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LIVESTOCK MARKET

FAIRLY LIBERAL RUN OF CATTLE CAME IN TODAY.

Steers in Light Numbers, Active and Steady—Demand for Cows a Shade Better, Selling Active and Steady. Calves Suffer Big Decline.

RUN OF HOGS ON THE MARKET RATHER LIGHT AGAIN.

Quality Was on an Average and With Good Demand Early Sales Active and Steady—Later Market Ruled 5 Lower.

LIGHT SUPPLY OF SHEEP FOUND PRICES STEADY.

RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Today	3,000	350	100
Last month	1,397	220	250
Same day 1903	1,295	345	...

Official Receipts Yesterday.

Cattle	1,929
Hogs	658
Horses and mules	75

Range of Selling Prices Today.

CATTLE—Steers, top $2.90, bulk $2.00@2.75. Cows, top $2.50, bulk $1.50@2.10. Calves, top $4.00, bulk $3.00@3.75.

HOGS—Top $5.60, bulk $5.50@5.60.

SHEEP—Bulk $3.25, lambs $5.00.

THE CATTLE TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Steers—Good to strict choice	$3 00@3 75
Medium fed	2 50@3 00
Stockers and feeders	2 00@2 50
Yearlings	1 25@2 25
Cows—Choice heavy fed	2 25@2 50
Medium butcher	2 00@2 25
Cutters	1 75@2 00
Canners	1 00@1 75
Bulls, stags and oxen	1 50@3 00
Calves—Medium to fancy	3 50@4 50
Common to fair	1 50@3 25

Receipts of cattle today again amounted to a fairly liberal run. Only thirty-seven cars were in at the opening, and later arrivals were quite liberal and total receipts, including those driven in, were estimate at 2,500, against 1,495 for last Thursday, 1,397 for the same Thursday in August, and 1,295 for the corresponding day one year ago.

BEEF STEERS.

Steers arrived in light numbers today; mostly feeders and medium grades.

There was an active demand from packers for all grades good enough for slaughter, and trading ruled steady. There was an exceptional good demand from feeder buyers for the lighter end of the supply, especially where they had quality, and the selling showed some advance over a week ago.

Receipts of steers have been unusually small so far this week, and traders as a rule are looking forward to some reaction in values.

Good to choice heavy fed steers are quoted at a range of from $3.00@3.75, medium fed from $2.50@3.00, stockers and feeders $2.00@2.50, and yearlings $1.25@2.25.

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.
29	1000	2 90
25	999	2 90
25	974	2 90
25	922	2 75
4	845	2 50
1	870	2 50
1	890	2 50
6	701	2 25
2	625	2 25
5	950	2 25
13	836	2 25
7	802	2 25
2	690	2 15
1	600	2 00
17	626	1 90
8	643	1 90
2	510	1 60

BUTCHER STOCK.

The supply of butcher stock was liberal today and composed the bulk of the supply. The run was common to medium, with a good many mixed loads. The demand if anything was a shade better and selling ruled active and steady. Both packers and city butchers were in the saddle early looking for butcher stock, and a fairly good clearance was made by noon at a range of from $1.50@2.25.

Good to choice fed cows and heifers are quoted at a range of from $2.25@2.50, medium butchers $2.00@2.25, cutters $1.75@2.00, and canners $1.00@1.75.

The small supply of bulls was mostly of feeder grades and selling ruled about steady, around $1.75.

Bulls, stags and oxen are quoted for common to choice at a range of from $1.50@3.00.

Cows.		
30	550	2 50
42	908	2 25
11	735	2 20
23	774	2 20
15	635	2 15
18	886	2 15
6	822	2 10
2	828	2 10
71	995	2 00
6	871	2 00
30	815	2 00
1	743	2 00
37	875	2 00
16	910	1 90
18	763	1 85
22	844	1 85
18	737	1 85
	797	1 85
30	762	1 80
22	747	1 75
18	760	1 75
25	688	1 70
14	664	1 65
10	817	1 65
1	860	1 60
7	844	1 60
4	797	1 60
9	823	1 50
5	700	1 50
15	710	1 50
1	1010	1 50
15	761	1 50
2	940	1 40
27	689	1 35
1	700	1 25
3	783	1 25
8	686	1 25
1	820	1 25
2	895	1 25
2	720	1 25
7	665	1 25
23	632	1 25
11	720	1 25
Heifers.		
37	730	2 10
24	566	1 90
6	686	1 75
19	510	1 70
28	494	1 70
11	548	1 65
8	487	1 65
15	525	1 60
7	511	1 35
Bulls.		
9	1085	1 75
1	840	1 95
2	1220	1 75
2	1245	1 75
2	970	1 75
1	1110	1 75
2	1005	1 75
1	1190	1 75
1	1090	1 75
1	670	1 50

CALVES.

Early receipts of calves were light, but increased to a liberal supply later in the day. The quality was not as good as that of yesterday and this, with lower markets at Northern points, caused a weaker trade here and the general market ruled from 25 to 50c, and in some cases 75c lower than yesterday.

The quality today was not as good as that of yesterday, with top prices $4.00. The bulk of sales were at a range of from $3.25@3.75.

Good to choice vealers are quoted at a range of from $3.25@4.25, with common to fair from $1.50@3.25.

17	238	4 00
64	206	4 00
4	200	3 75
1	280	3 75
8	285	3 50
5	196	3 50
7	242	3 25
18	275	3 25
17	298	3 25
6	181	3 25
10	232	3 00
8	331	3 00
31	295	3 00
26	220	3 00
2	275	3 00
2	325	3 00
21	325	3 00
1	190	3 00
17	207	2 75
21	280	2 75
1	420	2 50
4	222	2 25
1	290	2 00
3	240	1 75
7	390	1 60
7	326	1 50

THE HOG TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Choice sorted	$5 45@5 60
Mixed packers	5 35@5 50
Lights	5 30@5 50
Pigs	3 50@4 75
Stags and roughs	3 50@4 50

Supplies of hogs today were again light. Hardly enough came in to make a market. Five shipments arrived, some of which were only part loads, and total receipts were estimated to run not over 350 head, against 539 for last Thursday, 220 for the same Thursday in August, and 345 for the corresponding day one year ago.

The quality today was about on an average and with a good demand, early receipts sold active and fully steady with yesterday. The best of the supply arrived on the late market, and in spite of the fact that other markets came in quoting stronger, buyers laid down, claiming they would not pay over Kansas City tops, and the closing trade ruled 5c lower.

Hogs averaging from 231 to 302 lbs. topped the market today at $5.60. These were among early sales, however, and the best bid received on better hogs arriving late was $5.55. These finally sold at $5.60, which was considered, taking quality into consideration, 5c lower than the early market.

Good to choice sorted hogs are quoted at a range of from $5.45@5.60, mixed packers $5.35@5.50, light grades $5.30@5.50, pigs $3.50@4.75, and boars, stags and roughs from $3.50@4.50.

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.
Hogs.		
1	160	4 50
71	235	5 60
25	221	5 50
45	208	5 52½
15	302	5 60
37	317	5 60
13	252	5 60
11	237	5 60
Pigs.		
10	115	4 85

THE SHEEP TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Lambs	$3 50@5 00
Wethers	3 00@4 00
Ewes	2 50@3 50
Culls	1 50@2 50

Receipts of sheep amounted to less than 100 head. The quality was medium to good, and with a fair demand from packers, trading ruled steady. Sheep averaging 87 pounds sold at $3.25, with lambs and yearlings averaging from 82 to 100 pounds, at $5.00.

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.
Sheep.		
27	87	3 25
2 culls	87	2 00
Lambs.		
4	82	5 00
5 yearlings	100	5 00
40	42	4 75

HORSES AND MULES

Horses.	
Drafts, good	$140@150
Chunks, good	75@130
Drivers, good to fancy	75 up
Drivers, medium	55@ 75
Southerners, common to fair	35@ 50
Southerners, good to extra	75@100
Plugs	15@ 20
Rangers, plain	10@ 30
Choice range horses	50@ 75
Mules.	
13½ to 14 hands, fat	$ 50@ 60
14 to 14½ hands, fat	75@ 85
14½ to 15 hands, fat	90@120
15 to 15½ hands, fat	125@140
15½ to 16 hands, fat with quality	145@160
16 to 16½ hands, extra, 1,200 to 1,500	165@175

RECEIPTS AT THE YARDS TODAY.

Cattle.	
W. W. Hanna, Alvord	31
J. S. Day, Rhome	27
J. M. Word, Falfurrias	69
N. L. Word, Falfurrias	29
R. E. Word, Falfurrias	79
J. L. Brigman, Roanoke	25
C. C. Carroll, Auvant	35
E. D. Harrington, Odessa	69
Grasenbacker & Daugherty, San Antonio	61
W. B. Cowen, Bluffdale	33
Masgor & Smith, Bowie	52
Conagill, Seymour	37
Jno. Budger, Vernon	30
J. M. Hindley, Giles	90
Wimbly & Gibson, Paradise	38
R. B. Taylor, Park Springs	29
Boedecker & Young, Bowie	54
W. A. Eakin & Co., Ryan	160
H. Kennedy, Waurika	31
J. W. Martin, Duncan	149
E. R. Crockett, Brady	112
T. W. Jenkins, Winchell	46
Lacy & Tucker, Blanket	46
J. E. Wamsley, Dublin	68
O. J. Huffman, Pauls Valley	29
Penner & Kuykendall, Mill Creek, I.T.	50
Arnett & Smith, Roscoe	70
J. F. Skinner, Sweetwater	30
W. R. Bigham, Eskota	73
C. M. Largent, Merkel	74
J. T. Wright, Abilene	70
A. L. Biggerstaff, Putnam	44
J. M. Cunningham, Putnam	72
Green & Lightfoot, Eastland	33
Addison, Colorado	108
Russell, Colorado	104
Hogs.	
J. T. Teel, Frisco	45
W. W. Hanna, Alvord	15
H. W. W., Paris	95
Masgor & Smith, Bowie	26
Fielding & Margrave, Petty	79
Sheep.	
J. T. Teel, Frisco	40
W. W. Hanna, Alvord	27

BUYERS ON YESTERDAY'S MARKET

Cattle.	
Armour & Co.	578
Swift & Co.	228
Wilson	10
Farmer	73
Duncan	12
Sutherland	36
Bob	10
Saunders	145
Miller	14
Fidler	34
H. & D.	13
Payne	26
Burns	36
Calves.	
Swift & Co.	485
Armour & Co.	287
Hogs.	
Swift & Co.	337
Armour & Co.	278
Gray	19
M. T. Johnson, Marietta, I. T.	61

The Russian Soldier's Rations.

