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Curtis Milam Killed by His Horse.

MEMPHIS, Tex., May 28.—Curtis Milam was dragged to death by a horse Saturday evening at his father's ranch about 12 miles northeast of here, in Collingsworth county. He left the head-quarters about 3 p. m., Saturday and his horse returned the next evening and the saddle was all torn up, so they began a search for him and found him about sunup Monday morning with a rope around his shoulders and attached to the horn of the saddle. He was a young man, about 18 or 19, and his relatives are taking it very hard.

Killed at A Sunday Ball Game.

During a ball game out three miles from Mobile, Ala., Sunday a thunderstorm came up, accompanied by vivid lightning, which struck in the midst of the crowd, instantly killing five of the spectators and injuring twenty-five others more or less seriously. The dead are, Donald Touart, aged 21, Steve Touart, aged 19, Arthur Moody, aged 19, John Green, Charles Thomas.

Bloody Tragedies.

J. R. Warren, a ranchman in Reagan county, killed his wife, T. R. Pierce and then himself, Sunday. All of them formerly lived in Hill county, and were of some prominence, Mrs. Warren being the daughter of ex sheriff Tom Bell. The father of Warren suicided at Hillsboro over a year ago, and Tom Jr., suicided a year ago at El Paso.

Inaccurate writers persist in saying that the word Oklahoma means "the land of the fair god." A Kansas newspaper said lately that the word came from the Comanche language. The Rev. J. S. Muldrow of the Creek nation, who is qualified to make the statement, asserts that Oklahoma is a pure Choctaw word and means "red people," "Okla" meaning people and "homma" red. The name was given to the country by Governor Allen Wright, governor of the Choctaw nation in 1866, when the United States government negotiated with all the five tribes to effect a treaty.

It seems that Hon. William R. Hearst has decided to become a candidate for the governorship of New York on an independent ticket. In some of the counties of the state practically the whole of the democratic party, leaders and all, have joined the Hearst movement. The Hearst leagues are making rapid strides and the democratic leaders of the state are now exerting themselves to prevent a stampede of the democratic voters into the Hearst camp.—Ex.

There has risen a question of veracity between the Rockefeller brothers. John D. says his father is dead and Frank says his father is living and well cared for. When it comes to a question of his father, John D. seems to know as little as some of the Standard witnesses that Hadley had before him.—Ex.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

CHRONICLE Correspondence.

INCOMPETENT OR INDOLENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., MAY 26.—There is great indignation among inventors and those interested in patents throughout the country at the condition of business in the United States Patent Office, and the information given this week by the Commissioner of Patents that he will take a two months vacation and will not permit the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to hear or decide cases on appeal during his absence, has not allayed the outraged patience of this class. The Work in the Patent Office is very much behind hand, in some divisions, from six to eight months, which means that an inventor after preparing and sending his invention to the Patent Office and paying his filing fee of \$15 to the Government must wait eight months in some instances, before his case was taken up for examination by the Commissioner and his corps of able assistants, and that unless his case is allowed on first action, an extremely rare occurrence, it may be from one to three years before he gets his patent. The condition of business in the Patent office is perhaps worse than it ever was before. Absenteeism on the part of the head of the office and his inability to get work out of the principal and assistant examiners of whom there are more than one hundred, is the cause. There is no office under the Government that more requires the personal attention of the strenuous personage in the White House than the United States Patent Office. It is, if I am not mistaken, the only office under the Government that not only pays its way but brings a surplus to the Public Treasury. Every inventor is required to pay into the Treasury fifteen dollars when he presents his application and twenty dollars in addition when his patent is granted. The tens of thousands of inventors in the United States in presenting applications for more than a million of patents have built up a surplus fund, after paying all expenses of the office, that now amounts to more than \$4,000,000 and it is simply outrageous that these inventors, through the absenteeism of the Commissioner of Patents and through the negligence and dilatoriness of his powerful corps of assistants must wait with sickness of heart months and years for the allowance of their patents. Other commissioners have kept the work up to date and there are others both in and out of the Patent Office who are capable of doing it again.

