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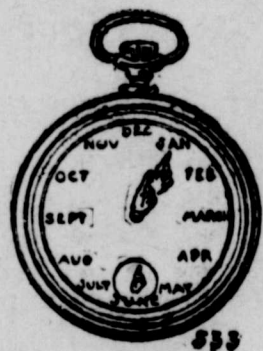
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WILL RECOMMEND COTULLA BOY RIVER STATION IS COMMENDED.

Government Official Thinks Favorable of Establishing Gauge on Nueces.

Dr. B. Bunnemeyer, chief of the Weather Bureau at Houston, was here this week to look over the situation with the view of the establishment of a river station on the Nueces at this point.

During the month of December the RECORD took up the matter of securing a station here with Congressman Garner, who immediately took the case up with the Department of Agriculture, and Mr. Garner was assured that a Government official would be sent to Cotulla at an early date to look over the situation and report the possibilities in the case. Mr. Bunnemeyer arrived here Tuesday and during the afternoon made numerous measurements of the stream at the railroad bridge. Thursday Mr. H. B. Miller and the editor, representing the business men, accompanied him as far down the river as the Holland-Texas dam, and in the afternoon up the river to the Keek farm, and all of the possibilities of a gigantic irrigation system pointed out to him. Data, as accurate as possible, and as far back as it could be obtained, on overflows were given him.

After going over the situation thoroughly Mr. Bunnemeyer stated that he considered that it was important that the government have a record of the flood waters of the Nueces and would recommend the establishment of a station here. As matters of this kind in this state are usually left up to his judgement it is very likely there will be no future trouble, and a gauge station will be in operation to record the spring floods.

Dr. Bunnemeyer was highly pleased with what he saw along the valley. The green lettuce and onion fields especially attracted his attention and he had the opportunity of seeing his first silos and ensilage. Our good roads attracted his attention and comment. "Why you have some roads here that are better than many thoroughfares close to Houston, where thousands of dollars are spent on them every year," he said.

Stockholders to Meet.

The stockholders of the Southern Texas Truck Growers have been called to meet in San Antonio February 24th for the purpose of changing the headquarters of the Association from San Antonio to Laredo, and also adjust the districts represented on the Board of Directors so that the Board may be reduced from eleven to seven members.

Roland A. Gouger returned Thursday night from San Antonio where he spent Tuesday. He said that M. H. McMahon was in a dangerous condition Wednesday but was some better when he left. Mc had improved so as to leave the hospital and contracted a severe cold which gave him a setback that sent him back to the hospital and brought about a condition worse than ever. For awhile it was thought that he would not recover, but he was slightly better when Mr. Gouger left and the physicians felt confident that he would continue to improve with proper nursing.

lantry of Roy Claunch recognized by Secretary Daniels.

Washington, D. C. Jan. 23—Secretary Daniels has commended John P. Wilson, seaman of a party of swimmers, for gallantry in swimming to the rescue of a shipmate. While the Pittsburg was on Mexican off Mazatlan last November a party of swimmers became exhausted and cried for help. Owing to the strong current, Wilson and Claunch were able to save this companion. In the confusion another swimmer called for help and they saved him.

BASKET BALL AT DILLEY

The High School Basket Ball teams went up to Dilley Saturday. The first game was called at 3 o'clock and the Cotulla girls carried off the victory by a score of 6 to 3.

The next game was played by the Cotulla 2nd. boys team and the Dilley High school team. Dilley won this game.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY.

Acts to be Given Next Friday Night—Synopsis of Play.

The Senior Class of the High School will present "Thompson's Hired Man" at the Auditorium next Friday night. This play will be given by the class for the purpose of securing funds for the publication of an annual. This Annual is a history and description of the School and its members, past and present, and is the first work of its kind ever undertaken by the school. The Class hopes the public will give them a liberal patronage.

Following is a synopsis of the play:

"Despairing of ever having a child of her own, Mrs. Asa Tompkins conceives the idea of adopting a child and presenting it to her husband as his own. She is obliged to promise the father of the child that it shall be heir to the Tompkins property, and a contract is drawn to that effect. The father, in turn, agrees never to disclose his identity. Before the adopted child is two years of age, a daughter is born to Mrs. Tompkins. She then has a mother's natural desire that this child should stand first in her husband's affections; but he loves the adopted daughter the better. The mother broods over the thought that she has robbed her own child, not only of its father's love, but of the property which rightfully belongs to it, and which has been willed to the adopted daughter. Continued brooding on this one topic leads her to dislike the elder child, and to show great partiality between the two. It results in the father clinging still more closely to the adopted daughter, and the disposition of his own daughter is spoiled by the mother's attempt to make up to her for having deprived her of so much. The father of the adopted daughter comes to the farm, where he is not recognized, and secures an opportunity to work for his board and clothes. How he finally regains his own daughter, and is discovered to be a wealthy man, is plainly told in the following dialogue."

VEGETABLE RATE NOT REDUCED.

New Express Rates Apply Only to Out of State Merchandise.

In the reduction of express rates which takes effect on Feb. 1st., there will be no change in the rate on all truck, etc., as no doubt many of the farmers have supposed. The reduction in rates applies only to merchandise of the first and second class. Vegetables have had a special rate for some time, and the rate in force at present will be lower than the merchandise rate after the reduction is made.

This information was given the RECORD last night by J. W. Lacey, express agent at Cotulla. In the state there will be no reduction in merchandise rates. The reduction applies to out of state shipments. Under the present rate it costs 80 cents to send a package from Cotulla to New York; under the reduced rate the cost will be 50 cents. The present rate to New York on Merchandise is \$8 per hundred; the new rate will be \$6.30.

One of the great expenses the farmer has to contend with is the high transportation rates, and many were under the impression this reduction would apply to all classes of shipments. The new rate will be the same after the first of February as it is now.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society will meet Thursday next with Mrs. A. G. Thompson at 3 o'clock. The memory word is Power. The lesson begins with questions 335 and goes through 341 to be held by Miss Annie B. Giles.

ALL IS READY FOR CONVENTION.

Delegates To Sunday School Convention will Begin Arriving Tonight.

All is in readiness for the State District Sunday School Convention to be held at the Methodist Church in Cotulla, beginning Sunday 25th and continuing until Tuesday 27th. The committees have received cards from about fifty delegates from Bexar, Medina, Frio, McMullen, Dimmitt and Webb counties stating that they would be here.

A splendid program has been arranged and on it is some of the State's most prominent Sunday School workers. The program will be found on the fourth page of this issue.

This convention is expected to be one of the best attended and most profitable conventions yet held in this district.

KANSAS CITYANS HERE

Messrs. H. F. Gangwer, Jno. H. Wheeler and N. M. Bennett of Kansas City, all interested in the Riverdale Farm on the Nueces below town were here this week and spent several days on the farm. Messrs. Gangwer and Wheeler were pleasant callers at the RECORD office and stated they were well pleased with conditions as they found them on their property and the prospects for fair prices for onions and lettuce this season good. The party left yesterday morning for San Antonio where they will remain a day or two and then proceed home.

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FOR PROTECTION FARMERS

Measure To Be Introduced In Congress To Provide for Standard Grading.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.—Savings of millions of dollars now lost annually by cotton farmers and small manufacturers is the object of a bill which Representative Lever of South Carolina, chairman of the House committee on Agriculture, will introduce tomorrow.

