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THE WEATHER
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THROUGH HEAVY RAIN THE TWO YACHTS SAIL

WEATHER DID NOT FAVOR BOATS CONTESTING IN THE FIRST RACE FOR THE AMERICA'S CUP. BULLETINS BY MARCONI WIRELESS TELEGRAPH OF THE PROGRESS—RELIANCE LEADS, BUT HAS A TIME ALLOWANCE TO OVERCOME

NEW YORK, August 20.—The Reliance and Shamrock III., accredited representatives of the yacht craft of two nations, will sail the first race today in the thirteenth series of contests for the now world famous America's cup, wrested from the Englishman fifty-two years ago by the schooner yacht America. This trophy year after year has secured a firmer place in the estimation of yachtsmen, a stronger position sentimentally in the hearts of the American people, and become a part of the history of the nation.

Undauted by repeated failures, the Briton gained experience with every defeat and returned home only to build a better boat and again challenge. Thousands upon thousands of dollars have been expended by both Americans and Britons in an attempt to defend and capture the trophy, and the interest has grown with each contest. Though defeated in 1899 and again in 1901, Sir Thomas Lipton returned to try for a third time to carry to the shores of Albion the much coveted trophy. Both boats sailed many trial races during the past three months and both have shown themselves faster than predecessors.

SOME OF THE RECORDS

The course over which today's race is sailed is the International Yacht club course, outside Sandy Hook. Shamrock III. has sailed it many times in her trials, while the Reliance has been over it but once and that in a light breeze.

This course of thirty miles was covered by the Vigilant in 1893 in 3 hours, 24 minutes and 39 seconds, the fastest time over the windward and leeward course. This was one of the most exciting races in any cup contest and was sailed in a strong breeze. In 1901, however, the Columbia sailed the triangular 30-mile course in 3 hours, 12 minutes and 25 seconds.

Off Newport the Reliance on July 25 sailed the 30-mile triangular course in 2 hours, 58 minutes and 52 seconds, and the windward and leeward 30 miles on July 1 in 3 hours, 4 minutes and 27 seconds.

THE TWO COMMANDERS

Both yachts are commanded by men who are masters of their craft and recognized as the best in their respective countries. Captain Charles Barr, who commands the Reliance, sailed two other cup defenders in the international races and has skill and a resourceful and iron nerve. He sailed the Columbia in 1899 and 1901, defeating the Shamrock I. and Shamrock II.

Captain Robert Wringe, than whom there is said to be no better skipper in England, is not a stranger either to yacht maneuvering or American waters. He came here first on the Shamrock I., as second in command to Captain Hogarth. The next season he sailed August Belmont's Minola, and in 1901, when she was, in a trial, beaten by Shamrock II.

Showers were frequent all through the night, and this morning it is wet and sticky. Three hours before the time set for the start New York harbor was unruffled with sailing vessels, and even little clam-digging boats lay motionless on the water. Both yachts began to make sail as soon as colors sounded, and at 8:30 o'clock both had mainsails hoisted and headsails up in stop. In addition the Reliance sent up her No. 1 clup topsail, and this latter piece of canvas towered higher above the Shamrock III., lying just ahead of her. One of Mr. Iselin's guests talked this morning over the telephone with a friend in New York city, asking odds on the Reliance. He replied to those aboard the defender that 1 to 3 was the best the adherents of Sir Thomas would give. The crew cheered the announcement.

At 8:55 the Reliance took the line from the tender and in a few minutes was outside the Hook and on the way to the starting point.

At 9:05 the Shamrock started out of Sandy Hook bay. The Erin, with Sir Thomas Lipton's guests on board, followed soon afterward and headed for the line. The Shamrock came about on the Reliance's weather and also headed for the line. The Shamrock was first to cross. Both boats were on the starboard tack with flattened sheets, the Reliance a little to the windward, with the Shamrock in her wake and a few hundred yards astern.

Little by little, almost imperceptibly, the Reliance seemed to gain on her adversary, but before she is on equal terms she must overcome one minute and fifty-seven seconds time allowance.

Soon after the start the yachts ran into a drenching rainstorm, which, when it passed, left a calm which was broken only by a faint and wavering wind. Considering conditions, the pace made by the big racers was remarkable, but it was apparent that unless the breeze improved considerably it would not take them around the course within the time limit.

At 12 o'clock the yachts were about four miles due east of Monmouth Beach.

Scarcely had the first shower passed when another heavy downpour overtook them. The wind shifted slightly, and in such a way as to directly affect the Reliance, so that when eight miles of the course had been sailed the boats were on even terms.

As the rain ceased the wind freshened a little and with its increasing force the Reliance began to prove her qualities. While for a time the Shamrock seemed to foot as fast as the Reliance the latter was pointing much higher and son made her way into the commanding windward berth, giving her a distinct lead. Gradually she increased the advantage and the breeze seemed to improve it. It looked at 1 o'clock as though the race would be finished within the time limit.

BULLETINS OF THE INTERNATIONAL RACE

SANDY HOOK, N. Y., August 20, 8 a. m.—There is a wind not over three miles an hour blowing out over the southwest and a thick haze prevails outside, but indications point to a clearing condition for the yacht race today.

10:20 a. m. (by Marconi wireless, from the starting point)—The Reliance and Shamrock III. arrived at the starting point and dropped tow. The weather is cloudy and overcast, the wind blowing five knots from the south and but little sea running.

HIGHLANDS, N. J., 11:01 a. m.—The starting signal was fired at 11 a. m. The Shamrock III. crossed the line in the lead. It was apparent from the shore.

The Shamrock III., 11:00:50.

The Reliance, 11:01:26.

Both boats crossed the line at 11:01:30, Shamrock leading. At 11:12 the yachts had apparently sailed about a mile of the course, the Shamrock leading by a short distance.

At 11:20 the Shamrock was still leading by a very small margin, but the Reliance was gradually overtaking her.

At 11:39 the Shamrock was still leading by a short margin.

Noon—The boats are on even terms. The wind has so changed they are heading direct for the mark. A heavy shower is passing. The yachts are now about five miles offshore of long Branch, with the Reliance a quarter of a mile to the windward. Both on tack, heading inshore.

12:40 p. m. (Marconi wireless)—Eleven miles from the start the boats are about on port tack, the Reliance leading by 200 yards, the Shamrock to leeward, footing faster than the Reliance, but not pointing so high. The rain stopped, but cloudy and overcast. The wind is about six knots.

The Reliance has half a mile lead, the wind strengthening.

12:50 (Marconigram)—The Reliance is still to the windward, leading by a quarter of a mile.

1:35 p. m. (Maconigram)—The Reliance leads the Shamrock by one mile.

New York—Unless the wind freshens the yachts cannot finish within the time limit.

2:31 p. m. (Maconigram)—The sea is rough and the boats are pounding badly. The reliance is approaching the Mark and the Shamrock is nearly becalmed.



SHAMROCK III. AND RELIANCE RACING FOR THE CUP.

BANK FAILURE AT BEAUMONT

The Closing of the Citizens National Bank Causes No Surprise in Business Circles of That City

EXAMINER LOGAN IS APPOINTED RECEIVER

Creditors Will Get About Fifty Per Cent—Large Loans to the President of the Concern and Enterprises in Which He Was Interested

BEAUMONT, Texas, August 20.—The failure of the Citizens National Bank, announced by Bank Examiner Logan, created no excitement in business circles this morning. With the exception of $29,000 in the savings departemnt, the depositors are all large oil men. Other banks are not in the least affected. The statement of the condition shows liabilities of $450,000, including $277,000 deposited. Assets are $300,000.

Creditors will get about 50 per cent. Rod Oliver, the president, is interested in several other Texas banks.

LOGAN IS RECEIVER

WASHINGTON, August 20.—The Citizens National Bank of Beaumont, Texas, was closed yesterday after an examination by National Bank Examiner J. M. Logan and a committee of the clearing-house committee, which showed estimated losses amounting to $229,000 and doubtful items of $49,00. Examiner Logan has been appointed receiver. The failure of this bank, it is stated, is due to large loans made to the president, R. Oliver, and enterprises in which he is interested.

The resources and liabilities of the bank June 9, as shown by the report of the condition made to the comptroller of the currency on that date, was as follows:

Resources, loans and discounts, $385,811.
United States bonds to secure circulation, $25,000.
Stocks, securities, claims, etc., $12,740.
Real estate owned, $16,594.4
Due from banks and bankers, $140,830.
Cash and cash items, $19,780.
Total, $599,757.
The liabilities were:
Capital stock, $100,000.
Surplus fund and undivided profits, $36,341.
Circulation, $25,000.
Due to banks and bankers, $5,711.
Individual deposits, $342,704.
Total, $599,751.

LOCAL COURTS UNSATISFACTORY

American Claims in Colombia Must Be Settled by Diplomatic Intervention

NEW YORK, August 20.—Mail advices from Bogota report that United States Minister Beaupre has sent a strong official note to the minister of foreign affairs, stating in the name of Secretary Hay that all American claims pending against Colombia must be settled by diplomatic intervention and not by local courts, cables the Colon correspondent of the Herald.

Advices from Barranquilla says that General Jose Vasquez Cobos, the former military chief of Panama, who headed the military coup of July 26 against the government, was imprisoned there and sent to Bogota August 15 under military escort.

It is reported that General Cobos' brother, Alfredo Vasquez Cobos, the minister of war, has resigned his portfolio.

MAINE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

PORTLAND, Me., August 20.—The third annual state championship golf tournament opened today on the links of the Portland Golf club and will continue through tomorrow and Saturday. The contestants include prominent players not only frgom this state, but from Massachusetts and other states as well, and judging from the high class of the entries and the promptitude of officials and players in the opening play today the tournament will prove the most successful since the organization of the state association.



C. OLIVER ISELIN, MANAGING OWNER OF RELIANCE.

TO FORFEIT CHARTERS EXPRESS COMPANIES

AUSTIN, Texas, August 20—The railroad commission today, by unanimous vote, adopted a resolution instructing Attorney General C. K. Bell to institute suit against the Wells-Fargo and Pacific express companies for forfeiture of their respective permits to do business in Texas and against the United States and American express companies to enjoin them from doing business in this state.

It is understood that heavy penalties will be asked against the first two mentioned companies.

The United States and American companies are joint stock concerns. They are not required to have a permit from the state to operate in Texas railroads. They can only be reached through injunction proceedings. The basis for these suits is that the defendant companies have failed to comply with the law in the matter of maintaining general offices in Texas. Other alleged violations of the law are also alleged. The institution of these suits have been expected for some time.

As a matter of fact, the Railroad commission adopted a verbal motion several weks ago that the attorneey general be instructed to bring the proceedings against these companies. It is said that it was decided best to put the instructions in writing and for that reason the resolution submitted by Railroad Commissioner O. B. Colquitt was adopted and submitted to Attorney General Bell.

It is expected that the suits will be instituted within the next few days.

It is well understood that the express companies propose to go into the federal court and seek to have the commission enjoined from putting in reduced rates if the result of the rehearing to be held on Septemebr 1 is to that effect.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

The railroad commission issued notices yesterday that the express tariff adopted August1st, containing rates, rules and regulations to be observed by express companies of Texas, and a circular of same date containing regulations governing the manner of conducting their business, be suspended until further notice.

It was further ordered that notice be given that the commission would take up and consider September 1st, the matter of the adoption of certain proposed rates, together with rules and regulations in respect thereto, to be collected by express companies for the transportation of all commodities handled by them; also the adoption of certain proposed rules and regulations both in the local and general offices of express companies governing the method of conducting their business.

The commission will also consider the adoption of a rule to govern the litmits in cities and towns, within which such express companies shall send for and deliver packages. It is proposed that the same limits as are observed by the postal service for free delivery of mail matter, shall be observed by express companies for the delivery of packages.

APPLICATION REFUSED.

The commission refused the application of the people of Rogers and Moody for an order compelling the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railway to stop all passenger trains running through these towns to receive and discharge passengers.

AGENCY AT LEON JUNCTION.

The application of the citizens of Leon Junction for an order compelling the Pacific Express company to establish and maintain an agency at that place was granted. Leon Junction is a station on the Cotton Belt in Coryell county.

FRESH AND GREEN FRUITS.

Commission refused to reduce the rate on tropical fruits, in car loads and ordered that hereafter the rate on green and fresh fruits should take the same rate as vegetables.

SUGGESTS AN EXECUTIVE FOR EPISCOPAL CHURCH

NEW YORK, August 20.—In the current issue of the Churchman, a leading Episcopal church paper, a chief executive of the Episcopal church is demanded in a leading article, which declares that a chief executive is as necessary for a church as for a nation.

The Episcopal church in this country now has no real executive head. The oldest bishop is known as the presiding bishop and chairman of the house of bishops, but he really has no specific executive or administrative functions.

TAMMANY IS TO PUT UP MONEY

Leaders of Democracy Must Help the Daily News Along if Its Inuence Is Wanted

NEW YORK, August 20.—Considerable interest has been aroused in the auction sale tomorrow of the Daily News by the report that prominent Tammany Hall men will become financially identified with the concern. It is believed that Frank Munsey, who has a controlling interest in the property, will tell Charles F. Murphy and other leaders of Tammany that he does not purpose to make the paper an organ for conveying to the public the views and aims of the famous Democratic organization unless wealthy Tammanyites "chip in." In the recent dock board scandals the News has been the only paper of New York to come to the defense of Mr. Murphy and his friends. Some sort of a deal is looked for by which the Tammany leaders will put up a substantial sum to enable Mr. Munsey to put the paper on its feet in exchange for loyal and unswerving support of Tammany Hall candidates and policies.

BANANAS ARE HIGHER

NEW YORK, August 20.—As a result of the diastrous hurricane which swept over the West Indian islands a week ago and destroyed almost every banana plantation in the Island of Jamaica, the price of bananas in this city has been advanced from 75 cents to $3 a bunch at one jump.

WILL YOU PAY FOR A NAME PLATE?

LADIES OF FORT WORTH ASK CONTRIBUTIONS TO RAISE A FUND WHICH WILL PUT A SIGN AT EVERY STREET INTERSECTION IN FORT WORTH. COUPON IN THE TELEGRAM WHICH CAN BE FILLED OUT BY THOSE WHO ARE INTERESTED.

Twenty-seven cents will buy and erect a street sign.

Fifteen hundred corners are unmarked in Fort Worth. The department of Philanthrophy and Civics of the Woman's Department club of which Mrs. R. M. Wynne is president, has during the past year erected and paid for 300 metal street names.

The ladies now ask the public, through The Telegram, to assist them in the work which they have undertaken and have conducted so successfully and commendably up to the present time.

THE PLAN FOR CONTRIBUTING.

The money with which the ladies defrayed the expense of erecting the 300 signs was raised by personal solicitation on their part. It has proved an endless task for those directly interested in it, and in order that they may be spared the laborious duty of visiting the entire city in a house to house canvass for funds for this work, The Telegram has contributed the space, daily for a coupon.

The coupon properly filled out and mailed to The Teelgram "sign department" will be turned over to the ladies. Persons interested in having the corners of the city properly designated with neat metal plates may assist the ladies by clipping the coupon from this paper, enclosing a remittance for whatever amount the contributor desires and forwarding the same as above directed.

Should the appeal of the ladies for assistance for this worthy cause meet with your approval, and you cannot at the time make the remittance, fill out the blank lines which are provided for making the agreement to pay for one or more signs upon presentation of the coupon to you. The cash donations and the orders of agerements to pay, will be used as a fund to complete the work which the ladies have now well under way which they have temporarily suspended owing to the present lack of funds.

Mrs. Wynne, in relating the history of the movement and its origin, told how during a certain convention in Fort Worth the delegates complained of the difficulty they experienced in going from place to place in Fort Worth because of the absence of street markings of any kind. They, as well as other visitors, marveled at the fact that a city of the size of Fort Worth and one with its progressive ideas in every other direction, should be so far behind the times as to let its streets remain unmarked.

The matter was discussed by the ladies to some extent, who finally engaged in the work of providing that which they realized was so much needed. The assistance of the city council was solicited. Funds were promised but the finances of the city were such at that time and have continued in such shape as to not warrant the expenditure. The ladies had hoped to receive the assistance from the council last May. It was impossible and now they have renewed their solicitations through The Telegram, believing that they will find a sufficient number of persons who are interested in the city to that extent that they will contribute to the sign fund.

Mrs. Wynne stated today that it will be necessary to raise $400 in order to complete the work. She has had the city carefully canvassed by an experienced man who has designated and numbered the corners of the entire city where signs have not already been placed. There are approximately 1,500 of these.

One sign firm has agreed to erect a neat metal sign the same as those which have already been placed, at a cost of $27 per hundred, or 27 cents each. Only one sign is required at each street crossing and for the per cent of families in each block who will be benefitted by the erection of such signs the ladies feel they will meet a response from a sufficient number in each block with which to extend their work over the entire city.

It means a great deal to Fort Worth. It will prove not only a benefit to strangers visiting the city, but will be of daily assistance to residents of Fort Worth. There are few, if any people residing in the city at the present time who are perfectly familiar with all the streets. The city is growing; new streets have been added, and old isolated thoroughfares have come to be thickly inhabited avenues. It is proper they should be appropriately marked, and the ladies, through the Telegram, ask your assistance, to whatever extent you may see fit to contribute.

STREET SIGN FUND.

Fort Worth, Texas,.....1903.

I hereby agree to contribute $.....to the Street Sign Fund, of Fort Worth.

Signature.....

Street No.....

DERRICK USED TO LIFT CORPSE

Heaviest Man in Pennsylvania, Weighing Over Five Hundred Pounds, Is Dead

BRISTOL, Pa., August 20.—Wilson Lippincott, the largest man in Pennsylvania, has just been buried. Lippincott, who was once a noted jig dancer, weighed 560 pounds at the time of his death. A derrick was used in handling the casket at the grave after thirteen men had carried it there.

RAILWAY CONSOLIDATION

ELKINS, W. Va., August 20.—In railway and financial circles it is regarded as practically certain that the proposition to consolidate the coal and coke roads of West Virginia will be favorably acted upon at today's meeting of the stockholders of the Charleston, Clendennin and Sutton Railroad company. Former Senator Henry D. Davis is president of both systems, and stock in both companies is held by one individual in many instances. It is reported that when the merger is perfected a deal will be made with the Wabash interests. The Charleston, Clendennin and Sutton road is about 60 miles in length, running from Charleston to Big Otter, W. Va. A contract at an estimated cost of $7,000,000, for the construction of an extension of 120 miles, was awarded some time ago.



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Stock Yards, North Fort Worth, Texas, Aug. 20, 1903.

TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS:

Receipts of cattle for the four days of this week have been considerably heavier than last week, and while the Northern markets have ruled anywhere from 15c to 25c lower, we believe our market has not been more than 10c to 15c lower on most all classes.

STEERS.

Good, smooth cotton seed caked steers, from $3.85 to $4.15
Medium quality, good flesh, cotton seed caked steers ..... $3.40 to $3.75
Good, fat grass steers from ..... $3.00 to $3.25
Medium fat grass steers from ..... $2.75 to $3.00
Feeder steers from ..... $2.25 to $3.00

CALVES.

Best veal calves, 160 to 200-lbs., from ..... $3.25 to $4.00
Heavy calves, 225 to 300-lbs., from ..... $2.00 to $2.75

BULLS.

Fat bulls of good quality from ..... $2.00 to $2.15
Fair flesh and medium quality from ..... $1.65 to $1.90
Feeder bulls from ..... $1.70 to $2.00

COWS.

