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**NEW YORK SPECIAL REPORT.**  
Government Securities Active—Baltimore and Ohio Breeze on Wall Street.  
Special to The News.  
New York, Oct. 22.—Government four percent. Sales were made of \$3,000,000 at 123 3/4.  
Sterling value. Double name of city bankers offered at \$4 83 1/4.  
Silver dull; \$1 63 1/4.  
Stocks were disturbed by the demand of the Baltimore and Ohio for recognition as a New York trunk line, which must be granted for peace sake. Prices fell 1 to 2 per cent, but rallied, closing with the advance lost.  
Bonds were generally firm.  
Houston and Texas Central firsts, 100 3/4.  
Santa Fe, 113 1/4 bid; do. sixes, 80.  
International sixes, 79.  
Texas Pacific Rios, 62 1/2; Kansas and Texas sixes, 88 1/2; do. consols, 112; stock, 27.  
Fort Worth and Denver, 83; do. stock, 22.  
Galveston and Henderson firsts, 70 asked.  
Houston and Texas Central shares, 24 1/2.  
Thirty thousand San Antonio Westerns were sold at 33.  
Cotton depressed by Wooshoaffer selling short and unfavorable cables regarding English manufacturing trades.  
Sugar firm.  
Coffee steady.  
Hides firm; 100 dry salted Texas were sold at private figures.  
A Tennessee trunk line official says the Baltimore and Ohio matter will be amicably arranged.

**INDICATIONS FOR TO-DAY.**—For the West Gulf States: Slightly warmer, fair weather, variable winds, generally south to west.  
**DOMESTIC.**—Shreveport's cotton receipts are far ahead of those at this period last season.  
An old and well known defect in the Smith County Jail at Tyler permitted the escape of prisoners.—A stranger dropped dead at Little Rock; Hon. B. B. Battle nominated for the Supreme Bench by Arkansas Democrats.—Rev. H. W. Beecher delivered the eulogy at the Grant memorial services at Boston.—The Grant benefit fund was turned over to Mrs. Grant.—Neurological—Interesting testimony in the Walkup poisoning case.—The Hamilton County returns in the courts.—The President sent in a large batch of judicial appointments.—At South Bend, Ind., two men were buried alive by a caving sewer.—The trial of Ferdinand Ward.—Jay Gould objected to the management of the Grant fund and an interesting discussion ensued.—Jas. D. Fish was present as the trial of Ferdinand Ward.  
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**SHREVEPORT, Oct. 22.**—Cotton receipts to date foot up 14,164 bales, against 11,214 bales last year. Shipments 8934 against 7524 last year. Middling cotton is selling on streets at 9 1/4 and in good demand. Owing to good prices this city is receiving a great deal of Texas cotton, which formerly sought New Orleans and other markets. Shreveport has a number of new buyers in the field this season and is now one of the best markets in the South. Six hundred bales arrived over the Texas Pacific from Mineola to-day.  
**Huntsville, Oct. 22.**—One of the most brilliant weddings in the history of this city occurred last night at the Methodist Church, Rev. I. G. John officiating. The contracting parties were Miss H. Morton Eastham, one of Huntsville's most accomplished belles, and Mr. J. B. Jones, a prominent young gentleman from Virginia. The church was beautifully and tastefully decorated with evergreens and flowers.  
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## HONORING THE DEAD HERO

About the Grant Memorial Services at Boston.

Eloquent Eulogy by Rev. Henry Ward Beecher.  
"Great in War and Great in Peace."  
The Grant Benefit Fund.

Boston, Oct. 22.—Beneath kindly tempered rays of a mellow sun thousands of Bostonians thronged this afternoon to the Grant memorial exercises, at Tremont Temple, under the auspices of the city government. At 2 o'clock prayer was offered by Rev. B. F. Hamlin, and an ode by Julia Ward Howe was sung by the choir. A poem written by Louise I. Gurney was read by Prof. Moses T. Brown, of Tufts College. "Gone Through the Shadows" was rendered by a choir of women's voices. Mayor O'Brien, at this point, in a brief speech, presented Rev. Henry Ward Beecher as the eulogist of the day.

Mr. Beecher was received with generous applause, and spoke as follows:  
"Another name is added to the roll of those whom the world will not willingly let die. A few years since, storm-laden clouds filled his heaven and obloquy, slander and bitter lies were rained down upon him. The clouds are all blown away; under a serene sky he laid down his life and the nation wept. The path to his tomb is worn by the feet of innumerable pilgrims, while the mellowed lips of slander are silent, and even criticism hesitates lest some iniquitous word should mar the history of the modest, gentle, magnanimous warrior. The whole nation watched his passing with reverence, and with grief, and with sympathy, and the whole world sighed when his life ended. At his burial the unsworded hands of those whom he had fought lifted his bier and bore him to his tomb with love and reverence. Grant made no claim to sainthood; he was a man of like passions and with as marked limitations as other men. Nothing could be more distasteful to his modest, modest soul, while living, and nothing more comforting to his memory than lying exaggerations and fulsome flatteries. Men without faults are apt to be men without brains. A round diamond has no facets, and light and shadows, hills and valleys give beauty to landscape, and the faults of great and generous natures are often overruled by goodness, or shadows which their virtues cast. The great man enters into the career of a good citizen—that which his ancestry gives, that which opportunity gives and that which his will develops. Grant came from sturdy New England stock, New England derived an illustrious name, and his name was the name of Covenants and Puritans were made, men of iron consciences hammered out upon the anvil of adversity. From New England the stream flowed to Oklahoma, where his soldier's blood brought forth abundant harvests of great men. When it was Grant's time to be born he came forth without celestial portents, and his youth had in no prophetic gleam of promise. His boyhood was wholesome, robust, with a vigorous frame, with a heart susceptible of tender love, yet he was not social. He was patient and persistent. He loved horses and dogs, and birds, and flowers. He had no art of creating, and circumstances and opportunities must seek him, or else he would plod through life without disclosing the gift which God hid in him. He was an absolutely unselfish man, and himself—it must be sought for and dug out. A sharp and witty politician, for some reasons of Providence, performed a great deed in sending young

