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350 ARE KILLED OR INJURED BY COSSACKS

Much Bloodshed Follows Attack on Armenians

SEMINARY IS SHELLED

Many Persons Perish in Conflagration Resulting From Explosion of Bombs

By Associated Press.

TIFLIS, Caucasia, Jan. 12.—Nearly 350 persons are killed or injured as the outcome of the attack made by Cossacks yesterday on the Armenian seminary here, following the throwing of two bombs from that institution at a passing patrol.

Four Cossacks were wounded and a boy killed by the explosion of the bombs. The artillery was immediately called up and the seminary surrounded and shelled.

Fire Breaks Out

The building soon burst into flames and the bombs and cartridges stored therein exploded. Thirty-three persons perished during the conflagration, while 300 were injured by the fire or wounded by shells.

The troops subsequently shelled another Armenian house where bombs and weapons were hidden and killed eight revolutionists.

DEPEW LOSES A JOB

National Bank of Commerce Drops .. Senator, Hyde and McCurdy

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—At the annual meeting of the National Bank of Commerce, which has been connected with the Equitable and Mutual life Insurance Companies, four former officials of these companies were dropped from the bank's directorate. These were James W. Alexander, former president of the Equitable; Senator Chauncey M. Depey, and James Hazen Hyde, formerly of the Equitable; and Richard A. McCurdy, who recently resigned as president of the Muture life.

TUSKEGEE SCHOOL TO GET HALF MILLION

New Jersey Man Leaves Estate to Institution After His Wife's Death

By Associated Press.

NEWARK N. J., Jan. 12.—By the will of Andrew J. Dolger of South Orange, N. J., just filed for probate here, the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial institute will eventually receive a bequest that promises to be the largest in its history. At the death of the testator's wife, Clara L. Dolger, the entire residuary estate, said to be about half a million dollars, will go to the endowment fund of Booker T. Washington's negro school. The present endowment is a little over $1,000,000.

MORALES FUGITIVE IN AMERICAN LEGATION

Action of Dominican Thought to Mean End of Trouble in the Island

By Associated Press.

SANTO DOMINGO, Jan. 12.—Fugitive President Morales has taken refuge in the American legation here and negotiations are in progress with the object of inducing General Morales to resign the presidency and leave Santo Domingo. It is said here that the steps which were taken by Mr. Morales in seeking the protection of the American flag virtually puts an end to the disturbances in this republic.

ODDS ARE 10 TO 9 IN CORBETT'S FAVOR

Much Interest Shown in Herrera-Young Corbett Fight to Take Place Friday Night

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 12.—Much interest is being aroused over the fight tonight at the Pacific Athletic Club pavilion between Young Corbett and Aurelio Herrera.

The men are matched to weigh in at 6 o'clock at 133 pounds. Both have been training hard for the contest and are said to be in good condition.

There is much betting on the outcome with odds on Corbett at 10 to 9.

Particular interest is attached to the fight because of the expectations that the winner will later meet either Britt or Nelson and probably both of these men.

WANT ROOSEVELT TO SUCCEED HARPER

Chicago University Would Have President at Helm

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—The talk of electing President Roosevelt to be the successor of the late President Harper at the head of the Chicago university has become strong in university circles.

It is declared to have been the one hope of Dr. Harper during the last months of his life that the way could be cleared to have President Roosevelt take the head of the university at the conclusion of the Presidential term.

TAGGART HAS NARROW ESCAPE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 12.—Thomas Taggart narrowly escaped being shot while on his way home. A watchman fired at a supposed burglar and the bullet sang close to Taggart's head as he was walking on the other side of the street.

SAYS IT WAS LONG TIME BETWEEN DRINKS

Kentuckian Complains That Not Thirty Cents Was Spent in Senatorial Fight

Special to The Telegram.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 12.—"By Gad, sir, it was an infernal outrage, sir; a reflection, sir, upon the fair name of Kentucky and her noted produce, sir. For more than three days these gallant sons of the old bluegrass state, three men who aspired, sir, to the highest honor within the gift of the people of this grand old commonwealth, had apartments in my hotel, their henchmen literally owned the establishment, and, would you believe, sir, the three of them never spent 30 cents for drinks! By Gad, sir, it's a damned——"

But here words failed the proprietor of the Capital hotel in Frankfort and he lost breath, which seemed to indicate that it was high time for the accused men to rise up and explain to their respective constituents. It happened that neither Senator Blackburn, Judge Paynter nor W. B. Haldeman touched intoxicants of any kind, and this explains why the landlord of the Capital hotel didn't see anything doing in the drink line so far as personally affects the three senatorial candidates. But the Frankfort hotel man and others throughout the state think there was some sort of dereliction of duty and, in the language of a mountain politician, "We are lookin' toward you, Senator-elect Paynter, for an explanation. Will you please rise?"

SANTO DOMINGO REVOLUTION ENDED

Clyde Agent Telegraphs That Insurrection Is Now Confined to a Single Province

By Associated Press.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 12.—The Leader today prints the following:

General Ramon Caceres, president of the Santo Domingo republic, has telegraphed that he will favor the Roosevelt treaty and that peace in the little republic is assured. The cablegram was signed by Pardoe, Clyde agent, and was in answer to one sent by the Leader, asking President Caceres as to his intentions as to the treaty and the prospects for peace. The reply follows:

SANTO DOMINGO, Jan. 11.—Leader, Cleveland: Interviewed Caceres by request about your telegram. He said:

"I favor the contention and its ratification. Insurrection confined to single province. Revolutionists defeated. Complete peace will soon be restored." PARDOE, Clyde Agent.

STEEL COMPANIES PLANNING MERGER

Project Said to Involve Expenditure of $13,000,000 for Improvements

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12.—The Tribune today says:

Extensive plans for the development of the iron and steel industries of the south are involved in the proposed merger of the Tennessee Coal and Iron and the Republic Iron and Steel Companies. The project calls for the expenditure of $13,000,000 for the building of new mills, the exploitation of mines and extensive investments covering a period of years.

Control of the Republic Iron and Steel and the Tennessee Coal and Iron Companies is held by a pool of ten men, who propose as a large business venture to awaken and stimulate southern industries.

ACQUITTAL INSTRUCTED

Judge Tells Jury to Bring Verdict for John W. Hill

By Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 12.—Judge Audenreid today instructed the jury in the case of John W. Hill, former chief of the filtration bureau, charged with forgery and falsification of records, to bring in a verdict of acquittal.

The trial had been in progress for nine days.

FOOTBALL'S FATE IN THE BALANCE

Committees Will Hold Conference in New York

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Football will in all probability reach a crisis tonight, when the old and national committees meet, the one at the New Netherlands hotel, the other at the Murray Hill hotel. Of the seven institutions—Yale, Princeton, Harvard, Chicago, Pennsylvania, Cornell and Annapolis—represented on the committee, which for years has regulated the rules throughout the country, Yale and Harvard have proclaimed their attitudes toward the recently organized national committee.

Yale has instructed Walter Camp, her representative, to vote in favor of amalgamation with the recently formed body known as the national. Harvard has taken a more advanced step and announced that she washes her hands of the old committee and will send W. T. Reid Jr. as her emissary to the McCracken body.

Pennsylvania yesterday decided not to hamper John C. Bell, her representative, with instructions, although it was the "sense of the committee that its representative favor the recognition of the so-called intercollegiate football conference.

Cornell and Princeton have given their respective representatives sealed orders. Of Chicago's and Annapolis' intentions nothing is known.

The fact that Yale and Harvard have held out the olive branch might be taken as an indication that at least a majority of the representatives of the other five institutions composing the old rules committee have similar instructions.

There has never been any question of the conciliatory attitude of the nationals.

There are only two day telegraphic news distributing agencies. One is the Associated Press and the other is the Scripps-McRae Association. THE TELEGRAM receives DAILY the telegraph report of BOTH OF THESE ASSOCIATIONS

NEW OIL CASE WITNESS FOUND

Former Standard Office Boy Will Testify

KNOWS INSIDE HISTORY

Attorney General Hadley Expects Much From His Story on Stand

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Through anonymous letters signed "A Wall Street Clerk," Attorney General Hadley of Missouri discovered yesterday a witness whose testimony, it is declared, will probably do more to disclose the secret working of the Standard Oil Company than that of all the witnesses who have hitherto been examined before Commissioner Sanborn.

HERBERT S. HADLEY.

This witness, John Corkhill, began his business career as John D. Rockefeller's office boy and worked his way up until he was confidential man to W. E. Bemis, manager of the Standard's clearing house, where the relations between the subsidiary companies and the Standard Oil corporation are laid bare. Mr. Corkhill continued with the Standard Oil Company until John D. Rockefeller's retirement from active management. Then followed a period of retrenchment and he resigned. The writer of the letter to the attorney general said that he feared he would lose his position if his identity became known, but he wished to help the investigation and so suggested Corkhill as a valuable witness. Immediately upon its receipt Mr. Hadley turned the letter over to Rush Lake, assistant attorney general of Missouri, and before the day was over Mr. Corkhill was located.

"Mr. Corkhill," said the assistant attorney general, "the state of Missouri has instituted these proceedings to show that the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, the Waters-Pierce Oil Company and the Republic Oil Company are all parts of the Standard Oil trust. I understand that you know something about the operations of these companies and I desire to call you as a witness."

"Sure," said Mr. Corkhill; "they're all at 26 Broadway. While I was with Mr. Bemis all their reports passed through the office. I don't know about testifying, though. I guess you'd better talk to my lawyer."

The lawyer referred to was called in to the conference and said he could see no reason why Mr. Corkhill should not tell what he knew. He advised, however, that his client think it over during the night. This was agreeable to both parties and an engagement was made whereby Mr. Corkhill will meet Mr. Lake this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and accept service of the subpena, which was issued for him when Mr. Hadley received the information regarding him.

Praises John D. Rockefeller

"John D. Rockefeller was the best friend the Standard Oil employes ever had," Mr. Corkhill said after his talk with Mr. Lake. "He was never too busy to listen to you if you wanted advice or anything else. While he was running things it was very different from what it is now.

"Yes, if my attorney says so, I will tell all I know."

When news of the discovery of Corkhill and what the latter said was brought to Attorney General Hadley he was jubilant. "He will make the best witness we have had," he declared. "This obstructive policy does not always pay. It appears to me from the day's developments that it is a distinct advantage. Of course I secured the issuance of a subpena for W. E. Bemis without waiting a second. I hope we catch him.

"I am rather under the impression," Mr. Hadley continued, in referring to the postponement of the hearing yesterday, "that the attitude of the Standard Oil attorneys is dictated by the belief that if they can stave off testimony taking until after the proceedings in the supreme court I will be so anxious to get home that Mr. Archbold, William G. Rockefeller and others who have been subpenaed and not yet placed on the stand will escape examination.

"I am anxious to get home, but I will permit no personal considerations to interfere with the inquiry. Mr. Rockefeller, Mr. Archbold and all the other Standard Oil men I can catch, with the witnesses outside of the Standard forces, will be examined before I leave New York.

"Mr. Hagerman, who has been the head of the Standard attorneys since the hearing before Special Commissioner Sanborn began, had no hesitancy yesterday in admitting that in the event of an adverse ruling by Justice Gildersleeve, Mr. Rogers' case case would be taken at once to the appellate division of the supreme court.

Anything for Delay

"Anything for delay" said Mr. Hadley, when he was told of this. "No matter how long it takes, though, we'll get at the facts."

Attorney General Hadley and Attorney General Mayer of this state had a talk at the Waldorf last night. Mr. Mayer said that the meeting had been purely social. He was desirous of knowing Mr. Hadley. The Standard Oil case had been talked over as a matter of course, but there was no possible part for his office to play in it.

PEANUT FACTORY BURNED AT NORFOLK

Four-Story Building Destroyed and Jail Damaged—Nine Prisoners Escape During Fire

By Associated Press.

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 12.—A fire that originated by spontaneous combustion in the four-story brick peanut factory of the Norfolk Storage Company, on Plume street, between the jail and the big foundry of Whitehurst & Co., entirely destroyed that building and damaged the east wing of the jail last night.

All of the 275 prisoners in the jail were marked to the police barracks under a guard of police, but nine escaped before they had been transferred to rooms in the court house when the flames endangered the barracks.

For a time the business section of the city was threatened. No fatalities occurred, but several were injured, among them Gray Tunstall, chairman of the street, water and drainage commission, who was struck by a falling live wire.

A silk handkerchief around Patrolman W. Burnham's neck acted as a nonconductor and saved his life when the same wire struck him.

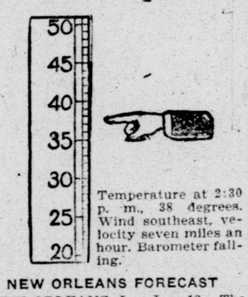
The loss will be over $100,000. Ten thousand bags of peanuts were destroyed, with a great amount of valuable machinery. The proximity of the fire to the central power house caused all electric currents to be cut off and for some hours the city was in darkness and car traffic was at a standstill.

ADJOURNMENT NOT GRANTED

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The attempt by Attorney General Hadley of Missouri to compel Henry H. Rogers, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, to answer certain questions put him during his examination before Commissioner Sanborn came up before Justice Gildersleeve in the supreme court today. Counsel for Rogers asked for a brief adjournment, but it was not granted.

Weather Spotter



Temperature at 2:30 p. m., 38 degrees. Wind southeast, velocity seven miles an hour. Barometer falling.

NEW ORLEANS FORECAST

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 12.—The weather indications:

East Texas, North—Tonight, partly cloudy and warmer; Saturday, occasional rain and warmer.

East Texas, South—Tonight, partly cloudy and warmer; Saturday, occasional rain, warmer; light easterly to southerly winds on the coast.

Arkansas—Tonight, increasing cloudiness, warmer; Saturday, probably rain and warmer.

Oklahoma and Indian Territories—Tonight, rain or snow and warmer; Saturday, occasional rain and warmer.

Fort Worth and vicinity may expect warmer conditions tonight and Saturday; partly cloudy weather tonight and occasional rain Saturday.

FEW TEXANS AT MEETING

Lon Star Delegates at Cotton Meeting

PETERS IS AN ABSENTEE

New Vice President Is to Be Elected After Committee Is Made Up

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 12.—Many of the delegates were busily engaged with committee work today, when President Jordan called the Southern Cotton Growers' Association to order for the second day's session.

The attendance of delegates from Texas is not as large as at the convention last year. In some quarters the opinion is expressed that the controversy between Vice President Peters and President Jordan is responsible for the absence of Texans. Colonel E. S. Peters, who was suspended from office by President Jordan, is not in attendance and it is understood a successor to him will be elected when the executive committee is organized.

Committees Working Hard

Committees are disposed to give the most serious attention to matters before them by reason of the appeal which President Jordan made to them to make resolutions clear and unequivocal.

"Show Them," Says Jordan

Mr. Jordan said the eyes of the world are on the convention, and that telegrams had passed between New York and New Orleans intimating that the convention would not have the manhood to assert itself. He asked the convention to let the people who are dealing "in paper contract and hot air" understand that the south will live up to what she has said.

Great interest is manifested in the result of the work of the committee on holding, which is expected to be the keynote in the future campaign.

Differences of opinions exist as to whether there will be request for further reduction of the acreage. Today's indications were that there would not be.

There is also apparent some difference of opinion as to whether the convention shall make the declaration for 15c cotton.

Association Cheers Cheatham

Sentiment of the convention overwhelmingly in favor of the retention of both President Jordan and Secretary Cheatham.

Every reference to the connection of the latter gentleman with the crop reporting scandal in Washington last year has been wildly cheered by the convention.

Little Cotton to Gin

By invitation, Secretary Blackwell of the National Ginners' Association made an address. "There are not 300,000 bales of cotton yet to gin in the entire south," he said. "More than 50 per cent of the gins everywhere are closed and many others have only five to seven bales to gin. Drygoods have been constantly advancing in price during the year and we have only to stand together to get the reasonable price the association has asked for cotton." When Mr. Blackwell concluded, E. D. Smith of South Carolina delivered an address on "Cotton the Basis of Southern Prosperity."

LOVE IN AUSTIN

Dallas Man Expects to Be Speaker at Next Term

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 12.—Thos. B. Love, a representative in the Twenty-ninth legislature of Dallas, arrived here today to confer with the attorney general regarding the railroad tax suits which are being appealed, Love being the author of the law. Love announced that he had already ninety-five pledged votes in his contest for speaker, from members of the last legislature who were again candidates for re-election. He asserted that many of them are from south Texas.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL

Friends of R. F. Radley Present at Burial Service

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 12.—In the presence of many personal friends and a throng of representatives of the labor organizations of the city the funeral services over the body of Reuben F. Radley, one of the Knepfly building fire victims, took place yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in the Oak Cliff cemetery.

MRS. BURDETTE ILL

Wife of Noted Lecturer Suffering from Nervous Collapse

Special to The Telegram.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, wife of the noted lecturer, is seriously ill at her home in Pasadena. She is suffering from a nervous collapse.

PANHANDLE SHERRIFF'S LONG CHASE REWARDED

GEN. LEE'S GRANDSON ASKS PRICE OF BED

Descendant of Revolutionary Hero Begs Chicago Police Justice for Aid

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12.—Gray-haired and bent with age, Samuel Lee, who says he is a grandson of Major General Charles Lee of Revolutionary fame, was an applicant for lodging at the Harrison street police station last night. Justice Caverly, to whom he told the story of his plight, gave him the price of a bed, and he hobbled away to a Clark street lodging house.

"I am 77 years old," the old man said, "and this is the first time in my life that I have been compelled to ask for a night's lodging in a police station. My grandfather, Charles Lee, was a major general in the American revolutionary army. He was the first of our family to come from England, and before joining the American forces he was a lieutenant in the British army."

Lee was born in Philadelphia. He was color bearer of Company E, Twenty-sixth Pennsylvania volunteers, in the war of the rebellion. At the battle of Lookout Mountain his right hand was shot off. He receives a pension from the government of $22 a month. Coming to Chicago before the fire of 1871, he has lived here since. He has been employed in the county recorders' office, he said, and also in the postoffice under Colonel Stuart.

AUTOMOBILE RIDERS ESCAPE QUICKSANDS

Attempt to Cross Dangerous Ford Despite Warning and Nearly Perish

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Gallup, N. M., says:

An automobile driven by Percy Magargal and David Fasset is fast in the quicksands near Aztec, near Yuma, Ariz. After being warned to keep away from the Rio Puerco ford the tourists attempted to cross on the frozen ground. The crust broke and the auto sank. Both men finally got on solid ground, having a narrow escape. The car has sunk to the headlights.

An effort is being made to save the car. The accident occurred near the point where three passenger coaches were lost some years ago in the quicksand. A team and wagon was lost in the same ford a few days ago.

TO QUIT OFFICIAL CHINESE POSITION

Wu Ting Fang, Former Minister at Washington, to Retire—Hearing Is Falling

By Associated Press.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 12.—H. Clay Evans, former consul general to London, has received a letter from Wu Ting Fang, former Chinese minister at Washington, in which Wu says he is thinking of retiring from his position as a member of the board of punishments of the Chinese government.

He also tells of his injury resulting from a bomb explosion in Wie-Wau-Pa, saying that he was so shocked that his hearing became affected.

LIEUTENANT CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

Eighth Cavalry Officer Arrested at a Social Function at Manila, P. I.

Special to The Telegram.

LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 12.—Word has reached Fort Sill that Lieutenant Hugh Kirkman of the Eighth cavalry, now at Fort William McKinley in the Philippine Islands, has been arrested on the charges of embezzlement of government funds and forging the name of a relative to a check for $600, and that he is in prison in Manila, having been recently arrested by the civil authorities at a social function. Lieutenant Kirkman was stationed at Fort Sill before his transfer to the islands.

DEATH PENALTY FOR HANNMACHER

Verdict of Dallas Jury Says "Guilty as Charged"

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 12,—Jury verdict in the case of Hermann Kannmacher is guilty of murder in the first degree and assessment of punishment at death.

The case went to the jury Wednesday afternoon and the deliberations of the jury lasted until yesterday afternoon. Kannmacher was charged with killing W. G. Rasbury the night of Sept. 6, 1905. The accused had been employed at Strong's place, a saloon in Main street, and Rasbury was a young man about town here.

The defendant sat up a little straighter in his place and grew somewhat paler as the verdict was read:

"We, the jury, find the defendant, H. Kannmacher, guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment, and assess his punishment at death.

"W. Y. BUCHANAN, Foreman."

An extract from the charge of Judge E. B. Muse to the jury in the case, as to what constitutes murder in the first degree is as follows:

"To warrant a conviction of murder in the first degree, the jury must be satisfied by the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt that the defendant before the act deliberately formed the design with a calm and sedate mind to kill the deceased; that he selected and used the weapon reasonably sufficient to accomplish the death by the mode and manner of its use. The act must not result from a mere sudden, rash and immediate design springing from an inconsiderate impulse, passion or excitement, however unjustifiable and unwarrantable it may be."

R. P. Hutton of Dallam County Makes Important Arrest

GETS MAN IN MEXICO

Traveled From Dalhart to El Paso, California and Chihuahua

SHERIFF HUTTON'S TRIP

Dalhart, Texas, to El Paso, Texas.
El Paso, Texas, to Douglas, Ariz.
Douglas, Ariz., to Southern California.
Southern California to Chihuahua, Mexico.
Chihuahua, Mexico, to El Paso, Texas
El Paso, Texas, to Fort Worth, Texas.

Sheriff R. P. Hutton of Dallam county is in Fort Worth today on his way home from California, where he went after Rip Pearce, who is charged with theft of two car loads of horses from R. S. Coon & Brother of Dalhart. The sheriff has the prisoner with him, after having followed him from Dalhart to California and into Mexico.

The capture of the prisoner after he left Dalhart was effected after a long search, which disclosed the fact that he had gone to Douglas, Ariz. Sheriff Hutton followed him there and concluded that he had gone to Southern California. Then at his own expense the sheriff followed him to California, to find that he had crossed into Mexico. Disguising himself by shaving off his mustache and putting on glasses, Sheriff Hutton then followed his man into Mexico, where he apprehended him with the aid of Governor Terrassas of Chihuahua, a personal friend of Sheriff Hutton. Pearce did not know the officer even when Hutton placed his hand on his shoulder, so effectual was the disguise.

The trip home to Dalhart had to be through this city, as the roads to Dallam county are blocked with snow. The horses which were stolen were traced to Kansas City and Eastern Illinois and have all been recovered.

Second Long Chase

This chase by Hutton is the second that he has had within a month, the other one being into Mexico also, where he captured single-handed Frank W. Iiams, who had broken jail at Dalhart. He had been convicted of cattle theft and was in jail there, awaiting trial on other charges, five more indictments being lodged against him. He had been convicted on a charge of stealing cattle from ex-County Judge Rawlins of Sherman county and was convicted through the efforts of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association. After breaking jail he fled to Mexico, followed by Sheriff Hutton, who captured him after a long chase and brought him back to Dalhart, where he arrived the middle of December. Iiams is now at Claude, awaiting trial on another of the indictments. The expense of this chase was borne by Sheriff Hutton.

The work of Sheriff Hutton, said a prominent cattleman, is an example of what some of the Texas sheriffs are capable of doing and which they are doing. There are many of the sheriffs who are spending more money in their efforts to bring guilty ones to justice than the salary of the office brings to them. Not only that, but were it not for an everlasting perseverence, he declares, they would never be able to accomplish such work as Sheriff Hutton has done twice within a month.

AFTER 10,000 MILE CHASE SHE ESCAPED

Wealthy Iowan Followed Wife in Weary Travel and Angry Search

Special to The Telegram.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 12.—After traveling 10,000 miles in search of his runaway wife, W. C. Drunkwater, a wealthy resident of Stansger, Iowa, arrived in Omaha a few hours after the woman had fled. Drunkwater says his wife drew $6,000 of his money out of the bank at Stansger and eloped with an intimate friend of the family. The runaways first went to Dallas, Texas, where Drunkwater followed. They escaped him, going to New York and thence to Seattle. Drunkwater has followed from city to city, making more than 10,000 miles in the search. He fully expected to find them in Omaha, but they had got wind of his coming, he says, and escaped.

FRANCE BREAKS WITH VENEZUELA

American Minister May Represent French Interests

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—All diplomatic relations between Venezuela and France are broken, it is said at the state department. Although it is said no formal or official information to this effect has been received, officials assume in accordance with the usual procedure, this will involve the early departure from Venezuela of M. Taigny, French representative there, and from France of M. Maubourguet, Venezuelan agent at Paris.

Officials here are awaiting the turn of events with keen interest, although it is expressly stated definite news regarding the next step France will take is yet to be received. In the event the request be made by France, it is said, permission will be asked Minister Russell to look after the French interests.

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Dress Goods that sold at 50c, at 33c
Dress Goods that sold at 25c and 35c, at 19c
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Silks that sold at $1.25, at 79c
Hose for girls and boys that sold at 10c and 12 1-2c, at two pairs for 15c
Ladies' Hose that sold at 35c and 50c, for 25c
Children's Hose that sold at two pairs for 25c, two pairs for..15c
Children's good Ribbed Hose 5c
Men's 10c Half Hose, at 5c
Men's $1.00 Madras Shirts at 69c
Men's 50c Madras Shirts at 29c
Men's Wool Sweaters that are worth $1.50, at.....75c
Men's Cotton Sweaters that are worth 50c, at 35c
COLORED OUTINGS, 2,000 YARDS, AT 3½c
Ladies' Suits that sold at $10, for $5.95
Lace Curtains that sold at 50c, for 25c
Lace Curtains that were used as samples, at half price.

SHOES

Broken lots, all kinds. Some are samples, some are from regular stock. We include men's, boys', misses', ladies', childs' and babies'. Some a third off, some are half priced.
On the bargain tables you find $3.00 Shoes for $2.00; $2.50 Shoes for $1.75; $2.00 Shoes for $1.35; 65c and 75c Shoes for 50c; baby's 50c Shoes at half.

