

PIERCE ATTACKS
STATE OF TEXAS
ON RETURN HOME

SOME BITTER REMARKS CONCERNING TEXAS COME FROM BIG OIL MAN.

SAYS EUROPEANS QUICK
TO DENOUNCE MEDDLING

"I Will Fight the Case Through the Higher Courts, for I Expected the Property Would Be Returned," He Said.

Publishers' Press.

New York, Nov. 16.—Bitter remarks were imposed upon the state of Texas by Henry Clay Pierce, of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, who returned today on the Kaiser Wilhelm from Europe. These remarks were caused by the recent heavy fines assessed against his company by the state of Texas.

"My company paid a fine of \$1,830,000, expecting that the property would be returned," said Mr. Pierce today. "Instead of that, Texas appropriated the property and appointed a receiver for it until it could be sold."

"Incidents like that retard European capital in American securities worse than a panic would. The Waters-Pierce Oil Company did business in Texas under the federal laws. Europeans keep a close watch of litigation in business affairs in the United States, and they are quick to denounce 'meddling' by states."

Mr. Pierce denounced the new Texas law, which provides for 25 per cent of the fines in cases such as the one against the Waters-Pierce company, going to the prosecutor.

He declared that he intended to fight the case through the higher courts, and by that a long litigation will follow. He declined to say whether the property would be bought back or not.

Pierce is going to Austin soon.

GATES' FORTUNE
SPENT IN TEXAS

BIG CAPITALIST DECLARES GOOD MONEY MADE IN THIS STATE.

TEXAS COMPANY PAYING

Twelve Per Cent Dividends Declared by Corporation Headed by Gates.

Publishers' Press.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—The stock of the Texas Company, a corporation controlled by John W. Gates, is now paying 12 per cent dividends, announcement to that effect being made today.

Gates, who has already figured extensively in many deals in Texas, has declared that he will spend his tremendous fortune in promoting the company and he says that more money can be made in that state than any other in the United States.

Edgar is Active.

Special to The Press-News.

Fort Worth, Nov. 16.—H. T. Edgar, the newly elected president of the Ft. Worth Board of Trade, left tonight for Houston, San Antonio and El Paso to discuss Texas progressive movements with officers of the boards of trade in those cities. He is manager of the Northern Texas Traction Company.

DUNN DISBARRED
FROM PRACTICE

NEBRASKA COURTS PASS SENTENCE AGAINST POLITICIAN.

NOMINATED BRYAN LAST

Attorney Uses Language in Brief, and Charges of Contempt of Court Instituted.

Publishers' Press.

Lincoln, Neb. Nov. 16.—Because of language used by him in a brief sent to the supreme court, that court today adjudged I. J. Dunn, an attorney, guilty of contempt of court and a sentence passed upon the case which disbars Dunn from practicing law.

Dunn nominated William J. Bryan for the presidency at the Democratic convention held in Denver in 1908. He was one of the leading delegates at that Democratic gathering, and has been a leader for many years in Nebraska politics.

Dunn and his friends are preparing a defense, and the case will be contested to the last limit through the higher courts. The result of Judge Dunn's contempt case in the supreme court was surprising to every one, and little attention was given it during its progress.

SHEEP AND GOAT MEN
RETURN FROM MEETING

Monster Meeting of Texas Association is Planned for Jan. 6 at San Antonio.

George Richardson and J. B. Murrah have returned from San Antonio, where they went Saturday to attend a meeting of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association. Very little business was transacted at this meeting, of which Mr. Richardson is the president, but the date for a big meeting of all the members was set for January 6, 1910, in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, at San Antonio.

WARM.

Pros and Ants Waging Red Hot Fight in Wilson County.

Special to The Press-News.
Floresville, Nov. 16.—Men and women seeking prohibition in Wilson county are making a red hot campaign preliminary to a local option vote November 26.

Mrs. Mamie Curtis, of Sherman; Rev. Schultz Sabinal, of Sherman; Rev. A. W. Jones, of Dallas, and "Cyclone" James Davis, of Sulphur Springs, are daily speaking for the pros.

Anti-prohibitionists have enlisted George C. Pendleton and W. C. Lindon, of San Antonio, and Dr. G. F. Lincoln, of Fort Worth, as speakers.

Blizzard.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 16.—The Great Lakes and the cities thereon are helpless within the throes of a blizzard, the most terrific of the season, and three inches of snow, accompanied by high winds. The storm is moving eastward.

Jailed.

Cincinnati, Nov. 16.—C. L. Warriner, the Big Four defaulter, and Mrs. Jeannette Ford, an alleged accomplice, are in jail.

IS ASTOR DEAD
IN BIG STORM?

Publishers' Press.

New York, Nov. 16.—That John Jacob Astor and his son, for many years of moneyed fame, may have perished with their yacht, the Nourmahal, in the West Indian storm, is the opinion prevailing here today.

Astor and his son have been cruising in the West Indies for several weeks, and as nothing has been heard of them since the West Indian storm ravaged that section last week, it is presumed generally that they were drowned.

The Nourmahal was lost in the recent hurricane, and that is a certainty. From the fact that cable connection has been made with all the islands since the storm, and the Astors, if safe, could undoubtedly have sent word, derives the theory that they are either dead or lost.

All sea ports and towns in the West Indies have been wired, but no word comes announcing the safety of the Astors.

JUDGE FAVORS
PRETTY TEXAN

New York, Nov. 16.—When Bessie Toone, a Texas girl, twice divorced and very pretty, was brought before Magistrate House today charged with obtaining money to the amount of \$600 on false pretense, that official showed a marked streak of favor for the girl, and he declared that a powerful influence had been brought to bear on him to free her.

"If the tremendous influence is brought to bear upon me a wit has continued," declared Magistrate House, "I will expose the men who are behind it."

Miss Toone's home is in Marshall, Texas, although she has lived in New York for some time.

FOOTBALL ACCIDENT.

Archibald Christian Injured and Later Dies.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Archibald Christian, of Richmond, Va., half back on the Virginia football team, was injured in today's game with Georgetown, and died tonight.

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VAN GUARD ALREADY IN CITY AND LARGE NUMBER WILL BE ON TUESDAY'S TRAINS.

THREE HUNDRED
VISITORS EXPECTED

Opening Session Will Be Held Wednesday Night in First Presbyterian Church—Program Not Yet Complete.

The Texas Presbyterian Synod begins its annual session at the First Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. For several weeks the Presbyterians of San Angelo and neighboring towns have been working in an effort to have the session be the most prosperous ever held in Texas.

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GUAYULE

BY E. McIVER ROSS.

About the year 1895 John Fritz, an enterprising German, was watching some boys in a small Mexican village playing ball, and was surprised to find upon picking up one of the balls that it was rubber. He inquired where they secured the balls and was informed that they made them from the guayule shrub, but he had never thought that it could be true that on the arid lands there could be any bush or tree that would produce rubber in sufficient quantities to justify working. When he saw these rubber balls he decided at once to investigate the plant, so began to experiment, but not until the year 1900 did he find a way to extract the rubber that would make it a practical undertaking. He found that by grinding the shrub to a fine powder and boiling for several hours with a solution of caustic soda that enough rubber would separate from the fiber to make the work a paying proposition. He at once organized a company, and the first factory was built at Jimulco, Coahuila, and ready for operation in 1904. The factory was built with the intention of extracting one-half ton of rubber per day, but was no sooner in operation than its capacity was doubled. The process was expensive both on account of the cost of machinery and its operation, but the high price of rubber and the low cost of the shrub made the profits enormous.

The rubber extracted the first two months paid the entire cost of the factory. With a certain fortune in view, the owners of the factory and others organized the "Cla Explotadora de Caucho Mexicano," and at once began plans for a factory to be erected at Saltillo, Coahuila.

In the meantime there had come into the field several other experimenters. First among them were Mr. Ephrian and the Continental Rubber company. Both put up small plants in Torreon. Both were satisfied with their experiments. The Continental Rubber company at once began the erection of a ten-ton factory at Torreon, and by 1907 had it in operation, and up to this time had been able to keep its process a secret but it was found out that they were extracting the rubber without the aid of any acid, by simply grinding the shrub for several hours in cold water, and then running it into settling tanks, and in from three to four days the rubber rose to the surface of the water, practically free from wood. From here it was skimmed and washed by different methods until all the wood particles were out.

Mr. Ephrian closed his plant and put in his time securing patents from the Mexican government on the process of extraction and also on planting the shrub. These patents have since been declared public property by the supreme court of Mexico.

The Coahuila Mining and Smelting company was the next concern to start extracting the rubber. Having gotten hold of the secret, they closed down the smelter and turned it into a rubber factory, and worked with such secrecy that they were shipping rubber before their competitors knew that they were making any changes in their plant.

Madero Bros. of Parras, Coahuila, started up a factory about the same year, and Martin Bros. of Saltillo, after working under difficulties for about a year, sold out their factory and shrub contracts to the Continental Rubber company. The immense profits that were being made by these companies brought many others into the business, and by the end of 1907 there were at least fifteen factories built and in operation. Among them were the following:

Compania Explotadora de Caucho, two factories at Saltillo and one at Jimulco.

The Continental Rubber company, factory at Torreon.

The International Rubber company, factory at Torreon.

Chas. McGregor, factory at Torreon.

Scheiss & Co., factory at Torreon.

Cia Industrial Guayubra, factory at Gomez Palacio, Durango.

National Rubber Company and Otto Kattenfeldt, factories at Gomez Palacio, Durango.

Coahuila Mining and Smelting company, Viesca, Coahuila.

Madero Bros., factory at Parras, Coahuila.

Martin Bros., factory at Coahuila.

Having made the plans for six of the factories, I became familiar with both the acid process and the cold water process, so that the figures I will give as to the cost of shrub, cost of extraction, etc., are from actual experience.

The great reason for the shrink in the price of guayule shrub is the rapid increase in demand, from 50, 60, 70, 80 dollars.

and even more, and the fact that it would not cut the price.

price had been paid to them or deposited in some bank. Very few of the factories were fortunate to make long contracts for shrub while the price was down, so that during the fall of 1908 many of the small factories were compelled to close on account of the price of rubber. Some others were compelled to run at a loss, having made contracts to deliver rubber at certain dates at the market price. Only those factories such as Madero Bros., who owned their shrub, and the Cia Explotadora de Caucho, which had large contracts for shrub, were able to run on full time.

Since March, 1908, rubber has been going up in price, and all factories are starting up again. The best percentage of extraction that can be expected is 13 per cent, but to be on the safe side all the companies figure on 10 per cent, which will give them a fair profit with rubber at the present price.

The acid process has been found to be too costly and it has been abandoned by all, so we will only consider the cold water process. Taking the average cost of the shrub at the factory at \$100 per ton, in a ton of 1000 kilos 10 per cent extract would be 100 kilos of rubber. The total cost of factory for treating one ton of shrub will be about \$40,000 for the complete plant. The labor for operations will amount to about \$15 per ton of shrub treated. Therefore the total cost of extracting one ton of rubber will be as follows:

Cost of shrub, 10 tons at \$100, \$1000

Cost of labor 10 tons at \$15, 150

Wear of machinery, 10

Total, \$1160

The above prices have all been figured in Mexican money and Mexican labor.

American labor would make the cost of extraction about 10 per cent higher.

At the present price of rubber, \$2.65 per kilo would make one ton worth \$2650, leaving \$490 profit to the investor, \$49 on each ton of shrub.

The total amount invested in the business in Mexico at the present time will go over \$100,000,000.

The shrub is found growing only on dry lands, and is found only at a level of 2000 to 4000 feet above sea level. A mistaken idea has entered the minds of some people that the plant is cultivated.

Up to the present time no one has had any success in planting, but it is claimed by the men most familiar with the plant that if the stumps are left in the ground a new growth will be ready for cutting in from five to ten years.

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HORSES FIGURE IN PUGILISTIC FIGHT

Two Texas Ponies in a New Role. For Few Minutes They Fight With Fore Feet.

In a combat between two horses at a stock yard on Chadbourne street Saturday afternoon, several ranchmen who have had much experience in horse raising, saw something which they declared was for the first time. The horses actually, for three minutes or more, were reared on their legs and having a real pugilistic encounter.

This fight had a trained animal act "beat a country block," according to several of those who witnessed it. Using their fore legs, the animals really struck blows, and "Bat Nelson" uppercuts and "Jack Johnson" punches were frequent. Both the animals had bruises on their heads and foreparts of the body at the end of the fight.

PROF. JENKS LECTURES ON CIGARETTE SMOKING

Declares That Habit Leads to Other Excesses That Are Even More Deleterious.

Ithaca, Nov. 13.—In a lecture to Cornell students, Prof. Jenks, the sociologist, said:

"The evils of cigarette smoking from the physical side as illustrated by careful medical investigations in a large Eastern university during a period of nine years were made clear. It was shown that non-users of cigarettes gained physically about 25 per cent more than cigarette smokers."

"The habit, especially in early years, leads to excesses in other directions that are even more deleterious. A similar effect seems to be felt on scholarship. As a rule, with, of course, individual exceptions, the all round scholars of the highest attainments, like the all round athletes of the highest grade, either abstain totally or are very temperate in the use of tobacco."

"It was estimated by the committee of fifty that not less than a billion dollars a year was expended in the use of intoxicating liquors, a very considerable proportion of which, from the point of view of economic productivity, is absolutely lost, to say nothing of the direct diseases and the weakening influence which tends to increase the fatality of other diseases upon the public health."

"Remedies for all these evils are in part the same. Legislation can do something in the way of preventing temptation being placed before the weak. Where the chief incentive to many of the worst forms of the evil are due to greed on the part of those actively promoting it, much can be done in legislation to make the business unprofitable and dangerous, and this should often be done. No mere sentiment regarding absolute right and absolute wrong should be allowed to stand in the way of effective checking of the evil. Measures should be encouraged which will be effective. The chief remedy, however, along all these lines must be education in early youth regarding the nature of the evils themselves, and especially the education which will lead toward habits of self denial and self control for the purpose of the attainment of a higher degree of efficiency personally and socially."

San Angelo has the chance of securing one of the largest overall factories in the South and at a very small consideration.

Geo. P. Hull of St. Jo, Mo., is going to locate an overall factory in Texas. At present he is in Amarillo. While San Angelo has not been investigated by Mr. Hull, he knows of the great Western city. He will be here in a few days to look over the situation. If the proper inducements are here, the factory belongs to San Angelo, but otherwise Amarillo has got it.

Mr. Hull has many such factories over the United States and they are big concerns. He has looked to Texas for a location for a factory and he is to establish one.

Cement Plant.

In all probability San Angelo or some near by town will land a cement factory very soon. This news is heralded by a very reliable source, who said Bernard White, of Purcell, Okla., would be in San Angelo Wednesday for that purpose.

Mr. White has many cement factories in Texas, Oklahoma and other states. His factories make material for building sidewalks, curbs, etc.

His idea is to put in a factory at some town on the Oriskany and he is in San Angelo and Merton in view.

Some preliminary conversation with Miss Simpson to marry him. He replied in the affirmative. Now Miss Simpson is wondering which young man he is engaged to.

Winston went to Houston Monday.

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METEORS TO LIGHT SKY

STARS TO FALL BY THE THOUSANDS THIS WEEK.

AT HEIGHT SUNDAY

Aerial Show Commonly Known as the "Lion Cubs"—Called Show Account of Great Splendor.

Falling stars—a quarter of a million—may be seen on the nights of November 13 and 14, according to predictions of astronomers.

This meteoric display, a fixture in the schedule of celestial events, will be plainly visible, even to the naked eye with a clear sky.

The fall of the stars is an infrequent event, varying in brightness according to the astronomical cycle in which it occurs. This month the meteors will scarcely be at their best, as the earth crosses the orbit of this brilliant belt of the solar system at a point about ten years away from the maximum density, according to the Washington Star. Astronomers assert there is a secular change in the period of this particular display, a slow movement along the calendar scarcely perceptible.

Each of the myriad of falling stars is a tiny fragment of an ancient comet of great size, broken into small particles by some accidental cataclysm in the heavens, possibly a collision between the parent comet and some planet now in existence.

The aerial display has been likened to a fall of snow, so thick are the meteoric fragments in incandescent splendor.

This year the display of shooting stars will be at its height in brilliance in the early morning hours of Sunday, November 14, the last period of the spectacular phenomena. It should far exceed the count of the wandering stars which blaze for a moment almost every night.

Named the "Leonids."

This November shower of stars is known as the Leonids, translated as the "Lion Cubs." The name is taken from the stellar body known as the Zet Leonis, the radiant point of the minute meteors.

From the star rain of 1833 dates the beginning of all intelligence of these recurring phenomena of the Leonids.

The penultimate display was a great show in the skies. It was spread over three years, the peak of its magnificence in 1866, a heavy fall in 1867, and what might be called a smart shower even in 1868.

But the 1833 rain of the heavens was most astounding. The stars fell as fast and thick as flakes of snow on a winter day. Prof. Olmstead reckoned that 240,000 gleaming trains were visible in the course of nine hours. To the ignorant it presaged the crack of doom.

There yet live those who saw the rain of fire and who can describe how in every countryside the unlearned people sought the fields and passed the night in agony of fear, with prayer and supplication. To the faithful it was a night of terror, to those whom hope had abandoned a night of a frenzy of wild excess.

Science Research.

The astronomers keen in their zeal to carry on the observations to whatever end might come, then first found the key to the riddle of these visitations from the universe.

To their trained eyes these roving streaks of light were not haphazard tracery upon the dome of night. Each ball of fire followed a course all its own. Patiently the observers laid down upon the celestial chart each track as they were able to pick it from the tangle of criss-cross embroidery of light.

It was found that the area of general intersection corresponded most closely with the point in the remotest heavens marked by the start Zeta Leonis. That point had been found and delimited in space. Henceforth this November star shower was to be known as the Leonids, the Lion cubs.

This was the beginning of the science of the shooting stars, and it dates from 1833.

In the early morning of November 13, 1899, at Cumana, Humboldt had a storm in the skies. He had a vision that these meteoric showers were not haphazard but were the result of a law.

Every century or so the stars set the stage for the drama of the heavens.

Composed of Gravel.

Leverrier has computed that it was no longer ago than A. D. 126 that Uranus exercised its mighty attraction upon a comet errant through outer space, chained it to an elliptical and recurring orbit of thirty-three years about the sun, and broke it into a swarm of cosmic gravel.

The word gravel is used advisedly. No smaller mass from a periodic meteor shower has ever come to earth in such a way as to be identified beyond all peradventure of doubt. Dr. Johnstone Stoney, in his address to the British association upon the Leonids of 1866, said: "The meteors themselves are probably little pebbles, the larger about an ounce, or perhaps two ounces, in weight, and spaced in the densest part of the swarm at intervals of one or two miles asunder every way. The thickness of the stream is about 100,000 miles, which, however, is a mere nothing, compared with its enormous length. The width is such that the earth, when it passes obliquely through the stream, is exposed to the downpour of meteors for about five hours."

In 1833 and in 1866 the earth tore through the nucleus of the fragments. Some few it burned and destroyed by the friction engendered in its atmosphere; only a few, for the estimate of 140,000 is less than the counting of the veriest pinch of sand.

Appendicitis.

Boston, Nov. 13.—New England's turkeys are being wiped out by appendicitis, declare scientists. Already a thorough investigation of the causes of the disease and its possible prevention is being made by such well known scientists as Dr. Theobald Smith and Dr. E. E. Trizzer, of the Harvard Medical School, and Dr. Philip B. Padley, of the State Experiment station of Rhode Island.

The organism which infects the doomed birds has been variously identified—simply as an amoeba, and more specifically the "coccidium avium," but under either name it has done its work and the experts unite in saying that once the disease has attacked a partridge or a game bird, there is no hope.

