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A ST. LOUIS husband stopped his wife from talking by shutting her up in a folding bed. She was rescued by an uncle after which she secured a divorce and no doubt her tongue is freer than ever.

SLUGGER SULLIVAN who started out to gratify the hoodlum element by showing his depravity and brutal nature in what he was pleased to call "Uncle Tom's Cabin," drank up the receipts as fast as they came in and busted his company.

PEOPLE in the older eastern states are getting squeamish. Recently the trustees of the Methodist church of Newmarket, Maryland, refused to allow Mrs. Robert Thompson to be buried from the church because she had died of tuberculosis.

WHILE you are hustling around to get a quarter to pay for your next meal, it might abate your hunger a little bit to call to mind that one hundred dollars a plate is all it will cost those of us who dine with Prince Henry during his visit in Chicago.

THE big insurance companies who hold up the people of Texas for millions annually, make loud threats to quit the state when called upon for their taxes, but when they consider their fat rake off in lucrative premiums, they turn round and seek re-admission.

THE Fort Worth Register says, in speaking of the "street gamin" spat between Tillman and McLaurin: "Doubtless the democrats of South Carolina would favor the initiative and referendum now. They could call for a vote on the proposition of having the senators resign again, and instruct the governor how to act in such case." Can the Register, or anybody else, give any good reason why anyone should have the right to recall him if he prove incompetent or if he brings reproach upon those who elect him?

UP to the present, no political party in Texas but the democrats have held any nominating conventions or primaries. They have had it all to themselves. Yet, during no campaign of the past in the contest between opposing parties have the charges of fraud, repeating and crookedness been more prolific than this year has brought forth. While the questionable methods are apparent to everybody, there is but little probability that anything will be done to correct it. Fort Worth is in a turmoil over the primaries held there and the Tarrant county citizen says, "Barring the negro from the primary did not purify the ballot to any alarming extent. The grand jury is wrestling with an investigation, which will probably result in whitewashing the committee."

Eighty officials accused of embezzling public funds have been beheaded in Korea. The rulers of that country take no chances with the pardoning power.—Omaha Bee.

If we could have such a law in this country severed heads might be pretty numerous for a while, but public funds would soon be far more safe.

The bank of Westfall & Co., Burnet, Tex., has gone to the wall and its officials are in parts unknown. It is one of the oldest financial institutions of that section of the country. The amount involved in the failure aggregates between $75,000 and $100,000. Intense excitement prevails throughout Burnet county among those who had deposits in the bank. The bank numbered among its depositors merchants, farmers, business men and laborers. The cashier, W. H. Boggess, left Burnet several days ago on a business trip to St. Louis and has not returned. Burnet county had about $11,000 in the bank, which inclnded the school funds of the county.

There is nothing yet definite as to the time the division will be moved from here. The water problem provès more troublesome as they progress with the work. It was reported that the passenger trains were to make the change Sunday but we failed to have this verified. It is now claimed that there is no longer a doubt about the Gould's having a controlling interest. The directors are soon to meet, and perhaps something can be learned then.

Texas Midland First Road in the World to try Wireless Telegraph.

A dispatch says E. H. R. Green, president and owner of the Texas Midland Railroad, is going to demonstrate whether the Marconi wireless telegraph system can be made practical in operating railroad train service.

"I have ordered Marconi's wireless telegraph system for use on the Midland and have received word from Edinburg Scotland, that my order has been placed. I expect to have the system in operation within three months. The old pole and wire system will not be taken down now, but Marconi's instruments will be given a thorough test.

"If the experiments prove successful that system may be adopted. The Texas Midland will be the first in the world to attempt to adopt Marconi's invention."

A Crime Breeder.

Rev. S. H. Morgan, chaplain of the Huntsville branch of the Texas state penitentiary in his report just published, says: "The number of prisoners is less than a few years ago. One-third of the populous portions of the state is under prohibition. Seventy-five per cent of the inmates come to the prisons from saloons and saloon influences. As these influences are curtailed, the number of state criminals decrease."

The antis of Wise county have secured an order for an election in Wise county and the Index says, "The subject of prohibition scarcely needs to be discussed on its merits prior to the election of March 15. The law has been so beneficial, and so conducive to the general good of the country, that it would seem almost useless to engage in much discussion."

Oil Locomotives.

Evidence of the conviction of conservative business men that the supply of oil from the Texas fields is inexhaustible is shown by the recent order of the Northern Pacific Railway for a number of oil burning locomotives, the intention being to use the Beaumont product.

These engines will be widely at variance from the common design. According to the specifications already drawn, the smokestacks will be behind the cab. This will afford a clear view of the track ahead, and will do away with the tender, so necessary on coal-burning engines.

The water and oil will be carried in a jacket around the boiler, thereby adding heat before the water enters the boiler. The oil will be forced into the furnace by steam and air pressure. Several of the Texas oil companies are conducting experiments calculated to prove to the railroads and other coal users the cheapness of oil as compared with coal.—Republic.

The oleomargarine sellers and makers are now up against a hard proposition. The bill just passed by congress places a tax of ten cents per pound on it when made in imitation of butter or is added any coloring of any shade to make it look like butter. Any person who violates of this law shall for each offense be fined not less than $50 nor exceeding $500, and imprisoned not less than thirty days nor more than six months.

The allied party of Missouri held its state convention last week in St. Louis and nominated the following candidates: Judges of the supreme court, Henry N. Ess of Kansas City, Frank Richie of St. Louis and Zack Taylor of Springfield; railroad and warehouse commissioners, Lyman Forgrave of St. Joseph and Oswald Hicks of Macon; superintendent of schools, John D. Brown of Kansas City. Forty-eight delegates were elected to the national convention to be held in Louisville next April and re-affirmed the Kansas City platform. Direct legislation and public ownership of all public utilities were declared the paramount issues in the coming state campaign.

An exchange makes the observation that when a man sees the idle, foolish young men his daughter's accomplishments attract to her parlor, it must occur to him that he is getting a poor return for his money.

Quanah has quarantined against Vernon because our coons have the black leg.—Vernon Hornet.

Quanah and Vernon editors seem gifted in prying around and making discoveries.

Madden Wins a Watch.

The editor of the appeal to reason, whose paper was for a while under the ban of the postoffice department, had offered a souvenir watch to the person getting the largest number of subscribers, awarded it to Mr. Madden, whose ruling and the consequent publicity caused subscriptions to pour in from everywhere. He enclosed the following letter with the watch:

On behalf of the comrades of the Appeal Army, whose names are herewith attached, permit me to present to you a little souvenir as a token of their appreciation for the work you have done in bringing to the attention of thousands of Americans the subject of Socialism, and arousing the American nation to the danger of leaving in the hands of an irresponsible person the power to deny to a legitimate publication the second-class mail privilege.

As a result of your action regarding the appeal, a spirit of protest has been aroused in the United States which the law makers will not pass unheeded.

No doubt you are much more familiar with the subject of Socialism to-day than you were several months ago—so is the American public.

Industrial conditions are rapidly accentuating the social question, and no effort on the part of those who profit by the unequal distribution of the products of labor can stay the rapidly rising tide for industrial righteousness.

The American people are demanding to know why it is that with a surplus production of billions of dollars worth of those things which make life pleasant and happy, there are many in this country who barely eke out an existence, and that thousands of men and women willing to work are out of employment. (See the last report of the New York Commissioner of Labor. They are demanding to know why with the increasing productiveness of their labor they are given a diminishing share each year of the products which their hands create. (See census bulletins just issued on manufacturers).

They are demanding to know why little children are forced to work night and day in the factories of the country for a pittance, while men and women idle away their time, spending the thousands of dollars which would make them happy and comfortable and provide them with those things which you desire for your children.

Socialism alone answers these questions, and in bringing to the attention of the American people Socialism—even though you had an "ulterior purpose" in view—you have done a service for which all socialists are thankful.

This souvenir watch will remind you that when "time" is called, you will find the people just as ready and willing to stand up for their economic rights as they were when their right to read such papers as they desired was questioned. You will discover, if you will brush the dust from the musty tomes of history in the Washington library, that all evolutions of the race upward have been accelerated by opposition; if you care to study current events in the old world, you will note that it was through opposition of the German chancellor that Socialism grew until today it is the most important factor in German politics and that soon it will sweep away every vestige of royalty which in that empire is synonymous with capitalism in this country.

The opponents of social progress have in all times past played their little parts, but the procession moved on and the names of the obstructionists are forgotten.

That the appeal will continue to grow "because of the doctrines it advocates" is evidenced by the fact that the number of subscriptions received each week from persons who, with their own money pay for the same, is double what it was before you questioned the right of the Appeal to use the mails as second class mail matter. With the growth of the Appeal and other Socialist papers will come an increase in the sentiment for which they stand, and if you live the allotted three-score and ten years, you will witness the inauguration of the Industrial Republic—and you will be glad of it. Respectfully,

J. A. WAYLAND.

When you read this paper, hand it to your neighbor, ask him to read it and send in his subscription.

Address to Reformers.

At the recent state conference held at Dallas, a committe consisting of J. M. Mallett, Newt Gresham and H. S. P. Ashby, appointed by the conference issued the following:

The conference was a representative one, composed of representative men from all over the state, and the one idea of building up and extended reform interests throughout the state dominated every heart. The conference endorsed the Kansas City conference, the platform adopted, as embodying the fundamental principles of the Omaha platform of 1892, the call for the Louisville convention on April 2, 1902, and elected 125 true and tried men as delegates to said convention.

Populists of Texas, the hour for action has arrived. The time to replenish the fires of reform in every precinct in our grand state should begin at once. The old guard who have always been in the front line of battle bid you in the name of down trodden humanity to enter the conflict and contend earnestly for these great principles that have fired the hearts of our people since the organization of our party. Treachery and deception have marked the legislation of the two old parties and in everything in which the great mass of the people are interested they have been found wanting, (This is admitted by all.) No man who has studied the political acts of the democratic and republican parties for the last thirty years and whose soul is not completely warped and twisted by political prejudices can fail to see that there is absolutely no hope for relief to the great common people of this country from either of the old parties. Trusts and combines are getting a firmer grasp on the throats of the people day by day, and scarcely a day passes but some new combine is chartered and all the while these politcal conspirators are crying out against the trusts. We have the richest country in the world, comprising a vast empire, stretching from the Atlantic on the east to the Pacific on the west, and from the lakes of the north to the Gulf of Mexico, comprising every kind of soil and climate, vast rolling rivers upon whose heaving bosoms float the commerce of 75,000,000 people; 190,000 miles of railroad penetrate every part of our great country, while the smoke of our furnaces and factories is seen on every hill and valley, and we ought to be the freest, the happiest and most prosperous people in the world; yet poverty and destitution is seen everywhere, and financial oppression is crushing the industrial interests of the entire country.

Populist principles as set forth in our platform are the only remedy for these evils, and we urge you to stand by every principle enunciated therein. Already men of other parties are seeing the justness of our principles. Organized labor throughout the country is endorsing them in its councils and assemblies, and more people today believe in our position on finance, land, transportation and direct legislation, or majority rule by the whole people, than ever before, and by this we hope to wrench the power of the bosses from the political machine that now completely dominates the two old parties, and restore to the people the power to veto or indorse any measure affecting the whole people, by passing on it at the ballot box before it becomes a fixture on our statute books.

