sale on all summer dress goods at the Big Store.

Fresh Jelo powder, chocolate, gelatine, etc., at F. P. Parker's.

Miss Bettie Smith is visiting the Misses Sherman at Kennard.

Fine Jersey milk cows and calves for sale or trade.
44 CROCKETT MEAT MARKET.

Miss Margaret Foster has returned home from a visit to Houston.

We want your prescription. We fill them right.

MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

Remember I sell all kinds of shelf hardware cheap.

F. P. PARKER.

Score cards, box paper, tablets and envelopes in the latest styles.

MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

Buy the best wagon, the "Brown," sold by Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

We want your drug business. "Treatlyou right."

CRYSUP'S DRUG STORE.

Trade with me and notice my prices, and you will find them cheaper.

F. P. PARKER.

Up to date souvenir post cards—new lot just arrived at Crysups Drug Store.

If you are after quality of whiskey, you'll order it from Hyman's saloon, Palestine.

Crysups Drug Store has a fine line of Westenholm knives and the famous Shumate razor.

Furniture of all kinds sold cheap at Jas. S. Shivers & Co's. Three good chairs for \$1.00.

Mrs. H. Harrison of Palestine was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bromberg, last week.

An elegant line of meerschaum pipes just received, call and see them. MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

Perfumes and toilet articles from the cheapest to the most expensive at Crysups Drug Store.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

Miss Lizzie Howard returned home Monday evening from Kennard.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Moore and children are summering in Minnesota.

Walter Newman of Augusta has accepted a position with F. P. Parker.

Miss Gillespie Boyer of Palestine is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. D. Friend.

The August special term of the district court will begin on Monday, the 13th.

Mrs. J. K. Crawford and little son of Kennard are the guests of Mrs. E. Winfree.

Allison Phillips has accepted a position with a wholesale grocery house at Palestine.

Ice cream that is absolutely pure at Crysups Drug Store. Did you notice the quality?

See G. T. Teal for all kinds of sheet metal work. Roofing, guttering and tank building.

Car of Wagons.

T. D. Craddock has received a new car of wagons. Get his prices.

Miss Adele Davis of Grapeland and Miss Annie Pridgen of Daly are visiting Miss Stella Sheridan.

Mrs. Rayburn, who has been visiting Mrs. R. E. McConnell, left Monday night for Lovelady.

I handle more straight whiskies than any other saloon in east Texas.

HYMAN'S SALOON, Palestine.

If it is for family use or medical purposes, you want the best. You get it at Hyman's saloon, Palestine.

Miss Evy Hail left Tuesday morning for Lufkin via Kennard, where she will again instruct a class in music.

Magale, Sugar Valley and all other standard brands of barrel and cased goods at Hyman's saloon, Palestine.

The finder of a gold signet ring, initials J. W., will please leave same at Newton & Sims' store and receive reward.

Lipscomb Sherman and Miss Shermie Sherman of Kennard were the guests of Miss Bettie Smith last week.

Scholarship for Sale.

The COURIER has a scholarship in the Tyler Commercial College which it will sell.

Prescriptions put up, cigars, tobacco, stationery, refreshing ice cream and soda water, etc., at Crysups Drug Store.

Miss Mary Lipscomb, daughter of Judge A. D. Lipscomb of Beaumont, is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. A. LeGory and Miss Hortense LeGory left Monday night for Galveston where they will remain for several weeks.

Marriages Licenses.

J. H. Stewart and Margaret Teel.

Sam Handy and Minnie Butler.

PRESCRIPTION WORK.

We make a specialty of prescriptions.

Above all things, that is the thing we are careful with.

If we fill your prescription, you may know that it is filled accurately.

G. L. MOORE,
THE DRUGGIST.

Make your wife happy by buying her the best cook stove sold in Crockett, "the Darling." Sold at a bargain at the Big Store.

The Crockett and Elkhart base ball teams played a game of base ball at Crockett last Thursday. The score stood five to three in favor of Elkhart.

