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59TH CONGRESS WILL BE BUSY

Unusual Amount of Work Anticipated Coming Session

WEEK'S FORECAST

Many Events of Interest Will Come Up From Different Sections of Country

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The large number and great importance of the matters slated for consideration or action will combine to attract far more than the ordinary amount of attention to the last session of the Fifty-ninth congress, which convenes next Monday. It has been the usual custom in the past for the short session to confine its attention to the money budgets and to those matters left unfinished by the long session. But it is believed that a precedent in the opposite direction will be established by the coming session. There appears to be a disposition among the members of both branches to dispose of some of the great pronational problems demanding action. Spurred on by the President, it is probable that the legislators will be more industrious during the ensuing three months than they have ever been before, excepting in war time. Monday and Tuesday will be taken up with the President's message and the transaction of the usual preliminary business. By Wednesday at the latest the members will have their coats off and be ready for the serious work that is before them.

Thaw Trial May Be Deferred

It looks now as tho the Thaw trial in New York to begin next Monday will be deferred until a later date. The delay will not be longer than a few days, however, as it is evidently the desire of both the prosecution and the defense to have the famous case out of the way if possible by the New Year.

A number of important cases are on the docket of the United States supreme court, which will reassemble on Monday after the Thanksgiving recess, just ended.

The meeting of the American Public Health Association will be held in the City of Mexico, beginning its sessions Monday, and will be attended by eminent medical men and health officials of the United States, Canada and Mexico.

An interstate convention for the discussion of the question of the popular election of United States senators will assemble in Des Moines next Wednesday. Delegates will be in attendance from nearly all the states of the union.

Drainage Conference

Another gathering of wide interest will be the national drainage conference, to be held in Oklahoma City the latter part of the week. This conference has been organized by the governor of Oklahoma and the purpose is to take up the subject of drainage, looking to better roads and improved irrection services. The national rivers and harbors congress, organized here st January, will open its second convention next Thursday. The chief purpose is to demonstrate to congress that a sentiment has arisen in favor of increased regular river and harbor appropriations.

STORK OVEREATS: DIES

Grew Lazy and Overeating Results Fatally

Special to The Telegram.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 1.—One of the storks imported by Mayor Beall of Alton died yesterday from lack of exercise and overeating.

Once upon a time a thoughtful mayor who loved his people and wanted to see his town on the bluff drunky to wondrous size imported two storks from Germany, that the storks will light, as tradition says, bring happiness and chubbiness to the household.

"How glad I'm not a turkey," said the slothful of the two storks. "I would be killed and eaten if I were a turkey. I have a good home and I will not do my fabled duty. Why should I work?"

Thus did a stork for the first time in history lay down on the job and fail to make good.

Being glad he was not a turkey, the stork became a glutton and gorged himself and planned to gorge more Thanksgiving day.

The other stork was the wise old bird. It ate moderately, attended to business and earned the admiration and respect of the mayor.

Thanksgiving morn, when the indolent stork was just getting ready to give further thanks because it was not a turkey, it just turned over and died. Over-eating and idleness killed it.

Now the good stork lived to enjoy Thanksgiving dinner, is drawing pay both and has entree to the home the best families of the town.

FOOD SHOW BUILDING

Will Be Held in Dallas When Grocers Meet

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 1.—The work of erecting the temporary building, which is to be used for the pure food show to be conducted in Dallas during the meeting of the National Retail Grocers' Association, is expected to begin next Monday. The structure is to be erected on the vacant lot on Commerce street, facing Field street, and will cost about $2,000. The building is a temporary structure and will be 120 feet on Commerce street and feet on Jackson street. The structure, Oregon, will be of wood and a special permit for the erection of this wooden building in the fire limits was granted by the city council some time ago.

RUNNING TO TEAGUE

Progress of Trinity & Brazos Valley Road Reported

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Dec. 1.—William H. Teague a prominent business man of Mexia, was here yesterday on business with the controller's department. He says that the Trinity & Brazos Valley railway is now running trains out of Mexia as far south as Teague, a distance of fourteen miles, but as soon as the road was properly ballasted trains would be running all the way into Houston. Construction trains are now running thru, but not passenger service.

FORMER TEXAS GIRL'S CRIME STILL A MYSTERY



Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. — Detectives, newspaper men and relatives have sought wide but vainly to learn the motive that placed murder in the heart of Mrs. Elizabeth Goodman Delaney.

She was young and beautiful. Her husband, James Hatfield Delaney, was a rich business man. Their domestic life was apparently without a ripple of discord. At a La Salle avenue apartment house, where they lived, their neighbors had never seen or heard anything suggestive of trouble.

Yet Mrs. Delaney shot her husband twice, killing him and then placing the revolver barrel in her mouth, sent a bullet in her own brain.

Occupants of other rooms heard the shots, but supposed the sounds came from the steam pipes and paid no attention to them. The tragedy was not discovered until Friday afternoon, when the death-like stillness in the rooms led the servants to break down the door.

Delaney, stark and cold, was stretched on the bed. His wife's body, still warm, was on the floor, her knees drawn up as tho she had shot herself while in the attitude of prayer. The bottom of the kimono she wore over her nightgown was blood stained. Her disheveled hair was soaked in blood. The bedclothing was neatly disarranged. The police theory was that she had shot her husband while he slept. Then she spent hours in the room, much of the time covering the body with a sheet to hide it from view and at intervals turning aside the coverlet and kissing the face of her husband. It was in this way the police accounted for the blood in her hair. The bullet that killed Delaney was fired into the back of his head, which with the pillow were bathed in blood.

Mrs. Delaney was the daughter of a Texas family. In 1897 she married Marcus Goodman at San Jose, Cal., and she secured a divorce in 1899. Then she married Delaney.

There was found in the room a clipping from an article containing these words: "Work is the bane of civilization. Only barbarians enjoy life." On the bureau there was found also this poem:

Why I Love You

I've sometimes thought it was your eyes,
Sometimes your voice,
Bade my indifferent heart arise
And make its choice.
I've counted over all your ways,
My sweet—my mate,
And wondered which the separate grace
That holds my fate.
Vain task—I love you, dearest one,
For all you are.
The charm of heaven hangs not upon
A single star.

CLOTHING MEN BLUFF THE TRUST

Threaten to Buy Woolen Goods Elsewhere

Special to The Telegram.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 1.—A committee of prominent clothing manufacturers, representing the Cincinnati Clothing Manufacturers' Association will leave for New York Monday to meet with a committee of the National Clothing Manufacturers' Association for the purpose of protesting against the alleged unfair treatment at the hands of the American Woolen Company, commonly known as the "wool trust." The complaint is made that the trust has been selling the manufacturers an inferior grade of cloth, causing much dissatisfaction among the trade and entailing heavy losses on the manufacturers.

All efforts of individuals to secure redress have been met with the indifferent reply by the trust that they should have known what they were buying. The New York meeting may result in the National Clothing Manufacturers' Association taking steps to secure their supply of raw material from another source.

TRIAL OF FAKE SOLDIER

William Voights Accused of Stealing Thousands

Special to The Telegram.

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—The trial of William Voigts, the shoemaker, who attired in a stolen officer's uniform, commanded the soldiers to follow him, captured the mayor and other officials of Koepnick and is accused of stealing thousands of dollars, began today.

NEGRO WILL HANG

Special to The Telegram.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 1.—William Johnson, the negro who, it is believed, committed the last of a series of assaults on white women, which wrought the people of this city and surrounding country into such a frenzy and brought about an outbreak against negroes a few weeks ago, was today found guilty of an assault on Mrs. Hembree and Mrs. Camp. Johnson was at once sentenced to be hanged on Jan. 4. Under the law Johnson could have been hanged sooner than this, but Judge Rowan did not wish the gruesome event to take place during the holidays.

REV. W. F. PACKARD CLEAR AT TYLER

Conference Committee Reports No Grounds for Trial

Special to The Telegram.

TYLER, Texas, Dec. 1.—Without doubt the sixty-seventh session of the East Texas conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, will be the greatest in the history of the state, fully 300 delegates being present. Bishop Morrison has maintained strict order from the first day's session and aside from occasional applause no real excitement has been presented.

Today has been perhaps the busiest day of the conference. Tyler people turned out today, this being the day appointed for the reports of committees on the Rev. W. F. Packard matter. Bishop Morrison called for the committee, which reported ready. A thoro investigation of the charges had been made and the committee could not find any charges which would demand a trial. The committee was discharged and Dr. Packard stands clear.

Rev. I. Z. T. Morris of Fort Worth led the devotional exercises of the morning session. On the question, "Are All the Preachers Blameless in Their Lives?" a large list of names were called and all passed favorably. The conference adjourned for the day's session. Bishop Morrison announced the appointments would not be read before Monday night. Sunday every church in the city will be presided over by Methodist ministers. Monday perhaps the only trial of the conference will be held, this being the closing day of the conference and naturally an exciting one because of the appointments.

MUST KEEP DOORS OPEN

Southern Pacific Road Violated the Law

Special to The Telegram.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—At the instance of Victor H. Metcalfe, secretary of commerce and labor, Supervising Inspector General George Uhler of Washington has instructed Captain John Bermingbaum, supervising inspector at this port, to bring Captain William Wright of the Southern Pacific train ferry boat Solona, to immediate trial for violating the law, which requires that the vestibules of all Pullman cars to be kept open while crossing waters. The Solano plies between Port Coasta and Benicia. Secretary Metcalfe observed the violation of the law while in a Pullman crossing the Carquines Straits on the Solano recently.

COTTON BELT TRAIN ROBBED

Daring Thieves Loot Express Car Near Redwater

MESSENGER DEAD

Knocked Unconscious and Is Thrown From Car—All Valuables Stolen

Special to The Telegram.

PARIS, Texas, Dec. 1.—A Cotton Belt passenger train was successfully robbed at 8 o'clock tonight, one-half mile east of Redwater, Texas. The robbery was one of the boldest in the annals of this section.

As the train was pulling out of the little town, shortly after dusk, the robbers leaped into the express car. Taken by surprise, but not suspecting for an instant the purpose of the men, Messenger Griffith attempted to advise them that they were in the wrong car.

Messenger Wounded

One of the robbers dealt him a terrible blow over the head and then pitched his prostrate body out of the open door. The other members of the train crew were not aware of the robbers' presence and of the trouble in the express car. The safe was blown open and ransacked. The car was searched for valuables.

Trains Ran Slowly

The Cotton Belt track is very bad in places in this portion of the state and the trains are forced to run slow in places. When one of these bad places near Ino was reached the robbers left the train and escaped to the woods.

The robbery was not discovered until the Cotton Belt train drew up in Texarkana. The express car was empty and the floor strewn with papers and the valueless contents of the safe. In the meantime the bleeding body of Griffith had been discovered on the Cotton Belt right of way by persons from Redwater.

The alarm was given. Officers from Redwater started in pursuit of the men. A posse was organized in Texarkana and is now after the robbers.

In Sulphur Creek Bottom

The scene of the robbery is in the wildest part of North Texas and is not many miles from the bottoms of Sulphur creek and from the swamps of Louisiana.

At 10 o'clock tonight it is reported that Messenger Griffith is dead as a result of his wounds. Express men stated they are unable to estimate the loss. They admit that every article or package of value in the car was taken.

The total booty will reach into the thousands.

EMBEZZLED $68,000

Attempted to Commit Suicide Recently

Special to The Telegram.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 1.—J. E. Hutchinson, former second vice president of the Delta Cotton Company of this city, today was arrested charged with embezzlement of $68,000. Several weeks ago Hutchinson attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a razor, but recovered and warwants were served today.

RELEASED ON BAIL

Habeas Corpus Proceedings at Decatur, Texas

Special to The Telegram.

DECATUR, Texas, Dec. 1.—Foster Lillard, the hardware merchant who was accused of the murder of Buster McGuire, on Sept. 21, thru habeas corpus proceedings, was admitted to bail in the sum of $10,000.

STATE WILL RUN IN DEBT AGAIN

Unless Legislature Makes Provision for Deficiencies

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 1.—The forthcoming annual report of Comptroller Stephens will be out shirtly. The report will show that the comptroller estimates receipts from all sources for the next two years to be $7,157,900, and the estimate of expenses of running the state government for same two years will be $8,000,000. Consequently unless the legislature provides additional means for raising the revenue, the state will again be on a credit basis. The following significant language is used by Comptroller Stephens: "If the courts should declare chapter 141 (Love bill) invalid or if it should be kept in the courts for two or three years and the Thirtieth legislature makes appropriations to the amount estimated to be needed to run the government, a deficiency for the two years is inevitable, unless the tax rate is raised from 16 2-3 to 25 cents on $100 valuation or other methods employed to meet the demands.

FIEND, GIRL'S SLAYER IS STILL AT LARGE



Special to The Telegram.

DAYTON, O., Dec. 1.—The degenerate slayer of pretty 20-year-old Dona Gilman, who was strangled near her home at Arlington Heights last week, is still at large. In spite of big rewards offered by the county commissioners and citizens' organizations, no satisfactory clew has been found.

Miss Gilman, who was employed by the Dayton Cash Register Company, is supposed to have been waylaid by a fiend, while she was returning from her work on the evening of November 27. Marks on her throat and the torn condition of her clothing indicated that she had made a frantic struggle for life.

WILL OF PIONEER FILED IN PROBATE

The Late Sanford Man Came Here in the 50s

The last will and testament of Ralph Sandford Man, one of the pioneer residents of Tarrant county, who died on his homestead near Mansfield recently, was filed for probate Saturday and names E. D. T. Tims, J. T. Stephens and James Bradford as executors. The entire estate of deceased is left to three children, as follows:

To his son, Walter Boisseau Man, a one-half interest in the home farm of 100 acres, south of Mansfield.

To his daughter, H. Lillian Man, all lands of deceased lying on both sides of Walnut Creek, about seventy-seven acres, blocks 40 and 41, Mansfield, all household goods and a horse and buggy.

To his son, Edwin Norton Man, one-half interest in the home farm of 100 acres and lot 9, block 5, Mansfield.

An equal sum to each of the children named in $1,000 in the hands of the probate court of Charleston, S. C., coming to deceased from entailed property of his father.

All other property to be converted into cash and divided equally among the three children.

Ralph Sanford Man settled near where he died in the early '50s and about the same time the head of the Feild family settled in the same section. It was never known certainly which got there first, Man or Field, and when years after a name was wanted for the neighborhood it was the wish that it should be called for the oldest settler. Whether that settler was Man or Field could not be settled, and as a compromise the town was called Mansfield in honor of both, and it is Mansfield today.

GEN. BOOTH DENIES

Declares Rumors of Graft in Salvation Army Are Untrue

Special to The Telegram.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—General Booth of the Salvation Army is indignant regarding the charges emanating from the United States that out of the large sums collected for the army one-third goes to Booth in England, one-third to the American management and only a third after the administrative expenses are paid is actually distributed for charity. General Booth said:

"No money raised for the army in America reaches England directly or indirectly and only the expenses are paid. In cases of self-denial and missionary collections a certain small percentage is devoted to general work, such as that going on in India and elsewhere, but the amounts thus received hitherto from the United States are so meager that I am ashamed to mention them.

"It is impossible in a vast organization like ours to issue detailed statements, but our books are open to inspection by any authorized person. The same facilities demanedd by the army in the United States are undoubtedly afforded in England."

RAIN AT EL PASO

Five Times As Heavy As Preceding Novembers

Special to The Telegram.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 1.—The rainfall in El Paso for November was five and a half inches, five times heavier than any past November rainfall in history.

GLIDDEN SNOW-BOUND

Noted Automobile Man Is in New Mexico

Special to The Telegram.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 1.—J. G. Glidden, the noted automobile man of New York, who is traveling across the country to Mexico with his wife in a railroad auto, is snowbound at Santa Rosa, N. M.

OLD SOLDIERS WANT CANTEEN

Petition Will Be Presented to Congress

Special to The Telegram.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 1.—The Spanish War Veterans of this city are entering vigorously into the fight which will be made before congress for the restoration of the army canteen. The ex-soldiers here are almost all heartily in favor of the canteen as it formerly existed. A monster petition signed by ex-soldiers will be presented to congress. The petition here is being circulated by R. G. Callahan, commander of the Spanish War Veterans of this state, with the rank of general. The petition says:

"We the undersigned have all served in the army of the United States, most of us during the Spanish war. We know the life of a soldier, his needs and his desires, and are able to speak from experience. As long as the canteen at the army posts provided soldiers with beer and light wine of good quality, in moderate quantities and in decent surroundings, most of them were satisfied. They remained at the post, were sober and well behaved and did their duty cheerfully. Since the abolition of the canteen they gratify their thirst in low groggeries and dives in the neighborhood of the post and as a consequence their moral and physical health suffers as much as discipline and good service. The large majority of the officers hold the same view and many of them have expressed it in their reports. Theories on paper and experiences in practical life do not always harmonize. We do not believe in legislation for the sake of theories, but prefer legislation for the sake of men. The canteen was practically a temperance measure and we earnestly request its restoration."

SUES FOR DIVORCE

Wife of Wealthy Young San Antonion Brings Action

Special to The Telegram.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 1.—Mrs. Marya Ebers, wife of Paul Ebers, one of the wealthiest young men of San Antonio, has instituted suit for divorce. The couple were married May 20, 1905. She alleges cruel treatment and abandonment. One specific allegation is that he told her he preferred restaurant cooking to her's, and that he refused to congratulate her on the occasion of her birthday. Mrs. Ebers alleges that her husband is possessed of property valued at $75,000 and that his income is $10,000 per year. She asks $200 per month as alimony.

CANVASS COMPLETED

El Paso Y. M. C. A. Has Raised the Sum of $105,000

Special to The Telegram.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 1.—This afternoon completed the local Y. M. C. A. canvass with a total of $105,000 raised. Whistles blew and fire bells rang to announce it.

INCREASE OF WAGES

Special to The Telegram.

CINCINNATI., Ohio, Dec. 1.—Nearly two thousand union painters of this city have just been granted an increase in wages of 2½ cents an hour. This news comes on the heels of the many reports of increased wages for railroad employes and is the good tidings for the laboring element. The advance takes effect Jan. 1. At the present time the union painters receive 37½ cents an hour. They asked for 45 cents an hour, but after a conference with employers agreed to take an increase of 2½ cents, making their wages 40 cents an hour.

COTTON MONTH LATE ON ROAD

Remarkable Evidence Offered Railroad Commission

3,000 CARS HELD

Investigation at Galveston Reveals Extent of Congestion Affecting Railroads

Special to The Telegram.

GALVESTON, Texas, Dec. 1.—The Texas railway commissioners, Chairman Storey, Commissioner Colquitt and Commissioner Mayfield, arrived in Galveston at 8 o'clock a. m. today, on an investigating tour relative to cotton congestion. They were met at the depot by a committee appointed by the Cotton Exchange. In carriages the commissioners were driven along the wharves and railroads yards, making a close inspection of existing conditions.

At 2 p. m. an informal meeting was held in the Cotton Exchange building, where railway and steamship interests of the port met the commissioners for a general discussion. President Kolpner of the exchange presided. Every steamship line and every railroad entering this port was represented.

Chairman Storey, in a speech, refused to express his individual opinion, and explained that the commissioners were investigating conditions with a view to giving the best satisfaction, and moreover relief to all concerned. He said that he believed with the relief of Galveston matters would adjust themselves elsewhere over the state. He also said he had found conditions bad in Houston and a tour of the Galveston docks today revealed the fact that but little cotton was ready for shipment at the wharves, but was scattered over town.

Jene Moller spoke on behalf of the wharf company, stating that the railroads mixed cargoes in shipping, frequently for the reason that the more cotton packed in one car the more money earned for the load, all regardless of classification. When the cotton reaches Galveston, he said, there is much delay in collecting the small lots and loading again before being placed at the docks and loading on ship board. Mr. Moller said the cotton movement was not as heavy the past two months as at previous times, but that 3,000 cars were tied up here today, and more are coming every hour. He declared that the facilities at the docks for handling were ample, provided the cotton is shipped in the proper shape.

Cotton Delayed 32 Days

One steamship agent made the statement that cotton that had been shipped from Waco and Fort Worth thirty-two days ago had not reached Galveston up to this date. He produced proof to verify this statement. He also said the railroads have taken cotton to compresses in Central Texas and dumped it off half way to port and sent the cars back for more.

This latter statement caused considerable surprise among the commissioners. Representatives of the railroads present made no denial of the statement.

The commissioners have returned to Austin to thoroly discuss the matter before taking action.