In order to accomplish this the battle must begin at once—the reform papers that have stood steadfastly to principles during the dark night of doubt and uncertainty for the last four years, and who have stood as faithful sentinels on the watchtower, should now receive your united support which will greatly increase their power for good and enable them to plant the banner of our principles on the strongest positions of the enemy. To this end we urge and advise that you perfect your organization, hold precinct meetings in every precinct in the state, so that our people will get into line for concerted action. We believe in the doctrine of pure democracy, and the way out of the fog and difficulties that now surround us is to clothe the people with power to pass upon all general legislation and the right to initiate and enforce the enactment of laws that will benefit all the people. By this means we will be able to overthrow the political power now exercised by the cliques, rings and machine bosses that now dominate both the old parties in every state where they are now in power.

To this end we invite your attention to a system by which we can secure the adoption of the initiative and referendum without constitutional amendment, and we earnestly invite the co-operation of men of all parties in our state so that we this year may secure the adoption of majority rule. We advise the voters of Texas, and of all other states as well, that they demand of every candidate for legislative honors that he sign a written agreement to vote to submit to the people the right to pass upon all general laws affecting the whole people at the ballot box before it goes into effect, and if he fails to do so to see that he is defeated and a man elected who will agree to such action. By this course we will free our legislative bodies from what is known as the third house (the lobby), overthrow the bosses and political machines and restore to us a government of, for and by the people.

J. M. MALLETT,
NEWT GRESHAM,
H. S. P. ASHBY,
Committee.

Texas to Have a Sugar Mill.

A dispatch from Austin says St. Louis contractors will erect for the state a great sugar mill, at a cost of about $350,000.

The last legislature made provision for the erection of this mill, and it was to be paid for from the sale of sugar cane crop on the state's convict plantations in the next two years.

It was found impossible, however, to find any contractor who would undertake the construction of the mill under such terms, and was decided that the state should sell the St. Louis men 50 acres of land off the Clemens convict plantation, upon which the mill should be erected, and that the land and mill should be deeded to the state by the contractors at a price to be stipulated hereafter.

No Fusion for Kansas Populists.

The populists of Kansas, in session at Topeka decided Friday that there would be no affiliation between the populists and democratic forces in Kansas this year.

A faction led by ex-Congressman Ridgely favored absolute surrender to the democrats, but there were enough old time populists to defeat this plan.

Editor W. A. Binyon, of the Granbury Graphic Truth, pays the editor of the INDUSTRIAL WEST the following compliment: "The Graphic Truth editor is responsible for the selection of Editor Blake as a delegate to attend the Louisville conference. We nominated him knowing him to be a man of sterling worth, a true reformer and one in whom the people have the utmost confidence. We sincerely hope he can arrange to attend."

Half the crimes committed by human beings come from frightful poverty or an over-abundance of wealth—or from efforts to escape the one or acquire the other."—John Brisben Walker.

CURED CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months; the doctors stated he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and cured him. That was six years ago, and since then we always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c and $1.00 bottle at H. D. Ramsey's, druggist.

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Whitelaw Reed has been appointed to represent the United States at the coronation of King Edward VII. This is the man who said: "Strikers should be fed on a diet bayonets and bullets."

The University of Texas Summer School enrolled more than two hundred students during the session of 1901, the larger proportion being teachers with an ambition to improve their scholarship and teaching power. The splendid library, well equipped scientific laboratories and spacious class-rooms will be open to the teachers of the state at a nominal expense. For a catalogue, giving a full account of the courses of study offered, address the Registrar, Austin, Texas.

One of the effects of the postal ruling has resulted in the raise of the express rates on the return publication to two cents a pound. It was formerly one. That is what the raise in rates is done for. Isn't it singular that the express companies can carry mail matter at less than Uncle Sam and make big dividends while Uncle Sam is losing? Can you see the cat? The express companies are virtually running the postoffice department.—Ex.

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has given prominence in history to the now world famous Texas Panhandle. But a few years ago the wonderful possibilities of this region as a wheat country became known, and great things were prophesied for "The Granary of the South," which subsequent harvests justified. Comparatively recent is the demand of good livers for "Vernon Cantaloupes," but it's come to stay. Those acquainted with this section and its wealth as a producer of feed stuffs, corn and cotton have long believed in it, nor have they been moving away. When Northwestern Texas remained conspicuous for its excellence in the face of almost universally discouraging crop conditions, people began to see reasons for the faith of those inviting them to enter and possess the land; and now, with farms and ranches being bought daily by new settlers coming in by wagon and rail, three new railroads now building and four more projected, seeking a share of the general prosperity, good reason is evident for the favor with which the territory along "THE DENVER ROAD" is regarded by prospectors.

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EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

Gen. Funston is well.

Central Asia has a locust plague.

Field Marshal Chamberlain died at London.

Yang Yu, Chinese minister to Russia, died.

The Nicaragua congress has adjourned until Dec. 15.

Robbers stole $2000 from a Clinton, Ia., gambling house.

In a fire at St. Joseph, Mo., five firemen were badly hurt.

Fort Wayne, Ind., is to have a $50,000 Lutheran hospital.

Postmaster Partridge of Kenesaw, Neb., committed suicide.

During a fire at Carl Junction, Mo., one man was fatally injured.

Eric Richardson, one of the wealthiest men of Sioux City, Ia., died.

Lieut. C. M. Furey of the Second infantry suicided at Columbus, O.

Some important gold strikes are reported near Cripple Creek, Colo.

John Hempfling, Sr. a Mexican war veteran, died at Waterloo, Ill.

Frank B. Brookman, a prominent Chicago manufacturer, is dead.

Extensive coal fields have been found near Frankfort, Germany.

By a head-end collision near Gifford, Ia. four trainmen were killed.

The Swedish government is endeavoring to give work to the unemployed.

President Castro has expelled Mrs. Matos, wife of the general, from Venezuela.

Fire broke out in the Treadwell mine near Juneau. The 100 miners escaped.

Rev. N. H. Phillips, a pioneer Methodist clergyman, passed away at Muncie, Ind.

Two rival saloon men fought with pistols at St. Joseph, Mo. One was fatally wounded.

President Stillwell of the Orient railway has sold $3,000,000 worth of bonds in Europe.

Charles L. Tiffany, senor member of the New York Jewelry firm of Tiffany & Co. died at New York. He was 90 years old.

Cooper Union, New York, has received a gift of $250,000. The gift was made on condition that the name of the donor be withheld.

The Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's association held its annual meeting at Minneapolis. A goodly amount of business was disposed of.

While Rabbi Yasgour was butchering cattle for his congregation at Evansville, Ind., Louke Wilkins, colored, picked his pockets and secured $20. The egro confessed.

Harry J. Wilson and Fred Duell structural iron workers, fell fourteen stories from a building at Cleveland, O., and of course were killed.

Five men blew open the safe in the street ralway company offices at Northampton, Mass., first overpowering the watchman. They secured about $300.

While Dr. Clements, a dentist of Joplin Mo., was at dinner, burglars entered his office, in the business section of the city, and stole over $100 worth of gold.

J. P. Morgan & Co. distributed on the 19th a dividend of $10,000,000 to the members of the syndicate formed to underwrite the United States Steel Corporation.

Prof. Charles W. Pearson, whose criticisms of Biblical miracles have caused much discussion, has resigned as a member of the faculty of the Northwestern university, Chicago.

Robert Fuller, a farmer, was fatally shot near Connellsville, Pa., and Albert Stuart seriously wounded, by Robert Moreland. The trouble originated at a dance, several parties being implicated in the affair.

Brig. Gen. William H. Copper, commander of the Second brigade, National Guard of New Jersey, died of apoplexy at his offices in Camden. He was born in Bristol, Pa., in 1844, and was a veteran of the Civil war.

German government gives as a reason for keeping troops in China that it is deemed best to do so in order to adequately support the interests of Germany in the Flowery Kingdom. This statement was made in the reichstag.

William M. Tweed, son of the late Tammany hall (New York) chieftan of that name, departed this life very suddenly, dropping dead, at Stamford Conn. Mr. Tweed was formerly proprietor of a New York hotel. He was a man of much means.

the executive committee members of the East Texas Fruit and Truck Growers' association at the recent meeting which was held at Lufkin. Nine associations were represented by regularly authorized delegates.

All the woodworking plants at Peoria, Ill., have closed down for an indefinite period. Their woodworkers had given notice of a 5 per cent advance in wages, effective May 1, and the operators decided to force the issue at once without a conference.

An Englishman and a German have started from Paris in an automobile to circle the globe. They will cross Russia and Siberia, sail for Mexico, and thence cross Texas, go to New York and then to Paris. Four months is time of trip.

A German courtmartial sentenced Herr Falkenhagen, an officer of the army reserve, to six years' imprisonment in a fortress for killing Landrath von Bennigsen in a duel Jan. 16 in the emperor's hunting park at Springe.

Aaron Julius, colored, was shot and instantly killed by his wife at Kansas City, Kan. He was an employe of Armour's packing house and sometimes preached.

HEARTY WELCOME

Extended to Prince Henry at the National Capital.

IS GREETED BY THE PRESIDENT,

Introduced to a Number of Notables at the White House, Pays a Visit to Congress and Dined.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Rarely in its history has the white house been the scene of a more brilliant spectacle than Monday, when President Roosevelt welcomed to the United States Prince Henry of Prussia.

After the greeting had been extended the president led into the blue parlor and introduced him to Mrs. Roosevelt and his daughter, Miss Alice. After a few words with them the royal visitor was conducted into the green room and introduced to the members of the cabinet and their ladies. After the ceremony the following statement was made by Assistant Secretary Pearce:

"The conversation between the president and the prince was of a purely formal nature and had no political significance further than that contained in the usual general expressions of international amity and good will."

The party then proceeded to the east room, where the members of the prince's suite were introduced to the president. The entire ceremony occupied just thirty minutes. On the party reappearing the Marine band played "Hands Across the Sea," and with a few sharp military commands the drive to the German embassy was begun.

Tremendous cheers from the crowd at 11:30 announced the coming of President Roosevelt to the embassy to return the call of Prince Henry. The president drove in an open landau with Col. Bingham, his naval aid, Commander Cowles, following in a carriage.

As the president stepped out of the carriage the German ambassador met him. Then the president passed up the stairway to the drawing-room, where Prince Henry greeted him most cordially and there was an interchange of amenities. The president and prince remained together for about ten minutes, being left alone at first and later being joined by the ambassador. There was no exchange of formal addresses during the visit, although it gave opportunity for expressions of mutual cordiality and good will between the two nations.

The prince visited both houses of congress.

The dinner at the white house was a most elaborate affair.

Berlin Pleased.

Berlin, Feb. 25.—The narratives of the reception of Prince Henry at New York covered one and two pages in Monday's issues of the principal German newspapers. No foreign event has ever been reported in the German press with such detail.

Everybody here is pleased thereat, and court circles are especially gratified by the spontaneous good will manifested as well as by the size of the organized demonstrations.

Representative Ball's bill to create a Federal court at Houston passed house without opposition.

Claims Tampering.

