

5 O'CLOCK EDITION

FORT WORTH TELEGRAM

THE WEATHER
Tonight and Tuesday, generally fair, no important change in temperature.

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FORT WORTH, TEXAS, MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 1903.

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IN SHADOW OF OBELISK PEASANTS AWAIT BLESSING

Smoke from the Sistine Chapel of the Vatican Indicates that Unsuccessful Ballots Have Resulted in the Conclave of Cardinals—Disappointment at no Election—Every Precaution of Secrecy is Maintained.

ROME, August 3.—Today's first ballot for pope has been taken and apparently resulted in no election. Smoke was observed issuing from the Sistine chapel chimney at sixteen minutes after 11 o'clock this morning, indicating burning of the ballots.

It is thought this third morning of the cardinals' imprisonment they have not yet arrived at a decision. In the hope overnight some agreement might be arranged, foreign ministers and many other personages and the general public went to St. Peter's this morning to await developments. They were doomed to another disappointment for at 11:16 a. m. like a broken out pennant of a ship, smoke announcing the fifth ballot had been fruitless rose from the chimney of the Sistine chapel and was borne away by a light breeze. It was a homeward bound pennant for the crowd, which immediately left the piazza. Many expressed regret at the failure of the ballot.

There is a popular feeling this afternoon's ballot may bring a new pope, but this does not appear to be based on any particular reason.

The correspondent of the Associated Press visited inside the vatican this morning and found all around the precincts of the conclave the guard had been doubled and wherever there is the slightest possibility of communication with the conclave Swiss guards, gen-

darmes and papal guards watched together.

The antagonism existing between these bodies is the best guarantee nothing underhanded will be allowed. Besides the captains of the conclave, in cocked hats and uniforms embroidered with gold lace, assisted by valets and Prince Chigi, the marshal of the conclave in gorgeous liveries, are constantly on the alert.

The only thing known from the inside is the cardinals rose early today and individually celebrated mass in the Pauline chapel. They took breakfast at 9 o'clock, going shortly after to the Sistine chapel, where they remained until about 11:30 a. m.

The piazza of St. Peter's this morning bore the usual appearance of past days. Italian soldiers occupied two colonnades and stood about in groups vainly trying to keep in the shade, the sun being scorching hot.

A new note to the scene was given by peasants from surrounding neighborhood composed of men, women and children in costume, who evidently came to Rome for the pope's blessing. The women wore bright red skirts, white bodies with colored corsets outside of spotted white handkerchiefs on their heads and sandals laced with leather thongs to the knees. Men were less gorgeous in velvet knee breeches with gold buttons. The group camped in the shadow of the obelisk.

At 6:15 p. m. the sixth ballot was held this afternoon and proved fruitless. Smoke announcing that fact was seen rising from the Sistine chapel at 6:25 p. m.

STATE Y. M. C. A. MEETING

Associations of Texas Will Be Represented at Lampasas.

Jerry G. Reeves, secretary of the local Y. M. C. A. association, left last night for Lampasas, where he goes to attend the first annual summer school and camp given for the benefit of the different associations throughout the state.

The session opens tomorrow and will last ten days, closing Friday, August 14. The purpose of this meeting is to furnish helpful instruction in the fundamental principles of the Y. M. C. A. work and bible study of the Young Men's Christian associations, and thereby quicken the religious life of the student and make him more efficient in service. The camp life will also furnish an ideal outlet for association men and their families removed from the distracting influences of the ordinary summer resorts. The delegates from Fort Worth are Mrs. Jerry G. Reeves, Miss Nannie Griffith, Jack B. Thompson, C. W. Thompson, W. Ray, Fred McArthur and M. W. McDaniel.

"I MUST SEE ROME."

Sermon on the Word of Paul in Acts, By Rev. Gonsaulus.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The Rev. F. W. Gonsaulus of Chicago, preaching in the Collegiate church here, took for his text the words of Paul in Acts, "I must see Rome."

He referred briefly to recent and important events in Rome, and in concluding said:

"As we turn our eyes toward Rome, we are inclined to think of it as Peter's Rome rather than of it as the Rome that Paul was constrained to see. As the aged pastor, Rome became known more and more as the seat of Peter's theology and for his methods, as when he drew the sword."

Dr. Gonsaulus described Peter's nature as "large and rich and blundering," and said that he was never safe except when acting under the direct influence of Christ.

Leo XIII had attained, he said, to his great influence in the world because in him it had been once more the spirit of Paul. He added:

"The world of today did not inquire so much as to whether in Leo XIII it beheld the successor of Peter, as whether in him Paul did not once more see Rome. By and by we shall see a more glorious Rome, a Rome with our brother, the pope, with greater light than the Rome of old, a Rome which upholds no monarch in the absolute power, a Rome without a beggar on its streets."

COLLECTION OF STONES.

One Hundred Cherry Pits Found in His Appendix.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Nearly 100 hundred cherry pits have been found in the appendix of a patient who was being operated upon in a Brooklyn hospital. The collection of stones had not caused appendicitis, however. Their discovery was due to an operation for cancer of the stomach.

What light have been the ultimate effect, the doctors are unwilling to guess. Not only the appendix, but a large space of the intestines was filled with the pits. After the cancerous growth had been cut away, the surgeons took away the pits and the patient quickly recovered.

CHECK FOR CONSCIENCE MONEY. NEW YORK, August 3.—The heirs of E. B. Gonzalez, who about thirty years ago conducted a large grocery business in East Orange, N. J., have received a check for \$30 from a conscience-stricken woman, who says she has not enjoyed a night of sound sleep since she ran up the bill for groceries 27 years ago and left town without paying it.

The woman's lawyer asserts that after paying the debt the woman retired and slept until next morning at 10 o'clock.

IS TOURING THE STATE

First Vice President of the Santa Fe System in Texas.

E. D. Kenna, first vice president and general solicitor of the Santa Fe system, is making a tour of the lines in Texas. He is in Temple today. The special train conveying Mr. Kenna and party passed through Fort Worth Saturday. Mr. Kenna is accompanied by C. W. Nixon, of Galveston, general manager of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe, and J. W. Robbins, division superintendent. The party here was pointed by C. K. Lee, assistant general attorney for the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe. From Fort Worth the train went over the Frisco to San Antonio, and thence over the Santa Fe to Temple.

IN THE COURTS

Sloan Lawrence, a negro, was arrested yesterday on a charge of burglarizing a room at the Worth hotel. A ring that was stolen by the intruder was recovered. This morning Lawrence was examined in Justice Terrell's court. His bond was fixed at \$750.

TWO LITTLE NEGROES

A big, lucious watermelon that posed fatly in front of a downtown store was the undoing of Arthur Nelson and Jeff Speight, two little negroes. Officer Ab Speldy arrested them yesterday. They pleaded guilty to stealing the melon, before Judge Milam today and were fined \$1 each and sentenced to one day in jail.

TWO LUNACY CASES

Mrs. Katherine Pike of Fort Worth and Mrs. Lizzie Renick of near Arlington were adjudged insane in the county court today.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Emory Hilliard and Miss Carrie Nichols. James O. A. Scott and Miss Elma L. Moser.

PRINTERS WARN THE ALLIANCE

Citizens Organized to Run Certain Agitators Out of the City of Denver

DENVER, August 3.—The Citizens' Alliance of Denver has issued a call for a mass meeting at the Denver Chamber of Commerce for tonight with the implied understanding that action will be taken to run out of town certain agitators who have been conspicuous in the recent labor troubles in Denver. The Typographical Union in resolutions adopted at yesterday's meeting has expressed the intention of its members to oppose the alliance to the utmost.

The resolutions of the printers state that the attitude of the alliance is fraught with peril to the liberty of the people and is an incentive to lawlessness.

The Typographical Union condemns such steps as outrageous and anarchistic in the extreme, concluding as follows:

"Resolved, that we warn members of the Denver Citizens' Alliance against taking such action because of the consequences that will follow, and further urge any members of organized labor assembled in such manner to protect himself to the fullest extent."

NEWS OF CAPITAL CITY

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 3.—The attorney general holds, in an opinion delivered to the state revenue agent, that where the same management runs more than one bowling alley they are liable for \$100 tax on each under the law.

H. C. Hord, attorney of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient, called on the railroad commission. He reported grading on the road south from Sweetwater is progressing rapidly.

The governor appointed B. C. Thomas, Alpine, brewer court, judge of the Sixty-third district, created by the last legislature, composed of Brewster, Kinney, Maverick, Pecos, Jeff Davis, Presidio and Val Verde counties.

The purchasing agent awarded a contract to Sanger Bros., Dallas, to furnish the state institutions brown and bleached domestic, gingham, lawn and cambric. Companies chartered: Prudential Petroleum company of Waco, capital stock \$100,000; Gold Coin Oil company, Sour Lake, capital stock \$50,000; Yulirra Town Improvement company, Brownsville, capital stock \$100,000.

A single railroad company, the New York Central, received \$170,000 in fares during three summer months of 1902 on account of its Niagara business alone.

WILL PLAY BARRETT

DALLAS, Texas, August 3.—J. A. Gardner, owner of the Dallas club, said today: "I shall continue to play Outfielder Barrett, whom I signed after his release from Fort Worth, in every game to the end of the season regardless of protests of the Corsicana club owners."

MONEY FROM THE STATE

Fort Worth's Share of State School Fund Largely Increased.

This is the regular meeting day of the Fort Worth board of school trustees, but it is likely that a meeting will not be held.

"There is practically nothing to come before the board at this time," said Trustee Zurn today.

The city of Fort Worth will receive about \$6,000 more from the state this year than it received last. It was announced at Austin last Saturday, as reported in the Sunday Telegram, that the state appropriation this year would be \$5 per child, which is the same as last year's appropriation. The school census of Fort Worth last year showed something over 4,200 children; this year's school census showed 5,283.

It is expected that work on the two rooms that are to be added to the Fifth ward school will begin within the next few days. Bids for this work were opened last Saturday.

BOUNTY AIDED SUGAR

LONDON, August 3.—In the house of commons today, Mr. Lough, liberal, asked whether communications passed between the government of the United States and Great Britain relative to the possibility of prohibition of American bounty aid to the sugar convention bill is passed.

Viscount Cranborne, foreign under secretary, said in reply the decision whether sugar aided by bounties will be admitted to have entirely with the commission dealing with the subject. In the absence of such finding there is no call for any action on the part of the British government.

BURGERS IN HIS HOME

SEATTLE, Wash., August 3.—Thomas S. Lamy, a Klondike millionaire, was confronted by two masked burglars in his home on returning from church last night. He was beaten over the head with a revolver, bound and gagged and tied to a post of his stairway. The servant girl, previously surprised by the burglars and tied to the stairway, witnessed the attack on her employer.

IN THE ELECTRIC CHAIR

OSHSING, N. Y., August 3.—Antonio Turkowski, a Pole, was put to death today in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison. He declared on his way to the chair he was innocent of the murder of John Shepolski, the Brooklyn saloon keeper, which occurred June 6 and of which he had been convicted. Turkowski was sentenced on June 22 and the time elapsing between the pronouncing of the sentence and the execution is said to be the shortest on record.

HE MAKES GOLD

MERLIN, Ogn., August 3.—John Lerick, chemist and metallurgist, made silver from gold and developed a new metal from slate from which he expects to produce gold. From notes which are scanned by the government inspectors it seems he discovered the powerful electric currents and long exposure to their action.

INCENDIARIES

AT BEAUMONT

BEAUMONT, Tex., Aug. 3.—An incendiary attempt to burn the residence of V. Blanche was made last night. It was discovered by the watchman and the vandals driven off with a pistol. Arrests are probable. It is announced this morning that Wyche Greer, a newspaper man, has taken the ownership of the baseball team and will finish the season.

ONE CARDINAL IS NOW DYING

ROME, August 3.—According to a reliable report from inside the conclave, but one which it is impossible to verify, Cardinal Hieronymo Y Espinosa grew worse to such a point that the last sacrament was administered to him.

MR. SHAW HAS RESIGNED

Formally Presented at Meeting of the Camp Sunday Afternoon.

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RUSSIA MAKES PREPARATIONS

STEAMER ARRIVING FROM THE FAR EAST TELLS OF HURRIED ARRANGEMENTS IN PROGRESS IN THAT QUARTER OF THE GLOBE

LARGE QUANTITIES BEAN CAKE BOUGHT

SHIP'S OFFICERS BELIEVED WAR WAS PROBABLE WHEN THEY LEFT ASIA AND THE FIRST INQUIRY WAS IF HOSTILITIES HAD BEEN DECLARED

VICTORIA, B. C., August 3.—Officers of the steamer Tacoma, which has arrived from Yokohama, report that Russian agents are buying up large orders of bean cake at the Japanese ports and storing provisions and war munitions at Port Arthur. Troops were also being hurried westward and war was expected to occur at any time.

An idea of how serious the steamer's officers regard the situation is shown by the fact that the first inquiries they made when the pilot boarded the vessel were to ask if any ultimatum had been sent or war declared.

The Tacoma brought news to the effect that three Roman Catholic missionaries have been murdered by Chinese insurgents at Ping Li in Shan Si province. The remaining foreign missionaries and their families, escorted by Chinese troops, arrived at Hsin Yang, whence they took passage for Hankow.

Shiro Ino Yonou, a Japanese astronomer, has discovered a new comet in the Cygnus constellation, not far from the Lyra, moving northward.

The Japanese telegraph companies have consented to the lowering of telegraphic charges between Nagasaki and Hong Kong for the Pacific cable.

The Russian Asiatic squadron has been ordered to assemble for maneuvers in the vicinity of Vladivostok.

The Japanese standing squadron is now engaged in summer maneuvers off Hokkaido. Thus, says the Japanese Herald, the main naval forces of Japan and Russia are "naturally" attracted to northern waters.

BUSBY READY TO PAY THE STATE

Former Financial Agent Says He Will Meet Any Indebtedness Due From Him

Austin, Tex., Aug. 3.—John L. Wotham and J. H. Walker, the Rusk penitentiary, came to Austin today, accompanied by W. C. Busby. The purpose of their visit is to make a report to the governor of an alleged shortage. Mr. Busby says if he owes the state anything he is ready to pay it one hundred cents on the dollar. Mr. Busby formerly was assistant financial agent of the state penitentiaries.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

LOS ANGELES, Cal., August 3.—Geo. Sinabaud, a German, died of lung trouble at Sierra Madre today.

HELEN GOULD TO ARBITRATE

NEW YORK, August 3.—Helen M. Gould has been asked to act as arbitrator in the strike in the Holyoke Paper Mills, according to a dispatch from Springfield, Mass. The invitation was forwarded by the leader of the striking cutler girls. The strike involves 4,000 employees.

A HEAD-ON COLLISION.

