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Fort Worth Live Stock Market.

Run of Hogs and Cattle on the Market.

LOST FROM 5 TO 10c

Good Demand the Market Closed Strong.

10 CENTS LOWER.

Handy Weight Steers Held Up Steady.

MARKET TODAY.

Top	$6 70
	$6 50@ 6 60
Top, steers	4 00
Cows	3 25

COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
	1,100	500	1,800
	1,181	532	5,343
Last week	707	1,199	1,627

RECEIPTS FOR 1903 TO DATE

Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
19,157	9,841	489
13,135	9,022	858
17,870	15,077	2,432
39,268	19,611	29,363
1,056	210	847
1,089	97	516
2,250	1,017	2,639
1,632	711	2,043
1,181	532	5,343

THE HOG MARKET

(Up to 3 p. m. daily.)

Receipts of hogs were again light, seven cars where shipped in, with only enough more expected in time for today's market to make the receipts for the day figure around 500 head, against 1,199 for Tuesday and 732 for the corresponding Thursday last month.

Quality today was good but of a light. The run was about equally divided between Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory hogs, all of which were good quality, with the average weight of the run not more than 190 pounds.

The market today was again on the upward slow to start. Buyers were waiting for messages from Northern markets which quoted another decline of from 5 to 10c. At the start sellers were willing to easy prices with yesterday's buyers but a number of them cut loose during the session and a good many went to the scales on a 5c lower basis than yesterday, with an occasional one quoting the market 5 to 10c lower.

The wind-up of the trade was a little better and the market closed steady with yesterday.

The top price paid was $6.70 for 74 hogs averaging 233 pounds.

Heavy sorted are quoted today from $6.60 to $6.90, with the mixed packers at $6.50@6.65, and light grades at $6.25@6.50. Choice pigs are selling within a range of $6@6.25, with stockers and feeders at $4.00@6.

Representative sales:

HOGS.

Average.	Price.
163	6 35
173	6 40
161	6 45
185	6 45
202	6 50
203	6 55
207	6 55
221	6 60
244	6 60
219	6 65
233	6 70

PIGS AND LIGHTS.

111	5 45
125	6 00

THE CATTLE MARKET

(Reported up to 3 p. m. daily.)

Receipts of cattle today were moderate, only 29 cars were shipped in, making a total of 957 head and with cattle driven in to make total receipts for the day figure close around 1,100 against 709 head for last Thursday and 1,404 for the corresponding day last month.

The market was remarkably slow and dragging before many cattle were sold. Buyers appeared to be in no hurry for the bulk of cattle, for they realized that they were strong enough for all. Bids were low at the start and nothing could be sold without concession, unless it was a few handy weight steers, which were finally steady, but there were very few of this kind among the offerings; however, one fairly good bunch was driven in, and the balance of the run was the medium half fat kind, which could not be sold any better than on the 10c decline.

The market on butcher stock ruled generally 10c lower and all kinds sold generally on that basis, even the nice quality well fattened cows and heifers, which generally sell stronger than the poorer grades sold on the full decline of the market.

The demand for canners was not very strong, and no better than previously this week, and on this class it would be hard to quote prices lower. Common thin cows are quoted from $1.50 to $2, with the better grades of canners from $2 to $2.25.

The demand for bulls, stags and oxen was no better, and the few on the market sold generally 10c lower.

The demand for calves has fallen off some as there has been so many of the heavy kind coming, and those of this kind among today's receipts sold 10c lower, but anything from choice to fancy vealers sold steady.

The top price on steers today was $4.00 for 49 head averaging 1133 pounds, with the top price on cows $3.25 for those weighing 1020 pounds.

Choice fed steers are quoted from $4 to $4.50, with the medium fed and good grass from $3.50 to $4, and light grades from $2.25 to $3.50.

Choice fed and good grass cows and heifers from $3.00 to $3.40, with medium butchers from $2.25 to $3.00, and canners from $1.50 to $2.25.

Bulls, stags and oxen at $2.25 to $3.25.

Good to fancy vealers from $4.00 to $4.50, and the heavy kinds largely from $2.50 to $4.

The market closed steady at the decline.

Representative sales:

STEERS.

No.	Average	Price.
49	1133	4 00
1	1020	3 65
3	1093	3 25
27	860	3 15
1	890	3 00
1	590	3 00
1	710	3 00
COWS		
1	1020	3 25
4	1005	3 00
29	773	2 70
28	857	2 70
37	604	2 60
7	760	2 60
24	815	2 50
14	826	2 50
2	535	2 50
17	831	2 40
40	812	2 35
3	843	2 25
19	771	2 15
4	467	2 10
4	880	2 00
3	823	2 00
1	820	1 75
1	600	1 75
21	831	1 75
1	810	1 50
1 crip, $5.		
BULLS.		
1	1600	3 00
6 stags	1003	3 00
1	1610	2 50
2	965	2 25
1	950	2 25
4	810	2 15
1	1260	2 00
CALVES.		
1	130	4 00
3	170	4 00
15	154	3 50
1	110	3 50

THE SHEEP MARKET.

Representative sales:

124	82	3 70
107	83	3 70
122	85	3 70
120	85	3 70

Market Quotations Today.

CATTLE.	
Steers—Choice fed	$4 00@4 50
Medium fed	3 50@4 00
Good grass	3 00@4 00
Light thin	2 50@3 50
Cows—Choice heavy fed	3 00@3 40
Medium butcher	2 00@3 00
Light thin	2 00@2 25
Canners	1 50@2 00
Bulls, stags and oxen	2 25@3 25
Veals and calves	2 50@4 50
HOGS.	
Heavy sorted	6 65@6 90
Mixed packers	6 50@6 65
Light	6 25@6 50
Choice pigs	6 00@6 25
Stockers and roughs	4 00@6 00
SHEEP.	
Spring lambs	$5 00@6 00
Lambs	4 00@5 00
Wethers	3 50@4 50
Ewes	3 00@4 00
Culls	1 50@2 50

SHIPPERS ON TODAY'S MARKET

CATTLE.

F. J. Booth, Crabb	57
J. W. S., Colorado	68
Dan McCunningham, Colorado	188
V. Johnson, D'Hanis	24
Huston & Booth, Gonzales	56
W. D. McLane, San Marcos	33
Johnson Bros., Millett	64
A. T. Finley, Celina	65
W. C. Poole, Blum	52
D. F. Sansom, Alvarado	30
D. I. Shirley, Sanger	40
G. W. Hatton, Beeville	30
McAda & Butler, Kennedy	65
S. B. Chenault, West	28
B. B. Ingraham, West	23
E. B. Harrold, Waxahachie	64
W. J. Nolan, Wichita Falls	70
J. E. Childs, Celeste	77
HOGS.	
J. C. McLaughlin, Lindsay	74
Jas. Crawford, Purcell, I. T.	82
V. Stock Yds. Co., Oklahoma City	101
J. E Tucker, Sunset	17
H. Kapp, Jacksboro	30
W. Moore, Weatherford, O. T	74
G. B. R. Smith, Celina	80
J. E. Childs, Celeste	41
SHEEP.	
G. W. Newberry	649
J. E Childs, Celeste	97
Jos. Billings, Langtry	537
H. H. Sheard, Langtry	524

Driven In.

CATTLE.

W. D. Floyd	6
McKenney & W.	7
Goforth	6
Daniels	2
G. Sharp	6
C. V. Smith	3
J. C. Elliott	9
G. T. Hyde.	1
M. B. Allen	2
Oglesby	2
HOGS.	
J. R Causer	6
M. Edwards	5
E. Vanmeter	12

PURCHASERS ON MARKET TODAY

CATTLE.

Armour & Company	300
Swift and Co	100
W. H. Carter	6
L. Smith	9
W. S. Vinson	3
J. C. Wilcox	33
Jas. Crawford	37
J. Deacon	4
Calahan	7
Austin	1
Brant	2
A. H. Burns	3
HOGS.	
Swift and Co	250
Armour & Company.	200
Julius Hansier	101
F. E. Laughlin	10
SHEEP	
Swift and Co	231
Armour & Company.	242

To Put Land on Market.

