THE WEATHER

Forecast until 8 p. m. Sunday —For Fort Worth and vicinity— Sunday fair and somewhat warmer.

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Europe expects announcement of war after brief delay—Report from Omaha says Bryan wants to be senator—Republican factional fight in Ohio annoys president.

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WAR ITSELF TO BE THE NEXT NEWS

Feeling Grows That Present Delay Will Be Followed by Hostilities

GLOOMY BELIEF IS GAINING SUPPORTERS

Europe Looks for the Opening of Russo-Japanese War at Any Time

BATTLE RUMORS ARE ALREADY CIRCULATED

None, However, Have Been Confirmed Up to an Early Hour This Morning—Japan Buying Munitions of War

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The state department is not expecting any definite advices in the Russo-Japanese situation for several days, pending the consideration of Japan's answer by Russia. When the developments do come they are expected to mean war. No other view of the situation is taken in official circles here. Japan has freely outlined her position to this country, communicating her answers and demands to Russia as if this country was interested in the outcome. So far as personal sympathy goes, it is no secret that Japan will have the good will and best wishes of high officials of this government. The president, Secretary Hay and all the officials of the state department who are watching the situation closely and keeping informed, see nothing in the future but war. Russia constantly cries peace and proclaims her desire for peace, but shorn of all diplomacy, it is recognized that Russia will relinquish nothing and will make Japan crawl in the dust if the country will do so. Japan, however, does not intend to do any such thing now and it is believed that the war is merely being delayed, awaiting the most propitious moment for the opening of hostilities. Japan herself is not as fully prepared as she will be within a short time. She is securing supplies from all parts of the world and has spent millions of dollars in this country in the past few months buying supplies.

CRISIS IN KOREAN CABINET

SEOUL, Korea, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—As a result of the action of the emperor in the direction of the departments, a cabinet crisis has arisen and To Chai, minister of foreign affairs, and Kini Kyon, minister of the interior, have tendered their resignations which were immediately accepted. It is generally believed that their successors will be be pronounced Japanese sympathizers. Conditions in the city remain practically unchanged. The feeling against the Americans is still very strong, but no attempt has been made to interfere either with life or property. The legation guard numbers 160—the men were especially selected for their coolness and courage. They are all supplied with a full complement of ammunition and are ready to quell any disturbance that may arise.

The guard at the French legation was increased today by a detachment of forty men, while another smaller force was landed on the coast and will come at once to the capital.

WILL PROTECT JAPANESE

London, Jan. 16.—(Special)—The central News Tokio correspondent cables that Admiral Alexieff has announced that he will protect all Japanese in Port Arthur in the event of war between Russia and Japan.

JAPAN HAS GOLD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Treasury officials continue to receive information of the arrival of Japanese gold at San Francisco. This is most frequently reported in the public treasury in San Francisco and made payable immediately in New York. That Japan has money to pay as she goes is shown by influx of the yellow money from the little country. It is estimated that $5,000,000 exchange gold has arrived in the United States to pay for what ammunitions of war Japan has purchased within the last two weeks. More gold is coming. Many of these supplies are now on the way to Japan, and this probably accounts for the fact that the officials of that country have put off from day to day the hostile step which they now feel must be forced by them. Russia has also been buying heavily in the United States. These large purchases are said to account to some extent for the large increase in exports in December.

AS EUROPE SEES IT

LONDON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—In spite of the veil of diplomatic mystery which is assiduously drawn across the whole far eastern situation, it does not require any particular clearness of insight to see that the two conflicting nations are still on the very brink of war. From Berlin and from St. Petersburg alone come optimistic dispatches, and little credence is given them.

Russia expects England to help Japan. That she has already done so, is indicated by the fact that the crews of the Nisshin and Kasagi are made up of British reserve seamen, among whom are some of the best big gun marksmen in Britain.

The council of ministers and statesmen has decreed that the end of diplomatic negotiations is near at hand, and that unless Russia acts promptly and abandons her policy of procrastination war must follow. This point has been made clear to the czar, and he and his minister perfectly understand.

Decisive action can be expected during the next few days, and it would not greatly surprise London if, when war actually commences, British soldiers should be found fighting side by side with the "little yellow men," and British and Japanese warships uniting in firing volley for volley at a common enemy.

RUMORS OF A BATTLE

LONDON, Jan. 17.—(Special)—Many wild rumors emanating from St. Petersburg are in circulation here but so far nothing has been officially received that in the slightest measure confirms them. One report had it that a naval battle between the Russian and Japanese fleets had occurred near Vladivistock. This report is not credited anywhere here, and it is undoubtedly untrue. However, it goes to show the work of the rumor monsters who are plying their trade to the best of their ability. Up to an early hour, neither the Japanese embassy or the British foreign office had heard anything of a fight and they would surely have reached some word had there actually been a battle. It is announced that Japan has received an intimation that Russia's reply to her latest note will be delivered.

FORAKER PAYS PRESIDENT A FRIENDLY CALL

Politicians Believe That Ohio Situation Was Subject of Conversation—Senator Hanna Denies Any Antagonism

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special)—While a large number of other callers waited today the president talked for half an hour with Representative Burton of Cleveland, Ohio, where Senator Hanna resides and who is credited with being an aggressive Foraker adherent. Mr. Burton would not say a single word about it or admit that politics had been the subject. He said nothing and allowed as much liberty of inference as each person cared to draw.

It is the opinion among politicians here that the reported determination of Senator Hanna to absolutely control the Ohio delegation in the next republican convention is at the bottom of the factional fight that appears to have broken out afresh in Ohio and in which it is believed the president is becoming involved.

The Foraker people have declared that in every district a fight must be made for delegates pledged to Roosevelt. Friends of the president in Ohio, men who do not belong permanently either to the Hanna or the Foraker elements naturally wish the president to have the delegates for the state but they are not the men in control of state and county organizations. The Foraker people are joining with them for the good they may reap for themselves in the future control of the state.

The president has been most awkwardly placed throughout. Some of his friends have suggested that, to prevent a factional fight, he call off his personal friends, but as this would be misconstrued, nothing has been done in this direction. It is regarded as quite likely that Senator Hanna will have another conference with the president at which the subject may be touched upon. The delicacy of this movement will be considered. It may have to be left to time to adjust.

Senator Hanna who was here today is not in the best of humor over the stories that have been published about his alleged antagonism to President Roosevelt. He is especially incensed that he should be accused of attempting to use the national committee to embarrass Mr. Roosevelt or any other republican. Among other things he said: "Really this matter of denials is going so far as to be absolutely insulting to me. If I had anything to say, does any one think I would hesitate to say it? My sentiment in regard to these matters has been known for many weeks. There is nothing more that I can say about it and I do not propose to do so."

Nearly all the safety matches, which are safe against friction on sandpaper, stone, wood or brick, ignite readily from a quick rub on glass.

A German inn keeper on the Swiss border has undertaken as a result of a wager to roll a barrel full of wine across Switzerland and Italy to Rome.

BECHTEL MURDER TRIAL STILL ON IN ALLENTOWN

Testimony Regarding Killing of Girl Is Given by Fiance and Rival Sweetheart—No New Features Brought Out

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Alois Eckstein, the fiance of Mabel Bechtel, late this afternoon told for the first time his story of the tragedy. He was on the stand fully an hour, and recited in a dramatic manner his love for the girl and of many incidents surrounding the tragedy. Pending his cross-examination, the court adjourned until Monday.

Eckstein said he called at the house on Sunday, October 25, and had accompanied Mabel up to when she said he would meet Weisenberger for the last time. Witness said he tried to dissuade Mabel from keeping her engagement with Weisenberger, and pleaded with her to go back home. They had been talking about the marriage and Mabel said that Eckstein might call the following evening and that she would give him a definite answer. Eckstein did call, but he said he was given a very cool reception. Mrs. Becktel, together with Mabel, had gone driving with Weisenberger in the morning. The whole family seemed to watch Eckstein as a cat would a mouse, he said, and finally, when he could bear it no longer, he left.

David H. Weisenberger, one of the sweethearts of Mabel, was on the stand for more than an hour before Eckstein. He told of meeting Mabel at the home of Mrs. Davis in Philadelphia on the Saturday night before the murder. At the end of his visit they returned to Allentown, where, he testified, he left her at the station and went to his home at South Bethlehem street. He then told of meeting Mabel by appointment on Sunday night, but refused to answer as to which way they went or whether they went to the Eighth ward hotel. His counsel explained that he declined to answer because of an indictment involving relations with the dead girl.

The district attorney then announced that the commonwealth would withdraw this charge against Weisenberger and pay the costs if he would testify. He then said that he had gone to the hotel with Mabel because the night was cold, but had taken her home shortly before 11 o'clock, where he left her at the door.

He told of hearing of her murder while on a trip through New Jersey, and stuck to his original testimony.

It is probable that the trial will continue the greater part of next week.

BURNING WOMAN SPREADS FLAMES

Makes a Wild Run Through Flat Building Before Finally Rescued

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—A living torch, Mrs. Ella Christensen fled through three apartments at 92 Racine avenue today.

Springing forward to her aid, her daughter, Mrs. Grace Elms vainly attempted to assist her, and was burned, though not fatally.

Mrs. Christensen went into the pantry about 7 o'clock. It was dark and she lighted a match. In one hand she carried a towel. The towel blazed up and, in an instant, her clothes were afire. Frenzied, the woman dashed out into the hallway and upstairs to the flat where her daughter lives. She burst into the latter's kitchen shrieking. Her hair was afire and the flames enfolded her from head to foot. Mrs. Elms thrust a blanket around the burning form of her mother, but this caught fire and spread to the curtains. The mother dashed away from her daughter and ran into the hallway and thence to the adjoining flat of Mrs. James McCarthy, who threw a heavy rug about Mrs. Christensen, and smothered the flames.

Mrs. Christensen's flesh was fearfully burned, and at the hospital it was said she would probably die.

FRIENDS ARE TO BLAME

Says Judge Renfield, for Prospects of His Candidacy

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—(Special)—Judge Wm. L. Penfield, solicitor for the state department, practically admitted today that he is a candidate for the republican nomination for governor of Indiana. He said his friends have persuaded him that he can win and that the only thing that keeps him from announcing his candidacy is his disinclination to leave his pleasant and profitable position in the state department.

The largest bronze statue in the world is that of Peter the Great at St. Petersburg. It weighs 1,100 tons.

THE POLITICAL FLYPAPER



SENATOR HANNA SAYS "PERRY HEATH WILL STICK"

CORONER'S JURY VISITS IROQUOIS

Iroquois Theater Horror Inquest Still Progressing in Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 16—(Special)—Blame for the horrors attending the burning of the Iroquois theater was placed with impartial freedom upon city officials today by speakers at the memorial services in the Fullerton hall by the Chicago Teachers' federation. The room was crowded with teachers and the women relatives of the teachers and pupils who lost their lives in the fire.

Of nearly 600 people who perished in the smoke or flames of the burning theater almost a quarter were teachers or pupils of the Chicago public schools, Miss Louise L. Kilbourn, president of the federation, explained. Of the teachers thirty-nine are now missing from the rolls, while in the schools throughout the city 102 seats are empty.

After hearing only one witness, the stage carpenter of the Iroquois theater, the jury conducting the inquest on the victims today repaired to the dismantled theater once more, where a long secret session was held. The session was stormy, growing out of the refusal of Pinkerton men to allow it to proceed without their presence. Not until Deputy Coroner Buckley threatened to arrest Sergeant Curtis of the Pinkerton force were the jurors left alone in their deliberations.

After making a thorough inspection of the scorched place and ruined stage traversing all means of exit and making actual tests of the time required to reach the street from all portions of the house the inquest was adjourned until 8:30 o'clock Monday. At that time Chief of Police O'Neill will be called and Building Commissioner Williams will be re-examined.

MEMORIAL GYMNASIUM

$100,000 Fund Will Probably Be Raised By Purdue University

LA FAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 16.—(Special)—It was learned here tonight that President M. E. Ingalls of the Big Four railroad, has assured the Purdue Memorial association of a fund of $15,000 on the part of the company. Since the Purdue special wreck on Oct. 31 last, in which sixteen football players of Purdue University were killed, at Indianapolis, on the Big Four, a movement for a $100,000 gymnasium in memory of those killed has been inaugurated. Generous contributions have already been received. The amount on hand exceeding $15,000. With alumni clubs all over the United States it is probable that $100,000 will be raised this summer.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., ELECTION

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The democrats elected today W. H. Gass as mayor and the balance of the city ticket, with the exception of the city attorney.

NO BILL FOUND AGAINST CHAPPEL

Dallas Grand Jury Adjourns Till Monday Without Acting on Case

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special)—J. M. Chappel, charged with the murder of W. C. McCahan at the office of the Dallas Optical company Thursday afternoon, was taken before Justice Cullen yesterday afternoon for an examining trial. The court room was crowded with curious spectators, and others interested. The examination was to have been commenced at 2 o'clock, but owing to a delay of about an hour in securing witnesses, it was very near 3 o'clock before the case was called. In the meantime the defendant was engaged in conversation with his attorneys, Crawford & Crawford.

The witnesses were finally sworn, and one of them put on the stand. County Attorney Lemmon addressing the court stated that if the defendant desired to make a statement in his own behalf it should be made prior to the examination of the witnesses, or not at all. Judge Crawford arose from his seat and informed the court that the defendant waived the preliminary trial and would await the action of the grand jury.

Justice Cullen remanded J. M. Chappel to jail without bail.

The shooting is much discussed around the city, and the affair instead of subsiding, as is generally the case, seems to be increasing and intensifying in interest.

The grand jury adjourned at noon today until Monday, and no bill against Chappel has yet been found.

The funeral of W. C. McCahan will take place from his late residence, 412 Hickory street, at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, and interment will be made at Oakland cemetery.

It has not as yet been learned as to whether any of the relatives of the deceased in the East will be in attendance at the funeral.

ANARCHISTS CONSPIRE

BERLIN, Jan. 16.—(Special)—The Berlin police department has uncovered a conspiracy with far reaching ramifications by whic the anarchists hope to startle Europe and escape. As a result all the secret service departments have been warned to be on their guard. A new newspaper, The Free Working Man, has been started in Berlin and already has an enormous circulation through the country. In a recent issue it urged all socialists to join the reds and contribute to a "wholesale massacre" of capitalists and oppressive rulers.

The Berlin police report that the anarchists are well supplied with funds but where they obtained them remains a mystery. The superintendent of police professes to have discovered a plot whereby dynamite outrages were to be perpetrated in several American and European centers. This news has been communicated to the proper officials and arrests are expected.

PARENTS CLAMOR FOR VENGEANCE

Violin Maker, Charged With Outraging Children, May Be Lynched

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan.16.—(Special.)—Mutterings of threatened mob violence caused Chief of Police Brackett to double the guard about the city jail, where W. W. Steele, an old violin maker, is imprisoned on the charge of criminal assault. Parents of twenty children Steele is said to have lured into his workshop and outraged are clamoring for his life and have even threatened to break down the door of his cell. James King, father of 14-year-old Vivian, said to have been one of Steele's victims, was arrested late tonight on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. He swore that he would kill the despoiler of his child on sight. Mothers forced their way into the chief's office tonight and begged that they might be permitted to lay hands on the prisoner. It is feared that indignation of parents may cause a mob to form, necessitating the transfer of Steele to another prison.

GO TO INDIANAPOLIS

Prohibitionists Select National Convention City

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 16.—(Special)—Prohibitionists will gather here in national convention on January 29 to name their national ticket and launch the prohibition campaign throughout the country. Over 1000 delegates and several thousand visitors are expected. The national convention of the party has awarded the convention to Kansas City but that city was not able to give the guarantee required. The commercial organizations of this city extended an invitation to the prohibitionists and at a meeting of the executive committee of the party held in Chicago Friday evening it was decided to come to Indianapolis.

SWORN IN ON CRUTCHES

New Head of Civil Service Has Rheumatism

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—General John C. Black, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, was sworn in as civil service commissioner in Secretary Loeb's office at the White House today. After shaking hands with President Roosevelt, Secretary Loeb and several others, General Black paid his first visit to the civil service commissioner's quarters.

General Black made the rounds on crutches, necessitated by a rheumatic attack.

MINERS GIVE UP FIGHT

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 16.—(Special)—The strike at the Red Ash coal company mines was settled tonight when the employes waived their right to ask for the dismissal of Superintendent Smith. The colliery has been idle six months entailing a loss of $350,000 to the owners and more than a million dollars to the employes, who are all members of the United Mine Workers.

SENATE SEAT IS NOW WISH OF MR. BRYAN

Closest Friends Say He Wants the Place Dietrich Is to Leave

WANTS TO REORGANIZE PARTY IN NEBRASKA

Will Fight Kind of Republicanism Omaha Senator Stands For

WISH IS NOT YET PUBLICLY EXPRESSED

But Is Believed Announcement Will Be Made in a Short Time—Campaign Work to Begin After Convention

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—William Jennings Bryan wants the place in the United States senate which Dietrich is to leave. The information came today from Bryan's closest friends, the leaders of the democratic party in the state. Mr. Bryan has not expressed the wish publicly. The issues on which Mr. Bryan will make his fight are two: Railway taxation and domination and the kind of republicanism Dietrich stands for. Bryan wants the work of reorganizing in the state commenced as soon as the convention is over, so that the democrats may carry Nebraska, and he may go to the senate.

MRS. A. M. DOUGLAS DEAD

HILLSBORO, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. A. M. Douglas, wife of Senator Douglas, died at her home in Covington yesterday of Bright's disease. She was 65 years old.

FORT HANCOCK ORDERED SOLD

Abandoned Property Near El Paso Will Be Disposed of by Government

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The interior department has ordered the sale of the abandoned Fort Hancock near El Paso at public auction on April 11, provided it brings the appraised value. The fort contains 469 acres and many buildings. The land appraised from $1.25 to $2 per acre.

The interior department has ordered the abolishment of the Oklahoma City land and the district office. The business is to be transferred to Guthrie.

Supervisor Edward F. Morrissey on the Wichita-Oklahoma forest reserve has been vindicated by the report of the inspectors who investigated the charges preferred against him by Delegate McGuire. The delegate charged that valuable timber lands were permitted to be chopped down by fake gold prospectors. No action has yet been taken by the department, however.

SEVEN OUNCES OF DRUG

Taken by Mrs. A. D. Linton of Paris With Fatal Result

PARIS, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. A. D. Linton, wife of a leading druggist in this city, swallowed seven ounces of chloroform at 6 o'clock this morning and died two hours later. She has been in bad health for some time and was being cared for at a private infirmary. In some manner she succeeded in abstracting the drug from a medicine cabinet and swallowed it during the brief absence of her attendant.

BECOMES NATIONAL BANK

HILLSBORO, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Six months ago a private bank was organized at Covington. It prospered so well it has been reorganized as a national bank with Dr. A. M. Douglas, R. J. Cowley, B. C. Gattings, Willie King, J. C. Blakeney and J. W. Gilliam as directors and Dr. A. M. Douglas, R. J. Cowley, F. E. McLarty, cashier, and D. D. Gattings as officers.

W. C. Stripling

THE PRICE IS THE THING.

We Will Continue OUR JANUARY REDUCTION SALE ALL THIS WEEK

Prices on a great many articles of merchandise is lower than we have ever offered them before. If you are in need of goods mentioned here, and many others not listed, you will do well to make our store a visit tomorrow—you are sure to save money.

New Embroideries and Laces

We are going to offer this week, a lot of wide Embroideries that measure 8 inches wide, and worth 15c a yard, at the special price **10c**

Another special lot of Embroideries that we have selected for this week's sale measure 4 inches wide and worth 7 1-2c a yard at only **5c**

Allover Embroideries in new designs and patterns are now being shown at our embroidery counters at the following prices, 75c, 50c and **65c**

At 2 1-2c a yard we are offering a line of the new wash Torchon Laces, worth up to 4c a yard; these are all this season's new patterns, yard **2½c**

At 5c we are offering a lot of the new Torchon Laces worth up to 7 1-2c a yard. These you will find arranged on table with price tickets, and a bargain at.... **5c**

Other lots in new wash Torchon Laces on display counter, that are very special values at the price, per yard, 3½c, 7½c and... **10c**

SPECIAL—Val. Laces in pieces of 12 yards, that sell regularly at from 3c to 5c a yard will be sold tomorrow at per piece of 12 yds. for **20c**

Dress Goods Reduced

We have reduced the price on all our heavy woolen goods, and now offer all the fine Zibelines, Suitings, etc., that we sold at $1.48, at only **98c**

A large lot of wide Suitings and other goods that we formerly sold at 75c to $1.00 a yard, are now offered at choice of all at only, per yard **69c**

Woolen Dress Goods that we formerly sold at 35c and 40c a yard; some of these are black and others desirable shades, now reduced to choice for **25c**

Woolen Dress Goods that sold during the fall at 25c a yard; not all shades included in this lot, but several staple shades, now only **15c**

February Patterns Now In

We have just received our February paper patterns and sheets. The Peerless Patterns are the best made; prices, 5c, 10c and **15c**

Fashion Sheets free for the asking, at ribbon and hosiery counter.

Women's Suits and Skirts

We are showing a lot of new Black Skirts in dress styles, at the following prices, all nicely trimmed and in the best styles, $12.50, $7.50 and **$5.00**

To close out the balance of the Women's Tailor-made Suits that we have on hand, we offer all that sold at $15.00 at $10.00, and the $12.50 ones at... **$7.50**

Women's Skirts that we received during the fall and that sold then at $5.00, we are now offering at the reduced price... **$3.50**

Women's Skirts that we sold in the fall at $3.50 and that were exceptional value at that price now offered at the special reduction of **$2.50**

Women's Knit Vests and Pants that were sold by us all during the fall season at $2.50, we are now selling at the reduced price of **19c**

Women's Colored Petticoats—some that sold at 50c and 75c, all on table at choice for only **39c**

New Muslin Underwear at all prices. These goods we have out on display and we believe that our prices for prices for the same quality garments are lower than at any other store in North Texas.

New Early Spring Goods

New Wash Silks, in all the best patterns that will be shown this season, on sale tomorrow and the balance of the week, at per yard **25c**

New White Waistings, in beautiful designs in several qualities, now on sale. We call special attention to these at the following prices, 25c,35c, 39c and..... **59c**

New White Piques, Welts, Marseilles, etc. Some very special values in these goods, at per yard, 25c and..... **15c**

White Lawn that is good 12½c value, will be offered again for this week at the special price, per yard **8⅓c**

New Toile du Nord Ginghams, short lengths of these goods that sell when in full pieces at 12 1-2c a yard—the short lengths at **7½c**

New Percales, in colors that we guarantee fast, and that are special good 10c values, will be on sale all of this week, at per yard **8⅓c**

Table Linens and Towels

Bleached Towels, size 18-34, regularly sold at 25c a pair—as a special for this week we offer these, at per pair..... **18c**

Bleached Cotton Towels, with fringe ends and fancy floral woven designs, size 17-40 inches; for this week's special sale, per pair **20c**

All Linen German Damask, 70 inches wide, and regularly sold at 69c a yard; this week's special offer at the reduced price, per yard **50c**

Half Bleached Linen Damask, that always sells at 50c a yard and that is very desirable for hard use, will be on special sale this week, at per yard **42c**

White Quilts, in all sizes, both plain and fringed, the best quality of these sell at $2.00, and then down to $1.69, $1.25, 98c and **75c**

At the Staple Counter

Gold Medal Bleached Domestic, for this week's sale again at..... **7c**

Hope Bleached Domestic which is worth fully 10c a yard, on sale for.... **7c**

Fine quality Brown Domestic, 38 inches wide, and good 6½c value, at.... **5c**

Ginghams in short lengths, in the 10c and 12½c quality, at per yard.... **7½c**

Lonsdale fine Cambric, the 15c quality, on sale all this week at..... **10c**

All 15c Flannelettes at 10c this week, and 10c quality at only..... **7½c**

34-inch French Ginghams, for shirts and Waists, reduced for this sale to.. **10c**

Blankets and Comforts all reduced in price, 75c Comforts, 59c; $1.50 Comforts at **$1.25**

Hair and Cloth Brushes

We have just received a very large and choice line of Cloth and Hair Brushes, special good values in Cloth Brushes at 25c, 35c and **50c**

Genuine Bristle Hair Brushes, with solid Wood backs, all guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction; prices, 75c, 50c, 35c and **25c**

School Tablets in large sizes for pencil use at **5c**

Fine quality Linen Tablets for letter writing, at 5c, 10c and..... **15c**

Genuine Castile Soap, half pound bars worth 10c, on sale at..... **5c**

Tar Soap in the regulation 5c size bar, we sell at all times for..... **2½c**

Machine Oil, the 10c size bottle we sell at 5c; the 5c size at..... **3c**

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Fannie Estill et al to O. R. Bartm, 1-14 acre William Dooley survey, $550.

North Fort Worth Townsite Company to Ellen G. Hardwick, lot 24, block 165, North Fort Worth, $1 and other consideration.

Always Remember the Full Name **Laxative Bromo Quinine** E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

Donald, lots 1, 4 and 5, block 3, Hemphill Heights addition, $700.