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 3.—A head-on collision this morning between westbound Panhandle freight and east-bound passenger, injured sixteen. Some may die. There was a heavy fog, making it impossible to see fifty feet ahead. The flagman of the freight saw the passenger coming at full speed. He had just time to give a shout and jump for safety. Both engines were reversed before they met, but the momentum was not checked to any extent.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR

DALLAS, Texas, August 3.—About fifty members of grand lodge Knights of Honor have arrived to attend the annual meeting to open tomorrow. The grand lodge officials are meeting with the finance committee today. It is expected there will be 200 more delegates present at the opening session tomorrow.

ROCK ISLAND TRAINMEN VOTE TO STAND FIRM

Committee From Fort Worth Division Have a Poll of Employees—The Crisis In the Matter Will Be Reached Tomorrow—Local Members of the Union Talk of the Situation.

The crisis in the threatened general strike on the Rock Island system, printed exclusively in The Telegram Sunday morning, will occur in Chicago tomorrow.

Representatives of members of the Order of Railway Conductors and Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen on the Fort Worth division are now en route to Chicago with instructions unanimously given to stand for their rights. The committee to members of the camp was referred to the proper committee.

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Instructions to poll the road. They did, and the result of the poll on the Fort Worth division is to stand for the demands.

Soon after the committee left Chicago with its instructions, there is said to have been a meeting of Rock Island officials from over the entire system at Chicago. It is said the meeting had to do with the threatened strike problem. The railroad officials were in Chicago nearly a week. S. H. Hovey, vice president and general superintendent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas Railroad company, was there, but has stated since returning that his going to Chicago did not have anything to do with the threatened strike. He said the matter was not even mentioned to him while there.

He further stated that the employees of the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas railroad are satisfied, and that the wage question on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific has been adjusted with the exception of a few minor details.

He said there has never been any probability of a strike and that the employees of the road are contented and averse to any trouble whatever.

MANY MEN INVOLVED

The membership of the Order of Railway Conductors embraces conductors who have been operating trains as conductors for a period of one or more years. The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen embraces brakemen, switchmen, baggage men and many conductors. Of the latter, those who have not been promoted to the position of conductor for a period longer than one year, retain their membership in the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. The combined membership of the two organizations on the Rock Island system is several thousand.

MOTOR TRAIN UPSETS AN AUTO

Whole Family Narrowly Escaped Death in a Collision in New York

NEW YORK, August 3.—Albert J. Flak, his wife and baby and his friend, David W. Ellis, have narrowly escaped death in a collision between their automobile and a motor train on the Brooklyn Rapid Transit road. The automobile was upset and smashed, and the family narrowly escaped with great violence. None of them was seriously injured, however.

Mr. Ellis lives in Flint, Mich. He was visiting his friend at the latter's home in Brooklyn. In returning from a trip on Long Island they sped along Jamaica avenue. They heard a motor train behind them and finally drew up to let it pass. There was not room enough, but the automobile evidently thought so and the motor train, making a sharp curve, crashed into the side of the car. It was hurled against the curb and torn to pieces.

Mrs. Flak, who was holding her baby, managed to shield the little one in her arms when she fell and it was unhurt.

THE STATION AT COWES

COWES, August 3.—The Solent season, which opened today with matches under the auspices of the Royal London Yacht club, promises to be more than usually interesting. The presence of King Edward and Queen Alexandra, guarantees social success during the week, while the entries for the races will be up to the average. The fleet of pleasure yachts at Cowes includes many large steamers. H. D. Drexel's Margarita is there. Other American yachts are Allison, Armoult, Utopia and Mrs. Robert Goetz's Nahama, while among the foreign yachts the German kaiser's yacht Meteor and Herr Watjen's Navahoe represent American builders.

Mr. Ker's yacht Valora won the race for the Club cup over the thirty-mile course, and Emperor William's Meteor won the race for schooner yachts.

REPLY BY ROOSEVELT

OYSTER BAY, August 3.—In response to a message from the King of Portugal, announcing he had the pleasure of drinking to the president's health and to the prosperity of the American navy, on board the cruiser Brooklyn at Lisbon, President Roosevelt sent the following cablegram:

"OYSTER BAY, N. Y., August 3.—His Majesty, King of Portugal, Lisbon. I most cordially reciprocate your majesty's greeting, seeing in the friendly occasion which prompts it renewed proof of the good will which unites the two countries and people."

(Signed) "THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

COTTON STATISTICS

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 3.—The monthly report of the chief of the bureau of statistics, department of agriculture, will show the average condition of cotton on July 25 to have been 79.7, as compared with 77.1 on June 25, 1902, 81.8 on July 25, 1902, 71.2 on July 25, 1901 and the ten year average of 84.8.

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Arriving in Buffalo	4:05 a. m.	6:50 p. m.	7:50 p. m.
Arriving in New York	3:15 p. m.	7:40 a. m.	7:30 a. m.
Arriving in Boston	5:20 p. m.	9:50 a. m.	10:10 a. m.

UNEXCELLED SERVICE BETWEEN ST. LOUIS AND CHICAGO.

Leave St. Louis	9:22 a. m.	9:05 p. m.	11:32 p. m.
Arrive in Chicago	5:20 p. m.	7:30 a. m.	8:00 a. m.

THE NEW, FAST, SOLID ST. LOUIS-ST. PAUL TRAIN.

Leaving St. Louis	2:10 p. m.	Leaving St. Paul	7:10 p. m.
Arriving in Minneapolis	8:15 a. m.	Leaving Minneapolis	7:45 p. m.
Arriving in St. Paul	8:50 a. m.	Arriving in St. Louis	2:00 p. m.

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353 Main Street, Dallas, Texas.



THE ARMOUR'S WIN GREATHOUSE GAME

Bridgeport Baseball Team
 Loses to the Invincibles by a
 Score of 20 to 5 at Greathouse Yesterday

THE ROCK ISLAND'S SECOND EXCURSION

Company Hauls Many Visitors
 to the Big Ranch in Jack
 County—Interest Centered
 in Baseball, With Fishing a
 Close Second

Five hundred people witnessed the game of base ball between the Bridgeport team and the invincibles representing the employees of Armour & Co. of this city, at Greathouse, yesterday. The game was the principle event of the second outing at Greathouse. The Rock Island excursion was not well patronized from Fort Worth, but at other points along the line there were large numbers, ninety attending from Bridgeport.

A JACK COUNTY RESORT.
 Greathouse is one of the most valuable 10,000 acre ranches in Northern Texas. It is located in Jack county on the Graham branch of the Rock Island and bears the name of its owner, G. R. Greathouse. The ranch is bountifully supplied with water, and at the northern extremity of the tract is an unusually well selected picnicking grounds, including a large level open area, especially adapted to ball playing and out-of-door amusements.

The Rock Island is endeavoring to make of "Greathouse" and Goodman park, a resort to which people of Fort Worth and intermediate points may go for a day's outing. It is less than sixty miles from the city and with the Rock Island's facilities for conducting excursions to this point, the trip is an insured pleasure.

The excursion yesterday was personally conducted by S. A. Stemmons, assistant city passenger and ticket agent of the Rock Island, and was accompanied by many employees in the general offices of the company. Mayor T. J. Powell was among the guests at Greathouse Sunday, and with several friends spent the day along the banks of Silver creek, one of the beautiful little streams on the big ranch. There is an abundance of fish in Silver creek, and it is authoritatively reported that that number was not diminished materially on account of the visit of the Fort Worth nineties Sunday.

INTEREST CENTERED IN BASEBALL.
 Tom O'Hern, manager of the Armour base ball team has never yet matched his aggregation against a team which could prove its superiority over the players organized from among the employees of Armour & Co. The game with Bridgeport yesterday, won by a score of 20 to 5, was, perhaps, the easiest victory of any of the past. Bridgeport has long borne the distinguished honor of being the best amateur team in Northern Texas, and the manner in which it was compelled to succumb to the superior playing of the "packers" was humiliating.

Notwithstanding the one-sided score which resulted from the game, there were a number of good individual plays, and especially among the members of the local team. Smisson struck out fourteen men. Neeley, who was in the box for the Bridgeport team during a greater part of the game, struck out nine men, and Shipley, who pitched two innings, succeeded in striking out a corresponding number of men.

STUCK AN OLD LEAGUER.
 Of the individual playing in yesterday's game none was more in evidence than that of Stuck, third baseman for the Armour team. Mr. Stuck was formerly in the Missouri Valley League and is proving a valuable member of the Armour team this summer. Yesterday he was credited with getting everything that came his way, and even had the appearance of a ball, and made four of the scores which won the game.

ONE ACCIDENT.
 The only accident during the game was in the sixth inning, when M. Neeley, catcher for the Bridgeport team, had his thumb broken. Bob Campbell and L. Shipley played his position. Neeley made the first run for his team, early in the game, and the score remained with only that one to Bridgeport's credit until the ninth inning. The Armour's had scored so many scores away that the close of the game was permitted to go in a careless manner, that affording an opportunity for the other four scores by the defeated team.

STILL A STAR.
 George Coy, left fielder for the "Armour's," was the center of attraction on the track yesterday. George, besides being one of the veritable baskets which Manager O'Hern has selected for his field, is an unusually clever comedian, and has a repertoire of comical songs and expressions which have so far amused many large audiences before George decided to quit the stage. Now he is a valued employee at Armour's and is one of the "stars" on the team.

OFFICIAL LINE-UP AND SCORE

The following line up and score of the game yesterday follows:
 Armour's. Bridgeport.
 R. Stuck.....3b.....M. Neeley
 Ashmore.....cf.....W. Wright
 Isbell.....1b.....H. Shipley
 Coy.....lf.....Stanfield
 Tackaberry.....c.....McCord
 Campbell.....2b.....McCord
 Stuck.....ss.....Campbell
 Smisson.....p.....F. Neeley
 Kelley.....p.....Perry
 The score by innings:
 Bridgeport.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 4—5
 Armour's.....2 0 0 6 0 0 12—20
 Batteries—Armour's, Smisson and H. Tackaberry; Bridgeport, F. Neeley and Campbell and Neeley.
 Umpire—Conductor Goodman.

MCCORD - COLLINS TEAM

The Armour Nine After Game With the "Grecoers"
 Tom O'Hern, manager of the Armour base ball team took his players

The Non-Irritating Cathartic Hood's Pills

Easy to take, easy to operate—
 up to Greathouse yesterday and succeeded in giving the celebrated Bridgeport team one of the best demonstrations of the game that the "coal diggers" have ever had. The score was 20 to 5.

ALWAYS VICTORIOUS.
 This is the third time Manager O'Hern's team has been victorious this season. It could not well have a better record because of the fact that it has engaged in but three games since the organization was perfected. A team organized among the employees of Swift & Co. was the first to meet defeat at the hands of the invincible Armour's, the score at that game resulting 7 to 0. A week ago yesterday the Retail Clerks' team came nearer defeating the Armour aggregation than any other combination against which it has been matched. The score in the latter event was 2 to 3.

AFTER MCCORD-COLLINS.
 The McCord-Collins team is one with a record of 100 per cent. victory. It is desirous of arranging a game between it and his victors. The challenge is out, and acceptance and a date are all that are now necessary.

FRISCO DEFEATS CELINA.
 FRISCO, Texas, August 3.—The second nine of this place went to Celina yesterday to cross bats with the first nine of that place. The game resulted in a victory for Frisco by a score of 13 to 2.

CLEVELAND AND ROOSEVELT CHILDREN

The birth of another son of Grover Cleveland gives him a lively group of three girls and two boys to brighten his home in his old age. His flock is almost as big as the president's, and the little Cleverlands are decidedly younger than the children of the present master of the White House. Grover Cleveland was five years older than Theodore Roosevelt is now when he was married, and he was past 50 when his wife gave him his first daughter. The president was only 25 when he ended his bachelor days, and he married his second wife at 48. Taking these facts into account it must be confessed that the only ex-president is a more notable example of practical opposition to "race suicide" than the president, who has made that phrase famous.

FOR ONE FLEA, \$5.00

Five thousand dollars is the price to offer for one flea, but that is the amount positively offered by the Hon. Charles Rothschild of England, for one of those bothersome insects. Mr. Rothschild needs a polar flea to complete his collection of these insects, and the \$5,000 will be paid over to the person who brings him a flea from the back of the Arctic fox. The flea of the Arctic fox is to flea fanciers what the egg of the great auk is to the collectors of birds' eggs. Mr. Rothschild has fitted out a whaler, which is now in the far North, to look for this flea among other Arctic curiosities.

SPECIAL RATES VIA THE M., K. & T.

One fare for round trip to Mexico City, San Luis Potosi, Celaya, Saltillo and Monterey, Mexico. Tickets on sale August 3 and 6. Final limit on Monterey and Saltillo tickets, ten days from date of sale; to Mexico City, San Luis Potosi and Celaya, thirty days from date of sale. Stopovers will be allowed at pleasure within final limit of tickets.

T. T. McDONALD,
 City Ticket Agent.

Brigadier General Samuel S. Sumner, who comes into a major generalship of the United States army on the retirement of Major General George W. Davis next week, is a son of the better known General E. V. Sumner, the corps commander in the army of the Potomac during the first two years of the Civil war. He was on the staff of his father at the battle of Antietam.

MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS EXCURSION RATES

\$5.75 to Seattle and Tacoma, Wash.; Portland, Oregon, and Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., account fourteenth annual Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress. Dates of sale, Aug. 1 to 14, inclusive, limit for return to Oct. 15. \$45 to San Francisco, Cal., and return, account encampment Grand Army of the Republic. Tickets on sale Aug. 1 to 14, final limit for return Oct. 15.

T. T. McDONALD,
 City Ticket Agent.

Dr. R. T. Still of Newport News, Va., who has just returned from England, says that he has made the discovery that in the event of the restoration of the house of Stuart during his lifetime Captain J. E. B. Stuart, the only son of the famous Confederate cavalry leader, would be the legal successor to the English throne.

Captain Henry Hash, who now lives in Boston, is the last surviving officer of the old militia company which participated in the famous "Arrostock war."

Five hundred farmers around Rockwell, Ia., formed a trust, with \$25,000 capital, for marketing their products. Last year, at an expense of \$4,000, they did a business of \$63,000 without losing a dollar.

Although the Pacific ocean is comparatively free of storms—hence its name—Point Reyes, Cal., is the windiest place in the United States—if the matter be left to the anemometers of the weather bureau.

DE WITT IS THE NAME

When you go to buy Witch Hazel Salve look for the name De WITT on every box. The pure, unadulterated Witch Hazel Salve, which is the best salve in the world for cuts, burns, bruises, boils, eczema and piles. The popularity of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, due to its many cures, has caused numerous worthless counterfeits to be placed on the market. The genuine bears the name of E. C. De Witt & Co., Chicago. Sold by all druggists.