The daily rations of a Russian soldier in the field are two and one-half pounds of bread or one and three-quarter pounds of biscuit, one pound of meat and, for making soup, four ounces of barley groats, three-quarters of an ounce of dried vegetables and three ounces of flour. Then salt, pepper, tea and sugar are given out in the usual quantity.—Chicago Journal.

Traced.

The Prima Donna—Why don't you give the part to my daughter? She sings beautifully. She has inherited my voice. Manager Conn—That so? I've often wondered what became of your voice.—Detroit Free Press.

Two Truths.

"One of the most important things in life, my son," said the father, "is to know when to grasp an opportunity." "And another," said the wise son, "is to know when to let go of it, I suppose."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Cold Baths Versus Drunkenness.

In the course of a discussion at the sanitary congress Mr. Weaver declared that it was almost impossible for any one taking a cold bath every morning to become a habitual drunkard.—London Telegraph.

Hogo Returns.

Harold—Did your charity ball realize anything for charity? Dolly—Well, rather. Old Jabez Gotrox sat in a draft, got pneumonia, died next day and left $10,000 to an orphan asylum.—[illegible]

DIPPING RULES PUZZLE

MODIFIED ORDERS ARE UNCERTAIN IN MEANING.

Confusion Seems to Arise Over the Terms "Stockers" and "Feeders." How Orders Read.

Cattlemen in that portiion of the range country where mange or scabies exists, says the Dallas News, are at something of a loss to interpret the late modification of the dipping rules as promulgated by Dr. D. E. Salmon, chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry. A request wired to Washington for additional informatiion brought the following response from E. B. Jones, acting chief: "Inspectors in range states were authorized to permit shipments of feeders on inspection at point of shipment if free from disease and not known to have mingled with diseased cattle. This applies to animals shipped to feed lots or stock yards, but not to cattle for stockers or to be again on the range. Cattle for stockers or to go upon the range to be handled in conformity with order No. 123 and amendment 1."

Amendment 1 to order 123 reads as follows: "All cattle that are to be shipped from an infected locality into another state or territory for stocking or feeding purposes must be inspected and dipped twice if showing disease, and be dipped once if not showing disease, on account of exposure to contagion." It is also provided that the one dipping in the case of cattle found free from disease must be made under the supervision of representatives of the Bureau of Animal Industry and within three days of the date of shipment.

Cattlemen complain that the advices from Mr. Jones shed no real light on the situation. The confusion seems to have arisen over the terms "stockers" and "feeders." Nearly all the cattle that go out from the range country might properly be designated as stockers, nearly all of them are taken to the country and put on grass at this season of the year, and later finished for market in the feed lots at this season of the year.

According to the interpretation placed upon the dipping modification by employes of the Bureau of Animal Industry, the situation is practically what it was before. The only way to get the stuff out is to stand the trouble and expense of dipping them, and under the supervision of an employe of the Bureau of Animal Industry. State inspection will not answer. The new order permits the cattle to be dipped, and to have the work done at stock yards instead of at the point of origin, but they can not be sold to go to the country for feeding purposes later until they have been dipped. All the big market centers in which cattle are usually congregated for sale to feeders are kicking at the recent regulations, and further efforts will be made to have the situation adjusted upon a more satisfactory basis.

ABOUT THE STOCK YARDS TODAY.

A. R. McGonagle sold 13 steers from Seymour. They averaged 837 and sold at $2.25.

M. T. Johnson of Marietta, I. T., brought in 51 hogs, average 345, that sold at $5.60.

Penner & Kuykendall of Mill Creek, I. T., had in 50 steers that sold at $2.90. They averaged 987.

J. T. Day was on the market from Rhome with 25 steers. They averaged 921 and sold at $2.75.

John Bridger of Seymour was on the market with 30 cows. They averaged 762 and sold at $1.80.

E. R. Crockett of Brady sold 64 calves, average 206, at $4.00. Also 30 cows, average 743, at $2.00.

H. D. Scott of Seymour marketed 7 steers, average 802, that sold at $2.25. Also 8 cows, average 686, at $1.25.

W. W. Hanna of Alvora sent in a mixed shipment of cattle, hogs and sheep which sold to his satisfaction.

F. W. Jenkins of Brownwood came in with 17 cows, averaging 790, that sold at $1.85. Also 17 calves, average 298, at $3.25.

J. M. Bigham sold 15 cows from Roanoke. They averaged 886 and sold at $2.15. Also 7 cows, average 844, at $1.60.

H. M. Lightfoot of Eastland was on the market with 23 cows, average 632, that sold at $1.25. Also 33 cows, average 721, at $1.90.

W. A. Eakin sent in 57 calves from Ryan, I. T., that sold at $3.00. They averaged 261. Also 42 cows, average 735, at $2.20; 27 cows, average 689, at $1.35.

GENERAL NOTES.

A Western flockmaster presents the idea that in the future shipments of range lambs will be more largely of the fat grades, due to the fact that rangemen are breeding up their stock so well.

Jas. T. Day of Rhome, the well known breeder of high grade and full blood Shorthorns, closed a trade today for a drove of high grade 2 and 3-year-old steers to George Simpson of Fort Worth at private terms.

A big Iowa farmer, after experimenting with different classes of farm help, has come to the conculsion that only university students or graduates from some college make the best workers. But the question arises, how much of that class of workmen could be secured.

Iowa farmers will feed more sheep this year than ever before. Recently at Marshalltown 4,000 head of yearling wethers that were bought in New Mexico were distributed among the farmers of that state.

part, and they soon will receive another big shipment from New Mexico.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKET REPORTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Chicago	8,500	11,000	15,000
Kansas City	7,000	6,000	3,000
St. Louis	4,000	4,500	3,500
	19,500	21,500	21,500

Chicago.

Special to The Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, Sept. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts 8,500. Market steady. Beeves $3.75@6.15, cows and heifers $1.50@4.25, stockers and feeders $2.00@3.50.

HOGS — Receipts 11,000. Market strong. Top $5.95, bulk $5.35@5.60. Mixed and butchers $5.35@5.85, good to choice heavy $5.35@5.75, lights $5.40@5.95, pigs $3.50@5.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 15,000. Steady.

Kansas City.

Special to The Reporter.

Kansas City, Sept. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts 7,000. Market steady. Beeves $3.50@6.00, cows and heifers $1.50@4.50, Texas and Westerns $2.00@5.50.

HOGS—Receipts 6,000. Market 5 to 10 higher. Top $5.57½, bulk $5.40@5.50. Mixed and butchers $5.40@5.55, good to choice heavy $5.35@5.45, lights $5.40@5.57½, pigs $2.50@5.10.

SHEEP—Receipts 3,000. Strong.

St. Louis.

Special to The Reporter.

National Stockyards, Sept. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts 4,000, Texas 2,500. Market steady. Texas steers $2.25@3.40, cows and heifers $1.75@2.50.

HOGS — Receipts 4,500. Market strong. Pigs and lights $5.25@5.90, packers $5.45@5.75, butchers $5.70@5.85.

SHEEP—Receipts 3,500. Steady.

POOR BENSON.

He's Sorry Now That He Mentioned the Ham at All.

Mr. Benson declares that hereafter he is going to tell the straight truth, no matter how badly it may hurt the other fellow. That is a form of cruelty from which Benson hitherto has thoughtfully refrained. His wife has benefited most frequently by his considerate repression of facts. Indeed so careful has Benson always been of her feelings that he has not only withheld facts, but even has been known to substitute a positive untruth just to keep her from feeling badly. That was what he did just before she went to Boston. The morning she went away Mrs. Benson took Benson into the kitchen and showed him the ice box.

"I know," she said, "how you dislike eating in restaurants, so I have left enough provisions cooked to last you for several days. Here are cakes, preserved fruits, salads and a boiled ham. You can make your own coffee and by boiling potatoes whenever you feel hungry for them you will be spared the horror of restaurant fare for at least a week."

Benson surveyed his well stocked commissariat with pangs of incipient dyspepsia. The prospect of dining alone on cold viands and boiled potatoes offered but few more attractions than a course in public eating houses, but his habitual regard for Mrs. Benson's feelings prevented his saying so. On the contrary, he thanked her effusively for her tender thoughtfulness.

"That ham," said he, "looks particularly fine. I am anxious to get at it now. I shan't step a foot inside of a restaurant so long as there is a scrap of it left."

Mrs. Benson beamed with the happiness of the well doer whose deeds of kindness are appreciated by the recipient.

"I thought you would like it," she said.

The next day when writing from Boston Mrs. Benson appended a postcript to her six page letter.

"How is the ham?" she asked.

In reply to this query Benson wrote: "The ham is delicious. I eat it for breakfast and for dinner. Yesterday I happened to be in this neighborhood at lunch time, and—will you believe me—I couldn't bear to go down town again without a bite of that ham, so I came in and had a snack. You were a trump to leave me so well provided for."

In her next letter Mrs. Benson asked, "Have you any ham left?"

Thenceforward Benson forwarded to Boston daily bulletins of the state of the ham market. For the most part this information was conveyed in letters and postal cards, but on the tenth day he rushed into telegraphic activity. That morning he had dumped four-fifths of the ham into the garbage can, so he wired, with a strict regard for truth:

"The ham is gone."