J. E. Wilson et ux et al to J. C. Cockrom et ux, 30 acres Shelby county school land.

H. B. Herd to Brown Harwood, lots 9 and 10, block B, J. W. Wray's subdivision, $600.

J. C. Parker et ux to W. M. Wallace, 59 1-10 acres W. L. Lee 160-acre survey, $800.

J. W. Spencer to W. B. McRoberts et al, lot 24, block 80, M. G. Ellis' addition, $360.

Leon Lefevre to Thomas J. Martin, lots 3 to 14, block "F," McAnulty & Nye's subdivision, $4,000.

K. S. Floyd et ux to W. M. Thompson, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 43, Glenwood addition, $850.

Henry Kaysing et ux to W. S. Essex, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 5, Glenwood, $500.

The Fort Worth Development Company to F. A. Hutchinson, lot 19, block 104, Washington Heights, $200.

John W. Buford et ux to J. D. Martin, S. C. Inman 640-acre survey, $15,000.

North Fort Worth Townsite Company to William Rodefeld, lot 7, block 161, North Fort Worth, $300.

North Fort Worth Townsite Company to James O. David, lot 9, block 173, M. G. Ellis' addition, $500.

John M. Scott to A. C. Rogers, 11 8-10 acres Joshua Cook survey, $60.

The Fort Worth Development Company to Oma Tefteller, lot 19, block 106, lot 18, block 104, Washington Heights, $400.

The Fort Worth Development Company to J. F. Raper, lot 23, block 105, Washington Heights, $200.

R. O. Newsom et ux to William V. Rumph, et al, part block 23, Mansfield, $200.

A. A. Collier et ux to J. P. Wesner, 80 1-3 acres Margaret Rockafellow 1-3 League survey, $2,000.

Robert McKinley et ux to J. S. McKinley, lots 1 and 2, block 1, McNatt's third addition, Arlington, $165.

J. F. Grammer to Mrs. Minnie W. DePoyster, part lot 4, block 16, Fields' subdivision, $900.

The Casey-Swasey Company to Mrs. Addie Levy, lot —, block 14, Union Depot addition, $500.

North Fort Worth Land Company to Mrs. Kathleen L. Moore, lot 19, block 42, second addition to Fort Worth city cemetery, $25.

J. Y. Hogsett to Mrs. K. L. Moore, lot 10, block Z, Fields' Hillside addition, $125.

Mary L. Peterman et al to S. B. Livingston, lot 11, block Z, Fields' Hillside addition, $1.

Mrs. M. G. Meadows et al to Mrs. J. P. Moore, lot 11, block Z, Fields' Hillside addition, $1.

R. Vickery et al to Henry Kaysing, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 8, Glenwood addition, $90.

MADE A PERFECT SCORE

One of the Shooters at Yesterday's Match Broke All Targets

The members of the Fort Worth Gun Club at their grounds yesterday afternoon entertained the members of the U. M. C. squad, who are traveling over the country. In the shoot of visitors and home men the scores were made out of a possible 50 or 25. The shooting was at inanimate targets. The scores:

		Total.
Marshall	21-25	46
Howe	22-21	43
Reihl	23-24	49
Shumway	17-21	38
Hubbs	22-24	46
Budd	25-24	49
McDowell	21-23	44
Bradey	24-25	49
Heer	25-25	50
Cheldroff	25-24	49
Barlow	22	
Sherman	20	
Jenks	21-22	43
Hart	20	
Moore	22	
Gramong	12	

The members of the traveling squad were highly pleased at the reception given them by the local sportsmen. They go from here to Brenham and to Austin.

MAY START UP MONDAY

Chance That Paving Operations Will Be Resumed

The drum for the Parker-Washington Asphalt company was set in position yesterday afternoon. If the new drum will work satisfactorily the plant will start to melting the asphalt on Monday and work will be resumed on Houston street.

The coffee planter gets an average of nine cents a pound for his crop.

A CONTINUAL DRAG

The Exact Term

Only those who have experienced the pain and suffering incident to Piles or Hemorrhoids can know what a drag and handicap this complaint is; how even the mildest forms hinder the patient from putting forth his or her best efforts, while those afflicted with bleeding and protruding piles realize all the tortures of the inquisition.

It may surprise the reader to know that there is a sure, permanent cure for this disease, as the following testimony from Mr. E. A. Leonard, an American resident in the City of Mexico, will show:

"For twenty years I suffered with piles, sometimes being confined to my bed for days at a time. The relief received from doctors both in the United States and Mexico, was temporary, and more frequently I received no relief; other medicines had no effect. It was a continual drag. I was fit for nothing. I finally tried Pyramid Pile Cure; first application was magical; I could not believe I was awake next morning; I experienced a relief that I had not known for twenty years. One box cured me; but not believing myself cured, I bought two more, but they are still in my trunk. I first used the remedy in July, 1902; **have had no occasion to use it since.** The world should know of Pyramid Pile Cure. I have no words to express its merits."

Pyramid Pile Cure is in the form of a suppository, which is admitted by all physicians to be the best preparation for treating piles; it comes in direct contact with the painful tumors and does its work quickly and painlessly. It is sold by druggists, generally, for 50 cents a package, and there is no other remedy "just as good."

Write Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., for their little book on the causes and cure of piles which is sent free for the asking.

Land Mortgage Bank of Texas to W. H. Steward, 1-3 lots 1 and 2, block 56, Tucker's addition, $500.

Emroy H. Smith to B. J. H. Thomas, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 42, Polytechnic Heights, $94.

Polytechnic college to B. J. H. Thomas, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 42, Polytechnic Heights addition, $10.

M. L. Chambers et ux to R. W. McNatt, lot 1, block 1, McNatt's third addition, Arlington, $10.

WOODMEN READY FOR A RECEPTION

Open Meeting Will Be Held in Honor of Sovereign Commander Root

The local members of the Woodmen of the World are making preparations for the entertainment of the Sovereign Commander Joseph C. Root, of Omaha, Nebraska, who is visiting the principal cities of Texas. Mr. Root was the organizer of this order and has been at its head ever since its organization. The society here has sent out invitations to all members of the craft within a radius of 100 miles to be present at the city hall on Tuesday evening when the reception will be held. Following an elaborate program, which is being prepared by Mrs. Maud Peters Ducker, Mr. Root will deliver a lecture. It is to be an open meeting.

Col. W. D. Bettis of Orange, Texas, grand master Workman of the state, arrived in the city last evening in company with Walter B. Scott, grand foreman, and J. S. Clarkson, deputy grand master Workman. They visited the Alma lodge of this city and installed the following officers: R. M. Davis, P. M. W.; T. B. Johnson, M. W.; Art Davis, Foreman; B. E. Morris, Overseer; R. W. Fender, Recorder; T. L. Davis, Financier; B. W. Morris, Guide; Ike Webster, Inside Watchman; Lee Hawn, Outside Watchman. After the installation ceremonies Col. Bettis delivered a very fine address on the work of the order, which was appreciated very much by te large membership pressmuch by the large membership pressmany years that the Alma lodge has had the pleasure of having its officers installed by the Grand Master Workman and they all hope that they may have a visit from him again during his term of office.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

FORT WORTH BUSINESS COLLEGE

Has been forced by the increase of the large number of students since the holidays to double its room capacity. Five thousand square feet of floor space has been added to its already spacious departments. About one hundred young men and women of the shorthand department will occupy the new quarters, on Monday, January 18. These rooms have been fitted up with new furniture and a large shipment of typewriters have been received. This department of the school has always been a favorite of the public, furnishing the leading business houses of this city with stenographic help. The Twentieth Century bookkeeping and office practice is largely used in the bookkeeping and banking departments. This system has recently been arranged for the public by some of the best accountants of America. The Fort Worth Business College has always been conservative in management. Never indulging in sharp practices or false promises to catch unsuspecting young men. Fully ninety-five per cent of the patronage coming through the recommendation and good words spoken by former students and graduates. Tuition rates are more liberal than those of a number of inferior schools in the state. Scholarships may be purchased on installments. The college is on Main street, corner of Fourth. Telephone 970—3R.

F. P. PREUITT, Pres.

CRUSHED UNDER ENGINE WHEELS

Acting Yardmaster Christian Killed Near Texas and Pacific Station

As the result of a very unusual accident in the Texas and Pacific yards late yesterday afternoon, Alonzo Christman, acting yardmaster for the Rock Island, was fatally injured, dying at St. Joseph's infirmary at 6:15 o'clock.

The Frisco train known as the Meteor had arrived at the station and discharged its passengers, coming into the shed on track No. 3 at about 3:30 o'clock. The train was then taken in charge by the switching crew and backed out on track 3 to enter what is known as the Frisco's house track which is called track 2.

Yardmaster Christman was on the pilot of cowcatcher of the engine. The engine with the coaches started on track 2 at quite a high rate of speed. There is a switch track crossing this track at right angles. When the engine started across the track the pilot seemed to drop, according to an eye witness, who saw the accident. This caused the point to hit the track crossing the one on which the train was moving. The pilot went under the engine and Christman was pulled under with it. The front trucks of the engine passed over the man. His right leg was horribly mangled, his body was crushed and his head severely bruised. Bystanders rushed to the man's assistance and he was carried to the mail room in the long shed west of the depot. An ambulance was called and he was taken to St. Joseph's infirmary, where he died about two hours afterward.

Christman har been in the employ of the Rock Island for over two years. He was temporarily acting yardmaster, while the yardmaster was on a sixty days' vacation. Christman leaves a wife and one child at 627 West Railroad avenue.

Monnig's 1302-4-6 Main Street

Clearance Sale Prices!

HOW CHEAP YOU CAN BUY FROM US THIS WEEK

Bargains in fine Black Dress Silks, special values in the following:
36-inch Warranted Black Taffeta Silks, $1.35 quality; this week's price, yard **$1.09**
36-inch Oil Boiled Black Taffeta Silk, $1.00 quality; this week's price, yard ..... **70¢**
27-ineh Black Peau de Soie Silk, high luster, warranted, value $1.00; this week's price, yard ..... **75¢**
27-inch Black and Colored Habutai Silks, value 60c; this week's price, yard ..... **39¢**
$1.50, $1.25 and $1.00 Novelty Silk Waistings, to close out; this week's price, yard ..... **69¢**
One lot Remnants of Silks, assorted values, 50c to 85c; this week's price, yard ..... **33¢**
Our $1.25 Paon Colored Silk Velvets..... **75¢**

Black Skirtings

44-inch All Wool Black French Serge, value 65c; this week's price, yard ..... **39¢**
42-inch Black Brilliantine, reversible finish, value 75c; this week's price, yard..... **59¢**
40-inch Black Brilliantine Luster, value 60c; this week's price, yard ..... **39¢**
38-inch Black Satin Soleil, value 90c; this week's price, per yard ..... **69¢**

Staple Specials

Good Outing Flannels, value 6 1-4c; this week's price, per yard ..... **4¢**
10c Fancy Flannelettes, choice designs; this week's price, per yard ..... **7¢**
8 1-3c plain white Domet Flannels; this week's price, per yard ..... **5½¢**
Mattress Ticking; this week's price, per yard..... **5¢**
Fancy Duck Suitings, good mixtures; this week's price, per yard ..... **10¢**
Bookfold Percales, reds and blues; this week's price, per yard ..... **7½¢**
15c Silkolines, flowered; this week's price, per yard..... **8¢**
New spring styles in Dress Ginghams; this week's price, per yard ..... **7½¢**

Suit Department

Do not fail to inspect the wonderful values throughout our suit department.
Think of it—$30.00 Suits now being sold at..... **$12.50**
Think of it—$25.00 Suits now being sold at..... **$10.00**
25 per cent discount on one one lot of Ladies' Fine Shirt Waists.

Blanket Specials

More White Blankets on hand than we want. To reduce stock of same, the following will be sold at mill cost.
11-4 extra fine White Blankets, value $2.75; mill cost price, per pair **$1.98**
12-4 White Blankets, super grade, value $2.25; mill cost price, per pair **$1.38**
11-4 fine fleeced White Blankets, value $1.50; Mill cost price, per pair ..... **98¢**
10-4 White Blankets, good weight, value 75c; mill cost price, per pair ..... **40¢**
Bed Comforts, good weight and full size, value $1.00 (two only to a customer); per pair ..... **69¢**
Our finest $3.50 Bed Comforts, in fine sateen, choice designs; mill cost price, each **$2.79**

Ladies' and Children's Underwear

20c value, Ladies' ribbed fleeced Vests; Mill cost price, each, only **10c**
Odd lot of Children's fleeced Drawers, value 25c pair; Mill cost price, pair ..... **15¢**
One lot Boys' super stout fleeced Drawers and Shirts; Mill cost price, each..... **22¢**
Infants' ribbed fleeced Vests, value 15c; Mill cost price, each ..... **9¢**
Misses' Union Suits, special value; Mill cost price, each, only ..... **25¢**
Children's flannelette long Kimonos, assorted colors; Mill cost price, each ..... **40¢**
Children's Flannelette short Kimonos, assorted colors; Mill cost price, each ..... **25¢**

Hosiery Specials

Ladies' Black Hose, seamless, value 15c, seconds (limit of 5 pairs to a customer); Mill cost price, pair ..... **6¢**
Ladies' black fleeced Hose, extra value; Mill cost price, 2 pair for ..... **25¢**
Boys' and Girls' black ribbed Hose, extra heavy, value 20c; Mill cost price 2 pairs for **25¢**
"Wild Boy" Iron Frame black ribbed Hose, that will wear—none better; pair ..... **25¢**

Shoe Department

Just received, a new shipment of "Wolf Bros." Shoes.
Children's Shoes, double or single sole, 8 1-2 to 11; this sale, per pair ..... **75¢**
Misses' School Shoes, single or double sole, half heel, patent tip; per pair ..... **98¢**
Soft Kid Shoes for the baby, patent tip, button or lace, size 1 to 5; special, per pair ..... **48¢**
One lot Ladies' Shoes—exceptional values—broken sizes; per pair, 75c to ..... **98¢**
Our "Popularis" Ladies' Shoes are the best value at, pair.... **$2.00**
Our Monnig's "Duchess" Ladies' Shoes are the very latest and best; per pair **$3.00**
Men's Shoes—Selz Royal Blue, all leathers—the best wearers; per pair **$3.50**

Muslin Underwear Specials

Children's Muslin Drawers, tucked and hemmed; pair.... **10¢**
Ladies' Muslin Drawers, with cambric ruffle; pair..... **25¢**
Ladies' Corset Covers, as low as ..... **10¢**
Ladies' Muslin Gowns, embroidered and tucked yoke, each **49¢**
Ladies' Muslin Skirts, 3 tucks and cambric ruffle, each.. **49¢**
Ladies' Empire Chemise, very choice finish; each..... **$1.00**
These lines are all well made and perfect fitting.

SPECIAL SALE OF NEW LACES MONDAY

10c, 12 1-2c and 15c values, in all makes of lace; sale price, yard ..... **5¢**

$26.00, $28.00 and $30.00 Suits; this week, your choice **$15.00**
$18.00 to $25.00 Suits; this week, your choice..... **$12.50**
$11.00 to $17.00 Suits; this week, your choice **$9.00**

Second Week Our Stock Reducing Clothing Sale

Our entire lot of this season's regular stock of Clothing (blacks excepted).

OVERCOATS

$18.00 to $28.00 Overcoats; this week, your choice.... **$12.50**
$12.00 to $17.00 Overcoat; this week, your choice..... **$9.00**

BOYS' SUITS

All $4.00 to $5.00 Boys' Suits; this week, your choice.. **$3.25**
All $2.75 to $3.50 Boys' Suits; this week, your choice.. **$2.48**

KAISER LIKES U. S. UNIFORM

Favors Adoption of Grayish Green Suits for the German Troops

(Special Cable, Copywright 1904, by W. R. Hearst.)

BERLIN, Jan. 16.—The Kaiser's latest idea to adopt uniforms of a grayish green color, similar to those he had seen worn by the American generals, Wood and Young, is decidedly unpopular among officers.

It is not that they object to the change because the idea was inspired by American uniforms, but simply because they object to any radical change whatever.

During the reign of the present Kaiser hardly a year has passed without changes of some kind in the military uniform, necessitating great expense on the part of the officers, who now claim that the adoption of an entirely new uniform would bring the majority of them hopelessly in debt unless the Reichstag see fit to raise their pay.

The Reichstag, however, is just as much opposed to new uniforms as the officers, as the military cloth factories and tailor shops have many hundred thousand of finished uniforms on hand, and these would, in case of a change, have to be sold at a great loss.

It has been suggested that "Emperor" Jacques Lebaudy, of Sahara, who at present is in the city, might buy the lot, though they would be rather heavy for the climate of his empire, where the natives as a rule are satisfied with a breecheloth and a ring in the nose, and, besides, his Majesty's army at the present time only numbers probably a hundred men and half of these are officers.

Emperor Jacques came to Berlin with great expectations for the purpose of studying German military methods, but says that he is very much disappointed, as no one takes him seriously.

He applied for an audience with the Kaiser, but his "dear cousin William," as he called the Kaiser in his application, has absolutely refused to see him and he has also been refused admission to the military establishments closed to strangers.

Nevertheless he has expressed his great admiration for German military discipline and stated that he will organize his army after the German model.

JOIN WITH UNITED STATES

The German government has joined hands with the government of England and France in sending a note to the American government at Washington asking that the United States agree to adopt the international laws for the prevention of the epidemical diseases recently adopted at the International Sanitary conference at Paris, where the United States and Turkey were the only countries not represented.

No answer has been received from Washington yet, but it is expected that the United States will readily join in the efforts of the European countries.

"FOXY EDITORS"

The Professors Kattenbush and Piper, the only two German collaborators on the great work, "Christendom Anno Domini 1901," which is to be published by a large New York firm, are complaining bitterly in the Theological Journal of the treatment they have received from the American publisher.

They say that he has altered their articles beyond all recognition and also in other ways been exceedingly unfair to them, so that they deem it their duty publicly to warn all German authors against the 'foxy American publishers and editors."

THE KAISER'S INFLUENCE

That Japan has not already declared war against Russia is said here to be very largely due to the personal influence of the Kaiser.

It has been known here for some time that the large German manufacturers of guns and ammunition have been told that it would be appreciated by the government if they refused to accept any orders from the Japanese government, and it is now stated on very good authority that the Kaiser some days ago cabled the German ambassador to inform the Mikado that in case of a war the sympathy of Germany would be with Russia.

It is also stated that should Russia wish a war loan German bankers would be in every way encouraged to subscribe. Germany's action must, however, not be ascribed to any sudden love for Russia, but rather the fact that many millions of Russian bonds are owned by Germans and that these would suffer largely by the slump which would follow should war break out.

MALCOLM CLARKE.

CHIEF OF POLICE GOES TO SIBERIA

Czar Personally Punishes Cruel Official Who Tortured a Prisoner

(Special Cable, Copywright 1904, by W. R. Hearst.)

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—From Warsaw comes the news that the chief of police, who some time ago was arrested for torturing a prisoner, Jan Sadowski, to make him confess, by imperial decree has been banished to Siberia, though his powerful relatives used all their influence to have him acquitted.

Sadowski, who was clerk in a drug store, was arrested on suspicion of having stolen eighty roubles from his employer.

He steadfastly protested his innocence, which so enraged Arnold that he submitted Sadowski to the most fiendish torture.

Yet Sadowski would not confess, and the tortures being repeated he made two abortive attempts to kill himself.

On both occasions he was restored and flogged into the bargain.

To end his miseries, Sadowski had recourse to a ruse. He made a feigned confession, and pretended that he had buried the missing money in his employer's shop.

On being taken there to indicate the spot Sadowski managed to get hold of a bottle of poison.

Swallowing its contents he called out:

"As I am going to appear in a few minutes before the Lord, I proclaim it again that I am innocent. My blood be on the head of the police director," and dropped dead.

The relatives of Sadowski succeeded in getting their complaint direct to the Czar, who, after an investigation, ordered the court to sentence the chief of police to deportation to Siberia.

RUSSIA OUTWITS ENGLAND

Russia has again outwitted Great Britain in Persia by getting the Shah's consent to the construction of a new railroad from Shimiran to Teheran.

The concession was given to a Persian merchant who is said to be the Czar's street agent and the money for the construction will all be paid by the Czar's government, who considers the road so important that it is intended to have it all finished within a year.

A road from the Russian frontier to Tabriz will also be built in such a form that it can be used at any time as a railroad embankment.

The Russian government even on the verge of a great war in the far East evidently no moment loses sight of her other interests in Asia.

GRAND DUKE AT OUTS

In spite of all attempts of the government to conceal the existence of very bitter feelings against the Kaiser at the court of the grand duke of Baden, it becomes more and more evident that a reconciliation is still as far off as ever.

The hatered against the Kaiser is even spreading to members of the family of the grand duke of Baden.

The imperial governor of Alsace, Prince Herman von Hohenlohe-Langenburg, has now openly taken sides with the grand duke.

The prince was married to Princess Leopoldine of Baden, who died a few weeks ago, and who, though an aunt of the empress, never concealed her dislike of the Kaiser.

Her feelings were returned by Emperor William, who did not attend her funeral.

This has offended the prince so much that he has resigned from his post, and though the Kaiser personally asked him to remain, he has positively refused.

COULDN'T BE GERMAN AGAIN

The Leipziger Neueste Nachrichten recently published an article which should be of great interest to the German-Americans.

The article bitterly complains of the number of Germans who return from the United States after having become American citizens and ask to be reinstated in their rights as German subjects.

The demand is made that the German authorities make it impossible for any German to return to his old home, if he does not possess sufficient money to support himself.

The attention of the authorities is called to a certain citizen of Leipzig, who recently returned to his native city, having tried in vain to accumulate wealth on the other side of the Atlantic.

When he asked the courts to give him rights as a German subject the judge first tried to persuade him that he could live very comfortably in Saxony as an American citizen, but when he insisted on repatriation it was flatly refused, though he was told that he would be allowed the privilege of paying taxes and keeping his mouth shut.

The reasons given were that the authorities had no guarantee that he might not become a public charge, in which case he could be deported to America.

MALCOLM CLARKE.

Architect Stewart of Lucerne, has patented a new system of a concrete flooring, consisting of hollow tubes and mortar and iron. It is fireproof, and will be of considerable interest to builders in the United States.

YOU WILL BE ALL SMILES AGAIN

Forget Your Stomach and You'll Have a Santa Claus Face

HOW TO DO IT

They are, above all, a natural remedy. They possess exactly the same properties that the gastric juices and other digestive fluids of the stomach possess and they actually do the digestive work of the stomach and enable that organ to rest and recuperate and become sound and well. They act in a mild, natural manner and cause no disturbance in the digestive organs. They prevent any fermentation of the food which causes sour stomach. In fact, under their influence the subject forgets that he has a stomach and his resulting cheerfulness presents a great contrast to his former dejection.

Millions of boxes of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold annually and they are but in the dawn of their popularity. Every mail brings letters of thanksgiving from grateful ones who have been cured of this terrible disease. The following is one of hundreds received each week:

Rev. J. R. Hoag of Wymore, Neb., writes: "For six years I have been troubled with dyspepsia. Last fall I became very much alarmed at some symptoms of heart trouble and came to believe there was a sympathetic relation between the two diseases, or rather, that the stomach trouble was the cause of the heart disturbances. I hit upon Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets for a remedy and invested a dollar and a half for three boxes which lasted me three months and I can eat any kind of food I want and have a good, vigorous appetite. Although I am 77 years old, I now feel perfectly well and without being requested by anyone I make this statement as a compliment to the virtue of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are for sale by all druggists at 50 cts. a box.

If there is one thing more than all others that will give a man a forlorn and friendless appearance and make him morbid and "cranky" and disagreeable, that thing is dyspepsia. It makes one forget his friends and becomes morose and irritable. He is so wrapped up in his own misery that he is inconsiderate of every one else. Relieved of this terrible and depressing ailment, he again becomes a good fellow and a man among men.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are beyond question the most effective and popular remedy ever offered to the sufferers of this terrible disease. The thousands and thousands of cures they have brought about and the enormous increase of their sales fully attest the truth of this statement.

CURED LUMBAGO

A. B. Canman, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with Lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another; then different ointments and linaments, gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Linament, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former sufferers." 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

STARTLING EVIDENCE

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds to be unequaled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentorville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by W. J. Fisher, druggist, and Reeves' Pharmacy. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c and $1.

CURIE DESIRES NO DECORATION FOR HIS WORK

French Scientist Who With His Wife, Discovered Radium, Is Independent

ADMIRES THE ORDER BUT WANTS NO HONOR

Bryan's Suggestion Causes Interest in European Courts

THE PAPAL NUNCIO RETURNS TO HAGUE

Pius May Heal Breach Caused at Time of Peace Conference. Part of Old St. Mark's Is Found

(Special Cable, Copywright 1904, by W. R. Hearst.)

PARIS, Jan. 16.—M. Curie, the member of the French chamber, who recently refused the Cross of the Legion of Honor which was offered to him by M. Chaumie, minister of education, is being taken severely to task by the French press.

In response he has given the following explanation of his conduct:

"I do not love decoration. The principle underlying them is bad and I have always thought so even long before the day when the Cross was offered to me.

"This, however, is merely my personal opinion and in refusing I had no intention of showing contempt for the Legion of Honor, a decoration given to so many people for whom I have the greatest respect.

"I, myself, do not need or care for decorations of any kind. I told Minister Chaumie this and he understood my position perfectly.

"It is true, I admit, that decorations sometimes inspire to certain acts of courage and devotion, but I cannot see why a French citizen should need any decoration to inspire him to patriotic acts any more than a citizen of the United States, in which country there are no decorations of any kind."