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On Sale This Week

1000 yards of Nice Figured Lawns, 10 yards for	25c
Fine Figured Lawns, have been 10c and 12 1/2c a yard; 10 yards for	69c
Good Zephyr Gingham, 8 1-3c quality, a yard	5c
Fine White India Linen, worth 8 1-3c, on sale, a yard	5c
Handsome Baby Caps, worth 50c, going for, each	25c
Misses' Trimmed Straw Hats, worth 75c, reduced to, each	25c
Ladies' White Shirt Waists; have been \$3.00, reduced to	\$1.48

Clearing Sale of Linens

Bleached Table Damask, very wide, should be 29c; reduced to, a yard.....19c
 Fine Bleached Table Linen, elegant patterns, extra width, 75c grade; reduced to, a yard.....49c
 Extra Large White Napkins, the \$1.25 quality; reduced to, a dozen.....90c
 All Linen Toweling, very absorbent, worth 7 1/2c a yard; reduced to, a yard.....5c

Staples at 5-Cent Cotton Prices

It hurts to part with staples at low prices, but we are bound to keep up our reputation. Extra Good Bed Sheet, 9-4; yd. 12 1/2c. Very Good 10c Cambrie Muslin, yd. 6c. The Best 7 1/2c Bleached Domestic, yd. 5c. Good 7c Sea Island Domestic, a yard 5c. Good Standard C Domestic, a yard. 3 1/2c. White Bed Spreads, extra large, \$1.00 quality.....79c. The best \$1.25 White Bed Spreads, each.....99c.

The Latest Styles of Ladies' Dress Skirts

Black Etamine Dress Skirts, elegantly braided \$10.00 garments; choice for.....\$6.48
 Very Fine Black Etamine Skirt, bell shape, silk straps and button trimming, worth \$6.50; choice.....\$4.48
 25 Handsome All Wool Walking Skirts, \$5.00 garments, reduced to.....\$3.48

New Dress Linens

Just received, but bought at end-of-season price, good quality Dress Linen, a yd. 12 1/2c. Extra Quality Dress Linens, yard wide, a yard.....25c. Very Fine, Sheer Dress Linens, a yard.....20c and 22 1/2c. We have also received about 50 pieces of New Lawns at low prices, a yard, 7 1/2c, 10c, 12 1/2c and.....15c.

A Sale of Remnants

We place on sale a big lot of Remnants of LAWNS, CALICO, PERCALES, WOOLEN GOODS, Etc., at remarkably low prices. You must see them to appreciate them. All marked in plain figures. REMEMBER the Big Clothing Specials..

Bargains in Little Things

Good Toilet Paper, 3 rolls for	10c
750 Polished Hand Made Tooth Picks	4c
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Matador Castile Soap, 4 bars	4c
Aluminum Hair Pins, a dozen	10c
Good Adamantine Pins, a paper	1c
Finishing Braids, good, 3 pieces for	10c
Pearl Buttons, 2 dozen for	5c
White Tape, 3 rolls for	5c
Talcum Powder, a box	5c and 10c
Vaseline, a bottle	3c
Machine Oil, a bottle	3c

Remember the Big Clothing Sale

Men's Fine Suits, worth \$17.50 to \$25.00; choice.....\$12.50
 Men's Fine Suits, worth \$12.50 to \$17.00; choice.....\$9.00
 Men's Fine Suits, worth \$10.00 to \$12.00; choice.....\$7.00
 We sell Men's Suits below cost twice a year. We take a loss rather than carry over Suits from one season to the other.

Our Shoe Department

Is increasing its business from week to week, and month to month. We sell good shoes only, of the most reliable makes, and sell them at very low prices. Priemeyer's Low Cut Shoes at special prices this week. All Summer Footwear at reduced prices. We guarantee every pair of Shoes we sell.

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June 8	6,419
June 9	6,430
June 10	6,442
June 11	6,511
June 12	6,550
June 13	6,550
June 14	7,278
June 15	6,412
June 16	6,427
June 17	6,421
June 18	7,429
June 19	6,884
June 20	7,160
June 21	6,857
June 22	6,857
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THE JUSTICE COURT

The county judges, in session recently, adopted a resolution suggesting an amendment to the constitution abolishing the grand jury, and now comes a newspaper in Denver, the Post, suggesting that the justice courts be put out of business. The Post says:

"The justice of the peace courts are a relic of rude old English times retained in the American judicial machinery. They are essentially rural in the character and usefulness, and a good thing in a village has become a grotesque nuisance in the huge cities. In the first place, little dinky courts, with their mimicry of the majesty of the law, sow seeds of disrespect for justice. In many cities justice courts have become a mongrel of the methods of the puller-in, the point of view of parasites of the under world and the cheap but cruel wiles of the professional bleeders of poverty and ignorance. Courts soliciting business and pleading their decisions as a bait for shyster lawyers, courts working the county for fees by dint of fake cases, the veriest offal of justice—these courts, courts that smell bad, both figuratively and in fact, with hyena and jackal connotations. Such has been the experience in almost every large city in this country, resulting either in the downright abolition of the fool thing or placing the justices and constables squarely on salary without the sniff of a fee."

Without regard to any special section of the state, it might be said that in Texas there have been at times suggestions that the justice courts were not the most delightful places in the world. It has been told in some of the towns in Texas that the justice court makes a monthly collection from women of the tenderloin, gamblers and saloonmen, and enforce a strict construction of the law on the negro crap shooters. If these things are true, and up to date the charges are but ex parte. It would be better that the justice court be out of existence, conferring the jurisdiction on the higher tribunal, the court-

THE VERNON HORNET

TALKS OF ADVERTISERS

In discussing advertising the Vernon Hornet says:
"If you should happen to be in Dallas and by accident rip your pants on a street car, who would you go to get a new pair? The first place to enter your mind would be Sanger Bros. Why? Because you never pick up the Dallas News but what you find their ad on front page. Again, suppose you were in Fort Worth and were in need of a new shirt, collar, or pair of shoes, the first place to enter your mind would be Washer Bros., or G. Y. Smith. Why? Because they never let the Telegram go to press without an ad for their house. Sanger Bros. at Dallas and Washer Bros. at Fort Worth are known all over the state. If advertising pays them, why not you? P. N. Mittenthal when he was in business in Vernon always had an ad in the Hornet. Where is he today?—in Dallas with a big stock of goods and doing a handsome retail business. Pick up the local papers in Dallas and you will see old Mitt's handiwork. Judicious advertising is worth more to a business than the best clerk in the store. Merchants of Vernon are getting their eyes open."

ty court, in which such practices would not be followed. That a justice of the peace is supposed to know no law, has long been a standing joke in this state. Let it be a fact that the justice shall know no favorites, let it be said that when an offender is brought before the petty tribunal that his trial will be fairly and impartially conducted, and let it not be charged that offenders are allowed to pay a monthly tribute to the officers of such a court, that they may continue their violations of law, and then the justice court will not be talked about, as the Denver Post has mentioned. The San Antonio Express says: "There have been such complaints of the justice courts and the constables in some of the larger cities of other states, but we have never had any complaints in Texas. If in any of our towns or cities there should be reasonable complaint of such corruption in any branch of justice an investigation would quickly follow and the jailer would have increased company if the charges should be sustained."

If the Express has never heard complaint of justice courts, then its knowledge of affairs in Texas is limited. There has been complaint, and it has been in the larger towns in the state. The complaint should not exist, because, in the first instance, the cause thereof should not be there.

The Austin Statesman has celebrated a birthday and is now entering upon its thirty-fourth year. The Statesman is the oldest paper in the state but one, and during the "long and eventful career" it has experienced much of prosperity and much of adversity. The people of Austin have never really appreciated the Statesman, and the struggles of the morning daily have been at times without the interference in any way of the home people. But it has worried along with its own cause, has accomplished what it could from day to day, and has complained little. The paper has been better since Mark L. Goodwin took charge of the management in September last than ever before. Mr. Goodwin is a thorough newspaper man, and during his administration he has worked hard to put the paper in the front rank. Supported in a progressive policy by the president of the publishing company, Marcus E. Foster, Mr. Goodwin has revolutionized things in daily newspaper work in Austin, and now the Statesman is as it should be, a first-class daily published at the state capital. The Statesman will continue to have birthdays.

Colonel W. D. Hornaday, Austin correspondent of the San Antonio Express, in an article in that paper, answers a statement published by Beau Monde of Dallas, saying:

"No, Austin girls do not wear socks. They wear stockings, and it is needless to add that they always fill them."

The members of the newspaper fraternity would like for Colonel Hornaday to explain how he found out all of this valuable information. How did he happen to leave the field of politics and state house routine long enough to discover the true state of affairs? Had such a statement been made by Staff Correspondent Thornton of the News or Colonel Asher G. Smoot of the Statesman, there would be no question about the accuracy of the information, but Colonel Hornaday, never. It has always been understood that Colonel Hornaday always thought Santa Claus was the only person who filled stockings.

An artesian flow has been struck by Dallas. And Dallas is as proud as Beaumont was with the oil gusher. Dallas certainly needs water. The town has long needed water, and good water. For a long time the water there was so bad the saloons were allowed to stay open a part of the day Sunday so that something to drink could be provided for the suffering people. The lack of a water supply at Dallas has been a drawback to the city, but the question is solved, and from the hidden sands a pure drink is being drawn. Fort Worth congratulates Dallas and hopes that now the water supply is secured, the people of Dallas will become more accustomed to drinking water than they have been in the past. It may go hard with them at first, but they can get accustomed to it.

The state board of education made the appropriation five dollars per capita for the next year, but if there is the same experience during the next twelve months as during the last, it may be more. A year ago the per capita was fixed at four dol-

lars and eighty cents, and later it was advanced to four dollars and ninety. Then in the latter part of last year another meeting was held and it was fixed at five dollars. This time the per capita starts at five dollars, the estimate being that the revenue will be \$3,882,250, the scholastic population being 764,751. The apportionment has gone over five dollars on one occasion—in 1886—when it was five dollars and twenty cents. In 1885, 1893 and in 1902 it was five dollars. There should be an increase in the revenue, and a greater increase than in the scholastic population, in proportion. With the higher per capita it will allow the schools to be conducted longer each year. Too much attention cannot be given the benefits of education. Let the state board take another bite at the apple, and raise the amount once more before the year is over.

The Waco Times-Herald says "It's warm in Bell." Now, does the Times-Herald refer to Bell county or did the compositor make a typographical error and use the wrong initial letter in spelling the word indicating the location of this warmth? Editor Robinson knows conditions in Bell, but judging by the heat of the water coming out of the ground at Waco, it is supposed Editor Robinson knows something of another county neighbor to Waco.

The cardinals burn the ballots to indicate no pope has been elected. In this country the successful members of a political party burn fireworks to indicate that some one has been elected.

Senator Gorman says he never quarrels with Mr. Cleveland, but they "differ." There is somewhat of a difference between Mr. Bryan and Mr. Cleveland, also.

CLEANINGS FROM... THE EXCHANGES

The Ennis News "points with pride" to the fact that Ennis "now has a live and enthusiastic commercial club composed of energetic business men. Corsica greets Ennis with the hearty exclamation, 'Ditto here!'"—Corsica Sun.

The small towns are waking up to the importance of commercial organizations, by which business men can pull together, and some of the small towns are more active than the large ones.

If Grover should grow confidential and give out a name for his latest offspring the press would handle the item with care, for he is remembered. Grover has reached that point in life where he gives the lie to interviews, even though all circumstances tend to show that he really said something.—Dallas Times-Herald.

When he denied the interview George Bailey wrote he made the mistake of his life. The startling news is flashed over the country that Mr. Roosevelt slept on the bare ground the other night, but by an inexcusable oversight we are left in doubt as to what war was to the earth.—San Antonio Express.

Politically speaking he has had his ear to the ground a long time. Now that he is satisfied what the republicans will do, he will be forced to listen a long time awaiting democratic action.

CHINESE TEST OF EGGS
Many Chinamen frequent Philippine markets and are good patrons, as many have restaurants and need large supplies. A Chinaman usually buys a number of eggs and always carries with him to market a small tin full of water to test their usefulness. If the egg falls to the bottom of the pail it is good; if it rises to the top, it is bad and is refused, and is carefully wiped off by the vendor and put back in stock to catch a customer without the pail.

QUILFUL JAMES
James Ponard and Elizabeth Noyes of Pontiac, Ill., have been arrested by the sheriff of Livingston county on warrants sworn out by Miss Noyes' mother. Ponard courted the girl's mother for several years and is alleged to have seduced her on Wednesday night last. Instead he eloped with the woman's 13-year-old daughter and married her. Ponard and the girl will be taken back to Pontiac for trial.

THEY FIGHT WITH NOISE
The Moorish outlaws' army is a wonderful affair. It fights by making a noise rather than by killing the enemy. The army consists of 25,000 men. Some are armed with discarded British Martini-Henrys, others with home-made imitations of the Martini-Henry, which jam and refuse to fire, while others have the old flintlock muzzle-loader, which is of doubtful habits.

A GIANT'S CLOTHES
At Stamford, England, recently a suit of clothes which belonged to Daniel Lambert, the Leicestershire giant, was offered by auction. Lambert was the most corpulent man of his generation and weighed upward of 700 pounds. General Tom Thumb once walked through the arm of his coat. The bidding reached \$375, at which figure the lot was withdrawn.

LIKED TEA FROM A "RESERVOIR"
A woman of the "new-rich" type set up a pretentious establishment in New York with the view of gaining an entrance into society. Among her choice possessions was a Russian tea urn wrought in embossed brass. The term for this device is "samovar," and the woman treasured her like a new toy. She gave a reception in order to exploit her tea device and assembled guests were in continual subdued fits of laughter because their hostess said: "I do so love tea out of a reservoir. This samovar came from Russia. Of course, it is really a tea urn, but I prefer the national term, don't you?"

EAT ALL YOU WANT
Persons troubled with indigestion or dyspepsia can eat all they want if they will take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. This remedy prepares the stomach for digestion, retention, digestion and assimilation of all of the wholesome food that may be eaten and enables the digestive organs to transform the same into the kind of blood that gives health and strength. Sold by all druggists.

THE IDLER'S NOTE BOOK

Some day it may be when time shall have whitened my temples and the years shall have brushed away the raven locks from my uncovered pate that the wintry wind will be whistling snow from the bare hillside. I may look on these pajamas lovingly, as they hang, worn but unused, in the clothes closet off my little attic bedroom. They will look small then, no doubt, and there will be little wrinkles on the places back of the knees, and in the back where the cloth bunched up as I slid comfortably down into my Morris chair. The color, too, will have faded and their whole usefulness will be gone into the memory of the past, even as my first corduroy knee-breeches which used to squeak musically whenever I walked rapidly with my knees close together. I have those corduroys, and sometimes I take the cloth between my hands and run it together to see if I can bring back the old music but it doesn't sound half as sweet now as it did the day I first donned them and at once became the object of envy for an entire yardful of boys.

I love those corduroys, and therefore I think that some day I may come to have the same regard for my first pajamas. But I don't want to go to work in the morning and they haunted me all day. A story came in over the wire about the Columbian congress and the Panama canal. I sent out a headliner reading, "Panama Canal, thereby bringing down unmerciful galling for the rest of the day. But nevertheless I couldn't forget the cool, inviting form of the mysterious garments, so, right before going home, I bought 'em."