The measure would appropriate \$50,000 to be used by the Secretary of Agriculture in determining relative spinning values of the different grades of cotton as already stand-

ardized by law, and for demonstrating the results of this work to producers and consumers of cotton.

The Department of Agriculture already has standardized nine grades of cotton, and is conducting its first investigation for testing the waste, tensile strength and bleaching qualities of these grades. The Lever bill, which will be urged for early action of Congress, proposes to use the information already on hand to determine the relative spinning values and when this is done, to provide machinery in the department for carrying this information out to the farmer and manufacturer, that it may be of service to them both as sellers and buyers.

The House committee on Agriculture has been advised that Texas alone is losing \$40,000,000 because neither buyers nor sellers have any appreciation of the value of this grade of cotton in that State. Buyers from the Gulf ports were said to be going into the interior and buying up low grade cotton at about 1 cent a pound, shipping and selling it at 14 cents a pound.

This condition of affairs, Mr. Lever said tonight, exists to an extent in every cotton producing State.

"The cotton farmer in the sale of his cotton is absolutely at the mercy of the local cotton buyer in the matter of grades in 99 cases out of 100," said Mr. Lever. "Except for the determining factors of dirt, trash and stains, the farmer has no way of knowing what grade of cotton he is about to sell, and is forced to sell at the grade determined by the buyer, and many of the buyers are almost as lacking in information as the farmer himself. Some action must be taken to secure the sale of the south's cotton crop for its intrinsic value. This bill lays the foundation for arousing such sentiment as will force State legislatures to inaugurate some system in co-operation with the Federal government to provide expert cotton graders at various cotton centers of the country."

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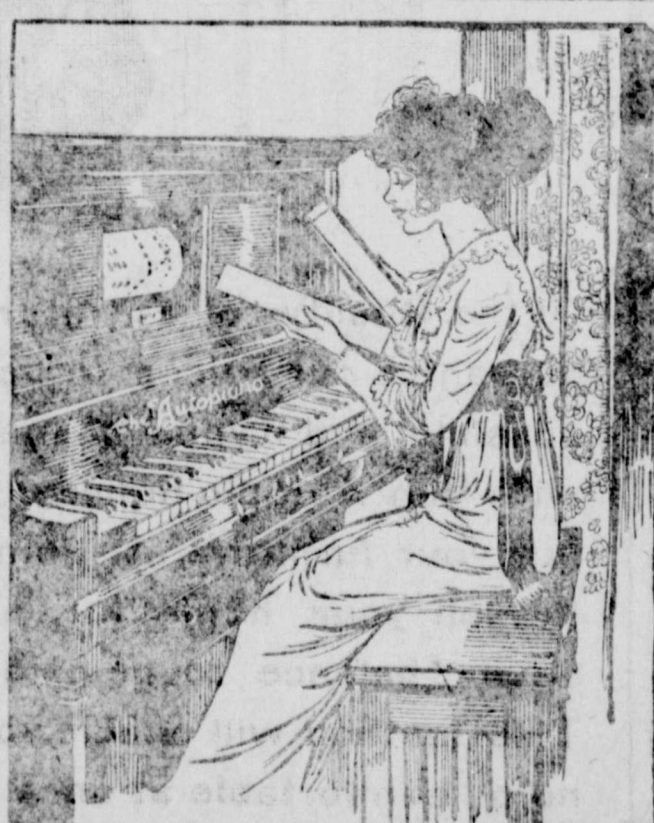
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SPIDERS INJURE BERRIES

State Department of Agriculture Gives Formula to Destroy Insects.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 19.—E. A. Miller, assistant entomologist of the state department of agriculture, has just returned from Alvin, where he was sent under the direction of the commissioner of agriculture, Ed R. Kone, in response to requests of some of the growers to investigate the red spider pest in the strawberry fields and to render all assistance possible under the circumstances. In connection with the investigation, Mr. Miller reports the following:

"A number of strawberry fields were examined and the red spiders were found to be doing considerable damage. They are appearing much earlier this year than usual, probably due to the mild weather conditions as well as absence of natural enemies. The growers are urged to carefully examine the fields and wherever the red spiders are found to be working the plants should be thoroughly sprayed as directed below. The spiders are very small and appear as minute red specks on the lower side of the leaves. On strawberry plants they do injury, not only by sucking the sap, but also have the habit of spinning a network of thin webs under the leaves and over the buds, blossoms and fruit, thereby partly excluding air and light and in a measure preventing the development of the berry.

"In the insecticide experiments against this pest some of the contact sprays have been found to be quite effective. The following, however, seems to have given the best results on strawberries: 20 pounds caustic potash or caustic soda, 10 pounds 14 pounds of concentrated lye may be substituted for the caustic potash or soda, in case the latter cannot be obtained.

"To prepare the mixture make a paste of the sulphur by gradually adding one or one and one-half gallons of water to the twenty pounds of sulphur, preferably in an enamel or galvanized tub or kettle, and stir vigorously while gradually adding the caustic soda, potash or concentrated lye. A chemical reaction will take place and the mixture will boil violently. To prevent burning, a small amount of water should occasionally be added. When the boiling has stopped add enough water to make twenty gallons. This is the 'stock solution' and should be strained to eliminate all lumps and other particles which might clog the nozzle.

"For application to strawberry plants for red spiders use one gallon of the 'stock solution' to twenty-five gallons of water and spray thoroughly above and under the leaves, under the crown of the plant, the mulch used and the soil about the plants. The spray should be applied in such a manner as to get as much of the spray under the leaves as possible. It may be necessary to repeat the spray in a week or ten days, as a number of eggs and spiders usually escape the first application.

"The commercial lime and sulphur wash, used at the rate of one gallon to forty or fifty gallons of water, is quite destructive to red spiders, but may burn the tips of the tender leaves to some extent. "When the weather conditions are right, dry or powdered sulphur is a very successful remedy for red spiders. The nights should have a certain amount of dew, so as to have moisture on the plants to make the

GOOD ROADS HELD IN FORT WORTH

Call Held for Annual Session to Be Held in Fort Worth January 26-28.

STAMFORD, Tex., Jan. 19.—The following call for the annual meeting of the Texas Good Roads Association, to be held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium in the city of Fort Worth, Texas, January 26, 27 and 28, 1914.

There has never been a time in Texas when the need of improved highways was greater, nor interest keener. It has become recognized that the good roads question is one of the greatest economic problems of the day, and the hope is to make this meeting a dynamo that will set in motion all the forces that will enter into solving the good roads question.

Fort Worth is accessible from every point in the State, she has ample hotel accommodations and the Chamber of Commerce of that city, the Tarrant County Highway Association and the city of Fort Worth are co-operating in making the meeting a success.

Tarrant County is engaged in building a comprehensive highway system and the visitors will be afforded an opportunity to see roads constructed and receive various kinds of practical information—not only in road building, but in proper material maintenance, etc.

The press, the railways, city and county officials, commercial, industrial and civic organizations as well as others in the State who are interested in the great question of the improvement of public highways of Texas are earnestly requested to lend their full co-operation to the Texas Good Roads Association in making this annual meeting the greatest gathering of its kind that has ever been held in the Southwest, and one that will give a great impetus to the improvement of the roads in Texas.

Mayors of cities, county judges, presidents of commercial clubs, highway leagues, women's clubs, farmers' organizations and all other bodies interested in the development of Texas are urged to appoint delegates to attend the conference. Many of the leading authorities on highway construction and maintenance of the Union will be in attendance, and a program has been arranged that will comprehend every phase of the question.