Congress does not often have an opportunity to do better work than it did Thursday when the Senate passed the denatured alcohol bill which had gone through the House so successfully a few weeks ago. The impression was general that the bill would be held up in the committee by Senator Aldrich who is the friend of the trusts in general and the Standard Oil trust in particular. The denatured alcohol bill which removes the tax from alcohol used in the arts will, it is expected, revolutionize heating and lighting and reduce the cost of

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these necessities, at the expense, to a great extent, of the Standard Oil Company, Senator Aldrich also predicts that it will practically ruin the wood alcohol industry which has a capital of about thirty millions invested, but on the other hand the advantage to the country and especially to the west, where unmarketable crops can be converted into alcohol, is inestimable. The bill does not go into effect until January first, 1907 but there is great rejoicing over the fact that it was not held up for the session as it was believed Senator Aldrich would be successful in doing. Its passage should furnish encouragement to those who believe that Congress should take steps to regulate the meat and drug and adulterated food trusts.

BET ON A SURE THING.

A Merchant Who Had an Infallible Barometer in His Ice-Chest.

It was a beautiful day, without a single cloud in the sky. The man who was buying some food in a delicatessen store remarked on the weather, relates the Chicago Inter Ocean.

"Yes, it's fine, but it's going to rain," replied the dealer.

"Impossible," said the customer.

"I'll bet you a fiver," said the dealer, "that it rains before the day is over, although I hate to take your money."

The money was put up and the customer went away chucking.

Before night the rain was falling in torrents. The man who lost the bet stopped at the delicatessen store to see the winner.

"How did you know it was going to rain?" he demanded of the storekeeper. The latter chuckled.

"See that ice chest?" he asked, pointing to a big box in the corner.

The customer saw the ice box. It was sweating big drops of water.

"That chest," said the storekeeper, "is my barometer. When there is rain in the air it begins to sweat; when rain is imminent it sheds those big drops you see now. I've had it over two years and it never yet prophesied falsely."

"Never too late to learn," sighed the customer, "but sometimes a little knowledge comes high."

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CLARENDON, TEX., MAY 30 1906.

THE federal grand jury at Nashville, Tenn., got its muck rake busy a few days ago and raked up 80 indictments against a fertilizer trust. Send the news to Roosevelt.

THIRTEEN members of the Springfield, Mo., mob were indicted for murder by the grand jury some days ago, but as yet, the prosecuting attorney has had no warrants served. It may be that he regards the number as unlucky.

THE Amarillo Herald announces that within the next two weeks it will launch the Daily Panhandle, with perfecting press, linotype, press dispatches and everything complete for a modern daily. Mr. Boesen, the new owner of the Herald, has set in to move things. We doff our hat to the Panhandle's first real daily.

SENATOR BURTON of Kansas lost his case before the supreme court of the United States and therefore must serve a term in the penitentiary for selling his influence as a United States senator to a private corporation. The difference between Burton and several others is that Burton failed to cover up the evidence.

Gifts of 7,922 shares of coal mining stock to officials and employes of the Pennsylvania railroad are disclosed by the investigation of the interstate commerce commission at Philadelphia.

As an argument for state hood for the Territory, the fact has been made known that Indian Territory has more Associated Press newspapers than either the states of Maryland, Idaho, Mississippi, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, Oklahoma, or North and South Dakota.

There are in the North Texas Insane Asylum at Terrell at present 1,500 patients, including 300 new ones, which have been placed in one of the new buildings, which has just been completed. Two other buildings are being built, which will hold 200 each.

All members of the Texas Press Association who intend visiting Corpus Christi during the meeting of the association, June 6, 7 and 8, are requested to notify W. E. Everhart, chairman of accommodation committee, Corpus Christi, at once. State number in party.

The senate passed the agricultural appropriation bill, carrying \$78,800,000, and added to it as an amendment the bill providing for inspection of fresh meats intended for domestic consumption. It requires that acceptable meats shall be labeled and authorizes the destruction of condemned products. It also authorizes inspection of all animals before they enter the packing houses, and require that those establishments shall be maintained in a sanitary condition, gives the inspectors access to all departments of them, and forbids interstate commerce in fresh meats which are not marked by the inspector. The expense of the inspection is borne by the owners and a fine of \$10,000 and imprisonment for two years are fixed as penalties for violation.

Mrs. Henpeck—They can't punish bigamy too severely. No one should have any sympathy for the man who has one wife too many.

Mr. Henpeck—The idea, Maria! Do you think I should be sent to jail?—Ex.

The Missouri supreme court holds it a crime to misrepresent the facts in a business deal. Since the rendering of this decision Missouri should set about the work of enlarging her jails.—Paris Advocate.

There seems to be no penalty to fit the crime, if there was, more jail room would be required in every county in the country.