Laces, 2,000 yards, at 3½c
Laces, 2,500 yards, at 5c
Back and Side Combs that sold for 25c, at 15c
40c, 50c and 75c Combs at 25c
Ladies' $3.00 heavy Winter Skirts at $1.50
50c Shirt Waists for 35c
$2.00 Shirt Waists for $1.39
$5.00 Silk Petticoats at $3.49
Ladies' Purses carried over from last season, good leather, well made, with chain or leather strap handles, that sold for 35c, 50c and 75c. Our only excuse is that we bought too many, so we sacrifice them at 15c
2,000 YARDS SOLID COLOR PERCALES, worth 10c, at 5c

"IN HIS STEPS" PLAN IS FAILURE

Indiana Grocer's Plan Ends in Bankruptcy

MARION, Ind., Jan. 12.—Alfred F. Norton, who has received a large amount of publicity by announcing that he conducts his business as Christ would, and who was arrested on the charge of uttering a worthless check, is now said to be insolvent. H. D. Reasoner and W. E. Hogin were today placed in charge of his business as trustees for the creditors. The creditors say the liabilities are $40,000, with assets of $10,000.

Norton has been conducting 15 grocery stores in different towns in this locality, but it is claimed he has disposed of all except one in Marion and one in Bluffton. His principal creditors are said to be the Spencer & Hogin Wholesale Grocery Company, the First National Bank of Marion, the Armour and Swift companies of Chicago, a wholesale company of Cincinnati and a wholesale company of Indianapolis, the names of which the attorneys refuse to give out. The attorneys also refuse to give a schedule of assets and liabilities.

Norton is a unique character in the business world. He opened a small grocery in Marion a few years ago and by his manner of conducting business was so widely advertised that he could not care for his increasing business. He continued to expand until he now occupies an entire brick block three stories high, with a frontage of 132 feet on one street and nearly 200 feet on another. He opened stores in other parts of the city and in surrounding towns. He refused to sell tobacco in any form, would not deliver a package for any customer and never allowed an article to leave his place of business unless it was first paid for. He carried grain sacks filled with money to the banks and seemed to be prosperous. Recently his business took a slump and he began to sell and consolidate his stores.

Last week, while attending a local religious revival meeting, he offered to place $5 in the contribution box every time any other person put in one dollar. He continued doing this until the one dollar contributions ended, when he put his gold watch and chain in the box.

Cause of Headaches

You must look well after the condition of your liver and bowels. Unless there is daily action of the bowels, poisonous products are absorbed, causing headaches, biliousness, nausea, dyspepsia. Ayer's Pills are liver pills, mildly laxative.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

TEXAS LEAGUE NOW IN CLASS C

Lone Star Aggregation Advances One Notch

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Tejas, Jan. 12.—Ted Sullivan, vice president of the Texas Baseball League, yesterday telegraphed J. W. Gardner, owner of the franchise of the Dallas Club, that the Texas League has been advanced to class C. This is considered an important protective measure for the league, which has been heretofore rated in class D. Salaries for players in class C, according to the rules of the National Professional Baseball Association, may be larger than those of class D. Other regulations and privileges accorded those in the advanced class will be welcomed by the different clubs in the Texas organization, who have been of the opinion that the national game in Texas was somewhat handicapped by the meager allowance permitted players and the attendant difficulties attached to the limits of endeavor while in the lower class.

Increased population of the cities composing the Texas League is given as the direct reason for the admission of the league into the advanced class and the news of this fact will doubtless be heralded with joy by the thousands of fans over the state, who will expect to see a better and broader game of ball for the coming season.

NEW ATHLETIC CREED

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 12.—The University of Virginia code of rules governing athletics which has recently been framed by a committee of the faculty, has been made public.

It adopts for its watchword, "Not the quarry, but the chase; not the laurel, but the race; not the hazard, but the play."

It rules out professional coaches after September, 1907.

CHILD USES OIL IS BADLY BURNED

Celia Ehrenstein Injured While Trying to Light Fire

With her face seriously burned and her beautiful hair singed, Celia Ehrenstein of 113 Vickery Boulevard, Glenwood, is still thankful, her gratitude being due to her escape with such slight injuries from an attempt to use kerosene in lighting a fire.

The girl, who is but 9 years of age, came home from school Wednesday with her sister, Edwina, two years her elder, and with her attempted to light a fire. After an ineffectual attempt the older girl went for a second match while the younger child placed her face near the smoldering fire and began blowing it. Suddenly the oil that had been used became ignited, a burst of flame enveloping the child's head. Her clothing escaped the flames and prevented more serious injury.

CITY NEWS

Couch Hardware Co., 1007 Main st.

Boaz's Book Store, 402 Main street.

Ben Wolinski of Rusk is here today.

See Adams. He knows.

Dr. Harris, osteopath. Tel. 733 & 3308

G. E. Bennett is here from Strawn.

VIAVI OFFICE, R. 5, over The Fair.

Blank books at Conner's Book Store.

The Merry Wives met with Mrs. Minnie Barron Thursday.

J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel. Phone 530.

Miss Mabel Bradley entertained the Gibson Girls at her home Thursday.

Plants, seeds and trees. Drumm Seed and Floral Company. Phone 101.

C. C. Rivers of Vernon is here on business.

R. L. Parker has returned from Tennessee, where he spent the holidays.

Mrs. D. T. Bomar entertained at luncheon Thursday noon.

Dr. J. L. Frazeur, dentist, S. E. cor. Fifth and Main streets.

Good lumber, low prices. Manning Lumber Co., 700 W. R. R. ave. Tels. 906.

G. W. Shield and family of San Angelo are in the city.

T. W. Hayes is here today from Wichita Falls.

Charles T. Jackson of Cleburne was in the city Thursday.

19 pounds Granulated Sugar, $1.00. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.

W. P. Hancock was here Thursday night from Waxahachie.

J. J. B. McCullar of Denton is in the city on business.

J. E. Leary of Boyd was here Thursday.

L. A. Armstrong and son were here from Brownwood.

W. A. Chain arrived this morning from his home in Alva, Okla.

F. A. Peck of Waco is a guest in the city today.

J. B. Sawtell of Waco is here today.

R. H. Swearingen is here from San Antonio.

Mrs. Ray, water colors and china painting. Studio 401 Ballinger. Telephone 3905.

R. J. Pierce of Paris was here Thursday on his way to his ranch at Bluffdale.

A. W. Terrell of Austin spent Thursday night in the city, a guest of his brother, Colonel Joe C. Terrell.

Buy nothing but Genuine Osage McAlester Coal. We sell it. Andrews-Potts Fuel Co.

Finest Elgin Creamery Butter, two pounds for 55c. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company.

Mrs. J. W. Hoover, 1360 Coper street, entertained the Kensington Klub Thursday afternoon.

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

Friday and Saturday we will give a large ewer and basin free with one can of Baking Powder. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company.

Mary Isham Keith Chapter, D. A. R., met at the home of Miss Marie Frost, 533 Pennsylvania avenue, Thursday afternoon.

The Montezuma Apartments at 804½ Houston street will open Wednesday. The largest, lightest rooms in the city. Centrally located. Strictly modern

"The pressure of want is the powerful incentive to invention;" and the Liner ads are particularly useful to those who in any manner feel this pressure.

Clarence Ousley has gone to Oak Cliff to address the Oak Cliff Improvement League. His topic will be "A Plea for the Cause of Higher Education."

H. M. Hubbard secured a building permit Friday to erect a one-story dwelling, containing five rooms, on lot 16, block 9, Patillo addition. The building will cost $1,000.

Courtship is not a failure—even though your rival married the girl. Answering Liner ads pays—even though, the other day, you missed a good chance because someone else answered the adv. first.

The ladies of Circle No. 5 of the First Baptist church will give an oyster dinner and supper Saturday, the hours to be from 11:30 a. m. to 9 p. m. The location is on Sixth street between Main and Houston.

Mrs. O. C. Chamberlain of Chicago is at the Delaware. She is a sister of Judge O. H. Nelson, president of the Western Stock Yards Company of Amarillo, who will be here tomorrow to join her. Mrs. Chamberlain will spend the winter in this state for her health.

"Men learn to shave on the chin of a fool"—and, sometimes, found their prosperity on the adversity of others. For example—buying a store or a property whose owner is forced to sell. And many such opportunities are found in the Liners.

FOOD SHOW ARRANGED

Week's Affair to Be Given by Dallas Grocers

Dallas is to have a pure food show, commencing on Jan. 15 and lasting until Jan. 27. This show is for the purpose of calling attention to pure foods and in Dallas the show is under the auspices of the Retail Grocers' Association. The agitation has been going on for some years past in favor of unadulterated foodstuffs and these shows are an education for the people. The Dallas Retail Grocers' Association is operating this show in the hope of defraying the expenses of a carload of delegates to the Niagara Falls meeting this year of the general Retail Grocers' Association, for the purpose of seeking to secure the national meeting of the association in Dallas next year. At Dallas some of the women's clubs are also interested in the pure food show, and the Kindergarten Society is to serve a dinner each day, at which pure food only will be served.

Though there has been no talk here in Fort Worth of the holding of such a meeting, it is understood that efforts are to be directed toward the organization of a pure food show here. These shows are practically always held under the auspices of the local organizations of the Retail Grocers' Association, and no doubt such a show would be something of value to the people.

GIGANTIC CONSPIRACY.

'Tis a gigantic conspiracy, of Coughs, Colds, etc., against you. Foil it with Dr. King's New Discovery. 50c and $1. J. P. Brashear, W. J. Fisher, Covey & Martin.

BABY COVERED WITH SORES

Would Scratch and Tear the Flesh Unless Hands Were Tied—Wasted to a Skeleton—Awful Suffering for Over a Year—Grew Worse Under Doctors—Skin Now Clear.

WOULD HAVE DIED BUT FOR CUTICURA.

"My little son, when about a year and a half old, began to have sores come out on his face. I had a physician treat him, but the sores grew worse. Then they began to come on his arms, then on other parts of his body, and then one came on his chest, worse than the others. Then I called another physician. Still he grew worse. At the end of about a year and a half of suffering he grew so bad I had to tie his hands in cloths at night to keep him from scratching the sores and tearing the flesh.

"He got to be a mere skeleton, and was hardly able to walk. My Aunt advised me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. So great was her faith in it that she gave me a small piece of Soap to try and a little of the Ointment. I took it home without any faith, but to please her I tried it, and it seemed to dry up the sores a little.

"I sent to the drug store and got a cake of the Soap and a box of the Ointment and followed the directions, and at the end of about two months the sores were all well. He has never had any sores of any kind since.

"He is now strong and healthy, and I can sincerely say that only for your most wonderful remedies my precious child would have died from those terrible sores. I used only one cake of Soap and about three boxes of Ointment. (signed) Mrs. Egbert Sheldon, R. F. D., No. 1, Woodville, Conn, April 22, 1905."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor, from Pimples to Scrofula, from Infancy to Age, Consisting of Cuticura Soap, 25c., Ointment, 50c., Resolvent, 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), may be had of all druggists. A single set often cures. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Mailed Free, "How to Cure Baby Humors."

NEW FIRM COMES HERE

Curtis & Co., Move From Marlin to Fort Worth

Fort Worth is soon to have a new retail dry goods house, which will open here about Feb. 1. The company is that of Curtis & Co., who now are at Marlin, with a branch house at Hillsboro. The company has signed a lease for the property now occupied by the Texas Paint and Paper Company, 405 Houston street, which will move to the new three-story building erected on the corner of Fifteenth and Houston streets.

The lease of the Texas Paint and Paper Company expires on the first of the month and the new company will move in about that time. It is not known whether the new company will establish headquarters in this city, although it is thought to be their intention to do so.

The company is composed of Alfred Y. Curtis and J. Paul Gardener and has been organized since 1900. Both the partners of the firm had their experience with the Mistrot & Co. dry goods houses, Mr. Curtis having been manager at Galveston and Mr. Gardener at Marlin. It is understood that J. Paul Gardener will be the manager of the local house.

It was through the efforts of the Clark-McGown Realty Company that Curtis & Co. were induced to come here.

OFFICERS ELECTED

George E. Neis Chosen Superintendent of Sunday School Twentieth Time

At the annual meeting of the Sunday school board of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church, held in the church parlors Thursday night the election of officers took place. George E. Nies, who has been superintendent since 1884, except two years, was elected for the twentieth time to the position he now holds. W. S. Matney and Dr. J. C. Horn were made assistant superintendents; Ernest Nies and Dale Smith, secretaries; Mrs. Alfred J. Smith, treasurer, and Miss Myrtle Stark, organist, with one to be elected later. Mrs. Ferdinand L. Jaccard was re-elected superintendent of the primary department and Miss J. B. Zlaring superintendent of the home department.

The teachers for the year are Messrs. Covert, Hern, Wheeler; Mesdames Draughon, Howe, Jenson, Sinclair, Feilder; Misses Gideon, Pittinger, Statt, Lewis, Weddle-Hess in the higher grades; Mrs. F. E. Deitrich, Miss Ethel Steene, Mrs. J. F. Boeye and Miss Johnson in the primary department. The reports show that the school has enjoyed one of the most properous years in its history and the new officers and teachers look forward to a continuation of this condition for the year to come.

BOY UNDERGOING OPERATION

John Fenelon, the 12-year-old son of T. P. Fenelon, city agent of the Santa Fe, submitted to an operation Thursday as a result of a nail wound in his knee. The injury was sustained several days ago, and at the time was not considered serious. The leg has become stiff as a result of the injury, however, and an operation was deemed necessary.

Rheumatism, more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by Prescription No. 2351, by Elmer & Amend. For sale by all druggists.

MONNIG'S 1302, 04, 06 Main Street

Saturday Clearance Prices Speak Their Wonderful Values

Ladies Warm Underwear at Big Discount Prices

$1.50 fine Outing Gowns in choice styles, Saturday, each 75c
$1.75 fine Outing Kimonos, prettily trimmed, Saturday, each 98c
$2.50 fine Outing Kimonos, embroidered, Saturday, each $1.79
$1.00 Flannelette Short Kimonos, with Persian band, Saturday, each 50c
Ladies' Wool Sweaters, were $4.50, Norfolk cut, Saturday, each $1.98
All Blouse Sweaters, $3.00 to $3.50 values, Norfolk cut, Saturday, each $2.00
85c Flannelette Wrappers, dark colors, Saturday, each 50c
75c value Bleached Ribbed Vests, extra fleeced, Saturday, each 39c
$1.39 value Ladies' Lamb's Wool Vests and Pants, Saturday, each 98c
$1.25 value Ladies' Superior Union Suits, form fitting, Saturday, suit 75c
35c value Boys' heavy fleeced Underwear, Saturday, garment 19c

Warm Hosiery

20c value Ladies' heavy ribbed fleeced Hose, Saturday 2 pairs for 25c
25c value Ladies' extra heavy fleeced Hose, Saturday, pair 15c
50c value Ladies' and Misses' fine cashmere Hose, 3 pairs for $1.00
25c value Boys' and Girls' Buster Brown Hose, 3 pairs for 50c

Sacrifice Prices in Ladies and Childrens Wraps

$3.00 Ladies' Black Silk Shoulder Capes, Saturday, each 50c
$20.00 values Ladies' Fitted Back Silk Wraps, Saturday, each $2.50
$4.00 value Ladies' Kersey Jackets, all colors. Saturday, each $1.50
$10.00 values Ladies' Long Cloaks, Saturday, each $5.00
$15.00 Ladies' fine Tan Coats, satin lined. Saturday, each $8.75
$27.50 Ladies' Tan full length Coats, our handsomest, Saturday, each $17.50
$15.00 Ladies' Long Mottled Plush Coats, Saturday, each $9.00
Immense values in Misses' and Children's Long Cloaks. Prices cut in half.
ALL FURS CLOSED OUT at a sacrifice.
This season's Ladies' Skirts, a lot of about 50 in number, embracing many choice fabrics in solids and mixtures, worth from $3.50 to $5.00, Saturday, choice of lot, each $1.98
Infants' Long White Bedford Cord Coats, value $1.50, Saturday 98c
$1.50 Ladies' large size Circular Shawls, Saturday 98c
$1.50 White Ice Wool Shawls, Saturday...98c
Ladies' Taffeta Silk Underskirts, colors only, value $7.50, Saturday $4.48
Ladies' Knit Underskirts, all $1.25 to $1.50 values, Saturday, go at, each 89c

Dress Goods Sacrifices Upon Our 39c Counter

Embrace the newest and best lines of this season. Many have been 75c to 85c; Clearance Prices, yard 39c
High grade novelties in Ladies' Neckwear, values $1.00 to $1.50; a choice of the lot Saturday, each 75c
Printed Taffeta Ribbons in beautiful designs, all silk, were 50c, to close, yard 25c
Saturday shoppers will be well repaid by an examination of our values. So come and save money.

MONNIG'S

RAW EGGS AND MILK IS DIET

Indiana Man Holds Record and Cured Himself

Special to The Telegram.

FAIRMOUNT, Ind., Jan. 12.—Amos Bell of this city has without a doubt eaten more eggs than any man living, and they have all been raw eggs, too. He has been eating them at the rate of 18 each day for the past 147 days, and has put away just 2,646 raw eggs in that time, counting those used today.

Bell, who believes that he easily holds the record, started the new year on the same diet, and says that he does not know when he will cease eating eggs. In addition to the eggs he has drunk 111 gallons of milk in the same time.

Bell has been a tuberculosis invalid three years, being confined to his bed for 12 months. At the time he commenced his feast he weighed 123 pounds, and his case had been diagnosed by no less than 12 physicians as incipient pulmonary tuberculosis. In August last he placed himself in the hands of a doctor who gave the man no encouragement, but in lieu of something better decided to try the experiment of forced feeding and open-air treatment. Raw eggs in large and frequent doses were prescribed, and the diet has been kept up steadily and without interruption, although for a time it seemed that a halt would necessarily have to be called on account of the scarcity of eggs. Upon arising the patient swallows three eggs broken in a pint of milk and thoroughly mixed together. An hour later the dose is repeated. At noon he again takes the required three eggs in a pint of milk, and an hour later takes three more in the same manner. He has been taking no medicine whatever outside of a little preparation to keep him from being sickened on the continual diet of eggs, and the result is remarkable. Today he tips the beam at 143, within three pounds of his former heaviest weight, and is still gaining. He sleeps like a babe, has no cough, no fever, his lungs have healed up and he is now breathing to the very bottom of these organs. He is daily taking long walks through town for exercise, and says he never felt better.

TEXAS WILL NOT SUPPORT PETERS

Contest of Calvert Man for Office in Cotton Association Believed to Be Past

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 12.—Texas, according to statements of her delegates, will not support E. S. Peters of Calvert in his opposition to the Jordan-Cheatham administration and his claim that he is still vice president of the Southern Cotton Association.

"No," said J. C. Hickey of Henderson, Rusk county. "Mr. Peters is not here and we do not expect him. We do not believe he will make a stand on the floor of this convention with his contentions, which do not appear to be well founded. I was at the Asheville meeting of the executive committee when he made his defense, but I do not care to discuss that. I do not hesitate to say, however, that the Texas delegation will not support him in his fight on Jordan, should he appear hejre."

Texas has a very small delegation on the floor of the convention thus far. Only a corporal's guard compared with the army of cotton growers which that state sent to this city one year ago for the birth of the association.

Those who attended the Texas caucus for the selection of committeemen were R. T. Miller, president of the Texas division, Henderson, Rusk county; Olney and J. S. Davis and R. D. Dudson, secretary of the Texas state division, Waxahachie, Ellis county; Dr. John H. Pope, Marshall; J. A. Taylor, president of the National Ginners' Association, Dallas; W. J. Forman, Llano county; E. B. Alford, Thomas Strong, W. J. Crow, J. C. Hickey, P. S. Tipps and L. A. Smith, Henderson; A. A. Cunningham, Tyler; R. R. Dancey, Houston.

The Texas caucus named the following for convention committees: On resolutions, R. T. Miller; reduction of acreage, J. H. Pope; financing, J. C. Hickey; warehousing, J. S. Davis; holding of cotton, R. R. Dancey; trade relations, W. A. Cunningham; statistics, E. B. Alford.

IMPERFECT DIGESTION means less nutrition and in consequence less vitality. When the liver fails to secrete bile, the blood becomes loaded with bilious properties, the digestion becomes impaired and the bowels constipated. Herbine will rectify this; it gives tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys, strengthens the appetite, clears and improves the complexion, infuses new life and vigor to the whole system. 50 cents a bottle. Sold by Covey & Martin, 810 Main street, opposite Hotel Worth.

HAS FOOTBALL MONEY

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—In the hopes that football may be revived at Columbia, the football association, before its dissolution, has set aside $10,000 as a fund for the re-establishment of the game.

When the football association was ordered to disband it had about $13,000 in the treasury. Of this amount $10,000 was placed in the custody of the board of trustees, with instructions to turn it over to the university football team in case the game is revived as an intercollegiate sport within five years.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Everybody ought to have a good photograph. Swartz, 705 Main street, is where most people go when they want good ones. Now is the time.

W. J. Lock of England, Ark., is among the visitors to the city today.

If it's anything in the furniture line you want you'd naturally go to the Ladd Furniture and Carpet Company. Phone 562. Any way you want to pay.

Mrs. Reddick and family of Mineral Wells are guests at the Metropolitan.

If it's hardware go to the Panther City Hardware Co., ... st and Houston streets. They can supply you with anything in the line.

W. L. Douglas Shoes. Best in the world. If you have BUNIONS, we have shoes to fit them at $3.50 pair. Monnig's, 1302-4-6 Main street.

Go to Cummings, Shepherd & Co., 700 Houston, for phonograph records, musical instruments. They carry a large line of latest up-to-date goods.

The best liquors, wines and cigars to be had in Tarrant county are kept at York's Liquor Store, 1010 Main street. A trial order is sufficient evidence.

street Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Fort Worth Business College. Man's best capital—a course at college, fitting him for everyday duties of life. Opposite Delaware Hotel.

Try a bottle of Miller's best, $1 a quart. Four Queens, high grade whisky, at $1.25. The Kentucky Liquor House, 114-16 Houston street.

Your prescriptions can be filled exactly as the doctor ordered at Reeves' Pharmacy, 1201 Jennings avenue. Fine line of toilet articles always on hand.

Don't hesitate—just phone 201, the Fort Worth Steam Laundry, and let them convince you that they are in the business to please their customers.

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

W. B. Scrimshire and R. A. Bobo, First and Throckmorton streets, have the finest line of agricultural implements in the southwest. All up-to-date goods to select from.

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

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

Full line of horse timers at Cromer Bros., 1616 Main.

Jacob's, Plow's and Allegretti candies, fresh every week, at Blythe's, on the corner.

J. R. Hamilton, a prominent sheep grower of San Angelo and Del Rio, is a visitor in the city.

The Eagle Loan Office, 1009 Main street, makes liberal loan on all articles of value. Unredeemed pledges at one-half price.

Columbia 10-inch Disc Talking Machine Records reduced to 60c. Gold Moulded Cylinder Records, 25c. Come and hear the new ones. A. J. Anderson, 410-412 Houston street.

The Monster Sale
at the Busy Corner is a Hummer

Everybody is attending this sale. Judicious buyers are out in great numbers. Winter Goods must go. We won't carry over a vestige of winter stuff in this store. The big knife is brought into action every few minutes. Something turns up here and there, and the prices put on them soon moves them out. Every inch of this store is a bargain space.
Suits, Jackets, Skirts, Waists, Shoes, Millinery, everything in this store is slaughtered. Come, don't wait. Lots of good things in this sale.
It will do your soul good to see how business is done at THE BUSY CORNER.
Lots of extra salespeople. No trouble to get attention.
Special Shoe Tables for Saturday—two pairs for the price of one.

Burch & Prince
Sixth and Houston Streets

GENERAL ELECTION ON IN ENGLAND

Indications Point to a Great Liberal Victory

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The general election opened this morning and by 10 o'clock the name of the first member of the new parliament was announced. Sir Chrostopher Furness, liberal, being returned for Harelepool. Sir Christopher, however, was not opposed.

A little later the score was evened by the unopposed re-election of Austin Taylor for East Toxteteh. In the course of the morning two more liberals were elected without a contest.

Nominations are made today in 180 boroughs. The elections in these boroughs commence tomorrow and last for several days.

Ipswich is the only borough polling today.

Both of the late members, Sir Charles Dalrymple, conservative, and Daniel Ford Goddard, liberal, are candidates for re-election and both political parties are making strenuous efforts to capture the seats.

Workmen have a large majority of the votes, so the campaign centers in the fiscal fight.

Many Seats Conceded

One of the remarkable features of the campaign is the extraordinary number of seats handed over to the liberals without any attempt by the unionists to contest them. This is attributed, in conservative circles, to the certainty that the liberals will win the election, it being argued that it is better to reserve the conservative strength for a later struggle, which is anticipated after the liberals have held office for a year or two. There is, however, great uncertainty on all sides as to the extent of the liberal victory. Liberal enthusiasts claim their party has a working majority independent of the Irish nationalists, but the more conservative estimates give Premier Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman a majority of only sixty or seventy, leaving the Irish nationalists the balance of power.

Balfour's Seat in Danger

Arthur J. Balfour's seat in East Manchester appears to be endangered. Winston Churchill's amazing vitality and enthusiasm has spread beyond his own division (Oldham Manchester) and has infected the whole city of Manchester.

Small Betting Noted

There is little betting on the general result as to the earlier relations on which the fate of such important candidates as Mr. Balfour, George Wyndham (conservative), Dover, Sir Gilbert Parker (conservative, Gravesend), and Winston Churchill, all of whose contests take place tomorrow and are liable to cause widespread influence on the voters in the later elections. At some liberal clubs odds of 6 to 1 have been laid against the return of Mr. Balfour. Much interest attaches to the return of a sufficient number of members to make the balance between labor party and the liberals. Should the labor party succeed in electing a number sufficient to make the balance of power, it is expected that they will exercise it in the direction of securing the passage of a measure providing for the payment of members.

JAP STEAMSHIP CO WANTS PACIFIC LINE

Report in Northwest's Visit to Orient Was Connected with Matter of Sale

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

LUTHER PHELAN DEAD

Waco Man Succumbs to Shot Received Saturday

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Jan. 12.—Luther Phelan, who was shot about midnight Saturday night, died shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after making a stubborn fight for life. He had only been married about two weeks. Mark Rice is still in jail and an examining trial is set down for tomorrow. There was much concern shown by the people as to Phelan's recovery and there was deep regret expressed at his death.