On the twelfth day after Mrs. Benson's departure Benson received an express package from Boston. Wonderingly he paid the charges of 75 cents and wonderingly he unwrapped the box.

"For the love of heaven!" groaned Benson, and resolved thenceforward to stick valiantly by the truth.

Mrs. Benson had sent him another ham.—New York Press.

Just Like A Woman.

Mrs. Scribbler (impressively)—Whatever you do, never marry a newspaper man.

School Chum—Why not?

"I married one, and I know. Every night my husband brings home a big bundle of newspapers from all over the country, and they almost drive me crazy."

"The newspapers?"

"Indeed they do. They are just crammed with the most astonishing bargains in stores a thousand miles away."

SPECIAL STOCK TRAINS

DENVER ROAD WILL RESUME SEMI-WEEKLY SERVICE.

Schedules Will Be Arranged to Accommodate as Many Live Stock Shippers as Possible.

Announcement was made Tuesday that within a few days the Denver road will again resume its regular semi-weekly cattle train service from Amarillo to this city, says the Fort Worth Record. This service is given by the Denver road every fall, winter and spring and has proven exceptionally popular.

The schedules, that are being arranged, will provide for special trains to leave Amarillo on Sundays and Wednesdays, arriving here in time for the opening markets on Mondays and Thursdays. The scheme employed by the Denver is for shippers of live stock to have their animals loaded prior to the arrival of the live stock specials, so that all the special will have to do is to pick up the cars as it makes its way to this city.

In addition to the running of the specials from Amarillo, arrangements are also being perfected whereby those shipping from north of Amarillo will be able to send their stock to that point by a fast schedule, having them arrive there in ample time to catch the specials.

"If the market for cattle right now was only half as good as are the cattle in the plains country, one would not hear a single cowman make a single kick," said General Live Stock Agent J. D. Shuford, of the Denver, yesterday, after he had announced the resumption of the special cattle train service. "Grass over the entire plains country is simply fine and the cattle are rolling fat. The outlook for the winter months could not be brighter and the only depressing thing with the cowman is the market.

"I believe that this train will be well patronized. I believe that today the Fort Worth market for fat cows is the best in this country. What tomorrow will bring forth, however, is something that no man can say. One thing is certain and that is there is no surplus of cattle in the Panhandle, but there are enough cattle belonging to the nesters alone to supply a considerable portion of the demands of this market."

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Prices to Sellers.

POULTRY—Hens, per doz.	$3.00
Fryers, per doz.	$2.50
Broilers, per doz.	$1.75
DUCKS—Per doz	$5.50
EGGS—Per doz	10c
BUTTER—Per lb., yellow	15c to 20c

GRAIN AND HAY.

Prices Paid to Farmers.

HAY—Johnson Grass, wagons ton	$8.00
Prarie Texas, ton	$8.50
Prairie, Territory, per ton	$7.50
OATS—Per bushel	37@40c
WAGON WHEAT—Per bushel	$1.05

Vegetables.

CABBAGE—Per pound	2½c
ONIONS—Per pound	2c
PEACHES—Crate	75c@$1.00
APPLES—Per bushel	75c@$1.50
APPLES, green, per bbl.	$5.00
BEETS—Doz. bunches	25c
BEANS—Per bushel	$2.00
POTATOES—(New) bushel	$1.00@1.10
SWEET POTATOES—Per bu.	75c@$1.50
ROASTING EARS—Per doz.	12½c
CANTELOUPES—Per doz.	35@40c
COWFIELD PEAS—Per bushel	40c
EGG PLANT—Dozen	50c

HIDES.

Prices Paid Shippers.

Heavy Dry Beef	15c
Heavy Dry Fallen	13c
Lights	11c
Dry Salt	9½c
Green	7c
Green heavy, 40 lbs and up	6½c
Green, light, under 40 lbs	5½c

PROVISIONS.

From the Store.

BACON—Standard	11½c
Extra	10½c
Dry Salt Standard	10½c
Dry Salt Bellies	11½c
Bacon Bellies	12½c
HAMS—Medium	15c
Large	12½c
LARD—Leaf, in tierces	11c
50-pound cans	11½c
10-pound cans	12c
Compound, tierces	8c
10-pound cans	10c

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.

Selling Prices at Stores.

CUGAR—Granulated, pound	6c
Cut loaf and powdered, lb.	6½c
Yellow	5½c
MOLASSES—Sorghum, gallon	50c
Reboiled molasses	55c
Table syrup, gallon	65c
Louisiana Ribbon Cane	65c

STAPLE GROCERIES.

Selling Prices.

COFFEE—Roasted, pound	15c
RICE—Fancy, full grain	7c
Choice	6c
Prime	5c
FLOUR—High Patent	$2.75
Fancy Patent	$2.55
Third, or Straights	$2.35
SALT—No. 1 fine, bbl	$2.50

DAILY WEATHER FORECAST.

Weather Bureau, Fort Worth, Sept. 8.—Local weather forecast: Tonight and Friday—Generally fair.

WANTED TO TRADE—Furniture for a horse. R. E. LEWIS FURNITURE CO., on the square, west of court house.

WANTED TO FEED—I want to contract to feed out 1,000 head of cattle. I have first-class pens, troughs, and water, in ½ mile of the stock yards. See or write M. L. FULLER, Stock Yards, Fort Worth.

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Open Your Eyes.

The habit of going through the world with the eyes shut is an inveterate one, common in all times. In old time the prophets and the great Teacher himself reproached their disciples with this failing. "Eyes have ye, and see not," said they. True, it was a failure to perceive spiritual truth in their case. All our faculties, bodily, mental, spiritual, are given to us for use, and we are held to be responsible for neglect of them, as was that servant in the parable who went and hid in the earth that talent that his lord had entrusted to him. Sufficient stress is not laid upon the use and abuse of our bodily faculties or the neglect of them. Do but consider how much pleasure we debar ourselves from when we shut up this the chief of Five Gateways of Knowledge. How beautiful is the world in the cool, clear, luminous air of early dawn, and yet how many, think you, have ever stopped to take in that beauty, if they by chance have been abroad at that hour?—Exchange.

British Military Bulls.

It has often been demonstrated that the schoolmaster is needed among the British officers. Some queer, quaint efforts at composition have been made in brigade orders. A certain major ordained not long ago this: "Reveille will be at 3:30 a. m. The brigade will parade at 4 a. m. The brigade will move at 4:15 a. m. The sun will rise at 5 a. m." It was during the guerrilla war of 1901-02, after the building of the blockhouses, that it became necessary to check the habit of the men of sleeping outside the blockhouses for the sake of coolness and comfort. A certain staff officer thereupon issued the following quaint order: "No one is permitted to sleep outside the blockhouses except the sentries." Though the intention of this order is clear, its phraseology is not. "Men on outpost duty are forbidden to strike matches on the sky line."

Gorgeous Gowns.

During the reign of King George I. Lord Hervey, a cultured man, gave this description of the fine dress of a distinguished woman: "The Duchess of Queensberry's clothes pleased me most. They were white satin embroidered, the bottom of the petticoat brown hills, covered with all sorts of weeds, and every breadth had an old stump of a tree that ran up almost to the top of the petticoat, broken and ragged and worked with brown chenille, round which twined nasturtiums, ivy, honeysuckles, periwinkles, convolvuluses and all sorts of twining vines, which spread and covered the petticoat. Many of the leaves were finished in gold, and part of the stumps of the trees looked like the gilding of the sun."

The First Iron Bridge.

The first iron bridge ever erected in the world and which is in constant use at the present time spans a little river in the county of Salop, on the railroad leading from Shrewsbury to Worcester, England. It was built in the year 1778 and is exactly ninety-six feet in length. The total amount of iron used in its construction was 378 tons. Stephenson, the great engineer, in writing concerning it, said, "When we consider the fact that the casting of iron was at that time in its infancy, we are convinced that unblushing audacity alone could conceive and carry into execution such an undertaking."

A Curious Superstition.

The ancients believed that the marrow of the human backbone often transformed itself into a serpent. Pliny ("Natural History," volume 10, page 86) says that the marrow of a man's backbone will breed to a snake. The Chinese (Worde's "Eastern Travels") burned the backbone to "destroy serpents that might hatch therefrom."

Twinkling Stars Mean Bad Weather.

I have constantly observed at sea that steadily burning stars indicated calm, fair weather, and the more they twinkled the worse the weather was likely to be. The forecast given by this variation in scintillating was almost invariably correct in the high latitudes, though it failed sometimes in the tropics.—Nature.

Ever curse yourself for being a fool? If you never did, you do not know yourself.—Atchison Globe.

BELL AND BROWNS.

General Grant and His Men Took Up Task of Forcing Them.

Gainesville, Va., Sept. 8.—General U. S. Grant and his men took up the task at midnight Tuesday night of forcing General Bell and his Brown army through Thoroughfare Gap. The fighting did not begin at that hour, but re-

GENERAL SHERMAN BELL.

alignment of position and assuming new ones occupied both armies until daylight Wednesday morning. The imaginary reinforcements of the Blue army arrived during Tuesday night from Fairfax Courthouse and were placed on General Grant's left. General Bell was officially notified of the arrival of these reinforcements. He also ascertained the fact through his scouts.

REPUBLICAN GAIN.

Democrats Lose All State Senators and Ten Representatives.

White River Junction, Vt., Sept. 8.—With eleven towns out of 246 cities and towns to be heard from and later and revised returns up to noon Wednesday indications were the Republicans carried Vermont by a plurality in the neighborhood of 31,000. This is a Republican gain over 1900, when the plurality at the state election was 31,312. Total figures for all but eleven towns give Charles J. Bell, Republican, 46,815, and Eli N. Porter, Democrat, 15,969, or a plurality of 30,836 for Mr. Bell. The vote for congressmen ran slightly behind that for the head of the state ticket, Congressmen Kittredge, Haskins and David J. Foster being reelected. Latest reports indicate the next state senate will be solidly Republican, the Democrats losing their present five seats and Democrats also lose about ten representatives.