Loves Teacher.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 13.—Arthur J. Schureman, sales manager for a lumber company here and reputed son of a Chicago millionaire merchant, was arrested here on a charge of desertion preferred by his wife.

With Schureman was arrested also Miss Vivian Groves, a pretty young woman, who, so Mrs. Schureman alleges, eloped with Schureman from Dallas, Tex., and has lived with him for a year past.

According to Mrs. Schureman she and her husband lived happily with their two children at Dallas up to two years ago, when Schureman met Miss Groves, who was teaching in the high school. The acquaintance between the husband and the teacher ripened into something more serious. When the school was closed in June she and Schureman unceremoniously left the city, the wife alleges.

Mrs. Schureman and her children were deserted. After a short investigation she discovered the two people had left the city together, and they were traced throughout the East, and one year later came to Portland, the wife and children taking up their residence here the past year.

After several attempts of Mrs. Schureman to have her husband returned to her, which he positively refused, saying that he cared more for the high school teacher, the wife made complaint against the two. She says they have been living at the St. Francis hotel in connecting rooms. Both deny that there is anything wrong in their relations.

More Yet.

Baltimore, Nov. 15.—At a meeting of the directors of the Baltimore and Ohio road held today, Judge R. S. Lovett was elected to succeed to the vacancy made by the death of E. H. Harriman. Judge Lovett must still stand a half score elections more before he fills all the vacant places left by the man of Arden, now dead.

Cattle Shipments.

Fort Worth cars of fat stock were shipped to Fort Worth today. This is the heaviest shipment in several weeks.

The following men shipped: R. W. Foster, four cars; Foster; one; Mrs. R. M. Foster, one; Cawley, six; John Hubbard, one; J. W. Lawhon, four; Bragg, one; five; Albin & Robinson, one; Bert, two; Will Robinson, one; Smith, nine; J. W. Pancake, one.

COLLEGE LOSES SPLENDID GAME

SIMMONS OF ABILENE, IN A CLASS ALL TO ITSELF.

METZRADT MAKES DASH

Attempts to Make Sixty-Yard Run to Goal and Almost Gets There. Score 49 to 0.

With a heavy bunch of players the Simmons College of Abilene, wiped up the earth with San Angelo Collegiate Institute Saturday, the score being 49 to 0. For forty-five minutes these two giant teams of the gridiron battled for the game. It was exciting from the start. Every player did his best and there is not a blemish on either of their records characterizing four playing.

During the first half, which lasted twenty-five minutes, the Simmons College gained its great lead that never could be overcome by San Angelo. During the last, however, which continued twenty minutes, the local college played hard and held the great Abilene giants down pretty well.

The one great thing that San Angelo won was the honor of having the star player of the day—Cal Von Metzradt, coach of the San Angelo junior college, who played left tackle. While the game was at a very critical point, Metzradt seized the ball and made a dash for goal. Being about sixty yards from the line, he was unable to get there, but despite all the tackling by the other team, he forged his way along the trail for about thirty yards. A ferocious dash and a hard struggle was being made to get to the goal, but a heavyweight tackle nabbed him and it was all off—Metz had to stop. By the spectators this was the most brilliant play during the game and truly it was, for never in the history of giant football playing in San Angelo has a man ever succeeding in making such a run so far from the goal.

Blue ribbons were not being given to those who made fine plays, or else Metzradt would have captured the longest of the bunch. When he made his great dash, which resembled a charge of a phalanx through a great army, the crowd went wild. Metzradt heard the wild and loud cheers, but he had no time to stop and pay his respects to them, as he was seemingly in a hurry.

The Simmons boys made nine touchdowns and kicked four goals. Owing to the mud they were unable to kick the ball with much accuracy.

Murray, left tackle on the Abilene team, did some very pretty work. His tackling was superb and unexcelled.

On the whole, the game was a hummer and such playing is rarely seen between two amateur teams.

This does not close the season for the San Angelo team, as before stated, as it has another game or two on foot, but is not ready to say when they will be played. This, however, is the last game for the Simmons bunch for this year.

The Simmons College has an excellent record in playing. Out of the numerous games it has played this season, not a single time has it been beaten.

The lineups were as follows:

San Angelo.</

IT'S DIFFERENT NOW THEY SAY

DAYS OF "BIG FOUR" IN FOOTBALL ARE NO MORE.

GOOD CHANCE FOR ALL

College May Be Comparatively Unknown as Seat of Learning, But Still Gains Gridiron Fame.

Publishers Press.
Bq Manhattan.

New York, Nov. 13.—When the football season ends this month the foot-
Washington, Nov. 10.—A California ball public of America will be im-
pressed with nothing so much as the innovations in the national autumnal game. The football season nowadays is something entirely new and different. We don't work up to a climax any more; the season is just one trying grind of plays made popular through their success by some college or other. There is no longer a "big four." The younger schools throughout the country have allowed their pride to expand in material directions with the result that a college may be comparatively unknown as a seat of learning and yet occupy an exalted niche in the hall of football fame. That was clearly shown this year.

It is all due to the modern idea. A few years ago—say three—the idea of crowded stands at Cambridge for any Harvard game save those with Yale or Pennsylvania seemed ludicrous. But this year there weren't seats enough. Now the explanation so far as I can see is this: The game is cleaner, more open and more easy to follow by the layman and the sensational work is there with a vengeance. It is no rash estimate to say that nearly a quarter of a million of people will see the eight leading games of the season in the East.

Certainly this is a season to attract large crowds. Never have the early games been so interesting. Cornell, plainly a big team, has been beaten; Princeton and Harvard escaped defeat by a mere margin in the earlier games.

The very big, very strong and very active men will face each other on the New Haven field when Yale and Princeton clash. Cooney is quite certain to be the Yale center and McFadyen the Princeton center. Neither of these young men could step on an egg without crushing it. Cooney is perfectly at home at 200 pounds and so is McFadyen. This is not Cooney's first year at center, although it is the first year he has played against McFadyen, providing both play. Nor is it the first year of Mac at center. Princeton tried him last season with some success and hope for more this year. In spite of their weight, both men are active as kittens and when they clash the easiest way for the tackles and backs to pass them will be to run around the corners. Chances are better than even that when both of them are braced to prevent gains through the center they will provide an obstacle which shall serve the purpose for both teams.

In addition to playing center, Cooney can do pretty well at guard. He could do better if he were more active. He has plenty of speed when he gets under way, but it takes him a long time to get started.

In running over the teams it promises hard to pick a champion this year. If Harvard beats Yale and Yale beats Princeton and Cornell beats Pennsylvania, it would be easy enough to give a clean title. But that is a condition unlikely to prevail. Nothing but tales of joy are coming out of Harvard. Quarterback Flaherty and Captain Fish came to an understanding early and have put lots of glaze into the work.

Herbert L. Trube, the ex-Cornellian, and the only man in this or any other country who was ever obliged to win one championship three times before receiving a medal for it, is not yet through with the game. Trube is the winner of the Martini cup and last spring at the end of the indoor season he announced that he had run his last race, though at the time he was performing so well that many athletic critics used up slanders of space telling how he would surely beat the half mile record some day. More than that Trube struck to his word for a long time. The desire to return to athletics finally became too strong, how, however, and for some time back he has quietly been training at Bridgeport, Conn. He announced definitely today that he would run for the corseil

annual in the race with the varsity on November 13.

Nor will Trube stop with that. He is possessed of a yearning to clip a few seconds off the mile record at some indoor meet this coming winter. He proposes to enter all the big meets at Madison Square Garden and will start again in the mile event for the Martini cup in Columbia games next spring.

The members of the World's champion baseballists, the Pirates, have already started in to spend their earnings. "Mooney" Gibson, the catcher, who did such brilliant work through the entire season, is back at that dear London, Ontario, where he will rest for a time and later do some big game buntings. Honus Wagner retired at once to Carnegie, Pa., where he deposited a large portion of his year's collateral in his trust company, bought a new automobile and began preparations for a hunting trip in the West with Fred Clarke and Pitcher Philippi. Fred owns a ranch and a few motor cars in Kansas, but the hunting is to be done in Oklahoma. Hamilton Hyatt, the young, hard hitting giant from the Pacific coast, is on his honeymoon, having been married in Vancouver, B. C. Owen Wilson lives in Austin, Texas, and he is there now taking a long, much needed rest. Owen came near losing his bankroll through his own carelessness, but luckily for him it was recovered. Tommy Leach owns a big farm near Butler, Pa., and divides his time between his ranch and Pittsburgh. Tommy has gone in for pork—not the Tammany kind, but the real stuff. He has some of the finest pigs in Pennsylvania upon his place and is spending every cent of his post-season earnings for thoroughbred grunts. Pitcher Philippi also owns a farm near Pittsburgh. He skirls around during the winter raising blue blooded chickens and other live stock and says some of these days his place will make him wealthy.

NO CURRENCY LEGISLATION.

Monetary Commission's Plan to Wait Until Next Congress Meets.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Unless the unexpected happens in the congressional elections next fall, the chances are that no effort will be made to pass a bill revising the banking and currency laws of the United States until the Sixty-second congress assembles in December, 1911. This at least is the present plan of the monetary commission, which will meet in Washington soon after Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island completes his present western tour. Members of the commission are convinced that before a central bank of issue bill can be passed a campaign of education such as Mr. Aldrich has inaugurated must be conducted in the east as well as in the west.

Advices from the western states are to the effect that the impression prevails in several of them that the central bank as proposed by Mr. Aldrich means that such an institution would be nothing more nor less than a New York bank which is controlled by the Standard Oil company. Western men, in writing to the commission, have been frank in declaring that such a belief is widespread.

A member of the commission is authority for the statement that no effort will be made to push the central bank of issue plan at the coming session of congress. The indications are that the lawmakers will be busy with other matters, notably bills relating to interstate commerce President Taft's message. Should the democrats win the next house, according to suggestions that have been discussed by members of the commission the president would be urged to call congress in session soon after the election in November next year for the purpose of considering such legislation as the commission might have to recommend. The Sixty-first congress expires by constitutional limit on March 4, 1911. By getting the lawmakers together a few weeks in advance of the regular time of meeting, which is the first Monday in December, it is believed that a measure satisfactory to the majority could be passed. The special session would be held, of course, only in the event that the democrats were successful in carrying the house.

In the meantime the central bank of issue plan will be discussed from the lecture platform and in speeches in the house and in the senate, with a view to educating the people against the time when it will be brought up for consideration by congress.

Losses Husband.

New Orleans, Nov. 15.—The wife of Edward Von Bulow, cousin of former prime minister of Germany, asks the police to find her husband, who disappeared after losing \$400,000 in cotton.

SEARCHING FOR TOMBS OF DAVID

PART EXCAVATING FOR GREAT TREASURES LONG BURIED.

FINDS STRANGE TUNNEL

Its Presence Has Heretofore Been Unknown—Startling Discoveries Daily Expected.

Publishers Press.

Jerusalem, Nov. 13.—During the past few months some remarkable excavations have been in progress here, which are expected to have startling results. Captain Montague B. Parker, of the British Life Guards, and brother of the Earl of Morley, Mr. Duff, related to the Duke of Fife, the Hon. Cyril Ward, and Mr. Clarence Wilson, whose yacht is in the service of the party, are responsible for the undertaking, and are on the ground personally conducting the operations.

A hitherto unknown tunnel has been discovered and explored, and two deep shafts have been sunk. In spite of the secrecy maintained, it is understood that the quest is for the tombs of David and the Kings of Judah, and the treasures thought to be buried with them. Along with the Englishmen are two Turkish officials, acting on behalf of the Turkish government, who, it is understood, granted extraordinary rights to the exploring party.

The site of the operations is on the slope above the Virgin's Fountain, near the south end of Ophel, where, as Biblical scholars are now agreed, stood the City of David. The subterranean aqueduct used in the days of King Hezekiah would tend to emphasize this view, as in its course into the city it makes two wide sweeping detours from a straight line. Professor Ganneau declared some years ago that this was to avoid digging through the tombs of the Kings of Judah.

Now a few Biblical scholars here are confident that if the quest is successful, the explorers will unearth, not only the tombs, but sacred furniture and vessels of the successive temples built by Solomon, Zerubbabel and Herod on Moriah, which adjoins the scene of their operations.

STEEL SELLS BROUGHT INTO JAIL SERVICE

Police Committee Determined That There Shall Be Fewer Jail Delinquencies—Will Erect New Lockup.

The San Angelo police committee, moved by the recent acts of prisoners in freeing themselves from the frame structure used as a calaboose, is preparing to erect a new building on the lot just opposite the court house, and the two steel cells, which have been out of use since the city stopped its use of the county jail, will be installed.

The police of San Angelo had rather take a prisoner's word than lock him up in the calaboose now being used, knowing that in the last named case he could free himself easily.

The new calaboose will be erected at once and will serve until the new free station is built. Here a portion has been set aside for use as a lockup.

MAY SURVIVE.

Utica, Nov. 13.—Dr. James H. Glass, chief surgeon at Faxon hospital, where Joseph Pickering, the seventeen-year-old Cazenovia Seminary student who sustained a broken back in a football game, was operated on, said that the lad has a very good chance for recovery. Following an examination of the patient this evening the surgeon said:

"Mr. Pickering is getting along nicely. I regard his condition as satisfactory and predict that in due time he will be perfectly restored to his normal condition. The operation did not entirely relieve the paralysis, and I did not expect that it would do so. Where there is laceration of the cord the restoration is never immediate. It will come gradually, and I find that the patient has an improved sense of sensation and more movement. He is in a plaster cast, and when he gets up I shall put him into an aluminum cast, which he will wear for two months. He will then be, I expect, as well as before the accident."

SANTA FE'S NEW DIVISION POINT

RUMORS THAT TERMINAL IS TO BE CHANGED.

REMOVED TO ZEPHYR

That Place Being More Evenly Between Temple and Extremity of Branch Reason for Change.

Information was received in San Angelo Saturday from a thoroughly reliable source announcing the intention of the Santa Fe railway to transfer its terminal point from Brownwood to Zephyr. The distance between these two points is but eighteen miles.

This change, while expected by a few railroad men most intimate with the affairs of the higher officers of the Santa Fe, is entirely unexpected to the people of either Brownwood or Zephyr, and it is thought that Brownwood merchants will make serious objection to it.

The object in making this change is to even the distance between Temple and San Angelo, and Sweetwater and Temple, according to the best information to be secured in San Angelo Saturday.

That the change of division points is contemplated, there can be no doubt, but it is left for the higher officials of the Santa Fe to certify the rumor.

"The change would better conditions considerably," said H. E. Everhart, of the local offices, Saturday, when asked relative to the rumor. "Zephyr would be practically a freight division point."

When the Santa Fe's line to Sweetwater, an extension of the Coleman cut-off, is finished, this change of divisions points will be necessary, but it is not thought the new order will be put in effect until that time.

To remove the division point from Brownwood would be a serious loss to that place, while it would mean much to Zephyr. Brownwood has been the division point of this branch of the Santa Fe since the road was first built, in fact, for a long time that place was the western extremity of the branch.

FARMERS OFFER COTTON FOR SALE WEDNESDAY

Bids Will Be Received On Nearly a Hundred Bales, But Price Must Be Satisfactory.

From the platform of the warehouse Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock bids on the entire lot of cotton stored here by the members of the Tom Green County Farmers' Union will be received and the cotton sold for the highest prices if satisfactory. The farmers have declared that they will not let go of their staple under certain figures, which they refuse to name.

There is close to a hundred bales of cotton in the Farmers' Union warehouse, and the date of the sale has been advertised for the past few weeks. On circular letters sent out to the members of the union it is stated that November 16 it is thought the price will have risen to fifteen cents, and it is presumed that that price must be taken into consideration by the bidders Wednesday.

Indicted.

Cincinnati, Nov. 15.—Charles Warfner, the highly respectable citizen who happened to get about \$643,099 short in his accounts while serving as treasurer of the Big Four railroad company, was indicted in due form by the grand jury here today. He gave bond and was tendered a considerable amount of sympathy.

NECROLOGICAL.

Jno. Belcher.

John Belcher, who came to San Angelo several weeks ago for his health, died Sunday and was buried Monday at Fairmount.

John Belcher was a young man about 21 years of age and his home was in Mississippi.

Rev. Dr. Myer, pastor of the Episcopal church, conducted the services.

VEGETABLES.

Stanford Students Pelt Company at Palo Alto.

Stanford University, Nov. 11.—Seventy-five Stanford students, bunched together in the gallery of the Palo Alto opera house, bombarded with decayed vegetables the actors of a traveling company producing "Three Weeks." The volley was so fierce that the curtain had to be rung down. One thespian received a tomato between his eyes.

The town constable was summoned and, after carefully looking over the crowd, singled out an innocent freshman and arrested him. The students followed the officer and his captive to the police headquarters, swatting the "cop" with their surplus garden products. The freshman was released after he had convinced the police judge that he had taken no part in the disturbance. After the unruly students had left the opera house the play was resumed, although in the meantime nearly all the people in the audience had gone home.

"SNOW MOUNTAIN."

Third Expedition Succeeding in Discovering It in New Guinea.

The Hague, Nov. 13.—The famous "Snow Mountain" in New Guinea, which was considered a myth by many scientists, though it has attracted the attention of British, German and Dutch explorers for several years, has been reached by the third expedition organized for that purpose by the Dutch government, and commanded by Messrs. Hellwich and Weber. The peak was attained after the expedition had sailed up the Digul river near the western frontier of the British part of the island. The mountain was formally christened Princess Juliana. Its altitude was found to be 15,000 feet.

On certain maps a range called the Snow Mountains is given as an extension of the Charles Louis, which runs eastward from the west coast of Dutch New Guinea. Geographers have continued to say of the natives' report of peaks covered with snow in this remote part of the mountain range: "Not authoritatively reported."

Locust Plague.

Capetown, Nov. 15.—At the present moment, South Africa from the Cape to far up North, is suffering from a devastating plague of locusts, and the government has to spend large sums of money in destroying the millions of swarms hatching over 125,000 square miles. There is a sort of international league against the pest—Germany and France join with South Africa in waging the war. Poison is being distributed in great quantities, and steps are taken to encourage the bird which is particularly fond of locust, and is, therefore, called the locust bird. Poison and bird together will make short work, it is hoped, of the enemy.

Sacred Music.

Rome, Nov. 15.—The congress of sacred music, just held at Pisa, was organized by Padre Anastase and included ecclesiastics and celebrated musicians from every country. Five committees were at work for a considerable time organizing the congress and preparing the programme. One committee comprised all the bishops of the province of Tuscany. Another, composed of eminent musicians, prepared the questions on sacred music that were submitted for discussion before the congress. An international committee was constituted of Gregorian chant, and another of professors of sacred music. An executive committee received the congressionists and arranged the details of the celebrations. The congress will, it is expected, have excellent results in the organization and improvement of church music, the world over.

Good Taste.

Rome, Nov. 15.—The Milanese association known as the Famiglia Artistica is giving a distinctively novel exhibition. It is the "Cattivo Gusto Esposizione" or "bad taste exhibition." The idea is to collect together samples of all the ugly rubbish with which vulgar people furnish or decorate their houses and to let them serve as an object lesson as regards things to be avoided by persons with any pretence to artistic refinement and taste. Among articles held up to contempt are the vases which it has been the vogue to cover with the colored paper bands removed from cigars. The lessons in good taste as regards house furnishings and decorating are supplemented by lectures on the "House Beautiful" and include performances of music distinguishing between what is trivial and common and what is artistically good.

J. K. Lamor left over the Orient Monday afternoon for Kansas City.

THREE OFFICERS ARE SENTENCED

TENNESSEE SHERIFFS PERMITTED MOB TO LYNCH NEGROES.