TO ESTABLISH HEADQUARTERS

Waco May Be Chief Texas Station of Wireless System

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Jan. 12.—It is stated by parties in a position to know that Waco stands an excellent opportunity to be headquarters in Texas for the chain of wireless telegraph stations which will be established from New York to San Francisco, and that definite announcement in this matter will be made shortly. Many of the stations between the maximum points named have already been established, and Texas will be well provided with stations.

TO PROBE SHORTAGE

Fort Sill Officers on Inquiry Board at Fort Sam Houston

Special to The Telegram.

LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 12.—Major T. W. Taylor, in command of the Thirteenth cavalry at Fort Sill, has been dispatched by the war department to Fort Sam Houston as a member of a board of inquiry consisting of three army officers to investigate the shortage of an officer in charge of the canteen there. Captain Dade is in command at Fort Sill during Major Taylor's absence.

FALLS AS SHE PLAYS HYMN

SHENANDOAH, Ia., Jan. 12.—Mrs. John Wheelan, while playing "Nearer, My God, to Thee," on a piano today was seized by convulsions and died a few hours later.

"COLON A SWAMP," BIGELOW DECLARES

Declares Secretary Taft Has Not Met His Charges

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Poultney Bigelow, for whose presence before the senate committee on interoceanic canals a subpoena was issued yesterday, has signed letter on "Panama" in today's Times. The communication in part is as follows:

"Two things are notable to him who reads the signs of the times:

"First, the general tendency to modernize the Panama railroad.

"Second, the apparent unwillingness of Secretary Taft to meet the charges of Mr. Bigelow."

NO SUNDAY BASEBALL

FRANCHISE ASSESSED

San Antonio Gas Company Case to Be Used as Test

Special to The Telegram.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 12.—The city board of equalization has assessed the franchise of the San Antonio Gas and Electric Company at $250,000. The city will sue for taxes and carry the case to the supreme court to test the validity of the franchise.

If successful, other franchises in the county of $1,000,000 will be assessed in like manner.

ARREST FOLLOWS BIG DALLAS FIRE

Architect Held on Charge of Murdering Victim

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 12.—E. H. Silven is under arrest at police headquarters on a complaint charging the murder of Benard Philipson by burning the Knepfly (Gaston National Bank) building, in which the body of that young man was found Tuesday morning at the time when fire destroyed the two upper stories of that building in Main street, this city.

The arrest was made shortly before midnight last night by Police Sergeant Harrison.

E. H. Silven, who is an architect well known in this city, occupied rooms in the second floor of the building which burned Tuesday. It is believed by the police that the fire started in this floor and their investigations for the past two days led to the complaint being sworn out against Silven late yesterday afternoon and his arrest last night. The grand jury is continuing its investigations, the insurance people are active and further developments are awaited with increasing interest here.

Mr. Silven is 50 years of age and has been in Dallas for a number of years. He has been prominent in his profession and drew the plans for many of the big structures in Dallas, it is said. Among his commissions was his appointment by Dan Stuart as architect for the auditorium in which it was planned to have the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight.

MAN SHOT AT TULSA

Wounds of Arthur E. Crocker Are Probably Fatal

Special to The Telegram.

TULSA, I. T., Jan. 12.—Arthur E. Crocker, an undertaker here, was waylaid and shot at a late hour last night while en route to his home. Two of the shots took effect and will probably be fatal.

Howell P. Stoker, brother-in-law to the wounded man, was placed under arrest in connection with the shooting.

THESE TWINS NOT TWINS

Oshkosh Babies See Light Different Years 17 Minutes Apart

Special to The Telegram.

OSHKOSH, Wis., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Han Hansen, wife of a motorman employed by the Winnebago Traction Company of this city, is the mother of twin babies, each of which pair was born on a different year. The first of the twin babies to come into the world appeared at five minutes to 12 o'clock Dec. 21, 1905. The second was born at 12:12 a. m. Jan. 1, 1906, just seventeen minutes intervening between the births.

CALL AUTO JAUGGERNAUT

Minnesota Farmers Vent Their Opinions of Motor Cars

Special to The Telegram.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 12—The farmers of Minnesota have declared war on reckless automobile driving over public highways.

The auto was denounced as "a modern juggernaut" at the session of the State Agricultural Society which will lead to securing legislation to curb reckless chauffeurs.

BATTERY BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD

Finishes 1,100 Mile March in Fifty five Days

GAMBLE IS TAKEN TO PENITENTIARY

FATHER IS GIVEN CUSTODY OF CHILD

Grandparents Lose in Effort to Keep Possesion

The evidence in the habeas corpus case of E. P. Reynolds vs. J. L. Mock and wife for the custody of the 5-year-old son of the plaintiff was concluded and the case argued before Judge Mike E. Smith of the Seventeenth district court Thursday afternoon and the case taken under advisement until Friday morning.

When court convened at 9 o'clock Friday morning all the parties to the suit, including the child, were present. Judge Smith entered an order giving the father custody of the child and the grandparents, who have had the little fellow ever since his birth, surrendered him to Mr. Reynolds.

There was no scene the court room, but it was plain to be seen that the old couple who had learned to love the little fellow with all the love of parents were suffering severe heartugs. There was moisture in their eyes, but they stood the painful ordeal of separation with fortitude.

YOUNG MEN HELD

Two young men giving the names of Marshall Roy and James Scott were held under bonds of $800 each by Justice Terrell, following an attack made Thursday night on Gus Smith, an aged farmer from Bear Creek.

Smith, who had some money with him, was standing at the corner of Belknap and Houston streets when the assault is alleged to have taken place. Officer Wallace of the local police department heard his cries and went to his assistance.

GIRL CHARGED WITH THEFT

Louise Van Dresser, a white girl who had been employed at the Metropolitan hotel in the dining room, was arrested by Detective S. P. Maddox Thursday afternoon and a complaint lodged with the county attorney, charging her with theft under $50. The complaint alleges that the defendant took a valise valued at $5, containing a skirt valued at $5 and a waist valued at $2, it being the property of Emma Powell. In default of bond she was sent to jail.

JUSTICE TERRELL'S COURT

The examining trial of Marshall Roy, charged with assault to rob was held and defendant held for the grand jury. Bond was fixed at $800, in default of which defendant was remanded to jail.

James Scott, charged with assault to rob, had an examining trial and was held for grand jury. Bond was fixed at $800, and the defendant remanded to jail.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses have been issued as follows:

B. H. Zichner, Dallas, and Mrs. P. B. Wright, Dallas.

J. Thorp Wathers, 1100 Granger, and Miss Ruth A. Harwood, Rosedale and Travis.

Angelo Canood, Bridgeport, and Miss Mary Fredrick, Bridgeport.

BIRTH RECORD

To Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Monyham, Handley, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chand, Handley, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. F. Black, Handley, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dankless, Handley, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Yates, Arlington, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shelton, Arlington, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Kennedy, Arlington, a girl.

DEATH RECORD

Samuel G. Allen, aged 40 years, Diamond Hill, North Fort Worth, Jan. 3, of angina pectoris.

FORTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT COURT

The evidence in the case of Zarecetti against the city of Fort Worth is all in and the case will go to the jury this afternoon.

JUSTICE COURT MARRIAGES

Justices Rowland and Terrell varied the run of business in their courts this morning by each of them officiating at a wedding.

Justice Rowland married B. H. Zichner and Mrs. P. B. Wright, both of Dallas, and Justice Terrell performed the ceremony that united Angelo Canood and Miss Mary Fredrick, both of Bridgeport, Wise county, Texas.

FIRST COURT CIVIL APPEALS

GALVESTON, Texas, Jan. 12.—The court of civil appeals, First supreme judicial district of Texas, at Galveston, entered the following orders yesterday:

Affirmed: Alford Bros. & Whiteside et al. vs. M. E. and N. C. Williams, from Panola; Jane W. Yarbrough et al. vs. W. E. Mayes, from Houston; Peach River Lumber Co. vs. J. K. Ayres, from Harris; Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway company vs. John S. Paschal, from Fort Bend.

Motions for rehearing refused: Jas. T. Harris vs. W. G. Cain, from Smith; J. E. Nilday, guardian, et al. vs. J. B. Cochran, from Harris; D. C. Baines et al. vs. W. F. Taylor Co., limited, from Nacogdoches; W. P. Wynne vs. W. A. Ward et al., from Jefferson; T. P. A. of Asweles vs. M. Wall, from Harris.

Question certified to supreme court on motion for rehearing: Woldert Grocery Co. vs. Boonville Elevator Co., from Smith.

25c Bathasweet Rice Powder Box 15c

THE Parker & Lowe DRY GOODS CO.

Armours 15c Toilet Soaps Cake 9c

A Wonderful Suit & Coat Sale
A Clearance Offering Splendid Bargains for You

Aside from the amazingly low prices of these garments, the painstaking care exhibited in the making and the high-grade materials of which they are made, will appeal to every woman who looks. There's not a bad garment in the lot—they are all worthy your admiration.

All of our Ladies' late style $12.00 and $13.50 Suits, now reduced to $6.98
Choice of our very best models in Ladies' $15.00 and $17.50 Suits for $9.85
Choice of our entire stock of Children's Stylish Coats, several models, in browns, reds, etc.; were $3.50 and $3.75; now $2.98
Choice of our complete stock of Children's Coats, worth $5.75, $6.00, $6.50 and $7.50, all colors and mixed effects; now for $4.98
Ladies' fine $12.50 and $13.50 Black Cloth Coats, reduced to $9.50
Ladies' Cloth Coats, in navy and mixed effects, $10.00 models; now $7.98
Children's and Misses' Coats, in all colors and styles, that were $10.00, $12.50 and $13.50; now for $8.50
Ladies' Stylish Tailored Suits, for street and dress wear, all colors, sizes and materials; were $20.00, $22.50 and $23.50; now $15.00
Ladies' high grade $30.00, $27.50 and $25.00 Street and Afternoon Gowns and Tailored Suits, the best styles; now reduced to $19.50
Children's and Misses' Coats that were $15.00, $17.50 and $18.50, all colors; now $12.50
Ladies' $15.00, $16.50 and $17.50 Cloth Coats, in black, red and mixtures; now $13.50
Ladies' Coats, in black, tan and mixtures, $21.50 and $22.50 values; now $19.50

Fancy Neckwear Sale
ONE-FOURTH OFF REGULAR PRICES

These Neckwear values are greater than at any previous offering. That is saying a good deal, but it's a fact. You certainly can supply your future stock wants to advantage here tomorrow.

Our entire line of Ladies' Tailored Silk and Fancy Chiffon, lace trimmed Stocks—this season's latest styles, in all colors, on sale tomorrow at one-fourth off the already low prices.

For instance—this way:

50c Stocks 38c
69c Stocks 52c
75c Stocks 56c
98c Stocks 75c
$1.25 Stocks 94c
$1.49 Stocks $1.12
$1.75 Stocks $1.32
$1.98 Stocks $1.50
$2.25 Stocks $1.69
$2.50 Stocks $1.88

Kid Glove Clearance
CONTINUED ANOTHER DAY

Then phenomenal glove values are making this the greatest clearance we have ever given, and to show our appreciation, we will continue it through tomorrow. This is not a sale of low-grade gloves, but a sacrifice of the world's best known brands, to make room for spring lines which have been bought.

Our entire line of the celebrated P. & L. and Mocha Kid Gloves, in all colors and nearly all sizes, regular $1.25 quality; pair $1.00
Every pair of Trefousse, Pique and Verlaine $1.50 Gloves, all colors and sizes; an excellent wearing glove; on sale at, pair $1.19
We will close out several lines of Long Gloves, slightly soiled from handling, regular $2.50 and $3.00 kinds; at pair $1.50

Hose and Underwear
SATURDAY OFFERINGS, FIRST FLOOR

When Parker-Lowe announces a reduction on an articles in this section, you know that you will get a garment of excellent wearing quality at quite a saving—an article that was really a bargain at the regular price.

Children's fleece lined cotton Union Suits, in ecru; our regular 50c grade 39c
Ladies' gray wool Pants and Vests, in small sizes; to close, $1.00 kind tomorrow, garment 50c
Children's ribbed cotton Black Hose, silk fleeced, regular 25c grade; on sale at, pair 19c
Ladies' Black Hose, daintily embroidered in fancy colors, 50c quality; special, Saturday 39c

Bargains in the Basement
VALUES WORTH INVESTIGATING

Men's Negligee Shirts, all sizes, assorted colors, worth 75c; special 44c
Ladies' Suspender Corsets—One of the best values on the market; on sale Saturday at 44c
Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery, regular 25c values, warranted not to fade; per pair 19c
Val. Laces, slightly soiled, in dozen yard lengths 12c per dozen, or per yard 1c
Big Pencil Tablets, slightly marred on edge—a 5c special; to close out Saturday; two Tablets for 5c
Coal Shovels, worth 25c, to be closed out at only 15c

EMERGENCY SAFE PROVES UNSAFE

Carpenter Hunting Tool Box With Money Deposited

W. T. Powell, a carpenter, who has been working on a building on the South Side, locked up his tools in his tool chest in the building Wednesday night when he quit work and as the chest was a strong box, deposited $22.30 in cash in it with the tools for safekeeping. His kit of tools was a complete carpenter's outfit and cost him $180.

Thursday morning when he went to the building to go to work he discovered that the tool chest had been broken open and the money and all the tools stolen. He made complaint in Justice Rowland's court Thursday evening and a search warrant was issued, which had not been executed at noon Friday.

SCHOOL CHILDREN RAISING ART FUND

Entertainment to Be Given at High School Chapel by Pupils of Van Zandt Building

Unique invitations have been sent out for an entertainment to be given by the Van Zandt school in the Fifth ward at the high school chapel Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Invitations in rhyme have been sent out by the pupils as follows:

The Van Zandt school, grades Six and Two,
Adopt this plan of inviting you
To an entertainment they will give,
And all the money they receive
Will be invested in works of art
To brighten their room. Now do your part
By lending them a helping hand
And cause their proceeds to expand;
So on Friday next, at half-past three,
At the high school chapel you should be,
To lend your presence—give your dime.
Now don't forget—be there on time.

WHITE MAN HELD AND BADLY CUT

D. C. Richardson of Rosen Heights Severely Injured Thursday Night Says Negroes Held Him

D. C. Richardson of Rosen Heights was stabbed in the back Thursday night at the corner of Eleventh and Calhoun streets. He was unable to say whether the wound was inflicted with a knife or a razor, but the blade, he says, penetrated to the bone. Another long cut was made in his coat under his arm. Officers Dale and [illegible] arrested Bolin Burnett, colored, on the charge of assault to murder. Five other negroes, who were with Burnett at the time, were also arrested.

Richardson is a young man about [illegible] years old. He was employed at the [illegible] looking for a negro who had formerly worked for him as cook when he was attacked.

Officer A. N. Bell, on the complaint of Richardson, arrested three negro women, Mattie Harbert, Willie Smith and Annie Branson, on charges of assault to murder, and Friday morning they waived examination before Justice Rowland, who fixed their bond at $500. They went to jail.

DEATHS

MRS. HENRY GRIESSE

Word has been received by friends in this city of the death at Denver Jan. 5 of Mrs. Henry Griesse, who lived in this city until about eight months ago. Mrs. Giesse was Miss Daisy Watkins of this city before her marriage. She is survived by her husband alone, having no children.

ROGERS TO FIGHT TO HIGHEST COURT

Standard Oil Magnate Announces Plan of Battle

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—An abstract of the reply Henry H. Rogers will make to the state supreme court order directing him to answer certain questions offered by Attorney General Hadley of Missouri in the ouster proceedings against the Standard and other oil companies, concludes with the statement that the question raised by the hearing is entirely new and that Rogers, if necessary, will take it before the highest court of the land.

If the final decision is against him he will reply to the questions. He will not necessarily answer the questions if so ordered by Justice Gildersleeve. Rogers' reply is divided into three main grounds. The first relates to the stock ownership question and has four subdivisions affecting the rights of Rogers as owner of stock in the defendant corporations and in other corporations and the rights of other stockholders in the defendant corporations and in other corporations. The second main answer involves the operations of responding companies in states other than Missouri. The third main answer affects the operations of corporations other than the defendants both within and without Missouri. Rogers' reply mentions the publicity attending proceedings and the taking of a flashlight which Rogers declares was annoying and embarrassing to him.

MINOR DOING NICELY

Surviving Victim of Dallas Fire Thought Recovering

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 12.—The condition of John R. Minor Jr., whose eyes at one time was despaired of because of the injuries received in jumping from the window of the burning building at the time of the fire Monday morning, is thought to be improving.

FACTORY CLUB URGES EFFORTS

Letter Sent to Members by Secretary Moore

Judge N. B. Moore, secretary of the Home Factory and Industrial Association, is sending out letters to the members of the association and other business men around the city asking for their aid in continuing the good work that the association has carried on during the past year. The letter is a plea for the continuing of the support during the rest of the year as well as it was last year.

The letter, which is being sent out, is as follows:

"FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 12.—Dear Sir: We come to you, personally, and ask your consideration, your influence, your active support in the building of a still greater Fort Worth.

"The past year has been one of great achievements, the result of active, continuous, aggressive work.

"The year upon which we have just entered presents to us still greater possibilities, if the opportunities are promptly, zealously and wisely grasped. Aggressive action is absolutely essential.

"The triumphs of the past and our wonderful growth must not lead us to inactivity. In this day and age, especially, success comes only as the result of intelligent effort. It must not be spasmodic. Cities do not build themselves. Fort Worth will just be what its people make it. The time is propitious, the harvest is ripe, and it is for every citizen of Fort Worth to aid in garnering, to foster every industry we have. 'Home Consumption for Home Products' is essential. The bringing to us of every manufacturing plant possible that is adapted to our location must be achieved. Our streets must be improved, our lighting bettered, sidewalks constructed, our lawns beautified, our homes made attractive. We earnestly implore you, as one of the many to seize the opportunity now.

"Concentration of effort is effective. It matters not in what sphere you work, do your part of the work. What was done by you last year, brought the best results, but each of us must do this year. We must not cease to plant, or we will cease to harvest. There is no standing still. As individuals in business, we advance or retrograde. As a city, we dare not rely upon past achievements. The future of Fort Worth depends on what you do, not what your neighbor does, but what you and the neighbor does. The organizations in Fort Worth, whose purpose is the building of a greater Fort Worth, need your help, your work, influence and financial support, and must have it. The officers (leave the secretary) and directors of the Factory Club give their time without any compensation. They contribute just as the members do, they have no more at stake than any citizen. These men, your servants, earnestly urge your active co-operation. Not tomorrow, do it now. Let every citizen seize a spoke in the wheel and this our city will show the greatest growth in her history.

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NEW JERSEY GOVERNOR HESITATES

Governor Stokes of New Jersey is hesitating in the matter of permitting the hanging of Mrs. Tolla, the Italian woman under sentence of death for killing a man in defense of her honor. He has granted the unfortunate woman a respite of thirty days, and this is an encouraging indication. It at least indicates a willingness on the part of the New Jersey executive to defer the awful sentence of the law and consider the matter of preventing the execution and that fact should be promptly taken advantage of by those who are interested in the matter all over the country. Governor Stokes should be bombarded with petitions for executive clemency until he is satisfied to announce the woman's pardon. The Telegram of Wednesday contained the first announcement of the governor's action, together with the statement that the paper will continue to receive names for a petition to the governor in her behalf until Feb. 1. Petitions are already being circulated in the city and are being numerously signed.

Back many years ago, a noble Roman soldier killed his beautiful daughter with his own hands, because it was the only method by which he could protect her from the unlawfulness of a high Roman official. It was the only method by which he could save her honor.

History chronicles the fact, and that father—who shed the blood of his child nearly 2,000 years ago, has come down to posterity as a hero. We can all remember how our very blood has tingled with the sublimity of sentiment expressed in the lines:

"Yea, and from nameless evil that passeth taunt and blow—
Foul outrage, which thou knowest not, which thou shalt never know!
Then clasp me round the neck once more, and give me one more kiss;
And now, mine own dear little girl, there is no way—but this."

He stabbed her to the heart.

And when the servant of the rufflanly and licentious Roman demanded the father's arrest, offering a great price to any one who would stop him, not one among the multitude of poor people witnessing the tragic incident lifted a hand to detain him—

"And as Virginius through the press his way in silence cleft,
Ever the mighty multitude fell back to right and left,
And he passed in safety unto his woeful home."

Even in Rome, when perfidy reigned supreme—when human slavery perhaps saw its darkest days, and when licentiousness stalked through the land with no restraining influence to mar its reeking and desolating progress, a woman's honor stood for something.

It stood as justification for the slaying of a very dear daughter by the hands of her own father—a terrible human sacrifice upon the altar of woman's purity. Those old Romans were made of stern material. They were not of the mold of the latter day Vermonters, who could see a woman hang without any compunctions of conscience. They were different from the mosquito punctured sons of New Jersey, who could sentence a woman to die for defending that which every mother's son of them should have been ready to defend with his very life if necessary.

The New Jersey idea is that a sacrifice must be made, but it must be to the majesty of the law, instead of to the jewel of womanhood.

And the multitude of American people standing in full view of the unholy proceeding, are rising in their might and crying that this shameful deed shall not be done. The noble American women from one end of this fair land of ours to the other, have arisen in righteous indignation, and are declaring "Thou Shalt Not."

The Telegram does not believe that the governor of New Jersey will conclude to fly in the face of humanity as the governor of Vermont did. The great protests that are going up against this contemplated crime against womanhood will have its effect. The governor may be slow to act, from the fact that he does not desire to appear too easily influenced. But in the end the protests will prevail, and this poor Italian woman in a strange land—the descendant of that same stock existing under Italy's sunny skies when Virginius set the world an example in protecting woman's honor, will have justice done her.

The work of petitioning the governor of New Jersey should go forward, however. One Cincinnati lady has already presented him a petition bearing 180,000 names. These things may not be absolutely necessary, but each of them constitutes a ringing protest in a contemplated crime against American womanhood.

THE MATTER OF ADVERTISING

How much of your time and nervous force are devoted to "making mountains out of mole-hills?"

It is one of the worst of employments—and the prime temperamental defect of the race.

In business the tendency is all in the direction of mountain-building, with material which is, in some cases, scant for a sizable mole-hill.

The "scared" merchant sees the mole-hills of "additional competition," "increased expenses," "over stocks" and "lost customers" loom large as the Alps—while adequate advertising would rob them of all terrors, and keep them "under his heel."

The property owner sees, in a broken lease, a rapidly bulging mole-hill of loss and trouble—while a classified ad. would turn the incident to his profit—by finding a better tenant at once.

The widow who keeps boarders loses a group of them unexpectedly, cutting her income in half, and expanding the mole-hill to a sinister-visaged mountain of fret, while a quick use of the want columns would fill the empty chairs and clear the atmosphere of worry.

The man with a plan, with an invention, with a business opening—but without money to "push it"—his mountain looks as though it could never have been a mole-hill. And a Business Opportunity ad., which—like Faith—can "move a mountain," could find a man who could find the money to set the things in motion.

Look over the classified ads and you will see how printer's ink is used by "all kinds and conditions of men" to dissolve and remove trouble mountains—to turn daily perplexities into content, even to profit—to resolve imaginary mountains into the mole-hills from which they were builded.

We should not forget that 1906 is the year in which a cotton mill is to be built in Fort Worth. Universal determination in that direction can be depended upon to do the work.

RAILROAD RATE LEGISLATION—THE BILLS PENDING IN CONGRESS

ANALYSIS BY EX-SENATOR CHANDLER

The principal bills pending in congress for railroad legislation contain many provisions not directly relating to the rate and hence existing debate in the committee rooms has centered upon the general merits of the contentions when it finds a railroad rate to be unreasonable to fix a new rate to take the place. Some of the provisions are desirable and even important, but they serve to overlay and embarrass the one indispensable proposition, that the power which is now lacking shall be unmistakably given to the commission. It would be wise for congress to pass a bill containing this one proposition with as little in addition as possible; leaving other propositions to be dealt with later upon the consideration of further bills.

Concerning the one thing needful, the provisions of seven bills introduced into congress, beginning with the Townsend bill and ending with the Foraker bill, are, in condensed but accurate language, as follows:

Townsend Bill (H. R. 4425), December 6, 1905

I.

Whenever upon complaint and full hearing the interstate commerce commission shall decide any existing transportation rate to be unreasonable, unjustly discriminating, or unduly prejudicial, it shall declare and order what reasonable maximum rate shall be charged in place of the rate condemned; and this order shall take effect thirty days after notice to the railroad. A rehearing may be held at any time, and the order may be modified, added to, suspended or vacated.

II.

The railroad may, within thirty days, apply to a United States circuit court, asserting that the order of the commission is unlawful. The case shall be expedited under existing laws, and the question of unlawfulness tried and decided by the court. The attorney general shall defend the order at the expense of the government. There may be an appeal to the supreme court, and the case shall have preference therein over all but criminal cases.

Dolliver Bill (S. 2261), December 19, 1905

I.

When the interstate commerce commission, after full hearing upon complaint made, shall be of the opinion that a rate is unjust, unreasonable, or unduly discrimatory, or unduly preferential or prejudicial, it shall determine what, in its judgment, will be the just and reasonable maximum rate to be thereafter observed, and make an order accordingly. The order shall go into effect thirty days after notice, but may be suspended or modified by the commission, which may grant rehearings according to rules it may establish.

II.

The commission may apply to the circuit court for the enforcement of its orders. If an order appears to the court to be lawful it shall enforce the same. An appeal may be taken to the supreme court, but the appeal shall not vacate or suspend the order.

Hearst Bill (H. R. 469), December 4, 1905.

1.

When the interstate commerce commission decides that a freight or passenger rate is unreasonable or unjust it shall fix a rate to take its place, not to go into effect until after thirty days. The commission may alter, modify, add to, or vacate any order fixing a rate.

II.

A court of interstate commerce is created. It shall have exclusive jurisdiction to review orders of the commission, and may enforce such orders. It may review an order as to "its justness, reasonableness, and lawfulness," and set aside or annul the same. Pending review it may, if the order is clearly unjust, unreasonable, or unlawful, suspend it. The attorney general shall defend the order at the expense of the United States. There is an appeal to the United States supreme court upon a constitutional question only.

Russell Bill (H. R. 184) and Candler Bill (H. R. 278), December 4, 1905

1.

