

NEW ORLEANS DOCK DESTROYED BY FIRE LOSS IS \$5,000,000

Flames Starting in Elevator Conveyor, Sweep Wharves for Ten Blocks, Burning Elevators, Warehouses, Freight Cars and Merchandise—Illinois Central Principal Loser—Terminals to Be Rebuilt Immediately—Bulk of Loss Covered by Insurance

LOSSES BY FIRE SINCE FEB. 15

Denver, Col.	\$75,000
Tyler, Texas	150,000
Philadelphia, Pa.	1,000,000
Indianapolis, Ind.	1,500,000
Hot Springs, Ark.	2,000,000
New Orleans, La.	5,000,000
Total	\$9,225,000

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 27.—With the fire that destroyed its immense export terminus still burning, though beyond power to do further damage, the Illinois Central railroad announces today that as soon as the ruins cool forces will be put to work to clear the debris away and that the Stuyvesant's docks and elevator will be promptly rebuilt on a more elaborate and substantial scale than before.

Meantime, the officials of the road are today engaged in the formulation of plans that will enable them to handle the traffic now on its way here from the west, and to avoid any material diversion of freight from this city.

LOSS AT LEAST \$5,000,000
Conservative estimates figure the immediate loss by the fire at \$5,000,000, divided as follows: Two elevators, warehouses and shed, \$2,500,000; 23,000 bales of cotton, \$920,000; 700,000 bushels of grain, \$385,000; 15,000 barrels of sugar, \$300,000; cotton seed cake, 130 carloads, \$97,000; lumber, \$16,825; cement, \$56,250; meat, twenty cars, \$10,000; sundries, \$150,000; five hundred freight cars, \$375,000; ships damaged, \$50,000; city fire department, two engines and six horses, \$15,000; private property and other damage, \$216,000.

COVERED BY INSURANCE
The railroad company carried its own insurance, and the contents of the various elevators and sheds are insured by local and foreign agencies. The wharves covered 4,700 feet over a distance of ten blocks. This wharfage of 25,000 feet, and what it contained, was destroyed, the remainder at the upper end of the terminals being saved through the fact that the wind blew strongly in the opposite direction.

The destroyed wharf cost \$500,000. Elevator D was leased to Harris, Scott & Co. of Chicago, and cost \$300,000 when built, and elevator E, which was operated by the Illinois Central, cost \$400,000.

NO LIVES LOST
Apparently no lives were lost in the fire, though there were many narrow escapes of those who engaged in fighting the flames, owing to the rapid spread, and lives were constantly endangered by debris of all kinds that whirled through the air. The escape of two fire engines was cut off and their crews had to run for their lives. Driver Charles Richardson of No. 6 being painfully hurt.

The fire started in one of the conveyers to elevator D. It spread with remarkable rapidity, sparks dropping into oil barrels on wharf and extending the flames in every direction. Ten ships were lying

at the docks when the fire started, and all escaped except two. The Indiana of the Leyland line had her rails, cabin house masts, etc., wiped clean off, and the Cyclops was burned about the prow and sides.

TUGS HURRY TO RESCUE
All the tugs in the harbor that had steam up hurried to the scene when the fire started, and by heroic efforts succeeded in pulling the steamers into the river out of reach of the flames.

Superintendent O. M. Dunne directed the forces of the railroad company for several hours, and when the fire was under control went to the office of the company, where he spent the night in wire communication with officials in the east and the west, and in setting lines for clearing the wreckage away. He said probably the piers, elevators and sheds will be restored within a year, and that they will be more substantial than those destroyed. Mr. Dunne said, in his opinion, the fire originated from spontaneous combustion.

The Texas and Pacific Railway Company has immense elevator facilities at Westwego, and there is also an elevator at Chalmette, the property of the Frisco. General Manager Preston of the latter road immediately tendered the use of the Chalmette property to the Illinois Central, and it is probable that traffic will be handled at that point.

In addition to the railroad property, the fire destroyed the Crescent Ice Company's plant, many small stores and a large number of small residences, and many pathetic scenes were witnessed as the poor occupants of them struggled to save their small belongings at the risk of their lives.

The fire temporarily will throw out of work a large number of employees, but this loss will be compensated by the very much larger number that will be employed in clearing away the debris and in the reconstruction of the terminals at the highest attainable speed.

Burned Out by 1 O'clock

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 27.—The fire at the Illinois Central terminals in this city had burned out by 1 a. m., having made a clean sweep of elevators and sheds from Louisiana avenue to Napoleon avenue. The smoldering ruins will, of course, burn for a day or two.

The wharves destroyed are estimated at \$312,000. Two elevators, old and new, warehouses, wharf sheds, Nos. 1 and 2, and part of No. 9. New 1, 0. b. cotton warehouse \$2,500,000; cotton destroyed, 23,000 bales, \$920,000; 700,000 bushels of grain, \$385,000; 15,000 barrels of sugar, \$300,000; cotton seed cake, 130 car loads, \$97,000; lumber, \$16,825; cement, \$56,250; meat, 20 car loads, \$10,000; sundries, \$150,000; city fire department, two engines and four horses, \$15,000; private property and other damage, \$216,000.

It is estimated that the insurance on stored freight, etc., will approximate \$4,000,000.

As far as known the only persons injured were Driver Charles Richardson of engine No. 6, and George B. Anthony, a laborer, neither of them being fatally hurt.

various American institutions. Their ages range from 18 to 20 years, and they will study agriculture, mining, civil and mechanical engineering.

All but two of the young men are sent by the minister of public instruction, and after their course of study their government has made claim for their services for two years in the branches in which they expect to become adepts. Those who are here of their own seeking are Maxim Roca, a nephew of former President Roca of the Argentine Republic, and Valerin Masjoan. Roca will enter Cornell University and take a course in agriculture and mining, and Masjoan will attend Columbia University to study naval architecture. Several of the young men have attended the national agricultural and industrial college at Buenos Ayres and the national colleges.

Ten of the party are to be enrolled in the Cornell University; three to go in an agricultural institution at Columbus, two to a similar school at Madison, Wis., and one is to be installed at Uelph, Ont.

The young men are the sons of lawyers, merchants and large land owners, and all express anxiety to begin their studies. Today they will visit the consul general for the Argentine Republic and there receive their formal government instructions.

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS TO VISIT CAPITAL

WACO, Texas, Feb. 27.—President S. P. Brooks of Baylor University will this week take about twenty-five or thirty of the members of the senior class to Austin, as a kind of educational outing. The party will be under his direct supervision, will stop at the Driskill hotel, visit the legislature and observe procedure, meet Governor Lanham, and go to the state institutions, besides viewing any other sights which would tend to enlarge the horizon of those in the party. Members of the class who are going look forward with great pleasure to the trip, which will be novel and beneficial.

NEGROES KILL TWO PLANTERS

Lynching Threatens to Follow Fatal Quarrel Near Yazoo City, Miss.

YAZOO CITY, Miss., Feb. 27.—A difficulty occurring late yesterday afternoon between Ed Stevens, a prominent planter living near this city and four negroes, led to the killing of Stevens and his brother, W. H. Stevens. The negroes escaped. A sheriff and posse are now scouring the country for the quartet of blacks, and a lynching is believed to be inevitable if the negroes are caught. Details regarding the killing of the Stevens brothers, which occurred on a plantation two miles from this city, are meager.

Ed Stevens, it is said, had gone to the home of Wilder, one of the negroes, near the former's home, and had become engaged in a quarrel with him. Wilder's wife and two other negroes, W. H. Stevens, running up to the cabin, tried to quiet the disturbance.

Later the quarrel was renewed and he returned back to the scene, when he saw Wilder's wife rush upon his brother. W. Stevens raised a shot-gun and fired at the woman. Wilder and his companion promptly drew pistols and fired on the Stevens brothers, killing both.

ARGENTINE YOUTH TO STUDY IN U. S.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Seventeen young natives of Argentina have arrived here, to be in a four years' course of study at



THE AMERICAN GRAND DUKES ARE GETTING THEIRS, TOO.

ARKANSAS MAYOR FINDS SON HERE

Eleven-Year-Old Boy Who Left Home Sunday Morning Returned to Parents

Mayor Brewer of Texarkana, Ark., greeted his 11-year-old son Joe in local police headquarters this morning, the small boy having run away from his home Sunday morning, arriving in this city Sunday night.

As soon as Mayor Brewer missed his son and found out that he had started for this city a telegram to officers here told the story and a search followed. This morning Officer Walker was detailed upon the case and the junior mayor of the Arkansas town was found and his anxious parents notified. Mayor Brewer arrived this morning and took charge of his son.

TO UNVEIL STATUE ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Monument to Memory of Lieutenant Dick Dowling Will Be Dedicated by Houston Veterans

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 27.—St. Patrick's day will be observed with more than the usual acclaim this year. On March 17, in addition to the demonstration by the Irish societies, the Confederate veterans will join in the celebration and the magnificent monument erected on the market square to the memory of Lieutenant Dick Dowling, the hero of Sabine Pass, will be unveiled. A monster parade, in which civic and military societies will participate, will precede the unveiling. Governor Lanham has accepted the invitation to deliver the oration. The four survivors of the historic battle of Sabine Pass will be in the parade. The statue is of Italian marble, and will be one of the finest in the south, and is said to present a strikingly lifelike presentation of the dead hero, who, at the head of a little band of thirty-six Confederates stood off the attack of 5,000 federals who sought to extend the invasion of Texas from the port of Galveston.

HUMBLE OUTPUT LARGE

Sixty Tank Cars Daily Record for Last Week

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 27.—The daily output of the Humble oil fields is said to now be larger than that of all other fields in the state combined. An average of more than sixty tank car loads of oil have come out of there daily during the last week. The Texas Oil Company will soon be delivering oil to the International and Great Northern by means of a pipe line which is now being constructed from the fields to this city and which will have a capacity of forty tank cars daily. Humble is expected to soon be doing 50,000 barrels daily. The great Hughes gusher which came in last Tuesday is still gushing the golden fluid through two 4-inch pipes into storage tanks, and another escape pipe is necessary to keep the monster in check. Its capacity is estimated at between 15,000 and 18,000 barrels per day.

Prince of Baden to Wed

LONDON, Feb. 27.—It was officially announced Saturday that an engagement had been entered into between the eldest son of the Crown Prince of Baden, Prince Gustaf Adolf, Duke of Scandia, and the Princess Margaret, daughter of the Duke of Connaught. The alliance has been rumormongered for months and is expected to prove most popular in both countries. The Princess Margaret, daughter of Prince Arthur of Connaught, brother of King Edward, was born on Jan. 15, 1882, and is his eldest child. Her fiancée was born Nov. 11, 1882.

POLICE MAKE RAID ON CHINESE RESORTS

Two Celestials, Charged with Conducting Disorderly Houses, Arrested—Both Released on Bond

Raiding of two Chinese resorts of this city by detectives and policemen Sunday night has resulted in the arrest of Wah Hop and Charlie Chong, on a charge of conducting a disorderly house. The officers allege that opium dens are conducted in the places of business of both these Chinamen. The men were taken to police station where they were released on \$500 bond, and the cases transferred to the county court.

Detective S. S. Potts who conducted the raid said: "Shortly after 10 o'clock Sunday night a representative from the county attorney's office, Policeman Bibb and myself entered the Chinese rooming house in Houston, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets. The place is kept by the Chinaman, Charlie Chong. We entered the basement where we found three Chinamen smoking 'hop,' and others idling about the room. The place is fitted up as a typical Chinese resort with the opium pipes and the mats for the Celestials to sleep on. We also found a table which the Chinese use for gambling purposes. Charlie Chong we placed under arrest and took to police headquarters. Later we released Chong under \$500 bond.

"After visiting the place named above we went to a small restaurant in Twelfth street, between Main and Houston streets, conducted by Wah Hop. Here we found several Chinamen smoking 'hop' and placed the proprietor under arrest. His shop establishment is located in the rear of the restaurant."

A telegram reporter visited the house of Charlie Chong this morning. On a long shelf-like arrangement, covered with matting, several Celestials were sleeping. Chinese decorations, queer musical instruments and other paraphernalia filled the room. Nearly twenty Chinamen make their headquarters there and though it was after 9 o'clock a number of them were still asleep.

Those who had risen glided noiselessly about and said "Glood dlay" to the reporter.

