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### Taggart And His Gambling Dens.

A few weeks ago we gave a partial write up of Taggart's French Lick hotel and famous casinos, written by a woman. Shortly afterwards, on July 4, officers representing the State of Indiana tore out the gambling devices at the Casinos of the West Baden and French Lick Springs hotels. The property confiscated included thirty-two slot machines, ten roulette tables, four poker tables, two faro tables, two klondike tables, two wheels, bookmaking apparatus, one keno outfit and several bushels of chips, cards and dice.

Taggart made a statement next day that he was in no wise responsible for the gambling, that it was done by the men leasing the buildings without his consent, and that he had suits pending to oust the lessors. Speaking of this, the attorney-general said:

"There are some peculiar features about these two 'pending' suits to cancel the leases. Why were they brought in a justice of the peace court at 7 o'clock at night and tried with great effort at secrecy and then as quietly appealed to the circuit court, where they have remained covered up and unknown?"

"They were brought to meet exactly such a contingency as this to be dragged out and used as a 'defense' when needed. The leases were made March 19, the suits brought April 11, the hearing was at night—a most unusual procedure—and the appeal from the finding of the local justice to the circuit court was made June 15, and all was so quietly done that few seemed to know that any such action had ever been instituted.

"But the state is under obligations to the hotel companies for those official records, for in their complaints the hotel companies set up ownership to the property and base their petition on the ground that the people operating the casinos have been using them for gambling purposes. Here we have the admission of gambling. In all other respects the suits for possession are jokes—as I characterized them in the court."

We are surprised that a paper of the pretensions of The Fort Worth Record will attempt to defend Taggart, and to blind its readers to Taggart's guilt by saying the whole charge is due to Hearst in an attempt to pull down Taggart because the latter is in Hearst's way as a presidential candidate. In the first place, Hearst says he is no candidate. In the second place, Hearst is for Bryan, whom the Record says Taggart favors. In the third place, it is the officials of Indiana who are pushing the cases of law violations against Taggart.

Governor J. Frank Hanly, at whose command the raids on the casinos at French Lick and West Baden were made, last Friday made a statement in which he says:

"We shall now learn whether the management of the French Lick Springs hotel company and the West Baden hotel company is above the law. The issue is not between the managers and these companies and me. It is between them and a far greater and more enduring power, between them and the law. The statement of Mr.

Taggart that the French Lick Springs hotel company has not and will not tolerate gambling on its premises, in the light of recent developments and evidence in the possession of the state, scarcely rises to the force and dignity of a jest.

"If his statement is true what is the meaning of the carload of costly paraphernalia taken from the premises of the hotel company? He admits himself that gambling has existed. His counsel in open court agreed that gambling should not be permitted between that day and July 13, when the cases are to be heard. Where did he find this new power to stop it? The hotel safe itself has been used for weeks nightly as a place of safe keeping for the money earned by the casino. The casino building itself did not cost more than \$10,000. What legitimate purpose or use could justify the payment of the great sum, said to be \$50,000 annually, by the operator of the casino for his concession? The truth is that Mr. Taggart, as a manager of the hotel company, has at no time desired anything in connection with the casino that has not been granted by its operator.

"On special days like that when the members of the National Editorial association visited French Lick he had the power to cause the suspension of gambling in the casino during the whole time of their visit and it was actually closed except as to the lower floor where the slot machines were allowed to run. Mr. Taggart will not be able to fool either the people of Indiana or deceive the people of this country in this matter. I believe the suits filed by Attorney General Miller to be well founded. If for any reason the law is inadequate as now written I shall appeal to the people of the state without regard to their party affiliations to elect a general assembly in November that will enact a law clothing the executive with such authority as will enable him to reach such conditions."

### Bryan Willing.

Former United States Senator James K. Jones of Arkansas, who was chairman of the democratic national committee when William J. Bryan made his campaign for the presidency in 1896 and 1900, has received a letter from Mr. Bryan in which he announces he will accept the nomination for the third time if it is tendered to him. The letter is dated June 18, at Stockholm, and is as follows:

"I have been watching political developments and have noted with gratification the vindication of democratic principles. You have correctly stated my position. As I wrote to Colonel Wetmore, I shall do nothing to secure another nomination and do not want one unless the conditions seem to demand it. I may add that I enjoy the freedom of private life and feel that I can do some good without holding office.