All citizens of Texas are earnestly requested to co-operate with the Texas Good Roads Association in making this annual meeting a great success.

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 31, 1913. To the Good Roads Enthusiasts of Fort Worth: On behalf of the City of Fort Worth and County of Tarrant and the progressive citizens of each, we wish to invite and urge you to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Good Roads Association, to be held in Fort Worth, January 26, 27 and 28.

Recognizing that good roads is the most vital economic issue before the people of Texas today, the citizens of Fort Worth have co-operated to the utmost extent with the officials of the Texas State Good Roads Association to provide features of exceptional interest and educational value for those attending this meeting. Especially do we urge to attend county judges and county commissioners, officers of commercial clubs and chambers of commerce and leaders in thought and enterprise from every vocation.

To such men—in fact, to all good roads enthusiasts—this meeting will be exceedingly interesting and will furnish an inspiration for good roads work during the year.

There is now a \$1,000,000 road and bridge bond issue being used in the improvement of our highways and bridges in Tarrant County alone. The work of paving Tarrant County is now in progress and every visitor will be interested in seeing the work and the results.

Trusting that all who read this will consider it a personal invitation and assuring you that no detail is being overlooked in providing for the comfort and convenience of those who visit us on this occasion, we are, yours very truly,

JESSE M. BROWN,
County Judge Tarrant County.
R. F. MILAM,
Mayor City of Fort Worth.
WILLIAM MONNIG,
President Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.

sulphur and water, and the day temperature must be above 75 degrees Fahrenheit. In order that the necessary sulphur fumes will arise. The sulphur should be applied thoroughly and evenly, while the dew is on the plants. Tender tips or porous sacks may be used for this purpose.

"While at Alvin the situation was fully discussed at a well attended meeting of the growers. Much interest was manifested and everybody was anxious to know how to get rid of the spiders.

"Although the situation is beginning to be serious in places where nothing has been done to check these small spiders, the growers should be able to keep them under control by following the above directions. Those strawberry growers who sprayed their fields thoroughly have practically gotten rid of the red spiders."

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LIEUTENANT WON'T RUN

Declines Thomas' Invitation to Enter Elimination for Governor.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 12.—"I shall neither enter any elimination primary nor withdraw from the race, I do not recognize the right of Mr. Thomas to issue any such challenge."

That was Lieutenant Governor Will H. Mayes' comment on the statement of Cullen P. Thomas given out at Dallas yesterday in which he challenged Lieutenant Governor Mayes and W. P. Lane to withdraw from the race for Governor or for all three to submit their candidacy to a prohibition primary. The lieutenant governor has been in Austin several days and he says that he is much pleased with the progress so far made by him in his campaign for the Democratic nomination for governor.

Mr. Lane is out of the city, being on a tour of inspection of the State farms damaged by the recent floods. He will not return to Austin until about the middle of this week. His friends here express the opinion that he will disregard Mr. Thomas' challenge.

SHOW TEXAS BIRD DOGS

National Championship Field Trials Classic Starts Today at Grand Junction, Tennessee.

Grand Junction, Tenn., Jan. 19.—Twelve dogs were drawn tonight to run in the Field Trials Classic, the national championship of which will be started here tomorrow morning. Besides a leg on the championship trophy, a gold cup, the winner will be awarded a purse of \$1000.

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Mason Maney, the Good Roads champion, of Pearsall, has definitely announced that he will be a candidate for Congress from the Fifteenth district against John N. Garner, Mr. Maney, because of his interest in the good roads movement throughout Southwest Texas the past year or two, has become known as a progressive all over the district and no doubt he will have a considerable following in the July primaries, but how he expects to win out over the Uvalde man is more than we have been able to figure. For doing things Garner has a record in Congress, that is unequalled by any other member from Texas, and this is realized by the people of the Fifteenth district. It is true that Garner was not an original Wilson man, but he has supported the administration in all measures that have come up, and as this is the all important thing, we do not think that the fact that Mr. Garner was not an original Wilson man, will cut much figure in the campaign. While Mr. Maney is our neighbor, and we regard him as a mighty good man, we think the Fifteenth district would make a mistake in not keeping John Garner in Congress, and the RECORD will support the Uvalde man in the coming primary.

EXHIBIT OF THE INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS AT THE CORN SHOW.

The yields of the contestants of the Congress are to be featured at the National Corn Exposition in Dallas, February 10th and 24th.

Letters have been sent to the 11,000 contestants enrolled in the 1913 competitive crop production asking them to send in not later than February 1 samples showing their best yields. These samples will be arranged in the Texas Industrial Congress Exhibit in the Art Building, which has been giving over to the use of the Congress, and they will compete for the prizes offered by the Management of the Corn Exposition.

In addition to the exhibits of cotton, corn, kaffir, milo, and cowpea hay made by the contestants, the Congress will have a series of charts in which will be shown the cost of poor farming to the State, the farmers, and the business men, and the benefits to be gained through better farming. Besides these charts, there will be representatives of how plants take their food from the soil; the different amounts of moisture in the same volume of coarse-grained and finely-grained soils; how to save the hillside farms from washing, and so on, the object being to make this part of the exhibit an educational display of as great interest as possible.

The lettuce crop is beginning to move and the farmers are beginning to get some money in return. There is a considerable acreage in the Nueces valley this year and some of the growers have found that they can plant too early as well as too late. Some of the early planting has been damaged by the warm weather the past two weeks. The temperature has had the effect of making much of it go to seed and of course this will be a loss. The younger lettuce is making good growth and has not been effected. Lettuce always brings a better price in March and April than at this time of the year, and a majority of the growers have planted to market during those months.

A TYPICAL TEXAS FARM

Peter Radord, in delivering one of his lectures, told the following amusing story:

"The average Texas farmer is awakened by a Connecticut clock, buttons his Chicago suspenders to his Detroit overalls, puts on a pair of shoes made in Cleveland, washes in a Pittsburgh basin, uses Cincinnati soap dries on a cotton towel made in New Hampshire, sits down to a Grand Rapids table, eats breakfast food from Battle Creek, biscuits made from Minnesota flour, Kansas City bacon and Indiana grits, fried in Omaha lard, on a St. Louis stove; buys Irish potatoes grown in Michigan and canned fruit put in California, seasoned with Rhode Island spices; fills his pipe with Kentucky tobacco, puts on his hat, made in Philadelphia, harnesses his Missouri mule, fed on Iowa corn, with New York harness, and plows his farm, which is covered with a Massachusetts mortgage, with an Indiana plow. At night he crawls under a New Jersey blanket and is kept awake by a dog, peculiarly a Texas product, and wonders why he is so poor."

Report of the Condition of THE STOCKMENS NATIONAL BANK.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	148,514.86
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	366.71
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	60,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure Postal Savings	1,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc	49,962.55
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	9,007.12
Total	292,368.83

Due from National Banks [not reserve agents] 351.13

Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks 72.50

Due from approved Reserve Agents 10,025.78

Checks and other Cash Items 315.63

Notes of other National Banks 1,250.00

Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents 20.10

Specie 7,256.45

Legal-tender notes 1,225.00 8,481.45

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) 3,000.00

Total 292,368.83

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in 75,000.00

Surplus fund 25,000.00

Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid 21,817.07

National Bank Notes outstanding 60,000.00

Due to other National Banks 1,968.12

Dividends unpaid 225.00

Individual deposits subject to check 93,037.98

Cashier's checks outstanding 24.50

Postal Savings deposits 296.16

Bills payable, including obligations for money borrowed 15,000.00

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NEW YORK SAYS THE SOUTH IS BUTTING IN

Wall Street Sore Because Cotton Is Being Held In the South. Speculators Have Forced the Price Down to Make South Turn Loose Cotton.