NINETY DAYS PENALTY

Sentence Passed On Case After It Had Been Threshed to the Last Limit.

Publishers Press.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The supreme court today imposed sentences of 90 days' imprisonment on Sheriff Joseph Shipp, Luthers Williams and Nic Nolan, of Chattanooga, Tenn., for permitting Ed Johnson, a federal prisoner confined in the jail at Chattanooga, to be effectually lynched in 1906.

—he case was bitterly contested. Johnson was what is generally termed a "bad nigger," and at the time he was lynched he was being held on a federal charge, the case being pending in the supreme court. When the lynching happened the sheriff and the other two were found guilty of contempt of court and after threshing the case to the last limit, the supreme court today passed sentence. The three gentlemen came here from Chattanooga at their own expense and without being accompanied. They will start serving their sentences at once.

BRONTE.

It's Still Growing and Great Future Is Predicted For It.

"Bronte is still growing with great rapidity," said C. H. Bentley, its diligent mayor, who was in the city Sunday and Monday.

"We are growing with greater rapidity than ever, if anything. We have marketed something like 7000 bales of cotton up to date and at least one thousand more are to be marketed. The cattle shipments have improved considerably and everything is on the boom. Our little city has increased in population and business more than the Orient has started operation through there than it has in many years."

"It will not be many days till we will have a railroad depot and that is going to be a help to us. The depot would have been built long ago, but the road is so badly rushed with other affairs that it is almost impossible to get to us."

"The oil mill proposition is progressing fine. I do not know exactly how much has been subscribed for it, but a great deal. Enough to show that we are going to get it."

DECLINES.

Haskell's Demurrers Fail to Stick and He Must Stand Trial.

Oklahoma City, Nov. 15.—Judge Marshall, before whom the Haskell et al town lot fraud cases are being heard, today declined to sustain the demurrers urged by the attorneys of the governor to the indictments returned. This action means that Gov. Haskell must stand trial for alleged frauds in the Muskogee town lot cases and that the various details of the trades complained of will have a wide open airing.

It is believed that this is the first time in the history of America where a governor of a state has faced trial for so serious an offense. Haskell has made a vigorous fight to defeat the cases going to trial, through resorting to all possible technicalities. The outcome is being watched with considerable interest, especially by Gov. Haskell.

GOOD ROADS.

Government Sends Expert Man to Superintend Construction in Tarrant. Special to The Press-News.

Fort Worth, Nov. 15.—The Tarrant County Good Roads Association was today notified from Washington that an expert good roads engineer has been dispatched here to supervise the construction of two miles of model road—one mile to be made macadam and the other sand and clay.

These will be a guide to the commissioners in the good roads campaign, for which \$200,000 is now available. It is believed the government's co-operation will save the county thousands of dollars.

Elected President.

Publishers Press.
New York, Nov. 15.—E. C. Brown of Chicago, was today elected president of Amateur Athletic Union.

HAVE YOU SEEN HIM?

J. S. Kendig Hands Out the Tickets at the Santa Fe.

Those who delight to see their fellows earn their bread by the sweat of their brow can enjoy a real and quite a rare treat these days. If they will but journey to the Mission Style Santa Fe depot. Behind the spacious window, with more or less artistic grill fixtures and frillings, is stationed one J. S. Kendig, who is called among other things by the euphonious cognomen of "Sam."

Mr. Kendig is relieving City Ticket Agent Carmean, who is in Weatherford, where he was called by business. In private life Mr. Kendig is traveling passenger agent for the Santa Fe and has been since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary.

Mr. Kendig has always delightfully unctuous and a voice as soft as the fur of a kitten. He knows all about tickets and other tabs used by the traveling public, and he can say "75c, please" to the person who wants to ride on the easy way with a grace that has all the earmarks of having been made perfect through years of practice.

"This is great, simply great," said Mr. Kendig Tuesday after the last train had left and he had counted the ticket stubs and the cash and found that he balanced on a penny.

P. S. He—Mr. Kendig—is also a fine fellow to know.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of \$100 for each and every case of catarrh that can not be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this sixth day of December, 1886.

A. W. GLEASON.

Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

WOMAN'S WOES

A Certain Cure for Female Trouble and That Tired, Nervous, Depressed Feeling That Makes Household Work a Dreary Burden.

Work, work;

Nothing but work;

Tiresome drudgery!

Work used to be a pleasure, but now a few minutes effort leaves you weak, discouraged and irritable with a feeling that everything has gone wrong.

The liver and bowels are responsible for this.

The symptoms are, heart palpitation, faintness, suppressed, excessive or irregular periods, bad digestion, bearing down pains in the side and back, nervous weakness, poor appetite, costiveness.

Prickly Ash Bitters sweeps away these troubles like magic, because it strikes at the root of the disease—the stomach, liver and bowels.

Women who take medicine for female troubles that does not benefit these organs are wasting money and valuable time. The liver is diseased because the stomach is unhealthy, and both have produced a constipated habit. This stoppage of healthy action in the liver and bowels has filled the system with impurities which have brought on irregularity in the female organs; it follows therefore, that a medicine which will correct the liver, strengthen the stomach and promote healthy bowel operations is the remedy for menstrual difficulties.

The poor, tired, discouraged woman who has suffered silently and so long with the ailments of her sex soon feels the strengthening and exhilarating influence of Prickly Ash Bitters. It does its work thoroughly, beginning with the stomach and extending its purifying and stimulating influence to the liver and bowels. When the stomach, liver and bowels are active and working in harmony, there must be health and regularity in the female organs. As a result of this improved condition the patient takes a renewed interest in her household duties. Appetite and strength return, the eyes are brighter, the complexion clears, and before long she is transformed into a healthy, happy woman with rosy cheeks and bright eyes.

"I suffered much from constipation, I had a depressed, nervous feeling, and my face was pale. I had a good appetite, but I now have a good appetite and a greater amount of energy."

Sold by druggists.

DIVERSIFICATION
PAYS WELL HERE

C. L. SHANKS MAKES EXPERIMENT WITH GREAT SUCCESS.

BRINGS IN DISPLAY

Grows More Than a Dozen Kinds of Vegetables—Declares Tom Green County Soil Best Ever.

Diversified farming has been practiced by C. L. Shanks, a farmer living near San Angelo, and a quantity of the products of his farm exhibited in San Angelo Tuesday is sufficient evidence that it is successful.

Mr. Shanks has discovered that Tom Green county soil is as fertile for the production of squash, potatoes, radishes, tomatoes, mustard, beets, turnips, lettuce, butter beans, peas, oats and many other plants, as is to be found anywhere in the United States. Mr. Shanks planted every vegetable included to make a typical truck farm on his grounds and he was even surprised himself at the results. Of the radishes, potatoes and turnips. Mr. Shanks raised all varieties, and the size of the vegetables would equal anything raised in any part of the South.

He experienced no trouble in raising the vegetables and he is satisfied of the fact that the soil in this section is more productive for truck farming than anywhere in the whole South.

Many farmers and others admired the products in San Angelo Tuesday, the result of Mr. Shanks' experiment.

Croup is most prevalent during the dry, cold weather of the early winter months. Parents of young children should be prepared for it. All that is needed is a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Many mothers are never without it in their homes, and it has never disappointed them. Sold by all dealers.

HUNTERS.

Many Licenses Have Been Issued This Month.

Taking advantage of the open season in Texas, many hunters of San Angelo and other parts of this county who will penetrate the hunting grounds in the counties next to those adjoining Tom Green during the season, have secured legal commission from County Clerk Keating by paying license.

Twenty licenses have already been issued during this month, but more than double this amount will probably be sold before November 30, and it is expected that hundreds will apply for licenses before the season is closed.

Those who have secured license since November 1 are:

John Sellars, Lewis Lagging, T. A. Porter, T. W. Haynes, D. W. Haynes, John Freeland, R. C. Ledford, C. Handley, Smith Ellis, Chas. Lusk, Allen Armwind, S. R. Johnson, Bud Middleton, J. F. Wells, Otto Brumley, J. M. Wald, Jr., J. W. Wald, O. Braubach, Tom Hull and Z. W. Martin.

To Play Sweetwater.

For the purpose of adding more laurels to its flag, the San Angelo High School football team is going to Sweetwater Saturday to play the school team.

Sweetwater has a team that will average one hundred and fifty pounds, but that will not bluff the local team. It has a bunch of players that go in to win and it takes a very hard team to down them.

Judge W. E. Taylor of the firm of Taylor & Frink, attorneys, left Tuesday for Austin on legal business.

J. E. Aikens returned to Dallas Monday, after being in the city on business.

Miss Anna Montgomery of Dallas, after an extended visit to San Angelo with relatives, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Martha Clark left Tuesday for Ballinger.

Spending Too Much.

Washington, Nov. 16.—James J. Hill, the great railroad magnate, called on President Taft today. Hill says the people and the nation are spending too much money. "Unless we economize the country will be ruined and the nation will fall," he says.

Investigation.

Nov. 16.—In the opinion of Senator Dick, an investigation of the frauds alleged to have been used by the sugar trusts in the state will be made.

Kills Her Foe of 20 Years.

"The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan of Haynesville, Mo., "was dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and several doctors gave me up, I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 70 years old and I am overjoyed to get my health and strength back again." For indigestion, loss of appetite, kidney trouble, lame back, female complaints, it's unequalled. Only 50c at all druggists.



RIDE

Via.

THE

SCHOOLS TEACHING
MEANS OF AVIATION

Many Newspapers Are Carrying Announcements of Institutions Desiring to Teach Management.

Publishers' Press.

Paris, Nov. 15.—The recent airship contests near Paris and the later ones at Doncaster in England have served to greatly increase public interest in the subject of aerial navigation. As the result of this, many newspapers are now publishing advertisements of schools of aviation where instruction in the management of airships is given by competent instructors. New and second hand aeroplanes are also extensively advertised. It seems safe to predict, therefore, that in the course of a few years, when the speed and safety of airships has been more assured that aviation will take the place of automobilism as a popular means of travel.

Several interesting works on aerial navigation have just appeared, the most important of which is by Alphonse Berget, and is entitled "The Conquest of the Air." The author discusses almost every phase of aerial navigation and its possible future.

In the course of this book, Mr. Berget takes up the question of the respective merits of balloons and airships, and goes on to say: "When it is necessary to travel very rapidly, when, above all, progressive development has assured the perfect security of aviation apparatus, one will have recourse to the aeroplane, and without doubt we shall see 'aeroplane liners' of huge dimensions, carrying numerous passengers, securing sustentation with nothing but their enormous speeds. But these velocities would be truly attended with dangers in case of landing, or, above all, a 'mishap' to the machine, because, if the apparatus sustains itself by great speed, it would not have sufficient supporting surface to keep soaring without the motor. Perhaps for this reason aeroplane liners will be reserved even for transatlantic passages, as the 'hull' with which they must necessarily be equipped will render landing less dangerous upon the water. Transatlantic journeys would then be made at speeds

exceeding 200 kilometers per hour; that is to say, one would travel from Europe to the United States in a single day!"

Hard Job.

"It is a sight harder to find a house in San Angelo than it is to get running orders for real freight," is the way Col. Joseph P. O'Donnell, the newly appointed and perfectly affable commercial agent of the Orient road, begs leave to make a bow. "I know I have spent hours of search and days of anxiety on this subject and I know that I am still perfectly houseless as far as this city is concerned. But, after all, don't you know, this isn't a bad fix for a place to be in. It is a sight better for a stranger to come here and find that he can't find a house to live in, without going to some searching trouble, than it is for one to come and find himself faced by 'for rent' signs at every turn."

"I rather like this place and I know when I learn the people better I will catch the fever and, like every one else who has lived here for any length of time, I shall fall in love with San Angelo."

A Scalded Boy's Shrieks

horrified his grandmother, Mrs. Maria Taylor of Nebo, Ky., who writes that when all though he would die, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Infalible for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, corns, wounds. Cures fever sores, boils, skin eruptions, chilblains, chapped hands. Soon routs piles. 25c at all druggists.

POPE.

Episcopal Jubilee Is Celebrated at Rome Tuesday.

Rome, Nov. 16.—The pope celebrated the Episcopal jubilee today by saying mass in his private chapel. This observance was due to the fact that he was consecrated a bishop twenty-five years ago.

Millionaire Dies.

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—Charles Crittenton, founder of the Florence Crittenton missions for women and a millionaire philanthropist, died here today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Balfanz left Tuesday afternoon for Ballinger to attend the semi-annual meeting of the ConchoColorado Odd Fellows at Ballinger.

Orient Magazine.

The San Angelo edition of the Orient Magazine, a publication compiled by the Orient railway and distributed in every part of the United States, is soon to be issued, and Mr. Holmer, the advertising manager of the magazine, is now in San Angelo securing information on several subjects which are to appear in the November edition.

The Orient railway is doing much toward the upbuilding of San Angelo, Tom Green county and the country bordering, and it is preparing to such a great number of new residents into this section during the coming winter. The marvelous growth of San Angelo will be told in full in the November issue of the Orient, and articles will be written about many incidents connected with the city's growth.

Young Girls Are Victims

of headaches, as well as older women, but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25c at all druggists.

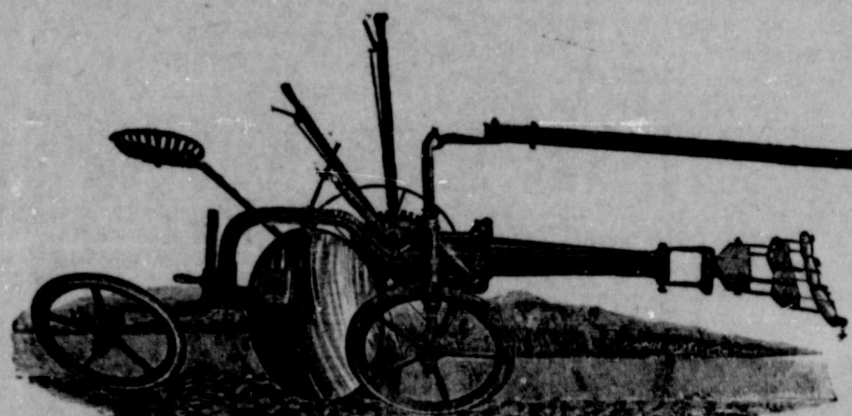
R. L. Foster left for Coleman Tuesday on business.

"THE PEERLESS"
One Man
SAND CEMENT
Brick Machine

Make your own brick. Build your own house. Be independent. Write for price and circular describing how it can be done.

303 Commerce St.

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High Price Cotton And LOW PRICE PLOWS

Both are money makers. Don't miss the chance of buying. The following lines

AT COST

Sulky Plows: Bradley New Cassady, Oliver Cassady, P. & O. success;

Disc Plows: Canton, Racine, Hancock.

Acme Harrows. Best Line of Cultivators in the City.

Crowther Hardware

It Is Only About a Month Before Christmas



Roberts & Roberts Suggests

commence NOW to do your Christmas shopping. We offer you the largest, and without doubt, the best selected stock of—

Holiday Jewelry

ever shown west of Fort Worth. Talk to us about Watches. We are the Watch House of San Angelo. Waltham, Howard, Elgin, Hamilton, Rockford and others. A wonderful variety, of the choicest products of art prevail in our Jewelry Department. Our loose and mounted diamond stock offers special inducements. Special attention given repair work.

ROBERTS & ROBERTS

Finest Jewelry Store in West Texas

JUDGE BARTHOLOMEW TELLS OF WEST TEXAS CONGRESS

Anson, Texas, November 16.—The following address was delivered Tuesday by W. T. Bartholomew of San Angelo, before the meeting of the Central West Texas Association of Commercial Clubs here, on the subject of "The West Texas Development Congress—Its Aims and Objects":

Development Congress.
"The aims and objects of the West Texas Development Congress have been given in these brief words: To promote and form one general, central organization by and through which the united efforts of all the people and localities may be intelligently directed to the two fold and common end of developing the resources and improving the material and economic conditions of all the West. The territory west of the 98th meridian is the only part of the domain of the great state of Texas which remains unpeopled, unsettled and undeveloped. For well nigh a century the forces of civilization, railroads and government, have combined to develop that great portion of Texas east of the 98th meridian, and the wonderful results of these combined influences are registered today by the existence in that territory of highly cultivated lands, intelligent people, splendid schools and colleges, a network of trunk lines of railway, and great commercial centers, and no people rejoice more at the present state of enlightenment, culture and commercial advantage, of that part of this great state than the people of the West do, for in deed and in truth, the greater number of us are of the flesh and blood of the big-hearted and broad-minded manhood of that section. It is, therefore, not for the purpose of antagonizing our thickly settled brothers of the East that we propose to form this Congress, but it is for the purpose of informing them of our wonderful resources and our great economic needs, to the end that we may ask their counsel and their assistance in developing the one and in securing the other. But, notwithstanding the highly developed state of North, East and South Texas, it is claimed that the resources of those portions are even yet undeveloped. In a recent editorial, the Dallas News observed that 'Those who have watched the rapid development of Texas closest are strongest in the belief that in spite of the wonderful transformation that has taken place, the country is yet in its infancy. What has already been accomplished is quite enough to attract the attention of the world, but it is indeed a small improvement when compared to the possible results, so broad and unlimited are the opportunities afforded.'

Other Subjects.
"In addition to the above, there have been and there will be, many more subjects suggested and considered. Among those which have been added and which the committee have ever had in mind, are:
6. "The promotion of the live stock industry with particular reference to the raising of cattle, sheep and hogs. These industries have their own central organizations, which have done much, and will do more, to protect their interests, but one needs only to study the conditions and needs of these industries to conclude that there is still much needed to be done.
7. "The development of the mineral resources of West Texas.
8. "The consideration of the fuel problem."

"It is not within my province to name, for I do not know, all the subjects which will be considered by the Congress, for when the Congress convenes, from that time, the accredited delegates on the floor will control, and properly so. I can now only undertake to give you the subjects, the needed consideration of which promoted this movement, and of which you and the public are entitled to know."

Legislation.
"However, while the above are some, they cannot be all the question which the Congress could well deliberate over. Among others, not specifically mentioned, is the vital subjects of general legislation. The economic conditions and needs of the West are universally misunderstood, which fact has, and will continue as long as this misunderstanding exists, to result on the one hand in needed legislation being denied, and, on the other, in the enactment of laws inimical to our interests. Therefore, the committee believes that this Congress should address itself to the consideration of such measures as will affect the West, or any part of it, and which has been or might hereafter be, proposed for legislative enactment, believing that no right thinking man would gainsay our people the right to inform the legislature or congress of their conditions and needs. For example:
"Who would question a sincere and patriotic effort to secure, for the benefit of the small and large farmer of the West, a series of experimental farms?
"Over much of the territory to be covered by this congress, the best method of producing from the soil are almost entirely unknown, and the average farmer, who moves to the West, or from foreign states, usually finds himself, when he is settled, without means with which to engage in experiments for two or three years before he can obtain the best results from his land, and for one, it is my opinion that it is the highest duty of the state to give to the people, free of cost, the scientific methods which are required by the department of agriculture of the state."

Yet In Its Infancy.
"If it is true, as we think it is, that Texas, as a whole, is yet in its infancy, as regards its development, then it must be certain that West Texas has been 'conceived of the Holy Ghost, but not yet born of the Virgin Mary.'
"In the address to the people of West Texas, issued by the general committee, these subjects were mentioned as among those which would be proposed for the consideration of the Congress:
1. "The bringing of the West closer together in this one general organization, through which united effort could take the place of individual action.
2. "The dissemination of such information, concerning the resources, material conditions, and economic needs of the West, as will promote a thorough understanding among thinking people everywhere, and especially our fellow citizens of North, East and South Texas, in the hope, as a consequence, of attracting their attention and promoting a still more friendly feeling on their part for the West.
3. "The more speedy importation of farmers and capital. Farmers for the conversion of our prairies, valleys and plains into farms and dotting them with church houses and school buildings, realizing that, in the end, the well being of every community must largely, if not almost entirely, depend upon the agricultural or farming class; and, capital to assist in the installation of our much needed public utilities and the building of necessary public institutions.
4. "The encouragement of railroad building through out the West. An observation of the map will disclose to the one familiar with the conditions of the West, the unfortunate truth that vast regions of our country, large as some of the states of the Union, are devoid of producing as the soil is capable of producing, by barrenness, or by lack of railroad facilities for marketing purposes."