Good, young, well finished grass cows from $2.15 to $2.40
Medium grass cows from ..... $2.00 to $2.15
Fair flesh, medium quality cows from ..... $1.65 to $1.85
Canner cows from ..... $1.25 to $1.60

HOGS—The supply has been very light and prices have been strong and active throughout the week. Several outside buyers on the market looking for hogs. Our tops for the week were $5.85. We sold two loads at this price. We expect a good active market next week and advise our customers to ship to this market. There is quite an inquiry for feeders. We quote them, weighing from 60 to 125 lbs. good stock, from $5.00 to $5.25 per 100 lbs. gross. Would advise you to notify us a day or so before you ship your feeders, and we will try to have a buyer here when they arrive.

SHEEP—Continue about the same as last week's quotations. A few good muttons sold from $3.25 to $3.50.

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Today's Market Quotations

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RUN WAS FAIR PRICES STEADY

Cows Are Steady to Strong. Steers Steady—Calves Suffer a Decline

NORTH FORT WORTH, Tex., August 20.—With a fair run of cattle this morning, prices remained about steady save on calves, which are sluggish and sell at lower prices than prevailed last week. Receipts of cattle at the opening of the market were 541, with 156 calves. First receipts of hogs were 97. Three cars of cattle, including two good loads of steers, were received later in the morning and the shipments, as usual, straggled in during the day.

Opinions as to the demand for stockers and feeders at the yards vary, some quoting the market steady and others saying it has declined as much as 25 cents this week. H. T. Halsell had a bunch of 120 steers, two and threes, branded, today for shipment to his ranch in the Indian Territory. They were bought mostly at $2.40.

The demand for cows today was good and prices were steady. Fed cows of good quality and weighing between 975 and 1,075, are reasonably sure of bringing $3.00 almost any day. Few straight grass cows, however, will bring better than $2.50, the bulk of the sales being between $2.10 and $2.40.

The packers today and yesterday paid prices for hogs that would have been given only by outside buyers last week. The sales given last week at high figures were apt to be misleading because from two to six outside firms were represented on the market and an advance of 10 cents one day would be lost the next because no outside men happened to be on hand. With such light receipts, also, quotations based on quality were hard to make. Today swift paid $5.85 for 233-pound hogs of smooth quality and yesterday Armour paid $5.75 for hogs also averaging 233, but of slightly poorer quality.

TODAY'S SHIPPERS

	Cattle.	Calves.
Maxwell & Pole, Gotebo	27	65
O. T. McDowell, Ridgeway	29	...
J. T. McElroy, Odessa	82	22
Ed Throckmorton, Mineral W.	70	...
G. L. Dalton, Mineral Wells	36	9
C. H. Fee, Cisco	20	31
A. G. Irwin, Berwin	22	1
Copeland & C., Stoneburg	70	7
M. Cartwright, Kaufman	50	...
G. T. Vickers, Atoka, I. T.	33	20
H. M. Kidwell, Blum	32	1
HOGS		
M. J. Coulter, Fairfax, Okla	79	
A. G. Irwin, Berwin	18	

YESTERADY'S BUYERS

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Swift	783	...	...
Armour	581	78	...
Others	199	...	...

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COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS

	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official yesterday	1,148	103	87	...

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

HOGS—Swift bought the load of 79 territory hogs this morning at $5.85. They were smooth and well finished, of the kind most wanted by the packers. The sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
79	233	$5.85	18	192	$5.75

CALVES—The calf market is again declining and prices paid today were from 25c to 50c lower than the basis of last week. Sales today were as follows:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1	180	$3.50	22	261	$3.00
1	300	2.25	1	280	2.25
3	293	2.25	13	178	3.25
5	288	2.00	15	192	3.25
8	258	2.25	39	187	3.00

COWS—Most of the cows offered this morning were of poor quality, but prices were steady to strong and the market was fairly active. A bunch of range cows averaging 751 pounds, and containing a number of old animals, sold at $2.00. The sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
12	644	$1.50	3	703	$1.50
2	845	1.50	6	773	1.75
4	815	1.90	20	686	1.90
17	706	1.95	22	751	2.00
27	788	2.00	17	619	2.00
1	980	2.00	6	570	2.00
1h	810	2.00	27h	627	2.25
1	890	1.25			

STEERS—Nothing above average quality was received. The best lot was shipped in by M. Cartwright of Kaufman. The two loads averaged 1,066 and 1,048, respectively, and sold to Armour at $3.60. The sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1	890	$3.60	24	1,066	$3.60
24	1,048	3.60			

COMPARTIVE TOP PRICES

	Today.	Week Ago.
Steers	$3.60	$2.85
Cows	2.40	2.35
Calves	3.50	4.00
Hogs	5.85	5.72½

AD COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS

Today	750	300	100	...
Week ago	383	131	132	...

RECEIPTS AT FOUR MARKETS

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Fort Worth	1,050	100	....
Chicago	8,000	15,000	15,000
St. Louis	4,000	3,500	5,000
Kansas City	7,000	6,000	3,000

AD STOCK YARDS NOTES

Top cows today were shipped in by D. Sellman of Brownwood along with a lot of 19 calves. The cows averaged 911 pounds and brought $2.40.

Shippers whose cattle arrived late on this morning's market were: Carroll & Baker, Brady, 8 cattle, 65 calves; D. Sellman, Brownwood, 39 cattle, 46 calves; J. Parker, Holliday, 33 cattle; Manning & Lazarus, 32 cattle, 70 calves.

FOREIGN MARKETS

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Ill., August 20.—Official receipts yesterday: Hogs, 26,308; cattle, 18,433; sheep, 25,276. Today's receipts:

HOGS—15,000. Market opened steady to strong. Mixed and butchers, $5.00@5.70; good to choice heavy, $5.20@5.50; rough heavy, $4.80@5.15; bulk, $5.40@5.55; light, $5.35@5.95; bulk, $5.10@5.55; pigs, $5.85@6.00. Estimated hogs tomorrow, 15,000.

CATTLE — Receipts, 8,000. Market steady. Beeves, $3.75@5.65; cows and heifers, $2.25@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.25.

SHEEP — Receipts, 15,000. Market steady at $2.50@3.65; lambs, $3.50@5.80; Hogs closed steady. Tops for the day sold at $5.95.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., August 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000, natives, 2,000. Market steady. Steers, $3.90@5.15; stockers and feeders, $2.56@3.90; Texas cattle, 2,000; steers, $2.60@3.15; cows and heifers, $2.15@2.65.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500. Market strong and 5c higher. Pigs and lights, $5.40@5.95; packers, $5.30@5.70; butchers, $5.45@5.80.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000. Market steady at $3.10@3.75; lambs, $4.75@5.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK

KANSAS CITY, Mo., August 20.—Official receipts yesterday: Cattle, 11,576; hogs, 6,770; sheep, 5,376.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000. Light hogs steady, others lower. Mixed and butchers, $5.30@5.50; good to choice heavy, $5.20@5.35; rough heavy, $5.15@5.25; light, $5.40@5.65; bulk, $5.25@5.45; pigs, $4.00@5.60. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 5,000.

CATTLE — Receipts, 7,000. Market steady. Beeves, $4.00@5.25; cows and heifers, $1.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.25; Texas and westerns, $1.75@4.40.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000. Market steady.

OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN

Rhea Brothers, who have ranch interests near Bovina and in New Mexico, have bought 1,000 3-year-old steers from Julian M. Bassett, manager of the C. B. Live Stock Company's ranch at Blanco Canyon and Silver Lake.

Good rains are reported in Crosby county and also on J. B. Slaughter's Square and Compass ranch, in Garza county.

Captain John Lytle of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association has left the city on a trip to the northern markets. He will return by Sept. 1.

Thomas Trammell of Sweetwater has just finished branding 200 head of purebred Hereford calves.

J. W. Thornbury, state quarantine inspector, with headquarters at Fort Stockton, in Pecos county, says that cattle in that region are in good shape, and there is quite a lot of fat stuff ready for market. The number of ticks in Pecos county is apparently not increasing and a number of ranchmen are putting in dipping vates.

The meeting held in Denver last week by representatives of the various cattlemen's organizations to protest against the ruling of F. D. Coburn, chief of the department of live stock at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, excluding car load exhibits, resulted in the passage of resolutions asking Mr. Coburn to reconsider his decision and to receive a committee apointed to interview him and point out the serious effect which his ruling would have on the proper exhibition of the cattle industry in the greater part of the country. The members of the committee appointed to interview Mr. Coburn are: J. V. V. Vickers, Arizona; E. H. Grubb, Colorado; Isaac Bird, California; Frank Burke, Idaho; William C. Irvine, Wyoming; J. F. Brown, Montana; Richard Scott, Oregon; William M. Bolton, Oklahoma; John Sparks, Nevada; Bartlett Richards, Nebraska; H. J. Hagerman, New Mexico; A. H. Arnett, North Dakota; Murdo McKenzie, Texas; A. E. De Ricqles, South Dakota; John Clay Jr., Illinois; Abe Renniek, Kentucky; C. S. Stannard, Kansas; I. B. Thompson, Missouri; Hon. A. H. Saunders, Chicago, Ill.

United States Consul G. Bie Ravenal at Beyrout, Turkey, has just informed the state department that American meats will now be admitted to Turkey. Importations must be accompanied by certificates from the sanitary authorities at the point of departure, authenticated by the Turkish consul, showing that the article has been microscopically examined and found clean. On arrival in a Turkish port the shipment will be examined again and if found sound will be admitted. The consul says Turkish grocers want American hams for their market.

Hammond was a buyer on the Chicago hog market Monday of this week for the first time since the old plant at Hamomnd, Ind., closed down. Only 300 head were purchased and killing operations barely commenced, but from now on Hammond will figure daily in the list of packers' purchases, says the Live Stock World.

A Montreal dispatch says that Alberta range cattle are beginnig to reach that port, but the quality is disappointing.

A Guthrie, O. T., dispatch says that George Miller of the "101" ranch has brought suit against Col. Albert Dean of the bureau of animal industry, asking for $20,000 personal damages. Miller was recently tried on a charge of shipping cattle over the federal quarantine line without proper inspection, but was dismissed. Miller alleges persecution and Leslie J. Allen, federal cattle inspector for Oklahoma, named as a co-defendant in the suit.

Western sheep men are objecting to the recent federal order requiring the dipping of all range sheep prior to shipment, regardless of destination. The order was issued as a means of protection against scab. Sheep men say they do not object to the dipping as much as to the delay it causes and the result in shrinkage to stock.

STOCK YARDS NOTES

Dr. Louis A. Klein, fedral quarantine inspector, has gone to Big Springs to inspect a bunch of cattle for another shipment. He will go to Colorado City the latter part of the week for the same purpose.

T. R. Copeland and A. W. Chandler of Stoneburg, Montague county, were at the yards today with two loads of cattle. They say that there is a good deal of cotton in the county this season, but at present it is suffering badly for want of rain. The other crops turned out well.

COTTON QUOTATIONS

Furnished by F. G. McPeak & Co.

RECEIPTS

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

	Today.	Last year.
Galveston	1	3,123
New Orleans	53	644
Mobile	53	.....
Savannah	.....	100
Charleston	.....	34
Wilmington	.....	7
Norfolk	.....	8
Boston	.....	1
Total	.....	4,929
Memphis	23	.....
Houston	1	.....

LIVERPOOL

LIVERPOOL, August 20.—The spot cotton market today had a quiet tone. Middlings, 6.70d. Receipts, 9,000 bales, of which 6,700 bales were American cotton. Sales, 4,000 bales; for export, 500.

Contracts ruled as follows:

	Open.	Close.
August	6.00	6.45
August-Septemebr	6.39-40	6.40-41
September-October	5.87-88	5.88
October-November	5.48-49	5.49-50
November-December	5.36-38	5.38-39
December-January	5.33-34	5.34
January-February	5.31-32	5.33
February-March	5.32	5.32-33
March-April	5.31	5.32

NEW YORK

NEW YORK, August 20.—The spot cotton market was dull today. Middlings unchanged from yesterday at 12.75c. Sales, 635 bales.

Contracts ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
August	12.25	12.26	12.25	12.24-26
September	10.78	10.79	10.71	10.72-73
October	10.03	10.03	9.98	9.99-10
December	9.78	9.80	9.77	9.77-78
January	9.81	9.83	9.79	9.79-80
March	9.78	9.80	9.79	9.77-79

NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, La., August 20.—The tone of the spot cotton market was quiet. Middlings held at 12½c, the same as yesterday. Sales, 150 bales.

Contracts ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
August	12.99	12.95	12.95	12.95-13
September	10.90	10.92	10.89	10.90-91
October	9.84	9.84	9.80	9.83-84
December	9.63	9.64	96.1	9.62-63
January	9.64	9.64	9.64	9.64-66

PASTURAGE IN DEMAND

COLORADO, Texas, August 20.—On account of the long-continued drouth in this county pasturage is getting in demand, and the sale and movement of cattle is slow. If rain does not come soon grass will be short this winter and cattle will fare poorly.

YOU KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TAKING When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Mrs. D. F. Murphy is again at the Worth after a delightful visit to Denver, Colorado Springs, Cripple Creek and Manitou.

OPERA HOUSE OPENS TONIGHT

Theatrical Season Will Be Started Off With Minstrel Show—Auditorium Cool

The theatrical season of 1903-04 will open this evening at Greenwall's opera-house.

Manager Greenwall selected a popular attraction for the opening bill. A minstrel aggregation has always been a drawing card. The songs of the day and the various acts of a first-class show of this character entertain all classes. The white and black alike enjoy it, and in having the Georgia Minstrels for his first show the Fort Worth manager has selected that which is sure to bring a big crowd to the doors.

The parade of the minstrels this morning was attractive. This afternoon a large number attended the matinee.

The opera-house is in fine condition for the opening night. During the summer Manager Greenwall has had a force of men going through the entire place, cleaning, papering, painting and disinfecting, and when the doors were thrown open this morning there was not the slightest indication that for months it had been a warm close interior. A half dozen electric fans have been placed in convenient places about the auditorium, and those who are in the audience tonight will be as cool as artificial breezes can make them. Some new scenery has been added to the theater during the summer. The coming season promises to be a successful one.

THINGS TO EAT AND THEIR PRICES

There is very little material change in the fruit and vegetable market from a week ago. Japanese plums, pineapples and crabapples are no longer offered, but have been succeeded by fine grades of California pears, grapes and oranges. The large variety of white California grapes are offered at 12 1-2 cents a pound. California pears at 30 cents a dozen. String beans, parsnips, tomatoes, cornfield peas and sweet potatoes have advanced owing to the scarcity and late season for this class of vegetables. Tomatoes are fairly plentiful, but of poor quality and are bringing 6 cents a pound. The white sandy sweet potatoes are quoted at 40 cents, while the large yellow yams are easily bringing 50 cents.

Eggs and poultry are selling at unchanged prices from last week.

Other prices rule as follows:

FRUITS

Figs, per pound	10 to 25c
Dates	12½
Raisins	12½c to 35c
Green apples, per peck	20c to 25c
Lemons, per dozen	20c to 25c
Oranges, per dozen	12½c to 60c
Bananas	15c to 25c
Plums	10c
Peaches, dozen	10c to 25c
Grapes, per pound	10c to 12½c
California grapes	12½c
California pears	30c

VEGETABLES

Watermelons	5c to 25c
Cantaloupes, dozen	20c to 50c
Beets, per bunch	3 for 5c
Cucumbers	3 for 5c
Irish potatoes, per bushel	$1.20
Radishes	05c
New carrots, per bunch	5c
Cabbage	3½c
California onions, per pound	4c
String beans, per quart	10c
Green onions	5c
Parsley	5c
Parsnips, per pound	5c
Tomatoes, per pound	6c
Egg plants, each	5c to 10c
Green corn, dozen	20c
Squash, per dozen	10c to 15c
Green peppers, dozen	10c
Okra, per quart	10c
Butter beans, quart	10c
Cornfield peas, peck	20c
Sweet potatoes, peck	40c to 50c
Cauliflower, pound	12½c

EGGS AND POULTRY

Roasting chickens	25c to 35c
Stewing fowls	30c to 35c
Butter	20 to 30c
Eggs per dozen	25c
Spring chickens, each	25c
Small friers	25c
Spring ducks, per pound	15c

GROVE'S CHRONIC CHILL CURE cures the chills that other chill tonics don't cure. Made of the following fluid extracts: Peruvian Bark, Black Root, Poplar Bark, Prickly Ash Bark, Dog Wood Bark and Sarsaparilla. No Cure, No Pay. 50 cents.

GRAIN—PROVISIONS

Furnished by F. G. McPeak & Co.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill., August 20.—The grain and provisions markets today ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
September	80⅜	80⅞	79⅞	80⅜
December	81⅞	81⅝	80⅞	81⅜
May	83¾	83¾	82⅞	83¼
Corn—				
September	51⅛	51½	50⅝	50⅞
December	51⅝	51¾	51⅛	51¼
May	52⅜	52⅜	51½	51⅞
Oats—				
September	34½	34⅝	34⅛	34⅜
December	36⅛	36⅜	35⅞	36⅜
May	38	38¼	37¾	38⅛
Pork—				
September	12.60	12.77	12.57	12.77
May	13.00	.....	.....	13.07
Lard—				
September	7.80	8.00	7.80	8.00
October	7.50	7.60	7.50	7.60
Ribs—				
September	7.42	7.62	7.45	7.55
October	7.55	7.67	7.52	7.62

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(Furnished by C. T. Vivion.)

NEW YORK, August 20.—Following are theopening and closing quotations of principal stocks today:

A. S. R. 115, 116 1-4; A. C. P. 46 5-8, 47 1-4; T. C. I. 41 3-4, 42 1-2; U. S. 22 5-8; 22 1-2; Gas 93 1-2, 93 7-8; U. S. 7s 8 1-2, 8 1-8; G. R. T. 44 1-4, 45 1-4; Man. 134 1-4, 134 1-4; Met. 113 1-2, 114; St. P. 141 7-8, 141 7-8; Mo. P. 93 1-4, 93 5-8; Atch. 60, 61 1-8; U. P. 74 5-8, 75 3-8; S. P. 44, 45 1-8; R. I. 27, 27 7-8; C. P. 124, 124 5-8; Wab. 22, 21 1-8; S. R. 22 1-4, 22 1-2; L. C. 133 1-4, 133; Pa. 123 3-4, 125; Rdg. 54 3-4, 55 1-2; N. Y. C. 122, 123 3-8; B. & O. 82 1-8, 82 3-4; Erie 28 1-8, 29 1-8; L. & N. 104 7-8, 104 1-2.

Headache

Biliousness, sour stomach, constipation and all liver ills are cured by

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The non-irritating cathartic. Price 25 cents of all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

THE LATEST NEWS IN RAILROADS

A number of cities in Texas will hold fall festivals, street fairs or race meets during the next two months, and for these occasions the railroads of the state will make special rates. A meeting of the heads of the passenger departments of the several lines in the field will be called very soon. Today it was announced at one of the local offices that the meeting would, in all probability be held in Dallas next Tuesday, although this place and date have not been offically selected.

Just what inducements will be offered by the railroad companies for these occasions cannot be foretold. They will, presumably, be the usual convention rates—one and one-third fare for the round trip from points not exceeding 100 miles. From points distant more than 100 miles the rate will probably be one fare plus 10 per cent. The railroad companies, it is expected, will make a special one day rate for certain days at the several carnivals. These are usually one fare for the round trip, or perhaps even better, the return limit being extended only to the day after the date of sale.