"GRANT TO WEST POINT."  
Beecher also reviewed Grant's life at West Point, his service in Mexico and California, and alluding to his private life he said: "He was a poor farmer, a horse tamer, a wagon driver, a teamster, a soldier, without literary gifts, too diffident to be ambitious, too modest to put himself forward, too honest to be a politician."  
"He was, of all men, least likely to attain eminence, and least likely to be distinguished. He was chosen for pre-eminence; yet God's providence selected him. Ordained was Grant with the ointment of war, black and sulphurous. His opportunity was coming. Already clouds were gathering and he saw them not. No figures were seen upon the dim horizon of the already near future. The unfurled flag, the garments rolled in blood, a million men in arms, the vapors of smoke of battle, gory banners upon desperate battlefields, an army of slow moving crippled horses, graveyards as populous as cities, they were all in the clouded horizon, though he saw them not."  
"Let us look on the scene, this continent lay waiting for ages for the seed of civilization. At length the sower came forth to sow, and while he sowed the good seed of Liberty and Christianity, an enemy darkling, sowed the tares. They sprang up together and grew together. The constitution cradled both slavery and liberty. While yet ungrown they dwelt together in peace. The rebellious youth, quarreled when half grown and fought when of full age. The final catastrophe was inevitable. The South, like a queenly beauty, grew imperious and existing. The great smoke of battle, gory banners upon desperate battlefields, an army of slow moving crippled horses, graveyards as populous as cities, they were all in the clouded horizon, though he saw them not."  
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war of modern days, or it may be said, of any age. Into this sulphurous storm of war he stepped and in the midst of it, he died. It is difficult that he could obtain a command. Once set forward, Donelson, Shiloh, Vicksburg, Chattanooga, the wilderness of Spottsylvania, Petersburg, Appomattox—these were his triumphs. He was not fighting without political favor from the bottom to the very highest command, not second to any living commander in all the world. His plans were large, his will undiscouraged, his heart unbroken. He was not fighting for reputation nor for the display of generalship, nor for a future presidency. He had one motive, and that as intense as life itself—the subjugation of the rebel, and the restoration of the Union. He embodied the feelings of common people. He was their perfect representative. The war was waged for the maintenance of the Union, the suppression of rebel resistance, and at length for the eradication of slavery. He never wavered, turned aside or dallied. He waded through blood to the horses' bridle.  
"In all this career he never lost courage or equanimity; with a million for his opponents he was tranquil, neither depressed by disaster nor elated by success.  
"He was, in his heart, with all, never boasting, always modest. Grant came of the old self contained stock of men, of a simple force of being, which allied his genius to the great elemental forces of fire, lightning, invisible, irresistible, and his was done and the defeat of the Confederate armies was final, this dreadful man of blood was tender toward his late adversaries as a woman toward her son. He imposed no humiliations, and he spared the feelings of his antagonists, sent home the disbanded Southern men with food and with horses for working their crops, and when a revengeful spirit in the excited South would have attacked and killed the chief Southern General, Grant with a holy indignation interposed himself and compelled his superior to relinquish his rash purposes."  
"There have been men, there are yet, for stupidity is long-lived, who regarded Grant as only a man of luck. Surely he was. Is it not luck through such an ancestry to have had conferred upon him such a body, such a variable experience, such a military genius and such an indomitable will? For four years and more this man performed every function of strategy in grand war which history has recorded. He defeated Napoleon and Napier to Wellington.  
"Whether Grant could have conducted a successful retreat will never be known. He was never defeated. Grant has been severely criticised for the waste of life, but it was not created for the purpose of life, but by a noble spending of blood to save the commonwealth. The great end which he achieved would have been cheaply gained if the waste of life were avoided. He turned to the Army of the Potomac he reversed the methods of all who had preceded him. Braver soldiers never were, and valiant commanders, but other Generals had not the will to win. The blood of Grant's intent. Peace is very good for peace, but war is organized rage. It means destruction or it means nothing. At the battle of the Wilderness Grant stripped the commissary train and his guards to fill a gap in the line of battle."  
"When expostulated with for exposing his army to the loss of all its provisions, his reply was: 'When this army is whipped it will want no provisions.' He had, before all the autumn, all the winter, all the spring and early summer again he hampered Lee with blow on blow until at Appomattox the great, but not greatest, Southern general went to the ground."  
"Grant was a great fighter, but not a fighter only. His mind took in the whole field of war as wide and complete as any that ever lived. He combined in his plans the operations of the arms and the military force were acting in concert. The fame of his generals was as dear to him as was his own. He ordered Lee to be arrested. President Johnson became President, a man well fitted for carrying on a fight, but not skilled in peace. With a morbid sense of justice, he determined that the leaders of the rebellion should be made to suffer as examples, as if the death of all the first born, the desolation of every Southern home, the impoverished condition and bankruptcy of every citizen were not example enough for the rebellion. He would not be arrested. When Johnson would have employed the army to effect his purpose, Grant, with quick but noble rebellion, refused obedience to his superior, and arranging to take from his hands all military control repressed the President's wild temper and savage purpose of dishonoring justice."  
"Having brought the long and disastrous war to a close in his own hand, Grant would have chosen to have rested upon his laurels and lived a retired life. It was not to be permitted. He was called to the presidency by universal acclaim, and it fell to him to conduct a campaign of reconstruction, even more burdensome than the war. It would seem impossible to combine, in one, eminent civil and military genius. To a certain extent they have elements in common. The predominant element in Grant was organization; in civil government influence. Statesmanship is less brilliant than generalship, but requires a different and higher moral and intellectual training. It is not that Grant was not a great ruler, the elements of a great general and of a great ruler. Washington was eminent in statesmanship, but then he was not a great ruler. He had no military talent and no opportunity to develop the fact. In the readjustment of the political relations of the South Grant was wise, generous, magnanimous in his career. A man, he was, without a vice, with an abundance of virtues, of lies and ineradicable love of truth, of perfect loyalty to friendship, neither envious of others nor selfish for himself, with a zeal for the public good that he left to memory no record of weakness as connect him with humanity, and such virtues as will rank him with heroes. For the hour sympathy rolled, as if over a bonnet. It closed the last furrow of war; it extinguished the light of prejudice; it effaced the last vestige of hatred, and cursed be the hand that shall bring them back. Johnson and Buckner on one side, Sherman and Sheridan on the other, he bier, he has come to his tomb, a silent symbol that liberty has conquered slavery, patriotism rebellion and peace war. He rests in peace. No drums or cannon shall disturb the slumber of his repose. Another trumpet shall shake the heavens and another earth; then come forth to glory, to immortality."  
THE GRANT BENEFIT FUND.  
NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—A meeting of the subscribers to the Grant benefit fund was held this afternoon for the purpose of deciding what disposal should be made of the \$250,000 fund raised for the late Gen. Grant. It was voted that the fund be continued for the benefit of Mrs. Grant, to be disposed of by her as she sees fit. Since the General's death the income from the fund has been paid regularly to Mrs. Grant. It is stated that Mrs. Grant has already provided for the disposal of the money after her death by will. It will be equally divided between her daughter, Mrs. Sartoris, and her three daughters-in-law.  
MR. GOULD RAISES AN OBJECTION.  
At the meeting of the subscribers to the Grant \$250,000 fund held today in Oliver Hoyt's office, Jay Gould, one of the subscribers, found fault with the managers of the fund. He said that he would like to know why he and other subscribers had not been notified of a meeting or invited to take

part in the management of the fund. He thought that the fund should have been invested in government bonds, and advised that it be so placed now. Mr. Hoyt explained that the investment in Washash bonds was made at the urgent solicitation of ex-Gov. Morgan. It was against the judgment of the trustees to buy the bonds on their merits, but upon Mr. Morgan's guarantee, the interest they invested \$215,000 in them. The rest of the fund was kept loaned out on call. As a matter of fact the fund never amounted to \$250,000; only \$50,000 subscription and several smaller ones were never collected. Interest was some times allowed to accumulate at first, but after the Grant & Ward failure Gen. Grant asked for the interest, amounting to \$700 or \$800, and it was paid to him. Part of the money not invested in Washash bonds was put into Nickel Plate bonds.  
Mr. Hewitt wished to state that he was as much responsible as Mr. George Jones was for these investments. The trustees had done as they considered best. He had himself made up deficiencies caused by default in interest. Henry Day, an executor of the Morgan estate, argued that the investment in Washash bonds was a good one, that the interest was higher than on government bonds and the guarantee of the estate made the fund perfectly safe.  
Mr. J. T. Terry, a trustee of the fund, stated that the deficiency amounted to \$28,200.  
Mr. Gould said that he and Mr. C. P. Huntington stood ready to pay their share to complete the fund, making it \$250,000.  
Mr. George Jones said he was heartily in favor of the fund, but he did not wish to have the onerous cares of its management any longer. He put in a written statement of his transactions, and requested to be released from further obligations.  
A resolution offered by Judge Noah Davis was then agreed to by Mr. Jones, who held proxies for seven-eighths of the subscription, and was adopted. It provides that the fund shall be placed in trust with the United States Trust Co.

## POLITICAL.

### THE RETURNS IN COURT.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 22.—Fully half an hour before the time for opening of Judge Burkwalter's Court the room was crowded with people. At the attorney's table sat W. M. Bateman and Noyes on one side and ex-Congressman I. M. Jordan on the other. At 10 precisely Judge Burkwalter took his seat and ordered the issue of a mandamus to the two Democratic judges to put under cover and seal the returns of Precinct E, Ward 18, and hand them to Clerk Dalton, but stated that the issue of the mandamus does not indicate what is the duty of Clerk Dalton as to what disposition he shall make of the returns thus delivered to him. Mr. Bateman gave notice of an appeal to the Circuit Court. At the conclusion of the mandamus proceedings the petition came up to consider the temporary restraining order issued last evening. Forbidding Clerk Dalton to deliver certificates of election to the four Democratic candidates of Hamilton County for the Ohio Senate. Counsel for the Democrats wanted the injunction dissolved forthwith, while counsel for the Republicans asked that the hearing of the petition be deferred until Circuit Court shall have heard arguments on an alternate writ of mandamus to Clerk Dalton filed this morning, instructing him what are legal returns for him to receive and canvass, and forbidding him to issue certificates to any senatorial candidate till after the decision of the Circuit Court. Counsel for the Democrats wanted the injunction dissolved forthwith, while counsel for the Republicans asked that the hearing of the petition be deferred until Circuit Court shall have heard arguments on an alternate writ of mandamus to Clerk Dalton filed this morning, instructing him what are legal returns for him to receive and canvass, and forbidding him to issue certificates to any senatorial candidate till after the decision of the Circuit Court. Counsel for the Democrats wanted the injunction dissolved forthwith, while counsel for the Republicans asked that the hearing of the petition be deferred until Circuit Court shall have heard arguments on an alternate writ of mandamus to Clerk Dalton filed this morning, instructing him what are legal returns for him to receive and canvass, and forbidding him to issue certificates to any senatorial candidate till after the decision of the Circuit Court.

## OBITUARY.

**DEATH OF MRS. BOOTH.**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The mother of Edwin Booth died at the residence of her son, Julius A. Booth, in Morris Flats, in Twenty-third street, this morning of pneumonia, aged eighty-three years. She will be buried in Baltimore.  
**DEATH OF AN INSURANCE MAN.**  
Mortis Franklin, the president of the New York Life Insurance Co., died this morning at his house at Flushing, L. I., aged eighty-one years.  
**DEATH OF AN ACTOR.**  
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22.—Augustus F. Boyle, Jr., better known as Harry G. Richmond, the comedian, died in Camden Tuesday last of consumption. His funeral will take place from his late residence, 801 South Fourth street, Camden, to-morrow afternoon.  
Let Some Naturalist Explain.  
CHESTER, Ill., Oct. 19.—Considerable speculation is being indulged in by local scientists and persons interested in arboriculture regarding the strange freak of a maple tree which is constantly absorbing and scattering water over the passers-by on the principal street of our city. The tree is of fine proportions, with a trunk of about twelve inches in diameter and a height to its topmost twigs of about twenty feet, stands on the edge of the sidewalk in front of the residence of Mr. Wm. L. Cohen, and for the past two weeks, day and night, there has been constantly falling from its branches water in sufficient quantity to keep the fence and pavement beneath quite wet, and the drops falling on the passers-by cause those unacquainted with the source from which they come, to think a light shower is passing over. A great many people have visited the place, but no one has been able to advance as to the cause. It is a nut for some of the scientific readers of the Republican to crack, and the solution of the mystery is looked forward to with interest. To our people it is as much of a riddle as is the probable outcome of the postoffice fight.

## FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

**LI HUNG CHANG RESTORED TO FAVOR.**  
LONDON, Oct. 22.—The Times prints a Shanghai dispatch saying that Li Hung Chang recently paid a long visit to the Emperor at Peking, and is again in high favor at court. It is also stated that during the visit the Chinese Premier arranged to put in operation at once several important reform measures. The restoration of Li Hung Chang to court favor argues well for the progress of China.  
**IRELAND.**  
**IRISH CONFEDERATION.**  
LONDON, Oct. 22.—With a view of enabling Irishmen to hoist the standard of revolution in event of Mr. Parnell's securing the restoration of an Irish Parliament, Mr. James Stephens, formerly head center of the Fenian Brotherhood, is preparing a public letter, to be addressed to Michael Davitt, demanding the union and confederation of the Irish Nationalists in Ireland and America. Mr. Stephens will meanwhile support the Parnellites and endeavor by his influence to induce the dynamiters to give a fair trial to Mr. Parnell's methods before engaging any further in their peculiar tactics.  
The Western Union.  
NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—At a meeting of the directors of the Western Union Telegraph Co. today, Dr. Green was re-elected president, and Gen. Eckert, general manager. Col. Clowry, of Chicago, was elected a vice-president, and made a member of the executive committee.

## MINNIE WALLACE WALKUP

Dr. Jacobs, Walkup's Physician, on the Stand.

Mr. Walkup's Indiscretion and Aversion to Powders—Must Have Taken a Quantity of Arsenic.

EMPORIA, Kan., Oct. 22.—In the trial of Mrs. Minnie Walkup to-day the certificate of analysis of the stomach of the deceased Mr. Walkup was introduced. It certifies to the finding of arsenic in appreciable quantities. After the examination of several important witnesses, Dr. Jacobs, who first suspected poison as the cause of Walkup's death, testified:

"I saw Mr. Walkup the Tuesday previous to his death and found him very sick, suffering with nausea and vomiting. There was an indescribable, uneasy sensation of pain in his stomach and the region above his stomach; also an uneasy sensation generally in his bowels; also purging. His face manifested suffering; his pulse was frequent and intermittent. There was no fever."

"I saw him four times," said the witness, "the following days, during all of which time he was suffering in a similar manner. In the afternoon of Wednesday I prevailed upon him to let me give him a hypodermic injection of morphia, the effect of which seemed to quiet his distressing symptoms, that is, his nausea and vomiting. Thursday morning, the 20th, I found him better and informed him that he was doing so well that it was unnecessary for me to see him any more that day, and that I would call the next day. Mr. Walkup had informed me that he had eaten oysters, served in vinegar, and drank a bottle of pop at about 11 o'clock on Thursday. I rebuked him for so doing and told him a man of his experience ought to exercise more discretion under such circumstances. I was very naturally of the impression that the sickness was the result of that indiscretion in diet. His improvement on Thursday I attributed to the morphia injection. It was the first dose of medicine I had been able to give him, which excited any influence, and in greater distress stomach and bowels were in such a condition that the medicine would not affect him. He objected to the hypodermic injection, but I prevailed upon him to take it. I showed him that it was not painful by running the needle into my own hand. He consented to take it. Thursday evening I was again telephoned for by Mrs. Walkup. I found Mr. Walkup again suffering with vomiting, and in greater distress than at any previous time, and in a condition of collapse. His hands, his face, and his feet were cold and clammy. I tried to prevail upon him to let me give him a hypodermic injection of morphia, but he declined. He said he wished I would not give him medicine in powders, that he did not want to take powders. Mrs. Walkup said she complained of grittiness in the powders. There should have been no grittiness in the prescription. Arsenic would produce grittiness in the throat. Arsenic is a mineral or metallic poison, acting locally in such a way as to pass into the bile and the circulation of the blood and the other organs generally, and poisons wherever it exists. I am of the opinion that Mr. Walkup's death was the result of arsenic poisoning. There is no other poison that I know of that would be likely to produce the appearances and symptoms we have in this case. The corrosive and other poison would not have produced a typical condition that was not present in this case. I must conclude that Mr. Walkup had taken more than a dose of commercial arsenic given in considerable quantity, as the powder would, in my opinion, produce a sensation of coarseness and grittiness in the throat."

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STATE SPECIAL SIFTINGS.

Mr. Littleton Fined at Weatherford for Insulting Ladies.

Weddings at Tyler, Texarkana and Whitesboro. Brenham and the Baylor University. Court Notes and Cotton Trade.

Weatherford.

WEATHERFORD, Oct. 22.—To-day in the County Court the case of the State vs. Jesse Littleton was tried before a jury. The defendant was charged with going into a private house and disturbing the inmates thereof by swearing, cursing, yelling, etc. The proof showed that Mr. Parks gave a select dance at his residence in November last to which he invited Mr. Jesse Littleton among others. After everything had gone merrily for a time, Mr. Littleton and a Mr. Smith became involved in a quarrel about a position on the floor. Some hot words ensued, when Mr. Parks, the prosecuting witness, came on the scene and ordered both parties peremptorily to get out of his house, to which Littleton demurred, and he and Parks became involved in a quarrel. By this time a crowd had gathered around and a fight was prevented. The young ladies had adjourned to a private room. One or two witnesses testified that Littleton swore, while others contradicted them. Mr. Littleton was fined \$1 and costs for the action. The County Attorney promised in his closing argument to look after Mr. Smith and the others who were swearing. The parties live about four miles in the country.

Dr. J. Wright Dickey, of Poolville, this county, left on the evening train for Cincinnati, Ohio, to attend the lectures of the Homeopathic Medical School. Dr. Dickey in past years was one of the boys of this place, and his many friends wish him unbounded success.

Something over 200 bales of cotton in town today.

The criminal docket of the County Court is about completed.

City Marshal D. C. Bratton was around today gathering street tax.

Some substantial improvements have recently been made on Spring street, in the western part of the town.

In the County Court today Fred Whitset was fined \$300 for shooting a dog in April. James White pleaded guilty to an indictment charging him with disturbing the peace.

Justice John W. Squires has been very sick at his residence for some time, and so far has improved very slowly.

Brenham.

BRENHAM, Oct. 22.—The Board of Trustees of Baylor University and Female College, in session here, have appointed a committee of five members to issue an address to the people of Texas, stating terms upon which the schools, jointly or either one of them, will be located at any point desiring them and will receive bids up to Jan. 1 next. The committee of five will report Jan. 6 to the joint committee composed of the Board of Trustees of Baylor University and Baylor Female College and fifteen members appointed by the Baptist State Convention. At this meeting it will be determined whether the institutions will be located. It is expected by that time it will determine whether the General Baptist Association, which controls Waco University, will have agreed with the committee as to whether or not there will be a consolidation of Waco and Baylor Universities. The following are the committee of five: C. R. Breedlove, A. W. Dunn, Harry Haynes, J. B. Link and F. M. Law.

Tyler.

TYLER, Oct. 22.—The social event of the season was the marriage of Miss Florence Brown and Mr. T. C. Coffman by Rev. Geo. Patterson, at Christ's Church, at 8 o'clock on the evening of the 20th instant. Both the contracting parties being most popular here this supreme epoch in their lives was witnessed by friends and relatives, who crowded the church to its utmost capacity. After the performance of the ceremony the bridal party, with relatives and special friends, went to the residence of the bride's brother, where a reception and sumptuous supper were had. The bride being a young lady of rare beauty appeared to a striking advantage in her costume of white satin, "a train" adorned with diamonds.

A concert has been arranged to occur on the 27th inst., for the purpose of assisting the Douglas Rifles to purchase uniforms. This company is now a credit to the city.

No intelligence of the prisoners, who escaped from the county jail on the night of the 20th inst., has been received here.

PLANO.

PLANO, Oct. 22.—A fist fight occurred this morning in Skelton's saloon between Wiley Skelton and Bill Bogges. The latter was badly used up about the eyes. Both parties were arrested and fined the usual sum and costs.

Rev. R. W. Thompson, of Marshall, who has been here for several days, returned home today.

Miss M. Schimmler, of Lafayette, Ind., has just arrived and is a guest of her brother, Fred Schimmler, here.

Five hundred and two bales of cotton were shipped from this station to-day, and at least 700 bales still remains in the yard awaiting shipment.

A bale of cotton belonging to J. W. Huffman was stolen from Blatch's gin yard last night. No trace of same can be found.

Orange.

ORANGE, Oct. 22.—The District Court is progressing slowly with a heavy criminal docket, which is almost concluded. The most important cases were continued. Attorney A. S. Johns, of Beaumont, supplies District Attorney Seal's place, Mr. Seal being absent on account of sickness.

Yesterday was occupied by the case of the State vs. Westmoreland, assault with intent to murder; verdict not guilty.

To-day the State vs. Frank Henderson, assault with intent to murder; not guilty.

The grand jury this day has only found two bills, both for assault with intent to murder.

