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NEW CHARGE MADE AGAINST PACKERS

Reports Reach Washington That Groscup Injunction Is Being Violated

MOODY HAS THE EVIDENCE

Combination for Controlling Price of Meats Still Said to Exist

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Agents of the government have reported to the attorney general that some or all of the packers operating in the combination known as the beef trust have been violating the injunction issued by Judge Grosscup of Chicago. Simultaneous investigations have been under way under the direction of both the department of justice and the bureau of corporations.

Reports of agents of the department of justice now have been received here and they are to the effect that the beef trust is still acting in defiance of the anti-trust law, that it is combining to control, and does control, the price of live cattle, and has combined to control, and does control, the price of dressed meats in practically every large commercial center of the United States. Furthermore, the report alleges that the beef trust is still securing unlawful concessions from railroad companies in gross violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

SUPREME COURT ACTION AWAITED

It seems probable that action in this direction will be deferred in any event until after the supreme court has decided the original case. The packers took an appeal from Judge Grosscup's order making the injunction permanent. This is the case which was argued by Attorney General Moody in person a week ago. It may be some time before the supreme court renders a decision. If it should hold Judge Grosscup has made a mistake the packers could not be held for violation of the injunction, and for this reason the department of justice may decide to defer action on the new charges, sensational though they are, until the general principle has been established in the court of last resort.

In the original bill filed on behalf of the United States the defendants are gentlemen who have great weight in the financial world, and for this reason the report that they have violated an injunction of the federal court and also have violated the anti-trust law itself becomes a matter of general and engrossing public importance.

LIST OF THE DEFENDANTS

The official list of the defendants who have appealed to the supreme court against the original injunction includes:

Swift & Company.
The Cudahy Packing Company.
Hammond Packing Company.
Armour & Company.
The G. H. Hammond Company.
Schwarzchild & Sulzberger Company.

The injunction also includes the following individuals:

Nelson Morris, Edward Morris, Ira Morris, J. Ogden Armour, Patrick A. Valentine, Calvin M. Favorite, Arthur Meeker, Thomas J. Conners, Charles F. Langdon, Michael Cudahy, Edward A. Cudahy, Patrick Cudahy, Albert F. Bochert, Louis F. Swift, Lawrence A. Carter, D. Edwin Hartwell, Jesse P. Lyman, Frank E. Vogel, Louis Pfaelzer, William Russell, Albert H. Vedder, Henry Vedder, Edward C. Swift, Ferdinand Sulzberger, W. H. Noyes.

In the circuit court these distinguished defendants introduced no evidence in their own behalf. They relied upon the legal device known as a demurrer, which eliminates the question of evidence, and merely asserts the existence of fatal defects in the original petition, or in the jurisdiction of the judge, or for some other purely technical reason entirely aside from the merits of the case. Judge Grosscup overruled the demurrer and made a temporary injunction. When the packers still refused to introduce evidence in defense the injunction was made permanent. The action of the judge in overruling the demurrer is the thing which now is to be decided by the supreme court. Meanwhile the injunction stands as it originally was entered, but as a matter of course the case never has been tried on its merits.

BARRIER FOR DEFENDANTS

In entering his order for an injunction Judge Grosscup forbade each and all the defendants, as well as their representative agents and attorneys, "and all other persons acting in their behalf," from taking part in any contract, combination, or conspiracy, the purpose or effect of which would be a restraint of trade in fresh meats between any of the states and territories.

They were forbidden to do this either by directing or requiring their agents to refrain from bidding against each other in the purchase of live stock or by combination, conspiracy, or contract, raising or lowering prices, or fixing uniform prices for the sale of the manufactured meats, by curtailing the quantity shipped, by maintaining rules for the giving of credit, the effect of which would be to restrict competition, by imposing charges for cartage and delivery, the effects of which also would be to restrict competition, or by any other method or device, the effect of which would be to restrain commerce between the states in violation of the law of July 2, 1890.

These defendants also were enjoined by Judge Grosscup from demanding, obtaining, or receiving from railroad companies or other common carriers, either directly or by means of rebates, or by any other device, rates for the transportation of meats at less than the regular tariff established for the use of the general public and published under the provisions of the interstate commerce law.

Each one of these things which Judge Grosscup restrained each and all of these defendants from doing was alleged to have been done in the original petition filed in his court May 10, 1902. The reports of special agents of the department of justice, therefore, merely claim that the packers are doing business substantially as they were doing it before the original suits against them were filed in May, 1902.

PRIVATE CAR LINES FACTOR

The use of private car lines in the manner indicated by recent testimony both before the interstate commerce commission and the committee of the house probably is relied upon to a certain extent in determining whether the packers have violated the injunction. In restraining them from securing any rebates or preferences from railroads the order of injunction is particularly explicit and seems to cover the private car scheme completely. The packers have been enjoined from securing preferences by means of rebate "or by any other device," and the language seems to be strong enough to make it unpleasant for the distinguished defendants when their case comes into court.

A single proved case of railroad rebate either through private car line or otherwise will be sufficient to render them liable to indefinite punishment for contempt of an order of the United States circuit court, as well as to a distinct penalty under the criminal clause of the anti-trust law, the imprisonment feature of that act not having been repealed by the joker in the Elkins law.

Under the provisions and trust act of 1890 "every contract, combination in the form of a trust or otherwise, or conspiracy in restraint of trade or commerce among the several states or with foreign nations, is declared to be illegal. Every person who shall make any contract or engage in any such combination or conspiracy shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction therefore shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $5,000 or by imprisonment not exceeding one year or by both said punishments, in the discretion of the court."

From the list of defendants, as well as from the serious nature of the offenses charged, it readily can be seen that the beef trust case already has become the most sensational one in the history of trust prosecutions either in this or any other country, and the prospects appear to be that it will increase in importance as time goes on.

FALL RIVER'S STRIKE ENDED

Conference Between Operatives and Owners Results in Compromise

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 18.—The strike of the cotton mill operatives at Fall River was settled at a conference here today. The conference was held in the state house, representatives of the manufacturers and of the operatives having met under an arrangement made by Governor Douglas. The strike began July 25, 1904, when the manufacturers posted notices of a 12½ per cent reduction in wages. A conference was held here last Wednesday without result, but both parties came today authorized to make a settlement. By the settlement agreement the operatives will return to work at once under the reduction. The question of margin between the raw material and manufactured goods which shall be required by the manufacturers is left to be adjusted by Governor Douglas.

SEA COMMISSION MEETS

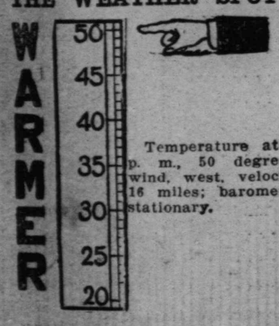
Holds Closed Session in North Sea Inquiry—Testimony will be Made Public Thursday

PARIS, Jan. 18.—The international commission appointed to inquire into the North Sea incident held a closed session yesterday at the foreign office and received a statement of particulars from both sides, which will be made public at the session of the commission on Thursday next.

Notwithstanding reports that the formal submission of the case might lead to a modification of the Russian defense concerning the presence of Japanese torpedo boats in the North Sea at the time the Russian squadron fired on the Hull fishing fleet off Dogger Bank, it is learned that the Russian case submitted yesterday has not been altered in that particular.

The British case follows the general lines heretofore disclosed and also includes documentary evidence so voluminous that it required three men to carry it. The Hull fishermen witnesses are expected to be summoned next week.

THE WEATHER SPOTTER



Temperature at 2 p. m., 50 degrees; wind, west, velocity 16 miles; barometer stationary.

The mercury is still rising, the highest point reached during the past twenty-four hours being 50 degrees. Rains are reported from Palestine and Oklahoma City. Misty weather prevailed over entire Northern Texas Tuesday night. Mud and slush in various portions of the city continue to make it disagreeable to those whose business compelled them to be on the streets.

The weather report of the Fort Worth and Denver City road, received this morning, states that the weather in the Panhandle is very much moderated.

MINISTER SAYS CZAR WOULD KNOW PEASANT'S NEEDS

Sviatopolk-Mirsky Issues Circular Urging Free Expression in Provincial Conferences Now in Progress

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 18.—Minister of Interior Sviatopolk-Mirsky has sent a circular to the governor of provinces, in which conferences have been convened to consider the reform of the peasant laws pointing out that the idea that the imperial ukase of Dec. 25 has radically changed the principles of the laws is due to a misapprehension.

The ukase, proceeds the circular, confirms anew the necessity for incessantly striving to attain the goal marked out therein. The decree of Jan. 11, 1904, provided for a revision of the peasant laws, on the basis of the reform of 1861, and ordered that due consideration be given to the inviolability of communal property, while at the same time facilitating the removal of individual peasants to their respective communities without appropriation of their holdings therein.

These principles are fully preserved by the ukase of Dec. 25, which ordered the revision of the peasant laws with the object of bringing them in union with the general legislation of the empire, enabling the peasantry to fully enjoy their rights in accordance with the law of 1861. The circular adds that the ukase by no means precluded the preservation of the old state of the peasant, which had been evolved from ancient times. There can be no question of complete abolition of the recognized statutes of peasants, which is requisite of fulfillment of his own special needs. Proof may be cited that other classes existing under the general laws also have special communal organization. The circular calls attention to the fact that the ukase of Dec. 25 specially dwelt on the urgent necessity for uniformity in judicial procedure, in order to secure legal equality of all classes and assure the necessary independence of judicial authorities, and proceeds further:

"This, however, must not be regarded as absolute predetermination of the question of abolition of peasants' court, the present isolation of which may be remedied and their independence assured. The imperial decree of Dec. 25 does not make a change of any kind. On the contrary, it directly suggests the maintenance of the important functions committed to the provincial conferences.

"Regarding the inquiry mentioned in the ukase into the most important questions of peasant life and needs of agriculture by special conference, this inquiry is confined to considerations of communications of opinions of local committees and can only contribute to the elucidation of needs of peasants without depriving officials of their importance in reports of provincial conferences which doubtless will serve as a basis for final elaboration of peasant laws."

In conclusion the circular says: "The considerations above set forth by the minister of the interior have been approved by the emperor. The minister therefore directs the governors to take all measures to assure that the work of provincial conference is continued and brought to a conclusion with the utmost rapidity and that members of the conferences are granted power to freely state their opinions so that full expression may be given to the true views of those conversant with the needs of the peasantry."

NEBRASKA REPUBLICAN VOTE

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 18.—Without a party caucus or other formality, the republicans in the Nebraska legislature yesterday voted for Elmer J. Burkett for United States senator.



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NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, wife of the richest man in America, who acted as waitress at a tea given the young men of her son's bible class. Mrs. Rockefeller was voted as great a success as a waitress as her husband is as a gatherer of coin.

GAUNT, GRIM WOLF OF HUNGER STALKS ABROAD IN FALL RIVER

Even If Peace Shall Come Now In the Great Cotton Mill Strike, Privation Will Have Left A Terrible Trail Behind It—How the Progress of the South Has Brought Sorrow In the North.



WOMEN AND GIRL STRIKERS OF FALL RIVER.

BY MARLEN E. PEW.

FALL RIVER, Jan. 17.—The wolf is at the door in this beautiful New England city. It is the twenty-sixth week of the strike of the mill operatives. Peace seems near at hand now, but there is a tale of awful misery in the past six months' history.

During all this time 24,000 men, women and children bread winners have been idle. On July 25, the mill workers left their looms, declaring they would never submit to a proposed 12½ per cent reduction in wages.

This would have meant a weekly loss to them of $21,000. Less than six months previously they had submitted to a 10 per cent reduction.

So these hard working people have quietly and courageously fought for what they consider just, until today life savings have been swept away, gaunt hunger and privation stalk through hundreds of homes, thousands are absolutely dependent upon the charity of the more fortunate, the soup kitchen has been installed as a life-saving measure, and the industry of this city, which compares with that of the world-famed cotton center at Manchester, England, is crippled and demoralized.

The strikers ask for arbitration. They have told the association of employers of their willingness to submit the subject matter in dispute to a non-partisan board of judges to be appointed by the National Civic Federation. The employers refused.

But in the meantime the suffering has been on the increase, and there are homes within a stone's throw of the handsome city hall where children are actually crying for bread, and they, like their elders, have not sufficient clothes to cover their nakedness and keep out the raw cold.

The streets are covered with ice and snow, and it is an unusually severe winter. This has added greatly to the sufferings of the strikers and their families. The truth in Fall River, as I have discovered it, seems impossible, and it will appear as an exaggeration of facts in print. It will doubtless be difficult for those not intimately familiar with this situation to credit, for instance, the statement that there are children, the offspring of respectable, hardworking men and women in this American city of 100,000 inhabitants, who are actually barefooted.

Prominent Fall River citizens to whom I made this statement declared their ignorance of such a state of affairs, and one, who required convincing, was good enough to buy a pair of boots for a youngster, the son of Mrs. Olive Bruneo, of 125 Lowell street, a sick widow, who depends upon the earnings of two sons and one daughter for a livelihood for herself and brood of six. The three young breadwinners, who worked as spinners' assistants before the strike, being paid wages totaling $15 a week, have been out of employment since the strike began. This family has kept body and soul together eating soup from the Salvation Army's relief kitchen, and the city charity department has donated $1.50 a week for their support for several weeks.

The mother recited a heart-straining story. She, like a majority of the mill workers here, is a French Canadian. Her husband died five years ago. Just as soon as the children reached the legal age, 14 years, they were pressed into service at the mills. At first the older son and daughter worked and the family's income was about $10 a week. Then, as they became more proficient, their wages were increased and another boy took up the work. This made the family fairly comfortable. They pay the mill owners $1.65 per week rent for their five poor rooms in the third floor of a company tenement. Since the strike began, the family, which is only one of many like it, has depended upon charity. The oldest daughter, a pretty, dark-eyed girl with long, black, curling hair, has been dangerously ill for several weeks with pneumonia caused by her privation.

A city doctor cared for her and much of the city's $1.50 donation went for medicine. There was nothing but tea and chunks of dry bread on the dinner table when the writer called, and the thin-faced family clustered about the kitchen table trying to keep warm. With the new shoes the youngest boy will now go to school.

That is one instance. There are many others to be told which are equally distressing.

Though the strike has been engineered by the Textile Workers' Union, it is a fact that it is not a fight for or against organized labor. Not more than one-fifth of the strikers were organized in the union when the strike order went out. Yet so great was the dissatisfaction that the workers, union and non-union, in every one of the eighty-five mills where the 12½ per cent reduction was ordered, immediately responded.

Things had been coming to a crisis in the industry here for some time. Daniel J. Sully, the great bull cotton operator, has succeeded in inflating prices in the New York exchange to unheard-of flights. The spinners were having trouble to get raw material at prices which were within the range of profitable business and which would compete with the fast growing opposition in the south. The workers and union leaders realized this, and so when the first 10 per cent reduction was ordered

THERE WAS NO PROTEST

Owing to the fictitious values upon raw cotton many of the mills here were working on half time. After the reduction they were opened full again for a few weeks. This was followed by another period of half suspension. Then came the notice at all mills operated by the Fall River Cotton Manufacturers' Association that a further reduction of 12½ per cent would be put into operation. With a strike threatened, the state board of arbitration held a meeting with the employers and representatives of the employed and it was agreed that the reduction be deferred until after a series of compromise conferences were held. The next day the employers gave notice that they would give no quarter to the union and the plan was killed.

The union then proposed a 6 1-4 per cent reduction. This was ignored. The strike was then called, by a two-thirds vote, despite the fact that the advisory committee representing the union counseled against such a measure.

Every mill in Fall River, except the six operated by M. C. D. Borden, employing 4,000 operatives, and that of the New England Yarn Company, employing 2,000, which are out of the association, was forced to suspend.

While the strike order was based entirely upon the wage reduction, there was a feeling of rebellion among the workers, owing to a new system which had just been installed in the mills. James Tansey, president of the textile council, explaining this, said: "The manufacturers had made machinery improvements which changed the system of weaving. Long bobbins were introduced and a new automatic loom stop motion installed. Heretofore, weavers had been expected to run eight looms. With the improvements came an increase to

FROM 12 TO 14 LOOMS

for each weaver. Working eight looms 58 hours a week was enough. Considering the increased work and the proposed decreased pay, the saving to the manufacturers would have been equivalent to 40 per cent. That was more than we could stand, and we will fight it out to the bitter end. Improved machinery must come, and the operatives do not contest this, but we believe that we should share to some

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(Photograph by Newspaper Enterprise Association.)

FALL RIVER WEAVER AND THE NEW LOOM THAT WAS A CONTRIBUTING CAUSE OF THE GREAT STRIKE. BY THIS DEVICE THE WORK OF THE OPERATIVES WAS NEARLY DOUBLED.

PISTOL TOTING BILL IS KILLED

House Committee Decided Unfavorably Against the Proposed Measure

ONLY AFTERNOON SESSIONS

House Decided Under New Rules to Hold No More Morning Meetings

AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—Under the new rules adopted in the house no more morning sessions will be held in the house. That branch of the legislature this morning devoted the entire time with committee meetings. The committee on criminal jurisprudence reported favorably on a bill prohibiting roping contests.

The bill making it a felony to carry concealed weapons was killed, also a bill holding that attempting to make hip-pocket plays shall not be grounds for self-defense.

A bill appropriating $1,650 to pay the expenses and per diem of the members of the democratic presidential electors was passed finally today and now goes to the governor.

Representative Sanders introduced a bill today providing that incurable insanity shall be grounds for divorce. McKensie and Douglas introduced a bill making insurance companies liable for 12 per cent over the amount of all proven losses. A bill was also presented requiring railroads to maintain general offices in the state.

The house received an invitation from the citizens of Laredo to attend the celebration of Washington's birthday.

LEGISLATIVE GOSSIP

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 18.—The Bible which Governor Lanham kissed when he was inaugurated, is one of the most precious volumes in the possession of the state. It was purchased by the supreme court of the Republic of Texas in 1840, and has been used in the inauguration of every president of the republic and governor of the state of Texas since that time. It is leather bound, contains both the Old and New Testaments. A portion of the title page is gone, and when it was published and by whom is not known. It is kept in the supreme court room and never used except in inaugural ceremonies.

Governor Lanham was attired when he was inaugurated in a black suit, coat, vest and pants of the same material. The cloth was black cheviot, manufactured into cloth by the Kirksey Woolen Mills of Waco, from wool grown on the back of Texas sheep. The suit was made in Waco and in every respect is strictly and literally a Texas production from the raw material to the finished suit.

YESTERDAY IN THE HOUSE

The appropriations committee held its first meeting yesterday. The general work was mapped out for the session, but no bills considered.

The committee on mines and mining met, considered bill by Webb creating office of state mining inspector. Action was postponed for two weeks in order to give friends and opponents of the measure time in which to be heard.

Judiciary committee met and considered several bills. The committee reported favorably a bill fixing the criminal jurisdiction of the county court of Hutchinson county. This committee also reported favorably a bill by Bowser of Dallas, requiring defendants to deny under oath allegations of plaintiffs relating to written instruments, otherwise such allegations to be accepted as truth.

CRACKSMEN ROB SUB-POSTOFFICE AT POLYTECHNIC

Wreck Safe with Nitroglycerin and Secure Booty Valued at $260—Explosion Awakens Many, but Thieves Escape

Cracksmen made a raid on the sub-postoffice at Polytechnic Heights at an early hour this morning and made away with cash, money orders and stamps to the amount of about $260.

Nitroglycerin was used in blowing the safe, which is a total wreck.

The explosion was so loud that many people in the Heights heard the report.

As soon as the robbery became known the sheriff's office was notified, as was also Deputy United States Marshal W. O. Thomas. The latter officer, with Deputy Sheriff R. S. Purviss, went out to the scene and began an investigation, but discovered only a slight clew which the officers followed without effect. The men were tracked some distance toward the city, but the officers were unable to keep the trace and abandoned the search temporarily.

The postoffice is in the grocery store of S. S. Dillon, who is the postmaster.

The robbers entered the building through the front door and made their escape by the back way.

The stamps taken were of the 5 and 10 cent denomination.

1302-1304-6 MAIN ST.

MONNIG'S

1302-1304-6 MAIN ST.

Grand Give-Away Sale!

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE PRESENTS GIVEN AWAY TO *OUR* CUSTOMERS

The Value of Same Amounting to Three Hundred Dollars

These Prizes can be seen displayed in our show window. Among same you will find six fine Upholstered Couches, six handsome Rockers, six fine Moquet and Smyrna Rugs, rich Tapestry Portieres, 15 pieces fine Statuary, Plush Lap Robes, Turkish Bath Towels, Linen Lunch Cloths, Table and Dresser Drawn Work Scarfs, Lace Door Panels and numerous other valuable articles. Call and see them

We Mention the Individual Values of a Few of the Prizes:

Couches

One Couch, value	$30.00
One Couch, value	$27.00
One Couch, value	$20.00
One Couch, value	$17.50
One Couch, value	$15.00
One Couch, value	$10.00

Every 50c purchase entitles you to a ticket.. Every $1.00 purchase to two tickets, and so on.