As I went into the store I felt that the clerk knew as soon as he saw me, just what I wanted. I could see he was making fun of me and it made me angry. It happened, however, that my wife was standing near by him, and so my first impulse to speak out sternly the cause of my errand wilted away and I found myself leaning close to his ear and whispering, "I want to get a pair of pajamas."

"You mean a suit," he corrected wittingly, and then without moving he shouted across the store to another man, "Join the army, those pajamas over there. No, not those, the cheap ones."

I blushed furiously at this stage. Everybody in the store had learned that I was about to get some pajamas and I some way felt timid about letting the world in on the deal. I attempted to be studiously indifferent and gaze at the ceiling. Some way when your face is the color of a boiled lobster, studious indifference isn't much of a success. It wasn't with me anyway. I even felt, without turning around, that the clerk's wife was laughing at me and it made me furious. As for the clerk, he was just too much for me. I wanted cheap pajamas. I determined on the spot to buy the dearest pair. I meant suit, in the store and show him something, even if I went broke in the attempt.

When I learned that the best worth \$15 a suit, my resolution died and I compromised on a blue suit with pink stripes at \$4.55. Just as they were being wrapped up, I recollected that I had told the clerk that I wanted cheap pajamas. I determined on the spot to buy the dearest pair. I meant suit, in the store and show him something, even if I went broke in the attempt.

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Late in the evening, as Lorry was lying on his bed, staring at the shadowy ceiling and musingly his hand

GRAUSTARK

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SYNOPSIS.

Grenfell Lorry, a wealthy American globe-trotter stumbles into acquaintance with a charming foreign girl on the train from Denver to Washington. The pair get left at the station when the Flyer stops for repairs in West Virginia. Lorry wires ahead to hold the train at the next town. He hires a wagon to drive them the intervening four miles. They catch the train, Lorry leaving the young lady's name as Miss Guggenlocker and her companions are her uncle and aunt. They arrive in Washington and Lorry is asked to breakfast with the trio. They leave for New York. Lorry spends a day trying to work, but gives it up and rushes to New York, hoping to catch a farweller glimpse of Miss Guggenlocker before she sails. Just as the Kaiser Wilhelm steamer away he catches sight of her and throws a kiss from the tips of his fingers. To his great surprise the gesture is returned. Lorry joins his old friend Harry Anguish, an American artist, in Paris. Graustark and his capital, Edelweiss, are located by a guidebook. The Americans get no trace of the Guggenlockers there. Lorry sees his charmer driving in a carriage with a beautiful companion of her own sex. He gets a glimpse of recognition, but the carriage rolls on, leaving the mystery unsolved. Later he receives a note at his hotel, signed Sophie Guggenlocker, inviting him to visit her next day. In the evening Lorry and Anguish ramble about the grounds of the castle where dwells the court of the Princess of Graustark. They overhear a plot to abduct the princess and resolve to capture the plotters themselves. Following the conspiracy, Lorry finds himself in a room he heard them designate as that of the princess. Lorry tells the princess of the plot. Mutual recognition; she is Miss Guggenlocker. Danox, the guard, is in the abduction plot. He feels Lorry with a terrible blow. Anguish to the rescue. Lorry quartered in the castle. The princess visits him, but forbids all talk of love. Graustark is bankrupt and owes the neighboring principedom of Asphal \$30,000,000. The creditor demands cash or the cession of the richest districts of Graustark. The Prince of Asphal of course to extend the loan if the princess will marry his son Lorenz. Prince Gabriel Dawnsberg also bids for the princess' hand with offer of a loan. Yetive tells Lorry that she belongs to her people and is whispering, "Lorry, discovered kissing the princess while she is seated on the throne. He quits the castle by royal command. Betrothal of the princess to Lorenz. The Americans recognize Gabriel as chief conspirator in the abduction plot. Lorenz, the princess' slightly in a cafe. Lorry dashes the glass from his hand. Challenge to a duel. Lorenz assassinated. Lorry charged with the crime. Princess Yetive commits Lorry to prison. All Graustark rejoices at the death of Lorenz.

(Continued From Yesterday.)

"He may be able to clear himself," suggested the countess nervously. "And he may not; so there you have it. What chance have two Americans over here with everybody against us?" "Stop! You shall not say that! He shall have full justice at any cost, and there is one here who is not against him!" cried the princess, with flashing eyes.

"I am aware that everybody admires him because he has done Graustark a service in ridding it of something obnoxious—a prospective husband. But that does not get him out of jail."

"You are unkind again," said the princess slowly. "I chose my husband, and you assume much when you intimate that I am glad because he was murdered."

"Do not be angry," cried the countess impatiently. "We all regret what has happened, and I, for one, hope that Mr. Lorry may escape from the tower and laugh forevermore at his pursuers. If he could only dig his way out!"

The princess shot a startled look toward the speaker as a new thought entered her wearied brain. A short, involuntary gasp told that it had lodged and would grow. She laughed at the idea of an escape from the tower, but as she laughed a tiny spot of red began to spread upon her cheek and her eyes glistened strangely.

Anguish remained with them for half an hour. When he left the castle, it was with a more hopeful feeling in his breast. In the princess' bedchamber late that night two girls in loose silken gowns sat before a low fire and talked of something that caused the countess to tremble with excitement when first her pink cheeked sovereign mentioned it in confidence.

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most oppressive uncertainties, the rule of keys in the lock announced the approach of visitors. The door swung open, and through the grate he saw Dangloss and Quinnox. The latter wore a long military rain coat and had just come in from a drenching down-pour. Lorry's reverie had been so deep that he had not heard the thunder nor the howling of the winds. Springing to his feet, he advanced quickly to the grated door.

"Captain Quinnox brings a private message from the princess," said the chief, the words scarcely more than whispered. It was plain that the message was important and of a secret nature. Quinnox looked up and down the corridor and stairway before thrusting the tiny note through the bars. It was grasped eagerly, and trembling fingers broke the seal. Bending near the light, he read the lines, his vision blurred, his heart throbbing so fiercely that the blood seemed to be drowning out other sounds for all time to come. In the dim corridor stood the two men, watching him with bated breath and guilty, quaking nerves.

"Oh!" gasped Lorry, kissing the missive insanely as his greedy eyes careened through the last line. There was no signature, but in every word he saw her face, felt the touch of her dear hand, heard her timid heart beating for him from head to foot, the delicious rapture of love. He could not speak, so overpowering was the joy, the surprise, the awakening.

"Obey!" whispered Quinnox, his face aglow with pleasure, his finger quivering as he pointed commandingly toward the letter.

"Obey what?" asked Lorry dully.

"The last line!"

He hastily reread the last line and then deliberately held the precious missive over the lamp until it ignited. He would have given all he possessed to have preserved it. But the last line commanded, "Burn this at once and in the presence of the bearer."

"There!" he said regretfully as he crumpled the charred remnants between his fingers and turned to the silent watchers.

"Her crime goes up in smoke," muttered Dangloss sentimentally.

"The princess commits no crime," retorted Quinnox angrily, "when she trusts four honest men."

"Where is she?" whispered the prisoner, with thrumming ears.

"Where a good woman should be at 9 o'clock—in bed," replied Dangloss shortly. "But will you obey her command?"

"So she commands me to escape!" said Lorry, smiling. "I dare not disobey my sovereign, I suppose."

"We obey her because we love her," said the captain of the guard.

"And for that reason I also obey. But can this thing be accomplished without necessitating explanations and possible complications? I will not obey if it is likely to place her in an embarrassing position."

"She understands perfectly what she is doing, sir. In the first place, she has had my advice," said Dangloss, the good old betrayer of an official trust.

"You advised her to command you to allow me to escape?"

"She commanded first, and then I advised her how to command you. Ax-plain may declare war a thousand times over, but you will be safe. That's all we—I mean, all she wants."

"But I cannot desert my friend. How is he to know where I've gone? Will not vengeance fall on him instead?"

"He shall know everything when the proper time comes. And now will you be ready at the hour mentioned? You have but to follow the instructions—I should say, the commands—of the writer."

"And be free! Tell her that I worship her for this. Tell her that every drop of blood in my body belongs to her. She offers me freedom, but makes me her slave for life. Yes, I shall be ready. If I do not see you again, good friends, remember that I love you because you love her and because she loves you enough to intrust a most dangerous secret to your keeping, the commission of an act that may mean the downfall of your nation." He shook hands with them fervently.

"It cannot be that, sir. It may cost the lives of three of her subjects, but no man save yourself can involve the princess or the crown. They may kill us, but they cannot force us to betray her. I trust you will be as loyal to the good girl who wears a crown now upon her heart," said Dangloss earnestly.

"I have said my life is hers, gentlemen," said Lorry simply. "Oh, if I could but throw myself at her feet! I must see her before I go. I will not go without telling her what is in my heart!" he added passionately.

"You must obey the commands implicitly on your word of honor or the transaction ends now," said Quinnox firmly.

"This escape means, then, that I am not to see her again," he said, his voice choking with emotion.

"Her instructions are that you are to go tonight, at once," said Dangloss, and the black eyed soldier nodded confirmation.

The prisoner paced the floor of his cell, his mind a jumble of conflicting

emotions. His clinched hands, twisting lips and half closed eyes betrayed the battle that was inflicting him with its carnage. Suddenly he darted to the door, crying:

"Then I refuse to obey! Tell her that I shall be at her feet before another night has passed. Say to her that I refuse to go from Graustark until I have seen her and talked with her. Yes, Quinnox, go to her now and tell her this, and say to her also that there is something she must hear from my own lips. Then I will leave Graustark, and not till then, even though death be the alternative." The two men stared at him in amazement and consternation.

"You will not escape?" gasped Quinnox.

"I will not be dragged away without seeing her," he answered resolutely, throwing himself on the bed.

"Confounded young ass!" growled Dangloss. The soldier's teeth grated. A moment later the slab door closed softly, a key rattled and his visitors were gone—messengers bearing to him the most positive proof of devotion that man could exact.

He looked at his hands and saw the black stains from the charred letter, last evidence of the crime against the state. A tender light came to his eyes, a great lump struggled to his throat, and he kissed the sooty spots, murmuring her name again and again. How lonely he was! How cold and cheerless his cage! For the first time he began to appreciate the real seriousness of his position. Up to this time he had regarded it optimistically, confident of vindication and acquittal. He grew cold and shuddered instinctively as he realized that his position was so critical that the princess had deemed it necessary to resort to strategic measures in order to save him from impending doom. Starting to his feet, he paced the floor, nervousness turning to dread, dread to terror. He pondered on the door and cried aloud. Oh, if he could but bring back those kindly messengers!

Exhausted, torn by conflicting emotions, he at last dropped to the bed and buried his face in his arms, ready mad with the sudden solitude of despair. He recalled her dear letter, the tender, helping hand that had been stretched out to lift him from the depths into which he was sinking. She had written—he could see the words plainly—that his danger was great; she could not endure life until she knew him to be safely outside the bounds of Graustark. His life was dear to her, and she would preserve it by dishonoring her trust. Then she had unfolded her plan of escape, dejectedly, guiltily, hopelessly.

But she was offering him freedom only to send him away without granting one moment of joy in her presence. After all, with death staring him in the face, the practically convicted murderer of a prince, he knew he could not have gone without seeing her. He had been ungrateful perhaps, but the message he had sent to her was from his heart, and something told him that she would give her pleasure.

A key turned suddenly in the lock and his heart bounded with the hope that it might be some one with her surrender in response to his ultimatum. He sat upright and rubbed his swollen eyes. The door swung open, and a tall prison guard peered in upon him, a sharp eyed, low browed fellow in raincoat and helmet. His lantern's single unkind eye was turned menacingly toward the bed.

"What do you want?" demanded the prisoner irritably.

Instead of answering, the guard proceeded to unlock the second or grated door, stepping inside the cell a moment later. Smothering an exclamation, Lorry jerked out his watch and then sprang to his feet, intensely excited. It was just 12 o'clock, and he remembered now that she had said a guard would come to him at that hour. Was this the man? Was the plan to be carried out?

The two men stood staring at each other for a moment or two, one in the agony of doubt and suspense, the other quizzically. A smile flitted over the face of the guard. He calmly advanced to the table, putting down his lantern. Then he drew off his raincoat and helmet and placed in the other's hand a gray envelope. Lorry reeled and would have fallen but for the wall against which he staggered. A note from her was in his hand. He tore open the envelope and drew forth the letter. As he read he grew strangely calm and contented. A blissful repose rushed in to supplant the racking unrest of a moment before. The shadows deep and life's light was burning brightly once more. She had written:

I entreat you to follow instructions and go tonight. You say you will not leave Graustark until you have seen me. How rash you are to refuse liberty and life for such a trifle! But why, I ask, am I offering you this chance to escape? Is it because I do not hope to see you again? Is it not enough that I am begging, imploring you to go? I can say no more.

He folded the brief note, written in agitation, and, after kissing it, proceeded to place it in his pocket, determined to keep it to the last hour of his life. Glancing up at a sound from the guard, he found himself looking into the muzzle of a revolver. A deep scowl overspread the face of the man as he pointed to the letter and



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Dr. Maurice Bloomfield, professor of Sanskrit and comparative philology at Johns Hopkins, is spending his vacation in reading the proof of a glossary of words found in the ancient Vedas of the Babylonians.

For the youngest daughter of Emperor William, Princess Victoria Louise, a completely fitted miniature kitchen has been installed in the royal palace of Potsdam, where she will be taught the art of cooking.

Mrs. Leland Stanford has given to the university of which she is the patroness the famous Brunsch Bey collection of Egyptian antiquities. It contains a vast number of objects, large and small, dating from 6000 to 3000 B. C.

SPLIT EVEN ON DOUBLE HEADER

**Corsicana and Fort Worth
Each Win One Game, the
Scores Being the Same**

Fort Worth and Corsicana played the first double-header of the season here yesterday and honors came off even, as each team won one game. The number of runs was also even, as Corsicana took the first game by a score of 5 to 1, and Fort Worth the second by the same score. Altogether the two teams played eighteen innings, each scoring the same number of runs.

There was an innovation in the shape of a new umpire, Blasingin, the Sherman-Denison catcher of last week, was the handler of the indicator, or rather of the ball, which was the first time since the first game by a score of 5 to 1, and Fort Worth the second by the same score. Altogether the two teams played eighteen innings, each scoring the same number of runs.

The crowd yesterday was the largest that has entered the grounds here this season. Long before the time for the game had arrived the stands were filled and the people lined along the fence. Before the second game began it was hard to get even standing room unless far out in the field.

FIRST GAME.

Hise and Buchanan were the opposing pitchers when Umpire Blasingin called "Play" at 3 o'clock. To Buchanan it was the same old story of critical times when errors meant a game in the loss column. He pitched a winning game but couldn't win. The difference in the hitting was not very much, as Fort Worth had eight and Corsicana nine hits. Fort Worth bunched their hits as much as Corsicana, but an errorless game on the part of the Oil City aggregation prevented more than one run.

