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FEVER DEATHS IN NEW ORLEANS

Believed Fever Growing
Less Virulent

MISSISSIPPI IS INFECTED

Eleven Cases Guarded by Soldiers to Prevent Spread
of Contagion

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 17.—Up to 12 o'clock there were nineteen new cases of yellow fever and two deaths.

The announcement of a discovery of eleven cases of yellow fever at Mississippi City, within three miles of Gulfport, the terminus of the Gulf and Ship Island railroad, and the fact that the fever has been in existence there since before July 20, the time when the announcements were made here, softens somewhat the severe criticism by Mississippians of New Orleans for failing to find the local infection earlier. Before it was known that there was fever here there were frequent reports of its existence on the Gulf coast, but the inspection had been so rigid along the coast for months past by Alabama, Mississippi and the federal authorities, the denial of the fever at Mississippi City or elsewhere was accepted.

The family in which the fever first appeared at Mississippi City arrived there from New Orleans on July 2, and the fever is stated to have been in Mississippi City since the 10th. The family is that of Major George Goe of Carrollton, Miss., which stopped a week in New Orleans on their way to Mississippi City. There are now eleven cases, only one of which is seriously ill. Troops have drawn a cordon around the infected section and every effort is to be made by Surgeon Wagon of the marine hospital service, to confine the disease. All the towns on the Gulf coast as well as towns on the Gulf and Ship Island road at once slapped on quarantines.

Two Deaths Recorded

The really insignificant number of deaths here in the past twenty-four hours at a time when it was expected that there would be some increase over the maximum figure already reported, made a fine impression on the local public, confirming the frequently expressed view that the disease was losing virulence in contrast with the reports of the epidemic cases reached the marine hospital officials after the report had been closed and are under investigation today. Five showings were made by the physicians, 47 of cases being reported from private practice.

Ten more were reported by the emergency hospital. Twenty-two cases are in the originally infected area. Only five new cases are at Canal street, three adjoining squares already infected.

Governor Blanchard wired Chairman Jarvis of the citizens' committee announcing the epidemic and the epidemic, and White by making him a colonel on his staff.

Quarantines Still Vary

Some quarantines tighter, and some looser. Lafayette is very severe in restrictions against New Orleans and now finds herself practically isolated because there is one case of fever there. Crowley has called out her military company to guard all avenues of approach to the town. St. Francisville announces she will bar from her midst all drummers and Italians.

The city council of Lake Charles in defiance of the state board of health declared that no freight will be received from New Orleans or other infected points whether authorized by the state board of health or not.

In Donaldsonville, which has large Italian population there has been a mass meeting of Italians which pledged the race to co-operate with the authorities in guarding against infection.

BROKER TAKEN FROM POORHOUSE BY NIECE

Ex-Millionaire Rescued From Westchester Alm House by Stylishly Dressed Female Relative

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—J. T. Rapley, an aged broker, said to have been once worth \$500,000, and who recently obtained refuge in the Westchester poor house after having lost the last of his fortune, was rescued yesterday by a stylishly dressed woman who said she was his niece. The woman told the officials that she made arrangements to keep him for the remainder of his days. "My uncle has no excuse for being in the poor house," she said. "If he had taken care of his money, he could now be living in a mansion on Fifth avenue."

CITRUS CROP IS BIG

Prospects Are That Next Year Will Be Record Breaker

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 17.—From recent estimates made of the citrus crop for the next year, the indications point to a record breaker. That there will be upward of 55,000 carloads is certain, and the aggregate may reach 45,000 cars. The current year ends on Oct. 31, with shipments that total more than 30,000 cars and the daily average now is about twenty carloads.

The returns for shipments for the season show that the Southern California Fruit Exchange distributed \$7,000,000 to the growers for fruit shipped for its members. A close calculation upon the output for the next season places the net amount that will come to the growers at about \$12,000,000.

BONDS FOR SCHOOL FUND

Special to The Telegram.
AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 17.—At a meeting held yesterday the state board of education purchased for account of the permanent school fund, road and bridge bonds of Guadalupe county to the amount of \$87,500.

REFUGEE'S FLIGHT ENDS WITH DEATH

Frightened by Yellow Fever, Man Descends Home to Die Among Strangers—Leaves Five Children

TEXARKANA, Texas, Aug. 17.—Ben Newman, who was taken from a Cotton Belt train here last Friday night, died here. He was fleeing from his former home at Piedmont, Tenn., with his five small children, being unnaturally frightened on account of yellow fever. He had sold out his belongings and had just money enough to buy tickets to this place, his one idea seeming to be to get away out of reach of the dreaded scourge. Himself and two of the children were very sick with malaria when they reached here, and the Cotton Belt officials very kindly ordered them all taken to their hospital, where every attention was given them. The body was buried today at the expense of Dr. C. A. Smith, chief surgeon of the Cotton Belt. The children will be sent back to relatives in Tennessee.

NO RETURN FOR FRANCHISE OFFERED

Arlington Heights Line Promises City Nothing in Return for Use of Streets

The work of securing names of voters to the petition of the Arlington street car line proposition is still going on and it seems likely that a sufficient number will be secured before the meeting of the city council Friday night.

The Telegram Wednesday printed the proposed route that this street car line is expected to operate in the downtown district. A property owner who signed the petition this morning said to a Telegram reporter:

"The referendum scheme seems to have brought forth all kinds of franchise seekers. In the present method of bestowing franchises, the city council is nothing to the city. I oppose the granting of the franchise on that account. I am also opposed to some of the other provisions of that ordinance. I would like to see the Arlington Heights line in operation, but it seems to me that one has to vote against an ordinance even if there is only slight objection to certain provisions. As things stand now there is no way an ordinance can be thrashed over and the objectionable features eliminated. It's whole hog or nothing."

TRANSFER CLERK GONE

Equitable Trust Company Officials Say Kraft Is Defaulter for \$20,000

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Walter P. Kraft, the transfer clerk of the Equitable Trust Company, is missing and it is said by the officials of the company that he has taken about \$20,000 of the company's money. It is asserted that the trust company will lose nothing, as brokers through whom stock was sold by Kraft will be forced to refund to the company the value of the securities taken by Kraft and sold to them. The police are looking for Kraft, but have no clue to his whereabouts at the present time.

VAULTS ARE FOUND IN TILDEN HOUSE

Mysterious Passages Beneath

Old Mansion—Three Roofs, Cellar and Tunnel

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Subterranean passages, leading from a secret staircase to stone-vaulted chambers beneath the old Tilden mansion in Gramercy Park, have been brought to light by the contractors engaged in tearing out and remodeling the structure, which is now under course of transformation into a home for the National Art Club. Many of the vaults taken by King and his associates must have been the conception of Samuel J. Tilden himself, and which have remained undiscovered up to this day, although the famous statesman's residence was discovered since his removal to Greystone in 1879, where he died in August, 1886.

There is a legend among the old time residents of the neighborhood that Tilden, when he fled from a host of enemies by the part he took in the exposure of the Tweed ring, had a fear of secret assassination and built these vaults accordingly. The interior of the mansion was a work of art in its day and is scarcely equalled in some respects even now by the places of upper Fifth avenue. In the work of remodeling under way, the secret staircases and underground passages were discovered. As the builders, like Mr. Tilden, long since joined their fathers, no explanation can be given for the mysterious passages other than that mentioned by old neighbors. It was found that the building had three roofs instead of one, and that a tiny staircase led to a secret passage from the second floor. Entrance to it was gained by pressing a knob on a beautiful carved walnut panel.

In the cellar a puzzling labyrinth of vaults and passages were found leading to a brick-lined tunnel, the walls of which are covered with mold, but which was otherwise perfectly dry. The tunnel so far as it could be explored, led straight south from the mansion, but its terminus evidently had been found for many years and the air was found so bad that the wreckers have not ventured more than twenty-five feet into the passage.

PATERSON, N. J. ADDS TO CRIME AND CALAMITY RECORD

Remarkable Career of Mayor Belcher, Who Was a Reformer in Official Life, but in Business Far from It

BY KATHERINE LECKIE.

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 17.—The most unfortunate city in the world is Paterson, Passaic county, N. J. It has been the scene of some of the most terrible calamities, visitations of flood and flame, ig-



THE SKETCH SHOWS MAYOR BELCHER AT HIS DESK IN THE CITY HALL OF PATERSON.

nomies of lawlessness and scourged by crime, and just now it is in the throes of a political and financial crisis through the unmaking of its chief magistrate, who turns out to be a modern Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

William H. Belcher, the mayor, is being searched for by the police of every city of the country and European centers, branded as a forger, defaulter and swindler of the poorest class of his constituents.

Paterson is a manufacturing town and produces silk goods in one year often amounting in value to more than \$5,000,000. Though this is the largest industry, it supports scores more varied and of large proportions. Its population is 165,000, most of them hard working, substantial, self-respecting citizens. It has 100 churches, a large free library, many public schools, hotels, public parks, a handsome residence district and five daily newspapers. The Passaic river descends at this point seventy feet in one picturesque fall and flows between palisades of basalt.

The attention of the entire country was called to Paterson five years ago when poor Jennie Boscheiter, a mill girl, was lured to a road house by four wealthy young men of the town, drugged, brutally assaulted and left to die under a clump of bushes by a roadside. Walter McAlister, William A. Death and Andrew J. Campbell were sentenced to thirty years' imprisonment at hard labor and George A. Kerr, who pleaded guilty, was given fifteen years also at hard labor.

The case was known as the "Paterson Crime" and at the time drew national attention to the existence of many wine rooms and resorts to which mill girls were lured by young men of the town.

In June, 1901, seventeen people were killed and a hundred injured in an explosion of fireworks. Just a year previously a general strike of all the mill workers occurred. The town is a rendezvous for anarchists, and they interfered in the strike, causing wild rioting and a state of terror among the town. Rioters were shot down in the streets and it was only when state troops were called out that order was restored.

In March, 1902, a flood visited the city, sweeping away three bridges, invading 500 houses and twelve mills, throwing 2,000 people out of work and rendering hun-

dreless. The money losses ran into millions. A fire, starting early in the morning of Feb. 9, 1902, destroyed twenty square blocks, burned 258 buildings and caused a financial loss of \$10,000,000, but only one life was sacrificed.

The anarchist slayer of King Humbert of Italy hailed from Paterson.

A couple of years ago Paterson was struck by a tornado, scores of buildings were razed and the financial loss was placed at \$1,000,000.

Besides these great calamities Paterson has been visited by many floods, accidents and criminal actions of minor importance during the past five years.

Though all of its harrowing vicissitudes Paterson has patiently borne the brunt of disaster and loss, but with the revelation of the true character of her mayor, whom she looked upon as an exponent of civic righteousness, and who proved a practitioner of private corruption, the city's belief in the honesty of the mayor is shaken to the roots.

Belcher was the head of a building and loan association, which had a membership of nearly 5,000. The members paid to him \$1 and upwards a week. An ex-pert alleged that Belcher unscrupulously took thousands of dollars from trusting members, giving spurious mortgages in return. When the mayor came into office he was called a reformer. One of the issues in the campaign was based upon his private life and he was called "the model man." His popularity was shown when he turned 1,200 democratic votes in a 300 republican. His campaign slogan was "civic righteousness." He posted "no smoking" notices in the city hall and proceeded to guard the city treasury. His total population is alleged to be \$100,000.

The climax of his career came when he secured from \$15,000 to \$20,000 by borrowing from banks and business concerns and exchanging checks with wealthy friends. Thereupon he packed the city hall and disappeared.

Mrs. Belcher is prostrated with grief at her husband's fall. One of the city's Public Prosecutor, Mr. Emory says that he is prepared to put the machinery of famous Jersey justice into operation as soon as Belcher is caught "and send him to prison for the rest of his life."

SCIENTISTS SAY SUN HAS STRONGER RIVAL

Ring Theory of Nebular Hypothesis Gives Way to Spiral Whirl

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 17.—La Place's "ring" theory of the nebular hypothesis for the creation of the universe, which has stood service for more than a century in a scientific world, was torn to pieces yesterday by Professor F. R. Moulton of the University of Chicago, who believes that he has the real solution of the evolution of our solar system.

Assisted by Professor Thomas C. Chamberlain, head of the geology department, Professor Moulton has been working for more than four years to disprove the "ring" theory and to set up what he terms the "spiral" theory. The results of his researches were made known yesterday in a lecture on the evolution of the solar system.

"The ring" theory was brought out by La Place in 1796 and has been accepted almost universally up to the present time," declared Professor Moulton. "The theory which Professor Chamberlain and myself hold is the spiral theory. We believe a second sun—a disturbing cause—moved down near our sun and caused on our sun enormous tides, thousands of miles high. The tides were similar to the tides of the sea. One tide was

WANT HEADQUARTERS FOR FARMERS HERE

Factory Club Will Endeavor to Have State Union Move Offices to Fort Worth

Plans to secure the removal of headquarters of the Farmers' State Union to this city will be taken up at once by the Factory Club.

Establishment of headquarters at some central and easily accessible point from all parts of the state has been under consideration for over a year by the farmers' organization, the matter being finally left with the executive committee at the recent Waco convention.

Secretary Butler of the Factory Club announced Wednesday afternoon that plans to augment the efforts of the Tarrant County Farmers' Union to secure headquarters here will be pushed with all the force at the command of the Factory Club.

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National Headquarters

Another matter being urged to show the importance of securing the headquarters is the conclusion looked upon as foregone, that establishment of the state headquarters will be followed by the establishment with them of national headquarters.

National organization of the farmers will be effected at a meeting to be held in Texarkana Sept. 27. At that time Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and Oklahoma and Indian Territory organizations will form the national body and Texas being the founder of the organization is expected to secure the headquarters, which will act as executive department for a total of over 500,000 farmers whose numbers are rapidly being swelled by additional members.