"There are however certain reforms which I would like very much to see accomplished, and to assist in the accomplishment of these reforms I am willing to become the party candidate again if, when the time for nomination arrives, the advocates of reform are in control of the party and think that my candidacy will give the best

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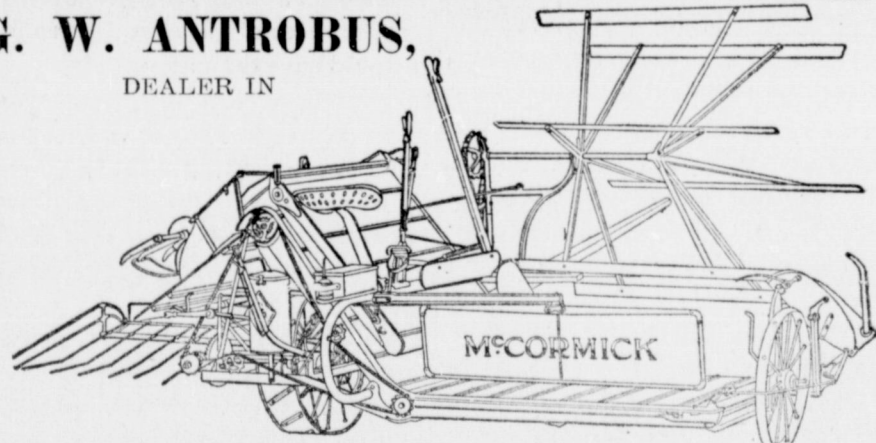
### The Old Campaign Cry.

Whenever the old parties run out of any other campaign thunder they return to the thread-bare subject of "the tariff." The democrats are picking this up again to use in the south and west. How the party stands, however, is told by the Washington Post:

"Everybody is a Free-Trader when he goes into the market to buy, and everybody is a Protectionist when he is in the market to sell. Your Pennsylvania democrat demands protection in the metal schedule, your Georgia democrat votes protection into the lumber paragraphs, your California democrat is for protection on citrus fruits, your Louisiana democrat is greedy for protection on sugar, your West Virginia democrat has coal to protect. Indeed, the Kentucky hemp grower is the only exception to this general rule of democratic petition for indulgence to commit political economic sin. Wool and rice are also clamorous for protection.

"When the democratic party shall get together for 'a tariff for revenue only,' then, and not till then, will protection be in peril; but it looks as though nearly all the democrats will have to be made over before they will be able to get together on this question. Take the late, unlamented, and friendless Wilson tariff, and there was more protection in it than there are

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flea in Mexico. Mr. Dingley copied the metal and cotton schedules of his bill out of the Wilson bill with very slight changes. There has been no democratic tariff in the United States in forty-five years, and there is not likely to be one as long as every fellow demands and gets protection for his local interests."

### An Exploded Tariff Argument.

That the tariff reformers do not really care about having the tariff reformed is suggested by a renewal of their twaddle about protection being the "mother of trusts." The hollowness of this cry long ago became apparent, and the natural effect of reviving it will be to make people think there is no real need of tariff revision. There are trusts in free-trade as well as protection countries. In this country the most powerful and oppressive trusts are those which control the petroleum and anthracite markets. Yet there is no tariff on petroleum or anthracite. So there is no change, through tariff revision, to break the trusts which deal in these commodities.—"Democrat-Chronicle."

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And now they say that the old worn out shoes of the employees around a brewery thrown into the vats help to give the beer flavor.

WHAT on earth has come over the Globe Democrat? In its issue of Thursday, June 28, it says: "Government ownership of the coal fields would soon settle the fuel problem. It would also take one of the tangles out of the transportation problem." It has not been long since it called all who taught such a doctrine socialists, anarchists and all other hard names it could think of.

### Fuel Oil too High.

It is likely that all of the state institutions will return to coal and lignite as fuel, as the bids to furnish fuel oil are regarded as too high by the state purchasing agent. The present contract price is 60 and 64 cents per barrel delivered, while the new bids are 97½ cents and \$1.07 per barrel, the lower price for the Austin institutions and the larger for the distant institutions. The state uses about 75,000 barrels of fuel oil yearly and the advance in price is quite an item in the total cost.