Dr. Edgar Brown, who was wounded at Edgerly a short time since, is able to be out again; also Archie McLean, who was accidentally shot the same day.

Terrell.

TERRELL, Oct. 22.—The exposition committee met in the parlors of the Harris Hotel last evening. The discussion was on the best and cheapest plan of collecting an exhibit that would properly represent the city and adjacent country. Several plans were proposed and considered, but the meeting adjourned without adopting any definite course to meet at the same place on Friday night.

The Opera-house will be managed this season by Col. Jim Harris, and the theater-going public may rest assured that they will have an opportunity of seeing some of the best companies on the boards.

A company composed of H. M. Swan and Charles Jett, two drummers, and R. M. Powers and N. H. Neely, two preachers, went to Sand Lake fishing to-day. Some new and original fish stories may be expected within the next few days.

Whitesboro.

WHITESBORO, Oct. 22.—Yesterday evening, Rev. D. F. Fuller officiating, Mr. F. P. Varley and Miss Addie Newman were quietly married at her father's residence on Trolinger avenue. The ceremony ended, the happy couple repaired to the home of the groom, seven miles south of this place.

This evening at 8 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. W. D. Ligon, Mr. George B. Adkins, a successful young merchant, was united in marriage to Miss Annie M. Ligon, one of Whitesboro's popular young ladies. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. J. C. Carpenter, of Sherman. A number of valuable presents were received by the bride and groom. An elegant supper was served to the numerous guests, and the occasion was one of the happiest events of the season.

Several cases of drouge have been reported, but the late frost is nipping the progress of the disease.

Rev. D. T. Fuller is conducting a revival at the Methodist Church. There have been several converts, and the meeting will continue through this week.

About thirty emigrants from Southern Illinois arrived to-day and will locate here. Unmistakable coal signs have been discovered four miles north of here. The outcropping vein is about three feet thick. A shaft has been sunk seventy-five feet, and the present strata indicates the proximity of a second vein.

El Paso.

EL PASO, Oct. 22.—C. Flores, a Mexican, was found near the Parker Hotel today in an insensible condition. An examination showed that he had a dangerous wound in the head. He was taken to the city station house, where he testified that he was in-

jured in Paso del Norte. He was placed in the hands of connections and may recover.

District Court will open here the coming Monday week. There is a good docket accumulated. One of the leading cases that will come before Judge Falvey is a cattle case from Valentine Station, involving \$15,000.

The City Council lately ordered the opening of a number of streets, and a committee is looking into the cost of the buildings and ground which will have to be taken for the public good. A large adobe structure is now in process of destruction.

Eighteen hundred acres of valley land near San Elisario exchanged hands to-day, and will be devoted to vineyards by experienced parties.

Several hundred thousand pounds of mission grapes were shipped from here during the season just closed.

Gainesville.

GAINESVILLE, Oct. 22.—The cotton receipts yesterday were 191 bales.

Rev. J. E. Eoff, pastor of the Baptist Church, is very sick with malarial fever.

A movement is on foot to organize a military company for Gainesville. The requisite number has been obtained and the company will be organized Friday night.

A large lot of cotton was received yesterday from Wise County.

The insurance companies yesterday settled with J. C. Drew, grocer, for his loss in the fire of the 12th.

The question of the city purchasing the waterworks is being agitated.

The houses burned on the west side of the square recently will be rebuilt at once.

C. R. Smith and bride returned from Chicago to-day.

Chapell Hill.

CHAPELL HILL, Oct. 22.—There are only five white families in town yet to contract the drouge.

Cotton is coming in rapidly, and by Nov. 1 there will be none in the fields. There have been shipped to date 2288 bales. There are in the cottonyards awaiting shipment 300 bales, and in the country, not yet marketed, perhaps 700 bales more. Planters have almost consummated their arrangements with hands to work the plantations another year, and a great deal of corn will have to be shipped in to supply their wants.

Palentine.

PALENTINE, Oct. 22.—A good deal of surprise as well as regret was felt by citizens here this morning at the announcement that the photograph art gallery of F. B. Baily had been closed by creditors. Mr. Baily had been in arrears for \$300 to A. S. Bowers and \$350 to Mrs. Terry of Ashton, Ohio, whose deceased husband owned an interest in the gallery. It is claimed that the gallery, fixtures, etc., are worth fully \$1500, but hard times have made it impossible for Mr. Baily to meet his obligations.

Brackett.

BRACKETT, Oct. 22.—The County Court has been in session for two weeks and much business was transacted. A dozen of the gambling fraternity were fined and sent to jail for ten days. This has caused quite a sensation, and it is claimed that it will entirely break up gambling in this place.

Chaplain Merrill, of Fort Clark, was returned from a summer's leave of absence to-day, and will be in the city for the purpose of the garrison and citizens on Sunday night.

Crowley.

CROWLEY, Oct. 22.—The drouge ran over this town rough shod this last week. It came suddenly, and commenced breaking the people's bones without warning. It was believed it would break the back of one citizen, but it is believed he is about to rally now.

Crowley has had a fine fall so far for the farmers to finish sowing their small grain.

A cold norther has been blowing for the last few days.

Curo.

CURO, Oct. 22.—The News to-night was greedily sought after when it was learned that Jack Evans had been removed and Senterday Kleberg appointed in his place. Great enthusiasm prevails here over the intelligence. For the first time since the war the German population here has a representative in a federal office. Congressman Crain carries another scalp on his belt, and is busy sharpening his scalping knife for more.

Bonham.

BONHAM, Oct. 22.—The new engine for Fisher's mill is being placed in position. This is the finest engine ever brought here. Cotton is coming in quite lively.

A. P. Chamberlain, the jail contractor, was called to the bedside of his dying sister, in Sherman, yesterday.

The trustees of the public schools gave the children a holiday to-day on account of the presence of Barrett's circus. This action on the part of the board is severely criticized by some, who are opposed to circus going, and especially giving such an indulgence as this would indicate.

Galvett.

GALVETT, Oct. 22.—Mr. A. Y. Curtis and Miss Clara Daunis were married last night at the residence of the bride's mother in this city. Miss Clara is a niece of Mr. H. B. Mistrot, of the firm of Adowe & Mistrot. Mr. Curtis is doing business with the above firm.

The drouge still holds on. Otherwise the city is in good health.

Cotton continues to roll in.

The fire companies' new bell, weighing 2400 pounds, that was presented to them by the city, has arrived, and a new tower is now being erected to receive it.

Kyle.

KYLE, Oct. 22.—Pete Hill, who is a ginner at Warnkin's gin, four miles south of town, had his right arm so terribly mutilated this evening by being caught in the saws that amputation above the elbow was necessary. At last accounts the sufferer was resting quietly.

The postoffice continues to excite interest, but as yet no appointment has been made.

Everybody almost is down with the drouge.

Two thousand and five hundred bales of cotton have been shipped to date, and it is still rolling in.

The weather continues fine, and considerable cotton coming in daily.

Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 22.—The fire that occurred on the eastbound (No. 143) train yesterday has all been righted and the loss is about \$12,000 or \$13,000. Loss on cotton, \$9000, and the balance on the road and cars. The cotton has been coming in lively all day and commands good prices. Receipts up to 4 o'clock are 3074 bales.

Van Alstyne.

VAN ALSTYNE, Oct. 22.—Yesterday Terhune & Yeakum filed suit in the Federal Court, at Dallas, against Hampton & Co., of St. Louis, against Hampton & Sledge, and levied attachments on a drug store and saloon in this town. Hampton claims to have sold out to his father.

The Farmers' Alliance are in town to-day with about 600 bales of cotton.

Marlin.

MARLIN, Oct. 22.—About 8500 bales of cotton have been received here up to date, and about 7000 bales have been shipped. A number of houses are filled with cotton seed, and there is a demand for more, on account of no transportation.

Corn is coming in and bringing a good price; selling at 40 and 45 cents a bushel.

Autopsy of a Suicide.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 22.—A post mortem examination was made this morning of the body of M. Hoyt, who committed suicide at the Clayton House. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict this afternoon that deceased came to his death from an overdose of morphine, taken with suicidal intent. There is a large scar resembling the marks of a terrible burn on the left side of the abdomen. The body was photographed this morning, and copies will be sent to the police of all large cities. His general appearance was that of a German professor.

THE BAYOU CITY BUDGET.

Disposition of Cases in the Criminal District Court.

Killed by a Railroad Train—An Entertaining Chapter on Railroad History and the Late Mr. Cowdry.

Special to The News.

HOUSTON, Oct. 22.—This morning in the Criminal Court W. J. Willson was arraigned on the charge of murdering Gallatin Gumm. On motion of the District Attorney the case was continued and the prisoner placed under \$1000 bond. Adam Clay and Thomas B. Hicks became his bondsmen.

A lawyer fired two shots from a revolver at an opponent whose first had proved a knock down argument. The rejoinder, however, was not sufficiently direct or the points well taken, for he was disarmed without injury to his opponent and placed under bond.

A young man named Willie Collins was run over this morning at Chaney Junction by freight train No. 8. Justice Bailey held an inquest over the remains. The jury rendered a verdict that deceased came to his death through his own negligence by stepping on the tracks of the freight train, and that no blame can be attached to the railroad company.