Fort Worth made the one run on a drive of Dish's which lost the ball in the weeds in left field for awhile. While Thebo was looking for it Dish went on to third. When Schaeitzke brought him in on a single the crowd nearly went wild. This run came along in the seventh inning, when the rooters began to think that Hise had a shutout up his sleeve.

Gray made his first appearance in Fort Worth and his playing was watched with considerable interest by the fans. When he made a single and a two-bagger out of the first two times at bat there was much wondering in the air, but after that he was unable to touch the ball and struck out several times.

The summary of the first game:

FORT WORTH

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
McMurray, c.....	4	0	1	6	0	0
Reitz, ss.....	4	0	0	2	5	1
Dish, 1b.....	4	1	1	12	0	1
Schaeitzke, 2b.....	4	0	1	0	2	0
Poindexter, rf.....	4	0	0	1	4	0
Buchanan, p.....	4	0	2	0	3	0
Combs, 3b.....	3	0	1	0	1	0
Gray, cf.....	4	0	0	2	1	1
Peck, lf.....	4	0	0	2	1	1
Dewey, p.....	3	0	1	1	0	1
Totals.....	34	1	8	27	12	4

CORSICANA

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Maloney, cf.....	5	1	2	0	0	0
Alexander, ss.....	4	0	0	1	1	0
Shelton, 1b.....	4	0	0	6	0	0
Westlake, c.....	4	1	2	11	0	0
Pendleton, 3b.....	4	1	1	2	0	0
Thebo, lf.....	3	1	1	3	0	0
Gray, rf.....	4	1	2	3	0	0
Tackaberry, 2b.....	4	0	0	1	2	0
Hise, p.....	4	0	1	0	1	0
Totals.....	36	5	9	27	4	0

Summary—

Earned runs, Corsicana 2; Fort Worth 1; two-base hits, Buchanan; Maloney; three-base hits, Dish; struck out, by Buchanan 10; by Hise 8; wild pitches, by Hise 1; sacrifice hits, Combs, Alexander, Thebo; time of game 1 hour and 25 minutes. Umpire, Blasingin.

SECOND GAME

Lockhead, who was in the box for Fort Worth in the second game, deserved a shut out but a couple of scratch hits which came together with two errors gave the visitors the single run. Those two hits were all that he allowed. The first was one from Shelton's bat which instead of going over the fence was intended rolled but a short way and consequently the runner beat Combs' throw to first. The other was a drive which caught Lockhead in the foot and bounded off past Combs.

The second game belonged to Fort Worth from the start. Sixteen hits were made off Zook's delivery and it looked like the home boys could score at will. The stars at the bat were Dish, Poindexter and Peck, each of whom made three safe hits in this game. The summary:

FORT WORTH

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
McMurray, c.....	5	1	0	7	2	1
Reitz, ss.....	5	0	0	1	3	2
Dish, 1b.....	5	1	3	9	0	0
Schaeitzke, 2b.....	3	2	2	1	2	0

Poindexter, rf.....	5	1	3	2	0	0
Combs, 3b.....	5	0	2	1	6	0
Peck, lf.....	5	0	3	4	0	0
Dewey, p.....	4	0	2	0	1	1
Lockhead, p.....	4	0	2	0	1	1
Totals.....	41	5	16	27	14	4

CORSICANA

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Maloney, cf.....	4	0	0	2	0	0
Alexander, ss.....	4	0	0	0	0	1
Shelton, 1b.....	3	0	1	7	1	0
Westlake, c.....	4	1	0	5	0	0
Pendleton, 3b.....	4	0	1	3	1	0
Thebo, lf.....	3	0	0	7	0	0
Gray, rf.....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Tackaberry, 2b.....	3	0	0	2	4	0
Zook, p.....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	31	1	2	27	6	2

By innings—
Fort Worth.....0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0 1—5
Corsicana.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1
Summary—Earned runs, Fort Worth 2; stolen bases, Dish 2; Schaeitzke, Combs, Peck, Westlake, Poindexter, Pendleton; struck out, by Lockhead 4, by Zook 4; bases on balls, off Lockhead 1, off Zook 1; sacrifice hits, Schaeitzke, Westlake; time of game 1 hour and 15 minutes. Umpire Blasingin.

DALLAS WINS ANOTHER.

Dallas took the third game of the series from Waco yesterday by a score of 6 to 2. Mulkey and R. Clark were the opposing pitchers, and Mulkey had a little the best of it, but Dallas played an errorless game, while the Waco players fumbled six times when they should have taken them in.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Games Yesterday			
Fort Worth, 1-5; Corsicana, 5-1.			
Dallas, 6; Waco, 2.			
Texas League Standing			
Team	Games	Won	Per cent.
Dallas.....	28	16	.572
Corsicana.....	24	13	.542
Fort Worth.....	31	14	.451
Waco.....	29	13	.449

SOUTH TEXAS LEAGUE

Standing of the Clubs			
Club	Games	Won	Per cent.
Galveston.....	42	27	.643
Houston.....	40	21	.525
San Antonio.....	39	19	.487
Beaumont.....	41	14	.341

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Games Yesterday			
Chicago, 5; Cincinnati, 0.			
Pittsburg, 13; St. Louis, 4.			
Standing of the Clubs			
Club	Games	Won	Per cent.
Pittsburg.....	87	50	.575
Chicago.....	93	56	.602
New York.....	85	49	.576
Cincinnati.....	89	46	.517
Brooklyn.....	86	41	.477
Boston.....	85	37	.435
Philadelphia.....	87	33	.379
St. Louis.....	90	33	.367

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Games Yesterday			
St. Louis, 5; Detroit, 1.			
Chicago, 2; Cleveland, 0.			
Standing of the Clubs			
Club	Games	Won	Per cent.
Boston.....	89	53	.595
Philadelphia.....	88	53	.602
Cleveland.....	86	45	.523
Detroit.....	82	41	.500
New York.....	81	40	.494
Chicago.....	84	41	.488
St. Louis.....	84	38	.452
Washington.....	87	29	.333

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Games Yesterday			
Birmingham, 4; Memphis, 1.			
Nashville, 7; Shreveport, 7 (game ended in a row).			
Standing of the Clubs			
Club	Games	Won	Per cent.
Memphis.....	80	47	.587
Little Rock.....	76	41	.539
Atlanta.....	77	41	.532
Shreveport.....	72	37	.514
Nashville.....	72	36	.500
Birmingham.....	79	38	.481
Montgomery.....	82	37	.451
New Orleans.....	79	30	.379

Walter A. Wyckoff, professor of sociology in Princeton, was once traveling disguised as a tramp, in search of information. While on a railroad train out West they came to a very dark tunnel and one of his fellow travelers asked a passing train hand how long it would take to reach daylight at the other end. "Oh, about half an hour," snapped the man, as he hurried away. The traveler, as Dr. Wyckoff could dimly see, at once began fumbling with a grip which he had. In about three minutes the train shot into daylight once more and everybody saw that the traveler had intended to use the thirty minutes of darkness in changing his shirt. There he sat, thunderstruck, his coat, shirt, necktie and collar thrown over the next seat, as asked from the waist up as a man about to take a bath.

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News of Texas Towns

BUSINESS GOOD OUT AT ABILENE

Merchants Leaving for North and East to Make Purchases for the Fall Trade, Which Promises Much

COTTON CROP IS AN ASSURED FACT

Improvements in Buildings Being Made and There Is Much Activity—Ward Schools Are Nearing Completion—Simmons Hall Prospects

ABILENE, Texas, August 3.—Business activity seems to be good in Abilene for the season of the year. Trade seems good enough for the summer months, and a number of the merchants are leaving for the north and east for purchasing fall and winter merchandise. The cotton crop seems assured. It is growing and fruiting well, while there has been a very good grain yield, and feed crops are doing well.

Everything seems to favor a thriving trade during the fall, and preparations are being made in all lines to meet the progress and prosperity which present conditions forecast. Many improvements are being made, notably in the business portion of town. The exteriors of several brick business houses have been repainted, while many more have added new coats of paint to the interior and fixtures. The second floor of the DeWitt building is being remodeled, a number of new offices being added, and a new stairway being built, furnishing an approach from Pine street. This is done to make the floor the most desirable office location in anticipation of the Federal court and United States district clerk's early removal from this building to the new Federal building. Two new ward school buildings are nearing completion, while work is progressing on Anna Hall of Simmons college. The matriculation for the next term in this college promises to be most gratifying in point of numbers. Dr. Cooper, the president, says that the promised students for the ensuing term have already equaled the college capacity, and that further arrangements will be made to accommodate others that may attend. The curriculum has been raised to a standard said to be equal to that of many of the leading universities of the country. These are only some of the surface indications that proclaim Abilene a thriving western metropolis.

A LITTLE GIRL KILLED

Six-Year-Old Child Shot Accidentally With a Pistol

ABILENE, Texas, August 3.—A dreadful accident occurred here at 11:40 a. m. Saturday, Mattie Irene daughter of L. P. Ligon of this place, aged 6 years, was playing on the bed with her little brother younger than herself. A pistol was lying on the bed under a pillow. No other person was in the room with them. A report was heard from the pistol, and upon jumping to the room their mother found the ball had struck through the little girl's head, coursing through the brain, and inflicting a wound from which death ensued almost instantly. The little boy seemed dazed and unable to move. The mother, who had been in the room, was unable to move. It is all conjecture as to how the pistol was fired as the bedding was powder burned, seeming to indicate that the pistol was not in the hands of either.

HENDERSON COUNTY DAMAGE

The Flood Has Caused a Setback to the Crops

MATAKOFF, Tex., August 2.—After several days' hard rain it has now ceased, but is still cloudy. The water was high and did very great damage, but cannot at present tell just how much the damage has been to the crops. Much of the creek and branch bottom land has been flooded. Roads are almost impassable and some cannot be traveled at all. Many bridges are gone and all of them are more or less damaged. Road hands will work all this week, the weather permitting, trying to put the roads in a condition to be traveled. There will be no cotton picked to amount to anything at all here before September.

NEWS FROM COLORADO

COLORADO, Tex., August 3.—A. R. Earnest has purchased a half interest in the grocery and hardware business formerly belonging to R. H. Waldo. The name of the firm is now Earnest & Crawford.

Mrs. E. E. Lee died of grief and a broken heart in the early morning of the 31st and was buried that afternoon. Services were conducted at the grave by the Past. Master of the Elks lodge, of which she was one of the leading officers and most esteemed members. It was a sad death and deeply touched the entire community.

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meeting of the Baptist church is to begin tomorrow was erected this afternoon. Immediately after the Baptists close the Holiness people will begin revival about August 20, under the leadership of Rev. H. C. Huabbee.

The month of July was an unusually good month for business, both for this city and the Texas and Pacific railroad. A singing convention convened at Dunn August 1. Professor Lincoln of Dallas will be present.

NEWS FROM WAXAHACHIE

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, August 3.—Dr. H. W. Aldridge of Rockett and Miss Ida Batcher stole a march on the friends a few days ago and were united in the holy bands of matrimony.

The Woodmen of the World of the Crisp community announce a big picnic for Thursday, August 13.

Congressman J. A. Beall, wife and little son left yesterday for Colorado Springs, Col., where they will spend the remainder of the summer. Congressman Beall expects President Roosevelt to call a special session of congress about November 1 and he is making his plans accordingly.

Buck Hunsucker, who owns a splendid farm near Rockett, was in the city Saturday exhibiting a number of ears of corn from his field. One of the ears measured sixteen inches long and the grains were large and well developed. Mr. Hunsucker said he would easily make 75 bushels to the acre.

J. D. Green, who lives two miles east of Italy, is a strong believer in the diversification idea. He has two acres of young peach trees on his farm and from them he has already sold \$205.50 worth of peaches this year. Mr. Green says that during the summer months his orchard keeps his bank account in the red, and that it does not interfere very much with his regular farm work to take care of his fruit.

FARMERS' MUTUAL INSURANCE

DENTON, Tex., August 3.—There was a meeting of the stockholders of the Denton County Farmers' Mutual Insurance association held at the court house here Saturday for the purpose of deciding whether the association should dissolve, or whether it should continue business.

The association was organized in 1901, and chartered as a state institution under the law regulating such institutions then existing. Under the law passed by the last legislature the association could not do business as a state institution. It was decided to dissolve the association and to reorganize it under the new law.

A. J. Nance, who is president of the Denton County Farmers' Institute, is president of the association, and J. M. Miller is secretary and treasurer. The directors are composed of one director from each justice precinct, and there is an adjuster for each justice precinct. None of the officers receive any pay.

GIVEN NINE YEARS

MERKEL, Tex., August 3.—A telegram has just been received from Eastland to the effect that G. R. Pettis of this place was given nine years in the penitentiary for the murder of Frank Farris, that occurred near town. The cause was tried last year in Abilene, resulted in a hung jury; a change of venue was taken to Eastland, with the above result.

WHEAT'S ROOF GARDEN

Ladies' complimentary night at the roof garden is always a certain sign that the cozy theater will be filled. Tonight one lady will be admitted free with each 50 cent ticket if purchased before 7:30 p. m. The Curtiss company will present the four-act comedy drama "A Fool's Foot" a very pleasing bill, full of interesting features.

This play has never been produced at popular prices, and it will be its first presentation by a stock company. The management has gone to expense in the production of this bill, an artistic production, and special scenery has been painted for the acts. A very strong cast will interpret the different roles and an up-to-date list of specialties introduced between the acts. The sale of seats opened early this morning, and those that have not secured their seats as yet should procure them at once. The next play to be produced by this clever company will be the famous dramatic story "The Resurrection."

BUDWEISER FOR PURITY AND NOURISHMENT

The Budweiser advertisement which appears in another portion of this paper draws an interesting comparison between water and beer in these words: "Pure water is better than poor beer. Pure beer is more wholesome than pure water because of the nourishing qualities of malt and the tonic properties of hops."

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Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey, dean of the Washington College of Law at Washington, is one of the ablest lawyers in the United States. She is the daughter of Platt R. Spencer, author of the Spencerian system of penmanship, and was associated with her father in law practice. Mrs. Mussey was instrumental in securing from congress the bill giving mothers in the District of Columbia the same right to their children as the fathers; also giving married women the right to do business and to control their own earnings.

Principal Story recently said before a meeting at the Glasgow university that

Andrew Carnegie's gifts to Scotch educational institutions have "dried up" the local springs of generosity. While in the past it was easy for him to collect more than \$300,000 for the university, now it is difficult for him to get \$15,000. He says Mr. Carnegie's munificence has scared away other givers of lesser wealth.

A "SLIDE FOR LIFE"

Daring Feat to be Performed at Handley Tuesday Night

At Lake Erie Park, Handley, Tuesday night, August 4, at 9 p. m., Madame Thomas will perform one of the most daring feats known, entitled "Slide for Life." A cable will be attached to the tower of the pavilion, the other end being fixed to a post in the ground across the lake. On this cable Madame Thomas will make the descent swinging by her teeth. The performance will be intensified by a liberal supply of varied colored calcium lights.