When in congress, Senator Bailey stirred up considerable of a muss in Washington by refusing to attend a social function because it was the custom of those who accepted the invitations to wear swallow-tail coats. A few years later he refused at first to accept the nomination for congress because Bryan was nominated for president, and he feared would be elected, in which event it would have placed him in a very embarrassing attitude as a democratic congressman opposing views advocated by a democratic president. His constituents, however, fell upon his neck and wept and begged that he reconsider his intention of declining the nomination for congress and he did it. But a most wonderful change has come over Senator Bailey. It is said that now he makes no objection to the wearing of a swallow-tail coat, and from the reading of his Abilene speech one would think that he and Mr. Bryan were real chummy and Mr. Bailey was not only the original Bryan man but was the starter of a boom for Bryan for the third time. —Wichita Falls Times.

Jacksonville has shipped 516 carloads of tomatoes this season. This does not include express shipments or broken lots. The value of the products is about \$300,000.

There were ten deaths from heat at New York on Fourth and one man killed by a stray bullet.

Arkansas sues Waters-Pierce Oil company for alleged violation of anti-trust law.

Southern Presbyterians will establish at Texarkana a branch of the publishing house at Richmond, Va.

Near Colbert, I. T., E. L. Simmons was robbed by two negroes of \$14.30, his shoes taken off and old ones substituted.

While trying to get into a boat on Roebuck lake, near Grant, I. T., Will Stiles fell in the water and drowned.

R. Caldwell was shot and killed near McGee, I. T. D. L. Hart claims self-defence.

We are told Amarillo has a new paper, The Tribune.

## Hearst Not A Candidate, But For Bryan.

Congressman W. R. Hearst has issued the following statement regarding his candidacy for the presidency:

"I would like to state very positively that I am not a candidate for the democratic nomination in 1908. Mr. Bryan said the other day in London that there were others besides himself who had claims on the nomination through services rendered the democratic party and mentioned pleasantly Mr. Folk, Mr. Bailey and myself.

"While appreciating Mr. Bryan's compliment, I must decline to be considered a candidate. Let the list stand if Mr. Bryan pleases, Bryan or Folk or Bailey. For my part I would substitute Stevenson for Bailey.

"Mr. Bryan's services to the democracy are too well diagnosed to be rehearsed. He has led the party conspicuously in two presidential campaigns and one senatorial campaign. In the national he has made the issues himself and expounded them with a brilliancy unequaled and unapproached.

"Mr. Folk's services to the democracy are notable. In fact his services have been rendered to all citizens irrespective of party, for his career as an honest and efficient public servant is an example to republicans and democrats alike.

"As for Mr. Bailey, well, Bailey's services have been rendered to that corporation end of the democracy that I do not consider democracy and whose control of the machinery of the democracy, as well as of the republican party, has led me to seek my ideals of the democracy of Jefferson and the republicanism of Lincoln in the Independent League. Bailey's nomination for the first place, even by the machine that nominated Parker, would be impossible, but Bailey's nomination for second place is conceivable. It would have the material advantage of insuring Texas to the democracy and of eliciting a substantial campaign contribution from John D. Rockefeller. But its disadvantages are obvious. Folk and Bailey, for instance, would be an oil and water ticket that would not mix—a ticket of good, pure water and Standard oil.

"Bryan and Bailey would be tickling to the ear, but would sound too much like Barnum and Bailey to suit the discriminating taste of the convention.

"Why not Bryan and Folk or Stevenson in 1908 on the democratic side, and why not Roosevelt and LaFollette on the republican side? "I repeat, definitely and candidly, I am not a candidate."

### A Buffalo Pasture.

The offer made by the New York Zoological Society to the government to place a herd of buffalo on the Wichita forest reserve in Southwestern Oklahoma has been accepted and a herd of from fifteen to twenty buffaloes will be shipped as soon as an area of good grazing ground can be fenced in.

The society desires to aid the government in preserving these animals from extinction. It has been conceded by competent authorities that the American bison cannot be preserved from final extinction by breeding in close confinements in parks or zoological gardens.

The Society sent J. Alden Loring to Oklahoma, where he selected good grazing ground, and an appropriation of \$15,000, inserted in the agricultural bill, was obtained to build the fence. As soon as the fence is completed the herd will be shipped.

Old newspapers for sale at this office.

## STATE NEWS.

While hunting Augustus Keller of Dallas accidentally shot and killed himself.

Charley Dunning lost a hand in a cotton carding machine at Waxahachie Saturday.

While trying to make a balky horse work near Quitman, Tex., Charles Kelly fell dead.