A Texas business man, who was in New York a few days ago, reports that Wall Street is sore because the South is holding cotton in and around the Exchange, the speculators say the South is "butting in," holding cotton instead of surrendering it to the speculators as heretofore. The Exchange claims it is their business to control the cotton crop and fix the price.

In their efforts to force the South to give up its cotton, they have driven the price down by manipulation of contracts, by which probably no cotton will even change hands. They have circulated big crop reports, but the government estimate haled those lies. They predicted labor troubles in this country and in England, among cotton mill workers, but the mills run tranquilly on. Worst of all, for the speculator, Southern Exchanges and markets have refused to follow New York quotations. At some places spot cotton is quoted in the South as much as 50 points above the New York price.

This is the time to hold your cotton. Don't be disturbed by the juggling of prices on the New York Exchange. Their little game does not represent sales of actual cotton bales and the price they quote does not fix the value of cotton. The cotton exchange, as at present operated, has had its day. Ignore it, forget it. The spinners are the men who consume your cotton. Watch them, forget Wall Street. One of the largest legitimate brokers in New York predicts 15c cotton. In their bulletin they state that the world used 14,900,000 bales of American cotton last year. That consumed our last year's crop and all the surplus stock. In November, 1913, there were 900,000 more active cotton spindles in the mills than in November, 1912. Did the mills increase their number of spindles because they expect to spin LESS cotton. The speculator says so. Common horse-sense tells anyone that the mills don't increase capacity for the sake of adding expense. Then, the speculator says, "TON, so as to meet the needs, which are greater this year than ever before."

We have a crop of 13,700,000 bales, more than 1,200,000 BLES LESS than the mills require last year. Our crop is low grade. Its spinnable value reduces its availability 500,000 bales. Anyone who can read knows at this date that our cotton crop this year will not supply the mills' needs. Anyone knows that a short crop means a high price. The market, in the early fall weeks, stood at 13c to 14c, short crop prices. But as the farmers still held a good part of the crop, the Wall Street crowd put the price down. They want to scare the farmer into selling, so they may get possession of the whole crop, put the price up and sell it. These men have worked this scheme year after year. Some farmers tumbled to the game this time and are selling their cotton. But the majority are holding. Keep on holding. In a few weeks you can sell for 15 cents.

Things are looking good for the Southern farmer. The recent currency bill will provide several regional banks for the South. They will supply our money instead of Wall Street. The new tariff schedules will soon begin to be set in lower prices on many necessities. We have a President and a Congress who are active in the farmer's interests. Also they are looking into the Wall Street business and it may well tremble. As it is, the New York Exchange has done far less business this year than for several years past.

Cheer up. Hold your cotton for 15 cents. Get a good start in 1914 and make it a prosperous year.

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Program State District Sunday School Convention---Opens Sunday.

Prominent Sunday School Workers will be Here and Many Delegates Expected from Surrounding Counties.

Sunday Morning, Jan. 25th.

9:30 Sunday School at all the Churches, as usual. One or more State workers will visit each school. Union service at M. E. Church.

11:00 Sermon by Rev. S. W. Hutton, Ft. Worth, Texas.

Afternoon.

2:30 Devotional Service.—Rev. M. L. Rone, Cotulla, Texas.

3:00 Address of Welcome.—Rev. T. G. Woods, Cotulla, Texas.

3:15 Response to address of Welcome.—S. S. Davenport, Pearsall, Texas.

3:30 Sunday School History.—Rev. H. W. Hamilton, Cotulla, Texas.

4:00 The aim of the Sunday School.—Mrs. Herbert B. Linscott, San Antonio, Texas.

4:20 Announcements.

4:30 Closing Song

Evening.

7:00 Vesper Service.—Rev. Geo. W. Keeling, Cotulla, Texas.

7:30 The Child.—Mrs. W. N. Wiggins, Dallas, Texas.

7:50 Song and Evening Offering.

7:55 Sermon.—Rev. S. W. Hutton, Ft. Worth, Texas.

8:30 Announcements

Monday Morning, Jan. 26th.

9:30 Devotional.—Rev. J. E. Morgan, Dilley, Texas.

9:45 Missions in the Sunday School.—Mrs. S. W. Hutton, Ft. Worth, Texas.

10:10 County Problems—Round Table.—Rev. S. W. Hutton.

10:50 Song Service.

11:00 Round Table.

11:30 Recess.

Afternoon.

2:00 Divisional Conferences

1. Elementary—Cradle Roll, Beginners, Primary Junior—Mrs. W. N. Wiggins, assisted by Mrs. Hutton, at the Presbyterian Church.
2. Secondary—"The Teen-age"—Mrs. H. B. Linscott, at the Baptist Church.
3. Adult Division—Rev. S. W. Hutton, at the Methodist Church.

2:45 Song Service, at Methodist Church.
3:00 Round Table—Teacher training—Rev. S. W. Hutton.

3:45 Home Department—Mrs. W. N. Wiggins.
4:10 Special Music.
4:15 Round Table—The Sunday School Teacher.
4:55 Announcements.

Evening.

7:00 Vesper Service.—Rev. J. W. Long, Cotulla, Texas.
7:30 Temperance in the Sunday School—Mrs. H. B. Linscott.

7:50 Singing, evening offering.
8:00 Sermon.—Rev. J. Callahan.
8:40 Announcements.

Tuesday Morning, Jan. 27th.

9:30 Devotional, Rev. A. J. Carver, Pearsall, Texas.
9:45 Round Table—Elementary: Mrs. W. N. Wiggins.
10:30 The Boy—Rev. S. W. Hutton.
10:55 Singing.

11:00 Social life in the Sunday School.—Mrs. H. B. Linscott.
11:30 The Girl—Mrs. S. W. Hutton.
11:45 Announcements.

Afternoon.

1:30 Divisional Conferences:

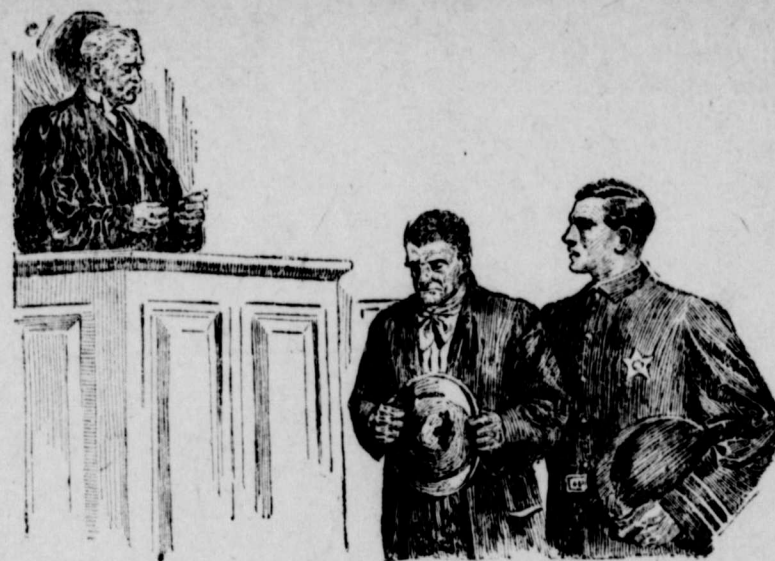
1. Elementary—Mrs. W. N. Wiggins, assisted by Mrs. Hutton, Presbyterian Church.
2. Secondary—Mrs. H. B. Linscott, Baptist Church.
3. Adult—Rev. S. W. Hutton, Methodist Church.