New York, Feb. 25.—Commissioner J. Hampton Dougherty of the department of water supply is of the opinion that the city has been swindled out of hundreds of thousands of dollars the last few years through tampering with water meters, whereby they have been made to register much less than the actual amount of water which passed through them. He is now investigating.

Cut His Own Salary.

New York, Feb. 25.—Rev. Dr. David Cregg, pastor of the Lafayette Avenue Baptist church, Brooklyn, surprised his congregation by announcing that he had reduced his own salary from $10,000 to $8000 yearly. At the annual meeting of the church it was announced that for 1901 there was a deficiency of about $3500. This amount was made up later by the members of the congregation. The clergyman insists on the reduction.

Singular Suicide.

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 25.—Walter McVey killed himself in the presence of his bride of but a few days. McVey was a member of Company F, Thirty-third regiment, and married Mrs. Hughes, a widow with four children.

He exhibited a revolver to his wife, saying: "There are two loads in this revolver—one for each of us." He snapped the weapon alternately at his wife and himself, the first load failing to his lot. The bullet entered right eye.

Tariff Act Passed.

Washington, Feb. 25.—After eight hours of tumultuous debate the senate passed the Philippine tariff bill by a vote of 46 to 26—a strictly party vote.

Mr. Tillman and Mr. McLaurin, the two senators from South Carolina, who on Saturday last were declared by the senate to be in contempt because of their fight in the chamber, were not permitted by voice or by vote to participate. The question as to their right to vote precipitated a sharp debate.

Slight Sarcasm.

Paris, Feb. 25.—The visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to the United States is attracting attention here and there is a tinge of irony in the newspaper comments, which betray some sense of pique at the enthusiasm of his reception.

Ed Harville was killed near Rockett, Ellis county. Frank Sutton surrendered.

CONE IN DIXIE.

Matters of Interest Happening in Some Southern States.

Two-thirds of Woodbury, Tenn., was destroyed by fire. Loss $50,000.

Some portions of Arkansas had an eight-inch snowfall on the night of the 19th.

Jane Daniel, an aged colored woman, was burned to death at Clarksville, Tenn.

The Arkansas grand lodge Knights of Honor held its tenth annual session at Little Rock.

John P. Doyle, wounded in the attack on Turner's quarter house at Middlesboro, Ky., died.

The people in several townships of Sharp county, Arkansas, are badly in need of assistance.

Edward Moon, a Memphis grain dealer, has filed a bankruptcy petition showing $60,000 liabilities.

Nine convicts escaped from Shelby farm, Bolivar county, Mississippi, by sawing through the cage.

F. W. Wade was accidentally shot and fatally wounded by a companion in Concordia parish, Louisiana.

Charles Delonon, colored, was run over by three trains near Lake Charles, La., and torn to pieces.

The plant at Louisville, Ky., of the Louisville Bolt and Iron company were destroyed by fire. Loss $100,000.

Mark Ferrill, a young coalminer, cut the throat of Dock Lyons, 18 years old, at Blocton, Ala. Lyons died in a few minutes.

The Nashville and Knoxville Railroad company and its coal properties has passed into the control of the Tennessee Central.

The eleventh annual session of the Tuskegee negro conference was held at Tuskegee, Ala. Booker T. Washington presided.

Will Collins shot and killed Leon Lyman at Dumas, Ark. It is alleged Lyman had failed to keep a promise to marry Collins' sister.

The 3-year-old daughter of G. R. Richards was seriously burned at Lake Charles, La. She lighted paper with matches and her clothes were ignited.

Lee Turner, at whose house the recent fight in Middlesboro, Ky., resulted in several fatalities, has surrendered to officers at Lafollette, Tenn.

Col. Bob Crockett, father of the Arkansas secretary of state, and grandson of the noted Davy Crockett, the hero of the Alamo, died at Stuttgart, Ark.

Meredith Williams was shot and killed by a negro at Winona, Miss. The negro escaped. Another negro, who furnished the murderer with the weapon, was killed.

W. R. Shyle, charged with counterfeiting, was held under bond of $5000 at Birmingham, Ala. He is accused of passing $20 counterfeit bills. He is a Talladega photographer.

In a pistol duel at Lawrenceburg, Ky., President Witherspoon of the First National bank was seriously wounded. Judge Walker, his antagonist, was unhurt.

Mary Ella Butler got a divorce at Birmingham, Ala., from Charles Butler. Judge Coleman, who granted the decree, in a few hours united the woman to Henry Perkins.

J. L. Leland, who escaped from the Federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., was caught in Smith county, Mississippi. He is charged with stealing $8000 from the sheriff of Newton county, Mississippi. His real name is said to be James Seymour.

An Issue Involved.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Tillman-McLaurin episode has developed into something far more than a slight pugilistic encounter. Even the recall by the president of an invitation to Senator Tillman to dine at the white house is but a minor feature of the trouble. The embarrassing issue which has been raised is a matter between the theoretical dignity of the senate and the sovereign right of a state to equal suffrage on the floor of the senate.

Many Reported Killed.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Feb. 25.—Sixty-four men are reported to have been killed or wounded during fighting which occurred on the Montenegro frontier between Albanians and Turkish regular troops.

The trouble was due to the recent assassination of the Albanian chief, Mulazaka. The latter's clansmen demanded the surrender of the murderer, failing in which they attacked a force of Turkish frontier troops.

Denied by Bryan.

Columbus, O., Feb. 25.—William Jennings Bryan was guest of honor at a luncheon given by Col. Kilbourne. When asked regarding report that he would call on ex-Senator Hill and pledge him his support for the presidential nomination in 1904, Mr. Bryan said:

"I never have made any such statement, and what I may say regarding the presidential nomination two years hence I will say in my own way and at a time when I may deem proper."

Miss Hobson Alabama's Sponsor.

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 25.—Gen. George P. Harrison, commander of Alabama Division, Confederate Veterans, announced Miss Annie Hobson of Greensboro, sister of Richmond Pearson Hobson, as sponsor of Alabama at the Dallas reunion, and Miss Josephine Crowe of Sheffield as her maid of honor.

Sulphur Springs is almost certain to have a canning plant.

Will Exceed $1,000,000.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 25.—General revenue for this month promises to exceed $1,000,000. For the first twenty-two days the receipts are $903,408, as against $816,513 for the same month in 1900.

Fortunate is the bride who is well groomed.

PECULIAR WILL.

The One Left by a Collin County Man Is Out of the Ordinary.

McKinney, Tex., Feb. 25.—C. B. Moore, who died at his home six miles north of McKinney Nov. 25, left a remarkable will, which has just been probated here. Following is a copy:

Advalorem, Six Miles North of McKinney, Collin Collin County, Texas, Sept. 30, 1901, 4 a. m., Mercury 66 Degrees.—I, Charles Bingley Moore, now 79 years old and near the age at which my father and three of my grandparents died, and being worn out, so far as labor is concerned, can expect to live but a short time. And wishing to avoid trouble and expense in winding up my estate, I hereby give my present circumstances and state my will and wish for the future.

Years ago I wrote my will and had it witnessed, sealed and deposited with J. M. Pearson of McKinney, but having lived longer than I expected, I now hereby purpose executing in part and abrogating the rest of that will.

My family now consists of myself, my wife, Mary Ann Moore, now 59 years old, and Linnet Moore, an only child, now 21 years old.

Years ago we gave Linnet near one hundred acres of land. She sold twenty-five acres to A. L. Priest and with the proceeds built a house and opened a farm now rented to Tom Derick. We now give her one hundred acres off the east end of my 350-acre tract joining her farm and $300, and a filly known as Trixy. Having full confidence in Mary's financial ability, I hereby direct that at my death she shall take full charge of our estate, land, stock, tools, money and notes, and absolutely own and control it as I do now, and dispose of it at her will and pleasure. Birdie McGee, our niece, now lives with us, and I hereby commend her to Mary's liberality. It is my wish and desire that Mary, my wife, act as my executrix, and that no bond whatever be required of her as such executrix, and when my will is probated and an inventory and appraisement of my estate is filed, that no further action be taken by the county court in the further administration of my estate.

Being heterodox in most everything, not believing in Revelation, God or devil, I wish to be buried as my father, mother, brothers and sisters were buried, without religious ceremonies.

C. B. MOORE, 79.

Body Found in a Tree.

Bonham, Tex., Feb. 25.—A foul murder is reported from Mulberry, north of here on Red river. Hunters found the dead body of a young girl in a hollow tree near the river bank. The dead girl was Lena Pendergrass, 17 years old, a Mexican, who had been making her home with a Mexican farmer named Thurman. She has been missing from the community for several days. An examination of the body showed that she had been dead for some time. The skull was badly crushed. Thurman is in jail here.

Could Not Find Jones.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 25.—Capt. J. T. Brooks of the State Rangers is here from an unsuccessful trip to Mexico in search of Dr. I. J. Jones, formerly of the quarantine department, now under indictment for forgery and embezzlement, growing out of the irregularities of that office. Capt. Brooks visited several places where Dr. Jones had preceded him. He went as far south as Coatszacoalcos on the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, where Dr. Jones had been.

Storm in Grimes County.

Navasota, Tex., Feb. 25.—Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock the heaviest rain since the Galveston tidal wave fell. It was very general and very badly needed. It poured down in torrents without intermission for two hours. Later in the afternoon a heavy cornucopia-shaped cloud appeared in the west. This cloud divided about where the Brazos and Navasota rivers connect. One-half went down the Brazos and the other half traveled east and finally disappeared. There was much uneasiness here for fear of a cyclone.

People from the Brazos bottom say a terrible storm accompanied by much hail followed the Brazos river for miles, tearing up the trees by the roots and dislodging many tenant houses and barns. There is said to be quite a loss in young cattle and sheep by drowning.

A $4,000,000 office building is to be erected at New York.

Hanged Himself.

Houston, Tex., Feb. 25.—A. A. Woeler hanged himself, and though he was cut down before life was extinct, he could not be saved. He with his wife and children were stopping at 707 McKinney street. He stood upon a chair, tied one end of a rope around the transom crosspiece, the other around his neck and stepped off the chair. No one was in the room. He was discovered by his wife and was cut down, but was so far gone that resuscitation was impossible.

Until Safety is Assured.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 25.—Sheriff J. Cross Baker of Grimes county was here and had a conference with Gov. Sayers in regard to taking former Sheriff G. H. Scott back to that county to stand trial for alleged murder committed several years ago. Sheriff Baker stated that everything is quiet in Grimes county and that he thought the safety of the prisoner would be assured. Scott is under arrest at San Antonio.

Demanded a Check.

Menardville, Tex., Feb. 25.—Sam Zettlemeyer, a ranchman of this county, was at his place held up and at the point of a pistol compelled to give a check for $40 on a merchant in this place in favor of one of the robbers. Two men are now in jail. They were arrested while waiting to get the check cashed, Zettlemeyr having followed them to town.

Ethel Bledsoe, 14 years old, died at the Odd Fellows' home at Corsicana.

SENATORS' SETTO.

Tillman and McLaurin of the State of South Carolina

ENGAGE IN EXCITING ENCOUNTER

On the Floor of the Upper House During a Debate and Blows Are Exchanged by the Belligerents.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Washington's birthday was signalized in the United States senate by a fist fight and was the occasion of one of the most sensational scenes ever enacted in the senate chamber. The two senators from South Carolina were the active participants in the fray.