The little child of J. H. Elrod was run over and killed by a wagon near Whitesboro, Tex.

Miss Mamie Keeble, at Forrester, fell while skating and broke both bones of her left arm.

Ben. Wakeland died at Italy Friday from being kicked by a mule Wednesday. He leaves a wife and several children.

Rufus Martin, the Fort Worth negro who murdered a German farmer for his money, is to be hung tomorrow.

Elgin Triplett, aged 28, suicided at Fitzhugh, near Roff, I. T. Sunday. He has relatives in Fort Worth and Virginia.

Emmett Carwile, a boy, was accidentally shot through the head at Gorman, Tex., by a young cousin. He lived two hours.

Around Arlington the drouth has injured the corn and that crop is short. Even copious rains now would help most of the corn crop but little if any.

At Big Foot near Pearsoll, a lamp Mrs. W. W. Haynes was carrying exploded. Oil was thrown on her, and all her clothing burned off. Her burns are fatal.

Saturday evening at Acme three of the children of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Box were playing with an old powder can. One of the children lit a match and threw it in the can. The explosion killed two little girls and fatally injured the little brother.

Mrs. John Russell committed suicide at Austin early Thursday morning by shooting herself through the heart with a rifle. Her body, with the weapon lying across it, was found by her husband. Mr. Russell said his wife had been despondent several weeks.

T. J. Addickes, a well-to-do citizen of Wichita Falls, suicided there Thursday by shooting himself and falling into a creek. He left a wife and five children and a life policy of \$12,000. He left a long letter of instructions as to his business affairs and gave as a reason for the act, the fear of the loss of his mind.

Because W. A. Mims, a livery stable proprietor at Dallas had pressed C. C. Williams, a horse trader of Farmersville, for a sum of money due him for stabling horses, he was shot and killed in Dallas Friday. Williams made his escape, but was arrested down town an hour later. Mims was shot in the back as he was taking a drink of water and again shot as he faced his assailant.

Before its final adjournment last week congress passed the rate bill and the meat inspection bill. Both were compromised in their final passage; the rate bill by permitting oil pipe lines to carry their own oil, while railroads are not permitted to carry their own coal (a concession it is thought to Standard Oil) and the meat inspection bill lost its demand for dates to be placed on canned meats to show when such meats had been canned. This is a distinct compromise to the packing interests.—Farm and Ranch.

The only thing yet making against Mr. Bryan's nomination is the fact that Mr. Corker has endorsed him.—Dallas News.

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

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R. L. Moss, of Amarillo, spent Saturday in Clarendon.

Rev. J. M. Sherman spent last Sunday and Monday in Amarillo.

Sam Hardy, son of Rev. G. S. Hardy, is quite sick on college hill.

Mrs. W. M. Ware, wife of the night engineer at the light plant, arrived from Celburne Saturday night

Mrs. J. L. Davis is spinning two weeks with her daughter in Ellis county.

Miss Margret Willis left yesterday for Gainesville to visit her brother, Mr. Emmett Willis.

Joe Washington, a negro 35 years old, died here yesterday. He was said to have died of consumption.

I. J. Brokaw made a trip up from Rowe yesterday to meet one of his sons, who makes his headquarters in Vernon.

Mrs. Dr. Standifer and niece, Miss Fields, left Saturday night for Denver, Yellowstone Park and other places northwest.

All public school patrons who wish to transfer their children from one district to another should do so before August 1, as the law permits no transfers after that date.

Bert Pemperton and sister, Miss Corda, left Sunday morning, the former for a sanitarium at Dallas, and Miss Corda for a few weeks stay at Fort Worth and Mineral Wells.

Mrs. P. A. Buntin returned from her visit of a month to old Kentucky yesterday morning. She had a very pleasant visit, but said there had been a great deal of rain there.

Eld. G. T. Hamlin, of Jericho, spent Saturday and Sunday in town. He says people in his vicinity have been very busy cutting their crop, but have now about caught up.

Mrs. R. L. Edwards and children have returned from a month's stay at Howe, Texas, where the parents of both Mr. and Mrs. Edwards live. While there a sister of Mrs. Edwards died suddenly.

The new president of Clarendon College, Rev. J. R. Mood, after returning from Oklahoma where he had gone in the interests of the college, spent last Sunday in Amarillo and Canyon City distributing literature.