It is believed they will recommend the receiving of cotton at the wharves in open cars, claiming the wharf terminal being really a railway system and liable to their ruling. Should the commission decide to make an order to let cotton enter on open cars there is fear a fight will be made in the city which would bring an injunction because of the danger of fire.

The developments of the next few days will be watched with interest, as the matter is of state-wide welfare. As the matter stands the railways accuse the wharf company and vice versa.

Relief must come very soon from somewhere. It is believed the visit of the commissioners here today will have a good effect.

COTTON MILL GROWING

Many Improvements Being Made at Waxahachie

Special to The Telegram.

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Dec. 1.—Some extensive improvements are just being completed at the cotton mill in this city. During the past summer an annex has been erected at a cost of several thousand dollars. The new building is about two hundred feet long by a hundred wide and is one-story high. It was constructed of red brick with cement stone trimmings. When completed this building will be used as the spinning department. The mill now has a capacity of 5,000 spindles and this many more will be installed this winter. The new machinery has been purchased and the first shipment was made from the factory this week. The mill already has two large warehouses and a new one will be erected before the opening of the next cotton season. A modern fire protection system is being installed. A reserve reservoir with a capacity of 100,000 is being constructed. Every department of the plant will be thoroly equipped with fire fighting apparatus so that in the event of a blaze originating it can be easily controlled.

More than thirty houses for operatives are owned by the mill and fifteen more will be erected this winter. The contract for the construction of eight of these has already been let. Work on them is now in progress.

The mill in Waxahachie is one of a few in the state that has been operated successfully and has paid a dividend to its stockholders. A. E. DuBose, a practical business man, is general manager and to his executive ability is due in a great measure the success of the enterprise.

JURY STILL OUT

Colonel Campbell Not Yet Determined on Appointments

Special to The Telegram.

PALESTINE, Texas, Dec. 1.—Colonel Campbell was seen by a representative of The Telegram today and in answer to an inquiry as to when he would give out his appointees said: "The jury is still out," and that he was not certain when he would give the same to the papers.

15c Plaid Gingham 12½c

Have been hard to get, especially such pretty patterns as we offer Monday, patterns that are as rich in their brilliant colorings as the finest silks.

Fay Stockings

We have just received a lot of Misses' and Children's Celebrated Fay Stockings, the kind that button at the waist; they come in light or medium weight, priced at 25c, 35c and ..... 39¢

W. C. Stripling
THE PRICE IS THE THING.

Outing Gowns

Warm, well made, of ample material, not skimped in any way, in pink or blue striped outing flannel of medium weight; yoke trimmed with featherstitch braid, 50c, 69c and ..... 89¢

$5 Silk Petticoats $3.98

Fifty in the lot, rich, beautiful colorings and delicate tints for street or evening shades, made with full plaited flounce and dust ruffle.

Three Great Sales in One Tomorrow

SILKS! SUITS! FURS!





EXTRA GOOD NEWS, THIS—Three great bargain events in one day. Three most wanted and seasonable articles. Sample Suits, Sample Furs, and bargains in Fancy Silks. We would like to have announced these sales any other day than Monday, to avoid the crowds, but the days are crowding onto Christmas so fast we could not wait, and holiday goods must be shown. Things do not wait in a big and fast growing store like this Stripling Store. It is this life, this activity that makes it the most interesting store in town to visit.

Peculiar Circumstances Make This a Great Suit Sale

Delayed deliveries are the cause of this great price cutting. Suits which were bought to be delivered a month ago have just arrived. If they had come two weeks ago most of them would have been sold. With these new arrivals on our hands, and our recent great purchases of fine tailored ladies' suits, we have lots of suits—too many even for this store, so we have resolved to cut the price of our higher priced and better grade of suits to prices quoted on our sample suits. True, the season is at its height and these are prices that you would hardly expect even in January or February, but we have resolved on one of the grandest mid-season suit sales that Fort Worth has ever known—from one of the largest stocks in Texas. Most unusual event even for this Stripling Store.

$4.98 for a $7.50 Suit

Well made, in fancy mixtures, in tight fitting backs and semi-fitted fronts; colors of the lighter sorts. These come in the Sample Suits, so there is only one suit of a kind.

$25.00 for a $35.00 Suit

In these lots mingle samples and new bought Suits from our very best styles—suits that you could not even duplicate at their former selling price. They include the finest broadcloths, trimmed with silk braids and velvets, lined with Skinner satin and taffeta silk.

$42.50 Suits at $32.50—Suits that if you compare them with higher priced suits elsewhere you would say they are good value at $42.50, but this sale cuts the values down, down, to this sample price **$32.50**

$12.50 for a $20.00 Suit

With these are a few regular $15.00 and $16.00 values from regular stock; well made, extremely stylish, in fancy mixtures, plaids, checks or fancy broadcloths; jackets trimmed on collar and down front with fancy braids; skirts full plaited.

Special

Odds and ends of Fancy and Plain Silks which sold as high as 50c the yard, will be placed on sale Monday at a special price to close ..... 19¢

Special

$1.00 Velvet Waistings in an excellent line of colorings, but in short lengths; many long enough for most any use; special price to close out the lot; per yard ..... 49¢

With Fur Prices Going Higher, These Furs Are Very Attractive

Tomorrow we offer you Sample Furs—Sample Furs at a third off means almost half price the way furs are advancing in the great fur markets. If you intend buying furs for your own use or for gift-giving, we would advise a purchase now in this sale, as the prices we quote now we may not be able to offer later on. It's a sale you will not find duplicated again.

CHILDREN'S COATS—No store carries better assortments at popular prices than this Stripling Store. Bearcloths—so popular—are here in plentiful assortment; all sizes. Plushes in their bright colorings. Plain Cloths here a-plenty, with wide range of colors, makes the choosing an easy matter.

Plain Cloth Coats, $1.00 to..... $10.00
Bearcloth Coats, $2.98 to..... $12.00
Infants' Coats, $1.25 to..... $6.98

$5.00 BLACK FUR PELERINE—A handsome, rich fur lined with satin, in full cape effect and braid medallions; eight pendant tails; Sample Sale price **$3.98**

$7.50 BROWN MARTEN with wide cape collar, long stole effect with six pendant tails and two on silken cords; cape satin lined; Sample price **$5.98**

$16.00—A HANDSOME HEAVY SABLE FOX BOA, extra long fur, the boa 2 yards long, trimmed with natural feet and tails; Sample price **$12.00**

$2.00 FUR BOA of long black Coney fur, full and fluffy, with six tails, cord and chain clasp, an excellent value; Sample price **$1.50**

$2.75 FUR BOA with wide stole, a remarkable good value, trimmed with braid medallions and six fur tails; sample price **$1.98**

$5.00 BROWN MARTEN BOA, a swell affair, ranks for style and looks with $6.50 and $7.50 values, trimmed with two heads and six tails; Sample price **$3.98**

CRAVANETTE COATS — For rain or shine. Women's favorite—really the proper garment for the southern climate. Every woman's wardrobe should have one; rain or shine, it is always looked upon as proper. Dust does not hurt it; water does not spot it; holds its color. Could you say as much for any other coat? Here you have choice of colors in tan, Oxford grays and black; price from $5.00 to **$35.00**

As these prices give you an idea of the money-saving on the lesser priced Furs, so it is with the higher grades. No matter what the grade, you'll find this sample sale remarkably interesting.

Union Suits

Children's Union Suits, full size, which you pay elsewhere 25c for, we offer you at **25¢**

Ladies' Fleece Knit Union Suits, extra well made and finished in ecru and white, we offer you in large assortment, priced from 19c to **$1.00**

Ladies Union Suits, knee length, in heavy or medium weight—a very flexible garment; a popular seller for ..... **50¢**

Misses' Union Suits, regular 25c quality, hand finished neck, in ecru color; special price, per garment ..... **19¢**

Rubens' Infants' Vests in wool or cotton, both light and medium weight; 39c to **75¢**

Specials

New Plaid Belts in pleasing variety, brilliant colorings make them very attractive; 25c to **$1.00**

Souvenir Pillow Tops—A suggestive present for the holidays; have American flag in the center and two public buildings in each corner. We have a sample to show how they are to be made up; they sell at..... **50¢**

Slumber Slippers—Made of fleece lined material; many sleep with them on; handy to slip on of cold mornings; at hosiery counter ..... **25¢**

987 Yards of 27-Inch Fancy Silks on Sale Monday at 29c Yard

Undoubtedly the greatest value-giving in 50c and 75c Silks ever known or given in this or any other store, here or elsewhere. It is a broad assertion, but we know it is so. That it will draw enormous crowds you well know. These Silks cannot be manufactured for the price we offer them. They include all colors, fancy figures and changeable effects.

Never before, even with its well-earned reputation for economy prices in silk sales, have you seen such values. This event will eclipse all previous efforts.

75c Crepe de Chine for 50c is one of the features of this great salk sale for tomorrow's selling. Comes in all the delicate tints for evening wear, such as helio, maize, rose, greens, creams or black..... **50¢**

$1.25 Yard Wide Taffeta 98c is one of the many silk bargains we offer; choice of colors can be selected from reds, blues, navy or cadet, greens in several tones, creams or white ..... **98¢**

$1.25 Peau de Soie Silk—A handsome quality, 36 inches wide, with a fine satin finish; special priced for this sale **$1.00**

75c Chiffon 49c—Fine French Chiffon Taffeta Silk, 19 inches wide, but of excellent quality, wide variety of colors; makes easy choosing, as it includes greens, blues, reds and all popular shades; special price **49¢**



$1.00 Black Taffeta 69c—This rare bargain is full yard wide, of a good black; seldom indeed do you get a silk like this for ..... **69¢**

$2.00 Chiffon Broadcloth $1.50—52 inches wide, of excellent high grade quality; colors in all the wanted shades; never sold for less than $2.00; special price Monday, yard **$1.50**

$1.00 Plaid Check Suitings, 75c—Never heard of better values at this price outside of Striplings. They come in navy blues, browns, greens and red mixtures, 52 inches wide, at ..... **75¢**

$1.25 Cravanette 98c—(Shower-proof cloth) for coats or skirts, full 50 inches wide, in grays, greens or tans; special price Monday ..... **98¢**

75c Granite Panamas, 50c—A fine brown or black; is in all colors; the goods we offer are 52 inches wide; the yard ..... **50¢**

38-inch Plaids 50c—In new wool novelties. Our good assortment of colors permits a choice from red, navy blues, greens and brown, at ..... **50¢**

Specials

THAT MEAN MONEY SAVED—Little prices on winter goods and finer cottons.

10c FLANNELETTES in bright and pretty patterns, not a poor color in the lot; special price ..... 7½¢

12½c FLANNELETTE in high-grade colorings and handsome patterns; special price ..... 10¢

10c Outing Flannel, genuine Amoskeag, full fleeced, of excellent quality; special price ..... 8 1-3¢

15c Outing Flannel, of extra heavy fleece, suitable for bath robes, jackets; special good value for.... 12½¢

Sateen for comforts, a superior quality, fine finish, in dainty colors, for ..... 15¢

Fascinators

No need to tell the story that has been told to every woman who ever wore one, that they are very becoming. She will tell you in return they are the handiest wrap ever worn for all occasions, 25c, 35c to $1.00, in white and fancy colors.

Knit Shawls

Made of the softest wool with extra knit center and knit lace edge, size 36x36 inches, good 35c values... 25¢

65c SHAWL FOR 50c—Made with heavy shell stitch, outer edge of knit wool lace, comes in pink, blues and white ..... 50¢

Children's Knit Leggins with body to fasten at waist, 35c to $1.00

PNEUMATIC BUST FORMS, made of rubber to inflate with air, $1.50 to $2.00

Monday Hose Suggestion Of Economy

100 PAIRS OF BOYS' OREGON HOSE, American made, extra strong, good dye, warranted not to stain; double heel and toe, medium ribbed; regular 25c sellers; Monday 19¢

15c STOCKINGS FOR MISSES—Medium ribbed, fast black, good quality; double heel and toe; special price, the pair only ..... 10¢

LADIES' HOSE SPECIAL—Good value, made for service; has linen heel and toe, no better made for good wearing qualities; a perfect fast dye, for ..... 25¢

CADET HOSE FOR BOYS—Wear like iron, acknowledged to be the best Hose made for hard wear, reinforced at all wearing points with pure linen; price ..... 25¢

Our Men's Shoes

Men's Shoes are one of our special features; you can find no better assortment anywhere than we carry, from fashion's highest extreme to the most modest working shoe. It is our constant aim to give the best value for the least money.

Our Stetson Shoe for men who are very particular about their feet—its many combinations of last permit a perfect glove fit without discomfort; they come in the best leather at $5.00

HEYWOOD SHOES FOR MEN—His bunion last said to be the best for comfort for tender feet that the world has produced. It comes in all leathers and widths; price $3.50 to $4.00

Men's Working Shoes we carry in large assortments, from $1.50 to $2.50

A Sale of Rugs

PRICED AT INTERESTING PRICES

Just received a large shipment of fine Rugs; some were lines we carried before that proved very popular; one lot was purchased much under their real value, enabling us to sell Rugs way under their regular values. We offer

$1.50 Rug, 27x60 inches, a good quality imitation Smyrna, but a good one for wear; special price ..... 98¢

A $2.00 Rug, 27x60 inches, a good body Brussels, sells anywhere for $2.00 or $2.25 on time; special price.... $1.50

A $3.00 Rug value for $2.25—a fine Axminster, good colors and fine quality; special for $2.25

Art Square, size 8 feet 6 inches by 11 feet 6 inches, of good body Brussels, only a few left; special price, $12.50 value, for $10.00

Specials

In things that are elsewhere charged double the price this store offers them at, but no matter what the price you find the usual saving here.

25c CAKES of Packers Genuine Tar Soap, so good for the hair, and it's healing; sold everywhere at 25c; Monday, special ..... 13¢

BIG BARS of White Castile Soap, for surgical use or washing baby; very nice for shampoo, 1 lb. bars..... 10¢

6 BIG CAKES of Turkish Bath Soap, good value at 30c; special price Monday ..... 20¢

WINTER READING—Good stories in big cloth bound books, tales of western life, 300 and 400 pages; $1.00 books bought at auction; sale price... 25¢

Chiffon Ruffs

CHIFFON NECK RUFFS—Dainty Neck Pieces of Chiffon; no wonder they are popular, exquisite, in delicate tints becoming to everyone; dressy and protect the neck; prices from $1.75 to $6.50

NEW BEADED STOCKS—One cannot describe such beautiful things as these—you lose the delicate combinations of color, bits of lace, bright colored beads—a description that would fit one would leave the rest untold. They are all new; must be seen; prices range from 25c to $1.69

KNIT GOLF GLOVES—And this store always has such a large assortment to choose from; prices reasonable, 25c, 35c and ..... 50¢

Danderine

GREW THIS HAIR



MISS STELLA WELLS,
937 S. Humphrey Ave., Chicago.

And we can PROVE IT Testimonial No. 976.

Hair will not stop falling of its own accord, and the longer you let it go without treatment the thinner it becomes, and the more difficult to cure. Sick hair, just like sick people, will die if not cured. You can save the hair's life with Danderine. It makes the hair grow unusually thick and long, and gives it that natural gloss and beauty. NOW at all druggists, three sizes. 25c., 50c. and $1.00 per bottle.

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FACTORY CLUB IS BUSY

A. N. Evans Reports an Active Week's Work

Secretary A. N. Evans of the Factory Club says the club still continues its good work and among the results reported are:

The location at Fort Worth of a branch establishment of the Seely Manufacturing Company of Seely, Texas.

The glass works company has been organized, as has been reported in The Telegram. The stock is all subscribed and guaranteed by a responsible banker of the city.

The fence manufacturing company which has been for some time in negotiations with the Factory Club for location in Texas, has concluded to locate a plant at Fort Worth and Secretary Evans is the authority for the statement that the investment will be about $300,000. Mr. Swan of the fence company will leave Adrian, Mich., Dec. 4 to come to Fort Worth to make the final arrangements.

Secrary Evans thinks this is a very good showing for one week.

Salvation Captain a Fighter

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Dec. 1. — Captain Jobson of the Salvation Army here, a man who believes that there is an army militant as well as one triumphant and that those who spare the rod not only spoil the child, but sometimes spoil elderly persons. A young man from Bell county, Ed Thompson, became obstreperous at one of the services and Captain Jacobson, failing to make him behave, knocked him down and romped on him. The officers came and got Thompson, and was fined on a charge of drunkenness and admonished by the city recorder, T. M. Hamilton, to conduct himself carefully when he came to town.

Drunkards Cured In 24 Hours

Any Lady Can Cure the Most Violent Drunkard Secretly at Home

Will Prove it, a Free Trial Package Is Sent Sealed to All Who Write

Let no woman despair. The sure, quick, permanent cure for drunkenness has been found.

It is Golden Specific. It has no odor. No taste. Just a little is put in the drunkard's cup of coffee or tea, or in his food. He will never notice it, and will be cured before he realizes it, and he will never know why he abandoned the taste for liquor.



Gone Mad From Whisky

His desire for drink disappears absolutely, and he will even abhor the sight and smell of whisky. The vigor he has wasted away by will be restored to him, and his health and strength and cheerfulness will return to brighten your home.

Golden Specific has cured some of the most violent cases in a day's time. This fact is proven by many ladies who have tried it.

Mrs. Mattie Balkins, Vanceburg, Ky., says:

"My husband took two doses of your medicine about five months ago and has not taken a drink or had any desire for liquor since then. Our home is so different now."

Mrs. Mabel Zink, R. F. D. No. 6, Salem, Oregon, says:

"My husband has not touched liquor since I gave him the sample package of your Golden Specific."

Save your loved one from premature death and the terrible consequences of the drink curse and save yourself from poverty and misery. It costs absolutely nothing to try. Send your name and adress to Dr. J. E. Haines, 7205 Glenn Building, Cincinnati, Ohio, and he will at once send you a free package of the marvelous Golden Specific in a plain, sealed wrapper.

He will also send you the strongest, conclusive proof of what a blessing it has been to thousands of families. Send for a free trial package of Golden Specific today.

TICKET PUNCHER SORE ON HIS JOB

Tells Some Things About Human Nature

"If any street car conductor in Fort Worth misses connection and don't get to heaven, there is something wrong with the plan of salvation," said a Hemphill street car conductor to a Telegram reporter.

"Some people," he continued, "can't be pleased. They were born growling, and will go into the other world growling. We fellows do the best we can to please everybody, for to do so makes our life more pleasant; but sometimes we slip a cog when some passenger is waiting for a car and the car doesn't stop until it gets past him. Then the passenger begins berating the conductor just as if he had the stopping of the car. If it happens to be a woman, Lord have mercy on the conductor. He can talk back to a man, but deliver me from a woman who imagines (they all imagine) that the conductor ran the car apast her a purpose.

"A woman can say things and look meaner at a fellow and make him wish he was in Dallas two to one worse than a man can; and all when a fellow is just humping himself to do his level best.

"Some men, tho, are just as hard to please as some women are; and you ought to see how they try to beat a conductor out of his fare—both of them, men and women do that. They will get a seat and snug down in it, and when the conductor comes along for fare they will be looking just as hard out of the window as if there was a dog fight going on. Won't look a fellow's way until you give 'em a punch, and then maybe they will ask you what you want. They will look at you in a way to make you uncertain as to whether or not you have collected from the passenger once, and you will pass him by and are short on your register. Lots of people like this, lots of them.

"Then you just oughter see some women with three children, ranging from 6 to 10 years old, hand up one nickel for the whole shooting match; and they will stand you down until your mouth gets dry from talking that all the children are under 5 years old. What's a fellow to do in acase like this? Put 'em off? Why, if he did there would be a thunder storm on the car to beat the band.

"Then there's the follow who waits for a car on the wrong side of the street and gives the conductor fits because the motorman run past him; and the motorman, he looks back at you and grins. A fellow has to take it all, tho, for if you went to work and put a head on the fellow who cussed you out, you would get your skidoo in short order.

"Seems to me that people would learn after a while that a street car man is half human anyhow, and treat him accordingly.

"I am told there is a law against abuse of dumb brutes; but if there's one against abusing a street car man I have never run up against it."

Real Estate Transfers

The following transfers of real estate have been filed for record:

Fort Worth Proper

Sarah M. F. Duncan to Malcolm Scougal, lots 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 and part of lot 2 in block 7, Beacon Hill addition, $950.

John W. Wray, executor, to H. L. Adams, lot 5 in block 16, Hudson's east addition, $48.