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CASE IN NEW YORK SAID TO BE FEVER

Labor from Panama in Norwegian Hospital—Health Department Is Fearful "Murphy Has Yellow Fever"

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—A yellow fever scare was started yesterday in Second avenue, Brooklyn, when a doctor summoned to a tenement found John G. Murphy, a laborer, violently ill. In a lucid moment he said he came from Panama a few weeks ago and the Norwegian hospital physicians agreed that Murphy had a mild case of yellow fever. The health department was notified and its agent reported that he found certain symptoms of typhoid malady and had grave suspicions that his fellow physicians were right in their opinion that Murphy has yellow fever. He ordered Murphy placed in an isolated ward. An effort will be made to find out what steamer brought the man here.

FINAL STRUGGLE IN CONFERENCE NEAR

Peace Envoys Almost Through Discussing Minor Points of Peace Agreement

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 17.—The peace conference began at 9:50 o'clock this morning. The envoys were served with breakfast at the naval stores building preceding the session.

Five articles of the possible "treaty of Washington" remained to be considered when the plenipotentiaries resumed their session at the navy yard today. Sakhalin, upon which it has been impossible to agree and which has been passed over, the indemnity, limitation upon Russia's sea power, the surrender of interned warships and the grant of fishing rights on the coast of Kamchatka. Last week the plenipotentiaries will show their last cards. The Japanese are in closest touch with their government. They are keeping Tokyo advised of every development of the proceedings. At 5 o'clock this morning when last night's storm of cables to Japan was completed.

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MOB AT PARIS MENACES NEGRO

Talk of Lynching Black Caught by Posse

IDENTITY STILL IN DOUBT

Father of Girl Whose Room Was Entered Positively in Accusing Prisoner

Special to The Telegram.

PARIS, Texas, Aug. 17.—At 4 o'clock this morning a big, black negro effected an entrance at the home of E. P. Collins, a merchant, and attacked his 18-year-old daughter, Daisy Collins. The girl screamed when the negro caught hold of her arm and awakened her parents. The negro escaped through a window, losing his hat in the flight. He was barefooted.

Officers and citizens at once began scouring the country and at 11 o'clock captured a negro answering the description of the man wanted on a farm two miles south of the city. He was brought back to town and Mr. Collins is positive the right man is caught. Some slight doubt as to identity has so far restrained mob violence, but the feeling is intense and a lynching may occur. The captured negro gives his name as Dinwiddie and claims Clarksville as his home. He denies his guilt, but a hat found at Collins' home has been identified by several persons as similar to one worn by Dinwiddie last night.

were in consequence a little behind the regular hour in getting down stairs this morning. It was close to 9:30 o'clock when Mr. Takahara, followed by Baron Komura and Mr. Sato, came down to the veranda and received the usual respectful greeting from the guests who invariably gather to see the chief of the mission.

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TEXAS IN BRIEF

QUARANTINE AT MINOOLA

MINOOLA, Texas, Aug. 17.—This city is under strict quarantine. Officers meet all trains and no one is permitted to get off the trains without a valid health certificate.

TRAINS ARE INSPECTED

SHERMAN, Texas, Aug. 17.—The quarantine went into effect at Warner Junction yesterday. The first train inspected was southbound Katy express No. 1.

QUICK COTTON CROP

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 17.—Farmers through the territory tributary to San Antonio are gathering and marketing their cotton at a rapid rate. Three hundred bales were brought into Weimar one day last week. In Lockhart the record was broken several times this year. So far, Seguin is receiving the largest number of bales yet marketed this time of the year in her history.

NEWSPAPER SOLD

WEATHERFORD, Texas, Aug. 17.—C. M. Smith has purchased a controlling interest in the Weatherford Democrat and assumed the management of the paper.

RAISE PRICE OF OIL

BEAUMONT, Texas, Aug. 17.—Both the Guffey Company and the Texas Company raised the price of Humble oil to 17c yesterday. This is a raise of 1c over the price made a few days ago.

WOMAN'S BODY FOUND

SILSBEE, Texas, Aug. 17.—The body of a woman was found yesterday in the woods near this place. At first the negroes organized and attempted to lynch or drive away from the town a negro whom they thought guilty of the crime. The officers under Sheriff Roberts arrived later and the matter is being investigated.

SURVEYORS WASHED AWAY

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 17.—The camp of a surveying party from Fort Bliss was washed away by a cloudburst in the Sacramento mountains. The officers and privates having a narrow escape from death as the waters rushed down upon them.

WOODMEN AT ABILENE

ABILENE, Texas, Aug. 17.—Several thousand people are here attending the Woodmen's logging at the fair grounds. Sixty beehives have been barbecued.

HENRY AS CHAIRMAN

WACO, Texas, Aug. 17.—Dispatches have been received here giving assurance that Congressman R. L. Henry will succeed Congressman Ray as chairman of the democratic caucus, the latter having announced that he will not again be a candidate.

PROHIBITION ELECTION

ANDERSON, Texas, Aug. 17.—Acting upon a petition, bearing 800 names, the commissioners have ordered an anti-prohibition election for Tuesday, Sept. 5.

BAILEY IN ST. LOUIS

GAINESVILLE, Texas, Aug. 17.—Senator J. W. Bailey left yesterday for St. Louis, where he was called on important business. He was to have delivered an address at the Old Settlers' reunion here today and regretted very much to have to leave so soon.

FARMER ENDS LIFE

TROUPE, Texas, Aug. 17.—John Farley, a farmer about 50 years of age, living about one mile west of Troupe, killed himself yesterday by shooting himself in the head with a 22-caliber rifle. He died within a few minutes after his wife reached him.

INTERURBAN SURVEY COMPLETED

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 17.—The engineers who are locating the proposed Dallas and Tyler interurban railroad arrived in Dallas yesterday morning and last night the report prepared by them was forwarded to Chicago, where it will be considered by the men who propose to put up the money for the enterprise.

NEGRO BOY KILLED

JEFFERSON, Texas, Aug. 17.—A train of logs on the Jefferson and Northeastern was wrecked by going through a bridge. The engine and one car passed over safely. A negro boy, in the employ of the road, was riding on a car and was caught and his head crushed, causing instant death.

NEGRO MAKES ESCAPE

DENTON, Texas, Aug. 17.—While Deputy Sheriff Wood was bringing a negro prisoner here from Argyle the negro snatched the officer's revolver out of his pocket and after firing on the officer jumped from the back of the wagon. The occurrence happened in front of the home of County Attorney Gamble in the western part of the city. The bullet fired by the negro grazed the officer's chest, did no serious harm. The man was made a prisoner on a charge of riding riding trains and was arrested at Argyle, this county.

APPOINTMENTS MADE

WEATHERFORD, Texas, Aug. 17.—H. S. Moran, representative of the Seventy-seventh district, announced the following appointments: To North Texas State Normal, Denton, Miss. Lillian Johnson of Weatherford and Miss Annie G. Wilkerson of Knob; to Sam Houston Normal, Huntsville, Miss. Agnes Nelson of Peden and D. F. Benzler of Marcos; H. F. Grindstaff, Peaster, and Earl Davis of Dennis.

BODY OF CAPT. LEONARD BURIED

WACO, Texas, Aug. 17.—Captain W. R. Leonard was interred yesterday at Oakwood cemetery after a largely attended funeral at the family residence in West Waco. Captain Leonard was over 80 years old. He was one of the boy soldiers

of General Houston's army in the struggle for Texas independence, and later, during the civil war, he assisted in protecting the frontier of this state from invasion by Federal cavalry and hostile red men. His children who survive him are Frank and Robert Leonard. Mrs. Lee D. Williams and Mrs. Parker Kellum.

REUNION AT HILLSBORO

HILLSBORO, Texas, Aug. 17.—There was a considerable increase in the number of those in attendance at the Confederate and Old Settlers' reunion yesterday. Nearly all the business houses, including the banks, were closed all day, enabling the employees as well as proprietors to attend. It is conservatively estimated that the crowd in attendance today numbered between 7,000 and 8,000. Speeches were made today by Congressman Robert L. Henry of Waco in the morning and by W. D. Williams of Fort Worth in the afternoon.

MARRIED AT TEXARKANA

TEXARKANA, Texas, Aug. 17.—Emmett Gaudine, ticket agent at Douglas, Ariz., for the El Paso Southwestern railway, and Miss Irene Gaudine, oldest daughter of Superintendent E. B. Ayres of the Texas and Pacific here, were married by Rev. James Thomas in this city Tuesday.

IN THE TERRITORIES

WORK OF THIEVES

LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 17.—Thieves entered the city Sunday night and stole five horses and a buggy and harness. The sheriff and a posse of deputy sheriffs are searching for them in the southern part of the county, the horses having been tracked southward from Lawton.

NEW STATION MADE

LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 17.—The Rock Island has agreed to stop trains on the Enid and Waurika line at Junction City, a small town ten miles south of this city, at which place no trains have been stopping for over a year. The town has a rival in Geronimo, a small place that was opened a year and a half ago.

PUMPING STATION ENLARGED

LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 17.—The pumping station at Fort Hill is being enlarged and a large retaining wall constructed on the bank of Medicine creek just above the station. It is believed that this improvement is being made preparatory to the early beginning of work in enlarging the post to regimental proportions.

TEN DAYS' MEETING

LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 17.—Rev. Mr. Barnes of Pittsburgh, Pa., is here assisting Rev. Mr. Johnson of the Methodist Protestant church in a camp meeting one mile east and three miles south of Lawton. These ministers will conduct the meeting for ten days, after which they will move their tent to Lawton and conduct services here.

KILLED BY TRAIN

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Aug. 17.—Robert Evans, aged 74 years, an old resident of this city, was run over to death by the wheels of a passenger train on the St. Louis and San Francisco railway here. He was walking on the track and did not hear the approach of the train.

INSURANCE INCORPORATIONS

SOUTH McALESTER, I. T., Aug. 17.—Articles of incorporation were granted here today to the Southwestern Mutual Life and Indemnity Company of Muskogee, capital stock \$100,000. Incorporators, Charles A. Dewettewill, Eugene A. Cox, M. D. Owen and W. R. Faw.

YOUTH BRAKEMAN KILLED

GUTHRIE, Okla., Aug. 17.—Frank Heap, a Rock Island brakeman, was killed yesterday while making a coupling on the line between Sayre, Okla., and Amarillo, Texas. He was 19 years of age and was the son of Frank Heap, a Choctaw conductor of Guthrie.

ORDERS WEEDS CUT

SULPHUR, I. T., Aug. 17.—Mayor D. J. Kendall issued an order that every citizen of Sulphur must cut his weeds and clean up around their premises. It is believed by local physicians that if the weeds be cut now that Sulphur will continue to enjoy perfect health.

UNION TENT MEETING

MADILL, I. T., Aug. 17.—Rev. S. P. Morgan of Midlothian, Texas, with his tent located west of the square, started a revival meeting. There was a large attendance. The churches and Christian people of Madill are expecting a great meeting. Rev. Mr. Morgan is assisted by the Baptist pastor here, Rev. A. Jeff Davis, and the other ministers of the town are interested in the work.

LIGHT FRANCHISE DEFERRED

SHAWNEE, Okla., Aug. 17.—The city council last night deferred action on the question of granting Willis E. Ferts and associates a franchise for an electric light plant until tonight.

LAWTON SEWERAGE SYSTEM

LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 17.—J. O. Stevens, the contractor of Guthrie, Okla., expects to have the sanitary sewer system of Lawton ready to turn over to the city council Monday. There remains only one block of pipe to be laid.

DEATH OF ISAAC KEMBLE

ARDMORE, I. T., Aug. 17.—Isaac Kemble, a pioneer resident of Ardmore, died here after a brief illness. He was 84 years of age and had been a Mason for sixty-five years.

APPOINTED DELEGATE

LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 17.—C. Lincoln McGuire of Lawton yesterday received an appointment from Governor Ferguson as delegate to the national irrigation congress at Portland, Ore., Aug. 21.

PECULIAR COTTON DAMAGE

GUTHRIE, Okla., Aug. 17.—The first damage to the Oklahoma cotton crop this year is becoming noticeable in Lincoln county. Planters complain that the shedded squares and small bolls are falling off. The damage is only in patches and farmers do not understand the cause.

YAQUIS WANT PEACE

Indians Said to Be Ready to Sign Treaty

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 17.—It is highly probable that the next ten days will see the termination of what is known as the Yaqui Indian war in Sonora; that the six years of terror which has reigned in a considerable portion of that state, paralyzing trade and causing many lives with the most barbarous atrocities, will be at an end. This is the statement made by a well known traveling man who has just arrived here from the west. He states that there is a well authenticated report that General Luis Torres, commanding the federal forces in Sonora, is this week in conference with chiefs of the Yaquis at Torin, a town twelve miles from the Sonora railroad, in the Yaqui river country.

No information has been given out by the Mexican officials, but the gentleman is positive that the Indians have asked for a peace conference. A protocol is being observed by the Indians pending the result of the conference.

Pale Delicate Women and Girls. The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, drives out malaria and builds up the system. Sold by all dealers for 27 years. Price 50 cents.

HEBREW LEADERS

THINK WITTE FAIR

Jewish Claims Likely to Be

Taken Up by Russian Assembly

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Adolf Krause returned to Chicago yesterday well satisfied with the result of the conference of Jewish representatives with M. Witte in Portsmouth Monday night. "There is no doubt," he said, "from the present indications that the Russian assembly when called will take up seriously the question of settling the Jewish rights."

"M. Witte fairly and candidly discussed the conditions as they exist in Russia and, taking it all in all, we were much pleased with the interview and feel that better times are coming for our people there."

"I notice in some papers the statement that the interview was prompted by Russia's need for money. This is unwarranted, for while unquestionably great financiers were present at that meeting, such a statement is unjust to M. Witte and to the other men present. There was not the slightest reference made to finances."

"HOLY GHOSTS" STARVE FOR THEIR MIRA MITA

Two Surviving Members of Society Near Death and Holy Temple to Be Sold

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 17.—So faint from fasting that she was hardly able to stand, Mrs. Caroline Lang and the one other surviving member of the Holy Ghost Society, conducted a farewell service in the temple at 1128 South Eleventh street, where for three weeks Mrs. Lang guarded the dead body of Mrs. Julia Rudman, whose resurrection she expected.