Fort Worth, San Antonio, Denison and Shreveport, La., have each announced fall events of some nature and are the cities particularly interested. The territory contigous to each of the above places are much interested in the outcome of the meeting of the passenger men next Tuesday. The merchants in the cities where these meetings are to be held are making big preparations for the large crowds which are anticipated. It means business for them and they are looking forward to the event with that feeling.

PRESIDENT'S ASSESSMENT.

NEW YORK, August 20.—The tax assessors of Oyster Bay township have completed their records for the year and show a charge against President Roosevelt on $40,000 valuation.

Wm. C. Whitney heads the list at $250,000.

AT THE ENCAMPMENT

Fort Worth Young Lady Is Maid of Honor at Austin

AUSTIN, Texas, August 20.—Governor S. W. T. Lanham, commander in chief of the Texas National Guard, arrived in camp yesterday morning promptly at 10:30 o'clock. He was accompanied by part of his staff and Miss Maud Willacy, sponsor on his staff, and her maid of honor, Miss Beggs of Fort Worth. As the commander in chief reached camp a salute of fifteen guns was fired in his honor. There were three carriages in which the governor and his staff were driven. The governor, Adjutant General Hulen, Captain Dapray and Colonel B. F. McNulty occupied the first carriage. In the other carriages were Miss Willacy and Miss Beggs, Colonel Duff, Colonel Standifer and Colonel Bennett and Colonel Willacy.

They were driven directly to division headquarters of the governor and sponsor, maid of honor and governor's staff were greeted by Major General Stacy and his staff. General Stacy officially welcomed the commander-in-chief to Camp Mabry.

The governor and staff were escorted into General Stacy's headquarters, where the officers were presented to the commander-in-chief.

"You have things fixed up very nicely here," observed the governor, as he surveyed the well appointed quarters of Major General Stacy. After remaining some time in General Stacy's headquarters the governor removed to his own quarters. It will be impossible for the governor to remain in camp all the time, but he will come out from time to time.

The governor and staff were escorted to the camp by Troop D, First Texas cavalry, in command of Captain Murphy. the troop went as far as State and Guadalupe streets and accompanied the governor back to camp.

Two companies of regulars from the Twenty-sixth infantry, stationed at Fort Sam Houston arrived in camp this morning. They immediately pitched their tents near the main entrance to the grounds. They are a manly set of young fellows. Notwithstanding the fact that they have returned from an extended campaign in the Philippines, they appear to be in excellent condition. The regulars will prove of valuable assistance to the Texas National Guard.

The citizens' committee of the encampment has established their headquarters along the row of tents occupied by Governor Lanham and staff. While the governor has about seventy-five members to his staff, there are only about fifteen at camp at present.

General Webster Flanagan and General L. M. Openheimer are in charge of the citizens' committee headquarters. There were many visitors at the headquarters during the day.

Lieutenant Flippan and Lieutenant Rankin, both of Dallas, of the artillery corps, are among the hardest worked officers in camp. Lieutenant Flippan is the adjutant of the battery, and Lieutenant Rankin is the qpartermaster.

Captain Schiermacher of the signal corps, of Brenham, has placed twelve phones in camp. One is located at division headquarters, one at brigade headquarters, one phone at each of the regimental headquarters and one at headquarters of the Second battery of artillery.

Colonel J. M. Byrnes, inspector general and chief of the board appointed to exchange arms of the four regiments of infantry, completed the exchange of guns to the troops. All the old Springfield rifles were exchanged for the new magazine guns. The soldiers are rapidly learning the use of the new guns. They are a great improvement on the old arms, which have been in service for many years.

Charles F. Barter, private in company F, Fourth infantry, had his shoulder dislocating while playing with a comrade. He was conveyed to the hospital, where his injuries were attended to. Barter sustained a fracture of the shoulder some time ago, and it is more than likely that he will be disabled from active duty during the remainder of the drill.

There are twelve patients in the hospital, that is, that number were treated during the day for different complaints, none of which, however, were of a serious nature. The hospital corps is well organized and prompt attention is given to those who are compelled to go to the hospital.

EXAMINATIONS OF LOCAL TEACHERS

Prof. Hogg Returns From Summer Trip and Makes Ready for Next Week's Task

Professor Alex. Hogg, superintendent of Fort Worth's public schools, who returned this week from an extended northern and eastern trip, this morning began active preparations for the teachers' examinations which are set for next Monday.

Professor Hogg attended the meeting of the National Educational Association at Boston this summer. He reports that it was the most successful convention in the association's history.

"I was glad to see such a large attendance from Texas," he said. "There were 144 delegates in attendance from this state who registered, and perhaps a good many who did not register their names.

"Fort Worth's new graded salary system attracted much attention and many considered it the best solution of the salary problem yet offered."

In speaking of the coming teachers' examinations, Professor Hogg said that the white teachers would be examined at the high school and the colored teachers at the East Ninth street school.

These examinations are for three classes of teachers, first, those wishing certificates to teach for the first time in these schools; second, for those who wish to get a higher certificate in order to increase their salary basis, and third, for a class whose certificates expire before the beginning of the schools in September.

The compensation of the teachers in the Fort Worth public schools is based upon, first, the grade of certificates; second, upon the number of years in these schools.

CITY IN BRIEF

Nash Hardware Company.

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

J. W. Adams & Co., Ice, Feed, Fuel and Produce, 400 W. Weatherford. Phone 580.

Don't forget the big dance at Lake Erie every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights.

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There will be a public meeting in front of the court house tonight at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Spurgeon and others will discuss "Woman's Rights" and "Socialism." Everybody invited.

A lawn social will be given at the residence of Mrs. Agnes Geer, 513 West Daggett avenue, tomorrow night. There will be dancing, a gypsy fortune teller, a fish pond, ice cream and cake and other alluring things. This is one of the many socials which the members of Naoma Council No. 11, Daughters of Pocahontas, are going to give.

The Fort Worth Holiness Association will hold its regular meeting tonight at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church at 8 o'clock. Important business is to be transacted and all members are urged to be present.

Members of Julia Jackson chapter are called to meet at R. E. Lee camp room on Friday at 4 p. m., to hear and act upon the report of committee, also to meet visiting members of Cleburne chapter. By order of the president.

MRS. F. L. JORDAN, Secretary.

R. A. Anderson, the Main street druggist, has perfected a very ingenious arrangement at his store that will appeal at least to persons of esthetic taste. In the rear of the storeroom a large electric buzz fan creates a strong current of air toward the front. Attached to the frame are two richly scented perfume pouches. The effect is to scent the entire store in a manner both novel and pleasing.

Letters to The Telegram

Fort Worth, Tex., August 19.

Editor The Telegram:

Though I have seen numerous letters in your paper from Fort Worth citizens, calling attention to the bad and offensive condition of certain streets in the city, I have not seen any mention of the king of all offensive spots. I refer to the mud and water hole at the corner of Sixth avenue and Pennsylvania street. I am often compelled, through delivery service for people in that section, to use that corner and I want to say that for all the vile smelling holes in town that one takes the cake. I don't see how the people living close to there can stand it. The old street car track was there and it looks as though whoever took it up didn't do a very good job. At all events the city has no business to leave a street remain in the awful condition that corner is. Some one will get hurt there one of these nights and then the few dollars that would fix up the place now will grow into hundreds because some one in the city administration did not believe in the "an ounce of prevention is worth a whole drug shop of cure" theory. Please give this space in your paper. Yours very truly,

DELIVERY CLERK.

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Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN while TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. It SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHŒA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.



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COL. D. C. GIDDINGS DIES AT BRENHAM

BRENHAM, Tex., August 20.—Colonel D. C. Giddings, who had been confined to his bed in a critical condition for several weeks, quietly passed away at 10 o'clock last night.

The funeral will occur at 5 o'clock this afternoon. A great deal of interest was shown in his condition by people everywhere he was known, and his acquaintance extended all over the state, as he long occupied a position of prominence in business and political circles.

D. C. Giddings, Jr., his son, was by his father's bedside constantly and manfested a remarkable filial devotion to his aged parent.

The death of Colonel D. C. Giddings removes a man conspicuous in Texas history for more than a half century, and one of the most stalwart figures in Texas politics.

He was contemporaneous and a colaborer with Judge John Hancock, Governor James W. Throckmorton, Governor O. M. Roberts, Senator Richard Coke, Governor R. B. Hubbard and Governor John Ireland, in the gloomy period of reconstruction and the ten years of distressing history that followed the civil war, and while perhaps no greater intellectually than has famous contemporaries, he did more in effecting a change in the political administration and restoring the government to those who maintained it in a material sense and were therefore more interested in its successful administration than anyone named.

When Colonel Giddings came to Texas from Susquehanna county, Pennsylvania, he was 20 years old. He was born July 18, 1827, and settled in Brenham, Washington county, in 1850.

TRAVELED ON HORSEBACK

In the early years of his life as a lawyer, the country was of course without railroads, and the court as well as the bar traveled from county seat to county seat on horseback, and often District Judge R. E. B. Baylor, Ed Torvet, J. D. Giddings, D. C. Giddings, John Sayles, J. D. McAdoo, Jones Rivers, Jim Willie, with other attorneys from Bellville, forming a party of perhaps 20, would leave Brenham to attend court at Caldwell and Cameron, traveling horseback, carrying their clothing and law books in a pair of saddle bags.

Colonel Giddings was fond of referring to those early years of his life in Texas, and has been heard to remark repeatedly that a happier set of lawyers never practiced in a Texas court.

In 1860 Colonel Giddings entered the Confederate army, enlisting in Wilkes' regiment, Curtiss' brigade, and was elected lieutenant colonel. He was frequently in command of the regiment and was with it in the campaign in Louisiana, Arkansas and Missouri. As a soldier and commander he was fearless and intrepid, had the affection and confidence of his men, and was in the saddle and at the front when General E. Kirby Smith surrendered the Trans-Mississippi department to the federal commissioners in Shreveport, La., in 1865.

DAYS OF RECONSTRUCTION

Ground down with taxation, worn with the fatigue of four years of camp life and hard fighting, like thousands of his fellow soldiers, Colonel Giddings returned to his home in Brenham to resume the practice of law and recover his fallen and wasted fortunes, only to plunge into the period of reconstruction.

"I was in over 100 battles during the war," he was once heard to remark after the condition of the state became normal, "went for days without food, was once captured, carried to St. Louis and held in prison for months, experienced dangers and the hardships of a soldier in every form, but my experience as a soldier was nothing as compared to my experience during the two years that followed the close of the war. The years of the war were bad, the days of reconstruction were infinitely worse."

Colonel Giddings believed that when the country demanded a citizen's service in peace or war, he had no right to refuse to render that service, but he was never an officeseeker. Entertaining these views when the democratic convention of the Third congressional district met in Houston in 1872, and tendered him the nomination for congress, he accepted because he believed it to be his duty to do so.

A REPUBLICAN DISTRICT

The district was composed of the counties of Austin, Bosque, Brazos, Brazoria, Burleson, Falls, Fort Bend, Freestone, Galveston, Grimes, Harris, Hill, Leon, Limestone, Madison, Matagordo, Milam, McLennon, Montgomery, Navarro, Robertson, Washington, Waller and Wharton. It was overwhelmingly republican and represented in congress by General W. T. Clark, who came to Texas with the federal army of occupation.

Colonel Giddings' speech of acceptance, which was memorable, closed in these words: "You have selected me to run a forlorn hope. I am willing to undertake it, and if the delegates to this convention will return to their homes and help me as they should, we will rout the republican party horse, foot and dragoon, and relieve the people of the district from the galling thraldom now upon them."

And thus commenced one of the most exciting and memorable political campaigns ever known in the history of the state in early or later times.

The district was large and the different counties, except in a few instances, could only be reached by private conveyance, traveling overland. He drove day and night for three months, speaking many times in each county.

ROUTED THE OPPOSITION

During the time and during the canvass he made over 200 speeches. The people flocked to his standard and were aroused to a degree of enthusiasm that they had never known before, and have never known since. To the surprise of many he received 25,391 votes and General Clark, his opponent, 19,460, thus defeating him by a majority of 5,901 votes.

Notwithstanding his signal victory and decisive majority, the certificate of election was awarded to General Clark. He resolved not to submit to having the will of the people defeated in this way and decided to contest the election. Congress was republican and he felt that he was called on to run after a forlorn hope, but his courage and determination knew no limit and he was therefore undeterred and undismayed, and the fight was transferred from Texas to the hall of congress. Colonel Giddings spent another three months in collecting, compiling and collating his facts and evidence and presented it to the committee on privileges and elections in a way at once so masterly that he was seated by a good majority, May 13, 1872.

Colonel Giddings was re-elected to the forty-third congress and again in 1876 to the forty-fourth. At the close of his term as a member of the forty-fourth congress, he retired to private life and has not since held any public position.

Having accumulated a handsome fortune, he also retired from the practice of law and devoted himself to banking, being a member of the firm of Giddings & Giddings, established in 1866.

AT CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

Colonel Giddings attracted attention first as a statesman and a man of a high order of ability while serving as a member of the constitutional convention in 1866. It was not long after that body had convened to form a new organic law before the members of the convention saw that he was not only stalwart in body, but also stalwart intellectually, and accorded him the position of leader.

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"Where the camel's head goes his body follows," says an Oriental proverb. It's the same way with disease. A small opening will give it an entrance and when disease once has a place in the body a large number of ills may follow it.



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HOW EASTERN FINANCIERS VIEW TEXAS SECURITIES

AUSTIN, Tex., August 20.—The announcement made two weeks ago that the state board of education had purchased $500,000 Bexar county road and bridge bonds for account of the permanent public school fund, which swelled the aggregate of bonds of this kind held by the school fund to $11,500,000, attracted the attention of eastern capitalists and financiers.

Since the recent purchase of Bexar county bonds exhausted the cash on hand to the credit of the school fund, and towns and counties continue to issue bonds for works of internal improvements, finding a market for them becomes a question which outsiders as well as home people are discussing.

The American Banker and Daily Bond News, a publication that keeps its eye on Texas, a copy of which was seen in the comptroller's department yesterday, discusses this public financial problem in the following interesting way:

"The permanent school fund of the state of Texas is required by law to be invested in Texas municipal and county bonds. This fund, amounting to $11,500,000, has now been exhausted, and no more securities of this character will therefore be purchased by the board for the present. The $500,000 4 per cent Bexar county road and bridge bonds which were voted June 16 being the last purchase of any importance by the school board. In consequence of this, Texas securities will have to go in the general market, and it will be interesting to observe the result. The last legislature passed a law authorizing the counties of the state to issue bonds for the construction of public roads and highways. The road problem is an important one in Texas, and it is expected that a great deal of money will be needed for improving the internal communication of this state. Bonds issued for such purposes must be approved by the attorney general and registered in the comptroller's office. The permanent school fund has been a powerful source of competition for Texas municipal securities against the eastern market. By its use the credit of the municipalities of the state, in so far as the rate of interest indicates, has been put upon a relatively high plane; thus, the average rate paid by the cities and towns for loans is not above 4 per cent. It will be impossible to borrow in the East on that basis. Aside from the present condition of the money market, 4 per cent will prove too low a figure to tempt eastern houses. A new York State municipal 4 per cent bond, unless a city of the first class, is negotiated with difficulty at that rate, and certainly from the investor's standpoint the obligations of towns in that state are more desirable than those of remoter communities, unless the interest rate proves the deciding factor.

"In fact, sales of Texas securities have recently been negotiated in the outside market for about 5 per cent, which is a distinct advance on the rate which prevailed during the purchase of securities by the Texas school board. The market for Texas municipal securities is considerably limited in one important respect. For instance, the savings banks of New England, except those of New Hampshire, are not permitted to invest in them, nor are the savings banks of New York allowed to do so. It stands to reason that bond dealers would not be eager to purchase a security which might remain inconveniently long on their hands, even if the rate of interest proved decidedly attractive.

"The reluctance of the market at present to take even 4 per cent municipal securities of favored localities suggested that even a 5 per cent rate may prove too low for a Texas bond. The perceptible drop in the credit indicator will not please the people of the state, but it must be remembered that so long as there was a public fund at home to buy obligations, sentiment more than business controlled the rate of interest. The school fund was deprived of this method of the normal rate of income on capital invested in Texas obligations. The eastern views should have controlled, if not absolutely, yet to a reasonable degree. Had this been the case the difference which will now develop in credit ratings would not be so marked."

PERSONALS.

Edward Provine left for Mineral Wells.

Nat Kramer left for Mineral Wells.

H. Hendricks left for Austin Tuesday.

S. J. Braford of Mansfield is in the city.

Dr. A. R. Bond, refracting eyyesight specialist, 509 Main street.

Will Meacham of Smithfield was in the city yesterday.

John Farmer of the White settlement city yesterday.

W. R. Standley left for Austin yesterday.

J. A. McClelan of Walnut Springs was in the city yesterday.

Miss Pauline Hutchinson of Bowie is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. J. H. Armstrong is visiting in St. Louis.

Miss Emma Poindexter is visiting friends in Cleburne.

Miss Nannie Carwile is visiting in St. Louis.

Miss Viola Buchanan of Weatherford is visiting friends in the city.

Lee L. Lichliter of Joplin, Mo., is in the city.

J. C. Stewart of Durant, I. T., is in the city.

Miss Emma Gard of New Canton, Ill., is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Della Foster of Grapevine is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. J. M. Jones of Granger street is visiting her sister at Rockwall, Texas.

T. W. Skiles of Roswell is in the city today.

Captain Sam M. Connell of Georgetown is in the city today.

Miss Kate McGinn of Dallas is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. L. B. Purnell of Dallas is visiting her daughter on Cochran street.

John Walker left for a ten days' visit in Montague county.

B. E. Bradford of Mansfield is in the city.

J. A. Arnold of Ellis county is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Buchanan have gone to Colorado.

Millard Martin of Stephenville was in the city Tuesday.

Bomar Sweeney of Tennessee is visiting his cousin, William Bomar.

Mrs. Boyd is visiting her son, Dr. F. D. Boyd.

William Morrow is visiting his cousin, B. D. Tarlton, Jr.

E. M. Turner of Hillsboro was in the city yesterday.

Bert Winfrey leaves for St. Louis in a few days.

Curran Wendall has returned from Taylor.

Frank P. Poole of Samford, Tex., was in the city yesterday.

J. L. Johnson and wife of Beaumont are in the city.

Don't forget the big dance at Lake Erie every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights.

Deputy Sheriff R. S. Purvis and family left today for Galveston to spend a week.

L. D. Louthin and daughter of Jacksboro are spending a few days in the city, visiting relatives.

Tom Kiley of St. Jo, who was the guest of M. R. Kiley, has gone to Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Havard of New Orleans are expected to arrive next week.

Miss Files of Itasca will arrive Monday, to be the guest of Miss Clyde French.

Coney Davenport, a prominent lumber dealer of Oklahoma, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. D. B. Simmons who has been visiting in Hillsboro, has returned home.

Mrs. Walter Wolfson, who has been visiting her parents, left for her home in Kansas City yesterday.

Miss Villa Garrett of 120 Galveston avenue left yesterday to visit friends at Granger, Texas.

Miss Ollie Monnig of 121 Galveston avenue left Tuesday after two weeks with friends in western Texas.