ROTHSCHILD'S PAINTINGS

The splendid collection of paintings in the museum of the Louvre have been enriched by Baron Arthur Rothschild, who died the 10th of December at Monte Carlo, and who possessed one of the most magnificent collections of paintings in the world.

Among the paintings which the Baron left and which will soon be seen at the Louvre are a very large number of masterworks of the Flemish and Dutch schools.

The baron gave the museum at Cluny his famous collection of antique rings.

Besides the Rothschild paintings a very precious souvenir has just been added to the collection at the Louvre.

It is nothing less than a deguerreotype portrait of Daguerre, who, with Napoleon was the inventor of modern photography.

This portrait, which is more than half a century old, is signed by Daguerre himself, and is just as bright and clear today as the day when it was taken. It belonged to M. Mautienne, the late mayor of Bry-Sur-Marne, where Daguerre spent his declining years, and where his grave is still shown to every visitor.

The portrait was given to M. Mautienne by his father, an old friend of the famous inventor.

It is said that an American millionaire last year offered M. Mautienne $15,000 for the portrait, but his offer was refused by the mayor, who said that the considered the portrait too valuable to allow it to become the property of anyone but a Frenchman.

RAYS FROM BODY

The members of the French academy of science are very much interested in a recent discovery made by the professors of the University of Nancy, Charpentier and Blondelot, that the human body emits rays of exactly the same nature as the radium rays, and that these rays are increased in strength by increased activity of muscles and nerves.

It is thought by prominent medical authorities here that this discovery will enable physicians to decide beyond a doubt whether life has departed from the body or not in many cases where this decision could not otherwise be made with certainty.

HOMES FOR AMBASSADORS

The words of William Jennings Bryan in a recent article in which he recommends that the American government build residences for their ambassadors in foreign cities have been read with great interest here at a time when the same project is being widely discussed by the French government.

A bill has been laid before the chamber of deputies asking for an appropriation of nearly 4,000,000 francs to enable the minister of foreign affairs to buy the Palais Farnese at Rome, for many years the home of the French ambassador to Italy.

It will be necessary to decide this within a comparatively short time, as the lease expires within a year, and probably will not be renewed, as the proprietors have announced their intention of selling the famous palace.

As it is not possible to find a house in Rome sumptuous enough for a residence for the French ambassador it will either be necessary to buy the Palais Farnese or to build a new one.

The French government recommends very strongly that France should buy this masterwork from the time of the Renaissance, which is one of the most beautiful buildings in Rome.

The Italians, however, for patriotic reasons, oppose the sale and strong efforts are being made to have the Italian government buy the palace which formerly belonged to the late King of Naples and which for many years has been in the possession of the family of Bourbon.

NUNCIO TO THE HAGUE

It is announced that the Holy See has decided to send a papal nuncio to The Hague to occupy the post which has been empty since May, 1899. It is also said that Monsieur Locatelli, former auditor at Vienna and at present secretary of the Holy See, has been selected for the position.

It will be remembered that when the court of arbitration was first opened, Leo XIII., to show his displeasure at not having been invited to be represented, recalled Monsignor Tarnassi, the nuncio at The Hague, and that the Holy See has not been represented in Belgium since that time.

PART OF ST. MARK'S

A very interesting archeological discovery has been made in the old Basilica of St. Mark, at Venice.

While repairing the foundation of the famous church it became necessary to excavate under a part of the building, and in this way a crypt was discovered containing a very large sarcophagus, the sides of which were covered with works of sculpture, and on the top of which was found a very large Byzantine cross, which enabled scientists to fix the time when the sarcophagus was placed there.

A number of prominent archeologists all agree that the crypt must have been built in the ninth century and that it is probably a part of the ancient cathedral of St. Mark's, built in the year 800, of which it was thought every trace has disappeared.

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IMPERFECT DIGESTION

Means less nutrition and in consequence less vitality. When the liver fails to secrete bile, the blood becomes loaded with bilious properties, the digestion becomes impaired and the bowels constipated. Herbine will rectify this; it gives tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys, strengthens the appetite, clears and improves the complexion, infuses new life and vigor to the whole system. 50 cents a bottle. Sold by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

Last Week Of the GREAT SNOW WHITE SALE!

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AN EVENT OF GREAT SPLENDOR!

ONE more week of the Snow White Sale, which in its mammoth proportions and imposing grandeur resembles a beautiful sea of white. After six days of the most wonderful selling ever experienced in a sale of this kind, we have decided to continue one week longer, this Grand Exposition of Embroideries, Undermuslins, Curtains, Linens, Domestics, etc. Thereby affording everybody an opportunity of taking advantage of this Great Money Saving Event. In addition to the Snow White Sale extraordinary stock reducing bargains in every Dep't all this week.

Snow White Undermuslins!

This exhibition of Muslin Undergarments establishes a new standard and a new era in the dry goods trade of the South, which is directly in line with the progressive policy of this store. A display pre-eminent in size, variety, quality and value, and one worthy of the best consideration of every woman in Fort Worth and surrounding territory. The exclamations of wonder and delight emanating from the throngs of eager buyers last week, assured it a pronounced success and governed us in continuing the sale another week.

DRAWERS with beautiful blind embroidered ruffles, having three rows of baby tucks above the ruffles; rare and handsome patterns, including all the new models; price **$1 50**

DRAWERS with wide, full ruffles of torchon lace and insertion, in the most exquisite patterns; price **$1 25**

DRAWERS with full ruffle and baby tucks above the hemstitched hems; price **25c**

CORSET COVERS, with six rows of Val. lace insertion down the front, edging of lace around top of sleeves, the fullness gathered at the top with wash baby ribbon, fancy tucked backs, price **$1 75**

CORSET COVERS in entirely new style circular effect, tucked in back and blind embroidered edge, full blouse; price **$1 25**

CORSET COVERS, French patterns, good fitting, made plenty full; price **10c**

PETTICOATS in newest designs, flounce set on with insertion and trimmed in point lace effects; these are rare models; price... **$9 75**

PETTICOATS having the knee flounce with clusters of baby tucks, wide ruffle of Swiss embroidery and embroidered dust ruffle, the very newest designs and effects; price **$7 50**

Long Cambric Petticoats, with pretty tucked ruffle; price **50c**

GOWNS with Empire yoke of Swiss embroidery and insertion ruffle around neck and sleeves, finished in beading and wash ribbon; ... **$7 50**

GOWNS, Empire style and Empire yoke of Mechlin lace insertion, two rows of Mechlin lace insertion around neck and sleeves; price ... **$4 50**

GOWNS with tucked yoke and hemstitched ruffle around neck and sleeves; price **50c**

Stock Reducing Sale Women's Stylish Coats and Suits

Adhering closely to our policy of closing out every winter garment in this department, we have marked them at such ridiculously low prices that will more than ever increase the popularity of this section. We firmly believe that never before have such values been offered, especially at the height of the season. Reductions have been made in every instance without any regard to cost. This collection comprises our entire stock of this season's most approved styles, in all the popular colors and fabrics, from the most inexpensive garment up to the higher grade and most exclusive costumes.

WOMEN'S & MISSES' JACKETS in red and castor, in all wool Kersey, that we usually sell for $10.00; choice **$1 95**

WOMEN'S BOX COATS in all colors, handsomely tailored and finished, that usually sell for $7.50 and $10.00; choice.. **$5 00**

CHILDREN'S COATS of the finest cloth and manufacture, that usually sell for $12.50, $13.50 and $15.00; choice **$7 50**

BEAUTIFUL LONG COAT SUITS with blouse effect, collarless and military capes, in black, brown and blue; also a select line of suits in mannish mixtures and more dressy costumes, that usually sell at $15.00, $20.00 and $25.00; choice **$10 00**

HANDSOME SUITS, beautifully tailored, long coat styles with capes and new sleeve, trimmed with pendants; usual price is $25 and $30; choice... **$15 00**

Stock Reducing Sale Exceptional High-Class Millinery

A sale unequaled for the high quality of the values displayed. Correctness in style is here making this sale of more than usual attractiveness. Our standard of excellence is established, which is only another reason why you should take advantage of this opportunity in purchasing a stylish, up-to-date mid-winter hat. The large variety offers a splendid selection, and every buyer is assured the most complete satisfaction in quality, style and price.

PARIS PATTERN HATS in all this season's most approved styles that usually sell from $20.00 to $25.00; reduced for this sale; price **$10 00**

DRESS AND STREET HATS made in the latest effects; usual price is $10.00 and $12.00, reduced for this sale; price..... **$5 00**

DRESS AND STREET HATS, very stylish, beautifully trimmed in wings, feathers, ornaments, etc., regular $5.00 values, reduced for this sale, price **$1 50**

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HATS, several different patterns to select from, regular $1.00 grades; reduced for this sale; price **45c**

Snow White Embroideries!

A comprehensive collection surpassing in its excellence and variety; purchased in St. Gall when the market was overloaded, afforded our buyer a splendid opportunity to make the choicest selection at a remarkably low price, enabling us to present to our customers a larger and more varied stock with greater value for the money than ever before. Comprising, as it does, every new idea conceived by the most expert Swiss artists and made under the best sanitary conditions available, makes this sale unquestionably of greater interest and economy than any event of a similar character that has happened in recent years.

Exceptionally good values are to be found in this lot, all underpriced, for the Snow White Sale; narrow nainsook edges, suitable for infants' clothing, cambric and nainsook insertions, also cambric and nainsook edges for women's underwear; your choice of any of these **5c**

The qualities to be found in this selection are unequaled for the price. The widths range from three to eight inches, of a large variety of cambric edges. Exquisite designs of blind or open work, cambric, insertions and children's nainsook match sets; choice **10c**

The superiority of the grades on this table will make the purchases exceedingly profitable to the buyers. Beautiful nainsook edges with insertions, open patterns; also cambric flouncings in all widths up to 14 inches; choice of any of these dependable goods **15c**

Here are to be found the higher qualities, and we are convinced that the collection outclasses any similar assortment we ever had. Great care was taken in the selection of these beautiful nainsook and cambric edges and insertions in both blind and open work; widths range from four to twelve inches; choice **25c**

NEW YORK SPECIALISTS

Fifteen Years' Success in the South and West. Thousands of Cured People Testify to the Grand Results Given to Chronic, Special and Private Diseases of Men, Women and Children

They are the recognized specialists because they have all the known facilities, years of experience and ability. They have a specialist for every class of disease, who will tell you your condition without asking you a question. Any doctor should be able to find out your condition without asking you to tell it to him, and if not how can you hope to be cured?

Are You Deaf?

Deafness is an affliction that impairs not only the usefulness of its victim, but robs him of many of the sweetest joys and pleasures of life. Are you sometimes driven almost to the verge of madness by never ending, distracting, nerve racking head noises? Have you taken treatment repeatedly to be disappointed, without hope of relief and now discouraged? Listen: The New York Specialists have more perfect cures to their credit than from any other known method, or all known methods combined. It restores the sense of hearing perfectly, after it has been lost and gone for years. It forever banishes the distressing head noises, which in many instances are a greater curse to the victim than the deafness, and brings joy and gladness to take the place of sorrow, gloom and despondency. A special invitation is extended to all deaf people to call and consult the New York Doctors—free examination. Out of town patients requested to write for full particulars.

Mr. W. Wright says: "When I placed myself under treatment a few weeks since I could not hear an ordinary conversation, had all the head noises that the deaf know, and though a young man had been told there was no hope for me. I was induced to call on these specialists by a friend and when the ear specialist told me he could cure me it was like a fairy tale to me, but his proposition was so liberal and as I had all to gain and nothing to lose I started treatment and am thankful today for what I have received. I can hear about as well as I ever did, all the noise gone, and in fact, a new world has been given me through my ears. I will say to everybody suffering as I was, to go to these doctors, they will cure you."

Mr. B. H. Green, an employe of the Rock Island railroad and an old time citizen who lives at 315 East Weatherford street, says:

"I had suffered for several weeks with something wrong about my ears and the doctors I went to from time to time did not seem to know what it was. One wanted to go into my brain to look for the trouble or cause. Having heard of the New York Doctors I went to consult them and they told me that they could cure me and I am glad to state that they have saved me much worry, suffering, inconvenience and I believe my hearing. I have since had them to treat me for other troubles and am glad to say that they have cured me and given me perfect satisfaction. I advise all who have been disappointed to call and take treatment from these doctors; they will cure you if they tell you so."

Do You Suffer from Cancer?

Or a chronic sore of any character? A steady pain, a trouble that is appalling?

Mr. Charlie Kuller, a banker on Main street, says:

"New York Doctors have cured me of a very bad leg. It was so sore and hurt me so bad that I could not rest at night, and worked in constant pain. I tried many things to get it cured, but they did no good. At last I was referred to these doctors and they have done what they promised. I can say that they are the best doctors in this country."

Have You Catarrh? (Any form.)

Catarrh is the most common of chronic diseases and causes more serious complications than any. It slips on you so gradually that you are not aware of it until it becomes serious or possibly ruins some organ for life. Reader, if you have realized that you have this trouble, do not put off from day to day seeing some reliable specialist. It will save you many days of suffering and possibly a death from consumption.

Mr. S. S. Dillonbeck, president Citizens' State bank, Perry, Iowa, says: "New York Doctors I consider specialists of great ability. They treated my CATARRH and ASTHMA while in Colorado Springs last summer and cured me. Even after my return to Iowa I have had no return. I have been afflicted for years, had traveled in many states and tried many doctors, and the result of the New York Doctors' treatment convinces me of their superior skill and I cannot praise them too highly."

Mr. Dillonbeck is one of the best known business men and bankers of Iowa, and says you can write him if you wish.

Mrs. L. M. Maxy, Third street, Fort Worth, says: "I have been taking treatment from New York Doctors three weeks for catarrh and nose trouble. They are rapidly curing me. In fact, they have done me more good in a few days than other doctors have done in as many months. I see their offices constantly crowded and recommend these doctors to all sufferers."

Have You Kidney or Heart Trouble?

Have you asthma, rheumatism, heart, lung, stomach or bowel trouble? Have you any eye, ear or throat trouble? Our specialist is the very best in this line of work and will return your money if the glasses do not give you complete satisfaction, or if he does not straighten your eyes without operating.

Mr. Walter Gray, an employe of Uncle Sam, and a gentleman of standing in Fort Worth, says: I had rheumatism and other troubles. Placed myself under the treatment of N. Y. Doctors some time since and am glad to say that they gave me almost instant relief and I am progressing so well that I am satisfied that I will soon be my former self and would say to all chronic sufferers that you will find these doctors reliable and if you are sick consult them. They will cure you if they tell you so.

Mr. J. R. Dorsey, an old citizen of Fort Worth, says: "I have been under local doctors and specialists of Dallas and other places, but the New York Doctors have done more for me in a few days than all others have for months and I will say to all sufferers to consult and take treatment from them. You will find they will tell you frankly what can be done for you and will proceed to do it. I regard them as the best doctors in Texas.

Varicocele

Varicocele impairs and destroys the elements of mankind. Surgery seldom cures it, but weakens the parts. We daily demonstrate that varicocele can be positively cured. The organs are preserved and strengthened and every part of the organism is thoroughly restored.

Specific Blood Poison.

Prompt and heroic treatment is the only kind that should be used in combating the king of diseases. Only temporary relief can come from Hot Springs bath, mercury, potash and other minerals. A few years since we perfected an original cure for this trouble that is absolutely safe, rapid and permanent, which leaves no injurious effects. All external symptoms soon disappear, while the whole system is cleansed, strengthened and restored to perfect health.

Stricture

Neglected or badly treated stricture is progressive, soon involving in its course, the whole genito-urinary system.

The modern original methods employed by us are entirely free from the horrors of surgery and are absolutely safe and painless. All unnatural discharges stopped, and the irritation along the wall of the canal in the region of the bladder and kidneys disappears. Young man if you are a sufferer from this condition do not delay but present yourself for treatment at once, every day makes it worse and you can never hope to get well without help. We have cured this condition after ten and fifteen years' standing.

We never publish testimonials of a private nature, so don't expect to wait to see them, but we have thousands as reference and you can get them by applying in person at our office.

Are You a Weak, Sick Woman?

Always with a headache, a pain in the side, nervous, cross, irritable, despondent? The subject of the operating table without relief? If you are or if you have been advised to undergo the operation, then consult the New York Doctors for a painless method.

Nervo-Sexual Debility

There is certainly no victim of nervo-sexual debility, or male weakness who does not hope to be rejuvenated some time. You should not lose your grip on life because inferior remedies have failed to benefit you. Our special treatment of this trouble varied and modified to suit each individual case, is an unfailing cure to which a vast army of restored man today owe their sturdy health and happy condition in life. Under it all disagreeable symptoms soon disappear, all drains of vigor are stopped, prematureness prevented, masculine power thoroughly restored and manhood made complete.

Do You Suffer from Nervous Troubles?

Thousands of men are today nervous, impotent wrecks because they can not find the right treatment for the diseases peculiar to men. The staggering headaches and dizziness, weak and nervous, without ambition, constant pains in the back. Much of these troubles are brought on by excesses and overwork.

Do you suffer from any chronic, special or private condition not above mentioned? If so, call and consult the New York Specialists, who will frankly tell you what your trouble is and if it can be cured.

They have hundreds of people of this town and vicinity taking treatment who are satisfied, and we would be pleased to refer you to them so you may talk with them in the privacy of their own homes. Our references are the banks and business people with whom we have had business here or at any place where we have offices, and the thousands of cured people we have all over the west and south.

We never publish testimonials of a private nature. Do not look for it. Nobody wants to tell the public they had such a condition, but we can give you the names of many who have been cured if you will call at our offices, who will be glad to tell you of their lives being saved by New York Doctors.

Call and investigate for yourself. It will cost you nothing and you will receive valuable advice free whether you take treatment or not.

Thousands of similar testimonials to above could be given if space would permit. It would all be the same, only telling of different cures men and women have. It all proves that New York Doctors are doing the greatest work of any specialists in Texas or the West.

If you cannot call at their offices; write for their home treatment. They have cured hundreds and will cure you.

Offices 613 Main street. Hours 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Sundays, 9 to 12 a. m.

THE WINDISCHGRAETZ SCANDAL



BERLIN, Jan. 16.—When it became known that serious differences had occurred between the Archduchess Elizabeth and her husband, Prince Otto Windischgraetz, there was a general manifestation of sympathy for the young wife, who had hoped to enjoy a happy womanhood after an infancy and childhood full of troubles.

Archduchess Elizabeth was born under an unlucky star. The marriage of her father, Crown Prince Rudolf of Austria, to her mother, Princess Stephanie, daughter of King Leopold of the Belgians, was not a love match, and there was never any real happiness in the imperial home. Crown Prince Rudolf was murdered in a drunken brawl fourteen years ago, and Crown Princess Stephanie's position at the Austrian court became hard to bear.

Her mother's sorrows cast a shadow on the daughter's young life, and Archduchess Elizabeth's childhood was largely devoid of joyous mirth. She had not attained her 17th birthday when her mother married again, choosing Count Lonyay as her second husband. This was a mesalliance, and the Austrian emperor forbade his granddaughter to associate with or even to meet her inferior stepfather. Court etiquet thus separated mother and daughter, and Archduchess Elizabeth was left absolutely alone at the dreary Austrian court, with its burden of traditions and tedious restrictions.

Archduchess Elizabeth came out into high society in the autumn of 1901, when she had reached her eighteenth birthday, and she met Prince Otto Windischgraetz, a younger son of an Austrian nobleman of princely rank, at the balls and other functions which she attended. She fell in love with the handsome young officer at first sight, and made no secret of her preference for him, which soon became evident to all who saw them together. Her high rank made it impossible for men to address her and ask her to dance with them, and she had to select the partners with whom she desired to waltz or chat in the conservatory. Her choice fell on Prince Otto Windischgraetz so frequently and with such conspicuous intention to show him her favor that gossip was soon busy coupling their names.

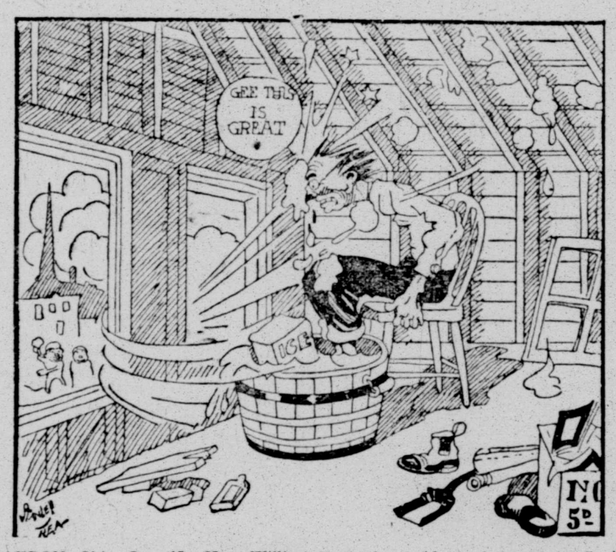
It was generally supposed in Viennese society that she was merely amusing herself with a violent flirtation, but at a ball held some two months after she had made his acquaintance, Archduchess Elizabeth exercised her privilege of imperial birth and made a proposal of marriage to the prince. The precise form of the proposal has never become known, but it is understood that her desire was expressed with great delicacy, yet with such clearness that Prince Otto was left in no doubt regarding her intentions towards him. Matters having been settled between the young couple, it remained for Archduchess Elizabeth to gain the emperor's consent, which was at first withheld.

Archduchess Elizabeth, however, understood how to melt her imperial grandfather's heart by tears, telling him that her happiness depended on his permission to marry Prince Otto, and declaring that she would enter a convent if this were refused. The emperor gave way, notwithstanding the fact that the marriage with a Windischgraetz would be a mesalliance for a Hapsburger, and that he had hoped to see his son's only child contract a far better match. Prince Otto was not only inferior in birth, but was penniless, so that the emperor had to provide entirely for the young couple. Once the emperor's permission was given, the arrangements were hurried on, and the wedding was celebrated with great pomp in the imperial palace in Vienna in January, 1902.

Archduchess Elizabeth was overflowing with happiness, believing that a bright future was before her. She was soon doomed to disappointment. Her husband showed a preference for actresses and other ladies of easy morals, often leaving his young wife alone at home to weep over his defections while he went out on gay adventures. His infidelities began within a few months of the wedding, and Archduchess Elizabeth had not been a wife six months before she was rudely awakened from her love dream by the discovery of Prince Otto's escapades. Quarrels became frequent and culminated in the affairs at Prague on December 5, 1903, when Archduchess Elizabeth surprised her husband in flagranti with his former sweetheart, an actress named Ziegler. Prince Otto Windischgraetz had placed his valet to keep intruders out of the part of his castle in which he was secluded with Fraulein Ziegler, but Archduchess Elizabeth shot down the flunkey with a well-aimed revolver bullet, and, rushing on, emptied three more barrels of the weapon point blank at Fraulein Ziegler, who was dangerously wounded and had to be removed to the hospital. A violent scene between husband and wife ensued, and Archduchess Elizabeth telegraphed to the emperor, begging for his intervention.

The emperor summoned both Prince Windischgraetz and his wife to meet him at Wallsee, the residence of Archduchess Valerie, the emperor's favorite daughter. The emperor and Archduchess Valerie arranged a reconciliation, and the young couple are now living together again, though a certain natural constraint prevails, easy to understand in the circumstances.

Rosenthal Furniture Co., 610-612 Houston st. Splendid line of upright and mantle folding beds, iron beds, odd dressers, etc. Cheapest for cash or time payments.



AKRON, Ohio, Jan. 15.—Hon. William Buchtel, president of the Akron Savings bank and the oldest member of the state legislature, tells how to get all the pleasure and excitement of an old-fashioned sleigh ride without even wandering outside of his own house.

"There is nothing like it," says Mr. Buchtel. "If you don't believe it, try it. All you have to do is to fill a tub full of cold water and then go up in the garret. Place the tub near an open window and your feet in the water. Then hire a boy to stand ouside and throw snowballs in your face."

Ayer's Hair Vigor
Did you know it always restored color to gray hair, always? Makes the hair grow; and stops falling hair.
J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

ENDING OF THE FISCAL YEAR

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 17, 1904.

Last Saturday night the DAYLIGHT STORE closed its annual inventory. One thing we have found out and that is we have too many goods on hand. It is mostly sound, staple merchandise, worth all and more than we paid for it, but we must reduce stock as we need room for the New Spring Goods, which have been coming in for two weeks past, and of the odd lots, undesirable merchandise which naturally accumulates. All this class we are going to let go at any price, just to get it out of the way. Come Monday.

Respectfully,

G. Y. SMITH

SAILOR'S LIFE DIFFERENT NOW

Boys Who Enlist in Navy Today Have Better Opportunities Than Ever Before

Second Lieutenant Hillary Williams, who has been here the past week in charge of the naval recruiting station in the federal building, was in a reminiscent mood yesterday afternoon, when The Telegram reporter found him in his office.

The rest of the staff were busy packing up their effects, preparatory to going to Dallas, where a station will be opened for recruits the coming week.

Mr. Williams is a graduate of the United States naval academy at Annapolis, Md., and since his graduation in the class of 1902 has had but small chance to see much of anything in naval life, but ships. He spoke of the naval life that the humblest man in the service up to the highest in rank encounters.