The two surviving members of this strange society cannot understand why their priestess, Mira Mita, does not come in power and prevent their being turned out of the temple, which has been sold for factory purposes.

The building is a place of mystery to the neighbors, some of whom declared that for more than an hour they had seen through the musty grating covering the cellar windows Mrs. Lang on her knees before a brick pillar in the basement. Mrs. Lang would not speak regarding the final services in the house.

Dutiful Coroner Hammond declares that the little old woman is starving herself to death in an effort to appease Mira Mita. The appearance of Mrs. Lang made this appear probable. Her cheeks are sunken and her eyes so weak that it scarcely could be heard.

The old man who shared in the last service appeared in little better plight. His face was drawn and thin, and he was so weak that after leaving the house he barely could totter to the corner where he waited for a car.

While standing there he fell from weakness and was unable to pick himself up. Policeman Mason of the Seventh and Carpenter Street station house, and a conductor of the trolley car, picked him up and laid him upon the rear seat of an open trolley car. The conductor said he knew the man and where to put him off.

In preparation for the dismantling of the temple, the elaborate altar that had been reared by the devotees when the society was flourishing was moved on Saturday. Mrs. Lang refused to say where the last services were conducted. She shook her head when asked whether the spirits of the former members had attended the service, as she had said they have done heretofore.

GUARDS DOUBLED

Heavy Patrol of Marines at Navy Yard on Account of Feud

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The guard of marines at the gate of the Brooklyn navy yard has been nearly doubled this week, on account of the feud existing between the marines and a gang of roughs in the neighborhood.

The feud dates back to the night of Feb. 3, last, when Private Lawrence T. Milford, who was on sentry duty, shot and killed a man who was attempting to steal copper from the yard.

The thief was a member of a gang that frequents low saloons in the vicinity of the gates and his comrades recently have attempted to make good their threats of revenge by attacking the marines whenever they appeared alone outside the gates.

SAILS WITH SUPPLIES

Canadian Boat Starts to Arctic with Cargo for Police Posts

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 17.—The steamer Neptune, chartered by the Canadian government to make a trip to Hudson's Bay, sailed yesterday. The steamer carries nearly a full cargo of supplies for the mounted police posts. She also takes six members of the mounted police, who are to relieve some of those in the north.

AMUSEMENTS



ARCHIBALD HOTCHKISS As Orlando in "As You Like It." His work at Lake Erie this week has elicited many favorable expressions.



Backed up by over a third of a century of remarkable and uniform cures, a record such as no other remedy for the diseases and weaknesses peculiar to women ever attained, the proprietors and makers of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription now feel fully warranted in offering to pay \$500 in legal money of the United States for any case of Leucorrhea, Female Weakness, Prolapsus or Falling of Womb, which they cannot cure. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure. All correspondence held sacredly confidential.

If you require medical advice don't fail to write Doctor R. V. Pierce who will give you the best advice possible. Address Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a ladies' laxative. No other medicine equals them for gentleness and thoroughness.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Monnig's Duchesse, the ladies' \$3 shoes. In all styles and leathers. Oxfords \$2.50.

The J. J. Langever Co., opposite city hall, interior decorators and sign painters.

All of the latest music. G. E. Cromer, 503 Houston street.

M. D. Townley, editor of the Valley Mills Protectionist, is in Fort Worth today on business.

New Refrigerators and Ice Boxes at Hubbard Bros., 108 Houston street.

When in the market for lumber see the John E. Quarles Lumber Company. They have a big stock and are in the field for trade and lots of it.

Dr. J. F. Grammer, dentist, office 608 Main street. Phone 1258.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Wells, a boy. Mr. Wells, member of the Lake Erie pavilion orchestra.

Cromer Bros., Rambler and Cleveland bicycles on easy payments.

Falo Alto Dog and Horse Show for sale only at Nobby Harness Co., 600 Houston street. Old phone 56-2r.

See the Famous Shoe Store, 709 Houston street, for shoes that fit and wear.

The firm has built up an enviable reputation on its goods.

Why, yes; all the fashionable women want the best in hats, and for that reason they go to J. M. Reagan's, Sixth and Houston streets, to get them.

Want an ice box? Of course you do. Then see N. A. Cunningham, furniture for it. He sells you on time or for cash. Cheapest prices.

Word has been received here that J. W. Lynch of Ponca City, Okla., who was formerly a resident of Fort Worth, is at Jersey Hospital, Chicago, recovering from an operation. His wife and family are with him.

W. B. Scripps, first and third of Ackerman streets, has the finest line of clock and watch repairs in the southwest. All up-to-date goods to select from.

Get a Kruckman Watch. Guaranteed for one year. \$1.00. 607 Main street.

In any part of town Haggard & Duff 613 Main street, have property listed they will help you to build a home and secure the property.

Do you play golf? If you do and want anything in the line of gloves, mitts, masks, balls, bats, plates, etc., go to A. J. Anderson's, 410-12 Houston.

The place to get anything you want for the home is at the Nix Furniture and Storage Co., 204 Houston. Cash or time is the way goods are sold.

The Sunday school classes of Mrs. T. R. Able and Miss Florence Colston of the First Methodist church will entertain their friends on the paragon lawn, 507 Jones street, tonight, for the benefit of the new church. A good program has been prepared. Refreshments will be served.

Noel's Cold Storage Market, 202 Main street, the place to get meats and produce kept sanitariously clean. The prices are the lowest.

If it's a nobby, up-to-date suit you want, made the proper fashion, you'd better go to M. A. Norris, 315 Main street, right away, quick.

Texas Paint and Paper House has an experienced wall-paper salesman. Let us show you your wants.

The Winters-Daniel Realty Company have an exceptional large list of desirable city and farm property for you to select from. Better see them now.

Mrs. Jane Cotton of San Antonio and Miss Willie Cooper of Beaumont, daughter of former Congressman S. B. Cooper, are at the Delaware hotel on their return home from spending several weeks at Mineral Wells.

For insurance in solid companies or for good investments in real estate, improved or unimproved, see John Burke & Co., 109 East Fourth street.

The best in the world—a Kruckman \$1 watch. Guaranteed a year.

Special bargains in pawned diamonds and watches that were uncalled for at The Eagle Loan Office, 1009 Main street.

R. H. Griffin & Co., 606-608 Houston, carry an immense stock of groceries. It is kept clean and fresh. Best place in Fort Worth to trade.

BOND ISSUE APPROVED

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 17.—Assistant Attorney General L. Leavenberg, Jr., approved yesterday the following bond issues: Guadalupe county road and bridge bonds of \$50,000. These bear 4 per cent interest and mature in forty years.

Auditorium Notes

LIST OF PRIZES

Fine piano, donated by Ross & Heyer Company.

Round trip ticket to Portland and \$100 in gold, donated by the Denver road and C. D. Minter.

Two horse, buggy and harness, horse donated by Hicks & Anson and Cook & Simmons, harness donated by Nobby Harness Company.

Fine diamond and pearls ring, donated by Mrs. Sam Davidson.

Prizes will be given away Sept. 9.

SPECIAL PRIZES

Lot in Hemphill Heights, donated by Capps Land Company, lumber for house donated by the lumber dealers of Fort Worth, paint and paper donated by paint and paper dealers, to be given to the person who sells the most bricks by Sept. 9.

Scholarship donated by Professor Bauer to the girl under 15 years of age who sells the most bricks by Sept. 9.

A fine Haviland dinner set, donated by The Fair to the married woman who sells the most bricks by Sept. 9.

A life-size doll, imported, with wardrobe, donated by Gernsbacher Brothers, to the girl under 8 years of age who sells the most bricks by Sept. 9.

A fine leather mission rocker, donated by Ladd Furniture and Carpet Company, to be given to the married woman who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 12, at 6 p. m.

A Chinese dinner gong, donated by Fakes & Co. to the woman who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 12, at 6 p. m.

Five dollars in gold to the girl under 15 years of age who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 19, at 6 p. m.

Ten dollars in gold to the young man under 21 years of age who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 19. Donated by Dr. E. D. Capps.

Twenty-five dollars in jewelry donated by R. L. Costan, to the person who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 26, under 15 years of age who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 26, at 6 p. m. Donated by Brown Harwood.

This list will be supplemented by other prizes during the life of the contest.

THE PRIZES

First Prize—The young woman who secures the largest number of votes between July 15 and Sept. 9, 1905, will receive a \$750 piano. This piano has been donated by the Ross-Heyer Music Company.

Second Prize—The young woman who secures the next largest number of votes between July 15 and Sept. 9, will receive a \$100 piano. This piano has been donated by the Ross-Heyer Music Company.

Third Prize—Handsone horse and buggy.

Fourth Prize—Pearl and diamond ring, value \$150.

HOW THE VOTES COUNT

For every 10-cent Auditorium coupon received at the Auditorium headquarters between July 15 and 6 p. m. July 31, ten votes will be counted; five votes between July 31 and 6 p. m. August 15; three votes between August 15 and 6 p. m. Sept. 9. This contest will close at 6 p. m. Sept. 9, 1905.

Special prizes to be given away during this contest are:

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS

Miss Cassie Howwell	30,370
Miss Margaret Ochs	24,900
Miss Lela Breeding	21,565
Miss Bessie Elmore	15,705
Miss Myrtle Frost	14,450
Miss Frances Pruitt	14,120
Miss Lottie Holland	12,050
Miss Florence Goetz	12,050
Miss Birdie Yeates	10,210
Miss Maggie Edmondson	2,550
Miss Lucile Davidson	1,835
Miss Flora Lee Blair	1,605
Miss Esther Connell	1,560
Miss Mary Dingle	1,505
Miss Minnie Williams	1,505
Miss Ruth Hosmer	1,505
Miss Nadine Spotts	1,500
Miss Imogene Sangunet	1,500
Miss Maud Sawyer	1,450
Miss Elizabeth Weller	1,220
Miss Ida Crowley	1,150
Miss Ida Darter	1,150
Miss Annie Baker	1,100
Miss Edna Pendleton	1,050
Miss Marie Connor	1,010
Miss Madeline McCart	875
Miss Bessie Estes	850

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Date.....

I nominate.....

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Fort Worth.

Name.....

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NOT INIMICAL TO CAPITAL

Texas is not inimical to capital, but she is inimical to any policy which permits a railroad company to build roads at a cost of \$20,000, and make her people pay freight charges sufficient to meet the interest on the bonds issued to provide a sinking fund to redeem such bonds at maturity. She is not inimical to capital, but only in favor of honesty and fair dealing.

Under the law as it now exists every railroad bond issued in Texas is as good as a government bond, because it represents actual value, and because the earnings of the roads will meet interest and provide a sinking fund to redeem the bonds.

Texas provided in her constitution that no subsidies should be voted by Texas or in Texas, and her laws furthermore provide that no bonded indebtedness for any purpose can be voted in Texas unless the taxpayers give their consent thereto at a special election held for that purpose.

When the bonds are prepared they must be approved by the law department of the state and registered in the office of the comptroller, and they then become prima facie valid and binding obligations, and their validity cannot be questioned upon any ground except fraud or forgery.

Bonds so issued are as good security as the bonds of the United States, yet because Texas took from county officials the power to fix at will a burden of indebtedness on the people, speculators and bond buyers cried out, "Texas is inimical to capital!"

The charge that loans cannot safely be made in Texas on account of the home-stead law is equally as baseless as the other charges. No man can lose his homestead except if he on notes for the purchase money, and there can be no homestead claim against such notes.

If titles are carefully examined and bonds are valued conservatively, and the usual margin of 50 per cent between the loan and value is preserved, loans are as safe in Texas as in New England.

Texas has indeed the advantage in this regard over many states, because what is known as the "equity of redemption" does not exist here.—Houston Chronicle.

A few years ago we had the warmest political campaign ever fought within the confines of this state, with the regulation of corporate interests as the slogan of the organized democracy, and "Turn Texas Loose" as the battle cry of the combined opposition. The idea of corporate regulation and control embodied as one of its fundamental principles the squeezing of the wind and water out of railroad stocks and bonds, as it was most aptly termed, the contention being raised that under the prevailing methods the people of this state were being compelled to annually pay an exorbitant tax through the medium of exorbitant freight rates, to enable the railway systems operating in Texas to pay a high rate of interest on railway bonds held in the east that were largely fictitious. As the situation was presented to the people and they began to understand the workings of the system, the cry was raised that Texas was inimical to the investment of outside capital—that the springing of such an issue could but result in driving all foreign capital into new channels and various Texas industrial enterprises must surely languish and die. It was predicted that if the proposed railway stock and bond law became operative there would not be another line or mile of railway constructed in Texas, and it was essential to turn Texas loose in order that this great state might keep pace with the progress and development that was then so rampant in other western and southern states.

The people of Texas weighed the situation carefully, after hearing it discussed from one end of the state to the other, and when it came to casting their ballots the result was the decree that Texas should not be turned loose to the tender mercies of those who had continually preyed upon the body politic, but that she should stand hitched to the rack of just and reasonable regulation and control of her large corporate interests. With the advent of the new state administration new laws were enacted along the indicated lines of popular reform, and standing now in the limelight of the passing years and after a fair and just enforcement of those laws, it is clear that no mistake was made in their enactment. Even those interests that were the most bitterly opposed to the new procedure have come to regard the action taken as the very best thing that could have been done, and under those new laws Texas railway securities now stand for something. New lines of railway have been built in every portion of the state, and under the provisions of this law, more lines of railway were constructed in Texas last year than in any other state in the union.

Texas has gained much from the new order of affairs. Instead of the general idea being that the laws of this state are inimical to the investment of capital, it has come to be quite generally appreciated that the sole object of the law-makers of this state has been to enact legislation that would operate for the protection of the masses of our people and the investor alike. There has been no discrimination against the man who comes into the state of Texas with his little lot looking for an opportunity to invest it to good advantage. On the contrary, necessary and proper protection has been extended him to such an extent that he cannot but realize that Texas is not only

welcomes the investor, but she has placed

such safeguards around him that he is no longer susceptible to the wiles and machinations of those who have a predilection for the discovery of what has

been termed suckers.