Fine Rocking Chairs

One High-class Rocker, value	$12.50
One High-class Rocker, value	$9.00
One High-class Rocker, value	$7.00
One High-class Rocker, value	$6.00
One Oak Rocker, value	$5.00
One Oak Rocker, value	$4.50

No one in any way connected with this store will be allowed to participate or receive tickets pertaining to this event.

Prizes of Value

One Pair Tapestry Portieres	$7.50
One Plush Lap Robe	$3.00
One Large Rug, value	$7.50
One Large Rug, value	$5.00
15 pieces Statuary, $1.00 to	$5.00
Table and Dresser Scarfs, Lace Door Panels, etc.	

This offer will end Tuesday, Jan. 31, inclusive.. Prizes awarded Wednesday, Feb. 1.

The Distribution of Prizes Will be Conducted in Strictly an Impartial Manner to Everybody

The Following Price Quotations Will be of Big Benefit to You During This Give-Away Sale

Choicest designs 10c Book Fold Percales, new goods, yard **5c**

25c value, 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, yard **15c**

10c value, 36-inch fine Bleached Cambric, soft finish, 10 yards for.... **55c**

One yard wide, fine Bleached Cotton, soft finish, 20 yards for **$1.00**

12½c value Amoskeag Teazledown Outing Flannels, yard **7c**

10c value in Colored Chambray, yard **5c**

Standard Shirting Prints, light grounds, 10 yards for **25c**
One cut to each.

Big lot Ladies' Belts, all kinds, each **5c**

12½c value, extra Fleeced Unbleached Canton Flannel, yard **8c**

Book Fold Cheviot Shirting, value 12½c; while it lasts, yard **7½c**

One yard wide, fine Bleached Apron Check Ginghams, 10 yards **35c**

White Wool Flannel, 10 yards for **$1.00**

10c values, Figured Flannelettes, yard **5c**

Good Indigo and Red Calicoes, 10 yards for **39c**

Large Flowered Drapery Calico, 10 yds for.. **35c**

Except blacks, any $12.50 to $15.00 Man's Suit in the house. It is yours for **$9.00**

50c value, Bleached Barber Towels, per dozen **38c**

Good Mattress Ticking 10 yards for **50c**

A Ticket with every 50 cent purchase

Ladies' 25c Underwear, in all branches; give-away sale, a garment.. **19c**

175 Valuable Prizes Given.

15c value, Ladies' Fleeced Black Hose, 10 pairs for **$1.00**

Women's Felt Slippers, brown or black, per pair **50c**

Men's Fancy Silk Clocked Socks, value 20c; brown, blue and black, now, pair **10c**

50c, 75c to $1.00 values in Ladies Hand Satchels, each **25c**

Assorted lot broken sizes in fine Corsets, values have been $1.00 to $1.50; your choice, each **15c**

$300 Worth Valuable Presents Absolutely *Given* to Our Customers

Ladies' $2.00 Black Melton Walking Skirts, each **95c**

Ladies' $1.75 Wool Sweaters, black, white and navy, each **$1.00**

$1.00 value Ladies' Oxford Waists, each **39c**

500 yards new Embroideries, 2 to 2½ inches wide, yard **5c**

Ladies' Fleeced Vests, each **10c**

75c value Fine Wool Fascinators, each **39c**

50c to $1.00 values in Ladies' Silk Neckwear; they go at, each **15c**

Five Bargain Tables of Ladies' and Children's Footwear, Priesmeyer makes, 50c, 98c, 95c, $1.48 and **$1.75**

Notions--Give-Away Sale Prices

One dozen Collar Buttons	2¢
Two dozen White Pearl Buttons	2¢
One dozen Safety Pins, any size	2¢
One Cabinet of Hair Pins	2¢
One barrel of Tacks	2¢
Good Toilet Soap, cake	2¢
12 Cakes Castile Soap for	10¢
One Bottle Mucilage	4¢
One pound jar of Vaseline	10¢
50 sheets Note Paper for	10¢
One Paper Brass Pins for	10¢
Odd lot O. N. T. Crochet Cotton, spool	2¢
Machine Spool Cotton, spool	2¢
Good Lead Pencils, dozen	9¢
Fine Combs, each	2¢

A Dollar's Worth Free To Any Rheumatic Sufferer

I ask no deposit—no reference—no security. There is nothing to risk—nothing to promise—nothing to pay, either now or later. Any Rheumatic sufferer who does not know my remedy may have a full dollar's worth free to try.

I willingly make this liberal offer because I know that Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy may be relied upon ALWAYS to bring the utmost relief that medicine can. Years before I discovered this remedy, I studied the nature of Rheumatism. For Rheumatism is really

Crystallized Poison!

Your blood is always full of poison—the poison you eat and drink and breathe into your system. It is the purpose of the blood to absorb and carry off this very poison. And the kidneys, which are the blood filters, are expected to cleanse the blood and send it back through the system clean, to gather more poison which they, in turn, will eliminate.

But sometimes the kidneys fail. And sometimes, from some other cause the blood gets so full of poison that they can not absorb it all. This is the start of Rheumatism. The poison accumulates and crystallizes. The crystals look like little grains of sugar or of fine white sand. The blood carries them and they increase in size. Then, when it can carry them no longer, it deposits them in a joint—on a bone—anywhere.

The twinge in your leg—the dull ache in your arm on a rainy day—these are the outward signs of the unseen crystals. And the twisted limbs and unspeakable anguish of the sufferer who has allowed his symptoms to go unheeded and unattended for years—these are the evidences of what Rheumatism, neglected, can do.

Rheumatism includes lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, gout—for all these are the results of rheumatic poison in the blood.

Plainly, the first thing to do is to remove the poison. But this is not enough. The FORMATION of the poison must be stopped, so that nature may have a chance to dissolve and eliminate the crystals which have already formed. Unless this is done there can be no cure—no permanent relief.

I searched the whole earth for a specific for Rheumatism—something that I or any physician could feel safe in perscribing—something that we could count on not only occasionally, but ALWAYS. For the ravages of Rheumatism are everywhere and genuine relief is rare.

I spent twenty years in experimenting before I felt satisfied that I had a certain remedy for this dread disease—a remedy which would not only clean out the poison, but one which would stop its formation.

Certain Relief

The secret lay in a wonderful chemical I found in Germany. When I found this chemical, I knew that I could make a Rheumatic cure that would be practically certain. But even then, before I made an announcement—before I was willing to put my name on it—I made more than 2,000 tests! And my failures were but 2 per cent.

This German chemical is not the only ingredient I use in Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure—but it made the remedy possible—made possible an achievement which, I doubt not, could have been made in no other way.

This chemical was very expensive. The duty, too, was high. In all it cost me $4.90 per pound. But what is $4.90 per pound for a REAL remedy for the world's most painful disease?—for a REAL relief from the greatest torture human beings know?

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TO MAKE A PARK IN DEATH VALLEY

Gov. John Sparks of Nevada Interested in Unique Enterprise

GEORGETOWN, Texas, Jan. 18.—Captain John Finin and assistants have made another shipment of Texas opossums to Governor John Sparks of Nevada, making 100 of these grizzled, grinning animals. A Telegram correspondent met Captain Finin, a typical Texan, who owns cattle from Nevada to Mexico, at the express office, where he had a consignment of opossums.

"I am sending these to John Sparks," he said. "When he left Georgetown last week he told me he wanted 100 Georgetown opossums and made me promise to ship them to him. I am no opossum hunter, but I got about a dozen boys and told them to get me these animals, and they go to Reno, Nev.

"Added to these 100 will be 100 from Missouri, and Governor Sparks and his associates will cross-breed them in the oasis recently discovered by O. G. Davis in Death Valley, Nev., where in the midst of a desert of 100 by 125 miles a natural park of 1,000 acres is located. The valley is named Death Valley became many immigrants have lost their lives in trying to pass through it. The oasis has springs, creeks, timber and many varieties of grapes, persimmons and live-giving berries. Governor Sparks and associates are fencing it and will build a club house in the center, where a great crystal spring bursts from the earth, only to be lost a hundred yards away in the sands of the desert, and where these waters disappear all vegetation is lost and oceans of sand appear. This oasis in Death Valley is about two days' journey from the new goldfield which has been established by Governor Sparks and associates. A road has been posted to the oasis. It is hardly expected that any man will ever depredate this wonderful park. The trees are gigantic, covered with long hanging mosses and the most producive undergrowth ever seen. There is an open space on a highland of about 160 acres, and a little river circles three-fourths of it. Upon this the club house will be built and trees planted and water pipes placed. In addition to the opossums, deer, buffalo, elk, squirrels and quails will be placed in the inclosure in large numbers and all sorts of berrics and fruits will be planted in the low lands where the soil is as rich and productive as the Nile. Parties will make annual trips to the park in Death Valley and enjoy an outing completely surrounded by a desert and desolate hills and mountains for 100 miles, where hundreds of human beings have followed unguided and perished for water.

Captain B. A. Strange and Captain John Finin of this place, who are life-time friends of Governor Sparks, expect to make a trip up to Nevada, where they are interested in cattle and mining, and visit the oasis in Death Valley.

POLICE LIKE PISTOL BILL

Chief Rea and Assistants Declare it Would Materially Reduce Work of the Department

Chief of Police Rea, Assistant Chief of Police Allen and Detective Maddox are all in favor of the bill introduced in the legislature by Representative Frank B. Guinn of Cherokee county, making it a penitentiary offense to carry a pistol or dirk or to use the same with any intention of injury. They say this measure will greatly reduce the number of cases brought up before the courts for assault with intent to kill and will also protect the public from highway robbers and thieves.

"It is a good, sensible move," said Chief Rea, "and will stop almost all of the cases of aggravated assault and assault with intent to kill."

Assistant Chief Allen said: "I heartily approve of the measure. It will assist the police in running down crooks and thieves." Detective Maddox also heartily favors the measure and says: "Less highway robberies, thefts and shooting affrays will occur than have in the past if the measure can be passed."

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CARPENTERS WIN IN NEW YORK LABOR WAR

Thompson-Starrett Company Announces Intention of Employing Members Locked Out by Employers

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Dissensions among members of the Building Trades Employers' Association have culminated in an announcement by the Thompson-Starrett Company of its intention to employ locked-out members of the Carpenters' Union.

The Employers' Association has kept the Brotherhood of Carpenters out of employment in this city for five months, having refused to reinstate the 2,000 members unless they join the new association of carpenters which was organized by the Employers' Association to take the place of the locked-out union. The carpenters locked out had, it was charged, violated a point in the arbitration plan by joining in a sympathetic strike.

Members of the locked-out union declared they would starve rather than assent to the Employers' Association demands, and it is said much suffering has ensued among some of their families. When the news reached the union headquarters that work would again be obtainable there was much rejoicing.

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TO ASK FRANCHISE FOR A NEW LINE

Arlington Heights Investors Will Present Petition to City Council

N. A. Evans, who is negotiating the deal whereby the Arlington Heights property is to be taken over by George E. Montgomery and John L. Breathwit and associates of Shreveport, La., said today that the trade was practically closed. Both Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Breathwit left the city for home Tuesday night, to make arrangements for returning to Fort Worth and beginning the work of improving that suburb next Friday.

On their return to Fort Worth next Friday next Friday Messrs. Montgomery and Breathwit will at once have prepared a petition which is to be presented to the city council, asking for a franchise for a street car line from Arlington Heights into Fort Worth.

WRECK ON SANTA FE

Passenger Train Derailed and Crew Injured at Cleburne

CLEBURNE, Texas, Jan. 18.—A bad wreck occurred in the south yards of the Santa Fe late Monday night.

A passenger train started out, and just three blocks farther the engine split a switch and ran off on the cross-ties. There it turned over, plowing its way into the mud. A baggage car followed it and the rest were badly jolted.

Fireman Joe A. Kahler was badly bruised. Engineer John T. Templeton was shocked. Baggageman Warlick and a guard named Jones were also shaken up and slightly bruised, but owing to the slow rate of speed no one was killed, and thus a most terrible piling up of coaches was averted.

The wrecked engine and baggage car were replaced and the train sent on south.

WOMAN INJURED BY EXPLOSION

Carried Lantern into Acetylene Plant with Disastrous Results

Mrs. M. L. Chambers of 2315 Hemphill street was seriously burned at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening as the result of an acetylene explosion.

The only thing that saved her from instant death, said her husband today, was the woolen clothing she wore.

"I think that she will fully recover in a few days. Her face, arms, hands and hair are badly burned, but she is not fatally injured.

"I have an acetylene gas plant at my home," he said. "The plant is eighty or a hundred feet from the house, and consists of a water reservoir, a calcium carbine reservoir and a gas reservoir.

"I usually attend to the plant myself, but Tuesday night when my wife attempted to light up the house the lights refused to work. She secured a lantern and went out to the plant. The pipes had frozen and the gas that had generated was held in the pipe by the frozen water. Now this gas had to have an outlet. When the gas grew sufficiently strong it pushed the bell upward and so escaped, filling the plant with gas. When my wife came in the door with the lantern the gas was ignited, the explosion following. Had she not had the presence of mind to get out of the plant as quickly as possible she would have been killed in the explosion that followed immediately after she got on the outside of the building. She was carried into the house by the washerwoman and a workman at the house."

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ELKS ENTERTAIN OFFICERS

State President and Other Officials Aid in Arranging Coming Convention in This City

State President J. E. Farnsworth and a number of the state officers of the Elks met in the city Tuesday night for the purpose of making arrangements for the entertainment of the state organization. Besides the visiting officers almost all the members of the local lodge were present.

At the regular lodge meeting E. W. Tempel of the local lodge was appointed chairman and Robert Littlejohn secretary. The entertainment of the state association was discussed at length. Almost all of the state officers from Dallas made short speeches, suggesting features for the entertainment and outlining plans in general.

Among other things suggested was a grand military parade and ball, and barbecue at Handley. After the talks, Cal Elliott, the local exalted ruler, was empowered to appoint a committee of fifteen to make all necessary arrangements for the occasion. The committee will be appointed at the regular meeting next Tuesday.

After the business session refreshments were served. Among the state officers present from Dallas were: State President J. E. Farnsworth, C. E. Shipp, C. C. Lane, Lindon Smith, F. B. Knight, L. B. Torrey, G. E. Megert, S. H. Tabor, H. H. Williams, A. M. Hall, F. A. Beull, A. Samuels, H. C. Clements and D. Sonnenthiel and R. E. Price of New Jersey.

DODGE BONDS CANCELLED

GALVESTON, Texas, Jan. 18.—Judge Waller T. Burns, sitting in the United States court here, issued an order cancelling the bonds given by an eastern surety company for Charles F. Dodge binding him to abide by any order from either the United States court for the southern district of Texas, the circuit court of appeals at New Orleans or the supreme court of the United States.

The first of these bonds was made in February, 1904, and the other in March of the same year. Each bond was in the sum of $10,000.

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FIRE IN BARN BURNS HORSES

Registered Colt One of Two Animals That Perished in Flames

Two valuable horses were burned in a fire which broke out in the barn belonging to W. H. Sprinkle, in Gould avenue, near Twelfth street, North Fort Worth, this morning about 5:30 o'clock. Before it was discovered it had gotten under such headway that all efforts to extinguish the flames proved ineffective. Fire Chief Capps and his assistant arrived on the scene in time to save the adjoining buildings from the flames, but too late to save the barn. A large quantity of hay and grain in the building was also lost.

It is thought that the fire started from some one sleeping in the barn and carelessly dropping a burning match or cigarette.

During the fire a water tank belonging to R. O. Phillips on the adjoining lot caught fire, but was quickly put out.

The chemical engine belonging to the North Fort Worth fire department proved to be quite effectual in putting out the fire that caught in the adjoining buildings, but as there is no fire plug within 1,000 feet of the scene of the fire the hose was unavailable.

One of the horses burned was a registered colt of excellent blood. The total loss is placed at $800, with $200 insurance.

LOCAL MEN BUY TANKS

Important Water Supply Purchased Near El Paso

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 18.—Fort Worth stockmen, whose names are withheld at present, have bought the property known as the Hueco tanks, northeast of this city for $50 000. These tanks hold water for a hundred miles that never gives out and will supply great numbers of range cattle.

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THREE SHERIFFS: ONE JAIL

Peculiar Tangle Exists in Affairs of Wayne County, Michigan—One Held As Prisoner

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 18.—With three sheriffs actually lodged in the county jail the question who is legally the chief executive officer of Wayne county is a conundrum that is drifting slowly toward a decision in the courts.

John T. Hoffmann, who was elected sheriff on Nov. 8, is a prisoner at the jail under a four years' sentence for receiving money under false pretenses. Henry Dickson, whose term as sheriff expired on Jan. 1, had held office four years up to that date and a constitutional provision prohibits a longer term. William Butler, who was Dickson's turnkey, was appointed sheriff by the prosecuting attorney and clerk on the ground that the office was vacant. Butler and Dickson continue to hold possession of the jail in harmony with each other, regardless of which one may eventually be declared ad interim sheriff. However, the county auditors have allowed Dickson's employes to receive their pay, thus tacitly recognizing him as sheriff, although they appointed Butler as their special representative at the jail.

CARNEGIE TO PAY STUDENTS' LOSS

Will Make Good Deposits Lost Through Failure of Bank at Oberlin

OBERLIN, Ohio, Jan. 18.—Gratifying news was received by students of Oberlin College yesterday when President King announced at chapel that all moneys which had been lost by students through the failure of the Citizens National bank, which closed its doors at the time of the alleged Chadwick forgeries, would be paid on presentation of their passbooks. President King announced further that Andrew Carnegie was the man who was doing this.

At the time of the failure, in which Mr. Carnegie's name played such prominent part, the stories of privation and hardship which would ensue to students and others who had their all in the bank were brought to Mr. Carnegie's attention and he immediately ordered a list prepared of all worthy depositors. This list was accordingly prepared and yesterday a check was received from Mr. Carnegie, who, President King stated, while innocently figuring in the bank failure, and in no wise responsible, did not wish to see deserving students and others suffer.

Besides reimbursing the depositors, Mr. Carnegie reimbursed the Y. M. C. A. to the extent of some $3,000, which had been laid aside for a new building and which was lost in the same failure.

If taken this month, keeps you well all summer. It makes the little ones eat, sleep and grow. A spring tonic for the whole family: Hollisters' Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

COMBES MINISTRY RESIGNS IN BODY

President Loubet Accepts and Begins Plans for Forming New Cabinet

PARIS, Jan. 18.—The Combes ministry presented its resignation to President Loubet at the Elysee Palace this morning and the president accepted it, but asked the ministers individually to carry on their functions until the new cabinet is formed.

M. Loubet will begin the consideration of the formation of a new cabinet this afternoon. He summoned the president of the senate, M. Fallieres, and the president of the chamber of deputies, Paul Doumer, to the Elysee for conferences. These conferences will determine whom M. Loubet will invite to form the ministry.

M. Rouvier continues to occupy first place, but his chances are less certain than at first, owing to the belief that the Rouvier cabinet can not last long on account of internal divisions.

EDUCATIONAL METHODS IN JAPANESE SCHOOLS

Premium Placed Upon Intellect in the Land of the Chrysanthemum

Miss Olive M. Blunt, who is speaking in the schools, colleges and churches of this city on Japan, spent five years in Illinois and eight in the public schools of Kansas City before being sent by the Baptist board to Southern Japan to open a girl's school.

She writes a few words for The Telegram concerning education in that country.

The Japanese as a nation have abnormally developed memories. They had no written language until they took the classic Chinese in the fifteenth century. The Japanese and the classical Chinese language is therefore the same.

A Chinese missionary spent one summer with me in Southern Japan, bringing with her two Chinese girls. These girls would converse by the hour with the Japanese girls by means of the written characters, but the moment they would try to speak to each other they became unintelligible, much to their amusement. For instance, they would write the character for house, and being the same, it would be understood, while the Chinese call it one thing and the Japanese call it entirely different.

It requires 3,000 characters to write the New Testament in the classical language of Japan. To hold them in mind develops and strengthens the memory. However, there are forty-seven small characters, which those of limited education learn, and which all missionaries use, unless they learn the classical for translation of tracts. Most missionaries give attention to the colloquial, or spoken, language rather than to the written.

One of my Japanese student friends in college in this country gave regular lectures to the American students on training the memory. Every school in Japan engages one or more old men to teach the classical Chinese, as only old men know it perfectly. The younger men have been giving more attention to mathematics and the sciences.

I had charge of the girls' school in Japan and one of the rules was that no girl could study before breakfast and at night the retiring bell was never a welcome one to them.

Missionary schools can not compete with the government schools in apparatus or salary of teachers, but all look to the mission schools for true moral character.

According to the educational report for 1903, there were thirty-nine technical schools, fourteen agricultural schools and 110 industrial or manual training schools. These include also silk worm raising and tea dying and ten foundries.

From these they send the best students to foreign countries to study and to return and give their best to their country. Japan places a premium on intellect and mental concentration. Almost all public schools teach the boys military tactics and the girls sewing, knitting and embroidery.

The high schools of the public schools would equal our high schools, except that more attention is given to English and German languages and less to mathematics and the sciences.

They have an annual day for the exhibit of writing, sewing and knitting, and strange to say, it is the custom there for parents to visit the schools and the rooms are thronged from morning until night.