2:15 Song Service at Convention Church.
2:45 Teacher Training—Rev. S. W. Hutton.
3:10 General Conference, Music, Finance, Records. Name your problems.
3:45 Special Music.
3:50 Recess, Auto Ride.

Evening.

7:00 Vesper Service.—Rev. Plack, Laredo, Tex.
7:15 "Your Duty"—Rev. S. W. Hutton.
8:00 Singing and Evening offering.
8:10 Sermon on Religion in the Home.

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Religious Notes.

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The Presbyterian Ladies had a full and very profitable and enjoyable meeting with Mrs. H. T. Wickman last Thursday afternoon.

The Scripture lesson was read by Miss K. Barwell, followed by prayer from Mrs. Wickman. After the prayer Miss Jessie Copp sang "Refuge." The business period consumed some time as there was considerable business to be attended to. After the business the regular Bible lesson was enjoyed with Mrs. Windrow as teacher. This class is now studying in 2nd Samuel.

After the lesson the guests enjoyed a pleasant social hour. The music given by Mrs. Fullerton and Miss Jessie Copp was very much enjoyed as was the delightful refreshments of German raised Doughnuts, Coffee, Chocolate and Cream, served by the hostess.

The Methodist Ladies Missionary Society met at their regular hour last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Schillings. The President, Mrs. Wickman presided.

Rev. Mr. Long conducted the scripture reading and prayer, and Mrs. Coleman taught the Bible lesson.

The next lesson will be the 1st six chapters of 2nd Samuel and the lesson will be taught by Mrs. Peyton Kerr.

The society will meet with Mrs. Long at the regular hour Wednesday, the 21st.

Bible Class No. 2 had another delightful social meeting with their teacher, Miss K. Barwell, Tuesday night. Nearly all of the members were present and one new name was added to the Roll. The new member is Mr. Geo. Chapman. After the business session games and music were enjoyed for quite a while. After the games two of the young ladies and two of the young men served the refreshments and afterwards had the fun of dish washing etc.

These meetings are profitable and instructive and altogether pleasant.

METHODIST CHURCH DIRECTORY.

9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
2:30 p. m. Jr. League.
4:30 p. m. Sr. League.
Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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J. W. Long, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. CALENDAR.

Sunday.
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 p. m. Preaching.
3:30 p. m. Junior B. Y. P. U.
6:30 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U.

Tuesday
3 p. m. Ladies Aid
Thursday
6:30 p. m. Teachers Meeting
7:30 p. m. Choir Practice.

Geo. W. Keeling.
Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CALENDAR.

Preaching on the 2nd, 4th and 6th Sunday mornings at 11 a. m.
Preaching on the 2nd and 4th Sunday nights of each month at 7:30.

Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a. m.
Ladies Society every Thursday at 3:30 p. m.
Girls Society every Saturday at 3:30 p. m.
Teachers Training Class every Thursday, 7 p. m.
All members are expected and

all visitors and strangers are welcomed to all of the services and societies of our church.
Cordially yours,
Harry W. H. and son, Pastors

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the COTULLA STATE BANK, at Cotulla, State of Texas, at the close of business the 13th of January, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$49,061.43
Loans, real estate	13,738.59
Overdrafts	189.16
Bonds and Stocks	610.70
Furniture and Fixtures	1,600.45
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	4,700.10
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	110.00
Cash Items	182.48
Currency	2,519.00
Specie	956.15
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	497.17
Assessment Guaranty Fund	29.92
Total	74,195.15

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	153.39
Individual Deposits subject to check	30,457.31
Time Certificates of Deposit	1,170.70
Certified Check	26.25
Bills payable and Rediscounts	15,000.00
Reserved for Taxes	387.50
Total	74,195.15

State of Texas, County of La Salle ss.

We, E. B. Zachry as President and A. F. Childs as Cashier of said bank, each of us do hereby certify that the above is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. B. Zachry, President.
A. F. Childs, Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 19th day of January A. D. 1913.

Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

J. H. Gallman, Notary Public.

Correct Attest C. E. Manly, H. B. Miller, K. Burwell, Directors.

INFORMATION is wanted by Micaula Pena regarding her son, Ysidro, Guerra who came to Texas from Mexico sixteen months ago. The woman now lives in Cotulla, and anyone knowing of the whereabouts of Guerra will do her a favor by writing her at Cotulla.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. C. B. Jones, Editor.

The Wednesday Afternoon Card Club met Wednesday with Mrs. Orville Carr, at the home of Mrs. J. Arthur Reed. Two tables were played and several games of 500 was enjoyed.

Mrs. B. Wildenthal Jr. won the club prize, a dainty neck piece.

The hostess served delicious refreshments of sandwiches, Waldorf salad, hot tea and cream at the close of the games.

Miss Elsie Jess of San Antonio who has been the guest of Mrs. James Bell, Jr., for the past six weeks left Saturday night to renew her duties as head nurse in the Baylor Hospital. Miss Jess is a charming young lady who endeared herself to many new friends during her stay in the community.

Mrs. Ben J. Trice of San Antonio is the guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Guinn and other relatives here.

This is Mrs. Trice's first visit home since her marriage in the Spring, and her many friends are delighted to see her.

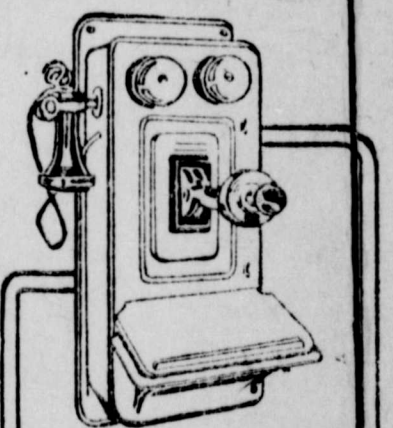
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TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

I will be at the following places on the dates given for the purpose of collecting taxes due for the year 1913, and which shall be paid by January 31st. After January 21 a ten per cent penalty will be added.

Millett, Monday Jan. 12th.
Artesia Wells, Wednesday Jan. 14th.
Fowlerton, Monday, Jan. 19th.
Encinal, Jan. 26th.

T. H. Poole,
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I. O. O. F.—Lodge No 724 meets in Woodmen Hall first and third Wednesday nights in each month. Cordial invitation to visiting brethren.

Carl Wildenthal, N. G.
D. L. Neeley, Sec'y.

Royal Arch Chapter No 223, meets in Masonic Hall second Monday nights in each month.
E. E. Scoggins, H. P.
W. A. Cox, Sec'y.

Eastern Star Chapter No. 323 meets first Monday night in each month in Masonic Hall.
Mrs. A. D. Riddle, W. M.
A. D. Riddle, Secretary.

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Highways.

NEW BRAUNFELS, Tex., Jan.
19.—At a meeting held at the court-
house Friday night the Good Roads
Association set January 29 as good
roads day. All business houses, in-
cluding saloons, will close on this
day. Committees in charge have
indicated their work placing working
squads at places where improve-
ments are most necessary.