The case of Thomas Williamson vs. the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railroad Co. was tried this morning in the District Court. The jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$1000.

SCRAP OF RAILROAD HISTORY.

A gentleman well informed upon the subject furnishes THE NEWS with the following bit of railroad history, called forth by an erroneous statement published this morning in a brief sketch of the late N. A. Cowdrey. The Galveston, Houston and Henderson Railroad was built in 1868-69 from Virginia Point to Houston. An agent was sent to Europe to negotiate the bonds of the company, who squandered the larger portion of them at Paris and London, and little or no return was made to the company. The road was sold in 1860 to satisfy claims of the contractors for construction, a Galveston syndicate of five men at Paris and London, and they organized a stock company and operated the road until 1866, and completed connection with this city. They also purchased terminal property at each end of the road. N. A. Cowdrey, of New York, had gathered up a majority of these bonds in the meanwhile, and began a suit in the United States Court in 1866. Tipton Walker was then appointed receiver, subsequently Robert Caldwell, but Cowdrey, during the incumbency of each, was in fact the receiver. The suit in the United States Court, which was begun under Judge Watrous, was continued for years, and finally decided before Judge Bradley, a United States Circuit Judge, in favor of Cowdrey and James, and this decision was confirmed by the United States Supreme Court in 1870. Under this decree in 1871, and purchased by Cowdrey and James, who subsequently reconveyed it to the former owners, who formed a new company under the style of the Galveston, Houston and Henderson Railroad, of 1871, insisting to Cowdrey in payment of the purchase about \$1,500,000 new mortgage 1 per cent bonds. 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AFFAIRS AT FORT WORTH.

Another Chapter in the Killing of Frank Boyland.

Confession of Ed Collins—Railroad Improvements Assured—Heavy Beef Contract. Personal and General Notes.

Special to The News.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 22.—The arrest day before yesterday of Tobe Turner and Ed Collins for the killing of the negro boy, Frank Boyland, and the confession of Turner, as reported to THE NEWS last night, have created considerable excitement in the city to-day. This morning Turner was taken to the scene of the killing by Assistant County Attorney Ross Bowlin, Sheriff Maddox and Deputies Tucker and Castleberry. Turner piloted them to the spot where the negro's body had been found, and several teeth and pieces of his skull were picked up. The weapon with which the deed had been committed could not be found, and Turner stated that he had thrown it in the lake. No trace of the dog slain the day of the killing of the negro could be found, and the party returned to the city. This afternoon the same party took Collins out, and while he was in the thickets an effort was made to extort a confession from him, which proved unavailing until the spot where the killing was committed was reached.

COLLINS CONFESSES.

Here Collins weakened, and asked Bowlin if he would allow him to turn State's evidence. Bowlin said he would make no promises, and after further persuasion Collins told what the officers think is the straight of the whole affair. He stated that he and Collins had driven a few cattle from Coppinger's near the river, and that he had a pasture adjoining. These had been found and driven back by the negro who was in Coppinger's employ. The cattle were driven out again and once more taken back by Bowlin. Seeing that it was useless to attempt to steal the cattle while Boyland was around, it was decided to kill him and take the cattle afterward. Therefore, on Aug. 15, Turner and Collins, with two other men, went to the livery stable of Turner's brother, in this city, and armed themselves rode out to the pasture. On a pretext of hunting stray cattle, they induced the negro boy to accompany them down in the bottom. The negro rode ahead and Turner dismounted and picked up

A HEAVY ASH CUB

of about four feet long. Armed with this he rode up behind Boyland, and after exchanging a few words with him, hit him with the end of the ash cub, and when the boy fell from his horse, Turner then dismounted and beat his skull in with three blows of the club. The two men then attached a rope to Boyland's feet and dragged him about 200 yards into the thickets. The boy gave a groan when he was first struck, but said nothing and was probably dead before he reached the ground. Collins, after this confession, showed the party the trail which was made by the dog's body. This trail was plainly visible and was still marked with blood. Collins then went directly to the place where he said Turner threw the club, and there it was found with blood stains still upon it.

THE DEAD DOG.

He then directed the party to a clump of brush, where they found the remains of the faithful dog. Collins stated that he had killed the dog the day after the murder of the negro; that he was impelled by something, he could not explain what, to go to where the dead dog was lying, and that when he came near the spot the dog ran out and barked at him, then ran back. Collins followed and saw the animal kicking the face of the dead boy. Collins then told the party that he had compelled the negro to kill the dog, but he hated to do it "a-d-d right words than he hated to kill the nigger." He had a spear around the dog's neck and took him about 200 yards away and shot him.

THE TRAGIC TRAPPINGS.

The strap, the skull of the dog and the club were brought to the city and are now in the possession of the County Attorney, along with the skull of Boyland. The general opinion is that Collins tells the truth, and it is predicted that he will go to the penitentiary and Turner will hang. The Assistant County Attorney says he has evidence enough to do this. The murdered negro was a faithful employe, and it was principally owing to the fact that his employer took such an interest in working up the case after his return from England.

RETURNED HOME.

W. J. Boaz, C. B. Daggett, C. H. Rindelman and D. W. Humphreys, members of the committee sent to St. Louis to confer with the Missouri Pacific officials, returned this morning and report that the object of the expedition was accomplished. As a result of the conference, Houston street will shortly be opened to the railroad to a junction with Main street. A street will be run under the track near the Union Depot, and the premises which were moved west of Main street. Nothing definite was known as to the location of machine shops at this point, but the promise was made that they will be located here sometime. When this work is begun, Jennings avenue will be bridged across the track.

HEAVY BEEF CONTRACT.

Isaac Dohlman, of this city, has closed a contract with an English syndicate to furnish them 3000 beef cattle, frozen by the refrigerator process, to be delivered on wharf at Galveston every fortnight for five years. The price to be paid is 6 cents for the beef and 9 cents per pound for the hides. It is expected the shipments will commence next month.

ANOTHER CRIMINAL CONFESION.

Dr. H. E. Wooten, of Kemper, Tex., arrived in the city this afternoon, having in charge J. T. Jones, whom he arrested near Cleburne, this morning, on suspicion of being the man who shot and killed Wm. Christman, the stockman, near Harrold, about three weeks ago. In making the arrest Dr. Wooten was assisted by two others, and several shots were exchanged, but no one was hurt. The doctor then got the drop on Jones, who then surrendered. On his way here Jones made the following statement: He came from Tennessee to Texas about three years ago, and has for some time been robbing stages in Montana and Idaho. He came back to Texas about a month ago, trying to escape from the United States authorities. As he was riding a jaded horse between Harrold and Wichita Falls he was overtaken by Wm. Christman and another man, and they traveled several miles together in the direction of the Falls. Failing in his efforts to exchange his horse for the one ridden by Christman, he determined to kill them both and take the horses. He accordingly drew his pistol and shot Christman through the heart and wounded the other man, who immediately took to the woods. Jones mounted Christman's horse and rode off. A reward of \$3000 has been offered for his arrest by Christman's brother, who is a wealthy stockman of Gatesville. Jones will be held here to await identification by the man wounded, who will arrive to-morrow.

A FIERY FLY.

An alarm from box twenty-seven at 8:30 p. m. called on the fire department, but the fire, which was in the chimney of a house on Twelfth street, was extinguished without its aid.

THEY GATHERED THEM IN.

Three tramps walked into the store of Randall, Chambers & Co. to-day and asked Mr. Chambers for some money, which being refused, they cursed and abused him in an outrageous manner. Officers Tucker and

Witcher happened to be passing just then and gathered them in. A bunch of store keys was found on the person of one of them.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers were filed to-day: W. S. Pendleton and wife to J. D. Rae, 2 acres A. McLanore survey; consideration, \$250. Texas and Colorado Improvement Co. to Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Co., all lots, tracts or parcels of land situated on the said line of railway in the towns from Fort Worth to Wichita Falls, of Wichita Falls, Bellevue, Bowie, Aurora, Wise, Alford, Dido, Sunset, Nina and Gale; price paid, \$1 and other valuable considerations. Marriage licenses were issued to J. A. Murphy and Miss Lillian A. Cunningham; Lawrence Kennedy, colored, and Miss Katie Durham, colored.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Col. J. P. Smith stopped at Kansas City on his way home from the St. Louis conference, and will arrive to-morrow. L. L. Keller, superintendent of the Rio Grande division of the Texas and Pacific Railway, is in the city on business of the road. W. H. Warren left for Jefferson and Marshall to-day on business. Alderman Daggett presided at the Police Court this morning, Recorder Field still being down with the dengue. The city is full of tramps and the number is increasing daily. They come, but they don't seem to go. The Missouri Pacific pay car arrived last night and the Texas Pacific pay car came in this morning. All hands are flush. No County or District Court to-day. Thirty-two indictments for misdemeanors were returned to-day by the grand jury, and the same were issued by County Clerk Swayne.

FROM THE STATE CAPITOL.

Elated Over Kleberg's Appointment—Proposed Riflemen's Association—Presbytery.