Whenever the commission finds a rate to be in violation of the interstate commerce act it shall determine what would be a lawful and proper rate in place of the unlawful rate and make an order accordingly which shall take effect twenty days after notice.

II.

A carrier refusing to obey the order of the commission shall in addition to other penalties and liabilities forfeit $5,000 per day during the time of his refusal. The attorney general shall sue for penalties and the expense shall be paid by the United States.

Suburban Bill (H. R. [illegible]), December 1, 1905

I.

Whenever the commission, after investigation and hearing, shall decide that an existing rate is unreasonable or unlawfully discriminative it shall decide what would be a fair, just, and reasonable rate, and the new rate shall go into effect within thirty days after notice, but no rate fixed by the railroad shall be raised.

II.

The decision of the commission may be reviewed by a circuit court. If the court shall be of opinion that the order of the commission will reduce the revenues of the carrier to the extent that it cannot by good management earn a reasonable dividend on the actual value of its property, it shall remand the case to the commission for further hearing and consideration. If the court on final trial shall find that the order of the commission is in its nature or process confiscatory, it shall annul it; otherwise it shall be affirmed. Pending the proceedings the court may, if in its opinion the order is clearly in conflict with the power conferred by congress, suspend the order. An appeal lies to the supreme court, but the decision of the court is not to be suspended. The defense in proceedings to review the commission's decision is to be conducted by the attorney general and the expense paid by the United States.

Foraker Bill (S. 285) December 6, 1905.

I.

Whenever the commission believes that a railroad is charging unjust or unreasonable rates it may file with the attorney general a statement and the evidence in support thereof, and thereupon a petition shall be presented to a circuit court sitting in equity which shall summarily make inquiry and issue an injunction against charging any rate in excess of "what the court shall find to be reasonable and just," and this shall be the lawful rate. An appeal lies to the supreme court. The proceedings shall be at the expense of the United States or the railroad, as the court may judge equitable and just.

II.

Nothing in the act of February 4, 1887, to regulate commerce or any amendment thereof shall prohibit agreements of two or more railroads with respect to their rates and charges and the maintenance and observance of the same that are not in unreasonable restraint of trade or commerce.

A careful consideration of the foregoing bills shows that the Townsend bill and all the other bills except the Foraker bill protect the people, and that the Foraker bill protects railroad extortion.

That the Townsend bill protects the people every one can see. If any railroad rate is too high the commission upon a trial discovers the fact, lowers the rate, and the railroad must submit, unless a court decides that it is unlawful; that is, that the rate is so low as to lead to the confiscation of the railroad property.

Senator Foraker says that congress cannot give the above power to the commission. The United States supreme court says it can.

The Foraker Bill Protects Railroad Extortion

Every one can see this. The commission can only investigate and express its belief that a rate is too high, and pass its belief on to a court which is told to see whether the rate is unreasonable, and if so to issue an injunction against it. This the court will not do, because it has no power to do it. Judges can only decide questions of law. It is not a question of law what is a reasonable rate; it is a question of business and common sense—which the judges will not touch. So the Foraker bill is deceptive and worthless—pretending to give a remedy, and giving none. This the railroads know, and therefore adopt this Foraker plan.

The Foraker Bill Creates a Fourteen Billion Railroad Combination

All the railroads of the United States are authorized and invited to form one huge trust and monopoly, and to fix the rates for the whole country. This gives away all that has been gained by the supreme court decisions in the case of the Trans-Missouri Freight association, the Joint Traffic association, and the Northern Securities Company. In the Joint Traffic association case the nine railroad systems between New York and Chicago formed an organization of three billions of capital, made all the rates, and prohibited any one of the roads from lowering any rate without the consent of the nine managers of the trust. The court destroyed this three billion monster. The Foraker bill creates a fourteen billion monster, which will prevent any railroad anywhere in the country from lowering any rates without the consent of the traffic managers of the combination.

No substantial error or omission can be pointed out in this analysis of mine.

WM. E. CHANDLER.

AMONG THE EXCHANGES

The laws of Texas are better enforced today than ever before in the history of the state. Laws are enacted for this purpose and officers are elected by the people to fulfill the trust of enforcement. If a measure is odious, a strict enforcement will result in its earlier repeal.—McKinney Gazette.

As a general thing the laws of Texas are very well enforced by the minor officials. But there is serious complaint that the attorney general's office at Austin is more given to the promulgation of long range opinions than in attempting to enforce state laws.

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If we can only have some "square deal" legislation in Texas you may depend upon it that the next few years will see railroads building all through southwest and central Texas.—Austin Statesman.

Railways are building rapidly in Texas these days, in spite of the efforts being made by certain interests to convince them they are not getting a square deal.

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Out in West Texas the people are still picking cotton and looking forward to the time when the fleecy staple will bring that promised 15 cents per pound. The best yield of cotton in the state this year was made out in west Texas.—Fort Worth Telegram.

Yes this is so! There was a great cotton crop raised in this part of west Texas. A big per cent of it has not been gathered yet. Some, we hear, are offering the enormous sum of $2.00 per hundred to get it picked.—Quanah Observer.

West Texas is coming to the front as a cotton country, and the prosperity now being enjoyed by that section is attracting the largest immigration the country has ever known. Lands are constantly enhancing in value, and more of the sod is continually being turned under for the production of additional cotton.

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The ginners having made all the capital out of their last report and their challenge of the correctness of the report of the government are at last forced to admit that they reported the crop at least 100,000 bales short and that the government figures are the correct ones.—San Antonio Light.

It usually turns out just that way. The government is suspected of being in league with adverse influences, but when it comes to a show down its figures prove to be the nearest correct.

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It is up to the democratic party in Texas to keep good men in office. One of the most important offices to be filled this year is that of a state treasurer. Texas has been practically without a state treasurer for six years. A good, strong, capable, economical man is needed in that office just now.—Sherman Register.

The people of Texas want a man in charge of the state treasury—not a family. The family affair has grown wearisome and burdensome to voters all over the state.

IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE

Ever notice Mr. Man, who is so ready to solve any problem in public affairs, when he tries to solve some simple problem in arithmetic for his child?

THE DRIFT OF POLITICS

Ex-Attorney General Griggs prophesied, in a recent speech in Orange, that at Trenton, New Jersey, legislature will yet become something more than an instrument to record the will of outside interests. Governor Stokes' message to the legislature in a few days will be an indication of how far his predecessor is a good prophet. The organization republicans are scared, and find they must do something to keep their hold on the people. The independent spirit is growing too strong. Philadelphia is interested in all the New Jersey legislative deals, and the plan to be mapped out by Governor Stokes—for years a known corporation man and a railroad director at the time of his nomination—will be awaited with interest. Maryland will attempt to revise the election laws and bring about two desired ends; the intention of the voter must prevail, and the wholesale ejection of ballots cease; ballots must be printed in a definite and uniform way under responsible official direction, thus putting an end to the obnoxious trick ballot. Pass a corrupt practices act. Senator Gorman won on the organization of the legislature. But he will be as a lion with its claws in boxing gloves. Governor Warfield will not sign any drastic registration or election measures, and he stands as a protector of the people's rights against the corrupt cabal that has so long ruled the Maryland legislature. It is believed that the session of the legislature, beyond framing new oyster laws, will be the most important for years.

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What "Walk or Pay" Means to Legislators

But there is a dark side to all the legislative matters both now and in the future. The abolition of free transportation for the members takes away a perquisite that was prized highly. The mileage allowed by the state heretofore fell into the pockets of the legislator along with his $100 postage stamp allowance, and was accounted as so much graft. The woes of the legislator in his search for a free ride to the capital were made plain in Baltimore a few days since. The members of the legislature haunted the office of the president of the Short Line railroad to Annapolis in such numbers as to attract attention of the passersby. But the President had gone off for a rest. It was pay or walk. The legislators filled up to the ticket offices and put down their money. The conductors of the trains wore continual smiles as men, who for a quarter of a century had merely nodded their heads to him as their "pass," handed him tickets for which they had paid their own hard-earned money. All the rest of the state smiled. So it will be in Pennsylvania next week. The New York legislators who called on the New York Central agent reported "nothing doing."

The most popular song in Albany now is the old-time theatrical ditty: "How Many Miles Is It From Schenectady to Troy?" The serious side of the affair is, however: "If the pass requisite is abolished how will the railroads secure legislation? They surely will not get it for nothing."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A man who is a friend only to himself has but few friends.

An undertaker never complains that he is worked to death.

No woman cares to be the silent partner in a matrimonial firm.

Query: Is the poor man who marries a rich grass widow in clover?

The coat doesn't make the man, but the lawsuit makes the attorney.

There would be no labor troubles if every man had a job on Easy street.

Many a man is unable to stand on his dignity because his wife sits on it.

Don't attempt to belittle others because you feel that they are superior to yourself.

If some men were paid only for what they know they would never possess more than 30 cents.

It's as difficult to get a man to admit that he snores as it is to get woman to admit her age.

Bees are partial to sweet things, but that is poor consolation to the girl who happens to be stung by one.

As a rule a man judges all other women by his wife and a woman judges her husband by the worst things she hears about other men.—Chicago News.

FORTUNE NOT HAPPINESS

The case of President W. E. Corey of the United States steel corporation strikingly illustrates the folly of accepting fortune's smiles as a guarantee of happiness.—Portland Advertiser.

CONTRAST

The golden heart given by the people of Colorado to the President is in charming contrast with the marble heart that the governor of Mississippi has always shown him.—Boston Globe.

VERSES THAT RING

THE SHAME OF THE EAST

Oh, east what does the New Year bring,
In its report from you?
What is the dark and nameless thing
You are about to do?
We hear but do not understand
The creed that dares to take
A woman's breath because her hand
WAS RAISED FOR HONOR'S SAKE!

Where is the jury that demands
This fair young mother's life?
Where is the judge who calmly stands
And slaughters this TRUE wife?
Let them stand forth and face the scorn
Of outraged womanhood;
Beneath whose brooding wing is born
The blinded nation's good.

The startled world is up in arms
To fight this mighty wrong,
Whose growing tendency alarms
The poet's pen to song—
The priest to prayer—the fool to fears—
The honest man to doubt—
The eyes of motherhood to tears—
The silent to speak out—

Against the lurid shape it throws
Across our country's way;
For earth knows how an evil grows,
Set in an evil day.
So now the world cries out that you
Set this strange woman free,
Who for her wifely honor slew
A worthless vampire such as he.

Her children weep and question why
Their mother does not come;
While she waits in your toils to die—
The tongue of Justice dumb.
Rise up, oh, womanhood, rise up,
Before it is too late;
Snatch from her lips the blackened cup
And save her from this fate.

When vile men learn that they may prey
On woman's honor and
Escape unscathed, what evil day
Will come upon our land?
Not for her sake alone must we
Defend her; but unite
To flay a common enemy
That feeds upon our light.

—Vernie Lawson.

QUAKER REFLECTIONS

Any man can promise.

It often happens that the more a man is worth the more worthless are his sons.

Wigg—So he thinks he has discovered his affinity eh? Wagg—Yes; they both like onions.

About one girl in a thousand has her mind set on an ideal husband. The other 999 prefer real ones.

The man who claims that he always desires to do the greatest good to the greatest number may consider the greatest number to be number one.

Thirsty Thingumbob—I was on de stage onct. Tatterdon Torn—Wot did you do? Thirsty Thingumbob—It was a tank drama, an' I was de tank.

Hoax—Sapheddie's girl went back on him and he told her he was going to blow his brains out. Joax—And did he? Hoax—I believe he tried to, but there weren't any there.—Philadelphia Record.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

A girl is awful smart to look so pretty when she isn't.

There is a good deal of fun in keeping other people from having any.

There is more money in not having a large family than there is happiness in having it.

It would be real interesting if the heads of families should go on strike for some of the money they earn.

A woman's idea of a good head for business is having a five-course dinner when there is enough for three.—New York Press.

ONE ADVANTAGE

You may be down on your luck and the world may seem to be against you, but be thankful and don't give up; remember, you are not a life insurance director!—New York Herald.

OTHERS WANTO KNOW HOW

J. P. Morgan says he was cheated in a recent railroad deal. The other fellow might almost be justified in fixing up dates for the purpose of going out to lecture about it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Fair

Knit Underwear Specials

PLENTY of cold weather yet to come, which will make this underwear not only comfortable, but a necessity. It will be practical economy to take advantage of these prices on Women's and Children's Underwear Saturday.

Women's Vests and Pants, regular price 25c; Saturday....19¢
Women's light-weight Silk and Wool Vests, $1.00 quality; Saturday .....79¢
Women's all-wool Union Suits in white or gray, regular price $2.25; Saturday $1.89
Women's wool and cotton mixed Union Suits, regular $1.58 quality; Saturday $1.25
Women's cotton Union Suits, in white only, regular $1.00 quality, at .....79¢
Children's all-wool Union Suits, in gray or white, at a discount of .....25 PER CENT
Children's extra heavy Union Suits, in white or gray, 50c quality; Saturday .....39¢
Children's fleece lined Vests and Pants, 25c quality; Saturday 19¢
Children's wool mixed Vests and Pants, in white and gray, 50c quality, for .....38¢

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Special Prices

These January days offer specially attractive bargains to housekeepers in our China Department. Come in tomorrow and get first choice of Decorated Haviland, Limoges, Austrian and English Ware, in open stock or full dinner sets, at a discount of 10 PER CENT.

AMUSEMENTS

"The Chaperons" was presented at Greenwall's Opera House Thursday to fair houses. "The Chaperons" is a two-act comic opera like almost all others. The second act is in a tropical country, to which all the characters are transported in many and divers ways. In the music there are the same features that have been heard time and again, one love solo, a love song, a duet, a "coon song" and a double quartet. The remainder of the music follows the usual run of such a show.

A couple of unusual features are Phroso, the girl detective, and Schnitzel, the bill poster, who is an adept in tumbling and dancing, but only once does he do enough to satisfy the audience. His dancing act brought forth the greatest applause Thursday evening.

"MOONEY'S PICTURES"

"Mooney's Pictures" at Greenwall's opera house tonight. The Dallas News said:

The Mooney Company presented a group of moving pictures, and Miss Levy in serpentine dances and illustrated songs, at the Dallas Opera House last night, before a fair-sized audience.

The entertainment was among the best of its kind that has been seen here, and was given the reception it deserved from those attending.

The pictures are the features of the show, and are very distinct and mostly amusing.

"The Great Spanish Bull Fight" and "Raffles" were among the best of these, the former being realistic in the extreme, and occupying more time in its presentation than any of the others. "Raffles" is founded on the play of that name in which Kyrle Bellew is starring, and is presented by agreement with him.

Several fairy tales such as "Jack and the Bean Stalk" and "Red Riding Hood" are among the popular pictures, especially with the children, the stories being carried out just as written.

Manager Phil Greenwall has received the following telegram:

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 11, '06.
Manager Greenwall, opera house, Fort Worth, Texas:
Mooney's renowned electrical show is the best moving picture show ever showed in Dallas.
GEO. ANZY, Manager.

"WHEN WE WERE TWENTY-ONE"

The scene of this sweet and powerful love story is laid in England. Colonel Audaine is invalided by long service in India and returns to his native land to die. His gentle wife, whose life is bound up in his, succumbs first from sheer contemplation of the approaching final separation. In a few days the broken-hearted husband follows her. They leave behind an only child, a sunny tempered boy, whom they fondly called the "Imp" with nothing but his brave father's untarnished honor as his legacy. This boy the dying man commits to the care of four loyal friends whom he has loved as brothers, ever since they were chums at school. To one of the quartet, Dick Carew, he especially confides the future of his orphaned son; but the others look upon the boy as being equally the property of all and so he is tenderly cared for by the four fathers instead of one until he is twenty-one. The "Imp" is brought up in Dick's home in which a lady, Mrs. Erickson, and her daughter, Phllyis, are also members of the household. Phyllis, a beautiful winsome girl, possessing all the witchery of a face that mirrors the emotions of her soul, as water reflects the sunshine and the cloud, is duly selected by the quartet as the "Imp's" future wife and the young people are engaged before the "Imp" attains his majority. The "Imp" however, is something of a scamp, as he fails to appreciate the good luck the gods have thrown his way. He becomes infatuated with and finally marries a notorious adventuress, a music hall singer, known as the "Fire-Fly," but only to be thrown over by her, as soon as she discovers that the "Imp" is not heir to the fortune she thought he was. The realization of the "Fire-Fly's" worthlessness awakens all that is good and noble in the "Imp" and he quickly makes reparation for his past follies. During the action of the play there has developed a strong love between Phyllis and Dick which, in the end, proves one of the most delightful scenes of the whole play.

"When We Were Twenty-One" comes to Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, Jan. 13.

"NANCY BROWN"

The coming of the first prize musical comedy success, "Nancy Brown," to Greenwall's opera house Monday and Tuesday nights, matinee Tuesday, Jan. 15-16, is the real theatrical event of the season from the fact that no play of its kind yet written has met with the unqualified success or enjoyed the record runs that it has. The title role is ably carried by winsome Mary Marble.

HAROLD BAUER

The following extract written by Henry T. Finck of the New York Post, is only one of the tributes to the genius of Harold Bauer appearing in the metropolitan papers:

"The tone seemed to drop from the pianist's fingers like so many pearls ....But his greatest claim to distinction lay in the way in which he infused emotion into the music—emotion now tender, now passionate, rising in surging waves to a thrilling climax."

Bauer plays at the Christian Tabernacle Thursday night, Jan. 18.

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Prices—Matinee, adults 25c, children 15; night, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Saturday Matinee and Night, Jan. 13,
Brandon Courtney Presents
That Prettiest of All Comedy Dramas,
"WHEN WE WERE 21."
By H. V. Esmond.
Prices—Matinee, adults 50c, children 25c; night, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Monday and Tuesday Nights, Jan. 15 and 16, Matinee Tuesday,
A Musical Fantasy,
Miss Mary Marble and Excellent Company in the Brilliant Musical Comedy Success,
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A great revelation for every lover of speaking comedy
Prices—Matinee, 25c to $1.00; night, 25c to $1.50.
Positively no free list.

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The Live Stock Market For the Year

Complete and Full, Official, Accurate.

The annual review of the Daily Live Stock Reporter is just out. It gives the entire market for 1905 on cattle, hogs, sheep, horses and mules, also poultry, by days, weeks and months, for the year 1905 at this market. It is the only official report of this market.

For reference to the stockman it is unequaled. The map on the front page showing the number of head of live stock in each county of this state is worth $10 to any stockman. The entire paper is full of valuable statistics to every one interested in any branch of live stock, or the Fort Worth market.

Write for a copy to the Reporter Publishing Company, North Fort Worth. Price 10 cents.

ENROLLMENT GROWS AT POLYTECHNIC

Nearly 600 Students Now Attending College—Basket Ball Team at Practice

Enrollment at Polytechnic College has now reached almost 600. Last year the total enrollment reached 510.

First term examinations are now being held; the term ending this week. Second and last term begins Tuesday, Jan. 16.

Rev. J. O. Sensabaugh and wife entertained the pastors of the city Thursday from 3 to 5 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Sensabaugh is the presiding elder of the district.

President H. A. Boaz will leave Saturday for Milford, where he is to spend several days in the interest of the school.

Rev. S. C. Baird of Hillsboro visited friends on the hill Wednesday.

Literary Societies

Following is the program of the S. M. K. Society, Jan. 18: Quotations, Burns; music, Lizzie Smith; reading, Ruth Day; college news, Claudia Atchley; music, Vera Dile; "Robert's Rules of Order," Ada Wells.

The Philosophical Society program for Jan. 15 is as follows: Valedictory address, retiring president; inaugural address, president-elect; oration, T. R. James; declamation, L. F. Hooten; "Reveries of a Man in Love," M. L. Latham; debate, "Resolved, That insurance companies should be under the control of the federal government."

The Adkissonian Society program for Jan. 15 is as follows: Journal, C. F. Furgeson; "Technical Knowledge vs. Practical Training," L. Manning; oration, J. O. Cook; debate, "Resolved, That co-education is conducive to the best interests of the students;" music, G. Akard.

Professor Jacob Schreiner will give a complimentary violin recital in the college auditorium Monday night.

The basket ball team is now practicing for its coming series of games. The following dates have been arranged for: Decatur, Jan. 22, at Decatur; Cleburne, Jan. 29, at Cleburne; Decatur, Feb. 7, at Fort Worth; Cleburne, Feb. 22, at Fort Worth. Several dates have not yet been filled by Manager Sensabaugh.

WOMEN TO ORGANIZE

Daughters of Zion to Have Society for Fort Worth

In a short time a Women's Zionist Society is to be organized in Fort Worth. It will be directly connected with the local Men's Association and will be known as the Daughters of Zion.

The Jewish Defense Association has an active branch in the city and it is thought that this league will combine its energies with the Daughters of Zion.

NEW CHOIRMASTER SECURED

Professor Andrew Hemphill of Dallas has been secured by the First Methodist church as choirmaster and will move to this city, taking charge of the music next Sunday. Professor Hemphill had long training in conduct of church music in New York before coming to Dallas, two years ago.

BASKET BALL ON HORSEBACK

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—In the opening match at basket ball on horseback at Durland's Riding Academy, in Sixty-sixth street, the home quartet defeated the American Horse Exchange combination 4 goals to 0.

GROWTH SHOWN AT LIBRARY MEETING

Need Is for More Book Shelves and Stacks

That the Carnegie library book department is showing a growth somewhat commensurate with the growing popularity of the institution itself, was developed at the monthly meeting of the board of trustees of the library, held this morning. Consideration was given to the purchase of additional book shelves and stacks. The presentation of a communication from Congressman Gillespie giving the information that the Fort Worth Carnegie library has been designated as the official depository of public documents in this congressional district; the ordering of trees and shrubs set out on the library grounds and Hyde Park; the receipt of $170 in donations; the placing on file of monthly reports; the referring to a committee of a proposal to make the first Thursday in each November Founder's day, formed the principal features of the meeting this morning.

Official Depository

The letter from Congressman Gillespie is as follows:

Mrs. Scheuber, Librarian:

The Carnegie library was designated by me on the 2d of December as the depository of public documents for my district. If you do not begin receiving these documents in due time, let me know. O. W. GILLESPIE.

Donations

The following donations to the book fund were received, and thanks extended:

$100—Mrs. Willard Burton.
$50—'93 Club.
$20—Brigadier General Frank D. Baldwin, Oklahoma City.

International Founder's Day

A communication, ordered referred to proper committee, was read from the Carnegie library institute of Pittsburg, suggesting the first Thursday in November of each year as International Founder's day, the day to be adopted for a local celebration with the aim of having a simultaneous observance in the Carnegie institutions throughout the world. It is not the idea of making the personality of the founder as the theme for the observance, but rather for the purpose of international peace, progress and the development of the spirit of the drama, music and oratory.

Book Circulation

The circulation of books for the month of December shows a total circulation for the month of 4,398. The largest daily circulation was 384, the average daily circulation being 176. Of the total circulation adults took out 2,592 fiction and 844 non-fiction; juveniles 451 fiction and 511 non-fiction. The total number of books circulated by the library from Oct. 17, 1901, to Jan. 1, 1906, was 244,791.

To Beautify Grounds

Trees and shrubs are to help add to the Fort Worth beautiful. Trees were ordered set out in Hyde Park, directly opposite the library, and a hedge of shrubbery will be set out along the north boundary of the library grounds from Throckmorton to Houston streets.

YOUNG MEN FAIL TO GET EXEMPTIONS

Those Having First Vote During 1906 Likely to Lose it for Neglecting Certificates

It is believed that a large number of young men who will be of legal age before the next election in cities of 10,000 population and over will lose their votes next November.

It is thought by quite a number that all that is necessary is for the new voter to prove his age and vote. This is a mistake; he will have to secure from the county tax collector an exemption certificate—that is, a certificate to the effect that he has attained his majority since the former tax assessment and is not subject to a poll for this year's payment. Unless such a voter applies for and gets this certificate he will not be entitled to vote.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

The United States civil service commission announces that Jan. 29 an examination will be held in this city to secure eligibles for the position of elevator conductor at the Federal building. It is necessary for applicants for the position to indicate in their applications that they have a knowledge of electricity as applied in the operation of elevators and that they have had experience in the operation of electrically-driven elevators. The position pays an annual salary of $540 and those between 21 and 50 years of age will be allowed to take the examination. It will be announced later at what place the examination will be held

DECEMBER TAX COLLECTIONS

County Tax Collector John W. Walker's report of collections for the month of December as compiled by Deputy County Tax Collector Knox W. Anderson, shows the following: State revenue, $26,548.42; state occupation, $4,970; county revenue, $47,287.47; county occupation, $2,482; district schools, $3,429.10; polls, $3,615.50. Total collection, $87,776. Poll tax payments for the past three months, not including exemptions, have been as follows: October, 314; November, 636; December, 2,066.

RECEPTION AT CHURCH

The Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal church will give an informal reception at church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. A brief program has been arranged and a pleasant and profitable evening is promised to all who attend. Light refreshments will be served.

TWO SUSPENDED FOR TUBBING FRESHMAN

Stamford University Students Disciplined for Alleged Hazing of Under Class Men

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Jan. 12.—Still perservering in the attempt to quash every semblance of hazing in the student dormitory, the faculty committee today dropped two more men from the university, R. W. McElroy and B. O. Nordman. The most grievous offense proved against either of the suspended students was that they were present at tubbing of freshmen. Both are members of the sophomore class.

WEDDING ENDS THEATER TRIP

Parents of Miss E. M. Browning Given Surprise

Thinking that her daughter was at the theater Wednesday night, Mrs. C. J. Browning of 500 South Calhoun street was surprised shortly before 9 o'clock to be called up by telephone and learn of her marriage to T. Bartholomew Anderson, who had been living at the Browning home.

Miss Ella May Browning, who is 20 years of age, and Mr. Anderson were married by Rev. J. B. French, pastor of Broadway Presbyterian church at the parsonage, the parents of Mrs. Anderson being notified immediately after the marriage. A number of friends attended the wedding.

Speaking of the wedding, the mother of the bride said that there was no objection raised to the wedding and her daughter declared to her the only object in being married in this way was to save her mother the trouble of preparing for a ceremony.

"We thought they were at the theater," said Mrs. Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are at present at the Browning home, but will begin housekeeping within a few weeks.