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difficulty to fill all the places that
are open. There are today
hundreds of Civil Service places
clamoring to be filled. With the
many advantages in view, and the
small difficulty of qualifying for the
positions, the examinations about to
be held should attract ambitious
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way of these positions: misunder-
standing and lack of proper train-
ing. Both are easy to overcome.

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positions require very extensive
training or political influence. Noth-
ing could be further from the truth.
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any American over 18 years of age
who can pass the examinations. Or-
dinary education is sufficient, pro-
vided the applicant has been care-
fully coached in the points on which
he will be examined. This training
need not be long; it is certainly
not difficult. But it should be under
the direction of an experienced
master.

Examinations are to be held short-
ly for hundreds of these places—
and, as usual, because they mistake
only believe political influence nec-
essary, thousands of capable young
men will not even apply for exami-
nation; and of those who do apply,
many will come untrained. The
trained man certainly has all the
advantage—and training is both easy
and cheap.

REPORTS LESSEN VOLCANIC DAMAGE IN JAPAN

Tokio Asserts Not More Than 220
Persons Perished in
Disaster.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—An
official account of the volcanic cat-
astrophe in Japan was made public
today by the Japanese embassy here
in the form of the following cable-
gram from Tokyo.

"The volcanic eruption took place
on Sakurajima, an island off the
city of Kagoshima, on the 12th, and
of 2500 houses on the island, half
were destroyed. The inhabitants
took refuge on the opposite shore;
casualties unlearned yet, but suppos-
ed not to be great; one report puts
it at 200. Volcanic action still con-
tinues, but rumbling has ceased.
"The City of Kagoshima also was
visited by earthquake, while the cin-
ders poured down from across the
channel; the inhabitants closed their
houses and fled—casualties twenty
or more, majority of houses received
some damage and railway, tele-
graph and telephone communications
were interrupted for a while, but
have been restored.

"The actual extent and conditions
of damages are now being ascertain-
ed, but it is believed not to be so
serious as reported by the press.
"Kishishima-Yama, a group of vol-
canic mountains covering the north
side of the City of Kagoshima, show-
ed volcanic action for a short period
while the rumbling of Aso-Zan, a
volcanic mountain with the largest
crater in the world, about seventy-
five miles to the north of the City
of Kagoshima, also lasted for a
while, but no damage resulted."

Kagoshima, Japan, Jan. 19.—Al-
though the volcano Sakurajima was
not active today, severe earth shocks
were felt in the towns of Yamuniza
and Uchina, across Kagoshima Bay to
the east. The inhabitants fled in
terror. There were many casualties
and numerous houses were destroyed.
In various places the movement of
the earth caused large crevasses.
Large quantities of lava and rock
thrown out by Sakurajima have
formed a neck connecting the island
on which it is situated with the Pro-
vince of Osumi, a distance of about
2 miles.

Tokio, Jan. 19.—The suicide to-
day by Hari Karl of the chief of the
meteorological observatory at Kago-
shima is announced in the news-
papers. The dispatch declares that the
scientist committed suicide because
he had been severely criticized for
failure to warn the citizens of Kago-
shima of the coming eruption of
Sakurajima volcano. He assured
them, it is said, that the center of
the subterranean district distur-
bances were elsewhere.

AFRICAN STRIKE COLLAPSE

Men Are Now Streaming Back To
Their Old Jobs at Many
Places.

JOHANNESBURG, Africa, Jan. 19
—Secretary Bain of the South Afri-
can Federation of Labor and his
band of 300 comrades, who had bar-
ricaded themselves in the Trades hall
here since Tuesday, surrendered un-
conditionally to the police. Mr. Bain
and ten other leaders were lodged
in jail.

A seven-pounder field gun trained
on the Trades Hall proved an ir-
resistible argument to Mr. Bain and
his companions. Government au-
thorities gave them a quarter of an
hour in which to yield. If they did
not do so they would be buried be-
neath the ruins of their fortress.
After a brief conference they sur-
rendered.

Capetown, South Africa, Jan. 19.
—The strike appears to be crum-
bling before the application of martial
law. The labor party here was
dumbfounded at the news of the ar-
rest of Johannesburg leaders, and
it is reported there has been a rush
of men to resume work. The Trades
Federation met tonight, although no
decision was announced, it is an-
nounced the idea of calling a gen-
eral strike in Cape Colony has been
abandoned. At present the general
strike order has reference only to
the Orange Free State and the
Transvaal. A prominent labor mem-
ber of Parliament tonight admitted
labor had received a crushing blow.
The early collapse of the miners'
strike is expected. Hundreds of
striking miners have been arrested
at Benoni and similar measures will
be taken elsewhere. Railway men
are streaming back to work at many
places.

Simultaneously with the short
work made of the defiant federa-
tion leaders at Johannesburg, the
entire executive force of the Railway
and Harbor Employees Societies of
Cape Town and Pretoria were placed
under arrest, and tonight nearly ev-
ery important strike leader through-
out the Union of South Africa is in
the hands of the police. Railway
authorities express themselves as
confident they will have normal
service running in all three provin-
ces within the next thirty-six hours.

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Fate of Young Settlement Worker
Learned After Month's
Search.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The body
of Miss Jessie E. McCann, the young
settlement worker who disappeared
from her Brooklyn home a month
ago was picked up by the sea today.
It was found by a watchman shortly
after daybreak at Coney Island, hav-
ing been washed ashore by the heavy
surf during last night's storm.

Long immersion had made the
features unrecognizable but identi-
fication of the young woman by her
family was made possible by a sig-
net ring with the initials "J. E. M."
and by articles of clothing Miss Mc-
Cann wore the day she disappeared.
Miss McCann was last seen by her
family when she left her home De-
cember 4, supposedly to attend to
settlement work duties. A few days
after her father, a well-to-do busi-
ness man, notified the police of her
disappearance and offered \$1000 re-
ward for information as to her
whereabouts. He also had her pho-
tograph thrown on screens on mov-
ing picture theaters throughout the
city.

The police today gave credence to
the story of a woman who asserted
that she saw Miss McCann the day
after her disappearance near a bath-
ing pavilion of Coney Island, where
the body was found. There was no
sign of violence on the body, ac-
cording to physicians who examined
it and the police have no clue as to
the manner in which she was
drowned.

Miss Jessie E. McCann was an
Epworth League member, social
worker and waitress, daughter of
Robert G. McCann, a merchant who
lives in Brooklyn. She disappeared
December 4, just one month ago
to a day after leaving home to
visit the home for destitute children
in Flatbush, where she gave her ser-
vice as teacher. Later she was
seen by an acquaintance who spoke
to her, but received no response.
At that time she appeared to be in
a trance, her eyes glassy and staring
and her face deathly pale. She was
walking rapidly and aimlessly, but
her acquaintance passed on without
making further investigation. That
was the last time she was seen
alive by anyone who has testified to
that fact.