5. "The improvement of our educational conditions. In the towns and cities of West Texas, the best schools of the state are found, but the thinly settled condition of the country between makes it almost impossible for the farmer or ranchman of moderate means to properly educate his children.
6. "To devise a plan whereby the roads and public highways in general may be uniformly improved. While those we have are perhaps the best nature has given any country, yet, by well concerted, well directed efforts they could be improved, and when improved uniformly, would become the equal of the great highways of England which cost the government and the people untold millions.
7. "The promotion and encouragement of irrigation, where needed. Some parts of the West contain territory which, with proper advantages of irrigation, have become, and other parts, with the same advantages, would become, as fertile as the valley of the Mississippi, with proper seasons. But, by reason of the lack of people and influence, it has taken long years of constant labor to secure this advantage for those few places now enjoying it, and without assistance, will require many more years of equal efforts to secure the advantages for those places which could, and should, have them."

Forced Into Exile.
Wm. Upchurch of Glen Oak, Okla., was an exile from home. Mountain air, he thought, would cure a frightful lung-racking cough that had defied all remedies for two years. After six months he returned, death dogging his steps. "Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery," he writes, "and after taking six bottles I am as well as ever." It saves thousands yearly from desperate lung diseases. Infallible for coughs and colds, it dispels hoarseness and sore throat. Cures grip, bronchitis, hemorrhages, asthma, croup, whooping cough. 50c and \$1.00; trial bottle free, guaranteed by all druggists.

F. HOPKINSON SMITH.
Famous Writer Thinks Cook the Only Discoverer of Pole.
New York, Nov. 13.—"Sure Cook discovered the North Pole. He's a friend of mine and I know him to be truthful."
This was the statement of F. Hopkinson Smith, the famous author, who arrived today from Europe. Relative to the Cook-Pearry controversy, he continued:
"Pearry might have discovered the Pole, also, but his actions certainly do not denote such."

Not a Candidate.
Special to The Press-News.
Sherman, Nov. 16.—Speaker John Marshall, of Whitesboro, today announced that he will not again be a candidate for the legislature. Private business, he says, demands all of his time.

Lightfoot Named.
Austin, Nov. 16.—Jewel P. Lightfoot was today appointed first assistant attorney general, to succeed R. V. Davidson, who has announced that he will resign January 1, in order to make the race for governor.

DELEGATES TO TEXAS SYNOD NOW ARRIVING
(Continued From Page 1.)
two depots waiting to extend the delegates a cordial welcome and their arrival, and to see that they are entertained properly during their stay.
Everything is in readiness for the gathering at the church Wednesday night, when Dr. Robert Hill will deliver the opening address. This is to be followed by the election of Synod officers.
A committee is yet working on the program for the session, and it will not be completed until Wednesday afternoon. The leading members of this committee reside at Ballinger, and their arrival is expected Wednesday morning.
The following is taken from the Houston Chronicle:
On Monday and Tuesday local Presbyterian ministers are leaving for the session of the Synod to be held in San Angelo this week. Dr. William States Jacobs, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who is on the program, will leave on Tuesday night. Dr. Jacobs says that the question of properly equipping the educational institutions of the church in Texas and especially Daniel Baker College at Brownwood, will be taken up in earnest and that the church is now coming to the relief of the struggling schools. Brownwood is located within 15 miles of the geographical center of the state, and the college there is of a grade and character that makes it deserving of far more support than has heretofore been given it, and it will form a strategic point for the Presbyterians in their campaign for the winning of the West.
Mr. J. Lewis Thompson will attend the Synod as a lay delegate from the

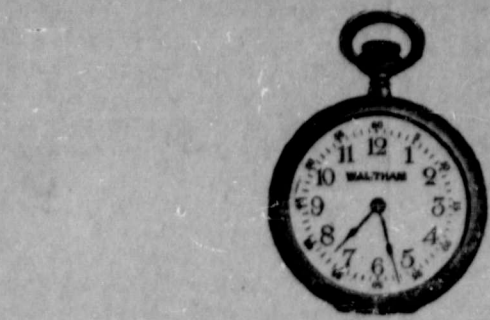
Unsatifactory.
Publishers' Press.
Copenhagen, Nov. 15.—The social interest in Sweden has not been good for business and the situation in that country is not at all satisfactory from a business standpoint. The socialistic element is still active and while the labor situation is not so acute as it has been, the outlook is still threatening and a recurrence of the recent violent outbreaks is not at all improbable.
It is claimed that the demands of the labor leaders in the way of hours and wages are out of all reason and can only be granted by the employers in a majority of cases by doing business at an actual loss. The authorities are determined that order shall be preserved and any further outbreaks will be sternly repressed.

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On Buying a Watch

There are two important things to think about in buying a watch—one is the "make" of the watch and the other is the Jeweler who sells it to you.

The right watch for you is worth all it costs. The right Jeweler for you is the one that has the best Make of watches and who will take a personal interest—advising you HONESTLY as to the selection of the case, movement, etc., best suited to your needs.

You want all you pay for. The man who gets less is the one who shops around with the one idea of price in his mind. He always finds somebody to sell him a slightly inferior watch at a slightly inferior price.

When you get ready for a watch—or in fact anything in the way of jewelry—remember we have the largest and best selected stock in the city, and our prices you will find as low as honest goods can be sold.

H. D. LEFFEL, Jeweler

The Tiffany of San Angelo

Fine Repairing a Specialty

congressmen, looking to the establishment of conditioning plants, whereby, as I understand the measure, all wool will be inspected and classified by a government expert and which inspection and classification will be recognized by the buyer of the product. Such a measure goes to the very vital of the industry, for good and for bad. If good, and the sheep men of the West should say that it would be good, that it would bring about a more honest and accurate and uniform classification, then it would not be right for the neighbors of the sheep men to assist them in securing this legislation. If they say it is bad, then it is equally true that it would be right for the neighbors of the sheep men to volunteer in the resistance of such legislation.

"If, therefore, this Congress, through proper committees and otherwise, should attain one of these old important ends, its labors will not have been in vain, but there is no argument and no showing of facts which will discourage the patriotic purpose of those public spirited citizens who are behind this great movement. While their ends are commercial, their cause is none the less patriotic, and their zeal and enthusiasm will not abate, but they are now, and they will continue, to spend their money, their time and their energy, in arousing the interest of all the West in the undertaking, and in bringing sane and sensible men to realize that our conditions are such as to demand common, united and intellectual effort. The Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, along the lines of which this movement is being patterned, has left strewn in the pathway of its progress great public achievements, such as internal improvements and legislative enactments, which will serve as monuments to that great body and men who compose it, marking, at it were, in the order of their attainment, the

years through which it and they have passed and no citizen, well informed and public spirited, who possesses a thorough understanding of our aims and objects, has once doubted that the West Texas Development Congress can accomplish for the West all, if not more, than the Trans-Mississippi Congress has accomplished for its territory."

Many school children suffer from constipation, which is often the cause of seeming stupidity at lessons. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are an ideal medicine to give a child, for they are mild and gentle in their effect, and will cure even chronic constipation. Sold by all dealers.
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Unsatisfactory.
Publishers' Press.
Copenhagen, Nov. 15.—The social interest in Sweden has not been good for business and the situation in that country is not at all satisfactory from a business standpoint. The socialistic element is still active and while the labor situation is not so acute as it has been, the outlook is still threatening and a recurrence of the recent violent outbreaks is not at all improbable.
It is claimed that the demands of the labor leaders in the way of hours and wages are out of all reason and can only be granted by the employers in a majority of cases by doing business at an actual loss. The authorities are determined that order shall be preserved and any further outbreaks will be sternly repressed.

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OUR HIRED HESSIANS.

Even at the risk of being tiresome, permit The Press-News to again take up the cudgel in behalf of home and country. The Standard of Monday, in a lame and halting defense of the state constabulary, which fills the same function in Texas that the British redcoats once filled in Ireland, uses the following language:

"Captain Ross with his company of Rangers has been stationed in Amarillo, and while in the discharge of their duty in the arrest of bootleggers, gamblers and other violators of the law, they incurred the fierce and consuming wrath of the lawbreakers and their sympathizers, not only in Potter county, but in other sections of the state. A number of the big dailies that are opposed to the Rangers and are ferocious, the governor, have seized upon the occasion to lambast the Rangers, denounce the system and raise hades generally."

It has been written in letters of living fire, "The fool in his heart hath said there is no God."

In a document that has been hallowed and not destroyed by time it is set forth in an indictment against King George III:

"He has kept among us, in times of peace, standing armies without the consent of our legislatures."

The king of Great Britain was excommunicated—"For quartering large bodies of armed troops among us."

The Press-News holds there is a striking analogy between the actions of King George and the actions of Gov. Campbell.

The Press-News maintains that keeping armed state rangers among a peaceful people is a challenge to the ability of such a people to exercise the functions of a free people.

The Press-News acquits Gov. Campbell of being responsible for the ranger force; but it charges him with perverting the purposes of the ranger force to ends that are repugnant to a free people and dangerous to their liberties.

The Press-News denounces the efforts made in the name of law and order to Cossack Texas; or to deal out to the people of this state the doses that England has given Ireland.

The ranger force, a standing stigma upon the patriotism of Amarillo and a constant menace to the peace of a free people, was kept at Amarillo for months and months. The grand jury met and reported no violations of the law. And at once the hue and cry goes up that the ranger force did not break the laws. If the people there have been violating the laws, the grand jury would have so reported. If the people there were not violating the laws, why were rangers stationed there?

"He kept among us, in times of peace, standing armies, without the consent of our legislatures." Aye, Gov. Campbell kept among the people of Amarillo in times of peace an armed force, without the consent of the people of that place.

King George was denounced for "quartering large bodies of armed troops among us." Aye, and Gov. Campbell should be denounced for quartering armed bodies of troops among the peaceful people of Amarillo.

The ranger force was organized to protect the frontier. It has been prostituted into overawing a free people.

The Press-News knows the people of Tom Green county are competent to fill all the functions of a free people. The Press-News believes the people of Amarillo are just as competent.

The ranger force performed valiant deeds in protecting the frontier. The ranger force is a menace to a free people when it becomes an instrument of persecution, instead of being the means of a protection.

The times have passed when the needs of such a constabulary are upon us. It should be wiped from the face of the earth.

A study of the constitution of the United States is fit food for all peo-

ple. A study of the Declaration of independence is an inspiration to all lovers of liberty. The Press-News commends these ancient, but highly honorable documents, as pabulum fit for those who live in darkness to feed upon.

LEND A HAND.

The Press-News has the greatest faith in the committee having charge of the initial meeting of the West Texas Development Congress, which will be held in this city on December 6.

Out of this confidence comes the thought that the entire population of this city ought to show by their works they have the same implicit confidence in this committee.

This Congress will be a great success, or a matter of indifferent importance, only as the people become aroused to the possibilities that are presented by this conference.

The Press-News desires to urge upon the people of this city the great importance of exhibiting a more manifest interest in the success of this movement.

East Texas and Central Texas are already better acquainted with the possibilities of this movement than are many of the leading citizens of San Angelo. This is an unnatural order of things.

Let's wake up. Let's "put more ginger in it." We can all ride in the band wagon. And the riding is delightful. A strong pull and a pull all together will move even mountains.

The meeting at Abilene on November 22 ought to attract at least 50 citizens of this place. Won't you arrange to go?

PAVE CHADBOURNE STREET.

The Press-News has ample authority for the statement that the fact that Chadbourne street is not paved caused, and is still causing, a railroad proposition of the greatest magnitude to be hanging fire.

The Press-News knows that when a railroad official first visits a place his initial impression is the result of his first observations. The Press-News knows that during the last year a railroad official of high standing visited San Angelo and that the first impression he received of this city was unfavorable—all because he saw the kopies and velts, instead of pavement on Chadbourne street. This one fact has delayed the railroad in question reaching the decision to build into this city—and end which we all here so devoutly wished to be the case.

It is the little things, after all, that count. A sentence without punctuation, or capitalization, would not be greatly intelligent. A railroad in figuring on the future of a place, naturally figures on how the new comers will be impressed.

Catch the point? Gather the drift? Let's pave Chadbourne street.

THE WEST TEXAS CONGRESS.

Gradually the full importance of the West Texas Development Congress, which will be held in San Angelo December 6, is being realized and present indications are that a good attendance will testify to the growing interest in the movement. Certainly if it receives the support it deserves, San Angelo will be crowded on that day.

May the West Texas Congress be a success not only at San Angelo, but at every other place where future sessions are held.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

PAVE CHADBOURNE STREET.

Incidentally the man who expects a combination angel and vigilant performer for \$36 a month, the wages paid convict guards, is barking up the wrong tree.

Notwithstanding the flattering prospects of the Now, The Press-News again asserts that the best means of securing a packing house is for the people of San Angelo to conduct a "Raise Hogs" campaign.

Another rain in the Concho country this year will cause the banks to telegraph orders for money boxes to hold forty million dollars cash, to be sent in train lots. The Lord is good to the people who help themselves. Build up an interest in the West Texas Development Congress.

The difference between a booster and a builder is this: The booster uses wind, the builder uses brick.

When you read in The Press-News of a three-story brick house being built on a lot that costs \$273, you may know that fiction is stranger than truth. The Press-News insists that a part of its function is to keep the record straight.

SIXTEEN BELOW.

Hayre, Mont., Nov. 15.—Sixteen degrees was reached by the mercury today, making a new record.

STILES DESIRES RAIL CONNECTION

PROGRESSIVE REAGAN COUNTY TOWN ASKS AID.

EIGHTY MILES TO WEST

H. E. Mason Writes That His City Will Raise Big Bonus Should Road Come That Way.

"We want a railroad," writes H. E. Mason, a leading citizen of Stiles, to the secretary of the San Angelo Business club, and, further, he speaks for the citizens of that little burg in asking the assistance of San Angelo business men in securing connection for his city with San Angelo.

"Any railroad company could secure all sorts of bonuses between San Angelo and Stiles, and we must have connection," he continues. He asks that the letter be considered by the Business club at its next meeting.

Stiles is the county seat of Reagan county, located eighty miles directly west of San Angelo. That section is entirely devoid of railway connection with the outer world. The Middle Concho runs near Stiles and the surrounding country contains rich farming soil.

Monument.

Publishers Press.
Rome, Nov. 15.—A monument is to be erected at Frascati, near Rome, to Cardinal Massala, who spent the best part of his life in Abyssinia, and was several times imprisoned and mistreated by King Theodore. Emperor Menelik was, on the other hand, his friend and figures among those who have subscribed toward the cost of the monument at Frascati.

Father Massala belonged to the order of Capuchins, and was so highly esteemed by Leo XIII that the latter made him a cardinal in 1884. Members of the Italian royal family do not usually associate themselves with honors paid to modern ecclesiastics, and it is therefore noteworthy that the king of Italy's uncle, the duke of Genoa, was one of the executive committee appointed to carry out the project of perpetuating in marble the memory of the late venerable missionary.

SOUTH TEXAS OIL FIELDS ACTIVE

OPERATIONS AT SARATOGA, SOUR LAKE, SPINDLETOP RENEWED.

NEW GUSHERS FOUND

Scientists Say Seismic Disturbance in Gulf Bed Caused Agitation of Oil Inlandward.

Publishers Press.

Galveston, Nov. 15.—After being in a more or less exhausted state for some time, the Saratoga, Sour Lake and Spindletop oil fields are again oozing oil and operations on them have been renewed with considerable vigor and with some profit. Spindletop field has more holes to the square rod on it than any other field in the world, and if there is any oil to be gotten, it is an easy matter to find a hole to take it from.

Scientists say that seismic disturbances in the bed of the gulf recently has agitated the oil inlandward and has forced the gas to the oil fields.

In addition to the oil wells being worked, four new gushers, that materially extended the proven fields, have been brought in.

Guard your kidneys; the health of the body depends on those small but important organs. They extract uric acid from the blood which, if allowed to remain in the system, would cause dropsy and Bright's disease. Prickly Ash Bitters is a successful kidney tonic; it heals and strengthens the kidneys, regulates the liver, stimulates the stomach and digestion, cleanses the bowels. It will prevent or cure Bright's disease. Central Drug Store, special agent.

NO PELLAGRA IN SAN ANGELO

LOCAL PHYSICIANS UNABLE TO FIND A SINGLE CASE.

HOOKWORM IS ABSENT

Physician Doubts the Statement That There Are 2,000,000 Cases of Pellagra in United States.

San Angelo physicians have been unable so far to discover a single case of pellagra or hookworm in Tom Green county and it is the general belief that these two maladies, said to be prominent in all parts of the south, are entirely unknown here.

Pellagra is a disease from which people may have perfect immunity by eating fresh meal. It is caused by molded corn meal. When a case of this sets in it is invariably fatal. A physician in San Antonio Thursday declared that more than 2,000,000 cases of pellagra existed in the United States.

A San Angelo physician thinks this statement extremely unreasonable. Another physician in San Antonio on the same date said that there were approximately 2000 people in this country afflicted with the disease.

John D. Rockefeller has recently appropriated a million dollars with which to stamp out the "hookworm" in the south.

Takes Recess.

Publishers Press.
Washington, Nov. 15.—The supreme court today recessed until Nov. 29. It is generally thought that the president will have named a successor to the late Justice Peckham by the time the court reconvenes.

PROCLAMATION.

Taft Agrees That Nov. 25 Is Turkey Eating Time.

Publishers Press.
Washington, Nov. 15.—President Taft today declared that the American people ought to return thanks on Nov. 25. There was never any doubt about this proclamation being issued. The turkey market was not affected in the least by the issuance of the proclamation.

LUCKY.

El Paso Man Man Falls Into An Excavation of \$500,000.
Special to The Press-News.

El Paso, Nov. 15.—Charles L. Bock, a local contractor, this afternoon was advised from Spain that through the death of Antonio Blanco he is left a fortune of five hundred thousand dollars.

Blanco's mother was Miss Mary Bock, a fourth cousin of the El Paso man.

Strong Feeling.

Publishers Press.
Calcutta, Nov. 15.—Among the European element here, there is a strong feeling that vigorous measures should be adopted in order to put a stop to the disorderly conduct of the Bengali students, who are exciting the lower elements of the Calcutta natives. For several days the students persisted in attacking and insulting the street car conductor, who declared that the students refused to pay their fares. Assaults and scuffles took place in consequence in various sections of the city. One night in the course of a scuffle between some students and the tramway employees, a student stabbed a conductor on a car, and, with the help of other students, flung him into the street. The next day 200 conductors threatened to strike unless they were afforded police protection. The line between the Esplanade and Balliakhatta, running through the heart of the city, was subsequently patrolled by police. The only student arrested was one seized by a European. The students jumped on the cars, assaulted the conductors, and then disappeared down side streets. The passer-by refused to help the police to capture them. As a result of this rowdiness a general feeling of unrest prevails.

Stuart Funeral.

Publishers Press.
New York, Nov. 15.—The funeral of Dan Stuart, formerly a Texas cowboy, was held today.

It was Stuart who sought to have Corbett and Fitzsimmons fight at Dallas, Texas, and he had the arrangements made when a special bill was passed by the legislature, killing the scheme. He lived at 440 West End avenue.