Mr. Tillman, in the course of a speech upon the Philippine tariff bill, made serious reflections upon the honor of his colleague, Mr. McLaurin. In brief, he charged that his vote in support of the ratification of the treaty of Paris had been cast through the exercise of improper influences.

His statement was developed in a colloquy between him and Mr. Spooner of Wisconsin. Mr. Tillman at first declined to mention names, but when the Wisconsin senator reminded him that he owed it to himself, the senators and the country to name the man, Mr. Tillman indicated that he referred to his colleague from South Carolina.

Little imagining that his words were likely to be prophetic, Mr. Spooner remarked:

"I will leave the senator to fight that out with his colleague."

Mr. McLaurin was not in the chamber at the time, being engaged in committee work, but he was sent for and appeared just as Mr. Tillman concluded his speech.

Pale as ashes, Mr. McLaurin rose to address the senate, speaking to a question of personal privilege. He reviewed Mr. Tillman's charges briefly, and then denounced the statement made by his colleague as a willful, malicious and deliberate lie.

Scarcely had the portentous words fallen from his lips when Mr. Tillman, sitting a few seats from him, with Mr. Teller of Colorado between them, sprang at him. Mr. McLaurin, who had half turned toward Mr. Tillman, met him half way, and in an instant the two senators, having swept Mr. Teller aside, were engaged in a rough and tumble fight. Mr. McLaurin received a heavy blow on the forehead, while Mr. Tillman got a bad punch on the nose, which brought blood.

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms Layton sprang over desks to reach and separate the combatants, and hims lf received several blows. He got between them finally and by main strength wrenched them apart. Senators Warren of Wyoming and Scott of West Virginia, two of the most powerful men in the senate, leaped to his assistance, pinioned the arms of the belligerent senators and forced them into their seats.

Intense excitement prevailed in the senate and galleries, which were thronged with people. Everybody was on their feet. Not a word was spoken. Senators stood about the chamber for the moment quite helpless and pale to the lips. Finally order was restored partially and amid intense excitement the senate went into executive session.

For two hours the senate discussed the event behind closed doors. When the doors were opened it was made known that both of the South Carolina senators by unanimous vote had been declared to be in contempt of the senate. They were permitted by a vote to make apologies to the senate. These statements were listened to by both the senators and the people in the galleries with breathless interest.

Neither senator can speak nor vote until the senate permits them.

Snake Indians Danced.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 24.—A band of Crazy Snake Indians invated Oklahoma Friday night and were dancing near Keokuk Falls in Pottawatomie county. They were apprehended by Sheriff Sidney Schram and a posse, who, after a fight of several minutes, succeeded in dispersing the band and capturing two, who were placed in jail at Tecumseh. That the United States will have trouble with this tribe is the opinion of the sheriff.

Fought Fifteen Rounds.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 24.—Terry McGovern defeated Dave Sullivan in the arena of the Southern Athletic club after fifteen rounds of as desperate fighting as were ever seen in any ring. From the first tap of the gong until the end it was slam, bang, hammer and tongs nearly every second, both men working away with all the energy they possessed.

There has seldom been a battle where the issue was more in doubt. Fitzsimmons was referee.

Man and Wife Killed.

Mishawaka, Ind., Feb. 24.—The Lake Shore fast mail, which a few days ago at this city killed Dr. Bowman and Liveryman Judy, Sunday night killed Charles Ferneks, Jr., and wife, of Chicago, who were waiting for the train at Shestertown Station, west of here.

The bodies of the victims were horribly mangled and fragments of flesh and bone were strewn over the station platform and depot walls.

Head Crushed.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Feb. 24.—The dead body of George A. Wise, a farmer, who resided near this city, was found east of Shawnee by the police. His head was crushed and the authorities say he was undoubtedly murdered.

Indian Territory and Oklahoma Shifters held their meeting at Oklahoma City.

PRINCE HENRY ARRIVES.

He Is the Recipient of a Most Enthusiastic Welcome.

New York, Feb. 24.—Prince Henry of Prussia, representative of his brother, the emperor of Germany, at the launching of the latter's American-built yacht, reached New York Sunday and was cordially welcomed as a guest of the nation. The land batteries that guard the outer harbor sounded the first greeting in a ponderous salute of twenty-one guns and the rifles of a special naval squadron assembling in his honor re-echoed the sentiment. There were verbal greetings from the representatives of President Roosevelt, the army and navy and the city of New York, and a great crowd lined the way into the city to see and cheer the sailor prince of Germany. Admiral Evans was the first to greet him.

The welcome was a noisy one. The crossing ferryboats sounded their whistles and the ever increasing fleet of tugs kept up their noise. The big liners in port were dressed and the German colors were displayed at several points along the harbor shores. The prince frequently went to the side and either saluted or waved his hand in acknowledgment. To the Americans present he expressed his appreciation of the warm welcome extended to him.

Prince Henry attended a reception given in his honor by the Deutsched Verein at the clubhouse of the organization.

EIGHTEEN LIVES LOST.

A Panic Caused by a Fire in a Hotel, is Attended With Fatalities.

New York, Feb. 24.—A fire Saturday morning about 1 o'clock consumed the armory of the Seventy-first regiment, which, with its equipments, cost over $150,000.

The flames communicated to the Park Avenue hotel, which was damaged considerably. There were about 500 persons in the hotel. Eighteen lost their lives either by jumping or were suffocated and burned to death. Fifty were injured. Mrs. Charlotte Bennett of Alabama jumped from the fifth story. The firemen tried to catch her, but her injuries were fatal. Her husband was burned to death. Ex-Congressman Robbins of Alabama also perished. Col. Charles Burdette of Connecticut fell six stories and his skull was crushed. Father Smith rescued Bishop Ludden and several priests.

Miss Stone Released.

Constantinople, Feb. 24.—Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, who with Mme. Tsilka was captured by brigands in the district of Salonika Sept. 3 last, has been released and arrived at Strumitza, Macedonia, Sunday. Nobody was at Strumitza to meet Miss Stone, as the brigands had given no indication where they proposed to release the prisoners. Mme. Tsilka and her baby were also released at the same time.

Boers Captured.

London, Feb. 24.—A dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria, Feb. 21, says Col. Park, with 300 mounted national scouts, recently surprised a Boer force at Nooitgedacht, Transvaal Colony, and captured 164 prisoners, together with a quantity of munitions of war and a number of horses and wagons. There were no British casualties.

The prisoners taken include Field Cornets Joubert and Dejates and Lieut Viljoen.

Fight With Outlaws.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 24.—A fight occurred between Oklahoma officers and the band of outlaws who killed Sheriffs Smith and Beck at Anadarko a month ago. As a result one of the outlaws, Walter Swofford, is dead and Deputy Sheriff W. A. Jones of Asher, Ok., is seriously wounded. The fight occurred near Wewoka, I. T.

Slew Her Husband.

Kickapoo, Ill., Feb. 24.—A Mrs. Jenkins, becoming suddenly insane on Sunday at her home here, secured an ax and brained her husband who was asleep on the bed, after which she seized a pistol and blew her own brains out. The woman had been acting queerly of late and is supposed to have become suddenly deranged. Three small children witnessed the tragedy, but of course could do nothing to prevent it.

Birthday Banquet.

Manila, Feb. 24.—The American club at this city on Saturday celebrated Washington's birthday with a reception and banquet. Acting Civil Gov. Wright, Gen. Chaffee and Col. Charles A. Woodruff, head of the subsistence department at Manila, made speeches, in which it was advocated that all Americans work together for the future good of the Philippine islands. Twelve hundred Americans attended the reception.

Cortez a Prisoner.

Manila, Feb. 24.—A force of native constabulary at Santa Cruz, province of Laguna, Luzon, has captured Cortez, second in command to the insurgent general, Malvar, and turned him over the military authorities. Cortez was in a suburb of Santa Cruz known as Alipot and was raising funds for the insurrection. A friendly native informed Inspector Sorzenen of this fact and the capture of Cortez followed in a short time.

Bull Fighters Fight.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 24.—Two Spanish bull fighters fought a duel to the death with knives in Juarez, Mex. One was disembowled by the other and cannot recover. A woman was at the bottom of the trouble.

Oil Strike.

Lawton, Ok., Feb. 24.—Great excitement prevails here over the discovery of oil in the vicinity on a claim five miles from Lawton. Oil was struck at a depth of 102 feet.

FARM AND FLOCK

Oat sowing is being done.

Seed potatoes sell readily.

Cabbage finds excellent sale.

Johnson county wheat looks well.

Malaga grapes are in good supply.

Corn sells in Mississippi at $1 per bushel.

H. L. Lockey bought the Alamito anch for $72,000.

Frosts in California have caused price of oranges to advance.

Great Britain consumes nearly 2,100,000 tons of meat per year.

Henry Caley, living near Cotulla, has about 5000 cabbage plants.

Knox county farmers report injury to wheat by the many freezes.

Many cattle losses are reported twenty miles west of Goodland, I. T.

L. C. Dupree of San Angelo is feeding 500 cattle on Johnson grass roots.

J. M. McGinty shipped on the 18th the first strawberries this season from Alvin.

Extensive stockyards will be erected at Portland, Ore., by the Harriman interests.

The Placeda Rice company is pushing work on its large dam near Port Lavaca.

Eight thousand fruit trees have been set out lately around Naples, Morris county.

Dallas received her first strawberries on the 19th. They sold for $12 per crate.

W. H. Jennings of San Antonio recently sold eleven cars of cattle at St. Louis for $5.15.

Texas and Indian Territory cattle continue to bring good prices in the northern markets.

Emile Pfiester will, owing to the drouth, move his sheep from Sanderson to New Mexico.

Delta County Truckgrowers' association elected P. I. Barker president and W. E. Dale secretary.

J. S. Dabney has sold 1000 head of stock cattle on his Schleicher county ranch to W. A. Davis.

Sweet potatoes, that usually sell in Mississippi for 50 cents per bushel, are now in demand at $1.

Terry & McAfee lately shipped from Kerens, Navarro county, eleven cars of fat steers to St. Louis.

Dr. Cherry of Rhome sold two carloads of steers they were shipped to the feeding pens at Temple.

There will be a reduction in oat acreage in that section of Hunt county contiguous to Kingston this season.

One association will plant forty acres in tomatoes this season in Morris county. Many individual small patches will also be put in.

Sorenson & Scrivner of Rockport sold at San Antonio a carload of mast fed hogs some days ago. They averaged 180 pounds and brought $5.10 per 100.

Three thousand western horses, known as cayuses, gathered from the ranges of the inter-mountain states are to be shipped to South Africa for the use of the British army.

A notice was found near Vincennes, Ind., where there are a number of negroes, to the effect that any farmer who employed one after March 1 would have his house burned about April 1.

The Riverside Hereford Cattle company of Kansas City has sold its ranch and herd of pure-bred Hereford cattle at Ashland, Neb., to George A. Ricker, a banker of Quincy, Ill. The consideration is stated to be $481,000.

The Rowan ranch, containg over 30,000 acres, and located in Brazoria county, has been sold to the English parties who purchased the seven gushers on Spindletop. The purchase price has not been made public.