Mrs. Hollandsworth of Somerville was here last week to attend the funeral of her father, Mr. John Hockin, who died at his home west of Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Fount Kelley of Kennard took the train at Crockett Saturday night, Mr. Kelley for a business trip to Houston and Mrs. Kelley for a visit to her old home at Lovelady.

The first bale of cotton was received at Crockett last year about the middle of August. As the crop is estimated to be about two weeks earlier this year the first bale is likely to show up at any time.

In connection with the regular services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday the quarterly communion will be observed. There will also be a collection for local home missions.

S. F. TENNEY, Pastor.

Executive Committee.

I hereby notify and request the members of the executive committee to meet at Crockett August 4th, 1906, to canvass the vote of the primary election.

J. W. HAIL,
County Chairman.

Dr. Kline to Leave.

Dr. Kline, the dentist, has sold his Crockett property and will leave on September 1. He asks all who desire him to do their work to call at his office before the first day of September and as early beforehand as possible.

County Convention.

By authority vested in me as chairman of Houston county, I hereby call a convention to meet at Crockett, August 4th, 1906, at the court house, at 10 o'clock a. m., to select delegates to the state and district conventions.

J. W. HAIL,
County Chairman.

Card of Thanks.

Crockett, Texas, July 28, 1906.

EDITOR COURIER:
We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and help during the sickness and death of my husband and our father.

Mrs. John Hockin and daughters, Mrs. Tunstall, Mrs. Hollandsworth, Mrs. Richardson.

The COURIER publishes this week the incomplete returns of the primary election. Fuller returns could not be secured. The executive committee meets Saturday to make an official canvass of the returns and not until then will the exact vote of each candidate be known. A corrected and official table will appear in our next issue.

Rheumatism.

When pains or irritation exist on any part of the body, the application of Ballard's Snow Liniment gives prompt relief. E. W. Sullivan, proprietor Sullivan House, El Reno, O. T., writes, June 6, 1902: "I take pleasure in recommending Ballard's Snow Liniment to all who are afflicted with rheumatism. It is the only remedy I have found that gives immediate relief. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Murchison & Beasley.

Cures Sciatica.

Rev. W. L. Riley, L. L. D., Cuba, New York, writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment; the first application giving me first relief and the second entire relief." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Murchison & Beasley.

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This will be the last issue of the COURIER the present editor will get out until after taking his annual summer vacation. During his absence the paper will be in charge of P. H. LeSueur and T. D. Aldrich, experienced newspaper men and printers, and any favors shown them by the friends of the paper will be heartily appreciated. Besides getting out the paper, they will carry on the job printing and advertising business until the editor returns, which will be in about three weeks. Give them your orders, as they want to make a good showing.

The Crockett Barbecue.

The barbecue at Crockett last Thursday was a big success. People began arriving early in the morning and there was a solid stream of vehicles going out toward the picnic grounds until the noon hour. The barbecue was held in the Wootters grove on the San Antonio road east of town. A band had been imported from Palestine to furnish the music, but the oratory was furnished principally by local candidates. Speaking by the candidates for county offices began in the morning and continued until dinner was ready, and was resumed after dinner. During the afternoon the two candidates for congress, Hons. J. J. Blount and A. W. Gregg, addressed the audience, and Mr. Weeks of Palestine spoke for Hon. T. M. Campbell. The speaking was interspersed with music by the band.

The crowd was estimated at from five to six thousand and the dinner was ample to feed two or three such crowds. Many compliments were heard from outsiders as to both the quantity and quality of the dinner.

There was not a disturbance during the day. The crowd was not only the largest, but the most orderly ever assembled here at a political gathering. It was equal to a circus-day crowd in size. The fact that there was not a disturbance speaks well for the enlightenment and social advancement of the county.

Much credit is due certain individuals for the success of the barbecue, but for fear that we might omit some deserving person we will not give any names, although some deserve special mention.

What can be said in praise of the Crockett dinner can also be said of the different dinners throughout the county during the campaign.

Unnecessary Expense.