H. L. Adams and wife to R. M. Williamson, lot 5 in block 15, Hudson's east addition, $200.

J. L. Bird and wife to J. W. Childress, part of block 29, city, $3,250.

E. M. Freiagh to L. L. Hawes, 40 feet off of lot 3, block 21, Moore & Thornton addition, $1,500.

John M. Moody to J. W. Williams, lot 6, block 17, and lot 11, block 33, Moody addition, $150.

R. E. McAnulty and wife to R. E. Fenlow, lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, block D, McAnulty & Neys addition, $2,200.

M. J. Kaem to L. L. Hawes, part of lot 2, block 21, Moore-Thornton addition, $1,200.

Mrs. B. E. Anderson to L. C. Lawrence, lot 10, block 1, J. T. Blanchard subdivision of the J. N. Ellis survey, $700.

Tarrant county, by R. F. Milam, to Frank Booth, lots 17, 18 and 19, block 2, Greenwood subdivision of block 11, Evans south addition, $365.

C. A. Puckett to A. C. Lowrey, lot 5, block 20, Union Depot addition, $1,500.

C. A. Puckett to Lee Queran, lot in block 20, Union Depot addition, $1,600.

J. J. Dillin et al. to F. P. Elkins, lot 8, block 6, Vinvents addition, $600.

J. E. Valentine and wife to C. A. Quellon, lot 8, block 7, Tyler's Lake Park Place, $350.

Hugh M. Johnson to John Endir, lot 16, block 5, Walker's addition, $100.

W. L. Small and wife to L. W. Wortham, lot 3, block D, Fairlawn addition, $1,330.

G. W. Swan to D. M. Doyle, lot 20, block 1, Stovers addition, $400.

K. M. Van Zandt Land Company to E. B. Brister, lots 1 and 2, block 3, Van Zandt Park addition, $200.

W. C. King and wife to B. E. Gray, lots 17 and 18, block 2, Greenwood's subdivision of Evans' South addition, $1,400.

H. Hoffman and wife to T. Gens, 50 x100 feet of block 31, Tucker's addition, $1,487.50.

Dee Estes and wife to Daniel Tubbs, lot 12, block C, Fairlawn subdivision of block 19, Field-Welch addition, $1,850.

William B. Buchanan to Jake F. Zurn, lots 6 and 7, block 14, Bellevue Hill addition, $1,250.

Fort Worth Real Estate Company to L. O. Isbell, lot 28, block 9 Lawn Terrace addition, $700.

J. N. Booker to Lee Fleming and A. C. Robison, lot 2, block E-5, Daggett's addition, $3,752.11.

U. E. Baker and wife to Mrs. Estella Fagan, lot 9, block 1, Stewart's addition, $900.

George L. Marlow to H. V. John, lots 21 and 22 in Cumming's addition, $1,000.

Hugh M. Johnson to W. R. Byrd, lot 21, block 3, Walker's addition, $100.

North Fort Worth

Rosen Heights Land Company to J. E. Blackburn, lot 9 in block 56, Rosen Heights, $140.

J. E. Blackburn and wife to Emma I. Cartwell, lots 9 and 10, in block 56, Rosen Heights, $1,000.

Stanley Kay to G. J. King et al., lot 1, block 21, M. G. Ellis addition, $6,000.

Joseph Goldgraber et al. to W. E. Guthrie, lots 3 and 4, block 6, Johnson addition, Rosen Heights, $250.

North Fort Worth Townsite Company to M. A. Keogh, lots 18 and 19, block 14, North Fort Worth, $1.

Sam Rosen to J. R. Tilleand, lot 6, block 67, Rosen Heights, $75.

North Fort Worth Townsite Company to W. T. Cooper, lot 20, block 146, North Fort Worth, $75.

Joseph B. Goggins to Martin & Coleman, lots 23 to 24 inclusive, block 19, M. G. Ellis addition, $3,000.

City of North Fort Worth to city of Fort Worth, five acres of the W. H. Little survey, $1,000.

Rosen Heights Land Company to L. H. Moody, lot 5, block 77, Rosen Heights.

Fort Worth Development Company to T. B. Cohen, lot 16, block 97, M. G. Ellis addition, $150.

G. B. Moffett and wife to A. C. Waddell, lot 5, block 111, M. G. Ellis addition, $160.

Arlington Heights

W. F. Naber et al. to Arlington Heights Realty Company, block 14, Chambers addition, $800.

A. Manheim to Arlington Heights Realty Company, lots 1 to 5 inclusive, block 65, Chamberlain's addition, $700.

A. V. Cox to Arlington Heights Realty Company, lots 1 to 10 inclusive, block 75, Chamberlain's addition, $1,200.

L. C. Warner to George S. Montgomery, blocks 8, 9, 13 and 14, Chamberlain addition, $2,000.

A. D. Loyd to J. L. Price, lots 11 to 20 inclusive, Chamberlain's addition, $500.

Mike Ditto and wife to S. R. Yates, lot 6, block 1 and 45½ feet by 50 feet off the east end of lot 7, Scott & Ditto's addition to the town of Arlington, $1,100.

Suburban

Sycamore Land Company to Miss A. M. Robinson, lot 2 in block 43, Sycamore Heights, $130.

Shaw Brothers to Michael Shannahan, lot 20, block D, Shaw-Clark addition, $300.

Shaw Brothers to Michael Shannahan, lot 19, block D, Shaw-Clark addition, $300.

Shaw Brothers to D. W. Switzer, lot 23, block C, Shaw-Clark addition, $300.

Shaw Brothers to D. W. Switzer, lot 4, block C, Shaw-Clark addition, $300.

Capps Land Company to N. C. Randol, lots 23 and 24, block 14, South Hemphill Heights, $445.

John C. Ryan Land Company to Richard Ahnert, lot 11, block 6, and lot 5, block 17, Ryan's addition, $400.

Sycamore Land Company to Ira Kerohow, lot 4, block 52, Sycamore Heights, $30.

J. H. Pierce to C. C. Mayes, lot 15, block 81, Polytechnic Heights, $200.

A. N. Lewis to W. E. Box, lot 17, block 65, Polytechnic Heights, $100.

A. S. Freedman and wife to C. A. Hickman, lot 6, block 72, lot 18, block 105, and lot 5, block 107, Polytechnic Heights, $300.

John A. Williams to J. B. Craddock, lot 2, block 6, Brooklyn Heights, $400.

David Bedell to Iola Portland Cement Company of Texas, part of South Hemphill Heights, $11,400.

R. N. Stafford and wife to F. M. Martin, 6¾ acres of the Hyde Jennings subdivision of a part of the S. G. Jennings survey, $1,100.

John C. Ryan Land Company to Mrs. M. C. Fremont, lot 14, block 12, John C. Ryan's addition, $200.

J. H. Price to J. W. McCall et al., lot 21, block 23, Polytechnic Heights, $100.

Rosen Heights

Sam Rosen to J. E. Rogers, lot 8, block 1, Rosen Heights, $150.

J. E. Rogers to C. A. Hickman, lot 8, block 1, Rosen Heights, $170.

County Property

W. W. Williamson to Gee Kee, lots 9 and 10, town of Kennedale, $250.

Mrs. S. E. Doyle to B. W. Hamilton, 60 acres of the J. A. Gill survey, $3,600.

C. R. Wallace and wife to Dr. W. H. Davis, 38½ acres of the A. Newton survey, $1,463.

W. W. Buckner and wife to Frank Bone, 20 acres of the J. M. Looney survey, $225.

A. Estell to J. F. Born, 40 ¾acres of the J. M. Looney survey, $600.

A. Estell to W. W. Buckner, 20 acres of the J. M. Looney survey, $225.

J. B. Snodgrass and wife to J. W. Ditto, lot 5 and four feet of block 2, town of Arlington, $525.

T. F. Allen and wife to J. M. Parkman, 77 acres of W. Y. Allen survey, $800.

J. E. Melbram to T. F. Allen, 77 acres of W. Y. Allen survey, $847.

CONFIRM FIELD'S VALUE

New Gas Well in Glenn Pool Strengthens the Reputation of Pool

Special to The Telegram.

TULSA, I. T., Dec. 1.—A 7,000,000 gas well was today brought in on the Sam Brown Jr., lease in the Glenn pool by the Bonacher Oil and Gas Company. This is the seventh gasser brought in in the original Glenn pool since it was opened a year ago. While it opens no new territory, it strengthens the reputation of the original pool as a substantial gas and oil field.

Murder Trial Is Set

Special to The Telegram.

TULSA, I. T., Dec. 1.—The trial of Frank Baker, alleged murderer of John Thomas, son of a wealthy intermarried Cherokee, at Red Fork four years ago, is set for December 4 in the district court at Sapulpa. Baker eluded capture three years, but was captured a year ago.

A CHRISTMAS DINNER

How a Dyspeptic School Ma'am Prepared and Ate One

A Christmas dinner means "good cheer" to all but the person who can't get it or can't eat it after it's got.

A young lady school teacher had dyspepsia so bad that her stomach was of little more use to her than a worn out shoe. Her Christmas dinner story is good:

"Teaching in the rural districts for 10 years compelled me to board in homes where I was served with poorly cooked food and cold lunches. As a result it seemed my stomach was completely worn out. I could only retain the most delicate food and that had to be eaten slowly and in a reclining position. Vomiting in the night was a frequent occurrence, and medicine had no effect, as it would always be ejected. Severe heart-spells and female trouble made their appearance.

"Ten days before Christmas, I said, 'I think I'm doing my last day's work.'

"My landlord said he would get a box of Grape-Nuts. I replied, 'If it is half as good as we read, it may do me a little good.'

"The precious food was brought home. I ate and retained it. It was strengthening from the very first.

"On Christmas day I prepared and ate roasted chicken, mashed potatoes, sauer kraut, and cranberry pie.

"I am not exaggerating my improvement one iota. Grape-Nuts must have the credit, for I hadn't taken a drop of medicine. I can now eat just what I wish have firm muscles, but I always have Grape-Nuts on the table—I should call it medicine and food put up in the same box. My heart is rapidly getting well.

"I know of one case besides myself, that of a three-year-old child, of almost a blue complexion and flabby muscles. By the use of Grape-Nuts he changed to a rosy-cheeked boy, full of vitality. Grape-Nuts cannot be praised too much." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the fameus little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

"There's a reason."

ASKED TO SIGN FOR NEW PAVING

Letters Being Sent to Hemphill Property Owners

Under date of Dec. 1, J. B. Davies, the chairman of the committee appointed at a meeting of those citizens who are property owners on the line of Hemphill street, is mailing out a circular letter in which the need for promptness in signing the contracts with the Texas Bitulithic Company for the paving of Hemphill street is set forth with force and plainness.

The selection of that particular kind of pavement is stated, the pavement is praised and some facts of interest are asserted.

Among other things it is stated the street car company has agreed to relay its tracks with the most approved kind of rails, for such construction, but that it takes a long time to get those special rails and that is one of the reasons that the contracts should be signed at once so the Traction Company can place its order for the rails.

W. W. Wilkinson has been selected to secure the signatures to the contracts and Mr. Davies urges that all of the property owners call at his office in the Fort Worth National Bank building and sign the contract.

COURT OF APPEALS

Orders Made at the Saturday Session of Second District

The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals for the Second supreme judicial district of Texas, sitting at Fort Worth, Texas, Saturday:

Motions overruled—Hagler vs. A. W. Callahan, for rehearing; George Campbell vs. Bud Stover et al, to advance; Pelican Lumber Company vs. J. F. Johnson, for rehearing; Shawnee National Bank vs. Webster, Hill & Baker, for rehearing; Hagler & White vs. Tulia National Bank, for rehearing; S. B. Burnett vs. I. Lynn et al, for rehearing; St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company vs. W. E. Stogner et al, for rehearing; St. Louis, San Francisco and Texas Railway Company vs. A. R. Knowles et al, for rehearing; St. Louis, San Francisco and Texas Railway Company vs. A. R. Knowles et al, for additional and amended findings; Chicago, Rock Island and Texas Railway Company vs. J. N. Williams, for rehearing.

Motions granted—A. J. Blevins vs. L. D. Green, to dismiss; Texas and Pacific Railway Company vs. B. F. Allen, for rehearing. This case was remanded instead of being rendered as previously. Chicago, Rock Island and Texas Railway Company vs. J. N. Williams, for additional conclusions.

Cases affirmed — Northern Texas Traction Company vs. Helen Caldwell, from Tarrant county; Bridgeport Coal Company vs. Wise County Coal Company, from Wise county; H. B. Sanborn vs. Crowdus Bros. & Co., from Nolan county.

Cases submitted—St. Louis, San Francisco Railway Company vs. M. C. Dill, from Tarrant county; Texas and Pacific Railway Company vs. T. J. Coggin, from Mitchell county; E. M. Graham et al vs. John A. Evens, from Reeves county; F. M. Ong vs. C. H. Leftwich, from Potter county; Southern Kansas Railway Company vs. J. B. Morris, from Potter county; Texas and Pacific Railway Company vs. W. R. Edrington, from Tarrant county.

Cases set for Dec. 22, 1906—St. Louis and San Francisco Railway Company vs. R. R. Smith, from Tarrant county; St. Louis and San Francisco Railway Company vs. G. W. Walcott, from Tarrant county; Jesse M. Berry vs. J. W. Jagoe et al, from Denton county; J. R. Houston vs. T. A. Robertson & Co. et al, from Martin county; J. M. Morris vs. S. Daube & Co., from Montague county; First National Bank of Center, Texas, vs. Charles T. Rowland et al, from Tarrant county.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

M. S. Clifton, North Fort Worth, and Miss Minnie Belle Buchanan, Bryan.

Alex Williams, Fort Worth, and Lizzie M. Coleman, Fort Worth.

George H. Thompson, Mansfield, and Mrs. Marget A. Drake, Mansfield.

Probate Court

Estate of W. P. Kruckman, deceased; report of sale of personal property filed, examined and approved.

Estate of Mary Porter, deceased; administrator's report of sale of real estate belonging to the estate at private sale, filed.

Seventeenth District Court

Robert Murtaugh vs. Fort Worth & Denver Railroad Company, damages; jury unable to agree and were discharged.

L. L. Hawes vs. Fort Worth & Rosen Heights Street Railroad Company, damages; on trial.

Forty-Eighth District Court

M. L. Wiggins vs. St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Company et al., damages; on trial.

BLAMES INCENDIARIES

Negro Property Owner Says He Suspects Race Prejudice

Lum Guinn, colored, was at The Telegram office Saturday evening to report what he believes are acts of incendiarism directed against him because of his color, tho he grants that he has no other basis for that than suspicion.

About two months ago he bought two houses, Nos. 1111 and 1112 East Third street and placed the rental of the property with a rental agent, but also with instructions that the property was only to be rented to whites. He said that four attempts were made Saturday to burn No. 1111, which has been vacant for two or three days, but that the neighbors had extinguished the flames before serious damage was done or before an alarm was turned in.

Guinn feels confident that there are reasons for his suspicions. The statements made to him by those who put the fires out are that they were the work of boys, but, he added, a fire started by a boy will burn just as much as a fire started by a man. There was some loose hay or straw left by the last tenant and the fire was started in that each time.

Dies Suddenly on Train

Special to The Telegram.

TEMPLE, Texas, Dec. 1.—Mrs. C. F. Mitchell of Miles Station, en route to join her husband, a locomotive engineer on the Texas & Pacific Railway at Fort Worth, expired sudienly in the ladies' toilet room of the Santa Fe sleeper this morning between Temple and Belton. She was suffering with dropsy and asthma. She was accompanied by a seven-year-old daughter. The body is being held here at a local undertaker's, pending instructions

Hood's

Sarsaparilla is unquestionably the greatest blood and liver medicine known. It positively and permanently cures every humor, from Pimples to Scrofula. It is the best.

Blood Medicine.

ELECTION IN LODGES

Four Pythian Bodies to Name Officers This Week

Beginning with Monlay night, when Queen City lodge, Knights of Pythias, holds its election for officers, the four Knights of Pythias lodges in Fort Worth will elect officers for the ensuing term. Friday evening Marine lodge, North Fort Worth, will elect its officers and the same evening Elenore Temple of Rathbone Sisters will elect officers.

There will be but one election of a representative to the grand lodge among the local lodges and that will be Red Cross Thursday evening. The rule is for the even numbered lodges to elect representatives in the year which can be divided by two, without remainder, and under that rule Red Cross No. 14 will be the only one to hold an election of a representative this year. There are but two prominent candidates for that honor thus far named—T. T. McDonald and J. J. Parker.

MAY WRITE ON BACK

Orders Cancerning Post Cards Is Issued

An order has been issued by W. S. Shallenberger, second assistant postmaster general, defining the provisions by which postal cards from foreign countries may be admitted into the United States. It is now permissible for postal cards with writing on the left-hand side of the address side to be sent into the United States without the payment of the additional postage. The order of the department defines such cards as follows:

"Post cards must consist of paper of cardboard.

"The left-hand half of the front of the card may be used for a message as well as the back of the card.

"Photographs and engravings on very thin paper may be pasted on the back and on the left-hand side of the front of the card, provided they adhere completely to the card.

"Private post cards need not bear the title 'post card' or 'postal card.'"

This order applies to postal cards which are mailed in foreign countries and prepaid fully with foreign stamps. They shall then be delivered to the addresses in the United States without extra charge.

SPECIAL SONG SERVICE

Several Quartets at Meeting of Baptist Young People's Union

A special song service will be given at the First Baptist church, corner of Third and Taylor streets by the Baptist Young People's Union Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. A number will be rendered by the ladies' quartet consisting of Mmes. Clark, Cummings, Mills and Groom, a duet by Mrs. Merrill and Mrs. Rozelle, a duet by Messrs. Able and Gandre, a solo by Mrs. Mills, a duet by Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Cummings, a solo by Mrs. Reeves, a violin solo by Mr. Pendry and a male quartet number.

TO ORCHESTRA PLAYERS, $7,691

The Proceeds of Sembrich's Frisco Benefit to Go for New Instruments

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Mme. Sembrich distributed today the fund which she raised last spring at her recital in Carnegie hall for the benefit of members of the orchestra of the Conried Metropolitan Opera company, who had suffered losses by the fire in San Francisco. In all 165 members of the company shared in the $10,126, which was the net receipts of the rental.

As the concert was primarily intended to raise money to buy new instruments for the players in the orchestra, they received $7,691. The rest of $2,435 was divided among the chorus and technical staff of the company. Every player in the orchestra has been enabled to replace the instruments lost in San Francisco.

Stomach Sufferers Squander Millions

In Search of Relief.

The world is full of disordered stomachs and 90 per cent of the money spent upon physicians and drugs goes in an attempt to cure the stomach.

People are made to believe that in order to gain health they must doctor their stomachs and use cathartics. So the doctor gets his fee for the stomach treatment and the druggist for the physic, until the savings of a life time are exhausted and yet no cure.

Let's be reasonable.

The sick stomach is in every case the result of over-eating, hurried mastication and improper choice of foods. The mucous lining all the way down the food tract loses its sensitiveness, and when food is forced down the muscles fail to respond. They do not churn the food as they should. The glands no longer give out gastric juice to dissolve the food and render it capable of assimilation. The man has become a dyspeptic.

There is one sure way and only one to bring positive relief. Put into that stomach of yours the very elements that it lacks to get that food into liquid form. It takes pepsin, diastase, golden seal and other ferments to accomplish this. The healthy stomach contains these elements. The dyspeptic stomach lacks part or all of them. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet is made up of just what the dyspeptic stomach lacks—nature's digestives.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are not a medicine, not a drug, not a cathartic. They do not cure anybody of anything but Dyspepsia and Indigestion and such ailments as arise from poorly digested food.

While they digest the food the stomach recuperates. The mucous membrane is coming out of its stupor, the gastric juice is coming to the surface, the muscles are regaining their power. Every organ of the body takes on new life, the skin gains color, and the eyes are no longer tinged with yellow. You live.

Why doctor and why drug yourself? Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will take care of your food while Nature cures you.