A correspondent writing from Quanah says: Some time during this summer about 250,000 acres of Houston and Texas Central Railroad lands, located in Hardeman and Childress counties, will be put on the market, the result of the Hill validating bill passed by the last legislature. These lands will be sold one-fifth down, balance in four equal payments, interest payable annually at the rate of 6 per cent. Railroad men are here now classifying the lands. This will undoubtedly rapidly settle up the Panhandle and distribute the land to farmers.

2000 Yearlings for Montana.

Colorado City Stockman.

J. V. Stephens was here last week from the Square and Compass ranch and reports good rains in that section. The Slaughter cattle have shed their winter coats and are rapidly getting in prime condition. He says that grass up there is much further advanced than in this section. John B. Slaughter will start a herd of 2000 yearling steers from the ranch May 10, for Hereford, where they will be delivered to the Pioneer Cattle company for shipment to Montana.

The Earth in Danger.

An old theory is that the earth is slowly drying through chemical combination of the water with the crust. A French georgrapher, M. Martet, has been investigating numerous caverns and drying valleys, and had convinced himself that a more rapid absorption is taking place, and that our water supply is being swallowed up at an appreciable rate by the fissures and cavities of rocks and soil. He urges a more thorough study, with a view of lessening absorption if possible.

GOOD PASTURE FOR HOGS.

Kansas Station Attests the Great Efficacy of Alfalfa.

Manhattan, Kas., May 5.—The Kansas experiment station has realized $11.90 per acre from rape pasture and $24.10 from alfalfa pasture in ninety-eight days. These results were obtained from the following experiments, which were begun July 25 and concluded October 31, 1902:

Thirty shoats, averaging 52 pounds in weight, were divided as nearly equally as possible into three lots of ten each. Lot 1 was fed on a grain mixture of shorts one-half, corn meal one-fourth, and kaffir corn meal one fourth, in a dry lot. The other two lots were fed the same grain ration, but one received rape pasture and the other alfalfa pasture in addition. Each lot was given what grain the hogs would eat up clean, and each had access to water and ashes. The weights of grain consumed and gains made are as follows:

	Grain. lbs.	Total gain lbs.	Grain per cwt. gain lbs.
I. No pasture	3,801	1,023	371
II. Rape pasture	3,244	1,076	301
III. Alfalfa pasture	3,244	1,078	300

The gains of the three lots are very nearly equal. The dry lot consumed 557 pounds, or 70 pounds for every 100 pounds of gain, more grain than the pasture lots. The lot on rape required one acre of pasture while the alfalfa lot used a trifle less than one-half acre.

The lot without pasture require 3.71 pounds of grain to produce one pound of gain. Assigning the same value to the grain fed the hogs on rape pasture, we have 877 pounds of pork credited to the grain and 199 pounds credited to the rape. At 6c per pound, the price at which hogs were selling at the close of the experiment, this would be a credit of $11.90 per acre for the rape. In a similar manner the alfalfa is credited with 201 pounds of pork, equal to $12.05, and as there was only a half acre of alfalfa this makes a rate of $24.10 per acre.

The cost of preparing the seed-bed and seeding the rape was $1.80 per acre. It was seeded in the feed lots on soil that would otherwise have remained idle, or would have grown up to weeds.

The shoats on pasture enjoyed their diet and seemed satisfied. Those in the dry lots seemed to be hankering after something green, and their appetites seemed unsatisfied without some kind of roughness. They would even nibble at straw in a vain attempt to satisfy their craving.

The experiment emphasizes the superior values of alfalfa pasture. Where alfalfa is not available, or where variety is wanted or it is desired to utilize otherwise wasted land, Dwarf Essex rape, seeded at the rate of six to eight pounds per acre any time from early spring to late summer, will furnish an excellent diet that is greatly relished by the hog. Succulence and variety will make healthier hogs that will return increased profits.

Where to Put the Crop.

Good advice from the Colorado City Stockman: Plant big feed crops this year and arrange to market the products by placing it inside some good cattle. Feed crops are always reasonably certain, and fed cattle usually command a good price. The new Texas market, located right here at our very doors, may be something of a disappointment at the start, but it must be given time to grow and develop. A great market at Fort Worth for all the cattle produced in this state cannot be made to materialize in a week and a day.

Finish Cattle in Texas.

The marketing of Texas cattle in Texas is a thing that our cattle raisers are now considering. The Colorado City Stockman tells how one man is preparing to do this work: W. R. Felker will feed 2500 big steers and finish them for market in this county next fall. The result of his experiment will be watched with much interest by other cattlemen who are similarly inclined. Mr. Felker expresses the opinion that cattle can be fed and finished for market upon the ranches where they are produced at just about half the cost attached to eastern feed lots.

New Market for Texas Steers.

Colorado City Stockman.

West Texas has had the advantage of an additional market for steers during the past two or three seasons, in the demand that has been felt from the Pacific coast. California buyers have purchased liberally of the class of cattle demanded by that section, and this is a feature of the general situation affecting the Texas range that should be welcomed and cultivated. Every steer that can be sold to go to California from this section represents just that much in the process of emancipation from the annual antics of the buyers who come from the Northwest.

AROUND THE STOCK YARDS

H. H. Sheard from Langtry was on the market with 4 loads of sheep.

Official receipts at the yards yesterday were: Cattle, 1,181; hogs, 532; sheep, 5,343.

H. Franks of El Campo was on the market with 2 loads of steers, which sold at satisfactory prices.

G. B. R. Smith of Celina was on the hog market with 80 hogs, averaging 207 pounds, which sold at $6.55.

L. L. Russell from Menardville was visiting the yards today, on his way to Pecos City to receive steers for shipment to the Northwest.

H. C. Harding, manager of the L X ranch at Amarillo, was looking around the yards, and is going to start shipping his cattle to this market.

E. B. Harrold of Fort Worth was on the market with 64 head of cattle, out of which he sold 49 1135 pound steers, which topped the market at $4.

The decline continues in the hog market. It is 5 to 10c lower here, 10c lower at St. Louis, and 5 to 10c lower at Kansas City, and same at Chicago and St. Joseph. Kansas City's top $6.77½.

Kansas City Drovers' Telegram: Charley Hale, who for years past has been among the best known of all bookkeepers at the yards here, left yesterday for Fort Worth, Texas, where he will be connected with a Kansas City-Fort Worth house. Mr. Hale has a host of friends who regret to see him go, but they have one consolation. Charley won't be given the cold shoulder in the South, for he isn't the kind of a man one wants to treat in an unfriendly manner.

The New Chinese Minister.

Rev. William E. Griffis corrects a published statement that Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, the new Chinese minister, is a graduate of Yale. He merely studied there, being one of 120 students brought to this country by Yung Wing. The minister explains that the first part of his name, Chentung, corresponds to the American John. The middle part, his family name, is pronounced Leeang. His title, about which there has been a good deal of talk, was bestowed by the British government after the authorities of his own country had consented that he accept it.

Second German Cable Laid.

The German Cable company has finished lay its second line to New York as far as the Azore islands, 1,200 miles.

Lighthouses Costly to Keep Up.

The upkeep of the relief-stations and lighthouses on Sabel island costs the Canadian government $60,000 a year.

Hops Grown in England.

There were 3,964 acres of hops cultivated in England last year, as against 4,029 the year before.

How Sound Travels.

In dry air sound travels 1,442 feet a second. In water 4,900 feet and through iron 17,500 feet.

Great Saving of Coal.

Doubling the size of a steamer halves the consumption of coal per ton of displacement.

Whisky Distilleries of Scotland.

Scotland has 156 whisky distilleries. All the rest of the kingdom has only thirty-six.

GRAIN AND HAY.

Quotations at Fort Worth, Wholesale and Retail Prices.

The grain and hay market at Fort Worth is quoted as follows. Prices are for car lots. In smaller quantities, add 2 to 5 cents per bushe for grain and 5c per cwt. for bran and chops:

CORN—No. 2 mixed, 54c; No. 2 white, 55c.
WHEAT—78c.
OATS—45c
BRAN—$1.05 per cwt.
CHOPS—$1.10 per cwt.
KAFFIR CORN—$1.15 per cwt.
CANE SEED—$1.25 per cwt.
MILLET SEED—$1.75.
HAY—Prairie, choice, $12.50 per ton.

Cotton Seed, Meal and Hulls.

COTTON SEED—Car lots $16.00 to $18.00 ton.
COTTON SEED MEAL—Car lots, $22.00 to $23.00.
COTTON SEED HULLS—By contract, $6.50; retail, $7.00.