John O. Ford of San Antonio, who has been visiting relatives in the city, has returned home.

Miss Fay Austin, who has been visiting in the country, will return home Thursday.

Miss Bernice Regan, who has been visiting friends at Birdville, will return home today.

It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main and 512-15 Houston streets.

Miss Carie Meadows, who has been visiting the Misses Boyd at Polytechnic College, left for her home at Grandview, Texas, Tuesday.

Mrs. L. M. Longworth and children depart Friday for their home in Nashville, Tenn., after a two months' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Keeton of this city.

Miss Lucy Elliott and Miss Helen Buck of Sherman are guests of Mrs. J. M. Bennett. Miss Elliott is the daughter of Conductor J. H. Elliott of the Frisco, one of the best known railroad men in the state.

Miss Lucy Siegler is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Day, in Cleburne, for a few weeks.

Miss Emma Billings of Little Rock, Ark., who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Gillham of North Fort Worth, will return to her home at Little Rock next Monday.

W. F. Jourdon of Wichita Falls is in the city.

Mrs. A. S. Smith of San Antonio is visiting friends on the south side.

H. J. Mathews of Palestine is visiting relatives in North Fort Worth.

Hubert McNatt of Mansfield is in the city.

G. H. Cook and wife of Granbury are here for a few days.

V. S. Witherspoon of Corsicana is a visitor to the city.

W. F. Clark and daughter of Midland are in the city.

S. T. Scaling of Dundee, I. T., returned from a visit to friends at Granbury and stopped here for a few days.

D. Armstrong of Arlington is a visitor to the city.

Master Sam Graves of Mansfield has returned to his home after a very pleasant visit with relatives on Evans avenue.

Mrs. O. S. Lattimore is entertaining three young lady visitors.

Jeff D. McLean spent yesterday in Dallas.

Mrs. Evans, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. P. McLean Jr., returned home yesterday.

Sam Sweeney, nephew of D. T. Bomar, spent yesterday in the city.

Miss May Evans, who has been to New York for the last six weeks, will return to Fort Worth within a few days.

Mrs. D. McAughn of Houston, who has been visiting Mrs. J. F. Lehane, left yesterday for a three weeks' visit to Mineral Wells.

George McAughn left yesterday for Mineral Wells.

Mrs. E. T. Bergin leaves Saturday for a visit to Mineral Wells.

J. F. Lehane and family will leave shortly for a visit through Michigan and Canada.

Bomar Sweeney of Tennessee is visiting his uncle, D. T. Bomar.

Will Bomar will leave on August 28 for Asheville, N. C., where he will attend school.

Mrs. W. C. Stripling and Misses Kate and Annie Stripling are expected home Saturday from a visit to New York.

Charles Delano returned yesterday from a business trip to New Orleans.

W. H. Laird returned this morning from West Texas.

Charles Delano left this morning for Waco.

Mrs. D. P. Simmons returned yesterday from Hillsboro.

Miss Ethel Simmons returned yesterday from a visit to Hillsboro.

Miss Elizabeth Tarlton entertained the Marguerites this morning.

J. C. Curd of Louisville, Ky., is visiting Dr. Crittenden Joyce.

Wright Gaines will return tomorrow from a vacation in Kansas City and Chicago.

Larry August left for New York this morning.

Mrs. A. E. Wood and Miss Hazel and Carl Wood returned this morning from Mississippi.

Miss Martha Panter returned yesterday from Bridgeport.

Miss Ava Vanleich of Little Rock, Ark., is visiting Miss Marie Fitzovich.

Miss Lizzie Hutcheson is visiting in Kansas.

G. W. Parker, court stenographer of the United States circuit court, has returned from Haskell, where he has been spending several weeks with his parents.

George Bell and wife have returned home from Georgia.

Miss Maggie Tomlinson left yesterday for Bowie.

Miss Vesie McKinzie has returned to her home in Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vaughan of Childress are in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyson are rejoicing at the arrival of a son.

Mrs. M. C. Smith leaves for Mississippi this evening, accompanied by her niece, Miss Green.

Miss Nora Sandy went to Cleburne, Tex., today.

Frank Hornaday, formerly secretary to S. M. Gaines, superintendent of the railway mail service, at present employed in the office of the second assistant postmaster general at Washington, D. C., is spending his vacation with friends in the city.

T. W. Pierce, who has been visiting in Celeste, returned home this morning.

Miss Mary Murry left this morning for Mineral Wells to visit her mother, who is quite ill.

Archer Dunbar of Denton is visiting in the city.

Louis Alexander, who has been visiting in St. Louis, will return home tomorrow.

Charles Du Laney of Gainesville was in the city today.

Joseph Holt of Bedford was in the city today.

A. J. Ashley of Grandberry is visiting in the city.

Albert Creagle of Denison was in the city today on business.

I. D. Harrison has sold the St. Louis wagon yard to W. Chedester, who took possession today.

F. Wilkerson of Boyd was in the city today.

L. L. Harmon of Springtown is visiting in the city.

J. Winters of Azel spent the day in the city.

Gaston Ramsey left this morning for St. Louis.

F. White of Rhome was in the city today.

Miss Mary Bennett of Thurber is visiting in the city.

Roy Jones of Benbrook spent the day in the city.

T. J. Stephens, who has been visiting in Paris, Tex., returns home today.

Evangelist T. W. Philips of this city left today for Lexington, Okla., for a revival meeting.

J. S. Warlick of Dallas was in the city today.

Ben Lawrence of Smithfield is spending a few days in the city.

Roy James of Aledo is in the city.

Mrs. Lena Cook of Brownwood is visiting friends in the city.

J. G. Harris and family left this morning for Denver.

Walter Morten of Sulphur Springs is in the city for a few days.

W. Vandever of Boyd was in the city yesterday.

R. Dunlap of Azel is in the city.

Miss Daisy Stewart left this morning for Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Walter Withers of Pilot Point is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Mamie Bear of Alvord is visiting her aunt, Mrs. White.

J. D. Allison and wife are visiting relatives in Weatherford.

A. Smith has returned from a visit to Eastern Texas.

Miss Minnie Coleman of Dallas is visiting relatives in the city.

Miss Laura Douglass of Denton is visiting relatives on the South Side.

Miss Lottie Boyd of Greenville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Reeves.

E. L. Pitkins was a visitor in the city today.

Miss Roma Moore, who has been visiting in the city for the past month, departed this morning for her home in Illinois.

J. F. Jones of Decatur was in the city today.

M. Dent of Azel spent the day in the city.

D. Wilkerson of Boyd was in the city today on business.

Miss Rosalie Frost, who has been visiting relatives in Colorado, will return home this week.

Miss Olga Allen of Pilot Point is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Russell.

Mrs. Jim Whitten and daughter, Maude, left this morning for Denver, Col.

L. L. Shanklin of Thurber was in the city today.

Mrs. J. P. White of LaGrange is visiting in the city.

George Simpson and wife are visiting in Hillsboro.

Jasper Kent of Springtown was in the city yesterday.

Miss Grace Cole of Sherman is visiting friends on the South Side.

Elder T. W. Philips returned today from Celeste, Tex., where he officiated as moderator in a theological discussion between Rev. E. W. Anderson of Sulphur Springs and Elder Joe S. Warlick of Dallas. The debate was extended over a period of eight days.

Mrs. Arthur Payne and son are visiting in Abilene.

Ralph Morgan of Denison is in the city.

Miss Rose Hinsley of Houston is visiting friends in the city.

Charles Kingsley and wife are visiting at Paris, Tex.

PRANK OF MILITIAMAN

Tossed Pouch Containing Mail Under the Wheels of a Train

The people of Lancaster, Texas, did not get their regular south-bound mail Monday. An explanation of why they did not get it was received at the office of the superintendent of the railway mail service this morning.

While the train was passing Hutchins one of the state volunteer guards en route to the state encampment grabbed the pouch from the hook, carrying it some distance before he dropped it and then allowing the train to pass over it, destroying the lock and tearing the pouch open. When the pouch was recovered the train had gone too far to be recalled and the station agent was forced to hold the mail for the next regular train. The mail was badly damaged.

EAT ALL YOU WANT

Persons troubled with indigestion or Dyspepsia can eat all they want if they will take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. This remedy prepares the stomach for the reception, retention, digestion and assimilation of all of the wholesome food that may be eaten and enables the digestive organs to transform the same into the kind of blood that gives health and strength. Sold by all druggists.

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When you go to buy Witch Hazel Salve look for the name De WITT on every box. The pure, unadulterated Witch Hazel Salve, which is the best salve in the world for cuts, burns, bruises, boils, eczema and piles. The popularity of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, due to its many cures, has caused numerous worthless counterfeits to be placed on the market. The genuine bears the name of E. C. De Witt & Co., Chicago. Sold by all druggists.

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$45 to San Francisco, Cal., and return, account encampment Grand Army of the Republic. Tickets on sale Aug. 1 to 14, final limit for return Oct. 15.

T. T. M'DONALD,

LUMBER BULLETIN

Desiring to give our teamsters some recreation during the long summer weeks, we take this method of advising our patrons and the public that during September and the remainder of August, commencing Saturday, August 15, we will not deliver lumber on Saturdays after 12 o'clock noon. We can assure the trade no inconvenience and solicit their co-operation by placing their orders ahead as far as possible. "We'll treat you right."

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SOME TAX ROLLS.

AUSTIN, Texas, August 20.—The tax assessors of the following named counties have sent their assessment rolls for 1903 to the comptroller. From these rolls and the report of the comptroller for 1902 the following comparison of values is made.

Navarro county—1903, $14,189,060; 1902 $14,269,990; decrease $80,930.

Stephens county—1903, $2,644,260; 1902, $2,604,079; decrease $40,181.

Gillispie county — 1903, $2,793,735; 1902, $2,763,150; increase $30,585.

Hall county—1903, $1,838,331; 1902, $1,712,404; increase $125,927.

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PAY YOUR OBLIGATION

The packing-house bonus should be paid.

The Board of Trade is preparing a letter which is to be sent to each of the subscribers to the packing-house fund who are delinquent, urging them to pay the amounts at once, so the money may be applied to the purposes for which it was intended. There is no occasion for this delay and the committee from the Board of Trade which has the matter in hand will not overlook an opportunity to speak plainly on the subject. The subscriptions to the fund were made in good faith by all those whose names are listed. They subscribed because they expected, as citizens and property owners of Fort Worth, to be benefited by the coming of the packers to this city, and every anticipation of this character has been realized. The packers accepted the list as it was made up, and upon the guaranty of these individual signatures—signatures of merchants, property owners, bankers, wage earners and promoters—they have put up the extensive institutions which have not only brought many people here to seek homes, but have made this a market for live stock which benefits the Texas and territory cattle growers.

The obligation assumed by Fort Worth as a town, and by those individuals, is due. It is a just obligation, and no further delay in payment should be seen. There is not a name on the list but is borne by him who has profited an hundredfold since the packing-houses have been located and opened.

Not a person who agreed to pay but has the money with which to meet the agreement he made in signing.

The matter has been delayed too long, the people have been too slow. The bonus was the best investment Fort Worth ever made. It is an obligation but half discharged, if but half paid.

Fort Worth people cannot afford to repudiate these subscriptions and the best way to show your good intention is to come up with your share of the fund.

Fort Worth has a great future. The present prosperity, the present activity and the increase in population during the last year is but a beginning of what will result from the packing-houses being located here. The half has not been told, and but the smallest part has been realized. The packers have done all they promised. Now will Fort Worth do that which the individual citizens are morally obliged to perform?

HELP OF THE TELEGRAM

The benefits of the large circulation of The Telegram are recognized by the gentlemen in charge of the work of collecting specimens of Texas products for the building which this state will erect at the world's fair. He tells that he can trace directly to a publication in this paper responses which have come in answer to his request for exhibits.

The Telegram has the undisputed claim to the largest circulation of any Tarrant county newspaper. Its readers are in every town and hamlet in the Fort Worth trade territory—along every rural free delivery route. It reaches the reader when it is fresh with the latest news, and it is read carefully. That which it contains comes before the eyes of interested citizens and whether that reading be a news item, a request for help in the world's fair exhibit or the bargain announcement of some merchant, it has its effect.

While the exhibits of Texas specimens are coming in rather rapidly, in response to the call through this paper, the Texas commission could use a great many more. Too much attention cannot be given to the matter, because upon the success of the exhibit depends much for Texas. This state can make the best showing of any in the Union, and if the showing is in keeping with the possibilities, the result will be the journeying of homeseekers from all parts of the country to make this their future place of abode.

It is stated, however, that in all the great number of exhibits sent in Tarrant county is yet behind the others. This should not be. This county is rich in products of all kinds and the residents who have the material at hand should add to the display which is being collected.

The suggestion from the employe of the packing house published yesterday in The Telegram, brings up an interesting business point for the merchants of Fort Worth to think about, and it should not be lightly passed over. At present the leading retailers of the city are operating under a contract with the Clerks' Union which provides for closing during the week at 6 p. m. The packing house employe states that, being paid on Wednesday, he cannot get to the stores in time to do his trading, and therefore he is prevented spending his money for things actually needed, until the next Saturday night. By that time he has been forced to go to the store which sells shoddy, and observes no early closing hour, and the leading merchant loses the trade. All can be benefited, if an agreement can be reached to have the stores remain open longer than usual Wednesday evenings. The members of the Clerks' Union have the interests of their employers at heart, and they will readily see that what benefits the proprietor benefits them. At the same time, the packing house employe makes a good point when he suggests that these men who are working in North Fort Worth, and who live on the south side of the river, are entitled to some consideration.

John M. Pinckney has been nominated for congress in the new Eighth district of Texas by the democratic convention. Thus ends the factional contest of the democracy of Harris county. Houston and the county could have controlled the convention, had the democrats made a united fight for one of the Houston candidates, but with two ambitious favorite sons contending for the honors, the factions contesting for control, and charge upon charge being brought against each of the candidates, Waller county, one of the smallest in the district and a county controlled by the republican vote at a general election, secures the congressional honor. Had half which the factions of Harris county charged against the two candidates been true, neither Holt nor Ewing was entitled to go to the national house. Possibly the convention looked at it from that standpoint. However, it was not true. Holt and Ewing are each good men, and the charges were merely the outgrowth of a warm political fight. Judge Pinckney is one of the ablest men in the southern part of the state. He has been recognized in party work, his people have honored him with office in the past, and this additional compliment to his ability and his worth is not undeserved.

Col. D. C. Giddings, who died last night at Brenham, was one of the most prominent democrats in Texas. He was one of the old school, who did not subscribe to the isms of the latter day politicians, and not being in accord with the policies advocated by some so-called leaders he has not been active in recent years in political life. He showed his strength during the days of reconstruction when he completely routed the republicans in a congressional contest in a district normally for the republican party. He was known throughout the entire state and had many warm admirers.

After Governor Hogg has spent so many years studying the manner in which to prevent corporations encroaching upon the rights of the people, he has finally been caught for $12,000 in a bank failure at Beaumont. Is this but the final turning of the worm—one corporation has "hit back" at the ex-governor in revenge for all the others?

The big business of the boom days at Beaumont does not appear to continue. The announcement is made of the closing of a national bank there by Examiner Logan. The Fort Worth accountant will always shut the door, if the figures do not balance as required by law.

Don't wait to get that letter from the Board of Trade committee. Send in your subscription today.

HE STUDIED BLACK LOOK

Cassius M. Clay Won a Case by Glowering at the Jurymen

The late General Cassius M. Clay was a lawyer of great adroitness in his earlier days, and conducted many important cases, both civil and criminal, during his career at the bar.

A man was once being tried for murder and his case looked hopeless, indeed. He had, without any seeming provocation, murdered one of his neighbors in cold blood. Not a lawyer in the county would touch the case. It looked bad enough to ruin the reputation of any barrister.

The man, as a last extremity, appealed to Mr. Clay to take the case for him. Everyone thought that Clay would certainly refuse. But when the celebrated lawyer looked into the matter his fighting blood was aroused and to the great surprise of all he accepted.

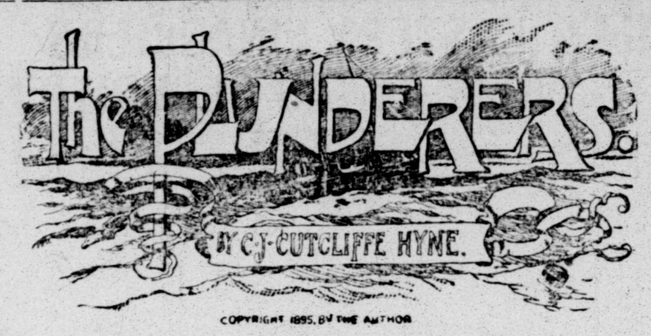
Then came a trial the like of which has seldom been seen. Clay slowly carried on the case, and it looked more and more hopeless. The only ground of defense the prisoner had was that the murdered man had looked at him with such a fierce, murderous look that out of self-defense he had struck first. A ripple passed through the jury at this evidence.

The time came for Clay to make his defense. It was settled in the minds of the spectators that the man was guilty of murder in the first degree. Clay calmly proceeded and laid all the proof before them in a masterly way. Then, just as he was about to conclude, he played his last and master card.

"Gentlemen of the jury," he said, assuming the fiercest, blackest look and carrying the most undying hatred in it ever seen—"gentlemen, if a man should look at you like this, what would you do?"

That was all he said, but that was enough. The jury was startled and some even quailed in their seats. The judge moved uneasily in his bench. After about fifteen minutes the jury filed slowly back with a "Not guilty, your honor." The victory was complete.

When Clay was congratulated on his easy victory he said: "It was not so easy as you think. I spent days and days in my room before the mirror practicing that look."



PREFACE.

"It seems to me," said a philosopher once, "that there are no entirely good men in the world and none completely bad. Single out your best man, and you will find that he lacks perfection in some part of him, and examine your worst, and you will see that he has at least one redeeming quality."

In this book the men mostly verge toward bad, but some are better than others. Because they are merely human they act according to their lights. You may meet others like them any day if you go out and about, and most of them give extremely good dinners. Till they are found out you consider them amusing. Afterward, being better than they, you naturally set them down as most pernicious scoundrels and shake hands with yourself and write to your tailor and order more noticeable phylacteries on the next new suit. This is called "keeping up a healthy moral tone" and does a great deal of good in the world.

THE AUTHOR.

Scalloway, Shetland Islands, 1894.

CHAPTER I.

THE ANTECEDENTS OF PATRICK CAMBEL.

"He has," said Fairfax, "a genial insolence of manner which seems rather taking with some people. But I confess I shouldn't have thought him the man you would have cared to see twice, Amy."

"You're prejudiced obviously, and I've a good mind to say maliciously prejudiced. I don't know how much you saw of him, because I can't be invited to a Wanderers' club dinner. You don't know how much I saw of him because you missed some distant train and didn't come here to the ball last night. But I'll tell you. I saw all I could. He's perfectly and entirely charming He's been everywhere, done everything, and he isn't a bit blase."

"I heard," said Fairfax, "that Mrs. Shelf was trotting him round last night as the great traveler. Is he of the advertising variety of globe trotter? Did he sit in a side room and hold a small audience spellbound with a selection from his adventures?"

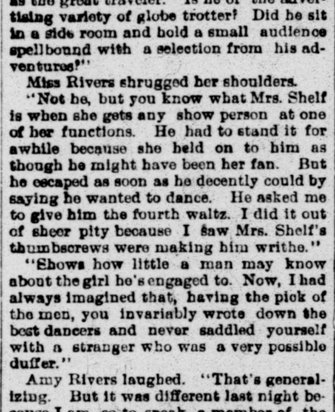
Miss Rivers shrugged her shoulders.