Try a box at your druggists, 50 cents. Or, if you prefer a free trial package before buying, send your name and address today. F. A. Stuart Co., 68 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

LAST CHANCE

SIX DAYS MORE AND GREAT CUT IN PIANO PRICES

To Close Out Entire Receiver's Stock—Louis F. Rick Piano Co.'s Wholesale and Retail Stock—Every New Piano, Every Used Piano, Organ, Piano Player and Electric Piano by Saturday Night

BIG EXTRA CUT ON ALL PIANOS

Will Be Made, Beginning Monday Morning—Here Are the Finest Styles and Best Pianos Made by Kimball, Strohber, Hobart M. Cable, Arion, Whitney, Fischer, Dunbar & Co., Chickering, Ivers & Pond, and Many Other Makes, That Must Be Sold

Forced to Do it---Profit or Cost is---Not the Question

Everything Must Be Sold—You Know That—The Sale is Genuine—The Pianos Are Genuine—The Bargains Are Genuine—Come Monday—It Will Pay You to Buy Now

YOUR OWN TERMS WILL BE ACCEPTED. 404 Houston St.

This is the last week of this bankrupt sale.

It will pay you to come and investigate the sale early. Come Monday if you can. We are sure that all the Pianos, Piano Players and Organs will be taken by delighted customers by Saturday night of this week, or even before.

Don't let this great Piano opportunity slip by.

Senator Ingalls said "Opportunity knocks once at every man's door, but not all take advantage of it." Your opportunity to get a good Piano at the lowest possible cost is offered now, during the last week of this bankrupt sale.

Every one that has called at our store during this sale of receiver's stock has admitted that the values are simply unapproachable, and that it is the largest stock, the choicest styles and finest Pianos ever seen. At no other time in the history of Piano selling at Fort Worth or any other city have Pianos of good character been offered at such rediculously low prices and on such easy terms as now.

Out of Town Piano Buyers

We will deliver any of these Pianos with a fine piano stool and a fine silk or plush scarf direct to your home any where in the Southwest, no matter where you live, upon a small deposit of $10, $15 to $25, and you can have the use of the Piano, learning to play while paying the balance $3, $6, $7, $8 to $10 monthly or quarterly payments can be arranged to suit.

Best Makes to Choose From

You will find here many of the world's best makes of Pianos whose names have been household words for generations, such as the celebrated Kimball, Mathushek, Whitney, Strohber, Arion, Fischer, Chickering and many others; most all brand new.

No need to tell you there are none better.

Big Extra Cut on all Pianos

We have gone over the entire stock of Pianos, Piano Players, Organs and have made extraordinary reductions from the previously doep cut prices in order to close out all the stock this week.

Many of these fine Pianos are going at prices far below their factory cost.

Others at half and less than half price.

The saving to you in many instances is from $150 to $250 on a Piano.

$400 New Pianos, $225
$10 Cash—$7 a Month

What do you think of that? Upright Pianos, largest size, longest length strings, largest sounding board of the very choicest styles and finish Pianos ever seen. Regular $400 Pianos going at $225.

Surely a Good Chance

Surely this is a good chance to get a Piano—your choice—at a remarkable bargain.

$500 New Pianos, $295

Many cabinet grand uprights in most elaborate, expensive case designs, comprising the most reliable makes in rich mahogany, English oak and Circian walnut. Pianos that are sold from the Atlantic to the Pacific at $500, sale price, $295 to $337.

$10 sends one home, $8 to $10 a month will pay for it.

Notwithstanding the extraordinary cut prices at which we are closing out these fine Pianos, we give a fine stool and a fine scarf with each Piano.

Standard made uprights worth $200, $250 and $275 going at $95, $125 and $145.

Your Own Terms Will Be Accepted Guaranteed to Last a Life Time

The Pianos in this stock are the same make and kind of Pianos that have been sold in this country for half a century or more. They represent the highest type of Piano construction, built by the oldest and largest and most reliable Piano makers, each and every Piano is warranted by us and the manufacturers to last a lifetime. Entire satisfaction is fully guaranteed to every purchaser or your money back on request is the offer we make you.

Bargains in Used Pianos

A $450 Ivers & Pond upright grand for $125.

A $400 Chickering upright grand for $100.

A $450 Vose & Son's square grand for $45.

A $350 Mason & Hamlin square for $25.

$900 Kimball grand, $495.

A beautiful Kimball, quarter grand used only short time. Just as good as new. Regular price $900, bankrupt sale price, $495. Terms to suit.

The Wonderful Piano Players, $250 Players $125 to $147 Up

We have them in all their glory. The children, grandfather and grandmother can operate them. They are the greatest source of education musically of the age. Don't wait longer. Get one now. Save money. Enjoy yourselves, entertain your friends and put new life in your silent Piano. In this sale are some grand bargains in new Players. Terms $8 to $10 a month. We will attach them to your Piano and guarantee satisfaction. Music and bench included.

How About Your Children?

Where is the affectionate father, who after his hard day's toil does not long for the sweet strains of music to cheer his spirits and brigaten his home?

Where is the tender, loving mother, watching her dear boy or girl bud into maturity, that does not wish to see them accomplished on a par with her neighbor's, yes, and in advance of her neighbor and thoroly equipped to forge ahead in these days of strenuous competition?

Dear reader, opportunity is knocking at your door; don't deny that which your child should have—a musical education.

Perhaps you agree with us, that you should have a Piano, or at least an Organ, but you thought you could not afford it. You can scarcely offer that excuse now.

In This Sale of Receiver's Stock

We offer you the best makes of Pianos, the lowest prices, the easiest terms you have ever known.

We issue a special invitation to you to come and see this immense stock of fine Pianos, Organs and Piano Players.

Don't delay another moment. Come tomorrow and investigate—the sale the low prices and easy terms we offer.

Remember the sale closes next Saturday night at 10 o'clock.

If you can not call during the day come down in the evening. Store open every night until 10 p. m.

W. A. LEYHE,
404 Houston St. Fort Worth, Texas.
New Phone 532 Old Phone 5013-1r.

BIG COTTON RECEIPTS

Temple Has Nearly Doubled Number of Bales Handled

Special to The Telegram.

TEMPLE, Texas, Dec. 1.—The local receipts of cotton are steadily booming and the total received up to date this year is 18,379 bales as compared with 10,022 received to a corresponding period of last season. There are many who expect to see the local receipts reach 25,000 bales this year. Yesterday's receipts were 288 bales.

As surely as children learn to speak the language of their parents, so surely will Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea make them well and keep them well. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. J. P. Brashear.

WHAT IS SAVING?

Saving is only the opposite of wasting. As wasting brings neither comfort nor pleasure, therefore saving sacrifices nothing.

On the contrary, it brings a train of pleasures, all its own.

Every one of the hundreds of customers of our Savings Department is happier because of the saving habit.

We pay 4 per cent on savings.

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New house, everything new and first-class throughout; modern conveniences, table of the best, a homelike family hotel. High elevation, fine view, cool southern breeze, near wells and bath houses. Rates $12 to $15 per week.

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PAIN

Pain in the head—pain anywhere, has its cause. Pain is congestion, pain is blood pressure—nothing else usually. At least, so says Dr. Shoop, and to prove it he has created a little pink tablet. That tablet—called Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablet—coaxes blood pressure away from pain centers. Its effect is charming, pleasingly delightful. Gently, though safely, it surely equalizes the blood circulation.

If you have a headache, it's blood pressure.

If it's painful periods with women, same cause.

If you are sleepless, restless, nervous, it's blood congestion—blood pressure. That surely is a certainty, for Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets stop it in 30 minutes, and the tablets simply distribute the unnatural blood pressure.

Bruise your finger, and doesn't it get red, and swell, and pain you? Of course it does. It's congestion, blood pressure. You'll find it where pain is—always. It's simply Common Sense.

We sell at 25 cents, and cheerfully recommend

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WILL BOMAR WINS

Fort Worth Boy Substitutes for the Captain

Will Bomar of this city, son of D. T. Bomar, of the Continental Bank & Trust Association, has been awarded the privilege to wear a "Y" by the Yale athletic committee, the highest athletic honor, excepting the position of captain, that can be given at Yale. This honor is given only to the members of the football teams who play in the Princeton and Harvard games, the crew rowing against Harvard and members of the track team winning a place in the intercollegiate meet.

Bomar was among those who played against Harvard last Saturday and this week received the formal right to wear a "Y," altho the right becomes his as soon as he enters the game, as no one who has ever played in a Princeton or Harvard game is denied the right.

Bomar played right halfback the latter part of the game, substituting for Captain Roome, who was the hero of the game, almost winning it himself. Roome was injured early in the season and was unable to play the game out, retiring toward the close. Bomar then took his place.

TAX ROLLS READY

Collector Davis Suggests That Taxpayers Come Early

County Tax Collector Bob Davis has his tax rolls in shipshape condition and announces that he is now ready to receive payment of 1906 taxes. He suggests taxpayers come early and avoid the rush that is sure to come later on.

TEACHERS' EXAMS.

County Superintendent Ramsey Will Examine Teachers

County Superintendent Ramsey will hold a three days' teachers examination during the coming week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The examination on Thursday will be of applicants for permanent certificates and the Friday and Saturday examinations for applicants for first, second and third grade certificates.

NO RUSH TO PAY THEIR POLL TAXES

Two Months Since Collector's Books Were Opened

It is now two months since the tax collector's book for the payments of 1906 poll tax were opened, but up to date there has been no rush to pay them, either in the city or in the country precincts.

However, there has been more activity in this county than in many counties in the state, the number paid here being over double that of counties with nearly the same population. The total number of poll tax paid up to Saturday night was 669; and up to that time there had been issued seventy-five exemption certificates, all the latter being in Fort Worth, the law not requiring them except in cities of 10,000 or more population.

Of the 669 poll taxes paid, 229 were in Fort Worth, and 440 in the country or outside precincts including North Fort Worth. By precincts the polls paid in Fort Worth follow:

First ward	25
Second ward	22
Third ward	14
Fourth ward	29
Fifth ward	33
Sixth ward	31
Seventh ward	29
Eighth ward	29
Ninth ward	17
Total	229

By country precincts the polls paid follow: Nos. 10, 14; 11, 10; 12, 19; 13, 8; 14, 4; 15, 4; 16, 3; 17, 7; 18, 3; 19, 10; 20, 8; 21, 5; 22, 1; 23, 16; 24, 3; 25, 8; 26, 42; 27, 12; 28, 4; 29, 7; 30, 11; 31, 2; 32, 20; 33, 35; 34, 13; 35, 20; 36, 15; 37, 19; 38, 18; 39, 10; 40, 15; 41, 17; 42, 13; 43, 4; 44, 3; 45, 0; 46, 20; 47, 3; 48, 20; 49, 8; 50, 2—Total 440.

In one precinct and only one no poll tax has been paid, No. 45 or Wayside.

The largest number of poll tax paid in any precinct up to date is in county box No. 26, or Arlington, 42 polls being credited to that game little town.

Precinct 35, Grapevine, another county precinct, is close behind Arlington, with 39 polls to its credit, with Mansfield, No. 33, with only one vote behind Grapevine, 38 paid polls being to its credit.

In the city the Fifth ward leads with 33 polls paid; the Sixth ward being a close second with 31. The Third ward brings up the rear with only 14.

PLAY INDOOR BASEBALL

Two Teams Are to Be Organized Here

Arrangements are being made for a game of indoor baseball at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium the opening week. The game has never been played in Fort Worth to any great extent and consequently is little known here. Two teams are being made up, one by Secretary Jones and the other by Physical Director Childs, from members who come from localities where the game is played and these teams will play a game some night during the opening week of the Y. M. C. A. building in order to introduce it to Fort Worth.

The ball used for the game is about twice as thick as the ordinary baseball and is much softer. The pitching distance is nineteen feet and the pitcher is compelled to deliver the ball with an underhand swing. No gloves are used in the game and the bat is thinner and shorter than a baseball bat, being about 32 inches long and not over an inch and a half in thickness. The bases are only 21 feet in length and in order to prevent the easy stealing of bases, which would result if a runner were allowed to lead off, he must not leave a base until the ball passed the batter, which makes the matter of stealing bases more difficult. If the runner leaves ahead of time he is called back by umpire. Positions are the same as in ordinary baseball except for the fact that there is no center fielder and that there are two shortstops instead of one. The shortstops play ahead of the pitcher instead of on the line, one to either side.

SECRET MATRIMONIAL BUREAU IN FT. WORTH?

Fort Worth is the [illegible] of Gretna Green [illegible] Mex [illegible] of Texas. During the [illegible] months over one hundred couples have come here from other places to be married. Forty came here from Dallas, and many distant states are represented. Story of a man who forgot name of bride.

Is there a secret matrimonial bureau operating in Fort Worth? A great many people believe there is, and there is evidence that gives reason for such a belief.

If there is no such bureau here, what is it that causes so many marriages of couples outside of Fort Worth to come here to marry?

The records of the county clerk's office for the last six months show that during that time there have been married in Fort Worth over 100 couples, in which a large number of the instances both the bride and the groom had residence in the same town, and in numerous instances in the same state. In many cases of marriages being solemnized here the bride and the bridegroom were from states hundreds of miles distant from each other and there is one case where the bridegroom's home was London, England, and that of the bride at Fort Smith, Ark. In this case the bridegroom crossed the ocean to claim his bride, but the fact that he did not claim her at her home, but met her in Fort Worth, gives color to the story that there is in this city an agency that brings these affairs matrimonial to a focus.

The county court records also furnish evidence to justify the belief that Fort Worth is a second Gretna Green, to which young people whose parents oppose their marriage can escape to get their license and find a parson or an accommodating justice of the peace who will tie them so tight together that all the roaring of father and the screeching of mother can't untie. Take the one town of Dallas as an illustration. During the last six months forty couples, both from Dallas, have been married in Fort Worth, either by Fort Worth preachers or by Fort Worth justices of the peace. Cleburne has furnished a handsome quota of couples to be married in Fort Worth, and so has Weatherford.

Many Decide Suddenly

Many of the weddings of young people from adjoining towns are not premeditated—that is they have not been arranged before the parties reached this city. There have been several cases where there would be a theater party to the opera house from an adjoining town. The love scenes in the play would have a telling effect on some girl and her sweetheart, and the next act after the play was over would be a wedding at the court house or at a hotel.

The weddings here of out-of-town people, however, are not all impromptu affairs. A large number of them are arranged in cold blood before hand and the wedding here is simply the windup of a scheme to get the best of the old people. This is especially the case with Dallas couples who get married in Fort Worth.

It is only a short time ago that an old fellow, the father of a pretty, lovely, fun-loving daughter, came over from Dallas and went to the court house and notified the county clerk not to issue a marriage license for a daughter and a young fellow, whose name he gave. The clerk informed him that he was sorry, but that he had issued it about an hour before. This staggered the old fellow, who was considerably excited, and he took himself off with: "D—n Fort Worth; I never liked the town, anyhow!"

His daughter and her lover at that time were man and wife at the Metropolitan hotel waiting for the next Interurban car to go back to Dallas.

Want It Kept Secret

In nine cases out of ten, when a couple from Dallas comes over to get married at Fort Worth, they request the county clerk to keep the issuance of the license out of the papers, and the clerk religiously markes on the record: "Please don't publish," and the reporters take pleasure in disregarding the request and in the papers it goes. The reporters' excuse for this disregard of the request is: "If the fellow is ashamed of getting married, he shouldn't ought to do it," and in the paper it goes.

This disregard of such a request resulted in the prevention of the accomplishment of a scheme of villainy in Fort Worth some years ago and saved an innocent girl from ruin. She became infatuated with a married scoundrel, who did not hesitate to commit bigamy in order to accomplish the girl's ruin. He secured a marriage license by false representation and the publication of the license gave the girl's father notice in time to rescue her from the scoundrel who made hot tracks out of Fort Worth. The record of this license was indorsed across its face: "Please don't publish."

Hundred Foreign Marriages

But to return to the grounds for believing that there is a matrimonial agency here in Fort Worth, whose work brings from widely separated sections of the country men and women to this city, where they are married.

Going thru the county clerk's office records for six months a Telegram reporter found that over 100 marriage licenses had been issued and the parties married here who did not live in this city, and no two of the couples lived in the same town; and in numerous cases both of the couple did not live in the same state. Following is a number of these cases:

A license issued and marriage ceremony performed for a couple, one living in London, England, and the other in Fort Smith, Ark.

Another similar case of parties living in New York city and Boston, Mass.

Another case where the groom lived in Cincinnati and the bride in San Antonio.

Another case, the groom's residence being in Logansport, Iowa, that of the bride, St. Louis, Mo.

Another, the groom residing at Danville, Ill., and the bride at Quincy, Ill.

Another, the groom's residence being at Greenwood, Ark., the bride's at San Antonio, Texas.

In another case the groom was a resident of Denver, Colo., who met his Dallas sweetheart here and they were married by a Fort Worth preacher.

Another couple, the groom from Manfordsville, Ky., and the bride from Whetstone, Ky., came all the way to Fort Worth to marry.

An Austin man met his bride from Miami, Mo., and they were married by a Fort Worth justice.

Another couple, the bride from Memphis, Tenn., and the groom from Iola, Miss., were married at a Fort Worth hotel on a Fort Worth license by a Fort Worth parson.

A Georgetown, Texas, man induced his sweetheart in Boston to meet him at Fort Worth and they were married here by a justice of the peace.

A San Francisco groom and a Chickasha bride had the knot tied at the Fort Worte court house by Justice Rowland.

Another couple, the groom from Mound City, Ill., and the bride from Wilcox, Ariz., met here by appointment last September and were married.

A Childress, Texas, man toted a Hamilton, Ohio, woman to Fort Worth and a Fort Worth parson did the rest.

A Munfordsville, Ky., groom came to Texas, picked up his bride at Dallas, brought her to Fort Worth and they were married.

A New York man found his love at Memphis, Tenn., and they were married in Fort Worth.

Another New York man met his Boston girl in Fort Worth and the marriage took place here.

A Boston man by appointment met a Carrolton, Mo., woman here and they were married by a justice at the court house.

At one wedding that took place at the court house the bride came all the way from Jalasco, Mexico, to meet her lover from Ranger, and the two live at Ranger now.

Another groom came out from Indianapolis, Ind., to Dallas, met his girl there and came over to Fort Worth to marry her.

One day not many weeks ago two people arrived here from Chicago on separate trains. They were man and wife in an hour after the last of the two reached the city. It developed that they had neevr seen each other before, their courtship having been conducted thru a third party.

Forgot Bride's Name

There may be no foundation for the suggestion that there is a matrimonial bureau here in good working order, but such marriages as those mentioned are cause enough to believe that there is. Only a few days ago a man applied at the county clerk's office for a license and gave his own name all right without stumbling, but when asked for the name of the bride could not give it until he went into his pocket and got out a letter to refresh his memory. When he did give it it was that of a woman who lived in a town 300 miles from where his home was. It was evident from the groom's failure to remember his bride's name he had never met her.

The above is only a partial list of such marriages. The records of this county are full of them.

NO AUTO RACE

Oldfield Will Be Here in "the Vanderbilt Cup"

On account of the shortness of time remaining before the arrival of Barney Oldfield in this city in "The Vanderbilt Cup," arrangements for an automobile meet during his presence here have been abandoned. Oldfield will be in the city, playing the leading role in "The Vanderbilt Cup," on Dec. 10 and 11, and it will be impossible to arrange for a race meet and make all the proper arrangements before that time. No word has been received from him in regard to the meet and consequently the local auto enthusiasts have decided that they can do nothing for a series of races here.

Oldfield was here last spring and a very successful meet was held at the Fort Worth Driving Park. Several fast races were run. Oldfield established a record of a mile in 1:18 for the Fort Worth track, driving his Green Dragon, which is within a second of the world's record for half-mile tracks.

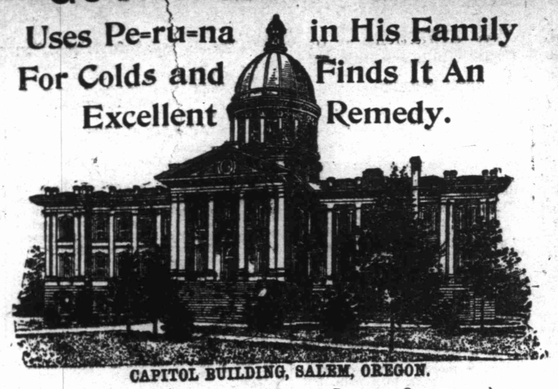
MARKETS

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Foreign markets were mainly firm, with money easy at London and with further gold gains by the Bank of England. Arbitrage firms here bought some five thousand shares. At Paris, French rentes made a smart decline.

GOVERNOR OF OREGON

Uses Pe-ru-na For Colds and Excellent in His Family Finds It An Remedy.



CAPITOL BUILDING, SALEM, OREGON.

Peruna is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Letters of congratulation and commendation testifying to the merits of Peruna as a catarrh remedy are pouring in from every state in the Union.