It was thought she had been made
a victim of the "needle men" and
had fallen into the hands of white
slavers. Some time later it was re-
ported she had been seen in Phila-
delphia, but this claim developed
nothing. Search was made in Cin-
cinnati, Chicago and other places,
but no trace was ever had. The
Epworth League offered \$1000 for
definite information. Piffling graft-
ers, scores of them, tried to secure
money from her grief-stricken par-
ents by offering to tell where she
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othy Arnold, whose fate still remains
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RAILROADS BEING CRITICIZED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.—Commenting on the report from Corpus Christi to the effect that sixteen Texas railroads are seeking in the Federal Court there to restrain the Interstate Commerce Commission from enforcing an order requiring the railroads to publish through rates for interstate and foreign shipments of cotton through Port Aransas, Representative John N. Garner declared that the rail carriers have long "retarded the development" of that part of the coast country.

"The people might as well make up their minds that we have a fight ahead of us," said Mr. Garner, "but I want to assure them right now that the next general appropriation bill will carry about \$800,000 for the improvement of Port Aransas."

"It is natural for them to do this in a way," said he, "but nobody can deny that it is wholly selfish."

The same trouble experienced at Port Aransas is being experienced now in the Brazos Santiago section, according to Mr. Garner. The same obstacles in that quarter have to be fought, he said. Brazos Santiago is entitled to waterway improvements and will get them in the long run just like Port Aransas did, said he.

MOYER WAS INDICTED WITH 37 OFFICIALS

True Bill is Returned by the Grand Jury at Houghton, Michigan.

HOUGHTON, Mich., Jan. 19.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, and thirty-seven other officials and members of the organization have been indicted on charges of conspiracy in connection with the copper miners' strike.

The true bill was so worded that the allegations against the men constitute a misdemeanor. Several other true bills were returned, but because they charged felonies Judge P. H. O'Brien ordered the documents sealed until the men wanted in them have been arrested.

Warrants were prepared for the thirty-eight union men accused of conspiracy and deputy sheriffs scurried over the country serving them. More than a dozen individuals had been arrested tonight and Circuit court commissioners in Houghton and Calumet were kept busy approving bonds of \$1000 under which many of the prisoners were released.

No indictments for Deportation. So far as could be learned none of the sealed indictments related to the deportation of Moyer and Chas. Hanner on the night of December 26. The grand jury continued its work after making its report to the court but the score or more witnesses in the ante-room said they were summoned to testify concerning disorders that arose prior to December 13.

Besides Mr. Moyer, thirty-two officers and members of local unions of miners and the following officers of the Western Federation of Miners were indicted:

C. E. Mahoney, vice president; J. C. Yowney, Guy Miller, W. P. Davidson and Yanco Terzich, members of the executive council.

With the exception of Mr. Davidson, none of the officers of the union was in the district. All, however, have been here at various stages of the strike and have taken active parts in directing it.

The indictment was in three counts, the first and second charging conspiracy to prevent mine employees from pursuing "their lawful avocations."

The third count alleged that the conspiracy extended to an attempt to deprive the laborers generally of their property and rights.

133 Witnesses Heard.

The testimony of 133 witnesses formed the basis of the charges. This list included several mine managers. In addition there were several women, a number of business men and more than four-score of non-union workers.

After perusing the list of witnesses the union men generally said they were not at all surprised that the indictment had been found. Charles Tietala also called attention to the personnel of the grand jury.

"It has been openly acknowledged that at least nine jurymen," he said, "owe allegiance to the Citizens' Alliance and that body is frankly the enemy of organized labor. Everything we have done in conducting this strike has been open and above board. So far as I am concerned, my only known offense is that I have been an active advocate of and worked for the Western Federation. I cannot see how this constitutes any offense against the peace and dignity of the State of Michigan or any other commonwealth in the country."

TRY DISQUALIFY JUDGE

Court Overrules Motion of County Attorney in Trial of J. Frank Norris.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 19.—A motion to disqualify Judge James W. Swayne, presiding judge in the J. Frank Norris case, was filed by County Attorney John W. Baskin on the ground that he had an opinion in the case and had expressed it on four different occasions. Judge Swayne declined to hear testimony in regard to the motion and overruled it.

Not in the former trial nor at any previous moment in this one has the interest in the courtroom been so tense as during the presentation of the motion. Arguments by counsel, both for and against it, and the reply of Judge Swayne, part of the time with tears in his eyes, defending his course and referring to his past long and faithful service in the county. When he announced that he would overrule the motion, the audience, including many members of the First Baptist church, broke into applause and women and men rushed to the bench, shaking his hand as court adjourned. The motion filed by the State asked that the judge excuse himself and so notify the Governor and authorize him to appoint some practicing attorney for the Fort Worth bar to act in his stead, or in lieu of this to transfer the case to another of the Tarrant County district courts.

The motion, which it was announced, had been prepared by County Attorney Baskin before selection of the jury panel began, followed the court's announcement that selection of further men for the panel would go over until 2 o'clock as the sheriff had been able to summon only seventeen of the fifty men drawn from the wheel.

EUROPE EXPERIENCES COLD

Temperatures Lower Than Known in Half a Century—Rivers Frozen and Trade Crippled.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—The entire southern portion of Western Europe is fast in the grip of one of the greatest cold spells known in half a century. Low temperatures have caused untold suffering and heavy snows have crippled rail and wire communication. In places snow drifts are eight feet deep.

All the canals and rivers of Belgium are frozen and hundreds of barges with coal from Germany are ice bound. Three hundred lighters are frozen in at Antwerp. The price of fuel is rising rapidly.

In the department of Ardennes, where the temperature hovers around zero, wild boars are emerging from the forests, causing great terror among the inhabitants.

Many workers have been thrown out of employment by the prolonged frosts. Seven deaths from the cold were reported today from various parts of Belgium totalling twenty-six for the week. The river Seine and Marne are becoming more and more choked with ice and several accidents have resulted. A steamboat collided today with an ice drift and was forced to put to shore hurriedly to land her passengers.

RAILROAD STRIKE ENDS.

Labor Upheaval in South Africa Subsides Quietly.

CAPE TOWN, Jan. 18.—The railway strike, that at one time threatened the biggest labor upheaval that has shaken South Africa, virtually ended today with a decision by the operating force to return to work. The miners' strike also is about at an end.

It is estimated the mobilization of the burghers will cost the government more than \$1,250,000. A proclamation was issued at Pretoria demanding all commands and regiments except those in the Rand and Pretoria and Fauresmith districts. This means that 30,000 men still will be retained in the field.

BRYAN TALKS TO CHINESE STUDENTS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 12.—Christians in America are now studying in America the means for propagating Christianity in China, declared William J. Bryan, secretary of State, in an address late today to the National conference of Chinese students in America. The conference is composed of delegates to the student volunteer convention, but is held apart from the convention proper.

"The real work of converting Asia to Christianity," said Mr. Bryan, "must be done by those who have caught the spirit. You students are prepared to do the very work that needs to be done. You can reach the hearts of your people better than any missionary from a country not your own."

Secretary Bryan addressed the student volunteer convention tonight. Dr. J. A. McDonald, editor of the Toronto Globe, and Dr. Shailor Mathews, dean of the University of Chicago Divinity School, were the other speakers today.

The total foreign missionary contributions of American Protestant churches for the last year were \$16,850,000, according to a statement made to the convention today by J. Campbell White of New York City, general secretary of the Laymen's Missionary movement; Dr. James L. Barton of Boston, secretary of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions; J. H. Franklin, foreign secretary of the Baptist Foreign Missionary Society, and Dr. H. F. Horton of London also spoke.

"The contributions to foreign missions for the year just ending," declared Mr. White, "are twice the total amount contributed to foreign missions eight years ago. Contributions to the home missionary objects during the same period, although I have not the exact figures, have been much larger than the increase to foreign missions."