It is this condition that is now operating so largely in the direction of encouraging legitimate investments in this state

and that has given the state such a wonderful impetus in the great strides she is making all along the lines of industrial development. There is nothing wrong with Texas now, but the apparent indifference of many of her own people.

HOOG AND BAILEY

There are a number of newspapers in Texas that are trying to mix Senator

Bailey and ex-Governor Hoog in a political contest. The Mineral Wells Independent intimates that Governor Hoog is preparing to go after the scalp of Senator Bailey, and the Fort Worth Telegram says that Hoog is after "bigger game than Joe Bailey," that he wants to take a hand in the gubernatorial contest. Just who or what is "bigger game than Joe Bailey" is not stated. Any man who has an idea in his head that there is bigger game in Texas than Joe Bailey would do well to investigate conditions. Joe Bailey is not only one of the strongest men in Texas—but most likely he is the strongest—yet he is one of the strongest men in America, and no man has ever measured lances with him on any ground or in any company that can claim to have had any advantage at the end of the conflict. Governor Hoog is a good man, a strong able and fearless man, but he has no intention of making a fight with Joe Bailey, and if he does there are a good many who would flock to the Bailey standard. In Senators Bailey and Culbertson, Texas is recognized as the pre-eminent leader of all the states in senatorial representation, and the men well informed on public affairs will insist that Texas continue to lead all the rest in senatorial representation at Washington.—Sherman Register.

As a matter of fact, the Telegram does not believe there is any great amount of political love existing between ex-Governor J. Stormont Hoog and Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey. The gentlemen have met in the political arena upon several different occasions and there has been a mixture of hide and fur in the political air as a net result of their every encounter. They are both strong men—of strong mentality and strong in the affections of the people, and there is no real cause for political antagonism between them, except that Senator Bailey may have been led by designing persons to believe that Hoog has designs upon the senatorial toga. If Bailey believes this it is but natural that he should feel impelled to antagonize every move that is made by the Stormonted One. But it is probable that Bailey really knows that Hoog has no such aspirations. It is morally certain that if he has they have never been breathed to a soul in Texas. He may have expressed determination at some time to overthrow Bailey if he deemed it necessary for the good of Texas democracy, but if so, that did not imply any intention on his part of personally seeking the senatorship.

Governor Hoog believes that since his retirement from active political life the interests he has fought in this state so long have conspired to get together and dominate the politics of the state. He believes that it is a duty he owes to the people in return for past exhibitions of confidence and love, to lead in an effort to scourge those interests back into the retirement he once so completely placed them. He regards this as a duty he owes his people, and Hoog is not a man to shirk what he believes to be his plain duty. For one thing, he believes the railway interest in this state is perniciously active in state politics. It will be remembered that he vehemently protested against the selection of a prominent railway attorney as chairman of the state democratic executive committee. He has fought practically every suggestion of railway consolidation that has been suggested in Texas, on the hypothesis that these consolidations had involve a scheme to fasten additional burdens upon the people. He remembers how bitterly the railways have fought all his well known principles, and he believes that now when it is believed he is relegated to the shades of private life, advantage is being taken of the opportunity to make hay.

That is the big game that Jim Hoog is going gunning for, and so far as the people are concerned, it is bigger game than Joe Bailey if Hoog is right in his premises. That he will not attempt to interfere with Senator Bailey is doubtful as a fact, unless Senator Bailey attempts further undue interference with Hoog and his plans. If Bailey seeks to further antagonize Hoog in what he intends to do under the belief that he is discharging a plain duty he owes to the people, then it can but be expected that Bailey will be made to feel the full effects of Hoog's displeasure. Hoog has said that he will return from Colorado about the first of October, prepared to take a hand in the Texas political situation, and it is morally certain that he fully intends to redeem that promise. He is going about that work in his own way, and with no intention of making war on anything or any person that does not seek to obstruct his path. He has said repeatedly that he has no political ambitions that have not known complete satiety, and when Hoog says a thing he generally means it.

The state of Texas is big big enough and broad enough to afford an abundance of loyalty and devotion to both Hoog and Bailey, and instead of seeking to embroil these two favorite sons in an acrimonious and unnecessary political fight, the friends of both should unite in an effort to keep down all forms of contention and strife. Bailey is one of the great men of Texas and is esteemed at something like his true worth. But when it comes to the masses of Texas democracy, James Stephen Hoog has always been a popular idol and the Bailey bandwagon is going to suffer a very serious condition when it comes into actual collision with the Hoog bandwagon. That fact is clearly apparent to those who are friends to both gentlemen.

"FARMER, THAT I BE"

Uncle Trav. Henderson has just been initiated as a member of the Farmers' Union and this fact is believed to indicate that the old farm horse is preparing to enter politics. The union now has 143,000 members in Texas, and is constantly growing—Fort Worth Telegram.

As the Farmers' Union is popularly be-

lieved to be a non-political organization, it is not fair to charge Uncle Trav. with any ulterior view in identifying himself with the organization.—San Antonio Express.

"Re-enter politics" is good. Why, the "plain farmer man" has been in politics since the close of the war between the states. There has never been an hour since when he has been cut out of politics. Last winter, at Austin, he was one of Jefferson Davis Montgomery's most trusted advisers. Mr. Montgomery is general attorney of the Farmers' Union and filled the position of adviser extraordinary to the legislature. "Uncle Trav." should live, will be elected to the Thirtieth general assembly. The old fox of the Red river knows his business. He backed Farmer Calvin of Lamar county for president of the State Farmers' Union and Calvin was elected. He backed Jefferson Davis Montgomery for re-election and Jefferson Davis made a quick landing. And the Gray Fox of Lamar is pushing William D. Williams for railroad commissioner. Mark that.—Dallas Times-Herald.

Uncle Trav. has always managed to keep in hearing distance of any political call that might be wafted in his direction, but he has not been working very hard politically for the past few years. There was a time when he was a very interesting and prominent figure in the state legislature, and his "farmer," that I be" speeches in advocacy of certain measures will never be forgotten by those who were fortunate enough to hear them.

It seems, however, that during the interim of partial retirement the Lamar county statesman has been dreaming dreams of state office, and there is a whisper that he expects to be called upon to become a candidate for the position of state comptroller. Those who know Uncle Trav. the best are willing to wager almost any amount that if the call is extended it will be very promptly heard and accepted. His recent affiliation with the Farmers' Union is believed to indicate that the expected call is now in due process of incubation.

It begins to look very much like the president has again fallen down on one of his pet projects, in the report that comes from Washington to the effect that the proposed extra session of congress has been abandoned. It is apparent that while the president proposes things the matters thus brought to the front are disposed of by the republican party leaders according to their own inclinations.

Secretary Wilson did not seem very anxious to meet the cattlemen in their Chicago meeting, but has expressed a willingness to modify some of the most outrageous features of the twenty-eight-hour law, which have occasioned so much complaint among shippers of live stock all over the country. And all the shippers ask for is that relief they believe is absolutely necessary.

The Dallas News review of the condition of the Texas cotton crop at this time, shows the average condition to be about 10 per cent below that of last year at this time. The indications are that with continued favorable weather the total yield in Texas this year will not fall very far short of that of last season.

The selection of Dr. D. F. Houston as the head of the State University is a good one, but leaves the Agricultural and Mechanical College to be provided for. The selection of Dr. Houston looks like a very clear case of robbing Peter to pay Paul.

Just as soon as the men who have been furnishing the money for the prosecution of the war between Japan and Russia can agree on the terms of peace, the two belligerents will be expected and required to promptly ratify their findings.

A parson ends many pleasant engagements.

Truth and a woman's age are not on speaking terms.

Just as the average man reaches for fame his pipe goes out.

Women have no little troubles; they are all big, overgrown ones.

No, Cordelia, the mint julep isn't coined at the government mint.

An old bachelor says that all perfect women are deaf, dumb and blind.

It is easier to tell others how to make money than it is to make it yourself.

But few men who attend strictly to their own business die of overwork.

Many a man looks heavenward only when he is anxious to get a line on the weather.

The wife of a man who parts his hair in the middle is reasonably sure to be the better two-thirds of the combine.—Chicago News.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

A girl thinks it is better to have gone buggy riding and lost her faith than never to have gone at all.

When a man discovers he is a distant relative of a millionaire he acts as if he had been elected to a public office.

The average man thinks he is saving money when he spends \$10 on a dinner to get a railroad pass worth \$1.20.

Hardly anything makes a woman more jealous than to see a picture of somebody else's children in a magazine.

A man is likely to get along very well in the world if he can make himself realize there are some people who know as much as he does.—New York Press.

THE COLLIE AND THE DOLLIE

The melancholy Collie and the jolly dolly Molly.

When to ride upon the trolley for a frolic.

The jolly dolly Molly, in her hyperbolic folly.

Said the melancholy Collie was bucolic!

So the melancholy Collie swallowed up the jolly dolly.

Closed the frolic in a manner diabolical.

But he had this bit of frolic, for he had a fit of collie.

O bucolic, melancholy Collie's collie!

A. Camille J. Knight in Sunset Magazine for August.

As a general rule the lad at school

between the ages of 12 and 14 requires nine to ten hours of sleep. Growing boys need a large amount of sleep, and when this is denied them, neither their bodies nor their minds develop properly. An English contemporary points out that this lack of hours of rest falls most heavily on the clever boys.

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"Now, why do you want to pull the stuffing out of a lovely story with sensible questions?" Maddox laughingly interrupted. "That's the trouble with you professions; you've no appreciation of an artistic climax. How much weight do you suppose any amateur would give to the fact that Mrs. Evans and I dined together last night at Tevis' restaurant, and that I saw her back to this hotel by 9 o'clock, and that she went to bed and stayed there until 8 o'clock this morning. How can she demonstrate that she shipped out unbeknownst to me? There's always a possibility that some notorious loving person can find a way to testify that he or she saw a mysterious lady on the stairs or in the hall or somewhere outside her room between 9 and 12 last night? True, nobody saw her at Lorimer's rooms. But that's what makes it such a good story. It's the missing link which appeals to the story-monger's imagination. No; I tell you, Parker," he continued, suddenly dropping his bantering tone, "the amateurs are going to have a field day with us, and the more we can do to shorten the day for them the better. So go ahead and answer, and I'll write these notes."

Maddox swung his chair around and rummaged in the desk for a pen and paper. He watched every shade of expression on Ainslee's face as he rehearsed the arraignment against her. She had promised to withhold the fact of her presence in Lorimer's rooms, but the promise had been made without full knowledge of its bearing, and though he was now convinced that she comprehended it, Dave listened with strained intensity to every word.

Inquiry and answer, which passed behind his back, his hand fairly trembling with excitement as he wrote.

Parker began by questions, but after a few moments he allowed Ainslee to tell her own story, merely interrupting her now and again to gain additional details. Ainslee was perfectly at her ease. She seemed to avoid nothing and to fear nothing, gliding over the dangerous places with perfect serenity, and as Dave listened his last remaining doubt faded away.

She was following his instructions because she had promised, but truth and innocence were in her every tone. The very suspicion of falsehood—to say nothing of murder—fell to pieces before her perfect composure.

The telephone bell rang while she was still talking and Maddox turned inquiringly to the detective.

"The first of the amateurs," he suggested, warningly.

Parker rose. "I've finished, Mr. Maddox," he announced. "Hold 'em off for awhile and I'll telephone you from my quarters." He turned to Mrs. Evans to keep anything back, but her position in the matter, and I don't mind telling you that we're not playing paper chases. The one we're after is a man," he added, turning to Ainslee.

"A man? Who?"

"That's what we don't know, ma'am. A man was let into Mr. Lorimer's rooms early last evening, and we haven't run him down yet."

Had the detective not turned again to Maddox as he spoke, he would have seen Ainslee's expression of consternation. As it was, his eyes met Dave's which were plainly laughing.

"If you're after that fellow, Parker," he remarked, "I may as well surrender myself at once, for you'd be sure to catch me sooner or later. I was the visitor who called on Lorimer last evening about 7 and left without seeing him. 'No, there's nothing in that, I'm sorry to say,' he continued, briskly. 'Now hurry off, before the reporters catch you, and I'll join you down-town inside of two hours and tell you all I know, which won't take long.'"

CHAPTER XXII.

The telephone bell was still ringing as Maddox closed the door behind the detective. He paid no attention to it, but seated himself at the desk and began to write. Ainslee watched him.

"Shall I answer the telephone, Dave?"

He shook his head.

"No; don't answer that or anything else until we're out of the woods," he answered, cheerfully but emphatically. "Probably some reporter wants to see you, and I don't want to see any general statement for the press. From this time on you mustn't speak an unnecessary word."

He glanced up again, and seeing a troubled look in her face, laid aside his pen and turned to her inquiringly.

"You still think me guilty of this thing?"

There was a note of reproach in her voice.

"No, I don't think you guilty," he answered. "But I want a fair chance to prove your innocence. You don't realize the crisis we've just passed."

"Crisis?" she repeated, in a puzzled tone. "No, I understood what you said to Mr. Parker, and why you said it. You wanted to tell me what to say to him and to let me see how outsiders might look at the matter—didn't you? But I don't know what you mean by a crisis."

"Then it's high time you did so."

A shade of anxiety passed over Maddox's face, and his tone was unusually grave.

"Ainslee," he began, "I want you to look at this matter with other people's eyes. Indeed, it's imperative. For your own sake, that you do so. Did you notice Parker's face as I outlined the facts against you?"

"Not particularly; but some things you said seemed to surprise him."

"They did surprise him"—Maddox spoke slowly and with deepening emphasis—"So much so, Ainslee, that he had learned them at first hand and one by one you would be under arrest for murder tonight."

Dave paused, but his companion merely looked at him wonderingly, incredulously.