BELL TO PRESIDENT.

Wires Vermont Points Way to Victory For Republican Ticket.

Walden, Vt., Sept. 8.—Charles J. Bell, the successful candidate for governor in Tuesday's election, sent the following message to President Roosevelt: "Tuesday's over 30,000 plurality in Vermont points the way to victory for Roosevelt and Fairbanks in November."

BULK NEAR MUKDEN.

Russian Troops Said to Be Camping Around City.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.—The bulk of the Rusian Manchurian army is near Mukden, where, it now appears, General Kuropatkin has been since Monday. His troops, it is understood, while not entering the city, are taking up prepared positions around Mukden. While there is no specific information on this point, the general staff believe only a small rear guard is in the neighborhood of Yental. No further fighting of importance is expected south of Mukden. The critical stage is regarded as having passed, and the announcement was made that the war office would no longer give out two bulletins each day.

FIRST MEETING.

Preliminary Exercises of Knights Templars Held Wednesday Morning.

San Francisco, Sept. 8.—The preliminary meeting of the grand encampment of Knights Templars was held Wednesday morning. The opening address of welcome was delivered by Governor Pardee of California in behalf of the knights of the state. He was followed by Mayor Schmitz on behalf of the city of San Francisco. The routine business of the first meeting consisted of appointing committees to handle the many questions which will come before the body. The reports of officers on current events of the week and also upon the work of the last three years and were referred to committees.

The grand masters of the priory of England, Ireland and Wales are present as guests.

Slew Spouse and Self.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Rather than pay his wife, from whom he had been separated, $7 a week, as ordered by court, Joseph Regret, a porter employed in the wholesale store of Marshall, Field & Co., shot and killed her and then committed suicide.

Miss Margaret Wilson, niece of the secretary of agriculture, has started to Indian to do missionary work.

Cornerstone of the new $340,000 Young Men's Christian Association building at San Antonio has been laid.

Judge Seth Shepard of the District of Columbia court of appeals, is at Dallas.

At Chillicothe, Tex., Prof. E. McBay accidentally killed himself with his gun.

Roger Mills County Fair association holds its fair at Sayre, Okla., Sept. 28, 29 and 30.

J. S. Roberts, proprietor of the Midland hotel at Ponca City, was found dead in bed.

Arthur Butler died near Canton, Tex., from the effects of his horse throwing him.

Up to the 7th inst. Cement, Okla., had shipped 150 carloads of watermelons and cantaloupes.

There were 125,000 visitors to San Francisco Tuesday to witness parade of Knights Templars.

City National bank of Texarkana, Tex., capital stock $100,000, has been authorized to do business.

SMOKED HIM OUT.

Prisoner Was Taken Out of Jail and Strung Up.

Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 8.—After setting fire to the jail and smoking out the prisoner, while the fire department was held at bay with guns and the sheriff and his deputies and the soldiers outwitted, a mob, estimated at over 2000 people, lynched Horace Maples, the negro accused of murdering John W. Waldrop, by stringing him to a tree on the courthouse lawn Wednesday night. This action of the mob was taking, notwithstanding strong protests made by Solicitor Earl Pettus and H. Wallace, Jr., in stirring speeches in which law and order were pleaded for eloquently.

At 10:25 o'clock the jail was fired in the back part, burning fiercely, dense smoke spreading through the upper stories and cells of the building. The fire department was not allowed to approach with a block of the scene, and was driven away with bullets. The crowd on the outside would allow nobody to enter or come out until the person of Horace Maples was surrendered by the crowd.

PUSHED THROUGH.

Blue Forces Were Within Two Miles of Thoroughfare Gap.

Gainesville, Va., Sept. 8.—The first maneuver problem closed at noon Wednesday when General Grant's force pushed through the the left wing of General Bell. This put the Blue force within two miles of Thoroughfare Gap, the objective point. However, General Bell had Smith's brigade on the right and Barry's brigade on the left of his breach in his line, and Colonel Waggoner, chief umpire, draws no conclusions as to what might happen, had not hostilities ceased under the order previously issued by General Corban to cease hostilities at noon, so that the tired troops might be given relief.

General Lee and staff dined Wednesday night with Colonel Lyon of Texas. Thirty officers were present. General Lee highly complimented the Lone Star troops for their military knowledge.

ANIMAL HABITS.

Why Horses Have and Donkeys Have Not the Shying Habit.

Horses shy because they are descended from ancestors accustomed to roam over plains, where any tuft of grass or bush might conceal an enemy waiting to spring on them. Under these circumstances they must often have saved themselves by at once starting away on observing any sudden or unexpected movement or on coming without warning upon some strange object. This is supposed to have become a habit which has descended to their domesticated descendants.

The donkey, on the other hand, is descended from animals which dwelt in the hills, among which there were precipices and dangerous paths, hence the sure footedness and comparative slowness of the donkey. His ancestors were not so liable to sudden attacks of wild beasts and of snakes. Moreover, sudden and wild starts on alarm would have been positively dangerous to them. Hence they learned to avoid the very habit which proved so useful to the horse in the plains.

The habit of eating thistles, which is almost peculiar to the donkey, is also supposed to come from these same ancestors. Living in dry and barren localities, they found little food and hence learned to eat hard and dry and, if necessary, prickly plants.

Our Funny Bone.

The "funny" bone, or "crazy" bone, as it is commonly called, is in reality no bone at all, but a nerve, and its peculiar name, of facetious origin, is a pun on the word "humerus," the cylindrical bone which runs from the shoulder to the elbow, the ulnar nerve passing around it.

The nerve is here superficial and therefore comparatively unprotected, so that it may be easily compressed, and then a blow upon it causes a strange tingling sensation in the course of its distribution, which is felt as far away as the little finger. The humerus has been the occasion of humor in others, for Locker wittily writes in "An Old Muff," published about 1740:

He cannot be complete in aught
Who is not humorously prone.
A man without a merry thought
Can hardly have a funny bone.

A Lifetime's Eating.

Science Siftings tells us that if we could see the amount of food one would consume in a lifetime pass before us the sight would be quite appalling. If a man lived seventy years, he would consume during that time about 100 four pound loaves of bread a year, or a total of 7,000 substantial loaves. Of meat he would consume, if he ate all beef, forty bullocks; of potatoes, an average of 200 pounds per year. If he ate only two eggs a week, it would require about 7,000 eggs to feed him during his lifetime; of tea and coffee on an average a pint a day, or for a lifetime about 3,220 gallons.

What They Didn't Know About Air.

Health journals have been in existence time out of mind. One in particular in its day was widely accepted as an authority on all matters of hygiene. An item which appeared in this paper in 1874 says among other things that "It is safer to sleep in a bad air all night—that is, with the windows tightly closed—with a temperature over 50 than in a pure air with a temperature under 40."

Fatherly Conclusion.

Farmer Trefrog—What makes you think Daniel Webster wuz a smart man? Farmer Hoptoad—Waal, I've been readin' some of his speeches, an' they seem to agree purty thoroughly with Mary Jane's graduation essays.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Hard Hearted.

She—After all, George, I think a public wedding would be better. He—And give up the elopement? She—Yes. You see, papa has refused to lend us his automobile, so what's the use?—Judge.

Faithfulness in little things fits one for heroism when the great trials come.—Louisa M. Alcott.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 22543, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner, Raliegh McCart, Robt. McCart and S. E. Harrison, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: 320 acres, I. Shrum survey in Tarrant county, Texas, abstract No. 1397. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 24891, the State of Texas vs. H. C. Dixon and G. W. Alexander, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: E ½ lots 48 and 49 and N E ¼ lot 50, Morris and Bass' addition to Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

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By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 24593, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and T. R. Welch, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Lot 38 Eggleston's addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

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By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 24125, the State of Texas, vs. unknown owner, R. L. Rippy and J. R. Austin, I did on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Ten (10) acres of G. Garcia survey, abstract No. 614, tract No. 7 in Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 17895, the State of Texas vs. unknown heirs of W. B. Young, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: West 60 ft. of block 3 in Land 500 addition to city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 20235, the State of Texas vs. H. V. Burns and W. H. Ingalls, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: E. ½ lot 3, block 31, Original Town of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 25273, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and H. G. Bury, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: E. 60 feet lots 21 to 24, block 3, White's addition to city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon, and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue, for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff, Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas, in the District court, Tarrant county, Texas, October term, A. D. 1904. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county, Greeting: You are hereby commanded, that, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Tarrant eight weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon the unknown heirs of Timothy Carpenter, and the unknown heirs of John Hayter, whose residences are unknown, to be and appear before the District court, to be holden in and for the county of Tarrant, at the court house thereof, in the City of Fort Worth, on the second Monday in October, A. D. 1904, the same being the 10th day of said month, then and there to answer the petition of E. H. Theileman, as plaintiff, filed in said court, on the 9th day of August, A. D. 1904, against the unknown heirs of Timothy Carpenter and Miss Eliza Hayter, Sallie Harrison and her husband, Jonas B. Harrison and J. Fred Hayter, and unknown heirs of John Hayter, as defendants; said suit being numbered 23320, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff represents that heretofore, to-wit, on the 1st day of January, 1900, he was seized and possessed in fee simple title of the Willis W. Boone 93-acre survey of land, near Ederville, about 9 miles east of Fort Worth, in Tarrant county, Texas, and that upon said day and date the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and took possession thereof and are setting up claim thereto without lawful right or authority, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of $2,000. Wherefore plaintiff brings this suit to clear the title and for damages, and prays for citation and for decree divesting all right, title and interest which may ever have existed in the defendants, or any of them, out of said defendants, and fully vesting the same in the plaintiff, and quieting title in plaintiff, and for all costs, and for all other relief in law and equity to which he may show himself entitled. Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness, Jno. A. Martin, Clerk of the District Court of Tarrant county. Given under my hand and seal of said court in Fort Worth, the 10th day of August, A. D. 1904. (Seal.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

FORT WORTH RAILWAY SCHEDULE.

These trains at T. & P. Passenger Station, foot of Main street:

Rock Island System.