"Not he, but you know what Mrs. Shelf is when she gets any show person at one of her functions. He had to stand it for awhile because she held on to him as though he might have been her fan. But he escaped as soon as he decently could by saying he wanted to dance. He asked me to give him the fourth waltz. I did it out of sheer pity because I saw Mrs. Shelf's thumbscrews were making him writhe."

"Shows how little a man may know about the girl he's engaged to. Now, I had always imagined that, having the pick of the men, you invariably wrote down the best dancers and never saddled yourself with a stranger who was a very possible duffer."

Amy Rivers laughed. "That's generalizing. But it was different last night because I am, so to speak, a member of the household here. A ward counts as a sort of niece, doesn't she, or between that and an adopted daughter? But anyhow it was out of sheer pity for Mr. Cambel in the first instance, and it was with distinct qualms that I let him take me down to dance. I quite intended after half a round to say the room was too crowded and go and sit somewhere. That is to say, I made up my mind to do this when he asked me.

"However, when I dropped my fingers on his arm to go down stairs, I had my doubts. You know after two seasons one gets instinctively to know by the first touch how a man will dance. And when he put his arm around me and we moved to the music I felt like going on forever. Waltzing is hard just now because it's in a transition state between two styles, but his dancing was something to dream about. We started off with the newest quick waltz. Hamilton, it was just lovely. He was so perfect that just for experiment I altered my step—by degrees, you know. Automatically, without anything being seen, he changed, too, and we were



"You goose," said she.

dancing the old slow glide before I knew. And his steering was perfect. In that whirling, teeming, tangled mob he never bumped me once. I gave him two more legal waltzes and cut another couple in his favor."

"Which makes five in all," said Fairfax rather stiffly.

Amy Rivers took his hand and patted it. "Don't be cross, dear. You know how I love a good dance, and one doesn't meet a partner like Mr. Cambel every day. I suppose he's done his waltzing in Vienna and Paris and Yorkshire and New Orleans as well as here in London, and by averaging them all up he can't help but be good."

"Is it from going to those places that Mrs. Shelf called him the great traveler?"

"Of course not. Hamilton, how stupid you are about him! Why, he's rummaged about in every back corner of the world, so they say."

"So they say, yes. Teheran to Timbuktu. But what does he say himself about his wanderings beyond the tram lines? Shuffles mostly, doesn't he? And who's met him anywhere? Not a soul who will come forward to speak. I tell you, Amy, there's something uncanny about this Patrick Cambel. He turns up here periodically in London after some vague exploring trip to a place which isn't mapped, and you can never pin him to tell exactly where he's been. He comes with money, spends it en prince and then goes off again, nominally perhaps to the Gobi desert, and returns with another cargo."

"How romantic!" said Miss Rivers.

"Yes, isn't it?" said her fiance dryly. "If he'd lived a century earlier, one would have said he'd got a sound business connection as a pirate somewhere West Indies way. As this year is 1893 and that explanation's barred, one simply has to accept him as an uncomfortable mystery."

"Hamilton, how absurd you are! Wherever did all this rigmarole come from?"

"From the club and London gossiping places generally. I suppose we ought to be indebted to Cambel for providing us something to talk about."

"But tell me, if his antecedents are so queer, how is it he goes about so much here? He's apparently asked everywhere—at least so Mrs. Shelf says—and he knows everybody who's worth knowing."

Fairfax laughed. "Why does London society take up with an ex-bushranger from Australia or a glorified advertising cowboy from the wild, wild west? Simply because London society is extremely parochial and gets desperately bored with its own little self undiluted. Now, Cambel has undoubtedly wandered about outside the parish, and occasionally he lets drop hints which makes one guess he's seen some queerish rough and tumbles in places where polite society doesn't go, and, in fact, preserves a good humored reticence about most of his doings. This makes people thoughtful and speculative. If a Chinese extradition warrant was to turn up tomorrow to arrest him for sticking up a two button mandarin beyond the great wall, nobody would be a bit surprised, or if he were to tell the city this afternoon that he'd a concession for a silver mine in Paraquay which he wished to dispose of at reasonable rates we'd take it with pleased equanimity. Now, you know, Amy, there's a fearful joy in entertaining a man of that stamp."

"Especially when he's as entirely fascinating as Mr. Cambel can be when he chooses. And such a waltzer! But you speak as if he were a savage from some back settlement come into decent society for the first time. He isn't that in the least. He's a gentleman distinctly."

"My dear girl, I never meant to suggest that he was not. There's no particular secret about his raising. He comes of a good west county family, was an Eton boy and played in their eleven, went through Cambridge and afterward found a berth in the diplomatic service. Then by way of variety he got engaged to be married to a girl who jilted him, on the strength of which he began to run wild. He started on six months' leave for a trip into Tibet, but he staid beyond the limits of the postal system for two years and a half, and when he got back to England the diplomatic corps found that they could get on very well without him. So he continued his rambles. He doesn't seem able to settle down."

"That's because he can't forget the girl who threw him over," exclaimed Miss Rivers. "How awfully romantic! I wonder who she was. She couldn't have been anybody nice, or she wouldn't have done it, because he's a regular dear. And fancy his remembering her all this time. I just love him for it."

"Some fellows," remarked Fairfax judiciously, "would get jealous if the girl they were going to marry talked about another man this way."

Miss Rivers reassured him first practically and then in word. "You goose," said she, "if I cared for him in that way, don't you see I shouldn't have spoken about him to you at all?"

Fairfax did not answer directly He kissed her thoughtfully, and after awhile he said: "I'm not superstitious, dear, as a general thing. Work in a shipping office tends to make one painfully matter of fact But for all that I wish this fellow Cambel would either marry the queen, or get crushed up in a cab accident, or have himself safely fastened down out of harm's way somewhere. I've got a foreboding, Amy, that he's going to do a bad turn either to you or to me, which means both of us. I know it's absurd; but I can't get rid of it."

"How creepy!" said Amy Rivers. "But what nonsense, Hamilton!"

CHAPTER II.

A FORTUNE FOR THE FAIR.

Mr. Theodore Shelf's carriage and pair drew up at his house in Park lane, and Mr. Theodore Shelf went up the steps and entered the door which a manservant opened for him. He was a stout, middle aged man, with a clean shaven face and a short frock coat of black broadcloth. He allowed himself to be eased of his hat and umbrella and then passed through the gorgeous hall to the rosewood billiard room at the back. There he found his guest, Mr. Patrick Cambel, in shirt sleeves, practicing push cannons by himself.

"What, alone, Mr. Cambel?"

"Why, yes. I did have a hundred up with your niece earlier on, but some one came for her."

"Niece? Oh, Amy, you mean—Miss Rivers. Ah, my dear sir, from the love we have for her in this household and the way we treat her, you naturally fancy she is a blood relation. It is a graceful compliment for you to pay, Mr. Cambel; but it is my duty to correct you. Miss Rivers is legally only my ward."

"Ward, oh! See that? Red hard against the cushion and white being over the bottom pocket. Neat cannon, wasn't it, considering the long time since I've handled a cue?"

"The only child of my late partner. You know the firm still stands as Marmaduke Rivers & Shelf. We call ourselves on the billheads, 'Agents to the Oceanic Steam Transport company,' though of course we really own the whole line. You see our flag, sir, in every sea."

"I know. Nagasaki to Buenos Ayres; gin and gospel on the west coast; coals and cotton at New Orleans."

"And we do not send our steamers for the business of trade alone, Mr. Cambel. We pick our captains and officers with an eye to a holier purpose. We trust that they spread a Christian influence in all their ports of call."

"Yes, I saw them at work once at Axim on a tramp you sent down there. They were taking Krooboys on board. The skipper received them on one of the bridge deck ladders with a knuckle duster and kicked 'em along. The chief stood by with a monkey wrench and baptized 'em with that as they passed down the lower deck aft. They mentioned at the time that this process had a rarely christianizing influence. Prevented the boys from being uppish. Showed 'em what the white man could do when he spread himself, taught 'em humility, in fact—I say, there's a pull toward this bottom pocket. People have been sitting on the table."

"Mr. Cambel, Mr. Cambel, you are making a very serious accusation against one of my ships' companies."

"Accusation? I? Never a bit of it. The fellows only acted according to their lights. That's the only way sailormen know of getting Krooboys to work, and it was a case of getting them to work or having the natural sack from you. And so as they didn't know another method they fell back on knuckle duster and monkey wrench. I'll play you 50 up."

Mr. Shelf put up a large white hand. "No, no, I don't play billiards myself. So many young men have been ruined by the pursuit that I refrain from it by way of setting any example. But my friends who visit here are not so scrupulous, and I have the table for them."

"Bea-utiful!" said Cambel. He might have been referring to his own billiard shot or to Mr. Shelf's improving sentiment.

"You see, Mr. Cambel, from my position, so many people look up to me that it is nothing short of my bounden duty to deprive myself of certain things and be, so far as possible, a humble model for them to form themselves by. Long before a constituency sent me to parliament I devoted my best energies to christianizing the lower classes, and I hope not without success. If appreciation is any criterion, I may say that I was elected president of no less than 12 improvement societies. It took me much time and thought to attend to them. Yet I wish I could have given more."

"That pocket does pull. There's a regular tram line toward it. H'm! Mighty good work of yours. But doesn't it sour on you sometimes? Don't you want a day off occasionally? A run down to Monte Carlo, for instance?"

"Monte Carlo! You horrify me, Mr. Cambel. You are my guest, and I cannot speak strongly, but this is a very poor jest of yours."

"Well, perhaps you know best about that place. Monte Carlo is risky at the best of time for some folks, because you're bound to meet crowds of people you know, and if they aren't on the razzle dazzle, too, and pinned to diplomatic silence through their own iniquities some of them are apt to split when they get home again. But I don't know why you should be horrified, seeing that we are entre quatre yeux here and not on one of your pious example platforms. You know, you've been in a far hotter shop than Monte Carlo— Watch me pocket that red. Ah, rouge perd—Barcelona to wit. If you remember, you were staying at the Quatro Naciones, and at nights you used to cross the Rhambla, and"—

"My God, how did you know all this?"

"Do you remember objecting to take a sheaf of obviously spurious notes, and there was a row, and somebody whipped out a knife, and somebody else floored the knifeman with a chair?"

"Yes—no."

"After which you very sensibly bolted. Well, senor, I had only just that moment come in, but I saw you were a fellow islander, and that's why I handled the chair. You don't remember me, and I didn't know your name, but I recognized you the moment your wife introduced us here, because I never forget a face."

"You're mistaken. I never was in such a place in my life, sir. Think of the position I occupy. Why, the thing's absurd."

"Now, my good sir, don't play Peter here. I'm not going to give you away. No fear. Why should I? It would probably ruin you, and I should stand self convicted of having been in the lowest and most desperate gambling hell in Europe without being made a sixpence richer by the transaction. Only you didn't know me, and you thought I didn't know you, and I fancied it would be handier if we were open about one another's little ways at once before we went on any further. Who knows but what we might stand in at some profitable business together? Oh, see that! Bad fluke and an eight shot."

(Continued tomorrow.)

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"Mr. Robert C. Morris: This gentleman has arrived a few days ago to Caracas, as Arbit of the reclamation of United States of America in Venezuela.

"Mr. Morris came with his loving wife, she is very kind as handsome young lady.

"We are very satisfide to salut these notables persons. The great of Mr. Morris makes us to write these few words: there are stranges who, is so greatfull as Mr. Morris, we are not able to write anything about him, we are frighten to make any mistake, so we shall wait other ocation.

"Important gentleman as Mr. Morris in Washington the Republic of Venezuela has call'd to thim, for his intelegence and for his honest person.

"We again salut to the United States and to especialment Mr. Morris, to whom we wishes many happy days in Caracas and also to his wife, enjoy goodlock."

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General Sporting News

DALLAS MAKES IT TWO STRAIGHTS

Jarvis Pitches Good Game, But Costly Errors in Tenth Inning Give Game to Dallas

While Jarvis pitched a good game yesterday, inexcusable errors and wild throws at critical times gave the game to Dallas aften ten hard innings.

McMurray led the batting for the Panthers with a three-bagger, while Jarvis and Schatezke were each good enough for two singles each. In the third inning the game stood 3 to 1 in favor of Fort Worth, but Dallas followed up with one run in both the fourth and fifth holding the game at a deadlock until the last of the tenth. In the tenth inning Barry, the first man up was thrown out at first. Johnson fell an easy victim to Jarvis' curves retiring with Berry. Bashore lined Combes a hard one and on a wild throw to first landed on second. Anderson followed with a hot one to Reitz who tossed it over first baseman's head allowing Bashore to score.

Fort Worth plays her last game with Dallas for the season this afternoon and will begin a series of three games with Corsicanan tomorrow at Corsicana.

The score:

DALLAS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
H. Clark 3b	5	1	0	3	3	0
Curtis rf	3	1	1	3	0	0
Ury 2b	4	0	2	2	1	1
Moran 1b	4	1	1	12	0	1
Nickell cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Berry c	4	0	1	6	0	0
Johnson ss	3	0	0	3	4	1
Bashore lf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Anderson p	4	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	35	4	5	30	12	3

FORT WORTH.

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
McMurray c	3	1	1	5	3	0
Reitz ss	4	1	0	1	4	2
Schatezke 2b 1b	4	0	2	8	1	1
Poindexter cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Dewey lf	4	0	0	3	0	1
Combes 3b	4	0	0	1	5	1
Peer 1b 2b	4	0	0	9	2	0
Lockhead rf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Jarvis p	4	1	2	1	3	1
Total	34	3	5	*29	19	6

*Two men out when winning was run was made.

By innings:

Dallas .....1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1—4
Fort Worth ....0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0—3

Summary—Earned runs, Dallas 2, Fort Worth 1; three-base hits, Moran, McMurray; stolen bases, Johnson, Curtis; sacrifice hits, Curtis, Lockhead; bases on balls, off Anderson 1, off Jarvis 1; struck out, by Anderson 5; by Jarvis 4; double plays, Ury to Johnson, Johnson to Moran; left on bases, Dallas 4; Fort Worth 3; time of game, 1 hour and 30 minutes; umpire, Mackey.



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STANDING OF THE CLUBS

TEXAS LEAGUE

Games Yesterday

Dallas 4; Fort Worth 3.
Corsicana 3; Waco 0.

Texas League Standing

With games thrown out as ordered at the last league meeting:

	Games Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Dallas	40	23	17	.575
Corsicana	42	24	18	.571
Fort Worth	47	22	25	.468
Waco	41	17	24	.414

With all games counted as played.

	Games Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Dallas	47	29	18	.617
Corsicana	51	26	25	.309
Fort Worth	47	22	25	.468
Waco	49	21	28	.428

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Games Yesterday

Chicago 2-6; Brooklyn 6-4.
Cincinnati 6-3; Boston 0-4.
New York-Pittsburg, postponed, rain.
Philadelphia-St. Louis, no game.

Standing of the Clubs

Clubs—	Games Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Pittsburg	101	66	35	.653
New York	101	61	40	.605
Chicago	105	62	43	.590
Cincinnati	101	54	47	.535
Brooklyn	102	50	52	.490
Boston	99	44	55	.444
Philadelphia	92	32	60	.348
St. Louis	105	36	69	.343

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Games Yesterday

Boston 4; Chicago 3.
Cleveland 2; Washington 0.
New York-St. Louis, game postponed.

Standing of the Clubs

Clubs—	Games Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Boston	101	65	36	.644
Philadelphia	102	58	44	.568
Cleveland	98	50	48	.510
New York	96	48	48	.500
Detroit	97	48	49	.495
St. Louis	98	45	53	.458
Chicago	101	46	55	.455
Washington	101	41	60	.406

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Games Yesterday

Memphis 3; New Orleans 0.
Nashville 3; Atlanta 2.
Shreveport 5; Little Rock 2.
Birmingham 3; Montgomery 1.

Standing of the Clubs

Clubs—	Games Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Memphis	95	56	39	.589
Little Rock	93	52	41	.559
Nashville	96	48	43	.527
Atlanta	93	48	45	.516
Shreveport	94	48	46	.511
Birmingham	94	46	48	.489
Montgomery	92	43	49	.467
New Orleans	98	34	64	.347

SOUTH TEXAS LEAGUE

Games Yesterday

Galveston 7-0; San Antonio 0-5.

Standing of the Clubs

Clubs—	Games Played.	Won.	Lost	Per cent.
Galveston	59	36	23	.610
Houston	57	31	26	.543
San Antonio	57	30	27	.526
Beaumont	55	17	39	.309

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J. D. Schooler and wife to W. M. Graham, lot 53, block 12, Emory Company subdivision of Patillo addition; $2,300.

George E. Faucher and wife to A. H. Tandy, 10 acres P. H. Ahler survey; $984.25.

George E. Bennett and wife to B. B. Hart, lot 9, block 25, Union Depot addition; $768.

B. B. Hart and wife to J. H. Armstrong, lot 9, block 25, Union Depot addition; $830.35.

W. J. Redford to Ida M. Muir, 50 acres off north end T. O. Moodie survey; $1,500.

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WORLD'S FAIR MAN'S TRIBUTE TO TELEGRAM

"No less than twenty shipments have been received as a direct result of the publication of your story in The Sunday Telegram calling on the people of Texas to forward exhibits for the world's fair," said Tilborn Graham of the world's fair collection bureau, 1820 Jones street, this morning. "I have never before received such a lesson in the value of newspaper publicity. Fully a score of consignees stated that they shipped exhibits in response to the call made through The Telegram for representation of Texas products at the exhibition. Others may have shipped as a result of The Telegram article, but twenty mentioned the paper."

Mr. Graham further said: "The people of this county have been backward in lending financial aid for the representation of Texas at the world's fair and they also are backward about bringing us samples of their home products. It seems to me that they might give Tarrant county a good representation in the display of Texas products."

The counties along the Frisco south have responded most liberally and large selections, especially of fruits, have been received from the counties of Brown, McCullough, Hood and Comanche.

The railroads have agreed to transport all exhibits free of cost and persons living on a railroad and wishing to forward shipments have only to leave them with the station agents and they will do the rest.

From McCullough county come several selections of pears, apples and grapes, all of which are exceptionally fine, which go to prove that the soil of some of the distant cattle counties is adapted to fruit raising as well as grass growing for grazing cattle.

Ben H. Wilson of Hood county sent in a nice selection of Hebermont grapes and Garber pears.

Brown county is represented at headquarters with specimens of peaches and peppers sent in by Sam Keller, a nice assortment of Maxim plums sent in by J. Albright, an extra nice lot of Chinese clingstone peaches from S. R. Gogan and a large assortment of fine yellow Elberta peaches raised on the unirrigated farm of T. C. Fitzgerald.

G. C. Page, living seven miles from Brownwood, has contributed samples of dwarf milo maize and kaffir corn. The crop from which the sample of milo maize was taken averaged one hundred bushels to the acre, the grain being of extra fine quality.

J. E. Shelton of Hood county sent in one of the finest collections of white onions ever seen in Texas.

Mr. Graham wishes specimens of every Other exhibits received up to this afternoon are selections of choice Elberta peaches from the orchard of S. V. Farrell of Hood county; one jar of large Chinese clings, one jar of old Mixon clings, one jar each of Indian peaches and grapes and one large eggplant measuring fifteen inches in circumference.