Ask your candidate for county judge or county commissioner if he is going to accept free transportation over the railroads, should he be elected to office. Now is your only opportunity to put them on record, and on record they should go; and if they refuse, mark them "dangerous," and leave them at home.—Tyler Courier.

There are numbers of men serving as county commissioners in Texas for no other purpose than to secure advantage of the free transportation furnished them by the railways. It is a pity, but it is nevertheless a cold blooded fact.—Ft. Worth Telegram.

The Scout's Revenge

Which plays here under canvas on the evening of June 5th, comes highly recommended by the papers of Dallas, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Seymour where they have just exhibited. They claim the show is one that can be attended by your wife, sweetheart, child or sister without an escort.

We expected to give a full report of the College Commencement in this issue, but the lsteness of its preparation forced us to go to press without it.

Today feels like Summer.

Fort Worth Market.

Prices yesterday were:
Steers from \$2.50 to \$4.90
Cows from \$2.00 to \$3.25
Calves from \$1.25 to \$4.75
Hogs \$6.05 to \$6.35.

Monuments.

I often have enquiries about Tomb Stones and Monuments. I write this to the readers of the CHRONICLE to inform them that I have accepted the local agency of The Coggins Marble Co., of Canton Georgia. The Georgia marble is known to be the best marble in this country. And the work turned out by the Coggins Company, for art and beauty, cannot be excelled. We will take pleasure in showing you cuts of many different designs, ranging in price from \$25 to \$700. Prices are made on the stones being set up at the grave.

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Fraternally,
WILSON C. ROGERS,
Clarendon, Texas.

WORST OF THE BURDEN.

This Tired Woman Was Obligated to Run Her Husband as Well as the Farm.

"I was recently riding along a hot, dusty road," said a cyclist, according to the New York Press, "and becoming tired and thirsty stopped at a farmhouse for a rest and a drink of water. As I sipped the cold, refreshing liquid the woman of the house, who had five children playing about her, was complaining of being overworked.

"I run this here whole farm," she said, in a tone which indicated that she was ready to resign.

"How many acres have you?" I inquired.

"A hundred and forty—20 in wheat, 60 in corn, 10 in medder and paster and the balance in woods."

"Got any stock?"

"Ten head of cattle, six hogs and work critters for the place."

"And you run the whole business?"

"Indeed I do; every hide and hair of it," she sighed.

"Don't you hire some help?"

"Of course; but 'tain't hired help that takes the load off one's body."

"Haven't you got a husband?" I asked, sympathetically.

"Yes," she responded, very slowly; "but I have to run him, too."

If you read THE CHRONICLE you are always abreast of the times and know what is doing. You don't have to wait until its contents are too old to be of interest. Twice-a-week and only \$1.00 per year.

STATE NEWS.

The government will erect a \$10,000 weather observatory at Abilene, Tex.

In Brown county Wednesday night, lightning killed Tom Vann and his sixteen year old son.

First carload of southwest Texas watermelons was shipped Saturday from Heriingen, near Brownsville.

In the east part of Hunt county Friday, Lewis McLean, the 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James McLain was killed by lightning.

W. H. Alexander was kicked on the head by a mule at Petty and died of his injuries Saturday. He was a very prominent farmer.

Near Rising Star Friday Mrs. Shaddock, while hoeing in her garden, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. She leaves a husband and three children.

W. A. Caplinger, charged with attempted criminal assault on Mrs. James Osborne, was jailed at Greenville, Tex., Monday. The parties reside near Celeste.

W. B. Needham's residence at Tehuacana was struck by lightning Friday night and was totally destroyed. No one hurt. Out of 130 phones, 126 were burned out.

In Jones county last week, Charley Clark about 20 years old, was struck and instantly killed by lightning. He was sitting on a wagon loaded with bales of shingles.

A. J. Pulaski, Dallas county farmer, left \$2,000 in gold under a pillow near Tampico, Mex. Returning, he found it gone. He went there to buy land and the money was his savings of a life time.

A young fellow at San Antonio giving his name as Clarence Ware is in jail charged with forging H. L. Edward's name to checks amounting to \$165. The checks were made payable to negro boys and these boys were sent to the bank to collect them.

GENERAL NEWS.

Lightning killed Horace Rice at Sterrett, I. T.

Snow fell for five minutes in St. Louis Monday.

Western Wisconsin had five inches of snow on 26th.

One-fourth of an inch of snow fell in northwest Nebraska Sunday.