One more talkative than the rest, said that the place was headquarters for the Chinamen of the city, the restaurant men and laundry men rooming there. He said that it was the best equipped Chinese house in the state.

"Oh, yes, I smoke the pipe," he said. "Make me feel good. Make me work hard. Some people think hop only make you sleep. Hop also keep you wake. Act like drink on Mexican man. Hop make me thin but do me good. I been smoking twenty years."

for sums which were much larger than he intended and much in excess of what he really owed. In this way he says he was fleeced of hundreds of dollars, and he claims to know most of the persons who were engaged in the matter, saying there were several women. Officers have been working on the case for several days, but kept the public in the dark until they could land on the ones whom they believed to be implicated. Those arrested all protest that they did not take any money from Stegall except what was due them.

WACO OFFICERS AFTER ALLEGED OPERATORS OF ROBBERY SCHEME

Santa Anna Man Says He Was Kept Drugged and Made to Sign Checks

SIX ARRESTS ARE MADE

WACO, Texas, Feb. 27.—Several men and one or two women have been placed under arrest by the sheriff's department and the constabulary on charges of robbery and swindling, the case being rather unusual, in that the alleged victim was kept under the influence of whiskey, so it is claimed, for about two weeks, while various sums were secured from him by getting him to sign his name to checks, the total running up to nearly a thousand dollars. The men arrested thus far are R. A. Price, Ed Fuller, Stuart McChesney, Jim Reeves and Wes Handley. Mattie Brown was also arrested on the same charge and placed under bond on a waiver. The bonds approximated a thousand dollars in each case. The man who alleges that he lost his money is named N. K. Stegall, and he formerly lived in Waco, but about five years ago he went out to Santa Anna, and it is said that he is now worth considerable money.

Stegall, who is a widower about 50 years old, states that the men who got his money worked a systematic plan, keeping him drugged about ten days, and one of them staying with him constantly to keep him from getting out from under the influence of whiskey and away from the officers. He alleges that they would take him to wine rooms, get him too drunk to know what he was doing, and then tell him that he had ordered whiskey and other things and must pay for same, thus practically forcing him to sign checks

REMORSE MAKES YOUTH CONFESS

Boy of 18 Tells Denver Authorities he Killed Woman Over Year Ago

DENVER, Feb. 27.—James Neal, 18 years of age, who has been living here under the name of Roy Ballow, has given himself up to the police and confessed he killed Cynthia Johnson, a widow who lived on a farm near Kemmer, I. T. Neal declares he killed the woman because she had drawn a weapon on him and was going to kill him. He says the crime was committed June 28, 1904, and that he was driven to confession through remorse. The local authorities have telegraphed to Vinita, I. T., to have Neal's statement verified.

Press Association Meets

WACO, Texas, Feb. 27.—At the meeting of the Central Texas Press Association, held in this city Saturday, the following officers were elected: President, A. R. McCollum, Waco; vice president, M. J. Cox, Moody; secretary, E. C. Wedemeyer, treasurer, F. Luder, Waco. A resolution was passed opposing the Witherspoon bill now pending in the legislature and calling on the members to defeat the measure. The meeting was largely attended and much interest was shown.

MINISTERS RESOLVE TO TAKE ACTION IN MOVEMENT FOR PURITY

Local Association Will Ask County Attorney to Aid War on Social Evil

R. E. CHANDLER REPORTS

Resolutions declaring that some action must be taken looking to the purification of the present social evils in this city and asking the aid of the county attorney in the movement were adopted at the meeting of the Pastors' association held this morning, at which Rev. R. E. Chandler of the Cannon Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian church reported his personal investigation of the under world of this city, as published in The Telegram of Sunday.

His report to the body embraced the conditions coupled with further details, which called forth expressions of surprise and horror from many of the ministers present. Following the report a resolution of thanks was unanimously adopted for the efforts making it possible.

Discussion of conditions occupied the association until noon, further action by the association being deferred.

A special meeting for further consideration was called for Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Dr. MacAdam, president of Fort Worth university, addressed the meeting, arraigning the conditions as they now exist. "It is debasing and hardening to Christian thought and public conscience," he said. "It is insulting to pure womanhood. It is a blot upon the name of this city and a shame to us to reveal our lowest life to the stranger."

Discussing the openness and ease of access of Fort Worth's under world, he declared that the present conditions were a disgrace to the fair name of the city and should at least be checked, if it is

SENATE ACQUITS JUDGE SWAYNE

Impeachment Proceedings End in Verdict of Not Guilty

VOTE ALONG PARTY LINES

Gibson of Montana the Only Democrat Voting for Acquittal

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Voting on the impeachment case of Judge Swayne began in the senate today. On the first article, which charged Swayne with certifying a false claim for expenses, the vote was: Guilty, 33; not guilty, 49.

The detailed vote was as follows: Guilty—Bacon (Dem.), Bailey (Dem.), Bard (Rep.), Bate (Dem.), Berry (Dem.), Blackburn (Dem.), Carmack (Dem.), Clark (Dem.), Depew (Rep.), Dick (Rep.), Cullum (Rep.), Culberson (Dem.), Daniel (Dem.), Foster (Dem.), Gorman (Dem.), Gorman (Dem.), Kittredge (Rep.), Lattin (Rep.), McCreary (Dem.), McCumber (Rep.), Mallory (Dem.), Martin (Rep.), Money (Dem.), Morgan (Dem.), Nelson (Rep.), Newlands (Dem.), Overman (Rep.), Patterson (Dem.), Pettus (Dem.), Simmons (Dem.), Stone (Dem.), Tallaferr (Dem.), Teller (Dem.). Total 33.

Not guilty—Ager (Rep.), Allee (Rep.), Allison (Rep.), Ankeny (Rep.), Ball (Rep.), Beveridge (Rep.), Brumham (Rep.), Burrows (Rep.), Clapp (Rep.), Clark (Rep.), Depew (Rep.), Dick (Rep.), Dietrich (Rep.), Dillingham (Rep.), Dooliver (Rep.), Hale (Rep.), Hansbrough (Rep.), Hayburn (Rep.), Hopkins (Rep.), Kean (Rep.), Kearns (Rep.), Lodge (Rep.), Long (Rep.), McComas (Rep.), McHenry (Rep.), Penrose (Rep.), Perkins (Rep.), Platt (Rep.), Proctor (Rep.), Quarles (Rep.), Scott (Rep.), Smoot (Rep.), Spooner (Rep.), Stewart (Rep.), Warren (Rep.). Total 49.

The vote on the second and third article being on similar charges, resulted in each case, 32 guilty, and 50 not guilty.

The fourth article related to Swayne's use of a private car on the Jacksonville, Tampa and Gulf coast line. The vote resulted, guilty 33, not guilty 51.

The fifth charge was similar to the fourth, and the vote was the same as the fourth vote.

The sixth article charged Judge Swayne with non-residence in his district. The vote was, guilty 31, not guilty 51.

Article 10 related to the contempt case of Simon Belden and the vote was 31 guilty and 51 not guilty.

Article 11 was similar to article 10, and the vote was the same.

The twelfth and last article was the contempt case of O'Neal, and the vote was, guilty 25, not guilty 47.

This acquitted Judge Swayne of all the charges.

Impossible to eliminate them. He told of the danger to the young people of the city and made a plea for some protection in their behalf.

Rev. J. F. Boyce also addressed the meeting and heartily commended The Telegram and the publicity it had given the conditions.

Disposition of the several pool room cases was also discussed, but no definite action taken.

The matter of volunteer contributions for the temporary support of the Home of the Friendless was acted upon by the members and a sufficient amount raised or promised for the home's present needs.

Loss Below One Per Cent

ARDMORE, I. T., Feb. 27.—George M. Sturges, a prominent ranchman of Foster, states that his loss of cattle during the recent cold weather amounted to less than one per cent. Losses much heavier, however, are reported from adjoining ranches.

Aged Physician Dies

WACO, Texas, Feb. 27.—Rev. Dr. J. P. Lowrey was buried in the town of Aquila, Hill county, yesterday. He was in his 89th year when death came. He was one of seven brothers and the last one to die. He lived in Waco forty-two years and has been practicing medicine for 63 years. He was known in a good many portions of the state.

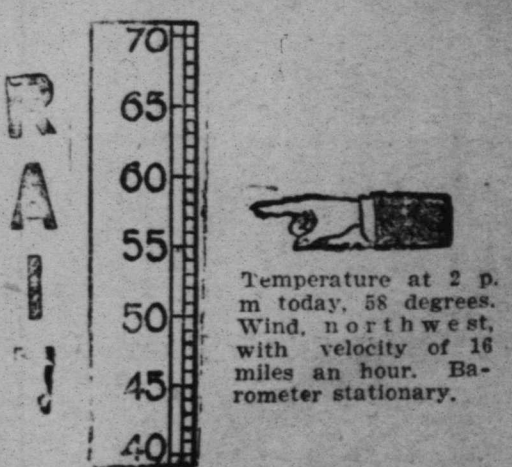
WASHINGTON FORECAST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The forecast for the southwest is as follows: East Texas—Tonight partly cloudy to cloudy weather and probably rain; cold. Tuesday probably rain.

Arkansas—Tonight partly cloudy weather and colder. Tuesday generally fair.

Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Tonight partly cloudy to cloudy weather; probably rain in western portion; colder. Tuesday probably rain.

THE WEATHER SPOTTER



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I have not room here to explain how these tender tiny nerves control and operate the stomach. How worry breaks them down and causes indigestion. How mucus wears them out and causes dyspepsia. How neglect may bring indigestion, heart, and other troubles through sympathy. I have not room to explain how these nerves may be reached and strengthened and vitalized and made well by a remedy I spent thirty years in perfecting—now known by Druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I have not room to explain how this remedy, by removing the cause, puts a certain end to indigestion, belching, heartburn, insomnia, nervousness, dyspepsia. All of these things are fully explained in the book I will send you when you write.

In more than a million homes my remedy is known. It has cured stomach troubles not once, but repeatedly—over and over again. Yet you may not have heard of it—or hearing, may have delayed or doubted. So I make this offer to you, a stranger, that every possible excuse for doubt may be removed. Send me no money—make me no promise—take no risk. Simply write and ask. If you have not tried my remedy, I will send you an order on your druggist for a full dollar bottle—not a sample, but the regular standard bottle he keeps constantly in his shelves. The druggist will require no contents. He will accept my order as cheerfully as though your dollar had been paid him. He will send the bill to me.

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VETERANS PLAN MEMORIAL DAY

Next Sunday to Be Devoted to Exercises in Honor of Comrades Who Have Died

The meeting of Lee camp, United Confederate Veterans, Sunday afternoon, was the most interesting in many weeks. W. M. McConnell, adjutant, who has been absent from the meetings for several months, was again at his desk yesterday.

The application of J. L. Scroggins for membership was read and will be finally acted upon at the next meeting.

A communication in intercommunication among Confederate veterans from the Fifth brigade, was read, in which it was suggested that a page in the Southern Mercury be secured in which to publish matters of interest to the veterans. No action was taken.

The committee to draft resolutions on the deaths of Messrs. Duke Goodman and James B. Simpson were requested to be ready to make final report next Sunday. Memorial services will be observed next Sunday. Fifty-nine members have died during the past year. These services will follow the annual election of officers.

A committee of five young women was suggested to decorate the hall. Miss Fannie Yeates was made chairman of the committee, with power to name her assistants. The manner of decoration was left to the discretion of the committee.

Dr. George Jackson made a report on investigating the W. R. Greer case. It was recently reported that he has been confined in the county jail for several months after being adjudged insane. Lee camp was asked to look into the matter of getting Greer in the asylum. Dr. Jackson stated the committee was at work on the matter and believed that the unfortunate man, who is a Confederate, will soon be placed in the asylum at Terrell.

OLD FIDDLERS' CONTEST

A statement was made regarding the coming old fiddlers' contest, to be given here during the coming cattle convention.

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Indorsed by Members of a Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Mrs. Anna Moore, Press Superintendent of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Los Angeles, Cal., states: "I have tested White Ribbon Remedy on very obstinate drunkards, and the cure has been made. I cheerfully recommend and endorse White Ribbon Remedy, and advise every woman to give it to any relative suffering from drunkenness."

Sold by druggists, 50c and \$1.00, and by Weaver's Pharmacy, 511 Main Street, Fort Worth.

The event is to be held on the night of March 22.

It was suggested that members of Julia Jackson chapter meet with the veterans next Sunday to confer regarding the contest, and also to attend memorial services.