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COSTS HALF MILLION

Rice Straw to Be Used as Raw Material—Not a Cent Is to Be Asked as a Bonus.

Publishers Press.
Port Arthur, Tex., Nov. 15.—John W. Gates, who got famous after he had made a swag of money by offering to "bet a million," today authorized the erection at his expense of a paper mill here to cost a half million dollars. He never asked for a penny bonus from the town.

Rice straw will be used as the material, and Mr. Gates is confident that he will be able not only to make a little spending money out of the venture, but that he will be of some financial assistance to the rice growers.

Mr. Gates is doing a lot for this place. Among other things he has built a hospital and has endowed a business college. His private beneficence here will run into the thousands of dollars. He is really quite popular in Port Arthur.

All at Sea.

Publishers Press.
Madrid, Nov. 15.—Eminent legists here have been pointing out for the edification of orators and writers who in various countries have been making personal attacks on the Spanish sovereigns, that they are all at sea as regards King Alfonso's prerogative of mercy. In accordance with the Spanish constitution, the monarch has theoretically the right to pardon condemned criminals, but this right cannot be exercised even in regard to crimes at common law and minor offenses, unless the pardon is proposed with the sanction of the government by the Judicial Council. In the case of Senor Ferrer the government did not think it desirable to recommend him to the clemency of the sovereign, one of the prime reasons being that it would have looked like yielding to menaces from abroad. The king himself could not have taken the initiative without doing violence to the constitution, and is therefore completely absolved from all responsibility.

Cos-Hart Cigar of Merit 5c.

China Advancing.

Publishers Press.
Peking, Nov. 15.—China has now got local government. The provincial assemblies have met for the first time, and if they thrive they will make possible the successful working of a few years hence of a parliament at Peking. Yuan-Chih-Kai is being pressed by the Prince Regent and the Manchu Gahal to return to office. The foremost man in China prefers to bide the moment that will restore him not merely to normal position, but to full power. He was sent into retirement on a charge of "rheumatism in the leg."

He now solemnly assures the repentant Grand Council that he finds himself compelled to nurse his leg for some time to come.

It's a Girl.

A bouncing baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Fields Monday.

SCIENTISTS MAY FIRE ANTAGONIST

MRS. AUGUSTA STETSON ON TRIAL FOR "MENTAL MALPRACTICE."

OTHER CHARGES ALSO

She Violated Tenets of the Church, and Thereby Caused Controversy With Mrs. Eddy.

Boston, Nov. 15.—Mrs. Augusta Stetson, the leader of the antagonistic wing of the Christian Science church, that of late has been engaged in a more or less heated controversy with some of the church leaders close to "Mother" Eddy, is here to stand trial before the ecclesiastical court of that faith on charges that she violated the tenets of the church and of "mental malpractice."

The disagreements that have led to this trial have caused great interest in Christian Science circles and have been provocative of considerable feeling among members of that faith.

The general surmise here is that Mrs. Stetson will be forced from the faith.

MOHAIR.

Fifteen Hundred Pounds of Fleece Received Monday.

Fifteen hundred pounds of mohair was received Monday by the Central Wool Growers' Storage company, from T. O. Word of Sutton county, and this, when added to the other in storage, increases the amount to 40,000 pounds, although the greater portion of this has already been sold, and it will be shipped to the buyers on the return of Mr. Sayers from San Antonio.

There is something like 3000,000 pounds of wool now in storage, and the company is negotiating its sale. The remaining amount of this season's clip will not exceed 50,000, but this will be received before the sale is made, during the next ten days.

Sultan Censured.

Paris, Nov. 15.—There are signs that France is about to take energetic measures to deal very sternly with the sultan of Morocco. He seems to have given very serious reasons for complaint quite apart from the Rhoqi affair. In the Garb Regn his kais have imprisoned and maltreated persons under French protection. In the Taflet country caravans have been pillaged and travelers killed. On the Algerian frontier Muley Haïd's intrigues have created a dangerous state of things.

No Guess Coming.

"Give it up," said Postmaster Blanchard when asked Monday if he could guess when the mail service over the Orient would likely start. Postmaster Blanchard is ready for the service to start and the postoffice department at Washington on October 26 last gave the word go to the railroad to begin. The matter is being held up by the Orient, but the reason for it is not known here.

Never Again.

Miss Lella March, daughter of John Abe March, returned Sunday from an extended absence from home. She is much improved in health and she just vows and affirms that she will never, never, never leave San Angelo again.

SNOW FALLS IN PANHANDLE AND COLD RAIN HERE

WEATHER CONDITIONS IN SEVERAL STATES SUDDENLY
CHANGED SATURDAY.

SNOW STORM IN DENVER GREATEST OF SEASON

Section Around San Angelo Is Given
Heavy Rain and Weather Much
Colder, But It Is Welcomed
By Farmers and Ranchers.

This section of the country Saturday was given rainfall to the extent of half an inch, perhaps, and while the rain was accompanied by briskly cool winds and the weather conditions following were considerably cooler, it was comparatively light compared to the weather the Texas Panhandle and the Central West experienced during the last thirty-six hours.

Starting in the vicinity of Denver, where the heaviest snow storm of the season was experienced, the wave swept eastward through the northern part of Texas and the rainfall and cooler weather that this section received came from that wave.

In the Panhandle and also in Central Texas snow fell. In the former country it was heavy. While reports give no account of damage to farming and cattle interests in these sections, the coming of snow so soon was entirely unexpected, and that damage to some extent was caused is certain.

In the vicinity of San Angelo the rainfall was gladly welcomed by the farmers and cattlemen. As the sheepmen of this section discontinued shearing several days ago, it is thought that cooler weather will have no damaging effect upon their herds.

Exceptionally brisk weather prevailed in San Angelo Saturday night and stoves and furnaces not brought into service in celebration of one of the first chilly events of the season were given a legal commission to do so then.

A report from Dallas Saturday night says: "A decided drop in the temperature followed a heavy downpour of rain and the effects of the first real winter are becoming intense. In Dallas, Dyer, Sherman and Denton the rainfall was the heaviest of the season."

All steamships arriving in New York today experienced heavy gales on the Atlantic, and they also passed through the storm which devastated the West Indies.

A damaging storm also visited the Turk Islands, in the Bahamas, and from the very latest reports from

there Saturday night the damage caused was immense, and many were hurt.

Suez Canal.

Paris, Nov. 15.—The Bourse Egyptianienne confirms the reports which have been in circulation that the Egyptian government and the Suez Canal company have concluded negotiations for the prolongation of the concession in view of which the canal is worked. The original lease dated from the opening of the canal in 1869, and was for a term of 99 years. This period is now increased for a term of 41 years so that the waterway will not revert to the Egyptian government until 2012, a long time to look forward to. The fifth stage in the annual profits, an excellent piece of business for the terms of the new contract are \$11,000,000 cash down, to be paid to Egypt, and Egyptian treasury, which will benefit substantially. Summed up, the actual state of things is guaranteed for this century and prolonged into the next.

Successful.

Constantinople, Nov. 15.—The successful negotiation of the new loan, without reference to the guarantee of public debt has caused sincere satisfaction along all classes, and it is regarded as the brilliant and friendly work of British and French financiers. As for the manner in which the payment of the loan has been arranged, it seems that the Ottoman Bank has handed over to the Turkish minister of Finance two millions and a half Turkish pounds, and that the balance will be settled at the rate of a million pounds, every month. In this way David Pasha will soon have in the \$25,000,000 which he asked for.

Beautiful.

"What a beautiful country is this Western part of Texas," said Geo. T. Willis, from Atlanta, Ga.

"This is my first visit to Texas and I am greatly surprised to find such a great country, especially out here in the West. The people back where I live are always talking about Texas and West Texas. I know a few men there who have been in San Angelo, and they told me what a great city it was, but I did not believe them. It is exactly what they have represented and I believe, better."

"A few years ago my father came to Texas and is now living at Hillsboro and is a farmer. He has, since he left Georgia, been making greater progress and having better success in farming than ever before. The soil in Georgia is precisely the same as this country affords, and I feel safe in saying that West Texas around San Angelo will in a few years equal that of Georgia. The vast amount of tillable land here in this part of Texas is enough to produce enough cotton to supply the world."

JOHNSON-JEFFRIES.

Australia Offers \$75,000 for Boat, But Johnson Won't Go There.

Sydney, Australia, Nov. 15.—Hugh McIntosh, the flight promoter, today offered \$75,000 for the Jeffries-Johnson boat. Johnson has declared that he won't come to Australia.

Let The Press-News get it for you.

SWISS HOLLIGAN TAUGHT LESSON BY PLUCKY GIRL

Publishers Press.

Geneva, Nov. 15.—A big Swiss holligan, who was insulting and following ladies in one of the principal streets of Nanchatel, met with an unpleasant surprise when he attempted the same tactics on two young American girls visiting the town.

The taller of the two handed over her satchel, umbrella and gloves to her friend, and turning round, attacked the holligan with her bare fists, knocking him down on the pavement with a shower of well-directed blows on the face. Then she joined her companion, and the couple walked away calmly to their hotel.

To escape the jeering crowd the holligan, with bleeding nose, staggered into a cafe, after having received a splendid lesson in politeness.

Stocks.

New York, Nov. 15.—The stock market was strong and active today and considerable vigor was at times displayed. Heavy orders forced up the Gould stocks and Western Union approximately three points and this led to reports that the Goulds are in danger of being unmoored in their remaining properties. Movements in Utah and Tennessee copper stocks were irregular, but manifest. But little Amalgamated Copper was offered for sale and trading in this staple was small. American Smelting advanced 2 points and ruled strong during the entire day.

The movement of copper stocks has demonstrated there is a big merger of these industrials on tap, but no statement of contemplated plans has yet been given the public.

The features of the day's trading were the movements of Western Union and the slight concessions made in Union Pacific, Reading and Steel common. The market closed healthy and strong and with an upward undertone.

Government bonds remained unchanged, but industrial and other bonds ruled with strength and considerable trading in them was done. Call money was about 5 per cent during the entire day.

CAIRO.

Everything Quiet There and Troops Orders Are to Leave.

Cairo, Nov. 15.—Following the sensations here during the past week, the city is absolutely quiet and officials have no further trouble. A rigid investigation of the affair is being made.

The troops which came from Springfield, stayed here only a few hours and orders were received today to move out of the city.

J. S. Cosgrave of the Cos-Hart drug store is a business visitor to San Antonio.

ROYAL LADIES HONORED BY ADMIRAL TITLE

Publishers Press.

Copenhagen, Nov. 15.—Several royal ladies have had the honorary title of "Admiral" conferred upon them, and are privileged to wear a uniform denoting their rank. Princess Waldemar of Denmark is one of them, but she is the only lady in the world who could take full command of a battleship. The daughter-in-law of the Royal House of Denmark has an extraordinary passion for the sea, and can manage anything that floats, from a sailing-yawl to a Dreadnought.

Her Royal Highness has actually organized and controls one of the big fast shipping companies in Denmark. She is so proud of her accomplishment in nautical matters that she has had a large anchor tattooed on her arm, to remind her friends of her connection with the Danish navy. The anchor is plainly seen when she appears in evening dress.

Possibly her fascination for the sea is due to the fact that her husband, Prince Waldemar, is commodore of the Danish navy, while her son is attending the naval academy in order to fit himself for a career afloat. She assisted them in their studies, and in so doing has made herself conversant in the whole art of navigation, and desired to see her own country taking a more prominent part in the world's shipping industry.

Denmark is quite a small country and does not require a large fleet. So this patriotic woman made up her mind to devote her attention to building up the nation's merchant marine. Using the influence of the royal circle she consulted great financiers, bankers, business men, and those prominent in shipping circles. These kings of industry instructed her in the methods of forming a stock company and of securing capital, besides giving her advice on the starting and maintaining of a gigantic steamship line.

As soon as the plans were completed she started the business world a few years ago by publishing the prospectus of a company to operate a line of steamers between Scandinavian and various ports in the Far East.

The company was successfully launched, and soon became a prosperous concern. Branches have sprung up all over Europe, the headquarters being in the capital of Denmark. Every morning Her Royal Highness is present in her private office, and, with the assistance of a staff of shipping experts, controls the business.

RODMAN WANAMAKER ORDERS AEROPLANE

Determined to Be the First American
Millionaire to Attempt an Aerial
Flight.

Publishers Press.

Paris, Nov. 15.—Mr. Rodman Wanamaker is apparently determined to be the first American millionaire to attempt aerial flight, as he has ordered an aeroplane from Mr. Bleriot, and engaged a well known French aviator to accompany the machine and instruct him how to fly.

The aeroplane ordered by the American is somewhat larger than the machine in which Bleriot crossed the English Channel, having a sustaining surface of approximately 200 square feet in the main wings, while the Channel machine spread only 150 square feet of wing surface.

The propeller, which is slightly over six feet in diameter, is placed at the extreme front end of the body of the machine and is not attached to the motor shaft, the powerful gasoline engine itself forming the blunt forward end of the "car," while the seat for the operator is just behind the motor.

Cotton.

New York, Nov. 15.—The cotton market was lower and less active this morning, but steadied later on good cables. The weather map was unfavorable, showing heavy snow in the Texas Panhandle. There was also uneasiness over the weather along the Texas coast. The close was steady. Gulf middling spot sold at fifteen. Liverpool was unchanged.

Poul Mangate, of this city, who has been in Dallas several days visiting his mother, returned Friday.

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FAMOUS AUTHOR TAKEN FROM
WIFE BY SUFFRAGETTES.

POLICE RESCUE HIM

Infuriated Mob at Bristol, England,
Uses Horsehide Lash and Arrests Follow.

Publishers Press.

Bristol, Eng., Nov. 13.—Taken from his wife while on the streets here today, Winston Churchill, famous author and president of the Board of Trade, was publicly whipped by a party of women suffragettes.

Held by a dozen women, while dozens of others surged around, several women with horsehide lashes beat the man with telling effect until the police arrived on the scene.

Churchill was taken from the mob of infuriated suffragettes only after various efforts had been made and when reinforcements came. Finally the women were beaten back and the great author and public man was conveyed to his home.

Several arrests have followed and later developments are expected.

Increase.

Brussels, Nov. 15.—A newly issued return of the religious congregations in Belgium shows that since 1903—that is to say the year in which the law of Separation was carried in France—there has been a very considerable increase in the number of such institutions. Six years ago there were in Belgium 2286 convents and 40,824 monastic associations. Their number has now been raised respectively to 2764 and 56,714, representing an increase of about 20 per cent. It is estimated that in all something like 500 of the dissolved French congre-

gations passed into Belgium and settled there.

Discovery.

Copenhagen, Nov. 15.—Dr. Otto Froodis, the geologist, has made an important discovery while excavating in the hilly region near Lake Vettern, Sweden. He has come across the remains of a lake dwelling 6000 years old. This is the first instance of such a habitation having been found in Northern Europe, although there is a well known lake dwelling in Switzerland. The Swedish lake dwelling contained primitive weapons and household utensils in stone, flint, bone and horn.

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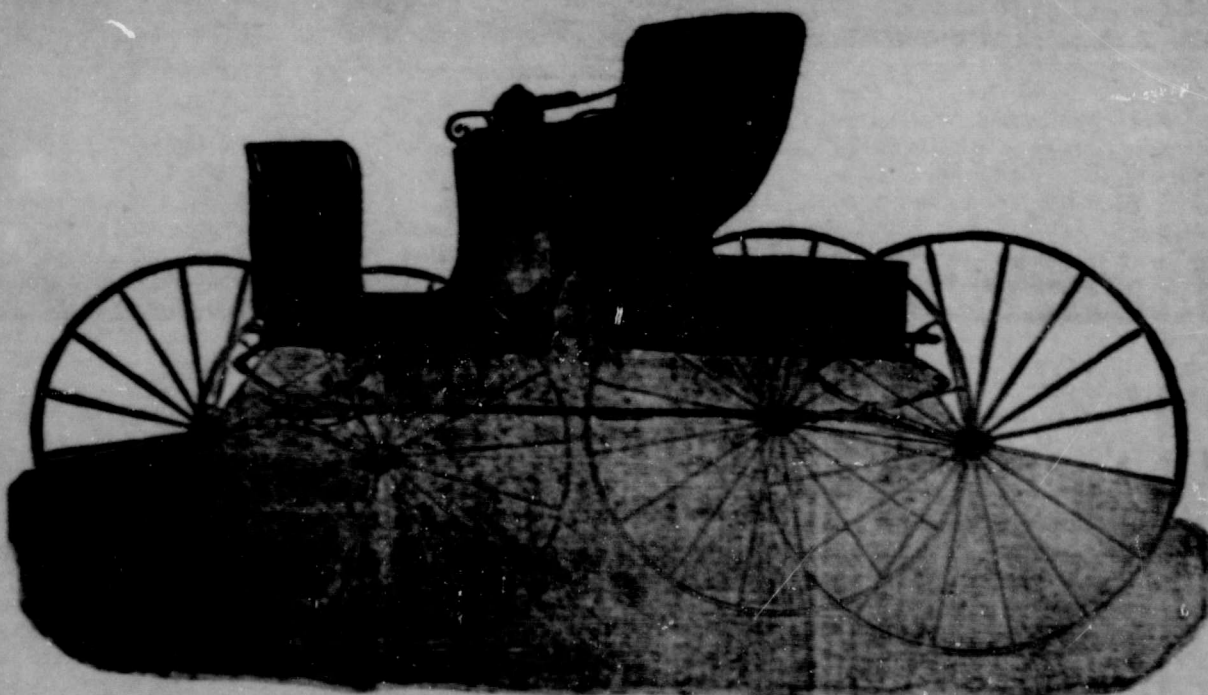
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SUPERINTENDENT SMITH FAVORS ESTABLISHMENT OF NIGHT FREE SCHOOL

**Believes That Opportunity Should Be
Offered Those Who are Employed
During the Day**

URGES NECESSITY OF ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS

**Declares That Facilities Are Entirely Inad-
equate and Asks Tax Payers to
Consider Matter**

Realizing the fact that many young people are kept from school owing to employment, Superintendent Felix E. Smith of the city public schools has recommended to the board of trustees that a night school be established. He believes that such a move would be appreciated and that the attendance would be large. Grades from the sixth to the eighth would be taught.

Superintendent Smith also recommends that immediate provision be made for additional buildings. He declares that this city is far behind in its school facilities, and that if the children are to be accommodated steps must be taken at once toward the end of erecting additional school buildings.

This report was considered at Wednesday's meeting of the school board, but no definite action was taken. It furnishes much food for thought and will be gone into thoroughly at the next meeting of the board.

Thursday and Friday will be holidays for the school children of San Angelo. Thursday is Thanksgiving, and owing to the fact that it comes so near to the end of the week the board decided that it would allow the children Friday also. It was pointed out that the attendance Friday would be very light, if the schools should be open, for after eating their fill of turkey, cranberries, etc., only a few children would feel like attending school.

County Superintendent Hughes was granted the use of the high school during the Christmas holidays as a place of meeting for the teachers' institute.

Superintendent Smith's report is as follows:

Scholastic Report.
Honorable Board of Trustees, San Angelo Public Schools—Gentlemen:
I herewith submit my scholastic report for the month ending November 12, 1909, and will state that the attendance throughout the system was better than during the month ending October 15.

There are two matters that I, at this time, wish to call to your special attention:

First—If the physical equipment of the San Angelo schools is to keep pace with the growth of the community, steps should be taken at once to provide additional modern sanitary school buildings. Many grade rooms are now crowded, with more than fifty pupils, and already it has been necessary to send pupils from one school district to another to relieve the congested condition in certain rooms. Provision for adequate and satisfactory quarters for the public schools has been from twelve to twenty-four months behind the growth of the population in our city the past four years, and I desire to call this matter pointedly to your attention and that of other school patrons, and to that of the tax payers and all who are interested in the development of San Angelo.