"You have no idea of the effect of that story had it been drawn from you by question and answer," he went on. "Even as it was, for a little while I was afraid of the result; but I'm counting on the fact that you know you didn't commit this murder,

and so do I. But if we let the powers—that be camp on your trail the real criminal will escape and you will never be cleared in the public mind. That's the trouble with you Kays. We must keep the police moving, and in the right direction. We must anticipate every possible shred of evidence against you and be the first to disclose it—if it should be disclosed at all."

"Perhaps you are right—of course you must be, Dave," Ainslee began, musingly. "But I don't seem able to feel afraid of this thing. I don't think I shall ever be afraid of anything again as long as I live," she added, smiling. "Of course, if I were guilty I could see the need of caution. But as I'm not—why can't I freely answer all the questions in the world?"

Maddox turned to her, and when he answered he spoke directly to them. "Can you explain your presence in Lorimer's rooms?"

She made no reply. It was Dave who at last broke the long silence. "If you announce that you went there in a fit of temporary madness," he continued—"if you confess to some wild, undefined idea of taking his life, how many people will believe that you did not carry out your purpose?"

"But he wasn't there—you met me. We left together—dined together, and you saw me to the very door of this hotel."

Maddox answered with another question. "Can you prove that you did not leave your hotel again after we parted? That's the weak point in our alibi now. But I tell you, Ainslee," he continued, pitilessly, "if you don't enter Lorimer's rooms and left them without being seen, between 6 and 7 in the evening, the public will credit you with the ability to do it between 10 and 11:30 at night, and the second for Dick Lorimer's assailant will stop right then and there."

She challenged him with a direct question. "When these things discover I was at those rooms at 6 o'clock—suppose some one saw me going in or going out—wouldn't my silence virtually condemn me? Wouldn't I then have to deny the fact? Wouldn't you have to deny it, too? Wouldn't the one silent lie lead to another, and so on to lies unending?"

"Of course every step must be carefully considered," Maddox admitted. "We must move cautiously and discover what is known and what is not known. As far as I can see at present, there is very little risk—comparatively none, when you think of the effect of such a disclosure as—"

"Dave, I don't like it," she interrupted. "The only guilt I feel is the consciousness that I am keeping back something and trying to hide it. No one could catch or trip me if I told the truth, I never told a downright lie in my life. Dave—and I can't do it now. Let me be frank and open, or—"

She stopped at his protesting gesture.

"It's magnificent, Ainslee," he interposed. "It's magnificent, but it isn't law. It isn't indeed. You must feel your way with the law. It isn't like acting with an individual or even a group of individuals. It is an impersonality which must be handled with the utmost caution. When you have seen the law twist facts out of shape, and poison words of truth, and remember that the law is a betrayal, as I have, then I will listen to you—but not until then. Surely your experience has shown you that the law can be cruel enough in one way. I tell you it can be cruel in another way."

"I may be perfectly frank about everything else?"

"Yes, I think so," said the lawyer. "The only other important fact I can think of is your ownership of a revolver. You know I carried yours away with me and have it still."

"Oh, but I had another one here," she said. "You had another revolver?"

Maddox's question burst from his lips like a cry.

"Certainly, Mason Lemoine, one of the ranch superintendents, gave me a pair of them as I was leaving home, claiming—in a spirit of fun—that there was more use for them in New York than in California."

The doorknob rang and Ainslee rose to answer it. The moment her back was turned Dave picked up the newspaper and glanced at the account of Lorimer's death. The extracted bullet showed that a 32-caliber revolver had been used. The weapon Mrs. Evans had dropped in Lorimer's rooms was of the same caliber, and she had it in her possession. Dave's heart sank as he pushed the paper aside. Ainslee returned to her chair with a letter in her hand.

"May I read this?" she inquired.

"Your letter of any interest to counsel?" he asked.

She looked at him quizzically for a moment.

"I think so," she answered, smiling. "It's a very sweet note from my friend, Miss Frayer, asking me on behalf of her uncle to come and stay at their house. It is certainly very kind."

She paused and watched Maddox's face as he read the letter, and her eyes noted the newspaper which he had transferred from the table to the desk, her expression changed.

"I understand now what you were thinking of moments ago," she began. "Dick Lorimer was shot with the same caliber revolver as the one you took from me, and you think I killed him with the one I have here. Well, the two were exactly similar, it doesn't prove anything, and I'm ready to admit this or any other fact before the world. But it's horrible to have you doubt me. It's horrible and humiliating. Dave," she burst out impulsively, "I won't agree to follow your advice in this matter. I know it's wrong and kindly meant, but I don't want the sort of protection you would give me. You can't believe me, and you shall not lie for me."

(To be continued)

With the CATTLEMEN

DIPPING OF CATTLE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Formal complaint will soon be forthcoming and possibly aired in congress in regard to the manner in which the bureau of animal industry of the department of agriculture prescribes and indorses certain preparations for the cure of cattle and sheep diseases to the exclusion of other preparations, commercially manufactured for the same purpose.

The bureau of animal industry has prepared regulations stipulating that cattle having Texas fever or southern cattle ticks before being removed from their feeding ground must be dipped in Beaumont crude petroleum under the supervision of a inspector of the bureau of animal industry.

Where scales prevail the live stock affected must be dipped in a solution of lime and sulphur.

For these two diseases the inspectors are instructed to use no other remedy.

In the orders issued to inspectors several brands of lime and sulphur and tobacco solutions are mentioned as those which may be used. It is on this account that complaint is made by manufacturers

of cures for scabies and Texas fever which are not indorsed by the department of Agriculture.

Within the last six months several chemical companies of recognized standing have sent to the bureau of animal industry samples of a cure for these live stock diseases. As a rule, no response was made to their letters and inquiry today elicited the statement from Dr. D. E. Salmon, chief of the bureau of animal industry, that he had made sufficient investigation to convince himself that the lime and sulphur and the tobacco solutions were the only preparations which would surely cure, and for that reason the department paid no attention whatever to other preparations submitted.

Dr. Salmon said that he did not think that there was any reason whatever why his bureau should not mention the names of certain brands of tobacco solution and lime and sulphur solution, and should insist that the cattle intended for transit should be immersed in one of these or in a preparation made by the farmer himself under the department's formula.

Manufacturers of preparations which are said to cure these diseases without injurious effects in the way of blistering, impairing the wool of sheep and taking off the hair of cattle have tried in vain to get their preparations recognized on a parity with those mentioned above.

Many complaints come from Texas as to the severity of the petroleum dip.

WILL MODIFY LAW

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Secretary Wilson visited the Union stock yards yesterday to watch the incoming stock trains, the manner in which they had been loaded, and the condition in which the cattle were delivered. Although he is collecting further information on the subject, he gave the live stock and railway commission appointed to confer with him to understand that while he expected them to obey the law, he would, as soon as he returned to Washington, materially modify the existing orders and demand of them in return that they do everything in their power to make live stock shipments still more humane.

Of the condition of the cattle arriving in the yards he said:

"They appeared to have been well cared for. The treatment is not so trying to impose hardships on the railways or the shippers, only to secure the best care for the stock sent out on the hoof."

"The railways have not observed the law in my opinion, and I am now assured that they will and are anxious to co-operate with the government. If they do we will have no more trouble over the question."

CONDITIONS IN OKLAHOMA

I. F. Curry, a prominent stockman of Waurika, Okla., was in the city yesterday with a load of cattle for this market. Mr. Curry stated that this market was drawing shippers from the Oklahoma territory in accordance with the fact that better prices are the rule here. Asked if this

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"WENDEL, THE WONDER AERONAUT," shot from a cannon 2,000 feet in midair, Wednesday at 8 p. m., and Sunday at 4:30 p. m.

NEW LINE TO TAP VAST ORE REGION

Wildman Central and Wichita

Mountain Railroad Survey

Being Made Rapidly

R. Burdge of Fort Worth, secretary of the Wildman Central and Wichita Mountain Railroad Company, said today, discussing the project: "The survey of this road is being rapidly conducted. The line will be over 200 miles long and will traverse a most marvelous country, abounding with abundant resources, both agricultural and mineral, embracing gold, silver, copper and other valuable minerals such as coal, gas, oil, gypsum, talcum and terra cotta. These are all in unlimited quantities. This railroad will be a wonderful leverage to open up this territory, which is certainly destined, after development, to eclipse any mining country in the union."

Speaking of the mining outlook in Wichita, Mr. Burdge said: "The mining interests are being rapidly developed and wonderful values in gold, silver and copper are being shown daily. One of the most valuable claims is that of the Wildman Mining and Milling Company, in which are gentlemen who are projecting the above railroad."

Mr. Burdge says that an excursion will soon be run from Fort Worth and Dallas to Wildman, O. T., for the purpose of showing those who go on the trip the vast values of the ore, both gold, silver and copper.

HEAVY WHEAT SHIPMENT

Big Northwest Crop Threatens to Swamp Railroads

Railroads of the northwest are being called upon to carry the largest crop production in the history of the country and all lines are taxed to meet demands. There is more tonnage booked and in sight than for many months.

The Northern Pacific estimates a 10 per cent increase in the wheat yield in

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territory along its line, while similar reports come from other quarters of the northwest. The western division of the road has 20,000 freight cars available and all of them have been pressed into service in an effort to handle expeditiously the great grain crop of the northwest.

Whether the road will be "swamped" depends on how the crop of wheat is marketed.

NEW PULLMAN SERVICE

California Route Through Salt Lake City Improved

The Denver and Rio Grande in connection with the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad on Sunday, Aug. 13, established a daily Pullman tourist car service between Denver and Los Angeles.

This is the first daily through car service to Southern California by way of Salt Lake City and the New Clark line. The car stops over several hours at Salt Lake City, enabling the tourist to take in the sights of that well known resort without delay or extra charge.

ARIZONA EXTENSION

The announcement is made that the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern railroad, a Southern Pacific property, is to be extended north from Globe through some of the richest farming lands, timber and mining lands in the United States, touching Jerome and Flagstaff, Ariz. It is stated that this work is to commence at Bowie, Ariz., will also connect with the main line of the Southern Pacific at Bowie, Ariz., will also connect with the Arizona and Eastern, forming a part of the new contemplated line through Phoenix.

NEW RATON TUNNEL

The Santa Fe is building one tunnel under another through Raton Hill. It will be nearly one mile in length and will run 144 feet below the present tunnel, and will cost about \$1,000,000. A double track will be laid from Trinidad to Raton, and it is the present intention to operate trains through the new tunnel by electricity. It will be completed in two years. The two chief results to be gained by the new tunnel will be the saving of fuel, and the ending of the winter freight trains in order to get them over Raton Hill.

RATE AGREEMENT REACHED

Western roads have agreed to use the revised rates submitted to them by the eastern roads as basing rates on the following conditions: Where rates are made on the gateway through which the business ordinarily passes they shall be divided on the usual basis. Where rates do not make on the gateway through which the business passes, the lines in western territory shall receive as their proportion not less than the amount which accrues to them by the same gateway on business routed over the so-called standard lines. The lines east of the standard gateways of the western roads shall not in any case receive more than their published basing rate.

MOTOR CARS READY

Six motor cars have been completed for the Southern Pacific in the Omaha shops and two of them will be shipped to Houston at once for use on the route that city and Galveston on the La Porte route. The Southern Pacific announces that it is expected that the new service will be established not later than Sept. 1.

HAVE BANNER SEASON

Home-seekers and Vacation Seekers Swell Railroad Receipts

General Passenger Agent A. A. Glisson of the Denver road is jubilant over the fact that this season, which he says is the heaviest ever known, much extra equipment is being pressed into service in order that those who are going to the mountains may be accommodated. "There are two causes for this situation," said Mr. Glisson. "One is the great possibilities of the Panhandle country, which are drawing hundreds of people to that section in search of investments, and the other is the attractiveness of Colorado as a summer resort. Those two reasons have compelled the Denver road to double up its service and equipment. Twice a week home-seekers are being moved from the Panhandle. As a result of these two propositions the Denver road is doing the best passenger business in its history."

Mr. Glisson has just received from Clarendon a sample of Elberta peaches grown there that are very fine. It has been generally understood that peaches would not grow in that high altitude, but the sample disproves this theory. The Japanese cling also thrives in the Clarendon country.

COTTON MOVING

Commercial Agent U. S. Pawkett of the International and Great Northern railroad reports today that there is a good movement of new cotton along the Waco-Fort Worth division of the road. He says, however, that there is little movement from the north end.

TO MEET IN DALLAS

Rock Island general passenger department today announces that the State Baptist meeting of the Young People's Union that was to have been held at Sulphur Springs, Aug. 21 to 27, has been changed to Dallas. The date will remain the same. The rate will be on the convention plan.

TAILOR SHOPS ROBBED

Police Make Arrest and Recover Missing Patterns

With the arrest Wednesday of a negro charged with theft, local police believe that the taking of cloth samples from tailor shops has been stopped. Arrest was made after some goods had been mislaid from a local tailor's shop. The tailor gave chase to a man and the negro was later arrested. The goods were recovered.

For the past few weeks wholesale thefts of suit patterns from tailor shops have been carried on. Officers this morning took the prisoner's measurements to be retained at police headquarters. He will also have his picture taken for future reference.



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Mellin's Food is the ONLY Infant Food, which has received the Grand Prize, the highest award of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, 1904. Higher than a gold medal.

MELLIN'S FOOD CO., BOSTON, MASS.

HOME INDUSTRY

Factory Club Plan to Aid Auditorium Movement Put Under Way

Orders were placed today by the Fort Worth Factory and Home Industrial Association for home industry buttons to be sold by the organization for the benefit of the Auditorium fund.

Following the endorsement of the Auditorium plan by the Factory Club, active steps to assist in the enterprise have been decided upon. The buttons will be in this city before Sept. 1, and a large sale of them is expected to be made Labor Day.

The button which was decided upon by the committee this morning will be in red, white and blue. In the center will be "DO YOU BUY HOME PRODUCTS? IF NOT, WHY NOT?" Around the edge of the button will be "Home Factory and Industrial Association, Fort Worth, Texas." Price at which the buttons will be sold has not yet been announced and will likely be decided in conjunction with the Auditorium committee to whose funds the proceeds will be given.