Adjutant McConnell spoke of the necessity of the members paying their annual per capita dues of 15 cents. He said that there were many delinquents. Up to date the total paid aggregates \$8, when the total should be \$14.

Under the head of new business Adjutant McConnell referred to the death of David (Tuck) Boaz, who was a member of Lee camp. The following pallbearers were selected for the funeral: Major K. M. Van Zandt, B. B. Padgett, E. W. Taylor, W. M. McConnell, R. E. Beckham, W. H. Attwell, W. T. Maddox, H. L. Abston, J. J. Maasie and E. M. (Bud) Daggett.

On the suggestion of C. C. Cummings, Commander Taylor named the following to draft resolutions on the death of Mr. Boaz: C. C. Cummings, M. J. Pankey and W. T. Shaw.

John L. Terrell presented to the camp a pretty gravel, made by Cleveland Anderson, a 15-year-old boy, an inmate of the Masonic widows' and orphans' home. It was made from a piece of wood cut from a Christmas tree. Commander Taylor accepted the gravel on behalf of the camp, and announced incidentally that he was a Mason of the father of young Anderson soon after the close of the war. He then spoke of the great work being done for the orphans of Masons in Texas by the home. There are now 213 orphans in the home.

Colonel McGaughy was present and spoke on the topic, "Scattering Sunshine." Judge J. I. Wright also delivered a brief address, which was well received.

E. E. Henderson, who was elected as a member at a former meeting, was made a member at yesterday's session of the camp.

I. M. Skillman, who was a member of company K, of the Twenty-sixth Mississippi, was a visitor at the camp.

AMUSEMENTS

BLACK PATTI TROUBADOURS

An eminent New York dramatic critic writes as follows, after seeing this season's Greater Black Patti Troubadours: "One of the largest audiences in the history of the house welcomed the Black Patti Troubadours to the Star theater last night, and was rewarded by hearing a splendid singing organization. 'Looney Dreamland' is the title given to the one-act extravaganza that serves as a medium for performers, and while even the faintest semblance of a plot is lacking, the lines are replete with wit of the highest order. It is a toss-up between the comedians and the singers, but the honors of the performance go to Black Patti, who appeared during the action of the second act and sang several melodies with rare sweetness. Her range is bordering on the wonderful, and her high notes especially are clear and sweet to an exceptional degree. The large crowd present last evening welcomed her with an ovation of applause, and she was compelled to reply to the encores until, from sheer weariness, she made her excuses. Ida Forcen danced with marvelous grace and endurance. John Rucker, Bobby Kemp, James Crosby and Anthony Byrd were successful in handling the comedy in excellent style. Mattie Phillips, the 'Unleashed Soubrette,' was heard in comic ditties which she sang in a manner that carried the audience by storm. The most artistic feature of the entire production was the singing of the 'Dixie Chorus,' forty of the best-trained negro voices in the world—in the 'Plantation Pastimes,' 'Gloria of the Fair,' 'The Old South' and the 'Plantation Songs.' The production is mounted in a gorgeous and expensive manner, equal to highest Broadway theater, New York standard and the Star is doubtless in for the biggest week's business of the season."

Black Patti Troubadours comes to Greenwall's opera house Tuesday matinee and night, Feb. 25.

"THE TWO ORPHANS"

Local theater goers will have an opportunity to witness the all-star production of "The Two Orphans" at Greenwall's opera house Wednesday night, March 1. This is the same organization as created such a sensation at the New Amsterdam theater, New York, last spring. The success attained by it there was so great that the various stars interested were prevailed upon to make a short tour of the leading cities of the country this season. The event will be one of the most interesting in the history of the local stage, as never before have so many prominent actors been seen together in one company during the regular season, and it is not probable that such another organization will ever again be sent upon a tour as the expense attached to it makes it almost prohibitive. That such an organization is possible now is due solely to the conditions which prevail in the theatrical world, namely, the death of suitable plays. Liebler & Co., realizing the conditions, conceived the idea of putting together a company of stars. This was decided upon and a company selected. It was necessary to find a play in which the parts were evenly balanced, and no one player would have an undue advantage over another. The only play known to the English-speaking stage which fulfilled all these requirements was "The Two Orphans." In selecting the cast for the revival Liebler & Co. were assisted by two motives: They wished to give the public an opportunity to see a perfectly acted play, and they also wished to settle the question as to the comparative merits of the two schools of acting. The representatives of the old school in the company are James O'Neill, Louis James, Clara Morris and Elita Proctor Otis; the representatives of the modern school are Sarah Truax, Isabel Irving, Bijou Fernandez, James Lee Finney and J. E. Dodson.

RICHARD MANSFIELD

Naturally the announcement of the positive appearance of Richard Mansfield has taken a firm hold on the public. Not merely on the theater going public, but the public at large, and the suburban, young old, liberal and conservative, for Mansfield appeals to no one element more than did Booth or Salvini, Siddons or Bernhardt. He belongs to the people. "Ivan the Terrible" is the work of Count Alexis Tolstol. It is the most celebrated of all Russia's drama. Mansfield spent a fortune in mounting this half barbaric, wholly imperial picture of Russian court life under the most singular despot who ever lived. He comes by special train of eleven cars. There are 106 people in the company. He will appear at Greenwall's opera house on Friday night, March 3.

"SHORE ACRES"

The Rev. Lyman Abbott says: "If the stage always gave us such clean and pure plays as 'Shore Acres,' the wholesale denunciation of the stage would be a thing that could not long survive." There is hardly a city in this country today where 'Shore Acres' is not welcome" by all classes of theater goers, and it is known that over presentation. As a special mark of approval, the actor-dramatist, James A. Herne, was frequently invited to address the congregation and many clergymen urged the members to go and see "Shore Acres."

Special Session Called

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The president has issued a proclamation calling the senate in special session at 1 o'clock noon on March 4 next to receive such communications as may be made by the executive.



A fine production of this worthy drama is to be given at Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, March 4.

LOCAL NEWS

You can exchange books at J. F. Green's old book store.

S. W. Colton of Brady was in Fort Worth Sunday.

Watches and jewelry repaired by J. H. Greer, corner Fifth and Main streets.

L. C. Thompson of Temple is in the city.

J. F. Grammer, Dentist, 506 Main st., Fort Worth, Texas.

John G. Read of Killebuck was in the city Sunday evening.

Rambler and Cleveland bicycles, best made, at Cromer Bros., 1616 Main st.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas D. Read and Mrs. John Horn of Vernon are in Fort Worth.

Good photographs are the only kind you want. Worth Studio makes them. M. L. Kennard of Cleburne was in the city Sunday.

We pay particular attention to quart and jug trade. Finest imported and domestic wines, liquors and cigars. Kentucky Liquor House, 114-116 Houston street.

J. E. Henderson Jr. of Newkirk, Okla., is in the city.

Keith's Conqueror Shoes make the feet feel happy. Thousands of them sold by Keith's Dry Goods Co., 1302-4 Main street, at \$3.50 and \$4.

W. T. Wright of Bolton was a social caller in Fort Worth Sunday.

Prepare yourself for Sunday. H. Brann & Co., the wholesale liquor dealers, will sell you a quart bottle of Green River whiskey for \$1.

Mrs. F. R. Lee of Dallas was in the city Sunday.

It pays to sell your old furniture and stoves to R. E. Lewis and furnish your home with new and up-to-date goods. 212-214 Houston st.

Sam Boaz of Houston is in the city today.

A. J. Anderson's store, 410-12 Houston st., is one of the best equipped stores in the city. Sporting goods, electrical supplies and gas fixtures.

James L. Fulton of Morgan was a caller in the city Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Johnston's Red Blood Tonic drives all poison from the blood, leaving it rich, red and pure, which positively makes you a long life against pneumonia. Dillins Bros., 200 Jennings avenue.

C. M. Gamble of Albany is in the city on business.

If you want good drugs put into your prescriptions, take them to Reeves' Pharmacy, 101 Jennings avenue. Fine line of perfumes and choice toilet articles.

Miss Gertrude Morgan of Hillsboro is visiting in Fort Worth.

The Winters-Daniel Realty Company have a few very exceptional bargains for immediate sale, in cottage homes on the south side. They are also offering residence lots, convenient to car line, \$300 to \$300 each.

Balmy weather drew a number of people to Handley Sunday. Many took lunch baskets and spent the day at Lake Erie.

The J. J. Langewerf Co. (Inc.) opp. City Hall, Wall Paper, Paints and Window Glass at reduced prices during Feb. Call and see.

Gangs of laborers were shipped Sunday evening to points west on the Texas and Pacific, where much work is being done for the railroad company.

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

J. M. True of Sulphur Springs, L. T., is in the city. Mr. True stated that a number of cattlemen from his territory expected to attend the cattlemen's meeting here.

W. B. Scrimshire, First and Throckmorton sts., in new quarters, with the finest line of farm machinery, buggies and wagons in Fort Worth, and the benefit mutual to the railroads and the people not alone of the interested section, but of the whole state as well is readily seen.

Mr. Dobbin is working between San Angelo and Temple the coming week, spending a day in each town along the Santa Fe branch.

RESOLUTION OF REGRET

On the Death of Henry Steinfeldt. The following resolutions of regret were passed by Fort Worth Aerle, No. 62, F. O. E., at the regular session held Sunday, Feb. 26, 1905:

"Whereas, An all-wise Providence has seen fit to remove from our midst Bro. Henry Steinfeldt, a true and loyal Eagle, be it

"Resolved, That in the untimely death of Bro. Steinfeldt the Aerle has suffered the loss of one of its members who has been foremost in the interest of the Aerle, and that we extend our heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved widow and family in the great loss they have sustained, and that our charter be draped for thirty days in his memory."

(Signed.) J. L. BICKNELL, J. W. FRAZIER, A. P. MURPHY.

Funeral of Dr. Parker

Dr. C. A. Parker, who died at his home Thursday afternoon, was buried in Oakwood cemetery Sunday afternoon. The funeral, held under the auspices of the Red Men, was conducted by Rev. S. G. Inman.

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Columbus, Ohio, May 20, 1903.

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COLONIZATION AGENT BEGINS NEW WORK

Santa Fe Representative Reaches San Angelo and Will Devote Time to Settling Southwest Texas

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Feb. 27.—General colonization agent is the title of a new Santa Fe official in Texas and Garrett A. Dobbin, who has arrived here from Chicago bears his honors modestly. He is in charge of the immigration work of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe and will work systematically to develop and settle up Western and Southwestern Texas with a good class of farmers and substantial settlers from the old states. Mr. Dobbin arrived in company with John L. Conaway, general live stock agent of Fort Worth; General Freight Agent John S. Hershey of Galveston, and John G. Hensley of Waco, commercial agent. Mr. Dobbin's idea is to have an immigration agent to foster the work of development and settlement along the Santa Fe's lines. The Santa Fe is co-operating with the people all along its lines to the settlement and development of the country and the benefit mutual to the railroads and the people not alone of the interested section, but of the whole state as well is readily seen.

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Mrs. S. H. Mims Discusses

Christian Science Principles at Opera House

"The Spiritual Dominion of Man Through Scientific Christianity," delivered by Mrs. Sue Harper Mims, C. S. D., of Atlanta, Ga., drew a large audience at Greenwall's opera house Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Mims was introduced by Clarence Ousley of this city.

Mrs. Mims said in part: "The God of Christian Science is not a new God. He is the same God whom the children of Israel worshipped long ago; the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob; the God of the primitive Christian church; the God of the Methodists, Baptists and all the orthodox denominations of today; the same God as is worshipped by the entire Christian world."

"There are so-called sciences of medicine, philosophy, electricity, sociology and through them the human thought is breaking its fetters and limitations, for the Christ is back of it all and is overturning it all."

"The cry of the human mind today is, 'Let there be light,' and the reason of this cry is an aspiration to know God that is felt by every human being, and God is not a far-away king, but is the eternal truth in which we live and move and have our being; his power reaches from the infinitesimal to the infinite."

"When man was first created the bible tells us that God said, 'Let us make man in our own image and he shall have dominion over the birds of the air and the beasts of the field, etc.' but Jesus was the first to demonstrate that dominion. Jesus said to his disciples, 'The works that I do shall ye do also, and greater works than these shall ye do,' and it is well known that Jesus cured all manner of diseased persons who were brought to him, healed the lame, opened the eyes of the blind and even raised the dead. Such were the results of his perfect unity with God. The same God rules today; there is the same power today; there can be no reason why the same things cannot be done today if the conditions are complied with and a perfect unity with God is reached."