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS. AUSTIN, Oct. 22.—The Democrats are elated over Kleberg's appointment as District Attorney. Members of the bar, however, say Evans has no superior as a prosecutor. He had the criminal element intimidated. The annual report of the Marshall and Northwestern Railway, received to-day, shows a paid up capital of \$63,200, and expenses this year of \$62,227 from construction. The road is only beginning to take business. Gen. Walter P. Lane, of Marshall, is here. It is proposed at the prize shoot of the rifle clubs here the 7th and 8th of next month to form a State Riflemen's Association. If the Pecos watered school lands are placed on the market for sale, it is proposed by one member of the board it shall be under competition, after advertising to the world attracting attention to the land. Col. Herring, of Waco, is here as counsel in an important land suit. Comptroller Swain emphatically stated to a News reporter that there is no truth in the report that any kind of a combination or understanding exists between Senator Maxey and himself. Chartered: First Missionary Baptist Church, of Austin; San Angelo Water Works, capital \$30,000. The Presbyterian synod had the usual sessions this morning and afternoon. Rev. M. E. Richardson, of Tennessee, delivered a sermon at the subject of education. The Austin College report was presented, also the report of the Southwestern Presbyterian University of Tennessee, indicating changes in faculty. Thirty students were graduated from the University, ten having entered the theological class at Austin, conducted by Dr. Dabney, of the State University, and De. Smoot, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Austin, as a promising and departing theological education and as an adjunct to the Southwestern University. Dr. R. F. Bunting has been appointed financial agent of the latter institution. This report, which was lengthy, was freely discussed. On resolution to indorse the theological class at Austin the objection was urged that it might be to some extent detrimental to the Presbyterian College at Sherman. Pending discussion the synod adjourned for the day. The ministers in attendance will preach Sunday in most of the Austin pulpits.

WASHINGTON.

APPOINTED COLLECTOR.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The President has appointed Samuel J. Anderson to be collector of customs at Portland, Me.

JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The President late this afternoon made the following appointments: L. K. Church, of New York, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Dakota; Wm. W. Porter, of California, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Arizona; John C. Shields, of Michigan, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Arizona; Evan Long, of Indiana, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New Mexico; Israel Green, agent for the Indians of the Sioux Agency, in Dakota.

RICE MEN PROTEST.

The Secretary of the Treasury gave hearing this morning to representatives of Southern rice producing districts, who have come to protest against the action of the collector of New York regarding the duty on broken or granulated rice.

CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

THE JAIL BREAK AT TYLER.

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS. TYLER, Oct. 22.—The jail break here, mentioned in yesterday's special, was the result of the Commissioners' Court in not having repaired a hole through the brick wall in the jail, which has remained for two years a tempting and obvious means of escape to any prisoner who could liberate himself from the inner cell. The escape was also made possible by the contractors who furnished the county with the cage, putting nothing substantial under the bottom, simply placing it upon loose and soft dirt, which could easily be burrowed through, as was done in this instance. Smith County can boast, among other things more meritorious, of as many enterprising prisoners and of as unreliable an old trap in which to keep them, as any county of her population, "age and chances," in Texas.

SENT UP FOR MISGENERATION.

BRENSHAM, Oct. 22.—Lord Eldred, a white man, was tried in the District Court this evening on a charge of misgeneration. The jury found him guilty and assessed his punishment at a two years in the penitentiary. The prisoner is a bond. He was married in the regular form by a colored minister to a very dusky maiden.

SPORTING MATTERS.

TEXAS CIRCUIT RACES.

PARIS, Oct. 22.—There was a large crowd at the races to-day. The trotting race that was not finished yesterday was completed to-day, and was won by Abner F. Flora second, Executor third. Time—2:30. Second Race—One and one-eight mile trot. Fleur de Lis first, Nat Kramer second, Ailer third. Time—3:46. Third Race—2:20 paces. There were eight starters in this race: Buck Dickerson won the first heat; time, 2:35. Paisley Clunker won the second heat; time, 2:29 1/2. Little Eno won the third heat; time, 2:30 1/2. The race was postponed until to-morrow.

GLIMPSES OF GALVESTON.

Striking Stevedores and Capt. Fowler Confer Together.

The Jennett-Owens Verdict—The City's Exhibit—Boring Holes in a Brigantine to Beat the Insurance Men.

Special to The News.

GALVESTON, Oct. 22.—The opinion in the Supreme Court reversing and remanding the verdict in the Jennett-Owens sheriff's office case is based on the following reasons, and the pleading is reversed on the following grounds: 1. Because if the jury counted the ballots in the Eleventh Ward, and the returns in the Third, Sixth, Seventh and Twelfth Wards, as contended by the appellee, they would be inconsistent and contradictory conclusions upon substantially the same state of facts, and as improper influences were shown to have existed, which may have contributed to bringing about such a verdict, it must be set aside and a new trial awarded. 2. If the jury counted the genuine ballots in the different boxes, giving them to the various candidates for whom they were cast, and gave also to Jennett those which he had lost by reason of their having been tampered with after they were polled, they found upon a state of facts not warranted by the pleading. Had the jury found the special verdict upon the various issues submitted by the parties, the determination of the case here would have been greatly simplified. The judgment is reversed and the case remanded.

A. H. WILHE, Chief Justice.

THE STRIKING STEVEDORES.

To-day the committee of the strikers on the New York wharf submitted to Capt. Sawyer, the agent of the Mallory Line, the reply that was made to their proposition by the colored laborers, tacitly agreeing to a division of the work of the New York Steamship Co. but relegating the matter for a positive answer to the proposition to Capt. Sawyer, who replied to the committee that the matter had now been referred to their attorney, C. J. New York, and he would now have to await a reply from them in reference to the settlement of the present differences. Hence several days will elapse before a decision of the matter may be arrived at.

THE CITY'S COLLECTIVE EXHIBIT.

In pursuance of a resolution adopted by the City Council at its meeting Oct. 9, authorizing Mayor Fulton to appoint a joint committee of arrangements of property holders, representing Galveston's interests, by a collective city exhibit at the North, Central and South American Exhibition, at New Orleans, and for the purpose of arranging for the ceremonies of Galveston at said Exposition. The Mayor to-day appointed the following committee, which is necessarily large, as it will require various sub-committees to collect the Galveston exhibits within the time allotted. It is also the purpose of the committee to enlist the cooperation of ladies contributing to the same, and to secure all classes of exhibits from citizens, and through the instrumentality of Prof. Crowe to illustrate the public school system of Galveston.

THE COMMITTEE IS COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING-NAMED GENTLEMEN:

On behalf of the City Council—James D. Sherwood, Chas. Fowler, Sr., J. G. Goldthwaite, Albert Weiss and J. M. O. Monard.

On behalf of the citizens—Lee Blum, Geo. Walthe, Prof. W. M. Crow, J. A. Robertson, Wm. H. Sinclair, Geo. P. Finley, Garland B. Miller, Julius Runge, T. C. Thompson, John S. Brown, J. Reymorshoffer and J. H. Hawley.

His honor the Mayor, has designated Alderman Jas. D. Sherwood as chairman of the joint, from whom it is learned that the committee will be called together on Monday evening next.

A SUTTLED BRIGANTINE.

The American brigantine P. D. Stillman, which was abandoned at sea on Sep. 24, 1884, was picked up and brought into Bermuda in April, 1885. On examination three holes were found to have been bored through her bottom from the inside, her foremast had been cut away and her ports stove in.

THE SCUTTLERS ARRESTED.

Alfred Bratheron, master; George A. Brown, mate, and F. L. Clayton, managing officer, were arrested by Smith West and Lyons, detectives of Baltimore, last September for conspiring to cast the vessel away and defraud the underwriters.

THE BARBECUE AT BELVILLE.

A Genuine Gala Day—Gov. Ireland, Congressman Miller and Others Speak.

Special to The News.

BELVILLE, Oct. 22.—The grand barbecue came off to-day in fine shape. There was plenty to eat and to spare. Gov. Ireland came last night and was the guest of Hon. William Chesley. The Governor's speech to-day was well received. The people were right glad to see him in their midst, and kept him busy shaking hands. The Governor's speech was mostly on State and county affairs. Hon. James T. Miller, Congressman from this district, entertained the vast audience for an hour on national politics and questions of vital importance to the country at large. Charles Miller followed after dinner in an anti-prohibition speech, which seemed to please his audience. Mr. Miller was born and raised at Belville, and fully appreciated the sentiment of the people of Austin County on all questions of local interest. Hon. W. J. Swanhad promised to be present, but the dengue prostrated him, and the people were very much disappointed. Quite a number of Texas veterans were present, some of whom were moved to tears when Gov. Ireland made some feeling remark in their behalf. Gov. Ireland and Col. Miller left for Austin this evening at 5 o'clock.

Cleburne.

CLEBURNE, Oct. 22.—A. D. Kennard, who has resided in this city for more than thirty years, died yesterday at his residence. He came to this county many years ago from Grimes County, and was a brother of Hon. John R. Kennard, lately deceased, of that county. Mr. Kennard settled near Covington, Hill County, but his residence was in this county. He amassed a large fortune by energy, ability and economy. He died wealthy. He leaves surviving him one son, Mr. M. M. Kennard, when Gov. Ireland was promised to be present, but the dengue prostrated him, and the people were very much disappointed. Quite a number of Texas veterans were present, some of whom were moved to tears when Gov. Ireland made some feeling remark in their behalf. Gov. Ireland and Col. Miller left for Austin this evening at 5 o'clock.

work on the Granbury and Glenrose roads, building new bridges and improving the roads generally.