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Major General Isaac Catlin tells a story of one of his political campaigns. "I voted for you," said a workmanman the other day after an election in Siberia, where the general figured as a candidate for a county office. "I didn't intend to at first, but one afternoon you were going by my house and you patted my goat, Billy, and gave him an apple, and says I, 'if the general's so sociable as all that he must have my vote.'"

Mr. Joel Nelson, chief of the Jessup North Pacific exploring expedition, states that the tribes which he studied in Siberia possessed characteristics in common with the Indians of North America.

Sir John Cockburn, an eminent English authority on matters medical and surgical, says that women are less nervous than men in surgical cases, and are altogether better fitted than men to become doctors.

OVER 600 LIVES LOST

Full particulars were recently received from the Siamois Islands in regard to the terrible hurricane which visited those islands and in which over 600 lives were lost. Such a loss is appalling, but after all it is not to be compared with the number of persons who have lost their lives from indigestion, dyspepsia and constipation and other stomach troubles.

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O. C. WRIGHT IS MARRIED AGAIN

He Came From the Philippines to Get His Wife—Formerly a Fort Worthian

SHAWNEE, Ok., August 3.—O. C. Wright came all the way from the Philippine Islands to marry over again the woman who was once his wife.

Wright formerly lived at Fort Worth, Texas, and his wife is one of the daughters of the Lone Star State. For some reason, as folks often do, they separated and three years ago, as a member of the Ninth regiment, Mr. Wright went to the islands in the far east, and has been stationed in Manila.

A short time ago he obtained a furlough and, having arranged everything with his former wife, he came back to this country to again wed the woman he formerly called wife. By appointment they met in Shawnee, he coming from San Francisco, where he arrived on July 22, and she coming from her Texas home. The license was procured in Tecumseh and the happy pair were reunited "for weal or woe, until death do us part."

Mr. Wright yesterday, speaking of life in the army in the Philippines said: "We have a good time, don't have excessive work, and are fed well. Of course, we can't get fresh vegetables, because they don't have them there, only when shipped in. Cabbage sells for 25 cents a pound, while fresh beef is only worth from 15 to 18 cents. There is fine fishing, however, and some of the trout are big."

"The only thing against a man is the climate; if anyone can stand the climate it is one of the best money-making countries in the world. But the heat is something fierce and most of our boys are down with the fever off and on."

"The natives are fast becoming reconciled to the dominion of Uncle Sam, and are accepting conditions as they are. They are a treacherous lot, however, and have to be watched continually, and we are doing that."

Mr. and Mrs. Wright left this morning for Oklahoma City, where they will spend a short time, and they will then go to Manila, where Mr. Wright will join his regiment and his wife will take up church work.

It is said that red hair will be fashionable next stage, beauties next season, the fact having been stated by French vaudeville performers, who made a hit in New York not long ago. Already the torrid coiffure shows signs of coming into great favor, and the girl with such a headpiece is the most acknowledged type of beauty. Speaking about this a hairdresser said: "We do a great deal of the work, and I can tell you in confidence that in half a dozen new theatrical ventures for next season, the leading woman has chosen to have red hair."

"There is a town in Western New York," says Chauncey M. Depew, "that bears my name and in this town some persons by boring tapped a natural gas well, and thereupon formed 'The Depew Natural Gas company, Limited.' Mr. Choate and I met shortly after this on a public occasion, when both were set down for speeches. He had the last word. After dealing with other matters he drew from his pocket the prospectus of the gas company and read it. Then he looked the company over, looked at me, and, nodding the title at the head of the prospectus, uttered with quiet emphasis: 'Why limited?'"

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The city assessor's rolls for 1903 are now ready and the Board of Equalization is now in session in the assessor's office in the city hall. The assessor requests that all owners of real estate in the city file their assessment in the valuation placed on their property, and if dissatisfied, will appeal to the Board of Equalization for relief.

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For sale—Missouri avenue, new four-room cottage fronting east, with nice lawn, barn and buggy house, close to church and school; lot 60x125. Price \$1,050; \$200 cash, balance easy.

For sale—480 acre black land farm, seven miles north of Fort Worth; water running through the land the entire year. Price \$30 per acre. See us for terms. It is a bargain.

South side, near car line, new four-room frame cottage, two porches, water connection; lot 60x125 to 20-foot alley. Price \$1,250; \$150 cash, balance by the month.

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For sale, six-room frame cottage, close in on west side. Closets, bath, toilet, gas, nice shade trees. Price \$2,500. One-half cash. Balance easy monthly payments.

For sale, three-room new frame cottage, two porches, two closets, lot 60x122, south front two blocks from the car line. Price \$900. \$100 cash. Balance \$12.50 per month.

For sale, four-room cottage, on south side, with servants' house, chicken house, wood shed, stable and buggy shed. Close to car line, church and school house. Lot 50x103, to wide alley. Price \$1,000. One-half cash. Balance easy payments.

For sale, 550 acres grass land, close to city. All fenced and cross-fenced. About half of it can be put in cultivation, balance good pasture land. Price \$11.50 per acre. Small payment and easy terms.

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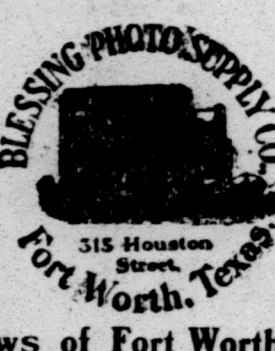
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Today's Markets

TODAY'S TOP PRICES

Cows Steers Hogs Sheep Calves
\$2.25 \$4.15 \$5.45 \$5.00 \$4.00

OFFICIAL RECEIPTS AUGUST 1

Cattle..... 459
Hogs..... 118
Sheep..... 126
Calves..... 102

SATURDAY'S SALES

CATTLE—To Armour, 285; Swift, 4; Matson & McDaniel, 24; D. P. Sansom, 12; J. P. Miller, 28; Johnson & Kay, 6; Jackson & B., 24; C. Miller, 2; J. Herndon, 56; M. M. Austin, 8; Cook & Wreath, 9; French, 1; W. S. Vincent, 23.
HOGS—To Armour, 72; Swift, 76.
SHEEP—To Swift, 126.

TODAY'S SHIPPERS

CATTLE

R. Thompson, Eagle Pass..... 157
R. G. Love, Hondo..... 30
C. B. Sweeney, Lampasas..... 31
W. Weir, Big Springs..... 47
F. W. Moore, Estelline..... 49
William Stout, Estelline..... 27
M. L. & Co., Lindsay..... 43
Charles E. Hicks, Hicks..... 38
J. T. Harris, Ringgold..... 39
C. H. Baldecker, Bowie..... 26
Vanuyt Bros., Colorado..... 95
Bagley & Co., Sweetwater..... 25
J. P. McCutchen, Dublin..... 35
J. S. Venibee, Brownwood..... 31
Lewis & Jett, Brady..... 30
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E. A. Sheets, Kopperel..... 31
Cage Cattle Co., Stephenville..... 32
R. Thompson, Eagle Pass..... 137

CALVES

L. H. Shaw, Rowena..... 76
E. B. Sweeney, Lampasas..... 77
J. W. Moore, Estelline..... 69
William Stout, Estelline..... 2
J. H. Gage, Midland..... 23
J. T. Harris, Ringgold..... 8
C. H. Baldecker, Bowie..... 5
Vanuyt Bros., Colorado..... 113
Bagley & Co., Sweetwater..... 14
Lewis & Jett, Brady..... 10

HOGS

Tennis & Lindsey, Vernon..... 76
O. C. Bloss, driven in..... 1

SHEEP

E. A. Sheets, Kopperel..... 119
P. T. Hart & Co., Abilene..... 84
P. M. Asken, driven in..... 13
Watson Bros., Wortham..... 64
T. R. & Co., Stanton..... 119
W. R. Stanton..... 69
T. S. E. Stanton..... 30
D. B. W. Stanton..... 39
T. R. Stanton..... 81
A. H. H. Stanton..... 233

TODAY'S RECEIPTS

Cattle..... 1,300
Calves..... 1,000
Hogs..... 350
Sheep..... 1,000

RECEIPTS BY ROADS

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
Santa Fe..... 3..... 2..... 1.....
Rock Island..... 4..... 1.....
Denver City..... 4..... 1.....
Rock Island..... 4..... 1.....
Prisco..... 7..... 4.....
T. and P..... 16..... 8.....
H. and T. C..... 2.....

WEEK OPENS WELL

NORTH FORT WORTH, August 2.—Better prices prevailed in the cattle yards this morning and conditions were much like those of last Monday. Calves showed the greatest advance, and though there were nearly 1,000 offered this morning, calves were general at 25c higher than last week and full half a dollar better than the week before.

Top steers again brought \$4.15, the best price for a week ago today, but the best selling at that figure this morning were nearly 200 pounds heavier.

Prices on good steers were also regarded as better, but little of the better grade, which is at present most wanted, was offered on the market.

Five cars were received today, but the market was slow. Top price, \$4.45.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

STEERS—The best lot offered was shipped by Charles E. Hicks of Hicks, Tex. There were 48 head and all but 5 brought \$4.15, being taken by Armour. The sales: No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
1..... 810..... \$2.60..... 18..... \$2.41..... \$4.15
2..... 1,212..... 3.75..... 15..... 1,225..... 4.15
3..... 749..... 2.50..... 3..... 736..... 2.75
4..... 830..... 2.50.....

COWS—Cows moved off in big bunches this morning, but up till noon \$2.25 was the best price paid. The sales: No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
1..... 420..... \$1.75..... 32b..... 548..... \$1.75
2..... 562..... 1.75..... 2..... 710..... 1.50
3..... 930..... 2.00..... 1..... 1,030..... 2.25
4..... 834..... 2.10..... 50b..... 618..... 1.90
5..... 555..... 1.75..... 29..... 633..... 1.75
6..... 714..... 1.85..... 60..... 618..... 2.05
7..... 920..... 2.05..... 2..... 700..... 1.85
8..... 960..... 2.25..... 5..... 628..... 1.25
9..... 801..... 2.00..... 10..... 731..... 2.09
10..... 650..... 1.90..... 12b..... 457..... 1.75
11..... 562..... 1.75..... 32b..... 548..... 1.75
12..... 881..... 2.00.....

CALVES—Calves were generally stronger, though the market was full. Tops for the morning sold at \$3.65, against \$3.25 last week. The sales: No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
1..... 244..... \$2.40..... 1..... 230..... \$1.75
2..... 216..... 3.50..... 12..... 168..... 3.25
3..... 325..... 2.50..... 66..... 291..... 2.65
4..... 221..... 4.00..... 79..... 223..... 4.00
5..... 167..... 3.25..... 124..... 158..... 3.25
6..... 284..... 2.75
7..... 188..... 2.50

SHEEP—Nearly a thousand head of sheep were offered, but up to 2 o'clock this afternoon only one car was sold. The sales: No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
1..... 93..... \$3.25..... 132..... 97..... \$3.25
2..... 74..... 4.25..... 1..... 80..... 5.00

STOCK YARDS NOTES

L. B. McMurry of Wichita Falls was at the yards today with a load of 2, 3 and 4-year-old steers. None of the recent rain at Fort Worth has extended as far north as the Falls and though crops are not suffering, the ground is so hard that the farmers have difficulty in plowing.

J. L. Chadwick of Cresson, the best known cattlemen in the state, was at the yards today looking over the market preparatory to sending in some steers and speyed heifers. "I believe that most of the fed steers in the state have been moved," said Mr. Chadwick. "At least that is what I concluded from correspondence with feeders all over the state. At Cresson, where we usually have as many cattle on feed at this time of year as anywhere in the state, nearly all of the fed stock has been sold."

Eight cars of cattle were received in the quarantine division this morning.

FOREIGN MARKETS

CHICAGO, Ill., August 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 23,000. Market good to steady. Bees, \$2.90@5.40; cows and heifers, \$2.20@4.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.55.

Hogs—Receipts, 35,000. Market steady. Light, \$5.20@5.65; heavy shipping grades, \$5.20@5.40; rough, \$4.65@5.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,800. Market steady. Native sheep, \$2.50@3.95; native lambs, \$4.50@5.25; yearlings, \$4.00@5.00; bulk, \$4.50@5.25.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., August 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,000. Market slow. Texas steers, \$2.00@4.50; native steers, \$4.00@5.25; native cows and heifers, \$2.00@5.15; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000. Market steady. Light, \$5.15@5.25; shipping grades, \$5.10@5.20; rough, \$5.20@5.40; bulk, \$5.10@5.15.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., August 2.—Receipts, 7,000, including 4,000 Texas and Indian Territory steers. Market steady. Texas and Indian Territory steers, slow and dull. Bees, \$4.00@5.15; stockers and feeders, \$2.65@3.35; Texas fed steers, \$3.10@4.15; cows and heifers, \$2.20@2.80; calves, \$5.50@8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,000. Market steady. Pigs and light, \$5.30@5.55; packers, \$5.10@5.40; butchers, \$5.30@5.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,500. Market steady. Natives, \$2.50@4.75; lambs, \$4.75@5.25.

COTTON QUOTATIONS

Furnished by F. G. McPeak & Co.

NEW YORK, August 2.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 1 to 5 points and showed slight further advances on covering as a result of the uncertainty over the monthly report of the government due to midday, owing to continued holiday at Liverpool there were no cables to influence sentiment. The weather map is favorable and private advices reflected satisfactory climatic conditions over practically the entire belt. After the call the list eased off slightly, with active months showing recessions of 1 to 5 points from the best price of the morning.

NEW YORK

Open. High. Low. Close.
January..... 9.80..... 9.80..... 9.73..... 9.73-75
August..... 11.95..... 12.00..... 11.73..... 11.90
September..... 10.67..... 10.75..... 10.65..... 10.67-68
October..... 9.95..... 9.96..... 9.88..... 9.90-91
December..... 9.78..... 9.81..... 9.73..... 9.73-74

NEW ORLEANS

Open. High. Low. Close.
January..... 9.63..... 9.65..... 9.61..... 9.61-62
August..... 13.00..... 13.50..... 13.25..... 13.00
September..... 10.77..... 10.87..... 10.74..... 10.79-80
October..... 9.83..... 9.84..... 9.77..... 9.79-80
December..... 9.63..... 9.65..... 9.58..... 9.60

RECEIPTS

Galveston..... 415
New Orleans..... 130
Savannah..... 3
Boston..... 24
Various..... 700
Memphis..... 11

GRAIN—PROVISIONS

Furnished by F. G. McPeak & Co.