C. C. French of Fort Worth favors Texas farmers trying a northern variety of corn. He claims that seed corn from that section will mature in from fifteen to twenty days earlier in Texas than the native product will.

Col. E. S. Peters, president of the Texas Cotton Growers' association says while $40,000 or $50,000 are needed to eradicate the boll weevil, $20,000 could be used to considerable advantage. He says the money should be available at once.

Much enthusiasm prevailed among The Kellogg or Seventh Day Adventists' sanitarium at Battle Creek, Mich. which was located on a hill, was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of nearly $400,000. There were 400 people in the building, but all escaped.

Three hundred horses were disposed of at an average price of nearly $200 during the combination sale of harness horses at the recent sale at the Union stockyards, Chicago. Gov. Rex. brought the highest price, $1300.

At a meeting of truckgrowers held at Montgomery it was agreed to put forty acres in early tomatoes, each member of the association agreeing to plant from one to eight acres. Various other kinds of vegetables will also be planted.

The Paola irrigation canal and plant near Lake Charles, La., was sold to V. A. Ford, representing part of the old company for $203,850. Disagreement among stockholders caused sale. The canal is six miles long and waters 3000 acres of rice land.

Oat acreage in Ellis county in the vicinity of Midlothian will be decreased this year, it is thought, compared with 1901, 50 per cent. The difference, however, it is expected, will be made up by an increased corn acreage for the coming season.

Some Wise county farmers are of the opinion that the freezes have killed the roots of Johnson grass in that county. This grass has proved a source of great annoyance to the farmers of that county for some time.

Commissioner of Agriculture Johnson is an enthusiast over the truck-growing gardens in the Beeville-Corpus Christi, and thinks that all who cultivate cabbage, onions and cauliflower will reap a remunerative reward. He favors tracts of fifty acres.

Good Reason.

A few days ago one of the San Antonio school-marms, says the Express of that city, had occasion to send a small boy out to wash his face. Upon his return the cheeks were well cleaned, presenting a marked contrast, to a well defined circular line of soil reaching from ear to ear across his forehead, just above the eye-brows. "Johnny," she said: "why didn't you wipe off the upper part of your face?" "Please mum," the lad stammered. "Er—uh—my—shirt wouldn't reach no further."

No more was said.

FREE TOBACCO CURE.

Mrs. A. R Raymond, 961 Charles street, Des Moines, Ia., has discovered a wonderful cure for tobacco habit. She is curing all her friends. She will send receipt free to anybody sending two cent stamp for postage. Write for it

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A wise man enjoys whatever he may be possessed of.

A WESTERN CANADA FARMER.

SEVEN YEARS AGO HE HAD BUT $24; NOW HE HAS SEVENTY HEAD OF CATTLE.

This Is What a Couple of Eastern Farmers Learned When on a Recent Trip to Canada—Splendid Words About Saskatoon, Rosthern and Hague District Where They Will Locate.

Messrs. J. E. Blum and J. Crumper of Manchester, Washtenaw County, Michigan, paid a visit to Alberta last summer and saw there a Mr. Shantz, one of the good old Pennsylvania stock, who had come recently—some seven years ago—from Ontario with $24 in his pocket. He has certainly prospered, as he now has over seventy head of cattle, has a good loghouse framed over; also a good barn, and in all respects looks a thrifty and well-to-do farmer. He had some good crops of oats and barley. After spending some days in Calgary and Edmonton they returned to Regina, Assiniboia, and looked around the country north to Lumsden and Balgonie, where the crops appeared very promising and heavy; continuing up the Regina and Long Lake road they came to Saskatoon on the crossing of the South Saskatchewan River. Of this district they say:

"The country here pleased us better than any we have seen. We drove out eighteen miles in a northwesterly direction through the Smith settlement. This is a wonderful district; the growth was splendid; all kinds of grains and roots were perfection. The older settlers had good buildings of all kinds and looked very prosperous; in fact, we came to the conclusion that we had found what we were looking for, a good country. While the nature of the soil changes and is in some parts light, in others stony, and again heavy, generally speaking it leaves nothing to be desired. Hay and water are also in abundance and wood can be found along the river slopes and islands. We have decided to locate there and shall certainly advise our friends to do likewise. We also trust that this report may have the effect of drawing the attention of land seekers to this district, and can honestly advise all such to locate there. They will find a good thing. As farmers ourselves, from a good district in Michigan, we have come to the conclusion that, properly farmed, western Canada will grow almost anything." Ask for information from any agent of the Canadian government.

HERPICIDE

A Luxuriant Growth of Hair,

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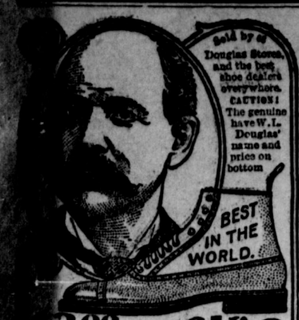

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The following letter from Hon. I. A. Hopkins, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, Ellsworth, Kan., tells how Alkavis cured after he made up his mind that he had but a short time to live.

Gentlemen:—I believe and know that I owe my life to Alkavis. I had been troubled with Kidney and Bladder Trouble for years. My limbs were swollen with Rheumatism so that I could hardly walk. I had to get up every hour of the night to urinate. I passed great quantities of blood on account of hemorrhage of the Kidneys and Bladder. **I tried** and had been trying everything in the

MRS. MARY FOX, Seymour, Iowa.

shape of Medicine for Kidney Trouble that I could think of or that the Doctors recommended, but nothing helped me. I made up my mind that I had only a short time to live. I sent to you for three bottles of Alkavis; began to take it, and before I had taken it one week began to get better. My Kidney Trouble and Rheumatism were soon gone and I am in good health now. I have recommended Alkavis to a great many people and all have been benefited by its use.

Gratefully yours, I. A. HOPKINS."

Mrs. Ida A. Francis, of Mooresville, Ind., writes: "She had been bothered with Kidney and Bladder Trouble ever since she was six years old; did not get any rest day or night, and had to be up fifteen times a night at times. Was also troubled with Rheumatism, Female Complaint and Irregular Menses, also symptoms of Dropsy. Tried many physicians but received little benefit. Two years ago took Alkavis and was completely cured, and states she will answer any letter that comes to hand concerning the wonderful medicine." Mrs. Mary Fox, Seymour, Iowa; Miss Viola Dearing, Petersburg, Ind.; Mrs. Jas. Young, Kent, Ohio; and many other ladies join in testifying to the wonderful curative powers of Alkavis in various forms of Kidney and allied diseases, and in other disorders peculiar to womanhood.

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New Dead Sea.

The new dead sea discovered by Dr. Seven Hedin, in Thibet, is described as enormous in extent, but so shallow that to navigate it one must wade half a mile to reach the boat, and must drag the boat half a mile before it can be floated with a load. But the most remarkable characteristic is the almost incredible amount of salt. Boats and oars quickly became as white as chalk; even dress of rowers soon becomes whitened, while drops of water sprinkled upon a dry surface leaves globules like candle drippings and having strange appearance.

Thought it the Place.

Telegraph operator—"I am extremely sorry, sir, but the rules of this company make it impossible for me to send your message 'collect;' that privilege we are not allowed to extend to parties absolute strangers."

Applicant—"Do you mean for me to understand you can't trust me?"

Telegraph operator—"Under the circumstances, sir, it is impossible for me to do so."

Applicant—"Well, that gets the best of me! I thought of all places on the face of the earth a telegraph office was the likeliest to get anything on tick."

Disposed Of.

Nothing causes the average representative so much trouble as the distribution of the postomces in his district. The struggle comes every four years. "Uncle Joe" Cannon of Illinois recently went into the postoffice committee room of the home of representative to chat with Chairman Loud.

"How are you getting on, 'Joe,?" asked Loud, in a voice indicating interest.

"Pretty well. I've got all my postoffices disposed of and I don't think I have lost more than 2500 votes altogether."

No Halves Served.

Senator Burrows of Michigan was at the capitol late a night or two ago. On his way down town he stopped at an all-night lunch-room to get something to eat. Waiter said:

"Will you have some coffee?"

"Yes," replied the senator, "you may bring me a demi-tasse."

"A what?" asked the waiter.

"A demi-tasse—half a cup, you know."

"Aw, gwan!" replied the waiter with fine scorn, "we don't sell no half portions of coffee—nothin' less than five cents!"

Get Your Own.

"What's your order, sir?"

"Ch—ch—ch—cheese s—s—s—sandwich and a c—c—ccup of c—c—c—c—coffee," said the stuttering customer to a waiter.

"Anything else?"

"Y—y—y—es. A—a—a—a—ask me."

"Lemon cream pie?"

"N—n—n—no."

"Pumpkin pie?"

"Y—y—y—es! Th—th—that's wh—what I w—w—wanted, b—b—but I knew I never could s—s—say it in the w—w—w—world!" He was in hard luck.—Chicago Tribune.

Not Equal.

During the Civil war there was an Irishman of the Thirty-sixth Indiana, who, while on the skirmish line, saw a good chance to capture a Confederate. He availed himself of the chance, captured his man and was passing to the rear with his prisoner when one of his comrades called out to him: "Pat, let me have that man. I will take him over to Gen. Gross, our brigade commander."

"Niver mind, me boy," replied Pat. "I left a million back over the hill there. Go yourself and fetch one of the lads over and take him to Gen. Gross."

His Last.

A certain member of the legal profession, whose name is omitted for reasons which will appear obvious, was asked some years ago by a young negro to defend him on the charge of murder.

"How much money have you got?"

"None, sah."

"Any friend or relative who'll raise some for you?"

"None," despairingly replied the negro. 'I'se got nobody ter help me."

"Humph," muttered the attorney; "say, you don't want a lawyer. You want a minister."

Too Easily Angered.

In answer to the summons of the telephone bell in the home of Capt. Bangs of the Twenty-third regiment, Mrs. Bangs called "Hello!"

"I want Dr. B."

"Well?" said the lady.

The man (still more impatiently)—"Is this Dr. B.?"

"No."

"Can't you put some one at that telephone who has some intelligence?"

"There's intelligence enough at this end, but no doctor," came the reply.

Then the smart man discovered he had called up the wrong number.

Called it Drivel.

A Philadelphia lawyer was one of the guests at the annual dinner of the Episcopallon club in Boston the other evening, and bluntly told the assembled ministers that too much of the preaching heard in the pulpit nowadays is "dreary drivel," and that too many of the preachers seem to be in the business because they are "paid to holler." He said it all so good naturedly that the assembled ministers, who perhaps thought they were not of that kind, applauded him. Doubtless he had some in mind, but it is not so recorded.

Politics and Prayer.

Gen. Ballington Booth tells a story of a prayermeeting held in New York during the recent mayoralty campaign. In the midst of a prayer, one brother said: "O Lord, we pray thee that the Democratic party may hang together in the coming election." "Amen, answer prayer, Lord," put in a Republican who was near. "But I do not mean it as the Republican brother means it, Lord. I pray that we may hang together in concord and accord," continued the Democrat. "Amen, Lord," again said the Republican; "any cord, so long as they hang."