Dr. Hartman is receiving a multitude of such letters daily from all classes.

The outdoor laborer, the indoor artisan, the clerk, the editor, the statesman and the preacher—all agree that Peruna is the catarrh remedy of the age. The stage and rostrum, recognizing catarrh as their greatest enemy, are especially enthusiastic in their praise and testimony.

Any man who wishes perfect health must be entirely free from catarrh. Catarrh is well-nigh universal; almost omnipresent. Peruna is the best safeguard known.

A cold is the beginning of catarrh. Peruna not only relieves catarrh, but prevents it.

Every household should be supplied with this great remedy for coughs, colds and catarrh.

A Letter From the Ex-Governor of Oregon.

The ex-Governor of Oregon is an ardent admirer of Peruna. He generally keeps it in the house. A letter received from him reads as follows:

STATE OF OREGON, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Dear Sirs—I have had occasion to use your Peruna medicine in my family for colds, and it proved to be an excellent remedy. I have not had occasion to use it for other ailments.

Yours very truly, W. M. Lord.

It will be noticed that the Governor says he has not had occasion to use Peruna for other ailments. The reason for this is, most other ailments begin with a cold. Using Peruna to promptly relieve colds, he protects his family against other ailments.

This is what every other family in the United States should do. Keep Peruna in the house.

Catarrh For Ten Years.

Mr. Charles S. Many, 12 Water St., Ossining, N. Y., writes:

"I had catarrh for ten years and tried a great many kinds of medicines which cost me a lot of money, but did me no good. Instead of getting better I seemed to get worse. My eyes were blood-shot, my nose smelled so bad that I was ashamed to go in company. I was night guard at the prison and I would get so dizzy that I would have to catch hold of something to keep from falling.

"I read about Peruna and thought I would give it a trial. I used about ten bottles, and am cured of catarrh, and the dizzy feeling has left me."

Ask Your Druggist for Free Peruna Almanac for 1907.

HOSPITAL COMPLETE AFTER TWELVE YEARS

Cornerstone of Building Was Laid in 1900

Twelve years ago four women members of the little Trinity mission of Fort Worth conceived the idea of building and operating a charity hospital for children. They organized a society with membership fees at 50c and monthly dues at 10c, and bought a lot on Summit avenue for $400, which today is fully paid for, and commenced the building, the corner stone being laid with appropriate ceremonies in 1900.

For more than one year the first story remained uncovered and the enterprise looked hopeless, but there are two stories completed, and furniture to thoroly equip the building on hand.

The lower floor has five single rooms and two wards for male and female patients. The upper floor has nine rooms and the children's ward.

The institution is officially designated as the All Sainta's Hospital Association, incorporated with the following staff: President, Mrs. George Beggs; vice president, Mrs. W. A. Davies; secretary, Mrs. John Berin; treasuer, Miss Amy Vickery; superintendent, Miss Miller of Boston, Mass.

The association is strictly non-sectarian and the only restriction is the color line, and voting members must be Episcopalians. For charity patients there is absolutely no charge. For those patients able to pay, the rates run from $1.50 to $3 per day. Pay or no pay, as for medical attendance and treatment is concerned, both the prince and the pauper stand on the same footing. The building will accommodate thirty-five patients, and will be ready by Jan. 1.

One of the noticeable features of the building will be the operating room, which will be equipped with the latest surgical appliances and by a complete system of lighting operations can be performed both day and night.

The building is steam heated thruout. There are bath and toilet rooms on each floor.

A very commendable feature is the practice of philanthropic citizens furnishing at their own expense rooms for patients. There are now two such apartments, one named in honor of Mrs. Laura Johnston Clayton, a woman whose memory will always remain green in the minds of those who loved her for her greatness of heart. The other bears this inscription: "This room furnished by Charles Vickery, in memory of his mother."

Mrs. Nelson told The Telegram that applications were being made daily by parties who desire to equip rooms.

The hospital will probably carry a staff of resident physicians, but will be open to all reputable members of the profession.

As soon as the furniture is placed and the building ready a public opening with impressive ceremonies will be given.

DISTRICT COURT MEETS

The Opening Session Will Be Held Monday

The United States circuit and district court of the northern district of Texas, Judge E. R. Meek presiding, will open Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the federal courtroom. The calendar for the first week of the session is as follows:

Monday—Mrs. Mattie Fagan vs. B. C. Cage et al., Proctor Craig vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Company, Mrs. Ellen Lyons et al. vs. Swift & Co.

Tuesday—J. O. Curtis vs. William Harrell et al., May H. Swayne et al. vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Company et al., L. F. Rains vs. Armour & Co.

Wednesday—C. T. Herring vs. Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company, Eric P. Swenson et al. vs. John W. Cunningham et al., Melford B. Wilson vs. Charles G. McKinley et al.

Thursday—John S. Bilby vs. A. S. Johnson, Mrs. Mary Malone vs. Acme Cement Plaster Company, Frank Conway vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Company.

Friday—The Capitol Freehold Land & Investment Company, Ltd., vs. Condy Burns, The Matador Land & Cattle Company vs. Condy Burns, Sarah B. Corpany et al. vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Company.

Saturday—C. V. Ingram Jr. vs. Northern Texas Traction Company, Kathaleen Swick et al. vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Company, W. J. Roblett vs. Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Company.

SCARED BY A CAR

Paper Carrier in Bed With Bruised Head

Saturday evening about 7 o'clock, car No. 11 of the Interurban, Conductor Watson, scared a horse driven by Dave Pliner, a carrier for a local paper.

The horse overturned the buggy, threw Pliner out and ran away.

Pliner is in bed with a bruised head and an injured arm.

The boy is a brother-in-law of Max Boepschow of 1205 Main street.

SHORTAGE IN GRAIN

Total Number of Cars Inspected in November Was 552.

The total number of cars of grain inspected by the inspector of the Board of Trade during the month of November was 552, which is 200 short of the usual number, caused by the lack of cars and the congestion on the line. Little grain is being shipped at the present time.

Cure Constipation Without Drugs

IN THE PRIVACY OF YOUR OWN HOME. FREE COUPON BELOW.



PROF. T. H. MIDGLEY, Constipation Specialist, Inventor of the Drugless Constipation Cure.

Without the use of pills, purgatives or drugs of any kind, I can and do cure the worst cases of chronic constipation—cure them to stay cured, and restore the patient to a state of health and happiness such as they had never known before. I can cure constipation no matter how bad it is. I can show you how to cure yourself right in your own home without the use of drugs. Constipation is cured for all time when cured my way. Fill out free coupon and mail today.

FREE COUPON.

Fill in your name and address on dotted lines below and mail to Prof. T. H. Midgley, 475 Midgley Block, Kalamazoo, Mich., and by return mail he will tell you free how to cure constipation without medicine.

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FEEL POORLY? THEN TRY THE BITTERS

JAS. A. COLE, M. D., Timmonsville, S. C., says: "I often prescribe your Bitters to patients in poor health or in a run-down condition brought on by stomach troubles. It has never failed to effect a cure, and I freely endorse it."

MRS. MARY GILMORE, Ringo's Mills, Ky., says: "I have been in poor health for many years and was lately persuaded to try your Bitters. My health has since improved wonderfully and I thank you for your valuable medicine.



No matter how long you have been in poor health as a result of a weak stomach, disordered liver or kidneys or constipated bowels, we believe THE BITTERS will soon make you well again. It has done so in thousands of cases during the past FIFTY-THREE YEARS, and is therefore worthy of a trial. ....

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

is especially compounded for curing such ailments as POOR APPETITE, SOUR RISING, HEADACHE, VOMITING, FLATULENCY, INDIGESTION, DYSPEPSIA, COSTIVENESS, FEMALE ILLS, FAINTING SPELLS, DIZZINESS, CHILLS, COLDS OR MALARIAL FEVER.

WE URGE YOU AGAIN TO TRY THE BITTERS WITHOUT DELAY.

DOES HE SMOKE ?

If so, why not send him a box of fine segars? We are showing Christmas packages of—

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Full Set of Teeth.....$3.00
Amalgam Fillings.....25c
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We extract teeth absolutely without pain or no pay. We make you a full set of teeth for $3.00. We make teeth without plates. Crown and bridge a specialty. We will give you a written guarantee for 15 years with all our work. Hours, 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sunday, 8 to 1.

DRS. CRATON & WURZBACH,
408 Houston Street, Fort Worth.

NEW CREAMERY IN NORTH FT. WORTH

Machinery Is New and Thoroly Up-to-date

William Wandelt, who has been in North Fort Worth the last two months installing the new machinery for the Panther City Creamery Company in North Main street, will leave Saturday for other places to look after machinery that is to be installed.

The Panther City Creamery Company, Lawson Brothers, proprietors, has about completed the new two-story concrete building and entirely new machinery has been installed thruout. Arrangements are being made to consolidate the entire interests of Lawson Brothers at the New location.

The engines, pumps, ice cream machines and ice manufacturing department are now ready, and the entire plant will be in operation by the end of the coming month. When completed this will be one of the most complete plants of its kind in the south. The milk used by this plant will be sterilized and everything handled in a thoroly sanitary manner.

Jury Fails to Agree

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Dec. 1.—A jury in the case of Ed Prather, charged with perjury in the case of Mark Rice, charged with murder, failed to agree in the Fifty-fourth district court yesterday and was discharged. Five men were arrested in this case, charged with perjury and with "making" evidence in favor of defendant, Rice. Two men have been sent off for five years on conviction and Prather and two others are yet to be tried, the Prather jury having failed to agree. Much interest is shown.

Smith Case to Be Appealed

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Dec. 1.—A motion for a new trial in the case of T. E. Smith of Bell county, charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Ike Grubbs about two years ago, was yesterday denied in the Fifty-fourth district court by Judge Sam B. Scott. The case came here on appeal and is a noted one. Smith was sentenced for life several weeks ago. The case will be appealed.

A girl is no longer a bride but a married woman when instead of crying because her husband doesn't praise the biscuits she gets mad.

What Sulphur Does

For the Human Body in Health and Disease

COSTS NOTHING TO TRY

The mention of sulphur will recall to many of us the early days when our mothers and grandmothers gave us our daily dose of sulphur and molasses every spring and fall.

It was the universal spring and fall "blood purifier," tonic and cure-all, and, mind you, this old-fashioned remedy was not without merit.

The idea was good, but the remedy was crude and unpalatable, and a large quantity had to be taken to get any effect.

Nowadays we get all the beneficial effects of sulphur in a palatable, concentrated form, so that a single grain is far more effective than a tablespoonful of the crude sulphur.

In recent years research and experiment have proven that the best sulphur for medicinal use is that obtained from Calcium (Calcium Sulphide) and sold in drug stores under the name of Stuart's Calcium Wafers. They are small chocolate coated pellets and contain the active medicinal principle of sulphur in a highly concentrated, effective form.

Few people are aware of the value of this form of sulphur in restoring and maintaining bodily vigor and health; sulphur acts directly on the liver and excretory organs and purifies and enriches the blood by the prompt elimination of waste material.

Our grandmothers knew this when they dosed us with sulphur and molasses every spring and fall, but the crudity and impurity of ordinary flowers of sulphur were often worse than the disease, and cannot compare with the modern concentrated preparations of sulphur, of which Stuart's Calcium Wafers is undoubtedly the best and most widely used.

They are the natural antidote for liver and kidney troubles and cure constipation and purify the blood in a way that often surprises patient and physician alike.

Dr. R. M. Wilkins, while experimenting with sulphur remedies, soon found that the sulphur from Calcium was superior to any other form. He says: "For liver, kidney and blood troubles, especially when resulting from constipation or malaria, I have been surprised at the results obtained from Stuart's Calcium Wafers. In patients suffering from boils and pimples and even deep-seated carbuncles, I have repeatedly seen them dry up and disappear in four or five days, leaving the skin clear and smooth. Although Stuart's Calcium Wafers is a proprietary article and sold by druggists and for that reason tabooed by many physicians, yet I know of nothing so safe and reliable for constipation, liver and kidney troubles and especially in all forms of skin diseases as this remedy.

At any rate people who are tired of pills, cathartics and so-called blood purifiers" will find in Stuart's Calcium Wafers a far safer, more palatable and effective preparation.

Send your name and address today for a free trial package and see for yourself.

F. A. Stuart Co., 57 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

WILL REMAIN ANOTHER WEEK

Free Attractions to Be Given Twice Daily

Owing to the bad weather experienced the fore part of the week, which has prevented the North Fort Worth carnival attendance reaching the figures anticipated, the Commercial Club and merchants of that portion of the city have induced the Great Cosmopolitan Shows to remain and continue the celebration next week.

Many new features will be offered the carnival patrons next week. The shows will continue on that same high standard required by the Great Cosmopolitan management which demands only attractions of such a moral and refined nature as to be suitable for ladies and children to attend.

Monday night the opening of the second week's engagement will be ladies' night, and each lady, accompanied with escort holding a paid ticket will be admitted to the various shows free.

The high dive and other free attractions will be given twice daily, as before. The Wild West opens at 4 o'clock and 9:30 p. m. and the high dive occurs at 5:30 and 10:30 p. m.

North Fort Worth Notes and Personals

T. M. Thanisch has gone to Strawn to look after mining interests.

C. M. Wandelt left Saturday for Abilene on business.

O. H. Staff left Saturday afternoon for his new home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Miss Pearl Smith is improving after an illness of five weeks of typhoid fever.

Miss Trixie Pator has returned home to Arlington, after a visit to Miss Mamie Kiper.

Charles E. Gidding of Omaha, Neb., was in North Fort Worth a short time Saturday afternoon, the guest of the faimiles of George Neice, J. B. Collier and H. P. Kiper. He was one of the pioneer settlers of Tarrant county, but is preparing to move to Brazil, where he has large mining interests.

Waples-Painter Co., Central ave. want your lumber business. Phones 1407.

Phone 1367, William Cameron & Co., North Ft. Worth, for prices on lumber.

PRESSLY-BISHOP WEDDING

Brilliant Affair in North Fort Worth Thursday Night

One of the prettiest weddings that has taken place in North Fort Worth social circles for many months was that of Miss Eris Ray Bishop to Jud G. Pressly, Thursday night, Nov. 28, at the North Fort Worth Baptist church, Rev. E. N. Bell officiating. The church was profusely decorated with palms and ferns, and suspended from a large horseshoe over the altar was a large bell, all appropriately decorated, and illuminated with clusters of electric light bulbs, while banks of carnations and crysanthemums were placed in heaps on each side of the altar.

The ring ceremony was used, and was a very pretty and impressive one. The bridal party was composed of T. M. Pressley as best man and Miss Ola Smoot as maid of honor, and George Brothers and Miss Lela Neice attendants. The ushers were Will Sprinkle, J. D. Zook, Erwin Lawson and L. R. De Hay. Little Gladys Depuy was the flower girl, while little Della Bishop was ring bearer. The bride was given away by C. M. Bishop. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Chadoin, and Miss Ruby Hays sang "All for You."

The church was packed to its full capacity to witness the ceremony, immediately after which Mr. and Mrs. Pressley left for their future home in Galveston, where Mr. Pressley is manager of Swift & Co.'s house. They were the recipients of many valuable presents.

MOVE FRATERNITY HEADQUARTERS

Meeting Held to Bring Headquarters Here

Members of the North Fort Worth lodge of the Grand Fraternity attended a meeting of the Fort Worth lodge Friday night at the invitation of the latter organization, for the purpose of taking steps to secure if possible the permanent location of the state headquarters of that order in either Fort Worth or North Fort Worth. At the present time the state headquarters are temporarily located in Houston but it has been thought inadvisable to keep the state office in that city. On his recent visit to Fort Worth, President Gaston of the national council gave many expressions of approval of Fort Worth as a location for state headquarters, and it is understood that he will readily approve the change in location.

The meeting Friday night was one of much interest to the members of the order, not only in the city and North Fort Worth, but all nearby towns where there are subordinate lodges. A committee has been appointed to go to Houston in January to present Fort Worth's claims for the state office.

The North Fort Worth lodge is in a flourishing condition. The latest acquisition of paraphernalia is a set of splendid band instruments, costing over $800, and the "Grand Fraternity Band" will be making music for public occasions by the next season.

SARGENT IN DALLAS

President of Real Estate Men Is in Dallas

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 1.—Will L. Sargent, president of the Texas Real Estate and Industrial Association, was in the city Saturday, enlisting the various interests in Dallas to cooperate. Mr. Sargent will hold a meeting in Fort Worth Dec. 17, at which time he will discuss the various industries of the state, after which he will announce his committees.

KING FOUND GUILTY

Punishment Fixed at Twenty-Five Years in Penitentiary

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 1.—The jury in the J. N. King murder case late this evening brought in a verdict of guilty, assessing his punishment at twenty-five years in the penitentiary. King was charged with killing a man named Frank Wilson a year or so ago and the trial has attracted much attention. A new trial is asked for.

JAPS ATTITUDE CAUSING WORRY

Government Officials Concealing Uneasiness

SEEK AN ADJUSTMENT

President Will Insist on Strict Agreement to Treaty—Compromise May Be Made on Age Limit

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—While the administration officially minimizes the difficult situation which has arisen between the United States and Japan as a result of the decision of the local authorities in California to segregate the Japanese and American students in the public schools, yet it is known that the state department and the President view the subject with growing apprehension.

The sudden truculence of the Japanese government has caused surprise in administration circles, and there is a growing belief that there is more behind the stand the Japanese have taken than an attitude to sustain national honor.

United States Consul Henry B. Miller of Yokohama is quoted here as saying that the Japanese are preparing for war on account of the alleged affront. He says further that the real clash is over control of the Philippines and the Pacific. If he is correctly quoted he will probably get in trouble with the state department, as it is against the policy for a consul to talk in this manner.

There are, however, many people who think that Miller is only foreshadowing a certainty. No one here believes that there is any imminent danger of war with Japan, but in administration circles it is frankly stated that the overweening egotism, truculent self-assertiveness and imperial policy of aggrandizement manifected by the Japanese can, in the end, lead to only one end, and that is a clash with the island empire.

The United States has hoisted its flag in Hawaii and the Philippines and dominates the doorway to the Orient. Japan resents this and many believe that Japan is swiftly and hurriedly preparing to drive the United States out of the Orient. The Japanese seem to have adopted a national policy of opposition to encroachment in the Orient and in this they must eventually come in conflict with this country. Some of these interested have indulged in war-like talk and especially Representative Hayes of California, who called on the President today with Senator Flint. On the other hand the administration depreciates talk of this kind and says the whole matter will be amicably adjusted in the end.

Roosevelt's Atttitude

The President has taken the attitude that the treaty right superseded all state and other government laws, and that if any treaty has been violated the trouble must be adjusted. On the other hand there is no question but that the Japanese are to have the same class of education as other children and the only question is of division of the races. There is a reason for this. Many of the Japanese students are adults and this makes the division necessary.

The California people are inflexible in the attitude they have taken and the President did not first fully realize the temper of people of the coast on the subject. Today he is more fully informed and his attitude is now of sustaining the California people in so far as treaty agreements will admit.

President Roosevelt held no conference on the subject during the day. He is asking his time to arrive at conclusions. An idea was advanced today that the President hopes to settle the controversy by endeavoring to have the San Francisco people admit the Japanese under 18 years of age to the public schools.

The greatest objection of the San Francisco people has been that grown Japanese men and women have been entering the grades of public schools with little boys and girls under 10 years of age and even younger. At one time it was possible that such a settlement would have been easy to make, but the race question has been kindled on the Pacific coast to such an extent that it is now believed the people will insist on the Japanese going to separate schools, or not at all.

DUBOSE IS SENTENCED

Former Banker Is Given Five Years in Federal Penitentiary

Special to The Telegram.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 1.—Judge Jones of the Federal court at noon today, after overruling a motion to set aside the verdict of the jury that tried the case, sentenced Gordon Dubose to five years in the penitentiary, which is the minimum punishment provided by law.

Gordon was former president of the defunct First National Bank of Ensley, charged with misappropriating and embezzling the national bank funds, and after being out all night the jury this morning returned a verdict of guilty on all counts of misapplication of funds, but not guilty on all counts of abstraction and embezzlement. There were 172 counts in the indictment and the amount involved was $48,000, which sum it is alleged Dubose lost in cotton speculation.

The bank had a capital of $50,000, of which Dubose owned $32,000. He made good the losses, but the Federal government proceeded to prosecute him for violation of the national banking laws. Before the jury retired Judge Jones ordered the embezzlement charges stricken from the indictment, saying the prosecution failed to show that embezzlement was committed. The trial has been in progress for two weeks.