Wheat— Open. High. Low. Close.
May..... 82½..... 82½..... 82½..... 82½
September..... 80½..... 80½..... 79½..... 79½
December..... 80½..... 81½..... 80½..... 80½
Corn—
May..... 52½..... 52½..... 51½..... 52
September..... 52½..... 52½..... 51½..... 51½
Oats—
May..... 36½..... 36½..... 36½..... 36½
September..... 34½..... 34½..... 33½..... 33½
December..... 34½..... 34½..... 34½..... 34½
Pork—
September..... 13.60..... 13.67..... 13.67..... 13.75
Lard—
September..... 7.85..... 7.92..... 7.85..... 7.92
Ribs—
September..... 8.00..... 8.10..... 8.00..... 8.15

PERSONALS

It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main and 513-15 Houston streets.

Mrs. J. C. West leaves today for San Angelo to visit friends.

Mrs. E. F. Pummer is very ill at her home on North Hampton street.

Mr. J. E. Skinner went to Terrell yesterday on business.

Misses Willie and Eva Furnal of Ennis, Tex., are visiting in this city.

Miss Jessie Cornick is visiting in the Territory this week.

M. C. Russell, of the Territory, is visiting in the city.

Miss M. C. Smith is visiting in Mineral Wells this week.

Mr. Millard Parish left last night for Georgia.

Miss Minnie Bailey leaves today for Thurber, Tex.

Miss Lora Letchworth of Dallas is visiting her aunt, Miss Addie Letchworth, on Pecan street.

Misses Mary and Carrie Ross of this city left this morning for Missouri to visit friends.

Mr. C. E. Redgill left yesterday for New Orleans, after a two weeks' stay in this city.

Miss Delora Brown of Commerce is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Russell, of this city.

Misses Lora and Rina Haylen left Sunday morning to visit their grandmother at Montague.

Prof. C. F. Webb and family left today for a month's visit to friends and relatives in Mississippi.

S. M. Gaines, superintendent Eleventh district railway mail service, returned this morning from San Antonio.

Mrs. M. J. Bonner and daughter, Miss Alta, depart tonight for Amarillo, to spend the summer.

Mrs. P. A. Hawkins has returned from a visit to her son, L. G. Hawkins, Vernon, Tex.

Judge K. R. Webb departed last night for Rockport, where he will be the guest of Judge Brown of San Antonio on a ten days' cruise on the Gulf.

Harvey Carmichael, a former Fort Worthian, but now of Memphis, has been spending his vacation in Fort Worth. He left for Dallas this morning to visit his brother, and leaves Thursday for Memphis.

Mrs. R. R. Bishop and children, accompanied by Miss Clara Lamkin of Gonzales, Mrs. Bishop's niece, have returned to Fort Worth after a month's stay in New Mexico.

J. C. Horn returned this morning from Mt. Pleasant, where he has been visiting relatives for a few days. Mrs. Horn,

who went to visit her mother, will return for several days.

Judge I. H. Burney and Mrs. Burney have departed for a month's trip to the Pacific coast. They will go as far north as Vancouver. Judge Burney is a delegate to the Trans-Mississippi Commercial congress, which meets at Seattle, Wash., August 16.

CITY IN BRIEF

Nash Hardware Company.

Curran's Hand Laundry, Sixth and Burnett streets. Phone 1741-4 rings.

J. W. Adams & Co., Ice, Feed, Fuel and Produce, 400 W. Weatherford. Phone 530.

Dr. F. D. Thompson has moved his office to the Dundas building, over Parker's Drug Store. Phone 887.

Commencing Saturday, Aug. 1, Hunter-Phelan Savings and Trust Co. will close at 4 o'clock p. m., instead of 6, but will remain open on Mondays until 6 p. m.

It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main and 513-15 Houston streets.

Kenneth Taylor, the 14-year-old son of Mrs. J. M. Taylor, was thrown from a run away horse yesterday and badly bruised his right foot.

George W. Fisher is in receipt of a letter from his uncle, Dr. Oscar L. Fisher. The doctor and his party, who left Fort Worth six weeks ago to drive through to Denver, have now reached Trinidad, Colo. The doctor's health has been much improved by the trip.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Glenwood Baptist church will serve cake and sherbet on Mrs. Frank DeWitt's lawn on Holt street, Thursday evening. An interesting program will be rendered in the parlor and a good time is assured for all who attend.

Captain Sidney Martin is seriously ill at his home, 502 Lamar street. His friends fear he will not survive through the day.

Radium emits excessively minute corpuscles with such immense velocity that the energy of a single milligram of them represents about three and a half million foot tons.

Here is a story of the German emperor or which the English narrator sets down as "distinctly characteristic" of the Kaiser. When his imperial majesty was staying with Lord Lansdale a fellow guest, talking to another across the table, quoted a line from Shakespeare, adding the words "as the divine William said." The emperor heard the quotation and, turning to his host, said, with a puzzled look: "Curiously enough, I do not remember that my sainted grandfather ever said that."

Weather Conditions

WASHINGTON FORECAST.

Arkansas—Tonight generally fair; cooler; Tuesday probably showers; cooler.

Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Tonight and Tuesday generally fair.

East Texas—North, tonight and Tuesday, scattered showers; light to fresh on coast.

West Texas—North, tonight and Tuesday, probably scattered showers; warmer tonight; cooler Tuesday.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN

Following is the weather record for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time, Monday, August 3, stations of Texas district:

Temperature, Rain, State of Stations— Max. Min. fall. weather.
Abilene..... 90 70 .00 Cloudy
Ballinger..... 92 68 1.68 Cloudy
Beville..... 88 74 1.00 Pt. cldy
Blanco..... 90 70 .15 Pt. cldy
Brenham..... 86 74 .16 Cloudy
Brownwood..... 90 72 .00 Cloudy
Corpus Christi..... 88 76 .00 Clear
Corsicana..... 96 70 .34 Clear
Crown..... 92 72 .50 Hail
Dallas..... 94 68 .20 Clear
Dublin..... 92 70 .20 Cloudy
Fort Worth..... 90 70 .20 Cloudy
Galveston..... 84 76 .56 Cloudy
Greenville..... 90 66 .72 Clear
Hearne..... 84 76 .04 Clear
Hempstead..... 98 68 .00 Clear
Houston..... 86 74 .74 Cloudy
Huntsville..... 88 72 .12 Cloudy
Kerrville..... 88 66 .00 Cloudy
Lampasas..... 90 72 .02 Cloudy
Longview..... 94 72 .00 Clear
Luling..... 88 70 .30 Pt. cldy
Nacogdoches..... 90 70 .00 Clear
Palestine..... 90 72 .00 Clear
Paris..... 94 70 .00 Clear
San Antonio..... 88 72 .06 Cloudy
San Marcos..... 88 72 1.32 Cloudy
Sherman..... 90 72 .00 Clear
Temple..... 88 70 .22 Cloudy
Tyler..... 92 72 .00 Clear
Waco..... 94 74 .74 Clear
Waxahachie..... 94 66 .00 Clear
Weatherford..... 92 70 .08 Cloudy
Wharton..... 90 74 2.24 Cloudy

DISTRICT AVERAGES

Central Station— No. of Temp. Temp. Rain- stations. Max. Min. fall.
Atlanta..... 14 88 68 .30
Augusta..... 11 90 70 .88
Charleston..... 5 88 72 .10
Galveston..... 32 90 72 .32
Little Rock..... 15 94 72 .72
Memphis..... 16 92 72 .02
Mobile..... 9 92 72 .04
Montgomery..... 10 92 70 .10
New Orleans..... 15 92 72 .04
Oklahoma..... 10 96 70 .00
Savannah..... 12 94 72 .06
Vicksburg..... 13 94 72 .01
Wilmington..... 10 80 68 .06

Remarks: Moderate to heavy showers fell in the cotton region during the past twenty-four hours, except in Oklahoma and Arkansas. The following stations report heavy rainfall, viz: Wharton, Tex., 2.4; Chattanooga, Tenn., 1.66; Augusta, Ga., 2.02; Athens, 2.46; Columbia, 2.34; Greenwood, 2.10.

WEATHER RECORD

Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours—minimum and maximum temperature, wind in miles per hour, rain in inches.

The weather this morning is generally clear throughout the greater portion of the country, with the exception of some few localities in the northern and eastern portion of the country there is cloudy with rain.

Stormy conditions prevailed yesterday in Texas, and continues in the cotton region this morning, and is quite heavy in Tennessee, Georgia and Alabama. One inch or more occurred yesterday at the following named Texas stations, viz: Ballinger, 1.46; Beville, 1.00; San Antonio, 1.32; Wharton, 2.24; Twenty-one out of thirty-six Texas stations report rain.

No rain fell over Western Texas during the past twenty-four hours.

Fair weather is indicated for Fort Worth tonight and Tuesday.

Temperature.

Stations— Min. Max. Wind. fall.
Amarillo..... 66 86 12 .00
Chicago..... 72 76 12 .00
Denver..... 54 92 6 .00
Little Rock..... 74 80 10 .00
Memphis..... 76 90 10 .00
New Orleans..... 74 90 8 .40
Oklahoma..... 72 92 8 .00
Phoenix..... 74 108 10 .00
Pittsburg..... 64 70 10 .00
St. Louis..... 74 92 10 .14
St. Paul..... 66 78 6 .66
Salt Lake..... 74 94 10 .00

GLENGOOD AND POLYTECHNIC HILL

Professor B. F. Sisk, former principal of the Glenwood public school in town Saturday looking after his Glenwood real estate interests.

Mrs. D. B. Beverley returned yesterday after a two weeks' visit with her mother at Kaufman, Texas.

Will Fulford returned this morning from Pecos City where he has been for the past month.

Walter Estee leave today for a month's visit to points in old Mexico.

Miss Cherry is visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Smith are the proud parents of a 12-pound boy born last night.

W. J. Hooper, who has been on the sick list for the past two days is much improved.

Dick Warren and Miss Maud Coleman of Grapevine, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Coleman, were married Sunday evening.

A regular meeting of the ladies of the Macabees will be held tomorrow afternoon at the A. O. U. W. hall, Main and Fourth streets.

The lawn social given by the ladies of the Methodist church, which was postponed from last Thursday evening will take place Tuesday evening on the lawn of the school house grounds.

Frank DeWitt, after a short sojourn at Mineral Wells, has returned home much improved and will leave with his family Friday for Amarillo where he is connected with the Crowder Bros. hide and grain company.

Next Wednesday evening at the church the regular meeting of the Glenwood Baptist conference will be held and as matters of much importance are to be discussed a full membership is requested to be present.

Rev. W. H. Williams of Strawn filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday. Rev. Williams will remain in the city this week and will preach next Sunday evening and morning.

Mrs. Fanny Dodd of Pauls Valley, I. T., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. D. Stebinger.

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ABOUT RELIGIOUS SOCIETIES

Because the national convention of the Epworth League at Detroit did not make answer to the proposal of the Denver convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor that all young people's societies in the country be brought together in one organization, the Interior, a Presbyterian weekly, some time ago had an editorial in criticism of what is called the "sectarian principles" of the organization. The editorial says:

While our good Methodist friends are studying up anew on John Wesley, we hope there will be borne in on them a chastening sense of how far they digressed from the example of their founder when they formed the Epworth League. They ought to realize that Wesley would never have been capable of that. The "Methodist societies" which he organized were intended by him to be interdenominational brotherhoods for spiritual culture and Christian evangelistic work. Anglicans and dissenters alike were received to membership in them without altering in any way private ecclesiastical relations. Yet when the Society of Christian Endeavor was formed in this country on similar lines and for identical purposes and thousands of Methodist young people were joyfully pressing into it the doors of Wesley undertook to block the movement, and instituting a round-up of their own young men and women they forcibly corralled an unwilling membership in the Epworth League. It is a pity that the great men of the nineteenth century Methodist church were not as great as their church forefathers.

The statement is then made that the Epworth League has fallen back in line with other features of denominationalism, and the men who fathered it are warned that they will be grievously ashamed of most of the motives which prompted them in that act of organization. The editorial has called the leaguers out in protest, the Christian Advocate of New York coming to the defense of the Methodist organization. It is explained at some length that the Wesleyan societies were formed because of the deadness and formality of the churches. Membership in other churches was not required. Between them and the Christian Endeavor Society there is no real analogy. The reply to the editorial of the Interior says that young people's societies in local Methodist churches were not unknown fifty years ago, and when the Christian Endeavor Society was formed no young man or young woman was "forcibly corralled in unwilling membership." It is denied that the Epworth League has ever been intended as a "sectarian sign." In the current issue of the Interior reference is made to the editorial in the Christian Advocate and the matter is dismissed in substance in this fashion:

The Christian Advocate grows a little savage at the sting of what the Interior said about the selfish motives that went into the Epworth League at its start. We are glad of the sign that Methodist feelings are sensitive on the subject. There is only this about it: If the Epworth League managers cannot make some kind of cordial answer to the recent Christian Endeavor proposal they had better take down that motto of theirs which some persons with no sense of incongruities borrowed from Wesley: "I desire to form a league offensive and defensive with every soldier of Jesus Christ." That one sentence alone proves the charge we made—that the Epworth League is something which the founder of Methodism would never have countenanced.

In the south it was not believed when the proposition for an amalgamation was made that it would be effected. In the first place, there is enough work for two organizations to do—or three of them, for that matter—the Baptist Young People's Union being one of these. When Dr. I. E. Clark of Boston organized the Endeavorers he builded better than he knew. He started modestly at first, but the organization appeared to sweep the country. It increased in strength and membership very month, and finally it has covered the world with its motto, "The World for Christ." It has done a magnificent success. It has done missionary work here at home; it has called in the young man and the young woman for the Sunday meetings and has so enthused them that they have united with it, the result being their own good and the good of all with whom they come in contact. On the other hand, the Epworth League has started out with the battle cry of "All for Christ." The cross and crown of the order have been given to everyone willing to join in the work, and it has accomplished just the same that has been ac-

complished by the Endeavorers. The only difference is that the Epworth League is considered an organization of the Methodist church, and it is under the sponsorship of that denomination. There is room for the two of them and they can find much to do. Probably if they were combined and would later absorb the Baptist Young People's Union the organization would be too unwieldy and there would be a neglect of a great deal that is now being given close attention. But these two societies should not fall out over their organizations. They are both on the right line of work and they should "dwell together in peace and harmony," each doing its share in evangelizing the world, and letting the fighters fight outside the ranks. There will be more harmony if they continue as separate organizations. The Christian Endeavorers would not be willing to give up the pleasures brought out by the history of the society or sacrifice the conquests of its existence, and neither would the Epworth League. The league is composed of those who are united with the Methodist church and they are taught to devote their efforts to the upbuilding of that church. The Baptist Young People occupy the same position in the Baptist church. They would not give up this loyalty to the respective denominations. With separate organizations there is a rivalry which brings out all the best efforts of each individual and of the organizations. This rivalry will cause a healthy increase in the membership rolls of each.

IS A SIGNATURE PROTECTED

A very peculiar question is presented by the arrest in this city yesterday of men who were charged with having issued "clearance papers" to railroad men at so much per issue, the name of a master mechanic or superintendent being signed to each, to fit the road from which the clearance was supposed to come.