Second—If funds are available and the enrollment justifies it, I recommend the establishment and maintenance of a night school, at the high school building, for young working people. The courses of study for such

a school might well contemplate the work outlined for our grades 6 to 8 inclusive.

During the past month I have, as usual, conducted grade meetings with the teachers of the separate grades, and a meeting with the principals. At the latter it was decided to organize, with the patrons, a parent-teacher club at each building to discuss such questions as home study, and to bring about better understanding and co-operation between the school and the home.

Within the past ten days the buildings have been fumigated with formaldehyde gas. In this connection I recommend the immediate installation of the Myrem drinking fountains at all the schools. These fountains are durable, cheap and sanitary, and will prevent possibility of injury to pupils while drinking in crowds at recess.

The past thirty days the health of the pupils has been good, and the work of the system as a whole has been satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted,
FELIX E. SMITH, Supt.
November 17, 1909.

Directors.

Publishers Press.
Cincinnati, Nov. 17.—Oscar G. Murray, George W. Perkins, William Cotter and Norman Reams were the new directors elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cincinnati and New Orleans and Texas and Pacific railways held here today.

Blizzard on Mars.

Publishers Press.
Flagstaff, Ariz., Nov. 17.—Director Lowell of the Lowell observatory here announces that a blizzard is raging on Mars. He sees patches thought to be snow on the planet.

Power of Press.

Publishers Press.
Washington, Nov. 17.—Henry Waterson, editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, today gave an interview deprecating the power of the press. He says if it is not checked, editors will soon become objects of fear instead of being respected.

HARVARD-YALE.

Saturday's Game May Be Played Without Hamilton Fish.

Publishers Press.
Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 17.—Captain Hamilton Fish, Jr., of the Harvard football team is suffering from injuries to an arm received in the game here last Saturday, and he may not be able to participate in the Harvard-Yale battle Saturday.

Weather.

Publishers Press.
Washington, Nov. 17.—Weather forecast: Eastern Texas fair, frost, interior, warmer in north and west. Western Texas fair and warmer except in southeast.



CAPTAIN SVERDRUP.
Probably the next expedition to the pole will be led by Captain Otto Sverdrup, a famous Scandinavian explorer, former commander of Nasen's ship, the Fram.

SOLDIERS SENT TO GUARD MINE

**CONDITIONS AT LASALLE DISASTROUS
TER UNCHANGED.**

BODIES ARE BURNED

**Relatives of Deceased Miners Through
Entrances and Scenes Are Very
Painful.**

Publishers Press.
Cherry, Ill., Nov. 17.—Nearly four hundred miners were killed by an explosion in the mine last Saturday and that their bodies have since been consumed by fire is the theory prevailing here relative to the St. Paul disaster. While the greater part of the relatives of the deceased men have gone to their homes to mourn their loss, many still linger around the entrances to the mine, and the sound of weeping women and children, who have absolutely refused to leave the place for only short periods since the explosion, is pitiful. The conditions inside the mine are unchanged.

Three hundred soldiers are guarding the place. They arrived yesterday from Springfield, and have restored order as nearly as possible.

FORESTRY FIGHT IS DISCUSSED WITH TAFT

**Senator Knox Talks With President
About the Matter For Long Time
Wednesday.**

Publishers Press.
Washington, Nov. 17.—Just what they said to each other about the affair remains to be made known, but an air of significance is attached to the long conversation which Senator Philander Knox and President Taft had Wednesday afternoon at the White House about the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy.

Central Bank.
New York, Nov. 17.—Senator Aldrich arrived here tonight to deliver a speech in favor of the central bank.

ARBITRATION MAY CLOSE TICK LINE CONTROVERSY

Special to The Press-News.
Fort Worth, Nov. 17.—Representatives of the United States board of animal industry in Texas, the live stock sanitary board executive committee, the Texas Cattle Raisers' association and many West Texas cattlemen arrived in the city tonight for a meeting tomorrow at which an effort will be made to adjust the controversy over the tick line regulations. Cattlemen complained that the fed-

Big Four.
Publishers Press.
Cincinnati, Nov. 17.—The stockholders of the Big Four railroad today at a meeting here authorized the issuance of \$20,000,000 in bond bonds, to cover the outstanding indebtedness.

School Bonds.
Publishers Press.
Livingston, Tex., Nov. 17.—J. E. Hill, Jr., president of the school board, will until December 1 receive bids for \$25,000 worth of annual 5 per cent twenty to forty year optional school bonds.

Sir Thomas Lipton.
New York, Nov. 17.—Sir Thomas Lipton, of tea, coffee and spice fame, sailed today for Europe.

COLQUITT ASKS FOR LOWER RATE

**WANTS RAILROADS TO REDUCE
CHARGES ON TEXAS PRODUCE.**

RESULT OF LIGHT CROP

**As Mexico Has Removed Duty On
Corn, It Is Believed That Com-
missioners Will Succeed.**

Special to The Press-News.
Austin, Nov. 17.—O. B. Colquitt, a member of the Texas Railroad Commission, today addressed letters to the general managers of all railroads pertaining to the corn and stock feed raising regions, requiring substantial reductions in rates of produce to Texas. As the Mexican government has removed the duty on corn, it is believed the railroads will make a reduction favoring Texas. Colquitt's petition is the result of the feed crop shortage this year.

Heavily Insured.

Kansas City, Nov. 17.—George A. Nicholson has his life insured for \$2,800,000, this being the biggest policy in existence. Nicholson is a multimillionaire.

HUSBAND'S DARING ACT SAVES WIFE

**Mrs. Grant Carried Safely Down Lad-
der From Third Story of Burn-
ing Home.**

Publishers Press.
Chicago, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant owes her life to the thrilling act of her husband.

All inner avenues of escape cut off by fire and smoke, Mrs. Grant's case seemed hopeless today, when her husband reached the third story of their blazing home, at 1604 Dearborn street, and carried her safely to the ground, while hundreds in the streets looked on. The ladder barely reached to Mrs. Grant's window.

Frederick Dent Grant is the son of the great federal leader and president.

PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD OF TEXAS GATHERS HERE IN 54TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

**Fully Two Hundred Delegates, From
Various Parts of State, Present at
Opening Session**

REV. T. S. CLYCE ELECTED MODERATOR

**Rev. Thos. F. Galaher Named Temporary
Clerk and Rev. J. N. Ivy Reading
Clerk—Dr. Hill Speaks**

The fifty-fourth annual session of the Presbyterian Synod of Texas opened at the First Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the presence of nearly 200 delegates from all parts of the state, any many local members, and the seating capacity of the church was taxed to the limit.

For several reasons this gathering of the Synod is to be the most important held for years. During the week successors to the following trustees will be elected. These officers have served their allotted term of three years. They are:

Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary—Rev. J. P. Robertson, Rev. Arthur Jones, D. D., Rev. Thornton Whaling, D. D., Rev. W. M. Lewis. Number of trustees: Fifteen—nine from Texas, four from Arkansas and two from Oklahoma.

Texas Presbyterian College for Girls—Rev. F. E. Robbins, Mr. W. R. McDaniel, Mr. F. S. Robbins, Rev. J. N. Ivy, Mr. John B. Cavitt.

Daniel Baker College—Dr. W. M. Woodson, Rev. G. B. Hall, Mr. Brooke Smith, Rev. J. D. Leslie.

Southwestern Presbyterian Home and School for Orphans—Mr. J. S. Kerr, Rev. W. F. Price, Mr. A. H. Whitmarsh, Rev. J. J. Grier. Number of trustees: Fifteen—nine from Synod of Texas, four from Synod of Arkansas, and two from Synod of Oklahoma.

Fully 200 delegates arrived Wednesday and they were met at the stations by the reception committee, which is composed of Messrs. T. C. Atwood, T. F. Owen, D. S. Taylor and Mesdames George Hagelstein, A. J. Baker and Hulbert. Carriages were in waiting at the stations and the delegates were sent to various homes in the city, where they will be guests until the meeting closes.

More than a hundred others are expected to arrive Thursday, and many more during the latter days of the meeting. The attendance at this gathering will eclipse all previous sessions, and from the present outlook this session of the Synod will be the most prosperous ever held.

Program Incomplete.
The program of this meeting has not yet been fully prepared, but it will be announced Thursday morning.

During the four days of the meeting, three addresses on "Calvinism" will be delivered, beginning Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and continuing Friday and Saturday mornings at the same hour. These addresses are in celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of John Calvin.

Thursday morning Arthur Jones, D. D., will use as his subject, "Calvin, the Times, the Man, the Historical Significance."

"The Five Points of Calvinism" will be the theme of Rev. Dr. S. A. King's talk Friday, and Saturday Rev. Thornton Whaling will speak on "Influence of Calvinism on Civil and Religious Liberty."

The Stated Clerk and Treasurer of the Synod is Rev. J. D. Leslie, of Ballinger, and the Permanent Clerk is

Rev. S. J. Murphy, also of Ballinger.

Meeting Hours.
The hours of the meeting have been fixed as follows: 9 a. m. to 12 m., 1:30 to 5 p. m., and 7:30 to the will of the court.

The devotional exercises will be led by Rev. J. W. Siler, pastor of the San Angelo First Presbyterian church. Rev. Robert Hill, the retiring moderator, will have charge of the bills and overtures. These appointments are in accordance with the requirements of the Supreme Synod. The appointment of the other committees will be announced Thursday morning by the moderator.

Officers Elected.
The Synod was opened with an address by Rev. Dr. Robert Hill, D. D., of Dallas, the retiring moderator.

Following a prayer by Dr. Hill, the election of officers was held. In a contest between Rev. E. M. Monroe, of Austin, and Rev. T. S. Clyce, of Sherman, the latter was chosen by a vote of 83 to 24.

Dr. Hill vacated the place of moderator to Rev. Mr. Clyce with a brief address, and Dr. Clyce presided over the rest of the meeting. On assuming the position he made a short talk. Dr. Clyce is the president of Austin College at Sherman, and one of the leading Presbyterian ministers of the state.

Rev. Thos. F. Galaher, of Sulphur Springs, was elected temporary clerk of the Synod. Rev. John B. Hudson, of Victoria, press reporter, and Rev. J. N. Ivy, of Amarillo, reading clerk—all unanimously.

A big reception and banquet will be tendered the delegates in the dining room at the church Friday afternoon, and stewed venison will be featured on the menu.

Thursday evening a popular meeting will be held at the church in the interest of foreign missions, and several addresses by well known delegates to the Synod will be made.

The subject of Home Missions will be considered Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when the principal address will be made by Rev. Homer McMillan, of Atlanta.

On the motion made by Dr. S. A. King, the Synod unanimously instructed the moderator, stated clerk and Dr. S. A. King to write a letter to Mrs. W. A. Alexander, of Clarksville, Tenn., expressing sympathy in the death of her husband, who was the stated clerk of the General Assembly.

The Synod then adjourned to convene at 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

Believed Dead.
Publishers Press.
New York, Nov. 17.—It is believed now that John Jacob Astor and his son, Vincent, who were cruising in a private yacht in the West Indies, met death in the recent hurricane.
Mrs. Astor, who was divorced a fortnight ago, sailed for Europe today, after hearing of the possible death of her former husband.

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TEARS AND TOMBSTONES.

What a blessed thing it is for one to live in a city where tears and tombstones are things to be regretted, instead of being welcomed! What a precious thought is it to know that you are living among live ones; among people who have passed through the Yesterday and who are living the Today because of the opportunities that will come Tomorrow.

San Angelo fills the bill for those who desire to thus console and comfort themselves.

Tears and tombstones! Sepulchral sounds of sad solemnity! Sesames to eternal greatness for congested communities, if the harvests come often enough and at times propitious. Passports that pave the way from mediocrity to massiveness and mobility. The solvents of stagnation and the open door to progressiveness!

How many places are today but small specks upon the map; but play small parts in the great passing show; that never rise equal to the opportunity of the Now and that are suffering from dry rot and disintegration, all because there is an absence of tears, a lack of tombstones!

Age does not give wisdom alone. It sometimes creates a feeling of caution that retards the advancement of a people, like barnacles upon the bottom of a ship retard the movement of a vessel. That age that causes doubt to spring from false alarms that causes fears to be born of distorted visions, that causes halting to the harm of mankind to mark the wake of conjures, is the age that destroys, not the age that hallows.

Any man who has passed through that period when his mind is callow, and who is possessed of sound discretion and intensified zeal can pick out almost any of the older places of East Texas, and with the magic of youth can wave a wand of powerful potency, that will cause such places to blossom like the proverbial green Bay Tree and to smell in its actions to those of veins filled with verile blood as sweetly as the gardens of Cathay, whose perfume is famed in history and in fable, smelled to the crusaders who went forth in His Name to conquer to the religion that was founded on the Cross, in the days that are now gone, gone, gone, forever more.

Tears and tombstones! A sob for the departed. A mark for the memory. And above the weeping and beyond the respect we can see new fields bloom upon lands that a grasping personality caused to lie fallow and new structures rise upon lots that were idle.

San Angelo has many things to be thankful for. San Angelo has nothing she should be more thankful for than the fact that the tears that are shed here have none of the tang of mockery and tombstones that are here raised—do not indicate a rising, but a dying day. The citizenship of this place and of this section is not incapacitated by inertia and is not harassed by holdbacks. With every heart-craving for a common destiny, and with every hand helping to achieve a glorious consummation of besting magnitude, is there any wonder that San Angelo is forging ahead like unto the giant who wore the boots of seven leagues power?

That's one reason why the West Texas Development Congress, which will hold its first meeting in San Angelo on December 6 next, will be a great and a lasting benefit to all the western section of Texas.

WELCOME TO OUR CITY.

San Angelo is today entertaining the Synod of Texas and in behalf of the Christian and progressive people of this place, The Press-News bids hearty welcome to those who labor in the vineyard of the Lord, to this city.

The Synod of Texas is the ruling state organization of the Presbyterian church. In judicial vernacular it is the supreme court of the Presbyterian church of Texas, and it is the highest ecclesiastical body of that organization, with the single exception of the General Assembly, which is composed of delegates from all Southern states. The history of the Presbyterian

church and the governmental form of that great body of faith entitles it to the profound respect and the most sincere admiration of all liberty loving people of the world. Aside from the articles of faith of that denomination, about which argument may be made, the workings of the Presbyterian church are an inspiration to those who study the political methods of this free nation. Democracy and unity; charity and clarity are the interwoven and underlying forces of this organization.

The Press-News trusts that the San Angelo meeting of the Synod will be productive of great and lasting good, and will be provocative of those attending returning to their respective fields of labors more strongly girded for the great fight for righteousness and more strongly impressed with the seriousness of the labors at hand. Peace and plenty; high hopes and much happiness to the honorable and upright delegates to the Synod.

Pave Chadbourne street.

Be a soldier in the advancing army of progress. Attend the conference at Abilene next Monday on the West Texas Development Congress.

To the Fort Worth Record and the Dallas News: Much oblige for the space you gave Bartholomew's speech at Anson. It was worth the space, but true worth is not always the thing that lands in the newspaper columns.

By the way, The Press-News would again suggest that the series of articles on "The Railroads and the People," published daily on page 3 of The Press-News, is mighty fine food for those who want to see manifest destiny of this section hastened, to feed upon.

Our modesty prevents us from continually calling attention to the great improvements being made in the news columns of The Press-News. But, honestly, haven't you been making note of them? It's the brains behind the paper, not the money behind the plant, that makes a newspaper worth while. Gather?

The Western Union has been sold to the Bell Telephone Company. Now, if the Rust Brothers of San Angelo, could only get hold of the new and enlarged organization, what a fine speed service for written and spoken thoughts would all this nation have? Seriously, The Press-News asserts, without any fear what ever of its being denied, that San Angelo has the best telephone system of any town in the world of even twice the size of San Angelo.

The meanest man in the world, in the eyes of those who like to squirm without being discovered, is Col. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, editor of the Dallas Times-Herald. Fitzgerald as always loaded for those who don't want to keep the record straight. He has a memory longer than an arc covered by a mole's kick, and as accurate as the watch exhibited frozen in the bosom of a cake of ice.

And, lest we forget, The Press-News would again rise to remark that the last legislature appropriated \$2000 to establish and maintain an experimental farm for tobacco in East Texas. The same legislature also passed a law stating in substance that if West Texas wanted any experimental farms she could have them by supplying the farms and the funds with which to maintain them. Great is the doctrine of a square deal. Organize.

The Press-News has no desire to rake up the dead sea fruit of former years, but for the benefit of those who may be living in darkness, The Press-News will say that financial frenzy even greater than that disclosed by the penitentiary investigating committee was once practiced in the same city of Tyler, in Smith county. Vide the report of the committee that investigated the receivership of the International & Great Northern road several years ago.

Congressman Morris Sheppard, the boy orator of the universe, the echo from the ocean of sound, the palpitation of the cave of the winds, is shortly to be married. This leaves only Col. James Hampton Sullivan, of the San Antonio Express, and Col. Jeff McLeMore, of the Corpus Christi Leader, as the remnant of a once gallant band. We knew that when Col. James Hays Quarles, of Everywhere, succumbed to Cupid's dart, that others who had long resisted the little archer would fall easy victims. Banal Bachslors must be brushed from the map.

Col. Thomas Flinty, Junior, says that Gov. Campbell is likely to be greatly impressed after the penitentiary committee makes a report. The Press-News again calls attention to the fact that the investigating committee brushed aside lightly and almost with levity the intangling skins of the fi-

CHAMOIS FOR ALL PURPOSES

A finer lot of chamois skins never struck this town than the several kips of them which we have just opened. They are fine, very soft and of even thickness. The color is also even, which makes them particularly good for fancy work.

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If you have use for chamois this is an unusually good opportunity to select. All prices from 5c to \$1.50.

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financial affairs of the penitentiary.

The Press-News wants to know about why that \$45,000 was taken from the state treasury during the days of stress and stringency in the money market by the financial agent of the penitentiary, who happened to be the president of a bank in which Gov. Campbell owns \$15,000 worth of stock, and that notwithstanding this fact, the penitentiary payroll, due in November, was not met until December. There's room in this fact for all sorts of impressions to be formed.

Let The Press-News get it for you.

Of Unsound Mind.

A jury in Judge Milton Mays' court Wednesday afternoon rendered a verdict which adjudges Mrs. Mollie Morris, aged 72, residing ten miles east of San Angelo, of unsound mind.

J. M. Holman reports the sale through the Dabney Land and Live Stock company of the large two-story and basement house facing south, just to the left of the Abe street bridge, in Park Heights, to Mrs. Alice Barnowsky; consideration \$4200. This is one of the best located places in the city. Mrs. Barnowsky will make her home there.

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Dozen People Through Mistake Eat
Poisonous Fungi—The Superstitions Advance a Theory.

Publishers' Press.

Rome, Nov. 17.—Two entire families, counting in all a dozen persons, have died at Concorrezzo, near Milan, from eating poisonous fungi. It is a widespread superstition among the peasantry of the Lombard communes that edible mushrooms are distinguishable from the hurtful species known as boletus luridus by throwing down a silver coin, which will turn quickly black should poison lurk among the fungi.

There is another version of the popular belief to which the unfortunate families just wiped out gave credence. According to this belief, any poison happening to reside in the fungi invariably passes into and is wholly absorbed by silver laid near.

The deeply distressed villagers scout the verdict of the scientific experts sent to Concorrezzo and declare that the pitiful calamity must be due to the exhalations of vipers that abound in that neighborhood.

Miss Ella Scott Fisher has purchased the Porter Christy place in Park Heights and as soon as she can enlarge the house and otherwise improve the place she will make her home there with her mother and sister. After these improvements are completed the Christys will board with the Fisher family.