The young man that enters the service today, who has no influential friends to boost him in the business life is far better off than if he remained in the civil world. The common sailor today fares as well as the ordinary clerk in a store. His salary is as large, and his liberties more than the clerk's. He is on duty but eight hours a day. He may have shore leave ever so often, but the clerk usually gets but a week or two vacation in the year. The sailor may read, play cards, billiards or enjoy other games while aboard or, if near shore, may have shore have occasionally. The man entering the service in the humblest position can now work his way to a commission, which is a new ruling of the secretary of the navy and was put into effect but recently.

The young men who are now enlisting in the navy are not the same kind of men that enlisted ten years ago. Then, many of the men who enlisted, were a daredevil class of fellows. Today the government is selecting an entirely different class of men. They must be of fair education and intelligent, sober, of good character and reputation. The discipline, while strict, is not hard. They are well fed and have many liberties that formerly were not granted the men in this branch of the service.

These men really get better pay in the long run than the men in civil life of like intelligence. They have good instruction in discipline and physical training. On the larger ships the men's morals are looked after by a chaplain. They get to see much of the world, and at the end of their service they can go home on a vacation of three months, and if they then re-enlist may go back into the service receiving full pay for the three months which they didn't serve.

Many of the recruits taken into the service during the past year have already worked their ways to petty officers. This means an opportunity to later become a warrant officer, which, when they retire from the service, entitles them to a pension if they have served a certain number of years. The chief warrant officer received about $2,250 per year, and that is a good deal more than many men are receiving in civil life after twenty years' service with one company.

In the course of the conversation with The Telegram man, the lieutenant spoke of some of the Japanese vessels he had seen on the waters. They were of the finest class, powerful and some capable of making a speed of 23.79 knots per hour. The ships were well manned and compared favorably with the American ships.

ARE GOING TO ST. LOUIS

Railway Officials and Newspaper Men Will Visit World's Fair City

Next Thursday morning there will be a large delegation, composed of officials of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, and representatives of the leading newspapers of the state, to leave Texas for St. Louis, as the guests of the above railroad. They go to acquaint themselves with matters having reference to the World's Fair situation, particularly the railroad transportation feature.

The train leaves here at 8:30 a. m., and will arrive at St. Louis Friday morning at 7:27. Two days will be spent sight seeing in St. Louis, and the return trip will begin at 8:32 Saturday night, the train arriving in Fort Worth at 7:15 Sunday night.

In the party will be the following city passenger and ticket agents, headed by General Passenger Agent W. G. Crush and Traveling Agent A. M. Hall of Dallas: R. W. Write of Greenville, T. T. McDonald of Fort Worth, E. A. Kellogg of Denison, R. S. Courtney of Dallas, S. B. Noble of Galveston, G. J. Bass of Houston, B. R. Morton of San Antonio, W. A. Morrow of Waco, W. L. Greenhill of Gainesville and W. M. Stone of Taylor.

There will be in the party newspaper representatives from Fort Worth, Dallas, Waco, Austin, Houston, San Antonio and Dallas.

BEAUTIFUL ACTRESS IN JAPANESE PLAY



MISS OLIVE MAY.

Olive May, who is playing the part of a breezy California girl in Klaw & Erlanger's production of the comedy drama of modern Japan, entitled "A Japanese Nightingale," is one of the best known and most charming actresses on the American stage. She has no superior in ingenue roles and her chief successes have been won in "Butterflies," "Secret Service" and "Arizona." Miss May is plumo and blonde and ranks high among the stage beauties of the day.

CUMMINGS WILL SPEAK

Fort Worth Man Will Speak at Terrell Memorial Exercises

The Daughters of the Confederacy at Terrell will hold memorial service on January 19—General Lee's birthday—and it is understood that there will be quite a number of daughters and others over the state who will be present.

Judge C. C. Cummings has been invited by the daughters at Terrell, and will address the meeting, his topic for discussion being the life work of Generals Gordon and Longstreet, both of whom have only recently passed away. Judge Cummings, during the civil war, was under Longstreet in the army of the northern Virginia, and also fought with General Gordon.

W. P. Lane, commander of the Texas division of the Sons of Veterans, has also been invited by Mrs. West, president of the chapter at Terrell, to be present and deliver an address, but on account of sickness, he will not be able to attend.

British shipping has increased seven times faster than the population ever since the repeal of the British navigation laws in 1819.

Swallows fly low before a rain because the insects they pursue are then nearer the ground to avoid the moisture in the upper air.

An agitation has been commenced in New York for a more uniform system of tea inspection.

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Famous the World Over—Fully Matured.
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Original and Only Genuine. SAFE. Always reliable. Ladies, ask Druggist for CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH in RED and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no other. Refuse Dangerous Substitutions and Imitations. Buy of your Druggist, or send 4c. in stamps for Particulars, Testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return Mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Sold by all Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Mention this paper. Madison Square, PHILA., PA.

One More Week of the Great GREEN TAG SALE

Monday starts on the last week of the greatest CUT PRICE SALE OF THE SEASON. Don't fail to visit our store Monday. Great bargains will be on display in each department. New spring arrivals just in. Beautiful line of Ladies' Undermuslins, pretty A. F. C. Ginghams, new spring Waistings, fancy Madras, and Embroideries—all will go at reduced prices during this sale.

New Arrivals At Reduced Prices

Big shipments of Ladies' Underwear will be marked down for Monday and balance of week.

Ladies' Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed, 49c up to $1 50
Corset Covers, nicely trimmed, 12c to 75c
Ladies' Drawers, 25c and 50c
Ladies' Skirts, lace and embroidery trimmed, 49c up to $2 00
80 pieces of new A. F. C. Ginghams, pretty patterns; Monday 9c
New spring Embroideries—a beautiful line—two great lots.
One lot, 2 and 3 inches wide, worth up to 8c; choice Monday only 5c
One lot, 3 and 4 inches wide, worth up to 12 1-2c; choice Monday only 9c
Beautiful line of Fancy Waistings, in embroidered voiles, mercerized chambray and fancy madras, 15c up to 75c

Mr. Knight recently purchased the Herald Shoe Company's stock at Denison, at 65c on the dollar, and a lot of these shoes will be on sale at our store Monday at the greatest sacrifice ever known.

One lot Ladies' Shoes, vici, patent tip, extension sole, regular $3.50 seller, our price $2 25
One lot Ladies' Vici Patent Tip, regular $3.00 seller; our price $1 95
Ladies' Vici Kid, patent tip, turned sole, regular $2.50 sellers, our price $1 75
Ladies' Vici Kid, extension sole, $1.75 seller; our price only $1 15
One lot Ladies' Patent Leather Shoes, sold regular at $2.50; our price $1 50
Men's Shoes, Brotherhood Work Shoes, worth $2.50; our price $1 89
One lot of Men's Shoes go for 95c

Green Tag Prices

50c Bleached Sheets, size 72x90 ..... 39c
Cambric Pillow Cases; Monday, each 9c
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Misses' heavy ribbed Hose, fast black, all sizes, our 12 1-2c grade; Monday, pair 8c
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SIX DIVORCES MAKE RECORD FOR ONE DAY

Half Dozen Legal Separations Effected in Seventeenth District Court — Forty-eighth Adjourns Till Wednesday

In the Seventeenth judicial district court yesterday divorce proceedings occupied a greater part of Judge Smith's attention, and as a result a number of couples were given legal separation. Among those who were divorced are the following:

M. A. Johnson against John H. Johnson; W. B. Wells against Florence Wells, the custody of the children being granted to the plaintiff; Jessie Stewart against Robert Stewart; Mattie Davis against Isaac Davis; Lela May Tinsley against L. R. Tinsley; the custody of the children was given to the plaintiff. Belle Loudermilk against Joseph Loudermilk.

Judge Smith also heard several habeas corpus proceedings yesterday afternoon.

Bert Hughes, who was arrested several days ago on an indictment charging him with criminal assault, was admitted to bail in the sum of $1000.

Oscar Stephenson, a negro, who was indicted on a charge of robbery with the use of firearms, was given a chance to secure his liberty by furnishing bail in the amount of $3000.

Eunice Ferrell, the woman who shot and killed Dave Gay, about two weeks ago, was released on a $1000 bond yesterday afternoon.

FORTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT COURT

At noon yesterday the Forty-eighth district court adjourned to next Wednesday morning, at which time Judge Patterson of the Decatur district court will be on the bench. Judge Irby Dunklin will exchange benches with Judge Patterson who is disqualified to sit in a case to be tried at Decatur next Monday.

The case of Zane-Cetti against the city of Fort Worth, damages, will be taken up when court opens Wednesday, not having been completed at adjournment yesterday.

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS

Very little was doing yesterday in the county court. Two pleas of guilty were the only matters transacted in this court. They were: James Hunter and Will Price, both accused of theft. Each was fined $1 and given a day in the county jail.

CASES FILED YESTERDAY

The following cases were filed in the district courts yesterday: Gussie Riggs against Silas Riggs, divorce and injunction; Hugh Donohue against the Texas and Pacific Coal company, damages.

COURT HOUSE NOTES

Prosecuting Attorney O. S. Lattimore was out of the city yesterday attending to civil business at Mansfield.

O. H. Buck, a farmer and stockman of Marlin, was in Fort Worth yesterday and spent the day with his brother, Assistant County Attorney Buck.

Justice of the Peace John L. Terrell and Attorney Carter have returned from a two days' hunt in the southern part of Tarrant county.

COURT OF CIVIN APPEALS

Proceedings had in the court of civil appeals for the Second Supreme Judicial district of Texas:

Motions submitted—Gammel Book company against McCarthy et al. for rehearing; McLarry against Edwards, for rehearing; White against Watson for rehearing.

In the case of Faubian against the Western Union Telephone company, the motion for leave to file transcript was granted.

Motions overruled—Cameron Mill and Elevator company against F. M. Anderson, for rehearing; Pecos and Northern Texas Railway company against Lula L. Williams, for rehearing; Pecos and Northern Texas Railway company against Nannie Bowman, for rehearing.

Motions granted—City of Abilene against W. W. Cameron to affirm on certificate; J. W. Garlington against Fort Worth and D. C. Railway company, to strike out part of record.

In the case of Fort Worth and D. C. Railway company against P. S. Roberts, the submission was set aside and the motion by appellee for certiorari to perfect the record was granted, and the case passed to be re-submitted on January 30.

Cases affirmed—Fort Worth and R. G. Railway company against John Glenn, from Hood Co.; C. R. I. & P. Railway company against I. D. Parker et al, from Tarrant county; T. B. Pittman against G. N. Hutchinson, from Tarrant county; Wm. Charbonnear against Wm. Rouvet et al, from Tarrant; A. Freeland against T. R. Erwin & Co., et al, from Parker.

Reversed and remanded—E. Clements against A. J. Carpenter, from Reeves; Burton-Lingo company against M. T. Beyer, from Mitchell; R. B. Masterson against E. L. Ribble, from King; St. L. I. M. & S. Railway company against John Carlisle, from Mitchell; Ferguson-McKinney Dry Goods company against City National Bank, from Mitchell; J. W. Garlington against Fort Worth & D. C. Railway company, from Montague.

Cases set for February 6.—T. & P. Railway company against Autrey, from Taylor; T. & P. Railway company against Powell, from Mitchell; Walker against Daniel, from Hood; T. & P. Railway company and M. K. & T. Railway company against Singleton, from Mitchell; Slaughter against Coke County, from Mitchell; Woodward against Fort Worth & D. C. Railway company, from Hall; T. & P. Railway company against Smith & White, from Mitchell; Morgan et al against Oliver et al, from Donley; Weckesser against Lewis, from Hemphill.

Cases submitted—Sun Life Insurance company against Q. T. Moreland, next friend, from Tarrant; Rudolph against Sneed, from Tarrant county; Tuscon Land and Live Stock company, against Everett, from Nolan; S. A. Blank against Robertson, from Stonewall; M. K. & T. Railway company against Mitchell, from Cooke; Scott against Robinson et al, from Tarrant; Wertheimer Swarts Shoe company against Cox et al, from Eastland; M. K. & T. Railway company against McMillon, from Montague; Doss V. Rowland, Blackburn & Co., from Montague.

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NORSE MYTHOLOGY TALK

Interesting Series Will Be Given at Carnegie Library

Miss Winchester, principal of the Kindergarten training school, will give the following talks in the young people's room of the library, on Friday afternoons at four o'clock, commencing Friday, January 22. A list of all the books in the library on the subject, together with a list of the names of the gods, with their Greek, Latin and English equivalents, has been prepared. The books will be placed on a table in the young people's room. It is hoped that the young people of the city will avail themselves of the opportunity of becoming acquainted with the gods of the Norsemen.

1. The North country, the Norsemen.
   The beginning of the world.
   The first giant. The cow.
   The first god.
   The home of the gods. The tree Yedrasil.
2. Odia.
   How Odin went in search of wisdom.
   How Odin brought the mead to Asgard.
   Odin in the Geirrod's palace.
   Odin and the Dwarfs.
   Odin and the Witch people.
3. Thor.
   The making of Thor's hammer.
   Thor's fishing.
   Thor's wonderful journey.
   Thor and the giant Hunger.
4. Loke.
   The apples of Idun.
   How Loke was punished.
   The death of Balder.
   The twilight of the gods.
   The new earth.

EXPELLING CRIMINALS

Law Cannot Be Enforced in Texas for Lack of Funds

In the different convict farms in this state are many convicts from foreign countries. An effort was made to have an appropriation pass congress for sufficient funds to have this undesirable foreign element, not only in this state, but in all the states where there are foreigners in the penitentiaries, sent from the country when their time expired and three years had elapsed.

There is a law on the statute books to the effect that if foreigners convicted and sentenced for a crime and having served their term, and at the end of three years from the time of their freedom become public charges, they can be expelled from the country. In Texas there are thousands of these people that are really public charges, but as there are no funds for their expulsion they remain here at the expense of the public. The bill that was introduced at this session was voted down.

An attempt will be made to have a similar bill introduced and passed, thus ridding the whole country of this very undesirable acquisition.

DENVER TO GET FRISCO SHOPS

Mammoth Plant to Be Installed Soon—Rock Island to Build From Limon Junction

It was definitely learned in this city yesterday that the Rock Island and the Frisco will build one of the largest machine shops in the West at Denver, and also that the Rock Island will construct its own line from Limon Junction to Denver, a distance of about 100 miles, the extension to also be used by the Frisco, giving both lines direct entrance into Denver. This matter has been under consideration by the officials of these roads some time, but not until yesterday was it learned that all plans and arrangements had been decided.

The shops and extension are to be completed in eighteen months, possibly sooner. At any rate, work on them will be commenced at once and pushed to speedy completion.

At the present time the business of the Frisco in the Denver territory is said to be much larger than most people conceive. The traffic the Frisco gets from the Denver territory is, in the main, freight, but just as soon as the extension is completed from Limon Junction to Denver, it is expected the Frisco will receive a fair proportion of the passenger traffic, as it will be a short line to many southern points.

It is also understood that Frisco engineers have maps of a proposed right of way through the Arkansas valley, but no construction is expected there for the next year at least. In time, however, it is believed the Frisco will go into Denver via the Arkansas valley route, and also over the Limon Junction extension.

It is learned that the Rock Island will rush work on the new shops with all speed practicable, for at present the Rock Island has no shops of any consequence west of the Missouri river. At Moline, Ill., the Rock Island has shops which have been built on a scale commensurate with the way the Rock Island does all things, but the shops are not adequate to the great amount of repairing and construction required to keep the property of the vast system in proper shape, hence the building of the shops at Denver.

At the present time cars are sent from Denver and the Denver territory to Omaha for repairs, or if they are unfit to be transported they are repaired temporarily at the shops of the Union Pacific in Denver. This causes a great deal of inconvenience and is very costly.

It is the intention to install the latest improved machinery in the new Denver shops and to have everything in the very best shape.

Vice President Ben L. Winchell of the Rock Island was expected to arrive in Denver from St. Louis yesterday for the purpose of making final arrangements for the building of the Limon Junction extension, and also to select a site for the new consolidated shops there. It was the intention of Mr. Winchell to go to Denver from Fort Worth when here about a month ago but on being advised there would be a new president of the Rock Island elected he concluded to await this appointment before going further in the matter of extending the line from Limon Junction to Denver. Since the selection of Mr. Goree as the head of the Rock Island the plans of Mr. Winchell regarding the extension have been submitted to him and have received the new president's approval.

The statement has been made that if it is possible the extension will be made in time to catch the bulk of the World's Fair business from the West.

When the new Denver shops are completed it is expected that as much repairing will be done for the Frisco as for the Rock Island. The nearest Frisco shops are located at Monett, Mo., 700 miles from Denver, hence it is impracticable to do the repairing for the Western division of the line there.

HOME BURNS TO GROUND

Destructive Fire at Marine Last Evening

At about 8 o'clock last evening the residence at the corner of Boulevard and Twelfth streets at Marine caught fire in some mysterious manner burning the dwelling and contents to the ground. The house had been occupied by George Gruber and family, but they moved their household effects out on Friday and the goods of a Mr. Bell were moved into the property. Mr. Bell and family expected to take charge of the property on Monday. A deal was on for the sale of this property. The Marine fire brigade turned out to fight the flames, but were unable to check the fire's progress, and the entire building was destroyed. The Bell family were not living in the house.

WILL ORGANIZE TODAY

Young People Will Have New Religious Society

Friday evening, in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church, the members and friends of the Christian Endeavor gave a delightful entertainment. An interesting and instructive program was rendered, the features of which was a vocal solo by Miss Louise Millican, and a recitation by Wright Gaines. The parlors were full to overflowing, about 200 of the members and friends of the Endeavor being present.

At the present time there is no local organization of the Endeavor in this city, but the friends and former members will meet this evening at 7 o'clock in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church to perfect an organization, elect officers and decide upon a place and time of meeting. The object of the Endeavor is to bring into closer touch the young people of Fort Worth and to promote charitable and religious movements.

Besides the regular weekly devotional meetings of the Endeavor, monthly entertainments will be given to their friends, and, in this way, bring about closer social relations among the young people of the city.

Humors

They take possession of the body, and are Lords of Misrule.

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THE WAY OUT

What to Do When Food Don't Agree

When food don't agree sensible folks make a change.

Where all others fail, Grape-Nuts, being predigested and all nourishment, succeeds, usually from the first trial.

A lady of Washington, says: "My baby, 19 months old, had never seen a well day in her life. She had suffered from indigestion from the time of her birth and it seemed impossible to find any food to agree with her. She could keep almost nothing on her stomach and her bowels were in such a constipated condition she suffered a great deal.

"It was then that I tried Grape-Nuts for her, steeping it thoroughly and straining it, putting a small portion in each feeding, and it worked like a charm. She began to improve immediately and gained half a pound the first week.

"Baby got her indigestion from me, for my digestive organs have always been weak. I rely on Grape-Nuts for most of my food, for there are times when I can eat nothing else at all but Grape-Nuts. I am steadily improving and know it will entirely cure me in time. I never have 'that tired feeling' any more. I eat Grape-Nuts and I feel its effects in improved mental strength very forcibly." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

INTERESTING WILL CASE IS BEING HEARD

Adopted Daughter Resists Probating of Will Left by Late Mrs. Wilson of This City, Alleging Undue Influence

An interesting case came up for trial in the probate court Saturday morning, but on request of the plaintiff's attorney, Judge Milam passed the case over two weeks.

When 2 years of age, Mrs. Jennie T. Dolph was adopted into the family of Jennie S. Gustin Wilson, whose name at that time was Mrs. E. T. Spaulding, she having married since that date. The marriage of her adopted daughter did not please Mrs. Wilson, and the girl, it is said, was disinherited for the reason that she married against the wishes of Mrs. Wilson.

Just prior to her death, Mrs. Wilson left a will, bequeathing her property, which consists of a homestead and personal property valued at about $3,000, the home is located on Hemphill street in Fort Worth. In the will she directed that after all debts had been satisfied that one-half of the property go to her husband, and that the other half, after giving Mrs. Dolph $25, be given to Ethel W. Prescott, who is not a relative of the deceased. The will further directs that all the personal property of the deceased should go to the husband and Ethel Prescott, to be divided among them as they may agree.

Mrs. Dolph is now a resident of St. Louis, and has been in Fort Worth about two months, looking after her interests in the estate left by Mrs. Wilson, who died in this city about April 14, 1903.

The probate of the will is now being resisted by Mrs. Dolph through her attorney, J. C. Smith, on the grounds that the deceased was of unsound mind and that the issuance of the will was brought about by undue influence.

DEMOCRATS TO PICK DALLAS FOR MEETING

Learned in Austin That State Convention Will Probably Be Called for February 14. Judge Wear Announces

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Judge W. C. Wear of Hillsboro was here today, and said to The Telegram correspondent that he had fully decided to announce himself as a candidate for attorney general.

The following charters were approved and filed with the secretary of state today:

The Thompson Drilling Company of Beaumont, with a capital stock of $10,000.

The Batson Prairie Oil and Pipe Line Company of Beaumont; capital stock $40,000.

The Nuss-Scharff Company (Inc.) of Groesbeck; capital stock $50,000. Purpose the sale of merchandise.

The Batson Syndicate of Houston; capital stock $50,000.

The Mayer-Schmidt Corporation of Tyler; capital stock $125,000. Purpose the sale of merchandise, wholesale and retail.

The Texas Banking and Mortgage Company increased its capital stock to $100,000.

A great revival in the First Baptist church, conducted by Dr. Truett of Dallas, closed last night. There were fifty accessions.

The action of the penitentiary board in refusing to cancel the contract for working convicts in the Alba coal mines, has aroused all the labor organizations in Austin, who will continue their protests and renew their demands for the abrogation of the lease.

It was learned here tonight, from what appears to be a reliable source, that a number of the members of the democratic executive committee will come to Austin during the night. Chairman Wells will come over from San Antonio tomorrow, and a consultation will be held Monday as to where the committee would meet to consider where to call the next convention. It was also learned that Dallas would probably be selected, and February 14 fixed as the date.

FELL THREE STORIES

Student at Bible Institute Plunged to His Death

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—George C. Price, 22 years old, a student at the Moody Bible Institute place, while washing windows on the third floor of that building today lost his footing and fell thirty feet to the ground, dying instantly.

Unionism in the United States has grown in nine years from 900,000 to 2,000,000.

A. R. MIGNON HOME FROM A MEXICAN TRIP

Fort Worth Man Talks of Conditions in the Republic. Growth of Chinese Labor Movement

A. R. Mignon and wife have returned from a trip to Mexico, where they have been the past two months and a half, touring that land on business and pleasure.

Mr. Mignon has large mining interests there, in connection with other Texans. B. W. Charles of this city is also connected with him, and is at the mines located in the state of Jalisco. The mines produce in paying quantities gold, silver and copper, but the mines these gentlemen are interested in produce more silver than gold and copper.

In speaking of the country to the south of us, that has drawn so many Americans into the new land, Mr. Mignon had much to say. He considers the opportunities there very great, even now, for American capital, especially in lines of manufacture. The French, German and English have control of the mercantile business, while the Americans are in charge of the mines, manufactories and railroads. Experienced men in all lines are in demand.

Mr. Mignon traveled extensively with his wife, visiting nearly every point of interest in the country. He visited the various mining camps, the old cathedrals and missions, the ruins and the plantations.

EMPLOYING CHINESE

In Mexico, said he, the Chinese are being imported for work on the plantations. Along the eastern coast of the country million of dollars of Chinese money has been invested during the past four or five months by a Chinese capitalist by the name of Eng Hok Fong, who is interested in the China Commercial Steamship Company. These people have already brought from China between 8,000 and 10,000 immigrants to work on these plantations, as well as in the mines that this syndicate controls. Fong is president of the steamship company, which has permission to bring all the Chinese it can into the republic. This man Fong and his associates claim the large investments they made were not for the purpose of the transportation of these people, but because of the fact that here they saw untold opportunities for great wealth to be made by judicious investment and the supervision of the investments made. These people are carefully watching their every interest, and in a short time John Chinaman will supplant Senor Don, even in the labor of Mexico.

JAPANESE ALSO

Many Japanese are also found there. These people came from the Hawiian islands, but found the conditions there not as good as those in Mexico. The Japs have an association which takes care of them in Mexico and helps its members to secure work. This class of labor is much more intelligent than the Chinese, and these people are working into the better positions.

The Mexican don is ordinarily not a very energetic fellow. He takes after his ancestors of Spain. Contentment is his lot when he has an occasional meal and plenty of cigarettes. With an ideal, healthful climate and luxurious vegetation he does not worry about the morrow. The Americans controlling mines and plantations, the Chinese and Japanese furnishing most of the labor for the plantations and mines, the German, French and English keeping the stores and people of other nations engaging in the various crafts and trades, the Mexican will soon find himself an outcast in his own land.

Mexico holds to the outside world inducements for capital, brain and labor, and the people of many nations are there. Others are going, but the American citizen so far has the best of the bargain, he having the valuable mines and the largest plantations.

MOTHER JONES IS CRITICALLY ILL



MOTHER JONES.

Mother Jones, the miners' friend, is very low with pneumonia at Trinidad, Col.

DEATHS

Mrs. P. I. Williams.

At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 215 East Daggett avenue, occurred the death of Mrs. P. I. Williams. Mrs. Williams with her husband moved to Fort Worth twenty-seven years ago and was one of the oldest residents of the south side. She leaves a husband and one son both of whom are connected with the Fort Worth and Denver railroad. The funeral services will be conducted from the family residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

EVER INCREASING!