"Christian Science is a science the principle of which is God himself. The Christian Scientist refuses to believe in discord and strife or illness as he believes them to be temporal falsities. The truth of this is eternal, perfect and harmonious. In the bible the natural science is often spoken of as a mere vapor; a dream which soon fades away."

"The human flesh is but the grass of the field that today is, and tomorrow is not. The dream of material existence is unreal and the spiritual insight alone can show us the real which is not seen but is yet eternal."

"Fifty years ago there was not a Christian Science on the earth; there were beautiful, spiritual-minded, aspiring Christians, seeking, praying for more light, and because of this, the light has come."

"Less than 40 years ago, in sublime spiritual isolation, there stood one woman, Mary Baker Eddy, on the mountain top of etherial vision, 'kissed by the rising sun of righteousness with the light of its beams.' Solitary as the great explorer, 'standing on a lonely peak in Darien,' two unknown continents, and two vast oceans on either side, Mrs. Eddy saw on one side the vast sea of human thoughts, swelling and raging in tumultuous struggle and on the other side, the enforced, self-inflicted sorrow and slavery of men, through human illusions, and before her, the land of spiritual Canaan, where man, free and fearless in his true selfhood, may 'transparently walk the earth like some holy thing.' She saw the awful unreality of senses, including evil, disease and death, 'that deceive the whole world,' and she also saw the omnipotence and reality of God, good and the infinite possibility of man, endowed with a true knowledge of God. She discovered anew the spiritual laws of life and human needs, as Jesus taught and proved. She named the discovery Christian Science, because it deals with eternal laws that always were, and will be, the laws of God and the universe."

"DIFFERS FROM NEW THOUGHT" "Christian Science is entirely unique in its dealings with the question of evil, or matter. It rests its position on the basis that God is the only, the infinite One, the omniscience, omnipotence, omnipresence that is good; the all-inclusive Mind, besides whom there is naught else." It is true that the New Thought movement claims to acknowledge this same statement of God, Good, Spirit, but it drops from this sublime postulate, and admits matter, something besides the infinity of Spirit in theory, making material man and universe the expression of Spirit, which is illogical and unsatisfactory for flesh and Spirit, matter and Mind are contrary; Truth and error are at warfare one with the other. 'The flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh.' Because of this opposition of the Spirit to the flesh, we know that logically one cannot be the outcome of the other, any more than light can emit darkness, or Truth express a lie. Therefore Christian Science denies that matter, or materiality can be actual, or the emanation of God, the only cause. It does not deny man or the universe, but only a false, material sense of them. The carnal mind, or material sense is enemy to Truth, and is so in optics and astronomy, as well as in Christianity. The contention of the unseen real is the very basis of Christianity. Jesus' first command to his followers was to deny self, material selfhood, for its deeds are sin, disease, and death, and follow him through over-coming, to true spiritual individuality in good."

"The New Thought movement, or philosophy, makes no separation between the carnal mind, which is enemy to Truth, and the Christ Mind, which is Truth. In Christian Science the realization of this One Mind that is Truth, destroys the illusory real of the mind of the flesh; it rebukes the Adams sense in which all die, and brings to view the Christ or divine Ideal, in which all are made alive. It is this separating process between the unreal and real, between the flesh and Spirit, the seen and the unseen, that constitutes the Christian warfare."

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TURF WAR'S END NOT YET SIGHTED

St. Louis Rivals Still Running at Full Blast, Neither Showing Advantage

By Chip.
NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—John L. announces his intention of reentering the ring. John Willie thinks he can whip Fitzsimmons and a wild-eyed promoter is trying to get a fight with him. No, this is not the funny column. These propositions have all come up in the past week and all seem equally ludicrous.

TURF WAR STILL ON
The warring turf bodies are still hard at it at New Orleans, with neither side having any perceptible advantage so far. With the Fair Grounds running the Boer War spectacle as a side attraction and the City Park featuring Ted Sloan, a free gate in full operation at both tracks, the fight waxes warmer every day.

I have before stated, no one can say. As things will depend on the situation in Chicago this summer, and it is as yet too early to forecast what that will be. The season here will not regularly commence for nearly two months, the Worth track being the first to open. The Worth management apparently are not worrying as they are right now preparing their stake book which will shortly be issued, and the fixtures will be on practically the same basis as last year, with no feature worth less than \$1,500.

There is one thing certain. The sympathy of Chicago sporting men is, in a large majority, with the new organization, or as they say, with Corrigan. Although the "Master of Hawthorne" has never been very popular, even in Chicago, the general sentiment seems to be that he is fighting for his rights, as are the people with him, and consequently should receive the support of all right thinking turfites.

FANS' INTEREST PICKING UP
The baseball season rapidly approaches and the preliminary stunts previous to the grand opening are now in full swing. No less than eight clubs in each league, confidently expect to capture the pennant next year and they have it all doped out just how they are going to do it. Every pitcher of note—and some who are not—has invented a new style of delivery that will make Jack Chesbro with his celebrated "saw-bully" look foolish, and the crop of "phenoms" is unusually large.

That the coming season will be one of the most prosperous in the game is an assured fact. The two big leagues, outwardly at least, are in harmony, and that means a great deal for the ultimate success of both.

The proposition now under consideration to have the championship of the world decided at the end of the regular season is a first-rate idea, and it is to be hoped that it will go through, with or without the sanction of John T. Brush.

MAGAZINES

TRIUMPHS OF MODERN SURGERY

That awesome bundle of potential mysteries we call the body, made the subject of the March McClure's of an absorbing article on modern surgery by Samuel Hopkins Adams. This writer owns the happy faculty of seeing a thing "by and large," of grasping the essential facts and telling them vividly, with dramatic force. He reduces technicalities to their lowest terms, and makes a surgical process as interesting and as compelling as a tale of war. The triumphs of this modern science are elucidated in the modern language of every day. Here is the story of the gastric ulcer, an ailment as serious when cured as in the virulent stage, for as he explains, in healing it causes a contraction of the stomach's wall, narrowing the organ's exit to the point of uselessness. "In serious cases the method of treatment has been to cut out the ulcer or scar—a complicated and dangerous resource because of the proximity to the solar plexus, which (as everyone knows, since Mr. Fitzsimmons operated upon Mr. Corbett at Carson City, for the removal of a championship belt) is a nerve center highly susceptible to shock. "Several years ago a German surgeon, named Wolfier, contrived an operation which is nothing more nor less than a skillful plumbing device. He cut a hole in the stomach in front of the ulcer, clipped off the stomach's intestine, and sliced the two together, leaving the ulcer to take care of itself. This process, short circuited the food route. The ulcer, relieved of irritation from the passing over of food, soon healed; the resultant contraction didn't matter because the old exit was now out of commission, and the system of plumbing properly took its place among recognized useful operations."

FEBRUARY FIELD AND STREAM

A series of remarkable photographs of leaping tarpon, the greatest of game fishes, in "Field and Stream" for February, strikingly illustrates the strides that have been made in speed photography, and how successfully the camera is now being utilized to catch the things in nature which pen and brush could never accurately record. The latest number of this always attractive and highly informational magazine is conspicuous for the amount of brand new authoritative matter it contains about the world's tarpon. Articles on the tarpon are contributed by Dr. H. N. T. Harris, U. S. N.; Charles F. Naeving, Violet Coen and E. H. Henning-Brown. In "The Coward," a charming story of life in the far northwest, the fate of the leader of his dog team, which deserted him while on his way to an Indian encampment in the wilds for moose meat. "The Life History of the Meadow Mouse," by J. Alden Leary, "On the Homestead," by Ira B. Ford, and "Queer Fishes," by Evelyn Singer, are interesting to even the casual reader, while "The Sportsman and the Automobile," by William Arthur Babson, will please all interested in the automobile as a means to enhance the pleasures of a trip to the woods. The department is replete with valuable information for outdoor folk, and the illustrations thoroughly in keeping with the high standard of the text.

Do you suffer from indigestion, constipation, feel mean and cross, no strength or appetite? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

A waistcoat that formerly belonged to Robespierre was sold in Paris recently at auction for \$4.50.

If you are thinking of building see Donaldson. It will pay you. 207½ Main st.

FAST TIME MADE BY STOCK TRAIN

Speed of Katy Flyer Maintained on Texas Shipment for Today's Market

By Chip.
The fastest movement ever made out of Texas with a stock train was that made by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas with a train leaving Vernon Saturday. The train consisted of fifteen cars of cattle and several cars of dead freight, en route to St. Louis, the intention being to land the train in that city in time for the opening of the market today, the scheduled arrival being 2 a. m.

Speed of this special stock train was much above the average time made by passenger trains. The train covered the distance between Denison and Muskogee, 157 miles, in four hours and thirty minutes, making an average running speed of thirty-five miles an hour.

The speed is the same as that being made by the Katy Flyer, and considerably ahead of the usual time by passenger trains.

The test run was made for the purpose of demonstrating that live stock can be carried to St. Louis from Texas on as fast a schedule as is being maintained by passenger trains.

It is the intention of the Katy, it is announced, to land cattle in St. Louis, the distance, 215 miles, in forty-four hours.

The time made by the live stock train is a record breaker, and has never been duplicated by any railroad in the country, according to statements made here by officials of the Katy.

AFTER TICKET BROKERS

Railroads Want to Prevent Mardi Gras Speculation

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 27.—The fight of the railroads has opened against ticket brokers with respect to Mardi Gras business, and it is likely the aid of the courts will be invoked. General passenger agents will meet here one day this week, the date yet to be determined, to take steps to crimp the scalper. The roads have adopted an iron-clad form of ticket for the Mardi Gras, which it is believed the scalpers cannot easily manipulate. It is understood an effort will be made to procure a court injunction against trafficking in the Mardi Gras tickets.

HARRIMAN LOOKING SOUTH

Development of Port Arthur as Gulf Terminus Is Forecast

The latest report from the north is to the effect that the Illinois Central contemplates securing a line from Kansas City to the Gulf of Mexico. Harriman represents a very large interest in the Central and has been for five years the controlling factor in the Kansas City Southern, which line, under his trusteeship, is earning more per mile than the Chicago and Northwestern.

At Port Arthur, where the Kansas City Southern terminates, there are twenty-six feet of water for steamships, and although no freight from Kansas or Kansas City appears to come or go over the Kansas City Southern, the oil of Beaumont goes by pipe line to Port Arthur at the rate of a steamer cargo every day in the year, including Sundays and holidays.

PUTTIN IN PHONES

Experts Complete Preliminary Work Along Southern Pacific

HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 27.—A party of Cumberland Telephone company experts have completed an inspection of the Southern Pacific telephone lines between this city and New Orleans, to ascertain the steps necessary to put in a complete telephone system. The telephone is as an adjunct to the telegraph and may be used to supplement latter. Negotiations have been under way several months by the railway officials and the Cumberland company for the putting in of telephone lines and a contract now agreed upon. Several other railways in the country are using the telephone in the handling of general railway business, including the moving of trains. It is used exclusively on the Baltimore and Ohio and the Illinois Central also use it but still employs the tickler in addition.

MILK THIEVES ON THE SOUTH SIDE

Repeated Visits Made to Residences After Morning Delivery by Milkmen

Milk thieves have been active during the past week on the south side, repeated thefts being reported by residents living in Henderson street.

Saturday morning the residence of Mrs. M. Goldstick, 315 Henderson street, was visited, the milk poured from cans and carried away. At the adjoining residence of Mrs. Boone the milk and pails both were taken.

Similar thefts, it is reported, have occurred between the delivery by milkmen made about 4 o'clock in the morning and the time the families arise.

Steps are being taken by the citizens to apprehend the thieves.

ELKS TO PLAY BASEBALL

First Game With Dallas Is Scheduled to Take Place May 9

Elks of the city have begun preliminary baseball arrangements, having held a meeting for this purpose in the club rooms Sunday afternoon. J. L. Bushby has been elected manager of the team for this season, and A. Smitten, assistant manager. It was decided to begin practice next Sunday. The first game of the season will be played here May 9, with the Dallas Elks.