CONSIDER NEW CHARTER

Temple Proposes an Extension of City Limits—Commission Idea

Special to The Telegram.

TEMPLE, Texas, Dec. 1.—Temple is considering a charter revision. If a new charter is applied for it will result in fixing the corporation limits, include about eight miles additional territory and bringing in fully 1,000 more people. One reason for the extension is to straighten out irregular lines. There is a strong prevailing agitation to have the commission form of government supersede the mayor and city council plan, the idea being to elect a mayor, president and two commissioners and pay them salaries sufficient to engage their entire time and attention to city business. Sentiment is daily growing in favor of this system. A mass meeting is called for next Monday night, December 3 to further consider the charter.

It's pretty discouraging to get engaged when that wasn't what you meant.

FARM VALUES LEADING STOCKS

Wealth of Country Growing Faster Than Wall Street

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—According to the tenth annual report of the secretary of agriculture farm products of the United States have a total value of $8,600,000,000. This is an increase of $500,000,000 over the previous year, but these figures are for the raw products. When converted into products for consumption they will be many times that value. The railroads will get a tribute on the raw products and on the finished. Every corporation in the country must profit immensely from the wonderful activity. There are many financiers in Wall street who will solemnly announce that it is very unconservative for the farms to produce so much. But the facts cannot be dislodged and another fact of equal importance is the prices of stocks have not increased in the last year in the same proportion as the wealth of the country. The stock jobbing world may be depended to correct this state of affairs. It is idle to denounce persons for doing what it is inevitable that they must do because of their peculiar station in life. It is the business of the dealer in stocks to make the prices of securities conform as nearly as possible with the general wealth of the country. Any accident that prevents this valuation being made automatically and smoothly from day to day, simply piles up energy that will eventually do the same but in a shorter time. The stock market has been held in check so long that speculative experts would not be surprised to see it burst into the wildest kind of bull campaign in 1907. The public is proving its willingness to buy stocks by its wild antics in the mining list and it is only a question of leading the lambs into the stock and bond pastures by way of the curb. They have the money and the disposition to trade.

PRICE ADVANCED

Executive Committee Met at Guthrie, Kentucky

Special to The Telegram.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 1.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Dark Tobacco Growers' Association at Guthrie, Ky., the price of all tobaccos controlled by the association was advanced from $1 to $3 per hundredweight.

BANKRUPT IN DALLAS

Involuntary Petition of Howell Shoe Company

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 1.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed this evening in the United States court against Howell Brothers Shoe Company of Dallas.

Hillsboro District Christians

HILLSBORO, Texas, Dec. 1.—The Hillsboro district Christian convention will meet in the Christian church at Alvarado, December 10 and 12. The program has been arranged and the report of District Evangelist Rogers and his co-wokers will be read.

New Cure For Rupture

New Scientific Appliance, Always a Perfect Fit—Adjustable to Any Size Person—Easy, Comfortable, Never Slips—No Obnoxious Springs or Pads—Costs Less Than Many Common Trusses — Made for Men, Women or Children

I Send It On Approval—You Wear It. If You Are Not Satisfied, I Refund Your Money

I have invented a rupture appliance that I can safely say by thirty years' experience in the rupture business, is the only one that will absolutely hold the rupture and never slip and yet is cool, comfortable, conforms to every movement of the body without chafing or hurting and costs less than many ordinary trusses. I have put the price



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so low that any person, rich or poor, can buy, and I absolutely guarantee it. I make it to your order—send it to you—your wear it, and if it doesn't satisfy you send it back to me and I will refund your money. That is the fairest proposition ever made by a rupture specialist. The banks or any responsible citizen in Marshall will tell you that is the way I do business—always absolutely on the square.

Here is what Mr. Jas. Britton, a prominent manufacturer of Bethlehem, Pa., writes:

"C. E. Brooks, Esq. Dear Sir:—I have been ruptured six years and have always had trouble with it till I got your appliance. It is very easy to wear, fits neat and snug, and is not in the way at any time, day or night. In fact at times I did not know I had it on. It just adapted itself to the shape of the body and clung to the spot, no matter what position I was in. It would be a veritable God-send to the unfortunate who suffer from rupture, if all could procure the Brooks Rupture Appliance and wear it. They certainly would never regret it. My rupture is all healed up and nothing ever did it but your appliance.

"JAS. BRITTON."

If you have tried most everything else, come to me. Where others fail is where I have my greatest success. Write me today and I will send you my book on Rupture and Its Cure, showing my appliance and giving you prices and names of people who have tried it and been cured. It is instant relief when all others fail. Remember I use no salves, no harness, no lies. Just a straight business deal at a reasonable price.

C. E. Brooks, 2284 Brooks Building, Marshall, Mich.

Special Sale of Pictures

Christy Pictures in black oak frames $1.75

Hand painted Landscapes, on glass, inlaid with pearl, in gold frames $1.75

Embossed Fruit and Game Pictures, in gold frames 89¢

Facsimile Water Color Heads .....25¢



Burnt Leather Novelties
Pillows with fringe..$3.50
Large Applique Mats for library or center table $2.50
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Bill Folds .....75¢
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400 YEARS WORK GETS ITS REWARD

First Fullblood Indian Is Consecrated Catholic Priest

Altho missionary work was begun among Indians of America more than 400 years ago by Jesuit missionaries and has continued uninterruptedly



FATHER NEGAHNQUET

ever since, the first fullblood Indian to be consecrated a Catholic priest is Rev. Father Negahnquet, who was made a priest a few days ago.

He was consecrated by the bishop of Oklahoma diocese, and is spending his life in religious labors among members of his own race there.

Father Negahnquet was born twenty-nine years ago on the Pottawatomie Indian reservation, near St. Marys, Kan. He is a fullblood Pottawatomie.

He was sent to Rome by Mother Katharine Drexel, of the Drexel millionaire family of Philadelphia, Pa. He gave his graduating address at Rome in the Pottawatomie language.

Shortly before leaving Rome, he received the blessing of the late Pope Leo.

GIVE AWAY KNIVES

Liberal Offer of Sam Freshman Liquor Company

Not content with selling some of the best whisky on the market at an extremely low price, the Sam Freshman Liquor Company of Dallas has arranged to offer a lot of handsome pocketknives with the first thousand orders received.

Here is their plan: They have just imported from Solignen, Germany 1,000 handsome durable pocketknives, made of double bolstered German steel and first-class in every respect. The knives are made in the novel shape of a bottle and are not only durable and useful, but an odd and attractive novelty as well. The handle is made of German silver and will last a lifetime.

The offer is not a fake proposition, for the firm of Sam Freshman has been doing business in Texas for twenty-four years, and they have a reputation for fair dealing.

The price of Harvard Rye is $5 for four full quarts, which price includes prepaid express. In order to secure the knife, the order should be accompanied by a copy of the advertisement which appears in this issue of the paper.

Join the 1,000,000 Club

Shave Yourself With a GILLETTE SAFETY RAZOR

Always ready, no stropping, no honing. Each blade gives you from 20 to 30 clean, easy shaves.

Nothing more appropriate for a Christmas present for HIM than a GILLETTE. Sold on 30-days' trial.

One triple silver plated Razor and 12 blades, packed in nice leather case, $5.00 each.

Nash Hardware Company

1605-07 MAIN STREET

ELECTION IN LODGE

Fraternal Union Names Officers for Ensuing Year

At the regular session of Loyal lodge No. 549, last meeting in November, 1906, the foloiwng officers were elected 1906, the following officers were elected Fraternal master, Thomas S. Bennett; justice, B. Frank Frush; secretary-treasurer, Henri C. L. Gorman; truth, Mrs. Martha J. Edwards; mercy, Mrs. Emma F. Brooker; guide, F. A. S. Gorman; guard, Mrs. Louise Frush; sentinel, Mrs. Jennie Martin; stewards, J. E. Wallace, Augustus Foute and John L. Busby; medical examiners, Drs. J. B. McLean and R. B. West. Installation, second Monday in January, 1907.

The following resolutions were offered in memory of William P. Kruckman and Rebecca C. Moore, two members of Loyal lodge No. 549, with whom the order has been called to part:

Whereas, The Supreme Master has deemed it best to transfer two members, well loved and greatly esteemed, Brother William P. Kruckman and Sister Rebecca C. Moore, from our fraternal union of this life into the Supreme Union of Heaven; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we of Loyal lodge No. 549, F. U. of A., have lost a dearly beloved brother and sister from our band of fraternal workers, and tho we deeply mourn their passing, yet we rejoice that they are transferred to a more glorious lodge than ours of earth; and be it

Resolved, That Loyal lodge No. 549 extends to the families of our brother and sister these words of hope and cheer: "It is well with those beloved ones, safe in the fraternal love of the Supreme Master. Our loss if their gain. Look forward to the time of joyful meeting and grieve no more. They are not dead." Be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our minutes and a copy be sent to the families of our brother and sister.

J. EDGAR WALLACE,
MARTHA J. EDWARDS,
EMMA F. BROOKER
HENRI C. L. GORMAN,
Committee.

FIGURES LOOK STRANGE

Only $39,235 Worth of Buildings Covered in Permits

The total of the stated cost of the buildings for which the city engineer issued permits during the month of November amounted to $39,235, the number of permits was thirty-one. The city engineer's office is of the impression that there are a large number of new buildings erected without the permits being issued. It is the duty of the police to report these violations of the law, but they say that most of the disregard of the law requiring the issuance of the permits is in the residence districts, where there are no patrolmen, and that it is a pure matter of chance if the officer learns of the facts in the case.

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RUEF AND DINAN INDICTED

Charge Conspiracy in Connection with Protection of Disorderly House

Special to The Telegram.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 1.—Abraham Ruef and Chief of Police Jeremiah Dinan were jointly indicted by the grand jury Friday on the charge of conspiracy in connection with the alleged protection of a disorderly house. Chief Dinan was also separately indicted on a charge of perjury in his testimony before the jury. Bonds were fixed at $5,000 in each case. No attempt will be made to displace Dinan pending the trial of the case.

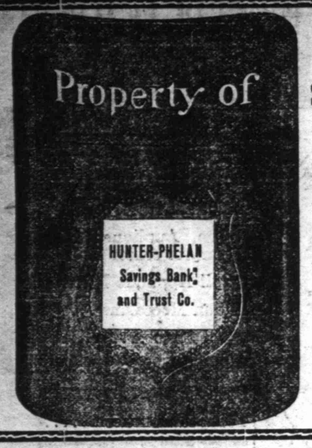
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NOTHING DECIDED BY BURNS-O'BRIEN BATTLE

Neither in Class to Fight Jeffries Says Naughton

BY W. W. NAUGHTON.
Special to The Telegram.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 1.—There are many interesting sidelights to the Burns-O'Brien fight, to say nothing of the pranks played by the newest thing in moving picture lights. The contestants in the preliminary event had canary-colored bodies, limbs and faces and whenever blood was drawn it flowed blackly like ink. In the main event when Jack O'Brien was bleeding he looked as tho someone had daubed his face with a coal tar brush. Before any damage was wrought Jack and Tommy were as parti-colored as a couple of poster girls in the peculiar glare of the bottled "daylight."

Big Jim Jeffries had a deathly complexion, owing to the same cause, but in other respects Jeff was as burly and as active as in the days before his retirement. He seemed to be widerframed than ever, and it should not surprise me if the pictures of the men are completely blanketed at times by Jim's immense bulk.

A Poser for Jeff

Jeffries was plainly embarrassed when the dispute arose over the pneumatic belt worn by Burns. O'Brien claimed that this stomach protector would serve as a cushion to the body punches he inflicted upon Tommy and for that matter might turn the wrist when the blow was sent in. He swore he would not box unless Burns removed his inflated waistband, and Burns, on the other hand, declared he would refuse to toe the scratch rather than fight without his belt.

Things looked gloomy for a while and Jeffries made the rounds of sporting critics and sporting notables, asking what they thought should be done under the circumstances.

"I don't know exactly how to decide," said Jeffries. "No matter what I do I will be accused of favoring one or the other."

"What would you think of the matter if you yourself were opposed to a man wearing such a thing?" was asked of Jeffries.

"I wouldn't care a snap what he wore," said the big fellow with a look of disgust.

Soon after that Burns relieved the situation by discarding the belt and Jeff smiled perceptibly.

Burns Shows Improvement

The contest was a very interesting one and so fast that the attention of the crowd was held from start to finish. Burns showed wonderful improvement over other performances of his that I have witnessed. His fight with Hart particularly was an insipid exhibition. He seemed to be leary of the big Kentuckian. He struck out in a halting way, and he grabbed at every opportunity. With O'Brien he fought like a man whose blood was up and whose courage and confidence were intact. He hated O'Brien and it seems to me that it mightn't be a bad idea for Tommy to learn to detest all of his future opponents.

Burns was poorly handled. To begin with, his eagerness to make a rouch headstrong contest should have been counter-balanced by advice from the men in his corner. Instead of that, when Burns jumped to his feet at the starting bell or each round bent upon making a cannonball rush, some of his seconds actually pushed him for the purpose of adding an impetus to the Canadian's bull-like charges. So vehement were these rushes at times that Burns was all but sent on his face more than once.

O'Brien a Defensive Marvel

O'Brien's fight was a marvel of defensive work. He decided early in the game that he was no match for the Canadian at free-arm work when half clinched and he made his feet twinkle in spoiling Tommy's scheme for close-in battling.

Excuses after a fight are not well received, but it is a plain cold fact that O'Brien went into the ring with a crippled left arm. He struck the inner side of the elbow joint against Battling Swanson's head during a practice bout at the training quarters, and the injured member was almost double the size of his other arm at the point of injury when he answered the gong.

Burns' rough tactics made matters worse for O'Brien and before the contest was half way thru the Philadelphian could only work a straight fist with the greatest difficulty and with comparatively little punishing force.

Whether this cut much of a figure, so far as general results were concerned, is a matter that it is not easy to decide. Burns, with his immense strength, would have made things uncomfortable for O'Brien no doubt if O'Brien had been arm-whole. Burns has earned the right to be considered in the first flight of latter day heavyweights, such as they are.

Jeffries Would Fight Again

The contest did nothing toward reviving talk of a return to ring on the part of James J. Jeffries, the general opinion being that either O'Brien or Burns would be as a child in the hands of the big farmer. Pity it is too, for Jeffries is really inclined to take another whack at the game.

I'll tell you how I discovered the fact. When Jeffries first retired I asked him if he could foresee anything that might bring him into the ring again at a future time. He told me that if any foreigner came to these shores and defeated the best of the American heavyweights at that period in sight he would challenge said foreigner to battle.

"Does that still go?" I asked Jeff. the night of the Burns-O'Brien match.

"It surely does," said Jeff. "That is, if I am not back in the game before the foreigner puts in an appearance."

I tried to get Jeffries to talk a little more freely on the subject of his possible return to fisticuffs, but he merely smiled and kept his own counsel.

"I know a fellow does not improve any while laying off," was a remark volunteered by Jeffries and putting this and that together, I am persuaded that the big fellow hankers after "just one more battle," and does not want to delay the issue until a time when his wonderful fighting powers will have been affected by years of pugilistic inactivity.

It may be that the love of ring conquest will overcome Jeffries' love of farming, but according to the retired champion's friends the prospect of an exciting hunting trip would draw Jeffries away from a match making conference at any time. Here is a story told in this connection by one of Jim's intimates:

Los Angeles, as every one knows, has been a scene of real estate activity for a few years past. A friend went to Jeffries and told him of a piece of property that could be acquired for $26,000, and which, in the language of the agent, "was a good buy." After listening to the details Jeffries decided that it was a bargain he could not afford to overlook. He made arrangements to go with his informant next day and put up a sum of money to bond the deal, but that night Jeffries learned from another friend that there was a wild bear cavorting around somewhere in the bottom lands of the Colorado river.

That settled it. Next day, instead of going to the bank to obtain the forfeit money, Jeffries was on the route with a Winchester and a camping outfit to interview his bearship.

A year later the property Jeff missed sold for nearly $200,000.

SCANDAL IN CHARITY WORK

Investigation Ordered by State Board of Pennsylvania

Special to The Telegram.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 1.—Charges so sensational that President Francis J. Torrance of the state board of charities has ordered a public investigation are made by Attorney A. M. Lee against persons connected with the Anti-Cruelty Society, an organization for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals. Attorney Lee charges that Ruth Reed, a 17-year-old inmate of the home of the society, who was known to be in a delicate condition, was carried out of the house dead in a trunk and her body secretly disposed of. Other charges are that girls being taken care of by agents of the society were sent to proprietresses of disorderly houses in Pittsburg and Allegheny. One girl swore to a statement that she had been taken by the agents of the society and from the House of the Good Shepherd and placed in a house of disorder. Eight arrests have been made today, which culminated in eight informations being made before Alderman McMasters, charging conspiracy. The defendants are: Y. Fisher, superintendent of the society; Mrs. E. Kuntz, treasurer; Peter L. Kuntz, general agent; Joseph Julkert, John Speikmeyer, J. J. Cleary and James H. Rea, all agents, and Emla Schring, charged with being an accessory. All gave bail for a hearing Monday.

Attorney Lee declares that Peter Kuntz, the general agent of the society, is a bigamist; that he is married to the matron at the home and to a woman calling herself Mrs. John Tracey, who, with her four children, lives in Allegheny. The institution has received about $8,000 from the state to aid in its work. Several days ago it applied for $6,000. President Lorrannce of the state board of charities said an investigation of the charges would be made next week and all the evidence in the case would be transmitted to the state's attorney. Sensational developments are expected Monday.

"A Midsummer Night's Dream"

Shakespeare with all the mechanical ingenuity known to the modern stage carpenter was portrayed at Greenwall's Saturday.

Miss Annie Russell with her company of artists presents "A Midsummer Night's Dream" as it has perhaps never been produced by any company but this.

To criticise the individual work would be useless—it was all good. As for Miss Russell—well she is Puck as we all want to know that famous character. All the humor of the piece is well brought out, and for those theater-goers who insist that Shakespeare is dry and tiresome we heartily prescribe an evening at the playhouse where Messrs. Wagenhalls & Kemper offer "A Midsummer Night's Dream" with the cast which was seen here Saturday.

There are 1,690,000 bee hives, producing 19,000 tons of honey, in Spain, which is the second greatest producer of honey in the world. Germany, with 2,000,000 bee hives, produces 20,000 tons.

WHERE WILL CENTER OF POPULATION BE IN 1910?

Special to The Telegram.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 1.—Altho the new center of population of the United States will not be fixed until after the census of 1910 is taken, many people are already beginning to figure on possibilities. Columbus has been close to the center for the last sixteen years and some of its citizens figure that the next center ought to strike Columbus a sort of solar plexus blow.

When the census of 1890 was taken the center of population was fixed at a point in Decatur county, near Westport, and a monument was erected there to mark the place. Ten years later the center spot came to Bartholomew county and took up its abode on the farm of Henry Marr, in Rockcreek township, and about six miles southeast of this city.

All kinds of guesses were made when the last census was taken as to where the center of population would be, but none of the guessers struck it right. The first statement given out was to the effect that the spot was on the farm of Frank Wright, about eight miles north of Columbus. Mr. Wright erected a marker in his yard at the place and had letterheads printed to show that he lived on the center of population farm. His glory was short lived, however, for someone in authority made a calculation which showed the exact latitude and longitude of the spot, and it only remained then for somebody to find just where the spot was. It was known that it was in Bartholomew county, but no one knew just where.

Fixed by Astronomers

The Indianapolis News decided to undertake the work of finding the exact spot, and sent Professor John Miller, head of the astronomy department of Indiana University, and his assistant, John Coggshall, here to find the place. Their visit was secret, and the two astronomers told nobody, except one or two local people, what they were here for. Most of their observations were made at night with the aid of the stars, and they soon found that the center spot was somewhere on the farm of Henry Marr.

After two or three nights' work Professor Miller found the exact spot, and then definite announcement was made that the center of population of the United States, according to the census of 1900, had been accurately fixed.

The Indianapolis News intended to erect a monument on the spot, but when the center was seen the idea was abandoned. Professor Miller could not help it, because the latitude and longitude said so, and when he fixed the exact spot he drove a stake in the ground right in front of the big double doors of Henry Marr's red barn. If a monument had been erected there, Mr. Marr could not have opened his barn doors, so the News had to seek a new location for its monument.