WATKINS-HOWARD

J. Throop Watkins and Miss Ruth A. Howard were married Thursday night at the home of the bride's uncle, T. P. Day, 1203 Hemphill street, by Rev. Junius French. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins will reside at 1100 Granger street.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

D. C. Cogdell to H. L. McNew, lots 1, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 17 and 24, block 26, Edwards Heirs' addition $3,000 00
W. A. Carver and wife to J. L. Morris, 45 acres, J. Rendon survey 1,000 00
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W. M. Zinn and wife to J. Krull, lot 12, Gonough's addition 1,650 00
J. H. Price to E. C. Adams, lot 14, block 106, Polytechnic Heights 100 00
D. E. Phillips and wife to Franklin Blessing, lot 3, block 13, West Handley.... 225 00
Sam Rosen et al to J. W. Woodson, lot 22, block 76, second filing Rosen Heights 160 00
J. H. Price to D. E. Austin, lot 2, block 96, Polytechnic Heights 100 00
Susan S. Terrill to D. E. Austin, part lot 1, block 15, town of Grapevine 250 00
Sam Rosen to K. M. and A. M. Watson, 50x103 feet, block 2, Feild-Welch addition 2,250 00
Z. T. Melear and wife to A. and T. Loving, 80 acres, A. Newton survey 900 00
A. Loving and wife to T. Loving, 40 acres of the A. Newton survey 450 00
W. B. Fitzhugh to T. Loving, 10 acres of the A. Newton survey 300 00

MUD DELAYS FIRE TEAMS

A strong argument for the improvement of the streets was to be observed when the hook and ladder went west on Jackson street about 9 o'clock Friday morning. The street was in such bad condition that the horses could only creep along with the wagon at a very slow rate, though they were doing their utmost to run. Other wagons not so heavy as the hook and ladder fared a little better, but they were unable to proceed with anything like normal speed.

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YESTERDAY'S RACE RESULTS

AT FAIR GROUNDS

First race—Six furlongs: Loricate won, Paul Clifford second, Whorler third. Time—1:18 1-5.

Second race—One mile: Don't You Dare won, Hudson second, Hickory Corners third. Time—1:52 3-5.

Third race—Three and a half furlongs: St. Cloud won, Little Danda second, Miss Eustis third. Time—0:45 4-5.

Fourth race—One mile: Colonist won, Dolinda second, Arabo third. Time—1:49.

Fifth race—One mile: Brilliant won, Firing Line second, Athena third. Time—1:49 3-5.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Evie Green won, Brookston second, Prince Salm Salm third. Time—1:58.

AT CITY PARK

First race—Six furlongs: Gus Lanka won, Little James second, Loch Goil third. Time—1:21 3-5.

Second race—Seven furlongs: Yachting Girl won, Lythelist second, Salt and Pepper third. Time—1:34.

Third race—Six furlongs: Cascine won, Alcantara second, Roommate third. Time—1:18 3-5.

Fourth race—Five and a half furlongs: Polly Prim won, St. Joseph second, Tinker third. Time—1:09 4-5.

Fifth race—Mile and seventy yards: Bell Indian won, Gus Heidorn second, Harry Stephens third. Time—1:50 4-5.

Sixth race—Five and one-half furlongs: Tichimingo won, Mary Morris second, Telepathy third. Time—1:11.

AT OAKLAND

First race—Three and one-half furlongs: Grace G. won, Pinkin second, Peerless Lass third. Time—0:42¼.

Second race — Seven furlongs: Ocyrohe won, Mocorito second, Bountiful third. Time—1:28 1-5.

Third race—One and one-sixteenth miles: Angelica won, Ray second, Bird of Passage third. Time—1:49¾.

Fourth race—One and one-sixteenth miles: Ed Sheridan won, Hi Col Cap second, Byronerdale third. Time—1:48½.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Tom McGrath won, Sir Brillar second, Instructor third. Time—1:13¼.

Sixth race—Futurity course: The Mint won, Gongaette second, Prominence third. Time—1:11¾.

AT ASCOT PARK

First race—Three furlongs: Ray Egan won, Tom Gilroy second, Captain Jarrett third. Time—0:36¼.

Second race—Six and one-half furlongs: Lacene won, Silver Sue second, Hester W. third. Time—1:20½.

Third race—Futurity course: Fireball won, Incantation second, Capitanzo third. Time—1:09¾.

Fourth race—Seven furlongs, handicap: Clyde O. won, Don Domo second, Hector third. Time—1:27.

Fifth race—One and one-sixteenth miles: Red Light won, Hot second, Lucian third. Time—1:47½.

Sixth race—Seven furlongs: Confessor won, Dixelle second, Quindaro third. Time—1:28¾.

BUILDING PERMITS

C. S. Jack secured a building permit Thursday to erect a dwelling on lot 8 of block 2, of section 14, Welch addition. The building will be of wood, a story and one-half high and will contain eight rooms. Its cost will be $2,800.

C. A. Nelson secured a building permit to erect a one-story, five-room wooden dwelling on lot 1, block 8. It will cost $1,000.

Miss Sallie Gibbons secured a permit to erect a one-story, five-room wooden dwelling on lot 2, block B. It will cost $1,200.

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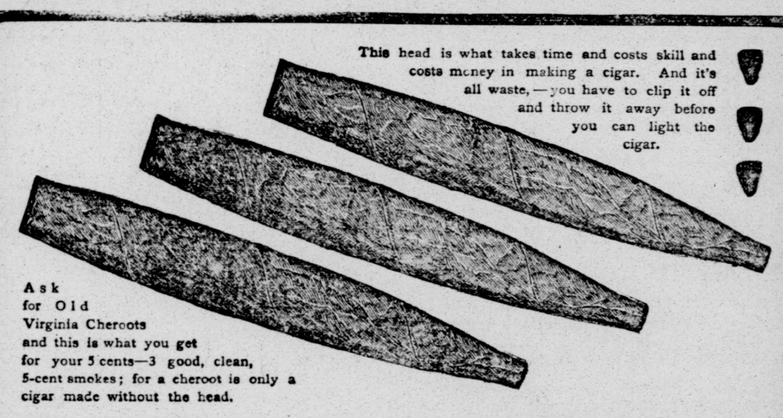

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Into the accordion pleated skirt is let three insets of narrow Valenciennes, which is placed just above the two-inch hem. The insertions are separated by organdy about an inch wide. The skirt is very full, and reaches just below the knees of the small girl, and with it she wears white shoes and stockings.

The waist of this dainty frock is for the most part of lace. The yoke is formed of the Valenciennes insertion, finished with a bertha of lace three inches deep. The lower part of the waist is accordion pleated, being composed of alternates of insertion and organdy. Like the older women, the sleeves of missy for dress occasion reach to her dimpled elbow, while about her waist is a sash of pink liberty silk. A smashing bow of the same delicate ribbon ties up her cropped hair.

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CHARACTERS

Agar Hume, alias Brown—Professional mimic, who becomes valet to Sir William Dagmar, and schemes to make a fortune.

Sir William Dagmar—Wealthy bachelor recluse, whose house is the rendezvous of a mysterious coterie.

Sir Charles Venner—Wealthy specialist, member of Sir Dagmar's morbid society of seven, chief promoter of a series of ghastly experiments.

George Cavanagh—Artist, another of the society, who has a romance.

Marion Le Mar—Beloved of Cavanagh, who is in the secret of the society's experiments.

Dr. Fulton, Mr. Humphreys, Mr. Pardo, Mr. Husband—Members of the queer society.

Dr. Vernet—A French medical fanatic.

Jussieu, Beaudant—Negro assistants to Sir Charles Venner.

Sefton Dagmar—Heir to Sir William's title.

Butts—A butler.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

Evidently, thought I, she must love Cavanagh to distraction. Absurd as it may appear, I began to feel jealous of Cavanagh already, although Marion had never seen me in my proper person, and was no doubt unaware of my existence. She led me down a spacious hall, and up a staircase unto the floor above. We stopped at a closed door, from beneath which exuded a long narrow bar of brilliant white light. Her manner while ascending the stairs had gradually calmed, but she was still excited, and she opened the door

with a burst of informing words pouring from her lips.

The apartment was large, full 30 feet square. It contained two operating benches, placed within easy distance. The upper slab of one was absent; upon the other lay a squat, bulky figure, strapped into position and covered with a sheet. Tables stood about the walls of the room at regular intervals covered with all manner of basins, batteries and surgical instruments. On a solitary chair near the door, Mr. Cavanagh was seated. Sir Chas. Venner and Dr. Fulton, in clean white aprons and overalls, with their sleeves rolled up, stood beside one of the tables steeping some ugly looking knives in a basin of steaming fluid. At the end of the occupied operating bench stood two full blood African negroes. Like the surgeons they were both attired in white.

Mr. Cavanagh got to his feet as we entered. His countenance was pale and tense. He had evidently wound himself up to the highest pitch of determination of which his nature was capable, and I thought it probable, whatever the others expected, that he would comport himself like a man. Marion addressed her announcement to the surgeons, but her eyes were bent upon her lover, and to him in truth she spoke. She lauded what she called my devotion to the skies, and to my surprise the others appeared to accept me at her valuation.

Sir Chas. Venner nodded commendingly. Dr. Fulton said, "It is confoundedly good of you Dagmar," and Mr. Cavanaugh gave me a look of earnest gratitude.

I dismissed the subject with a shoulder shrug. Dr. Fulton directed me to stand near Cavanagh until all was ready. I obeyed, and for a space of some minutes I watched Marion, who flitted about the place arranging certain instruments upon the several tables.

When Sir Charles had completed his preparations, he turned to the nearest negro.

"Jussieu," said Charles in French, "it is time!"

The negro bowed and glided from the room, followed by Dr. Fulton. Two minutes later a bell tinkled. "Beudant," said the surgeon.

The negro bowed like a slave to a lamp, and noiselessly departed. Very soon I heard the dull tramp of slippered feet on the corridor without. The door opened, and the negroes reentered, bearing between them a long slab, on which rested the inert figure of a young man. His face was extremely pale. His eyes were closed and his mouth was propped wide open with a curious spring wedge. He was nude to the waist. His chest was narrow and his body hideously emaciated. He was strapped securely to the slab. But he was evidently unconscious, doubtless in an anesthetised sleep.

This curious procession was followed by Dr. Fulton and a tall elderly gentleman similarly appareled to the surgeons. I had never set eyes on him before. He had an eager, enthusiastic face. His nose was very long; he had high cheek bones and prominent gray eyes full of a strange fanatical light. I put him down at one glance as a devotee of science. Afterwards I discovered that his name was Vernet, a Frenchman, and resident house surgeon to the hospital, which, in fact, he owned.

He locked the door behind him. The negroes advanced to the bench, and, having deposited the slab with its senseless burden, they moved over to the other operating table. Sir Chas. Venner stood beside the patient between the two operating benches; and besides him was Dr. Vernet. Marion faced them from across the patient's body. She held in one hand a sponge, in the other a basin.

Sir Charles Venner lost no time in proceeding to business, nor did he give us the least warning of his intention. He seized a small thin-bladed knife and applied its edge with a free sweeping stroke across the patient's ribs, within an inch of the breast bone. A thin streak of blood followed the cut as quickly as thunder follows lightning. Marion instantly applied her sponge to the wound, and the red line disappeared. The surgeon made another swift incision at right angles to the first and followed this with a third, parallel to the first, some six inches apart. Marion pursued his cuts with her sponge. Sir Charles Venner, with inimitable dexterity presently raised the flap of flesh and muscle detached by his knife from the patient's ribs, across the chest, and secured it there. With the speed of magic he applied half a dozen tiny silver spring clips to the dripping flesh, in order to secure the ruptured blood vessels. Dr. Vernet then handed him a tiny saw, with which, to my horror, he immediately attacked the bared, heaving ribs. The sight sickened me so much that I closed my eyes.

My weakness passed like a black dream. There was now a gaping cavity in the patient's breast, through which I could see at work the mysterious machinery of life. The inner flap of the exposed lung had been uplifted and secured aside. Below planted and pulsed a crimson and purple-colored shapeless thing.

With a frightful effort I tore my eyes away and looked at Sir Charles. He was screwing a sharp-edged, curved, hollow tube to the end of a long and curiously fashioned syringe furnished here and there with tiny force pumps. One tube stretched to the other operating table. It terminated in a long, thick, hollow needle which reposed in the hands of the negro Beudant. The other negro, Jussieu, knife in hand, bent over an object lying on the slab before him—the squat, bulky figure which had excited my curiosity upon my entering the chamber. But now exposed to my view lay an enormous ape, which was strapped to the bench exactly in the same fashion and attitude as Sir Charles Venner's patient. The ape's huge hairy wrist was disfigured with a square, blood-oozing, but I saw that he was alive. The negro Jussieu had evidently performed an operation similar to that executed by Sir Charles Venner.

The idea almost stunned me. Jussieu was then a great surgeon, although a negro. Next instant I considered the ape and a panic horror almost overwhelmed me.

I looked up to meet Marion's eyes. She smiled at me so tender an encouragement that I turned cold with shame; that she, a delicate woman, could bear unmoved a sight that stole my manhood.

Until that moment the silence had been absolute, but of a sudden Sir Charles spoke. "Wait for the systole, Vernet!"

I saw Dr. Vernet insert his right hand into the hole in the patient's breast. He was armed with a large cup-shaped clasp. He fumbled for a moment and then, nodding his head, he withdrew his hand.

Sir Charles threw Cavanagh a quick, scornful glance. "Attend, if you wish to understand," he commanded.

I looked for the first time at Cavanagh. He held a kerchief tightly to his face, but his eyes, which I alone could see, were simply lurid.

"Go on!" he muttered in a muffled voice.

(To be Continued.)

SUBSTITUTES APPOINTED

Postmaster Burroughs has appointed Clarence Moore and Charles McCracken as substitute mail carriers. The appointments were occasioned by the fact that there has been a great deal of sickness among the carriers of the city, six of them being absent one day. With the new substitutes and the list appointed some time ago Postmaster Burroughs announces that he believes the city can be well covered.

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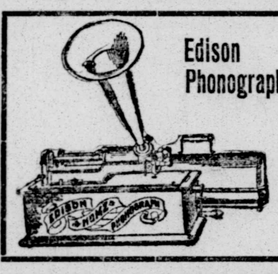

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C. W. Merchant Tells of West Texas Development

C. W. Merchant, or "Clabe" Merchant as he is best known by cattlemen, whose residence is in Abilene, Taylor county, Texas, was in Fort Worth this week.

"My twin brother, J. D. Merchant, and I," he said, "were among the first if not the first Texas cowmen to settle in what is now known as the "Abilene country.' We drove our cattle from Pilot Point, Denton county, right through Fort Worth and striking the trail, our families in ox wagons, went west by Weatherford, Palo Pinto and on to the forks of Pecan Bayou, near where Belle Plains is now situated. Here was established in 1874 the ranch known as the Merchant & McCoy and the brand —7+—, which has been so long known, was first used. This number was selected because it was in that year that the ranch mentioned was started. My son Mack was here then.

I and brother John were the second Texas cowmen who drove a herd of cattle to Kansas, starting from the old Hittson outfit. We crossed the cattle at Doan's store on Red River, drove through the territories and crossed the Arkansas river at the place where the city of Wichita, Kan., now stands. There was then no houses and only a few tents that comprised at that time the future flourishing city, made famous by Mrs. Carrie Nation's hatchet. The outfit was photographed just after crossing the river, and I have one of the pictures at home. From there we headed for Abilene, Kan. There was not a house, fence or any evidence of civilization along the whole route to Abilene, which was at that time the greatest cattle market in the United States. There buyers from everywhere were to be found and trouble in abundance was easily within the range of any one who sought it. We sold our herd to St. Louis people and left for home.

Named Town of Abilene

"Abilene, Texas, my home, was located in 1881, and was named for Abilene, Kan., by myself, after consultation with my brother J. D., Colonel John Smyssen and Colonel Taylor Berry, who at that time comprised the principal part of the population of the embryo city. You say Abilene is a Bible name and means literally 'a land of grass?' Well, I did not know it when I selected the name, but if I had tried I do not think that I could have hit upon a more suitable name, for at that time the Texas Abilene country was a grass country indeed and unequaled land for cattle and their necessary appendixes, horses, mules, etc.

"Today in the year 1906, in winter, the Abilene country is in great shape; grass as fine as can be, plenty of stock water and cattle as fat as if fed. Why, they are not even shrinking as is usual with cattle at this time of the year. Ask Jim Parramore what he thinks about it. Lands of all kinds are on the boom and outside of farm lands there has been more changes in ownerships of Abilene city property than ever before.

Railroad to Stamford

The railroad from Abilene via Anson to Stamford is an assured fact and men are already on the ground to begin work and money in the two banks to make things move. It is there this time, for I have seen it. This road will be a great cattle shipping route, no doubt, and as a feeder for your city will be of great value. It will only be a short time before all ranches will be turned into farms and stock raising take the place of the old methods of raising the fresh meat that is necessary to supply the markets of the United States and for export.

"I was born in Texas seventy years ago in Nacogdoches county, and my wife, also a native of that county, and I will have been married in a short time fifty years."

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Metropolitan—E. T. Bauer, Kansas City; C. M. Cauble, Albany, N. Y.; Gus Heckler, New York; Eugene Hays, Elgin, Kan.; Thomas Baker and wife, Haverly; Mrs. J. A. Gibson and daughter, Haverly; M. Welty, New York; Miss Floyd, New York; Miss Valenasda, New York; Miss Webster, New York; Miss Goodwin, New York; J. J. Brenn, Dallas; T. S. Mahoney, Paris; H. W. Cummings, Hearne; C. P. Lumpkin, Hearne; R. P. Taylor, Henrietta; S. W. Childress, Oklahoma City; W. J. Lack, England, Ark.; J. P. Yates, Gainesville; Professor S. Charninsky, Dallas; George Mobley, Monroe, La.; Miss A. Mobley, Monroe, La.; Lane Powell, Monroe, La.; J. D. Bailey, Dallas; L. F. Woody, St. Louis; T. F. Brashear, Dallas; L. A. Thraves, Fremont, Ohio; A. C. Gunter, New York; T. H. Nelms, Chicago; E. C. Stovall, Graham; Mrs. A. C. Sherwood, Stephenville; Miss Bessie Jarrott, Lubbock; Tom B. Floyd, Dallas; H. F. Herbig, Earlsban, Okla.; Joe Lyons, St. Louis; Charles Hill, San Francisco; P. H. Nesmith, St. Louis; Mrs. Riddick and family, Mineral Wells; Max H. Wall, Fort Worth; A. W. Garner, Kansas City; Mrs. O. Henett, El Paso; James B. Bernheim, San Antonio; Geo. S. Richards, St. Louis; E. P. Reynolds, Roanoke; W. G. Gillespie, Roanoke; A. B. Dunlap and family, Shawnee, Okla.; Z. J. Harmonson, Justin; J. R. Christol, Denton; Salon Smith and wife, Fayette, Mo.; Miss Ruth Smith, Fayette, Mo.; J. T. Montgomery, Wichita Falls; T. H. Smith, Texarkana; E. W. Wright, Dallas; J. E. Sturges, Wichita, Kan.; Ruby Wagner, Waco; G. R. Greathouse, Jacksboro; H. Payne, Junction; Newt Nance, Junction; Jack Frost, New Orleans; Chas. Haynes, Weatherford; R. D. Gibson, Sugden, I. T.; E. J. Burch, Mineral Wells; E. Ball, Benjamine; H. McCorkle, Langdon, N. D.; George W. Sturm, Langdon, N. D.; S. D. Hanley, Dallas; W. E. Robertson, Childress; L. H. Coley, El Paso; W. F. Weiser, Hico; J. Monehue, Shenden, Ill.; B. S. Armstrong, Chicago; Eli Smith, Whitewright; F. A. McAllister, Delaware, Ohio; L. W. Dalton, Plainview; D. L. Blackman, Corsicana; J. R. Thorp, Corsicana; J. R. Lee and wife, Quay, Okla.; J. W. Ward, Big Springs; George Dashner, Ardmore; E. P. Bomar, Gainesville; A. G. Eakins, Madill, I. T.; I. R. Fisher, Denison; G. F. Gaskill, Buffalo; Mrs. L. L. Courtney, Topeka, Kan.; J. F. Craig, St. Joe; Gug C. Gunn, Fort Worth; W. A. Edwards, Stamford; James Collinson, Texarkana; R. B. Shook, Haskill; W. B. Long, Haskill; H. W. Griffith, Dallas; J. L. Baldwin, Haskill; C. C. Rivers, Vernon; H. Kapp, Jacksboro; Jas. Pollock, St. Louis.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL

Few People Know How Useful It Is In Preserving Health and Beauty

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

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All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

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A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

COUNCIL TO TAKE SIDEWALK ACTION

Meeting of Committees to Be Held Tuesday

Meeting of the joint committee of the Board of Trade and the Factory Club with the mayor, the city attorney, the finance and streets and alleys committees of the city council will probably take place next Tuesday night. Mayor Powell has received a letter from Chairman Armstrong of the committee, asking for the settling of a date. This letter will be referred by Mayor Powell to the city council at its meeting Monday night, and he will recommend that the request be granted and the following night appointed for the meeting.

At the meeting of the two committees from the Board of Trade and the Home Factory and Industrial Association last week the two committees were resolved into one permanent committee and Elmon Armstrong appointed as chairman. The committee adjourned, after discussing the matter of sidewalks briefly, with instructions to the chairman and the secretary, A. N. Evans, to arrange for the meeting with the two committees of the city council and the mayor and city attorney. City Engineer Hawley is already a member of the committee.

City Attorney Orrick has been furnished with a list of the valuations of the property in the improvement district which is to be organized in the Sixth ward for a distance of five blocks, as was announced in The Telegram on Sunday. The man proposing the district furnished the valuations, but did not provide an estimate of the cost of the construction of the sidewalks for the district. Until this list is furnished it will be impossible for the city attorney to tell whether the value of the property in the district is high enough for the construction of the sidewalks. It is announced, however, that the estimate of the probable cost of the work would be furnished to City Attorney Orrick immediately.

The letter which was received by Mayor Powell from Elmon Armstrong concerning the meeting for next week is as follows:

"Hon. T. J. Powell, City—Dear Sir: At a joint meeting of the committees appointed by the Board of Trade and the Home Factory and Industrial Association for the purpose of improving the streets and sidewalks of this city, a general committee was named as follows: C. D. Reimers, Dr. J. L. Cooper, A. E. Want, J. B. Hawley, H. Brann, B. H. Dunn, with A. N. Evans, secretary, and Elmon Armstrong chairman. By unanimous action a resolution was adopted to the effect that, our committee desires to meet for a conference with you, the city council, your finance committee, streets and alleys committee and the city attorney, with a view of securing your assistance, advice and general co-operation in the direction mentioned.

"I shall be pleased to have you advise us if such a meeting can be arranged, and at what time and place. It is the desire of our committee to take some immediate and definite action. It is especially desired by our committee to have the legal opinion from the city attorney as to what power is conferred upon the council with reference to the enforcement of construction of streets and sidewalks. Based upon this advice from the city attorney, we desire to discuss with the council, finance committee and streets and alleys committee the best method to pursue in prosecuting the work.

"Thanking you in advance for any favors you may show, and hoping to be informed of a date most convenient for a meeting, so that we may all get together for work on this good cause, I am, most respectfully,

"ELMON ARMSTRONG,
"Chairman."

Mayor Is Interested

Letters sent the committeemen were:

"Dear Sir: I am pleased to advise that an arrangement has been made with the mayor and city council for a meeting of our committee with them at the office of the mayor on Tuesday night, the 16th inst. This date was desired by the mayor, as he wishes to have a conference with the council and city attorney on Monday before they meet our committee.

"I am glad to say that the mayor is very agreeable to a joint effort and I was pleased at the expression that he made in a conversation over the telephone. Yours very truly,

"E. ARMSTRONG."

NO OPPONENT FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

Jeff D. McLean Likely to Have Clear Field for Nomination In July

It is not believed at this time that County Attorney Jeff D. McLean will have any opposition for re-election. At one time, so it is said at the court house, there was a movement in the interest of another man, but as it did not meet with sufficient encouragement, it was dropped, since which time nothing more has been said of opposition to Mr. McLean.

A Telegram man asked the present county attorney if he looked for any opposition, and Mr. McLean said:

"I am not looking for any, and I don't want any. I don't see why I should be opposed for a second term. I have done nothing but what I felt it was my duty to do, and have endeavored faithfully to enforce the laws of the state."

When a county attorney has made a good record, it has been the rule in Tarrant county for years to give him an indorsement in the shape of a re-election for a second term, and Mr. McLean sees no cause to make him an exception to this rule.

SLEDGE HAMMER HIT TOE

Frank Stewart, 512 Texas street, has returned from Mineral Wells, where he went a short time ago for the purpose of removing a building there. While there his foot was painfully injured by the head of a sledge hammer slipping off and falling on it. The bone in the first toe was considerably crushed. He was driving a stake at the time and the head of the hammer used by his helper slipped from the handle.

REV. CARLISLE P. B. MARTIN, LL. D.

of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." Sold by Covey & Martin, 810 Main street, opposite Hotel Worth.

Fort Worth Cyclist Will Try To Duplicate Globe of Death Feat

Rose and Lemon, who are playing at the Majestic theater this week, in their act known as the Death Globe, have announced at each performance that they will give $1,000 in cash to any two people duplicating their act of looping the globe. Henry B. Lewis of Fort Worth, a well known cyclist, has decided that he can secure this $1,000 in a very few minutes and has called on Messrs. Rose and Lemon, the cyclist, and Mr. Fisher, manager of the Majestic, and asked permission to try his skill in the globe tonight.

As this is a very dangerous feat and a great number of riders have met with serious mishaps, papers securing Rose and Lemon and also the Interstate Amusement Company against any possible damage suits were drawn up and signed by all persons interested.

The Globe of Death is a network of steel bands, in which Rose and Lemon ride as is shown in the accompanying cut.

U. B. A. OFFICERS ARE RE-ELECTED

Next Meeting to Be Held at Fort Worth in 1907

The Eleventh annual session of the United Benevolent Association closed Thursday afternoon with the election of officers for the coming term, which will be an eighteen months' term instead of a year because of the change of the date of the annual meeting from January to August. Next meeting will be held in Fort Worth the second week in August, 1907.