GAUNT, GRIM WOLF

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degree in this advantage rather than retrograde while the industry progresses."

The manufacturers have made several determined efforts to open their mills. On Monday morning the whistles have been blown, but the strike leaders declare that only a few hundred unskilled workers have responded. It is a fact that operatives are at work in all of the mills today, and the employers assert that the strike is wearing itself out.

Speaking for the employers' association, its president, N. B Borden, said: "There will be a settlement of this strike when the operatives adhere to the 12½ per cent reduction."

A week ago there was a union vote whether to give up or fight on and it was unanimous in favor of a continuance of the siege.

Entering into the situation here is one of the most notable and impressive features in the industrial affairs of the day in this country. It is among the first patent signs of the new-born strength of the rehabilitated industry of the south.

Cotton men here reluctantly admit that New England's great cotton cloth industry, hundreds of mills and 18,700,000 spindles, has been struck.

A STAGGERING BLOW

within the past five years. Since 1898 the south has increased its spindles 4,293,576. Through economies resultant from the manufacture at the producing point and from cheaper labor the south has established competition with which cotton men here declare they cannot compete under present conditions.

The mill owners say it is a question of the life or death of the industry here. With a reduction of 12½ per cent in the wages of the 24,000 operatives, who are on strike rather than accept these terms, the employers say they could run their mills at a reasonable profit. While the strikers show what appears to be reasonable proof that the mill men exaggerate the seriousness of the industrial condition and deny that the mills cannot be run at a fair profit at the old wage scale they too admit that the south has delivered a terrific blow at New England.

If the proposition in the form of a resolution now before the labor committee of the legislature to make a thorough investigation of the industrial status of Fall River is realized it must disclose the fate of this cotton center, which ranks second largest in the world.

This has been a burning question here since the south has become recognized as a great competitor. More than $40,000,000 are invested in Fall River cotton mills, and in normal times 30,000 people are employed. Nearly one-half of the cotton mills of the United States are in New England. If the statements of the Fall River manufacturers are true this great industry is threatened with an enforced deterioration or the operatives must lower their standards to the level of the poor white of the south.

It is stated to be a fact that not only are southern mills equipped with more modern machinery but they are able to produce cotton cloth, due to cheap labor and location at the point of production of raw cotton, for two-thirds the cost of the same product in New England.

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MADAME HUMBERT VERY ILL

Convicted of Notorious Swindles, She Still Declares Innocence and Predicts Early Release From Prison

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Madame Humbert, convicted of swindling after a sensational expose, is seriously ill from influenza, cables the Herald's correspondent at Rennes, France. Nevertheless, she manifested great joy on learning that the Combes ministry had resigned and declared the minister of justice had quit none too soon.

"I shall now obtain my release," she said, "for I am innocent. It is all through M. Valle that I am kept in prison."

IRVINE CHARGES SLANDER

Controversy Between Rector and Bishop Talbot of Pennsylvania Assumes New Phase

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—The controversy between Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Central Pennsylvania, and Rev. Dr. I. N. W. Irvine took a new turn today, and it is probable that the whole affair will be aired in the civil courts. Dr. Irvine today filed notice to a suit for slander against Bishop Talbot, asking damages. The papers were served on the bishop, who came to this city.

A fine Roman pavement of mosaic work has been unearthed at Reggio di Calabria, Italy.

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PARTING OF THE WAYS

The cattlemen and people generally of Texas are not surprised at the result of the meeting of cattlemen at Denver a few days ago, which marked the parting of the ways between the cattlemen of the country and the National Live Stock Association. It has been clearly apparent for more than three years that the divergence could not be much longer averted, and the final clash was precipitated through the effort of those in control of the national association to group discordant and inharmonious elements into one beautiful and sightly whole, where there would no longer be contention from the fact that the same element would be in control of the organization that has been controlling the meat producers of the country outside of the organization for the past three years. But it can be said to the credit of the cattlemen that they have become so thoroughly aroused to the continued injustice that has been heaped upon them that they have resolved to no longer submit to any more of it, and the secession at Denver and organization of a simon-pure cattlemen's organization was but the natural result of that very general determination. The action taken at Denver by Judge Sam H. Cowan and his associates in the gallant fight that was made for the cattlemen of the entire country has met with the unqualified approval of Texas cattlemen, and they will be backed and supported with characteristic Texas loyalty in all that they are trying to do. Judge Cowan had assurances to this effect while in Denver, and the following extract from the Denver Morning News, shows he realized that he had the cattlemen of the southwest at his back:

Before Attorney Samuel H. Cowan of Texas left Denver for Kansas City yesterday he expressed himself as thoroughly satisfied with the outcome of the live stock convention.

"I have received several telegram approving in the highest terms the stand taken by Mr. MacKenzie, myself and our associates," he said. "Just a few minutes ago I received a message from W. W. Turney, president of the Texas Cattle Growers' Association and chairman of the cattle growers' interstate executive committee, to the effect that the entire live stock interest of the country stands back of us. I have another from the editor of the Stockman-Journal, Fort Worth, saying, 'Our sympathies are with you.'"

"Do you think these two organizations will ever get together again, as some have predicted?" he was asked.

"No, sah," he replied in his fine southern accent. "No, sah; that is, not unless those other fellows come to realize that we must have exclusively a live stock association. It is the moral effect of the thing, principally. We can't have the people think that we are affiliating with the beef trust."

"What do you think of the appointment of A. G. Leonard, the head of the Chicago Vanderbilt interests, and of Nelson Morris, the representative of the big four—the National, Armour, Swift and Morris packing companies—who make up the so-called beef trust; what do you think of the significance of the appointment of these gentlemen to the central committee of the reorganized live stock association?"

"Well, sah," the attorney continued, with his characteristic drawl, "you might say for me that personally I believe them to be honest, fair-minded gentlemen; but they have nothing in common with the live stock people. We couldn't join our interests to theirs. They are by nature antagonistic to us. What we must have is an organization for live stock producers. And let me tell you, sah, we have it now, and after we permanently organize in May we will have the one powerful organization.

"I am going on to Washington very shortly to appear before congress in the interests of the producers, and we are going to get what we are going after.

"Well, my train leaves in ten minutes; I must be going. Good-by, sah, good-by," he echoed in his deep basso, as he passed through the depot gate.

Now that it has been determined that the cattlemen of the country shall stand alone in the fight they are making for their just and legal rights, there must be no weakening in dealing with any phase of the situation that may arise. Only the preliminary work of the great national organization has been accomplished, and there yet remains much to be done. At Denver next May the great meeting is to be held, which is to shape the affairs of the new organization, and the cattlemen of the southwest must show their interest and their loyalty by their presence and their willingness to give the movement their unqualified support. Lack of interest will be fatal to the new organization, the need of which has been so keenly felt for years, and the leaders in the movement must be encouraged to go forward with the work they have undertaken.

The action of the other interests in attempting to tie the hands of the cattlemen at the recent Denver convention is prima facie evidence that the opposition is thoroughly awake and actively at work, and there exists a very marked determination to unloosen the coils only when it is no longer possible to compel the producers to stand and deliver. Organization must be combatted with organization, and these people given to clearly understand that the resentment of the producing cattle interests of this country is not a thing to blow over in a day. Having taken the all important step, the next thing to do is to make it lasting. Let the world understand that the work that can not be done for the cattlemen inside their state organizations will be pushed and fostered by a great national organization, composed of the brain and sinew of the producers as a whole. Let the work that is to be done be pushed in every way possible, and the world given evidence of what this great industry can and will do when it is thoroughly aroused.

The satisfaction that is being expressed in democratic circles over the alleged inclination of President Roosevelt in the direction of the democratic party will give way one of these days when he takes a step that will proclaim his stalwart republicanism. There is not much danger of the president coming over to democracy and bringing his party with him. His hope is rather to rally all of democracy possible to his standard and go down in history as the man who disrupted the solid south and made republicanism so respectable that it could hold its own in any state in this country.

The information that Arlington Heights will be rejuvenated and brought to the front under new ownership and new management is peculiarly gratifying to the citizens of Fort Worth. The old days when that popular suburb was in the zenith of its glory have not been forgotten, and the prediction has often been made that history would be made to repeat itself in the case of Arlington Heights.

Governor S. W. T. Lanham has been duly inaugurated as the chief executive of the state of Texas for the second time, and will once again begin the work that is to round out his political career. Friends of the governor say that it is his ambition to shine during the closing period of his political service, as he wishes to be remembered as one of the state's greatest and ablest executives.

North Fort Worth is to have a new public school building that will cost somewhere in the neighborhood of $25,000. As North Fort Worth is entirely out of debt, and will have money with which to pay her way, it may be expected that progress and development will continue to be the order of the day in that particular vicinity. Water works and other public improvements are looming up as possibilities of the very near future.

Colonel E. S. Peters, president of the National Cotton Growers' Association, says he has an offer from a responsible southern banking firm to advance $25 on every bale of cotton held in Texas, Oklahoma and the Indian Territory. The farmers of Texas will please take notice that the loan is to be made on cotton that is being held. There is no proviso for any number of bales that may be burned.

There is now more or less agitation concerning the abolition of the grand jury system, and this has given rise to the suspicion that it is a matter that has been precipitated by some western United States senators, who feel that the system is responsible for a condition that has suddenly precipitated itself upon their attention.

Andrew Carnegie renders $5,000,000 for taxation in the city of New York, and if Andrew's fortune has already dwindled to that proportion his ambition to die poor seems in a very fair way of being realized. John D. Rockefeller is also getting poor. His rendition is limited to just double the amount confessed by Mr. Carnegie.

The members of the interstate commerce commission are saying some very uncomplimentary things about President Ripley of the Santa Fe. And it is quite probable that President Ripley is thinking some very uncomplimentary things concerning the interstate commerce commission.

Experience has demonstrated that it requires a very long time to reach the trusts and combinations through the courts, and a realization of that fact is what has stirred up the present demand from the people for legislation that will at least have a tendency to relieve existing conditions.

Speaker Stubbs of the Kansas state legislature has returned every pass that was mailed him by the railways, but declines to give any reason for his action. The speaker of the Kansas legislature is more modest than one would expect from the situation. He lost a glowing opportunity to hand the railroads a warm one.

The measure prohibiting the sport known as roping contests in Texas has been favorably reported in the senate at Austin, and leading cattlemen are of the opinion that the measure will become a law. The cattlemen of the state are said to be almost a unit in the demand for the passage of this measure.

The senate has gone to work on an anti-free pass bill at Austin, and it is said that an honest effort will be made to get the measure through. The Telegram indulges in the hope that this platform demand of the democratic party may safely run the gauntlet and speedily become a law.

It was reserved for a Pennsylvania genius to discover that stomach trouble could be eliminated by fasting for a period of sixty-nine days. That man's stomach will never trouble him again. The verdict of the coroner was that it was a clear case of suicide.

Gleanings From the Exchanges

A bill has been introduced in the legislature to apportion the free school money of the state to the negro schools only in proportion to the taxes paid by the negro race. We do not suppose that there is any probability of the bill being passed, for it is unquestionably wrong. The free school fund belongs to all the citizens of Texas equally, and the negro is as much a citizen as anybody else. He is more in need of funds to educate his children than the whites, for he has little wealth. These children must be educated. The state must educate them in self-defense. It would be just as reasonable and just to say that the Germans and Bohemians should receive free school money in proportion to the taxes they pay, as it is to say as much of the negro. And if this is true, it is just that every man in the state, irrespective of race or color, should receive the benefit of the free school fund in proportion to the taxes he pays. The proposition is preposterous.—Bonham News.

Those are the sentiments that are worthy of a true son of the Lone Star State. Texas is the largest and greatest state in the sisterhood of states, and Texas can never be so false to her own greatness as to do the negro this injustice. Charity begins at home, and the negro is a charge upon the charity of the southern people. It is our plain duty to make an honest attempt to raise him from his present level of illiteracy and qualify him as nearly as possible for the duties of good citizenship.

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Senator Faulk's bill introduced today contains excellent features. It provides for the parole of meritorious convicts. Under the bill a convict is not considered eligible to an application for parole unless such application be signed by the superintendent, assistant superintendent and chaplain of the penitentiary. The application is then presented to the penitentiary board, board of pardons and the governor for approval, and if this is gained the convict is allowed to return to his home, the proper authorities still keeping thoroughly in touch with his actions and conduct. No parole is to be extended under the bill to a convict unless it be his first conviction, nor if he be convicted of murder in the first degree, nor in the second degree if his sentence be for more than twenty-five years. Any paroled prisoner violating his parole of committing any further misdemeanor shall be returned to prison and serve out his original sentence. Any convict so paroled, if his conduct is exemplary, shall at the end of his term receive a restoration of citizenship by the governor.—Dallas Times-Herald.

The state of Texas can afford to exercise more humanity in dealing with her convicts. These people may be guilty of all the crimes known to the decalogue, but they are none the less human. The intention of the law under which they are confined in the state penal institutions is not only that they shall be punished, but that they shall also be offered an opportunity to reform. The plan suggested by the Faulk bill is timely and in accord with progressive thought in that direction. No convict in the state penitentiary, even though his sentence is for life, should be compelled to think that his ultimate pardon and restoration to citizenship is hopeless.

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It will be unfortunate for the state at large if Dr. Rankin, or others, shall be permitted to make a state issue out of the reverend gentleman's defeat for chaplain in the Texas legislature. Dr. Rankin had a right to be a candidate for the position, and the members of the house had a right to decline his services, and that is all there is to it.—Houston Post.

Neither Dr. Rankin nor his friends will be permitted to make a state issue out of the defeat of that very estimable gentleman at Austin. And incidentally it may be stated that his enemies will also not be permitted to make a state issue out of the matter, either. The best thing all parties can do is to drop the issue.

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Will Mr. Roosevelt land on the democratic side? That question may, to some at least, seem very, very foolish. But it is to be noted that the president is, if reports be correct, urging those things which mark him as a democrat. Tariff revision, regulation of freight rates and federal supervision of trusts—are not these the things which a democrat might be expected to champion? The congress is pulling back, and the occasion may land Theodore Roosevelt on the democratic side.—Waco Times-Herald.

Whether Mr. Roosevelt is a democrat or not, it is morally certain that he is considerably in advance of his party on the leading issues of the day. It is certain, too, that his attitude on these questions very nearly represents that of the democratic party.

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Negro school teachers have for years been buying the examination questions, but how and where they get them is a question about which the state superintendent is still in the dark. For ways that are dark the darkies are peculiar.—Tyler Democrat-Reporter.

The negro teachers are not the only sinners in this respect. More than once some white teachers have been implicated in the same procedure, and the darky has only followed close in the wake of the Caucasian.

AMUSEMENTS

"The Billionaire" needs starch.

It needs a stage-manager who can use a smoothing iron.

Its material is good, and its frills, flounces, tucks and pleats are arranged most agreeably, but the stage laundryman turned it out in too big a hurry.

"The Billionaire" has an abundance of good things about it. It has the foundation for as good a musical farce-comedy as is on the road.

The second act, the scene of which is laid in a mimic theater, is so full of clever comedy that the audience is kept in good humor from start to finish. The act is funny as it is novel; one of the funniest ever devised.

The mimic stage on the stage gives an opportunity for introducing a number of vaudeville specialties. The stage audience supplies the comedy, and the combination is an agreeable one.

A big audience saw "The Billionaire" last night, drawn largely by the personality of Thomas Q. Seabrooke, who has the leading role. Josie Intropodi as Mrs. Peppercorn, an ambitious American mother, shared, as they say in the press agents' notices, stellar honors.

The audience warmed up to Harry Macdonough in the part of Baptiste and encored him generously.

"The Billionaire's" good points more than make up for a looseness in execution that reminds one at times of a high school graduating class giving its first "drammer."

In the second act, for instance, Mae Larkin sings "Drowsy Eyes" and sings it well to the accompaniment of a male chorus, which adopted a stage attitude like that of a Choral Symphony Male Quartet giving its annual concert at the village church.

Harry Macdonough, who can sing, had a farcical part that threatens to spoil his really good voice if he has to keep it up. The "Pansy Ballet" in the second act is pretty, graceful and one of the best things in the production.

"QUINCY ADAMS SAWYER"

Tonight comes a really rural New England drama, "Quincy Adams Sawyer."

It was liked so well by the few the last time it appeared in Fort Worth it deserves a better house. "The stage," says the press agent, "is filled with typical New England characters and the audience is kept laughing nearly all the time by the sayings and doings of the people at Masons' Corner. There is no deceived woman, no wandering boy, no tramp to reform and no mortgage to be lifted off the farm."

For wholesome, old-fashioned enjoyment "Quincy Adams Sawyer" would be as hard to beat as David Harum in a horse trade. The curtain rises at 8:15 o'clock.

"SAN TOY"

The feature of the present season in musical comedy is announced for Thursday and Friday nights and Friday matinee, Jan. 19 and 20, at Greenwall's opera house, when John C. Fisher's company will appear in the delightful Chinese-English musical comedy, "San Toy." The play is one of the prime favorites in this city and this time will be found more enjoyable than ever, as Mr. Fisher will offer a cast of exceptional excellence, with James T. Powers as the featured



JAMES T. POWERS AS LI IN "SAN TOY."

number. Mr. Powers will play his original part of the Chinaman, Li, which he portrayed during the season's run of "San Toy" at Daly's theater, New York, in such a satisfactory manner the critics one and all declared it to be the best thing he had ever done. George K. Fortescue, Margaret McKinney, John Peachey, Charles Arling, Florence F. Smith, Nagle Barry, Josephine Newman, W. L. Romaine, Emelie Wellington and Fred W. Huntly are the other principals. There is an immense chorus, special orchestra and a particularly elaborate pictorial equipment.

"RIP VAN WINKLE"

Thomas Jefferson, who has been appearing in all the cities of the west for the past four seasons, will now appear in all the principal cities of the east. Owing to the retirement of his father, therefore, in all probability this will be the last opportunity to witness Mr. Jefferson's presentation of the famous role, as it will be impossible for him to cover the entire country in a season of thirty weeks. Mr. Jefferson has a style of his own, an originality that is as great as his illustrious father, and the likeness between the two is so great that those who have seen both pronounced Thomas Jefferson's performance of the "Worthless Village Idle" as great as that of his father's, although entirely different in conception. Thomas Jefferson in "Rip Van Winkle" comes to Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, Jan. 21.

ROSE COGHLAN'S BEST ROLE

Countess Zicka in Sardou's "Diplomacy" is the role by which Rose Coghlan will be known in theatrical history after the memory of all her other achievements has faded. In the part of the brilliant Russian whose complex nature combines love, hate and intrigue, she first won fame at Wallack's theater, and in that same part she has become known and admired by hundreds of thousands of Americans. Although "Diplomacy" is a play of mystery, the audience is never deceived for a moment as to the character and purposes of Zicka. Sardou, as a master playwright, always takes the audience into his confidence, and while Zicka is a puzzle to the other characters on the stage, she is intelligible to every hearer. In the struggle for mastery between her and Henri Beauclerc, the British diplomatic agent, Miss Coghlan reaches the summit of dramatic power. It is good news that the great actress and her co-star, Howard Kyle, have been engaged to give their grand revival of the classic play at Greenwall's opera house Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee, Jan. 27 and 28.

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A great running sore, or deep offensive ulcer may develop from a slight scratch, bruise or pimple—a harmless looking little boil or slightly swollen gland may soon be an ulcerating mass that will develop into a cancerous ulcer, dangerous and destructive. Middle-aged and old people are the most frequent sufferers from old sores and chronic ulcers, but the young, even children, who have inherited weak constitutions or had them contaminated and tainted by Malaria, or other sickness, are afflicted in the same way. These chronic sores and ulcers are a constant drain on the system, sapping the vitality and strength. They depress the energy with their foul pollution, and are sure signs that the blood is charged with poisonous matters which in its weak, sluggish condition it is unable to throw off. Salves, washes, powders, etc., can never be of any permanent service in the treatment of sores and ulcers, because the trouble is not on the outside, but in the blood, and as long as it circulates through the body in its impoverished and poisoned condition the trouble will grow worse. The need is a remedy that will cleanse the blood of all poisons and impurities, build it up from its weakened state, increase its vigor and strengthen the whole system. S. S. S. does this, and is the only blood purifier that does. Rich blood is carried to the diseased parts, which forms new tissues and allows the sore or ulcer to heal. It works with nature because of its vegetable properties, and tones up every organ while effecting the cure. It brings a safe as well as a permanent cure, and is guaranteed entirely vegetable. Send for our special book on Sores and Ulcers, and write for any advice you wish. We make no charge for this. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

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Affidavits of Relatives or Friends as to Majority Causes Large Number of Rejections

Recent ruling of the war department requiring that an affidavit of a blood relative or affidavits of two friends accompany applications of recruits between the ages of 21 and 22 declaring their exact age has caused an unusually large number of rejections among the applicants at the local station.

There has been a total of twenty-seven rejections within the majority of these being due to the ruling.

Men enlisted since are: Jos. J. Whitten, Graham, Texas, sent to join the infantry at San Francisco; Leslie McDermon, Wilson county, Tenn., infantry, San Francisco; Leon W. Weeks, Topeka, Kan., infantry, San Francisco; Mack A. Luker, Proctor, Texas, coast artillery, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and Turner G. Luker, re-enlisted, company C, Twenty-ninth infantry, at Fort Bliss, Texas.