Hides.

DRY FLINT—Heavy beef, 13c; heavy fallen, 12c; light, 10c. Dry salt, 10 to 11c, culls and bad damaged, 5 to 9c. Green salt, 5½ to 6½c.

Wool.

Light medium, 12-mos., 12 to 14c; 6-mos., 11 to 13c. Heavy, short and sandy, 10 to 12c.

AT OTHER MARKETS

Receipts Today.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep
Chicago	6,000	23,000	8,000
Kansas City	4,000	11,000	6,500
St. Louis	2,500	5,000	3,500
St. Joseph	1,800	7,000	2,000
Total	14,300	46,000	20,000

CHICAGO.

Special to the Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, Ill., May 7.—The Drovers' Journal reports:

CATTLE.—Receipts 6,000. Market strong to 10c higher. Quality poor. Top $5.35. Texas cows $3.

HOGS.—Receipts 23,000. Market weak, 5 to 10c lower. Top $7.00; bulk $6.70@6.90.

SHEEP—Receipts 8,000. Market steady to 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Special to the Reporter.

Kansas City Stock Yards, May 7.—The Drovers' Telegram reports today:

CATTLE—Receipts 4,000. Market steady to strong. Top $5.15. Cows weak. Stockers and Texas steady.

HOGS.—Receipts 11,000. Market 5c to 10c lower. Top $6.77½; bulk $6.55@6.70.

SHEEP—Receipts 6,500. Steady. Lambs strong.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS.

Special to the Reporter.

National Stock Yards, Ill., May 7.—Receipts and quotations as furnished by the National Live Stock Reporter:

CATTLE.—Receipts 2,500. Texas 1,500. Market steady. Top $4.25. Natives steady. Top $5.00.

HOGS.—Receipts 5,000. Market 10c lower. Top $6.80; bulk $6.60@6.75.

SHEEP.—Receipts 3,500. Market a quarter lower.

ST. JOSEPH.

Special to the Reporter.

South St. Joseph, May 7.—The Stock Yards Daily Journal reports:

CATTLE.—Receipts 1,800. Market steady to strong. Top $5.10.

HOGS.—Receipts 7,000. Market 5 to 10c lower. Top $6.77½; bulk $6.60@6.75.

SHEEP—Receipts 2,000. Steady to strong. Texas sheep $4.75.

Failed as a Fire Eater.

Summit, N. Y., May 5.—John McNamarra, an apprentice employed by a local plumber, recently attended a theatrical performance, where he saw a professional fire eater blow flame from his mouth. John thought the trick was the finest he ever saw. He announced later that he would give a performance, and a number of his boy friends came around to see the show. He filled his mouth with gasoline, and, holding a lighted match a short distance from it, blew. Then he inhaled. He may recover, but he is badly burned.

For Sale or Trade.

LAND.

AN ELEGANT CITY HOME in Fort Worth. I have a perfect and complete large residence with all modern improvements, lovely grounds, ornamental trees and shrubs, barns, servant house, etc., in the most select neighborhood in the city, for sale at 20 per cent less than first cost. Call on or address J. W. BUCHANAN, Land Title Bldg., cor. 4th and Rusk. Successor to Ross & Buchanan.

LUBBOCK COUNTY—Ranch of 5 sections in solid body; all fine agricultural land, dense and uniform turf of mesquite grass. All fenced, never-failing well with windmill and large tank, ranch house, etc. This is one of the best bodies of land in the county. Price $3.50 per acre. WINTERS-DANIEL COMPANY, Fort Worth, Texas.

IN COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY—We have for sale a very fine combination ranch and stock farm of 5 sections. There is living water on 4 sections, and fully 1000 acres of extra good creek bottom land; 300 acres of alfalfa land, fair improvements; 200 acres in cultivation. Located 10 miles from railroad. Write for map. WINTERS-DANIEL COMPANY, Fort Worth, Tex.

LUBBOCK COUNTY.—Within one mile of the town of Lubbock we have an excellent 5-section ranch in solid body, all patented and excellent land; heavy turf mesquite grass, never-failing well and windmill; all fenced. Price, $4.50 per acre. For particulars write us. WINTERS-DANIEL COMPANY, Fort Worth, Tex.

NEAR AMARILLO—We are offering a bargain in a solid body ranch of 10 sections. Abundance of living water, half or more is good agricultural land; all of it is highly improved and well grassed. Write for map and particulars. WINTERS-DANIEL COMPANY, Fort Worth, Texas.

FOR SALE—Small ranches, well improved. 1100 acres in Burnett county, 1100 acres in Jack county, 2500 acres in Montague county. H. H. Cobb, Fort Worth, Texas.

FOR BARGAINS in stock farming lands and ranches on North Plains, write or call on Dunson, Floyd & Hoffman, Dalhart, Texas, office City Hall.

CATTLE.

FOR SALE—500 to 1000 head of stock cattle located in Harris county, Texas. For full particulars write W. B. Gay, Montgomery, Texas.

FOR SALE—500 head of well graded Steers; can furnish pasturage for them, for some time, if desired. For particulars, apply at Lock Box 4, Dilley, Texas.

POSTS.

FOR SALE.—BOIS D'ARC POSTS AND GRAIN—We have on hand several thousand Bois d'Arc fence posts for sale. Write us for prices delivered to your station. We also handle grain of all kinds in car lots, at right prices. HILL & WEBB, McKinney, Texas.

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Only official paper of this market and of the Fort Worth Live Stock Exchange.

The grower of farm products, live stock and poultry is requested to read this paper before going to market. It will pay him.

STARVE THE TICKS!

Dr. Tate Butler of the North Carolina Experiment Station says it is an easy thing to eradicate the fever tick from the country, and he offers to free the cattle of his state at a cost of 1 cent a head.

Dr. Butler's plan is to starve the ticks to death. He says so to the editor of the Chicago Live Stock World.

"The one thing needful is to kill the ticks," says Dr. Butler. "In attempting to kill the ticks, deal with those on the cattle, and those in the pasture will meet their fate as they get on the stock, or die after a few weeks exposure to the sun." He tells how the work is to be done:

"Build a slatted chute just large enough to hold a cow and so arrange it that they can be driven into it and be shut up one at a time. Get a spray pump and a supply of the cheaper coal tar disinfectants of zenoleum (one gallon $1.50 or five gallons $6.25). Mix one gallon of the disinfectant with nineteen gallons of water in a convenient vessel. Fill the bucket, run a cow into the chute and spray her all over. Do this with each one carrying ticks and repeat once a week till all the ticks disappear."

That is so simple we wonder nobody has thought of it sooner. We await reports from the cattle country, telling of the speedy disappearance of the ticks.

OUT FOR BUSINESS.

The Kansas City Drovers' Telegram gives voice to a feeling of relief that things are not so bad as was feared, saying:

"Fort Worth has yet to demonstrate that it is going to cut down Kansas City's receipts of quarantine cattle, for during April of this year Kansas City had larger supplies than in April of last year. Fort Worth's receipts last month were 30,203 cattle, 19,611 hogs and 29,363 sheep."

Kansas City doesn't cut much of a figure in Texas cattle shipments. Two-thirds of all the cattle that go out of this state to market are for St. Louis, the other third being divided between Chicago, Kansas City and St. Joseph.

But Fort Worth is out after business. It will handle the cattle that Texas raises, without thought of where those cattle might have gone if they had not come to Fort Worth. We are taking care of ourselves, and we expect others to do the same for themselves.

The Kansas City Drovers' Telegram of Tuesday reports:

A string of 162 steers were marketed at the quarantine yards yesterday from Encinal, Tex., at $3.70 that had not been fed anything but grass. This is supposed to be the first big string that has come to market this spring that have been fattened on grass alone. The price received was considered very satisfactory.

Three seventy might be "very satisfactory" at Kansas City, but Fort Worth would not so consider it. Grass-fed steers sell readily on this market at $3.75 to $4, and the price is not considered surprising.

FOR SALE.

Cotton Seed Hulls.
Cotton Seed Meal.
Cotton Seed Cake.
Whitesboro Cotton Oil Co., Whitesboro, Texas.

HONOR THE AUSTRIAN

Dr. Lorenz Is Warmly Welcomed at the Crescent City.

NOT A PARTICIPANT.