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Mrs. D. L. McClellan leaves today for Stratford to visit her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Noland.

There was a reception given to Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Mood Tuesday night at the home of Rev. B. W. Dodson.

Ed Collins returned a few days ago from Henderson county where his father died recently at the mature age of 82.

Clarendon had a good shower of rain yesterday afternoon that will help vegetation and cool the atmosphere. Heavier rains have fallen further north, and we will probably have more soon.

We are told that the farmers of the Brice community are determined to have a cotton gin this year. There has been considerable cotton planted down there and it is too far to haul it to Clarendon or Memphis.

Will (Red) Evans had the misfortune to get his collar bone broken Snuday by his horse falling with him out on McClelland creek. The first setting was defective and he came to town yesterday and had the work done over.

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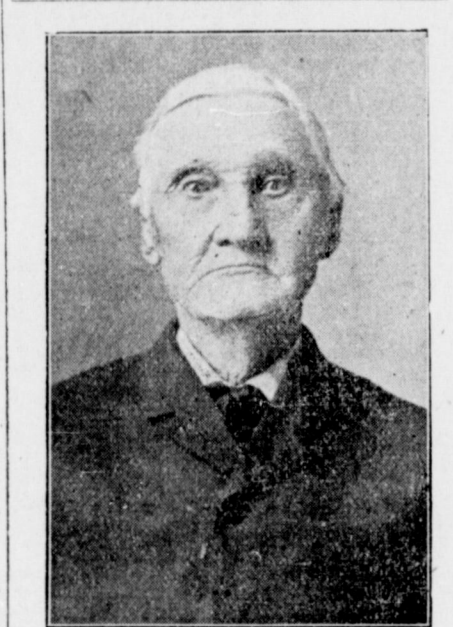
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Texas in 1871, was licensed to preach in Jackson county, Ala., in 1848. Was ordained to the full work of the ministry in 1875, in Montague county, Tex., at Brushy church. He traveled as an independent evangelist for 4 years, in Montague, Jack, Clay and Wise counties. He assisted in the organization of Jacksboro association and Montague association. He moved to Vernon, Tex., and assisted in organizing the church there. He and a Bro. Love organized the church at Henrietta. In 13 months he assisted in organizing 10 churches. He did most all his traveling on foot. His foot prints made by the gospel he preached can be traced to-day all through these counties. He then moved to Clarendon and was in the organization of the church here. He has always been so solicitous about the Kingdom of his Lord. Every time he hears of a good revival, he claps his hands and praises the Lord. He is now nearing his eighty-eighth mile stone along the journey of life, but as zealous as in his active ministry. It has been one of the greatest inspirations this pastor has had to have him sit before us while we preached. Everyone has confidence in Grandpa Singleterry's religion. It inspires the entire congregation every time he enters the church.—Panhandle Missionary.



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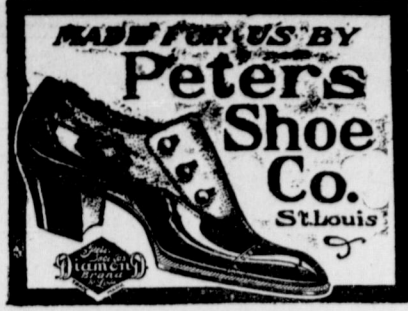
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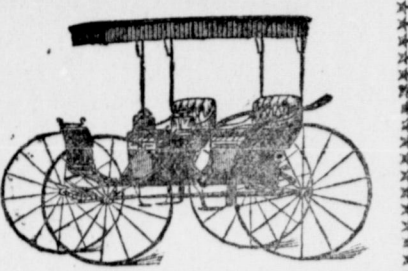
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**Concentration of Wealth A Menace to Civilization.**

The Rev. Madison C. Peters said to his St. Louis congregation on the subject of "The Future of the Republic:"

"Until God makes all people's brains just alike so long will there be rich and poor in human society, to say nothing of those causes that originate in the vices of men. Those who would throw down all the distinctions created by wealth or intellect are the enemies of progress. But there are evils attending our unequal distribution of wealth fostered by artificial and injurious legislation, until it has become oppressive and unreasonable. True prosperity depends far more on the equity of the wealth distribution than upon the aggregate amount of wealth possessed.