Dr. Fred Baker became a father for the fourth time Sunday and on that date he became the father of a son for the first time. Rumors to the effect that he had to pinch himself to ascertain that he was not suffering from a bum vision when he was told it was a boy are occasionally denied. The boy is a fine one and the noted eye man is enjoying the days.

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OUTLOOK GOOD FOR PROPOSED ICE FACTORY

"I think your citizens will take up
the proposition," said W. H. Quinn
Wednesday afternoon in speaking of
the possibility of San Angelo's getting
a creamery and ice cream factory.

Mr. Quinn is representing a Chicago
firm which proposes to build the fac-
tory. It will have a capacity of hand-
ling the entire milk production of

nearly five hundred cows. The cost of
this concern would be about \$6000, and
that price would be paid by the buy-
ers to the builders, after the plant was
found to be in perfect working order.

RED TAPE.

Much Work to Be Done Before Bonds
Are Ready for Sale.

The issuance of the bonds having
been approved by Attorney General
Davidson, the committee in charge of
the building of the San Angelo fire sta-
tion, which is composed of Sam Crow-
ther, J. D. Hassell and Dr. L. C. G.
Buchanan, is now preparing the bonds
to be printed, and the preliminary ar-
rangements for their sale will be push-
ed as rapidly as possible.

There is much to be done before
these bonds can be advertised for sale,
and when the final approval of the at-
torney general has been affixed to

RAILROADS AND THE PEOPLE

This is the last of the special series prepared by The Press-News on
the subject of "Railroads and the People," and the article deals with the
support given the railroads by the younger farmers. The farmers, above
all other people, are in a position to realize the real worth of the railroad.
Without these steam roads their products could not be sent to market,
there would be no inducement to raise cattle, and, in fact, they could not
prosper.

Among the ranks of the younger
farmers in the great Southwest, we
may expect to find the strongest sup-
porters of the railroads. These young-
er men for the most part have come
from those states of the East and
Northeast where lands had reached
such large values that it was practi-
cally impossible for them to become
farmers on their own account. They
have followed the trail blazed by the
railroads into the Southwest and have
been able to buy lands at figures with-
in the reach of their means.

When these young men stop and
consider their position in comparison
with the position of many left be-
hind, and who are now simply renters,
they have a kindly feeling for the rail-
roads that did the pioneering.

There is nothing so important to the
young farmer as his ability to own his
own land. As he passes into his ma-
jority and gets matrimonial ideas into
his head, his next thought is of home,
and he wants it to be his own. Where
the family lives it is likely the land
has reached values of \$100 an acre and
upwards, and unless he has been one
of the most fortunate, his savings have
not been large enough to give him an
opportunity to buy such property. It
he would become a land owner on his
own account he must turn to some
place where the values have not
reached so high a point; in other
words, he must do a little bit of pio-
neering on his own account.

But what a difference between the
pioneering necessary to be done now
and that necessary a few decades ago
before the railroads permeated the so-
called Great American Desert. Then
it was a question of loading the family
and the few worldly belongings into a
"prairie schooner" and winding the
way across unexplored plains. Now,
since the railroad builder has ven-
tured into that land the question of
getting there is a very simple one. And
the fact that the road is there pre-
cludes the possibility of having to be-
gin life without neighbors. Where the
railroad is, there are sure to be a good
many people.

There are on our own Texas farms
thousands of industrious farmers,
young and full of vigor, who have
come here from the states where ag-
riculture had become so successful as
to send the price of lands beyond their
reach. Of course they are grateful
to whatever force opened the way for
them. They know how much easier
it is to own a farm than to rent one,
and especially when they were able to
buy the farm for just about what they
would have had to pay for one year's
rent where they came from.

Let these young men sit down quiet-
ly in their homes and think seriously
how great a part the railroads have
played in their prosperity. Taking
every change on a land that had been
pronounced useless, these capitalists
poured out their wealth into a fund
which would stretch bands of steel

across the country. Then when the
road was built they added more money
to test the soils and study agricultural
and meteorological conditions so that
the young man who wished to go there
with the young wife might not have
to go blindly. Is it not well to act the
part of a neighbor toward the rail-
road?

Nothing would so much impress on
these young men what they owe the
railroads as would a visit back to the
old farm. It may be said without fear
of contradiction that the best equip-
ped farms and the greatest comfort on
the farm are to be found in the South-
west. These things could not be un-
less the sections enjoying them were
connected up with the outside world.
It would be impossible for a commu-
nity away in the interior, scores of
miles from a railroad, to have and en-
joy modern conveniences.

In the first place, there is no method
of earnings or income that could pro-
duce them, and in the second place,
so far removed from those who do
have such things, the residents would
never think of them.

It is safe to say that there are more
farm homes in the Southwest supplied
with gas and bath rooms and furnaces
than in any other section of the coun-
try. It is a well known fact that many
more automobiles are to be found on
the farms west of the Mississippi river,
in proportion to the population, than
in any other part of the nation.

These same young men know that
it has been the railroads that have
searched the world for the products
best suited to their localities. They
know that the introduction by the
roads of new kinds of wheat, more
hardy forage crops, better acclimated
grains, have added to their prosperity
and to their wealth. Certainly they
will count these things of greater
value than to become clamorers at
the first intimation by somebody that
some uncertain wrong has been done.
The railroad man is a human being
like the rest of us and if any patron
of the road thinks he has a grievance
there are few cases when he will find
it difficult to have a hearing. Deal-
ing with a railroad is little different
than dealing with an individual. It
would be easier if your neighbor's
cow should destroy your garden to
settle your troubles with him by mild
words than by going after him with a
club or a gun. It is just the same with
the railroad man. If you have a griev-
ance to present do it in a manly man-
ner and have it over with. Then go
on co-operating with the road in just
the same spirit the road is trying to
co-operate with you. That this method
is being followed more completely is
seen on every hand, and it is well that
it should be so. Just as soon as the
people and the railroads get together
just that soon will there be a com-
plete harmonizing of interests and a
more perfect reign of prosperity.

them it will be about January 1.

After the bonds have been printed,
they are brought back to San Angelo
to secure the signature of Mayor Paul
and Secretary-Treasurer McDonald.
They are then forwarded to the office
of Comptroller Stephens, where they
are registered and prepared for the
final approval of Attorney General Da-
vidson.

These bonds will be to the amount
of \$15,000, and by spring the work of
building the fire station will be well
under way.

GUARD AT GRAVE.

Middletown, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Fearing
that some one may try to desecrate
the grave of the late Edward H. Harri-
man in the graveyard of St. John's
Protestant Episcopal church at Arden,
a watchman has been stationed there
and is on duty every night. A line
clock is stationed at the Harriman
grave and the watchman has to visit
it every little while during the night.
Contrary to reports at the time of
the funeral, the Harriman grave is not
blasted from solid rock. Only a por-
tion of it is in rock, considerable soil
having been removed before the rock
was found. The sides of the vault are
laid in cement and the top sealed by
eighteen inches of concrete, reinforced
with a heavy chain which was former-
ly used as a de-ick chain at the Har-
riman mansion.

Mr. Mrs. Moritz O. Kopper and
two children are here from Galveston
and will remain in San Angelo for
prolonged stay. Mr. Kopper is one
of the leading business men of South
Texas and is just now recovering from
a spell of pneumonia.

700 BALES OF COTTON SOLD; TERMS PRIVATE

The firm of March Bros. and R. M.
Smith Wednesday sold 700 bales of cot-
ton to W. C. Penn of Ballinger, repre-
senting the firm of H. T. Williams of
Liverpool, buyers for spinners. The
price was not made public.

The cotton will be shipped to the
compress at Ballinger and later to
spinners in all parts of the world. This
is the entire supply of the firm from
whom it was purchased, but not its
entire season's receipts.

AMUSEMENT.

At the Yale.

Manager Coggins has secured for the
last half of this week the great com-
edy sketch team, Thompson and Far-
rell, singers and dancers, in their
laughable act, "The Making of Bub-
bles," interspersed with fast comedy.

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ments with the company
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Thompson & Farrell, who show
Thursday night, are a clever pair of
entertainers, and they will change
their acts every night. In fact, there
will be a complete change daily at this
house from now on.

Both vaudeville and pictures played
to two big houses Wednesday night.
Kelly & Kelsey left Wednesday
morning for Ballinger, where they
play at the Cozy. They made quite a
hit with the San Angelo theater goers.

Opera House Tought.

"Tempest and Sunshine," a dramatiza-
tion of Mary J. Holmes' popular
novel, to be seen at the opera house
Thursday night, is a play full of gen-
uine heart interest, and is full of ex-
citing scene and surprising climaxes.
It has an interesting plot and holds
the audience spellbound through the
four acts. It is acted by a com-
pany of performers, specially engaged
for each and every part of such a pro-
duction, which, together with the vast
amount of new and beautiful scenery,
keeps the audience in a suppressed
state of excitement. It is a play that
appeals to the innermost recesses of
the heart, hence its wonderful suc-
cess.

Will Miller, the constable of the Eola
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The liver and bowels are responsible for this.

The symptoms are, heart palpitation, faintness, suppressed, excessive or irregular periods, bad digestion, bearing down pains in the side and back, nervous weakness, poor appetite, costiveness.

Prickly Ash Bitters sweeps away these troubles like magic, because it strikes at the root of the disease—the stomach, liver and bowels.

Women who take medicine for female troubles that does not benefit these organs are wasting money and valuable time. The liver is diseased because the stomach is unhealthy, and both have produced a constipated habit. This stoppage of healthy action in the liver and bowels has filled the system with impurities which have brought on irregularity in the female organs; it follows therefore, that a medicine which will correct the liver, strengthen the stomach and promote healthy bowel operations is the remedy for menstrual difficulties.

The poor, tired, discouraged woman who has suffered silently and so long with the ailments of her sex soon feels the strengthening and exhilarating influence of Prickly Ash Bitters. It does its work thoroughly, beginning with the stomach and extending its purifying and stimulating influence to the liver and bowels. When the stomach, liver and bowels are active and working in harmony, there must be health and regularity in the female organs. As a result of this improved condition the patient takes a renewed interest in her household duties. Appetite and strength return, the eyes are brighter, the complexion clears, and before long she is transformed into a bright, happy woman with rosy cheeks and cheerful spirits.

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YOUNG WOMAN KILLED IN DUEL

THROWS ARMS AROUND FATHER'S
NECK WHEN SHOTS FIRED.

TRAGEDY CLAIMS TWO

Two Clergyman's Sons Held in Louisiana Jail for Death of Compton and Daughter.

Publishers Press.

Floyd, La., Nov. 17.—"We did not mean to shoot the girl, but she threw her arms around her father's neck," said Albert Owens, who is held in the jail here tonight with his brother, Sylvester, charged with the murder of Clarence Compton, a wealthy planter, and his 15-year-old daughter.

Great excitement surrounds the death of Compton and his daughter in a three-cornered duel at Compton's home today. The fight was the result of an old feud.

Sylvester and Albert Owens are the sons of a prominent clergyman. It is generally believed that the killing of the girl was accidental, for as the shots were fired she threw her arms around her father's neck, witnesses testifying to this.

MARKETS.

Cotton.

Publishers Press.

New York, Nov. 17.—Influenced by bullish cables and the weather reports, the cotton market opened steady this morning, five to eight points higher. The weather map showed killing frosts in Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma Tuesday night, reducing the top crop prospects.

Many private advices have been received, claiming that the top cotton crop in Texas has not matured and all prospects have been destroyed by unfavorable weather and the bullish movement.

The feature of the afternoon was the sale of ten thousand bales of March cotton at 15 cents to Spring & Co. The exports for the day were 31,278 bales. Spots were unchanged at 14.95. Liverpool spots advanced to 7.82 d.

Stocks.

Publishers Press.

New York, Nov. 17.—The stock market was narrow today and the buying of Colorado Fuel and Coal was aggressive. When the project for financing the Missouri Pacific road was made public, that stock advanced a point, and passed 73 for the first time in months. Western Union was heavy and declined within a point of profit taking.

London bought fifteen thousand shares, principally Amalgamated Copper. The leading railroad stocks included the Reading and Union Pacific, which held firm. Missouri, Texas and Pacific moved up one point and went to fifty in the afternoon. Little trading in steel. Reading fluctuated two points. Governments unchanged, others firm. Call, four and three-quarters.

MILITARY BOYS RAISE A FUND

ABOUT \$175 PLEDGED FOR EQUIPPING ARMORY.

WILL MEET WEEKLY

Special Call for Friday Night, When New Members Will Be Received for Enrollment.

Wednesday night for the first time the military company met in the new armory, the skating rink. About thirty members were present.

The men were lined up and the officer scarried them through several forms of drilling. The drills were rapidly gotten onto and some good marching was done. Every man took a great interest in his part and the drilling was carried out to perfection.

The men were very anxious to drill, as that was about the only means of keeping warm. Capt. Keeton soon got the boys warmed up, however. Several rounds were made over the house in double time.

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be an easy thin gto get the armory in shape. The subscription amounted to something like \$150 or \$175, which is nearly enough to fix the house up in fine shape. The amount agreed to be paid by each member is due in thirty days.

Another paper was signed by the respective members, who agreed to contribute as much each month for one year, beginning with December 1, 1909, for the purpose of paying house rent, water bills, etc.

From now on there will be a regular weekly meeting in the armory until near the camping time, when the heavy work, making preparations of the encampment, will start.

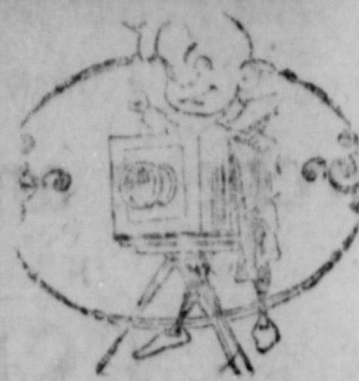
TIME YOURSELF.

Tick, tock, goes the new and up to date clock that J. C. Landon has had

put into his hotel. This clock is one of the Western Union type, being connected with the telegraph wires. It is a self-winder and a self-setter. At every hour this clock registers itself at the correct time. If it is off a minute, which is a rare occurrence, when the hands point out another hour gone they gently jump to the correct place without fail.

It registers the exact time of the day according to the Western Union telegraph time, which is conceded to be correct.

Mr. and Mrs. Moritz O. Kopperl and two children are here from Galveston and will remain in San Angelo for probably a month. Mr. Kopperl is one of the leading business men of South Texas and is just now recovering from a spell of pneumonia.



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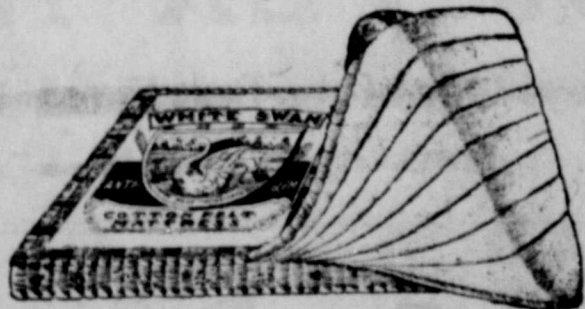
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We must make room for our large shipments of Holiday Goods of which we have one car due to arrive this week, and another about December first.

We are offering special inducements on present stock in order to move the same.

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CASTRO COMING HERE TO LIVE

FORMER RULER MAYBE THINKS
HE'S WELCOME HERE.

WILL ARRIVE SOON

Dispatch from Madrid Gives That Information—He May Be Classed as "Undesirable."

Paris, Nov. 17.—According to a special dispatch received today from Madrid, former President Castro, lately of Venezuela, but an exile from that land, and time and again refused permission to set foot upon French or English soil, will leave shortly for the United States, with the intention of making his home.

The question now arises, will the United States officials follow suit with the European countries, or allow the hated Castro to live in that land? Whether or not Castro will be classed as an undesirable citizen by the United States remains to be seen, but the general opinion is that he will find coldness in the reception he receives upon his arrival there.

Castro is that individual who vacated the presidency of Venezuela in a rather thrilling manner, and he absconded from that country with a large amount of cash from the government coffers.

He quit Venezuela after he had stirred the whole of Central America and some countries of South America to rebellion.

WANT HELP TO PASS ON COOK.

Danish Experts Think Original Papers from Etah Will Be Necessary.

Copenhagen, Nov. 17.—Astronomer Stromegren, who, with Dr. Pichule, will examine Dr. Cook's papers, suggests that polar explorers and other scientists should join the committee of examination, as it does not want to accept the responsibility of alone deciding whether or not Dr. Cook reached the pole.

The university is willing to comply with the suggestion, although it is now thought to be impossible to obtain a satisfactory result before Dr. Cook's original papers arrive from Etah.

His papers from America are expected at the beginning of December.

Let The Press-News get it for you.

SPECIAL SLEEPER WILL TAKE CROWD TO ABILENE MEET

DELEGATION INTENDS TO LEAVE
SAN ANGELO SUNDAY
AFTERNOON.

MANY SIGNIFY THEIR WILLINGNESS TO GO

Judge Bartholomew and Hon. Edgar S. Hamilton Greatly Pleased With the Result of the Anson Meeting.

All doubt about the success of the initial meeting of the West Texas Development congress, which will take place in San Angelo beginning December 6 next has been dissolved.

It is no longer a question of doubt. It is a question of San Angelo being able to entertain in a manner in keeping with the reputation enjoyed by this city, those who will be present.

The Press-News has estimated the attendance would range about a thousand. The incidents of the last forty-eight hours cause this paper to double this estimate.

The great importance of this movement and the wonderful opportunities it offers for advancing the material interests of the west will result in hundreds upon hundreds of thinking men coming here to aid in this gigantic undertaking.

"Mr. Bartholomew made the hit of the meeting of Central West Texas commercial clubs at Anson Tuesday," declares Attorney Edgar S. Hamilton, who accompanied Mr. Bartholomew to that city in the interest of the Development Congress. "Everyone there was enthused by the magnificent address he delivered on the West Texas Development congress, and everyone there will become an active worker to make this congress a success."

"I was much gratified at the interest manifested at Anson in the congress," says Mr. Bartholomew, "and I further desire to state that the commercial clubs of Central West Texas have an organization of which the members have just reason to feel proud. The manner in which Anson entertained the meeting made a deep impression and a most pleasing one upon all who were there."

The next move on the program in shaping matters for the San Angelo meeting is the conference that will be held at Abilene on November 22. This conference will take place for the purpose of perfecting the program and of relieving the originators of the congress of all charges of localism in the scheme entire. It will be attended by a large number of people from all parts of the west and by a solid car from San Angelo. Those who attend the conference will be expected, if they endorse the purposes of the congress, to return to their respective homes and spread the glad tidings of great joy and work up an interest in the San Angelo meeting.

Arrangements are now under way to secure a special sleeper for Abilene to leave here Sunday afternoon over the Orient, and returning to leave Abilene Monday night. In this manner a good rest could be had both going and coming and the trip would be robbed of its inconveniences. The only hitch in this matter is that the Orient office at Sweetwater that has charge of such things, was being conducted by an apparent amateur on Wednesday, and on this account no definite deal could be made.

A short canvass made Wednesday of the business district resulted in definite promises being obtained from the following gentlemen to go in the sleeper: Claude Broome, A. P. Holman, C. T. Paul, William Hemphill, George E. Webb, Lawson O. Dalley, C. Edwards, J. C. Landon, George Hagelstein, T. C. Wynn, A. J. Baker, J. C. Jaitner, E. S. Hamilton, W. T. Bartholomew, W. C. Blanks, Jerry Y. Rust, M. J. Mertz, E. J. Farr, H. E. Everheart, I. G. Murphy and a Press-News representative. Others will doubtless signify a willingness to attend between now and Sunday and a car full of people should be the result.