The election of officers resulted in a choice of the old officers of the year 1905-1906. Colonel E. W. Taylor of this city was re-elected supreme president of the order. The other officers elected were: Supreme past president, Dr. J. A. Southworth of Humble; supreme vice president, E. S. Royal of Wolfe City; supreme secretary, J. A. Connor, Fort Worth; supreme treasurer, Ben O. Smith, Fort Worth; supreme chaplain, Annette R. Manchester of Fort Worth; supreme conductor, F. Ludolph of Marshall; supreme sentinel, J. W. Hutchison of Fort Worth; supreme medical examiner, Dr. J. L. Cooper, Fort Worth; supreme executive committee, W. T. Shaw of Fort Worth, George H. Mulkey of Fort Worth, J. H. Endicott of Weatherford, Elmo Jeffers of Corsicana and D. H. Cabeen of Honey Grove; supreme trustees, Mrs. Annie Waldron and Mrs. Ada E. Lawler.

Report of the committees showed that the organization was in first-class shape financially. Plans were also discussed for the campaign which the order is to carry on in the two territories. The campaign has already been started and there are a number of members located in Indian Territory. The total number of members of the order is now over 3,000.

The U. B. A. is a fraternal, social and beneficiary order.

D. H. Cabeen, mayor of Honey Grove, was in attendance at the meeting and was re-elected one of the supreme executive committeemen.

PROPERTY EXCHANGED

Houston and Main Street Owners Change Sites

An exchange of real estate property was made Thursday through Tempel & Modlin whereby George Simpson traded Houston street property to George Reynolds for Main street property. The Houston street property is 100 feet wide and is located in the middle of the east side of the block between Tenth and Eleventh streets, and is 50 feet south of the corner. It is unimproved. The Main street property is located on the east side of the street next to the Masonic building, between First and Second streets. It is 36 feet wide and is improved by a two-story brick building. The terms of the trade were not made public, but it is considered that the Houston street property is worth about twice that of the Main street property, valued at about $15,000.

GLENWOOD NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Tefteller, who formerly lived in Glenwood but now of Childress, are the parents of a baby girl.

There was a dress rehearsal Wednesday night of the "Old Maids' Convention."

Mrs. J. L. Saunders of Vickery boulevard fell from a window Thursday afternoon and was painfully but not seriously injured.

An "Old Maids' Convention" will be given Friday night at the J. O. U. A. M. hall by the ladies of the Glenwood Baptist church. The proceeds to be used for the benefit of the church. Miss Nettie Bellamy will sing and Miss Celia Compton will give a reading.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

J. H. McLean, who died in San Antonio Thursday, was well known in Fort Worth, and one of the most widely known hotel men in Texas. He was one of the hotel firm of Mudge & McLean that conducted the Delaware hotel in this city in the 80s, known at that time as the Pickwick. When the beautiful Arlington Inn was built at Arlington Heights Mudge & McLean opened it and until it burned down in the 90s conducted there one of the most famous hostelries in Texas. It was a great suburban resort, the crowds that collected there evenings, especially on Sunday, gave the Inn the appearance of some great sea side resort. A band of music was on hand every evening, and Arlinton Inn was known far and wide. McLean was a royal host and one of the most popular hotel men in the south. He and Mudge, his partner, were inseparable, and when the Inn burned down went to San Antonio and accepted the joint management of the Menger.

SAYS HE SAW NOAH RIDING WHITE HORSE

Emanuel Sweet Vows He Is Messiah and That He Will Start Millennium Soon

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. — Emanuel Sweet of Newark, N. J., has proclaimed himself the new Messiah, and his claims have been recognized by the members of the Cultural Zion Society of Jersey City, before whom he delivered an impassioned address, setting forth his claims and predicting the coming of the millennium.

Sweet says while he was sitting buried in reflection in his room on the night of Nov. 3 a vision came to him. He saw an angel flying away with a dying woman in his arms. Then came to his view Noah on a white horse, with a golden crown upon his head.

The millennium will come after six years of mourning for the Kieff massacres, Sweet declared.

The new Italian postage stamps will not bear the monarch's head, but a variety of different designs, such as the sea under the rising sun, an Alpine landscape, a ship at sea, a railway train, the Italian arms and a wireless telegraph station.

WOMEN WHO SUFFER

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"It was three years ago last spring that my health failed me," says Mrs. Arthur Conklin, of No. 5 Coldwater street, Battle Creek, Mich. "I suffered from leucorrhœa and other troubles that, I presume, were caused by the weakness it produced. I had sinking spells, nervous headaches, was weak and exhausted all the time and looked like a walking skeleton.

"My back and limbs would ache almost continually and there were days when I was absolutely helpless from sick headache. I tried one doctor after another but cannot say that they helped me at all. My liver was sluggish and I was troubled some with constipation.

"One day a physician who has now retired from practice met my husband on the street and inquired about my health. He advised my husband to get some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for me, said they were a good medicine, better for my trouble than he could put up. I felt better after taking the first box but took six boxes and was entirely cured. As soon as the leucorrhœa was cured the headaches and other pains stopped. I am entirely cured but I intend to continue to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a spring tonic."

Mrs. Conklin permits the publication of her statement in the hope and belief that it will help suffering women to find the remedy that will cure them. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood. They don't act on the bowels. They don't bother with mere symptoms. They strike straight at the common root of disease. But, of course, you must get the genuine pills. Substitutes and imitations never cured anybody. The genuine Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

OLD SORES SAP THE VITALITY AND UNDERMINE THE HEALTH

Old Sores that refuse to heal are a constant menace to health. They sap the vitality and undermine the constitution by draining the system of its very life fluids, and those afflicted with one of these ulcers grow despondent and almost desperate as one treatment after another fails. They patiently apply salves, washes, plasters, etc., but in spite of all these the sore refuses to heal and eats deeper into the surrounding flesh, destroying the tissues and growing to be a festering, inflamed and angry mass. The source of the trouble is in the blood. This vital fluid is filled with impurities and poisons which are constantly being discharged into the sore or ulcer, making it impossible for the place to heal. It will not do to depend on external applications for a cure, because they do not reach the real cause, and valuable time is lost experimenting with such treatment; the most they can do is keep the ulcer clean. Any sore that will not heal is dangerous, for the reason that it may have the deadly germs of Cancer behind it. A cure can be brought about only through a remedy that can change the quality of the blood, and this is what S. S. S. does. It goes to the very bottom of the trouble, drives out the poisons and germs with which it is filled, and purifies and builds up the entire circulation. By the use of S. S. S. the sore is supplied with new, rich blood which corrects the trouble, soon stops the discharge, and allows the place to heal naturally and permanently. S. S. S. also reinvigorates the entire system, and where the constitution has been depleted or broken down it quickly builds it up and restores perfect health. Write for our special book on sores and ulcers, and any medical advice you are in need of; no charge for either.

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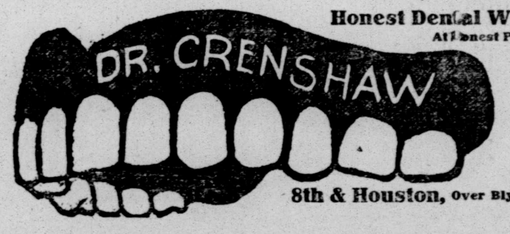

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STOCKS

Sensational Upward Movement in All Issues—T. C. and I. and I. C. Especial Features

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—There was a continuation of the upward movement in stocks during the initial trading today. London sent higher prices for Americans and the local opening was strong and active, the volume of business for the first hour being very large. The issues which were the market leaders yesterday continued to attract the greater share of attention today. However, the activity was general and all issues shared more or less in the prosperity. There was profit-taking in a number of stocks, but it was in the main well absorbed. Tennessee Coal and Iron moved in a highly sensational manner, opening at 160, a gain of 1¼ points from last night's closing price. The stock advanced by leaps and bounds, touching 165 within a few minutes after the call. There seems to be no especial reason to assign for the violence of the movement, but it is probably in a measure due to the increased demand which has been engendered by the placing of the stock on a dividend-paying basis. Union Pacific showed early strength, but weakened under realizing operations. Amalgamated Copper was also very active and strong, advancing 1½ points during the first hour and reaching a net gain of 2⅞ points, with the stock selling at 114⅜ before the close of the day's business. Anthracite coal stocks showed a great deal of early strength, reflecting the advance in London. The rails and in fact the entire market without exception, showed gains of large proportions. Taking it all together it was the broadest market for a long time. The advance was so rapid that the conservative commission houses advised the taking of profits, for fear of a sharp reaction. Sales to noon were 926,400 shares. There was no cessation of activity in the afternoon and a majority of the issues maintained their early advances to the close.

The feature of the late trading was a phenomenal advance in Illinois Central, carrying that issue to 182, a net gain of 4⅛ points for yesterday's final price. The close was excited and strong.

Call money ranged from 5½ to 3½ per cent during the day.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Stocks ranged in prices today on the New York Stock Exchange as Follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Loco.	77¼	77½	77	77
Atchison	96	96⅜	95⅝	96½
B. and O.	115	115⅛	114⅜	115⅜
B. R. T.	88½	89¾	88⅜	88⅝
Can. Pac.	175⅝	176	175¼	175¾
C. F. and I.	60	61½	60	60¾
C. and O.	57⅛	57⅛	57	57⅛
Copper	112¼	114⅝	111⅞	114⅝
C. Gt. W.	21⅜	22⅛	21⅜	21⅞
Erie	49⅜	50⅜	49¼	50⅛
Illinois Cent.	176¾	182	176¾	180
L. and N.	153⅜	154⅜	153½	154
Manhattan	159½	....	....	160
Metropolitan	124½	125½	124½	124½
Mex. Central	25½	....	....	25¾
M., K. and T.	71⅜	....	....	71¼
Mo. Pac.	101¼	103⅝	101	103
N. Y. Central	154¾	154¾	153½	154½
N. and W.	87⅜	88⅝	87⅜	87⅝
O. and W.	54¼	54⅝	54	54⅛
People's Gas.	101	....	....	100⅞
Pennsylvania	145½	145¾	145¼	145¼
Reading	144½	144⅞	143⅝	144½
R. S. and I.	38¾	38¾	37½	37½
Rock Island	23¾	24¾	23½	24⅜
South. Pac.	69⅞	70	69¼	69⅝
Sugar	151⅜	151⅜	150¼	151⅛
Smelter	166	167	165¼	165½
South. Ry.	37⅞	38½	37⅝	38⅛
St. Paul	183⅞	184⅞	183⅝	184½
T. C. and I.	160	165	160	160
Texas Pacific	34⅜	35¼	34⅜	35¼
Union Pacific	157	158¼	156¼	158¼
U. S. Steel pfd	107⅛	107⅞	107⅛	107⅝
U. S. Steel	44½	44⅝	44⅛	44¼

WEATHER HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF

Unpleasant Conditions of January, 1905, Duplicated

A year ago today Fort Worth had rain and a thunderstorm and today the weather is about as pleasant, although there has been no rain yet or any thunderstorm. The weather of a year ago was colder than today, however, as the maximum temperature was 28 degrees and the minimum 18 degrees.

The weather throughout the entire district of the state surrounding this city is also muggy today, as reported by the train dispatchers of the various railroads.

The weather map of this morning reports that the country as a whole was cloudy Thursday. Snow and rain occurred in Montana and Florida and the northern part of the Pacific coast.

Official statement of conditions throughout the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock Friday morning show low barometer over the south, and the country as a whole is cloudy.

MAN IS BLOWN TO ATOMS AT TULSA, I. T.

Explosive Tears Gap in Earth and Small Trace Found of Victim and His Team

TULSA, I. T., Jan. 12.—One thousand quarts of nitroglycerin exploded at the magazine of the Western Torpedo company, two miles from Chelsea yesterday, literally blowing to atoms James O'Hara, a shooter, and a team of mules which were standing hitched alongside the magazine. The only trace of O'Hara found was a piece of the jawbone and a bit of his coat a half mile distant from the scene of the explosion. The explosion tore a hole in the ground thirty feet across and fifteen feet deep and shook the town of Chelsea like an earthquake, breaking plate glass and doing other damage.

Another magazine 300 feet away, containing 1,000 quarts of glycerin was not affected.

ESCAPED PRISONER CAUGHT

A man declared to be Claud Brown was arrested Thursday afternoon by Officers Bills and Deering. Brown was wanted at Waco, as an escaped county convict. He formerly lived in Fort Worth and came to this city after making his escape. He had a companion also but the latter escaped. A Waco officer is expected here Friday for the prisoner.

TREMENDOUS POWER

over constipation, billousness, etc., is shown in the marvelous cures made by Electric Bitters. 50c. Guaranteed. J. P. Brashear, W. J. Fisher, Covey & Martin.

GRAIN

Wheat Prices Advance on Bullish News—Reaction Later—Corn and Oats Weak—Provisions Off

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12.—Wheat prices were firm the greater part of the session today. The general sentiment was bullish on continued reports of bad weather in the Argentine and the higher prices prevailing in Liverpool. Cables reported an advance of ½d. On the first call prices were ¼c to ¼c up. The session was without feature and fluctuations moved within a narrow range. In the afternoon trading there was liquidation and some selling pressure, which effected a decline of ⅝c to ⅝c from the high point. Final prices were from unchanged to ⅛d higher. Receipts were slightly over the estimate, being 114 cars, 1 of which was contract grade; 12 cars were received this day last year.

Corn was active and after an initial advance the market weakened and closing prices were at a net loss of ¼c. Local receipts were 353 cars, 41 of which were contracts; 48 cars were received this day last year.

Oats were active and prices weaker. The close was at a net loss of ⅛c to ¼c. Local receipts were 140 cars, against 68 this day last year.

Provisions were weaker, being affected by realizing from yesterday's advance in pork. Clothing prices were at a net loss of 10c to 27c.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	88⅜	88⅞	87¾	88¼
July	85	85	84½	84⅞
Corn—				
May	45⅝	45⅝	45	45⅛
July	45⅜	45⅜	45⅜	45½
Oats—				
May	32⅜	32⅜	31⅞	32⅛
July	30⅝	30¾	30⅜	30½
Pork—				
May	14.20	14.20	14.02	14.07
Lard—				
May	7.67	7.70	7.62	7.65
Ribs—				
January	7.52	7.52	7.47	7.47
May	7.67	7.67	7.60	7.60

KANSAS CITY GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 12.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	80⅜	80⅜	80	80⅜
July	77¼	77⅜	77	77¼
Corn—				
May	40½	40⅝	40½	40½
July	40¾	40⅞	40⅝	40⅜
Oats—				
May	30⅜	30½	30¼	30¼
July	29¼	29⅜	29⅛	29⅛
Pork—				
May	14.07	14.10	13.97	13.97
Lard—				
May	7.65	7.65	7.60	7.60
Ribs—				
May	7.62	....	....	7.55

KANSAS CITY PUTS AND CALLS

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 12.—Following were the puts and calls today on this market:

Wheat—Puts 80¼c, calls 80½c.
Corn—Puts 40⅜c, calls 40⅝c.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN CABLE

Special to The Telegram.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 12.—The following changes were noted today in the wheat and corn markets:

Wheat closed ⅝d up.
Corn closed ¼d up.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 12.—Cash grain was quoted today on this market as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 hard 83c, No. 3 78½c to 81½c, No. 4 72c to 79½c, No. 2 red 91c to 92c, No. 3 86c.

Corn—No. 2 white 40½c, No. 3 40c, No. 2 mixed 40c, No. 3 39¾c, No. 4 38½c to 39¼c.

Oats—No. 2 white 32½c, No. 2 mixed 31c to 31¼c, No. 3 30¾c, No. 4 30c to 30¼c.

MOON TO DISAPPEAR

Total Eclipse Scheduled For Thursday, Feb. 8

Fort Worth will have an opportunity on Thursday, Feb. 8, to view a total eclipse of the moon. This will be the only eclipse of either the sun or moon, partial or total, that will be visible in this city during the year. The eclipse, provided it is a clear night, will be a fine one, as the moon will be almost full at the time. The eclipse will be total in this locality about 11:30 p. m.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS TO CONVENE HERE

Delegates Expected to Come from Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma Next Thursday

The Sixth District Council of Electrical Workers, comprising delegates from Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma Territory, will meet in this city next Thursday. It is expected that between sixty and seventy delegates will be present. James Noonan, second vice president of the electrical workers, will preside at the meeting.

TO URGE TAX PAYMENT

Meeting Will Be Held at Labor Temple Monday Night

Poll tax payment and the importance of voting to the members of organized labor will be urged at a mass meeting to be held at Labor Temple next Monday night. The meeting will be attended by the members of the various labor organizations in the city and it is expected the large hall at Labor Temple will be crowded to its full capacity for the meeting.

Walton Peteet and other labor leaders of state reputation will be present at the meeting. A number of addresses will also be made by members of local labor organizations.

SLEET FALL REPORTED

Fort Worth received a little sleet, according to the weather bureau, Friday afternoon. The oficial time of the beginning of the sleet was 2:10 p. m.

FEEDING IN IOWA

J. M. Nicholso of Madison county, Iowa, was in Fort Worth Wednesday, accompanying a shipment of cattle owned by his nephew, J. B. Nicholson, of Comanche, Okla.

He said he was in Texas twenty years ago and visited Fort Worth, but he certainly had not the remotest anticipation of finding such a vigorous city as greeter Fort Worth, in which had sprung from such small beginning. Feeding in Iowa, he said, was about an average, on account of cheap corn, but most feeders shipped to Chicago.

COTTON

Market Was Quiet, Closing Steady. Prices Unchanged—Spots Quiet and Unchanged

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The market opened easy with prices 2 to 5 points below last night's finals. In the initial trading the market ruled irregular. There was rather liberal selling of cotton for March delivery and that option sustained a further loss of 4 points.

This was offset by the purchase of distant options, which advanced 4 to 7 points, and before the end of the first hour March had worked back to the opening figures, while distant months had lost their early gains.

After this time the tone was steady and there was no aggressive action from either side.

The bulls seemed to be confident of their position, and while there was no pronounced taking on of new lines, there was more disposition to hold for higher prices than has been evidenced lately, and shorts also covered to some extent.

The close was steady with prices practically at last night's final figures. Spots are unchanged at 11.80c for middling. Sales for consumption were 1,000 bales and 100 bales were delivered on contract.

Futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	11.20	11.27	11.19	11.23
March	11.40	11.47	11.36	11.42
May	11.47	11.54	11.45	11.50
July	11.53	11.57	11.50	11.55

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 12.—The cotton market opened steady with prices at a decline of 2 to 6 points.

In the initial trading there was covering by shorts and also buying for long account, with the result that prices soon worked up to a net gain of 4 to 5 points for the near positions.

Sentiment was about evenly divided and there was still a disposition to await the outcome of developments from the Southern Cotton Growers' convention.

The market was dull and entirely without feature.

Closing prices were practically unchanged from last night, and the tone was steady.

Spots were quiet and unchanged at 11 9-16c for middling. Sales were 850 bales and 950 f. o. b.

Futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	11.40	11.40	11.37	11.37
March	11.56	11.68	11.56	11.61
May	11.69	11.77	11.67	11.71
July	11.76	11.84	11.76	11.78
October	10.65	10.65	10.57	10.57

PORT RECEIPTS

Special to The Telegram.

Receipts at the leading accumulative points today, compared with the receipts at the same points last year:

	Today.	Last year.	Yesterday.
Galveston	6,106	4,126	4,623
New Orleans	3,508	8,592	11,087
Mobile	1,041	708	727
Savannah	3,044	2,713	2,024
Charleston	986	1,087	198
Wilmington	...	882	321
Norfolk	...	2,788	2,815
Baltimore	...	1,234	...
New York	...	163	...
Boston	485	782	790
Philadelphia	25	94	...
Total	25,763	27,243	22,754
St. Louis	601	2,863	950
Cincinnati	449	484	1,130
Memphis	...	2,726	1,954
Augusta	...	577	398
Houston	4,571	6,047	8,911
Little Rock	167	795	375

ESTIMATED TOMORROW

Following is the estimated receipts for tomorrow at the three principal ports, compared with the receipts for the same day last year:

	Tomorrow.	Last year.
New Orleans	4,000 to 5,500	8,262
Galveston	8,000 to 10,000	7,802
Houston	8,000 to 8,500	4,507

LIVERPOOL COTTON CABLE

Special to The Telegram.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 12.—The cotton market opened quiet with prices at a decline of 8 to 9 points.

The market was influenced by the weakness of the spot situation, and bearish advices from New York. Closing prices were at practically the opening figures.

Spots were easy at a decline of 5 points on a basis of 6.09d for American middling. Sales were 8,000 bales. Imports 23,000.

Following are the opening and closing prices for futures:

	Open.	Close.
January-February	5.93	5.93
February-March	5.95	5.96
March-April	5.98	5.98
April-May	6.01	6.01
May-June	6.04	6.04
June-July	6.06	6.06
July-August	6.06	6.07
August-September	6.00	5.99
September-October	5.79	5.75
October-November	5.72	5.68
November-December	5.67	5.65
January	5.95	5.93

HESTER'S WEEKLY STATEMENT

Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 12.—Secretary Hester's weekly New Orleans Cotton Exchange statement issued before the close of business today, compares the movement of the crop for the past week with the corresponding time last year and the year before. Following are the figures:

	This year.	Last year.	1903.
Overland for week—	23,566	32,686	44,676
Overland since Sept. 1—	435,487	583,599	521,003
Into sight for week—	216,503	249,255	279,669
Into sight since Sept. 1—	7,375,031	8,443,581	7,424,206

PHYSICIANS SAY FIELD UNCHANGED

Chicago Merchant's Temperature and Pulse Reported by Doctors in Charge

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK CITY, Jan. 12.—Though physicians issued a short statement this morning as to Marshall Field's condition being unchanged, it is stated that the attack of pneumonia is more severe than has been admitted. Physicians have not made public the temperature of the patient, nor the pulse, which would give the best indications regarding the progress of pneumonia.

JUDGE DENIES PETITION

Refuses to Discharge Greene and Gaynor From Custody

By Associated Press.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 12.—Judge Speer today denied the petition of counsel for Greene and Gaynor asking that the men be discharged from custody.

LIVESTOCK

FRIDAY'S RECEIPTS

Cattle	2,300
Calves	300
Hogs	3,900
Horses and mules	27

FRIDAY'S REVIEW AND SALES

Cattle receipts today were slightly under those of yesterday, reaching 2,500, including calves.

Steers

On the early market the supply of beef steers was relatively small and the quality was on the medium order. The best of these sold at $3.75. Later some very choice steers came in, but trades had not been made at the close of the morning session. The steer market was active and steady. Sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
18	1,011	$3.65	56	800	$3.15
57	1,399	4.75	38	1,102	3.75
7	819	3.10	5	920	3.25

Cows

Cows and butcher heifers were in good proportion to the general run, and the market was active. Packers and outsides were looking for good cows. Some extra grass cows sold at $2.80, with fed cows due to sell at $2.90. Individual heifers of choice quality sold up to $3.25.

Sales of cows today:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
16	769	$2.00	22	548	$1.35
25	488	1.20	13	594	1.40
30	670	1.75	29	249	2.00
8	630	1.55	34	770	2.15
1	990	3.25	4	845	2.00
6	823	1.60	12	950	2.50
39	209	2.10	13	892	1.65
30	819	2.35	24	794	2.40
53	779	2.40	15	651	1.30
5	585	2.80	29	812	2.50
4	762	2.35	9	864	2.50
10	735	2.35	6	878	1.80
14	825	3.25	28	815	2.80
56	851	2.80	1	910	3.00

Sales of heifers as follows:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
2	510	$3.25	3	673	$3.30
2	560	2.50	2	4660	2.00
21	740	2.50			

Bulls

Bulls were selling steady, with some very good of the fat sort going to packers at $2.30.

Sales of bulls today:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
2	1,625	$2.75	28	1,355	$3.00

Calves

The calf market had around 300 head on which to base quotations. Bidding was active in response to a broad demand, and some extra good calves brought $5.50. Heavy fat calves still sell strong, the best bringing $4.50.

Sales made today:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
83	174	$5.25	7	307	$3.25
7	432	2.60	6	143	5.00
15	239	4.25	6	143	5.00
27	354	5.50	86	170	4.25
21	307	3.50	44	237	4.60

Hogs

The supply of hogs today was not as large as on yesterday, but large enough for the requirements of the trade. Receipts totaled 3,900. Best heavy packers were steady, with tops at $5.40 and the bulk at $5.10@5.37½. Medium and common hogs 5c to 10c lower. Pigs active and unchanged.