In a pistol duel at Mangum, Ok., C. M. Wright was killed, and Sam Cochran fatally wounded.

A Portland cement company with \$500,000 capital stock has been organized at El Paso.

Ten miles from Vinita, I. T., George Craig was shot and killed and Sam Coates, his brother-in-law, surrendered.

Asa Barnhart, 60 years old, was found dead in the street at Enid, Ok., Monday morning, having suicided. A note was found in his pocket reading: "Old and out of money and not able to work. Have daughter, Daisy Barnhart, at Hunter, Ok."

Anything to Please Baby.

Mrs. Popley—Oh, John, you must raise sidewhiskers.

Mr. Popley—What! You never would let me raise—

"I know. But Mr. Burnsides was here to-day and it was too cute to see the baby pulling his sidewhiskers."—Philadelphia Press.

Scheme Didn't Work.

"I see Blank is back from the south. He said it was too hot for him down there."

"Yes. He tried to build a row of flats with gold bricks, and it got to be a good deal hotter for him than it was for anybody else!"—Detroit Free Press.

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TIME TABLE.

Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.

NORTH BOUND.	
No. 1. Mail and Express.....	6:47 p. m.
No. 7. Passenger and Express.....	6:25 a. m.
SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 2. Mail and Express.....	7:10 a. m.
No. 8. Passenger and Express.....	9:30 p. m.

Business locals five cents per line for first insertion and 3 cents for subsequent insertions. All locals run and are charged for until ordered out. Transient notices and job work are cash, other bills on first of month.

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Get your plow harness from Rutherford.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Phone us the news—83-2 rings

C. S. Harrington was down from Dalhart two days this week.

Mrs. Will Adams is visiting friends in Amarillo, this week.

Miss Cordie Pemberton attended the closing exercises of Goodnight college.

Jon and Roy Beverly have gone to New Mexico to bring down a bunch of horses.

Selwyn Harrington, wife and baby, of Amarillo, spent yesterday here and attended the college closing.

Miss Frances Collinson has returned from Kentucky, where she has been in college the past ten months.

Jim McMurtry, of the J. A. ranch, is spending a day or two in town, the attraction being some one from Silverton. But ask him about it.

Mrs. J. B. McClelland went to Dallas Monday night to return home with her daughter, Miss Lila, who has been attending St. Mary's College.

A large number of Clarendonites went down to the Giles picnic today. We regret that our compulsory duties and feeling so indisposed prevented our going.

We regret to chronicle the poor health of Mrs. W. C. Rogers, who has been under a physician for several days. We hope she will soon recover her wonted health.

The Ross brothers received notice this week of the serious illness of a brother, T. A. Ross, at Pilot Point, Tex., and Mr. D. P. Ross and wife left last night to visit him.

The funeral of Mrs. W. C. Morgan was attended by Mrs. O. C. Fulton from Goodnight, an old-time friend. L. Greenwood, from Dalhart, also attended the funeral.

Mr. Charles A. Morgan, of Wichita, Kas., brother of W. C. Morgan, and Mrs. E. M. Cox, of Elk City, Kas., were here this week on account of the death of Mrs. W. C. Morgan.

John Hunt, who has been complaining of his health considerable for a time, left last night for his home in Sherman county. His sister, Miss Mollie Hunt, will also leave for home in a day or two.

Strawberries, from now on, can be had at the Clarendon Bakery.

Miss Pearl Lide left last night for her home at Chappell Hill, Tex. Miss Lide made many friends while here, her general demeanor being such that she grows in favor with her acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Hunter and daughter, Miss Alma, of the Daily Democrat, Sherman, Texas, spent several days here this week with F. E. Harrington's family. The two families are intimate friends. The visiting family attended most of the college closing exercises at which the Harrington girls graduated and Miss Maude carried off the medal for piano playing.

Mrs. W. C. Morgan Dead.

Mrs. W. C. Morgan, who has suffered a long illness died Monday at 11 a. m. It has been known for some days that she could not recover. The funeral services were conducted at the residence by Revs. W. C. Rogers, pastor of the Baptist church, of which she was a member, and Rev. J. M. Sherman, of the Methodist church, an old acquaintance of the family. She was 49 years and twenty-five days old at the time of her death.

She was born in McClennen county May 3, 1857, joined the Baptist church at the age of 14, her great grandparents, her grandparents and parents all having been Baptists. She married in 1875 and left six children, three boys and three girls, all of whom were present at her death. We can truly sympathize with the family in their loss.