Our transfer and storage business has grown in the last year from one of the smallest in this city until now it is one of the largest in the state, and from time to time we have been obliged to increase our floor space to accommodate our storage department. We now take pleasure in announcing that we have just rented the new Brooker building, facing on Front and Fifteenth streets, which adds 15,000 square feet of floor space to our storage department.

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It is all ready for use.

General Sporting News

RACING

SAUNDERS NOT WORRIED

Lou Dillon's Trainer Says She'll Beat Maud S at Own Game

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 16.—Millard Saunders, who handles Lou Dillon in her preliminary work for record trials against time and who gave the trotting queen her two-minute record at Readeville, which was followed by the mile in 1:58½ at Memphis, lowering the much talked about 1:59¾ performance of Cresceus at Wichita, is not losing any sleep over the action of the trotting governors in declaring against Lou's high-wheel sulky mark of 2:05, which was generally accepted as supplanting Maud S's time-honored mile of 2:08¾.

"It will be at least May before we drive Lou Dillon to a mile in as good as 2:20," said Saunders. "I believe that the world is fully convinced that the trotting fathers made a mistake in declaring that Lou did not lower Maud S's mile. I am also under the impression that a majority of present-day trotting horsemen believe that Lou is faster in every hitch than was Maud S. For these reasons I do not take the decision of the trotting board seriously.

"At the proper time we are going to show the old men of the trotting board that they made a mistake in wiping out Lou's high-wheel sulky mile. That is, if heirs to the Bonner estate will allow us. It is Mr. Billings' intention to ask the Bonners for the loan of Maud S's sulky. I don't suppose they will refuse, as I have been under the impression for years that they offer a standing reward of $5,000 for the driver of any trotter that lowers Maud S's mark under similar conditions and in similar sulky. If the loan of her sulky is made the trial will be made over the Glenwood track, where Maud S trotted to her record.

"This is a bad time of year to talk bets, but I believe that the Bonners will understand that I am not aiming an unsportsmanlike defi at them when I say I am willing to post $5,000 any day that Lou Dillon will pull Maud S's sulky over the same track in better than 2:05.

"I have the greatest respect for the memory of Maud S. She was the grandest trotter of her time. Before we decided to attack her record Mr. Billings weighed every angle of the dispute we knew would follow were the record broken. We have been criticized for our action in lowering the record, but we were not prepared for the decision made which took Lou's record. About midsummer, however, Lou will go against the high-wheel mark again, and my money is ready for any one for a mile in better than 2:05."

The queen of trotters is permitted to roam at will in perfect rest at the local track. She has passed the winter in splendid health.

NEW ORLEANS' NEW TRACK

Currently Reported That Crescent City Club Will Have Rival

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—There is more than a probability that the Crescent City Jockey Club will have decided opposition in the winter season of 1904-5. A new organization promises to enter the field, and at this time reports would tend to show that there is a seriousness about the proposed new track.

A person who is intimately conversant with conditions has said that a new club is in process of formation, and that already an option has been obtained on a tract of land which it is proposed shall be converted into a modern race course before next autumn. This property is in the neighborhood of Athletic park, on Tulane avenue, and is even more easy of access than the present course of the Crescent City Jockey Club, situated as it is in the French quarter of the city and below Esplanade avenue. He says the proposed club has a plot of ground of ample dimensions, and that it has already been surveyed and partially laid out as a race course of modern design.

The new racing plant is being organized by southern capitalists who are already a power in Louisiana. About $500,000, it is estimated, is interested directly in the new plant, and the plans call for a course that will be modern in its appointments. Much secrecy necessarily has been observed in the early negotiations of the new club, and it is chartered under the name of the "Summer Amusement Company." Being adjacent to Athletic park, a summer garden, this title has not alarmed the Crescent City Jockey Club, and a gentleman who was offered stock in the new club told of the intents and prospects of the new racing plant.

For several years there have been attempts to establish a rival race course in New Orleans, but thus far every effort has been of no avail.

BASEBALL

GOSSIP OF THE PLAYERS

Rube Waddell has gone abroad for the winter. He is mixing drinks in a Camden saloon.

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Boston has the distinction of having won thirteen major league pennants. If booby prizes count for anything Washington should feel stuck up, too.

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Chris Von der Ahe says he will take the Cardinals in part payment of the $100,000 claim he holds against the National league. Where he will collect the remaining $99,999.70 he neglects to say.

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Fleming, the Colorado Springs outfielder, who has been secured by the Philadelphia Nationals for next season, batted .338 last season. He is the only man among the team's new recruits whose record seems to be a good one.

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The Louisville club is incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000 and George Tebeau owns 494 of the 500 shares of stock. Stockholders' meetings of that club must be intensely interesting.

PUGILISM

"TAKES A FIGHTER"

Bob Fitzsimmons Says Sharkey Will Wallop Munroe

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Bob Fitzsimmons has a very exalted opinion of Tom Sharkey's fighting ability.

"Sharkey is one of the most dangerous fellows I ever fought," said Fitzsimmons yesterday. "I met him twice, and I found out that I had to watch him like a cat. There is never any way of knowing what he may do next when he is in a corner, because he does not know himself, and he's got a wallop that will knock a man's head off if it lands right.

"The only way to fight Sharkey is to watch him closely. Never let him get at you at all and knock his head off when he is coming at you.

"It takes a man who can punch a hole in him to beat him, and that is the only way it can be done.

"Munroe? Just you wait. Sharkey will wallop Munroe alongside the jaw the way he did Ruhlin, and there will be a sick miner."

"Munroe has improved since you saw him in Montana," was suggested.

Fitzsimmons sniffed and looked far away. "Well, he'll need a lot of improving to beat Sharkey. The sailor is as hard a game as I want to find, and no amateur is going to have the wallop I needed to put him away with.

"There's only one thing I hope and that is that Munroe will have a fair chance, and there won't be any Wyatt Earps around. If Munroe licks Tom, I guess I'll have to take a chance at the miner. I'd rather fight him than take a chance with Sharkey, anyhow.

"Last time Tom and I fought he landed on me just the way he did on Gus Ruhlin, and it nearly cracked my head. He's a dangerous fellow, for he doesn't fight like a boxer. He swings so fast that he is apt to land one any time when you aren't looking for it, and then the next thing you know you are listening to the count. "It takes a fighter to lick Sharkey."

TO FIGHT MARCH 11

Corbett-Britt Match Will Take Place in Woodward's Pavilion

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.—"Young Corbett' and Jimmy Britt have signed with the Hayes Valley Club to fight on March 11 in Woodward's pavilion.

Manager Levy offered 65 per cent of the gross, with a guarantee that the winner's end of the purse would be $10,000.

The fight will be twenty rounds. The club promises to enlarge the pavilion, so that it will hold 7,500 persons.

These terms are 5 per cent better than those offered by Manager Coffroth of the Yosemite Club, who holds a lease of the Mechanic's pavilion.

MISCELLANY

POOLROOMS A NUISANCE

Illinois Appellate Court Sustains Circuit Court's Decision

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 16.—Poolrooms are a public nuisance, according to a decision handed down by the appellate court, which sustains the action of the circuit court of Madison county, where an injunction was issued against a poolroom established at Venice, Ill.

The decision is a victory for Attorney General Hamlin, who inaugurated a fight in 1901 upon the St. Louis race track followers, who were endeavoring to establish themselves in the Illinois town across the river.

Aided by the belief that the injunction would not be sustained by the appellate court, by the advice of competent attorneys, another poolroom has recently been opened at Venice. Its promoters now find themselves in the position of being in contempt of the orders issued by Judge Shaffer of Madison county.

NEW TURKISH WRESTLER

Madralli Is His Name and Great Things Are Said of Him

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Out of the sultan's domain, always famous for its grapplers, has come a wrestler who, in the opinion of many experts, bids fair to become the greatest mat artist the world has ever seen. Ahmed Madralli is his name.

Unlike most of the Turkish wrestlers who have visited this country, he is not a giant. Though of large proportions and remarkably strong, Madralli is not a freak either in size or strength.

The Turk's first appearance outside his native country was in England a few nights ago. His fame had preceded him, and upon his arrival he was matched to Tom Cannon, Britain's representative wrestler. The match was at mixed style, best two in three falls prevailing. Cannon was allowed to name the style in which each bout should be contested. Madralli won the first two falls, the first in 11 minutes 19 seconds and the second in 1 minute 38 seconds.

When the match was over Cannon said: "In all my twenty-five years' experience in Europe, America and Australia I have never met the equal of Madralli. He bids fair to prove the premier grappler of the world."

SPORTING NOTES

Denver is to send a crack bowling team to the Cleveland tournament next month. There will be a larger representation than ever at the American bowling congress.

Jockey Fuller is to ride Highball in the American Derby. W. M. Scheftel, owner of Highball, has made a bid for the boy's services this year, and may induce Archie Zimmer to surrender his contract for the jockey's services.

Pat Daly of Brooklyn, the former lightweight champion of England, and Jack Clancy of San Francisco have been matched and will probably meet soon before the National Sporting Club in London.

A sensation was sprung in boxing circles in Baltimore the other night. Five men were knocked out in as many bouts. Looks like the game was on the square—hence the sensation.

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NORTH SIDE AND ROSEN HEIGHTS

W. B. Morgan Receives Appointment to the New Postoffice

Nash Furniture Company.

Friday night at the vacant store building on Main street, until recently occupied by J. W. Moore, the druggist, the ladies of the Aid Society of the Methodist church entertained the members and their friends with an oyster supper. A large crowd was present and everybody enjoyed a good time, the ladies realizing something over $30, which will be placed to the church fund.

IMPORTANT WOODMAN MEETING

Sovereign Commander Joseph C. Root of the Woodmen of the World will visit Fort Worth next Tuesday, and will be entertained during his stay in the city by Lone Star camp No. 2. Clerk of the North Fort Worth camp, Dr. C. A. Hickman, requests that all members of the local camp meet at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening at Price's restaurant and go in a body to hear Mr. Root, who will make a talk at the Lone Star camp's lodge room in the city. After the social feature of the evening the new officers of the North Fort Worth camp No. 386 will be installed. The officers are: H. Holmburg, council commander; W. A. Arthur, advisor lieutenant; I. E. Sisk, banker; Dr. C. A. Hickman, clerk; A. W. Malloy, escort; J. A. Phillips, sentry; B. D. Doyle, watchman; managers, J. J. Lydon, W. N. Segrest and J. W. Moore.

POSTMASTER APPOINTED

It was officially announced yesterday by Postmaster George W. Burroughs that W. B. Morgan, the present postmaster at Marine, would be given the new office, which is known as Stock Yards station. The friends of Mr. Morgan are congratulating him upon the appointment, as it was generally understood that a new man would be given the place.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS INSTALLATION

Marine lodge No. 330, Knights of Pythias, at their regular meeting last Friday, installed their new officers for the year 1904, a list of which was published in The Telegram at the time of election. This is one of the most progressive lodges on the North Side and each week sees new members added to its ranks.

AT THE CHURCHES

At the First Baptist church today there will be services both morning and evening. Rev. Walter T. Hillsman, the pastor, will have as his subject at the morning service, "John, the Baptist, as a Forerunner to Christ." Dr. Hillsman has been giving discourses on "Doubtful Questions," and at the evening service he will conclude this series of sermons with a discourse on "Theater Going." Sunday school will be held at 9:45 a. m. The B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:30 this evening. The subject for discussion will be the "Temptation of Christ."

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES—Rev. Dr. Stewart J. Murray, a Presbyterian minister of Laredo, who is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. Marquis E. Gilmore, will hold a morning service today in Frazeur's hall. Friends and members of the church are cordially invited to attend.

NOTES AND PERSONALS

Mrs. Walter T. Hillsman, who was seriously injured last month by being thrown from her buggy in a collision with an Interurban car on Main street, is improving. For the past week she has been able to be up and walk around in the house.

Mrs. C. J. Cummings of Dallas was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Moody last week.

W. B. King, general manager of the Fort Worth Stock Yards Company, with his family has removed to the South Side, where he will make his home in the future.

Mrs. Fry, saleslady with the Burch & Prince Dry Goods Company, is on the sick list.

R. P. Seay of Floydada was a visitor on the North Side yesterday.

Miss McCorkle of Dallas, who has been a guest of Miss Camille Mayes, has returned home.

RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE

James J. Hart of the Fort Worth-Galveston R. P. O. has resigned.

Assistant Superintendent Cole is still unable to return to his desk in the federal building.

It is estimated that there are 1,200 tunnels in the world of something like a total of 600 miles.

WORST OF ALL EXPERIENCE

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years," she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by W. J. Fisher.

HIS SHARE OF PRIZE MONEY

[Original.]

Captain Penly lowered his glass.

"She's a derelict," he said. "Get out a boat, Mr. Applegate."

"Aye, aye, sir."

A boat was lowered. The captain took command of her himself and was pulled to the derelict. Meanwhile she had swung round so that as he approached he could see her name.

"The Kangaroo!" he exclaimed, opening his eyes very wide. "Give way hearty, men."

In a few minutes the boat was alongside the Kangaroo, a rope was caught on the gunwale, and Captain Penly climbed aboard, followed by several of his men. They searched the ship from stem to stern, but found no living thing. She was loaded with lumber, which kept her afloat. Her foremast had fallen and had been cut away. It was plain that she had been deserted in or after a storm.

"There's prize money here, my lads," said the captain, "a snug sum for every one of you."

Leaving a few men, he returned to his ship, and in due time the Kangaroo was taken in tow, the Esperance proceeding on her way to Newport, not a hundred miles distant.

The next morning at dawn the captain was called on deck. Land was in sight, and some miles ahead a boat load of men were pulling slowly toward it. As soon as they discovered the Esperance they stopped rowing, and within half an hour Captain Penly hailed them.

"Who are you?" he asked.

An oldish man stood up in the stern and replied: "The crew of the Kangaroo. We encountered foul weather the day before yesterday, which increased to a hurricane, leaving our ship in a sinking condition."

While the man was speaking his eye was on the tow, and his words came slow and reluctant.

"Good morning, Captain Lane," said Penly.

"Who are you, sir?" said the other, getting out a pair of glasses.

"I'm Frank Penly, at your service."

There was a chopfallen look about Captain Lane that contrasted sharply with the confident air of Penly. Penly was one of the youngest captains in the merchant service, being but twenty-six the day he took command of the Esperance. He had lived in his mother's cottage on Narragansett bay, near the town of Bristol, within a stone's throw of the home of Captain Lane's family, and had grown up with Lane's children.

"You are in good luck, captain," continued Penly. "I've got your ship in tow."

"So I see," replied the other, endeavoring to look pleased, but it is very hard for a man to look pleased who has deserted his ship and found that ship following him into port. It puts him in an unpleasant position.

"Well, you'd better pull in, and we'll take you aboard," said Penly.

As soon as the wrecked mariners were aboard the Esperance, Captain Penly took Captain Lane to his cabin. When they were last together Lane had ordered the man who had picked up his ship and himself to leave his house. Now Lane waited for the younger man to speak. Penly began in a tone and with an air of one who remembered nothing unpleasant.

"Captain, we must hit upon some plan," he said, "to enable you to sail your ship into port without the knowledge of your having left her coming to the owners."

"I don't see how it can be done," said the other moodily.

"It can only be done by satisfying our men as to prize money. Fortunately I have something to my credit in bank."

"I have enough to attend to that."

"I'll figure up what my men would be entitled to."

"But your own share?"

"Never mind that."

Within two hours Captain Lane and his crew were aboard the Kangaroo, moving under what sails were left on her into Newport harbor. Every man on her was pledged to secrecy and a handsome present promised. Those on the Kangaroo had made a like pledge without compensation to the young captain, whom they adored, though they were to get their prize money. The Esperance entered the harbor and reported that she had spoken the Kangaroo within sight of land coming in disabled. The Esperance went on to Providence. The Kangaroo when she came put in at Fall River.

The night of their arrival Penly went to Bristol to greet his mother, and Lane went there to see his family. In the evening a message came to Penly inviting him to the Lane residence. Captain Lane received him in a room in which no one else was present. He gave his reasons for abandoning his vessel, which were not bad, but in view of the vessel having been found all right they would not be acceptable. "And now," continued Lane, "I have only to thank you for your kindness in helping me out of an unpleasant position and to tender you a check for your share of the prize money."

"No prize money will be accepted, captain," replied the young man. "You know very well what prize I covet."

Meanwhile Captain Lane had taken out his check book and drawn a check.

"Here," he said, "is a lump sum of $10,000." Then, raising his voice, he called, "Hope!"

A girl of twenty came into the room and stood looking at the two shyly.

"Hope," said her father, "I recall my opposition to Frank Penly, and here is a check for your dowry."

The lovers sprang into each other's arms. MARTHA J. CROSBY.



Does Not Gripe Nor Nauseate

Syd. R. Carter, chief of Evansville's renowned fire department, is a thorough fire-fighter. Mr. Carter rose from the ranks to his present responsible position. His appointment was made as a fitting recognition of his merits. Mr. Carter is one of the most popular officials in the country, and justly so. He is of athletic build, stands something over six feet, and is the picture of robust health. Firemen are often sufferers from constipation and other stomach disorders, superinduced by the irregularity of the strenuous lives they live.

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Gentlemen—I am pleased to attest to the curative powers of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. For several years I had been suffering from constipation, caused, no doubt, by the unavoidable irregularities of a fireman's life. I had taken many different medicines for this trouble, most of which did me very little good, until at last a friend of mine persuaded me to try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I have been using this remedy now for several months, and find it to be exactly what I need. An occasional small dose taken after meals or at bedtime, keep my digestive organs in perfect condition.

One of the best things about your medicine is its gentle action; it never causes griping pains or nausea as do other laxatives. My children also take you medicine regularly; they enjoy its pleasant taste, and I find that it keeps their bowels in healthy condition. I shall always keep Syrup Pepsin in my home and will recommend it to my friends who are in need of such a remedy. Yours very respectfully,

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WHO WILL OFFER A HOME

Captain Cumbie Wishes Home for Widow and Baby

Captain Cumbie stated to The Telegram yesterday that he knew of a case of a very deserving widow who has a 2-year-old girl and who is anxious to find a good home where she can work, and at the same time care for her child. At present she is working and is boarding her little daughter. Captain Cumbie would like to communicate with any one who would be interested in finding this woman a good home.

S. Borochoff, the merchant tailor, 313 Main st., phone 1927. Sensational prices for the next ninety days: Fancy and unfinished worsteds suitable for winter and summer wear, which means that a guaranteed fit can be bought for less than store prices. I cordially invite your inspection. S. Borochoff.

LATE AFTERNOON BLAZE

Companies 2 and 3 and the hook and ladder made a run to the residence of W. H. Grove, 1102 Weatherford street late Saturday afternoon. The fire was caused by sparks from the chimney dropping on some old wood in an unused fire place. The damage amounted to several dollars.

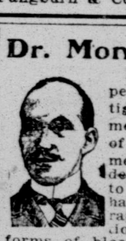
CHINAMAN STILL HERE

The Chinaman, Leung Nin, who was arrested a week ago last evening by the Chinese inspector, W. H. Robb, at the Texas and Pacific station, is still being held here awaiting developments. He is an inmate of the county jail. The papers which the man had with him have been forwarded to the inspector at Port Townsend, Oregon, for explanation.

THEATER PARTY

The Misses Opal Kinney, Mattie Harding, Pauline Kinney, Maud Hogg, Bessie Shaw, Birdie Goss, Houtye Holly, Eunice Susanne, Ada Harding and Lula Garrison of Decatur were in the city last evening to attend the Eternal City at the Greenwall.

Dr. Mon Fung Cures

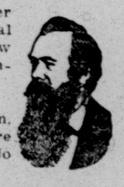


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MANAGERS MAY BEGIN SUITS AGAINST CITY

Continued Closing of Chicago Theaters Works Hardship for Which Damages Will Be Asked—Employes Suffering

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Theater managers of Chicago threaten suit for damages against the city for keeping the play houses closed. It is declared out of the law and they will start suit. Fred Hamlin of the Grand opera house and the proprietors of the Garrick may take action to force the city to permit the reopening of their theaters.

An association of theater managers to fight for what they consider their rights is being considered. That suits to compel the city to permit re-opening have not been filed is declared by one theater manager to be due to the fact that each house fears to bring down upon itself public resentment.

F. Hamlin said: "If the city keeps my house closed and refuses to tell we what I shall do to have it reopened, I certainly shall have cause for suit."

SUPERS ARE HUNGRY

"Can't you let me have a quarter? I haven't had a bite to eat for twenty-four hours."

Pleas like this from lips of people white with hunger are becoming perplexingly frequent for theater managers who are daily besieged by "Supers" and other stage hands thrown out of employment by the closing of the play house.

"Many of these supers, the men who made their 50 cents a night by appearing in the performances, are actually suffering by the closing of the theaters," said Manager Gerson of the Garrick, tonight. "They have no money saved up, as they live from hand to mouth and some of them are suffering the pangs of severe hunger. Their appeals are pitiful. However, they are not the only sufferers. Hundreds of actors and actresses stranded in Chicago are in dire straits. If the theaters are kept closed much longer daily food will become scarce to at least 10,000 Chicagoans, this figure including the actual theater employes and those of their dependent families."

MRS. WICKES DIVORCED

Wife of Pullman Car Company's Vice President Gets Decree

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. Thomas H. Wickes, the third, got a divorce today from the wealthy vice president of the Pullman Palace Car Company upon the grounds of extreme and repeated cruelty. She related to Judge Kavanagh the story of her husband's alleged abuse during the two and one-half years she was his wife. She said that on two occasions he struck her in the face with his fist.

It is said that instead of alimony she will received a liberal amount in cash and securities.

Thomas G. Foster, a coachman, and Mrs. Laura Gozon, a friend of the complainant, were the corroborating witnesses. They told of seeing Mr. Wickes mistreat his wife on July 15, 1903, when she returned home from playing cards. The incident occurred at the front door of the Wickes' residence. Mr. Wickes has now been divorced by three wives.

GRANT NAMES STAFF

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Brigadier General Frederick D. Grant, the new commander of the department of the Lakes, has announced the following as his official staff: Adjt. Gen. Maj. Hunter Liggett, Judge Advocate, Captain Blainton Winship; Chief quartermaster, Col. Wiley, chief commissary Col. Frank E. Nye; chief surgeon, Col. Albert S. Towe; Brig. Gen., Frank D. Baldwin, commander of the department of Colorado, called on General Grant today to pay his compliments.

UNION MEN ACQUITTED

Miners Arrested on Charge of Dynamiting Freed

GEORGETOWN, Col., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The jury in the Sun and Moon mine dynamiting cases returned a verdict at 2 o'clock this afternoon, finding the thirteen defendants not guilty, and all were discharged. They will not be rearrested. All of the defendants are members of the Idaho Springs Miners' Union, the majority of them being officers of that organization. The transfer house of the Sun and Moon mine was blown up last August, while a strike was on at that property.

TO FREE COLONEL LYNCH

DUBLIN, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Strenuous efforts are being made to obtain the release of Colonel Lynch, who fought for the Boers against British and whom the electors of Galway chose to represent them in the house of commons. It is hoped that a hearing may be obtained for Colonel Lynch before King Edward pays his second visit to Ireland. Some of the nationalists says that if he is not released before parliament meets, the question of his imprisonment will cause an exciting scene in the house.

REPUBLICAN EDITORS OF MISSOURI

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The Republican Editorial Association of Missouri adopted a resolution today, indorsing the administration of President Roosevelt. Another resolution congratulated the president on his attitude in the Panama affair. Senator Hanna's freinds fought the resolutions in the committee but acquiesed on the floor, where the vote was practically unanimous.

Captain King of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat was re-elected president.

ARRESTING TERRITORY FIGHTERS

GUTHRIE, O. T., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—As the result of a pitched battle between rival factions at Snyder, O. T., twenty-three warrants have been issued for the participants and the arrests are rapidly being made. It is said many other warrants will be issued. The fight was caused by a crowd of Snyder citizens firing into a crowd of Mountain Park residents. The fire was returned. That no one was killed outright was due to the fact that the guns were loaded with bird shot.

Y. M. C. A. FEAST TUESDAY NIGHT

Membership Contest Between Reds and Blues Ends With a Banquet

Preparations are being made for the big banquet at the Young Men's Christian Association Tuesday night. This is the closing event of the membership contest, which closed on the 12th. Both sides are confident they have won. The contest was a close one, it is understood. Every member who brought in a full member earned a seat at the banquet. His banquet may be crackers and water, or it may be turkey, according as he is on the winning or losing side.

Those who have earned places at the feast on the side of the Reds are Captains Jacob Tuder and R. F. Milam, and the following: George Steere, M. J. Dowlin, W. O. Davis, F. E. Green, A. Gandre, M. W. McDaniel, Charles Concannon, Charles Cauthron, R. P. Bennett, Lit Harwell, O. H. Broydon, Robert Grammer, Charles Clarkson, S. Prescott and A. B. Moore.

The Blues will be represented at the banquet table by Captains Jack and Lattimore, and J. Alfred Smith, George Hill, M. J. Parr, W. B. Paddock, Ernest Howard, F. E. Palmer, Henry King, W. M. Freeze, J. O. Whyte, R. C. Galbraith, S. T. Chapman, B. G. Leak, W. A. Newell, H. Stevison, W. J. Baker, W. V. Bowman, C. E. Ward and S. M. Jay.