First Marker Was Fence Rail

As a matter of fact, the first monument ever erected on the present center of population was put up by the Columbus correspondent of the Indianapolis News. The local representative was anxious to obtain a picture of the new center of population and, in company with Albert M. Keller, then of this city, but now cashier of the Wilmot Bank, at Wilmot, Ark., the two went to the Marr farm. There was nothing in the barn lot to designate the center from the rest of the space, except a little red stake in front of the barn doors, the stake having been placed there by Professor Miller.

The stake would not show up a photograph, so the correspondent of the News and Mr. Keller found a fence rail, propped it up on the center spot of the greatest country on earth, and Mr. Keller took the first photograph of the center. One of Mr. Marr's cows narrowly escaped being in this picture.

Later the News erected a suitable monument some distance from the exact spot, and on this monument there is an inscription which gives the exact location of the center.

There are some good reasons for believing that the next center will be located in Columbus. Columbus is now within hailing distance of the spot, and if the next census would only locate it here, in some public square or in some nice, wide, shady front yard, Columbus people would be happy. On the other hand, the belief is expressed that the trend of population southwestward has been so rapid in the last ten years that the center will not be in Bartholomew county.

AN "UNWRITTEN LAW" CASE IN THE SOUTH



Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 1.—While the slaying of Dr. R. H. Aldrich at Baton Rouge by Judge George K. Favrot promises to prove a cause celebra, perhaps the most extraordinary developments will be a feud that is expected to follow if Judge Favrot is acquitted.

Both men were equally prominent in Baton Rouge. They had been schoolmates and college friends. None knew either save to honor him. Both were successful, the living in the profession of the law, the dead in the profession of medicine.

Of Judge Favrot's lawyers, the principal is T. J. Kernan, who before the American Bar Association recently delivered a treatise on the "Unwritten Law." In the fourth of ten cardinal points enunciated in this treatise, Judge Kernan then said: "Any man who traduces a virtuous woman's character for chastity may be shot with impunity by her husband or any near relative. But the offender must first be given an opportunity to deny or disprove the charge, or to retract and apologize."

In his signed statement of the cause of the shooting Judge Favrot said: "The killing of Dr. R. H. Aldrich resulted from his persistent circulation of slanderous reports about my wife, which were of such a character as to force me to act. Complete justification for such action will be shown at the trial of the case."

Judge Favrot, after the killing, resigned from his position as district judge, and as another election cannot be held within sixty days a grand jury cannot be called to indict the prisoner until the successor of Judge Favrot is elected. Judge Favrot had just been elected to congress when the tragedy took place.

SAN YE, PROPHET OF KARENS

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By WILLIAM EDGAR GEIL, F. R. G. S.

After a long journey of 3,300 miles across China from Shanghai to Bhamo, which means "the city of pots," I made my way down the Irrewaddy river to Mandelay and thence to Rangoon. On reaching Burmese territory I began to hear strange stories of one San Ye, a native born Karen prophet, who was alleged to have been converted to Christianity and to have since performed almost unbelievable feats in building vast structures in the jungle. That he had actually been given a grant of 30,000 acres of land by the government, I early learned was true. This made me think it would be worth while to gratify my curiosity, which I admit was great and growing, and to plan a visit to this wonderful man. For I reasoned that if all reports of his doings were true he must be one of the greatest men of the age among dark-skinned native races.

I started on the trip from Rangoon, which is the metropolis of Burma. It is a typical oriental city, altho it shows traces of the transforming influence of the British. Many oriental religions are represented among the people, as are several Christian sects.

Of all Prtestant bodies the American Baptists have been longest on the ground and have their work best in hand. They have a college with over 500 students, mostly intelligent young people. As to the sacred pagoda, which every traveler sees when approaching on steamer it is not necessary for me to write. When I was there it was being recovered with gold at fabulous expense. Idolatry is expensive and sacks its devotees of much needed rupees.

The train to take us the first stage of our journey to see San Ye left Rangoon at 6:30 a. m. Soon after leaving the station we passed a Burmese graveyard, where I saw several slaves of the dead. They are the grave diggers and are outcasts. They are not permitted to intermarry with others and their children are not allowed to attend school with other children. This is the nearest approach to the caste system I have seen in Burma. When a body is burned these people perform the gruesome task. Their support is derived from the friends of the dead and the priests. For clothing they rob the bodies and sometimes they have been known to turn a body out of its coffin, clean the boards and sell them. The underlying reason for burning a body is to detect witchcraft. During the process an interesting discussion prevails. When the legs are gone and the fire is in the skull it is stirred with a bamboo. If the body burns completely the conclusion is that no witchcraft has been practiced, but that the deceased died a natural death.

At 1 o'clock we left the train to start into the jungle, headed for a place where we had heard San Ye was then to be found. After dinner at the village of Four Holy Fig Trees I visited a large mill owned by San Ye and used for hulling rice with which to feed the vast crowds, numbering many thousands, who sometimes remain for two weeks at his meeting. I here learned that when the false prophet gave up his necromancy, soothsaying, and the other antics belonging to the profession of false prophet among the Karens he changed his name, making it San Ye. His earlier name meant "Money" and from all accounts he must be heathen to pay well for his services when he also was heathen. But the new name means "Living Water," which every Bible student will recognize as having a sacred significance. I may say right here that San Ye owns nothing but a yacht which he places at the disposal of the missionaries. Everything else is held in trust by native Karen trustees for his mission work.

From Four Holy Fig Trees we took ox carts and had a long, weary, dusty ride. I walked and rode until 9 at night, stopping for tea at a miserable shanty. The woman who waited upon us was a heathen and wore evening dress. She had a solitary garment twelve inches wide! Here we prepared our fire arms, for tigers were reported numerous and active.

The ox cart jaunt was continued, we not knowing that we were then off the track. For two more hours we wandered about, lost at nightfall in the jungle. The tigers scented us but we were not molested. I suggested that as we did not know the road we stand still. The driver of my cart shouted into the jungle, and imagine our surprise when there came an answer. Two ox carts drove up, manned by natives who directed us on our way. I was almost dying of thirst and looked into the strange cart in hope of finding water. Instead I received from the active ox a terrific kick on my left knee joint. It pained dreadfully. The native began to doctor me, native fashion, by pulling the sore leg and making the pain all the worse. Fortunately we were carrying two dozen bottles of linament as a present for San Ye. This helped me amazingly. It was after midnight when we reached the prophet's place, and I was carried into the house and dropped on a mat on the floor. In the dim moonlight I could descry the outlines of the prophet's monster building in the jungle. Now my faith in the man increased. To find such structures in the jungle compelled one to consider their builder as a man of gifts.

At 5:30 I awoke, because the prophet had come to have a talk with me before the gathering of the multitudes, for when we had arrived at midnight he had dispatched runners calling the people together for a service at 9 o'clock. San Ye is of medium height, rather light weight, a vegetarian and an intense man. He impressed me as one likely to have influence with an audience. An intelligent face, on which emotions played rapidly; modest in manner, and dressed in white with a white handkerchief about his neck. We shook hands and sat on the floor. A man entered with soda water. This is made on the place to give to the crowds at the monster missionary meetings. Then the prophet, lest he forget it, gave each of us ten rupees to pay our expenses because three missionaries had come with me. He is so pleased to see them that he invariably pays their expenses. I noticed hundreds of doves flying about. These the prophet likes, because in the Scriptures they are the emblem of the Holy Spirit. The heathen natives say he understands the language of the doves and that they tell him secrets.

At 9 o'clock a crowd had gathered that seemed to have sprung by magic out of the waste of the jungle. The men and women attending were well dressed. San Ye would not sit on the platform, but on the lower step. He is an humble man. This was no shoddy building in the jungle. It was built of timber, contained rooms for day schools and Sunday schools and cost 60,000 rupees. There is teaching and religious service every day. A fine upright piano occupied a place on the platform.

The speaker told the hearers that they might have their sins forgiven and their hearts made white. The word "white" powerfully moved them. The Karens have a legend in which they all believe. They call it a prophecy. They, as heathen, have no literature. The nations about them have books, but the Karens none. On one side were the Chinese with their works of Confucius; around about the Burmese, with the Pali writings of the Buddhists; beyond them the Vedas. Other people jeered at the Karens for having no sacred books. In reply they would say that their book was to come and it would be a "white book." They were to hear of a "black book," but that would not be for them. A "red book" would come, but not for them. But when the "white book" came they must accept it. They now believe that the Bible is the "white book."

The prophet was asked to speak to the audience and made a few remarks about these three books. He had a mighty grip on the audience. The people listened breathlessly and when he ended there was a sigh as of relief from severe tension. He then placed a silver vessel on the platform, filled it half full of water, and told the people that if they wanted to give anything for the gospel to come forward and put it in the water. To my amazement they literally crowded forward, putting 125 rupees in the silver vessel. I afterward asked San Ye why he took the collection in water. He made the shrewd reply that "money is hot and needs cooling off." He has built several of these huge buildings and has raised close to 500,000 rupees from heathen sources for Christian purposes. At 12 o'clock there was another meeting, larger than the first, and when it became very warm the prophet took off his shirt!

I had an interview with San Ye and here are some of the things he told me:

"In the beginning I was a black-headed man—heathen. My understanding was slight. I sought a way in Guadama. Whatever the priests told me to do I did with all my might. I built a monastrey, several pagodas—one of brass still stands. While building the pagodas I fasted six days, but got no peace. I gave up Buddhism when I heard the teaching of the 'White Book,' then I got peace. For two years I pulled both sides; I was measuring things. I lived in a tree house twenty feet above the ground, for no other reason than that it was cooler. Then I gave myself entirely to the Lord. Put it down that I am working for the Lord and that is enough for any man."

The prophet owns no land and is humble. But when he announces two weeks of meetings more than ten thousand will gather to hear him. A day with San Ye in the jungles of Burma is worth while.

HEIR RENOUNCES RIGHT TO TITLE

Has Been a Resident of State of Wyoming

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 1.—The Hon. John Fallows Wallop, son and heir of the present Earl of Portland, yesterday went before the judge of the district court at Sheridan, Wyo., and declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States. He at the same time renounced his right of succession to the title and estate of his brother in favor of his son, John Walker Wallop. Mr. Wallop has been a resident of Wyoming for fourteen years, coming to that state to work as a cowboy and acquiring a large ranch on the Little Goose creek, twenty miles east from Sheridan.

Ten years ago Mr. Wallop married a daughter of Judge Walker of Chicago, granddaughter of Admiral Walker of Kentucky, who returned with him to his Wyoming ranch, which has since became world-famous as the scene of entertainment of celebrities from abroad and from the south and east.

It is astonishing to the foreigner to find so many boy and girl actors on the London stage. It is a rule, not an exception, that a child appears in a play, says the Stockholm Dagbladet.





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Postal Orders

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Special service has been discontinued to Altavista, Starr county, from Hebbronville, and to Marie, Runnels county, from Maverick.

Tokio Against Municipal Ownership

Special to The Telegram.

TOKIO, Dec. 1.—In the municipal assembly here this week the proposition that the city purchase the street railways and manage them as a municipal undertaking was defeated.

WILL PREVENT PRIZES

Fancy Dress Skating Party Monday Night

The marquerade fancy dress skating party which will be given at the Fort Worth skating rink Monday night for the benefit of the Benevolent Orphans' Home, promises to be a great success. Interest in the matter is being taken by a large number of people and a handsome sum will undoubtedly be realized for the benefit of the home.

Several prizes have been donated for the most graceful and best skaters as well as for the best costume. A silk umbrella has been given by John Greer for the most graceful gentleman skater and a fine handbag by J. E. Mitchell for the most graceful lady skater. A beautiful fan has been presented by the Fair store for the best costume. The different prizes are on exhibition in the windows of the concerns presenting them.

Masks at Curio Store



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...tertain the idea that a shoe ...han $5.00 cannot possess the ...t of grace and style. These ...g. We'll undertake to dem... ...woman who is interested that ...are as good looking and styl...

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FORT WORTH SKATING RINK

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SINGER STARTED IN A SAWMILL

History of H. Oscar Seagle Has Been Romantic

Had J. Oscar Seagle, the baritone who has delighted two audiences in Fort Worth the past week and who sings this morning at the Taylor Street Presbyterian church, a regular press agent, that worthy could find enough material in the singer's life for some interesting newspaper stories.

Seagle's history runs from that of a boy working in a Tennessee sawmill to a finished singer whom grand opera critics say will yet rank as one of the world's greatest baritones. The period of this progress covers only a few years and at the beginning had any one predicted to the young man that he would be singing French and Italian opera in Paris, no one would have doubted him more than Seagle himself.

Rowland D. Williams of Fort Worth, director of the Taylor Street Presbyterian choir, which Seagle will assist this morning, started Seagle's musical career. He heard Seagle sing while he was teaching in Chattanooga, Tenn., and undertook to develop the young man's voice. He was then little more than a boy, but he even then had promise of those wonderfully even tones with which he can now easily fill the largest auditoriums.

For two years young Seagle was taught by Mr. Williams and then he left Tennessee to continue his studies. He sang in New York. De Reszke heard him and straightway invited the young man to Paris. Seagle accepted and for a year he studied under the great French master, who is not only his enthusiastic teacher, but his warm friend. Repeatedly he has besought Seagle to enter grand opera, but his efforts thus far have been vain. Seagle prefers concert work and his old love for the south still shows in his desire to make his tours cover the southern states as much as possible. He was first heard in Fort Worth a year ago. He made many friends then, but when he sang again last week, his triumph as the result of progress he has made in the interval, was remarkable.

He sang again to a packed audience at the Christian Tabernacle Thursday night, his selections covering a wide range of religious music.

His voice is rich, rotund, flexible and commanding in quality. His middle tones are remarkable for their carrying quality and smoothness. When singing he affects no mannerisms; in fact he might almost be accused of awkwardness, but he compels by the power of his voice alone.

BARACA SOCIAL HELD

An Interesting Program Is Given at First Baptist Church

The first Baraca social held by the members of that society, which is formed for the purpose of Bible study, was given at the First Baptist church Friday night. Forty members of the society, members of the B. Y. P. U. and others attended. The program included talks by J. G. Reeves, A. L. Jackson, Rev. C. W. Daniel, a reading by little Miss Gene Wells, reading by Miss Shugart, a violin solo by Miss Sam Montgomery, and a solo by A. B. Mynatt. Ice cream and cake were served by twelve young men, members of the society. It is hoped to raise the membership of the society to 100.

Don't Let Your Piles Grow

Every Hemorrhoidal Ulcer is a Fertile Field for Cancer and Other Deadly Diseases

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Constipation unchecked brings inflammation, inflammation begets piles and piles too often superinduce tumors of malignant nature.

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There is no greater suffering than this. If you are a sufferer from piles you know it. It is foolish to think that any amount of cathartics will relieve you. On the contrary purgatives are favorable to the production of hemorrhoids. Do not be deceived either by the illusion that an operation always cures. It sometimes does, but



There Is No Greater Torture Than Piles.

the agony of the operation is too great to warrant the experiment, except as a last resort.

There is only one natural way to cure piles. There are medicaments which together heal the mucous membrane of the bowels and rectum and give it life. The Pyramid Drug Co. have prepared suppositories convenient for insertion into the affected part and containing the soothing, healing, invigorating medicines needed to effect a quick and permanent cure. That these do cure piles is proved by the voluntary testimonials of thousands.

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We do not ask you to take our word. We are willing that you should try our treatment and decide for yourself. Send to the Pyramid Drug Co., 72 Pyramid Building, Marshall, Mich., and you will receive a free trial package by return mail. After you have used the contents of this package you can secure exactly the same medicine, if you will ask for the Pyramid Pile Cure.

For sale at all druggists. 50 cents per box.

PLAN ANOTHER GAME

Former Chess Contests Won By Local Men

Arrangements are being made for the playing of a return chess match in this city on Washington's birthday between the teams of the Fort Worth Chess Club and the Dallas Chess and Checker Club. At the time the chess players from this city were in Dallas Thursday the matter was spoken of, and an invitation has been sent by the local players to the Dallas team to come here for a match February 22.

The past two contests between the two teams have resulted in victories for Fort Worth. The Thanksgiving game resulted 6 to 4 in favor of the Fort Worth players, while the last contest before that, played on Thanksgiving day, two years ago, in this city, was also a Panther City victory.

CITY NEWS

The Sunday Club has arranged for a series of meetings at the First Presbyterian church, at Fourth and Calhoun streets, which begins today and lasts all the week.

Services will begin at 7:30 tonight, at which time Rev. J. Frank Smith of Dallas will speak. The music will be a special feature and for this purpose Oscar Seagle, baritone, has been secured. From Monday night to Friday night the services are for men only and some of the strongest men in North Texas will speak at these meetings. The services tonight are for both men and women.

S. H. Mayes of Pryor Creek, I. T. is at the Metropolitan. He is in the city for the purpose of buying from three to five hundred head of cattle. Mr. Mayes was here about a year ago and says he is surprised at the development of the city. He says that the territory elected ninety-nine Democratic delegates out of a possible 112.

DEATHS

Sanders

Mrs. Nancy Sanders, aged 72, mother of Mrs. W. H. Morrison, of this city, died Saturday evening at 9 o'clock The funeral will be held from L. P. Robertson's undertaking parlors. Interment at the Oakwood cemetery. She came here from Colgate, I. T., and had been in the city about three months.

TRAIN WRECKERS BUSY SATURDAY

Engineer Stopped Train Just in Time

Special to The Telegram.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Dec. 1.—An attempt was made to wreck the Louisville express train on the Monon railway yesterday morning at 4 o'clock, six miles south of here. After robbing the Monon station at Clear Creek, four miles south of here, burglars proceeded down the track to quarry switch. Standing about three hundred feet down this switch there were several loaded stone cars. The switch was broken off and thrown into the weeds. The fast Louisville train dashed into the open switch, while running thirty-five miles an hour, but fortunately the engineer had perfect control of his train and attempted and stopped within a few feet of the stone cars.

Special to The Telegram.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 1.—Train No. 10 on the Baltimore and Ohio, leaving Pittsburg at 9:30 tonight, due to arrive in New York at 12:35 p. m., Sunday, having on board passengers for Washington, Philadelphia and New York, was wrecked by train wreckers at Guffey Mines, about thirty miles from Pittsburg, at 10:25 tonight. It is rumored that a number were killed, while the list of injured will be large. Details are lacking because of the isolated location of the wrecked train. The dead and injured are being taken to McKeesport and Connelsville. Officials here declare the train was deliberately wrecked, because several trains had successfully passed over the switch before No. 10 hit it.

ASK ABOUT RAIDS

Many Congressmen Write to Brownsville Citizens

Special to The Telegram.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 1.—A number of letters have been received by prominent Brownsville citizens from congressmen in the East, asking for reports on the Brownsville outrages in which it is alleged that the negro soldiers of the Twenty-fifth infantry participated. This indicates that the matter is to be aired before congress. Collector of Customs Vann, who was in this city today on business, says he knows of a number of such letters which have been received at Brownsville. The letters are being written to men of both political parties, and indicate that those interested in the affair are making an honest effort to get accurate information of real conditions. It is stated that the information is being cheerfully furnished, and that there is evidence enough to convince any one that the raids were really made by the negro soldiers.

NEED 10,000 MEN

Special to The Telegram.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 1.—According to a statement made here this week by Assistant Engineer H. M. McCartney, 10,000 men are needed on the construction of the Gould line to the Pacific coast—the Western Pacific road—which line is to connect with the Denver and Rio Grande at Salt Lake City, making a transcontinental road for that system. The company now has working on the new road nearly five thousand men between San Francisco and Salt Lake City, but twice as many are actually needed, but cannot be had on account of the scarcity of labor everywhere, especially in the west. The Western Pacific will be 925 miles long and graders are now working on the 326 miles of road from Deeth, Nev., to the California state line. The entire road will be graded, it is believed, within the next three weeks. The road is completed west from Salt Lake City a distance of 183 miles thru Mud Desert. Work can be given 10,000 laborers on the line at wages from $2.25 to $2.75 a day.

SNAPSHOT OF WEST POINT ELEVEN WHICH ANNAPOLIS CADETS DEFEATED SATURDAY



LABOR LEADERS GIVE EVIDENCE

Say They Received $1,500 to Call Strike

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Albert Young, foe of Cornelius H. Shea, and one of the labor leaders on trial before Judge Ball for conspiracy in connection with the teamsters' strike, went on the witness stand today, following his plea of guilty Friday, with three others of the men on trial and admitted having received, with others, $1,500 to sell the strike against Montgomery Ward & Co.