Maine Corporations Lead

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Papers filed for new companies in eastern states during February with a capital of \$1,000,000 or over, represent a total of \$8,600,000. This is a decrease as compared with January of over \$17,000,000, due to several large incorporations in January with much larger capitalizations, than those in February. Notwithstanding the decrease in February the total was much larger than for any month in 1904 down to May, when the incorporations were \$132,000,000. Maine, as for some months past, heads the list of new incorporations with a total of \$42,000,000. New Jersey comes next with \$27,000,000 and New York follows with \$24,000,000.

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SPRINGFIELD, N. M., Feb. 27.—The recent spell of weather was about the most severe ever in the history of this country, and there is no doubt that all classes of stock suffered more than is yet known, but from reports that are already at hand the loss, especially to cattle, has been enormous. Cows were seen frozen to death on the prairie; being weak they were knocked down by the storm of Saturday night and couldn't get up, so in their weak condition lay there and froze to death. Hundreds of head perished in this way.

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THE NATIONAL IS DEAD

There recently appeared in these columns a communication from President Frank J. Hagenbarth of the National Live Stock Association defending his position at the recent Denver meeting, which resulted in the withdrawal of a large body of southwestern stockmen from that organization and the formation of the American Live Stock Growers' Association. President Hagenbarth treated the situation in a very gentlemanly manner, and we were pleased to give him the space requisite to place his views before Texas cattlemen, for neither this paper nor Texas cattlemen are making war with President Hagenbarth. The fight at Denver was against measures, and not against Mr. Hagenbarth. But so far as Texas is concerned, the National Live Stock Association is dead and there are none left who mourn its demise.

The cattlemen of Texas are standing as a unit behind the recently organized American Stock Growers' Association, and the indications are that the meeting to be held in Denver next May to perfect the organization will be attended by a large, representative and enthusiastic body of Texas cattlemen. The sentiment dominant in this state is that the cattlemen did the proper thing in withdrawing from the National Live Stock Association at the recent Denver meeting, and that the exigencies of the situation demand that henceforth this interest shall stand alone. In fact, there is a strong sentiment existing in Texas in favor of a national cattlemen's association of an exclusive nature, and the cattlemen of this section would be pleased to join and help sustain such an organization.

It will be remembered that Texas led in the recent secession from the National Live Stock Association, and it should be borne in mind that the state as a whole stands by that action. Texas has had no love for the old national association for several years, and would have come out of that organization two years ago, but from the fact that it was feared such action would result disastrously to the organization. At El Paso two years ago the Texas assessment for membership was paid by individuals, and in this city last March membership was only retained through the action of the national people in agreeing that the annual assessment should be quite nominal. This was really paid under protest, the Texas cattlemen believing that nothing was to be gained from further affiliation.

Later, the action of the southwestern cattlemen at Denver in organizing the Cattlemen's Interstate Executive Committee, at the instance of Texas, to do the work that should have been accomplished within the national association, shows that the Texas people had lost faith and confidence in that organization. Previous to the departure of the Texas delegation to attend the recent meeting in Denver, it became convinced that there was a plan on foot to prostitute further the purposes of the organization, and the suspicion became confirmed upon arrival in Denver, when the delegation was approached by certain Chicago interests with the suggestion that a good bunch of money was to be picked up on certain contingencies. The thrifty Chicago idea of commercialism was repelled by the Texas contingent, which vainly sought to stem the tide, and finally led the revolt which culminated in the new organization. Texas cattlemen are not willing, they say, to fraternize with interests they are fighting for what they believe to be right and justice.

President Hagenbarth in his communication referred to an article on the result of the Denver meeting which appeared in Wallace's Farmer. The last issue of that excellent publication contains the following with reference to the attempted re-organization of the old national association:

Taking up the reasons advanced for the reorganization: First, we have no doubt Mr. Hagenbarth's statement of the condition of the old national is correct. He says that "notwithstanding the most strenuous efforts" it seemed impossible to arouse the cattlemen to the necessity of supporting it. Without considering the possible reasons for this apathy, it is pertinent to ask how, then, they could be expected to rally to the support of the reorganized national, when it was proposed to take in the packers and the railroads against their most strenuous objections?

Second, the old national was bankrupt because it did not receive the financial support of the live stock interests. It seems that to remedy this it was proposed to take in the railroads, the packers, and the stock yards interests; and while the amount these interests were to contribute does not seem to have been stated in an authoritative manner, the understanding was quite general that it would be between twenty and forty thousand dollars. We understand that the decision finally reached was that the stock yards shall contribute not to exceed one cent per car on all stock received at the various yards for the last preceding year; that live stock exchanges shall contribute not to exceed one-fourth of a cent per car on all stock sold during the preceding year in the markets where such exchanges are operative; and that packing interests shall contribute not to exceed four cents per car on the live stock annually sold in the Chicago market. Irrespective of the amount these different interests contribute, the question arises: First, if the money is to come from the packers, the stock yards, and commission merchants, can it be used to support the association in any way which these interests may conceive to be antagonistic to them? And, second, if so used, how long will these people continue to contribute? The live stock interests have a majority sufficiently large to control the executive committee, but that majority must in the very nature of things be subservient to the minority composed of the packers, the stock yards, and the commission merchants, or lose the funds which these three interests contribute and upon which it seems the association will be largely dependent for support. The railroads are not represented in the association as reorganized.

Third, surely, as Mr. Hagenbarth states, the work of the association as outlined in the preamble he quotes, constitutes a formidable program. It is so formidable that it scatters the minds of a fat man scanning the horizon for his dog while the latter sits at his feet. There are many live questions before the stockmen of the country at the present time; but of these there are two of the most vital importance: First, to secure equitable railroad rates and better service; and, second, to secure a square deal from the packers. The other matters covered by the preamble are important and deserve the support of the stockmen, but these two questions are sufficient to take their entire attention for a time at least and until they can secure relief. The talk of extending our foreign markets, which has suddenly become so clamorous in some quarters, should not be permitted to attract the attention of the stockman away from these questions in which he is so vitally interested at the present time. In the settlement of these two questions he can not in the very nature of things expect help from the railroads, packers, stock yards, or commission interests. He must turn for help there to commercial bodies who are interested not perhaps in the rate on live stock, but in rates on all other products, which are equally wrong and need equally stringent remedies. Surely no one supposes for a moment that the stockmen of the west are not ready to work with the packers or the railroads or anyone else in extending the foreign markets for their products, but to do this it is necessary that they should give these different interests a voice in an association supposed to represent the live stock interest proper? Can they not work equally well together for the common good, each with its own organization? Can they not in fact accomplish more in this way? It certainly seems so to us.

Fourth, as for the mistakes of the packer being "perhaps of the head and not of the heart," to use our correspondent's words, the investigations conducted by the government, and especially the developments of the last few weeks, put no such charitable interpretation upon them. Mr. Hagenbarth's words on this matter were written before the supreme court of the United States announced its decision on the beef trust, and he himself would probably exercise less charity at the present time in speaking of them. It is not surprising that just now these packers, who are liable to indictment by the government, are anxious to get under the protective wing of what is in name at least a National Live Stock Association.

All who have the interests of the stockmen at heart are hoping that at the meetings which will be held at Denver in May some way will be devised to bring about harmony and understanding. It is a great pity that just as victory seems almost in sight the forces which have borne such a valiant part in the battle should be alienated.

Wallace's Farmer wants to see the stockmen eliminate every question upon which all can not agree and present a united front to the common antagonists. Having done this, they be ready to take up with any other organizations or interests so far as they have common cause.

The latest development in the beef trust investigation seems to indicate that the federal government means business in the fight it has undertaken to bring that combination down to the point where it will manifest some respect for the laws of the land. It is real pitiful, however, to read of the manner in which these poor fellows are being persecuted.

We would state for the benefit of "Anxious Subscriber" that President Roosevelt was not made a doctor of laws by the University of Pennsylvania on account of his efforts to doctor the interstate commerce law. The action taken was but a mere compliance and not really intended to encourage the president in the work in which he is now engaged.

There are well defined rumors extant to the effect that the Rock Island and Frisco railway systems are about to part company, and the activity of Colonel Yoakum in building up and strengthening the Frisco properties would seem to indicate very clearly his determination that it shall stand alone at an early date as a great independent system.

According to the official figures of the federal government, Texas is now producing more mules than any other state in the union. First in cattle, first in mules, first in cotton and first in so many things already, the time is not far distant when Texas will lead the entire procession of states in everything.

The bomb of the assassin is falling very close to the throne of the czar of all the Russias.

A LEGACY of HATE

By LOUIS TRACY

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SYNOPSIS.

After a quarrel with his cousin David, Sir Alan Hume-Frazier is found murdered at Beechcroft Hall, near Stowmarket. Accused of the charge of murder, David requests Reginald Brett, lawyer-detective, to find the real murderer. They visit Beechcroft, now occupied by the late baronet's sister, Margaret, and her Italian husband, Signor Capella. Capella secretly loves Helen Layton, David's fiancée. He quarrels with David, leaves the house and later meets Helen, declares his love and attempts to caress her. David appears and soundly thrashes him. Brett learns that Capella is familiar with Japanese weapons, like the one used to kill Sir Alan.

Winter, a Scotland Yard detective, finds a man who saw the real murderer of Sir Alan and shows Brett a typewritten note supposed to have been written by the guilty person. Capella leaves suddenly on a secret mission to Naples, followed by Holden, one of Brett's men. Mr. Jiro, a Japanese, who knows more than he tells, is asked to translate an inscription on the weapon used by Sir Alan's slayer.

CHAPTER XV.

AN UNEXPECTED VISITOR.
The dinner passed uneventfully. The night was beautifully fine. The day seemed loth to die and the twilight lingering on the pleasant landscape tempted them outside.

When they stepped on to the turf in front of the library a man who was standing under the yews a little way down the avenue moved forward and accosted Margaret.

She uttered a little cry of alarm and retreated quickly.

"Why, David," cried Helen, "surely it can not be you!"

The stranger made no reply, but paused irresolutely. Even in the dim



"SIT DOWN, MAN. DON'T BE A FOOL. YOU ARE WEAK WITH HUNGER."

light Brett needed no second glance to reveal to him that this mysterious prowler was Robert Hume-Frazier.

"Good evening," he said politely. "Do you wish to see your cousin?"

"And who the devil may you be?" was the uncompromising answer.

"A friend of Mrs. Capella's."

"H'm! I'm glad to hear it. I thought you could not be that beastly Italian."

"You are candid itself; but you have not answered me?"

"About seeing my cousin? No, I will call when she is less engaged."

He turned to go, but Brett caught him by the shoulder.

The other man wheeled round again. That he feared no personal violence was evident. Indeed, it was possible Brett had over-estimated his own strength in suggesting the alternative.

The Argentine cousin laughed boisterously.

"By the Lord Harry," he cried, "I like your style! I will come in, if only to have a good look at you."

They approached the two frightened women. Margaret had recognized his voice and now advanced with outstretched hand.

"I am glad to see you, Robert," she said, in tones that vibrated somewhat. "Why did you not let me know you were coming?"

"Because I did not know myself until an hour before I left London. Moreover, you might have wired and told me to stay away, so I sailed without orders."

The position was awkward. The newcomer had evidently walked from Stowmarket. He had the appearance of a gentleman, soiled and a trifle truculent, perhaps, but a man of birth and good breeding.

Helen was gazing at him in sheer wonderment. He was so extremely like David that, at a distance, it was easy to confuse the one with the other.

Brett, too, examined him curiously. He recalled "Rabbit Jack's" pronouncement—"either the chap himself or his dead spit."

"When you reached Stowmarket," he finally inquired, "did the station master exhibit any marked interest in you?"

"Well, now, that beats the band," cried Robert. "He looked at me as though I had seven heads and horns to match. But how did you know that?"

"Merely on account of your marked resemblance to David Hume-Frazier. It puzzled the station master some time ago. By the way, you appear to

like the shade of the yew trees outside. Do you always approach Beechcroft Hall in the same way?"

The ex-sailor's bold eyes did not fall before the barrister's penetrating glance.

"What the deuce has it got to do with you?" he replied fiercely. "Who has appointed you grand inquisitor to the family, I should like to know? Margaret, I beg pardon, but this chap—"

"Is my friend, Mr. Reginald Brett. He is engaged in unravelling the manner and cause of poor Alan's death. He has my full sanction, Robert, and was brought here, in the first instance, by David. I hope, therefore, you will treat him more civilly."

"I will treat him as he treats me. I owe him nothing, at any rate."

Brett understood that to question him further was to risk a scene—a thing to be avoided at all costs. They had entered the library.