The Several Departments of American Medical Association Get Down to Work and Attend to a Great Deal.

New Orleans, May 7.—Sectional meetings kept the delegates to the American Medical association busy Wednesday.

There were seven of them in the forenoon and a dozen in the afternoon.

Dr. Adolph Lorenz has been a conspicuous figure at the section of surgery and anatomy. Though he entered the hall quietly at the opening, he was immediately recognized and introduced from the chair by Chairman James E. Moore. He was very cordially applauded and briefly expressed his acknowledgements. Stories have been afloat that there would be some

DR. ADOLF LORENZ.

criticisms of Dr. Lorenz' methods in the discussions, but nothing of this character has yet cropped out. Dr. Lorenz says he is simply here as a visitor, with no desire to appear as a participant.

As a result of interesting papers read by Drs. H. M. Bracken and Cresy L. Wilbur and Hon. W. A. King, of the census bureau, resolutions have been passed by the hygiene and science department impressing physicians throughout the country with the necessity of co-operation with the census bureau in recording vital statistics and improving methods of determining causes of death.

At a meeting of the section of materia medica, pharmacy and therapeutics Dr. Robinson read the committee report declaring there are too many "patent medicines," and proposing an act of congress to limit the sale of poisonous and dangerous patent medicines.

The Southern Medical College association elected Dr. Christopher Tompkins of Richmond, president; Dr. McNamara of Birmingham, vice-president, and Dr. G. C. Savage of Nashville, secretary-treasurer, and selected Birmingham for the next place of meeting.

The American Medical Editors elected Dr. Sajos of Philadelphia president, Dr. Chassaignac of New Orleans and Dr. Ball of St. Louis vice presidents, and J. McDonald, Jr., of New York, secretary-treasurer.

DEMOCRATS WIN.

Elect Their Candidate in Baltimore for Mayor and Control Council.

Baltimore, May 6.—Ballots in 304 of the election precincts cast Thursday in the municipal election in this city give Robert M. McLean, the Democratic candidate for the mayoralty, a plurality over Frank M. Wachter, Republican, of 520. Ballots remaining in four precincts are still uncounted owing to disputes among judges of election. They are now in possession of the board of election supervisors. It is not thought the probable count of these ballots will materially change the result.

Wachter, the Republican candidate, and his party leaders charge many ballots cast in his favor has been illegally thrown out and they announce they will appeal to the courts. Republican candidates for city comptroller and president of the second branch of the city council were elected. Republicans have a majority in the second branch of the city council and the Democrats a majority in the first branch.

The Democrats have a majority on joint ballot and will thus elect city register.

Tunnell Taken Home.

Philadelphia, May 7.—Captain James Tunnell of the Clyde liner Saginaw, which was sunk Thursday by the steamer Hamilton of the Old Dominion line off the Virginia coast, was brought here from Norfork. Two of his ribs are fractured and a hand badly lacerated. He is also internally injured and suffers greatly from the shock. He was removed to his home.

Chief Engineer Seizer reported at the office of the company, but the officials say they have no statement to make until Captain Tunnell is able to give an official account of the disaster.

Disturbances in Salonica.

Vienna, May 7.—Advices received here from Salonica say, notwithstanding the fact that hundreds of Bulgarians have been arrested, street fights are constantly taking place. Women and children, especially young girls, take a prominent part in these disturbances.

Bombs have been discovered in houses at Uskub, European Turkey, where the Turkish population is greatly excited, fearing massacre.

MONROE DOCTRINE.

Foreign Secretary Lansdowne Evidently Favors the Same.

London, May 7.—Foeign Secretary Laudsdowne proclaimed British Monroe doctrine in Persian gulf and practically notified competing powers that any attempt on their part to establish a naval base or fortified post in those watres means war with Great Britain.

"I say without hesitation," said the foreign secretary, in dealing with the subject in the house of lords Tuesday evening, "that we should regard the establishment of a naval base or fortified port in the Persian gulf by any other power as a very grave menace of British interests, and we certainly will resist it with all the means at our disposal."

Lord Landsdowne's attitude in this matter generally meets with approval, although answers thereto of other powers interested in the gulf are awaited with some anxiety.

NOT ENDED.

The Statement of President Zelaya Is Declared to Be Misleading.

New Orleans, May 7.—It has been learned by the Picayune from a reliable source in the tropics that statements from President Zelaya of Nicaragua that the revolution is at end and the country is in a peaceful condition are, to say the least, misleading. News reached the city Tuesday by mail from a thoroughly reliable inside source that the revolution is not at an end and that the government forces are so situated they are unable to cross Lake Nicaragua to attack points where the revolutionary forces are fortified.

Fort San Carlos, one of the points captured by the revolutionary forces, is situated at the mouth of San Juan river, the outlet from the lake to the sea.

It is this river which is used to carry all exports to the interior of the republic, and without ...e use o fthe river it would be impossible to move large forces of troops in anything like the necessary time.

Fort Castillo, which is situated midway down the river, is also in the hands of a revolutionary body, and a gunboat owned by the Zelaya government has also been captured and is in the hands of revolution forces. With this craft revolutionary leaders expect to head off any shipment of troops across the lake from Managua, Rivas, Grenada, or any other cities located on the west shore of the lake.

IRRITATION GROWS.

Feeling in Turkey Against Bulgarians Constantly Increasing.

Constantinople, May 7.—Irritation in Turkish official circles against Bulgaria is constantly growing more acute and the government of that principality has been formally notified that the porte holds it responsible for outrages arising from the freedom of action which Mocedonian agitators living in Bulgaria have been allowed. It is reported that the porte has decided to mobilize the whole Second and Third army corps.

The police of Constantinople have arrested about sixty Bulgarians and made numerous domiciliary visits. Alarming reports are in circulation regarding outrages which are said to be projected here.

The military and police guards in this city and suburbs have been considerably strengthened.

In the district of Prisrend twenty-two Albanian chiefs have been arrested.

LOST HEAVILY.

Revolutionists Had Seventy Killed and One Hundred Turks Slain.

Salonica, May 7.—In an engagement between Turkish troops and revolutionists at Okrina on May 2 seventy revolutions were killed and twenty-one wounded. The Turks lost 100 killed and ten officers and six men wounded. After an interview with the governor general, the British and Italian consuls here expressed themselves as satisfied with the precautionary measures taken. All foreign consulates and banking establishments are guarded by troops, while the streets are patrolled constantly.

Fearful Fate.

Tionesta, Pa., May 7.—Standing in a mill pond with the water to his neck, where he had gone to escape a forest fire, Walter Boyd, part owner of the Hat's shingle mill, near Pigeon, was burned to death. A tank of oil exploded and the burning fluid covered the man.

Reported Murdered.

Vienna, May 7.—An unconfirmed rumor is current here that Albanians murdered the Turkish general of the Uskub district. Politische Correspondenz states that the sultan recently issued an irade ordering the immediate construction of a large numbeer of blockhouses along the Bulgarian frontier.

Wants to Sell Property.

Greenwich, Conn., May 7.—Mrs. Genevia Peats, who was appointed conservator of the personal estate of her husband, Alfred Peats, a wealthy wall paper manufacturer, by the probate court here last January, after her husband had become insane, has applied to the Greenwich court for permission to sell her husband's business and property.

Rumored Assassinated.

Madrid, May 7.—A dispatch to Imparcial from Melilla says it is rumored that the pretender has been assassinated at Zelonan.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Channing was elected county seat of Hartley county, Texas.

W. J. Bradley of Childress, Tex., suicided at Fort Worth by taking laudanum.

Junior Order of United American Mechanics held its annual convention at Dallas.

It is said the Frisco will soon let the contract to build into Coalgate, I. T., from Oklahoma City.

COST OF SHIPPING HOGS.

COMPARISON OF RATES TO KANSAS CITY AND FORT WORTH.

New Rates from Northern Points More Favorable to this Market.

We print a table showing the new tariff on hogs in single-deck cars from points in Oklahoma and the Indian Territory to Kansas City and Fort Worth. These figures will enable any shipper to ascertain the cost of sending his hogs to market, and to decide whether Kansas City or Fort Worth is the better place.

The new rates are an advance beyond the old, but the increase has been far greater] to Kansas City than to Fort Worth, and in that way this market is favored.