Depart.		Arrive.
8:30 am	Omaha and Mo. River	7:15 pm
9:00 pm	Kansas City, Chicago, Denver, Col. Springs and Pueblo Fast Ex..	7:10 am
Depart East	DALLAS LINE.	Arrive East
7:40 am	Mail and Express...	8:35 pm

Texas & Pacific Railway

Depart. East		Arrive. East
7:45 am	St. Louis Cannon Ball	7:45 pm
11:00 am	St. Louis Mail & Ex	4:45 pm
8:30 am	....Dallas Local....	5:15 am
10:00 am	Dallas & Wea'fd Local	3:25 pm
8:00 pm	....Dallas Local....	6:10 pm
3:45 pm	..Wills Point Local..	11:00 am
6:30 pm	St. Louis Mail & Ex.	9: am
Depart. West	Main Line West.	Arrive. West
8:20 pm	Colorado Mail & Ex..	7:00 am
3:30 pm	Weatherford Local..	9:45 am
9:45 am	..El Paso Express..	6:00 pm

Transcontinental Division via Sherman

Depart.		Arrive.
8:30 am	Texark. & St. Louis.	4:35 pm

FRISCO SYSTEM.

Red River, Texas & Southern Ry.

11:15 am	K.C.&St. L. Mail&Ex.	2:55 pm

Ft. W. & R. G. Ry.

3:15 pm	Brownwood M. & Ex.	10:55 am
2:00 am	..... Mixed	6:00 am

Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.

Depart.		Arrive.
	Denver, Colo. Springs	
9:45 am	and Pueblo Mail & Ex	5:10 pm
8:40 pm	... Amarillo Ex ...	7:25 am

Missouri, Kansas & Texas.

Depart. North		Arrive. North
8:35 am	... "Katy Flyer" ...	7:45 pm
11:20 am	..Mail and Express..	7:45 am
9:00 pm	..Mail and Express..	4:15 pm
7:45 pm	....Fair Special....	8:35 am
Depart. South		Arrive. South
8:15 pm	Hou. & Gal. &San Antonio, "Katy Flyer"	8:10 am
8:30 pm	.Houston Mail & Ex.	10:55 am
5:05 pm	.Houston Mail & Ex.	8:15 pm
9:00 am	....Fair Special....	7:20 pm

Cotton Belt Route.

Depart.		Arrive.
7:20 am	..Mail and Express..	5:50 pm
10:30 am	..Mail and Express..	5:30 pm
9:15 pm	..Mail and Express..	6:50 am

International & Great Northern Ry.

Depart.		Arrive.
7:30 am	Houston & San An.Ex	8:55 pm
3:40 pm	Austin " " "	12:45 pm

These trains at Santa Fe Station, Cor. 15th and Jones:

Gulf Colorado & Santa Fe Ry

Depart. North		Arrive. North
8:05 am	K. C.&Chi. Mail & Ex.	9:00 pm
8:30 pm	K C. & Chi. Fast Ex..	7:40 am
Depart. South		Arrive. South
7:55 am	Hou. & Gal. M. & Ex.	8:20 pm
9:10 pm	Hou. & San Antonio Gal. Mail & Ex.....	7:55 am

Houston & Texas Central Railroad.

8:10 am	Hou & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:23 pm
7:35 pm	Hou. & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:05 am
11:15 am	....Ennis Mixed....	11:10 am

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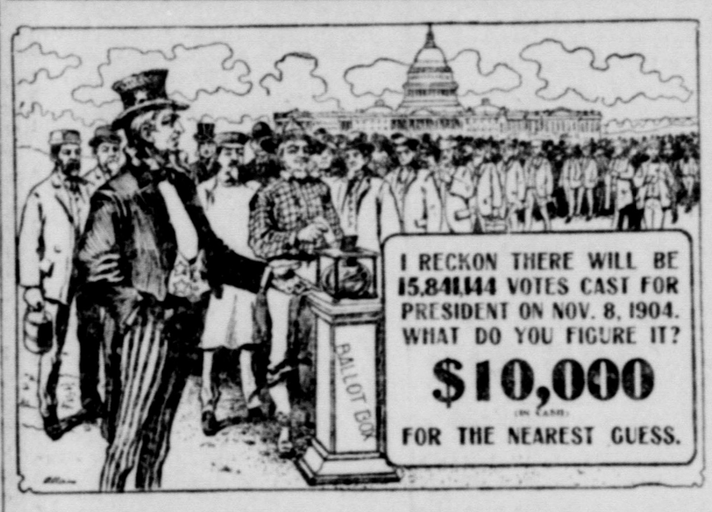

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1876, was.....	8,412,733	increase of	30.10 per cent.
1880, was.....	9,209,406	increase of	9.47 per cent.
1884, was.....	10,044,985	increase of	9.07 per cent.
1888, was.....	11,380,860	increase of	13.30 per cent.
1892, was.....	12,059,351	increase of	5.96 per cent.
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Open Your Eyes.

The habit of going through the world with the eyes shut is an inveterate one, common in all times. In old time the prophets and the great Teacher himself reproached their disciples with this failing. "Eyes have ye, and see not," said they. True, it was a failure to perceive spiritual truth in their case. All our faculties, bodily, mental, spiritual, are given to us for use, and we are held to be responsible for neglect of them, as was that servant in the parable who went and hid in the earth that talent that his lord had entrusted to him. Sufficient stress is not laid upon the use and abuse of our bodily faculties or the neglect of them. Do but consider how much pleasure we debar ourselves from when we shut up this the chief of Five Gateways of Knowledge. How beautiful is the world in the cool, clear, luminous air of early dawn, and yet how many, think you, have ever stopped to take in that beauty, if they by chance have been abroad at that hour?—Exchange.

British Military Bulls.

It has often been demonstrated that the schoolmaster is needed among the British officers. Some queer, quaint efforts at composition have been made in brigade orders. A certain major ordained not long ago this: "Reveille will be at 3:30 a. m. The brigade will parade at 4 a. m. The brigade will move at 4:15 a. m. The sun will rise at 5 a. m." It was during the guerrilla war of 1901-02, after the building of the blockhouses, that it became necessary to check the habit of the men of sleeping outside the blockhouses for the sake of coolness and comfort. A certain staff officer thereupon issued the following quaint order: "No one is permitted to sleep outside the blockhouses except the sentries." Though the intention of this order is clear, its phraseology is not. "Men on outpost duty are forbidden to strike matches on the sky line."

Gorgeous Gowns.

During the reign of King George I. Lord Hervey, a cultured man, gave this description of the fine dress of a distinguished woman: "The Duchess of Queensberry's clothes pleased me most. They were white satin embroidered, the bottom of the petticoat brown hills, covered with all sorts of weeds, and every breadth had an old stump of a tree that ran up almost to the top of the petticoat, broken and ragged and worked with brown chenille, round which twined nasturtiums, ivy, honeysuckles, periwinkles, convolvuluses and all sorts of twining vines, which spread and covered the petticoat. Many of the leaves were finished in gold, and part of the stumps of the trees looked like the gilding of the sun."

The First Iron Bridge.

The first iron bridge ever erected in the world and which is in constant use at the present time spans a little river in the county of Salop, on the railroad leading from Shrewsbury to Worcester, England. It was built in the year 1778 and is exactly ninety-six feet in length. The total amount of iron used in its construction was 378 tons. Stephenson, the great engineer, in writing concerning it, said, "When we consider the fact that the casting of iron was at that time in its infancy, we are convinced that unblushing audacity alone could conceive and carry into execution such an undertaking."

A Curious Superstition.

The ancients believed that the marrow of the human backbone often transformed itself into a serpent. Pliny ("Natural History," volume 10, page 86) says that the marrow of a man's backbone will breed to a snake. The Chinese (Worde's "Eastern Travels") burned the backbone to "destroy serpents that might hatch therefrom."

Twinkling Stars Mean Bad Weather.

I have constantly observed at sea that steadily burning stars indicated calm, fair weather, and the more they twinkled the worse the weather was likely to be. The forecast given by this variation in scintillating was almost invariably correct in the high latitudes, though it failed sometimes in the tropics.—Nature.

Ever curse yourself for being a fool? If you never did, you do not know yourself.—Atchison Globe.

BELL AND BROWNS.

General Grant and His Men Took Up Task of Forcing Them.

Gainesville, Va., Sept. 8.—General U. S. Grant and his men took up the task at midnight Tuesday night of forcing General Bell and his Brown army through Thoroughfare Gap. The fighting did not begin at that hour, but re-

GENERAL SHERMAN BELL.

alignment of position and assuming new ones occupied both armies until daylight Wednesday morning. The imaginary reinforcements of the Blue army arrived during Tuesday night from Fairfax Courthouse and were placed on General Grant's left. General Bell was officially notified of the arrival of these reinforcements. He also ascertained the fact through his scouts.

REPUBLICAN GAIN.

Democrats Lose All State Senators and Ten Representatives.

White River Junction, Vt., Sept. 8.—With eleven towns out of 246 cities and towns to be heard from and later and revised returns up to noon Wednesday indications were the Republicans carried Vermont by a plurality in the neighborhood of 31,000. This is a Republican gain over 1900, when the plurality at the state election was 31,312. Total figures for all but eleven towns give Charles J. Bell, Republican, 46,815, and Eli N. Porter, Democrat, 15,969, or a plurality of 30,836 for Mr. Bell. The vote for congressmen ran slightly behind that for the head of the state ticket, Congressmen Kittredge, Haskins and David J. Foster being reelected. Latest reports indicate the next state senate will be solidly Republican, the Democrats losing their present five seats and Democrats also lose about ten representatives.

BELL TO PRESIDENT.

Wires Vermont Points Way to Victory For Republican Ticket.

Walden, Vt., Sept. 8.—Charles J. Bell, the successful candidate for governor in Tuesday's election, sent the following message to President Roosevelt: "Tuesday's over 30,000 plurality in Vermont points the way to victory for Roosevelt and Fairbanks in November."