Mrs. W. H. Large of Glenwood sent in today some fine specimens of the large White Velvet okra and a bunch of California snake beans, some of which measure four feet in length.

Ben H. Wilson and H. W. Osborn of Meri, Hood county, shipped in one jar of Mixon peaches and one of Elberta peaches, already pickled and ready for exhibition.

known Texas product, so that this great state may be justly represented at the greatest exhibition ever planned in this country.

COVETED A HEMLOCK TREE

Dream of Secretary Root's Boyhood Is Realized in Later Years

During the boyhood of Secretary of War Elihu Root he and his father, a professor in Hamilton college, spent many days in the fields and woods in search of rare shrubs and plants. Near the buildings of that college stands the house where Professor Oren Root lived and where Secretary Root was born. This building is now known as Knox hall, or Cabinet hall.

Secretary Root's father had extensive gardens. There was a profusion of well-trimmed seed beds and the professor experimented with growing trees as well as wild flowers and wild vegetables, which he found in the woods surrounding his home.

Many times Secretary Root when a boy in journeying homeward after a pilgrimage in the woods and through fields with his father passed along the brow of a hill on the old Kirkland farm, and they stopped there beneath the shade of a thrifty hemlock, whence they could view the hills lying on the other side of the valleys of the Oriskany creek, trace the waters of the stream for many miles as they gleamed among the trees on their way to the Mohawk in the north, while in the far landscape they could distinguish the dim outposts of the North woods, which they have come to call the Adirondacks. The vistas afforded from the top of College hill, the home of Hamilton College, were both charming and extensive, but the ground upon which the hemlock stood and where they often rested was a bit higher than the summit of College hill and commanded a wider prospect of the surrounding country.

The hemlock tree and its location made a deep impression on the fancies of the elder Root and he was wont to exclaim as he visited the spot:

"I wish I owned that hemlock tree!"

Professor Root died, but his boys continued to make Kirkland and College hill their place of residence. They were graduated from Hamilton College, and Oren Root Jr. became professor there, as was his father before him. Elihu Root became secretary of war and in the lives of the boys there were many changes affecting the growth and development of Kirkland and the village of Clinton. Throughout all, however, the hemlock tree was spared, and now, through the purchase of three farms adjoining the Root homestead, Elihu Root becomes the owner of the ground and this hemlock tree, which, to say the least, has had a rather romantic connection with the Roots.

CONSTANT NERVOUS STRAIN

Healthy, Strong Body Necessary.

Charles McLaughlin of 524 Clinton avenue, Albany, N. Y., engineer of the N. Y. C. and H. R. R.'s "Fast Mail," and Empire State Express trains, says:

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IN MEMORY OF MISS ETHEL RANDALL.

Go to thy rest, Dear Ethel
Go to thy dreamless bed,
While yet so gentle and loving,
With blessings on thy head.
We placed sweet roses in thy hand,
Buds on thy bosom lay,
God came with his gentle
Touch and plucked our flower away.
Because thy smiles was fair,
Thy lips and eyes so bright,
Because we loved you so.
You was our whole delight.
We know its hard to give you up,
But Jesus calls you his,
He loves you, dear sweet child,
Or he would not called you as he did.
She left us as the light of immortal beauty,
Silently covered her face and when the arrows of sunset lodged in the tree tops bright
She fell in his arms like beauty asleep by the gates of light.
We know thou art gone to the home of thy rest,
Then why should my soul be so sad?
We know thou art gone where the weary are blest,
And the mourner looks up and is glad;
Where Love has put off, in the land of its birth,
The stains it had gatherd in this,
And Hope, the sweet singer, that gladdened the earth,
Lies asleep on the bosom of Bliss.
We know thou are gone
Where thy forehead is starred
With the beauty that dwelt in thy soul,
Where the light of thy loveliness cannot be marred,
Nor thy spirit flung back from its goal.
We know thou has drunk
From the Lethe that flows
Through a land where they do not forget,
That sheds over memory only repose,
And takes from it only regret.
This eye must be dark
That so long had been dim,
Ere again it may gaze upon thine;
But my heart has revealings of thee and thy home,
In many a token and sign;
We never look up, with a vow, to the sky,
But a light like thy beauty is there;
And we hear a low murmer like thine in reply,
When I pour out my spirit in prayer.
In thy far-away dwelling, wherever it may be,
I know thou hast glimpses of mine;
For the love that made all things as music to me,
I have not yet learned to resign.
In the hush of the night or the waste of the sea,
Or alone with the breeze on the hill,
I have ever presence that whisper of thee,
And my spirit lies down and is still,
And though, like a mourner that sits by a tomb,
I am wrapped by a mantle of care
Yet, the grief of my bosom—oh, call it not gloom!
Is not the dark grief of despair.
By sorrow revealed, as the stars are by night,
Far off a bright vision appears,
And hope, like a rainbow—a creature of light,
Is born like the rainbow, from tears.

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J. A. J. Montgomery, Puxico, Wayne Co., Mo., writes: "I have little twin girls who have been bothered with worms all their lives. I tried everything to relieve them, which failed until I used White's Cream Vermifuge. The first two doses brought four worms from one of them; the next two doses twelve, one of them measuring twelve inches; the other child was only relieved of four worms. It is a most excellent medicine." White's Cream Vermifuge is good for children. It not only destroys worms, it helps the child to perfect growth, wards off sickness. 25c at H. T. Pangburn & Co.'s.

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However slight, at this time of year and in this climate, it is a forerunner of Malaria A disposition to yawn and an all tired out feeling comes even before the chill.

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"Jim Blaine had the most marvelous memory of any man I ever met," said Joe Jefferson at the Sandwich, Mass., Old Home Week celebration, says the New York Times. "I once spoke in Augusta, Me., and twenty-five years later he repeated the speech to me, word for word."

"How did you know it was the same speech?" asked one of his auditors.

"Because I never made but one speech—it's the same old speech always."

WATCH FOR A CHILL

However slight at this time of year and in this climate, it is the forerunner of malaria. A disposition to yawn, and an all-tired-out feeling even comes before the chill. Herbine, by its prompt stimulative action on the liver, drives the malarial germs out of the system, purifies the blood, tones up the system and restores health. 50d at H. T. Pangburn & Co.'s.

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News of Texas Towns

BANK AT BOYD CHANGES HANDS

Fort Worth Capital Is Invested in Financial Institution in Promising Wise County Town

WILL INCREASE THE CAPITAL STOCK

Farmers and Business Men Will Take Stock in the Concern and Prospects Bright for Good Business—Rain Is Badly Needed

BOYD, Tex., August 19.—The Farmers and Merchants' bank of this place will change hands next Monday, Judge Sam Furman having sold out to the Continental Bank and Trust company of Fort Worth. The new firm will increase the capital stock considerably. Several farmers and most of the business men here have taken stock in the concern.

This country is needing rain badly. Farmers say that cotton is beginning to throw off its forms and that unless it rains in the next few days they can't possibly made anything like a good crop. Corn is fairly good throughout the country.

A. A. Green, who has been visiting relatives in Tennessee during the past two weeks, returned last evening, accompanied by his niece, Miss Nell Mahoney.

George Green, who has been visiting friends in Dallas, returned this week.

Judge Sam Furman spent yesterday in the Panther City.

Miss Maggie Gardner of Sherman is visiting friends and relatives here.

G. A. Norman is in Dallas this week.

J. B. Henderson visited Decatur yesterday.

NEWS FROM PUTNAM.

PUTNAM, Texas, August 19.—The weather is getting pretty dry in this country, which will cut the cotton crop short unless there is rain soon.

Judge T. H. Connor, chief justice of the court of civil appeals of Fort Worth passed through Putnam a few days ago He jumped off the train and shook hands with quite a number of old friends. Judge Connor was district judge for a number of years, and all learned to love and respect him.

J. H. Surles has just received letters from the following people stating that they were coming to Putnam to drink the Putnam mineral water, and look at the country: Mrs. A. S. Lanis, Alexandria, La., Mr. Alny J. Simmons, Poland, La.; Mr. R. M. Snead, Roanoke, Denton County, Texas.

Mr. Guy Sigler, a young lawyer of this place, had to have his hand amputated a few days ago caused from a felon on his right hand.

The methodists are conducting a protracted meeting at this place. There seems to be considerable interest.

Elder A. L. Jobe, who has been holding a meeting for two weeks in Lampasas county, returned yesterday, but will start again to morrow night for Erath county where he will hold a two week's meeting.

NEW BANK FOR MIDLAND, TEX.

MIDLAND, Tex., August 20.—The organization of the Midland National bank was completed yesterday with twenty-eight stockholders, when the following officers were elected: D. W. Brunson, president; Burl Holloway, first vice president; E. F. Elkins, second vice president; W. F. Elkins, cashier, and C. B. McGonagill, bookkeeper. The bank is capitalized at $50,000. This is quite an addtion to the town of Midland, and with the First National bank, with a capital of $100,000, the town is pretty well represented in the banking line, with sufficient business, however, in Midland and surrounding country to justify two good banks.

NEWMAN HEARD FROM

The Temple Man Went to Alabama for a Summer Visit

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, August 20.—S. F. Newman, whose mysterious disappearance was reported from Temple a few days ago, has been heard from by friends in this city. Mr. Newman had been manager at Temple for the Waters-Pierce Oil Company two or three years and was checked out about two weeks ago by the auditor. His books and accounts were found to be in good shape. Mr. Newman, it was understood, was coming to Ellis county to take the management of a gin at Leland. He came to Waco with the auditor, where they separated. Mr. Newman, instead of coming to Ellis county, where his family was visiting, went to Birmingham, Ala., to visit friends and was located there after the publication of the notice of his disappearance. A telegram came from him yesterday, saying he had started back to Texas.

The second of a series of three games of baseball between Waxahachie and the Corsicana amateurs was played here yesterday afternoon. It was a pretty, clean game and resulted in a victory for the home team in a score of 8 to 2.

Two unusually tall stalks of corn were brought to the city this morning by a farmer named Bud Clark. The corn was raised on Waxahachie creek, three miles from town. One of the stalks measured eighteen feet and three inches in height, while the other was between sixteen and seventen feet tall.

NEWS FROM CLEBURNE

CLEBURNE, Texas, August 20.—The undertaking business of Deering & Co. has been sold to M. Galvin.

S. Wemyss of the architect firm of Smith & Moore has gone to Dublin. The committee selected his plans and the contract will be let in September, the work to begin the following month, on the Carnegie library building.

Miss Katherine Alice Parks and Silas Damon Reid of Venus were married at Cleburne August 15.

The following births have been announced here lately: To Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Pratt, a boy, August 7; to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Deaton, a girl, August 14; to Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Germany, a girl, August 15; at Rio Vista, to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Cashen, a girl, August 17; to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reeves, a girl, August 15; to Mr. and Mrs. Byron Owens, a girl, August 14; to Mr. and Mrs. John Burchfield, a girl, August 14.

A tennis tournament will be played here Friday and Saturday between the Young Men's Christian Association and the Cresson Club.

NEWS FROM WEST

WEST, Tex., August 19.—Precinct No. 3, McLennan county, will vote on prohibition September 5.

The Baptist protracted meeting closed last night with 19 additions to the church.

Mrs. W. T. Thompson died last night. The remains will be shipped to Waco tomorrow for burial.

Mrs. J. J. Drew returned to her home at Eutaw, Ala., Thursday.

Ben Park and wife of Mt. Calm are visiting in West this week.

W. R. Denton of the tax collector's office, Waco, has been here with home folk for a few days.

Mrs. Annie McDonald, after a pleasant visit with the family of Rev. H. Nichols, returned to her home in Waco Sunday night.

BROWNWOOD'S FIRST SALE

BROWNWOOD, Texas, August 19.—The first shipment of cotton to Brownwood was marketed here at 7 o'clock last night by B. F. Boyd. It classed strict middling, weighed 480 pounds and sold for $65, a premium of $35 being added by the business men.

The local option campaign is getting pretty warm. E. L. Anthony of Cameron spoke last night for the antis and C. H. Jenkins will reply to him tonight. The election will be held Sept. 5.

Lem Batton has accepted the position of jailer in place of S. H. Griffin, who resigned recently.

The Brown county farmers' institute was addressed yesterday by F. S. White, industrial agent of the Frisco, who spoke on diversified farming. Mr. White thinks there are great possibilities ahead of this section in truck and fruit growing.

J. R. Looney has begun work on a large brick building to be used for a store. There are several business buildings now under construction here.

NEWS FROM ABILENE

ABILENE, Texas, August 20.—A most delightful affair was the bird fry given to the visiting young ladies of Abilene at the Lytle lake. Those present were: Misses Vera and Isla Kinsohing of Corsicana, Florence Phillips of Dallas, Bertha Roberts of Nugent, Thomas of Marlin, Ella and Mary Motz, Myra Ellington, Elray and Estelle Britton, Jewell Roberts, Jennie Medows and Evelyn Lapowski; Messrs. Lowden, Rob Lowden, Dillon, Hanks, Faucett, Scruggs, Charles Harrington, Saylis, Keeble, Moore, Mays, Malone, Steffens, Mr. and Mrs. Hutt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Saylis Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bowie. After having supper the crowd came to the Elks' hall, where they all enjoyed a dance.

Miss Collin of Georgetown has returned home after a visit to Miss Pansy Moon.

NEWS FROM COLORADO

COLORADO, Texas, August 20.—Mrs. H. A. Wulfjen has purchased W. P. Ruddick's residence, paying therefore $1,225. This is a fine residence and situated in South Colorado.

Last night at the Baptist church baptism was administered to several who were converted as a result of the late revival conducted by Rev. Luther Little. A free will offering of about $100 was presented to Mr. Little.

Sam Majors, son of J. P. Majors, the jeweler of this city, was married to Miss Edna Coe last night at 9 o'clock at the residence of the bride, two miles northwest of the city. Miss Coe is one of the most charming, lovable and intelligent young ladies in West Texas. The wedding was rather a quiet affair, only a few friends being present.

Rev. B. W. Huckabee of the holiness persuasion will begin a revival meeting here tonight under the same big tent as was occupied by Rev. Mr. Little.

CURED PARALYSIS

W. S. Baily, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also used it for old sores, frost bites and skin eruptions. It does the work." 25c, 50c and $1 bottle at H. T. Pangburn & Co.'s.

STATE IS AFTER THE WILD CATS

Insurance Department Has Been Investigating Certain Companies of a Questionable Kind

SUITS EXPECTED TO STOP THEM ALL

Commissioner Clay Consults Attorney General, and the Accumulated Evidence Is in Hand to Commence Litigation to Protect the People

AUSTIN, Texas, August 20.—Some two months ago the attorney general got busy and filed suit to revoke the permits and forfeit the charters of fifty-nine of the largest insurance companies in Texas. These suits are still pending, and from signs, omens, significent winks, confidential consultations and secretive shoulder shrugs seen around the attorney general's department during the past day ortwo, something more is liable to be doing very soon.

During the past sixty days Capt. Theveatt of the insurance department made an extended trip to Waco, Dallas and other north Texas towns for the purpose of investigating the resources and financial condition of the mutula insurance companies in that part of the state.

When he returned he submitted a detailed report of what he had learned to Commissioner Clay and while the facts of this report Mr. Clay has not given out it is fair to assume that Capt. Theveatt found lots of rottenness among insurance companies of this class, for the reason as soon as he hit these towns and these wildcat companies heard of it they hit the grit and decamped in search of greener pastures.

G. A. Mayo has just returned from a similar tour of south Texas for a similar purpose and while his report to Commissioner Clay has not been made public it is understood that he found some companies all right and others all wrong.

In the investigation conducted by Capt. Theveatt and Mr. Mayo it is believed their reports show thirty-six of these wild cat, bogus and fraudulent companies to be fleecing the people of Texas without mercy.

With documents supposed to be the reports in hand Commissioner Clay has been seen to make frequent pilgrimages to the attorney general's department yesterday and today and interpreting these signs and omens it is fairly safe to predict that sometime very soon the attorney general will file another suit in the twenty-sixth district court of Travis county to forfeit the charters of such of these companies as are incorporated under the laws of Texas and revoke the permit of such as are incorporated under the laws of other states.

PONAIFFS ONCE WORE RED.

There are many people who will doubtless be interested to know that it is only since the thirteenth century that the popes have been accustomed to wear white. Until that time they always were arranyed in the red robes now affected by the cardinals. Boniface VIII, in 1294, however, realized that the red was no longer the distinctive color of the papacy since its predecessors had accorded to their legates abroad the right to wear it, issued a decree granting to all the members of the sacred college the red robes which they now wear, and decided that white should henceforth be the hue of the raimnet of himself and of his successors. The popes, however, still retain from these ancient days the red hat which they wear out of doors, and the red mantle as well as the red shoes.

NOT WITH MALICE PREPENSE

J. L. Harbour, one of the editors of The Youth's Companion and an author, delights in poring over the rural papers for unconscious humor. He says that descriptions of weddings are invariably funny, and among the instances he cites is a paragraph which indulges in eulogy concerning the bride and bridegroom, and concludes with, "We wish them all happiness, for John is one of our best young men, and so is Mary." He also tells of the minute descriptions of gifts which are set forth in rural papers on the occasion of a marriage, and says that in such a paper he found: "The bride's gift to the groom was a large hair wreath made of his family and hers. Aunt Emma Leach presented the couple with a handsome motto, 'Fight On.' The bride's father gave her one copy of Bunyan's 'Pilgrim Progress' and one Jersey cow bound in leather."

A FACT ABOUT THE "BLUES"

What is known as the "Blues" is seldom occasioned by actual existing external conditions, but in the great majority of cases by a disordered LIVER.

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They control and regulate the LIVER. They bring hope and bouyancy to the mind. They bring health and elasticity to the body.

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CURRENCY FOR CROP MOVING

Shipments to the West of Money to Handle Cotton Commences

CHICAGO, Ill., August 20.—Shipments of currency to the West for crop moving purposes have begun and it is expected there will be a steadily increasing demand from now until October. As yet shipments to the Northwest have been limited, the bulk of the currency sent out of Chicago going to banks in Kansas and Nebraska. As an indication of the size of the western movement it may be stated that the First National is shipping nearly $200,000 a day. Other banks are shipping proportionate amounts. The movement is not altogether westward, however, as some of the country banks are shipping small amounts to Chicago. The Chicago banks are in excellent position to meet the demands that will be made on them this year for moving the crops. It is probable that New York reserves will be drawn on less this year than usual.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

This is to notify all persons concerned that the undersigned was on the 18th day of July, 1903, by the probate court of Tarrant county, Texas, duly granted letters of administration on the estate of J. B. McGraw, deceased, and all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are notified to present the same for allowance and approval within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

M. S. BOGERT,
Administrator,
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HARVEST LABOR RATES TO MINNESOTA AND THE DAKOTAS

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GEORGIA MINSTRELS

Richards & Pringle's minstrels, the "Famous Georgias," as they have come to be commonly known during the years they have delighted the theater-going populace of America in every part of the United States, have swung around the circle once more, and will be seen at Greenwall's opera house tonight. As will be seen from the date will not tarry long in this city, but just long enough to give two of their never-they will not tarry long in this city, but just long enough to give two of their never-ceasing laugh performances, filled with music and song.

The personnel of the organization this season is made up of the brightest of last season's organization, with the addition of a number of novelty performers seen for the first time in this part of the country.