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Committees Begin Collection of Proposed $50,000 Fund

L. E. Jones, who has charge of prosecuting the work of raising the building fund for the Young Men's Christian Association, said this morning that the various committees are making their rounds today. Already quite a nice sum of money has been raised. Mr. Jones stated that to date $13,000 have been secured on unconditional subscriptions and that the outlook was very encouraging for securing the desired amount that will be required in constructing the new building of the association.

Mr. Jones stated that the intention is to raise a total amount of $50,000, but that whenever $20,000 is in sight the work of constructing the building will commence. The building is to be so constructed that additional rooms may be added at any time.

The headquarters for the soliciting committee for the time being are at the Board of Trade rooms, where all committees are to make their reports.

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Interesting Program Announced for Lecture to Ladies of Maccabees

The following program has been announced for the meeting of the Ladies of the Maccabees tonight at Eagle Hall, to be addressed by the supreme commander, Mrs. Lillian Hollister. She arrived this morning:

Selections, orchestra; invocation, Rev. Hamlin; address of welcome, Mayor T. J. Powell; piano solo, Miss Etta Wilson; recitation, Wright Gaines, Song, selected, Miss Frances Preuit; recitation, Miss Willie Connor; song, selected, Miss Ruth Evans; selections, Mandolin Club; address, Mrs. Lillian M. Hollister.

A class of candidates will be initiated by Mrs. Hollister this afternoon, after which a reception will be tendered her by the hives of this city, Cleburne and Denton.

CANDIDATE FOR CITY MARSHAL

The Telegram is authorized to announce Andrew McCampbell, Jr., as candidate for city marshal, subject to the will of the qualified voters, April election.

WEATHER

FORECAST

The forecast until 8 p. m. Thursday for Texas, east of the one hundredth meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows:

East Texas (north)—Tonight and Thursday, rain, colder Thursday.

East Texas (south)—Tonight and Thursday, rain, colder Thursday in west portion, and on west coast.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

D. S. Landis issued the following statement of weather conditions this morning:

Another high pressure area is entering from the northwest, the center being over West Washington, and preceded by snow in Montana and Utah. Texas is under low pressure domination, giving rain to Palestine and San Antonio. Rain is also falling at Kansas City and St. Louis. The southeast quarter of the country is yet cold, the freezing line extending to New Orleans and Jacksonville, killing frost being reported at Jacksonville this morning.

Texas is cloudy and rainy in the south portion. Temperatures are 10 to 15 degrees higher in all portions of the state.

D. S. LANDIS.
Official In Charge.

GEORGE F. PEABODY ILL

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—George Foster Peabody, banker and treasurer of the democratic national committee, is reported to have broken down physically, and is now at his farm in Northern New York. He is not seriously ill, it is stated, but the physicians have ordered him to take a long rest and a change of scene.

BENT HER DOUBLE

"I knew no one for four weeks when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by Electric Bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorders; at W. J. Fisher's, Reeves' Pharmacy and N. S. Blanton & Co.'s drug stores; price 50c.

BOARD CONDEMNS NEW GRAIN BILL

Will Send Memorial to Legislature Opposing State Inspection Measure

Secretary Paddock brought up the matter of state grain inspection at the Board of Trade meeting yesterday. He said that if such a bill became operative it would entail a double inspection fee, to which the grain dealers object.

On this subject the grain interests of Fort Worth submitted the following resolution, which was indorsed by the Board of Trade:

Resolved, That we, the grain dealers of Fort Worth, feeling it would be against the best interests of the state, especially those of us who are engaged in the grain and milling business, offer serious objections to the proposed law establishing a board of grain inspectors under political supervision, for the following reasons:

First—The general incompetency of the inspectors who might be selected by those having political authority.

Second—By the experience we have had with markets, which are governed strictly by politics, we find that competency is not considered.

Third—We favor the establishment of an inspection bureau by commissioners who can be selected by the various boards of trade throughout the state, and such commissioners can appoint an inspector or inspectors who are competent.

Fourth—We feel that outside of the port of Galveston and the greatness of our state, the time is hardly at hand when the state or warehouse commissioners can afford to pay sufficient compensation to warrant first-class inspectors at but few of the points in the state, namely, Fort Worth, Dallas, Gainesville, Sherman and San Antonio.

On motion of Director Sam Davidson, the secretary was authorized to draft a memorial to be sent to the legislature opposing the passage of the proposed bill, and also to ask the co-operation of other commercial bodies throughout the state in an effort to defeat such legislation as proposed.

The matter of raising funds for the cattle convention was discussed by Secretary Paddock and other members. At a previous meeting of the board W. E. Connell was named as chairman of the finance committee to raise funds for the entertainment of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, but being unable to serve, W. G. Turner was substituted. Others put on the committee are: George Stillman, Oscar Lenglet, M. D. Watson and O. P. Haney.

A letter from Secretary Wade of the Waco Commercial Club was read by the secretary in reference to the appointment of representatives of the New Orleans convention to consider the cotton situation. The board will name a committee of ten to attend the meeting.

The board agreed to invite the State Harness Dealers' Association to hold its next annual meeting in Fort Worth.

Secretary Paddock made a statement in reference to the installation of the Texas World's Fair agricultural display. He said he had discovered that the display was much larger than it was thought it would be, hence all of it could not be placed in the Board of Trade rooms. On this account Secretary Paddock stated he had written General Manager L. S. Thorne of the Texas and Pacific railroad, asking that he permit a part of the exhibit to be placed in the Texas and Pacific passenger station. He stated also that the Denver, Frisco and Rock Island roads will divide the expense of installing the display and that the Board of Trade will see that the exhibit is kept in first-class shape.

The secretary was instructed to have published 10,000 copies of a pamphlet advertising this city.

On motion it was decided to ask the city and county collectors to open two offices at central points in the city. The object is to facilitate the matter of poll tax payments.

FARMERS ENTERTAINMENT

Plans for State Convention Made by Trades Assembly.

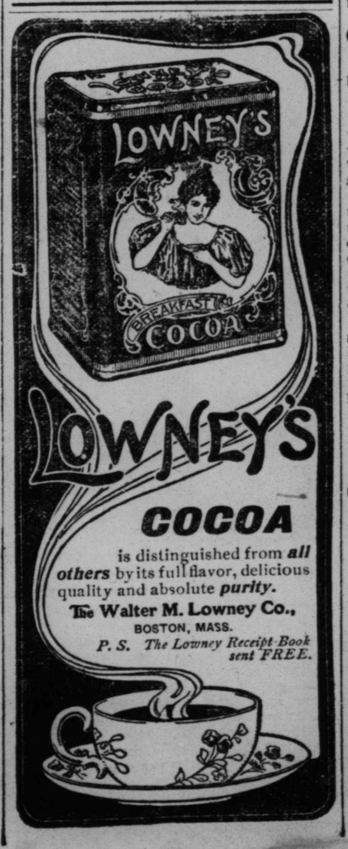
There was a meeting held at the Board of Trade rooms last night, attended by members of the Trades Assembly for the purpose of arranging for the coming state meeting of the Farmers' Union, to be held in Fort Worth, Feb. 14.

Various committees were appointed to arrange the program and other details for the convention. It was stated that the attendance on the state convention will be very large and that probably 1,000 visitors will be here on that occasion.

General Organizer Montgomery of the union was present at the meeting last night, and said that he looked for a representative gathering of farmers from all over the state. It was stated that all unions had made appropriations of funds with which the state meeting delegates will be entertained.

Besides arranging for the state convention of the farmers, the matter of encouraging home industry was discussed by those present. A committee was appointed to compile statistics showing the various articles manufactured in Fort Worth and the number of people employed in the various industrial trades of the city, including railroad employes. This committee was asked to submit its report to the Board of Trade at a subsequent meeting.

The object of this effort is to ascertain just what trades and industries are not carried on in Fort Worth, so that an effort can be made to induce such enterprises to locate here.



STRANGE DESTINY GUIDES GENERALS

Wheeler and Lazell, Whose Lives Have Been Intertwined, to Meet

General H. M. Lazelle, an old schoolmate of General Joseph Wheeler at West Point, his opponent in the civil war, but his friend in both peace and war, passed through Fort Worth Tuesday accompanied by Mrs. Lazelle, on his way to spend two months in the City of Mexico, where General Wheeler is now exploiting a new rifle which he hopes to have adopted by the Mexican army.

General Lazelle is now 68 years of age and retired from service. He holds his age well and one would not take him to be as old as he really is.

Generals Lazelle and Wheeler entered West Point together and left that institution at the same time. For many years thereafter their destiny seems to run along the same channel. Both were stationed at El Paso in 1859, General Lazelle as quartermaster and General Wheeler in a minor official position. When the call to arms caused everybody to take sides, General Lazelle was appointed to command a troop of Union cavalry, while General Wheeler led a troop of southern horsemen. Though never opposed directly, one against the other, in the civil war, their respective commands were often so close that conversation was possible between them.

During the period of reconstruction following the war, the two comrades lost sight of each other and it was only in 1889 and 1890 that they met again at El Paso, where both had first entered upon their active military career as regular army officers. In 1890 General Lazelle was honorably retired for disability, and since has lived mostly at New York and Boston.

Again General Lazelle expressed himself as delighted at an opportunity to meet General Wheeler.

OUTLOOK A GLOOMY ONE

H. M. Kidwell Declares Diversification Only Salvation of Farmers

Diversified crops are the only salvation for farmers, says H. M. Kidwell, who has just returned from Midlothian, Texas, where he says all cotton yards are full to overflowing. Even small merchants have cotton piled up in their back yards and at all farm houses they have from one to twenty bales of cotton piled up protected from weather either by planks spread over top or tarpaulins. Of all this cotton he says there is only a small per cent not covered by mortgages or liens.

He is afraid of a financial crisis and gives as reasons the amount of money loaned on cotton in the hope of better prices which he considers a very doubtful hope as the prospects point to as large an acreage this year, which, with the surplus they now have on hand, would swell the market to such an extent that cotton would drop even lower than it now is.

GOOD SEASON EXPECTED

W. H. Ward Declares Baseball Prospects Are Flattering

W. H. Ward, owner of the local baseball franchise, has returned from the league meeting at Corsicana.

"We are expecting a fine baseball season this year. Our meeting at Corsicana was well attended and we expect one of the biggest meetings in the history of the league tomorrow. If we haven't sufficient room in the White Elephant we will be compelled to meet in a hotel."

GENERAL TREPOFF UNHARMED

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 18.—A report circulated by a London news agency that General Trepoff, former chief of police at Moscow, had been assassinated while on his way to this city, is unfounded. The general has arrived in St. Petersburg.

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FORT WORTH

BROTHERS MEET IN CAR ACCIDENT

Were Motormen on Street Cars Which Collided, Injuring Passengers

W. J. Mitchel and D. Mitchel, brothers, were the motormen of cars of the Rosen Heights line which met in head-on collision Tuesday night at the foot of the Twenty-fifth street hill, injuring two of the passengers.

Each man knew that his brother was in charge of the other car and would be the first to receive the full force of the impending collision.

The car bound for Rosen Heights waits at the bottom of the Twenty-fifth street hill for the incoming car, which was seen to be beyond control as it came rapidly down the steep hill. Each motorman stuck to his post, the one trying to control the car, which slid along the slippery tracks with the brake firmly set, and his brother running his car backward in a vain attempt to outdistance the runaway car, which rapidly gained upon him. When D. Mitchel finally abandoned the car upon which he was standing helpless, the brothers were almost close enough to have exchanged a parting grip.

The efforts of the motormen were successful in so reducing the force of the collision that neither car was seriously damaged. The force of the collision, however, overthrew one of the passengers, J. F. Miller of Rosen Heights, causing him to receive a fractured collar bone. Andy Price of Rosen Heights, another passenger, was also injured by broken glass. Both motormen escaped and continued their runs with the cars.

EUTERPEAN CLUB OPENING MEETING

Fine Program Rendered by Members at Session in St. Paul's Church Tuesday Evening

On the occasion of the opening meeting of the Euterpean Club, one of the most pleasing entertainments of the season was afforded those who attended. The evening was a pronounced musical and artistic success.

Following is the program:

Invocation .....
Rev. J. F. Boeye.
Organ prelude .....
Mrs. Jaccard.
Paper—"Sacred Music in America"
Mrs. Duncan Ross.
Violin solo—"Serenade".....Bandine
Mrs. Morton.
Vocal solo—"O Divine Redeemer"
..... Gounod
Miss Anita Laneri.
Miss Tomlinson, accompanist.
Song .....
Mendelssohn quartet: Dr. Chase and Messrs. Jones, Bradley and Hubbard.
Vocal solo .....Selected
Mrs. Beadle.
Organ solo—
(a) "Serenade" .....Gounod
(b) "Mort Triumphale".....Stone
Mrs. Clint Jackson Taylor
Chorus—Hymn "Tonight"...Beethoven
Euterpean Club.
Violin solo—"Legende"....Wieniawski
Miss Spoonts.
Announcements .....
Mrs. L. K. Stanbery.
Vocal solo .....Selected
Mrs. Nettie Everett Groome.
Song .....
Mendelssohn quartet.

FORCED TO STARVE

B. F. Leek of Concord, Ky., says: "For 20 years I suffered agonies, with a sore on my upper lip, so painful, sometimes, that I could not eat. After vainly trying everything else, I cured it with Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's great for burns, cuts and wounds. At W. J. Fisher's, Reeves' Pharmacy and N. S. Blanton & Co.'s drug stores. Only 25c.

YOUTHFUL COUPLE SURPRISE FRIENDS

Matinee Visit Changed to Dallas Trip and Marriage

Becoming impatient of delay, Milton Gutzman, aged 22 years, of 716 Cherry street, and Miss Lucile Forbes, aged 18 years, of Evans and Allen avenues, quietly went to Dallas last Saturday and were married.

Their wedding was to have been celebrated next March, but the young people became impatient at the prospect of a long wait, and announcing that they were going to the matinee Saturday afternoon, visited Dallas instead.

They returned Saturday evening, but kept the wedding a secret until Sunday night, when they told their relatives and friends of the marriage.

They will make their home for the present with Mr. Gutzman's brother, Harry Gutzman, at 520 Jarvis street.

GOVERNOR ADAMS GAINS TIME

Answer to Peabody's Charges Will be Made Saturday

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 18.—At a joint session of the two houses of the joint assembly to take action on the petition filed by ex-Governor Peabody for the office of governor the request of attorneys for Governor Adams for an extension until 2:30 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, for time to submit an answer to the charges made in the contest papers, was granted by a vote of 61 to 34. By the same vote the legislature decided to proceed at once with the taking of testimony in the contest.

DARK BROWN TASTE



No use talking, there is nothing makes you feel so miserable as a bilious, nauseating, bitter, dark brown taste. And it means worse than it feels. For, if you could look at your stomach, you would see that it looks, and is, in worse condition than your mouth feels. Waste no time, but begin at once to take

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ARIZONA WANTS TO GO IT ALONE

Advocates of Single Statehood Using Effective Long-Distance Lobby

BY JACOB WALDECK.
(Special Correspondence of The Telegram.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Citizens of Arizona who oppose statehood in conjunction with New Mexico have adopted a unique and far-reaching method of protest. They are stirring up men in all parts of the union with whom they have business dealings. Thus a merchant in Arizona will write to the wholesale dealer or manufacturer from whom he buys goods that the consolidation of Arizona and New Mexico would be detrimental to business. He asks the wholesalers and manufacturers to intercede with their senators and representatives in the interest of single statehood. As a rule, these distant correspondents have no interest in the fight and accede to the requests of their customers. This line of agitation as had the effect of lining up some of the big senators against the bill providing for two states. It is said that Senator Foraker's amendment, providing that the people of each territory shall have the right to a separate vote on the statehood question, was due largely to the influence of Cincinnati's business men who had been interested by customers in Arizona. The bill as reported to the senate provided that a majority vote in Arizona and New Mexico should decide whether the two be combined in a new state. The people of New Mexico are in the majority and could easily carry the statehood proposition. If Arizona is allowed a separate vote, the objectors there will have a chance of defeating the project. The aim of the Arizona men is to have a state made of that territory, if possible. Then they would not be obliged to divide offices with their neighbors and would not have to consult the latter in matters of state government.

HUGE PROFITS IN CUBA'S BONDS

There's a living profit in the business of the man who deals in Cuban bonds. Last February the republic of Cuba sold to Speyer & Co. of New York at 90½, $35,000,000 worth of forty-year 5 per cent bonds. That is, the firm got for $31,675,000 bonds of the face value of $35,000,000. Within thirty days the bonds were worth $33,600,000, an increase of $1,925,000 over the purchase price. Profit in a month, 5½ per cent. Now the bonds are quoted at 102½, which makes the total issue worth $35,875,000. These facts are taken from a report on Cuba just issued by the department of commerce and labor. Cuba's mixed currency system is set forth as follows:

"Cuba has no currency of its own coinage. The official money of the republic is United States currency, and all taxes and public debts are payable in the same, except fees of registrars of property, which are collected in Spanish gold. In commercial circles (wholesale) Spanish gold is the basis of calculation, and in the retail trade and in the country Spanish silver is almost entirely used.

"United States currency is always at a premium over Spanish gold, but this premium fluctuates according to demand for Spanish gold and silver. During the year ended June 30, 1904, the American dollar was on an average equivalent to $1.09 Spanish gold, or $1.38 Spanish silver, the fluctuation being from $1.10⅞ to $1.08½ in gold, and from $1.42 to $1.35 in silver."

WELL, IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE

Inauguration day weather is always spoken of as being the "beastly" sort. When mean weather comes along, people call it inauguration weather. Prophets who forecast probable conditions on March 4 this year call up visions of rain, snow and slush, with a little sleet and hail on the side.

Search of the records discloses the fact that this abuse of presidential weather is not well founded. As a rule, the weather has been fairly good. The record is as follows:

Washington's first inauguration, morning fair, afternoon rainy. Washington's second inauguration, pleasant day. John Adams' inaugural, beautiful day. Thos. Jefferson, first term mild air and brilliant sunshine; second, cold and disagreeable. Madison, first inaugural, pleasant day; second, balmy weather. Monroe, first inauguration, delightful day; second, weather disagreeable. John Quincy Adams, pleasant day. Jackson's first inauguration, fair and mild; second, pleasant. Van Buren, sunny and cloudless. William Henry Harrison, cold and cloudy, but dry. Harrison contracted a cold which caused his death in a month. Polk, cold, rainy day. Taylor, weather fine. Pierce, raw northwest wind and melting snow. Buchanan, delightful weather. Lincoln's first inauguration, bright and clear; second, weather threatening and streets wet and muddy. Grant's first inauguration, heavy rain; second, coldest inauguration day on record. Hayes, light rain in morning, clear in afternoon. Garfield, sharp, cold wind. Cleveland, first inaugural, pleasant day. Benjamin Harrison, one of the stormiest March days ever known in Washington. Cleveland's second inauguration, hail, rain and snow. McKinley's first inauguration, weather clear, minimum temperature 34; second, light rain and cloudy.

BILLS TO HELP LAND GRABBERS

Advocates of irrigation are protesting against bills in congress raising the limit of land that may be taken on a homestead claim from 160 to 640 acres, or one square mile. A measure of that sort applying to western Nebraska was passed last spring. Similar bills applying to South Dakota and Colorado have been introduced in the present house. The objection of the irrigation people is due to the fact that they want the public lands to be held for settlers. They claim that the plan to allow homesteaders to take up a square mile of land each is in the interest of stockmen. Cowboys, it is charged, take up these big homesteads and then sell them to the ranchmen for a few hundred dollars. The result is that great stretches of land that might be devoted to farming are used only for grazing purposes.

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NO-DECISION BOUTS BETTER THAN NONE

Chicago Fight Promoters Will Try Philadelphia Plan of Evading Prize Fight Laws—Hiring Live Ones the Only Way to Prevent Killing the Sport

BY CHIP

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—It sounds strange, after all that has been done, but certain fight promoters, who evidently belong to the "Never Say Die" Club, think they still have a chance to do business in this city and are going to try mighty hard, anyway.

They derive their inspiration from the experience of fight-lovers of Philadelphia. Only a few years ago, through about the same combination of circumstances that stopped the game in Chicago recently, boxing in Philadelphia was stopped, suddenly, quickly and effectually. Next there appeared on the Pennsylvania statute books a law in all respects just as drastic and forbidding as that which now obtains in Illinois and was recently invoked by Chicago's corporation counsel with such dire effect.

But the Quaker City sports were game. They got together and chipped in enough money to hire a good lawyer. Next they framed up a test case, which resulted in a verdict that a limited-round boxing encounter, without a decision and with no winner's or loser's end to the purse is not a prize fight and hence not punishable by an anti-prize fight law. And this pronouncement has held good ever since, as even the mayor of Philadelphia learned a short time ago when he tried to stop a prospective go between Fitzsimmons and O'Brien.

And the Chicago fight impresarios maintain that they have just as good a case as have their brethren in Philadelphia.