BULK NEAR MUKDEN.

Russian Troops Said to Be Camping Around City.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.—The bulk of the Rusian Manchurian army is near Mukden, where, it now appears, General Kuropatkin has been since Monday. His troops, it is understood, while not entering the city, are taking up prepared positions around Mukden. While there is no specific information on this point, the general staff believe only a small rear guard is in the neighborhood of Yental. No further fighting of importance is expected south of Mukden. The critical stage is regarded as having passed, and the announcement was made that the war office would no longer give out two bulletins each day.

FIRST MEETING.

Preliminary Exercises of Knights Templars Held Wednesday Morning.

San Francisco, Sept. 8.—The preliminary meeting of the grand encampment of Knights Templars was held Wednesday morning. The opening address of welcome was delivered by Governor Pardee of California in behalf of the knights of the state. He was followed by Mayor Schmitz on behalf of the city of San Francisco. The routine business of the first meeting consisted of appointing committees to handle the many questions which will come before the body. The reports of officers on current events of the week and also upon the work of the last three years and were referred to committees.

The grand masters of the priory of England, Ireland and Wales are present as guests.

Slew Spouse and Self.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Rather than pay his wife, from whom he had been separated, $7 a week, as ordered by court, Joseph Regret, a porter employed in the wholesale store of Marshall, Field & Co., shot and killed her and then committed suicide.

Miss Margaret Wilson, niece of the secretary of agriculture, has started to Indian to do missionary work.

Cornerstone of the new $140,000 Young Men's Christian Association building at San Antonio has been laid.

Judge Seth Shepard of the District of Columbia court of appeals, is at Dallas.

At Chillicothe, Tex., Prof. E. McBay accidentally killed himself with his gun.

Roger Mills County Fair association holds its fair at Sayre, Okla., Sept. 28, 29 and 30.

J. S. Roberts, proprietor of the Midland hotel at Ponca City, was found dead in bed.

Arthur Butler died near Canton Tex., from the effects of his horse throwing him.

Up to the 7th inst. Cement, Okla., had shipped 150 carloads of watermelons and cantaloupes.

There were 125,000 visitors to San Francisco Tuesday to witness parade of Knights Templars.

City National bank of Texarkana, Tex., capital stock $100,000, has been authorized to do business.

SMOKED HIM OUT.

Prisoner Was Taken Out of Jail and Strung Up.

Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 8.—After setting fire to the jail and smoking out the prisoner, while the fire department was held at bay with guns and the sheriff and his deputies and the soldiers outwitted, a mob, estimated at over 2000 people, lynched Horace Maples, the negro accused of murdering John W. Waldrop, by stringing him to a tree on the courthouse lawn Wednesday night. This action of the mob was taking, notwithstanding strong protests made by Solicitor Earl Pettus and H. Wallace, Jr., in stirring speeches in which law and order were pleaded for eloquently.

At 10:25 o'clock the jail was fired in the back part, burning fiercely, dense smoke spreading through the upper stories and cells of the building. The fire department was not allowed to approach within a block of the scene, and was driven away with bullets. The crowd on the outside would allow nobody to enter or come out until the person of Horace Maples was surrendered by the crowd.

PUSHED THROUGH.

Blue Forces Were Within Two Miles of Thoroughfare Gap.

Gainesville, Va., Sept. 8.—The first maneuver problem closed at noon Wednesday when General Grant's force pushed through the the left wing of General Bell. This put the Blue force within two miles of Thoroughfare Gap, the objective point. However, General Bell had Smith's brigade on the right and Barry's brigade on the left of his breach in his line, and Colonel Waggoner, chief umpire, draws no conclusions as to what might happen, had not hostilities ceased under the order previously issued by General Corban to cease hostilities at noon, so that the tired troops might be given relief.

General Lee and staff dined Wednesday night with Colonel Lyon of Texas. Thirty officers were present. General Lee highly complimented the Lone Star troops for their military knowledge.

ANIMAL HABITS.

Why Horses Have and Donkeys Have Not the Shying Habit.

Horses shy because they are descended from ancestors accustomed to roam over plains, where any tuft of grass or bush might conceal an enemy waiting to spring on them. Under these circumstances they must often have saved themselves by at once starting away on observing any sudden or unexpected movement or on coming without warning upon some strange object. This is supposed to have become a habit which has descended to their domesticated descendants.

The donkey, on the other hand, is descended from animals which dwelt in the hills, among which there were precipices and dangerous paths, hence the sure footedness and comparative slowness of the donkey. His ancestors were not so liable to sudden attacks of wild beasts and of snakes. Moreover, sudden and wild starts on alarm would have been positively dangerous to them. Hence they learned to avoid the very habit which proved so useful to the horse in the plains.

The habit of eating thistles, which is almost peculiar to the donkey, is also supposed to come from these same ancestors. Living in dry and barren localities, they found little food and hence learned to eat hard and dry and, if necessary, prickly plants.

Our Funny Bone.

The "funny" bone, or "crazy" bone, as it is commonly called, is in reality no bone at all, but a nerve, and its peculiar name, of facetious origin, is a pun on the word "humerus," the cylindrical bone which runs from the shoulder to the elbow, the ulnar nerve passing around it.

The nerve is here superficial and therefore comparatively unprotected, so that it may be easily compressed, and then a blow upon it causes a strange tingling sensation in the course of its distribution, which is felt as far away as the little finger. The humerus has been the occasion of humor in others, for Locker wittily writes in "An Old Muff," published about 1740:

He cannot be complete in aught
Who is not humorously prone
A man without a merry thought
Can hardly have a funny bone.

A Lifetime's Eating.

Science Siftings tells us that if we could see the amount of food one would consume in a lifetime pass before us the sight would be quite appalling. If a man lived seventy years, he would consume during that time about 100 four pound loaves of bread a year, or a total of 7,000 substantial loaves. Of meat he would consume, if he ate all beef, forty bullocks; of potatoes, an average of 200 pounds per year. If he ate only two eggs a week, it would require about 7,000 eggs to feed him during his lifetime; of tea and coffee on an average a pint a day, or for a lifetime about 3,220 gallons.

What They Didn't Know About Air.

Health journals have been in existence time out of mind. One in particular in its day was widely accepted as an authority on all matters of hygiene. An item which appeared in this paper in 1874 says among other things that "It is safer to sleep in a bad air all night—that is, with the windows tightly closed—with a temperature over 50 than in a pure air with a temperature under 40."

Fatherly Conclusion.

Farmer Trefrog—What makes you think Daniel Webster wuz a smart man? Farmer Hoptoad—Waal, I've been readin' some of his speeches, an' they seem to agree purty thoroughly with Mary Jane's graduation essays.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Hard Hearted.

She—After all, George, I think a public wedding would be better. He—And give up the elopement? She—Yes. You see, papa has refused to lend us his automobile, so what's the use?—Judge.

Faithfulness in little things fits one for heroism when the great trials come.—Louisa M. Alcott.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 22543, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner, Raliegh McCart, Robt. McCart and S. E. Harrison, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: 320 acres, I. Shrum survey in Tarrant county, Texas, abstract No. 1397. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

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By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 24593, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and T. R. Welch, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Lot 38 Eggleston's addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

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By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 24125, the State of Texas, vs. unknown owner, R. L. Rippy and J. R. Austin, I did on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Ten (10) acres of G. Garcia survey, abstract No. 614, tract No. 7 in Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 17895, the State of Texas vs. unknown heirs of W. B. Young, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: West 60 ft. of block 3 in Land 500 addition to city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 20235, the State of Texas vs. H. V. Burns and W. H. Ingalls, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: E. ½ lot 3, block 31, Original Town of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 25273, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and H. G. Bury, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: E. 60 feet lots 21 to 24, block 3, White's addition to city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon, and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue, for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff, Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

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9:00 pm	Kansas City, Chicago, Denver, Col. Springs and Pueblo Fast Ex..	7:10 am
Depart East	DALLAS LINE.	Arrive East
7:40 am	Mail and Express...	8:35 pm

Texas & Pacific Railway

Depart. East		Arrive. East
7:45 am	St. Louis Cannon Ball	7:45 pm
11:00 am	St. Louis Mail & Ex	4:45 pm
8:30 am	....Dallas Local....	5:15 am
10:00 am	Dallas & Wea'fd Local	3:25 pm
8:00 pm	....Dallas Local....	6:10 pm
3:45 pm	..Wills Point Local..	11:00 am
6:30 pm	St. Louis Mail & Ex.	9: am
Depart. West	Main Line West.	Arrive. West
8:20 pm	Colorado Mail & Ex..	7:00 am
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9:45 am	..El Paso Express..	6:00 pm

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Depart.		Arrive.
8:30 am	Texark. & St. Louis.	4:35 pm

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3:15 pm	Brownwood M. & Ex.	10:55 am
2:00 am	..... Mixed	6:00 am

Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.