"In 1860 the wealth of this country, \$16,159,616,000, was very evenly distributed—half of the wealth was in the possession of half of the people, and poverty was not only confined to the cities, but to small sections of them. The wealth of the country in 1900 was \$94,300,000,000, and three-tenths of one per cent of the people owned 20 per cent of the wealth, 9 per cent of the people 51 per cent of the wealth, while 91 per cent of the people owned only 29 per cent of the wealth. It has been estimated that 25,000 persons own one-half of the wealth of this country, and 200,000 own 80 per cent of our total wealth. One half of the wealth produced in this country annually goes as a tribute to about 25,000 persons, and thus about one-half of our population of over 80,000,000 are working all the time for 25,000 of their fellowmen. One hundred and twenty-five families in the United States have more wealth than all the other 80,000,000 of people put together.

Just prior to the fall of the Roman Empire, the entire wealth was in the hands of 1,900 men. How long will it be if our present ratio be maintained ere a few hundred will own all the wealth of the country? Garfield said: 'Whoever controls the volume of money in any country is master of all its legislation and commerce.'

"The manufactures of the United States are owned by 708,623 individuals, with an invested capital of \$9,831,486,500, but the most important of these corporations, whose output is the largest and whose influence controls the market, are under the control of perhaps fifty men, and these fifty men have it in their power, by reason of the wealth they control, to arrive at an understanding, and any day they should so choose could stop every wheel of commerce from revolving, block every avenue of trade and strike dumb every electric key. These few men control the circulation of the currency, they may at their will embarrass business, enrich whom they will, control production, increase prices on the necessities of life, throttle competition and buy whatever legislation they need. No sensible man ought to object to an industrial system which allows a man by his genius and industry to make all the money honestly he can, but the day will surely come when the American people will rise up in mighty protest against accumulation by legalized methods of robbery, by which a few appropriate what the millions earn. The masses of our people are restless, not so much because they cannot join the noisy procession of extravagance, but because they are beginning to feel when a few men have scores of mansions and millions of acres for pleasure grounds, while there are ten million persons in the United States who are much

of the time underfed, poorly clothed and improperly housed, even our most conservative people are beginning to realize that this is a privilege inconsistent with a form of government where the will of the people in the form of laws is supposed to exist.

**Deaths From Disease.**

The latest returns tell us that the total loss of life by the earthquake and the fire in San Francisco foots up less than 2,000. This number has been many times greatly exceeded. For example, in the Lisbon earthquake of 1755 60,000 perished. The Calabria earthquake of 1783 killed 32,000. In 1896 a tidal wave 40 feet high produced by earthquake killed 27,000 on the coast of Japan. At Martinique 40,000 perished. But these disasters are nothing—they are but drops in the ocean, when we think of the daily and hourly tribute of human victims to disease. Here are the figures

37,500,000 persons die each year.  
103,000 persons die each day.  
4,300 persons die each hour.  
70 persons die each minute.  
1 person dies each second.

Every thirty minutes, then, more people die than were killed by the earthquake. Most of these are the victims of preventable disease. In the United States alone 416,000 persons die annually of pneumonia, 413,000 persons die of consumption, 144,000 persons die of apoplexy, 130,000 persons die of cancer—more than a million persons dying of four diseases only, all of which are preventable. If the earthquake is terrible because of the loss of human life, here is something almost infinitely more terrible. Day and night this vast procession of corpses—100,000 a day—each with its funeral car and weeping mourners, passes down the highway of life to new-made graves. We have become accustomed to the funeral dirge and the mourner's wail. Our hearts are calloused to the stricken mother's grief and the motherless child's lament. We take death from disease as a matter of course, and stand stupidly by waiting our turn.—Good Health.

**A Big Year For Railroads.**

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"If I should remove my residence from Texas to New York," said Mr. Henry, "the first act of mine would be to become a member of Tammany. When Texas was knocking at the door for statehood Tammany raised her voice in her favor, and we came in. To-day Texas has more than 3,000,000 people, and most of them are democrats.

"The tariff and the trusts must be the great overshadowing issues of the next congress, and if you are true to your trust, we will see a democratic administration in power. When we meet Tammany at the next campaign, Texas will be there holding up the banner of the greatest democrat who has lived since Jefferson—W. J. Bryan. And then Texas will insist that his running mate in the campaign be your own member, Charles A. Towne. Such a ticket will sweep the country. Your most representative and brilliant jurist, Alton B. Parker, shall be the chief justice of the United States supreme court."

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