Acute attacks of cholera and diarrhoea come on without warning and prompt relief must be obtained. There is no necessity of incurring the expense of a physician's service in such cases if Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is at hand. A dose of this remedy will relieve the patient before a doctor could arrive. It has never been known to fail, even in the most severe and dangerous cases and no family should be without it. For sale by Murchison & Beasley.

Quick Relief for Asthma Suffers.

Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.
Smith & French Drug Co.

NAMES OF OUR STREETS.

Familiarize Yourself With Them and Learn to Call Them by Name.

In order that the people may learn the names of the streets of the town, the COURIER is going to designate and keep running in its columns for some time each street by its name. The names have been secured from a city chart and are correct. Our people should get the habit of calling each street by its name and thus help educate the public as to the use of proper designations. The streets will be described as follows:

Main street—runs east and west in front of public school building and passes under railroad track.

Public avenue—runs east and west in front of Presbyterian church and crosses railroad track at ice plant.

Pearl street—one block north of and parallel with Public avenue.

Crockett street—two blocks north of and parallel with Public avenue.

Charles street—three blocks north of and parallel with Public avenue.

Houston street—runs north and south and crosses east side of the public square.

Washington street—runs north and south and in front of the Aldrich house.

Church street—runs north and south and passes Baptist, Methodist and Christian churches.

Grace street—extends north from J. E. Monk's residence.

Winfree street—extends through Winfree addition.

North street—crosses west side of the public square and extends past Mary Allen Seminary.

Tehopitoulas (chop-y-too-las) street—extends north and south and crosses Main street at the jail.

Arch street—extends north and south and crosses Main street at the lumber yard office.

Common street—extends east and west and over the culvert near the depot.

Louisiana street—extends west from the freight depot.

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rockport, Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years although I am now 91 years old. Smith & French Drug Co.

Herbine

Renders the bile more fluid and thus helps the blood to flow; it affords prompt relief from biliousness, indigestion, sick and nervous headaches, and over-indulgence in food and drinks.

G. L. Caldwell, agent M. K. and T. R. R., Checotah, Ind. Ter., writes April 18, 1903: "I was sick for over two years with enlargement of the liver and spleen. The doctors did me no good, and I had given up all hope of being cured, when my druggist advised me to use Herbine. It has made me sound and well." 50c. Sold by Murchison & Beasley.

The Crockett Courier

W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks and other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 5c per line.

Parties ordering advertising or printing for societies, churches, committees or organizations of any kind will, in all cases, be held personally responsible for the payment of the bill.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

The following are the nominees of the democratic primary held July 28:

- For District Attorney Tom J. Harris
- For Representative L. A. Daniel
- For District Clerk Joe Brown Stanton
- For County Judge John Spence
- For County Attorney Earl Adams, Jr.
- For County Clerk Nat E. Allbright
- For Sheriff John C. Lacy
- For Tax Collector A. L. (Gus) Goolsby
- For Tax Assessor John H. Ellis
- For County Treasurer D. J. Cater
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1 J. A. Morris
W. W. Davis
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2 G. R. Murchison
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3 J. A. Harrelson
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4 C. B. Isbell
- For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1 E. M. Callier
- For Constable Prec. No. 1 O. B. (Deb) Hale

Cotton warehouse subscriptions are progressing nicely, but there is yet about three hundred dollars to be raised. The total amount at present subscribed will amount to about \$1200, and \$1500 is the sum wanted. If you have not got on the subscription list, now is the time.

The people were so eager to hear a speech by a candidate for governor that they came from Trinity and Leon counties to hear Colquitt. This disproves the truthfulness of any statement to the effect that the people are taking less interest in the management of the affairs of the government.

Mr. Colquitt made a strong speech at Crockett and was well received. He was the only candidate for governor making a speech here and it is believed that he made many votes by doing so. His audience applauded him frequently, filling the court house to its full capacity. It is not believed that he crippled Campbell, but that he turned many Bell votes his way.