"No doubt," he said, "you wish to speak privately to Mrs. Capella. I was on the point of escorting Miss Layton to her house. Shall I return and drive you back to Stowmarket? I will be here in fifteen minutes."

"It would be better than walking," replied Robert, wearily, settling into a chair with the air of a man physically tired and mentally perturbed.

Again there was a dramatic pause. Helen, more alarmed than she wished to admit, gave Margaret a questioning

look, and received a strained but reassuring smile.

"Then I will go now—," she began, but instantly stopped. Like the others, she heard the quick trot of a horse and the sound of rapid wheels approaching from the lodge.

"Who on earth can this be?" cried Margaret, blanching visibly.

The vehicle, a dog cart, drew nearer. They all went to the window. Even the indifferent Robert rose and joined them.

Heiden startled them by running out to the side of the drive.

"This time I am not mistaken," she cried hysterically. "It is David!"

The proceedings of the gentleman who jumped from the dog cart left no doubt on the point. He brazenly kissed her, and in her excitement she seemed to like it.

She evidently whispered something to him, for his first words to Brett were:

"How did you find out—"

But the lawyer was not anxious to let the cousin from Argentina into the secret of the search for him.

"I have found out nothing," he interrupted. "I have been at Beechcroft all the afternoon and evening. Meanwhile, you must be surprised to meet Mr. Robert Hume-Frazier here so unexpectedly."

David luckily grasped his friend's intention. Such information as he possessed must wait until they were alone.

"How d'ye do, Bob?" he said, frankly holding out his hand. "Why have you left us alone all these years, to turn up at last in this queer way?"

The young man's kind greeting, his manly attitude, had an unlooked-for effect.

Robert ignored the proffered hand. He reached for his hat.

"I feel like a beastly interloper," he growled huskily. "Accept my apologies, Margaret, and you, Miss Layton. I will call in the morning. Mr. Brett, if you still hold to your offer, I will await you at the lodge, or any other place you care to name."

With blazing eyes, and mouth firmly set, he endeavored to reach the open window. Brett barred his way.

"Sit down, man," he said sternly. "Why are you such a fool as to resist the kindness offered to you? I tried to make matters easy for you. Now I must speak plainly. You are weak with hunger."

He had seen what the others had missed. The color in Robert's face was due to exposure, but he was otherwise drawn and haggard. His clothes were shabby. He had walked from

Stowmarket because he could not afford to hire any means of conveyance.

The abrupt confession compelled by Brett's words was too much for him. He again collapsed into a chair and covered his face with his hands.

CHAPTER XVI.

THE COUSINS.

Brett was the only person present who kept his senses. Margaret was too shocked, the lovers too amazed, to speak coherently.

"Mr. Hume-Frazier has allowed himself to become run down," said the barrister, with the nonchalance of one who discussed the prospects of tomorrow's weather. "What he needs at the moment is some soup and a few biscuits. You, Mrs. Capella, might procure these without bringing the servants here, especially if Miss Layton were to help you."

Without a word, the two ladies quitted the room.

Robert looked up.

"You ring like good metal," he said to the barrister. "Is there any liquor in the dining-room? I feel a trifle hollow about the belt. A drink would do me good."

"Not until you have eaten something," was the firm answer. "Are you so hard up that you could not buy food?"

"Well, the fact is, I have been on my beam ends during the past week. Today I pawned a silver watch, but unfortunately returned to my lodgings, where my landlady made such a fiendish row about the bill that I gave her every penny. Then I pawned my overcoat, raising the exact fare to Stowmarket. I could not even pay for a bus from Gower street to Liverpool street. All I have eaten today was a humble breakfast at 8:30 a. m., and I suppose the sun and the journey wore me out. Still, you must be jolly sharp to see what was the matter. I thought I kept my end up pretty well."

David sat down by his side.

"Forgive me, old chap," continued Robert. "It broke me up to see that you were happy after all your troubles. You are engaged to a nice girl; Alan is dead; I am the only unlucky member of the family."

(To be Continued.)

Cleanings From the Exchanges

A newsdealer in Denton has earned immortality for himself by refusing to handle literature of the Nick Carter and Jesse James brand. It is no exaggeration to say that literature on that order is responsible for a large amount of crime that is committed. People will admit that the sale of intoxicating liquors should be restrained, but at the same time they may not a word about the sale of such literature as mentioned above. It would be hard to calculate the great harm that comes from such literature being read. And it is read by the wholesale, too. Ask any teacher, and he will tell you that such books are found in the possession of no small number of boys. You can hardly pick up a paper but what you read of a crime where the cause was the dime novel. We may do a great deal for the morals of the country but we have never done as much as we could, or as we should, until we have regulated in some way the sale of such pernicious reading. It is to the mind exactly what the worst poison is to the body. It is high time that in this age of reform some action was being taken along this most important line.—Terrell Transcript.

The Denton county news dealer has shown that he is made out of the right kind of material, and there are many others in Texas who might well emulate his example. There is a class of so-called literature that is being furnished the young minds in America that should be entirely suppressed, as it is a constant incentive to crime. The matter put in the hands of the young in the guise of literature should be of an ennobling and uplifting character.

Kansas has gone wild. She is going to "drive out" from the state, and to put an end to financial progress. Not only is she after the Standard Oil trust, but her legislature proposes now to investigate the beef trust, the grain trust, the implement trust, and the lumber trust. The evidence thus obtained will be turned over to the governor and attorney general for their action. We are all watching Kansas, and hoping that she will accomplish her purpose. Her action has at least precipitated a fight in a good many states against these gigantic trusts that have the people in their grasp and are slowly but surely pressing the life out of them.—Bonham News.

It is not very difficult for Kansas to go wild over anything, but her action in this instance seems to have done good, from the fact, it has aroused many other states to action along the line of curbing the trusts.

The railroad pool in Texas has about agreed to employ ex-Governor Sayers at a salary of \$7,000 per annum, to go about over the state to public gatherings and in them undertake to persuade people that the railroads are very friendly to them and that the roads are very desirous of being on intimate terms with them. We can see nothing objectionable in this agreement. In fact, we should be glad to see the experiment tried. It might result in profitable acquaintance all around, and if so, then all would be benefited.—Tyler Courier.

If Governor Sayers can promote a greater degree of harmony between the railroads and people of Texas, then his services in that respect will be a great benefit to all concerned. If the railroads are willing to spend \$7,000 per annum to promote good will and a kindly feeling on the part of the people they serve, they are to be commended for their liberality. Nothing but good can come of such an effort.

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How the Elder Lost His Bet

By CHARLES C. WADDLE

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JIM DEHUS, the big, boyish county sheriff, leaped out of his buggy as he drove up to the door of the farmhouse and, springing up the steps, swung Mabel into his arms, pressing his lips to hers repeatedly.

"There's one because you're wearin' pink," he cried gayly, "an' another because it's my fav'r'ite color, an' another because today's Sunday, an' another because you're so pretty, an' another—oh, another just because you are you!"

Laughing and protesting, the girl finally struggled from his bear-like hug. "Oh, Jim," she scolded in mock pettishness, while she smoothed down her ruffled blouses, "whatever does make you behave so? Suppose some one should see us?"

"Who's to see? The old man's away. I met him down the road as I came along, an' he gave me a look 't' d' sour sweet cream."

The sheriff, he it understood, was old Simon Unger's pet aversion. Simon, being the chairman of the Republican county committee and the senior elder in Mount Sinai Presbyterian church, regarded Dehus, who in so far as he had any religious affiliations was allied with the Methodists and was in politics a Democrat, as a brand reserved for the burning. Insurmountable as were these objections, however, Unger cherished a deeper cause of complaint against the young official. Dehus had had the hardihood to woo the old man's only daughter, and to Simon's disgust Mabel had seen fit to look with favor on his suit. This added point to the old fellow's already sharp animosity.

"By the way," inquired Dehus carelessly of the girl as they sat talking, "who was that cuffed chap I seen with your paw this afternoon?"

"Oh, he's from New York. Says he's a cousin of George Story's, the cashier of the First National bank up to town. He came here right after dinner today an' told paw he wanted to buy a farm. So paw took him over to show him that piece down beyond the big meadow."

"On Sunday?" ejaculated the sheriff in amazement. Then he commenced to laugh. "What would the good brothers over at Mount Sinai think of that?"

"I say so, too," responded Mabel, tossing her blond curls. "Course the man said he had to be gettin' back home tomorrow an' that it was now or never, but I don't see that that takes off any from the sin of it. Paw's awful religious when it comes to anybody else doin' anything on a Sunday, but if it's him it's all right. He's even talkin' about makin' me stay home from the camp meetin' tonight. He says a Methodist camp meetin' ain't really no better than a country fair, just places for flirtin' an' cuttin' up an' all manner of Sabbath breakin'."

"Sho!" commiserated Dehus. "The mean old hunk! Why, I've been bankin' for a week on us gettin' there together. Joe Branson an' Kitty Reynolds an' Flo Thompson an' all the crowd 's goin' to be there. Can't you git around him no way?"

"I'll see," she answered. "I won't say anything more about it till supper, an' then I'll coax him hard. Maybe if he makes a good sale to the stranger he'll be in a better temper."

"Well, I'll come after you anyway on the chance," returned her lover, and then, with many lingering farewells, he took his departure.

An hour or so later old Simon came home and announced that he was ready for the evening meal. He had hurried in once before shortly after Dehus had left, and Mabel had heard him turning over some papers in his desk, but he had almost immediately hastened away again without giving any explanation of his errand to the girl.

Now, as he came up on the porch, she noticed that he carried a small tin box under his arm, and, had she observed him more closely, she would have discovered an undue elation in his manner, a greedy sparkle in his deep set eyes, a suppressed excitement in his whole bearing.

He seemed to be afraid to trust the box out of his sight a single moment, even carrying it to the table with him and setting it beside his plate. Mabel was accustomed to his vagaries, however, and made no remark. In fact, supper was eaten almost in silence, Simon lost in contemplation of his acquisition, the girl cogitating how best to introduce anew the subject of the forbidden camp meeting.

Before she had her plea framed to her liking the old man addressed her. "Mabel," he said, "git me the key to that little box I keep my deed an' moggidges in."

Eager to please him, she hurried to get it, and then watched him curiously while he unlocked with it the box beside him. Unger raised the lid and looked in. At first a look of blank bewilderment came over his features; then he commenced excitedly to scratch inside, using both hands to tear out the masses of crumpled paper which seemed its sole contents. Finally coming to a folded note which lay upon the bottom and hastily scanning it, he raised a pair of wild, haggard eyes to his daughter.

"I've been robbed!" he gasped. "Robbed, paw?" cried Mabel in consternation. "How?"

"That man Story bunked me," he stammered in his excitement. "Hang him!"

Nothing could have brought home

his calamity to Mabel like this. That he, the senior elder in Mount Sinai church, should break forth into profanity betokened a cataclysm in nature which she was powerless to meet. Just then, however, she heard the grind of wheels upon the gravelly road without. "There's Jim, paw," she cried. "He'll help you." Rushing to the door, she threw it open, and a moment later Dehus strode into the room. As he beheld old Simon's expression he halted in amazement.

"For the land's sake, Mr. Unger!" he gasped. "What on earth's the matter?" Simon, utterly frenzied by his loss, was unable to answer. It was Mabel who gave the desired information. "Paw's been robbed," she said.

The sheriff was all interest now. The meriment had faded from his gray eyes. They had become as cool and steady as steel. He saw that there was work ahead for him tonight. "Robbed?" he said. "What'd they git?" The matter of fact official tones in a measure brought the old man to himself. "What'd they git?" he shrieked. "What'd they git?" Then impressively and laying full stress upon each separate word, "Seven—thousand—dollars!"

"Good gracious!" ejaculated Dehus. "Who done it? Tell me the whole story an' be quick."

"It was that cousin of George Story's, hang him!" commenced the victim. In his close attention Dehus failed to remark the unaccustomed expletive. "He told me 't he wanted to look at a farm, an' as he was pressed for time I consented. I guess it's a judgment on me fur breakin' the Sabbath," he interpolated sadly.

"Yes, yes. Go on," urged his listener.