On the Santa Fe the point of equal rates is Red Rock, 322 miles from Kansas City and 282 from Fort Worth. South of that place the rates favor Fort Worth, and are against Kansas City. The equalizing point on the Rock Island is Pond Creek, Okla., 300 miles from Kansas City and 291 from Fort Worth On the Frisco it is at Sapulpa, 278 miles from Kansas City and 293 from Fort Worth, and on the Katy about Wagoner, 238 from Kansas City and 268 from Fort Worth.

From all points in the Indian Territory the rates are so much in favor of Fort Worth that hogs cannot be shipped to Kansas City except at a considerable loss on account of excess of freight charges.

SANTA FE RAILWAY

From		To Kan. City m.	rate	Ft. Worth m.	rate
Thackerville,	I. T.	518	47	86	18
Ardmore,	"	500	45½	104	20½
Berwin,	"	490	44½	114	21
Davis,	"	473	44	132	22½
Wynnewood,	"	463	44	142	24
Pauls Valley,	"	455	43½	149	24½
Paola,	"	448	43½	156	25
Purcell,	"	433	42	171	27
Noble,	O. T.	424	41½	180	28
Norman,	"	418	41	186	28
Moore,	"	409	41	195	28½
Oklahoma City	"	400	40	204	30½
Britton,	"	393	40	211	30½
Edmond,	"	386	40	218	30½
Waterloo,	"	381	40	223	30½
Stewart,	"	376	40	228	30½
Guthrie,	"	368	40	236	30½
Lawrie,	"	363	38	241	30½
Mulhall,	"	354	36	250	30½
Orlando,	"	348	36	256	30½
Asp,	"	344	35	260	30½
Perry,	"	338	34½	266	30½
Arnettville,	"	334	31½	270	30½
Black Bear,	"	332	31½	273	30½
Red Rock,	"	322	30½	282	30
White Eagle,	"	309	26	295	30
Ponca City,	"	304	26	300	30
Kildare,	"	297	26	307	31
Newkirk,	"	291	26	313	31
Arkansas City,	Kansas	279	26	325	—

C. R. I. & P. RAILWAY.

Renfro,	O. T.	281	26½	310	31½
Medford,	"	290	28	301	31
Jefferson,	"	297	28½	294	30½
Pond Creek,	"	300	30	291	30½
Kremlin,	"	309	31	282	30½
North Enid,	"	317	31½	275	30½
Enid,	"	320	31½	271	30½
Waukomis,	"	327	33½	264	30½
Hennessey,	"	339	36	252	30½
Dover	"	349	38	243	30½
Kingfisher,	"	356	40	235	30½
Okarche,	"	366	40	225	30½
El Reno,	"	381	40	210	30½
Union City	"	390	40	201	30
Minco,	I. T.	396	41	196	28½
Chickasha,	"	414	42	177	27
Minnekah,	"	421	42½	170	26
Marlow,	"	544	44	148	24½
Duncan,	"	453	44	138	23½
Comanche,	"	463	44	128	22
Addington,	"	472	44½	109	21½
Ryan,	"	488	45	103	19½
Terral,	"	497	45	98	18

FRISCO RAILWAY.

Vinita,	I. T.	195	23½	376	35½
White Oak,	"	202	23½	369	35½
Catale,	"	214	24	357	35½
Chelsea,	"	219	24	352	35
Bushyhead,	"	225	24½	346	35
Sequahay,	"	231	27	340	33½
Claremore,	"	237	27	334	33½
Mingo,	"	246	28½	315	32½
Tulsa,	"	253	28½	308	31½
Red Fork,	"	267	30½	304	31
Sapulpa,	"	268	30½	293	30½
Mounds,	"	288	31	283	30½
Beggs,	"	297	31	274	30½
Hamilton,	"	303	31	268	30½
Okmulgee,	"	310	31	261	30½
Henryetta,	"	323	33½	248	30½
Wetumka,	"	345	40	226	30½
Bryant,	"	329	35	224	30½
Foster,	"	354	—	217	25
Holdenville,	"	360	40	211	30½
Spaulding,	"	365	40	205	30
Sealey,	"	372	40	199	29
Francis,	"	380	42	191	26
Ada,	"	389	43½	182	24½
Fitzhugh,	"	399	44	172	24½
Roff,	"	404	44	167	24½
Ravia,	"	433	44½	138	21½
Randolph	"	437	45½	134	20½
Madill	"	444	46	127	20
Helen,	"	451	46	121	20
Woodville,	"	459	46½	112	19
Oklahoma City,	O. T.	383	40	397	30½
Luther,	"	365	40	380	30½
Wellston,	"	346	40	362	30½
Dorgett,	"	327	40	342	30½
Stroud,	"	318	40	342	30½
Hollis,	I. T.	307	37½	322	30½
Bristow,	"	299	35	314	30½
Kellerville,	"	286	32½	301	30½
Wagoner,	"	268	30	238	30
Blackstone,	"	260	30	246	30
Wybark,	"	258	30	249	30
Muskogee,	"	252	30	254	30
Summit,	"	245	30	261	30½
Oaktaha,	"	239	29	268	31
Checotah,	"	231	29	275	31½
Bond,	"	225	29	280	33½
Eufaula,	"	218	28½	288	35½
Wirth,	"	215	28½	293	36
Canadian	"	209	28	297	37½
Crowder City,	"	205	18	301	37½
Reams,	"	201	27	305	39
Nekko,	"	195	27	311	40
So. McAlester,	"	190	27	316	40
Frink,	"	187	27	319	41
Savanna,	"	181	26½	325	41½
Kiowa,	"	173	24½	333	42
Reynolds,	"	168	21½	337	42½
LimestoneGap	"	164	24½	341	43½
Atoka,	"	146	23½	360	43½
Peck,	"	144	23½	362	45
Caddo,	"	126	20½	381	45
Wesselta,	"	121	20	385	45
Durant,	"	114	20	392	45
Colbert,	"	102	18	404	45

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Vinita,	"	189	23½	319	25½
Big Cabin	"	202	24	304	34½
Adair,	"	209	25	297	33
Daves,	"	213	26	293	32½
Pryor Creek,	"	214	27	292	32½
Chouteau,	"	222	28	284	31½
Maisie,	"	228	28½	278	31
Lelinetta,	"	234	29	272	30½
Wagoner,	"	238	30	268	30
Blackstone,	"	246	30	260	30
Wybark,	"	249	30	258	30
Muskogee,	"	254	30	252	30
Summit,	"	261	30½	245	30
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FIGURES OF INTEREST TO SHIPPERS TO THIS MARKET.

They Can Estimate the Cost, and Compare It With Cost of Reaching Northern Markets.

A Texas market for Texas stock raisers means a great deal in the way of freight charges. We speak for Indian Territory and Oklahoma stockmen as well, for the latter, though not strictly shipping under the Texas commission rates, get the benefit of a short haul when sending to the Fort Worth market.

The following tables give the rates on beef cattle, oxen, cows, calves, goats, hogs and sheep; also on cattle three years old and over, for distances from 10 miles to 750.

DISTANCE—Miles.	RATES. No. 1	No. 2
10 and less	6	8½
15 and over 10	6½	9
20 " 15	7	9½
25 " 20	7½	10
30 " 25	8	10½
35 " 30	8½	11½
40 " 35	9	12
45 " 40	9½	12½
50 " 45	10	13
60 " 50	10½	13½
70 " 60	11	14½
80 " 70	11½	15
90 " 80	12	15½
100 " 90	12½	16½
125 " 100	13¾	17½
150 " 125	15	18½
175 " 150	16½	20
200 " 175	17½	21½
250 " 200	18¾	22½
300 " 250	20	23½
350 " 300	21½	25
400 " 350	22½	26
450 " 400	23¾	27
500 " 450	25	28
550 " 500	26½	29
600 " 550	27½	30
650 " 600	28¾	31
700 " 650	30	32
750 " 700	31½	33
Over 750	32½	34

Column No. 1 is for shipment over a single line of road, or over two or more lines under one management. Column No. 2 is for shipments over two or more lines under different managements.

CHARGES FOR SELLING.

Rates Fixed by Live Stock Exchange for Handling Stock.

The commission charges for selling and handling stock consigned to the Fort Worth market are fixed by the Live Stock Exchange and are as follows:

Cattle, 50 cents per head, but not more than $12 for a carload; calves, 25 cents per h for single deck and $18 for double deck o

Hogs, 10 cents per head; $6 for single d and $10 for double deck.