Mr. White declared special interest attached to this convention in the minds of several hundred representatives laymen who are in attendance because it was at the student volunteer convention held at Nashville, Tenn., eight years ago that the Laymen's Missionary movement had its real inception. John B. Slemann, Jr., a business man of Washington, was there inspired to take steps that led to the organization of the laymen's movement, which has since enlisted hundreds of thousands of Christian business men as supporters of the missionary work of their own denominations.

It cost only 8 per cent to administer the big fund for foreign missions, according to Mr. White, which he declared was less than one-half the per cent of the administrative cost of 500 of the largest business corporations in America.

White appealed for \$50,000,000 a year for foreign missions from North American churches and seemed to prove it possible when he added that by the standardization of financial methods now going on, this would mean only 10c a week from 10,000,000 church workers, even if the balance of 24,000,000 of Protestant church members in the United States and Canada give nothing.

Dr. Barton, speaking on missionary statesmanship said: "Native leaders must be trained by every department of social, intellectual and religious efficiency and to these all leadership must ultimately be conceded. The missionary must understand in all his plans that he and his mission are temporary and that the native church and school, society and institutions of Christian civilization under native control and leadership will remain."

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Zach Windrow of Pearsall was here during the week, visiting his brother.

Lee Keithley manager of one of the Dobie ranches was in the city Monday.

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Mrs. L. Clarke Dunn of San Antonio spent a few days in the city this week.

C. W. Wheeler was down from Big Wells and spent part of the week with his family.

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Lets insist that the City Council maintain a garbage wagon this year—it means cleaner town.

Local lettuce shipments continue to go out. The market is better than a few days back.

H. W. Earnest, manager of the Millett Mercantile Company was in the city one day this week.

J. M. Beckham, who is now living at Seguin, was here the early part of the week visiting relatives.

L. W. Gaddis, proprietors of Gaddis' Pharmacy made a business trip up to San Antonio during the week.

Mrs. Emma Backley, Misses Breeding and Messrs Machas and Kendall motored over from Encinal Monday night.

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Gray childrens and E. B. Zachry went over to Asherton Saturday last. Mr. Childers has a bunch of calves on ensilage at Asherton.

Only one more week to pay our taxes. Remember that this will be an important election year and you should qualify yourself to vote by paying your poll tax.

W. A. Kerr, member of the Executive Committee of the Southern Texas Truck Growers Association, representing the Cotulla district, returned Sunday from San Antonio where he attended a meeting of the committee.

Calomel, Calomel, you cannot stay for LIV-VER-LAX shown us an easier way, ask N. C. Windrow.

W. H. Jacobs and F. S. Moffett, well known stock-farmers of the Millett country were here Wednesday and had business with the tax collector's office. They reported range conditions good in the northern part of La Salle and a fine season ground for the farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simpson and children arrived yesterday from Vilonia, Ark. Mr. Simpson and family moved to Vilonia two years ago, but decided to live here as an all round good place there was no place better. Texas Mr. Simpson wages in the irrigation business on the Nueces.

Flash Lights and Accessories at Gaddis' Pharmacy.

Dr. J. W. Hargus of Asherton was here Tuesday on his way to Fowlerton to attend the Medical Association.

Ed Henrichson was here Monday from his ranch East of Encinal. Mr. Henrichson said that cattle on the range were doing well and that there was nothing doing for the gasoline pear burner agents in his section this winter.

Oh; You calomel, get out of the way and let LIV-VER-LAX do the work, purely vegetable N. C. Windrow. adv

Geo. Copp Jr. Wells-Fargo Messenger between San Antonio and Palestine is here on a visit to his parents. He will be here several days. Willie Copp, after a two weeks visit here to home folks has returned to San Antonio.

There will be no preaching Sunday morning or evening at the Presbyterian church in order that all might attend the Sunday School Convention at the Methodist Church.

Andy McMains was here early in the week. Andy has been ranging in the Sanderson country for the past several years but says he has come back to La Salle to stay. He reports range conditions good in the West.

E. E. Seaggins left Thursday night for Mission. Mr. Seaggins has been jeweler at Gaddis' Pharmacy for the past several years. He goes to Mission because it is a good town without a jeweler and he considered the opportunities in his line much better than here. His family will remain here until after the close of school, at which time he will return for them.

EUBANKS-ZIEGLER

Miss Myrtle Ziegler of Gardenale and Mr. Eubanks of Mathis Texas were quietly married at the Methodist parsonage, Tuesday the 20th inst; Rev. Long of Cotulla reading the marriage service in his own home. After the ceremony the young couple dined in Cotulla and then returned to the bride's home in Gardenale, leaving the same evening for the grooms home in Mathis Texas.

Randolph Robertson, representing the Madera Crate Company was here the latter part of last week showing the farmers a sample of lettuce crate put out by his firm, and incidentally taking orders. Mr. Robertson was making this territory in his car and said he found the roads in the region excellent.

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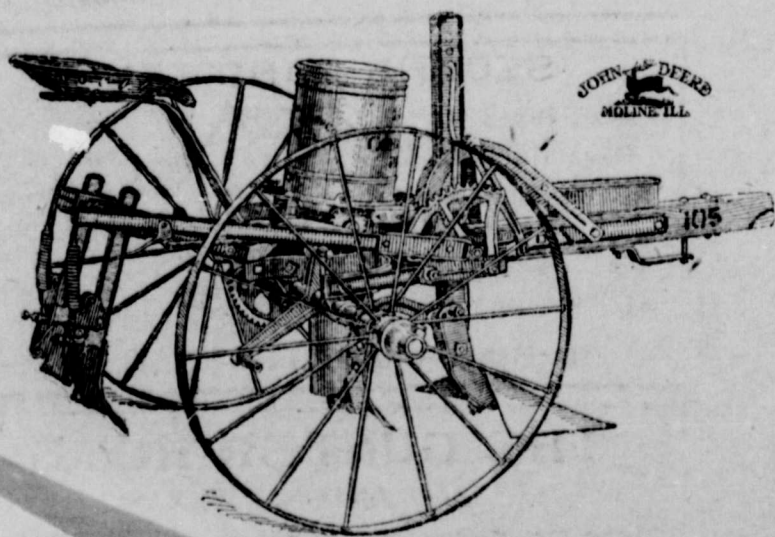
HURLEY-HENRICHSON

A pretty home wedding occurred in Artesia Wells, Tuesday night the 20th, inst. when Miss Irene Henrichson and Mr. Will Hurley were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Henrichson. The solemn service that united the lives of this popular young couple was read by Rev. Rone of the Baptist Church of Artesia Wells. No invitations were sent, only the relatives and very few near friends being in attendance.

The bride is a charming young lady who has been a frequent

visitor in Cotulla all her life, where she is well known and has many friends. She is a member of two of the oldest and best known families in the county: The popularity of her grandfather Ramesy, and her father, R. L. Henrichson together with her own bright personality, has given the bride a wide acquaintance and many friends who wish her much joy. Mr. Hurley the groom is a wide awake business man, who until recently has been connected with his father, Mr. J. M. Hurley in the mercantile business in Artesia Wells. The young man has a host of friends in the county and in many other places, who congratulate him and extend to them both, "all the good wishes in the category of good wishes"; Mr. and Mrs. Hurley are now at home in Lytle Texas, where Mr. Hurley is employed as bookkeeper for a prominent firm in that place.

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