"Well, I seen he was pretty green—leastways I thought he was—so I ast him seven thousand for that sixty acre piece along the creek 't gits overflowed every spring. I could see that he was a jumpin' at the price, but to be smart he tried to ding me down to sixty-five hundred. While he was standin' there in the road dickerin' along comes a lightnin' rod agent. I never put eyes on him 't I know of before, but he seemed to know me all right. 'Don't fool your time away with that there feller, Mr. Unger,' he says. 'I don't believe he's got no seven thousand,' says he."

"Well, sir, that made the first feller jest hoppin' mad. 'What call have you got to be mixin' in this fur?' he asts. Then the two of 'em got to arguin' an' a spattin' round there until purty soon Story got so riled he pulled a big wad o' bills out of his pocket an' commenced a-countin' 'em over. While he was doin' it I kep' tally, an' I observed that the seven thousand he claimed was in the roll was short jest one \$100 bill. I didn't say nothin' though."

"When he was certain 't he was right he went up to the lightnin' rod agent, who he hadn't let see the countin', an' he says kind o' brash-like, 'I'll jest bet you 't I've got seven thousand in this wad.'"

"The lightnin' rod man he weakened, but 'bout that time I was gittin' interested myself. 'I ain't no gamblin' man, Mr. Story,' I says, 'but if you want to make that offer good I'll bet you seven thousand.'"

"Are you crazy, man?" says Story. "You seen me count it?"

"I don't care," says I. "I'd jest as lief give seven thousand to you as to the next man."

"Well, the lightnin' rod man he took me aside, an' he begged me not to do it, an' Story he said it wasn't sportsmanlike to bet on a sure thing an' 't he didn't want to rob me, but I knowed what I'd seen, an' finally I prevailed."

"Old fool!" seemed to be breathed upon the circumambient air in the tones of Mr. Dehus, but if Simon heard it he gave no sign.

"I had \$8,000 here in the house I was calculatin' to deposit tomorror, so I



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comes over an' slips off seventy of them hundred dollar bills an' hurries back, aseeded all the time that Story'd change his mind afore I could git there."

"So that was what you wanted when you came home in such a rush 's afternoon," put in Mabel, with sudden enlightenment.

Simon paid no heed to the interruption. "We had some arguin' about the way the bet should be decided," he continued, "but finally it was arranged that each of us was to put our seven thousand in a tin box that the lightnin' rod man happened to have in his rig. Then, he bein' a disinterested party, was to lock it up, givin' me the box an' Story the key. It was agreed that I should take the box to the bank tomorror, an' when we was both there

George Story was to open it. If there was \$14,000 in it Story was to get it all. If there was a cent less it was to come to me."

"Well, sir, I come home with that box an' I never doubted no more than nothin' that there was \$13,900 in it, but I thought I'd like to count it afore I went to bed, so I opened it, an' lookee! Here his voice rose to a wail. "Look what I found! Nothin' but a mess o' paper an' this here letter!"

He fished in the piled up mass upon the table until he produced the scrap of note paper, which he handed to Dehus. On it was scrawled:

Simon Unger—You have been bunked good and proper. You stand no chance of getting your money back, so the best thing you can do is to say nothing. If you don't you'll only make yourself a laughingstock for the whole community. Yours truly, THE THIEVES.

The sheriff studied the missive a moment with pursed up brows. "What'd the men look like?" he questioned keenly. "I seen that Story with you 's afternoon, but I didn't pay no p'tic'lar 'tention to him."

"Well, one of 'em—that's Story—was tall an' slim," hesitated the old man, "with a black mustache—"

"Oh, no, paw," interrupted Mabel. "He had a brown mustache an' a little brown goatee."

"An' blue eyes," continued Simon.

"Brown," corrected the girl.

"An' black clo'es."

"Blue with a thin white stripe in 'em."

I noticed particular, 'cause it's almost the same goods Flo Thompson got for her summer skirt."

"What kind of shirt, shoes, tie, watch chain?" replied the sheriff.

"Oh, I don't know," replied the old man peevishly. "I don't take no stock o' such things. 'Sides, what good is it all goin' to do? The thieves is gone."

"But I am goin' to try an' catch them, Mr. Unger," put in Dehus patiently.

"You?" scornfully. "Them fellers is too sharp fer you, my laddybuck. Thieves 't can fool old Simon Unger that a-way ain't goin' to wait fur no Methody Dimocrat to put salt on their tails."

A twinkle of amusement flashed into the sheriff's gray eyes as he took a quick determination. Then, with apparent unconcern, he said: "Oh, well, if that's the way you feel about it there's no use wastin' any more time. Come on, Mabel. If we don't be gettin' to the meetin', we'll be late."

The girl looked up at him in quick surprise. Did he really intend to desert her father in so grievous a plight? His eyes were answering and questioning her at the same time. Would she trust him? they said. Would she share a risk which promised success, but which might result in failure? With-out a word she picked up her hat, and together they started for the door.

Old Simon stood fairly aghast at this abandonment. He had never for a moment supposed that the sheriff would take his words literally. Yet here he was, deserting him, and not only that, but taking off the old man's daughter with him. "Mabel," roared Unger. "You come back here. I forbid you to go with that scoundrel!"

Dehus was assisting the girl into his buggy. He felt her falter. "Pay no attention to him," he whispered. "It's fur his sake 't I'm takin' you along."

Turning her head, she smiled trustfully up at him and clambered into the vehicle. A second later Dehus had leaped in beside her. A sharp cut of the whip, a shake of the reins and his fleet footed mare was speeding down the roadway, out under the trees which now stood dim and ghostlike in the dusky grove, while fainter and fainter behind them came the storm of objection and abuse that the old man was pouring out from the doorestep.

It is a good eight miles from Simon Unger's to the grove where the camp meeting was in progress, but as they came in sight of the place, with its glaring kerosene lamps casting vivid shadows among the trees and its rows of Chinese lanterns lending a festive aspect, Dehus snapped open his watch. "Forty minutes," he said nonchalantly. "Not so bad for the old mare with a heavy buggy an' two people."

Only once had they stopped, and that was for just a minute at a wayside hostelry known as the Shriver's inn, about half a mile before they reached the grove. Here Dehus had sprung out, hurried up to the desk and after glancing at the register held a brief whispered colloquy with the clerk. Then he came out, resumed his seat in the buggy and without any explanation had driven on.

As they approached the camp meeting he allowed his foaming horse to drop into a walk. The scene was plainly visible to them now—the people walking about under the trees in couples or in groups, the big platform up at the other end in a blaze of light, where the exhorters and the choir were in full swing; the rows of auditors extending back from this, the squeaky notes of a melodeon, the hoarse cries of the refreshment vendors at the gate, and around all, like the stockade around a lager, was a line of vehicles and horses hitched to the endearing fence.

"Don't take off your veil, an' stick close to me," muttered Dehus to Mabel after he had picked out and blanketed the mare. Then he led her a long and weary chase about the grounds, but nowhere did he strike pay gravel for his pains.

He and Mabel found themselves at last standing on the outskirts of the worshiping assemblage. The exhorter was in the full tide of his eloquence. "And—ah, my brethren—ah," he was vociferating, "I say unto you—ah, that you must—ah, become as one of these little ones—ah!"

Mabel suddenly clutched Dehus by the sleeve. "Jim," she whispered breathlessly, "there's the man that robbed paw, the one up on the mournin' bench with his face in his hands."

I know him by his blue suit with the white stripes in it."

The sheriff pushed hastily forward through the throng, the girl following close behind him. Just then two people rose from the bench directly back of his quarry, and he could not afford to overlook the opportunity. Barring the rush for the vacant places with his strong right arm, he thrust Mabel into one of the seats and took the other himself.

When the stir caused by their intrusion had subsided Dehus leaned forward until his lips were on a level with the ear of the man in the blue suit.

"Mr. Story?" he murmured inquiringly.

There was no change in the attitude of the mourner, but the sheriff's glance intercepted a quick tremor as it ran along the jaw. The little man sitting next to Story stealthily slid his hand toward his hip.

Dehus touched him on the arm. "I wouldn't," he said sternly. "I have you both covered from my coat pocket. Hands up!"

The men were old at their trade, and they recognized that the game was up, but the taller was not without an element of grim humor. Besides, time might help them. To create a turmoil in that crowded assemblage would be fatal. "Pray," he muttered to his companion, "pray for your soul, you miserable sinner!" At the same time he clasped his hands above his head in an attitude of supplication. Quick to seize the cue, his associate immediately followed suit.

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The thief still sparrowed for wind. His expectations of escape were of the slightest, but nevertheless delay was one of the rules of the game. His face wore an expression of Christian forbearance as he turned toward this questioner who so persistently disturbed his devotions.

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"Henderson tonight maybe," rejoined Dehus stoutly, "but Story this afternoon down at old Simon Unger's."

"Who are you?" whispered the other sulkily.

Dehus jerked back his coat and revealed his badge. "The sheriff of the county." Then in quick, businesslike accents: "Now, if you'll kindly tell me where old man Unger's money is I'll relieve you of the bother of lookin' after it."

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The man studied him a moment through half closed eyes. "I pass," he said sulkily. "Right inside coat pocket."

"Mabel," said Dehus in commiserating tones, "my hands are otherwise engaged. Will you give this poor sinner a hymn book—an," he added, "at the same time take that bundle out of his pocket? Don't you move a hair, you dog," he hissed, "or I'll blow the top of your head off!"

The girl tremblingly but skillfully complied, and a minute later the transfer was effected.

"Count it," commanded Dehus, still keeping a watchful eye upon the men. The exhorter had passed them by for the present and was talking to a group upon the other side of the stage. The auditors, even those directly in the neighborhood, were ignorant of the little interlude enacted before their eyes, so interested were they in the proceedings upon the platform and so quietly had it been carried through.

Under the cover of her fan Mabel was rustling the bills. Twice she made the count; then she announced the result in a tense whisper, "Seven thousand dollars."

"Good enough," responded Dehus, taking the roll from her and placing it in his bosom. "Now, gentlemen, whenever you get through prayin', you can go; but," he warned, "see that you are well out of this country before sunup tomorrow mornin'."

Almost incredulous of their good fortune in getting off so easily, the two scrambled to their feet and rushed tumultuously from the scene. The exhorter gazed after them in stupefied amazement. He had thought himself secure in those two conversions.

Fifteen minutes later old Simon arrived at the grove. He strode up to a group where Dehus and his daughter were early jesting and, seizing the girl by the arm, started to drag her away. "You come along with me, miss," he said wrathfully. "I'll show you that you can't disobey your parents what raised you in God fearin' fashion an' go tearin' off to monkey shows with every worthless whelp that comes along!"

Dehus hurried after them. "Oh, Mr. Unger," he panted, "don't you think you had better take your money along with you?" He drew forth the package of greenbacks and handed it to the old man.

For the second time that night Simon was dumfounded. He stood there shaking and trembling, unable to realize this sudden reversal of fortune's wheel.

"Why—what?" he stammered.

Dehus laughed. He was proud of his achievement, and he showed it. "When I seen that letter from the thieves," he began exultantly, "I recognised right away that the paper it was wrote on come from Shriver's inn, so I knowed that they had been puttin' up there. It

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THE TELEGRAM'S DAILY FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL REPORT

WALL STREET IRREGULAR

Some of the Railroads Show Good Advances—Industrials Dull After Strong Opening

(Special to The Telegram.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The stock market opened very irregular and nervous, with advances shown in some issues while declines appeared in others. St. Paul, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific were all strong features. The former and the latter both scored new high records for this movement, selling at 181 and 70% respectively in the first three hours of trading.

London was a good buyer of the better class of stocks early, Pennsylvania being most in demand.

There was a good demand early for the Gould stocks, Missouri Pacific being the leader of this class.

Mr. Gates was a reported buyer of New York Central, which made another high record, selling at 161, but later reacted on profit-taking sales, to below 159, at which point support was extended and there was a good rally.

The traction stocks were all strong. Metropolitan and Brooklyn Rapid Transit scoring advances of \$2 per share over Saturday's closing figures.

The industrial stocks, after a strong opening became dull and sagged off. Tennessee Coal and Iron and Colorado Fuel and Iron being the weakest, the former losing 1/2 and the latter 1/4 from the opening. Sugar, while dull, held up well. There was heard talk of a big advance in this issue at an early date.