Of course, six-round goes without a decision, and no distinction financially between winner and loser are not quite as thrilling as the out-and-out fights that we have been accustomed to in the Windy City, but they are a heap better than nothing doing whatever. No-decision bouts, as has been shown in Philadelphia, lend themselves largely to the faking element, also to the loafers who have no other thought than to get their money as easily as possible. But these ornaments to the profession can be eliminated if the promoters get together in the right way, and only "live ones" allowed to step into the ring.

Why Wasn't Taylor Released Last Year?

There were great and awful doings at the baseball meeting at Cincinnati last week, the most spectacular of which arose over the now famous Jack Taylor case, the origin of which has been once or twice stated in this column.

The National Leaguers generally seem to think that Taylor is guilty of all that has been charged to him, and from the recent utterances of President Hart of the Chicago Nationals, who first indirectly accused Taylor of crookedness, it is evident that Mr. Hart has, or thinks he has, conclusive proofs of the pitcher's guilt. This is gathered from the fact that Mr. Hart says, in response to Taylor's threat of a civil suit for damages, that he will be only too glad if Taylor makes his threat good.

What makes it all the stronger is that Chairman Garry Herrmann, during the deliberations in Cincinnati, publicly stated that he had known for some time that Taylor was not honest. Furthermore, Mr. Herrmann said in effect that if Taylor did not relish this last brick he knew what he could do.

But here's the point: If these gentlemen knew with such great positiveness of Jack Taylor's dishonesty, why did not they force him out of the game without delay? Instead, he was traded off to St. Louis last season, where he stirred up more trouble.

Baseball has become the great sport that it is through the constant efforts of those connected with it to keep the game absolutely free from a hint of crookedness, but it does seem as if someone had overlooked a bet here.

YESTERDAY'S RACE RESULTS

First race, 5½ furlongs, selling: Macene 1, Pearl Waters 2, Mabel Bates 3. Time, 1:13.

Second race, 7-16 of a mile: Abe Meyer 1, Chief Wittman 2, Im Joe 3. Time, 0:44¼.

Third race, futurity course, selling: The Reprobate 1, Lady Kent 2, Meada 3. Time, 1:13.

Fourth race, mile and 50 yards, selling: Dungannon 1, War Times 2, Barney Dreyfus 3. Time, 1:50.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth: Dr. Shorb 1, Ginspray 2, Theodore L 3. Time, 1:54 3-4.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth: Gateway 1, Judge 2, Arcade 3. Time, 1:46½.

AT NEW ORLEANS

First race, 6 furlongs: Darius 1, Sadducee 2, Dalesman 3. Time, 1:44.

Second race, mile, selling: Lineal 1, Harpoon 2, Judge Saufley 3. Time, 1:43.

Third race, 7 furlongs: Monte 1, Ascot Belle 2, Montebank 3. Time, 1:28.

Fourth race, mile and an eighth, selling: Homestead 1, Handspinner 2, Little Boy 3. Time, 1:56.

Fifth race, mile and an eighth, selling: Mezzo 1, Noweta 2, Hoodwink 3. Time, 1:56 2-5.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards: Rian 1, Miss Betty 2, Rachel Ward 3. Time, 1:46 2-5.

AT ASCOT

First race, 6 furlongs: Fairlight 1, Schoolcraft 2, Retador 3. Time, 1:27 3-5.

Second race, 7 furlongs: Waswift 1, Judge Denton 2, Evea G third. Time, 1:27 3-5.

Third race, mile and 50 yards, selling: Wenrick 1, Akela 2, Golden Light 3. Time, 1:46½.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth: Emperor of India 1, Hans Wagner 2, Sais 3. Time, 1:48 3-4.

Fifth race, Brooks course, selling: Frangible 1, Iris 2, Capable 3. Time, 2:05¼.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs, selling: Komobo 1, Seasick 2, Sweet Kitty Bellairs 3. Time, 1.15½.

AT ESSEX PARK

First race, 3 furlongs: Henchman 1, Calabash 2, Romany Rye 3. Time, 0:37½.

Second race, 5½ furlongs: Voltaic won, Miss Eberlee 2, Delusion 3. Time, 1:10.

Third race, 6½ furlongs, selling: Baltimore 1, I. Samuelson 2, Bensonhurst 3. Time, 1:23. Amorous won, but was disqualified.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs: Wild Irishman 1, Vanness 2, Baikal 3. Time, 1:15½.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs, selling: Turrando 1, Bill Knight 2, Crescerton 3. Time, 1:23.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth, selling: Ethics 1, Florizel 2, Swift Wing 3. Time, 1:49 3-4.

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A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver by taking a medicine which will relieve their pain and discomfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at W. J. Fisher's, Reeves' Pharmacy and N. S. Blanton & Co.'s drug stores.

LINE TO CONNECT LAKES AND GULF

Negotiations Reported Completed for Financing of Stupendous Project

It is learned here that E. D. Steger is due to arrive at Paris, Texas, from Paris, France, during the present week. He went to Paris to conclude negotiations for financing his great railroad project which is projected from Duluth on the north to Galveston on the south. In connection with this enterprise the names of several large trunk lines are connected, among them the Burlington and the roads managed by J. J. Hill, who has long cherished a desire to secure a gulf outlet for the Great Northern.

The line is to be financed by a French syndicate and the amount of capital required to build the road is placed at $78,000,000.

Colonel Steger stated prior to his trip to France that the plans for securing the necessary money with which to construct the line had been practically completed.

EXTENSION COMPLETED

Branch of National Road of Mexico Put in Operation

The Monterey-Matamoros extension of the National Railroad of Mexico, a distance of 133 miles, has been completed and trains are now running to the coast. However, the service is now only tri-weekly between Monterey and Aldamas. The line between San Miguel and Monterey is also practically completed and work of transforming the narrow gauge between San Miguel and Matamoros to standard gauge has commenced.

The necessary work on bridges and tunnels will prevent the opening of the entire extension for some time, but large forces of laborers are at work completing the construction as fast as possible betwen Matamoros and San Miguel.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SITE

Party Touring State to Select Grounds For Next Encampment

A special train is carrying a party of ladies and gentlemen comprising a committee whose duty it is to select encampment grounds for the next meeting of the state Epworth League, along the gulf coast. In the party are Hon. R. W. Hall of Vernon and H. H. Halsell of Decatur, both well known here.

The party met in Houston Tuesday from all quarters of the state and left during the afternoon for Galveston to inspect that point. Other places to be investigated are Corpus Christi, Rockport and Palacios.

There are about twenty-five of the committee appointed to locate the 1905 encampment grounds.

RATES FOR MERCHANTS

Special Arrangements For Convention at Dallas and New York

The Rock Island has announced a cheap rate for the merchants' meeting at Dallas, Feb. 8 to 18. The round trip rate will be one and one-fifth fare on the certificate plan.

The Rock Island also announces a round trip rate of one and one-third fare for the New York Merchants' Association meeting, Feb. 11 to 15, and March 4 to 7, on the certificate plan.

COMMISSION IN SESSION

Santa Fe Lumber Rate Hearing Postponed to February

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 10.—The railroad commission convened yesterday for its regular monthly hearings. There are a large number of railroad men present and others interested in the various subjects which have been set for hearing.

The first case taken up was the application of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company for a change in lumber rates; also to take out the cheap rate now prevailing on lumber to Port Arthur. This case attracted a number of lumbermen here. The case was continued until February.

The case of the railroad commission against the Houston and Texas Central and the Texas and New Orleans railways to show cause why their charters should not be forfeited and a receiver appointed to take charge of their property, for the alleged violation of sections 5 and 6 of the state constitution which prohibits the common ownership of stock, was called, but a hearing was postponed until Saturday.

The question of amending certain rates on grain was next called, and is now occupying the attention of the commission. Several prominent millers are here attending the hearing.

HEAVY MEXICAN TRAFFIC

Many Parties Investigating Colonization Prospects in Republic

The International and Great Northern local office today reports that there is quite a large movement over the line and connections to Mexico. Several Texans have left within the past few days and others are going today and tomorrow, their destination being in the vicinity of Tampico, along the Mexican Central, and Tehuantepec and Jalisco. Those who are now making the trip go for the purpose of investigating the colonization prospects in that portion of the Republic.

NEW TYPE OF ENGINES

"Monkey Motion" Said to Effect Great Saving in Fuel

OGDEN, Utah, Jan. 18.—A new type of engine known as the "monkey motion" pattern, which it is claimed will revolutionize steam locomotion on railroads, has been successfully operated on the Southern Pacific. A train of fifteen hundred tons was run from Ogden to Wadsworth, Nev., hauled by one of the new engines.

The new type of engine was designed by Edgar M. Luckett of the Southern Pacific. All the driving mechanism is located on the sides of the engine, making it easy of access. The steam exhausts very rapidly and there is no back pressure. It is estimated that the new engine will save from 25 to 40 per cent in coal consumption, being able to run 54 miles with one ton of coal as against 25 to 28 miles under the present system. The standard engines now in use can be changed to the "monkey motion" with but little cost.

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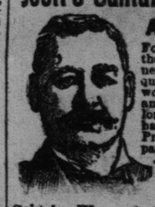
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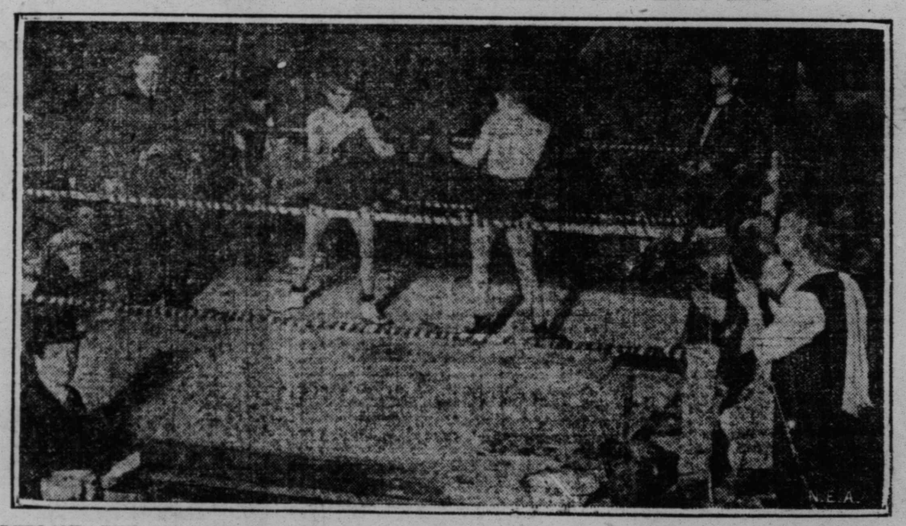
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TOP PRICES TODAY

Steers	$3.85
Cows	2.75
Heifers	2.50
Bulls	2.50
Calves	4.25
Hogs	4.75

NORTH FORT WORTH, Jan. 18.—The cattle supply today was close to 2,100, counting calves, against 2,678 Wednesday of last week, 2,695 the same day a month ago and 1,729 the corresponding day of the week in 1904.

Beef steers were not numerous, only one load coming in, with no drive-ins. Orders were not urgent for fed steer stuff and sales were slow. The market was considered steady. Top steers sold for $3.85.

In the butcher stuff trade dullness prevailed. Some good quality fed cows were driven in, and a few loads of like quality came in in car lots. On the extreme ends of the cow trade—fat-fed and canners—the market was steady. On short-fed and half warmed-up cows a draggy feeling prevailed, and sales were made 10c lower for the week.

Top cows sold at $2.75; medium cows around $2.40, and canners between $1.20 and $2.

The trade in bulls was dull and spiritless. Some fat bulls found sale at steady prices. Feeders are hardly wanted until the feed lots are emptied.

Calves were in fair supply with an exceedingly good demand, forcing prices up a quarter. Top calves sold at $4.25; good grades between $2.25 and $3.50, while thins and heavies sold around $1.75.

HOGS

With twenty-eight loads in the pens, the hog trade took on an air of briskness from the start, opening steady with yesterday's close. On receipt of wires from northern points, prices eased off, and the market closed 10c lower for the day.

Total receipts were 2,224, against 1,817 Wednesday of last week, 2,561 the corresponding Wednesday in December and 1,278 the same day in 1904. The quality was about equaly divided among the various sorts of hogs.

Heavy hogs sold at $4.75, and price for weight was steady. Mixed and packers sold between $4.60 and $4.70; mediums, $4.40 to $4.50; lights, $4.25 to $4.40; pigs, $3.65 to $4.12½.

TODAY'S SHIPPERS

CATTLE

Arnold & Oberhein, Henderson	97
B. & W., Cumby	31
George Brown, Lampasas	63
J. T. Billups, Talpa	58
Edgar Kerr, Ector	24
McBath & Sunley, Petty	73
W. C. Addison, Colorado	63
Claude Willis, Decatur	28
F. Leon, Valley View	15
D. C. Brant, Jacksboro	79
W. T. Wilson, Aubrey	29
G. D. Boyd, Grandview	26
M. G. Young, Blooming Grove	28
J. N. Ferguson, Bells	27
J. B. Bradley, Bradley	24
Briggs & Peters, Waxahachie	133
B. E. Houston, Cleburne	30
R. Simmons, Cleburne	31
G. H. Whitaker, Bowie	75
Ball & Young, Bowie	25
C. B. Campbell, Chickasha, I. T.	53
J. A. Casterman, Arlington	20
W. G. Fowler, Calvert	28
King & Shanks, Mexia	24
T. L. & Son, Wortham	31
J. D. Jackson, Flatonia	70
J. T. Billups, Talpa	70
W. A. Fitzgerald, Ector	50
S. C. Arnett, Monahans	137

HOGS

B. J. Castle, Fates	87
J. C. Woothers, Crockett	83
W. A. Fitzgerald, Ector	61
Claude Willis, Decatur	10
Howe G. and M. C., Gunter	78
Franks && Leon, Valley View	65
Babcock Bros. & C., Stillwater	79
Campbell & Park, Itasca	75
W. F. Wilson, Aubrey	23
W. F. Henderson, Marquez	129
Weathershed & Upchurch, Bedias	125
W. E. Weathersbee, Roan Prairie	102
F. E. Hurley, Custer City	71
Ben Horned, Chickasha, I. T.	94
Mills & Arnes, Anadarko, Okla	63
Deford & H., Anadarko, Okla	76
— Murdock, Cordell, Okla	72
D. M. Burnside, Apache, Okla	66
J. C. A., Grand Saline	88
Murry & Hann, Wills Point	77
King & Shanks, Mexia	126
J. Alton, Thornton	91
T. J. Wilson, Powell	148
J. L. Ward, Rogers	206
B. A. Haaks, Vatora	142

HORSES AND MULES

T. S. Wilson, Pecos	29

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

STEERS

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
20	1,239	$3.85	33	1,163	$3.50
21	1,170	3.50			

COWS

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
28	849	$2.20	3	1, 63	$2.75
3	776	1.75	1	920	1.25
4	755	1.20	1	790	1.50
15	865	2.40	62	807	2.50
31	764	2.50	30	798	2.50
14	889	2.40	4	992	1.85
30	787	1.85	3	898	1.15
9	842	1.65	6	850	2.40
8	851	2.00	1	580	1.00
13	914	2.20	23	960	2.45

HEIFERS

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1	510	$1.85	1	720	$2.50

BULLS

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1	930	$1.25	1s	990	$2.50
1	810	2.25	6	885	1.75
1	630	1.50	2	1,600	2.30
1	920	1.35			

CALVES

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
10	307	$2.50	14	176	$2.50
1	230	3.50	3	166	4.00
1	120	4.00	70	234	3.75
2	320	2.25	4	160	2.50
1	170	3.75	2	410	2.25
17	301	2.60	2	195	2.60
1	120	3.50	1	120	3.50
1	200	2.25	2	125	4.00
1	120	4.00	1	320	2.25
1	210	3.75	4	242	3.75
18	199	3.50	1	120	3.50
80	136	4.25	16	200	4.25
2	300	2.50	1	230	3.50
2	415	2.50	4	340	1.75
8	146	4.25	1	260	2.50
7	354	1.60	3	303	2.50
1	310	1.00	5	308	2.35
2	150	4.00	1	120	4.00

HOGS

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
69	237	$4.72½	1	180	$4.40
70	215	4.62½	43	253	4.75
62	216	4.75	67	197	4.45
52	179	4.57	7	150	4.50
36	237	4.50	56	167	4.50
60	233	4.72½			

PIGS

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
50	110	$3.85	9	97	$4.10
10	110	4.12½	45	106	4.10
56	106	4.12½	14	113	4.10
3	126	4.25	135	96	3.50

FOREIGN MARKETS

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; market opened slow; beeves, $3.50@6.20; cows and heifers, $1.60@4; stockers and feeders, $2@3.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 35,000; market opened steady and closed 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $4.45@4.65; good to choice heavy, $4.50@4.75; rough heavy, $4.40@4.50; light, $4.40@4.50; bulk, $4.40@4.65; pigs, $3.50@4.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; market steady; sheep, $3.65@5.45; lambs, $4.60@7.75.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; market steady; beeves, $3.50@6; cows and heifers, $1.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2@4.10; Texans and westerns, $2@5.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; market slow; mixed and butchers, $4.55@4.75; good to choice heavy, $4.70@4.80; rough heavy, $4.65@4.70; lights, $4.35@4.65; bulk, $4.45@4.75; pigs, $3.50@4.30.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; market steady; lambs, $6.25@7.40; ewes, $4@5; wethers, $5@5.50.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000, including 2,000; market steady; steers, $3.25@5.90; stockers and feeders, $2@3.75; Texas steers, $2.50@4.75; cows and heifers, $2@3.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,500; market steady; pigs and lights, $3.75@4.40; packers, $4.55@4.70; butchers, $4.65@4.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; market steady; sheep, $4.50@5.25; lambs, $5.75@7.50.

DECLINE SHOWN IN SPOT MARKET

Price Down a Sixteenth and All Futures Except May Lose

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 18.—Another decline marked the cotton market today. Spots were quoted a sixteenth down and all futures but May opened below yesterday's close. May opened steady, but dropped rapidly as did other months. January is assuming a more normal condition, the conditions by which it reversed with July being unprecedented on the exchange.

The decline today was a steady one, marked by but few rallies, by noon 6.77c being quoted, as against 6.84c for March opening. Spots were easier, with about 1,000 bales reported sold to noon.

The semi-weekly statement of thirteen towns, as published, shows receipts of 47,732, shipments of 44,410 and a stock of 320,487 bales.

COTTON

LIVERPOOL COTTON

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

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 18.—The spot cotton market was easier in tone, with a fair demand. Spots were quoted at 3.81d for middling. Sales 10,000 bales. Receipts 20,000 bales, of which 13,000 were American.

The following was the range in prices:

	Open.	2 p. m.	Close.	Yesterday's close.
Jan.-Feb.	3.70-69-71	3.70	3.69	3.73
Feb.-March	3.73-74	3.74	3.73	3.77
March-April	3.76-78-77	3.77	3.76	3.80
April-May	3.81	3.81	3.79	3.83
May-June	3.83-84	3.84	3.82	3.86
June-July	3.87	3.87	3.85	3.89
July-August	3.88-89	3.87	3.87	3.91
Aug.-Sept.	....	....	3.89	3.91
Sept.-Oct.	....	....	3.90	3.95
Oct.-Nov.	3.92	3.92	3.91	3.95

PORT RECEIPTS

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

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

	Today.	Last year.	Yesterday.
Galveston	2,346	9,770	5,832
New Orleans	10,940	8,843	7,825
Mobile	280	....	20
Savannah	2,438	....	2,837
Charleston	82	....	131
Wilmington	449	....	301
Norfolk	....	....	2,437
Various	....	....	117
Totals	18,594	25,385	20,616
Memphis	2,661	2,435	1,592
Houston	3,235	6,756	4,086

ESTIMATED TOMORROW

	Tomorrow.	Last yr.
New Orleans	5,500 to 6,500	8,635
Galveston	2,500 to 3,500	3,924
Houston	2,500 to 3,500	5,365

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

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

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 18.—The market in cotton futures was steady. The following is the range in quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's close.
January	6.80	....	....	6.70-72	6.81-82
March	6.84	6.85	6.71	6.73-74	6.83-84
May	6.90	6.92	6.77	6.79-80	6.90-91
July	7.02	7.02	6.88	6.89-90	6.99-7c

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS

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

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 18.—The spot cotton market was steady. Prices and receipts were as follows:

	Today.	Yesterday.
Middling	7.00	7.00
Sales	2,350	1,100
F. o. b.	1,600	900

NEW YORK FUTURES

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

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The market in lowing is the range in quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's close.
January	6.81	6.85	6.74	6.75-76	6.81-83
March	6.94	6.94	6.81	6.82-83	6.90-91
May	7.03	7.04	6.89	6.91-92	6.97-7c
July	7.12	7.12	6.99	7.01-02	7.10-11

NEW YORK SPOTS

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

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The spot cotton market was quiet today. Prices and receipts were quoted as follows:

	Today.	Yesterday.
Middling	7.25	7.25
Sales	....	290

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WHEAT CONTINUES TO RULE STEADY

Wall Street Bulls Believed to Be Contributing Strength to Market

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 18.—The wheat market ruled remarkably steady today, around $1.16 for May wheat. Much of the strength of the market is believed to be due to Wall street bulls. Minneapolis reports a sick market, threatening a break on any extensive selling off.