Colquitt and Bell both developed wonderful strength during the last two or three weeks preceding the primaries. A month ago it was conceded by all conversant with public affairs that the contest for governor was between Campbell and Bell. For awhile the other two candidates could not make a respectable showing. Then Colquitt's supporters began to come to the front and it was known that one of the candidates hitherto in the lead was losing ground. It was known on the eve of the election that Campbell and Colquitt would each poll a strong vote in Houston county, but Brooks' and Bell's votes were surprising—Brooks' surprisingly large and Bell's surprisingly small. It is believed by those of Mr. Bell's friends who remained loyal to him that many of his supporters went over to Colquitt af-

ter Colquitt's speech here Wednesday night. Brooks' strength, as largely did Colquitt's, developed at the last moment. Had the election been held one month earlier, the contest would have been between Campbell and Bell. By the change of sentiment that was brought about Brooks and Colquitt have proved themselves strong campaigners. As their names will have to go before the state convention, it is yet too early to forecast or discuss the final result.

The democratic state convention meets at Dallas August 14. From now until after the convention adjourns much wire-working and manipulation of delegations will be done. There is much speculation as to who will be the highest man after the first ballot is cast and the lowest man is dropped. Most every man you meet has a different idea as to the probable outcome. County conventions next Saturday will not be devoid of interest and the state convention promises to be a red hot one—the warmest ever handed out by the democratic party.

BELL IS CREEPING UP.

He is Only 300 Votes Behind Colquitt—Brooks is in the Second Place.

Galveston, Texas, July 31.—The returns that the News prints this morning, added to those heretofore published, with due revision, account for a total vote of 227,397, which, in all probability, is more than two-thirds of the whole vote cast. From thirty-six counties these returns are complete, while from a larger number of counties there is lacking only the returns in some instances of one or two boxes to make them complete. The counties from which the returns are complete are, as rule, the smaller ones.

Of this total vote of 227,397 the several candidates for governor give the following: Bell, 49,934; Brooks, 55,954; Campbell, 71,193; Colquitt, 50,276.

It will be seen that Mr. Campbell's vote is slightly more than 31 per cent of the whole, that of Judge Bell a little less than 22 per cent, that of Judge Brooks slightly less than 25 per cent while Mr. Colquitt's vote is a little more than 22 per cent of the whole.

The returns which the News printed yesterday showed that Campbell had received a little more than 30 per cent of the total vote accounted for at that time, so that the returns received yesterday indicate a slight gain. It will be also observed that whereas Mr. Colquitt was only about 3,000 votes behind Judge Brooks in the returns printed yesterday, he is, by this morning's returns, more than 5,000 votes behind him. Judge Bell advanced in the returns received yesterday, and he is now within about 300 votes of Mr. Colquitt. Of course it will be remarked that the contest is wonderfully close, only 6,000 votes separating the last three candidates.

Other returns show: Lieutenant Governor—Davidson 87,544, Hill 83,585. Railroad Commissioner—Storey 85,551, Williams 82,908. Judge Court Criminal Appeals—Henderson 93,981, John 87,402. Judge Court Civil Appeals—Carter 14,763, Stephens 15,144.

The later returns continue to show a large lead for Terrell for Land Commissioner and for Sparks for State Treasurer, and Judge Henderson for the Court of Criminal Appeals is increased.

The vote of Davidson and Hill

for Lieutenant Governor remains very close, Davidson leading by a little less than 4,000 in the returns to the News.

Additional returns will also be necessary to determine who has won the railroad commissioner-ship, as only 3,600 votes separate the candidates, the difference being in favor of Judge Storey.

Stephens, for Judge of the Court of Civil Appeals, Second District, has less than 400 votes over his opponent, Mr. Carter.

CAMPBELL IN THE LEAD.

Brooks, Colquitt and Bell Following in Order as Named.

Galveston, Tex., July 30, 1906.—The News this morning prints returns which account for 160,363 votes cast for governor. This number is divided as follows:

Bell 34,267
Brooks 39,931
Campbell 50,081
Colquitt 36,084

This makes Mr. Campbell the leader, he having a plurality of the vote. His majority over Judge Brooks, who is the second man, is 10,150. Judge Brooks' lead over Mr. Colquitt, however, is only 3,227.