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FEEDING CHARGES.

The charges by the Stock Yards Comp yardage are fixed as follows:

Cattle, per head
Hogs, per head
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RACES ARE SEPARATED

Whites and Blacks Sat on Opposite Sides of the Hall.

ACTION REPUDIATED

Speaker Would Rather Trust This Country in the Hands of a Negro With a Hoe and Plow Than With a White Man.

Montgomery, Ala., May 7.—For the first time in the history of the Republican party in this state, at the conference of Republicans held in the hall of the house of representatives Wednesday, the whites took seats on one side of the hall and the negroes on the other.

The Republican conference, called by Referees W. F. Aldrich, Charles H. Scott and J. O. Thompson, was called together a little after noon by W. F. Aldrich, who called Oscar R. Hundley of Madison to preside.

In calling the conference to order Mr. Aldrich explained the object of the meeting. The referees had been appointed without solicitation, and they were appointed to correct the mistakes and right the wrongs of the Birmingham convention.

The speaker paid a tribute to President Roosevelt, and wanted only one delegation to be sent to the next national convention, and that to be pledged to Roosevelt. His reference to the president received liberal applause. Mr. Hundley, in resuming the chair, said that he desired to refute certain charges. He assailed the Birmingham convention for denying the right of the negro to participate in the convention. He said he had rather trust this country in the hands of the negro with a hoe and plow than the white man with the torch and bomb.

The committee on rules reported, and though its report met with some opposition, it was adopted.

Several resolutions were offered and referred.

J. O. Thompson moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait on Captain J. W. Dimmick, national committeeman, and invite him to a seat in the convention. There was some opposition to this motion, but it was finally adopted, when a recess was taken.

When the conference reassembled Captain Dimmick appeared on the floor and made a few remarks and took a seat.

During a session of six hours the conference adopted a plan advanced by the referees which, in effect, is a repudiation of the action of the Birmingham convention in barring qualified negro voters from participation. The negroes urged that recognition of the present state executive committee be withheld, but this proposition was voted down.

A meeting of the state executive committee, called by Chairman W. I. Willman, chief of the Lily Whites, will convene in Birmingham May 12, and at this meeting the new amalgamation of negroes and administration Republicans will atempt to capture the party machinery, it is alleged.

A majority of the state committee attended the conference.

MET EMPEROR.

Several American Ladies Were Presented to the Ruler of Germany.

Rome, May 7.—Several ladies were presented to Emperor William, including Mrs. Mayer, wife of the United States ambassador. The emperor also received Adelaid Pistori, whom he saluted as the "queen of tragedy."

The emperor, during the meeting visited the site of the Goethe statue and the basilaic of St. Agnes, where Cardinal Nopp, bishop of Breslau, a German, is the titular head.

The emperor lunched with the queen mother at the Buoncompagnie palace, and left Rome later Wednesday afternoon. There was a brilliant scene at the railroad station when he left. He was loudly cheered by the assembled crowds.

Farewell to William.

Rome, May 7.—The people of Rome gave the German emperor a touching farewell. They seemed to want to show their appreciation of all his manifestations of friendship, which have had the effect of making him extremely popular. The streets from the Quirinal to the railroad station were lined with many thousands of people, cheering, waving handkerchiefs and shouting "Long live William!"

Sixty Slain.

Salonnica, May 7.—An engagement ins reported to have occurred at the village of Vanitza between Turkish troops and a Bulgarian band, in which sixty Bulgarians, including their leader, Deltzeff, were killed, while the Turks had four men killed and three wounded. Thirty house in Vantiza were burned.

Trouble Feared.

Lawton, Okla., May 7.—Much trouble is expected to come from the excitement now on in the Wichita mountains because of the bitter feeling existing among certain cliques up there, and it is feraed serious results will follow. One gang of miners was forced off their claims by men armed with guns.

Had Depot to Himself.

Texarkana, Tex., May 7.—A ngro with a wil-developed case of smallpox was discovered on Cotton Belt train. The patient left the train here and went into the waiting room, where he was forced to remain by the local police. He will be sent to railroad hospital at Tyler.

Two large boarding houses at Dallas burned and a dozen residences scorched. Three firemen were overcome by heat.

COSTLY TURKEY.

The Bird Was Stuffed With One Hundred Dollar Bills.

Morristown, N. J., May 7.—Stuffed with one dollar bills, 100 of them, was a turkey that has been received by Mrs. E. C. Adams of this place.

The gift came from Mr. Adams, who had been mysteriously missing for seven months. Its stuffing was discovered when they prepared the turkey for dinner and it was used to secure the passage of the Adams family to Sister Lakes, Mich., where the head of the house now resides.

Adams was a carpenter. Just before Thanksgiving times were especially dull and the outlook for a Thanksgiving dinner was very slim. On the eve of the feast day Adams left his home, saying he would not return until he brought a turkey with him. From that time no word from him was received until the turkey came by express. Pinned to the bird was a note.

AT LOGGERHEADS.

Judges and Prosecuting Attorneys Differ on Certain Legal Matters.

Fort Worth, May 7.—Judge Milam, Special Judge Davis and the prosecuting attorney's office are at loggerheads. Judge Milam who is ill, sent word to the bar association asking it to make T. C. Smith special county judge. The bar refused and elected James S. Davis. Judge Milam attempted to adjourn court Tuesday, but failed. Wednesday when Davis opened court Prosecuting Attorney Lattimore refused to appear in court and represent the state. Davis appointed Judge W. R. Parker prosecuting attorney and when he went to Lattimore's office for legal papers they were refused him. Judge Davis issued an order to Sheriff Honea in substance that if Lattimore still refused to give up legal documents of the court that he should be remanded to jail. The papers were finally turned over to Parker.

Tabor Gone to Cuba.

Austin, May 7.—State Health Officer G. R. Tabor left for Cuba to inspect sanitary conditions on the island. He went via New Orleans, at which place he will be joined by President Siuchon of the Louisiana board of health, and members of the board of health of Alabama. They will be gone about three weeks. They go to investigate the reports received here that the island was in a good sanitary condition, and they will see for themselves. Headquarters will be at Havana.

Opinion of Bell.

Austin, May 7.—The attorney general handed down an opinion to the commissioner of the general land office infoming him that he would not be authorized to draw sales or leases of land leased in the absolute lease district unless the same should be canceled for non-payment of rent.

MAXWELL NO MORE.

Noted Jurist and Ex-Confederate States Senator Passes Over the River.

Chipley, Fla., May 7.—Judge A. E. Maxwell, with the exception of Senator Vest, the last surviving member of the Confederate ...ates senate, died to-day, aged eighty-three. Judge Maxwell was a member of congres from 1853 to 1857; Confederate ...ates senator from 1862 to 1865. He was appointed judge of the state supreme court in 1866; was circuit judge in 1877-85, and was chief justice of Florida from 1887 to 1891.

TRUE BILLS.

They Have Been Returned Against Seamen of British Bark Veronica.

Liverpool, May 7.—The grand jury returned true bills against George Monson, Gustave Rau, alias August Malahan, and William Smith, alias Dirkherlaar, seamen of the British bark Veronica from Ship island, Miss., who were indicted on charges of murder and arson. The Veronica was burned at sea Dec. 29. The prisoners are charged with murdering Captain Shaw and six other members of the crew.

Tragedy in New York.

New York, May 7.—William McMahon was shot and almost instantly killed in Hamilton street Tuesday. His slayer, said to be Patrick, alias "John" Shea, an ex-convict, escaped immediately after the shooting and up to a late hour last night had not been arrested. According to the story of the few witnesses of the shooting, McMahon had no warning. He was grasped by the neck and a revolver thrust in his face. The cause of the shooting, from what the police can learn, was apparently a fight between the two men Sunday evening, when Shea was badly beaten.

Work Abandoned.

New Orleans, May 7.—Work on the Hymelia crevassee above the city, which has been running for several weeks, has finall been abandoned. No further attempt will be made to mend the broken levee until the river again is within its banks. Over $150,000 has been expended in an effort to close the crevasse.

Goes to Dallas.

Silverton, Col., May 7.—Rev. George Eaves, pastor of the Congregational church at Silverton, has accepted a call to the Central Congregational church of Dallas, Tex., and is making arrangements to leave for his new station.