Minneapolis also reports a stock decrease of 150,000 bushels for four days.

Receipts today were: Minneapolis 428, Duluth 34 cars, St. Louis 85,000 bushels, Kansas City 79 cars.

Primary receipts are placed at 690,000, against 785,000; shipments at 284,000, against 351,000, and clearances at 45,700.

GRAIN

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
Wheat—					
May	1.15⅝	1.16¼	1.15⅝	1.16¼	1.15⅝
July	98½	98⅝	98¼	98½	98¼
September	91⅛	....	....	91½	81⅛
Corn—					
May	45	45⅛	44⅞	45	44¾
July	45⅜	45½	45¼	45⅜	45⅞
Oats—					
May	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼
July	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼	31⅛
Pork—					
January	....	....	....	12.42	12.45
May	12.75	12.77	12.65	12.65	12.70
Lard—					
January	....	....	....	6.62	6.65
May	6.90	6.90	6.85	6.85	6.72
Ribs—					
January	....	....	....	6.42	....
May	6.72	6.75	6.67	6.67	....

LIVERPOOL GRAIN CABLE

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

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 18.—The following changes were noted today in the corn and wheat markets:

Wheat opened unchanged to ⅛d up, at 1:30 p. m., unchanged to ¼d up, closed ¼d to ½d up.

Corn opened ⅛d lower, at 1:30 p. m., ¼d to ⅜d up, closed ¼d up.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN

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

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 18.—Cash grain was quoted today as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 $1.06 to $1.07, No. 3 $1.03 to $1.04, No. 4 92c to $1.02, No. 2 red $1.12 to $1.13, No. 3 $1.08 to $1.10½, No. 4 $1.06.

Corn—No. 2 42½c, No. 3 42c to 42¼c, No. 2 white 43c to 43½c, No. 3 43c.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN

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

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 18.—Cash grain was quoted today as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 red $1.16½ to $1.17, No. 3 $1.13 to $1.16, No. 4 $1.01 to $1.10, No. 2 hard $1.10 to $1.18, No. 3 $1.06 to $1.07½. No. 4 90c to $1.04, No. 2 winter and No. 3 winter, no receipts.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN

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

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 18.—Cash grain was quoted today as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 red $1.19, No. 3 $1.14 to $1.17, No. 2 hard $1.14 to $1.17, No. 3 $1.05 to $1.14, No. 1 northern spring $1.19, No. 2 $1.13 to $1.16, No. 3 spring $1.05 to $1.15.

Corn—No. 3 43¼c to 42½c, No. 2 white 43½c, No. 2 yellow 43½c, No. 3 42¾c, No. 3 white 42¾c to 43¼c, No. 4 42c to 42½c, no grade 40½c.

N. Y. STOCKS

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

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Stocks opened and closed on the New York Stock Exchange today as follows:

	Open.	Close.	Yesterday's close.
Missouri Pacific	106¾	107⅝	106¾
Union Pacific	118⅝	119⅜	118⅛
Texas and Pacific	34¾	34¾	34⅛
New York Central	143½	143⅛	142½
Louisville and Nashville	140¾	140⅝	140½
St. Paul	173½	173½	173⅜
Southern Pacific	67¼	67⅛	67½
Atchison	87⅞	87⅝	87½
Atchison, prefered	100⅞	100⅜	100⅜
Erie	39⅞	40¼	39¾
Baltimore and Ohio	102	103¼	101⅝
Southern Railway	35	34⅞	34¾
Reading	83⅝	86⅞	83¼
Great Western	23¼	23½	23⅛
Rock Island	36⅜	37⅜	36⅜
M., K. and T., pfd	65⅝	66¾	66⅜
M., K. and T.	33	33¼	32⅛
Pennsylvania	137⅜	137⅝	137½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	47¾	47⅞	47⅛
Western Union	92½	92⅜	92
Tennessee Coal and Iron	72½	71¾	72
Manhattan L	169¼	169½	169¼
Metropolitan	117⅛	117	116⅞
United States Steel	30½	30¼	30½
U. S. Steel, pfd	94¼	94¼	94¼
Sugar	143¾	143⅛	143⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	64⅛	63⅞	63¾
United States Leather	13⅞	13⅝	13¾
People's Gas	107½	107¼	107⅞
Amalgamated Copper	74⅞	75	74⅞
Mexican Central	23⅞	23⅝	23⅞

CHURCH SEEKS TO AVOID LAWYERS

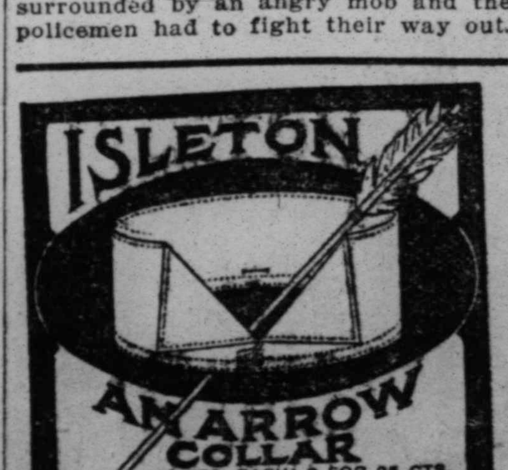
Mormon Witness at Smoot Hearing Gives History of Organization

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 18.—When the Smoot investigation opened today before the senate committee on privileges and elections Professor James Talmadge of Utah State University was sworn. He was born in England and has been a Mormon all his life. He testified he is the author of a book called "Articles of Faith," which he prepared at the request of the first president. The book was approved and published by the church. He also revised the last edition of "The Pearl of Great Price." He was a member of the high council of Utah state in 1884. At the request of Attorney Worthington, for Senator Smoot, Professor Talmadge gave a detailed description of the organization of the Mormon church together with the authority held by the various quorums. The apostles as a body have not authority over the first presidency except in their advisory capacity, said the witness. The church courts were described and Senator Overman asked if parties to suits in the church courts were permitted to have counsel. The witness replied: 'They do not have legal counsel as it is the purpose of the church to 'steer clear of lawyers.'"

FATAL QUARREL IN EAST SIDE TENEMENT

Baker Left Basket of Bread in Dark Hallway—Man Dead, Girl May Die as Result

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The custom of an Italian baker to leave his heavy delivery basket in a dark hallway in an East side tenement while he delivered his wares through the house, today resulted in a quarrel in which Pasquale Tortoriello, aged 45, was killed and his niece, Mrs. Maria Tortoriello, aged 30, was so badly wounded she will probably not recover. Both victims were stabbed. Mrs. Tortoriello identified the baker, Salvatore Ferrari, as the man who killed her uncle and caused her own injury. He was captured a few minutes after the stabbing after a sharp chase by the police. The baker had disregarded frequent warnings not to leave his basket in the hallway where any one passing through would fall over it in the darkness. When the janitor himself fell over the basket today he decided to have the matter settled. A quarrel followed and Tortoriello and his niece went to the janitor's assistance. When Ferrari was captured a few minutes later and brought back to the tenement house for identification, the officers and their prisoner were surrounded by an angry mob and the policemen had to fight their way out.



WARRANTS FOR CITY OFFICIALS

Prominent Names Appear on Warrants Charging Betting on Races

The sensation about the court house today was the issuance of warrants against several prominent city officials and professional men charging them with betting on a horse race on Dec. 26, at a local pool room.

The trial of the cases will come up in Justice Charles T. Rowland's court Friday morning of the present week.

Besides the new cases filed this morning there are sixteen old ones on the docket in Justice Rowland's court and fifteen in Justice Terrell's court.

Three complaints were also made against George Lettler, charged with selling lottery tickets.

COUNTY COURT

On a plea of guilty E. E. Burns was fined $10 for aggravated assault.

Sam Johnson was fined $10 because he pleaded guilty to betting.

Ed Dillon found himself in the same predicament for betting. He pleaded guilty also.

Janaro, charged with aggravated assault, was found not guilty by a jury.

Matt Miller, charged with selling in a local option district, was found not guilty in six cases.

A fine of $25 was assessed against Tommy Peterson, in a pistol case.

Walter Richardson was given a fine of $25 and thirty days in the county jail on a charge of aggravated assault.

Frank Smith was fined $25 and one month in jail on an aggravated assault charge.

Sunday selling got Jim Strong into trouble to the tune of a $50 fine. The case was tried before a jury.

Walter A. Key was fined $25 on a charge of aggravated assault.

For selling on Sunday Charles Holland was fined $50 on his plea of guilty.

Taylor Ridge pleaded guilty to Sunday opening and was fined $50.

A fine of $1 and one day in jail was the punishment assessed against J. C. Choice, charged with theft.

NO SESSION HELD

No session was held in the Seventeenth district court this morning, an adjournment having been ordered until 2 o'clock this afternoon on account of the funeral of Luther I. Boaz. Jeff D. McLean, county attorney, was one of the pallbearers and court took a recess in order to permit him to attend the funeral.

In the Forty-eighth district court Emma Wedlow, charged with theft from person, was admitted to bail in the sum of $500.

Leave to amend was granted in the debt case of J. A. Hightower against F. E. and L. H. DuBose.

CASES FILED

Rush W. Loyd against Luther Loyd, partition.

Rena Bailey against Mat Bailey, divorce.

Emma Pate against G. H. Pate, divorce.

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Charles Miller, formerly of the firm of Miller & Voss, is now located at 315 Main street. Phone 1230.

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H. A. Harwood of Battle Creek, Mich., is in the city.

G. K. Williams of Kennedale, Tex., was in town Tuesday on business.

J. A. Massie of Palo Pinto is in the city attending to business connected with the mail service.

Miss Rose Wolaver of Italy, Texas, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrews.

Miss Julia Wersonick of Raton, N. M., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. J. J. Robinson of 306 Pecan street.

Colonial Ball tonight at the Elks' Hall. Minuet danced in full colonial costumes. Tickets at the door, $1.

J. F. Waples, a merchant of Crowley, Texas, was in town Tuesday on business.

The Northern Texas Traction Company is installing a new dynamo at the power house in East Front street.

Traveling Passenger Agent Hall of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas is in town on official business.

Dispatcher W. J. Lewis of the Texas and Pacific went to Dallas this morning.

J. F. Waples of Crowley, Texas, and one of the prominent merchants of that city, was in town Tuesday purchasing goods for his store.

George D. Keith, the Cross Timbers merchant, was in town Tuesday purchasing supplies for his store.

A. L. Bibb of the police force has returned from Missouri, where he has been visiting friends and relatives.

A meeting of the Inglewood Club is called for the residence of Mrs. John McBride this afternoon.

Samuel McRoberts of Chicago, representing Ogden Armour of Armour & Company, is in the city.

Patrolman R. R. Porter, who lives at 203½ Houston street, is seriously ill will rheumatism.

A small fire occurred at the residence of Mrs. Page Harris at 406 Throckmorton street Tuesday evening. The fire caused by a defective flue did little damage.

Get a water key and save plumbers' bills. Shedd, 205 Main street, has them cheap. Phone 2517-2 rings, and order one sent out. Call him for pipe fittings, best work, low prices.

Misses Ollo and Oneida Wilson of Denver, Colo., are in the city visiting Mrs. Fred Boulware of 500 East Belknap street.

E. A. Williams, a prominent business man of Bridgeport, was in the city Tuesday visiting wholesale houses and purchasing goods.

Joseph Kebort of the Texas and Pacific yard office is seriously ill at his home at Nineteenth and Pecan streets.

Miss Lena Smith of Bonham, Texas, returned home this morning after spending a week visiting her cousin, Miss Nellie Wright, 1109 East Terrell avenue.

The Northern Texas Traction Company has put up a new electric sign at its South Main street ticket office, the sign has about 150 incandescent lights and will be connected up today.

A coach load of homeseekers came in the Rock sland this morning and went south on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, ticketed for Galveston.

W. J. Van Black, superintendent of the Southern Pacific, passed through in a special car on the Texas and Pacific to El Paso, where he will make connection with his home road.

The regular meeting of the Calanthe Club is being held today at the residence of Mrs. J. S. Bond, 614 North Hampton street.

The regular monthly tea of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Tabernacle Christian church will be held this evening at the residence of Mrs. I. N. Cole.

A permit to build a dwelling house has been issued to Cleave Rhea. The house will be erected on the corner of Pine and Pacific streets, at an estimated cost of $400.

Miss Olive Blunt will give her stereopticon illustrated lectures on Japan at the Tabernacle church at 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock; both the same. Admission 25c and 10c. Thursday evening a stereopticon illustrated address on Temperance. Admission 10c. School children taking part free. All at the Christian church.

Free, Friday and Saturday, to all purchasers of 50 cents worth of Tea, Coffee, Spices, Extracts or Baking Powder, a four-quart blue enameled preserving kettle. Only one to each customer. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, 809 Houston street.

Samuel McRoberts, financial manager for Armour & Company general affairs, was at the stock yards Tuesday. He spent the day looking after company interests here.

Considerable excitement was caused at Mrs. James' residence, 910 Monroe street, at 10 o'clock Tuesday night by some person who threw a stone through the window of the servant's quarters in the rear of the house, breaking the window sash and knocking the stove pipe over. The police were called but the person had fled.

The meeting of the city charter amendment committee that was to have taken place this morning was postponed on account of the absence of Alderman Newby, who acted as pallbearer at the funeral of Luther Boaz. Chairman Ward of the committee says that the committee will meet either Saturday of this week or the early part of next week.

STONE DEMANDS INVESTIGATION

Missouri Senator Urges Inquiry into Charges of Campaign Corruption

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—"The charges have been made by Alton B. Parker and Theodore Roosevelt. They are not vague irresponsible campaign rumors. They are definite charges. We can not ignore them. Let the investigation go on. If the democratic party has also been recreant, if it also is guilty of this monstrous crime against good government, let it suffer the consequences. Hew to the line; let the chips fall where they may."

Such were the words in which Senator Stone closed the first half of a speech made by him in the senate today, in support of his resolution directing the senate committee on judiciary to investigate the charges of corruption in connection with the national elections of 1896 and 1904.

FORMER PASTOR HERE

Dr. M. W. Doggett, D. D., who was formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Fort Worth, arrived here Tuesday night from Knoxville, Tenn., where he has the pastorate of the Central church, the largest congregation in that city.

Rev. Doggett left Fort Worth about nine years ago and this is his first visit here since that time. While in the city the doctor will be the guest of Dr. J. B. French of the Broadway Presbyterian church.

Dr. Doggett will today attend the session of Texas Synod and in the course of a few days will leave for a visit to El Paso.

The home mission committee of the Presbyterian synod met in the church at 2 o'clock this afternoon. On invitation of the committee, Rev. M. W. Doggett, pastor of the Central church at Knoxville, Tenn., was present. The regular routine was followed.

NEW BILLS IN SENATE

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 18.—The following bills were introduced in the senate yesterday morning:

By Hanger—"Les pendens" bill, providing for the recording of all pending suits concerning land.

By Hanger—Providing for the collection of interest or lease money on school land during the sixty-day optional period to purchase or re-lease.

By Hicks and Hanger—Fixing the names of the blind and deaf and dumb asylums respectively as the Blind Institute and the Texas School for the Deaf.

DARNELL FUNERAL TODAY

WACO, Texas, Jan. 18.—The remains of Haywood Darnell reached Waco this morning and interment will take place today. Darnell was killed in Houston on Monday night. He was the son of Captain Robert Darnell of this city.

WOMAN SAYS SHE AIDED IN FRAUDS

Mrs. Blanche Shea in Pueblo District Court Declares She Was Paid for Making Fraudulent Sheets

PUEBLO, Col., Jan. 18.—In the deposition of Mrs. Blanche Shea, presented in the hearing in the district court in the election fraud cases, Mrs. Shea declares that she assisted Chief of Detectives Wilson in making out dozens of fraudulent registration sheets and received pay from him for so doing.

Mrs. Shea has been in the custody of the authorities since the grand jury began investigating the election frauds, and the deposition was taken in order to secure her freedom.

LOST—Pair gold frame glasses. Name of E. Kruckman on case. Carrier No. 20, care postoffice.

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J. E. Guest and wife to D. O. Stewart, 16 2-3 acres of the English survey, $200.

J. W. Shirley and wife to J. F. Lindsley, lot 9, block 8, J. W. Shirley's addition to North Fort Worth, $600.

Ike Cooper and wife to J. S. Noel, 3.43 acres in the J. Davis survey, $150.

Mrs. Palestine Putman to W. S. Putman, lots 11 and 12, block 3, town of Arlington, for three tracts of land in Arlington.

HUSTED-BROCK

DENTON, Texas, Jan. 18.—Samuel Husted of Dallas and Miss Mida Lee Brock were married at the home of the bride's father, Dr. J. E. Brock, this afternoon at 1 o'clock, Rev. W. C. Lattimore, pastor of the First Baptist church officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Husted will depart for Dallas, their future home, via Fort Worth this afternoon.

McCUE GETS A REPRIEVE

Stay in Execution Until February 5 is Granted

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 18.—Governor Montague last night granted a reprieve to J. Samuel McCue, who was to have been hanged at Charlottesville Friday for the murder of his wife, until Feb. 10, to give time for the supreme court of the state to consider his amended application made today for a writ of error and supersedeas.

LODGE AND CRANE ELECTED

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 18.—United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge was re-elected for a full term by the Massachusetts legislature yesterday, and W. Murray Crane was chosen to complete the remainder of Senator Hoar's term.

ASSAILANT CUTS WOMAN'S THROAT

Wife of Negro Preacher Severely Injured at Their Home Near Traction Company Car Sheds

Mrs. Frank Winkfield, wife of a colored preacher, living near the car sheds of the Northern Texas Traction Co., was attacked Tuesday afternoon at their home and her throat slashed with a knife, inflicting a wound that is not thought to be dangerous. The cut is about four inches long. The woman was conveyed to the office of Dr. Chambers, where the wound was dressed.

Her assailant made his escape and has not yet been apprehended. Deputy Sheriffs Purviss, Louthin, Roark, Pritchard and Wren put in most of Tuesday night searching the bottoms for a suspect.

The woman's wounds are not serious.

An agitation is going on in London for horsed ambulances, for, incredible as it may seem, a person injured in the streets of London is joggled to the hospital in a two-wheeled hand barrow, drawn by one or two policemen. There are only three horsed ambulances in the whole city, and they are owned by private parties, who charge for their use. There is no first aid system.

In 1903 smallpox occurred in fifty departments of France, out of seventy-seven from which returns were received.

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LIKELY TO BE THE NEXT PRESIDENT OF FRANCE

Paul Doumer, who was last week elected president of the French chamber of deputies, is believed by many Gallic politicians to be the coming man of France, and the probable successor of Loubet as president.

Doumer's election was a surprise, as he has been a vigorous opponent of the policies of Premier Emile Combes. The vote was 265 to 240. At the vatican the news of Doumer's election gave great satisfaction, as he has been the most outspoken foe of Combes' anti-clerical policy. Doumer's election at the previous session, as president of the chamber's budget commission, was at the time the most marked success scored by the opposition since the Combes ministry came into power.

Doumer, who is 48 years old, is above all a man of action and an administrator. Although ranked as a radical republican, he is in reality a progressive republican. He is an energetic opponent of the socialistic methods adopted by the French government in Waldeck-Rousseau's time, since intensified under Combes.

As governor of Indo-China, from 1896 to 1902, he reorganized the entire administration of the colony, found efficient men for positions that had been inadequately filled, perfected the railroad system, improved the finances, and from the general confusion and distress in which the colony had found itself, he raised order and prosperity.

He had previously been a deputy, in 1888, and had held administrative positions. In 1895, he was minister of finance in the Bourgeois cabinet. In 1902, Doumer was elected deputy for the Aisne department and took his place among the opposition. Since then his supporters have been steadily working him forward toward the prominence which he has now attained. His ability is recognized as so great, and his views are known to be so moderate, that the entire opposition would rally round him to put him in the place of Combes should the opportunity present itself. And that the opportunity is not far distant is highly probable.

The purely anti-clerical policy adopted by the Comes cabinet has been far from



PAUL DOUMER.

satisfying even to many socialists. Since June, 1902, when Combes took over the reins of government, the most vital questions concerning France's internal development have been laid aside or allowed to drag on indefinitely in order that all the monks and nuns might be driven out of the country and a rupture with Rome effected. Those who approve this exclusive method are diminishing day by day in number. And the opposition sees its chance for rushing in Doumer as premier when public discontent has gone far enough. Then it would be only a step to the presidency.

DIRECTORS' MEETING

At a meeting of the directors of the Carter-Battle Grocer Company Tuesday evening, J. B. Craddock was elected to succeed W. B. Ward, Jr., as secretary. Mr. Ward having sold his stock and resigned several days ago. C. J. Howell was elected to succeed Charley Nichols as a director. Mr. Howell will have charge of the Granbury branch house. Mr. Craddock had been connected with the firm for five years previous to his connection with the Craddock-Terry Shoe Company of Lynchburg, Va. While with the Carter-Battle Company he traveled through the western part of the state.