The association has given these men a chance to hedge. The proposition is made that any member may make himself safe for a plate at the turkey table. Any member on either team or neither team may have a guaranteed seat at the turkey table and escape the crackers and water by securing a full member by Tuesday noon. Those who have already secured one and made sure their place are: Jacob Tudor, George Simpson, Earl Tipton, George W. Dudley, Charles Cauthron, W. O. Davis, Sanford Webb, Allen Connell and Pratt Grantham.

The contest was a success, adding nearly two hundred men to the rolls. The banquet will be served in the gymnasium. The ladies superintending the arrangement of the feast are Mesdames L. H. DuBose, L. E. Jones, J. G. Reeves and Miss Jessie Diboll. They will be assisted in serving the tables by Misses Wheat, Murdock, Hager, Weltman, Slaughter, Baker and Hunt. The occasion will be made a general reception. All the defeated boys will have their best girls present to see them eat crackers and the more fortunate ones will be seen eating the turkey with the usual extras. The general public is invited to the building and will be admitted to the gymnasium to witness the banquet as far as the room will admit.

W. B. Paddock will be toastmaster on the occasion, and there will be stories and addresses by Hon. O. S. Lattimer, Judge Milam, Jacob Tudor and C. A. Jack.

MARION SANSOM FILES BIG SUIT IN HILL COUNTY

Fort Worth Banker Asks Damages Against I. & G. N. for Cutting Pasture in Two; Cattle Shut Off From Water

HILLSBORO, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Marion Sansom of Fort Worth has asked the courts of Hill county to give him $6,250 damages against the I. & G. N. Railroad company because by cutting a pasture in half that he controlled in this county the 1000 head of beeves that he had on it were damaged to the extent of $6,250. They were cut off from water and feed.

CARMACK ASKS FOR PAPERS IN HARVEY SUIT

Tennessee Senator Asks Publicity — Kansas Delegation Says Superintendent Has Resigned

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Senator Carmack introduced the following resolution today:

"That the secretary of interior be directed to transmit to the senate the originals or copies of all the charges, reports and other documents on file in his department, relating to Superintendent Harvey and other employes of the Pawnee Indian school, together with such other information as will show his action in relation to the superintendent."

No sooner was the senator from Tennessee's intention made public than reliable information was received from Kansas congressional delegation, who have been backing up Harvey that the superintendent had sent in his resignation to take effect immediately.

Secretary of Interior Hitchock, when seen, said he had not yet received anything from Harvey, and refused to discuss the case and the resolution.

The house territories committee will hear the Oklahoma statehood bill on Monday. Sidney Clarks of Oklahoma City, Attorney Doyle of Perry and Delegate McGuire will talk.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

HILLSBORO, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—At noon today John Mackay, aged 15, while hunting near town, accidentally shot himself in the groin with a shot gun, dying instantly.

CORPORAL TANNER MAY GET IT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—It was authoritatively announced tonight that "Corporal" James Tanner will be recorder of wills of the District of Columbia. There was some talk of giving him the commissionership made vacant by General Longstreet's death, but the corporal does not wish it. The nomination may be sent to the senate Monday.

GOING AFTER HIS TRIBE

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Jasper Exedine, a Kickapoo Indian chief, is here from Mexico on his way to Oklahoma to get his tribe and return to Mexico and engage in farming. He has acquired a tract of more than 1,250,000 acres at Boquilles, Coahuaila, Mexico, for the purpose.

DYNAMITING CASES

The defense rested in the Holcombe dynamiting case on the motion for a change of venue. The state introduced the first witnesses this afternoon. The case will be resumed Monday morning.

GAINESVILLE MAN DEAD

GAINESVILLE, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—S. T. Bartlett, for thirty years one of the leading business men of Gainesville, died today at Lakeside hospital in Chicago. The remains will arrive and the funeral will take place here Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Bartlett died from the effects of a sugical operation which he underwent last Wednesday.

LADY MACCABEE OFFICERS

The members of the Lady Maccabees No. 4, at their last meeting, installed the following officers: Commander, Lydia Carey; lieutenant commander, Sarah Gillespie; chaplain, Jennie Gordon; keeper of record, Delia Liston; finance keeper, Annie Allan; sergeant, Elsie Westland; mistress at arms, Hannah Henderson; sentinel, Allie Frazee; picket, Ruth Wings

MEETING FOR MEN

The Y. M. C. A. men's meeting will be held at 4 p. m. today at the First Baptist church and will be addressed by Rev. Granville Jones of and for Texas. Mr. Jones is a forcible speaker and is always heard with pleasure and profit by the young men of Fort Worth. The Bible training class under the direction of Secretary Reeves will meet at 3 p. m. at the Y. M. C. A. building. Both these meetings are open and free to all men.

LOST

LOST—Medical book; title, "Modern Medicine." Return and receive reward to Dr. Stephens, 112 West Sixth street.

CITATION

The State of Texas, to the District Term, A. D. 1904—

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Tarrant County, Greeting:

Court, Tarrant County, Texas, February

You are hereby commanded, That, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Tarrant, eight weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon John Burton and Thomas Burton, W. M. Robinson and Ann Robinson, his wife, and the unknown heirs of J. W. Arnold, deceased, except John L. Arnold, whose residences are unknown, to be and appear before the district court, to be holden in and for the county of Tarrant at the court house thereof, in the city of Fort Worth, on the second Monday in February, A. D. 1904, the same being the 8th day of said month, then and there to answer the petition of Whitmore Morris and Robert G. Johnson as plaintiffs, filed in said court on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1903, against John Burton and Thomas Burton, W. M. Robinson and Ann Robinson, his wife, and the unknown heirs of J. W. Arnold, deceased, except John L. Arnold, and against said John L. Arnold, as defendants,

Said suit being numbered 22,769, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit: That heretofore, to-wit, on the first day of October, 1903, plaintiffs were lawfully seized of and in possession of the following described real estate, situated in the city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, and being a part of the north two-thirds of the east half of the J. N. Ellis 640-acre survey, to-wit: Lots 58 and 59, of block 19, of the Emory College subdivision of W. P. Patillo's addition to the said city of Fort Worth. That on the date last named defendants herein unlawfully and with force and arms entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, to their damages in the sum of five hundred dollars. Premises considered plaintiffs pray that they have judgment for the restitution of said premises, for their said damages, and costs of suit and for general relief.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, JNO. A. MARTIN, clerk of the district court of Tarrant county.

Given under my hand and seal of said court in Fort Worth, this 20th day of October, A. D. 1903.

(Seal.) JNO. A. MARTIN,
Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Tex.
By E. J. BROCK, JR., Deputy.

London billboards are covered with American posters.

Thibet, "the roof of the world," is a tableland three times as large as France.

Only 20 per cent of Italian and 4 per cent of the Greek immigrants are females.

Radium is advancing in price, the current rate being $60,000,000 a pound.

The colonies of the world have one-third of its population.

Florida's orange and pineapple crop is estimated at $2,500,000.

NIGHT WATCHMAN PREVENTS A BIG COMPRESS FIRE

Big Blaze Narrowly Averted at Early Hour This Morning—Four Bales of Cotton Destroyed by Flames

At 1 o'clock this morning a telephone message from the Anderson cotton compress on Ninth street, called companies 1 and 2 and the engine and chemical to that place. Four bales of compressed cotton on the loading platform had in some way caught fire.

The night watchman whose name could not be learned, discovered the flaming cotton and he immediately telephoned to the fire headquarters and then returned to fight the flames. The watchman slipped and fell seriously hurting himself, but continued to fight the burning cotton and had succeeded in extinguishing it when the department arrived. The fire might have been a most serious one, as there was considerable baled cotton on the platform, if it had not been for the heroic action of the night watchman.

COACHMAN CAUGHT AND NOW IN JAIL

Is Accused of One of Most Desperate Attempts at Blackmail Recorded

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—James Tilbery, an English coachman, is now a prisoner at the Desplaines street police station, accused of one of the most desperate attempts at blackmail that has ever come to the knowledge of the police. He is booked on charges of threats to kill and carrying concealed weapons. He is said to have demanded $12,500 from Mrs. Hollis M. Thurston, a daughter of Mr. Nash, a wealthy commission merchant, as the price of his silence concerning family secrets.

The alleged blackmailer was arrested under dramatic circumstances in Mrs. Thurston's apartments, at her late father's house, where he had been. Tilbery told Mrs. Thurston that he had her in his power and unless paid he would expose her to the world.

"I can sell this story to Hearst for $10,000," are the words he is said to have used.

Mrs. Thurston temporized for a time and the man left. In an hour he returned and demanded $12,500 as the price of his silence.

Mrs. Thurston professed to agree to this price, but instead she notified her attorney, who arranged to have detectives present and just as the money was placed in his hands he was arrested.

The prisoner is a rather good looking man, about 35 years old, and is apparently in full possession of his faculties. No denial is made by Mrs. Thurston that the man had actually secured possession of many of her photographs and also a number of letters.

ISABELLA IS STILL GAY

Banished Queen of Spain Startles Even Paris Latin Quarter

PARIS, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Former Queen Isabella of Spain is again in the public eye and this time she has scandalized the famous Latin quarter. She announced a short time ago that she was anxious to revive the former glories of France and to that end she will give a dance next week. Her invitations have been well distributed among the tourists and of the quarter and now she has asked a number of the better known demi-mondaine to grace the occasion with their presence. Only one restriction does she place upon them and that is that their costumes shall be the extreme limit in the decollete line. The dance is expected to surpass anything in its line given in France in recent years.

Queen Isabella, is she is still called in Paris, is one of the best known women in the French capital. Her red wig, her painted face and her extraordinary costumes have been one of the sensations ever since she first took refuge there in 1868. It was chiefly due to a scandal that she lost the throne then and even after her son, father of the present king, was restored to the throne in 1857, he was forced after a few months by reason of her behaivior to banish her from the kingdom. Since then she has lived altogether abroad. A couple of years ago she announced that she intended to abandon all revelry and settle down to live a life of austerity. This did not last long, however, and now she is one of the gayest of the gay in the French capital and this, too, despite her age. She is well beyond the 70 mark.

GEN. GORDON'S WILL

Provides Income for Wife and Divides Estate Among Family

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 16.—(Special)—The will of the late Gen. John B. Gordon, offered for probate in the De Kalb county court, provides that his wife be abundantly provided for from the income of the estate and that the remainder of the income be divided among his four children—Hugh H. Gordon, Frank Gordon, Marsburton Smith and Mrs. Orton Brown, share and share alike, until at the end of twenty-one years, the whole estate may be wound up.

No provision is made in the will of the general's home, Sutherland, which is simply included in the property left to his wife. Neither is any mention made of the General's personal effects such as his sword and other relics of the war. The ownership of these has been settled among the members of the family.

FINDS HIMSELF AN HEIR

Portland, Oregon, Man Was a Millionaire and Didn't Know It

PORTLAND, Oregon, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Robert F. Hall of this city has suddenly found himself heir to an estate of $3,700,000, consisting largely of coal lands in Morgan county, Tenn. The property was amassed by Charles Beldon Hall, a New York broker, who died in 1871, leaving his son and daughter in ignorance of the wealth he left behind.

Recently Miss Sarah Hall of Walling Ford, Conn., discovered an advertisement in a newspaper for the heirs of C. B. Hall. She answered it and set about recovering the property. Before this was accomplished she was taken ill and died. Just before her death she informed her attorney that her brother lived in Portland. The latter today received notice that he was sole heir to the property, which consists of 1,000 acres of coal land, as well as to his late sister's estate of $50,000.

IS REAL MEAN ABOUT IT

Congress Delays Passage of Chicago Club Women's Bill

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Congress was censured today at the annual meeting of the women's auxiliary of the American Park and Outdoor Association, held in the studio of Mrs. Milward Adams, fine arts building. The cause of the displeasure is the delay of congress in acting on the bill introduced by the association for the purpose and preservation as a public park of the Calaveras groves in California, which comprise 2,000 acres, containing the famous big trees, computed to be from 1,000 to 6,000 years old.

Letters will be written to congressmen urging them to work for the passage of the bill.

POTATOES IN JANUARY

HILLSBORO, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Captain R. M. Williams of this city planted Irish potatoes in his garden in September. They bore well and although there have been numerous freezes, some vines are still green and there are large rice potatoes on them. It is regarded as remarkable.

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ATLANTA, Ga., March 21, 1903.

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Olive Joseph.
TREASURER,
Atlanta Friday Night Club.

WINE of CARDUI

COUNTERFEITERS STILL UNCAUGHT

Gang Operating in South Texas at Large Yet—News of Houston

HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Marshal Hanson and Deputies Vann and Wilcox of the federal court, aided by the chief of police and other officers, are engaged in an effort to dislodge the gang of counterfeiters who have flooded Houston, Galveston, San Antonio and Austin with spurious money. A. Arthur has been arrested at Galveston. Arthur Herb, in jail at Austin, implicates one "Adams," whom he says was to receive a letter in Houston. Neither letter nor the man have showed up.

USED SAFETY AXE

An axe provided on a passenger coach to be used only in case of accident was the weapon used in assaulting the Southern Pacific agent at China last night. Williams is still in a precarious condition. A negro has been arrested but is unidentified.

GETS $1,000 DAMAGES

Mrs. M. R. Meek has recovered a verdict for $1,000 against the Houston Street Car Company in a suit for damages alleging personal injuries.

ROAD MAY BE CHANGED

It is reported here that the Gulf and Interstate line from Galveston to Beaumont will be changed into an interurban line and become an important link in a system of electric railroads

INTERNATIONAL IMPROVEMENTS

The International railroad is preparing to spend nearly $500,000 in improvements and betterments, including a new freight depot down town and terminals near Magnolia park. A bond issue on the recently acquired Magnolia park line is the means used to acquire funds for the work.

OLD RESIDENT DEAD

P. H. Gallagher, aged 85 years, died today. He was lieutenant colonel of the Thirteenth Pennsylvania cavalry in the '60s.

LEBAUME AT HOUSTON

E. W. LeBaume, general passenger agent of the Cotton Belt, is here.

POLL TAX PAYMENTS

The Business League has appointed ward committees to expedite poll tax payments. Deputies will call at the principal business houses.

RICE WILL CASE

James A. Baker and William Rice have gone to New York in connection with the Patrick appeal and the Rice will case.

FOURTH MIS-TRIAL

For the fourth time a mis-trial has been entered in the damage suit of Anderson against the "Katy."

INTERNATIONAL QUARANTINE

The Texas and Louisiana health boards leave for Mexico February 2. The purpose of the meeting is to promote the international quarantine and health regulations.

LIKED THE WORK

Two boys claiming to be officers held up Eugene Bracer in the Fifth ward, searched his pockets for valuables and then beat him severely. Last week the boys were called upon by an officer to assist in making an arrest and it proved so much fun they were anxious to repeat the experiment on their own account.

RATIO IS DECREASED

Postal Deficiency Less Rapid Than Anticipated

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Henry A. Castle, auditor for the postoffice department, transmitted today to the postmaster general and the secretary of the treasury the trial balance of financial transactions of the postal service for the quarter ending September 30, 1903. The results of the quarter's business are as follows: Expenditure, $37,248,500.29; gross receipts, $32,501,489.91; deficit, $4,742,010.38.

These show an increase in each item over the corresponding quarter for 1902 as follows: Increase in expenditures, $3,144,178.96; increase in receipts, $2,265,875.54; increase in deficiency, $878,203.42.

The increase in the deficiency for this, the first quarter of the current fiscal year, is 22 per cent. On this basis the deficit for the entire fiscal year would be $5,205,000, which is more than $3,000,000 less than the estimate of the postmaster general made two years ago. The explanation of this probably is that while the expenditures have enormously increased, owing to the extension of rural free delivery, etc., the revenues resulting from the continued business prosperity of the country have increased in a still more gratifying and an entirely unexpected ratio.

STANDFIELD IS UNDER ARREST

Prisoner Who Escaped While Under Indictment, Caught in the Territory

After enjoying liberty two years, Charles H. Stanfield, alias James Smith, is again in the toils of the law, and will be brought to Fort Worth to face the indictment charge of forgery.

The man's incarceration in the Fort Worth jail and his subsequent escape is unusual in criminal annals.

On the 5th day of March, 1902, Stanfield had a check for $10 cashed by Lester Branch. The check bore the name of Cooke & Simmons. Stanfield was almost immediately arrested, and an indictment charging him with forgery was returned by the grand jury, which was then sitting.

The man was placed in jail, and shortly after his incarceration he was discovered to be suffering with what was at first thought to be smallpox. After the case was diagnosed Stanfield was sent out to the detention camp. He remained there a few days, but finally made his escape.

Some months after his escape from the smallpox camp of the county, Stanfield was captured by a constable in Henderson county, and while being taken to jail in that county again escaped, and until his recent location, the officers of this county knew nothing of his whereabouts.

Two or three days ago a telegram was received by the sheriff's office from the city marshal of Okmulgee, I. T., to the effect that Stanfield had been placed under arrest and was being held awaiting orders from the sheriff of this county. Deputy Sheriff Purvis left last night for the Indian Territory, and will bring his prisoner back to Fort Worth either Sunday night or Monday morning, a requisition having been issued by Governor Lanham on the federal judge at Okmulgee.

Stanfield escaped during the time Sterling P. Clark was sheriff.

THE MARKET STAGNANT

Operators Disposed to Wait for Tidings of War

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The stock market today was almost stagnant. Operators still appeared disposed to await news regarding the threatened collision between Russia and Japan. But although the home indications continued to point toward war, there was no weakness as a rule to prices. The impressing into the service of the steamers that have been competing with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company on the Pacific ocean naturally leaves that company with an advantage in the Pacific trade, and based on this, the price of stock advanced over 2 per cent.

In the railroad list prices fluctuated very slightly in the main. Fresh interest broke out in the Chicago and Alton stocks, the preferred advantage over a point, but the common attracting most attention, with an advance in excess of 2 per cent. Weather conditions stimulated a movement of some spirit in United States Rubber, United States Steel and other stocks in the same category were strong.

Favorable interpretation again was given to the recent changes in the United States Realty Company and the preferred stock rose nearly two points. Amalgamated Copper was fractionally higher.

In the railroad list the Erie was inclined to heaviness. The bank statement showed a big increase in the reserves of the clearing house association and a great gain in the surplus. Its publication, however, had little speculative effect. The Gould stocks were somewhat stronger on the rumors of a settlement of the difficulty with the Pennsylvania railroad, and the stock of the latter moved indifferently.

Government bonds were unchanged. Railroad bonds were higher and enjoyed a fair degree of activity.

CITY BRIEFS

The Telegram has put in the new telephone, and subscribers to that company can reach either the business office, No 177, or the editorial room, No 676, over the lines of the independent company

Nash Hardware Company.

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Let us save you money on your next hardware bill. Crouch Hardware Co.

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Massage parlors at Chaplin-Montgomery Co., 703½ Houston st.

Crouch Hardware Company will be glad to figure with you on your tin work.

Miss Kate Webb of Marshfield, La., is stopping at the Delaware.

John Leversedge has returned home from a short trip to Shreveport.

Judge B. R. Webb left yesterday on a short business trip to San Antonio.

Crouch Hardware Company, 1007 Main street.

Curran's Hand Laundry, Sixth and Burnett streets. Phone 1741-4 rings.

H. B. Mock of Greenville is at the Worth.

The Model Meat Market and Bakery. Everything in the way of fresh meats and cakes.

Let us save you money on your next hardware bill. Crouch Hardware Co.

Dr. M. V. Creagan, 402½ Main street, phone 2903. Special attention given to diseases of the skin.

Attend the Lotus Club grand mask ball, Foote's hall, Wednesday night, January 20; 50c per couple; extra ladies, 25c.

The Hack Drivers' union No. 53 will meet at the Labor Temple at 11 o'clock this morning.

Crouch Hardware Company will be glad to figure with you on your tin work.

Mrs. Margaret Lewis of Sherman is visiting her daughter Mrs. John Winter.

Crouch Hardware Company, 1007 Main street.

When down town call at the Model Meat Market and Bakery, 609 Houston street. When at home telephone us, 505.

Thirty-four men were shipped out of here last night to Georgetown for grade work on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas extension.

It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main and 513-15 Houston streets.

Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Thompson have taken apartments at the Worth, Dr. Thompson having sold his residence on the south side.

President Fitch of the Duluth South Shore and Atlantic, with a party passed through the city last night on the Katy Flyer for San Antonio.

The general passenger department of the Rock Island will be moved to the building now occupied by the city ticket office of the company either this or next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Zane-Cetti, the Misses Zane-Cetti, Misses Imogene and Nannie Sanguinett and Mary Louise Hurley went over to Dallas for the Emile Sauret concert last week.

Misses Maggie and Anna Conner, daughters of Chief Justice Conner of the Second Supreme Judicial district of Texas, are visiting relatives and friends at Oklahoma City and Eastland, respectively.

A new card club which admits of husbands as equals at cards has been organized and will meet with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell next Thursday evening. The club will have sixteen couples and will play high five.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Spencer have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Sallie Mae, to Dr. Hartley Lee Entrekin, of Enid, Okla. The ceremony will take place at the Spencer home, 508 Adams street, Wednesday evening, Jan. 27, at half after seven o'clock.

An elephant costs $5,000, and he is likely to live twenty years. A lion will cost $1,000, and is good for twelve years. A Siberian tiger costs $4,000, a polar bear $1,000, black bear $200.

DRIVEN TO DESPERATION

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c, at W. J. Fisher's drug store and Reeves' Pharmacy.



MRS. JOS. H. CHOATE.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Joseph H. Choate was formerly Miss Caroline Sterling of Cleveland, Ohio. Her social graces, combined with the wit and ability of her brilliant husband, have served to make the present embassy one of the most popular ever sent to England. They have recently taken possession of a house in the most aristocratic quarters of London. The rental just about absorbs the ambassador's annual salary of $17,500. He was successful in the practice of the law in New York before he went to London, however, and does not mind the expense. Entertainments give naf the embassy have been on an elaborate scale.

HANNA AND HEATH ISSUE THE CALL

Official Announcement of Republican National Convention Is Made

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The much discussed call for the assembling of the republican hosts at Chicago June 21, was issued late this evening by Senator M. A. Hanna of Ohio, chairman of the national republican committee. It follows in its important details the wording of the call for the last national republican convention and reads as follows: "To the republican electors of the United States: In accordance with established custom and in obedience to instructions of the national convention of 1900, the national republican committee direct that a convention of representatives of the republican party be held at the city of Chicago in the state of Illinois for the purpose of nominating candidates for president and vice president to be voted for at the presidential election Tuesday, November 8, 1904, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it and that said convention shall assemble at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1904."

"The republican electors of the several states and territories, the District of Columbia, Alaska and Indian Territory and all other electors, without regard to past political affiliations, who believe in the principles of the republican party and endorse its policies, are cordially invited to unite under this call in the selection of candidates for president and vice president.

"Said national convention shall consist of a number of delegates at large from each state, equal to double the number of United States senators to which each state is entitled and for each representative at large in congress, two delegates at large. From each congressional district and the District of Columbia two delegates. From Alaska four delegates. For each delegate elected to said convention an alternate delegate shall be elected to act in case of the absence of the delegate. Such alternate delegate to be elected at the time and the manner of electing the delegates. All delegates shall be elected not less than thirty days before the meeting of the national convention. Delegates at large shall be elected by popular state and territorial conventions, of which at least thirty days' notice shall have been published in some newspaper or newspapers of general circulation in the respective states and territories. The congressional district delegate shall be elected by conventions called by the congressional committee of each district in the manner of nominating the candidate for representative in congress in said district, provided, that in any congressional district where there is not republican congressional committee the republican committee shall appoint from among the republican residents of such district a committee for the purpose of calling a district convention to elect delegates to represent said district.

"All notices of contest shall be submitted in writing, accompanied by a printed statement setting forth the grounds of contest, which shall be filed with the secretary of the national committee twenty days prior to the meeting of the national convention. Contests will be acted on by the national convention in the order of the date of filing of notice and statement with the secretary.

"M. A. HANNA, Chairman.
"PERRY S. HEATH, Secretary."

WASHINGTON FORECAST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Forecast for Georgia, fair and colder Sunday, preceded by rain on the coast Monday; rain, fresh northwest winds. For Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, fair Sunday; Monday, rain; winds becoming fresh south. For Eastern and Western Texas and Oklahoma, fair Sunday and Monday; variable winds becoming fresh south. Arkansas, rain Sunday; Monday, fair.

Tennessee and Kentucky, fair in east, rain and warm in west portions Sunday; Monday fair. Illinois, rain or snow and warmer Sunday; Monday fair, variable winds, becoming fresh southwest.

Kansas and Missouri, rain and warmer Sunday; Monday fair.

BELEN BANK IS HELD UP BY TWO MASKED ROBBERS

Cashier Covered With Guns While Highwaymen Secure About $1000 in Cash—New Mexican Officials in Pursuit

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The First National Bank at Belen, N. M., thirty miles below Albuquerque, on the Santa Fe railroad, was robbed at noon yesterday by two masked men, who held up the cashier with guns as he stood at the window and got away with from $800 to $1,000, which was on the counter.

The vault of the bank had been locked preparatory to closing for the noon hour, and it is due to this fact that the robbers did not get away with $3,000 or $4,000 that is carried in the safe.