PUBLIC FOUNTAINS TO HAVE CLEANING

Horse Troughs to Be Taken Up in Menquillo War Now Being Carried on By City

Complaints have reached the city physician that the public fountains for watering horses are in unsanitary condition, serving as the breeding places of many mosquitoes. During the general cleaning up campaign the fountains, it is said, have been overlooked and stagnant water, covered with slime has been allowed to collect. The fountain at the Texas and Pacific station is in bad condition and refuse and a great deal of matter has collected in it despite the fact that it is supplied with running water.

While the fountains come under the supervision of the street department," said Dr. Barber this morning, "I will do all in my power to have them placed in a sanitary condition."

RETAIL GROCERS TO MEET TONIGHT

Committee Named to Consider Enlarged Scope for Organization to Discuss Plans

A committee recently appointed by the Retail Grocers' and Butchers' Association of Fort Worth met tonight for the purpose of enlarging the scope of the association so as to take in other organizations that have the same objects in view. The first work will be the reorganization of the committee could not be definitely learned but one member of the committee said today he believed the association would agree to taking in kindred organizations. During the discussion could be enhanced and better results accrue to all concerned.

Other matters may be considered at the meeting, especially that with reference to the health certificates now being issued by the city physician for the use of the city physician, which was recently made in The Telegram.

Transients arriving in the city and securing health certificates during the yellow fever epidemic are complaining of the fact that Fort Worth is one of the few cities where a fee is charged for the issuance of the slip.

The city physician is required to charge 50 cents each for all certificates, the matter being regulated by an ordinance. The money thus collected will be deposited in the city treasurer, going to the general city fund. No part of the collections goes to the city health officer.

Since the beginning of the yellow fever the local city physician has issued over 250 health certificates.

PICNIC AT LANCASTER

Woodmen of the World Entertain 5,000 People—Music and Speeches

LANCASTER, Texas, Aug. 17.—The annual picnic of the Woodmen of the World, held here yesterday, is said to have been one of the most successful events of the kind which the Woodmen have ever held. There were about 5,000 people in attendance. The Lancaster band furnished excellent music, the speeches were witty and entertaining and the barbecue and picnic dinner was abundant. A whole beef and five sheep were left uneaten after all had been entirely satisfied.

The program was begun at 10 o'clock, A. W. Carney, master of ceremonies presiding. The address of welcome was delivered by D. E. White and the response was made by J. W. Pope, which was followed by an address by Judge E. B. Muse. After the dinner address on Woodcraft was made by O. S. Lattimore of Fort Worth and Curtis Hancock of Dallas.

At 4:30 o'clock the visitors were entertained with a ball game between two local clubs.

CHILD BADLY SCALDED

Infant Narrowly Escapes Death in Boiling Water

The six months old child of I. Myers of Calhoun street had a narrow escape from death in scalding water at the home of its parents Wednesday afternoon.

A nurse carrying the child accidentally stepped on a live coal that had dropped from the fire and in falling the child just escaped being thrown into a tub of boiling water. The tub was overturned and a part of the boiling water thrown upon it. The child was rescued easily this morning, and will recover.

THE FAMOUS SHOE STORE

For high grade fine fitting shoes. Both phones No. 547.

HERBINE

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

G. L. Caldwell, Agt. M. K. and T. R. R., Checotah, Ind. Ter., writes, April 18, 1903: "I was sick for over two years with enlargement of the liver and spleen. The doctors did me no good, and I had given up all hope of being cured, when my druggist advised me to use Herbine. It has made me sound and well." G. C. Covey & Martin, 310 Main street, opposite Hotel Worth.

Chamberlain's COLIC, CHOLERA AND Diarrhoea Remedy

THIS is unquestionably the most successful medicine in use for bowel complaints, and it is now the recognized standard over a large part of the civilized world. Every man of a family should keep this remedy in his home. Buy it now. It may save life. PRICE, 25c. LARGE SIZE, 50c.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

"It is almost worth one's life to attempt to travel anywhere in the yellow fever stricken sections of Louisiana or to get out of that state," said G. B. Magruder, general manager of the Fort Worth and Denver City and the Colorado and Southern lines at New Orleans.

Mr. Magruder left New Orleans about three weeks ago after much difficulty. He says that a man is almost compelled to face a shotgun at every turn when he attempts to go from one town to another in Louisiana. He said, discussing the situation further:

"New Orleans has not had such a siege with the fever in seven years, and would have escaped it this year had not a fruit vessel from South America dumped some twenty foreigners with fever in that city. The plague spread rapidly and got beyond the control of the authorities. Previous to this there was some fever, but its ravages were stopped by the vigilance of the officials. It is a bad situation. I am directing my business by correspondence with an assistant at the New Orleans office, which is the best I can do under the circumstances. New Orleans is growing rapidly and the present fever situation is deplorable. The officials are doing what they can to stop its spread."

LABOR DAY AWARDS

At a meeting of Labor Day committee held Wednesday night in Labor Temple, award of Labor Day privileges at Hermann park was made as follows:

All privileges but those for ice cream and beer were awarded to L. Rosenfield and Harry Lyons of the Retail Clerks' Union. G. E. Allgaier was awarded the ice cream privilege and Julius Holter the beer privilege. Contract for printing the Labor Day program went to the Texas Printing Company.

Don't wait until your blood is impoverished and you are sick and ailing, but take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It will positively drive out all impurities. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. J. P. Brashear.

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Degree courses in Architectural, Civil, Electrical, Mechanical, Textile Engineering.

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It will entitle you to one month's tuition free in any department for DAY or NIGHT SESSION. Night school opens Sept. 1st. May quit at end of month if you desire. If you have attended another Business College, we will, we think, convince you that thirty days' study of Bookkeeping with us is equal to sixty days elsewhere, and that we give superior advantages in Shorthand, etc. Tuition will cost you nothing while investigating. Call or write for Catalogue. Phone 888.

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FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

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Ready for Work in September

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OF DALLAS, TEXAS.

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The Telegram's Financial and Commercial Page

STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Stocks ranged in prices today on the New York Stock Exchange as follows:

Open	High	Low	Close
Am. Locomotive	51 1/2	50 1/2	51 1/2
Atchafalpa	91	90 1/2	91
B. and O.	114 1/2	114 1/4	114 1/2
B. T. T.	70 1/2	70 1/4	70 1/2
Canadian Pacific	158 1/2	158 1/4	158 1/2
C. P. and I.	47 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/2
C. and O.	58 1/2	58 1/4	58 1/2
Copper	83 1/2	83 1/4	83 1/2
Chicago Gt. W.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Elgin	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/2
Florida Central	120 1/2	120 1/4	120 1/2
L. and N.	151 1/2	151 1/4	151 1/2
Manhattan	127 1/2	127 1/4	127 1/2
Metropolitan	127 1/2	127 1/4	127 1/2
N. Y. C. and H. J.	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
M. K. and T.	71 1/2	71 1/4	71 1/2
Missouri Pacific	106 1/2	106 1/4	106 1/2
N. Y. Central	156 1/2	156 1/4	156 1/2
N. and W.	84 1/2	84 1/4	84 1/2
O. and W.	56 1/2	56 1/4	56 1/2
Pennsylvania	105 1/2	105 1/4	105 1/2
Reading	112 1/2	112 1/4	112 1/2
Rock Island	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Southern Pacific	68 1/2	68 1/4	68 1/2
Sugar	14 1/2	14 1/4	14 1/2
Union Pacific	126 1/2	126 1/4	126 1/2
W. and A.	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
Western Union	87 1/2	87 1/4	87 1/2
Wis. Central	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2

GRAIN

LIVERPOOL GRAIN CLOSURE

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 17.—Wheat closed 1-4d up. Corn closed unchanged.

KANSAS CITY RECEIPTS

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 17.—Following is the receipts of grain today, with estimated receipts tomorrow:

Today: Tomorrow.

Wheat 148 149

Corn 15 20

Oats 15 20

Total 232 232

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 17.—The grain and provision markets were quoted today as follows:

Open High Low Close

September 81 1/2 82 1/4 81 1/2 82 1/4

December 83 1/4 84 1/4 83 1/4 84 1/4

May 86 1/2 87 1/2 86 1/2 87 1/2

Oats—

September 26 1/2 27 1/2 26 1/2 27 1/2

December 28 1/2 29 1/2 28 1/2 29 1/2

May 32 1/2 33 1/2 32 1/2 33 1/2

Corn—

September 14 1/2 15 1/2 14 1/2 15 1/2

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COTTON

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Following is the estimated receipts for tomorrow, compared with the receipts of last year:

Tomorrow: Last year.

Galveston 2,150 1,551

New Orleans 2,480 1,551

Mobile 60 1

Savannah 569 148

Charleston 614 1

Houston 3,559 115

New York 295 7

Boston 7 2,332

Total 7 2,332

PORT RECEIPTS

Receipts of cotton at the leading accumulative ports, compared with the receipts of the same time last year:

Today: Last year.

New Orleans 600 to 1,200 237

Galveston 2,340 to 3,800 2,563

Houston 3,400 to 3,800 2,563

Total 3,400 to 3,800 2,563

LIVERPOOL COTTON CABLE

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 17.—The spot cotton market closed steady with middling at 8 1/2d.

Sales, 3,000 bales, all American.

Imports, 1,200 bales, all American.

Following is the range of futures:

Open Close

August 5 1/2 5 1/2

August-September 5 1/2 5 1/2

September-October 5 1/2 5 1/2

October-November 5 1/2 5 1/2

November-December 5 1/2 5 1/2

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The Telegram

...Liner Ads.

"Liner" was the new short name given to The Telegram classified ads. Same rate daily and Sunday. ONE-HALF CENT per word first insertion; ONE-HALF CENT per word all subsequent consecutive insertions. Ten times and over, ONE-HALF CENT per word each insertion. Count six words to the line. No ads taken for less than 15c.

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SECURE A GOOD POSITION

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WANTED—For United States army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 345 Main street, Dallas 1300 Main St., Fort Worth; 11313 South Fourth street, Waco; 12113 Travis street, Sherman, Texas.

LEARN TELEGRAPHY and railroad accounting, \$50 to \$100 a month salary assure our graduates under bond. Our six schools the largest in America and endorsed by all railroads. Write for catalogue. Morse School of Telegraphy, Cincinnati, Ohio; Buffalo, N. Y.; Atlanta, Ga.; La Crosse, Wis.; Texarkana, Texas; San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, chiropody or electrolysis. We originated this short method of instruction in 1893 and have completed hundreds of successful graduates. Call or write, Moler College, First and Main streets.

WANTED—Addresses and phone numbers of all ladies wishing employment of any kind. We will give you prompt attention and secure you position on shortest possible notice. Consolidated Railroad Employment Agency, 1519 Main street, Phone 3755. Glenn & Holloway

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. We originated this short method of teaching in 1893 and have graduated thousands of successful barbers. Little expense. Positions waiting. Call or write, Moler Barber College, 413 Main street.

WANTED—Experienced lady office clerk for clerical position; good chance to learn good business and advance. One who is stenographer preferred. Address 73, Telegram.

WANTED—A bright boy about 17 years old, who wishes to learn a good trade. Apply Shedd Electric and Machine Co., 1292 Main.

WANTED—Shortland pupils; private teacher; easy terms. Easy system; no shading; no position. Address Miss Jackson, 1003 Taylor street, city.

WANTED—Young man with horse to manage good paper route; must have some cash; furnish security bond, and references. See Circulator, Telegram.

WANTED—Young man to do piece work in brass factory. Call Midland Brass Works, First and Throckmorton.

WANTED—Several ladies to solicit and collect, on salary, for a reliable firm. Address 91, care of Telegram.

WANTED—Two young men to learn bakers' trade. Apply Eagle Bakery, 715 South Main.

WANTED—Colored boy for porter and delivery, one who is not afraid of work. Famous Shoe Store.

WANTED—Women to sew, making overalls. Miller Mfg. Co., 115 South Box street.

WANTED—An experienced lady to canvass in city; good contract to the right party. Address, 415, care Telegram.

WANTED—One man to buy a pair of W. L. Douglas shoes. Apply at Monnie's.

WANTED—Man to carry good paper route. See Circulator, Telegram.

WANTED—Teacher for fire and serpentine dance. Phone 3223 old phone.

IF YOU WANT work see Labor Bureau, 202½ Main street Business confidential.

WANTED

WANTED—See us before you sell your second-hand furniture; we are short of goods and will pay highest prices. 211 Second Hand Store, corner First and Houston. Both phones 1239-1.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in, south side. Address 82, care Telegram.

TO RENT—Furnished flats or rooming house. Business Exchange, 202½ Main street.

WANTED—One second-hand corn sheller; must be in good running condition. Teague & Gray, Rosenberg, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY—Continental Tobacco tags; \$2.50 per 1,000. Billie Coleman, 709 Main street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Widow, all alone, position in small family immediately, good references. Address No. 442, care Telegram.

REFINED lady wants roommate; have large room, room, nicely furnished; terms reasonable; close in. Phone 1925.

WHEN YOU WANT help call Labor Bureau, 202½ Main. New phone 931.

BUSINESS CHANCES

IF YOU WANT to invest in good business or change location call or write Business Exchange, 202½ Main street.

FOLDING BEDS, \$3.00 down and \$1.00 week. Howard-Smith Furniture Co.

COUNTY PRINTING BIDS

Bids will be received by the county clerk, Fort Worth, Texas, for poll tax receipts in original, duplicate and triplicate form, bound in forty-seven books, one for each voting precinct in Tarrant county, for further particulars, see J. W. Walker, county clerk, collector, Fort Worth. All bids to be on the list later than Sept. 5, 1935.

C. J. McKenna, County Auditor, Tarrant County, Texas.

Within Five Minutes You Will Be Wiser if You Read These Ads.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One hundred carloads strictly choice black land prairie hay; \$3.75 per ton; and 3,000 bushels new corn, in first-class condition, 50c per bushel, for lot, cars. Teague & Gray, Rosenberg, Texas.