The Cleburne people are determined to do all in their power to attract the trade from the country intervening, and are succeeding admirably. People here find from good authority that the weeds are growing in the Fort Worth roads.

The case of Heller vs. Mosely was called in the County Court to-day. Some preliminary motions were disposed of. The case will be taken up in the morning.

Dr. Peak has been losing his eggs and chickens of late in a mysterious manner. Getting rather tired of the continued loss of these necessary articles, he concluded to put a stop, or at least to discover the thief by the aid of a little arsenic. Last night he prepared several of the eggs with the poison. This morning the presence of the arsenic in a certain species of cat compelled his whole family to abandon their residence and lodge at a hotel until time and the cool weather should render the house habitable again.

W. J. Terrell, principal of the high schools, is suffering with the dengue.

W. H. Kilton, of Alvarado, is attending county court.

I. A. Paton, also of Alvarado, is in the city.

Jim Blakeney, who has been detained here several days by the dengue, has recovered and continued his commercial tour last night.

Miss Tipton and Miss Sutherland, of Virginia, are visiting Mr. W. H. Sutherland.

Harry Nolan, the assistant telegraph operator, to-day received and delivered a message to the City Marshal, instructing him to arrest a man answering a given description in the morning. The Marshal gave the message to a deputy, who in a short while lit upon this identical operator as the man answering the description. Being a comparative stranger, he required some Hill time, and reported to Nolan the officer that he was not the party named. He got off, however, merely with a good laugh all round.

The stock of groceries of J. M. Shepherd, Jr., was attached to-night by Mrs. J. M. Shepherd, a relative, for \$1300 borrowed money.

Blair Fain, of Decatur, but formerly of Cleburne, passed through to-day on his way to Tennessee with the avowed intention of assuming the name of John A. Fain.

Dr. T. J. Wagley is quite sick.

Cleburne House arrivals: Blair Fain, Decatur; L. R. Herzog, Dallas; L. B. Curtis, Beaumont; C. K. Meriwether, Dallas; R. P. Thrash, Grand Prairie; J. A. Paton, Alvarado; John D. Powell, New York.

DECATUR NOTES.

Efforts to Develop Coal Mines—Highway Robbery—Dynamite Explosion, Etc.

Special to The News.

DECATUR, Oct. 22.—The day is clear and cool. A heavy frost occurred last night.

There are about 50 bales on the square at this time, 12 m. It is bringing from 8.45 to 8.55.

Mr. Granville H. Martin has been in the city since yesterday in the interests of his paper, the Texas Special.

Ed S. Work, of Rhine, is in the city to-day shaking hands with his numerous friends.

Mr. C. D. Cates, one of the stockholders in the Wise County coal mines, informed THE NEWS reporter that he has sent for a lot of dynamite to be used in the mines of the company. He also informs us that there is a steady increase in the demand for coal; so much so that they will have to put an extra force to work.

Mr. S. Bellinger, a worthy man and a printer by trade, died near Aurora, this county, on the 20th inst., of consumption, from which disease he has been a sufferer for about a year. He was highly esteemed by those who knew him. He formerly worked in Memphis, Little Rock, Galveston, and nearly all the cities of Texas, was a fine compositor, and a gentleman in every respect.

It has just been learned that a genuine case of highway robbery occurred near Garvin, in this county, a few days since. As Mr. George Kiloough was going home from Aurora, where he had been to sell his cotton, he was followed by three masked men and robbed of \$75. The same party attempted to dismount a young man near the same place, but were frustrated in their plans.

It is reported that the rear end of Mr. George Wilson's store was blown open with dynamite at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. It is supposed to have been for the purpose of robbing the store.

New Orleans Aldermen Arrested.

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS. NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 22.—Three weeks ago a broker-holding claims for certain witness fees appeared before Judge Rightor, of the Civil District Court, and was granted a mandamus requiring the City Council to make provision for their payment. At the next meeting of the Council the matter was brought up, but no action was had. Certain of the Councilmen who were understood to be opposed to the passage of the ordinance were cited to appear before the court and purge themselves of contempt, and judgment was suspended until they could appear in public. They met again and transacted routine business, but failed to make provision for payment of the warrants. Yesterday evening Judge Rightor issued commitments against Councilmen Callahan, Winn, Brennan, Casey, Carroll, Paterno, and Land, confining them ten days in the parish prison, and exacting a fine of \$50 each for contempt. These gentlemen were all arrested about noon to-day and imprisoned, whereupon they sued out a writ of certiorari and prohibition before Chief Justice Bernudez, alleging that Judge Rightor had exceeded his authority in holding them responsible, in private individuals, for what held up in public capacity. Chief Justice paroled the imprisoned Aldermen and set Nov. 2 for a hearing of their cases.

DENISON DATA.

Proposition to Put in Waterworks Submitted to the Council—General Notes.

Special to The News.

DENISON, Oct. 22.—Last night E. W. Abendroth and associates, of New York city, offered a proposition to the City Council to build waterworks. They propose to furnish seventy-five hydrants at an annual rental of \$100 each, and \$30 dollars per annum for each additional hydrant. The franchise is for twenty years, and the city allowed to purchase the works within ten years, work to be commenced in sixty days and to be completed within nine months. After discussing the matter at length the Council adjourned until Saturday next to give the councilmen time to look into the matter fully.

C. A. Waterhouse, owner of street car lines, arrived last evening from the East.

J. S. Drake, of the Holly works system, is in the city.

Snow in New York.

SYRACUSE, Oct. 22.—Thirty inches of snow fell at Oriskany, this county, yesterday.

Less Bustle and More Confusion.

The new order of the Bernese customs (to prevent one form of smuggling), that ladies wearing bustles must henceforth be searched, though with the necessary politeness, will probably result in less bustle, but more confusion.—Boston Transcript.

The Novel Idea.

It is proposed to change the name of the Mohican to the Messenger Boy. It is to be hoped that she will be the last of such Mohicans.—Savannah News.

The Wherefore.

A philo was the first and. This is why all modern ladies skip a gallinarius cocktail.—Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.

GRANT'S WICKED PARTNER.

Beginning of the Trial of Ferdinand Ward.

Preliminary Skirmish of Counsel—Juries Selected—James D. Fish Appears in the Courtroom.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The Court of Oyer and Terminer has not been so crowded since the trial of Dick Short for attempting to carve Capt. Thomas Phelan, of Kansas City, as it was to-day at the beginning of the trial of Ferdinand Ward. Not more than one-third of those who were anxious to witness the proceedings succeeded in securing admission. An officer stood at the lobby and permitted few to pass him who were not in some way interested in the trial. The implicated jurors filled more than half the courtroom.

Ward came from the Ludlow Street jail at 10:30, in the custody of the warden. The warden kept his charge in an ante-room until within a few minutes before the opening of court. Ward betrayed no nervousness and took his seat with a philosophical expression upon his pale face. District Attorney Martine, with his assistants, Collins and Delaney, and other counsel, came into a few minutes before Judge Barrett took his seat upon the bench. Immediately afterward, Gen. Tracy and Bourke Cochran, who were his counsel, arrived and took seats near their client. After a preliminary motion in reference to a different proceeding had been disposed of by Judge Barrett, Ferdinand Ward was called upon by the Clerk of the Court to stand up. At the same moment Gen. Tracy, holding a copy of the indictment against Ward, charging him with obtaining by false pretenses on May 5, 1884, the sum of \$71,800 from the Marine National Bank, announced that his client would withdraw the plea of not guilty, which had been previously entered, and would instead interpose a demurrer to the indictment.

"We join in the demurrer and are ready to argue it now," was the answer of District Attorney Martine. He took the first and fifth counts of the indictment and argued that as one charged petty larceny and the other false pretenses the prisoner could not be legally subjected to trial upon two specific offenses. Each alleged offense carried with it its own punishment and each was sufficient in itself to render the indictment defective. Gen. Tracy argued also that the indictment as it stood failed to state facts sufficient to sustain it. Assistant District Attorney Nicoll, in reply, stated section 279 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, which authorizes such crimes as Ward is accused of being charged in separate counts. Gen. Tracy continued in support of his motion, saying that the Legislature had intended that several felonies should be charged in the same indictment.

Bourke Cochran came to Gen. Tracy's assistance, but Judge Barrett ruled that the indictment was good, and the task of selecting the jury then commenced. The first man called was Moses Huntoon, of 120 Bank street, the superintendent of the New York Ice Co. In answer to the questions of Assistant District Attorney Nicoll, Mr. Huntoon said he had no acquaintance with James D. Fish or Ferdinand Ward, and that he never had any transactions with Grant & Ward, nor with the Marine Bank, J. H. Work, nor William H. Hunt, the answer to Bourke Cochran Mr. Huntoon said he had not read much about the affairs of Grant & Ward, and that he had no opinion as to the guilt or innocence of Ward. He was accepted.

Several others were called and dismissed on account of prejudices. At 1 o'clock Bourke Cochran suggested that a recess be taken. He then told the court that Kierman, the warden of Ludlow Street Jail, was unwilling to assume the responsibility of the care of James D. Fish, if the latter prisoner was to become an inmate of his jail. Mr. Kiernan had on his shoulders all the responsibility he wanted in looking after the prisoners in the city. He was held in Ludlow Street Jail he would be confined there at the risk of the warden of the Auburn prison.