The Scout's Revenge.

Joseph J. Conley, the manager of the above named drama which plays here Tuesday, June 5, under canvass, says, "I have been in the theatrical business for a number of years, in any number of capacities, but have thus far this season met with better success from a financial standpoint than ever before. I credit the phenomenal business we have been doing to the play we have. The piece is by Hal Ried and is a departure from the ordinary melodrama offered at popular prices throughout the country. Nothing overdrawn but is as true to life as is possible to get a play. I have also been very careful in selecting my cast and, and flatter myself that I have secured the right people in the right place."

A Call to Battle.

BY JOHN MANNERS.
Get in step with the marching soldiers,
Don't lag when you hear their tread;
They're carrying the banner of Jesus,
They're forging on to the head.

The dark old heathen countries
Will gleam with a radiant light
Because of their steady marching—
Their marching day and night.

You can't afford to falter;
A glorious crown 'twill bring,
Unto every marching soldier
Who follows our conquering King.

His hosts arrayed for battle,
Midst tumult, noise and din,
Are tramping on to victory
Redeeming men from sin.

Enlist when you hear them calling,
Join in their battle cry:
Their bugle-note of righteousness
Is sounded from on high.

For God they'll win the nations
From sin's defiling ways;
Unto Him be all the glory!
Unto Him be all the praise!

—Baptist Tribune.

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Hammar Paint is the best Paint in the Panhandle. Stocking handles it and will save you money in a paint deal.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

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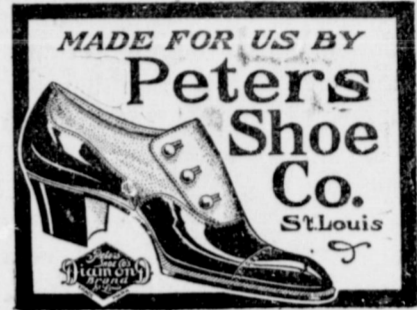
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When first given their effect is a little laxative, but that is desired in many cases, and once given regularly, they act as qualifying food. They are an excellent food for itching horses and all in bad coat, as they are cooling to the blood and give a gloss to the hair. Horses of all ages may receive them, including even the youngest backward foals, or the oldest and frail. Carrots should not be looked on as a mere addition to other or ordinary foods, but substitutes for them, as they are quite capable of acting as a real food.

On some soils it would be a mistake to attempt carrots, but where the soil is pliable and deep, no crop is more easily grown, and if a big supply was put in the market, their disposal would be easy and prices good. For home use a heap of carrots is most acceptable, as all kinds of stock consume them greedily, with good results.

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The True Love was built in this city in 1764 and though she was only 96 feet and eight inches long, and of 25 feet beam, she was the largest ship that had been in these waters up to that time. She sailed from this port in 1765, and did not return until 1873, when she was 109 years old. She came in with a load of cryolite from Ivittut, Greenland. Then she sailed again and was no longer heard of until discovered in 1899 in the Thames river, England, where shorn of her glory, she was and possibly still is doing service as a coal barge.

There was a proposal among shipping men here to purchase her and bring her over as a relic of bygone days and honest workmanship, but it never came to anything.

Pope Pius Still Learning.

Talking to some cardinals who came to congratulate him on his seventieth birthday, Pope Pius said: "I never thought I would learn as much in my old days as I am doing. For instance, I can now write my name without musing up a cassock worth 200 francs. For years I indulged in the habit of wiping my pen on the left sleeve of my coat before I began and during writing. Of course that didn't matter much as long as I wore black clothes, but when I donned the white papal habit things looked different, and so did I when I came from my writing-room. For a time my valet didn't know where to get enough clothes for me to wear. Then I determined to break with this bad habit, and I did. One can give up anything if one tries hard enough."

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Up With the Black Flag.
BY BISHOP J. N. FITZGERALD.
The saloon has long carried the black flag.

Henceforth the Church and her allies in this particular warfare must carry it, too.

The battle must be desperately fought, and the field of battle must be in the field of politics.

From every organization that sympathizes or compromises with the rum traffic, Christian men should separate themselves and unite in an organization, every member of which shall, at all times, including election days, and in all places, including polls, and with all powers, including the ballot, stand against the giant evil of the day. The voting clergymen and layman of the Church must become a unit on this great subject at the ballot box—the point at which they have been divided in the past, and are divided now.

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