To Float Loan.

New York, May 7.—It is stated on high authority negotiations are almost completed to float the Mexican loan, ostensibly in this country, but really abroad. The amount of the loan will not be less than $25,000,000, and will, it is thought, take the form of 5 per cent bonds. The money will be used in public improvements.

Gates Gone to Europe.

New York, May 7.—John W. Gates is one of the passengers booked to sail for Europe on the steamer Oceanic.

IN ARIZONA.

President Roosevelt Meets Many Members of His Old Command.

Grand Canon, Ariz., May 7.—Arizona welcomed President Roosevelt Wednesday, and the welcome they gave him was cordial. A special train from Flagstaff brought a large crowd of people. Others came in from the surrounding country on horseback and in wagons. The president arrived in Grand Canon at 9 o'clock in the morning and until he left at 6 o'clock in the evening he was constantly on the go. Horses were in waiting at the station as the train pulled in, and after the president had greeted a number of members of his old regiment, he mounted and took a twelve-mile ride. Then he returned to the hotel, where he made a brief address to the people, and presentd diplomas to the graduates of the Flagstaff school.

"It was from Arizona," said the president in opening his address, "that so many gallant men came into the regiment that I had the honor to command. Arizona sent men who won only on hard fought fields, and men to whom came a glorious and an honorable death, fighting for the flag of the country. As long as I live it would be an inspiration to have served with 'Buckeye' O'Neill."

He paid also a tribute to Governor Brodie, who was also a member of his regiment, and who introduced him to the audience.

The president also extended a word of greeting to the Indians, a number of whom were in the crowd.

"Some of them were in my regiment," he said, "they were good enough to fight and die, and they are good enough for me to treat as squarely as any white man. There are a great many problems in connection with them. You must save them from corruption, from brutality, and I regret to say that at times we have to save them from certain eastern philanthrophy."

At the conclusion of his remarks the president presented the diplomas, shook hands with those whom he had addressed, and then with Governor Brodie, President Butler of Columbia college and Dr. Rixey, he rode out to a miner's camp about fifteen miles from here, where he had luncheon. He spent the remainder of the afternoon in inspecting the canon. At 5:30 o'clock he received the members of his regiment in his car. At 6 o'clock the train left for California.

Sends Greeting.

El Paso, Tex., May 7.—Francisco Mallen, consul for Mexico at this point, wired a greeting from President Roosevelt to President Diaz. Consul Mallen met Roosevelt at Albuquerque and was requested by the latter to convey his best regards to Diaz.

MRS. CLARK DEAD.

Wife of the Well Known Waco Citizen Expires After a Brief Illness.

Waco, May 7.—The wife of Judge George Clark died Wednesday night after a brief illness. Judge Clark returned from Dallas about an hour before her death. She took a turn for the worse in the afternoon. Mrs. Clark, who was a lady of brilliant mind and great beauty, was Miss Mary Pauline Johns. She was born in June, 1854, in Hays county, Texas. Her parents were Major C. R. Johns and Mrs. Amanda F. Johns. The immediate cause of her death was congestion. Erving, her son, was with her when the end came.

Not Yet Ready.

Austin, May 7.—Chairman Storey of the railroad commission said that there would be nothing to give out for publication in regard to the San Antonio and Aransas Pass case until the commission is ready to give the attorney general an order.

Took Carbolic Acid.

Llano, Tex., May 7.—Mrs. James Dunaway, wife of City Marshal Dunaway, killed herself by drinking carbolic acid.

TEXANS HEARD.

Two of Them Read Interesting Papers in the Crescent City.

New Orleans, May 7.—In the session of eye, ear, nose and throat experts of the American Medical association Wednesday Dr. Frank Boyd of Fort Worth, Tex., opened by reading a paper on "The Necessity of an Early Diagnosis and Treatment in Acute Supperative Affections of the Middle Ear." The paper showed the necessity of operating on the mastoid as soon as it becomes imperative. A comprehensive discussion of the subject followed.

In the session of practice of medicine Dr. Allen J. Smith of Galveston, Tex., read a paper on "Uncinariasis of the United States, with Especial Referenceto Its Occurrence in Texas."

Referendum Vote Asked.

La Grange, Ore., May 7.—The State Federation of Labor now in session here has adopted resolutions calling on all working men to invoke the referendum on the state appropriation of $500,000 for the Lewis and Clark exposition, to be held at Portland in 1905.

The resolutions ask the state convention to lay the facts before the American Federation of Labor and ask it to address circulars to the international, national and central bodies in the United States calling upon them to petition congress to appropriate money for the fair. The resolutions say that the saw mills of Portland have formed a trust, raised their price of lumber 75 per cent and refuse to sell lumber to contractors who employ union men; that rents have been raised, and that under these conditions the fair will not be a benefit to the working men.

Forty-One Sentenced.

Muskogee, I. T., May 7.—Judge Raymond of the Western district broke a record here by sentencing forty-one men who had been convicted of crime in forty minutes.

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But He Won't Do It.

Johnny's mother had been anxious to instill into the mind of her youthful son the necessity of reading at least a few verses from the Bible each day. She is anxious that her son should have a knowledge of the Bible as well as other books; in fact, she thinks a reading of the great book the best means of gaining a good understanding of English and history. The little fellow has been adding a verse through the Psalms, Proverbs and those books as he advances in reading. The other evening he was reading in a particularly deliberate style when he came upon the passage, "Keep thy tongue from evil and thy lips from guile." "Keep—thy—tongue—from—evil—and—thy lips—from—girls," he drawled out.

World's Smallest University.

The university at Foura Bay, Sierra Leone, is said to be the smallest in the world. It has five professors, but less than twenty students.

Telegraph Instrument for the Deaf.

A telegraphic instrument by which slight electrical shocks are communicated to the finger tips has been invented for deaf mutes.

A MUCH-MIXED FAMILY.

Relationship That Would Puzzle a Philadelphia Lawyer.

This is the way a Washington county man figures out his case: "I married a widow who had a daughter. My father visited our house frequently, fell in love with and married my stepdaughter. Thus my father became my son-in-law and my stepdaughter my mother because she was my father's wife. My stepdaughter had a son, and was, of course, my brother, and at the same time my grandchild, for he was the son of my daughter. My wife was my grandmother, because she was my mother's mother. I was my wife's husband's grandchild at the same time, and as the husband of a person's grandmother is his grandfather, I was my own grandfather."—Augusta Journal.

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Yves Delaje finds that gaseous stimulants fertilize as well as solids or liquids, for starfish eggs hatch when placed in carbonated water—that is to say, a solution of carbonic acid gas, being replaced in sea water the eggs, on the following day, become converted into larvae which swim very actively. From 30 to 40 per cent of eggs fertilized—or apparently fertilized—in the natural way hatch. With the carbonic acid method the proportion is 100 per cent—that is, all the eggs hatch. These carbonic larvae are plump, strong and lively. Many of them have lived several weeks. It remains to be seen whether they will develop into adult starfish.

Flatiron Pincushion.

One of the latest of kitchen utensils to take its place on the dressing table is the flatiron, which has been converted into a thing of ornament as well as use. Its use in the bedroom is that of a pincushion, and it is stood face outward, in the position in which good housewives put away this kitchen bric-a-brac. Of course it is only a flatiron in shape, for it is made of stout cardboard cut the shape of a small flatiron face. This is padded with cotton and covered smoothly with satin. A handle of heavy wire is added and wound with narrow ribbon, which is tied in bows where the handle joins the cushion part.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Secret Is Out About Kansas.

"His skull was fractured but no bones were broken," says the Topeka Capital in recounting that a citizen had been run over by a street car. "Once more we are aroused to the suspicion that the Topeka intellect is cased in gutta percha," says the Kansas City Journal.

Needs a Damper.

It is said that King Carlos of Portugal consumes thirty-one huge and exceedingly strong Havana cigars daily. What he needs is a damper in his windpipe. He has too much draft. It takes an ordinary smoker a good hour to burn up such a cigar.

High Prices for Opera Seats.

Seats are dearer at the Paris opera house than in any other European capital, in spite of the fact that the state gives the building rent free and an annual subvention of £32,000.

Floating Dock Makes Long Tow.

The Durban floating dock, recently wrecked in Mossel bay, was towed by the steamer Baralong. The combined length of steamer, hawser and pontoon was 2,100 feet.