FOR SALE—My elegant home for the next thirty days, \$5,500, one half cash, terms to suit, everything modern, a beautiful place 701 Jennings ave., phone 2177 Mrs. F. C. Woods.

FOR SALE—Furniture and a completely equipped boarding house, convenient to business center. Fully established and a paying business. Address 410, care Telegram.

FOR SALE—On West Fifth street, a new cottage; on corner lot, modern style; well built; low price. Address 2288, at 1421 West Fifth street. Phone 1876-2 rings.

FOR SALE—Extra fine second-hand phonograph; cost new \$225; \$100 takes it this week. J. J. Langever, Langever building, opposite city hall.

FURNITURE for completely furnished five-room house for sale cheap. Ladd Furniture and Carpet Co., 704 Houston street, phone 562.

HOTEL, \$2,500; boarding house, \$500; flat, \$500; confectionary, \$400; office business, \$150; lively stable, \$1,500. Business Exchange, 202½ Main street.

STOCK of groceries and 5-room cottage, lot 50x140 feet, barn and sheds; no agent. Call at 1415 E. Belknap at New phone 1302-blue.

FOR SALE—64 feet oval top show cases, with stands. Call at Webb's Drug Store, South Main and Dagget. Phone 538.

FOR SALE—A good cow or will trade for horse. 512 Vickery Boulevard, corner Cronwell.

BARGAIN—\$100 for upright \$450 Emerson piano; easy payments. Alex. Hirschfeld, 812 Houston street.

BED ROOM SUITS, \$3.00 down and \$1.00 week. Howard-Smith Furniture Company.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A bargain in an eight-room modern house, on west side; best neighborhood. Phone 2044.

WHAT HAVE YOU GOT to trade for four lots in Seymour, Baylor county, Texas. Apply 906 Houston street.

Two young Jersey cows with heifer calves, for sale cheap. Phone 345.

WILL trade some second-hand lumber for horse. Call 204 Main street.

FOR SALE—For removal, three good rooms, at 500 Jennings avenue.

CORD WOOD—Any quantity. H. H. Hager & Co. Phone 2322.

PERSONAL

SCHOLARSHIP \$15.00—For a limited time we will sell \$15.00 tuition in either department, night school, for \$15. Night school opens Sept. 1. Special discount on day course. Our students big and sell goods to all merchants and transact business with all banks of this city. Our students all succeed. Nelson & Draughon Business College, Sixth and Main. J. W. Draughon, Pres. Tel. 1307.

THE PARKER-LOWE D. G. CO. offers 100 boxes of Armour's high-grade toilet soaps (assorted odors), worth 45c a box at drug stores, tomorrow a box of three cakes for 15 cents.

ONE-HUNDRED-DOLLAR funeral, including family lot in the cemetery, guaranteed by the Burial League of the United States. County manager's office, 906 Houston street, Fort Worth, Texas.

GARRISON BROS. Dentists—501½ Main, phone 9913-2 rings.

THE TELEGRAM accepts advertising on a guarantee that its circulation in Fort Worth is greater than any other paper. Circulation books and press room open to all.

FOR CHILLIS take Dr. Lister's Blood Specific, \$2.00 per bottle delivered or express charges paid. The Lister Co., Box 88, Fort Worth.

SPECIAL NOTICES

WE REPAIR FURNITURE and stoves. We buy furniture and stoves. BAXTER Furniture Co., 211 Main, both phones.

\$5.00 PER WEEK, ROOM AND BOARD—New building, new furniture, everything modern. Hot and cold artesian baths free to regulars.

THE DEL RAY

Corner Thirteenth and Houston streets. Phone 3395.

THE WORLD'S DIETETIC Institute, and the International Political Specialists' School will give Astoria, Ill., \$10,000 to change its name to Philanthropy. Write A. G. Lee, 1505 East Weatherford street, Fort Worth, Texas.

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JUST received, a large shipment of rubber. Anyone wanting stock can have them put on at once. Schmitt, 300 Throckmorton.

HATS of all kinds cleaned, dyed and reshaped. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Wood & Co., 710 Houston, Phone 630-1 ring.

WHAT'S NICER than a good Laundry? That's what you always find when you let the Modern Steam Laundry have your work. Phone 751.

LAWN MOWERS ground 50c; also repairs by an expert. King, 100 East Second street.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened by an expert. Bowers Ldco. Co., 1006 Houston st.

IRON BEDS, \$1.00 down and 50c week. Howard-Smith Furniture Co.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with modern conveniences, either single or en suite. Apply 804 Taylor street.

PARTOR, bed room and kitchen for rent; furnished for light housekeeping; bath and electric lights. 934 West Belknap street.

TWO unfurnished rooms to rent, light housekeeping, nice new rooms. Call at 206 Josephine street, one block of College car line.

ROOMS—A few cool, clean rooms with bath; special rates for the summer. Mrs. Langever, Langever building, opposite city hall.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms, modern in every respect; use of parlor. Apply 1201 North Henderson or phone 3168.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; and one room for gentlemen. 302 West Fifth street. Phone 3068.

MOST desirable bedrooms, extra large, cool, quiet, modern conveniences, two blocks Hotel Delaware. 309 East Fourth street.

THREE nicely furnished rooms complete for light housekeeping. Phone gas and bath. No children; references. 415 East Fifth.

TWO nice large furnished rooms for rent for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished. Call at 307 Adams street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 806 East Belknap. Old phone 1370.

FOR RENT—Four large front rooms, suitable for offices or sleeping rooms, at 804½ Houston street.

THE HAYS—South rooms, good board, modern conveniences; \$4 to \$5 per week. 312 South Calhoun street.

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished rooms with bath, for light housekeeping, one block of two car lines. Old phone 2490.

ELEGANTLY furnished rooms, all modern conveniences; bath included; over Blythe's, corner Eighth and Houston sts.

NICELY furnished sleeping and light housekeeping rooms, reasonable. 400 Main street, top floor.

ONE nicely furnished front room, upstairs, with bath, close in. 906 West Belknap.

NICELY furnished rooms, either single or en suite, modern conveniences. 804 Taylor st.

SOUTH rooms with or without board; also housekeeping rooms. All conveniences. 513 East Sixth street.

NICELY furnished and unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 507 Hemphill street.

FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms, close in; reasonable. Phone 3921.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms. 302 Taylor street.

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping; no children. 917 Cherry street.

ONE FRONT furnished room. 612 West First.

ROOMS FOR RENT—All conveniences. Apply at 748 East Front street.

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 513 Fourth street.

TWO rooms, furnished for light housekeeping. 321 Louisiana avenue.

BEST rooms in the city. The King-ley, Eighth and Throckmorton.

NICELY furnished housekeeping rooms, desirable, cheap. 203 Rusk.

TWO LARGE unfurnished housekeeping rooms; cheap. 207 Pecan st.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms with gas. 502 East Third street.

ROOMS AND BOARD

BOARD and room for young men and roommate for young lady. Phone 1008. 503 E. Weatherford.

BOARD AND ROOMS—Apply at 701 Jennings avenue or phone 2177. References required.

BOARD AND ROOMS—Apply at 701 Jennings avenue or phone 2177. References required.

MERCHANTS' dinner served every day; 20c. The Del Ray, Thirteenth and Houston streets.

WANTED—First class boarders. 413 East Fifth street.

MISCELLANEOUS

THE TELEGRAM accepts advertising on a guarantee that its circulation in Fort Worth is greater than any other paper. Circulation books and press room open to all.

MADAM MANDONA—Consult the genuine Egyptian Palmist, tells past, present and future from birth to death. Perfect satisfaction or no charges. Egyptian Enchantment, 12th and Main, North Fort Worth.

HAT REMODELERS—Straw; newest models; to date; to the minute; prices right. Wood & Company, 112 Main street. Phone 577-2 rings.

ORIOLE NEWS AGENCY—Sample papers and magazines distributed free. Alex. King, Agent, Route 1, Oriole, Houston County, Texas.

32 1-3 PER CENT saved on laundry at the Penny Steam Laundry, 403 Main street.

MONEY TO LEND on stock, furniture, pianos and other things of value. J. O. Crow, phone 2427.

FOR ALL KINDS of scavenger work, phone 913. Lee Taylor.

SIDING, \$2.00 down and \$1.00 week. Howard-Smith Furniture Co.

FINANCIAL

MONEY MADE QUICK—Texas school lands on the market at \$1 to \$2 per acre, one-fourth cash, balance 40 years' time, 2 per cent interest. Copy of law and how to get land for \$5. Send quick as time most up. J. E. Crites, Box 24, Grandbury, Texas.

FIVE TO EIGHT PER CENT paid on deposits in Mutual Home and Savings Association. (Inc.) Loans made on real estate only. 611 Main street.

MONEY TO LOAN on personal indorsement, collateral or real estate security. William Reese, rooms 406 and 407, Fort Worth National Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN on farms and ranches by the W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Co., Reynolds Building, corner Eighth and Houston.

I HAVE a limited amount of money to invest in vendors' lien notes. Otho S. Houston, at Hunter-Phelan Savings Bank and Trust Company.

WE LOAN money on chattel mortgages. Floore-Epes Loan and Trust Company, rooms 7 and 8, 909 Houston street. Phone 3522.

LOANS on farms and improved city property. W. T. Humble, representing Land Mortgage Bank of Texas, Fort Worth National Bank Building.

C. W. CHILDRESS & CO., Insurance and loans, 611 Main street. Phone 758.

MONEY LOANED on anything of value. 1902 Houston street.

IF IT'S MONEY you want, phone 2427 or 922-white; business confidential.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—To right party, brick flat, containing thirty rooms; located conveniently to Main street and the court house. Inquire McClung & Jewell, Ninth street rental agents.

H. C. Jewell, H. Veal Jewell, H. C. JEWELL & SON, The Rental Agents of the City. 1000 Houston street.

FOR RENT—Part of well furnished flat to responsible married couple. 408 Jackson street. Phone 1144 from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. for information.

FOR RENT—New five-room house, with bath. Corner Louisiana and Terrell avenues. Old phone 3013.

FOR RENT—Furnished four-room house in exchange for board. Mrs. Francis, 1002 Missouri avenue.

FOR RENT—Nice three-room house, 1103 Evans avenue, Call Shepherd, phone 457.

FOR RENT—Elegant new store room, 25x30 feet, Houston, near Ninth. Apply C. B. Epes, 909 Houston street, City.

NEW SEVEN-ROOM house with hall and bathroom, on Penn street. Phone 368.

NICE 8-room house for rent. Apply 614 East Sixth street.

CHILI and fruit stand. Call 202 Houston.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Monday between Bewley's Mill and Fort Worth Grocery Company, salesman's order book; name on cover. McCord Collins Co.

STRAYED—A gray horse—right ear split, 15½ hands high, about 10 years old, newly shod all around. \$5 reward if returned to J. W. Adams 409 West Weatherford street.

LOST—Book of contracts of Morrison & Fournay Directory Co. Finder please return to Captain J. B. Littlejohn, corner of Rusk and Fourth streets.

LOST—A bill case, or wallet, containing business cards and papers. Return to R. C. Co., over Seventh and Houston. Reward.

LOST—Fox terrier dog; answers to name of Dot; one year old; substantial reward. Address, No. 74, care Telegram.

LOST—Panama hat, near corner of Fifth and Houston. Return to 110½ West Fifth and receive reward.

LOST—A card case containing \$5. Finder please phone 405-blue, new phone, for reward or call at 1518 East Bluff street.

LOST—Aug. 15 on East Weatherford, near Santa Fe tracks, a ladies' hat. Reasonable reward. Phone 820, Joe Patterson.

LOST—between Pecan, Grove and East Second streets, a book of contracts, or phone 3842 and receive reward.

FOUND at Monnie's the best pair of Men's Shoes. It's W. L. Douglas.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

FOR EXCHANGE—You may look Tarrant county over, every rock and corner, and you will not find anything like the sixty-acre truck farm that we are offering for trade. This farm lies adjoining one of the best little towns in the county; schools and churches. The farm is nicely improved, about one-fourth in cultivation, balance in pasture, timber and fruit. A comfortable house; plenty water and good barn. We will take from one-third to one-half in unimproved improved or unimproved Fort Worth city property and give easy terms on balance. Gilliland & Harwood. Phone 1788.

WALTER T. MADDOX buys, sells and exchanges real estate. If you are thinking of buying, it will pay you to see him. A fine list of residence and business property. Wheat building, phone 1455.

SEE W. A. Darter, 711 Main; bargains in city property, farms, ranches.

UMBRELLAS

WANTED—1,000 umbrellas to recover and repair. Corner Second and Main streets. Chas. Baggett.

EUREKA REPAIR SHOP—LAWNMOWER expert. Bicycles and key fitting. 107 West Ninth street.

STOVE REPAIRING—FOR UP-TO-DATE stove and range repairs see J. O. Evers, the gasoline stove expert, 203 Houston street. He will call and make the price right. Both phones.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

LOTS FOR SALE—Fort Worth's fashionable suburb, Arlington Heights Realty Company, 105 east Seventh street.

ON EASY TERMS—Lots on bluff, North Glenwood addition, one minute from Interurban station, five minutes from center of Fort Worth, or fine acre blocks near Mason's Home, artesian water. Houses built if desired. Cobb Bros. Reynolds building, phone 368.

QUIT PAYING RENT—Why don't you pay to yourself. ROSEN HEIGHTS LAND COMPANY.

WHY PAY RENT when you can apply this now to the purchase of a home? A small amount added to your rent will buy a home in good residential portion of city. See A. D. Carpenter, with Glen Walker & Co. Phone 521.

IN FAIRMOUNT ADDITION—Cottage, five rooms, bath, gas, barn, trees, deep east front lot \$1,500. \$250 cash, balance monthly. Same locality three large, deep lots, corner, easy terms, \$1,400. Buchanan, 411 Hoxie Building, phone 2254.

IF BILIOUS,
settles the stomach,
keeps the bowels free
and liver active.
Sold on its merits
for 60 years.