EVERYBODY MAY GO TO CALIFORNIA

In order to stimulate California travel the Southern Pacific-Sunset Route has decided to put on extremely low rates from all points along its line in Louisiana and Texas. The rate from New Orleans to San Francisco will be $30.00, from Beaumont $27.50 from Galveston $26.45, from Houston Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio and Denison $25.00. Tickets will be one-way, second-class and will be accepted on payment of the through Pullman tourist sleeping car rate on all Pullman excursion sleepers operated over the Sunset Route. Ticket will be sold daily during March and April and are limited to continuous passage. This is the chance of a lifetime to make the trip to California. The through excursion sleeping cars are the very best of their kind, are personally conducted and equipped with every convenience of travel. For further information address local Southern Pacific agent, or M. L. Robbins, G. P. & T. A.; T. J. Anderson, A. G. P. A. Houston, Texas.

SPANISH RIOTING.

The Strikers Make an Attack on the Barcelona Jail.

FORTY PERSONS WERE KILLED

In that City During the Tumultuous Events of the Past Week—The Necessities of Life Are Scarce.

Barcelona, Feb. 22.—The predominance of bayonets here has had due effect and the most turbulent spirits have been driven off the streets. Outwardly the city is resuming an aspect of comparative quiet. The leading citizens are joining the military and civil authorities in restoring order.

The captain general has ordered the newspapers to resume publication and has instructed the owners of public vehicles to again engage in their regular work. If the printers refuse to work their names and residences are to be handed to the captain general, who will deal with them. All drivers declining to take out vehicles will be deprived of their licenses.

The premier, Senor Segasta, announced that the chamber will not be prorogued unless the opposition obstructs the government's action by continually raising debates on the present labor troubles in Spain.

Ten anarchists have been arrested here and others are under surveillance. The working people of Madrid remain quiet.

Forty persons have been killed since the disturbances broke out here. The strikers Friday attacked the jail, in an attempt to rescue their imprisoned comrades, but they were repulsed by the troops after a number of rioters had been killed or wounded.

The ordinary necessaries of life are falling and the distress is becoming accentuated. The strikers are said to be receiving large sums of money from London.

In the neighboring towns the disturbance is spreading and is increasing in gravity.

Fathers Fired.

Saragossa, Spain, Feb. 22.—A number of rioters atatcked the Jesuit college here. The fathers fired on the mob, believing their assailants to be thieves.

Legislators Fight.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 22.—A personal encounter between Delegates Isaac Lobe Strauss of Baltimore city and F. Lynen Painter of Baltimore county occurred on the floor of the house of delegates Friday.

Strauss approached Painter and after a colloquy Painter struck him in the face. Strauss defended himself with an umbrella and struck Painter with it, but a number of delegates separated them.

Young Roosevelt at White House.

Groton, Mass., Feb. 22.—Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., who has been ill with pneumonia for two weeks in the Groton school infirmary, has gone to Washington. Bound to his eyes with blankets, he was taken in a covered sleigh to the special train which had been in readiness at the Groton station for several days.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and Dr. P. M. Rixey, while in another conveyance was Miss Roosevelt.

Long Will Retire.

Washington, Feb. 22.—After cabinet meeting Friday Secretary Long stated that the report that he intended leaving the cabinet was quite true.

He said he had fixed upon no specific date for his leaving, and he had not yet formally sent his resignation to the president and might not do so for some time. The president, however, was fully aware of his purpose, which was formed many months ago.

Cook Killed.

City of Mexico, Feb. 22.—The baggage and dining car of the Pennsylvania excursion train were derailed seventy miles north of this city and the second cook, a colored man, killed. Two others of the kitchen crew were badly scalded and several slightly injured. The cause of the accident was seven ties burned, allowing the rails to spread. The cars occupied by the excursionists did not leave the track. One of the passengers was slightly injured.

Seriously Ill.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Feb. 22.—Wm. Peoples, who killed Eugene McLaughlin, is seriously ill from heart trouble at the county jail. His attorneys tried for his release on a writ of habeas corpus, but Judge Burwell denied it.

Loeb & Heine's dry goods store burned at Logansport, Ind. Loss, 200,000.

A young lady was killed while coasting near Pittsburg, Pa.

Hearing April 15.

Vinita, Ok., Feb. 22.—The United States commission to the five civilized tribes had before it the leaders of the Nectoowahs, a powerful organization of the Cherokees, who have refused to be enrolled. The leaders were summoned before the commission to state why they refused to be enrolled, and spent the day in talking over the old treaties and begging for time. They will be heard April 15.

Tariff changes will be bitterly fought in German reichstag.

Normal at Huntsville.

Huntsville, Tex., Feb. 22.—The department of education has authorized the location of a summer normal institute at Huntsville, with Prof. H. F. Estill as conductor. The institute will be held in the Sam Houston Normal building, where exceptional advantages in the way of apparatus and educational appliances will be enjoyed.

CONFEDERATE HOME.

A Report on that Institution Has Been Submitted by Mr. Boyd.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 22.—The legislative investigating committee has given out another batch of subcommittee reports.

In his report on the Confederate home, Representative Boyd sets forth the history of the institution and quotes the laws concerning the same. Continuing, he says:

"I find, after having gone through the accounts of the home from 1892, that for the first three or four years the books were carelessly kept, and there is not one voucher in five that accompanies the accounts presented to the controller for payment. After that time the books and accounts have been more carefully kept, and under the present administration each demand upon the state is accompanied by a voucher properly certified."

The report shows the amounts appropriated by each legislature for the support of the home, and the amounts expended.

The report further says:

"A considerable amount of testimony has been taken in regard to the treatment of the Confederate veterans by the officers and employes of the home, and while there is probably some cause for complaint, more on the ground of omission than commission, the general trend of the testimony is is that there is no just cause of complaint against the officers and employes of the home. Nearly all of the witnesses before us complained of the kind of beef they got to eat, and this complaint seems to be peretty well established. There is also some complaint that the cook's time is taken up by cooking for the officers instead of the old soldiers, but the cook himself states that he has plenty of time with his assistants to prepare food for the soldiers, and he could cook for forty or fifty more without any additional help.

The testimony taken with regard to the laundry shows that the officers and employes have their washing done at the home, and that prior to the present administration the officers and their families had their washing done elsewhere.

"I have carefully followed up every suggestion made by the witnesses that proof could be made by others in regard to irregularities of the officers and employes, but the testimony of these witnesses when taken did not elicit any such irregularities as indicated.

"I find that there are four or five extra horses that do not belong to the home that are fed at the expense of the state.

"I made no estimate of the cost per capita per month except for the following years, which I found to be: For 1891 $14.36 per month, 1893 $15.50 per month, 1896 $12.50 per month, 1899 $15.40 per month."

Credit Men.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 22.—The call for a meeting of the credit men of Texas for the purpose of forming an association, which was issued by Paul Waples, was responded to by a large number of the larger Texas firms.

Mr. Wapies stated the call had been issued to devise means by which the wholesale dealers could protect themselves and improve the credit conditions in the state. Permanent organization was effected. Another meeting will soon be held.

Mrs. Belle McDonald was burned to death near Tigertown, Lamar county.

Green's Brigade.

Waco, Tex., Feb. 22.—In Maccabee hall, where the colors of the Southern Confederacy drape the walls and ceiling, Green's Texas Brigade held its twenty-first annual reunion with over 200 of the gallant old soldiers in attendance.

The brigade included distinguished professional men, planters, livestock men, bankers, manufacturers, sheriffs, ex-sheriffs, county and district judges; in fact, all representative classes of citizens and officials from farmers, retailers and constables to the chief executive.

The reunion began with an address of welcome by Comrade J. D. Shaw of Pat Cleburne camp, to which Gov. Sayers responded on the part of the brigade. Both speeches were greeted with wild cheers.

A full length portrait of Gen. Green was in the hall.

Shot Through Body.

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 22.—Mrs. L. Hays is lying at Santa Rosa hospital shot through the body. The wound was inflicted at her home by her own hand, but whether it was an accident or an attempt at suicide is not positively known, as the lady has made not statement. She had been suffering from neuralgia, and had called a physician, and while he was in the house she went into the kitchen, and while there the pistol was fired.

Prince Henry Will Eat Texas Berries.

Houston, Tex., Feb. 22.—Strawberries grown in the fields of Texas will do service at the feast of the nobility at Chicago. Prof. Atwater of the Southern Pacific industrial department, gave out the statement that he was arranging for the shipment of a sufficient amount of the early fruit to supply the great banquet to be given in the Illinois city in honor of Prince Henry of Germany. The berries will be carefully selected.

Aged Negro Attended.

Waco, Tex., Feb. 22.—John Killough, the colored servant during the Civil war of Capt. I. G. Killough of the Fifth Texas cavalry, attended the reunion. He has attended every reunion since the veterans of the brigade commanded by Gen. Green organized twenty-one years ago. He kept close to his master during the war, was once severely wounded and buried Capt. Killough, after which he became the protege of the regiment.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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If you do your part well you will be rewarded.

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Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—WM. O. ENDSLEY, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

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Sensible Housekeepers

will have Defiance Starch, not alone because they get one-third more for the same money, but also because of superior quality.

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Many a man's thirst is due to his lack of spirit.

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Wealth is a sea in which some sink honor and health.

FROM ACROSS THE RIO GRANDE

Mr. G. A. Fisher of Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, Mexico, is employed in the engineers' office of the Mexican International Railroad. On Sept. 7, 1901, he wrote: "I am recommending Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin to all my friends in this community and others that wish an invaluable remedy for Dyspepsia and Constipation."

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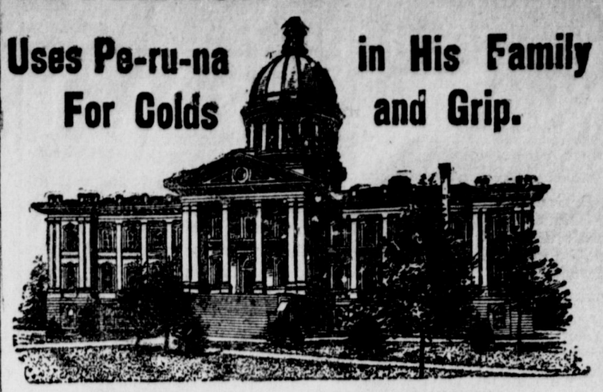
Little white lies can be converted into large black ones.

GOVERNOR OF OREGON

Uses Pe-ru-na in His Family For Colds and Grip.



CAPITOL BUILDING, SALEM, OREGON.

A Letter From the Executive Office of Oregon.

Pe-ru-na is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Letters of congratulation and commendation testifying to the merits of Pe-ru-na as a catarrh remedy are pouring in from every State in the Union. Dr. Hartman is receiving hundreds of letters daily. All classes write these letters, from the highest to the lowest.

The outdoor laborer, the indoor artisan, the clerk, the editor, the statesman, the preacher—all agree that Pe-ru-na is the catarrh remedy of the age. The stage and rostrum, recognizing catarrh as their greatest enemy, are especially enthusiastic in their praise and testimony.

Any man who wishes perfect health must be entirely free from catarrh. Catarrh is well-nigh universal; almost omnipresent. Pe-ru-na is the only absolute safeguard known. A cold is the beginning of catarrh. To prevent colds, to cure colds, is to chent catarrh out of its victims. Pe-ru-na not only cures catarrh, but prevents. Every household should be supplied with this great remedy for coughs, colds and so forth.