Sales of hogs made today:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
86	181	$5.20	5	155	$5.00
54	221	5.27½	4	200	5.15
50	178	5.20	85	179	5.20
48	203	5.17½	23	150	4.75
9	345	5.20	64	168	4.85
76	225	5.37½	81	212	5.35
65	245	5.37½	64	276	5.40
73	235	5.37½	12	235	4.90
58	185	5.22½	55	190	4.95
64	179	5.00	12	210	5.15
26	161	4.25	12	231	5.25
54	194	5.25	69	170	4.60
76	184	5.75	52	165	5.72
59	160	5.12	68	210	5.20
92	221	5.40	81	210	5.52

Pigs

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
63	108	$4.55	103	83	$4.55
30	90	4.60	23	80	4.60
64	115	4.55	58	105	4.50
15	128	4.50	10	101	4.50
143	85	4.57½	23	107	4.55
21	98	4.55	89	110	4.45
31	97	4.50	45	102	4.55
81	91	4.55	31	130	4.55

LATE SALES THURSDAY

Following sales were made late Thursday afternoon, too late for publication that day:

Steers

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
47	907	$3.40	40	1,222	$4.20

Cows

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
18	730	1.65	38	756	1.85
22	721	1.85	34	817	2.25
16	887	2.25			

Calves

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
76	238	5.00	64	816	4.00
22	321	2.50	42	328	2.90
10	327	2.75	25	224	4.25
6	203	4.00	16	423	2.75

FRIDAY'S SHIPPERS

Cattle

Smith & Corkell, Hebronville .. 28
Watson & Gown, Blooming Grove 34
Robert Haden, Blooming Grove .. 28
Smith & Corkill, Hebronville 28
Watson & Gown, Honey Grove .. 34
J. W. McL. Waldo 24
W. R. McElroy, Georgetown 21
S. & R. Leonard 43
J. W. Mc L. Waldo 24
J. W. Perryman, St. Joe 32
J. W. Mc L. Waldo 22
Fields & Haynes, Wills Point 41
A. Luest, Abilene 34
Fields & Haynes, Wills Point .. 48
J. H. K., Grand Saline 25
U. M., Mineola 30
Rollin Bros. & Behe, Monahans.. 38
Patterson & Wallace, Mansfield.. 45
Carroll & Williams, Brady 2
Rollin Bros. & Behe, Monahans.. 30
W. N. & S. P. Burns, Blanket... 75
Honis & Ablin, Comanche 38
Cox & Price, Stephenville 45
J. W. Doskill, Dublin 32
Lewis Green, Granbury 25
S. B. Davis, Cooper 20
L. M. Hadley, Baird 51
Harrison Beck, Baird 31
P. W. Reynolds, Cisco 18
E. G. Seibold, Childress 67
J. E. Johnston, Iatan 94
R. H. Tracy, Merkel 88
A. C. Sears, Merkel 78
A. Stears, Merkel 32
R. Whitesides, Sweetwater 55
Maud Hanna, Sweetwater 64
F. H. Parker, Sweetwater 80
W. W. Barrow, Sweetwater 68
Garnett & Co., Ravenna 46
L. T. Fry, Denton 41
J. McEarth, Daingerfield 82
E. Young, West Point 31
H. Smith, Mt. Vernon 29
Claud Willis, Decatur 31
J. B. Williams, Frisco 27
J. H. H., Bagwell 36
J. B. Williams, Frisco 27
R. T. Haydock, Clarksville 14
S. B. Rutledge, Alvorado 51
More & U., Grandview 33
Smith & Corkell, Hebronville 28

Calves

Smith & Corkell, Hebronville 140
W. R. Felker, Iatan 80
Pollin Bros. & Behe, Monahans .. 86

Hogs

J. E. Dyer, Cowder City 88
B. B. B., Marquez 169
A. W. J., Franklin 113
M. J. Etteleg, ... 126
C. E. Bullard, Madisonville 134
T. M. Wallace, Madisonville 108
J. C. Hamphill, Elgin 148
M. D. Wagley, Sulphur Springs.. 88
C. I. Gomblen, Emory 84
H. Smith, Mt. Vernon 52
Edgar Kerr, Benham 95
R. T. Harrydock, Clarksville 79
R. A. Ruddle, San B., Okla..... 96
A. Brown, Thomas 76
Y. C. Taylor, Smithville 68
— Kelley Carnahan 39
C. C. Rouse, Lexington 213
Bonds & Williams, Rockdale 139
Robert & Waden, Blooming Grove 92
J. E. Johnson, Frost 86
Tale & Cour, Hennessey 62
T. R. Patten, Edmonds 66
J. A. Crawford, Pruett 94
Day & F., Athens 90
J. R. L. Rusk 200
J. A. Banks, Alto 128
Malk Bros., Kanbrman 80
Satchell & Co., Waxahachie 54
N. M., Mineola 38
J. E. Davis, Milford 104
Zellner Rogers, Cameron 109
Lewis & Green, Granbury 13

Horses and Mules

E. Howard, Texarkana 27

MARKETS ELSEWHERE

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market opened steady; beeves, $3.50@6.25; cows and heifers, $1.25@4.70; stockers and feeders, $1.25@4.70.

Hogs — Receipts, 35,000; market opened strong and closed steady; mixed and butchers, $5.20@5.45; good to choice heavy, $5.30@5.47; rough heavy, $5.20@5.25; light, $5.15@5.35; bulk, $5.30@5.40; pigs, $4.70@5.20. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 23,000.

Sheep — Receipts, 7,000; market dull; sheep, $3.50@6; lambs, $5.75@7.90.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market steady; beeves, $4@5.75; cows and heifers, $2@5, stockers and feeders, $3@4.40; Texas and westerns, $3.25@4.60.

Hogs — Receipts, 9,000; market steady; mixed and butchers, $5.20@5.35; good to choice heavy, $5.30@5.35; rough heavy, $5.25@5.30; light, $5.15@5.25; bulk, $5.15@5.30; pigs, $4.80@5.15. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 4,000.

Sheep — Receipts, 2,000; market steady; lambs, $6.50@7.40; ewes, $4.50@5.50; wethers, $5.50@6.10; yearlings, $5.75@6.50.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,800, including 150 Texans; market steady; native steers, $3@5.90; cows and heifers, $2.10@3.45; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.75; Texas steers, $2.75@4.20; cows and heifers, $2@2.90.

Hogs — Receipts, 8,500; market 5c to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, $5.30@5.40; bulk, $5.35@5.45; pigs, $4.50@5.30.

Sheep — Receipts, 1,500; market weak; sheep, $5@6; lambs, $5.50@7.75.

MISCELLANEOUS

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS

Acids—Citric, 48c lb; acetic No. 8, 8c lb; tartaric, 40c lb; carbolic, 31c lb; muriatic, commercial, 6c lb; sulphuric, commercial, 5c lb; cocaine, oz bot, $4.05 oz; morphine, 1-8 bot, $2.60 oz; quinine, 31c oz; gum opium, $3.75 lb; powdered opium, $4.60 lb; borax, lump, 10c lb; borax, powdered 1-4s, 40c doz, 1-2s, 75c doz; 1s, $1.25 doz; 5s, 10c doz; bulk, 10c lb; epsom salts, per bbl, $1.75; small lots, 3½c lb; cream tartar, 35c lb; chloroform, 40c lb; sulphur, 4c lb; blue stone, 10c lb; ammonia, 26 per cent, 12c per lb; alum, lump, 5c lb; alum, powdered, 8c; Bismuth subnitrate, lb, $1.75.

Ninety per cent off list in quotations.

PROVISIONS

Dry salt extras, 8¼c; dry salt regulars, 9c; dry salt bellies, 14-16, 9½c; dry salt bellies, 18-20, 9⅝c; bacon bellies, 14-16, 11c; fancy bellies, 18-29, 10¾c, fancy hams, 13c; fancy breakfast bacon, 12c; regular hams, 12-14, 13¾c; regular hams, 14-16, 13c; kettle rendered lards, in tierces, 10c; kettle rendered lards, in 50s, 10½c; kettle rendered lard, in 10s, 11½c; kettle rendered lard, in 5s, 11¾c; pure lard, tierces, 10c; pure lard, 50s, 10¼c; pure lard, 10s, 10½c; pure lard, 5s, 10¾c.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS

Sorghum, bbls, per gal, 28@30c; corn syrup, bbls, per gal, 26@29c; fair rebolled, bbls, per bal, 21@35c; prime rebolled, bbls, per bal, 23@24c; choice rebolled, bbls, per gal, 26@29c; fancy table syrups, gal cans, per case, $2.00@2.20; fancy table syrups, half gal cans, per case, $2.15@2.25; fancy sorghum, gal cans, per case, $2.00@2.20; fancy sorghum, half gal cans, per case, $2.25@2.35; fancy open kettle, half gal, $2.80@3.00; gals, $2.10@3.10; pure cane, half gals, $3.10@3.60; pure cane, gals, $2.90@3.50.

PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS

White lead, per cwt, strictly pure, $7.75.

Mineral Paints—Per gallon, 60c.

Dry Metallic Paints—Per cwt, in barrels, $1.00@1.10.

Venetian Reds—Per cwt, American, $1.50; English, $2.

Ochre—Per cwt, American, $1.50; French, $2.

Linseed Oil—Rest boiled, in bbls, 44c gallon; raw, 43c.

Hard Oil Finish—$2.00@2.50 gal.

Shingle Stain—75c@$1.00 gal.

Putty—In bladders, 3@4c.

SUGAR

Granulated in bbls, 5.15c; granulated, in sacks, 5.15c; cut loafs, in bbls, 5.95c; cut loaf in ½ bbls, 6.15c; fancy yellows, 5.15c; bbl XXXX powdered, 5.80c; half bbl XXXX powdered, 6.15c.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS

Carload lots, f. o. b. cars from millers; dealers charge from store 3c to 8c more for oats and corn and 10c to 20c on hay, bran, meal and chops.

Chops—Pure corn chops, 100 lbs., $1.15; chicken feed, wheat, per bu., $1.15.

Corn—Ear, 45c; shelled, 53c.

Bran—Pure wheat, $1.

Meal—White bolted in 35 lbs., 50c.

Oats—Dakota, 39c; Nebraska, 39c; Kansas, barley mixed, 37c; Texas, 35c.

HIDES AND WOOL

Dry Hides—Long stretched, 18c; 16-lb. up butcher flint, 17c; 16-lb up fallen, 16c; light flints, 15c; 18-lb up dry salts, 15c, light dry salts, 15c.

Green Salts—35-lb up, 10½c; lights, 9½c.

Green Hides by Express—40-lb up, 9½c; lights, 8½c.

Wool—Light medium, 18@20c; light merino, 12@20c.

Horse Hides—Green salted, $1.00@1.50.

CORDAGE

Rope, basis of ½-inch: Sisal, 11c; Manila, 15½c; cotton, 16c; twine, 4-ply 25c; zero, 3-ply, 22c; sail twine, 5-ply, 28c; No. 18, flax, 26½c.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

Chickens, per dozen: Fryers, large, $2.75@3.25; small fryers, $2.25@2.50; hens, $3.00@3.50 per dozen. Turkeys, 9c per pound. Butter, 22½@25c.

ACCIDENT STOPS STATE BUSINESS

Pipe Explodes in the Capitol Power Plant

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 12.—An accident occurred this morning at 5 o'clock at the power house of the state house, caused by an explosion of the elbow of a large steam pipe, which came very near resulting fatally to some of the employes at the plant.

The steam burst forth from the large boiler in such force that it totally demolished the office inside of the plant.

All the furniture and fixtures were blown out, causing considerable damage.

The accident caused a shut-down of the plant until noon, when the damage was repaired.

It was impossible to transact any business in the departments of the capitol on account of the extreme cold in the building.

The damage will reach about $100.

PRISONERS BREAK WAXAHACHIE JAIL

Four, One Under Death Sentence, Escape

Special to The Telegram.

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Jan. 12.—A plan on the part of the negro prisoners to break the county jail was successfully executed this morning. Four negroes made their escape, among the number being Albert Johnson under sentence of death on the charge of the murder of J. H. Taylor last July. The others were Calhoun Williams, Monc Johnson and Dennis Borders, against whom county court cases are pending.

Albert Johnson, Calhoun Williams and Monk Johnson were recaptured about two hours after the delivery.

Albert Johnson was found hid in a hay barn in the east part of the city, where he had taken refuge. He said he intended to stay there until night, and then he would go as far as he could before daylight again.

The delivery was made by digging a hole in a brick wall in the colored department of the jail.

FEDERAL COURT OPENS AT SHERMAN

Three Pleas of Guilty Before Judge Bryant at Sherman and Sentences Passed

Special to The Telegram.

SHERMAN, Texas, Jan. 12.—The January term of the Federal court was formally adjourned here today.

The grand jury reports fifteen indictments and three of the indicted at once entered pleas of guilty.

Bill Arn

If you don't believe in a thing hard enough to do it---in the matter of "Liner" advertising, for example---you stand, practically, with those who don't believe in it at all.

HELP WANTED

WANTED — For United States army, able bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer, 345 Main street, Dallas; 1300 Main street, Fort Worth; 113½ South Fourth street, Waco; 121½ Travis street, Sherman, Texas.

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

WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, chiropody or electrolysis; ten positions for every graduate; top wages paid; few weeks completes; course include instruments, diplomas and positions. Call or write Moler College, First and Main streets.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; 10 positions for every graduate. Top wages paid. Few weeks completes. Course includes tools and diplomas; can nearly earn expenses if desired. Call or write Moler Barber College, First and Main streets.

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper for night work or half day time; permanent position. Write, stating experience and references. Address 12, care Telegram.

WANTED—Four ladies to demonstrate (house-to-house); salary paid. Apply bet. 5 and 8 p. m. A. T. Brockman, Room 24, West Side Hotel.

BOYS MAKE from 50c to $1.00 every afternoon selling The Telegram after school. Call at Telegram office for particulars.

WANTED—Chemist familiar with packing house work. State experience and salary wanted. Swift & Company, North Fort Worth, Texas.

WANTED—Ten reliable boys. 109 East Third street. Fort Worth Messenger service.

WANTED—Ten good men, at once; steady work; $15 per week; no commission. 324, care Telegram.

WANTED—A young man to work in clothing store; must have good habits; $25 per week. 329, care Telegram.

WANTED—AT once, man or woman to cook and do general housework. 418 South Main.

WANTED—Colored woman cook; only experienced need apply. Mrs. Tidball. 1300 Lipscomb street.

WANTED—A first-class white woman hotel cook, $7 per week. H. G. Stephens, Memphis, Texas.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework; small family. Call at once. 805 East Leuda.

WANTED AT ONCE—White nurse. Apply 1218 Washington avenue.

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

WANTED—A good cook, 615 Burnett street. Phone 2715.

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

SITUATIONS WANTED

MAN with good executive ability and has best banking and mercantile references, desires position with good firm, saleman preferred, but will give satisfaction in anything I accept. Address No. 4, care Telegram.

MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN with a girl 6 years old, wants position as housekeeper. Good cook, nurse and seamstress; understands her business; wants fair wages; best of references. Phone 3583.

WANTED—Position by young man with wide experience in bookkeeping and general office work. Best of references. Address 343, care Telegram.

WANTED—Work for a few weeks; painting or paper hanging preferred; experienced in this kind of work. W. M. C., 946 College avenue.

WANTED—Position in grocery store by young man of fifteen years' experience in up-to-date houses. No. 9, care Telegram.

WANTED—Position by young man stenographer with three years' experience. Address 5, care Telegram.

POSITION as store or saloon porter or cook (colored); handy at anything. Address 109, Telegram office.

AN EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER and office man wants position. Address No. 3, care of Telegram.

WANTED—Position by an experienced solicitor. Address 472, care Telegram office.

POSITION by experienced stenographer. Best of reference. Address Stenographer, 1110 Lamar St.

CLERICAL OR collecting position; best of reference. Address R. E. W., General Delivery.

WANTED—Situation in family, cooking and house work preferred, by middle age lady. 1407 Main, room No. 5.

YOUNG man wishes elevator position. Phone 3592.

LABOR BUREAU can furnish you any kind of help. New phone 931.

WANTED—Position by experienced saleslady. New phone 1380.

POSITION as collector; best reference. Address 303, care Telegram.

WANTED—SALESMEN

WANTED—Traveling salesman (colored); good pay to right man; experience not necessary. We teach you the work and pay you $75 per month and expenses. Address Lone Star Jewelry Co., Lampasas, Texas, Lock Box 94.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED TO LET—A large, nice house; mostly furnished; close in on West side; to a small family without children, who will board two people. Address, with reference, 460, Telegram.

WANTED—To trade three lots, well located in Rosen Heights, for good saddle ponies; must be well broke. Address S. S., care Haddaway Drug Co., North Fort Worth, or phone 1113 (old).

FACIAL MASSAGING; bust developing a specialty; by Mrs. Sagg, 203½ Houston street. Phone 3968. Room No. 8.

WANTED—Persons who are contemplating building to see J. C. Allyn, architect and cement builder, 500 Throckmorton street.

WANTED—MISCELLAENOUS

WANTED—$1,000 worth of second-hand furniture and stoves for spot cash. Call on W. P. Lane Furniture and Carpet Co., corner Fourteenth and Houston streets, or call 3252 old phone or 45 new phone.

$100 exchanged for Furniture of all kinds at Nix, the Furniture Man, corner Second and Houston.

WANTED—3 or 4 unfurnished rooms, 3 or 4 blocks from Main street, by 1st or 15th of January, for 1 or 2 years. Address 42, care Telegram.

IF YOU want good pictures at moderate prices call at Hudson's Studio, 700 Houston street, investigate for yourself and be satisfied.

ANYONE having circulars to distribute or signs to tack up, call or write North Texas Dist. Co., 1012 Monroe street, Fort Worth, Texas.

PLUMBING—Call 3993; satisfaction guaranteed; estimates furnished. C. A. Newberg, shop 509 W. R. R. ave.

WANTED—Partner with as much as $500 in cash for a good business. Phone 3641 evenings after 5 o'clock.

WANTED—In private family, two rooms for light housekeeping. Address 30, care Telegram.

WANTED—To rent 8 or 10-room house, close in. Phone 732, new phone.

FIRST-CLASS sewing done reasonably. 909 Taylor street.

WANTED BOARDERS—With lodging. Apply 1011 West Seventh st.

WANTED—Small safe; state size and price. Address, No. 2, care Telegram

WANTED—To buy second-hand furniture. Hubbard Bros., phone 2191.

$5,000 worth clothing wanted.1503 Main

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—To rent suburban cottage, close to car line; give description and rent asked. F. H. Marshall, 317 Fort Worth Natl. Bank.

WANTED TO RENT—6 or 7-room house, plenty of stable and yard room; close in. Phone 661.

WANTED TO RENT—Eight to fourteen rooms house, close in. Call 732, new phone.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

MUST BE SOLD at once, owing to ill health, house, three rooms; barn, 80 feet in length, 20 feet wide, 16-foot roof; 640-foot well, fine water; 36-foot tower; 3½ acres fine land, in best part of Cleburne. Price $1,700.50; also fine bay mare, 10 years old, 15 hands high, price $300; bay mare, 6 years, 15½ hands high, $450; fine black stallion trotter, 3 years old, colt, cousin to Dan Patch, $1,700. For particulars write J. H. Lesley, auctioneer, Cleburne, Texas.

FOR SALE—I will offer for sale the cattle, horses and mules belonging to the T. B. Holleran estate at his ranch, six miles southwest of Benbrook, on Wednesday, Jan. 17. Will sell for cash or good bankable notes. A. M. McElvee, administrator.

$125 BUYS $100 horse, city broke, gentle for lady to drive, and $100 Moon Bros.' steel tire top buggy, harness thrown in; am leaving city; must sell at once. Call at 1014 Lipscomb street.

FOR SALE—Bargain, well-located restaurant, doing good business; twenty-five regular boarders; good counter trade. Address, Box 232, Fort Worth, Texas.

62½ ACRES, White Settlement road, 6½ miles out, good 6-room house and out-buildings; never-failing spring; owner, H. L. Spicer, 1208 East Ninth street.

$1 or $2 a week will do to furnish your room at Nix, the Furniture Man, corner Second and Houston.

FOR SALE, TO RENT OR TRADE—Three-seated platform spring hack, first class condition and make, new top and curtains. Address 481, Telegram.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, on easy terms, new furniture of an eight-room house; has been in use two months and in first-class condition. Phone 3588.

FOR SALE—One brand new Sechler runabout, rubber tired, cut under, wholesale price $125. Bargain if sold at once. Address, 457, Telegram.

BOARDING house at a sacrifice; must be sold within two days; call now; your own price. Owner leaving city. Business Exchange, 202½ Main.

FOR SALE—Well-located, nicely furnished boarding house; also eight boarders in the house. Old phone 3592.

FOR SALE—One of the best restaurants in Fort Worth; cheap rent; good opportunity. Address, 480, care Telegram.

FOR SALE—Genuine thoroughbred Mexican canaries. Apply 310 East Weatherford.

LIVERY BARN for sale. Will sell stock and rent barn. Inquire, No. 8, care Telegram.

AN ALMOST new piano, one-half price; would take nice furniture in exchange. Phone 2370.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two sets double wagon harness. Nobby Harness Co., 600 Houston St.

CINDERS, 75c per load. S. W. Tel. 465. R. B.

FOR SALE—Nice lot near standpipe, cheap. Address F., 213 N Burnett st.

FOR SALE—Several good milch cows. Apply 415 East Belknap street.

FO RSALE—Small stock of groceries. 803 Nichols street.

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

SEVERAL good bargains if sold at once. Business Exchange, 202½ Main st.

FLATS FOR SALE. Inquire 503 Main street.

EUREKA REPAIR SHOP

KEY fitting, bicycles, guns, pistols repaired. Phone 1808-2r. 107 West Ninth.

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REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

FURNISHED COMPLETE.
TO STRANGERS, NEWLY MARRIED PEOPLE, OR THOSE EXPECTING TO MARRY: Nice cottage, five rooms, bath room, hall, porch, built two years, abundant and roomy outbuildings, high location, graded street, no mud, near car line; everything complete and ready to move in; furniture bought last summer, good as new in every particular; in one of best neighborhoods in Fort Worth; lot 50x127½ feet, south front. Furniture less than half for cash. House, third cash, balance $12.50 per month. Lowest price in Fort Worth. Am leaving. Am leaving now. Old phone 1603 today.

FOR SALE—We are cutting up 250 acres in Riverside and selling it off in five-acre blocks at $125 per acre; $100 cash, remainder $100 per year, at 8 per cent interest. This is fine fruit and garden land and is convenient to the city. This is the last block of land in Riverside to be cut up, and if you desire to buy now is the time. E. L. Huffman & Co., 111 East Fourth st., under abstract office.

LOTS FOR SALE—Fort Worth's fashionable suburb. Arlington Heights Realty Company, 103 east Seventh street.

HELLO! Have you seen George? G. B. Pennock Realty Co., Geo. B. Pennock, General Manager, Room 21, Scott-Harrold Bldg., old phone 4400, new phone 422. Rosen Heights lots for sale.

NEARLY new 5-room frame cottage, lot 50x100 to 20-foot alley, east front, $1,400 only, $200 cash. Boyd & Smith Realty Co., northwest corner Ninth and Houston streets, ground floor.

A. P. THOMAS & CO.—City property, farms and ranches. A large list from which to select. 506½ Main st. Phones, old 876, new 870.

FOR SALE—Seventy-seven-acre farm, ten miles northwest from Fort Worth; also a five-room house in Rosen addition. Would trade for residence on west side. Phone Loughridge & Baker, 310 Reynolds building.

FOR SALE—Will sell cheap for cash my home this week, a five-room, modern cottage, with all conveniences, on the south side, one block of three car lines. Phone 474, or 3295. Store address 701 Houston street.

BIG BARGAIN—Six-room house and lot, south front, close in to business center; $1,900; easy terms. M. L. Chambers, 611 Main street.

J. A. STARLING & CO.
Real Estate Brokers. Rentals.
512 Main Street. In Cotton Belt Ticket Office. Phone 120.

FOR SALE CHEAP—2,560 acres in Collingsworth county, Texas, 1,500 fine farming land, running springs, four miles to railroad, on easy terms. Call Box 88, McLean, Texas.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell city property, ranch or farm lands, phone or call on Loughridge & Baker, 310 Reynolds building.

IF YOU want to stop paying rent, see A. D. Carpenter, with Glen Walker & Co., over 113 West Sixth st.

FOR SALE—Two lots, Hemphill Heights; will trade for good horses. Call 1300 College avenue.

W. A. DARTER, 711 Main has special bargains city property, farms ranches Bagget.

ROOMS FOR RENT

MUNROE COTTAGE
908 MUNROE STREET
Centrally located, directly back of postoffice, new house, newly furnished rooms, good table board. Prices reasonable. New phone 1523.

FOR RENT — Elegantly furnished rooms; quiet, modern and new; very desirable place for couple without children; references required. 412 A West Third street. Phone 4272.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping to parties without children. Private entrance; water free; rent $2.50 per week. 300 West Fourth street.

UNUSUALLY large, sunny, south front, elegantly furnished room, five blocks east of Main street. All modern conveniences. 615 East Second street.

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished front room with first-class table board, for couple or two gentlemen. References exchanged. 603 East Bluff.

TWO FURNISHED rooms, with or without board, or would rent to a couple for housekeeping; references required. 404 Clarence street.

FOR RENT—Room, furnished or unfurnished, opposite modern boarding house. 917 West Weatherford street. Phone 1904.

ROOMS FOR RENT—With or without board; modern conveniences; terms reasonable. 922 Macon street. Old phone 3386.

NICE, new furnished rooms, also rooms for light housekeeping, near depot; lights, phone and bath. The Royal, 1410½ Houston street. Phone old, 3762, new, 55.

ADVERTISERS MAY HAVE ANSWERS TO THEIR ADS ADDRESSED TO NUMBER IN CARE TELEGRAM OFFICE. REPLIES TO ADS OF THIS KIND SHOULD BE LEFT OR MAILED IN SEALED ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THAT NUMBER, IN CARE TELEGRAM.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three rooms for light housekeeping; entrance front and back; no objection to children. 1014 Cherry street, in front of Bewley's mill.

TO LET—Newly papered rooms for light housekeeping; close in; cheap. Inquire Bergman's, Seventh and Burnett.

MODERN furnished room for rent, for gentlemen; steam heat; top floor Telegram building. Phone 1564.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, breakfast and 6 o'clock dinner given if requested. 306 Hemphill. Phone 4115.

SIX ROOMS, in private residence; also unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. Phone 949.

FOR RENT—Two elegant rooms for light housekeeping; close in. 313 West Second.

THREE nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; all modern conveniences. 810 Taylor street.

FOR RENT—Furnished room and rooms for light housekeeping at 607 Rusk. New phone 1666.

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, modern conveniences. 109 Jennings avenue.

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room; board near by; references exchanged. 309 Wheeler, near Daggett.

A NICELY FURNISHED room; bath electric light; modern conveniences 621 Florence street.

TWO unfurnished rooms, newly papered; water and phone; $8 per month. 410 Clara street.

NEATLY furnished rooms for rent to gentlemen; close in. Phone mornings, 2033.

TWO completely furnished housekeeping rooms; $2.75. 109 North Royal avenue.

FRONT ROOM, just furnished with new carpet and furniture; 508 Throckmorton street; $3.50 per week.

FOR RENT—Elegant front room, with bath, light and phone privileges. Call 804 Lamar street.

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

EVERYTHING MODERN, new building. The Kingsley, corner Eighth and Throckmorton streets.

FOR RENT—Very desirable room in home, close in, with all modern conveniences. 815 Lamar street.

TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms to men only, at 1515 East Belknap street. New phone 1368.

A COMFORTABLE ROOM, electric light, bath and use of phone; suitable for two. Address 35, care Telegram.

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; also unfurnished rooms. Phone 1682.

FOR RENT — Elegantly furnished rooms, all modern and new. Over Blythe's, Eighth and Houston.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished room for gentleman. 1013 Galveston. Phone 511.