What proportion of the whole vote the returns of the News is it impossible to say, but undoubtedly it is considerably more than one-half. Therefore, while there can be no doubt that Mr. Campbell will have a plurality of the vote, the returns which the News presents this morning do not indicate with any degree of certainty who will be second in the race.

Mr. Campbell's vote, as shown by the News returns, is about one-third of the whole, that of Judge Brooks is about 25 per cent, while that of Mr. Colquitt is slightly less.

The vote for the other candidates is shown in the following table:

Lieutenant governor—	
Davidson	46,367
Hill	45,665
Treasurer—	
Garrison	36,241
Phillips	12,159
Sparks	47,988
Land commissioner—	
Gilbert	30,155
Terrell	46,672
Railroad commissioner—	
Storey	42,271
Williams	40,750
Judge court criminal appeals—	
Henderson	52,935
John	40,771
Judge court civil appeals—	
Stephens	8,634
Carter	7,505

COLQUITT'S ADVANCE.

He Now Has a Lead of 1,500 Over Bell.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 1, 1906.—	
The News this morning says:	
Governor—	Vote.
Campbell	72,619
Brooks	57,844
Colquitt	53,965
Bell	52,432

Total	237,860
For lieutenant governor—	
Davidson	86,475, Hill 85,141.
For railroad commissioner—	
Williams	81,659, Storey 75,688.
For congress, second district—	
Cooper	7,545, Brooks 6,688.
Fourth district—	Randell 10,562,
Barrett	9,403, Sixth district—
Hardy	3,894, Henderson 3,833,
Mays	3,739, Sixteenth district—
Smith	7,315, Cunningham 6,313.

Two hundred and thirty-six thousand eight hundred and sixty votes are accounted for in the returns which the News prints this morning. The addition made in this morning's returns is not so large as that of yesterday, due

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partly to the fact that the reports coming in now are mostly from small outlying counties, but also to the fact that a great many of the election judges, oblivious of that provision of the law which makes it mandatory on them to make public the result of the voting, have sealed up their boxes without giving the statements provided for.

The notable change in the returns of this morning, so far as they relate to the contest for governor, is the advance made by Mr. Colquitt. According to yesterday's returns he was only a little more than 300 in advance of Judge Bell, whereas this morning's returns give him 53,965 to Judge Bell's 52,432, a lead of more than 1500. Mr. Colquitt's gain from yesterday's returns was 3,600 and Judge Bell's 2,498. Judge Brooks gains 1,890 and Mr. Campbell 1,426. Mr. Campbell's gain, it will be observed, is the smallest, but his majority over Judge Brooks is still more than 1500. A little consideration of the returns will show that, if Mr. Campbell maintains his present advantage, no two of the other candidates by combining could bring about the nomination of either one of the men entering the combination.

THE PRIMARY ELECTION.

Some Surprises Were Handed Out by the People at the Polls Saturday.

Saturday's primary election brought its usual surprises and disappointments—surprises to the people and disappointments to some candidates. But what election did not?

The votes will be counted officially Saturday and the result declared. Partial reports, sufficient to indicate who will be the nominees, have already been made and an official count is not expected to change the result now known.

For governor, Campbell holds first place in Houston county, with Colquitt second.

Newspaper reports indicate that Terrell will be nominated for land commissioner, Sparks for state treasurer, Storey for railroad commissioner, Henderson for judge

court criminal appeals and Gregg for congress.

Returns from over the county indicate that the following will be nominated: Representative, Daniel; county treasurer, Cater; district clerk, Stanton; county judge, John Spence; county clerk, Allbright; tax collector, Gus Goolsby; county attorney, Earl Adams, Jr.; sheriff, Lacy; county chairman, E. B. Hale.

For commissioner in precinct No. 1, the result is yet undecided between Davis and Morris. Murchison will be nominated in No. 2, Harrelson in No. 3 and Isbell in No. 4.

E. M. Callier will be nominated for justice of the peace in precinct No. 1 and Deb Hale for constable.

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