The Governor of Oregon is an ardent admirer of Pe-ru-na. He keeps it continually in the house. In a recent letter to Dr. Hartman he says:

STATE OF OREGON, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, SALEM, May 9, 1898.

The Pe-ru-na Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Dear Sirs—I have had occasion to use your Pe-ru-na medicine in my family for colds and it proved to be an excellent remedy. I have not had occasion to use it for other ailments.

Yours very truly, W. M. LORD.

It will be noticed that the Governor says he has not had occasion to use Pe-ru-na for other ailments. The reason for this is, most other ailments begin with a cold. Using Pe-ru-na to promptly cure colds, he protects his family against other ailments. This is exactly what every other family in the United States should do. Keep Pe-ru-na in the house. Use it for coughs, colds, la grippe, and other climatic affections of winter, and there will be no other ailments in the house. Such families should provide themselves with a copy of Dr. Hartman's free book, entitled "Winter Catarrh." Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

GIRLS PASSING INTO WOMANHOOD

require a mother's most careful watching least these delicate organs of the sex become weakened and irregular in their action. Very many of the pains and miseries of woman's later life could be easily prevented by proper care at this early period when the menstrual functions are just beginning. G. F. P. taken at this time will enable Nature to start the budding woman with an abundance of health, every organ performing its functions regularly and painlessly.

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Had MRS. DAISY SHAW, of Lula, Miss., taken G. F. P. when she was developing into womanhood much of her suffering could have been avoided. She writes as follows:

"I was sick for a year with female complaints. The doctors did me no good and my husband and parents thought I would die. *I was so poor and thin and looked so bad that my friends all said I could not recover.* I began a course of G. F. P. treatment, have taken eight bottles *and they have entirely cured me. I am doing all my housework and haven't a sign of ache or pain.* I wish every suffering woman could have G. F. P., for it is an ideal remedy for female ailments."

You can get G. F. P. from your druggist or dealer for $1 a bottle.

Write to the Ladies' Health Club, care L. Gerstle & Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for free medical advice concerning any features in your case you do not understand and about which you wish instruction, that you may treat yourself at home.

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"Defiance" Starch gives a beautiful, stiff and lasting finish to the goods, and makes them look like new.

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If your grocer does not keep it send us his name and we will send you a trial package free.

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USED BY THE BEST SHOTS, SOLD EVERYWHERE

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A LUXURY WITHIN THE REACH OF ALL.

Watch our next advertisement.

"LION HEADS."

Lion Heads, Lion Heads
They are all the rage at present.
Lion Heads, Lion Heads,
Clipping them is task that's pleasant.
Cut from LION COFFEE WRAPPERS,
They of woman's heart are trappers,
Also tempt a host of papas,
They are being clipped incessant!

Lion Heads, Lion Heads—
What a value they are meaning!
Lion Heads, Lion Heads
Women have to them a leaning.
LION COFFEE is excelling
Every other kind now selling,
Millions are its praises telling—
Praises ever intervening!

Lion Heads, Lion Heads,
Useful presents representing,
Lion Heads, Lion Heads,
Bring the best of man's inventing.
Goods that are experimental,
Useful, needful, ornamental,
For domestic tastes parental,
Earning them brings no repenting!

Lion Heads, Lion Heads,
Coupons always worth the saving,
Lion Heads, Lion Heads
Bringing gifts for which you're craving.
Lion Coffee has no glazing,
Lion Coffee folks are praising,
Banner of good health is raising—
Over all who use it, waving.

Just try a package of **LION COFFEE** and you will understand the reason of its popularity.

WOOLSON SPICE CO., TOLEDO, OHIO.

INDUSTRIAL WEST.

Clarendon, Texas, Feb. 28 1902.

TIME TABLE.

Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 1. Mail and Express—
Arrives 8:40 p. m. ..... Leaves 8:45 p. m.

Local, daily except Sunday
Arrives 7:30 p. m. ..... Leaves 6:15 a. m

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 2. Mail and Express—
Arrives 7:15 a. m. ..... Leaves 7:21 a. m.

Local, daily except Sunday—
Arrives 7:35 p. m. ..... Leaves 7:35 a. m.

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

Business Locals.

Buy your chili and oysters of Johnson & Cole.

For up-to-date dental work go to Dr. Prather at Stocking's store.

Don't forget that all winter goods are being sacrificed.
MARTIN, SMITH & CO.

See Clower's new jewelry, clocks and watches. A new lot of goods just arrived and just the thing for this market.

Finis Simpson has opened up $200 worth of fresh candies this week. He can supply you with any kind you want—except a poor quality.

LOCAL ITEMS.

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Seed potatoes and onions at Simpkins & Barnhart's.

The Lelia school has closed its term.

Charley Hudgins was down from Eldridge yesterday.

J. M. Clower spent the most of this week in Dallas.

Rev. G. S. Davis, of Memphis, spent yesterday here.

Will Green, the negro burglar, was sent up for two years.

D. B. Hill returned yesterday from Claude and Silverton.

Dr. Prather collected a donation for the bereaved widow yesterday.

Buddie Hightower has our thanks for some cottonwood trees.

Mrs. I. W. Carhart and Mrs. J. T. Sims have been seriously sick this week.

The city council will have their regular meetings the first Monday in each month.

Walter Taylor and Price Baker have returned from Houston, having completed their commercial course.

B. T. Lane has added more shed room to his implement house this week.

F. D. Martin, of the firm of Martin, Smith & Co., is in St. Louis purchasing their spring stock of goods.

We again wish to remark that a good laundry properly conducted would be a paying investment in Clarendon.

An engine, tender an several cars were derailed in the yards yesterday, caused by some one leaving a switch open.

T. J. Noland returned from St. Louis Wednesday night where he laid in a big stock of goods for his popular house.

B. T. Lane says he has the promise of a special coach to take Donley county ex-Confederates to the re-union in Dallas in April.

E. H. Warden, foreman of Robinson's railroad work, was called to South Texas last week on the account of the death of a sister.

D. C. Trigg, the war horse man, was in town yesterday and day before. He will be both buying and selling in Memphis tomorrow.

A Panhandle blow made itself felt Wednesday. While it was disagreeable here, it developed into quite a storm in the lower counties.

W. A. Watkins had a painful experience with fuel oil last Saturday, being badly burned in the face by a slight explosion of gas in the furnace at the electric light plant.

Rev. A. B. Norrell, of Brownwood Tex., arrived here last night to take his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Skinner, and her babe home with him, where she will remain for the time being. They will start Monday morning.

Miss Annie Gunn, sister of Mrs. W. S. Hall, who has been on a visit here, left this morning for her home at Hope, Ark. She is an attractive young lady and more than one young man regret her departure and hope the visit will be repeated.

R. Y. Mangum, the newly appointed postmaster at Eldridge, was in town to qualify this week. He expects to go into business there also, and ordered from this office a lot or up to-date stationery. He is a worker for his town and county and we wish him success.

We are showing some of the nicest shoes and bootees ever seen in Clarendon, the kind that wear.
MARTIN, SMITH & CO.

Fire Fiend Deals Death.

The saddest event to take place in Clarendon in its history occurred Tuesday night just after midnight, when the home of J. E. Skinner was burned with all its contents, and in which, in some unaccountable manner, Mr. Skinner lost his life. His wife, with their baby, had gone to Rev. W. L. Skinner's, father of deceased, about a block distant, to spend the night. Mr. Skinner was down town until about 12 o'clock, when he was accompanied home by G. L. Jowell, who says when he left there was no fire nor light in the house. About thirty minutes later the alarm of fire was given and when the first parties arrived on the scene the whole interior of the house was aflame to such an extent that no one could enter.

It was not until the building had burned down that it was known definitely that any one was in the house. As soon as the fire could be approached sufficiently to throw water upon it, this was done to save the corpse as near intact as possible, but only the charred trunk and head in a very much reduced size were recovered. These were taken to Wood's undertaking room, where, after a brief inquest, they were placed in a casket and conveyed to the grief-stricken home of the parents.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J B. Cole, of Memphis, at the home of Rev. Skinner, where every room in the house was crowded. The discourse was most beautiful and touching and made a most profound impression on those present. After this, every vehicle that could be procured was filled with those who followed the remains to their last resting place to await the resurrection. School was dismissed that the children might attend the services.

The deceased has worked in the News office here for several months, was generous-hearted and kindly disposed. He leaves a young wife, the daughter of Rev. A. B. Norrell, of Brownwood, and a little girl baby, who beside the loss of a husdand and father, lost every vestige of their earthly possesions, except the clothes they wore from home.

The mysterious origin of the fire will probably never be known. Whether it was from a lamp, or whether he started a fire with oil, or how else, is only a speculation of the mind. But however it was done, it is a sad, sad catastrophe, and the surviving relatives have the deep sympathy of all their friends and acquaintances, shared by the INDUSTRIAL WEST, and we invoke a divine consolation in this, the first death in their immediate family.

Nath Bozeman has sold his place to J. H. Rutherford.

Travel on the railroad has been pretty good the past few days.

Will Miller, who has been attending college here, has returned to his home at Claude.

Mrs. C. J. Hall, mother of Robert and Walter Hall, who has been here some time on a visit, left for her home at Gainesville this morning.

Buster Caldwell, who bought the Hearn place, is moving in and C. A. Burton, who has been occupying it, has moved to the Lee Smith place.

While all the cry is going up about failing wells and scarcity of water in the lower counties Clarendon and Donley county have a bountiful supply of the best.

The Denver's Great Blunder.

Mistakes are made by the best of us. The difference is usually in the size of the blunder and its effects. The most stupendous blunder probably ever committed in this Panhandle country was when the Denver road moved its shops to Childress and spent hundreds of thousands of dollars before ascertaining whether the water supply at that point would be adequate to its needs. Such lack of foresight or judgment has rarely ever been equalled, even in the history of haphazard railroad building in the West.—Quanah Tribune Chief.

In glancing at the professional cards on this page read Dentist Prather's, then give him a call.

Simpkins & Barnhart are putting in a full stock of general merchandise at Eldridge and have put themselves in touch with the large supply houses for all kinds of machinery, including windmills, pumps, farm machinery, etc. See them for anything you want.

For Sale.

A well furnished house, three rooms, two porches, well with abundance of water, carriage house, shed hen house, storm cellar, with four blocks ground. All enclosed and sub-fenced, young orchard, berries and large vineyard, set in rich ground. Yard well set with trees. Price $1,250. Terms easy, title perfect. I. W. CARHART & SON.

Just received a shipment of the famous Newport union made overalls and jumpers, strictly high grade garments.
MARTIN, SMITH & CO.

A fine lot of pies and cakes on sale at Simpson's. Fresh bread daily from Amarillo, 14 loaves for $1.

Try the "Little Bachelor" union made cigar on sale at Simpson's confectionery.

Onion sets, garden seed and reliable seed potatoes for sale at Stocking's.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks and gratitude to all who so generously aided us, and for their kind sympathy, in the great calamity that has befallen us in the sad death of our son, brother and husband. It has tended to temper the grief and lessen the affliction, and such acts will linger in our memories as being prompted by an All-wise Father.
W. L. SKINNER AND FAMILY.

Resolutions by the Panhandle Teachers' Association.