Jas. D. Fish, while the lawyers were trying to secure a jury, sat in the District Attorney's office, awaiting developments. Two deputy sheriffs acted as his body guard. Mr. Fish is not looking as well as he did when he sought the seclusion of Auburn Prison. The lines of his face are more deeply drawn, giving him a somewhat haggard appearance.

Herman Ridger, the publisher of a German newspaper, was accepted as the second juror.

WARD ON TRIAL.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—W. T. Warner was arraigned this morning before United States Commissioner Shields on the charge of conspiracy with Ward to defraud the Marine Bank, U. S. Grant, W. H. Vanderbilt and others, the offense coming under the definition of grand larceny. Receiver Johnson of the Marine Bank, Assistant Cashier Daboll and others connected with that institution produced various books, papers, etc., which are to be referred to as evidence in the case. Adjournment was then taken until Saturday.

Louisiana Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS. SHREVEPORT, Oct. 22.—The Supreme Court met to-night, Justices Poche, Todd, Manning and Fenner being present, and read the following opinion: By Justice Poche, No. 167. State vs. Solomon Williams, parish of St. Landry. Murder and indictment which does not comply with the requirements of the statutes which creates or defines the offense sought to be charged therein is fatally defective and cannot sustain a conviction. An indictment charging that the defendant did feloniously and of his own malice aforethought, kill and murder, etc., is not good law. Under section 1048 of the Revised Statutes, which provide that the defendant should be charged with having feloniously, willfully and with malice aforethought, killed and murdered, etc., the court is powerless to dispense with legal requirements in criminal proceedings. Judgment reversed by same. No. 168. State vs. Moses Cain, charge murder, from St. Landry; syllabus, same as in case of the State vs. Solomon Williams; judgment reversed by Justice Todd.

No. 146. State vs. Anderson Day, parish of East Carroll, charge cutting with intent to murder; syllabus, a conviction. A word less than may be responsive to the charge in an indictment of cutting with intent to murder. The variance between the charge and the verdict is fatal. Judgment reversed and accused discharged. Justice Manning dissents.

No. 150. State vs. Wm. George, murder. Parish of East Carroll. Syllabus granting continuance of cases of criminal case is uniformly held to rest in the sound discretion of the trial judge, and his ruling will not likely be disturbed. A plea of insanity, the last resort of imperiled criminals, will surely not be listened to when the defendant's own witnesses disprove. Jurymen are not incompetent who have formed and expressed an opinion adverse to the prisoner, if that opinion is based on rumor and they declare it is not fixed and will yield to evidence. Judgment affirmed by Justice Fenner.

No. 147. State vs. C. Y. Landrum; biting off an ear, Parish of Richland; syllabus, affidavit for continuance, which does not aver inability to prove the facts referred to, otherwise of whose absence complaint is made and the refusal of the continuance is not error. Judgment affirmed by Justice Fenner.

No. 151. State vs. J. W. Redmond, Parish of Cameron. Syllabus; a continuance on the ground of absent witnesses may be properly refused when the facts expected to be proved are so vaguely and indifferently stated as not to exhibit to the jury any certainty. After one motion for continuance had been tried, submitted and decided the

court is not bound to entertain a second motion on the same ground, but merely differently stated. The overruling of a challenge of a juror for cause, even if improper, is not grounds for reversal when the juror was peremptorily challenged and the panel was completed with exhaustion of defendant's peremptory challenge, when the defendant has elicited evidence tending to discredit a witness of the State who had sworn that his reason for not sooner informing against defendant was fear of the latter. Evidence offered to sustain his credibility by proving that he had declared his fears of defendant at the time, and that such fears were reasonable owing to the character and conduct of defendant, is not inadmissible. Judgment affirmed by agreement.





TO A PINK POND LILY.

What strange new joy has touched thy heart of gold?
Tingling thy petals with a rosy light?
Causing thy waxen leaves as they unfold,
With ecstasy to blush away their white.

TEXAS SCHOOL LANDS.

Equitable Rights of the Children of the State. Proposed Wholesale Litigation.

TO THE NEWS.
AUGUST, Oct. 15.—In your comments on my communication in your issue of the 6th inst., while you, in effect, admit the legal right to recover school lands illegally or wrongfully disposed of, you state that "it is doubtful if the scheme of instituting legal proceedings to recover lands sold, when the State has received and used or invested the proceeds, will ever be sanctioned by the people."

the State, and all lands of non-residents of unorganized counties, bid off to the State by the Comptroller at his sales of the same for taxes and not redeemed by the owner within two years, shall constitute a perpetual school fund.

view of the matter addresses itself to the pecuniary interest of every taxpayer in the State, for whether we have any children of our own to educate or not we have these taxes to pay all the same.

CAR "NO. 99."

A Street Railway "Flying Dutchman" That Puzzled the Quaker City Railroad Men.

Philadelphia Call.
During the past year conductors, drivers and officials connected with nearly every street railway line in the city, have been frequently puzzled to account for the appearance of a mysterious car upon their tracks.

But for the sake of argument, let us admit that all these lands are claimed and occupied as homesteads, what difference should this make? If these lands were the property of individuals, and had been illegally appropriated—just as they were by the parties now claiming them—the true owners would be very certain to proceed unhesitatingly to recover them, and in their efforts to do this they would not likely be opposed by public opinion.

the number of the car, but others would answer that it was "99." Efforts were made to fathom the mystery of "99," but they failed in every case, as the vehicle seemed a veritable ignis fatuus, and could never be cornered.

A smokeless locomotive has just been tested on one of the Western railroads. It consumes only the poorest kind of bituminous coal and emits only a thin white vapor from the smokestack.

TUNING THE TABLES.

Tactics Reversed in the Chicago Wheat Pit. Prices "Tired" Because of Much Grain.

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—The grain and provision markets on 'change have a tired look. All outside news still favors the "short" side of wheat, and with nothing to sustain prices except speculative buying, the feeling is unqualifiedly weak.

"Clever people, these millers," remarked a prominent operator. "Only last Friday they could not get wheat enough to run their mills and advanced the price. Now they have plenty of wheat, but cannot make flour except at a loss."

Another dealer says that his advice from the Northwest state that the millers have sent word to their country houses to outbid competition and secure all the wheat offered.

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Exporters \$5.45 for good to heavy steer \$4.85, for light to fair steers \$4.65, common to medium native steers \$3.85, 35¢, South west steers \$3.00 to \$3.25, grass Texans \$2.50 to \$3.00, native cows and heifers \$2.25 to \$2.50, sealings of any kind \$1.40 to \$1.50.

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To City Subscribers. We beg to announce that the failure of our city circulator to call upon a number of citizens for their subscriptions is not due to oversight...

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ARRESTED AND TAKEN TO PARKER FOR ALLEGED HORSE THEFT.

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Miss Bella Moore makes her first appearance in Dallas this evening in the "Mountain Pink." The play is of the Miller order, the scene being shifted from the Sierras to the mountains of North Carolina, the home of the moonshiners.

Probably the most interesting member of the Thorne company now performing the "Black Flag" is young Harry Woodruff, who assumes the doleful role of Ned, the cabin boy.

The funeral of Capt. Jefferson Peak will take place from his late residence, near the Fair Grounds, East Dallas, this morning at 10 o'clock.

Local Temperature. The following readings of the temperature of Dallas were taken yesterday at Reinhardt & Co.'s thermometer, on Elm street: At 9 a. m., 54°; 12 m., 70°; 6 p. m., 71°.

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THE COURTS.

In Justice Schuhl's court, Beckie Garrett, a 15-year-old quadroon, was walked into the dock on the charge of being one of a family of sisters who climbed all over Mr. D. W. Douglass, the director of the Military Band.

Beckie conducted the cross-examination without giving the witness a chance to reply. She said: "Didn't you say to me, Mr. Douglass, 'I'm going to have that tub or war'?"

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The District Court was engaged yesterday in the trial of the case of August Webber against John Wanderlick. Webber alleges that when he came to this country a year or so ago he brought with him about \$500.

The old moss-covered case of Brown vs. Flynn was brought to a conclusion yesterday in the District Court by a verdict for the plaintiff.

The only marriage license issued by County Clerk Hill yesterday was for Charles Spanglia, a German, and Miss S. Alston.

Mr. J. Carnes yesterday purchased of Jacob Izen the property now occupied by him at the corner of St. Paul and Main streets.

On account of the business of the Sheriff's office none of the officers have had time to go out after the insane Italian named Spanglia, mentioned of whom was made several days ago.

The Dallas County Farmers' Alliance, consisting of four sub-alliances, represented by Mr. E. G. Knight, of Oak Lawn, Mr. C. M. Tucker, of Haight's Store, Mr. Warner, of Trinity Mills, and Mr. Mann, of Morris, yesterday contracted to buy all the groceries needed by the members of the Alliance.

At precisely 4:30 p. m., Saturday, the 24th instant, Reinhardt & Co. will have a grand orchestral concert in their Mammoth Clothing Store.

Children's milk sets at Harris'. All of the Dore Illustrated Books at Harris'. Crayon Work a Specialty at the La Belle Studio, 505 Main street.

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