The First National of Belen is a branch of the First National Bank of Albuquerque, and was established a year ago, when the Santa Fe railroad started to build its cut-off through Eastern New Mexico.

Cashier R. A. Frost is out with a strong posse in pursuit of the robbers, and for this reason the exact amount of booty secured cannot be learned.

President M. W. Flournoy of the First National Bank said that he had received only bare details of the robbery, but that the bank is fully covered by burglar holdup insurance, and that there would be no loss to the institution.

Telegrams to the sheriff's office say the men rode up just at noon, wearing masks. They were mounted on large bay horses and rode direct to the door of the bank, where they dismounted, rushed inside, held up the cashier, secured the money on the counter, which they had dumped into a bag, and rushed out, mounted their horses and rode away before the cashier had time to give an alarm.

A strong posse is out from Belen, and the sheriff's office is now sending out reinforcements.

DIDN'T SEE THE POPE

American Woman Wanted to End Life as Result

ROME, Jan. 16.—(Special)—An American woman whose name has not yet been obtained, unsuccessfully attempted to secure an interview with the Pope today. Chagrined and disappointed she went to the railway station and tried to throw herself before an approaching train. She was rescued by the station master before she succeeded in ending her life.

WILL FIGHT TO THE END

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 16.—(Special)—The declaration of a general strike at the mines of the United States Steel corporation, where wages have been reduced marked the final session of the United Mine Workers' convention today.

It is the intention of the officials of District No. 5 to bitterly oppose all wage cuts made by the steel company. A resolution was introduced and unanimously passed assessing each member $2 to fight the strike to the bitter end.

SHERMAN WANTS BETTER TRAIN SERVICE HERE

Citizens Send Petition to the Frisco Asking One Train Each Way Daily—Would Help Fort Worth's Trade

The citizens of Sherman want better passenger service from the Frisco than it is now giving, and to this end have circulated a petition which was numerously signed in that city, asking the management of that road to give a train service which will enable them to visit Fort Worth and return on the same day. As it is now this cannot be done, but it requires a portion of two days to make the round trip.

The petition contains several hundred signatures. Among them are some of the best business men in Sherman. This petition has been received by the Frisco, but an effort made yesterday to ascertain what the company intended doing failed to get a satisfactory reply. The general passenger agent admitted he had received the petition, but when asked what would be done with the request, said there was nothing to say.

Such a service as is asked for would not only be beneficial to Sherman, but to Fort Worth as well, and possible the benefits to this city would be greater than they would to Sherman. Such increased service would materially add to Fort Worth's business importance, and business firms seen yesterday expressed the hope that the Frisco will see their way clear to grant the request of their petitioners.

The petition forwarded yesterday to the Frisco, is as follows:

"To the Red River, Texas and Southern Railway Company:

"We, the undersigned, citizens of Sherman and vicinity, do hereby petition your road to inaugurate a train service between Sherman and Fort Worth so as to place, in addition to the service already established, a train leaving Sherman in the early morning and returning from Fort Worth the same afternoon or night, or to establish a service on that road so that persons can go to and return from Fort Worth in one day; and in making this request we believe it would be not only to the interest of the people generally, but also to your road, for the following reasons, viz:

"1. The trains, as they now run, make it impossible to go to Fort Worth, or any of the intermediate points, and return the same day.

"2. Many of the business men of Sherman are interested in some business at Dorchester, Gunter, Celina and other towns, and they cannot visit said places without taking two or more days from their business.

"3. We believe that it would also tend to build up and increase the freight business of your road, as many sellers of cattle would likely go to Fort Worth and market their cattle, where now they go to Dallas or ship on other roads.

"4. Many of us have talked with the citizens of Dorchester, Gunter and other towns and know that they are likewise in favor of this train service being inaugurated; and we would, therefore, respectfully request that some service of the kind indicated be given us."

The citizens of Celina and Dorchester have stated that they would give the train good patronage, and a similar petition to the above one is being circulated among them and will be sent in to the officials also.

ROCK ISLAND BONDS

President W. B. Leeds of the Rock Island has sent a circular to the stockholders of the company, setting forth that at the meeting scheduled to be held March 21 they will be asked to approve a bond issue of not exceeding $163,000,000, the bonds to bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent and to mature in 1934. Of the total sum, $15,500,000 are to be issued forthwith, $82,625,000 will be reserved for retiring various Rock Island bonds, $13,500,000 will be reserved to provide funds to the amount of 75 per cent of the purchase price of securities of other companies which may hereafter be acquired by the company, $27,475,000 will be reserved to be issued for the cash cost of future improvements or betterments and $25,000,000 will be held by the trustee to be issued from time to time.

The company will furnish to the trustee certificates stating that it has, subsequent to January 1, 1904, expended an amount of cash equal to the then market value of the new bonds, which will be issued for the acquisition of property which the company may lawfully acquire, or for permanent improvements or betterments, including equipment, subject to the new mortgage.

RAILROAD NOTES AND PERSONALS

The grading outfit of Contractor J. P. Hughes, that has been doing some work at Houston, has been moved to this city, and will unite with his outfit now doing work for the Houston and Texas Central south of the city.

F. W. Alexander, chief lineman of the Western Union Telegraph Company, who formerly lived in Dallas, is visiting in Fort Worth with his family.

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GRANULATED SUGAR, 19 lbs.	$1.00
Yellow Clarified Sugar, 20 lbs.	$1.00
Dark Brown Sugar, 21 lbs.	$1.00
Lump Starch, 5 lbs.	25c
Queen Quality Starth (a home product and equal to Faultless or any other cold water starch), 3 pkgs.	25c
Washing Salts, lb.	5c
Sal Soda, 3 lbs.	10c
Quart Bottle Bluing	5c
Swiss Laundry Soap, 8 bars	25c
Lennox Soap, 7 bars	25c
Large can Tomatoes	10c
Small can Tomatoes, 3 for	25c
Sweet Sugar Corn	10c
Pumpkin, 3-lb. can	10c
Lye Hominy, 3-lb. can	10c
Grated Pineapple, 3-lb. can	10c
Pie Peaches, 3-lb. can	10c
Pie Apples, 3-lb. can	10c
HIGH PATENT FLOUR, sack	$1.10
Meal, sack	55c
Meal, half sack	30c
Special Coffee, lb.	18c
Leader Coffee, lb.	20c
Arbuckle Coffee, 7 pkgs.	95c
Greeley Potatoes, peck	25c
Greeley Potatoes, bushel	95c
Oak Leaf Lard, 5-lb. pail	50c
Oak Leaf Lard, 10-lb. pail	95c
Swift's Premium Lard, 5-lb. pail	60c
Swift's Premium Lard, 10-lb. pail	$1.15
Krug Lard, 5-lb. pail	60c
Krug Lard, 10-lb. pail	$1.15
Large Hams	12½c
Medium Hams	13½c
Small Hams	14c
California Hams	9c
Breakfast Bacon	15c
Scotch Oats, 3 pkgs.	25c
Friend Oats, 3 pkgs.	25c
5-lb. Oats, 2 pkgs.	45c
Cracked Hominy, 10 lbs.	25c
Pearl Grits, 10 lbs.	25c
Flaked Hominy, 6 lbs.	25c
Rye Flour, 6 lbs.	25c
Our Best Macaroni (home manufactured), 3 pkgs.	25c
Cream Cheese, 3 lbs.	50c
Navy Beans, 5 lbs.	25c
Chili Beans, 5 lbs.	25c
Black Eye Peas, 5 lbs.	25c
Lima Beans, 4 lbs.	25c
Chili Pepper, per lb.	20c
Cominus, per lb.	25c
Oreganos, per lb.	25c
Garlic, 15c; 2 lbs.	25c
Brilliant Oil, 5 gallons	80c
Eupion Oil, 5 gallons	95c
Gasoline, 5 gallons	90c
Vigor-O, 3 pkgs	25c
Dr. Price's Food, 2 pkgs.	25c
Aunt Jemima	10c
H.-O. Pancake	10c
H.-O. Buckwheat	10c
Stables Buckwheat	10c
Colorado Greeley Potatoes, per peck.	25c
Per bushel	95c
Oleomargarine, lb.	15c
Best Creamery Butter	30c

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GREAT OPPORTUNITY for a man with $200 to manufacture and sell a recently patented indispensible convenience; $30 to $50 a day sure. State right must be sold by January 18. For particulars call today or Monday. C. Van Riper, Delaware Hotel.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 917 Cherry street, Mrs. Gulden.

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WANTED—Ten carloads bones. City Junk Co., Weatherford and Rusk, phone 2429—1r.

FOR RENT—Store room, good location for restaurant. A. Robinson & Co., 111 N. Houston street.

FOR RENT—Office and desk space in Delaware hotel building, cor. Main and Fourth streets. Apply to Winters-Daniel Co., 416 Main street.

FOR SALE—Ladies' horse and stanhope; rig complete with harness; $175; owner leaving the city. Call quick, 801 Alma street.

CHICAGO CAR BANDITS

Magazine Revolver Is Found—Trial Proceeds Slowly

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The magazine revolver with which Peter Neidermeyer did the deadly work when he, Gustave Marx and Vandine held up and killed Clerk Stuart and Motorman Johnson at the city railway car sheds at Sixtieth and State streets, has been found, and is in possession of Assistant Chief of Police Schuettler. It was found concealed in an old stocking in a trunk in the home of Roeski, while Captain Schuettler was searching for evidence. No further progress was made today in the selection of a jury, and the examination of veniremen will be resumed at 10 o'clock Monday.

Just Before Stock Taking

We have put the knife into a great many items. All goods are reduced 10, 15 and 25 per cent. You know what this means at our store, as our every-day prices are usually 10 to 25 per cent lower than others. Every department will show a big reduction in price.

SPECIALS FOR MONDAY

Tube Cake Pans, were up to 35c each; choice.....10¢
White Enameled Wash Pans worth 40c to 50c; each..25¢
Blue Granite Wash Pans, the usual 25c item; each...15¢
Elegant Finished Tumblers.....18¢
Large Heavy Goblets, 5 for.....25¢
Fine Fire-polished Berry Bowls worth 40c; each...15¢

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Market Quotations

MARKET REVIEW

The run of cattle on the local market last week was only moderate, but the general demand was none too good and the market for the week closes rather uneven. Steers have sold throughout the week at about steady prices, while bulls have sold strong and active at a small advance, butcher cows about steady, although the market close shows a little weakness from the previous week's quotations. Choice fed steers sold on the market Wednesday at $3.90, with the bulk of sales during the week on medium and good medium fed steers at $3@3.40.

Best cows sold around $2.50@2.75, with the average loads of good range cows selling at $2.25@2.40; good butcher cows at $2@2.25; medium butchers at $1.75@2, and the light thin kinds at $1.25@1.50. Calves have sold strong since Monday's opening market, the light choice kinds bringing $4.50@5, with the average grades at $3@4, and the medium heavy kinds at $2.50@3. The bull market has been on a steady advance all the week, best bulls selling at $2.25@2.50, with a range in sales on fed bulls between $2@2.65; feeders at $1.75@2.

The past week has been a record-breaker in the receipts of hogs, more hogs being received last week than for any two weeks in 1903. The total receipts were 8,753, which was 3,531 more hogs than the best week during the past year. The market shows a slight advance in choice butcher hogs, with a loss of 15c to 25c in lights, pigs and common quality mast-fed hogs. Hogs frequently touched the $5 mark during the week, and the general bulk landed around $4.75@4.90.

Good quality, well fed sheep are in demand at strong prices, but the light Texas grass sheep, weighing from sixty to eighty pounds, are not wanted by the local packers and are hard sellers at any price.

[illegible]ORTH FORT WORTH, [illegible] usual light Saturday run of cattle were on hand at the opening this morning, the bulk of the receipts consisting of medium fed and heavy steers. Speculators put additional impetus into morning trading and the light supply was closed out early at steady to strong prices with Friday's close. J. C. Patterson had in from McGregor three loads of heavy steers, two loads of which averaged 1162 pounds and were sold to outside buyers at $3.70. The third load averaged 1014 pounds and went to the same parties at $3.40. Medium fed steers sold around $3.25 with a few sales of light grass steers at $2.75@2.80.

The lightest Saturday run of cows received at the yards for several months was in today; hardly enough of this class of cattle being offered to make a good comparison with Friday's values. One medium grass cow weighing 840 pounds sold at $2.15 with the bulk of sales on the medium butcher kinds at $1.65@1.75. A few bulls were among the supply and sold at steady prices.

The opening of the hog market this morning saw about 500 head yarded for the day's supply which, considering the liberal supply for the week, was fully ample to meet the demand. Trading, while not active generally, ruled steady with Friday. Best medium weight hogs showing a marked preference with the buyers and the light stuff and pigs a little slow at opening values. One load of choice hogs averaging 239 pounds topped the market at $4.95 with the bulk of sales on the medium packed kinds ranging from $4.70@4.75, pigs and lights selling at $4.25@4.50. One bunch of light common mast fed Texas pigs averaging 84 pounds brought only $3.50 but the quality was very poor with little or no demand for this class of hogs by the packers. Choice quality hogs are quoted at $4.90@5.00; mixed packers at $4.80@4.85, and pigs and lights at $4.25@4.75.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

CATTLE—The bulk of the light run today consisted of steers which, under the influence of speculative trading, sold early at steady to strong prices. Two bunches of heavy steers weighing around 1165 pounds went to outside buyers at $3.70 with the bulk of sales on the medium fed kinds at $3.75 and a few small bunches of gross steers at $2.75@2.80.

The sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
20	1171	3.70	20	1154	3.76
25	1014	3.40	1	1180	3.25
32	963	3.25	56	957	3.25
1	1000	3.40	37	773	2.50
15	850	2.75			

BULLS

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1	970	2.00	4	767	1.85

COWS

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1	840	2.15	17	697	1.75
26	612	1.65	3h	466	1.75

HOGS—There was very little change in the hog market today as compared with Friday, the light run generally selling steady. Top hogs averaging 239 pounds sold at $4.95 with the bulk of medium packers at $4.70@4.75.

The Sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
70	289	4.95	86	202	4.75
84	202	4.75	5	170	4.75
47	179	4.75	98	190	4.75
1	250	4.75	4	107	4.25
68	84	3.50			

OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN

One of the largest and probably most improved pieces of ranching property in New Mexico is the La Queva Ranch Company, which is located at La Queva, Moro county, N. M. The company owns 26,000 acres and has leased 60,000 adjoining, all of which is under fence. On this ranch there are 5,000 acres under irrigation, and last year there was raised over 3,000 tons of alfalfa. The company also raises wheat, oats and other grains.

D. C. Duell, the manager of the ranch, is very enthusiastic over New Mexico and its great resources, and sees no reason why the territory cannot become greater in agriculture and stock raising than many of the other southwest districts. "We not only raise as high grade cattle as can be found anywhere," says Mr. Dueil, "but we are raising on the La Queva ranch good hogs and horses, and it is my intention to purchase a good jack and take up mule raising. Recently we purchased a carload of registered bulls, and our hogs are also graded up as high as any to be found anywhere. We raised last year several thousand bushels of barley and oats, and with the other rough feed produced, we are in fine shape for handling all of our stock. The beauty about irrigation is that it makes no difference about the season whether rain falls or not, as there is a crop when the proper time comes. The hogs we raise are free from all kinds of disease, and all the grain raised is of a high grade kind, that would command the highest price if sold at any of the eastern markets."

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At the annual meeting of the Iowa Improved Stock Breeders' Association at Ames, Iowa, last week, Professor Hays of the Minnesota University, discussed a decidedly new idea in agricultural education. He promised to show Iowa could spend $2,000,000 instead of $200,000 per year on agricultural education. "Instead of having 9,600 rural schools," said Professor Hays, "let Iowa be divided into districts five miles square with a consolidated rural school in each district. Between the rural schools and colleges, establish an academic school, not city schools that draw agricultural youths from farms, but agricultural high schools.

"Iowa needs ten or twelve such high schools to complete the work of her rural schools. Now we let city schools with equipment and teachers draw out our young people from the farms; we are not spending as much money for agricultural education as for other branches in proportion to numbers. Iowa should have more of school fund for agricultural education, and fit agricultural high schools with proper equipment. Build them on ten acre lots with facilities for poultry, live stock and farm crop experiments, and then the youth of the country will be started in agricultural research and Iowa farmers will be educated in some proportion to the part they play in Iowa's greatest industry."

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A letter was received last week by the Campbell & Rosson Live Stock Commission Company from an eastern house in Massachusetts, asking what disposal was being made of the horns of live stock shipped to this market. This company buys the horns of the animals slaughtered by the carloads and converts them into combs, hair pins, knife handles and other articles which are seen and used every day. After investigating the matter, Mr. Rosson found that the packing houses had contracted with northern parties for their output of horns, but he has taken the matter up with local and state butchers, and will put them into correspondence with this company.

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"This continued warm weather is playing havoc with our business," said Manager Stephenson of the M. Sansom Grain and Feed Company yesterday. "We are handling principally cotton seed products, and our trade is largely with the stockmen who are feeding small bunches for market or feeding their herds just enough heavy feed to carry them through the winter safely, and as long as this spring-like weather continues none of the big wholesale grain and cotton seed dealers will do much, as cattle do not require so much nourishment as they do when the cold, cutting north wind hits them."

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There is a boom on foot to make John W. Springer president of the Independent Packing Company, and this project has received enthuiastic indorsement by the members of the National Live Stock Association. If the $5,000,000 capital can be raised as easily as the vote of indorsement by the members of the association there will certainly be something doing for the packers' trust. At Thursday's meeting, resolutions were adopted, urging the improvement of the interstate commerce laws in the matter of making satisfactory railroad rates on live stock against the repeal of the law placing a duty on foreign hides; asking the railroads to rescind the new rule cutting off return transportation; urging a classified census of live stock; protesting against the bill providing for the organization of state humane societies into a national association, and petitioning the railroads to make a special rate on pure bred stock shipments.

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Colonel W. R. McIntire of Dallas, who has a large ranch in Mitchell county, is feeding a string of four hundred steers this winter. Colonel McIntire says that, while business is not what he would like to see it, he has seen it in still worse shape, and he proposes to stay in the game to the end.

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W. F. Trigg of Eureka, Kan., an old friend of Yardmaster J. F. Williams, was a visitor at the yards several days last week. Mr. Trigg is in the stock business and, as he has never had occasion to come to Fort Worth on business, he was greatly surprised at the size and magnitude of the local packing plants. He said yesterday: "I had always imagined that the branch houses of Armour and Swift were about the size of the packing plant at Wichita, Kan., and had no idea that they were built on so large a scale and able to handle such an amount of live stock. The stock yards are also built on the very latest plans, and are as well, if not better, constructed than those of some of the larger markets in the north. Mr. Trigg says that while there is plenty of corn in this section of the state, there is a decided falling off among the cattle feeders this season, leaving a great deal of corn for sale."

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The high cattle prices last year inspired the stockmen to unload their holdings on the meat market and pocket the profits, says the National Provisioner. There was no incentive to start independent packing companies, though the spread between the retail price and that of the carcass was so much against the profits of the former as to make slaughtering an apparently attractive proposition for the slaughterer. The stockman waited until the retail trade was so poor that neither the packer nor the stock raiser could make anything upon his stuff, then he rushed in to form companies with the hope of getting more for his herds and flocks. As a result of this peculiar packing house fever there have been formed the United States Packing Company, the Independent Packing Company, the American Dressed Meat Company and the Union Packing Company, all more or less farmers' or stockmen's organizations. Now we are advised that the Missouri River Stockmen's Association is to start a packing plant in conjunction with the independent corporation. This association is made up largely of South Dakota cattlemen.

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COTTON

(Furnished by F. G. McPeak & Co.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Today's stock market was almost stagnant. Operators still appear disposed to await definite news regarding the threatening collision between Russia and Japan but although the public indication continued to point toward war, there was no weakness as a rule to prices. On the contrary, in some directions manipulation was based on the prospect of benefit in particular instances. The impressing into service of the steamers that have been competing with Pacific Mail naturally leaves that company with an advantage in the Pacific trade and the stock rose over 2 per cent. Railroad stocks fluctuated slightly in the main. Eries inclined to heaviness on reiterated statements of no increase in first preferred dividends. Bank statement had little speculative effect. The Gould stocks were strong but professional operations continued to dominate the speculation. Market closed strong. Sales 110,300 shares.

NEW WORLEANS, Jan. 16.—Liverpool had a typical Saturday market. The effect of bullish items appearing over night, like the visible supply statement and higher spot markets over here, was expressed in the 14 points advance of the early trading. Week-end liquidation reduced the gain to seven points towards the close. Sales reached 4,000, including 3,000 American at 2 points higher. Cables report nothing of moment. Although the Saturday excuse is probably the correct one for Liverpool's behavior today, it was nevertheless a disappointment. The visible is so distinctly bullish that a big effect was expected of it in all markets today. A good deal of short covering and buying had preceded its publication yesterday and all this cotton came on the market today, breaking prices ten points inside of an hour after the opening. The uncertainty of the political situation which many dread and others are made to fear, is again responsible for the lack of support we have seen today. The more we see, the more we are convinced that spots have to fight the battle unaided and alone from now on, or at least so long as peace is not positively assured. A fear that is undefined in the speculative mind is the worst kind of impediment. Now, as regards spots, it being Sunday tomorrow, was against much attention being paid them today. Everything considered, the market acted mighty well, it was awfully dull but steady. Prospects for next week are bright if not interfered with by London news. Spot demand which came yesterday into the market after 1 o'clock was of a very solid kind. It showed that consumers abroad have done all the waiting they can do, and now must come and buy the stuff. Moreover, the situation in the finished article, is steadily improving; the summary of reports from southern mills points to their being aggressively pushed with orders at good figures. The scarcity of goods is such that manufacturers are in the privileged position of dictating prices without suffering from competition among themselves. Thus, chances are in favor of continued good spot demand and higher prices while it lasts. As to statistics, it will continue to be effectual support. After the first hour trading became very light; May settled around 14.34 and the all-knowing couldn't have scalped a point. Owing to this war fear, interests are coming into the market only as facts are developing to stay and go with them but few are taking chances over a non-business day.

COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS

Receipts of cotton at the leading accumulative centers, compared with the receipts of the same day last year:

	Today.	Last year.
Galveston	6,588	10,097
New Orleans	8,262	7,787
Mobile	91	478
Savannah	2,819	7,559
Charleston	229	274
Total estimate	21,287	30,962
Memphis	1,897	1,291
Houston	3,421	5,731

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

The estimated receipts of cotton for tomorrow at the places named, compared with the receipts same day last year, are as follows:

	Tomorrow.	Last year.
New Orleans	11,500 to 13,500	15,941
Galveston	3,000 to 4,000	6,796
Houston	2,600 to 3,000	5,561

LIVERPOOL

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 26.—The market for spot cotton was steady in tone. Middlings, [illegible].52d. Receipts, 1,000 bales. Sales, 4,000 bales, American, 3,400 bales.

Futures opened firm and closed quiet at the following range of prices:

	Open.	Close.
January-February	7.35-32	7.29-30
February-March	7.34-31	7.28-29
March-April	7.29-30	7.28
April-May	7.31-29	7.26-27
May-June	7.27	7.25
June-July	7.24-23	7.23
July-August	7.20-23	7.20
August-September	7.00-703	6.99
November-December	7.35	7.31

NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—The market for spot cotton was firm in tone. Middlings, 13 9-16c. Sales, 2,660 bales. F. o. b., 1,150 bales.

Futures closed steady at the following range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	13.60	13.67	13.60	13.65-67
March	14.00	14.03	13.94	13.97-98
May	14.40	14.40	14.31	14.35-36
July	14.69	14.69	14.59	14.62-63

NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The market for spot cotton was steady in tone. Middlings, 15.80c. There were no sales.

Futures closed quiet and steady at the following range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	13.54	13.56	13.50	13.52-54
March	13.77	13.80	13.69	13.72-73
May	14.00	14.02	13.91	13.92-93
July	14.07	14.08	13.98	14.00-01

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GRAIN

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CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Wheat took 1½ cents upturn during the short session without the aid of anything sensational from the other side in the way of war news. Newspaper representatives were rather pessimistic and may have been a factor. The long interest took the offerings of May under 88 cents and the crowd did the buying above that price. The congested condition of the May and the strength in the coarse grains were the real features. The drouth in the southwest is unbroken and complaints from that section are getting frequent, all of which was a bull help. Minneapolis reports an excellent cash demand and stocks there increased this week only 268,000 bushels, of which quantity 2,800 bushels were No. 1 northern. Foreign markets were quiet and consols unchanged. Estimated for Monday, 50 cars.

Corn—Strength and firmness characterized today's market. There was realizing in the neighborhood of 49 cents by bulls with satisfactory profits, but most of the long corn was finally absorbed. The movement shows no increase and the grading is no better, only two cars contract today out of 286 received. Monday's arrivals are estimated at 305 cars. Bids for 3 corn for export were 42½ cents Chicago, the highest price offered so far. The local sample market was strong, although not quotably higher. Liverpool market was unchanged. Clearances, 209,000.

Oats were strong, working up to 42⅛ cents for May, when realizing took the edge off of the market and broke values ⅛ cent. This wholly natural and to be expected after the severe advance and the decline puts the market in a better position and affords belated bulls an opportunity to get in. The close was unchanged from yesterday. The cash market was strong and ½ cent higher. Demand is about the same. Local receipts 147 cars, with 230 estimated for Monday. Clearances were 15,000 bushels.