Andrews-Potts Fuel Company

VICTOR, OSAGE, MCLESTER,
MAITLAND, ARKANSAS AN-
THRACITE COAL, AND WOOD.
Seventeenth and Pecan Streets.

Phones 694

If your watch needs cleaning or a
general overhauling, see
ARTHUR COX
413 Houston street. All work
strictly guaranteed. Fine watch
repairing a specialty. Prices reason-
able.

THE MERCANTILE AGENCY
R. G. DUN & CO.
Established over sixty years and
having one hundred and seventy-
nine branches throughout the
civilized world.
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ONE AIM. UNEQUALLED COL-
LECTION FACILITIES.**

Everything Strictly Guaranteed.
B. Z. FRIEDMAN CO.

Swiss Watchmakers and Jewelers.
We Carry a Fine Stock of Jewelry.
No watch or clock too complicated for
us to repair. Get the observatory time
of us. Corner Houston and Seventh
streets. Parker's Drug Store.

JOHN SPENCER CO.

"Everything on Wheels." 1102 Houston St.
All the Latest Styles in Carriages, Bug-
gies, Phaetons, Surreys,
Runabouts, etc.
The celebrated Machine Delivery, Dairy,
Baker and other high-class Wagons, Cash
or installment.
Old Phone 5910. New Phone 239.

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and Counsellor at Law
Land Title Block.
Fort Worth, Texas.

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Ice Cream Freezers
GERNSBACHER BROS.
509 Hous on St. Fort Worth

Plymouth Rock Corn
3 Cans for 25c
Turner & Dingee
300 Main St.

When anything in the Vehicle line
is wanted,

KELLER'S

Is the place to go. Corner of Second
and Throckmorton streets.

Hotel Arrivals

Metropolitan—P. J. Doland, Chicago;
George Estes, El Paso, C. C. Mopes, Blue
Island; Mrs. H. M. Malley, Wichita Falls;
J. H. Newman, St. Louis; P. D. Ward,
Texas; N. A. Done, Dallas; E. P. Pluge,
Memphis; Webster Harris, Pine Bluff;
John A. Waldron, Waco; H. S. Fearn,
Dallas; Mrs. Fish and sister, Pluffdale;
J. Worcester and wife, Dallas; Dr. G.
M. Abney, Franklin; D. G. Horton, Jack-
son; J. J. McCartney, Texas; Miss Hat-
tie Holley, Wichita Falls; Miss Valde
Holley, Wichita Falls; Martin Durall, San
Saba; Morton Durall, San Saba; M. A.
Jordan, Evansville; W. F. Youngblood,
Midland; F. Youngblood, Midland; G. R.
Glover, Texarkana; A. J. Bennett,
St. Louis; Miss Belno Holley, Marshall;
J. E. Lyon and wife, Clarksville; J. A.
Heiback, Ardmore; I. T. O. E. Stewart,
Ardmore; I. T. T. O. Rollings, Minne-
apolis; A. D. McPherson, Indianapolis;
Tom B. Floyd, Dallas; Sam Kelly, El
Paso; W. D. Lang and son, Texas; J.
E. Egles, Bonham; A. W. Pick Jr., New
York; N. D. Hudson, Hope, Ark.; Miss
Heffner, Marlin; A. H. Brown, Dallas;
R. J. Sullivan, Denison; G. O. Brown, Gal-
veston; H. J. Robbins, Bradford, Pa.
A. A. Bailey, Ardmore, Okla.; W. G.
Cook, Ponder; W. Chamberlin, Denison;
Frank Patterson, Sonora; J. M. Finell,
Chicago; Mac Seales, Abilene; George B.
Gentry, Merkel; R. M. Barnes, Merkel;
C. Jackson, Sonora; W. J. McGowan,
Denver; R. C. Mount and wife, Denton;
Miss Dankin and family, Atlanta; Miss
McCoy, Atlanta; Mabel Rose, Atlanta; Rob-
ert P. Hare, Louisville; Professor S. Char-
ninsky, Dallas; William Berliner, Dallas;
F. McQueen, Sherman; E. S. Boze, Wax-
ahatchie; J. C. Fairfield and wife, Hous-
ton.

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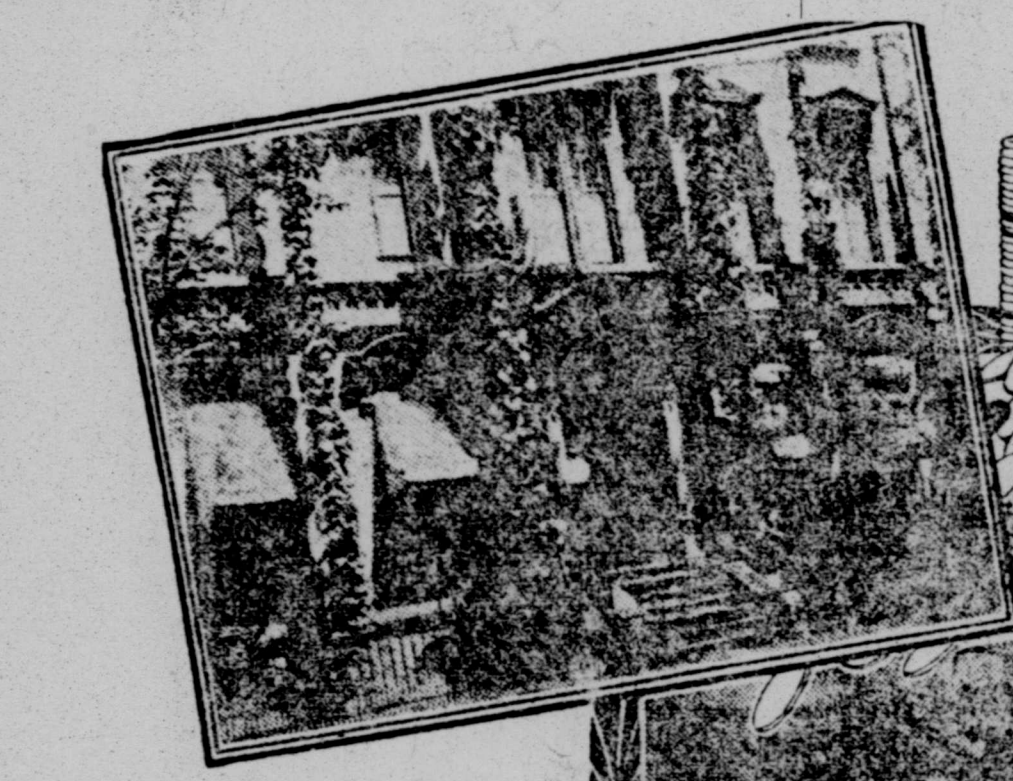
FASHION AND WEALTH IN THE SWIRL OF A DELIRIOUS GAMBLING RIOT AT SARATOGA, AMERICA'S MONTE CARLO

SIX DAYS IN THE WEEK DEVOTED TO A NERVE-SHATTERING JOUST
WITH THE GODDESS OF CHANCE IN HER MOST FICKLE MOOD—TENS
OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS FLUNG AWAY ON HORSES, ROULET
AND TURNS OF THE STOCK MARKET.—THE PLUNGE BECOMES MOST MAD-
DENING UNDER THE GLOW OF ELECTRIC LIGHTS

BY MARILENE F. FIVE.

Special Correspondence to The Telegram.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 17.—(Gambling mad!)
That is the actual condition in Saratoga. It has reached a stage of wild
delirium. The town is open wide for all comers who have the "cash" as the
gamblers say. There is no limit. Richard Canfield accommodates the very rich;
"Big Bill" Sweeney will care for the piker with from \$5 up to \$100. And then
there is the race track for all comers.



EXTERIOR OF CANFIELD'S SARA-
TOGA GAMBLING HOUSE.

Saratoga has established itself, the
Monte Carlo of the United States. Not in
many years has the gambling element
enjoyed such a furious frolic undisturbed.
Saratoga wants gambling and certainly
has what it desires.
The suit of the hall in the roulette wheel,
the rattle of the dice and the poker chips
can be heard in twenty-five houses in
various parts of this ancient resort from
sundown to the break of day. Hundreds
of thousands of dollars are won or lost
every twenty-four hours. It is one great
convention of the devotees of games of
chance. The delegates are from every
important center of the world. There are
perhaps 20,000 of them. They are
men and women of many tongues. Po-
lite society, ladies and gentlemen of an-
cient and honorable families, captains of
finance, "high" and "low," vulgar women
with the stamp of fast living on their
bleached faces, race "touts," "pikers,"
commissioners, professional gamblers,
pickpockets, rich men's sons, rogues and
rascals, they are all here, breathing the

of place as a companion piece for one of
the old masters' conceptions of ancient
Rome's feasting and reveling, before the
fall.
At the track
After lunch the race track is the mecca
of all transient Saratoga. There in the
course of four hours six maddened on-
slaughts are made on the goddess of
fortune and a pile of wealth large enough
to match a haystack is forked over and
over until finally the bulk of it remains
heaped piled in the capacious tin boxes
of the countless bookmakers. The scenes

room which adjoins the gaming parlor.
Fifty dollars is not too much for a meal
for two. Over the coffee she discusses
the day with the wife of their table com-
panion. The men adjourn to the gam-
bling room to win back the price of the
dinner, as they say.
Dining Room to Roulette
Two hundred men are doing the same
thing, or trying to. Nine roulette wheels
are singing. Two fare dealers are man-
ipulating the box.
Hours pass. The women retire alone to
the hotels to play "bridge" in their rooms.

left, is visiting his friends in the city.

City Engineer Hawley left Wednesday
night for Chicago. He expects to be gone
a week.

Deputy Sheriff W. H. Roark has re-
turned from a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Ratner, Miss Roe Hainsberg and
Harry Ratner have returned from Mineral
Wells.

Deputy County Clerk A. J. Beavers has
returned from a vacation around Amarillo.

Former Congressman Sam Houston
Casper of Beaumont was here Wednes-
day, en route home from a trip to Min-
eral Wells.

C. W. Woodman of this city has gone
to Azle to address a farmers' picnic at
that place. Organization of a local Farm-
ers' Union will follow the outing.

Mrs. Ellen Stone Boaz and Miss Ethel-
Ruth Boaz of Fort Worth, Mrs. George
W. Coleman and Miss Coleman of Wax-
ahatchie, Mrs. R. C. Andrews of Marshall
and Mrs. P. H. Curry, Jr. of Orange are
at Clondorff, N. M.

Word has been received in this city that
C. W. Newberg, for many years connected
with the Fort Worth Register, has died
of yellow fever at New Orleans, where
he had been living since leaving this city.

G. H. Goodson of Conanche spent the
day here.

E. F. Jones of Stephenville was here
today.

Congressman George Burgess of Gon-
zales was in Fort Worth Wednesday
night.

M. P. Bowley left Wednesday for Mack-
inac, Mich., on a summer trip.

John Martin and W. L. McTearry of
Bismarck, were visitors in the city
Wednesday.

J. D. Cates of Grapevine spent Wednes-
day in the city on business.

Bob Hiett, a well known citizen of Sub-

same story, scheming and contriving to
do the impossible and beat the game.
It is the sheerest money madness.
Those who should know tell me that
the wildest days of western mining town
gambling compared with the hotel piz-
zen August here in Saratoga.

Bored by High Play
For a young man of inherited fortune
to drop \$15,000 or \$20,000 in one night's
play at the roulette layout at Canfield's
aristocratic house, or Joe Ullman's more
professional place, is not enough to cause
any great excitement on the hotel pizzen
next morning. To hear that John W.
Gates cleared up \$25,000 in an afternoon's
play at the races is enough to make the
gamblers shake their wise heads sadly
and say: "What's the matter with John
W. Ain't plunking this year much?"
That "Suede Pete" Jorgenson of the
F. Augustus Heinz group of Butte min-
ers, had cleared up \$34,000 in one night's
faro game at Ullman's did cause a sensa-
tion for it was the largest winning
recorded for a week.

News of big losses had frequently leaked
from the shuttered gaming houses, but
the big Suede's winning against the bank
was turning the tables.

New York Stocks Start Day
The day in Saratoga opens at 10 o'clock
with the New York Stock Exchange. At
that time a string of sparkling carriages
and automobiles begins to wind into
Broadway from a fashionable cottage dis-
trict and from the swagging hotels. Each
deposits some tense-futured man or
woman at the doors of one of the branch
houses of large New York brokerage
firms. Leased telegraph wires are be-
ginning to tell of the opening with them
for securities. Dagger boys are marking
the figures on the boards, and soon the
furious campaign for gain without equiv-
alent is on.

Stock speculation is the game for all
those who can afford that sort of gam-
bling until 1 o'clock, when, between
frenzied study of "dope sheets" and puzz-
ling over race programs the army of
fortune seekers eats and drinks.

Saratoga today is an epitome study of
the product of the commercial era. It
shows in a small area all of the phases
of modern American "high" life. It is a
picture of luxurious prodigality and limit-
less extravagance which would not be out

common to all race tracks are here in-
tensified, for this struggle with chance is
the more desperate in that it is intended
to recoup losses in stocks or at the gam-
ing tables.

Gambling at High Fever
With the shades of night comes the
sparkle of starched linen and the flash
of color and powdered shoulders. Jewels
are reflecting back rays from the street
lamps. The gambling day has only be-
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At Ullman's the professionals are
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to beat the wheel with last week's salary.
At the "Gem" boys are drinking strong
tutor in the first room, a nagged-faced
and is trying to sing on a dinky stage
in the second room, and in the rear 100
stable boys, men with their last dollars,
jewelers, bootblacks, hack drivers, wait-
ers and whom are fighting the "Klon-
duke," bookmaking, wheel or dice.

Some Diversions
A drunken gambler, before the United
States hotel, frenzied from drink and
losses fires four shots to kill the other
gamblers who have his money. The po-
lice lock him up and tell inquirers that
he is "only drunk."

The weird babble of excitement fills the
town and its law-breaking resorts until
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