Depart.		Arrive.
	Denver, Colo. Springs	
9:45 am	and Pueblo Mail & Ex	5:10 pm
8:40 pm	... Amarillo Ex ...	7:25 am

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Depart. North		Arrive. North
8:35 am	... "Katy Flyer" ...	7:45 pm
11:20 am	..Mail and Express..	7:45 am
9:00 pm	..Mail and Express..	4:15 pm
7:45 pm	....Fair Special....	8:35 am
Depart. South		Arrive. South
8:15 pm	Hou. & Gal. &San Antonio, "Katy Flyer"	8:10 am
8:30 pm	.Houston Mail & Ex.	10:55 am
5:05 pm	.Houston Mail & Ex.	8:15 pm
9:00 am	....Fair Special....	7:20 pm

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Depart.		Arrive.
7:20 am	..Mail and Express..	5:50 pm
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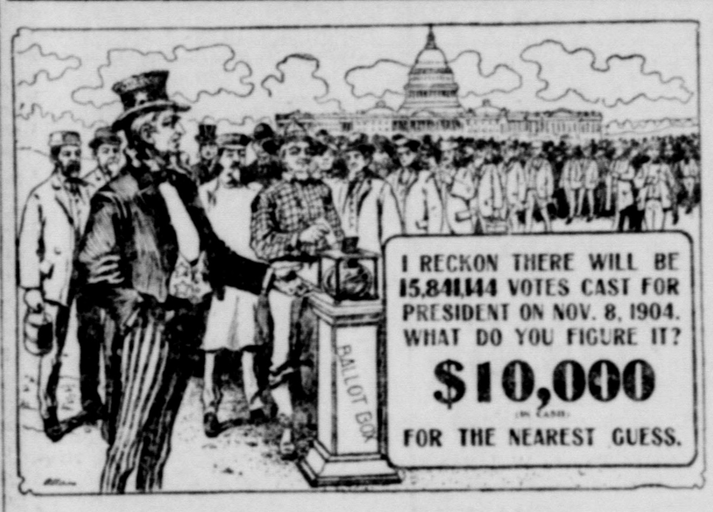

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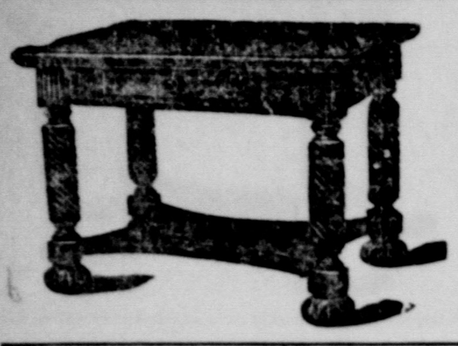

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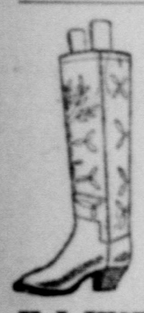

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DALLAS TO ARCHER.

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Fort Worth, Sept. 8.—It was ascertained here that plans had been almost perfected for building a railroad line from Dallas to Archer, thence to Rhome, in Wise county, from which point the road will diverge to the south. It is to be built to Albuquerque, N. M., making a line 500 miles long. Colonel Speers of Dallas is at the head of the enterprise. It is understood $500,000 is in a Dallas bank to be used in construction of the line, and that the United States Construction company, headquarters at Fort Worth, has the construction contract. It is learned work will be commenced in about thirty days.

It is also learned that the same construction company will soon begin the construction of the Orange and Northeastern from Orange into Louisiana to connect with the Kansas City Southern.

PERSEVERING BRIDE.

Walked Part of Way to Wed Man of Her Choice.

Fort Worth, Sept. 8.—The parents of Miss Lizzie Adams, five miles from Houston, opposed her marriage to F. Buchanan, a wealthy cattleman of Anadarko, Okla. Bareheaded and with only her house clothes on, Miss Adams walked to Houston and took a train for this city. Mr. Buchanan took the energetic miss to a store and purchased her an elegant trousseau. The couple was united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Hillman.

Voted to Return.

Fort Worth, Sept. 8.——The striking Butcher Workmen voted to return to work under the same conditions as before the strike. The vote was practically unanimou.

MOST DEPLORABLE.

Massacreed and Dead Otherwise Number Thirty-Five Hundred.

Washington, Sept. 8.—The American soun is tranquil and pacified and state-department that the district of Sassoun is tranquil and pacified and strategic points garrisoned by infantry detachments and permanent barracks erected. Survivors of the massacre are in a destitute condition, but are attempting to rebuild burned villages with little government aid. Consular corps at Bitlis estimates number of massacred and dead from exposure and hunger, etc., at 3500.

In the Mush district a number of villages have been plundered and burned and many persons killed and maltreated. Another massacre is daily expected by the Armenian population, which is in destitute circumstances. About 15,000 have lost everything and are starving, many being ill and wounded.

FIVE OF THEM.

That Number of "Before Day Clubs" In One Florida County.

Tallahassee, Fla., Sept. 8.—Since Saturday night's trouble it has been learned that there are five "Before Day Clubs" in Leon county. The clubs of the county are located at Tallahassee, Lake Hall, Lake Jackson, Dawkin Pond and the Meridian neighborhood. Many of the best negroes of the county have refused to become members and are not in sympathy with such an organization.

Worked on Speech.

Esopus, N. Y., Sept. 8.—Judge Parker on Wednesday devoted himself principally to preparing speech to be made to Democratic editors.

MINOR MATTERS.

France wants warships.

Ex-Governor Hogg has gone to St Louis.

Fire at Dawson, Alaska, did $175,000 damage.

Marble Falls, Tex., is to have a cotton mill.

Strong flow of oil was struck at Davis, I. T.

Roswell, N. M., will soon have free mail delivery.

Labor day parade at Coalgate, I. T., was a mile long.

At Ithaca, N. Y., Jesse Baker shot and killed his wife.

A Jones, a noted landscape architect, is dead at Los Angeles, Cal.

D. H. Johnson has been inaugurated governor of the Chickasaw nation.

Three Italians badly carved each other in a knife fight at New York.

Reports say ex-President Barrios of Guatemala is planning a revolution.

Near Pursley, Tex., I. Z. Forman, in three hours, picked 317 pounds of cotton.

Texas Central railroad will probably be extended from Stamford to Amarillo.

TWO THOUSAND SLAIN

Four Thousand Were Also Wounded In Same Battle.

URUGUAYANS LOSERS

Minister of War Vasquez, Who Led the Government Troops, Forced by Revolutionists to Abandon Munitions of War.

New York, Sept. 8.—Two thousand men were killed and 4000 wounded in the recent battle between the Uruguayan government forces and the revolutionists, according to a Herald dispatch from Buenos Ayres.

General Vasquez, minister of war, who led the government troops, is asserted to have been defeated and driven back, abandoning arms and munitions.

In a previous battle the revolutionists were driven back, and General Vasquez, while pressing his victory was suddenly met by stubborn resistance.

The rebels reassembled their scattered forces and engaged the government troops. For three days the battle raged, with terrible loss to both sides.

Gradually the rebels drove Vasquez back and, according to last reports, the minister of war was in full retreat.

Reports from Paraguay state that the revolutionists there are holding their own.

OYAMA'S PURPOSE.

Japanese Right Wing Intended to Block Line of Retreat.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.—As the Russian newspapers begin to realize more fully the catastrophe which General Kuropatkin avoided at Liao Yang and the skillful manner in which he upset Field Marshal Oyama's plans to surround the Russian army they take a more cheerful view of the result and are beginning to bestow upon Kuropatkin great praise.

It is now apparent that Oyama's purpose by pressing the Russian positions in front of Liao Yang was to hold Kuropatkin's attention while the Japanese right wing was thrust around the Russian rear to block the Russian line of retreat. But Kuropatkin at the very inception had his eyes upon a flanking movement and countered by the early withdrawal of his main army to the right bank of the Taitse river, changing his front to meet and hold Kuroki in check while General Zaroubaleff's corps at Liao Yang crossed, burning bridges behind and placing the river between him and General Oku.

The Novoe Vremya, in reviewing the situation, declares emphatically that neither mediation nor peace are now even thought of.

No further details of the losses suffered by the Russians during the ten days' fighting have been received. The division of General Kondratsvitch, which is under General Zaroubaleff, and which formed a part of the Russian right below Liao Yang, lost twelve officers killed, thirty-five wounded and one missing.

STAND AT TIELING.

Russians May Assume Defensive Position at That Place.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.——There has been constant fighting in the Russian rear and along the eastern wing, but so far as known up to noon Wednesday nothing of importance occurred since the retreat began. The general staff naturally is reticent about Kuropatkin's plans, especially as to whether he intends to stop at Mukden. The decision probably depends upon the intentions of the Japanese. Contingent preparations probably will be made to evacuate Mukden and there is considerable evidence that Kuropatkin, if compelled to go north, will make a stand at Tieling, where the Russians wintered last year. Tieling is forty miles north of Mukden. At this point there is a narrow defile, with the Liao river on one side and mountains running almost down to the railroad on the other.

The report that the sailing of the Baltic squadron has been postponed until November is officially denied. The squadron will sail for Libau Sunday. Exactly when it sails thence is not known.

AT MUKDEN.

General Kuropatkin Has at Last Arrived at That City.

ropatkin has arrived at Mukden.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 7.—General Ku-

From advices received by the war office it is now believed the danger of Field Marshal Oyama cutting off General Kuropatkin's forces has practically passed. According to their calculations the whole Russian army would reach Mukden Thursday night. Generals Kuroki and Kuropatkin have been marching northward along parallel lines, both armies being hampered by heavy roads, the Japanese in a rough region and the Russians along a flat country.

STILL CELEBRATE.

Inhabitants at Tokio Rejoice Over Liao Yang Victory.

Tokio, Sept. 8.—The general staff has not yet made public any details of the battle of Liao Yang. People are still celebrating the victory, but there is considerable speculation over official silence regarding General Kuroki's movements since Sunday. It is reported that the Japanese, notwithstanding the ravages of fire, captured vast accumulations of Russian stores adn amumnition at Liao Yang. The report that Lieutenant Teraouchi, son of Lieutenant Teraouchi, minister of war, was killed in the fighting before Liao Yang, is denied.

Congratulates Them.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 8.—President Roosevelt has telegraphed Senator Proctor, Chas. A. Bell, governor-elect, and the Republican state committee congratulating them cordially on the result of the Vermont election.

Closed With a Dance.

Tishomingo, I. T., Sept. 8.—The celebration of the inauguration of the last governor of the Chickasaw nation closed with a pachofa dance, participated in by many of the Chickasaws.

VETERAN SLAIN.

Was Acting as Peacemaker When He Received Fatal Blow.

Austin, Sept. 8.—C. H. Lyster, an inmate of the Confederate home, died from an injury which he received at the hands of John Rotley, another Confederate veteran and inmate of the home. According to the statement of those who witnessed the affair, Lyster was acting as peacemaker to prevent trouble between Rotley and another aged inmate, when Rotley picked up a chair and struck Lyster over the head with it.