The men charged with having carried on this business were provided with rubber stamps and the stationery for a road was made while you wait. While no legal opinion has been expressed on the question, and the matter is yet a new one, there have been many statements from laymen on the streets, who believe that no penalty can attach to the fact that the name of another was signed to documents which are alleged to "have no value." There is a value to a clearance, but it is not a value such as is possessed by a check at the bank. The clearance represents that the holder thereof has held a position on the railroad in question and left the service of the company in good standing. It is supposed to be signed by an official, and when presented to another it either gets the man a position because he is believed to be thoroughly reliable or it entitles him to transportation over the line because of the professional courtesy between railroad men. A man who gets a position on a false clearance is obtaining the confidence of an employer under pretenses which are false, and if he accepts transportation on a false clearance he obtains that to which he is not entitled, which to the railroad company has a money value. However, even if he does not secure anything on a document signed with one man's name by the work of another, it appears there should be some statute by which it could be stopped.

It has never occurred to the mind of man that no safeguard is drawn about his signature. That John Smith should be allowed to sign William Jones to a document of any kind, and not be punished for it, simply because it is not a bank check, is wrong, and if the law allows such a proceeding as many appear to think is the case, then the law is faulty. The signature of a private citizen or an official should have a value, and the law should so declare, and one using another's signature should be brought before the courts and punished. It has also been suggested that the person purchasing a clearance pays for what he knows is a counterfeit, and that he buys that which, while worthless to others, is valuable to him. In such a case his purchase is with a motive to defraud, and there appears to be a conspiracy between two persons, by which any number of others are eventually victimized.

The papers have had a hard time keeping track of the standing of the North Texas League. They are really in need of a few experts at figures. Some of them do not accept the correct standing of clubs when the league managers pass on the question. The Telegram figures have been correct all the time. The Dallas News has not yet discovered that the league standing carried in that paper is not correct.

The chief of police of Houston is on his way from Washington with the former treasurer of the Houston school fund. It is promised there will be interesting disclosures when the young man arrives and is ready for his trial, and that he will not be the scapegoat for all who were involved in the trouble. Men who will steal from the school fund of the state, a district or a county ought to get all the punishment the law can hand out.

The Yankee is always ahead of every other nation. The American pilgrims were the first to be received by the new pope. You could count on the fellow from the United States getting in the Vatican first if he happened to be in the vicinity of any of those hills of Rome.

Fort Worth defeated Waco yesterday, although Pennell, for Waco, went to bat five times, got one home run, two three-baggers and two singles. A man like that ought to be arrested.

Seven well known New York physicians, headed by Dr. Albert W. Ferris, have formed a company for the publication of a daily medical journal, which will appear October 1, and which will report the medical happenings of the world.

GRAUSTARK

By GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON

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SYNOPSIS.

Greenfall Lorry, an American, wealthy, globe-trotter, meets by accident charming young lady foreigner while traveling from Denver to Washington. Taking exercise on the station platform during the temporary stop of the train, they are left by the flyer. He telegraphs to hold the train at the next station, procures a wagon to drive four miles. They separate at Washington; she goes to New York with her uncle and aunt. Finishing business, he tries to meet them in New York. Reaches there in time to see the young lady, Miss Guggenlocker, sail. She waves to him from the steamer. Then follows a chase. Lorry leaves for Europe with a companion and starts a continental tour in search of her. One evening while rambling about the grounds of the castle where dwells the court of the Princess of Graustark. They overhear a plot to abduct the princess and resolve to capture the plotters red-handed. Following the conspirators, Lorry finds himself in a room he heard designate as that of the princess. Lorry tells the princess of the plot. Mutual recognition; she is Miss Guggenlocker. Danno, the guard, is in the abduction plot. He tells Lorry with a terrible blow. Anguish to the rescue. Lorry quarters in the castle. The princess visits him, but forbids all talk of love. Graustark is bankrupt and owes the neighboring principedom of Axphain \$30,000,000. The creditor demands cash or the cession of the richest districts of Graustark. The Prince of Axphain offers to extend the loan if the princess will marry his son Lorenz. Prince Gabriel of Dawsbergen also bids for the princess' hand with offer of a lion. Yetive tells Lorry that she belongs to her people and will marry Lorenz. Lorry discovered kissing the princess while she is seated on the throne. He quits the castle by royal command. Retrothal of the princess to Lorenz. The Americans recognize Gabriel as chief conspirator in the abduction plot. Lorenz toasts the princess lightly in a cafe. Lorry dashes the glass from his hand. Challenge to a duel. Lorenz assassinated. Lorry charged with the crime. Princess Yetive commits Lorry to prison. All Graustark rejoices at the Princess helps Lorry escape. Axphain offers Graustark a consideration to have Lorry executed before Nov. 20. Lorry offers a reward for the capture of Lorry. Lorry prevails upon Quinnox, an emissary of the princess, to conduct him secretly to the castle.

(Continued From Yesterday.)

"And we are to walk from here to the gate," said the princess, resuming her hoarse, manly tones. While they were busy donning their raincoats she whispered in Lorry's ear, "I beg of you, do not let him know that you have discovered who I am."

He promised, and lightly snatched a kiss, an act of indiscretion that almost brought fatal results. Forgetful of the darkness, she gave vent to a little protesting shriek, fearing that the eyes of the captain had witnessed the pretty transgression. Lorry laughed as he sprang to the road and turned to assist her in alighting. She promptly and thoughtfully averted the danger his gallantry presented by ignoring the outstretched hands, discernible as slender shadows protruding from an object a shade darker than the night, and leaped boldly to the ground.

With Lorry in the center, the trio walked off rapidly in the darkness, the fugitive with the sense of fear that belongs only to a blind man. A little light far ahead told the position of the gate, and for this they bent their steps. Reaching the gate, the captain pounded vigorously, and a sleepy monk soon peered from the little window through which shone the light.

"On important business with the abbot, from her royal highness the Princess Yetive," said Quinnox in response to a sharp query, spoken in the Graustark tongue. A little gate beside the big one opened, and the monk, lantern in hand, bade them enter.

"Await me here, captain," commanded the slim, straight soldier, with face turned from the light. A moment later the gate closed, and Lorry was behind the walls of St. Valentine's, a prisoner again. The monk preceded them across the dark court toward the great black mass, his lantern creating ghastly shadows against the broken mist. His followers dropped some little distance behind, the tall one's arm stealing about the other's waist, his head bending to a level with hers.

"Is it to be goodbye, dearest?" he asked.

"Goodbye forever?"

"I cannot say that. It would be like wishing you dead. Yet there is no hope. No, no! We will not say goodbye—forever," she said despairingly.

"Won't you bid me hope?"

"Impossible! You will stay here until Quinnox comes to take you away. Then you must not stop until you are in your own land. We may meet again!"

"Yes, by my soul, we shall meet again! I'll do as you bid and all that, but I'll come back when I can stay away no longer. Go to your castle and look forward to the day that will find me at your feet again. It is bound to come."

They passed inside the massive doors and halted. "You must remain here until I have seen the prior," she said, laughing nervously and glancing down at the boots which showed beneath the long coat. Then she hastily followed the monk, disappearing down the corridor. In ten minutes—ten hours to Lorry—she returned with her guide.

"He will take you to your room," she said breathlessly, displaying unmistakable signs of embarrassment. "Goodbye, and God be with you always. Remember, I love you."

The monk's back was turned, so the new recruit snatched the slight glimpse to his heart.

"Some day?" he whispered. She would not speak, but he held her until she nodded her head.

CHAPTER XX.

THE APPROACHING ORDEAL.

"THE American has escaped!" was the cry that spread through Edelweiss the next morning. It brought undisguised relief to the faces of thousands. There was not one who upbraided Baron Dangloss for his astounding negligence. Never before had a criminal escaped from the tower. The only excuse, uttered in woe-begone tone, was that the prison had not been constructed or manned for such clever scoundrels as Yankees—good name for audacity.

The full story of the daring break for liberty flashed from lip to lip during the day, and it was known all over the water swept city before noon. Baron Dangloss himself had gone to the prisoner's cell early in the morning, mystified by the continued absence of the guard. The door was locked, but from within came groans and cries. Alarmed at once, the captain procured duplicate keys and entered the cell. There he found the helpless, blood covered Oghot, bound hand and foot and almost dead from loss of blood. The clothes of the American were on the floor, while his own were missing, gone with the prisoner.

Oghot as soon as he was able related his experience of the night before. It was while making his rounds at midnight that he heard moans from the cell. Animated by a feeling of pity, he opened the slab door and asked if he were ill. The wretched American was lying on the bed, apparently suffering. He said something which the guard could not understand, but which he took to be a plea for assistance. Not suspecting a trick, the kindly guard unlocked the second door and stepped to the bedside only to have the sick man rise suddenly and deal him a treacherous blow over the head with the heavy stool he had secreted behind him. Oghot knew nothing of what followed, so effective was the blow. When he regained consciousness, he was lying on the bed just as the captain had found him. The poor fellow, overwhelmed by the enormity of his mistake, begged Dangloss to shoot him at once. But Dangloss had him conveyed to the hospital ward and tenderly cared for.

Three guards in one of the offices saw a man whom they supposed to be Oghot pass from the prison shortly after 12, and the mortified chief admitted that some one had gone through his private apartment. As the prisoner had taken Oghot's keys, he experienced little difficulty in getting outside the gates. But, vowed Dangloss stormily, he should be recaptured if it required the efforts of all the policemen in Edelweiss. The chagrin of the grim old captain, who had never lost a prisoner, was pitiful to behold.

The forenoon was half over before Harry Anguish heard of his friend's escape. To say that he was paralyzed would be putting it much too mildly. There is no language that can adequately describe his sensations. Forgetting his bodyguard, he tore down the street toward the prison, wild with anxiety and doubt. He met Baron Dangloss, tired and worn, near the gate, but the old officer could tell him nothing except what he had learned from Oghot. Of one thing there could be no doubt—Lorry was gone. Not knowing where to turn or what to do, Anguish raced off to the castle, his bodyguard having located him in the meantime. He was more in need of their protection than ever.

At the castle gates he encountered a party of raving Axphainians, crazed with anger over the flight of the man whose life they had thirsted for so ravenously. Had he been unprotected Anguish would have fared badly at their hands, for they were outspoken in their assertions that he had aided Lorry in the escape. One fiery little fellow cast a glove in the American's face and expected a challenge. Anguish snapped his fingers and sarcastically invited the insolent to meet him next winter in a battle with snowballs, upon which the aggressor blasphemed in three languages and 300 gestures. Anguish and his men passed inside the gates, which had been barred to the others, and struck out rapidly for the castle doors.

The Princess Yetive was sleeping soundly, peacefully, with a smile on her lips, when her prime minister sent an excited attendant to inform her of the prisoner's escape. She sat up in bed, and with her hands clasped about her knees, sleepily announced that she would receive him after her coffee was served. Then she summoned her maids.

Her uncle and aunt, the Countess Dagmar (whose merry brown eyes were so full of pretended dismay that the princess could scarcely restrain a smile), and Gaspon, the minister of finance, were waiting her appearance. She heard the count's story of the escape, marveled at the prisoner's audacity and firmly announced that everything possible should be done to apprehend him. With a perplexed frown on her brow and a dubious twist to her lips, she said:

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"Certainly!" exclaimed her uncle. "About 50 gavvos, uncle?" "Fifty?" cried the two men, agast. "Isn't that enough?" "For the murderer of a prince?" demanded Gaspon. "It would be absurd, your highness. He is a most important person."

"Quite so. He is a most important person. I think I'll offer 5,000 gavvos." "More like it. He is worth that, at least," agreed Uncle Caspar. "Beyond a doubt," sanctioned Gaspon.

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"Would it not be better to say 'delivers Grenfall Lorry to the tower?'" submitted Gaspon.

"You may say 'to the undersigned' and sign my name," she said reflectively.

"Very well, your highness. They shall be struck off this morning."

"In large type, Gaspon. You must catch him if you can," she added. "He is a very dangerous man, and royalty needs protection." With this wise bit of caution she dismissed the subject and began to talk of the storm.

As the two young plotters were hastening up the stairs later on an attendant approached and informed the princess that Mr. Anguish requested an audience.

"Conduct him to my boudoir," she said, her eyes sparkling with triumph. In the seclusion of the boudoir she and the countess laughed like children over the reward that had been so solemnly ordered.

"Five thousand gavvos!" cried Dagmar, leaning back in her chair to emphasize the delight she felt. "What a joke!"

Tap, tap, came a knock on the door, and in the same instant it flew open, for Mr. Anguish was in a hurry. As he plunged into their presence a pair of heels found the floor spasmodically.

"Oh, I beg pardon!" he gasped as if about to fly. "May I come in?"

"Not unless you go outside. You are already in, it seems," said the princess, advancing to meet him. The countess was very still and sedate. "I had you have come."

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7:30 pm—1 St. Louis, Memphis, Fort Worth
7:45 am—3 Cannon Ball (St. L., N. O., El Paso) 8:40 am
7:45 pm—5 Cannon Ball (St. L., El Paso) 8:30 pm

SOUTH-BOUND.
11:00 am—7 From Willis Point
2:55 pm—9 Dallas-Min'l Wells. 3:00 pm
5:15 am—11 Dallas-Ft. Worth
5:30 pm—13 Dallas-Ft. Worth
6:50 am—103 Dallas-Ft. Worth

EAST-BOUND.
2 St. L. Memphis-New Orleans 8:10 am
4:15 pm—4 Colo., Memphis, St. Louis, N. Orleans. 5:30 pm
7:00 am—6 Cannon Ball (El Paso to St. Louis). 7:45 am
8:10 am—8 To Willis Points 8:20 pm
10:15 am—10 Min. Wells-Dallas. 10:30 am
12 Dallas Local 11:30 am
14 Dallas Local 4:20 pm
102 To Dallas 9:30 pm

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NORTH-BOUND.
Arrive. No. Depart.
8:35 pm—83 North Texas Lim'd
7:00 am—85 Mail and Express
11:50 am—93 Local Freight and Passenger

SOUTH-BOUND.
84 South Texas Lim'd (Houston-Galves'n) 9:20 am
86 Mail and Express (Houston-Galves'n) 7:45 pm
94 Local Freight and Passenger (Ennis) 1:05 pm
*Daily except Sunday.

FORT WORTH AND DENVER CITY
NORTH-BOUND.
Arrive. No. Depart.
1 Mail and Express (Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Denver) 9:45 am
3 Wichita Falls Acc. 6:00 pm
7 Colorado Express 11:10 pm

SOUTH-BOUND.
5:10 pm—2 Mail and Express
9:55 am—4 Ft. Worth Accommodation
6:00 am—8 Texas Express

INTERNATIONAL & GREAT NORTH-ERN
NORTH-BOUND.
Arrive. No. Depart.
8:55 pm—2 Mail and Express

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