Appointments of delegates continue to pour in at a gratifying rate. W. L. Aldwell, president of the Sonora Business club, names five delegates; County Judge Nabors of Wilbarger county names ten; County Judge Fokes of Irion county names ten; Editor Hensler of the Mertz News names ten; Coun-

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ty Judge Crozier of Concho county names ten; Editor Fox of the Knox county News names ten; County Judge White of Coleman county adds another name to the list he has previously sent in, and so on clear down the line.

John F. Maddox, the hustling citizen of Ballinger, who almost broke into the legislature at one time, writes that he will be here. Col. John L. Peeler of Austin, who for over twenty years has been a valiant fighter for West Texas, writes that he will be present. The general passenger agent of the Santa Fe, W. S. Keenan, who has exhibited a keen interest in this congress, writes that he will advertise the special rates in all newspapers that have contracts with his road and that he will issue lodgers and give the meeting other

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**Illinois Hunter Tells of Hunting In-
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As the hunting season is in full
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 who arrived in the city Wednesday
 to spend a few weeks hunting in that
 country.

The huntsmen, Col. Adren Thomas,
 W. L. Harlan and G. H. Burger, of
 Paducah, Ills., earnestly declare and
 affirm that if any bear are to be
 found in that territory, they will be
 brought down at the crack of the gun.

One of the men, Col. Adren, is
 somewhat of a widely known hunter.
 During the Klondike days in Alaska he
 went up there and spent several
 months hunting for gold and game.
 He never said whether he discovered
 any gold, but did say he found plenty
 of big game. And it was in that coun-
 try that he won his spurs for being a
 fine hunter.

Col. Adren had many tales to relate
 concerning his big hunting trip in
 Alaska, but never had the time to tell
 them. One particular incident that
 he took time to tell, however, was very
 interesting. It was one afternoon
 about sundown that he was returning
 to camp and met a big grizzly face to
 face. He at first was a little shaky
 for he had but one load. The others
 had been shot at smaller game.

"I summed up my nerves, though,"
 he said, "and took steady aim at the
 big bear. At the crack of my rifle he
 tumbled. I thought it was dead and
 started to get his scalp. Just as I
 started toward him, to my great sur-
 prise, that big bruin raised and ad-
 dressed me in such gruff manner that
 I declined to talk back to him. Rather
 than dispute his word at that critical
 moment I hid in a hurry to camp.
 From the way he followed me, he
 seemed to be in as big a rush to get to
 camp as I. I gave him a run for his
 money, though, and got into camp safe
 and sound, and I might add that I was
 a little proud to go there, also. When
 I got to camp he was not in sight. I
 guess he thought I was not ready to
 welcome him and did not come. The
 next day I found him dead, pierced
 through the body with a bullet.

"I trust that I will not have such a
 thrilling experience on the Pecos. I
 never intend to leave my tent, how-
 ever, without a heavy supply of am-
 munition.

"When we return we are going to
 take a different route, going by the
 way of San Antonio. From there we
 will go to Houston."

McAdams-Cochran.

The marriage of Alex McAdams to
 Miss Bertha Fay Cochran was solemn-
 ized Wednesday afternoon by J. P.
 Sewell at the Church of Christ at his
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 day for old Mexico, which will be their
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**GOVERNMENT
 HAS FEARS OF
 ARMED RISING**

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St. Petersburg, Nov. 17.—The deci-
 sion of the government to consummate
 its measures against the Duchy of
 Finland by severing from its second
 largest and most populous province
 —that of Viborg, will not be submit-
 ted to the Duma. Nothing need be
 said of the gravity of the decision
 thus taken without any pretence of
 consulting the Duma, to say nothing
 of the Finnish people. The govern-
 ment evidently fears an armed rising
 in protest, for a strong military force,
 including Cossacks of the guard and
 military and artillery, has already
 been sent over the frontier. The
 "Russ" also forecasts the dismissal
 of the Finnish Diet on the ground of
 the protest it has made against the
 last anti-Finnish measure—the imposi-
 tion of a heavy fine in lieu of gen-
 eral military service in the Russian
 Army.

The reasons offered in excuse of the
 dismemberment of the Duchy are that
 the province of Viborg is within an
 hour of the Russian capital; that at a
 certain critical point in the revolu-
 tionary movement it formed a base for
 the insurgents, and that a Russian
 occupation is necessary in view of cer-
 tain new plans of the army staff for
 the defense of the capital.

It is possible, however, to see in this
 arbitrary act quite a different kind
 of inspiration. It is not only Finland
 that is threatened with the knife of
 "Russification." M. Stolypin is also
 playing the game of grab against Pol-
 and, where the entire district of
 Kholm is marked for annexation.
 Here the object is to combat the re-
 cent increase of Catholicism argu-
 ment, to enter the Orthodox church.
 Since the issue of the Imperial decree
 promising religious liberty they have
 claimed the right once more to prac-
 tice the religion of their fathers.

Naval and military circles en-
 grossed by the possibility of compli-
 cations in Finland. Officers of war-
 ships and regiments stationed in the
 Grand Duchy who are on leave have
 been ordered to rejoin immediately.
 Meanwhile the reinforcement of the
 Russian garrisons is proceeding rap-
 idly.

Miss Barbara Lopukhin has left here
 for Moscow, accompanied by the fam-
 ily's English governess, Miss Russell,
 on her way to join her husband in his
 place of Siberian exile. Elsa Lopuk-
 hin is the young Russian lady who
 while in London a year ago, created a
 great sensation there by suddenly dis-
 appearing for three days. She was
 eventually found in a cellar in the
 neighborhood of King's Cross.

The entire press is heaping re-
 proaches on Bavaria and Germany on
 account of the action of the Bavarian
 Assembly in voting for the cancella-
 tion of the extradition treaty with
 Russia. In official circles the indis-
 position is very great, and the Assem-
 bly's action is denounced as insulting
 and untimely.

The Shamordovsky Convent, near
 Kauliga, has been raided by a band of
 men, described as robbers, but who
 are thought to have been secret police
 in disguise. The coils of the nuns
 were searched and it is somewhat sig-
 nificant that particular attention was
 paid to that occupied by a sister of
 Count Tolstoy, from which the raid-
 ers removed practically everything.

It seems incredible that there ex-
 ists a spot in Russia where the Jews
 are not only tolerated, but even treat-
 ed with great consideration. That
 Jewish paradise happens to be the
 town of Harbin, which served as the
 last base for the Russian army during
 the Far Eastern campaign. The gov-
 ernor and the officials are very am-
 ably disposed towards the 5,000
 Jews residing there. It appears to be
 the only place in Russia where the ef-
 fects of the liberal movement have be-
 come permanent, and where the nu-
 merous nationalities live in peace to-
 gether. The Jews participate freely in
 the town councils, the Manchurian
 railway employs several Jews, and no
 restrictions have been enforced
 against them in the two local com-
 mercial schools. The three officials who
 originally joined the Real Russian Un-
 ion were forced to retire on ac-
 count of the general boy-
 cot against them. At the
 consecration of the synagogue
 now Sec. II of the Law, the
 authorities were present
 with their fellow citi-
 in the Jewish celebrations. The only

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drawback the Jews experience is the
 lack of employment, which is regarded
 as a natural consequence of the de-
 vastating war and the subsequent
 withdrawal of the Russian troops.

The immigration of peasants to Asi-
 atic Russia is again assuming consid-
 erable proportions. According to the
 latest reports, about 200,000 persons
 left Siberia last year. Special low
 rates are granted to selected emi-
 grants and their families by the state
 railways, while a considerable num-
 ber of peasants, anxious to better their
 lot, travel at the ordinary fares. In
 the prescribed districts the state al-
 lots 41 1-4 acres to each adult male
 emigrant. Although whole villages
 are being denuded of male workers,
 the migration has so far hardly made
 itself felt, and this is explained by the
 fact that the bad harvests of the last
 three years failed to provide sufficient
 work for the resident peasantry. With
 the return of good harvests a dearth
 of manual labor is likely to be ex-
 perimented, and this will no doubt lead
 to a more extended use of labor-sav-

ing machinery for tilling and harvest-
 ing crops.

A mysterious murder took place
 here a few days ago, which is now
 supposed to have been an act of re-
 venge on the part of the revolutionary
 party. The name of the victim was
 Ferdoroff, who occupied a luxurious
 apartment, and was apparently a man
 of means. There are grounds for be-
 lieving that Ferdoroff was a police
 spy who warmed himself into the con-
 fidence of active revolutionists in or-
 der to betray them to the police.

The revolutionists discovered his
 treachery and sentenced him to death
 for betraying them. His head was
 severed from the trunk and then
 scalped, but not a single article was
 missing from the apartment. Several
 leaders of the party held a se-
 cret assembly recently in Kleff, and
 following M. Bourzeff's revelations of
 the methods of the secret police,
 "condemned" Mr. Stolypin, the pre-
 mier, to death. Extreme precautions
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 among the citizens there to erect
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BY EDWARD BONNEY

resolved to visit the settlement, and by stratagem get track of the murderers. When I proposed this, I was told that such efforts had already been made without success. That such an attempt would be dangerous in the extreme, and if the plot should be discovered by the gang, my death would be certain.

However, as no other plan suggested itself to my mind, by which the desired information could be obtained, I determined to make the attempt regardless of consequences.

In the meantime, I suggested that it would be well that the stolen horses taken from Fox, should be placed in my charge temporarily, as I might find them of assistance in my plans.

Addressing a letter to Mr. Knox, informing him of my present position, my doubts, and hopes, etc., I provided myself with a horse, and portmanteau well filled with articles of clothing, to give the impression that I was upon a long journey, and getting the necessary directions, I left Bowling Green for the Den of Thieves in Owen County.

CHAPTER XI. SHACK PHIPS.

My way towards the residence of Phips, was exceedingly devious, but after making the different angles until I was satisfied from the distance and description given to me, that I was in the neighborhood of Old Mother Long, as she was called, I ventured to inquire for Shack Phips, and was told that I was within one mile of his habitation.

"He lives," said my informant, "somewhat off from the road; he is not at home; you won't see him."

"If his wife is at home, it will answer my purpose just as well," I replied, asking for the direction.

"She lives at Old Mother Long's. You go on until you get to a small bridge crossing a ravine. Then turn into the woods at your right. You will find a by-path which, if you can follow, will lead you in sight of the house."

"Thank you, stranger."

"Are you acquainted with the Phips?"

"A friend of theirs," I replied.

Following the direction of my informant through a forest, thick with tangled underbrush, and nearly impenetrable, I presently emerged from a dense thicket, and found myself but a few rods distant from a miserable log cabin, about fourteen feet square, with an open porch, or stoop, the whole covered with rough clapboards, laid on loose, and confined with small logs placed at equal distances apart on the roof.

I dismounted at the edge of the forest, hitched my horse, and walked to the house, where I found "Old Mother Long," a meagre specimen of humanity, poorly clad, and besmeared with dirt, and the wife of Shack Phips, a female of about twenty years of age, of rather pleasant features, but whose whole appearance was very little, if any, superior to that of the old mother of the house.

The furniture consisted of crippled chairs, half a dozen three-legged stools, two miserable beds; the bedsteads of which were made of rough poles, with the bark still on; an old rickety cupboard—a table made of a slab of timber, roughly hewn; a couple of iron kettles, half a dozen broken plates, as many knives and forks without handles, and a few tin cups.

Seating myself on a stool, I inquired for Mr. Phips, and was told that he was not at home.

"Is he expected soon? I would like to see him."

After watching me very sharply for a moment, as if to read the object of my mission, Mrs. Phips inquired: "Does Phips owe you anything?"

"No," I replied.

"Do you live about here?"

"No; I live more than two hundred miles distant."

"Are you acquainted with Phips?"

"No, I have never seen him, but I am well acquainted with some of his friends, and as I am passing through the country so near him, I thought I would call and see him."

"Do you know Judge Fox?" asked the old woman.

"Yes, very well, he is an intimate friend of mine."

"Is he? why Fox was here only a few days ago."

"Was he? indeed, I regret that I did not meet him, I have been looking for him for a month."

"Do you want to see Shack right bad?" asked his wife.

"Yes, I do."

"Well, I reckon I can holler him up."

Thus speaking, the lady left the house, and climbing up the gate post, commenced a "yo ho a!" at the top of her voice.

Shortly an answering shout was heard, and Phips emerged from the woods and entered the house.

He seemed somewhat startled and displeased at the sight of me, but after a few words of assurance from the old woman and his wife, that I was one of the boys, his good nature in a measure returned, although his speech was rather in the way of complaint of the ill-treatment of the public towards him, and I judge that he was by no means as well satisfied that I was one of the right stripe, as his family were.

"I am," he said, "an honest, hard working man, and was never guilty of a dishonest act in my life. I am poor, it is true, but I have always tried to get an honorable living. The people about Bowling Green are trying to ruin me. A man came here only a few days ago and sold me a horse, and said it was stolen. I knew nothing about it. I paid the full value of the horse, but, because he was found in any possession, they took me up to Bowling Green, and put me in jail. All the folks at Bowling Green are dead set against me, and I reckon I shall lose all I paid for the horse, as I don't know the man I bought him of."

Dark clouds appearing in the west, accompanied by loud thunder, gave me notice of an approaching storm. I started to put my horse under a shed which stood a short distance from the house, requesting Phips, in a careless tone of voice, to attend me.

Being desirous to bring my business to an issue, as soon as possible, I embraced the opportunity to introduce a few remarks that would enlist his confidence.

When a few rods from the house, I accosted him in a most familiar manner, and at the same time with a somewhat determined air.

"Phips," said I, "it is all confounded nonsense to talk this kind of stuff to me. It is well enough to tell it to the folks about here, but I understand such matters, and will tell you my business at once. I came here to see if these horses which were taken from Fox, can be got and carried away from Bowling Green. Fox and I are old friends. I am traveling across the country from St. Louis to Cincinnati, and when I arrived at Terre Haute I heard that Fox had got into a bad scrape at Bowling Green, and I came up to see about it. I find that Fox has given bail and left, but they retain the horses. Now, if we can get the horses away before the owners call for them, there will not be sufficient evidence to convict Fox. He can then, you see, come back, stand his trial, and save eight hundred dollars, the amount of his bonds. If the horses are suffered to remain where they are until the owners come for them, Fox must sacrifice the amount of his bail, as you are aware that he cannot come and stand his trial with such evidence against him. It would send him to the Penitentiary at once, but if you stand by me, and lend me a helping hand, I think we can get them away."

"How can we do it?" asked Phips, with a mingled expression of fear and satisfaction.

"Easy enough," I replied. "You must get some one to go and swear the horses are my property, and I will claim and take them away. I am a stranger to everybody there, and no one will suspect but what I am the real owner, and when the true owners come all they can say is that some rascal has got their horses and run with them, but as they can't swear to the horses unless they first find them, of course they cannot convict me, and I have no fear of their catching me or the horses if I can get fifteen miles the start of them."

"All this is true, and I can get people to swear that the horses are yours. Still, I am fearful they will not give them up."

"Why not?"

"Oh, I don't know. I was only expressing my fears."

"They must give them up. That is the only process I know of to recover stolen property."

"Will they not require you to enter into bonds to appear as witness against Fox at the next court?"

(To be continued.)

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Great.
"Oh, good gracious!" said A. D. We who returned from the San Antonio fair Tuesday, after having been there in attendance for several days. "The fair is one of the best I have seen in many moons. They had more and better attractions than any fair I have seen in a great many years. Of course I am not authority on good fairs, but I do know which ones I enjoy. I have seen one of the best times of my life. During our fair I had so much work to do it was a hard matter for me to see everything that was going on and to enjoy it like the others. At San Antonio they did not get a single thing that I did not get to see. The races were fine, especially the automobile events. I had the pleasure of seeing the famous Barney Oldfield drive his car to victory. I never saw such fast racing in all my life on a circular track. His car simply left the others in the shade, and on he went, sweeping the field before him. When he passed under the wire winner on the first round race, he was shouting that you could not hear yourself shout. I waved my hat and whooped 'em up, too."

"Since I have returned I have a better spirit to work than ever. I can jump in here now and do my work with a good will."

Dowie's House Sold.

Waukegan, Ill., Nov. 17.—The sale of the late John Alexander Dowie's fine residence, known as Shiloh house, at Zion City, to Mrs. Emma C. Gring, wife of a railroad man living at Newport, Pa., was practically completed today. The papers have been made out and sent to her to sign, the price being \$24,000, only a small part of what the building cost.

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Publishers Press.

New York, Nov. 17.—Two assistants from the office of the attorney general at Washington are here investigating the big merger between the American Telephone and Telegraph company and the Western Union, announced yesterday.

That there may be a clause in the sale which is not in exact accordance with the anti-trust laws, the attorneys are seeking to discover, and every detail of the matter will be thoroughly gone into.

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PHOTOGRAPHED WHILE ASTRIDE KOREAN QUEEN'S MONUMENT

AS SEEN BY GERMAN

Other Incidents Connected With Taft Party's Trip to East Appear in Book

Publishers Press.

Berlin, Nov. 17.—That Alice Roosevelt drank great quantities of champagne, rode to the Korean court functions in a scarlet dress, and that she climbed upon the Korean queen's monument and was photographed while astride the monument, are a few of the startling declarations written by a German attache of the Korean court in book form, which have been printed in Berlin.

Further, he relates other narratives connected with the visit of Nicholas Longworth and others of the Taft party during their trip to the far east a few years ago.

No effort has been made to suppress the books and it is said that they will be distributed throughout the United States.

Gets Divorce.

Publishers Press.

Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 17.—Mrs. Annie McGuire secured a divorce today from Bird S. McGuire, who was for seven years a member of congress.

DR. MARCH BUYS COTTON AT THE WAREHOUSE SALE

Out at the cotton warehouse Wednesday about forty bales of cotton were sold, 33 bales of which were bought by Dr. John Abe March. Not many buyers were present at the sale, but a goodly number are expected to be in attendance in the next few days.

A great deal more cotton is yet to be sold, but the owners are holding out for 15 cents. The price paid for cotton sold Wednesday averaged from 13.70 to 14 1/2 cents.

The majority of this cotton is of an exceptional high grade, fit product for the fields of Tom Green county.

CANNON MUST VACATE CHAIR

SPEAKERSHIP OF HOUSE TO BE RESTORED ON ANOTHER.

THINKS REP. NORRIS

Nebraskan Thinks Cannonism Is a Thing of Past and Democrats Due to Rule Next Assembly.

Publishers Press.

Washington, Nov. 17.—Will Speaker Joe Cannon, who has led the republican forces through thick and thin during the last three sessions of congress, be ousted from his position at the next gathering of congress? Representative George Norris of Nebraska answers in the affirmative.

In a startling statement made here today Representative Norris declared that the Illinois thunderbolt would no longer continue at the head of congress. "Cannonism is dead," he said, "and another man, probably a democrat, will preside over the coming session of congress."

Standard Oil.

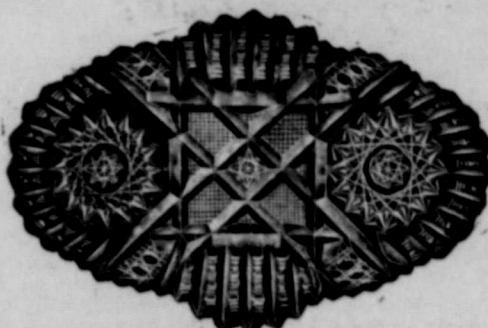
Publishers Press.

Bayonne, N. J., Nov. 17.—When the annual meeting of the Standard Oil company is held here January 11 the capital stock will be raised to \$6,000,000.

Missouri Pacific.

Publishers Press.

New York, Nov. 11.—Formal announcement was made today that the Missouri Pacific will issue \$29,806,000 worth of gold bonds. This will be authorized by the directors in January.



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