FURNISHED ROOMS, by day, week or month; transient trade solicited. The Royal, 1410½ Houston street.

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

ONE FURNISHED front room, convenient to three boarding houses. 413 East Third street.

NICELY furnished and unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 607 Hemphill street

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS for rent. 418 Wheeler street.

ROOMS—Furnished or unfurnished. Phone 1391.

FURNISHED ROOMS with board. 1113 North street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms. 302 Taylor street.

NICELY FURNISHED rooms for rent at 308½ Main street; for men only.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. 513 East Sixth street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with all modern conveniences. Old phone 850.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOM for rent. 211 Taylor street.

FOR RENT—One furnished room, $5 per month; near boarding house. Phone 2098.

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, in good residence; location 612 West First st.

ONE FURNISHED ROOM for one or two gentlemen. 502 East Third st.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—A 4-months-old red heifer calf; anyone returning or sending any information of the same to 2613 Chestnut avenue, Rosen Heights, North Fort Worth, will receive liberal reward.

STRAYED—Two white and liver-colored pointer puppies, about eight months old; look very much alike and are the same size. Phone 2240 or return to northwest corner Lake and North streets and receive liberal reward.

STRAYED OR STOLEN from 1320 Jones street, North Fort Worth, a black water spaniel pup. Return and receive reward. Old phone 3322.

LOST—A gold locket; horse's head, ruby eye, between Thirteenth and Second streets. Finder please return to Mrs. Lizzie Orlich, 300 East Thirteenth street, and receive liberal reward.

THE LADY who picked up brown furs Jan. 5, in West First street will receive liberal reward and no questions asked by returning same to 1010 W. Weatherford street.

LOST—Black silk watch fob with initials engraved, "J. E. K.;" Maccabee's emblem on one side. Finder will please return Collins Art Co. and receive reward.

LOST—A black lap robe with animal's head with glass eyes on it. Finder please return to 601 East Magnolia avenue and receive reward.

LOST—Watch with fob and Woodman of the World emblem. Finder return to 2023 Ellis avenue for reward.

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

MISCELLANEOUS

EXCHANGE—Furniture, stoves, carpets, mattings, draperies of all kinds; the largest stock in the city where you can exchange your old goods for new. Everything sold on easy payments. Ladd Furniture and Carpet Co., 704-6 Houston street. Both phones 562.

CINDERS, 75c per load. S. W. Tel. 465. R. B.

UNION STEAM DYE WORKS, 111 West Ninth street, Fort Worth—We dye and clean evening dresses of the most delicate and expensive makes with care and skill. White albatross, mulls, silks, organdies, broadcloths, pongee dresses that are trimmed with Battenberg lace are carefully and properly handled.

MONEY LOANED on storage at Nix Storage House, corner Second and Houston.

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

FOR SALE—Furniture of one eight-room and one ten-room flat. See Nix Furniture Company.

FOR ALL KINDS of scavenger work, phone 918. Lee Taylor.

DELICIOUS home-made bread. 207 Calhoun street.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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NEW DIRECTORY—The new directory of the Fort Worth Telephone Company will be ready for distribution by Feb. 1. Corrections, criticisms and recommendations will be cheerfully received by the management. Call 99.

IF YOU have farms, stock, household furniture, pianos, organs, etc., to sell see J. H. LESLEY, Licensed Auctioneer, Cleburne, Texas.

FOR REMOVING AND RESETTING all kinds of glass, show windows especially, phone Sneed's Planing Mill, 3404.

HATS of all kinds cleaned, dyed and reshaped. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Wood & Co., 112 Main. Phone 630-1 ring.

FOR HIGH GRADE PAINTING and paperhanging and decorating, call Dean & Son. Phone 3828.

MOLDING LATHE, saw and sandpaper machine work done at Dillard's Cabinet Shop. Phone 1950.

THE FIRM OF WATKINS & KIRK is dissolved by mutual consent. J. G. Watkins, Boone Kirk.

H. H. HAGER & CO. appreciate coal, wood and feed orders, prompt delivery. Phones, old 2232, new 1578.

CINDERS, 75c per load. S. W. Tel. 465. R. B.

BOUND ELECTRIC CO. for gas mantles and burners.

CALL 3993 for plumbing job work.

REMOVAL NOTICE

WANTED—Every one in Fort Worth to know that three hundred men will be employed by the Fort Worth Iron Works within one year and will need homes in South Fort Worth.

PERSONAL

ANNOUNCEMENT—S. Brande, formerly with B. Z. Friedman Co., has opened a first class watch and jewelry repairing store and will be pleased to see his many friends and patrons at his new address.

S. BRANDE,
Swiss Watchmaker and Jeweler,
1309 Main Street.

10c—YOUR PAST AND FUTURE—10c By the scientific, acknowledged Queen of Palmistry, Card Reading and Clairvoyants, Queen Zenora and Mme. Omega, located at store building, 1412 Main street, Gilbert's old store. If you desire truthful information by scientific, experienced fortune tellers who tell facts and truth, give dates of marriage, business transactions, travels, etc., in fact, anything you desire to know, call on us and we will convince you. We read your hand for 10c. We give Card Reading and Trance Readings.
10c—Your Fortune Told—10c.
1412 Main street, big store, for refined ladies and gentlemen.

ARE YOU IN THIS LIST?—Headaches, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Catarrh of the Stomach, Heart Trouble, Ovarian Trouble, Piles, Female Trouble, Epileptic Fits, Granulated Lids, Bed Wetting, Cross Eyes, etc., etc. Would you try a new method, if a cure was guaranteed outright? I WORK UPON THE NERVOUS SYSTEM, no knife or medicine. I deal with my patrons in a business-like way, by signing a contract to stop your disease, or refund the money. I have been here for more than two years, and can't afford to trifle with anybody.
DR. T. J. WILLIAMS,
OPH-THAL-MOL-O-GIST,
315 Houston St., Fort Worth, Texas.

IF YOUR typewriter needs rebuilding, overhauling or adjusting, call old phone 1400 and we will send an expert to your office and make an estimate on the repairs. All work guaranteed. Best repair department in the southwest. We carry a full line of typewriter supplies for all makes of machines. Prices right and prompt service. Fort Worth Typewriter Co., 112 West Ninth street.

NEVER think of buying without thinking of Nix, the Furniture Man, corner Second and Houston streets.

GARRISON BROS., Dentists—501½ Main Both phones.

I WANT TO KNOW the address of one John V. Hornby who lived in Fort Worth in 1901-2. Address J. B. Gibson, Trinity, Texas.

G. E. LA BEAUUME, Physician and Surgeon, office Reynolds Bldg., both telephones 185. Residence 310 Lipscomb street.

GET IN LINE and go to Nix's sale for furniture. Corner Second and Houston streets.

IF YOU want printing phone Paxton & Evans. Don't figure before you see us. 707 Main street.

DR. JOHN GRAMMER, Dentist, 906 Main, opp. Metropolitan. Phone 585.

WOOD—Wholesale and retail range wood a specialty. Toole. Tel. 525.

FINANCIAL

WE LOAN money on chattel mortgages. Floore-Epes Loan and Trust Company (Without Banking Privileges), 909 Houston street. Phone 2532.

LOANS in any amount on city property, farms and ranches. Buy, sell and exchange real estate everywhere. Kuykendall Investment Co., 704 Main street.

MONEY AND INSURANCE—Interest rates right. W. L. Foster & Co., C. W. Chilcress & Co., 704 Main. Telephones 753.

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NORTH FORT WORTH and ROSEN HEIGHTS

North Fort Worth and Rosen Heights office of The Telegram is located at 117 Exchange avenue, old phone 3959, where news items, subscriptions, advertisements and complaints of delivery should be left.

The Woodmen of the World and the Woodmen's Circle held their annual installation of officers Thursday night at Pritchard's hall. The installation was held jointly. I. T. Valentine made the opening address, which was followed by a violin solo by Miss Margaret Johns. Installing officer for the Woodmen was W. A. Arthur. Mrs. W. C. Wallace of Maplehurst Grove, Fort Worth, installed the officers of the Woodmen Circle. The Maplehurst team was present to witness the work. The circle gave Mrs. Ora Pitman a pin, which was presented by Dr. C. A. Hickman. After the installation services a banquet was given at Rosen Inn.

The following officers were installed:

Woodmen of the World—I. T. Valentine, consul commander; C. G. Jordan, advisor lieutenant; W. E. Prince, banker; Dr. C. A. Hickman, clerk; H. T. Proctor, escort; W. E. Sandsberry, watchman; R. T. Kelley, sentry; Dr. A. D. Lewis and Dr. C. M. Gallaway, physicians.

Woodman Circle—Mrs. Ora Pitman, guard; Mrs. Mary Gallaway, clerk; Mrs. Francis Randle, magivian; Mrs. Marflaret Kelly, advisor; Mrs. Clara Wheeler, banker; Mrs. Mattie Estell, attendant; Mrs. Lula Goode, inner sentinel; Mrs. Levina Daniel, outer sentinel.

There have been 236 poll tax receipts issued by Collector H. A. Mulholland. As the payments were freely made at the first of the month, it was thought that the number of paid polls would reach 400, but it is doubtful now if this number will pay. Mr. Mulholland is encouraging tax payments by staying at his office after supper in order to give opportunity to pay by those employed during the day.

It was announced Friday morning, that unless a break occurred, the final test of the water works fould be made Friday afternoon. Thursday A. J. McQuatters of the construction company, spent the day testing the plant at high pressure. For several hours the high pressure of 150 pounds or more was maintained. The contract calls for but two hours at 150 pounds pressure.

The North Fort Worth Presbyterian church will have a congregational meeting at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, at the Kindergarten rooms. This meeting is for the election of a deacon. Rev. J. L. Stitt is the pastor of the church.

A new firm, which is to be known as the Moore-Nowlin Drug Company, has been organized. The store will be in the new brick building north of Central avenue, in Main street.

Miss Bessie Robinson of Tyler is visiting Mrs. E. H. McKinley at 2317 Market avenue, Rosen Heights.

Go to Blair Bros. for Hardware and Queensware, 120-122 Twenty-fifth St. Old phone 4337, new 726.

Wood, coal and feed orders delivered by Smith & McLendon, phone 1206.

Phone 1367 William Cameron & Co., N. Ft. Worth, for prices on lumber.

Saturday Bargains

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Spoons and Forks, choice, per dozen 30c
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RACES POSTPONED

The matinee races which were scheduled for Saturday afternoon at Fort Worth Driving Park, have been postponed on account of the muddy condition of the track. The races will probably be held a week from Saturday.

Is some of your money "tied up" in land or stocks—tied so tightly that no part of it seems available? Did you ever seek the help of some little business Liner adds in "untying tied-up money?"

INCIPIENT CONSUMPTION

How Food Headed Off the Insidious Disease

The happy wife of a good old-fashioned Michigan farmer says:

"In the spring of 1902, I was taken sick—a general breaking down, as it were. I was excessively nervous, could not sleep well at night, my food seemed to do me no good, and I was so weak I could scracely walk across the room.

"The doctor said my condition was due to overwork and close confinement and that he very much feared that consumption would set in. For several months I took one kind of medicine after another, but with no good effect—in fact, I seemed to grow worse.

"Then I determined to quit all medicines, give up coffee and see what Grape-Nuts food would do for me. I began to eat Grape-Nuts with sugar and cream and bread and butter three times a day.

"The effect was surprising! I began to gain flesh and strength forthwith, my nerves quieted down and grew normally steady and sound, sweet sleep came back to me. In six weeks' time I discharged the hired girl and commenced to do my own housework for a family of six. This was two years ago, and I am doing it still, and enjoy it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each package.

NORTH TEXAS TO BE ADVERTISED

Railroads Remain Loyal at Santone Meeting

A large party of passenger representatives of various roads arrived in Fort Worth Thursday night from San Antonio, where they had been attending the passenger meetings. Among the prominent men of the party were General Passenger Agent Hilton of the St. Louis Southwestern at St. Louis; Al S. Ray, assistant general passenger agent of the Rock Island at St. Louis; Southwestern Passenger Agent Jackson of the Frisco at Dallas; C. W. Strain, general passenger agent of the Frisco, with headquarters at Fort Worth, and Phil Auer, general passenger agent of the Rock Island, with headquarters in this city. The meeting at San Antonio adjourned Thursday morning and as a pleasure jaunt which had been arranged to Corpus Christi and Brownsville, had to be abandoned on account of the weather, the visitors returned home at once.

In discussing the recent meetings, one of the general passenger agents stated that there had been some erroneous reports about what the general passenger agents as a whole intended doing towards the developing of San Antonio, the report having been sent out that the roads were going to advertise and develop the city of San Antonio, and it being made to appear that that city was to receive more support from the general passenger agents than others in Texas. This, it seems, was not backed up by the action of the convention. The matter was put before the meeting by representatives of the commercial interests of San Antonio, and an endeavor was made to secure the passage of a resolution to that effect, but this was not passed. The passenger representatives in attendance were, of course, in sympathy with the development of San Antonio, but when it came to a matter of spending their money for advertising Texas cities, they felt that this was a matter of business and the business interests of the respective lines were thought to be best subserved by the spending of their money in developing the cities and sections from which they would get the most revenue. This being the case, the lines traversing northern Texas preferred to build up the cities and country in this section and the southern and southwestern roads will pursue a similar course in regard to the spending of money in that part of the state. While all roads favor building up all Texas cities, the effort of the San Antonio people to get the railroad men on record as supporting San Antonio was not successful, as the press dispatches from San Antonio indicated.

Use of Script

Another matter discussed at the convention which took up considerable time was the matter of using script instead of the mileage credentials now in use. This plan is now in effect on the Santa Fe and the Southern Pacific, and an effort was made to secure its adoption all over the state. This was not successful, as many of the representatives present preferred the present method.

The question of encouraging foreign immigration through the ports of Galveston and New Orleans also received considerable attention and this will be done in conjunction with the steamship lines plying to the respective ports. One of the members present states that he expects the immigration of the better class of foreigners through the southern ports to be greatly increased this year, and that a further increase will be shown during the year following.

The matter of bringing immigrants from the old states did not come before the meeting, but each road is carrying out this work by its own methods and the general discussions showed that there was also a probability of an increase in this class of immigration.

CONDUCTOR RECOVERING

Vice President Hovey of the Rock Island returned Friday morning from Mordan, where he went to look after the condition of Passenger Conductor James Mack, who was shot at that place Wednesday.

Mr. Hovey says that the injured man is getting along as well as could be expected, and that there are chances of his recovery. Dr. Duringer of Fort Worth, the general surgeon of the Rock Island, is in telephone communication with a physician at Montague, and is directing the treatment of the patient.

As has been mentioned in The Telegram, Mr. Mack was the oldest conductor of the Rock Island in point of service, and he has been running in and out of this city ever since the Rock Island entered Fort Worth.

AUDITORS EMPLOYED

Southern Pacific to Watch for "Scalped" Tickets

While the railroads of Texas have already achieved some notable victories in their war with brokers during the past few months, it seems that they are not yet satisfied. In order to prevent the use of "scalped" tickets on its trains the Southern Pacific Company announces that it will put train auditors or agents on all passenger trains between San Antonio and Houston, whose duty it will be to see that the tickets presented are by the original purchasers. The order putting on the train agents will become effective Feb. 1. In addition to watching for brokers' tickets, the agent will check the conductor's tickets.

TRAIN WRECKED NO ONE HURT

News has been received here of a wreck of the westbound Missouri, Kansas and Texas passenger train near Jefferson, Texas. The wreck was due to the turning of a rail and the engine and all the coaches except one left the track. The cars did not turn over, however, and no one was injured.

CONSTRUCTION TO START

Tracklaying Between Sour Lake and Humble to Begin Soon

BEAUMONT, Texas, Jan. 12.—The work of construction on the extension of the Beaumont, Sour Lake and Western is to be started at once between Sour Lake and Humble. The firm of Suderman & Dolson of Galveston, which has the contract for the grading, was telegraphed last night to begin work as soon as possible. The right of way for the first ten miles has been secured.

The contracts for all bridges on the Sour Lake-Humble extension and on the main line of the Colorado, Southern, New Orleans and Pacific through Louisiana have been let to the Wisconsin Bridge and Iron Company. There will be six bridges in Louisiana and two in Texas—one over the Trinity river and the other over the San Jacinto river. The crossing of the Trinity river is to be effected seven miles west of Liberty, and a four-span draw bridge will be erected over the San Jacinto river at a cost of $56,000. The bridges will be of steel and rest on solid concrete piers. The bridge over the Atchafalaya river in Louisiana is to cost the most money, it being expected that it will take at least a half million dollars to put it up.

TO LAY HEAVIER STEEL

Sam G. Warner, general passenger agent of the Kansas City Southern, was here Thursday afternoon, en route from the general passenger agents' meeting at San Antonio to his headquarters. Mr. Warner states that the Kansas City Southern will have eighty-five pound steel from Kansas City to Shreveport by June 1. Mr. Warner is well known in Fort Worth, having formerly represented the Cotton Belt here.

MEXICO SHORT OF CARS

Reports from Mexico are to the effect that the shortage of refrigerator cars is causing much loss to the fruit growers. It is stated that the fruit growing interests have developed very rapidly and that the shipments have been greatly increased during the last few years and that the shipping facilities have not kept pace with the progress being made. Just at present there are a large number of refrigerator cars being used in transporting the Florida orange crop and the Mexican growers are experiencing delays which mean the spoiling of their fruit, work it has done during the year.

NOTES AND PERSONALS

C. W. Strain, general passenger agent of the Frisco, left Thursday night for Cherokee, Kan.

Vice President Fickinger of the Frisco returned Friday morning from Sherman.

D. B. Keeler, vice president of the Fort Worth and Denver, who returned Thursday evening from a trip over the line, reports that the conditions are generally very good along the line. He states that the work of improving the road is steadily progressing and that he may have something in the future about what will be done this year, in addition to that already announced.

WHY IT'S HARD TO MAKE A LAUGH

Experts at Majestic Discuss Trials of the Trade

The orchestra has just finished the overture with a blare of the brasses and rattle of kettle drums and the gentlemanly lecturer began as the curtain went up, explaining to the audience how "The Mermaid" is merely an illusion, just before the "illusion" rises dripping from the tank to step out on the stage.

Down below in the dressing rooms of The Majestic the vaudevillians were making up while they waited for their cues.

"Shall we try 'The Geologist' tonight?" asked Miss Willard.

"Yes," said Murphy, her partner in "The Phrenologist." "It went well at matinee today and ought to be good again tonight."

"You never can tell until you try," he continued to the amateur vaudeville critic, "just how a skit is going to take an audience. That's one of the trials of the profession.

"Now 'The Geologist' is a dialogue joke about a man in jail. Miss Willard asks me what my brother is doing and I tell her he's in a government institution. She asks in what department and I say the educational. 'What line?' she asks, and I say, 'a geologist.' She asks me to explain, and I say a geologist is a man who studies rocks. That's what my brother is doing, making big rocks into smaller ones.

"Now the audience this afternoon caught on at once. They saw the joke at the right time and laughed. We've tried the same joke in other places where it fell flat.

"We tried a half dozen different variations of the prune conundrum before we found one that went. As it now is Miss Willard asks me, 'What is a prune?' and I say, 'A prune is a raisin with inflammatory rheumatism.' It never fails to bring a laugh anywhere. To my mind a much better definition of a prune is that 'A prune is an insufficient egg-plant,' but it doesn't go. The majority of people have never seen an egg plant except fried. They never saw it growing and they can't see the connection, so we use the inflammatory rheumatism instead.

Laughs Are Extemporaneous

"To see a vaudeville act you might think it had all been written out in advance with places left at right intervals for the laughs. It isn't. We go on the stage at each performance with only the skeleton of the act in mind. All the rest is impromptu. Some of the best hits have been accidental, and you never can tell when an old stand-by that has brought laughs other places is going to fall flat. Sometimes a false move, a wrong inflection of a single word, spoils the whole effect.

"That's true," said Miss Willard. "Take the definition of a ravine (a wordy bit of nonsense which has tickled Majestic patrons greatly this week). If I were to even move the muscles of my face the wrong way or at a wrong time during the recitation of the definition the whole thing would be a failure."

Want Broad Comedy

"Audiences everywhere want broad comedy," said Murphy, "and the broader the better." He ought to know, for he has been making people laugh something like seventeen years. His doughnut act has been used, abandoned, revived, buried and resurrected again in a period of something like nine years, yet it is never presented twice exactly the same way, and there is always some new bit introduced to suit the occasion or the audience.

Things That Try Tempers

Mitchell and Cain, the two clever comedians whose act follows that of Murphy and Willard, have similar views on the value of spontaneity in producing laughter.

Their act is purely conversational, one of the hardest kind in vaudeville.

"It's like this," said Cain in English, one of the seventeen dialects he speaks, "you are telling your story in front of the curtain and have your audience with you. Just at the critical point when the laugh is about to come, bang! goes a piece of property behind you, the audience doesn't hear the point of your joke and there you are.

"Or get in the middle of a joke, when the audience is loosening up, and have a man in the audience get up and go out. Oh—" and Mitchell's gestures were more eloquent than even any he makes before the footlights.

"Or take it when you're singing a song and something happens to catch your eye out in the audience. You drop a word and then you're up in the air good and plenty. Many's the time I've had to improvise four or five lines and wind up with 'And she m-m-m-aw-er-r-r, te-do,' which would make the orchestra leader tear his hair and wave his baton like he'd like to throw it through me.

"Our best hits with the audiences are always accidental, but we have to size up our crowd aside from taking chances. We have a sketch which I think is one of the funniest in the business. I come out, start to sing a song and forget it. Cain, who is doing a Frenchman, knows the song and tries to help me out. He sings in French dialect and I sing it after him, trying to imitate his French. To an audience familiar with foreigners it is always good for a great laugh, but we wouldn't think of trying it in Texas. You're not enough accustomed yet to foreign eccentricities.

"It's hard work making a laugh, and we're always running up against new propositions that turn out unexpectedly. If we knew all about it without having to keep on learning all the time—why we wouldn't be in vaudeville. No, sir; we'd have jobs as life insurance directors.

"There goes our cue."

HEADQUARTERS OPENED

Brown Harwood, secretary of the state association of real estate men, Thursday received the books of the organization, the headquarters of the state organization being thus formally turned over to this city, as arranged at the recent meeting. Headquarters are being maintained in his office.

INTERESTING FACTS

For Nearly Every Man, Woman or Child

A short time ago we published an article recommending to our readers the new discovery for the cure of Dyspepsia, called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and the claims then made regarding the wonderful curative properties of the remedy have been abundantly sustained by the facts. People who were cautious about trying new remedies advertised in the newspapers and were finally induced to give Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets a trial were surprised and delighted at the results. In many cases a single package costing but 50 cents at any drug store made a complete cure, and in every instance the most beneficial results were reported. From a hundred or more received we have space to publish only a few of the latest, but assure our readers we receive so many commendatory letters that we shall publish each week a fresh list of genuine, unsolicited testimonials and never publish the same one twice.

From James Yemmeisler, LaCrosse, Wis.: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are doing me more good than anything I ever tried, and I was so pleased at results that I gave away several boxes to my friends who have also had the same benefits.

From Jacob Anthony, Portmurray, New Jersey: I have taken Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets with the best results. I had dyspepsia for six years, and had taken a great deal of medicine, but the tablets seem to take right a hold and I feel good. I am a farmer and lime burner, and I heartily recommend to every one who has any trouble with his stomach to use these Tablets.

From Mrs. M. K. West, Preston, Minn.: I have received surprisingly good effects from using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I gave one-half of my last box to a friend who also suffered from indigestion, and she had the same good results.

From Mrs. Agnes K. Ralston, Cadillac, Mich.: I have been taking Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and I am very much better, and feel very grateful for the great benefit I have received in so short a time.

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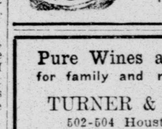

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Body Found on Ru in Alley Near

IS STRANGLED

Last Seen Alive a Shop Ordering for Friend's F

BOY CONFESSES TO WOMAN'S

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. ard Ivins, one of the bo ported to the police the Mrs. Hollister's body, nounced by the police fessed to the murder. Ivins declared he w in a carpenter shop a tance from where the found this morning Hollister passed. He al he declared. She resiste ly and he twisted the her neck and killed he dark at the time, he th the body into the stabl threw it on the pile of then entered his father few feet distant and there all the evening soundly through the n morning he went out to yard, pretending to fin and rushed back into and reported the fact to Ivins is 24 years of a previously borne a go tion.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.— death with three strands per wire, the body of M C. Hollister, wife of a m Typothetae, was found alley in the rear of 368 nue. A large force of de immediately put to work tery.

Prominent in Society

Mrs. Bessie Hollister linger and prominent in had been missing twelve was well supplied with m day.

Mrs. Hollister left her Fullerton avenue early morning to sing at the friend. Since that time been seen by members o and last night the police to find her.

Mr. Hollister is a me firm of Hollister Bros., 256 Madison street, and b Typothetae. Mrs. Hollis years old.

After she ordered her d from a nearby grocer she a florist's to order some the funeral. The flowe livered at the house of Sample, 172 Seminary a the funeral was held, and were delivered at the H dence.

After leaving the florist lister disappeared.

A search was instituted a close this morning w was found half concealed of rubbish in the inclosed ward Ivens at 368 Belde

Fine wire cutting dee flesh of the neck showed death had been from s There were evidences th lister struggled vigorously assailant or assailants. peared on the right for dent was in evidence on of the head, as if a bl struck or a body fallon when thrown over the fe

Three rings which M wore on her right hand Mrs. Hollister and the the investigation, infer been murdered and robb time and the body th refuse pile some time a

Made Desperate Fight

Judging from the appe clothing of Mrs. Hollist desperate fight before sh Her long hair was torn tangled as if it had bee lently down, the front of had been torn open and her right hand was missi

Three rings which w worn on her hand were small articles of jewelry wore at the time of leavi had been taken and it is robbery was the cause of

The murder must hav mitted some distance fr where the body was found to the barn yard after d

Following so closely on Mrs. Gentry as it did, t Mrs. Hollister has touse to desperation. Every av was placed at work on after three hours' labor were forced to admit they sess the slightest clew derer or murderers, nei know where to turn fo Hollister was a woman sonal charm, had for years inent because of her be which was considered of quality.

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