WHEAT'S ROOF GARDEN

Tonight Miss Dale and company will appear in the beautiful southern drama, "The Kentucky Girl," and it will be the first time this play will be presented at popular prices. The roof garden will no doubt be the favorite place tonight, as this play gave such splendid satisfaction on its former presentation. Miss Dale will appear in the title role, and the cast will embrace the old favorites. All new specialties by the Morrisons will be special features between the acts. The new prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents, are meeting the wishes of all and very large audiences are the result.

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ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS AT FORT WORTH

TEXAS AND PACIFIC

WEST-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
5:20 pm—	1	St. Louis, Memphis, Fort Worth	
7:45 am—	3	Cannon Ball (St. L., N. O., El Paso)	8:40 am
7:45 pm—	5	Cannon Ball (St. L., to El Paso)	8:20 pm
11:00 am—	7	From Wills Point	
2:55 pm—	9	Dallas-Min'l Wells.	3:00 pm
5:15 am—	11	Dallas-Ft. Worth	
3:50 pm—	13	Dallas-Ft. Worth	
6:50 am—	103	Dallas-Ft. Worth	

EAST-BOUND.

——	2	St. L. Memphis-New Orleans	8:10 am
4:15 pm—	4	Colo., Memphis, St. Louis, N. Orleans	5:30 pm
7:00 am—	6	Cannon Ball (El Paso to St. Louis)	7:45 am
——	8	To Wills Points	3:20 pm
10:15 am—	10	Min. Wells-Dallas	10:30 am
——	12	Dallas Local	11:30 am
——	14	Dallas Local	4:20 pm
——	102	To Dallas	9:30 pm

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NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
——	32	Local	8:35 am
5:05 pm—	31	Local	

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HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
8:25 pm—	83	North Texas Lim'd	
7:00 am—	85	Mail and Express	
11:50 am—	*93	Local Freight and Passenger	

SOUTH-BOUND.

——	84	South Texas Lim'd (Houston-Galves'n)	9:20 am
——	86	Mail and Express (Houston-Galves'n)	7:45 pm
——	*94	Local Freight and Passenger (Ennis)	1:05 pm

*Daily except Sunday.

FORT WORTH AND DENVER CITY

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
——	1	Mail and Express (Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Denver)	9:45 am
——	3	Wichita Falls Acc.	6:00 pm
——	7	Colorado Express	11:10 pm

SOUTH-BOUND.

5:10 pm—	2	Mail and Express	
9:55 am—	4	Ft. Worth Accommodation	
6:00 am—	8	Texas Express	

INTERNATIONAL & GREAT NORTHERN

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
8:55 pm—	2	Mail and Express	
8:30 am—	8	Ft. Worth Limited	

SOUTH-BOUND.

——	1	Mail and Express (Austin, San Antonio, Houston, Galveston)	7:35 am
——	7	Houston and Galveston Limited	5:45 pm

FRISCO SYSTEM

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

SOUTH-BOUND.

2:55 pm—	9	Meteor (Brownw'd)	3:15 pm
7:35 pm—	35	Mixed (Brownwood and Brady)	9:30 pm

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NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
8:10 am—	16	Katy Flyer	8:35 am
10:55 am—	2	Kan. City Express	11:45 am
8:15 pm—	4	Kansas City Mail and Express	9:00 pm

SOUTH-BOUND.

7:45 pm—	15	Katy Flyer	8:15 pm
5:10 pm—	1	Waco Mail and Express	6:00 pm
7:40 am—	3	San Antonio and Houston Express	8:30 am

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
——	12	Fast Express (El Reno, Topeka, Denver, Chicago)	9:00 pm
——	14	To Omaha and Mo. river points	8:30 am

SOUTH-BOUND.

7:10 am—	11	Fast Express (from Chicago, Denver)	
7:15 pm—	13	From Omaha and Mo. river points	

COTTON BELT ROUTE

WEST-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
6:50 am—	101	From Dallas, Memphis, Chicago	
6:25 pm—	103	From Texarkana, Pine Bluff and Arkansas	

EAST-BOUND.

——	102	To Dallas, Memphis and Chicago	9:30 pm
——	104	Texarkana, Pine B. and Arkansas	8:20 am

SANTA FE ROUTE

NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive.	No.		Depart.
8:20 pm—	6	Day Express (Chicago, K. C. and Colorado points)	8:30 pm
7:20 am—	18	Limited (Chicago, K. C. and Colorado)	7:30 am

SOUTH-BOUND.

9:00 pm—	17	Limited (Galveston H'ston, San Anto.)	9:10 pm
7:55 am—	5	Day Express (Temple, Houston, Galveston)	8:05 am

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An Ordinance prohibiting any person under twenty-one years of age from driving any herd or herds of cattle, horses, mules or animals of like kind upon or across any of the streets of the city of Fort Worth.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Fort Worth:

Section I. That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any person or persons under the age of twenty-one years to drive any herd or herds of cattle, horses, mules or animals of like kind on, upon, or across any of the streets of the city of Fort Worth.

Section II. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person or persons to drive any herd or herds of cattle, horses, mules or animals of like character on or upon or across any of the streets of the city of Fort Worth unless there shall be in attendance upon such herd or herds at all times actively participating in the driving thereof, a sufficient number of persons to prevent and who do prevent said herd or herds from causing damage to the said street or streets upon which they may be driven and the sidewalks adjacent thereto and the private property situated along the street or streets upon which they may be driven.

Section III. That a herd as the term is herein used is hereby defined to be three or more animals of the kind above mentioned being driven together.

Section IV. Any person found guilty of violating Sections I and II of this ordinance shall on conviction thereof be fined in a sum not less than one dollar and not more than fifty dollars.

Section V. That this ordinance take effect and be in force from and after its publication as provided by law.

Filed August 7th, 1903.

JNO. T. MONTGOMERY,
City Secretary.

Passed under suspension of the rules, August 7th, 1903.

JNO. T. MONTGOMERY,
City Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book E, page 65, August 12th, 1903.

JNO. T. MONTGOMERY,
City Secretary.

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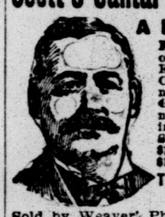
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No matter how cheap; 24 stamp photos, 25c. Photos, 75c to $35 per dozen. 705 Main st. JOHN SWARTZ.

FOR SALE

$250 FOR $750 CHICKERING UPRIGHT piano; easy payments. Alex Hirschfeld, 812 Houston street.

FOR SALE—Old papers; 10 cents per 100. At The Telegram.

RUBBER STAMPS
Made to Order at
CONNER'S BOOK STORE,
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BARGAIN—$140 for standard make $400 upright piano; fine condition; $6 monthly payments. Alex Hirschfeld, 812 Houston street.

66,000 acres of land in La Salle county, Texas, at $2.00 an acre. W. H. Graham & Co., Cuero, Texas.

$175 FOR GOOD AS NEW $350 upright piano; $6 monthly. Alex Hirschfeld.

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FOR SALE—Full-blood Jersey cow with young calf; fine milker; 5 years old. Call Mrs. L. L. Chestnut, 1409 East Twentieth street.

250-ACRE FARM, situated on south side of Tarrant county, to trade for Fort Worth proyerty of equal value; $5,000. Walker's R. E. R. & C. Agency, 1008 Houston street.

FOR SALE—Car of good farm work mules, 5 to 8 years old, weigh 1,000 to 1,200 pounds, perfectly gentle and in good condition. J. H. Roper, Itasca, Texas.

FOR SALE—A two-story six-room residence at Arlington Heights; a bargain. F. K., care Telegram.

CITY HOTEL

MOHAWK HOTEL, corner Fifteenth and Calhoun—Sixty outside rooms; neat as parlor; electric lights, baths; special inducements to regular rooms and boarders.

STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS—Mothershead Cottage. Rates $2; new addition; thirty-two large airy rooms; sample-rooms; close in. Mrs. H. A. Mothershead, proprietress.

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DESIRABLE ROOMS—To rent, with board; private family; good neighborhood. 1002 Burnett.

THE SEATON FLATS—Corner Houston and First streets. Nicely furnished rooms with or without board, at reasonable rates. Good home cooking. Transient trade solicited. Everything thoroughly renovated.

ROOMING AND BOARDING HOUSE, 1110 Lamar, corner Thirteenth; new house, newly furnished, cool rooms, with southern exposure; board the best the market affords; phone and bath; electric and gas lights; everything first class. Mrs. S. G. Long, Proprietor. Phone 1183.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms. Men only. Corner Twelfth and Houston sts.

TWO NICE large office rooms for rent. Corner Eleventh and Main streets.

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I AM EXTENDING my business and must have second-hand goods to meet the demand of my installment and rental customers. I also exchange new goods for old and, therefore, will pay more for second-hand furniture and stoves than any other dealer in the city. IXL Second Hand Store, corner First and Houston streets. Phone 1329.

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Six-room modern cottage with bath, sewer, stable, lot 50x125; corner, south front; price $2,250; $250 cash, balance $300 annually.

Six-room new two-story modern residence, stable bath, lot 50x103, east front; price $2,500; very easy payments.

Four-room new cottage, large rooms, south front, lot 50x100; price $1,250; $125 cash, balance $16 monthly.

To exchange, four-acre fruit farm at Riverside, good house, barn, artesian well, windmill; value $1,750, for residence in city.

Two lots in North Fort Worth at a bargain.

Five lots three blocks from car line, at a bargain; south side.

E. L. HUFFMAN & CO., REAL ESTATE AND RENTAL AGENTS, Fourth street, between Main and Rusk streets. All kinds of city property and farm lands for sale. Phone No. 1699.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—No. 12 size gold watch; name T. E. Hutchison in back. Reward. Prized as a gift. Return to Telegram.

LOST—Female pug dog, 6 months old. Reward for information leading to recovery. J. B. M., care Telegram.

Stationery Sale...

Friday and Saturday, Box Paper and Envelopes, regular price 65c and 75c 40c
Box Paper and Envelopes, regular price 50c 25c
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M. C. ALLISON,

For sale, 40 acres on the Interurban, a short distance out from the city. Will divide into smaller tracts and sell as acreage property cheaper than ever heard of before. This is a beautiful piece of land and a fine place for suburban homes.

For sale, a fine little hog farm, seven miles from the city, containing 130 acres, 65 acres in cultivation, balance in timber and pasture, with running water; new seven-room house, good cistern and numerous outhouses; large barn; 30 acres in hog pasture, 18 acres in alfalfa, 240 fruit trees; mail delivered at the house every day. Price $4,500; easy payments.

For sale, 1,200 acres of prairie land in Wise county, all fenced and cross-fenced, 4½ miles of good town on railroad, two sets of houses; school on both sides of it; public road on three sides; eight wells one windmill, two creeks of running water with some timber on creeks. Price $8.50 per acre.

For sale, 550 acres grass land, close to city. All fenced and cross-fenced. About half of it can be put in cultivation, balance good pasture land. Price $11.50 per acre. Small payments and easy time.

For sale, 235 acres pasture land, seven miles from city; all fenced; artesian well, windmill; a number of tanks. Price $16 per acre.

For sale, new six-room frame house, close in on south side, half block of car line; bath, toilet, closets, brick chimneys built from the ground; barn for horse and buggy; lot 50x100; south front. Price $2,250; very easy terms.

For sale, eight-room two-story frame house in one of the best neighborhoods on the south side; large reception hall, with brick mantel; hall running through the house; fine mantels in parlor and dining-room; bathroom, porcelain tub, toilet, piped for hot and cold water; closets in each room; large cellar under house, electric lights; servant's house; large barn and outbuildings; corner lot, 100x225. Price $10,000; good terms.

For sale, six-room frame cottage on south side, on car line, close to school and church; hall, two porches, two mantels and grates, bathroom; stable; lot 50x154, east front; worth $3,000; can be bought for $2,650; $1,000 cash; balance three years.

For sale, eight-room frame cottage on west side, half block of car line; bath and toilet; lot 50x100, east front. Price $2,000; $900 cash; balance in three years.

North side, close to packing-houses, I have over 200 lots that we can sell on all kinds of terms. Come and ask me about them.

If you wish to sell, buy, rent or insure your property or want money to build houses or take up vendors' notes, see

M. C. ALLISON,
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REAL ESTATE, LOAN AND IMMIGRATION AGENTS,
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Do you want to buy, sell or exchange property? We offer for sale good farming lands and ranches, also choice city property. But let us know what you want. If you have property for sale, we can find you a buyer; if you want to invest, we have some good bargains to offer. See us before you buy or sell, is all we ask, or write us, either in English or German. We speak and write both languages.

W. W. HAGGARD AND E. T. DUFF

HAGGARD & DUFF,
Real Estate, Loan and Rental Agents,
706½ Main Street.

Four-room house, two porches, closets, barn and picket fence, lot 50x100, in two blocks of car line. Price, $1,300; $100 cash, balance monthly.

On Fifth avenue, four-rooms, two porches, wood and buggy house, fine location, good neighborhood. Price, $1,150; $100 cash, balance monthly.

We have some nice east front lots on Hemphill street at reasonable prices.

Close in on the west side, nine-room, two-story, new, modern house, sewer, lights, gas, an excellent place for roomers or boarders. Price, $6,500; one-third cash.

Ten-room, modern cottage, within two blocks of the postoffice, south and east front, lot 75x129 feet, nice grass and excellent shade trees. Price, $6,000; one-half cash, balance monthly.

Ten-room house on the north side, good location for boarders. We will sell for two-thirds of its actual cost. Come in and make us a price.

Six-room, new house, within five minutes walk of the packing house, on hill, lot 50x149, good well of water. This place can be bought for $1,000; $100 cash, balance $15 monthly payments.

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Mrs. Guynne, having decided to leave the city, has placed in our hands for sale her elegant cottage of five roms, reception hall, bath, toilet, gas, electric lights—in fact, all modern conveniences, situated at 1535 Pruitt avenue, only one block from Pennsylvania avenue, between Seventh and Eighth; location the best; lot 50x140 feet to alley. For a home or investment it is a snap, as same can be had for much less than it is worth, and must be sold within ten days.

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But that is all we ask for ours. There are a great many other kinds—in fact, about any kind, or variety, or design the imagination can picture. The price, of course, depends largely upon the quality, but will be less probably than you would expect. We will undertake to please you in these goods, and promise at all events the price will be agreeable.

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1619-1621-1623 Main Street. Near T. & P. Station.

SOUR LAKE OIL FIELDS ARE ABLAZE

BEAUMONT, Tex., Aug. 20.—Bulletin—A phone message just received says the Shoestring district at Sour Lake is ablaze. The district is thick with derricks and thirty have already been consumed.

At the time message was sent it looked as if the entire district was doomed to destruction, involving a loss of millions of dollars.

GRAVE TELLS AWFUL SECRET

Body of a Woman Exhumed to Investigate the Cause of Her Death

BOYD, Tex., August 19.—News comes from Springtown, twelve miles southwest of here that the body of Mrs. John Sewel, which was buried there the 10th instant, was taken up yesterday evening.

It was alleged that her death was the result of a surgical operation performed upon her a few hours before her death. A postmortem revealed the fact that her death was the result of criminal negligence, and two arrests have been made.

The country is considerably worked up over the affair and it is stated on reliable authority that the people of the community will petition the district judge to appoint a special attorney to prosecute the case.

SMILES THE RULE IN POLICE COURT

Peculiar Proceeding of Dave Gorman and the Strange Behavior of Two Young Men

The heathen Chinee has not a monopoly on the business of being peculiar. Yesterday morning Dave Gorman, a saloonkeeper, entered pleas of guilty in two cases of Sunday selling and two cases of Sunday opening, in the corporation court. He was present in court with his lawyer and pleaded guilty with all due to regard for legal forms. He was fined the minimum sum in each case. Then, this morning through his lawyer, he went into court and gave notice of appeal to the county court.

THE CASE OF M. SMITH

An unusually interesting case in the police court this morning was that M. Smith, charged with violating a health ordinance by dumping over water barrels, signs and other things on Main street that were not nailed down. Smith lures bubbles out of soda fountains for a living, but night before last, according to his own testimony, he toyed with the more insidious bubbles that come in steins and felt "right wicked" when he started up Main street in the short number hours. He was accompanied by Harold McNabb, his dear friend. McNabb, too, was feeling devilish—in fact, young Smith testified that he was taking McNabb home when the trouble transpired. Officers Temes and Walker captured McNabb and took him to the calaboose and yesterday morning he pleaded guilty to intoxication. Smith escaped, but was caught yesterday evening.

HE KNEW HE WASN'T DRUNK

When Smith was asked during the trial this morning if he was intoxicated at the time the excitement prevailed, he said:

"I was not drunk, and I was not sober."

"How do you know you were not drunk?"

"Well, if I'd been drunk I could not have run so fast as I did when the policemen showed up," he replied.

Smith testified that McNabb turned over the water barrels and did everything else that was done in violation of the law on the morning in question.

The officers testified that Smith was just as guilty as McNabb.

Then McNabb took the stand. He smilingly admitted that he did it all, single-handed and alone. He had been fined yesterday and felt perfectly safe.

Nevertheless Judge Prewett fined Smith $1 and costs.

A THUNDERBOLT

Then Prosecutor Roy unloosed a thunderbolt about the head of McNabb, the martyr. He filed another case against him. McNabb was fined yesterday for intoxication. The new charge placed against him this morning after his testimony accused him of violating the health ordinance by turning over trash cans and water barrels on Main street.

"How do you plead?" asked Judge Prewett, speaking to the surprised young man.

"Not guilty," he replied firmly.

His case was set for trial tomorrow, but later he agreed to plead guilty in order to save certain costs.

CRAPS ARTISTS

Officers Coley Howard and George surrounded a sandhouse in the Santa Fe yards at 12:10 this morning and captured the following craps artists: Will Gaber, Tom Shaw, Willis Jones, Robert Cagle, Albert Jackson, Anderson Clay and Jim Brown.

All pleaded guilty to vagrancy and a fine of $8.95 was imposed in each case this morning.

HOW THE MINE WAS NAMED

Up in the Black Hills of South Dakota is a mine with a peculiar name. This is the way it came to be christened, says Lippincott's.

A prospector and his wife were one day strolling over the hills on a little excursion. In stepping from one rock to another the man chanced to dislodge a stone. As he picked up the chipped rock to toss it away his eye fell on a little thread of yellow. It was gold.

When the mine had been staked out and the claim filed at the land office the question of a name was raised.

The man smiled sweetly. "It is just as you say; the mine shall be named in your honor."

And from that day to this one of the richest gold mines in the middle west goes by the endearing name of "Holy Terror."

"THE WHOLE WORLD KIN."

The honors attending the funeral of the American sailor boy in Copenhagen the other day exemplified most pathetically the "touch of nature that makes the whole world kin." The significant thing about it was the instinctive democracy that prompted this action. Such attentions would have been a matter of course had it been an officer who died. But it was only a humble naval apprentice on the Kearsarge—one of the clean and wholesome looking "Jackies" such as daily pass on our streets as admirable types of American youth. Yet the consular representatives of foreign governments united in paying respect to his memory, and the wife of Copenhagen's mayor walked a mile and a half to lay a wreath on the boy's grave in sympathy for the bereaved mother far across the seas. Such an incident reminds us that, in our relations to our fellows, the fact of our common humanity is the main thing, after all. —Boston Herald.