The Deepest Atlantic Sounding.

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Again Mystified.

"I'm sure I don't quite understand it, Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins.

"What don't you understand?"

"Why people insist on calling the horse man's best friend, after what he does to people at the race track."

Abstemious.

Graphter—I made a resolution about drinking during Lent.

Ascum—You really don't mean to say you've sworn off?

Graphter—No; but I've determined to deny myself the pleasure of buying drinks for other people.

Very Likely.

"I wonder what makes the falls roar so," queried the bride of a week as she gazed at Niagara.

"For the purpose of drowning the fool talk of newly married couples, I suppose," answered the other half of the combination.

Save Us from Our Friends.

Dolly—Poor Tillie couldn't go to the meeting last night. Weren't you sorry?

Madge—Why, no. If she'd been there we'd never heard that story about her.

The Rhymester and the Poet.

Ascum—Well, then, what is the difference between a rhymester and a poet?

Newitt—Usually a poet is one who calls himself a rhymester, and a rhymester is one who calls himself a poet.

Some Variety.

Beryl—The way one has to flatter people with sweet things is simply sickening.

Sibyl—Yes; thank heavens, there's some variety in being able to flatter them by telling how they dislike flattery.

The Truth Comes High.

"Oh, oh!" moaned the man. "Language fails me."

And it was even so, for he was a teacher of French and out of a job.

Two Points to Remember.

"What is the court costume prescribed for an American diplomat?"

"Any old combination that doesn't disgrace his anatomy or his family.

For Windy Weather.

"Do you keep rubber hose?"

"Well, madam, we have some in light red and green which are almost sure to attract attention."

FIFTEEN DROWNED.

All but Three of a Fishing Schooner's Crew Die in the Deep.

Canso, N. S., May 7.—The American fishing schooner Gloriana, Captain George A. Stoddard of Gloucester, Mass., ran ashore during a thick fog on the cliffs at Whale Cove, near White Point light Tuesday night and of a crew of eighteen men, fifteen, including the captain, were drowned.

Others of the crew, who had rushed on deck half clad, proceeded to lower dories. As soon as each boat touched the water it was crushed. Lines were thrown ashore from the schooner several times, but they were either broken or torn from their fastenings on the rocks by the surging of the vessel. Four of the crew jumped overboard and attempted to swim ashore, but they were caught in the breakers, dashed against the rocks and killed in the attempt. The others who were on the vessel took to the rigging and clung there while their strength lasted, but the enormous seas were more than they could battle against, and one by one they were kept away. The three men on the rocks could see their companions clinging to the rigging and hear their shouts for help above the roar of the sea, but it was impossible to do anything to save them.

The three survivors spent a horrible night on the cliffs. When day dawned they saw one man still clinging to the rigging and made their way to the mainland for assistance. The shore folk hurried to the wreck and took the man from the rigging, but he was dead.

WATER CURE.

It Is Alleged to Be Used in the Kansas Insane Asylum.

Topeka, Kan., May 7.—It has been customary to administer the "water cure" to refractory patients at the Topeka asylum for the insane, according to the testimony of Miss Knox of Topeka, given before the legislative investigating committee. Miss Knox said that the water cure was freuently administered while she was an attendant at the asylum. She was employed there during Governor Stanley's first term, and the head attendant of the ward in which she worked was Miss Houston, who left the institution to be married. It was by the orders of Miss Houston, according to the testimony of Miss Knox, that the water cure was administered.

"How was the water cure administered to the patients?" inquired Mr. Jenks, of the committee.

"When a patient refused to obey the orders given by Miss Houston," said Miss Knox, "the attendants were ordered by Miss Houston to throw a sheet over the patient's head and draw her to the floor. While the attendant's held the patient, Miss Houston poured water out of the pan in the patient's face. The water was poured fast and the pouring continued until the patient agreed to obey orders."

"Was this done very often?" asked Mr. Jenks.

"Yes," was the reply; "it occurred very often during the time Miss Houston was attendant, which was during the first year I was there."

MANY WILL LEAVE.

State of Affairs at Jackson, Ky., Is Said to Be Deplorable.

Lexington, Ky., May 7.—A messenger who left the interior of Breathitt county at dawn Monday to bear a warning to Attorney Marcum that a plot to kill him had been formed the night before reached Jackson a few minutes after an assassin's bullet had crashed through Marcum's brain and heart as he stood in the court house door.

During Sunday night Edward Strong, a friend of Marcum's was informed that a conspiracy had been entered into at a meeting of several desperate men at a blind tiger three miles from Jackson to assassinate Marcum on Monday. At daylight he sent a messenger to convey the information to the attorney, who lay dead when he arrived. This statement was made by Mrs. Marcum Wednesday.

Matters at Jackson are reported deplorable, and many men will leave.

Beckham Offers Reward.

Frankfort, Ky., May 7.—Governor Beckham, on the request of the county judge of Breathitt county, offered $500 reward for the apprehension and conviction of the unknown assassin of J. B. Marcum. This is the highest permitted by law.

BASEBALL.

Texas League.

At Paris—Paris, 2; Dallas, 1.
At Corsicana—Corsicana, 5; Fort Worth, 1.

Southern League.

At Atlanta—Birmingham, 6; Atlanta, 4.
At Montgomery—Montgomery 4; Nashville, 0.

American League.

At St. Louis—No game; rain.
At Chicago—Chicago, 10; Detroit, 9.
At Boston—Boston, 6; Washington, 3.
At New York—Philadelphia, 6; New York, 1.

National League.

At Pittsburg—Chicago, 11; Pittsburg, 4.
At Brooklyn—New York, 20; Brooklyn, 2.

Crate and Basket Factory.

Palestine, Tex., May 7.—The crate and basket factory, with $15,000 capital, was organized here. The stock was all taken by the gentlemen present. The location is selected, the ground bought and the charter applied for. The parties in the enterprise are Dallas and Palestine people.

The eight-year-old son of Julius Littlepage, colored, near Chicotah, Tex., was found dead, having been shot in the face.

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HOW HE HORRIFIED HER.

Wife of President Hadley Unable to Echo His Wish.

One pleasant day last fall, so the story goes, President Hadley of Yale was strolling through the beautiful campus of Dartmouth college with his wife on his arm. They were admiring the beautiful buildings which dot the campus, several of them having been erected by wealthy alumni. Presently they came to an especially noble hall, built of stone, and occupying a commanding site. Over the main entrance was a marble tablet which announced that the hall had been erected by "John C. Blank as a memorial to his Beloved Wife."

President Hadley stood and looked at the noble pile for a moment. Then he heaved a sigh that was almost envious.

"Ah," he said, "that is what I should like to do for my college."

And to this day, the boys declare, President Hadley cannot understand why his wife should have looked so horrified.—St. Louis Mirror.

Chinese Fish Hatcheries.

Those ever-ingenious people, the Chinese, are great at fish farming, and one of their little dodges for hatching young fish is most ingenious. Taking a fresh egg they suck the contents through a tiny hole and refill the egg with the tiny eggs of the fish they want to hatch. The hole is then sealed up and the egg placed under a sitting hen. In a very few days the fish ova are so far advanced that one has only to break the shell into moderately warm water and the little fish spring to life at once.

Historic House to Be Sold.

York house, Twickenham, England, is now in the market, and will be sold at auction soon. It was named after James II., when duke of York, and in it were born two princesses, Mary and Anne, who both afterward became queens of England. The house, standing in beautiful grounds on the banks of the Thames, has many historical association and, according to tradition, Lord Clarendon wrote some of his essays in the garden walks.

Hotel Savoy's Immense Mirror.

The Hotel Savoy in New York plumes itself upon the possession of the largest mirror in the world. Only two steamships of the ocean—one of them the Friesland, in which it came—have room in their holds to stow away such a large package. It is a little more than thirteen feet square and is nearly half an inch thick. To get this perfect plate five different glasses had to be cast. It was made at the St. Gabian glass-works in Paris.

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The new Parisian flesh is to take all fo cold. The early b and eggs is eaten c is washed down wi milk.

At luncheon the cold meats and co bread, cheese and the meal consists of of fish, cold entree no hot vegetables bonne bouche, a course.

Many people in clined to be stout, the women are al the new cure, and tried it assert that tained satisfactory

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