The retiring secretary has not yet decided with what business he will connect himself, but he will not leave this city.

Dr. Ray, Osteopath, telephone 553.

A CALF AND A MORAL

Well Known Epic Tersely Written is Used by Energetic Fort Worth Firm to Point Moral

The Texas Anchor Fence Company, corner Throckmorton and Fifth streets, is using to good advantage the epic on the calf, just that plain sort of a calf that caused so many kinds of trouble. The poem has been gotten out in a neat circular form and different cuts show the folly of past ages, as now, in letting a calf run at large. The story told tells of the calf taking a new path and sets for the latter generation of mankind a path through life, and the busy street of a city, which sprang along the trial first made by the small bovine.

The Texas Anchor Fence Company embellishes the poem with some excellent pen and ink work. A series of five pictures show first, entitled "cause," a whistling engine chasing a stubborn calf down the track. A broken fence had let the animal into the railroad's right of way. The next pictures shows that the calf had failed to get out of the way for the train is piled high on the embankment. This picture is titled "Effect." As a "Result" the railroad receiver is pictured with damage claim papers scattered over his office. Now comes "Prevention," showing the railroad tracks protected by means of well made fence, the kind the Texas Anchor Fence Company makes, and cattle in security in the pastures.

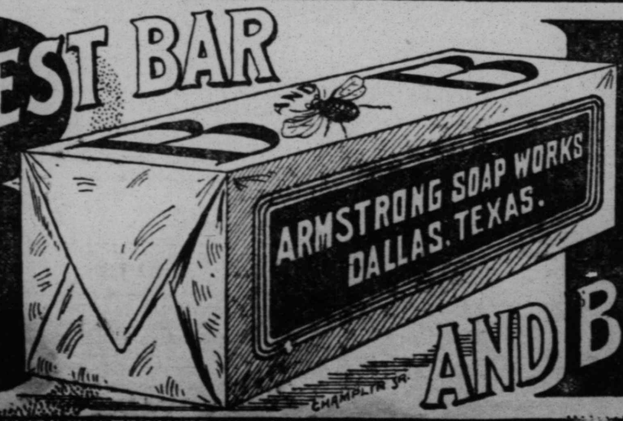
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The latest news from Paris is that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief and effected a permanent cure." Unequaled quick cure for Throat and Lung Troubles. At W. J. Fisher, Reeves' Pharmacy and N. S. Blanton & Co. drug stores; price 50c and $1, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

B AND B SOAP ONCE TRIED IS ALWAYS USED. IT'S THREE POINTS OF SUPERIORITY ARE: QUALITY, QUANTITY AND PRICE. A COMBINATION THAT HAS MADE MORE FRIENDS FOR B AND B SOAP THAN ANY OTHER LAUNDRY SOAP ON THE MARKET. SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY ALL GROCERS.

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LAUNDRY SOAP.

3 Valuable Prizes Free

Commencing Jan. 9 and continuing until after the issue of Jan. 31, certain words will be misspelled in the advertisements on the classified page of The Telegram every day. Some of the errors may be unintentional, but they count just the same.

The three subscribers to The Telegram who turn in the largest list of errors found between Jan. 9 and Jan. 31 will receive:

For the largest correct list of errors, beautiful shirt waist, latest style, value.. $5.00

For the second largest correct list of errors, a gentleman's hat, cost $5.00

For the third largest correct list of errors a 5-pound box of Jacobs' best candy.... $3.00

Read the ads carefully. Do it every evening. Keep record of the ads every day as they appear. Send your complete list to The Telegram office as soon after the issue of Jan. 31 as you can. No answer will be received after 12 o'clock noon, Feb. 2. Announcement of winners will be made in the issue of Feb. 2. Remember, every error you can find will count. If the same error occurs in more than one issue it will count every time you find it. All answers must be enclosed in an envelope addressed to "Contest Editor Want Page," Telegram. All incorrect words must be listed carefully and neatly on a sheet of paper each day by itself.

ALMOST PERSUADED!

to insure for the protection of themselves and their families, is the position of many men today. Do not let it be **ALMOST BUT LOST** in your case, as health is given to all men to make the most of while they have it, and in no way can you do better than by insuring your life. When you do so get the best your money can buy, by having a

TALK WITH SAM BUCKLEW,

Phone 2727. Rooms 314 and 315 Fort Worth National Bank Building.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—100 men to buy a pair of Keith's Konqueror Shoes. Apply at Monnig's.

FRESH DRY BATTERIES. F. H. CAMPbell & Co. Phone 2931.

BOUND ELECTRIC CO., FRESH DRY BATTERIES.

WANTED men to learn the barber trade. Shortest and most thorough method. Practical experience, careful instructions, little expense. Board and tools provided. Come now and complete during busy season. Catalogue free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Man or woman to travel. $21 paid weekly, expenses advanced. Home work $2 per day. Address with stamp W. L. Bradshaw, City.

FOUR trustworthy men to work in Fort Worth. Call room 2, 1602 Main street.

WANTED

DON'T sell furniture or stoves until you see us. We pay more than anybody, cash or trade. Don't buy furniture until you see us. We sell cheaper than anybody, cash or credit. Roberson & McClure, 202 Houston st. Phone 72.

WANTED TO BUY—A good second-hand safe. Apply, 212-215 West Second st.

WANTED—Four guinea pigs, healthy and in good condition. Bring to Medical Dept., Fort Worth University, 1010 East Seventh street.

WM. SHEDD, 205 Main street. Wet and dry batteries.

LAUNDRY

TEXAS LAUNDRY CO.—We make a specialty of ladies' fancy wear, family wash, rough dry, 5c a pound. All work done by us guaranteed to give satisfaction. Phone 661 and driver will call.

ROOM AND BOARD

FOR SUPERIOR [illegible] try me; new service; [illegible] reference given and [illegible] nett st.

WANTED—[illegible] $3.50 a week. [illegible]

BOARD AND [illegible] young men. Phone 1998.

FINANCIAL

6 TO 8 PER CENT paid on deposits in MUTUAL HOME AND SAVINGS ASS'N (INC., 1894). 611 Main St.

MONEY TO LOAN on personal indorsement, collateral or real estate security. William Reeves, rooms 406 and 407, Fort Worth National Bank building.

I HAVE a limited amount of money to invest in vendor's lien notes. Otho S. Houston, at Hunter-Phelan Savings Bank and Trust Company.

SIMON'S LOAN OFFICE makes loans on all articles of value. 1503 Main st.

MONEY TO LOAN on farms and ranches by the W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Co., corner Seventh and Houston streets.

LOANS on farms and improved city property. W. T. Humble, representing Land Mortgage Bank of Texas Fort Worth National Bank Building.

SEE THE BANK LOAN COMPANY for loans on stock, salary and household goods, 108 West Ninth, S. W. phone 2496-2 rings. New phone 922-white.

A LIMITED AMOUNT OF MONEY to build houses for rent or sale, on desirable real estate in Fort Worth. Address, Tillman Smith, 317 Houston street, Fort Worth.

SALARY and chattel loans. We trust you. Texas Loan Co., 1310 Main st.

WM. SHEDD, 205 Main street, has full line of electrical supplies. Both phones.

Ready Reference Directory

NELSON & DRAUGHON COLLEGE
Bookkeeping, Shorthand, etc., 6th & Main.

REAL ESTATE RENTALS
Tex. Adv. Realty Co., 1206½ Main.

GASOLINE ENGINES AND WINDMILLS
F. H. Campbell & Co., 1711 Calhoun St.

JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS
CROMER BROS., 1616 Main Street.

DENTAL WORK
Drs. Garrison Bros., 501½ Main St.

TICKET BROKERS
B. H. DUNN, member A. F. B. A., 1629 Main street.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WOMEN to sew at home, $9 per week. Materials sent everywhere free, steady work, plain sewing only. Send addressed envelope for full particulars. W L E Du Pont, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—A German lady and daughter wish to find place in private family or hotel for general house work. Address Louise Rixecker, Delaware Hotel.

WM. SHEDD—Old phone 2517-2 rings; new phone 1246.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—A situation as housekeeper for flat or rooming house, by competent woman. Address 201 Louisiana avenue.

NICE GERMAN wants position as house girl. Address, A. W., care Telegram.

WM. SHEDD, 205 Main street, repairs everything. Call him up. Both phones.

FURNITURE WANTED

THE FURNITURE EXCHANGE, 306 Houston street, wants to buy your second-hand furniture, do your repair work on stoves and furniture. We sell everything in our line at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES. Both phones.

WANTED—TO BUY—At once, three carloads of second-hand furniture; will pay highest prices. Cotton Belt Furniture Company, office 1505 Houston street. Phones 2432.

SPECIAL NOTICES

WE REPAIR FURNITURE and stoves. We buy furniture and stoves. BANNER FURNITURE CO., 211 Main. Both phones.

WHY NOT buy your fuel and feed from H. H. Hager & Co? They will treat you right. Phone 2232.

CARPET RENOVATING WORKS—Carpets, rugs, feathers and mattresses renovated made to order. Phone 167 1 ring old phone.

WANTED

To sell new typewriter, Smith-Premier No. 2, used about one month; A-1 condition; bargain. 109 W. Sixth street. Phone 1800.

VICTOR TALKING MACHINES,

Records and Needles are absolutely the best. We are headquarters for the Victor. Catalog free. Address,

Dept. T., Thos. Goggan & Bro., Dallas.

LET US SELL YOU A HOUSE on small monthly payments and stop that rent bill. A. P. Thomas Realty Co., 906 Houston street.

FOR good barbecue and chili call at Kansas City Barbecue stand, corner Fourteenth and Houston.

MRS. HUDSON, the photographer, makes faces for a living at Sixth and Houston.

TEETH!

Improve Your Looks! GET TEETH

It is really absurd at this stage of the world for men and women to be inconvenienced by loss of teeth and thereby impair their health by indigestion, offend their friends with bad breath and evidence a lack of interest in their facial appearance.

We guarantee painless extraction

CHARGES

Set of Teeth, from.....$5.00
GOLD CROWNS $4.50
Gold Fillings, from.....$1.00
Silver Fillings, from.....50c

DR. CRENSHAW,
THE DENTIST.
Eighth and Houston Streets,
Over Blythe's.

WM. SHEDD, 205 Main street, repairs bicycles and has full line of sundries. Best work. Lowest prices.

CLAIRVOYANT

FRED TATUM, the medium, 302 Taylor street. New phone 991. Private readings daily from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Trumpet seances Tuesdays and Fridays at 8 p. m. Can be engaged to entertain at private homes. Service Sunday nights at 610 Main street.

LOTIONS

Velvetine keeps the skin soft and smooth. Sold by Covey & Martin, Druggists, 810 Main street, phone 3.

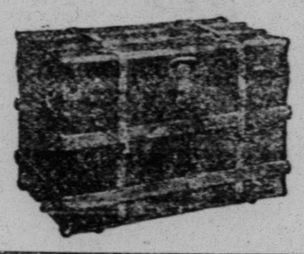
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On All Trunks, Bags and Cases A Saving of 25 to 50 Per Cent

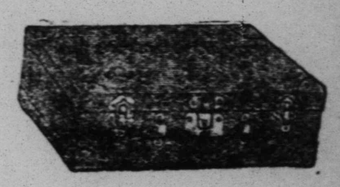


The high standard of our goods will be maintained which has made this house famous for traveling goods that will stand the baggage smasher.

We propose to reduce our stock and in order to do so in a short period of time have made some tremendous reductions. Write for catalogue and price list.



HENRY POLLACK TRUNK CO.
BAGGAGE BUILDERS
908 MAIN STREET



Wisdom vs. Foolishness

THE FOOLISH FARMER burns his cotton and gazes upon the sparks as they fly. But the wise man burns our wood to keep him warm and dry.

Positively we sell wood.

Comparatively we sell MORE wood

Superlatively we sell the MOST wood for the money.

Give us a trial order.

North Side Fuel Co.
Phone 2098—3 Rings

PERSONAL

JULIAN FEILD LODGE No. 998 will hold its first stated communication Wednesday night, Jan. 18, at 8 p. m. The meeting of this lodge has been set on the first and third Wednesdays of each month. All members are earnestly requested to be present. All master Masons cordially invited. E. W. Pressley, W. M.

When in need of WOOD, phone 525. Toole's Wood Yard.

Cheap Furniture

I want all the second-hand Furniture I can get.
R. E. LEWIS, 214 Houston St.
Both Phones.....1329-1 Ring.

BOUND ELECTRIC CO., FOR LAMPS (GLOBES).

FINE HOLIDAY BOOKS
—AND—
WATERMAN FOUNTAIN PENS
—AT—
CONNER'S BOOK STORE

The Great Sale is on at
Washer Bros.,
The Main-St. Clothiers

DR. H. P. HURLEY, room 405 Hoxie building. Phone 2492.

I HAVE MOVED from 511 Main street to my new location, two doors south, corner Fifth and Main streets.

J. H. GREER
Jeweler

FOR SALE

BOUND ELECTRIC CO. RENT MOTORS.

TO SELL any amount of dry oak stove wood and chunks. Give us your order. The Mugg & Dryden C.

They are down. What? Pants, $10.00 for $8.00, $8.00 for $6.00, $6.00 for $4.00. Any suit in the house for $25.00.
WOOD LONG, The Tailor.

FOR SALE—Good Durham cow. James Loughray, 111 North Houston street, new phone 1123 green.

FOR SALE—Four good mules at once. K. M. Watson, 112 Vickery boulevard. Phone 3190.

WM. SHEDD, machinist and electrician, 205 Main street, for house wiring. Both phones.

PRINTING

YOU NEED PRINTING EVERY DAY. BLANK BOOKS OCCASIONALLY
PHONE 25. SPEER PRINTING CO.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished. 400 Ballinger. Phone 2152.

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms for light housekeeping. 1321 Rusk street, back of Rosen Inn, North Fort Worth.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, at $10 per month. Water furnished. 410 Clara street.

THREE upstairs rooms with bath, completely furnished for housekeeping, to couple without children. References. Rent very reasonable. 709 West Belknap street.

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, close in. Apply 909 Taylor street.

NEW large connecting south rooms, furnished for housekeeping; gas stove, electric lights, phone. Price $18 per month. 817 Macon street.

TO EXCHANGE

LET US MAKE your face. We can add charms to your winning ways and you will be delighted with your photos. John Swartz, 705 Main street.

LET US RENT your property for you. We will take care of your interest. Guarantee satisfaction. Warren & Woodson, 611 Main street. Phone 2358.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE life scholarship in best business college in Fort Worth for board and room. Address Scholarship, postoffice box 54.

IF YOU WANT to buy, sell or trade city or country property see us. Warren & Woodson, 611 Main street. Phone 2358.

WM. SHEDD, 205 Main street, repairs locks and fits keys.

WE WANT YOUR FURNITURE TRADE and we want to exchange money or furniture for your old. $1 per week furnishes your room completely. We loan money on storage goods. We also have furnished houses for rent.

NIX FURNITURE and STORAGE CO.
202-204 Houston St. Both Phones.

ALEXANDER'S

IF YOU want the latest styles in Neckwear, Shirts, Underwear, you will find them at Alexanders, the Exclusive Haberdasher, corner Sixth and Main streets.

STOVE REPAIRING

We do all kinds of repair work and are gasoline experts. Evers & Truman, 208 Houston Street. Both phones 1954-1r.

DANCING

CHARNINSKY BROS.' Dancing Academy, Imperial Hall—Dancing taught and guaranteed. Classes and social dances every Wednesday and Saturday nights.

MONEY TO LOAN

Do you want a little money weekly or monthly payments on your salary? Empire Loan Co., 1212 Main.

CLEARANCE SALE!

Our $7.50 Overcoats, $3.95.
Men's $8.00 Suits, $4.95.
15c 4-ply linen Collars, 5c.
ABE M. MEHL, 1211 Main Street.

LUMBER

THOS. M. HUFF, DEALER IN [illegible] Shingles, Sash, Doors, Lime and Cement. Figure with me before buying. Phone 2150. Corner Railroad avenue and Lipscomb street.

GOOD EATING

EAT at the O. K. Regular meals, short orders a specialty. Try our Sunday dinners, 908 Houston.

SAFES

FIRE PROOF SAFES—We have on hand at all times several sizes and solicit your inquiries and orders. Nash Hardware Co., Fort Worth.

FOR CHANGE IN SAFE COMBINATIONS, PHONE 837. BOUND ELECTRIC COMPANY.

HOT DRINKS

MEET ME AT BLYTHE'S. Hot drinks of all kinds served. Eighth and Houston.

THE FAIR
BOOK DEPARTMENT
Special sale new Books this week. Publishers' price $1.50; our price this week.....$1.00
See the window.

OSTEOPATH

DR. HARRIS, Osteopath, fourth floor, Fort Worth National Bank building. Telephone 773 and 2308.

BARBER SHOP

LET US DO YOUR shaving; everything neat; baths 15c; our specialty. Ninth Street Barber Shop, 105 West Ninth st.

STOVES REPAIRED

ALL W. ASK IS A TRIAL—We do the rest. Both phones. Furniture Exchange, 308 Houston street.

KEY FITTING

BOUND ELECTRIC CO., FOR KEY FITTING.

RESTAURANTS

Open Day and Night. Phone 2127.

The American RESTAURANT
J. C. MOORE, Prop.
602 Main St., Fort Worth, Texas.

CANDIES

EAT JACOB'S CANDY, made last night. Blythe's, corner Eighth & Houston Sts.

PLUMBERS

HAROLD K. DYCUS, plumbing, gas and steam fitting, 1202 Main street.

TRUNKS AND SUIT CASES

Suit cases from $1.25 up.
Trunks from $1.50 up.
Henry Pollock Trunk Co.,
908 Main street. Phone 825.

FUEL AND KINDLING

PHONE J. W. ADAMS and let him fill your order for fuel or kindling; prompt delivery. Phone 530.

EUREKA REPAIR SHOP

KEY FITTING, Bicycles. Phone 1803-2 r. 107 West Ninth.

CROCKERY!

SEE US, we can save you money. Something new arriving daily. The Arcade.

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—A second-hand platform scale, 1,000 to 2,000 pounds capacity; must be in good repair. Answer, D. R., care Telegram.

BILLIARDS AND POOL

MEET me at Lenox Pool Parlor. That means you. 503 Main street.

HUNTING

MEN, do you know what you have been missing by not stopping at Kingsley's, Eighth and Throckmorton?

BUGGIES AND WAGONS



DO you want the best? If you are thinking of buying a [illegible]about surrey, phaeton or anything in the vehicle line, see others, then see us. Fife & Miller, 312 Houston street, W. J. Tackaberry.



If you want a Buggy or Wagon at best prices and on best terms, see H. A. WILLIAMS, 213-215 West Second street, Fort Worth.

AWNINGS

AWNINGS made at Scott's Renovating Works and Awning Factory. Phone 167 1-ring, new phone 863.

ALEX'S ADVICE

TAKE her a box of Rubel & Allegretti's and she will have a feeling for you.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

NORTH SIDE and Rosen Heights property for sale or trade. Warren & Woodson, 611 Main street. Phone 2358.

FOR BARGAINS IN CITY PROPERTY, farms, ranches, and business chances, see E. T. Odom & Co., 105 West Fourth street. Both phones.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses for rent, 6 per cent money to loan on business property; 9 per cent money to loan on residence property. D. S. Hare & Co., real estate agents, 611 Main street.

HOMES FOR ALL IN NORTH FORT Worth—Buy a home on Diamond Hill Addition, close to packing houses, with school, water works, streets and sidewalks easy terms, just like paying rent. Glen Walker & Co., 115 Exchange Avenue and 113 West Sixth Street.

NO TROUBLE to show you the houses we have to sell or to rent. A. P. Thomas Realty Co., 906 Houston street.

FOR SALE—New 5-room house, close in, $1,500. $200 cash, balance easy.
4-room house, $1,000; payments easy.
Two 8-room houses for rent, modern in in every respect, Sixth ward, $35.
Two small farms for sale cheap.
If you want to rent a house phone us. We will SELL you a house or BUILD you one. Old phone 2325, new 489. A. N. Evans & Co., Fourteenth and Main.

FARMS AND RANCHES anywhere in the state. See us for fruit and truck land. Bargains in city property. Cotton Belt Development Company, in Cotton Belt ticket office, Fifth and Main.

HAVE 7,000 ACRES in Panhandle, all tillable; well improved; will take half cash and half in trade; price $5 per acre. This is a fine deal, and the party who wishes to go there can make no mistake in investigating this. Warren & Woodson, 611 Main street. Phone 2358.

WE HAVE ALREADY SUPPLIED a good many people with homes on our easy payment plan, and still have some choice lots left. If you are paying rent and would like to save it, call and see W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

226 ACRES, eight miles from Fort Worth, to sell; reasonable, or will take Fort Worth or Houston property as part payment. This is a well improved place, and 130 acres of it is now in cultivation. Must sell or trade by the 20th. Warren & Woodson, 611 Main street. Phone 2358.