NEGRO AND MEXICAN FIGHT

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, August 20.—In a difficulty on Red Oak creek, six miles from Waxahachie, this morning between a negro and a Mexican the latter was shot and mortally wounded. The particulars of the trouble are not obtainable. The sheriff and county attorney have gone to the scene of the trouble to make an investigation.

THE SHAMROCK WITHDRAWS

NEW YORK, August 20, 3:50 p. m.—The Shamrock III. withdraws from the race.

2:45 p. m., Marconigram—Reliance two miles from the mark and is now increasing the lead. The race is a drifting match.

2.47 p. m.—The Shamrock has scarcely moved the last hour. The Reliance is slowly forging ahead. The Reliance has been carrying a large balloon jib topsail the last three-quarters of an hour.

3:12 p. m. Marconi)—Both yachts got in a light west wind and headed straight for the mark. The Reliance is nearing the mark, leading by two miles.

NOT VERY ENTHUSIASTIC

LONDON, August 20.—Plenty of good will is evinced here for Sir Thomas Lipton and his yacht in the series of races for the America's cup, but faith in the success of the Shamrock III. is notably lacking.

"She has a better chance than previous challengers," marks the limits of the forecast even by the challenger's warmest admirers. No betting on the result is discoverable here.

NEWS FROM AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Texas, August 20.—General Fred Grant and staff arrived from Fort Sam Houston at 10 o'clock this morning. The party was met at the depot by a committee of citizens and soldiers and a welcome extended.

General Grant and staff, accompanied by General Hulen and Captain Dapray, drove to the capitol, paid their respects to the governor and then the entire party drove to Camp Mabry, where the day was spent.

General Grant reviewed the troops in the evening and spoke highly of their soldierly appearance and movements.

Charters were issued as follows:

The Houston Driving Club of Houston; capital stock, $5,000. Incorporators, Frank Stewart, P. W. Hudson, G. W. Tharp and A. Stetzig.

The Gulf Cigar Company of Beaumont; capital stock, $5,000. Incorporators, W. H. Quaw, G. R. Wilson and Wilfred Pale.

WHY VEST NEVER SPOKE

Missouri Senator Tells Why He Did Not Know Conkling

(Senator Vest in Saturday Evening Post.)

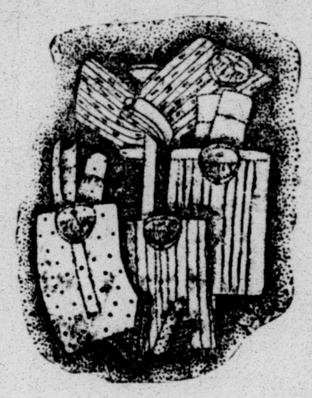
As I was returning to my seat from the clerk's desk, where I had taken the oath, my colleague, General Cockrell, introduced me to Senator Conkling, but we never spoke to each other afterward. Although he was made chairman of the committee on commerce in 1881, when the republicans obtained control of the senate, and I was a member of that committee, our intercourse at the only meeting of the committee at which he presided was limited to my addressing him as Mr. Chairman and his reogntion of me as the senator from Missouri. There was never any antagonism between us except general disagreements on political questions, but an incident occurred on the day after I entered the senate which fixed my relations with Senator Conkling.

On the morning of the second day's session of the senate Senator Jonas of Louisiana and myself were sitting in the democratic cloakroom listening to Senator John S. Williams of Kentucky, known in that state as "Cerro Gordo" Williams, who was relating to us some of his war experiences, when Senator Conkling entered on his way to the senate chamber. On seeing him, Senator Williams, who was a typical Kentucky gentleman of the old school, and who had been introduced to Conkling the day before, said, "Good morning, Senator Conkling," at the same time extending his hand. Instead of accepting the hand or making any reply, Conkling slightly inclined his head and, waving aside the hand of Williams, strode into the senate, leaving all of us in a state of profound astonishment. Williams gazed after him with a look of puzzled amazement and said to me, "What is the meaning of that? Do you suppose that man intended to insult me?" I replied that it was possibly the ordinary senatorial courtesy to treat new senators in that fashion, but I could furnish him no other information. Having known General Williams from my boyhood as one of the kindest and most courteous gentlemen in all my acquaintance, I felt indignant at the treatment received by him from Conkling and determined that I would not subject myself to any similar indignity by making any advances toward the New York senator.

THE SQUADRON ARRIVES

CONSTANTINOPLE, August 20.—The Russian squadron arrived off Iniada, on the eastern coast of European Turkey, yesterday afternoon.

New Negligee Shirts



A new assortment of the prettiest patterns of the season just opened. Dainty figure designs are here in all sizes. Plain, tucked and plaited bosoms, with and without cuffs—

Prices

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A splendid variety of Shirts at.....$1.00

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MORE SUMMER RESORT WEATHER FOR STAY-HOMES

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

7 a. m.	70	11 a. m.	84
8 a. m.	74	12 m.	86
9 a. m.	79	1 p. m.	88
10 a. m.	81	2 p. m.	90

COTTON REGION BULLETIN

The weather continued generally clear in the cotton region west of the Mississippi river yesterday, but east of the and including the lower valley section, the rainfall was heavy. Excessive precipitation, viz: Montgomery, Ala., 3.22; Wilmington, N. C., 3.04; Yemasse, S. C., 3.74 inches.

More summer resort weather greeted Fort Worth last night and this morning. The thermometer was again in the sixties during the night. By 7 a. m. it got up to 70 and the weather continued pleasant throughout the morning, a delightful breeze aiding and abetting the temperature in keeping cool.

But at 2 o'clock this afternoon Mercury rounded the 90 at an eight-knot pace with jib topsail in stops and spinnaker drawing nicely, although luffing slightly at the latter mark. At 2:13 Mercury had rounded 90 and was spinning toward 100, with the chances against her reaching that mark inside the time limit.

Forgetting the yacht race for a while this morning, Forecaster Reeder issued the following with regard to the weather:

Forecast until 8 p. m. Friday for Fort Worth and vicinity: Tonight and Friday, fair weather. No important change in temperature.

For Texas east of the 100th medirian. (Issued at New Orleans): North—Tonight and Friday, fair; warmer tonight in extreme west portion. South—Tonight and Friday, fair.

An early autumn type of weather prevails this morning throughout the greater portion of the country, with clear skies, cool to pleasant temperature from the Rocky Mountains to the upper lakes and from the Mississippi Valley to the Rio Grande. The exception is in the extreme upper portion of the Northwest, where there is a marked storm development, and in the east gulf states, where the conditions are under the influence of the gulf disturbance, which has resulted in very heavy rains in Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi.

The weather in the western cotton region is clear, the day temperatures were warm, but the night temperatures were a little too cool in the west portion of the Texas belt, falling to about 60 degrees at many stations.

WASHINGTON FORECAST

Akransas, Oklahoma and Indian Territories—Tonight and Friday, fair.

East Texas, North—Tonight and Friday, fair; warmer tonight in extreme west portion.

East Texas, South—Tonight and Friday, fair, light to fresh northerly winds on coast.

West Texas, North—Tonight and Friday, showers; warmer tonight.

West Texas, South—Tonight and Friday, fair in east portion, showers in west portion; warmer tonight in west portion.

PERSONALS.

H. D. Hardeman left today for Currens, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petch are spending several weeks in San Antonio.

John Bartell has returned from Portland, Maine.

Mrs. Irene Terrell is quite ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Gray will attend the Horse Show at Dublin beginning August 25.

Mrs. J. B. Goodins with her boys, left today for Chicago.

Many friends have heard from Mr. and Mrs. Glen Walker from Yokahama and they will return to Fort Worth October 1.

Joe Lee has returned from Kansas City.

Bomar Sweeney, of Louisville, Ky., is visiting his uncle, D. T. Bomar on Adams street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Galbreath will move into Mrs. W. A. Adams home, corner Fifth and Lamar, October 1.

Mrs. John Burnsides left yesterday afternoon for Parkersburg, West Virginia, where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. James Moore of Galveston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. R. Thompson.

F. T. Crittenden has returned from New York.

Miss Anne Cate is visiting friends in Little Rock, Ark.

Mrs. Clara Smith of Houston is the guest of Mrs. W. R. Thompson.

Joe Collins is spending several days at Dr. Field's ranch.

A. D. Smith has returned to his home in Paris, Texas, after a few days' visit here.

Mrs. H. F. Walker has returned from Marlin.

W. V. Camp has gone to Eureka Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hutchinson will leave this week for Colorado.

Mrs. T. A. Franklin of Houston are visiting Mrs. W. R. Thompson.

Miss Bessie McMichael left last night for a trip to Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Eagan and family have moved into their new home, 900 Munroe street.

Rev. Luther Little has gone to Minneapolis for a several weeks' vacation.

W. V. Galbreath is in St. Louis.

John P. King has gone to San Antonio on business.

Mrs. S. D. Crowley and Miss Clara Crowley will leave September 1 for Mineral Wells.

Mrs. W. R. Howard has returned from a short visit to Graham.

Miss Annette McRinsallaer of Dallas is the guest of Mrs. E. C. Hoadley.

Mrs. Clark Smith of Houston, after several days visit here, left last night for Denver.

Mrs. T. A. Franklin who has been the guest of Mrs. Wm. R. Thompson for several days left last night for Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCain are happy over the arrival of a fine big baby boy.

Miss Ida Crowley who is visiting in Temple is expected home the last of this week.

Mrs. Jocelyn, nee Miss Pattie Burbridge of Denver, formerly of Fort Worth, has a fine baby girl.

Mrs. Earl Parks entertained the Better Halves Tuesday night.

C. M. Wright is building a fine two story frame house 2421 Adams street to be occupied October 1st by Mrs. Ellingwood.

I. G. Thompson has returned from a trip to Missouri.

The Misses Farrar have returned to Irenes after a visit here.

Mrs. C. W. Childress has returned from Manttou, Colorado.

J. A. Hovencamp of Keller is in the city.

W. B. Sloane and Mrs. J. M. Sloane of Nashville, Tenn., are in the city.

C. H. Curry of New Bloomfield, Mo., is in the city.

B. E. Curry of New Bloomfield, Mo., is in the city.

W. H. Hill of Stoney, is in the city.

W. P. Boggs of Keller is in the city.

Eugene Mills of Stoney is in the city.

T. J. Gorge of White Settlement is in the city.

W. R. Skyles and wife of Dallas are in the city.

S. R. Howe of Wheeler street is in Dallas.

B. F. Lassiter of Benbrook is in the city.

J. H. Maddox, chief of the city fire department is still in Mineral Wells.

D. C. Russell, member of the twenty-eighth legislature from Texarkana, is in the city.

Miss Ella Ray of Dublin was in the city yesterday.

Clifford Johnson, who has been visiting in the city left for his home in Gainesville yesterday.

Miss Lea Young of North Florence street is visiting friends in Cleburne.

Capt. G. R. West is in New Mexico purchasing horses.

Miss Nadine Spoonts returned yesterday from New Orleans.

Rev. J. F. Boeye of St. Paul's Methodist church has returned from St. Paul, Minn., and other northern cities.

Miss Bonnie Belle O'Farrell of Gainesville is visiting Mrs. Bennett of Henrietta street.

Mrs. Ira Hayes of Crowley spent yesterday in the city.

W. A. Hutsell of Grapevine is in thecity.

G. R. Mitchell of Circle, Texas, is in the city.

W. B. Kitchens of Birdville is in the city.

J. F. Driggers and wife of Chickasha, I. T., is in the city.

C. W. Hoover of Nebraska, Wisconsin, is visiting her son, J. H. Hoover at 210 Pecan street.

Miss Seba Johnson gave a watermelon party at her home, 804 South Rusk street.

Mr. J. C. Greggors of Chickasha, I. T. is in the city.

K. A. Ross of Alvarado is in the city.

Miss Dollie Carter of Arlington is visiting Professor Webb of Anna street.

I. N. Wells of Stony is in the city.

NEBRASKA FIELD TRIALS

O'NEILL, Neb., August 20.—Several hundred dogs, the product of years of careful breeding and training, are taking part in the second annual trials of the Nebraska Field Trials association, which began today on the preserves near here. Among the entries are well known dogs from Tennessee, Kentucky, Indiana and Minnesota and a number belonging to the estate of the late Pierre Lorillard. The program provides for a derby and all-age stake and purses aggregating several thousand dollars will be divided among the winners.

HOGG AT BEAUMONT

BEAUMONT, Texas, August 19.—Governor Hogg arrived this morning and will remain a week on private business. He says he has not given up the idea of a farmers' union and the matter will be undertaken at the proper time.

HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL SPECIAL RATES

From August 17 to 25 we will sell round trip tickets to Austin, account state encampment, for $6.45.

On August 22 and 23 we will sell round trip tickets to Austin, account state encampment, for $4, limited to return 25th.

We are still selling cheap round-trip tickets to the following states—namely: Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky, Georgia, North and South Carolina and Virginia.

For further information call on or address,

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Hotel Worth. Phone 488.

"FALSTAFF"

the celebrated beer made by Lemp's in St. Louis, is for sale in Fort Worth at $1.25 per dozen pints, delivered to your homes.

Full quart Green River Whisky, $1; gallon of pure Claret, $1; gallon of choice Sweet Wine, $2; Duffy's Pure Malt, $1 per bottle. Telephone 342.

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HAVE YOUR SUITS CLEANED AT Gaston Bros., 906 Houston street.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—A bargain. Horse and buggy. Buggy practically new. $75.00. 811 W. Daggett avenue.

FOR RENT—To two nice young men, down stairs furnished room in my residence, corner Seventh and Cherry streets. Two beds, bath privileges, $15 per month. Apply to Jno. M. Parker, Parker's Drug tSore.

We Have the BULK OF THE SODA BUSINESS!

But that does not satisfy us. We want it all, and we would have it if you would only come once. We have only served 70,000 drinks so far this season, and we think that too little for a good place like this.

R. A. Anderson

712 Main Street. Open All Night.

IN THIS STORE ...QUALITY... STANDS FIRST.

HONORE PALMER IS MARRIED

Prominent Chicago Man Goes to London for His Bride, Ceremony at Noon

LONDON, August 20.—The wedding of Miss Grace Greenway Brown of Baltimore and Mr. Honore Palmer of Chicago took place today in St. George's church, Hanover Square. The ceremony was performed at noon in the presence of only the relatives and a few intimate friends of the two families. The honeymoon will be spent on the continent.

CHICAGO, Ill., August 20.—The announcement some time ago of the engagement of Honore Palmer, son of the late Potter Palmer, to Miss Grace Greenway Brown of Baltimore came as a surprise to the people of Chicago, among whom Mr. Palmer was regarded as something of a confirmed bachelor, whose interest in public affairs occupied his time and attention to the exclusion of affairs of the heart. Honore Palmer, with his brother, Potter Palmer, Jr., is heir to an estate estimated to be worth upwards of thirty millions. At the promptings of his mother, it is said, he entered the field of politics a few years ago and was recently elected alderman of Chicago for the second time. He takes an active interest in public affairs, and is also said to possess all his late father's shrewdness and business acumen.

Miss Grace Brown, the bride of today, is a daughter of the late George Brown of Baltimore. While the Brown family has been one of the greatest prominence in Maryland, it has never been considered a wealthy family. The bride's father was renowned as one of the finest specimens of the real "country gentlemen" to be found anywhere in the country, and his estate of 1,700 acres in the Green Spring Valley was the scene of lavish hospitality.

Mrs. Palmer, the bride, is not an exceptionally beautiful girl, but is petite and graceful, with a bright, interesting face, and a cheerfulness that is as contagious as it is natural. She is highly educated, a gifted linguist, a musician of marked ability and a horsewoman of absolute intrepidity.

BLAKE'S BANK SOON TO OPEN

It Is to Be the State National National, and John H. Reagan Will Be a Director

DALLAS, Texas, August 20.—J. W. Blake, the Sherman banker, completed arrangements to establish the State National Bank here. The capital stock will be $250,000. Judge John H. Reagan will be a member of the board of directors. Several other prominent men will remove to Dallas on account of the new bank. A big success for Mr. Blake's venture is generally predicted. Mr. Blake will be president.

NORTH SIDE AND ROSEN HEIGHTS

The merchants and people who are directly interested in the condition of Main street between Central avenue and Fourteenth street on the North Side are anxious for the city to take some action or make some provision for widening and grading between these two blocks. Near fourteenth street there are large deep ditches on both sides of the street making it almost impossible for people to get their vehicles near the curbing of the sidewalks. Between the same blocks there is four to six feet excess sidewalk which the merchants say should be cut down and used in raising and grading the street. If these sidewalks were cut down the dirt could be used to advantage on the street and this would save the city half the cost of hauling dirt and gravel for this purpose. The street at present is barely wide enough for the passing of two vehicles and when the street car tracks are built according to the city engineer's grades there will virtually be no street, as the tracks will cover almost the entire right-of-way. Main street is at present used for almost all traffic from Fort Worth to the packing house district and this street should be kept in good condition for heavy public travel.

The grocery firm of Kirby & Wasser on Main street, has dissolved partnership, Mr. Kirby buying Mr. Wasser's interest in the business which will in the future be conducted in his name.

The new Skipper building has been completed and turned over to the Nash hardware company. A stock of furniture is being placed in the building today and the new company will be ready for business the latter part of this week.

The Woodmen of the World will meet this evening in their hall in the Frazuer building.

IN THE COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, August 20.—The cotton market opened firm at a decline of a point on August to an advance of 6 points. Gains were on higher cables and continued rains in the western belt. There was, in fact, little demand from any source after initial covering, and the market, shortly after call, eased off a little.

The blooded horse of Alderman B. F. Waggoman of West Weatherford street, created consderable excitement last evening at 7:30 by dashing up Weatherford street at a break-neck speed hitched to a light run-a-bout that was unoccupied. Fortunately the frightened animal was stopped without injury whatever to the horse or vehicle.

LORD SALISBURY'S CONDITION

LONDON, August 20.—The condition of Lord Salisbury this afternoon is regarded as being critical. The most serious element of his illness is nervous prostration, which on several occasions has been acute.

HE WAS CLOSE TO DEATH

Man Standing Between Two Horses When One Was Killed by Lightning

News was brought to the city today of a prank played by the lightning during an electrical storm near the city last Monday evening. E. K. Ray was standing between a team of horses in a pasture on a farm just outside Fort Worth when a bolt of lightning struck one of the horses and killed it instantly. Mr. Ray and the other horse were left unhurt.

SPECIAL RATES VIA THE M., K. AND T. RAILWAY

$6.45 to Austin and return, account state encampment Texas National Guard. Tickets on sale August 17 to 25, with final limit for return August 27.

$4.00 to Austin and return, account special rates for state encampment. Tickets on sale August 22 and 23, final limit for return August 25.

$1.00 to Waco and return, account special excursion. Tickets on sale for train No. 8, leaving 8:30 a. m. August 18, limited for return on special train leaving Waco 7 p. m. August 18.

$3.55 to Waco and return, account annual celebration Order of Eagles. Tickets on sale for train No. 3, leaving Fort Worth 8:30 a. m., limited to August 20 for return.

$2.95 to Hillsboro and return, account B. Y. P. U. convention. Tickets on sale August 17 and 18, final limit for return, August 25.

T. T. McDONALD,
City Ticket Agent.

OF HISTRIC FAMILY.

NEW YORK, August 20.—Mrs. Carolina Lucilla Horton, widow of Capt. Stephen Decatur Horton, and one of the few original daughters of the revolution is dead at her home on City Island. Her father, Captain Skidmore, fought in the continental army.