The Panhandle Teachers' Association met at Canyon City Feb. 21, 1902. A number of teachers were present, also our county judge, L. D. Marrs. The meeting was very profitable and interesting. Saturday afternoon Hon. Arthur Lefevre, state superintendent of public instruction, addressed the association. The following resolutions were adopted by the association:

Whereas we the teachers of the Panhandle Teachers' Association have enjoyed a most pleasant and profitable session in Canyon City, therefore be it resolved:

That our thanks are due and hereby tendered to the citizens of Canyon City for their courteous hospitality in opening their homes for the reception of the teachers during the session of this association.

That we feel under many obligations to Prof. Earnsberger for his efforts in providing entertainment and looking after the comforts of the visiting teachers.

That we appreciate the address of the Rev. Jordan and the services of the Canyon City cornet band, the Nightingale club and the various individuals who have contributed to our pleasure and the success of the meeting.

That we recognize the Panhandle Teacher's Association as an active force for the advancement of the cause of education in this part of the state, and that we feel that it is the duty of the members of this organization to use their utmost endeavors to maintain its usefulness and promote its progress.

That we, the teachers of the Panhandle Teachers' Association, composed of the counties of Randall, Potter, Carson, Deaf Smith, Armstrong, Donley and Roberts, desire to publicly indorse the Hon. Arthur Lefevre for state superintendent of public instruction of Texas.

And that we as individuals, citizens and teachers of said association promise and obligate ourselves individually and collectively to use all honorable means to secure the county instructions of each of our counties respectively for the said Hon. Arthur Lefevre for state superintendent public instructions.

Respectfully submitted,
W. R. SILVEY, Pres.
LILLIAN COLLINS, Sec.

Noland & Co. have received a big lot of clothing this week and invite your inspection. Call in and see what they have, it may pay you to do so.

Cumberland Presbyterians.

I want to hear from you if you are a Cumberland Presbyterian and live in Donley county. It makes no difference what your name is, what you are doing, or in what part of the county you live; also tell me of others you know. It will cost you only a postal card or a two-cent stamp. Write me how far and in what direction you live from Clarendon. Please write me at your earliest possible opportunity.

Respectfully,
G. S. DAVIS,
Pastor Cumberland Presbyterian church, Memphis, Tex.

ARE YOU RESTLESS AT NIGHT

And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it will secure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. 25c, 50c and $1.00 bottle at H. D. Ramsey's druggist.

Fresh Ft. Worth bread daily at Simpson's Globe Confectionery. Give it a trial. Also best line of cigars, candies and fresh fruits kept in stock.

We are receiving something new every day, both in dry goods and groceries. MARTIN, SMITH & CO.

To Settlers and Investors.

In addition to selling the best life insurance on earth, I have a large list of town property, ranches and stock farms for sale. Call on or address me at Clarendon, Texas.
DEL W. HARRINGTON,

Mulberry Flat.

INDUSTRIAL WEST Correspondence.

Health generally good. A sand storm blew up this evening which was very disagreeable.

Bro. and Sister Grant made a visit to Clarendon last Saturday and stayed over till Sunday.

Our school is getting along real nicely.

Mr. Davis gave the writer a nice piece of beef, for which we are very thankful.

Mr. Summerour has made some improvements on his place by making large water troughs for his cattle.

R. C. Dobson has been courting last week. We have not heard of any weddings, however, but sev- divorces.

Mr. Smith has decided not to make his western journey till a more convenient season. A very good decision.

Cattle are looking very well.

Preaching every first Sunday and Saturday. We are expecting Missionary Thornton both days.

R. C. Dobson and family visited Mr. Payne's last Sunday.

Miss Lily Summerour spent Sunday with Miss Mary Graham.

Rev. Morris preached for us last fourth Sunday; had a very good service.

South Armstrong, send some of your old bachelors down this way. Their hearts might be made glad.

Rev. Morris, Mr. Reed and wife and Miss Nettie Dobson took dinner with the family of Rev. Grant, who is always glad to have company.
SCRIBE.

The INDUSTRIAL WEST printing office is situated just north of the court house. A large sign hangs just above the front porch with our inscription thereon facing east that all who are not blind—to the fact that we do good printing—may read. Our Engravers Roman is the latest in all kinds of commercial printing, cards, invitations, etc. Remember the facts above stated, gentlemen, in your rush for good things.

Judge Reagan is again reported ill at his home in Palestine.

Willie—If there was a war in South Africa you would go, wouldn't you?

Cholly—No, Willie, I don't think I would. Why do you ask?

Willie—'Cause I heard Sister Annie say the other day that you was a bore.—N. Y. World.

Not a Novelty.

She—Did you go to see the pantomime by that French company?

He—Well, every play I ever saw by a French company was a pantomime to me.—Puck.

CANCER CURED.

Mr. W. W. Prickett, Smithfield, Ills., writes, Sept., 10th, 1901: "I had been suffering several years with a cancer on my face, which gave me great annoyance and unbearable itching. I was using Ballard's Snow Liniment for a sore leg, and through an accident, I rubbed some of the liniment on the cancer, and as it gave me almost instant relief, I decided to continue to use the liniment on the cancer. In a short time the cancer came out, my face healed up and there is not the slightest scar left. I have implicit faith in the merits of this preparation, and it cannot be too highly recommended." 25c, 50c and $1.00. For sale by H. D. Ramsey, druggist.

RELIGIOUS EXERCISES.

Baptist, Every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.—Rev. W. L. Skinner, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. B. Y. P. U. 4 p. m. every Sunday.

M. E. South, services every Sunday—Rev. J. R. Henson, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Junior Epworth League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 4 p. m. every Sunday.

Christian.—Elder C. E. Chambers, pastor, services every Sunday except 3rd. Society of Christian Endeavor every Sunday afternoon. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights. Sunday school Sunday 10 a. m.

Episcopal—Services 1, 2 and 3rd Sundays in each month. Rev. A. W. Pearce, rector.

Catholic, St. Mary's Church—Rev. D. H. Dunne, pastor. Sunday services: Mass at 10 a. m.; Sunday School after mass. Evening services at 7:30. Services every Sunday except 2nd.

SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.—Clarendon Lodge No. 381, meets every Thursday evening in their hall in 3rd story of courthouse. Visiting brothers made welcome. J. A. HILL, N. G.
J. T. PATMAN, Sec'y.

EVENING STAR ENCAMPMENT No. 143 I. O. O. F, meets 1st Tuesday night in each month.
JOHN LAUGHLIN, C. P.
FRANK WARD, scribe.

A. F. & A. M.—Clarendon Lodge No. 709. meets 2nd Friday night in each month over the Bank of Clarendon. H. D. RAMSEY, W. M.
GEO. F. MORGAN, Sec.

CLARENDON CHAPTER, No. 216 R. A. M.—Meets the first Friday night in each month at 8:30 o'clock. Visiting companions cordially invited.
A. B EWING, H. P.
J. F. Morgan, Sec.

Woodmen's Circle, Locust Grove, No. 29—Meets in Johnson Hall the 2nd & 4th Fridays of each month at 2 o'clock p. m.
MRS. MILLIE AYERS, Guide.
JOEL S. MORRIS, Clerk.

CLARENDON CHAPTER, ORDER EASTERN STAR.—Meets every third Friday of each month at 7:30 o'clock in Masonic Hall over Bank of Clarendon. MRS. ROSY RAMSEY, W. M.
MRS. GRACE WARD, Sec.

K. of P.—Panhandle Lodge, No. 90. Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights in every month in their Castle Hall, in Johnson's Hall. Visiting Knights cordially invited.
F. A. WHITE, C. C.
LEE S. SMITH, K. of R. S.

Clarendon Lodge No 325, B of L F—Meets in Johnson Hall, 1st and 2nd Wednesday's at 3:30 p. m. 3rd and 4th Wednesday's at 8:30 p m.
M. W. Boyd, Master.
R L. Bigger, Sec'y.

I. O. G. T.—Clarendon Lodge, No. 156, meets every Thursday evening in Johnson Hall.
W. P. BLAKE, C. T.
ELISE COULTER, R. S.

The Facts in the Case

When you read a thing you like to feel that it is the truth. THE DALLAS SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS gives the facts in the case,

Specially Edited.

If you'll read The News awhile you'll like it. It holds the attention. It is specially edited, that's why. Brains and not hap hazzard go into the makeup of the News.

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Northfork.

Special Correspondence.

Since I last wrote there has been a few things occurred. One of them is an addition to Mr. A. B. Gardenhire's family of a very small girl.

The Simpkins Bros. have moved to Spring Tank where they are engaged in the mercantile business with Mr. Barnhart. We wish them success. The gentleman who bought their ranch seems to be a very nice gentleman.

This country is full of land buyers from Greer and Oklahoma. They say they are bound to have land.

Mr. Sam Whatly has sold and gives possession in the spring.

R. B. Pyron is still buying land from the nesters.

John Pyron has left us to railroad and Jeff Owens has taken his place as windmill man. We are sorry to see John go. Wonder what his girl will do?

Old man J. Barker is working for Mr. Pyron this winter.

A. B. Gardenhire has bought the Fitch section from Simpkins.

Mrs. T. M. Wolfe is visiting her parents in Donley county.

Cattle are doing fine this winter. Some have not commenced feeding yet. Gray county is the county to live in, I guess.

Preaching every second Sunday at Peterson school house by Brother Harris. TEACHER.

Hemphill County.

The tax levy is the same as it was last year, viz: $1.20 per hundred, except in school districts Nos. 3 and 5, where the levy is only $1.15 and $1 respectively. The well and wind mill recently erected in the court yard were accepted. The cost of the well was $175 and of the tower and wind mill $305. A contract was made with the Gerlach Mer. Co. for the erection of a cypress tank 14x10 ft. the tank will hold 500 barrels of water. Contract price $383.73. Two hundred black locust trees were ordered of C. H. Shaller at $13.50 per hundred. These trees will be planted in the public square.—Record.

Floydada boasts of a new lumber yard and three other new enterprises.

Floyd county levies the following tax: General county fund, 25 cents; road and bridge fund, 15 cents; public building fund, 5 cents.

A number of our people are thinking of going into business at Pampa, the new town in Gray County.—Record.

Why Easter is a "Moveable" Feast.

During all of March the sun is coming farther north. About the twentieth it shines directly on the equator, and the day is just as long as the night. The time of the old Jewish Passover, and hence of our Easter, depends on this date. This latter always comes on the Sunday following the first full moon after the sun crosses the line. This accounts for its being so "moveable" a feast.—March Ladies' Home Journal.

WEAK AND LOW SPIRITED.

a Correspondent Thus Describes His Experience.

"I can strongly recommend Herbine as a medicine of remarkable efficacy for indigestion, loss of appetite, sour taste in the mouth, palpitation, drowsiness after meals with distressing mental depressions and low spirits. Herbine must be a unique preparation for cases such as mine, for a few doses entirely removed my complaint. I wonder at people going on suffering or spending their money on worthless things, when herbine is procurable, and so cheap." 50c a bottle at H. D. Ramsey's, druggist.

We have for sale a large number of copies of the Scientific American, containing valuable reading on engineering, architecture and kindred subjects, we will sell for two cents per copy. Just what a boy with a mechanical turn would delight in.

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