Provisions—Provision trade today was rather quiet. The opening was firm with prices only a shade higher. The local crowd were good buyers early, in sympathy with the strength in the grain markets, but buying orders from commission houses did not respond, as the crowd had expected and liquidating sales from that source caused a slight reaction. As a whole the trade was a narrow one and unworthy of much comment. Western receipts of hogs, 60,500, against 47,700 last year. Estimated Monday, 46,000, and 125,000 looked for next week.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—The grain and provisions markets ranged as follows today.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
July	82⅝	82⅞	82	82¾
September	79	79½	78¾	79⅜
May	87½	88¾	87½	88⅝
Corn—				
July	47⅜	48	47¼	47¾
September	47	47½	46⅞	47¼
May	49⅛	49⅜	48⅝	49⅛
Oats—				
July	37	37⅜	36¾	37¾
September	33	33½	33	33½
May	41½	42⅛	41¼	41½
Pork—				
May	13.17	13.20	13.07	13.15
Lard—				
May	7.00	7.02	6.95	6.95
Ribs—				
May	6.67	6.67	6.62	6.65

STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCKS

(Furnished by Hoffman & Weaver)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison	66⅞	67	66¾	67
Amal. Copper, pfd.	50	50½	50	50⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	79½	79⅝	79¼	79¼
B. R. T.	48⅜	48⅝	48¼	48½
Ches. and Ohio	33¼	....	....	33⅛
Erie	27⅝	27⅝	27¼	27½
Illinois Central	130⅝	....	....	130⅞
Louis. and Nash.	107½	....	....	107½
Manhattan L	142¼	....	....	142¼
Missouri Pacific	92⅜	92⅜	91⅞	92
Mexican Central	12	....	....	12
New York Central	119½	119½	118¾	118¾
Pennsylvania	119⅝	119⅝	119¼	119¼
Reading	44¼	44⅝	44¼	44⅝
Rock Island	23⅝	22⅞	22⅝	22⅝
Southern Pacific	48¾	48⅞	48½	48¾
Southern Railway	20⅝	....	....	20⅞
St. Paul	142⅞	143	142⅝	142⅞
Amer. Sugar, ref.	124½	....	....	124¾
Tenn. Coal and Iron	36¾	37¼	36¾	37⅛
Union Pacific	78½	78⅝	78¼	78½
U. S. Steel	10⅝	10¾	10⅝	10¾
U. S. Steel, pfd.	58¼	58⅜	58	58⅜
Wabash	20½	....	....	20⅝
Wabash, pfd	38⅜	38½	38	38½
Canadian Pacific	117	....	....	117⅜

BANK STATEMENT

Reserve, increas	$ 8,494,775
Other than government, increase	8,541,400
Loans, increase	18,403,400
Specie, increase	15,277,200
Legals, increase	2,106,400
Deposits, increase	35,555,300
Circulation, decrease	920,600

MARKET TIPS

World's visible: World's takings of American cotton during week this year, 304,000; last year, 295,000; takings of American cotton thus far this season, 4,780,000; last season, 4,965,000, of which by northern spinners, 1,195,000; last year, 1,200,000; by southern spinners, 925,000; last year, 922,000; by foreign spinners, 2,660,000; last year, 2,843,000. This day, 3,210,723; last year, 3,169,798; other kinds today, 734,000; last week, 692,000; last year, 769,000; total all kinds today, 3,915,185; last week, 3,932,743; last year, 3,938,798.

Liverpool statement: American cotton, this year, week's sales, 33,000; last year, 44,000; forwarded, 74,000; last year, 70,000; stock afloat last year, 192,000; last year, 245,000; stock in Liverpool, 536,000; last year, 544,000; receipts for week, 77,000; last year, 38,000; since September 1, 1,482,000; last year, 1,448,000.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—Information from southern mills generally to the effect that they receive large orders for goods at full prices, but are declining these offers, knowing that merchants must have the goods and pay more.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—It has been intimated less favorable eastern news reported, though we have had no such information ourselves and do not credit it.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—Good spot business yesterday after hours, little doing today account Sunday tomorrow, yet factors steady, no distressed lots on market. Yesterday's demand cleared market of all weak holdings.

REV. CARLISLE P. B. MARTIN, LL. D.
Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Money on call, nominal; no loans; time loans easy; 60 days 4@4 1-4 per cent; 6 month, 4 1-4@4 1-2; prime paper, 4 3-4@5; sterling exchange firm with actual business bills at $485.75 for demand and at $4.82.75 for sixty day bills.

Posted rates $4.83@4.83½ and 4.86@4.86½; commercial bills 4.82@4.82.1. government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm.

ST. LOUIS PROVISIONS

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Bacon: S. C. meats jobbing; breakfast bacon at 9½c for heavy to 14c for choice light; hams at 10 3-4 to 11½c; Californias at 7 1-4c. New York shoulders at 7½c. Plain smoked boxed lots jobbing: Extra shorts at 7½c; ribs at 7 1-2c; short clear at 7 3-4c; bellies at 8 1-2c to 9 3-4c; plates at 6 1-4c; fat backs at 7c; standard backs at 8c. Orders higher.

WHISKY UNCHANGED

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 16.—(Special)—Whisky market unchanged; sales, 1,012 barrels at $1.27.

BUTTER AND EGGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Butter: Thursday no further change in the table grades of butter, but the western packings of imitation creamery and factory are showing some further weakness. Creamery extras per pound, 22c; Western imitation creamery extras, 18c. Eggs: The market closes with a fairly steady to firm tone at unchanged prices. State, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 33@35c; Western extras, 31c; Kentucky firsts 29@30c; Southern firsts, 29c.

NEW YORK SILVER MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Bar silver in London steady and unchanged at $2.75 pl. pd. per oz. Today's New York price for commercial bars unchanged at 59 1-8@60 1-4c. Government assay bars also unchanged at 59 1-4c@60 3-4c. Mexican dollars unchanged at 45 1-2@47c.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Raw nominal; fair, refining 2 7-8 centrifugal, opening 96; test 3 3-8; Molasses sugar, 2 5-8, refined dull; Crushed 5.05; powdered, 4.55; granulated, 4.45. Coffee firm; No. 7 Rio, 7 3-4; molasses firm; New Orleans, 31@37.

NEW YORK COFFEE

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Coffee closed steady. Jan. 7.15@20; Feb., 7.20@30; Mar., 7.35@40; April, 7.50@55; May, 7.65@70; June, 7.80@85; July, 7.95@8.00; Aug., 8.05@10; Sept., 8.15@20; Oct., 8.20@25; Nov., 8.30@35; Dec., 8.40@50. Total sales, 61,250 bags.

HORSE AND MULE MARKET'S FUTURE

At the recent horse and mule sale the light supply of stuff offered was hardly up to the demand. Texas horse and mule dealers have not as yet accustomed themselves to selling on an open market. There has always been in the instance of the opening of a new horse and mule market a great deal of trouble in making the people recognize the fact that when they consign for open market they should be satisfied with market values. This is one of the worst difficulties that a new horse and mule market must overcome. A man with a bunch of broncoes worth $7.50 per head before he rounds them up in his pasture will ship them to an open market and expect to get $40 around for them. In shipping cattle he realizes that he must take market values, but in shipping horses he thinks that he is not justly dealt with if he does not get his own price, and he is likely to forget the fact that horses, as well as cattle, must be in marketable condition to sell. Each succeeding sale has been more satisfactory in this respect. In the last sale, while the supply was not as great as at some of the previous sales, at the same time, all stuff offered was of a kind that foreign dealers and buyers could handle readily. The consequences were that bidding was brisk and the supply offered was quickly bought up.

It is not necessary to make any statement of the mule business at the local yards, as the Fort Worth market is now recognized as one of the largest mule markets in the United States.

Horses offered at the last sale were all broken to drive and work, and were in good condition. About 100 head sold at an average price of $60, the supply, however, was not equal to the demand and local mule dealers say that it is impossible to get mules fast enough to turn off the buyers. This is due largely to the fact that the farmers and those who have mules for sale in the country are inclined to hold their stock at a higher price than the dealer is justified in paying. Many seem to have an idea that a dealer is a kind of philanthropist.

LAND THAT WILL RAISE ANYTHING

Parts of Indian Territory Will Raise Anything, Says W. F. Warren

W. F. Warren of Berwyn, I. T., one of the most enthusiastic shippers to the Fort Worth market, was in Friday with a mixed consignment of cows and steers, which he sold at satisfactory prices. Mr. Warren says that this is the only shipment of cattle that he ever had the fortune to make any money on, as in shipping to market heretofore he has always hit a bad day and has had to draw on his bank account to pay the freight.

"The Indian Territory is the greatest agricultural country in the United States," says Mr. Warren. "We can raise anything that can be raised, and raise it with success. I made twenty-five bales of cotton on thirty-five acres this year, and after marketing this amount of cotton decided that I would let the few bolls of late cotton go unpicked; but after looking over the field a few days ago I decided that I would have the rest picked just to see how much I could realize off of this small piece of land, and in less than two days picked $110 worth more, which represented about two bales."

Next year Mr. Warren will put in 100 acres of vegetables for Kansas City and Chicago commission men. A party of commission men from these two cities have agreed to furnish all labor and pay a rent of $4 per acre to have Mr. Warren supervise the work, agreeing also to give him one-third of the profits. The bulk of these vegetables will be cabbage, potatoes, peppers, onions and melons, and will be shipped in carload lots to the Kansas City and Chicago markets. This is practically an experiment with northern truck growers, but they have so much confidence in the productive qualities of the soil that they are willing to run the risk and invest their money in the new enterprise.

Mr. Warren also has on his place about 300 hogs, which he is at present running on alfalfa. He will put them on a thirty-day ration of corn before marketing them.

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FOREIGN MARKETS

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; estimated receipts for Monday, 27,000; market steady and unchanged.

Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; estimated receipts for Monday, 48,000, market strong; stockers and feeders, $4.45@4.85; rough, $4.55@4.75; mixed, $4.55@5.55; heavy, 4.55@5.05; pigs, $4@4.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; estimated receipts for Monday, 30,000; market steady and unchanged.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 400; market steady to lower; native steers, $3.60@4.75; southern steers, $3@4.15; southern cows, $2@2.75; native cows and heifers, $2.25@3.65; stockers and feeders, $3@4; bulls, $2.35@3.50; calves, $2.50@6; western steers, $3.30@4.30; western cows, $1.50@3.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; market strong and active; bulk of sales, $4.55@4.90; heavy, $4.65@4.95; packers, $4.55@4.75.

Sheep—Market nominally strong; muttons, $3.50@4.50; lambs, $4.75@5.85; range wethers, $3.25@4.40; ewes, $2.50@4.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 400, including 150 Texans; market strong; beef steers, $3.50@5.35; with fancy worth up to $5.60; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4; cows and heifers, $2.25@4.25, with $4.50 for corn-fed heifers; Texas steers, $2.35@4.65; top for feed cows and heifers, $2.10@3.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500; market steady; pigs, $4.35@4.70; packers, $4.50@4.80; butchers and heavy, $4.70@5.

Sheep—Market nominal; native sheep, $3.50@4.50; lambs, $4.25@5.60.

SOUTHERN SCHOOL OF ART NEEDLE WORK
This school has been established for the purpose of giving a complete course of instruction in art needle work, lace making, etc. Term commences January 18. For information, apply to Mrs. E. N. Sellors, 424 Clara street.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The copper market was quiet but strong today. Arbitrage houses were the principal buyers of copper. Utah was the special attraction. Trading in Old Dominion and the strength in that stock carried it to 11⅞. Calumet gained 5 points, Centennial rose 1 point, Copper Range ¾ point, Osceola ¾ point, Parrot 102, and Tamarack 5.

Closing prices: Adventure, 2½; Amalgamated, 50¼; Anaconda, 19⅞; Bingham, 22½; Calumet, 440; Centennial, 17¼; Copper range, 45¾; Isle Royal, 7½ bid; Maschusetts Mining, 4¼; Mohawk, 38½; Old Dominion, 11⅞; Osceola, 60½; Parrot, 23, Tamarack, 112; United States Mining, 29¼; Utah, 34¾.

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TIME TABLE

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS AT FORT WORTH

TEXAS AND PACIFIC

WEST-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
4:45 pm	1	St. Louis, Memphis, Fort Worth	....
9:25 am	3	Cannon Ball (St. L., N. O., El Paso)	9:45 am
7:45 pm	5	Cannon Ball (St. L., to El Paso)	8:20 pm
11:05 am	7	From Wills Point	....
2:55 pm	9	Dallas-Min'l Wells	3:00 pm
5:15 am	11	Dallas-Ft. Worth	....
12:30 pm	13	Dallas-Ft. Worth	....
6:50 am	103	Dallas-Ft. Worth	....

EAST-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
....	2	St. L., Memphis-New Orleans	8:00 am
7:00 pm	4	Colo., Memphis, St. Louis, N. Orleans	7:45 pm
7:00 am	6	Cannon Ball (El Paso to St. Louis)	7:45 am
....	8	To Wills Point	6:00 pm
10:30 am	10	Min. Wells-Dallas	10:35 am
....	12	Dallas Local	9:25 am
....	14	Dallas Local	1:55 pm
....	102	To Dallas	9:30 pm

TRANSCONTINENTAL

(Texarkana, Sherman and Paris.)

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
....	32	Local	8:35 am
4:35 pm	31	Local	....

Texas and Pacific trains Nos. 5 and 6 stop at Texarkana, T. C. Junction, Atlanta, Jefferson, Marshall, Longview Junction, Big Sandy, Mineola, Wills Point, Terrell, Forney, East Dallas, Dallas and Fort Worth.

HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
[illegible]:35 pm	83	North Texas Lim'd	....
7:55 am	85	Mail and Express	....
11:50 am	*93	Local Freight and Passenger	....

SOUTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
....	84	South Texas Lim'd (Houston-Galves'n)	8:30 am
....	86	Mail and Express (Houston-Galves'n)	7:45 pm
....	*94	Local Freight and Passenger (Ennis)	1:05 pm

*Daily except Sunday.

INTERNATIONAL & GREAT NORTHERN

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
7:35 pm	2	Mail and Express	....
12.05 pm	8	Ft. Worth Limited	....

SOUTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
....	1	Mail and Express (Austin, San Antonio, Houston, Galveston)	7:05 am
....	7	Houston and Galveston Limited	3:20 pm

FORT WORTH AND DENVER CITY

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
....	1	Mail and Express (Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Denver)	9:45 am
....	7	Amarillo Express	8:40 pm

SOUTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
5:10 pm	2	Mail and Express	....
7:25 am	8	Amarillo Express	....

FRISCO SYSTEM

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
10:55 am	10	Meteor (Sherman, Denison, St. Louis, Kansas City)	11:15 am
6:00 am	32	Mixed (Sherman)	6:00 am

SOUTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
2:55 pm	9	Meteor (Brownw'd)	3:15 pm
7:35 pm	35	Mixed (Brownwood and Brady)	9:30 pm

Trains Nos. 32 and 35 arrive at and depart from Hemphill street station. Other trains use Texas and Pacific station, foot of Main street.

MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
8:10 am	16	Katy Flyer	8:35 am
10:55 am	2	Kan. City Express	11:45 am
8:15 pm	4	Kansas City Mail and Express	9:00 pm

SOUTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
7:45 pm	15	Katy Flyer	8:15 pm
5:10 pm	1	Waco Mail and Express	6:00 pm
7:40 am	3	San Antonio and Houston Express	8:30 am

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
....	12	Fast Express (El Reno, Topeka, Denver, Chicago)	9:00 pm
....	14	To Omaha and Mo. river points	8:30 am

SOUTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
7:10 am	11	Fast Express (from Chicago, Denver)	....
7:15 pm	13	From Omaha and Mo. river points	....

COTTON BELT ROUTE

WEST-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
1:20 pm	5	From St. Louis and Memphis, through express	....
6:50 am	101	From Dallas, Memphis, Chicago	....
5.05 pm	103	From Texarkana, Pine Bluff and Arkansas	....

EAST-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
....	6	To Memphis and St. Louis, through express	12:30 pm
....	102	To Dallas, Memphis and Chicago	9:30 pm
....	104	Texarkana, Pine B. and Arkansas	10:30 am

SANTA FE ROUTE

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
8:20 pm	6	Day Express (Chicago, K. C. and Colorado points)	8:30 pm
7:20 am	18	Limited (Chicago, K. C. and Colorado)	7:30 am

SOUTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
9:00 pm	17	Limited (Galveston H'ston, San Anto.)	9:10 pm
7:55 am	5	Day Express (Temple, Houston, Galveston)	8:05 am

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Plates to match .....50¢	2 boxes French Blacking .....5¢
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SCHOOLS REACH NEW HIGH WATER RECORD

The actual enrollment in the Fort Worth city schools for the past week was 4,647 or 37 more than the ninth week (November 13) which was thought to be high water mark, showing an attendance of 436 more than for the corresponding week last season. This week examinations have been held in all the buildings in all the grades. From actual visits to many of the buildings the superintendent notes a fine spirit among the pupils, cheerfulness and a disposition to work. It is therefore confidently expected that the monthly cards will show decided advancement in studies as well as attendance and deportment.

The second grade teachers meet their director Monday, January 18, at 4 o'clock p. m. at the high school.

The physical culture classes meet at the high school at 4 o'clock p. m. Tuesday.

The fifth grade teachers will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock for instruction in arithmetic.

Following is the superintendent's weekly statement:

	Number of Teachers	Average Number Enrolled	Average No. in Attendance	Average Number Absent	Average Number Tardy	Average No. Dismissed Early	Per Cent in Attendance	Per Thousand Tardy	Per Thousand Dismissed Early
Building No. 1	8	339	323	16	.8	1.0	95	2	3
Building No. 2	8	345	322	23	1.0	.6	93	3	2
Building No. 3	8	313	292	21	.6	.0	93	2	0
Building No. 4	8	339	325	14	.6	.4	95	1	1
Building No. 5	12	518	497	21	2.0	.6	96	4	1
Building No. 6	10	456	434	22	.6	.0	95	1	0
Building No. 7	9	427	406	21	1.4	.4	95	3	1
Building No. 8	8	363	345	18	.8	.4	95	2	1
Building No. 9	8	331	310	21	.5	.0	94	2	0
Building No. 10	14	520	506	14	2.8	2.0	97	5	4
Building No. 11	8	517	498	19	3.4	.0	96	6	0
Building No. 12	3	179	173	6	.6	.0	96	3	0
Totals	104	4647	4431	216	15.1	5.4	96	3	1

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STOCKHOLM, Jan. 3.—Last year the whole north of Sweden was in the throes of famine. Relief sent from all over the world checked its ravages, but nothing can check or ameliorate the desolate conditions which make misery a part of life in these regions and starvation its only episode.

The latitude of northern Sweden is that of middle Greenland and Baffin land and, like them, would be an eternal abode of ice but for the gulf stream which laps the coast of Norway. But so far north as this the gulf stream is not as warm as it might be, and the Norwegian mountains block much of its tempering influence. Therefore winter lingers through the spring and into the lap of summer and often frosts come again by the end of August.

Fortunately the almost perpetual daylight of midsummer makes the few crops mature quickly, but nevertheless the farmers' anxiety to harvest before frost is always most acute. Nature has come to his aid by changing the nature of his seeds so that they mature far quicker than those raised in more southern countries. Almost the worst feature of the famine last winter was that there was no seed left for the spring planting. Seed was sent from southern Sweden and from the American northwestern states, but it was not seed which had been trained through generations of plant life to hustle through existence fast enough to beat the northern frosts of late August. Some of it ripened last summer, but some did not. Later generations of the seed which ripened will further adapt itself to its new conditions of life until it is in full harmony with them. It is a whole chapter in natural selection and the survival of the fittest. But meanwhile there are short rations for the thrifty, cheerless people of Arctic Sweden.

To nearly all of them emigration to the United States is their fondest hope, but their poverty is such that few are able to go. These few, however, with their thrift and industry, do well in America and send for others. In time northern Sweden will be an uninhabited waste, as nature undoubtedly intended it to be from the beginning.

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BUSINESS GOOD ON THE ISLAND

Hawaiian Statistics Just Received by Department of Commerce

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Some interesting facts about present conditions in Hawaii are presented by the department of commerce and labor through its bureau of statistics. These facts have just arrived from Hawaii.

Regarding population, the figures show a steady decrease in the number of natives and a steady increase in the number of persons of foreign birth, especially Japanese and Chinese. In 1872 the number of natives was, in round terms, 50,000 and in 1900, 30,000. In 1872 the number of Chinese was, in round terms, 2,000 and in 1900, 25,000.

The record of Japanese among the population only begins with 1884, when the number was 116 persons, but in 1900 the number was over 61,000. The total population of 1872 is given at 56,897 and in 1900 at 154,001. The relation of nationality to plantation labor is indicated by a table which shows the nationality and number of sugar plantation laborers, the number of Japanese being 31,029 out of a total of all nationalities of 42,242.

Sugar, of course, continues to be the principal crop of Hawaii, though a number of other tropical products are now receiving careful attention, including coffee, tobacco, sisal fiber, manila hemp, vanilla beans and pineapples. The experiments with sisal grass, begun within the past two years, have given great encouragement and lead those engaged in the experiments to the belief that Hawaii may become an extensive producer of that valuable fiber, of which the importations into the United States amount to more than $13,000,000 per annum in value and steadily increasing. The Hawaiian Fiber Company reports out of its first crop an exportation of about $8,000 in value of sisal in the year 1903, being obtained from an area of about 120 acres.

Manila hemp, it is believed, will soon be an important product.

Another valuable production of the far east introduced experimentally is Sumatra tobacco, and the experiments thus far indicate that its cultivation in the Hawaiian islands may prove extremely successful. Vanilla beans, also recently introduced, give encouraging results and indicate returns of from $1,000 to $5,000 per acre from their cultivation. Coffee production, while adversely affected in recent years by the low prices prevailing in the world's markets, has developed to such an extent as to give an increase in exports.

The sugar crop of 1903 is the largest ever produced, aggregating 775,000,000 pounds, against 330,000,000 pounds in 1893, 114,000,000 pounds in 1883, and 25,000,000 pounds in 1875. The growth of sugar production in the Hawaiian islands from the date of the reciprocity treaty in 1876 has been rapid, but the greatest growth has occurred in more recent years.

An especially interesting fact developed in connection with the sugar production of the Hawaiian islands is that in recent years large tracts of land, formerly considered valueless, have been brought under cultivation by irrigation and made even more productive than that upon which sugar was produced without irrigation. Nearly one-half of the area now devoted to sugar in the Hawaiian islands is irrigated, and more than one-half of the sugar produced is grown upon irrigated lands.

The commerce of the Hawaiian islands for 1903 is given at $26,000,000 of exports and $14,000,000 of imports. Of the imports, over $10,000,000 is stated as from the United States, $500,000 from Great Britain, $750,000 from British colonies and nearly $1,000,000 from Japan. Of the exports, practically all are to the United States.

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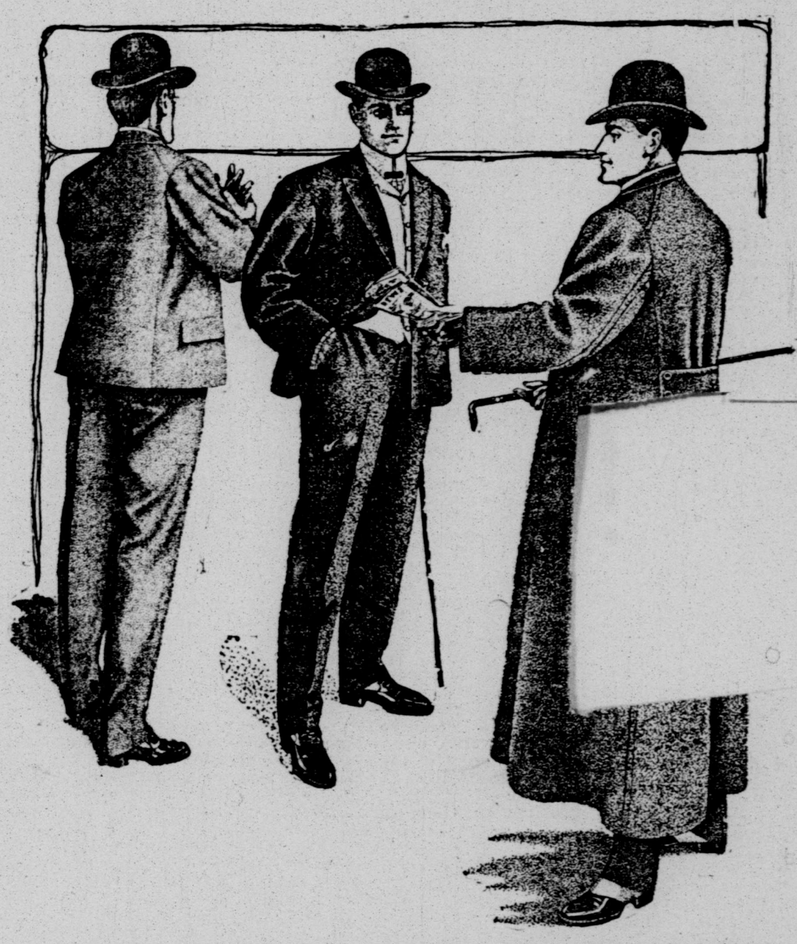
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