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Stocks opened and closed on the New York Stock Exchange today as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Missouri Pacific	109 3/4	108 1/2	108 1/4	108 1/4
Union Pacific	181 1/2	181 1/2	181 1/4	181 1/4
Texas and Pacific	38 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/4
New York Central	159 1/2	158 1/2	158 1/4	158 1/4
Louisville and Nash.	141 1/2	141 1/2	141 1/4	141 1/4
St. Paul	179 1/2	179 1/2	179 1/4	179 1/4
Southern Pacific	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/4	69 1/4
Atchafalpa	90 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/4	89 1/4
Atchafalpa pfd.	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/4
Erie	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/4
Baltimore and Ohio	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/4	106 1/4
Southern Railway	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/4
Reading	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/4	96 1/4
Great Western	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/4
Rock Island	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/4
M. & K. and T. pfd.	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/4	65 1/4
M. & K. and T.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/4
Pennsylvania	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/4	143 1/4
Colorado Fuel and Iron	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/4	52 1/4
Western Union	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/4	93 1/4
Tennessee Coal and Iron	171 1/2	171 1/2	171 1/4	171 1/4
Manhattan	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/4	121 1/4
Metropolitan	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/4	120 1/4
United States Steel	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/4
U. S. Steel pfd.	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/4	95 1/4
Brooklyn R. T.	144 1/2	144 1/2	144 1/4	144 1/4
Brooklyn R. T. pfd.	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/4	63 1/4
U. S. Leather	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/4
People's Gas	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/4	109 1/4
Amalgamated Copper	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/4	76 1/4
Mexican Central	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/4

WHEAT OPENS FAIRLY FIRM

Price Falls to \$1.14 1/2 for May, Drop Being Followed by Strong Rally

(Special to The Telegram.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Wheat—Wheat opened fairly strong, but lower to higher than Saturday's closing figures. There was considerable selling from the start, which later on became extremely heavy, numerous stop orders being met with and the price fell quickly to \$1.14 1/2 for May, at which point there was strong support extended, which brought about a rally of a cent and a half. Mr. Valentine was a large seller of May. The Walling market, taking quantities of May below \$1.15.

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 27.—The grain and provisions markets ranged in prices today as follows:

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close. Close.					
May	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.14 1/2	1.16 1/2	1.18 1/2
July	1.01 1/2	1.01 1/2	.99 1/2	1.00 1/2	1.01 1/2
Sept.	92 1/2	.92 1/2	.90 1/2	.92	.92 1/2
Oats—					
May	47 1/2	.48 1/2	.47 1/2	.48 1/2	.47 1/2
July	48 1/2	.48 1/2	.47 1/2	.48 1/2	.48 1/2
Sept.	48 1/2	.48 1/2	.47 1/2	.48 1/2	.48 1/2
Corn—					
May	41 1/2	.41 1/2	.39 1/2	.41 1/2	.41 1/2
July	31	.31 1/2	.30 1/2	.31 1/2	.31
Sept.	29 1/2	.29 1/2	.29 1/2	.29 1/2	.29 1/2
Pork—					
May	12.50	12.62	12.40	12.62	12.62
July	12.65	12.72	12.55	12.72	12.62
Lard—					
May	6.95	7.02	6.90	7.02	6.92
July	7.07	7.12	7.02	7.12	7.05
Sugar—					
May	6.72	6.77	6.67	6.77	6.70
July	6.85	6.90	6.82	6.90	6.82

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Friday Night, March 3,
RICHARD MANSFIELD,

in "Ivan The Terrible."

Seats on sale Wednesday, 9 a. m.

Senator Clark's Wife Ill

A baseball game was pulled off at Pros-
pect Park Sunday morning, in which the

Armour senior team won from the Ar-
mour juniors by a score of 6 to 5.

The batter was: Seniors, Gernsbacher,
Pankey and Fiquet; Juniors, Matney,
Kellner and Ross.

If you want the family to be healthy,
strong and active, give them Hollister's

Rocky Mountain Tea this morning. Makes
rich, red blood, bone and muscle. 35 cents.

Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

GOOD TELEPHONE SERVICE

At low rates is what the Fort Worth
Company is giving both business and resi-

dence patrons and appreciation of this is
being shown by the rapid growth which

the new company is attaining. Call 99
and have one put in now.

SUPT. HOGG ADDRESSES NORMAL SCHOOL PUPILS

Urges Intimacy With Child Character and
Whims as Road to Teach-

ers' Success

Superintendent Alex Hogg of the Fort
Worth public schools delivered an ad-

dress before the members of the high
school normal class this morning. Super-

intendent Hogg spoke of the necessity
of the pupils becoming interested in the

work in order to make successful teach-

ers. Intimacy with children and their
characters he pointed as the road to

success as an instructor of children.

"Learn to know your charges," he said,
"sympathize with them and be familiar

with their little whims and peculiarities
of childhood."

There are twenty pupils in the high
school normal course, which was estab-

lished after the graduating of the Janu-
ary class.

MELLIN'S FOR INFANTS AND INVALIDS FOOD

Cross babies become good-
natured babies when fed on

Mellin's Food. Mellin's Food
nourishes and pleases.

Would you like a sample of Mellin's Food
to try? You may have one for the asking.

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CITY BRIEFS

Queen Quality Station. All Grocers.
Cut flowers at Drumm's. Phone 151.
Boas's Book Store, 402 Main street.
J. W. Adams & Co. feed, produce, fuel
and fat kindling. Phone 530.

Bowden Tins saves you 10 per cent on
lumber. 711 W. R. R. Av. Both Phones 711
For frosted feet and chilblains, use
Manning's Powder. Guaranteed by Pang-
burn.

Dr. Broiles, room No. 4, Dundee build-
ing, corner Houston and Seventh
streets. Old phone No. 1623-2.

A full line of feed and fuel at Durrett
& Son's. Phone 1546-2 rings.

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

Complete housekeeping outfit; must be
sold in next two days; big discount; your
own time for payment. Phone 3154.

A number of Fort Worth ladies have
joined hands in securing aid for some
needy families of the city. They have
secured Foot's hall and on Monday night,
Feb. 27, will give a ball for this cause.

Do not refuse to buy tickets, as the more
tickets sold the more good will be done.
Admission only 10 cents, ladies free, with
Davenport's orchestra.

A tea will be given by the Ladies Aid
Society of the First Baptist church Tues-
day afternoon, Feb. 28, from 3 to 6
o'clock, in the parlors of the church.

One hundred and eighty-eight days—
one-half a year—of solid comfort can
be spent in a room at the Kingsley,
Elgin and Throckmorton streets.

Mrs. L. B. Payne, a new thought and
reform lecturer, gave the first of a series
of Sunday night lectures at the Temple
on Taylor street, Sunday evening. The
subject of the talk was, "The Spirit
World; Where It Is?" The lecture was
well attended.

The Trio Club will give the second
concert of a series of three at the
Christian Tabernacle tomorrow even-
ing at 8:15 o'clock. All season tickets
valid. Single admission 50c.

The many friends of J. B. Mitchell of
1265 East Belknap street will be glad to
know of his recovery from his recent se-
vere illness, and that he is able to be
out again.

Hon. A. W. Terrell, author of the
Terrell Election Law, was in Fort Worth
Sunday and spent the day with the
family of his brother, Judge J. C. Ter-
rell, returning to Austin this morning.

Miss Oma Wood entertained eight of
her young girl and boy friends with a
kodik party Sunday afternoon from 2:30
till 5 o'clock.

MACHINE-MADE BREAD
Is well mixed, is cleaner and has a better
flavor than hand-made bread. There is
one reason why Eagle Brand-Nut Bread
tastes so good. Ask your grocer for it.

Benefit Ball Tonight

AT FOOT'S HALL

EVERYBODY COME

Admission 50 Cents

LOCAL PACKERS

NOT INCLUDED

William H. Atwell, district attorney for
the Northern district of Texas, was seen

today and asked regarding the situation
in Texas and if the packers here were to
be included among the list who are to be

proceeded against by the government for
alleged participation in a beef trust. Mr.

Atwell stated that as yet he had had no
specific instructions.

The Federal court will not convene
here until March 13. It may be that
during the session definite action will de-

velop, but for the present Fort Worth
packers are not known in the matter,
except that in a dispatch from Chicago of

Feb. 21 it was stated that Fort Worth
was one of the points included in the in-
vestigation and that the Federal grand

jury would take cognizance of conditions
here.

Up to today no subpoenas have been
served on the packing house officials here
or upon any of the employees.

The principal center for the investiga-
tion will be Chicago, where 120 witnesses
have been served with subpoenas. The

investigation, it is said, will take place
in Chicago beginning March 20.

TO BEAUTIFY
YOUR COMPLEXION
IN 10 DAYS, USE

Satinola

THE UNEQUALLED BEAUTIFIER

A few applications will remove tan or
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move Freckles, Pimples, Liver Spots,

Blackheads, Tan, Discolorations and Dis-
figuring Eruptions. Ordinary cases in 10

days, the worst in 20 days. After these
defects are removed the skin will be soft,

clear, healthy and beautiful. Price 50
cents at drug stores or by mail. Thou-

sands of ladies testify to the merits of
Satinola.

Mrs. Etta Brown writes—St. Louis,
Mo., June 30, 1904. "I have been using

your Satinola, Egyptian Cream, Soap and
Nadine Face Powder and like them all

very much. This is the first summer
since childhood that I have been without

freckles. I am 34 years old and have a
better complexion now than when a girl."

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Sold in Fort Worth by Covey & Martin,
J. M. Parker, Weaver's Pharmacy and all

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MISS MARY STONE, Milwaukee, Wis.

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Bracing Up?

No other tonic in the world is like Paine's
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night—when you get up almost as weary as when
you went to bed—when you are worried—when
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SCHOOL INCORPORATION UNDER INVESTIGATION

Proposed District Would Include Rosen
Heights—Committee Named to
Meet Tonight

Plans for the incorporation of Rosen
Heights for school purposes will be dis-
cussed tonight at meeting of the fol-
lowing committee appointed by the citi-

zens: Professor C. A. Quillen, principal
of the Rosen Heights public school; L. T.
Knight, Rev. B. F. Hall, J. M. Warren,
J. M. Hensley, George S. L. Fox, Dr. J.
C. Crenshaw, J. S. Easton and Dr. J. J.
Hall.

The proposed line of the incorporation
on the south will be the crossroad be-
tween Springtown and White Settlement,
the east line being the west line of the

corporate limits of the city of North
Fort Worth. It is said that the new dis-
trict will probably be three miles square.

If so, the Marine No. 3 school building
will probably be moved some distance
southwest, nearer White Settlement, as
the new line will run within a short dis-
tance of where the building now stands.

The children who are now attending Mar-
ine No. 3 school will then be divided.
Some of them will be in the Rosen
Heights district and the rest in the Ma-

rine No. 3 district.

Report of the committee will be made
at a mass meeting to be held Wednesday
night.

Your family will need a spring tonic.
Why not give them Hollister's Rocky
Mountain Tea? Nothing equals it as a
bracing, life giving remedy. 35 cents,
Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

Pythians Issue
District Program

Fort Worth Members to De-
liver Addresses at Weath-
erford Convention

The program of the district meeting
and school of instruction of the Twen-
ty-sixth district, Knights of Pythias,
to be held at Weatherford March 14,
has been issued.

This meeting is to be under the di-
rection of R. H. Buck of this city, dis-
trict deputy grand chancellor.

The lodges included in the district
and which will be represented by dele-
gates are:

Tarrant county—Red Cross, No. 14;
Green City, No. 21; Ruby, No. 93; Alex-
ander, No. 249; Marine, No. 330; Ar-
lington, No. 217; Mansfield, No. 223;
Handley, No. 347.

Hood county—Mistletoe, No. 67, of
Granbury and Cresson, No. 254.

Somervell county—Glen Rose, No.
165.

Palo Pinto county—Mineral Wells,
No. 212.

Parker county—Lone Star, No. 4, of
Weatherford.

Members of Tarrant county lodges
who will discuss topics assigned them
are: John M. Adams of Fort Worth,
"Pythian Sunshine;" Dr. J. L. Cooper
of Fort Worth on "True Fraternity;"
R. Y. Prigmore of Fort Worth, "Social
Side of Pythianism;" Henry Gerns-
bacher of Fort Worth on "What Are
We Here For?"

Response and closing remarks will
be made by R. H. Buck of Fort Worth.
Miscellaneous remarks will be made
by various lodge members.

The railroads have announced special
rates for the occasion. The meeting
will be concluded with a luncheon.

What you pay for extracts is import-
ant, but what you get for your money is
ten times more important. Ask for Bur-
nett's Vanilla and get the best.

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