FOR SALE—Eight-room cottage, with hall; lot 70x152; West Third street; $4,200; $1,000 cash, balance easy terms.
Six-room cottage with hall, porcelain bath tub and toilet; electric lights; lot 50x130 feet; close in; $2,100; $1,000 cash, balance easy.
Six-room, two-story frame house, on east side. If sold quick, $850. Lot 50x100 feet.
Five-room cottage and hall; on Henderson street; $2,000; one-third cash. Let us show you this. Lot 50x100 feet.
Five-room cottage and hall; servant's room; lot 50x120 feet; price $1,500; small cash payment; balance easy.
We can rent your property and will take of your interest. Place it with us.
If you want to buy or sell anywhere in the city see us.
WARREN & WOODSON,
Phone 2358. 611 Main Street.

Buy a Home!

BEAUTIFUL, new five-room house, with hall and bath, east front, lot 50x100; $1,400. Must sell. See us.
New four-room house, hall and bath; $1,300. A snap. See it.
Several new cottages for sale cheap, and on easy terms.
Lots on St. Louis and Jennings avenues, and on May street. Can build on any of these for small cash payment, balance monthly.
Snap in Glenwood. Party leaving city. Must sell.
Forty houses in Union Depot addition. Can sell on your own terms.
Four lots on south side; $150 cash. These are snaps.
Two lots on Henderson; $15 down, balance $10 per month. Price, $300.
Money to loan on city property, to purchase vendor lien notes, extend vendor lien notes and for building purposes. Phone 849.

Haggard & Duff

WE WILL SELL OR TRADE for city property, forty-four acres of fine land on interurban road. Fosdick & Mitchell.

FOR SALE AND EXCHANGE—We will move Monday, Jan. 16, to 512 Main st., where we will be pleased to have our many friends to call and see us. We can sell, buy or exchange any thing you want. We have farms, ranches, merchandise, bank stock for sale and exchange. E. T. Odom & Co., 513 Main street. Both phones.

SMOOTH SKIN

IF YOU would have nice smooth skin, use Yawnah Smooth Skin Lotion. R. A. Anderson, the Druggist.

TO BEAUTIFY YOUR COMPLEXION IN 10 DAYS, USE

Satinola

THE UNEQUALLED BEAUTIFIER



A few applications will remove tan or sallowness and restore the beauty of youth.

SATINOLA is a new discovery, guaranteed, and money refunded if it fails to remove Freckles, Pimples, Liver Spots, Blackheads, Tan, Discolorations and Disfiguring Eruptions. Ordinary cases in 10 days, the worst in 20 days. After these defects are removed the skin will be soft, clear, healthy and beautiful. Price 50 cents at drug stores or by mail. Thousands of ladies testify to the merits of Satinola.

Mrs. Etta Brown writes:—St. Louis, Mo., June 30, 1904. "I have been using your Satinola, Egyptian Cream, Soap and Nadine Face Powder and like them all very much. This is the first summer since childhood that I have been without freckles. I am 34 years old and have a better complexion now than when a girl."

NATIONAL TOILET CO., Paris, Tenn.

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

Wholesale distributors: H. W. Williams Co. and Wadsworth-Cameron Co.

THOMAS D. ROSS,

Attorney

And Counsellor at Law.

Land Title Block,

FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

THE MERCANTILE AGENCY
R. G. DUNN & CO.
Established over sixty years, and having one hundred and seventy-nine branches throughout the civilized world.
A DEPENDABLE SERVICE OUR ONE AIM. UNEQUALLED COLLECTION FACILITIES.

WASHINGTON FORECAST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The forecast of weather for the southwest is as follows:

East Texas—Tonight and Thursday rain and colder.

Arkansas—Tonight and Thursday rain; colder Thursday.

Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy weather; probably rain tonight and in east portion colder.

SAILORS REPORTED LOST

TOKIO, Jan. 18.—The navy department announces that seventeen officers and men were lost with the torpedo boat commanded by Lieutenant Nagala in the attack on the Russian battleship Sevastopol at Port Arthur Dec. 14.

The commander of the Japanese third squadron, reporting the details of the night attack on the Sevastopol Dec. 14, said that while searching for the Russian ship a torpedo boat commanded by Lieutenant Nagala became lost from its comrade ships and there was anxiety for the safety of the boat and crew.

MICHIGAN HOUSE ENDORSES PRESIDENT

Adopts Resolution Calling on Congressmen to Aid in Securing Power for Commission

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 18.—The state house of representatives by a vote of 55 to 28 has adopted a concurrent resolution introducedd by Representative Van Keuren, endorsing the policy of President Roosevelt with regard to securing greater powers for the interstate commerce commission. The resolution calls upon the Michigan members in congress to support the president. In urging the adoption of his resolution, Representative Van Keuren declared that a number of Michigan men in the celebrated fruit belt had been driven out of business by discriminating railroad rates. The opposition to the resolution was based on the assertion that this was not a question for the Michigan legislature to meddle with.

When the resolution reached the state senate it was after a brief debate referred to the committee on federal relations.



TO RISK LIVES FOR SAKE OF SCIENCE

Government Investigators Will Endeavor to Learn Height of Mount Whitney and Depth of Death Valley

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 18.—R. A. Farmer of the United States geological survey has left home on a mission to establish in accordance with scientific requirements the exact height of Mount Whitney and also the lowest point in the United States, according to mercurial tests, which are deemed unsatisfactory and liable to error. Mount Whitney is anywhere from 15,503 to 15,530 feet high. Mr. Farmer, who is to take charge of the corps of government employes at Mojave and who will direct the running of the line of level to Owen's Lake, across the Mojave desert, hopes to use the acquired information as a basis for calculation mathematically and scientifically correct. The same investigation will show the greatest natural depression in the earth's crest. The surface in Death's Valley is popularly supposed to be the lowest in the country and has been estimated from 100 to 500 feet below the level of the sea. The expedition will be a hazardous one, as the survey party will be obliged to follow lines established by spirit levels and without regard to settlements and watering places.

TWO RAILROAD HEADS TO RESIGN FROM OFFICE

Michigan Central and C. C. C. and St. L. Presidents Scheduled to be Replaced by N. Y. C. Officials

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Rumors that have been in circulation a long time concerning a readjustment of the administration of the various Vanderbilt roads have crystalized into a definite statement, says the Herald, that H. B. Ledyard, president of the Michigan Central railroad company and Melville E. Ingalls, president of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railway company will resign from their respective positions in the near future.

While these changes do not portend any financial plan, they indicate, the Herald continues, a unification of the administrative forces of the New York Central system. In fact, all the Vanderbilt lines east of Chicago will hereafter be directly administered from the Grand Central station in this city. An official announcement is expected within a few days. William H. Newman, head of the New York Central, is mentioned as likely to also assume the presidency of the Michigan Central and the "Big Four."

North Fort Worth And Rosen Heights

J. E. Warren of Rosen Heights has gone to Belton to be gone several months.

The boiler plant of the North Fort Worth Cold Storage Company is being installed.

The Tuesday Club met with Mrs. J. O. Crenshaw, Columbus avenue, yesterday. A large crowd was present.

The Rosen Heights W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. J. M. Hensley, Pearl avenue, today.

Dr. John McCauley and family of Sulphur Springs, Texas, have moved to Marine.

In order to accommodate its increase in business the Rock Island has made a number of improvements in its track facilities in the last few weeks. Two long transfer tracks have been put in to connect with the Cotton Belt and another to connect with the Belt Railway. An additional track has also been laid, making in all over 3,000 feet of new track.

OHIO RIVER IS GORGED

Serious Damage Threatened at Louisville, Ky.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 18.—The breaking of an immense gorge which had formed four miles above the city, threatened for a time to destroy a number of steamboats, coal barges and wharf boats in the Louisville harbor yesterday afternoon. Fortunately the river was at a stage which allowed the government dams at the head of the falls to check the gorge, and the only actual loss consisted of the sinking of one coal barge owned by the Atlas Coal Company and some slight damage to the steamer Morning Star, the wharf boat of the Louisville and Evansville mail line, and other wharf boats and smaller craft swept from their moorings, but still afloat.

The gorge had formed at Pumpkin Patch, Louisville's chief coal harbor, containing at the time about 2,000,000 bushels of coal. The gorge still fills the harbor, being held by the dams at the head of the fall. Three steamboats, four wharf boats, a number of coal flats and about fifteen barges of coal are caught in the pack. The chief danger lies in the possibility of a rise sufficient to lift the gorge clear of the dams, in which case all of the property mentioned would be lost.

PURCHASING AGENT EXPLAINS HIS WORK

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 18.—State Purchasing Agent Anderson, whose department will be sought to be abolished by the present legislature, was asked for a statement yesterday evening as to his methods of making purchases for the various state institutions, when he gave out the following:

"All goods purchased during the annual award are covered by the written requisition of the superintendent and board of managers of the various institutions. Open market purchases or those not made at the time of the annual award, are covered by written requisition of the superintendent of the institution. The amounts and quality are always specified by them. The store keepers and accountants are to receive the goods if they correspond in every particular to the sample by which they are bought, and if they do not correspond they are to be rejected. All goods usually sold by sample are left in my office for comparison and the institution gets this sample.

MANY MINERS ARE OUT

122,612 Men Quit in Strike at Essen, Germany

ESSEN, Germany, Jan. 18.—According to reports received at the official mine office 122,612 men from 187 coal mines are out on strike. The leaders of the strike had a meeting with the government commissioners yesterday afternoon and explained the grounds for the strike. The expectation still continues that the strike may be ended soon, owing to the government's strong desire to end the controversy.

MINE WORKERS' COMMITTEES

Named by President Mitchell at Indianapolis Convention

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 18.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America yesterday announced the committees for the national convention now in session. The national committee is constituted as follows:

W. R. Fairley, Alabama; W. P. Haskins, Ohio; John P. White, Iowa; Peter Hanraty, Indian Territory; Patrick Gilday, Central Pennsylvania; T. D. Nichols, Anthracite No. 1; Herman C. Perry, Illinois; John Boyle, Indiana; John Bowden, Tennessee.

Of the $1,067,300 spent last year by the organization for the relief of the strikers $437,575 went into the Colorado district.

ABILENE BANK IS CLOSED

Suspends Business Pending Visit of Bank Examiner—Says Payment Will Be Made in Full

ABILENE, Texas, Jan. 18.—The American National bank at Abilene closed its doors at 10:30 o'clock this morning. According to a statement made by a bank official, the action was due to a refusal on the part of eastern banks to renew rediscounts. According to this official the bank will pay its obligations in full. A request for a bank examiner has been made nad it is expected he will arrive in a few days.

SID THRASH IS CONVICTED

Houston Jury Gives Him Fifty Years in Penitentiary

HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 18.—Sid Thrash, accused of attacking a 12-year-old girl on Christmas day, was given fifty years in the penitentiary today. He could get no member of the Houston bar to defend him. He was convicted on a charge of assault with intent to murder.

MAN RUN DOWN IN RAILROAD YARDS

F. M. Baker Loses Limb as Result of Accident on Texas and Pacific Railroad

F. M. Baker was run down by an engine in the Texas and Pacific west yards Tuesday night and his left leg mangled so badly that amputation was found necessary.

The leg was amputated between the knee and foot this morning about 10:30 o'clock at St. Joseph's Infirmary. This afternoon he was reported to be resting easily.

NOT A THIEF OF TIME

Robber Took Overcoat, But Left Foreman's Record of Work

A thief entered the boarding car at Polk stock yards Tuesday night, stealing an overcoat and hat belonging to Foreman Baily.

The thief, noticing the foreman's time book in his overcoat pocket, took it out and placed it under Baily's pillow.

UTAH FOR SUTHERLAND

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 18.—Former Congressman George Sutherland was elected United States senator to succeed Thomas Kerens yesterday, receiving the full republican vote in both houses of the legislature, voting separately. William H. King, former congressman, received the six democratic votes.

NIEDRINGHAUS WINS

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 18.—Thomas K. Niedringhaus of St. Louis yesterday received a majority of the total vote cast in both houses of the Missouri legislature for United States senator, to succeed F. M. Cockrell. He received a majority of eight on joint ballot.

EL PASO REPUBLICANS ACTIVE

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 18.—The republicans have nominated a full city ticket, headed by J. A. Smith, the well known Texas leader. The democrats are split and the republicans believe they have good chance.

PUTTING IT STRONG

But Doesn't It Look Reasonable?

This may read as though we were putting it a little strong, because it is generally thought by the majority of people that Dyspepsia in its chronic form is incurable or practically so. But we have long since shown that Dyspepsia is curable, nor is it such a difficult matter as at first appears.

The trouble with Dyspeptics is that they are continually dieting, starving themselves or going to the opposite extreme or else deluging the already over burdened stomach with "bitters," "after-dinner pills," etc., which invariably increase the difficulty even if in some cases they do give a slight temporary relief. Such treatment of the stomach simply makes matters worse. What the stomach wants is a rest. Now how can the stomach become rested, recuperated and at the same time the body nourished and sustained?

This is a great secret and this is also the secret of the uniform success of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. This is a comparatively new remedy, but its success and popularity leave no doubt as to its merit.

The tablets will digest the food anyway, regardless of condition of stomach. The sufferer from Dyspepsia, according to directions, is to eat an abundance of good, wholesome food and use the tablets before and after each meal and the result will be that the food will be digested, no matter how bad your Dyspepsia may be, because, as before stated, the tablets will digest the food even if the stomach is wholly inactive. To illustrate our meaning plainly, if you take 1,800 grains of meat, eggs or ordinary food and place in a temperature of 98 degrees, and put with it one of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets it will digest the meat or eggs almost as perfectly as if the meat was enclosed within the stomach.

The stomach may be ever so weak, yet these tablets will perform the work of digestion and the body and brain will be properly nourished and at the same time a radical, lasting cure of Dyspepsia will be made because the much abused stomach will be given, to some extent, a much needed rest. Your druggist will tell you that of all the many remedies advertised to cure Dyspepsia none of them have given so complete and general satisfaction as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and not least in importance in these hard times is the fact that they are also the cheapest and give the most good for the least money.

Rheumatism

Does not let go of you when you apply lotions or liniments. It simply loosens its hold for a while. Why? Because to get rid of it you must correct the acid condition of the blood on which it depends. Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured thousands.

DEATHS

J. I. GILL

Mrs. Jeanette I. Gill, aged 79 years, died late Tuesday afternoon at 913 West Daggett avenue. The body will be shipped to Decatur Thursday for interment. Mrs. Gill had been a resident of Texas for thirty years, eight of which she lived in Fort Worth.

W. B. MOORE

W. B. Moore, aged 45 years, died late Tuesday afternoon at St. Joseph's Infirmary. His body will be shipped to Clarendon, Texas, for interment.

MRS. GEORGE M. JONES

Mrs. George M. Jones, aged 49 years, died at 11:45 o'clock Tuesday night of apoplexy at her home, 813 Crawford street.

Mrs. Jones has lived in Fort Worth for several years and is survived by her husband and a daughter, Mrs. J. N. Acres of this city. The funeral will be held from the residence at 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

TO RAISE MONEY FOR EDUCATION

Texas Presbyterian Synod Decides to Engage More Men in Work for Funds

At a meeting of the Texas Synod of the Presbyterian church held this morning at the First Presbyterian church it was decided, in the interest of the Twentieth Century Fund, to put more men in the field to work for endowments for the five educational institutions under the supervision of the Texas Synod.

The resignation of Dr. R. T. Sampson, president of the Austin Theological Institute, as financial agent or representative for the Twentieth Century Fund was accepted and will go into effect Feb. 1, this year.

"It was Dr. Sampson who organized the Twentieth Century Fund and it was due to his efforts that it was made a success," said the members of the synod in a resolution in regard to his resignation. Dr. Sampson is resigning principally on account of ill health.

"This Twentieth Century Fund," said Rev. Junius B. French, "was a scheme formulated for the purpose of raising endowments for the various institutions under the control of the Texas Synod. We have appointed agents, business, professional men and ministers to represent us in the field and to collect endowments. These men can not be connected in any way with these educational institutions. This was a ruling passed at this morning's session."

The institutions now under the control of the synod are: The Austin College at Sherman, the Texas College at Milford, the Daniel Baker College at Brownwood and the Austin Theological Seminary at Austin.

At the close of the session a vote of thanks was extended the pastor and ladies of the church for the hospitality shown the members of the synod while in the city.

CHILEAN INDUSTRIES DEVELOPING RAPIDLY

Fifty-nine Industrial Corporations With Combined Capital of $30,000,000 Organized During the Past Year

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—During last year, says a Herald dispatch from Valparaiso de Chile, fifty-nine mine, agricultural and nitrate banking companies have been incorporated with a total capital of about $30,000,000. Seven foreign concerns with $8,000,000 capital were also formed.

Commercial and industrial enterprises of all kinds representing hundreds of millions, continue to be organized. Nitrate exports and customs receipts show large increases.

A woman was one of the competitors in a plowing contest lately held in Derbyshire, England.

MAJOR SWAIN IS GIVEN TEN YEARS

Houston Man Found Guilty by Jury of Murder in the Second Degree

HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 18.—Major Hugh N. Swain, son of the late W. J. Swain, state controller and president of the Houston Fire and Marine Hospital, was this morning found guilty of murder in the second degree and given ten years in the penitentiary on a charge of shooting C. W. Jones, treasurer of the said insurance company.

The killing occurred Oct. 9, last. Three weeks after the killing Jones' mother died, and early in December the aged father of Swain died, it is said, from grief caused by the shooting. Jones was shot in the back of the head in the hall of the building where the company was located at 4 o'clock one Sunday afternoon.

Swain swore Jones was trying to pull a revolver and hide in the corner of the hall and murder him. A revolver was found in Jones' hip pocket as he lay in the hallway.

A new trial is asked.

BOAZ FUNERAL IS HELD TODAY

Services Held at Comer Residence—Burial in New Cemetery

Funeral services over the remains of Luther Boaz were held this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. B. Comer, 111 St. Louis avenue. The interment was in the new cemetery.

The pallbearers were W. G. Newby, Alf Luckett, G. H. Colvin, Jeff D. McLean, Ben O. Smith and Americus Johnson.

The deceased was the son of William J. Boaz, vice president of the American National bank of this city. He was a native of Fort Worth and was formerly president of the bank his father now serves as vice president. The deceased had been in South Texas for the last five years, engaged in the cultivation of rice. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Howard of the Missouri Avenue M. E. church.

SHIPBUILDERS STRIKE WILL DELAY PROGRESS OF RUSSIAN VESSELS

Twelve Thousand Employes Walk Out and 20,000 More May Follow

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 18.—Early this morning employes of the Neva Shipbuilding Works decided to support the strikers of the Putiloff and the Franco-Russian works.

Subsequently 12,000 of the men of the Neva works informed their managers they had gone out on a general strike. The situation is regarded as threatening. The strike at Neva works involves the suspension of the construction of submarine boats of the protector type which was being carried out under the supervision of an American engineer and also work on two ocean-going vessels similar to those of the volunteer fleet and several gunboats and torpedo boats besides the preparation of war material urgently required for naval and military purposes. The completion of the gunboats and torpedo boats, besides the preparation of war material is urgently required for naval and military purposes. The completion of the gunboats and torpedo boats had been ordered within two months.

Large forces of military and police have been sent to the works. It is feared the men employed at Obukhoff Steel Works will join in the movement, thus adding 20,000 to the ranks of the strikers.

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Seven or eight big bargain tables are filled today. Thousands of pairs of good shoes are sacrificed in this wonderful price-cutting. Look carefully at the price. You know that the values are here when this store quotes them to you.

$3.00 and $3.50 Ladies' Patent Vici Kid or Patent Leather at $1.98
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BEN HUR BALL

Don't forget the Ben Hur benefit ball Thursday (tomorrow) night, postponed from last Wednesday night, the 11th. This ball is given for the benefit of the Ben Hur sick fund, and all friends of the order are most cordially invited to attend. Tickets are only 50c, admitting gentleman and lady.

SENATOR KNOX ELECTED

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 18.—The two branches of the Pennsylvania legislature balloted separately yesterday for United States senator. Philander C. Knox, who was appointed by Governor Pennypacker, to succeed the late M. S. Quay, received the unanimous vote of the republicans. The democratic minority cast their votes for State Senator J. K. P. Hall.

WEDDING FOLLOWS ROMANTIC MEETING

Friendship Begun by Correspondence Terminates in Happy Marriage

A romantic courtship in which the post-office department materially aided Cupid terminated in the wedding of Mrs. J. B. Mischler of this city and R. H. Hauskins of Sacramento, Cal., which took place at the home of Mrs. W. L. Small last Friday.

The bride and groom had never seen one another until last Wednesday, two days before the ceremony was performed, although they had been corresponding for a little over a year before they met, having been introduced by correspondence through a mutual friend.

Mr. Hauskins came to Texas a few weeks ago on a business trip and at once called upon Mrs. Mischler. Their friendship rapidly culminated in their engagement, and arrangements were made for a speedy wedding.

The ceremony was solemnized by Justice Charles Rowland at the residence of the bride's sister, where Mrs. Hauskins is at present. Her husband is now in south Texas completeing business affairs. Mrs. Hauskins will join him at Houston about Feb. 1, and accompany him to his home, four miles east of Sacramento, Cal.

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