It was not thought at first that the injuries were serious, but Lyster became unconscious and died. Rotley left the home after he had felled Lyster with the chair and walked into town. He was found on the street after Lyster's death and was placed in jail with the charge of murder entered against him. He is about seventy-four years old and was admitted to the home only a few days ago. The officials of the institution knew little of his past life.

The prisoner suffered a severe attack of heart failure and was unable to appear for preliminary trial Wednesday. His condition is serious and he may die.

FIVE ARRESTS.

Miss Goode Sustained Severe Injuries About Head and Abdomen.

Marlin, Tex., Sept. 8.—Five negroes, suspected of having knowledge of the assault on Miss Goode, near Otto, this county, have been jailed. Miss Goode was severely wounded about the head and abdomen. She was unconscious from Tuesday afternoon until 11 o'clock Wednesday morning. Attending physician does not think the miscreant accomplished his purpose. Excitement is great.

Fell From Window.

Jacksonville, Tex., Sept. 8.—Tom Sayers, a brother of the ex-governor, fell from a second-story window and sustained injuries, the extent of which are not yet known.

Died at Austin.

Austin Sept. 8.—Orin B. McCarthy, son of the general passenger agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railroad, died here Wednesday.

KUROPATKIN'S PLANS.

Not Known Whether He Will Take Army North of Mukden.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.—The general staff is not displaying great anxiety over the alarmist reports that General Kuropatkin is in serious danger of being cut off, but if they had any information from the front Wednesday, they have not revealed it. The members also decline to say, even if they know, whether General Kuropatkin proposes taking his army north of Mukden.

An officer of the general staff said to the Associated Press Wednesday night: "I believe it is safe to say that General Kuropatkin's army is now out of danger. Our advices since Monday indicate that the fighting is of an insignificant character, and I do not believe the tired Japanese troops are capable of seriously threatening the line of retreat. The greatest difficulty our army is now having to contend with is the terrible roads, resulting from the rain of Monday and Tuesday. Our information is that the bulk of our baggage has already passed through Mukden. This is the usual proceedure in the case of retreat."

GREAT BATTLE.

It Was Reported as Being Fought in Vicinity of Mukden.

Paris, Sept. 8.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo De Paris, said Thursday morning: "A great battle is going on before Mukden. The First and Seventeenth corps are engaged against General Kuroki. Gen. Kuropatkin, with the bulk of his troops, is moving toward Tieling."

NEXT MOVE.

Action Postponed Until Conference Board Are Seen.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Having voted to continue the stockyards struggle until better terms can be secured, the strike leaders Wednesday night were in a quandry as to what the next move will be. When the result of the vote of the men defeating the proposition to return to work was announced it was stated by the union officials that a second ballot would be ordered at once. Shortly after the announcement was made, however, the plan was abandoned and efforts were begun to secure another conference with the packers. In this the strikers were unsuccessful, and then a second announcement was made that the order issued last week, placing all meat on the unfair list would go into effect. While arrangements were being made to put this order into effect it was suddenly discovered the Allied Trades conference board would have to be seen, so no definite action was taken.

Back at Work.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 8.—Two hundred packing house strikers returned to work as a result of the vote taken on the question of discontinuing the strike.

PUPILS STRUCK.

Not Pleased With Transfer of Their Former Principal.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—A strike of upwards of 200 school children has been declared at the Longfellow school because the principal has been transferred since the close of the last term. The children say they will not go to school unless she comes back.

Capture Town and Garrison.

Buenos Ayres, Sept. 8.—The revolutionists of Paraguay have captured Villa Encarnacion, with its garrison and their arms. The government of Paraguay is becoming weaker daily, and its ultimate surrender and complete defeat is inevitable.

Toreadors Arrested.

St. Louis, Sept. 8.—Acting underr express orders of Attorney General Crow, representing the state of Misouri, Sheriff Hencken of St. Louis county has arrested three of the toreadors who have been participating in a series of bull fights in augurated last Saturday in an arena near the World's fair grounds. They gave bond.

DEMOCRATIC EDITORS

Gather Around Banquet Board at the Waldorf-Astoria.

SEVERAL SPEECHES.

Hon. Henry Watterson Delivered the Principal Address and Joseph Pulitzer Sent a Letter to the Gathering.

New York, Sept. 8.—Nearly 500 Democratic editors from all parts of the United States met at the banquet at the Waldorf-Astoria Wednesday, the occasion being a national conference, called at the instance of the Democratic national committee. The toast list included several of the best known Democratic editors of the country. All of the toasts were on political subjects. Col. Sylvanus E. Johnson, Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati Inquirer and former president of the Gridiron club, was the toastmaster. A large orchestra furnished music during the dinner. When "Dixie" was played, the diners, many of whom were from the south, jumped to their feet, and the rebel yell was given several times. Enthusiasm was at the highest pitch when

JOSEPH PULITZER.

the selection was encored.

Colonel Johnson, in a brief speech, introduced Colonel Henry Watterson, who responded to the toast, "The Issue and the Outlook." Herman Ridder followed.

A letter from Joseph Pulitzer, written from Bar Harbor to Chairman Daniels, in which the writer stated that physical infirmities prevented his being present, was read.

Clark Howell, editor of the Atlanta Constitution, spoke to the toast, "Democratic Success, the Guarantee of the National Unity." Mr. Howell's reference to mob violence was heartily cheered.

John R. Stoll, editor of the South Bend (Ind.) Times, was the next speaker.

DAVIS SPEAKS.

Dwells on Agriculture at West Virginia State Fair.

Wheeling, W. Va., Sept. 8.—An immense crowd attended the West Virginia State fair at Morgan's grove Wednesday afternoon the occasion being the presence of ex-Senator Henry G. Davis the Democratic vice presidential nominee who was scheduled to makea non-political address.

Senator Davis, accompanied by National Committeeman John T. McGraw, candidate for governor, left Wheeling and John J. Cornwall the Democratic for the fair grounds about 1 o'clock, arriving an hour later. The senator was enthusiastically received when he entered the grounds, and when he arose to speak he was heartily cheered. In the course of a short talk on "agriculture" Senator Davis referred to this as man's natural occupation and the most important and useful to mankind. "The agriculturists have always been found in the advance guard of the march of civilization," he said. "Nearly all who worked and fought for our independence and liberty were tillers of the soil; nearly all of our presidents had been farmers; the majority of our successful men of today have come from the farms. Farmers as a class are a liberty-loving people. Agriculture started England on the high road to prosperity and the comemrcial supremacy which she has maintained in the world for 500 years. Agricultural products feed us and pay much of our foreign debts. Between 60 and 70 per cent of all our exports are from the farm. The farmer can live well and prosper without the town or cities, but the people of towns are bound to starve if the farmers do not feed them."

Connecticut Democrats.

New Haven, Sept. 8.—Damocrats nominated a ticket headed by A. Heaton Robertson of New Haven for governor. Platform demands reciprocity with Canada, declares the last Republican administration in Connecticut to have been the most extravagant of the history of the state, and deals with many exclusively state matters.

Hollis Nominated.

Concord, N. H., Sept. 8.—For the second time the Democrats of New Hampshire nominated Henry F. Hollis of Concord to be their candidate for governor. All other state officers are appointed.

One Dying, Other Unhurt.

New York, Sept. 8.—Andrew Baunach of Catskill, N. Y., is dying in Fordham hospital from injuries received in falling eighty-five feet from a railroad bridge over Crton creek where he was at work. Baunach landed on his back and formed a cushion for the body of John Costello, a fellow workman, who fell from the same spot. Costello was absolutely unhurt.

Financial.

Hicks—I've got to borrow $200 somewhere.

Wicks—take my advice and borrow $300 while you are about it.

Hicks—But I only need $200.

Wicks—That doesn't make any difference. Borrow $200 and pay back $100 of it in two installments at intervals of a month or so. Then the man that you borrow from will think that he is going to get the rest of it.—Saturday's Journal.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Tragedy Happens at Boarding House In Kentucky Metropolis.

Louisville, Sept. 8.—William E. Neal, under indictment for the murder last winter of Assistant Commonwealth Attorney James K. Hill, Wednesday shot and killed his wife, Nellie Robinson Neal, and then took his own life. The tragedy occurred in a boarding house on West Broadway, where Neal and his wife had been living since Sunday, as Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. J. G. Baird, the landlady, said: "The couple came to my house Sunday and paid for two days' board. They acted in a peculiar manner. Mrs. Neal had been complaining of being ill. She came down looking haggard and pale, saying her husband was too ill to come to the table. She wanted to take a light lunch. My daughter was in the adjoining room when she heard them talking in whispers. A quarrel ensued. One shot rang out and then another. The interval was short."

HUSBAND ARRESTED.

Ex-Mayor McCue Is Accused of Murdering His Wife.

Charlottesville, Va., Sept. 8.—Ex-Mayor J. Samuel McCue was arrested on the charge of murdering his wife on the night of Sunday, September 4. McCue stated that he was asleep and his wife murdered on last Sunday night. His story immediately aroused suspicion. His testimony and that of others before the coroner's jury strengthened the suspicion against him and the arrest followed.

BURGLARS' HARVEST.

Blow Two Safes and Secure Over Thousand Dollars.

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 8.—Burglars blew open the safe of County Treasurer J. A. Logan, Tadkinsville, N. C., and secured between $8,000 and $10,000. The safe in the postoffice was also blown open. Postmaster Mackie reports that over $410 was stolen. The burglars secured tools from a blacksmith shop. County Treasurer Logan offers a reward of $2,000 for the capture of the burglars and money.

MARRIED AGAIN.

For the Third Time Former Governor Taylor Becomes a Benedict.

Bristol, Tenn., Sept. 9.—Ex-Governor Robert Taylor of Tennessee was married to Miss Mamie St. John of Knoxville, Va., Wednesday. The wedding occurred at the brides' home and was attended by many of the wide circle of relations. Governor Taylor has been married three times, having divorced only a few months ago his second wife, at Knoxville. The couple [illegible]

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