Young and three companions Friday after withdrawing their pleas of not guilty and pleaded guilty, announced their willingness to turn state's evidence and Young in his testimony today began laying bare the secrets of the alleged conspiracy, which, he says, involves his enemy, C. H. Shea, president of the teamsters' union, and Jeffinah McAnulty, another labor leader. The defense will endeavor to show that the money Young says was given to him as a bribe was in reality embezzled by him and misused, while the money he says was given to Shea was given to the teamsters for legitimate purposes and used for such. Young said:

"Shea, myself and some others met Robert Norton, a representative of the garment workers' union, in the stock exchange building, to talk about the matter. Norton displayed $1,500 and offered it to us to call a strike against Montgomery Ward & Co. We accepted it, Shea and myself getting $100. We then went to Shea's office and he said: 'We will have to make good.' The next day the strike was called."

Young and his confederates are guarded at the Annex tonight to save them from the vengeance of President Shea's followers in the teamsters' union.

YESTERDAY'S RACE RESULTS

Races at New Orleans

Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.—Summary:

First race, five and one-half furlongs—Consideration 110 (McDaniel), 5 to 1, won; Alenlon, 110 (Austin), 6 to 5, second; Airship, 109 (Nicol), 3½ to 1, third. Time, 1:07 4-5.

Second race, six furlongs—Charlie Eastman, 105 (Mountain), 4 to 1, won; Meadow Breeze, 108 (Morris), 2 to 1, second; Fantastic, 109 (Hennessy), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:14.

Third race, one mile—Dr. Spruill, 108 (Nicol), 7 to 5, won; Hannibal Boy, 105 (Hogg), 8 to 5, second; The Englishman, 108 (Mountain), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:41 3-5.

Fourth race, Crescent City stakes, five and one-half furlongs—Glamor, 112 (Garner), 3½ to 1, won; Colloquy, 112 (Foy), 4 to 5, second; Royal Breeze, 118 (Hennessy), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 1-5.

Fifth race—Mile and a half: Little Scout, 107 (L. Smith), 18 to 5, won; Safety Light, 103 (Garner), 11 to 5, second; Footlights Favorite, 98 (A. Morgan), 30 to 1, third. Time—2:34 4-5.

Sixth race—Mile and twenty yards: Odd Ella, 99 (A Morgan), 3 to 1, won; H. Watterson, 105 (C. Morris), 3 to 5, second; Matador, 105 (E. Martin), 20 to 1, third. Time—1:43 4-5.

Races at Los Angeles

Special to The Telegram.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 1.—Summary:

First race—Three-quarters of a mile: Ila, 104 (D. Boland), 4 to 1, won; Prince Ching, 107 (Butwell), 5 to 1, second; Bologna, 102 (F. Sullivan), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:14½.

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs: Blue Bottle, 101 (Preston), 6 to 5, won; Elmsdale, 106 (D. Boland), 18 to 5, second; Kilter, 108 (J. Harris), 8 to 5, third.

Third race—Mile: Larkie Mayor, 107 (Koerner), 11 to 5, won; Comedian, 107 (Koerner), 11 to 5, won; Comedian, 107 (C. Ross), 7 to 1, second; Avontellus, 110 (Kunz), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:43¾.

Fourth race—Three-quarters mile: Supreme Court, 107 (W. Fisher), 10 to 1, won; Dondomo, 112 (Preston), 5 to 2, second; Teupee, 116 (J. Harris), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:13 1-5.

Fifth race—Futurity course: Kirkfield Belle, 103 (Kent), 8 to 5, won; Budapest, 103 (J. Harris), 5 to 2 second; El Ota, 103 (D. Boland), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:11¼.

Sixth race — Three-quarters mile: Varieties, 102 (Gargan), 3 to 1, won; Search Me, 105 (Butler), 9 to 2, second; Linda Rose, 107 (Koerner), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¼.

Races at Bennings

Special to The Telegram.

BENNING RACE TRACK, Dec. 1.—Summary:

First race—Mile: Cedar Stroma, 114 (Creamer), 6 to 1, won; New York, 114 (Beckham), 8 to 1, second; Chalfonte, 106 (Bliac), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:42 1-5.

Second race—Handicap, steeplechase, about two miles: Captain Hayes, 151 (Saffel), 11 to 5, won; Cherry Fighter, 140 (Huston), 10 to 1, second; Lysistra, 130 (McHenry), 12 to 1, third. Time, 4:14.

Third race—Five furlongs: Lady Karma, 104 (Miller), 4 to 5, won; Theodora, 104 (Lee), 10 to 1, second; Blue Book, 110 (S. J. Walsh), 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:02 2-5.

Fourth race—The Seventh Maximum, $1,500 added, three miles: Holscher, 110 (Horner), 2 to 5, won; Palette, 104 (Beckman), 30 to 1, second; Pete Dailey, 104 (Hogan), 10 to 1, third. Time, 5:41.

Fifth race—Seven furlongs: Fine Trail, 110 (J. Johnson), 6 to 5, won; Marster, 110 (Lee), 2 to 1, second; Marksma, 110 (Hogan), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:30 2-5.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Luretta, 95 (J. Johnson), 7 to 1, won; Kercherval, 114 (Lee), 9 to 2, second; Oxford, 131 (Miller), even, third. Time, 1:50 3-5.

Races at Oakland

Special to The Telegram.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 1.—Oakland results:

First race—Seven-eighth of a mile: Prestige, 107 (J. Hunter), 7 to 1, won; Lustig, 109 (Sandy), 8 to 5, second; Alice Cary, 101 (Buxton), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:27 3-5.

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs: Gemmel, 105 (A. Brown), 4 to 5, won; Melitah, 109 (L. Williams), 11 to 5, second; Gromobol, 104 (J. McIntyre), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 3-5.

Third race—Futurity course, 170 feet less than three-fourths mile: Mansard, 109 (J. McIntyre), 1 to 3, won; Jake Ward, 104 (E. Dugan), 11 to 5, second; Mimo, 109 (S. Brown), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:11.

Fourth race—One mile: Rubric, 107 (Sandy), 2 to 1, won; Sir Edward, 108 (L. Williams), 30 to 1, second; Lubin, 110 (E. Robinson), 9 to 10, third. Time, 1:39 4-5.

Fifth race—One mile: Dutiful, 100 (Lawrence), 11 to 5, won; Orchan, 107 (Sandy), 9 to 5, second; Mai Lowry, 102 (F. Wilson), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:41 4-5.

Sixth race—Futurity course: St. Francis, 101 (A. Brown), 12 to 5, won; Mary F., 104 (Kirschbal), 8 to 1, second; Ethel Day, 109 (Leeds), 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:10 1-5.

BIG CROWD TO SEE LAST DAY'S RACES

Much Interest Manifested at Washington

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—There was a big crowd on hand to see the last day's racing form in the capital city. Pessimists were even inclined to predict that it would be the last racing seen in the vicinity of Washington for years to come.

The feature race, the Maximum stakes, for three-year-olds and up, at three miles, was considered a gift to Holscher, so the race was hardly a feature. Holscher simply breezed home six lengths ahead of Palette, who was two lengths ahead of Peter Dailey. Horner handled the favorite well, keeping Holscher well in the rear until the last mile, when he was let out and just galloped over his field.

The handicap steeplechase proved just a gallop for the 11 to 5 second choice Captain Hayes, who beat Cherry Fighter, the second horse, fifteen lengths. Lysistrata was third. Miller scored his only victory on Lady Karam, the 4 to 5 favorite in the third race. As usual Miller got his mount away like a flash and soon had the lead. Lady Karam won by five lengths. Theodora beat Blue Book a head for the place.

"OKLAHOMA GAS FOR OKLAHOMA"

May Prevent Piping Outside the New State

Special to The Telegram.

TULSA, I. T., Dec. 1.—The Commercial Club of this city today inaugurated a movement for keeping a supply of natural gas within bounds in the new state by calling a meeting of the commercial bodies of the new state to take action on this matter. Oklahoma gas for Oklahoma is the slogan and it is proposed to have a clause incorporated in the state constitution prohibiting the piping of gas outside the state. It is said a Kansas natural gas company proposes to pipe gas for domestic use to Kansas City and St. Louis and other cities and manufacturing concerns in Southeastern Kansas, where the supply is decreasing rapidly is figuring on getting gas from the Ramona field. "If gas is used for manufacturing fuel let the factories be Oklahoma concerns," is the general demand of the people of the state.

J. GORDON WRIGHT DEAD

Special to The Telegram.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 1.—J. Gordon Wright, one of the wealthiest lumbermen of Cincinnati and a director and stockholder in several Philadelphia trust companies and large industrial enterprises, dropped dead on Vine street this afternoon from heart disease. The deceased was 54 years of age and a native of Cincinnati.

LAND AGENT TALKS OF COLONIZATION

Missouri Man Is Head of Big Land Company

L. P. Viley of Marshall, Mo., general agent of the Commonwealth Land Company of Muskogee, I. T., is at the Metropolitan hotel. He said: "I am on the lookout for land, with a view to locating a colony to be composed of the pick of Missouri and Illinois farmers. Have returned from a trip on the Texas & Pacific as far west as Stanton, and I must say I am thoroly satisfied and pleased with the country. I find prices ranging from $10 to $25 per acre. Lands of the same quality in our country would readily bring $75 to $100 per acre. My company sold last year, and the year before, 30,000 acres of land in Harris, Brazoria, Waller and Fort Bend counties, colonized the tract, and the settlers, I understand, are more than pleased with their investment.

"While my people do a large business in the territory mentioned, personally, I prefer Central and Western Texas, and am satisfied that in a very short time land values in that section will reach sky high.

"To show you the rapidity with which lands jump, I offered a party in Knox county $10 per acre for 10,000 acres of land, which three years previously, were valued at $3 per acre. They turned me down and asked $14."

PLAN BAILEY MEETING

Many Friends From All Parts of the State to Attend

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 1.—It was announced by friends of Senator Bailey that the meeting announced to be held in this city next week will have necessarily to be put forward for a day or two on account of Senator Bailey being called to Austin. The continuance of the Waters-Pierce case, however, will enable him to return here and the meeting may possibly be held next week. It all depends on Bailey. It is expected that friends from all sections of Texas will be present, as they realize a big fight is on.

STAR WITNESS ARRIVES

John P. Gruet Is at Austin for the Trial

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Dec. 1.—John P. Gruet, a star witness for the state in the Waters-Pierce penalty and ouster suit, arrived in Austin today at noon. He did not register at the hotel, the clerk doing that for him. He eluded the newspaper men, remarking to one man that they had been chasing him for some time. He called at the attorney general's department and was closeted there thru the afternoon.

WANT $4,000 TO RELEASE CORPSE

Elihu Root to Take Matter Up With Government

Special to The Telegram.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 1.—Because of a demand of the Mexican government of a fee of $4,000 for permission to send to Denver the body of Mrs. Mattie C. Critchlow, who died a few days ago in the City of Mexico, the state department at Washington has called upon Ambassador Thompson to make an investigation that in all probability will be followed by a formal demand upon the Mexican government for the release of the body. An appeal made thru United States Senator T. M. Patterson of Colorado brought instant response from Secretary of State Elihu Root. The senator asked of the state department why the body was being held, and in turn Secretary Root wired to the City of Mexico, asking on what grounds the body of Mrs. Critchlow was being held for the $4,000.

Senator Patterson and persons interested in the outcome of the case in question are at a loss to know on what authority the Mexican government demands such an extortion before releasing the body for shipment to Colorado. The matter has created much unfavorable comment here among leading citizens.

PRODIGAL AT 13

Stanley Davis Sorry He Left and He Wants to Go Back

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Penniless and a much wiser boy, Stanley Davis, 13 years old, whose father, Edward N. Davis, a real estate dealer of Fitzgerald, Ga., awaited anxiously in local telegraph offices in Newark this afternoon for a reply to a telegram he had sent to his father, whose home he deserted last Sunday.

Young Davis drifted into Newark after he had been deserted, he claims, by a boy whom he knows only as Eddie Allen, and who, he declares, lured him from his home to see the sights of the North and West. Young Davis expressed the hope that his father would forgive him for running away and would send him the necessary cash to get back.

WILL COMPLETE MARCH 1

Engineer Has Charge of Yoakum Irrigation Prospect

Special to The Telegram.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 1.—Chester B. Davis, who is the engineer directing the construction of the vast irrigation project of the Yoakum syndicate on the Rio Grande, is in the city. He says rapid progress is being made on the work, and that both the canal and pumping station will be in operation by March 1. The pumping machinery now on the grounds will irrigate 40,000 acres of land.

NEW TEXAS CHARTERS

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 1.—Chartered today:

Hamilton Lasseter Hardware Company of Westbrook, Mitchell county; capital stock $5,000.

The People's Company of Houston; capital stock, $20,000.

At any rate, the bald-headed man always comes out on top.

QUEEN CROWNED WITH REGAL POMP

Many Thousand at North Fort Worth Carnival

The feature event of the North Fort Worth celebration last night was the crowning of the queen of the carnival. There were, perhaps, 12,000 people on the ground to witness the event, which took place at the Wild West show at 9:30 o'clock.

The contest was interesting feature of the daily program for the entire week preceding the close. Miss Gertrude Smith having received the greatest number of votes, was declared the winner of the honor so covetously sought for several popular young ladies by their friends. In choosing her maids of honor, she courteously remembered those who were in the contest, and all who could act were choosen maids of honor. The list included the following: Misses Marie Kiper, Clara Heidleston, Mabel Daniels, Jossie Little, Eilet Randle and Hallie Calton.

The queen in regal attire, accompanied by her maids of honor and royal escort, were driven thru the principal carnival streets, and then to the Wild West show, where the coronation took place, Fred P. Hopkins, conducted the ceremonies, and in fitting speech delivered to the queen a handsome diamond ring, to Miss Mamie Kiper a handsome gold watch and to Miss Jessie Meurice a silk umbrella. The crown was then placed upon the head of the queen-elect and she was declared the queen of the carnival, and will reign thruout the coming week's festivities. She accepted the honors with becoming modesty, yet with a grace that was entirely in keeping with the new station she had assumed.

Amid the hearty cheers of the throng that crowded about to offer congratulations, the queen and maids of honor were escorted to a special box in the Wild West show, and the performance was then started, the band began to play, the bark of the barkers grew louder, the Venice battle with confetti was waged with renewed energy and crowds became more jolly in honor of the occasion. The carnival fever seemed to be contagious, and every one seemed to suffer an attack of the malady, while the confetti vendors enjoyed the best trade of the week.

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The Daylight Store

Monday's Great Special Sale of Hand-Worked Linen--Prices Slashed

Monday's great special selling of Dainty Japanese Hand Embroidered Linens will be a feast for the lovers of the beautiful. Hundreds of pieces of these beautiful Linens will be on display in the Center aisle, and the prices have been cut lower than any ever made on such goods before. Exquisite designs in Doilies from 9 inches square to 36 inches square, also large lunch cloths full 6-4; and not only these but Dresser Scarfs and all kinds of fancy worked pieces will be included in this sale. What can you buy for a Xmas. present that will gladden the heart of wife, daughter or friend more than a piece of this lovely linen.

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY TO BUY BEAUTIFUL LINEN

An Offering of Ladies' High Class Tailored Suits

The Daylight Store has earned the well merited reputation of carrying NOT ONLY the most perfect fitting Suits to be had, but Suits that were modeled after the newest Paris fashions; and every lady who has bought of us is loud in her praise of how they retain their perfect shape; which goes to prove that the material used in making and the workmanship are of the first order. This offering for Monday excels anything we have attempted this season in value-giving, and should you purchase, you can rest assured that you have the very best and most stylish garment of the season—and at 25 per cent less than real worth.

Ladies' Tailored Suit in a gray mixture, short coat trimmed in velvet, buttons and braids; Monday's price $13.50

Ladies' Tailored Suit in several designs of gray plaid, short coat, newest model skirt; Monday $8.50

Ladies' Tailored Suit in black and gray checks, short coat, velvet collar, new model skirt; Monday's price $9.00

Ladies' Tailored Suit in light gray, short coat trimmed in white broadcloth and silk braid; Monday's price $12.50

Ladies' Tailored Suit, short coat, in light gray, with blue pin stripe overplaid, velvet collar and cuffs and silk braid trimmings; Monday $16.50

Ladies' Tailored Suit in black and white stripes, lined with taffeta silk, newest model skirt; Monday's price $20.00

Ladies' Tailored Suits in several styles, in gray, navy, green and brown, all handsomely trimmed; the best $35.00 suits ever shown in the city; Monday's price $25.00

Beautiful Oriental Kimonos

Made of Finest Japanese Silk

And come in Japanese and Persian designs with borders in solid shades to match. We know no competition in this line, and Monday we have selected a number of handsome designs and price at.... $5.75

At This Time

When you are looking around for something nice for holiday presents, we offer some very appropriate things for your inspection. Monday we place on sale 100 White Bed Quilts in beautiful patterns—one with a plain border, at $1.25

One in Marseilles pattern with heavy fringe, worth $2.00; Monday $1.39

The above are exceptional values and you will do well to inspect them.

Have You Ever Worn Knittop Petticoats?

If not, you don't know what real comfort is. We carry a complete line of them, ranging in price from $1.25 to $7.50. Ask to see them in ready-to-wear department.

Knit Petticoats

In all colors, both long and short..... 50¢ up
Splendid line Flannelette Petticoats..... 50¢ up
One special for Monday at ..... 65¢

Great Values in Ladies' Tailored Coats

A special offering for Monday of 27 Ladies' Black Cloaks, elegantly tailored and in newest styles, full 52 inches long; priced for Monday at from $12.50 to $35.00

We also offer at reduced prices a beautiful line of Ladies Coats in newest mixtures, trimmed in velvet, braids and buttons, at from $6.00 to $25.00

Misses' Coats

No better assortment of Misses' Coats were ever shown in the city than those on display in our coat department. We can suit every taste in color and style, and you will be agreeably surprised at the exceedingly low price asked, ranging from $2.25 to $15.00

Children's Coats

Every mother takes pride in seeing the little tots neatly dressed, and nothing adds so much to their appearance as a dressy little coat, neatly trimmed. We have hundreds of them, and at a price which places them within the reach of all. Look through the line Monday.

The Rainy Weather

Is not over by any means and we want to supply every man, woman and child with the best Parasol or Umbrella they ever owned, and do it for the least money. We have them in every conceivable style of handle; in natural wood, pearl, etc.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Raincoats and Macintoshes

In every size and newest colorings, and the price is right.

When a Lady wants Something New and Dressy

IN A SKIRT, she naturally thinks of The Daylight Store as the first place to go. This week we have something specially good to offer. We have just received a shipment of

Black Voile Skirts

That are certainly the handsomest shown in Fort Worth. They come in newest models, plaited and trimmed in folds of taffeta silk, specially priced for Monday's selling, at from $10.00 to.... $19.75

For Evening Wear

A splendid line of White and Cream Mohair and Serge Suits in newest models; some plaited, others trimmed in straps and folds of same material. Now is the time to buy for the holidays, while you can get just what you want at a very low price.

Novelties

In Ladies' Neck Ruffs

The prettiest thing a lady can wear—a dainty, light neck wrap that comes in black and white and all shades; made of finest net and silk mousseline; specially low priced for Monday at from $1.50 to $8.50

Silk Waist Offering

At $5.00 Each.

Nothing to compare with these Waists has ever been shown by us at the price. They are the newest things of the season, in plaids and stripes and splendidly finished; made of best quality taffeta silk, and would be cheap at $7.00; Monday..... $5.00

A Great Many People

Do not know that we carry the largest and most select stock of Holiday Goods to be found in the city. This season we have by far the handsomest line we have ever shown; and as to prices—all we ask is that you compare them with others', and we know we will get your business. In our center aisle you will find the tables loaded with beautiful China in dainty Japanese and Oriental designs, Bric-a-brac from Switzerland, Bohemian Vases, Gilded, German Gunmetal Trays of various kinds; French Dressing Cases in dozens of styles, and hundreds of beautiful presents suitable for the old and the young. We give just a few prices to convey an idea as to lowness of price. Come and look them over and select what you wish before the rush.

Finest China Cups and Saucers, Japanese hand decorated; each.... 25¢

Decorated China Cream Pitcher in Japanese designs; 95c to.... $1.50

China Chocolate Pots, decorated in Jap designs ..... 75¢ up

Decorated China Celery Dishes, Fruit Bowls, Chocolate Sets, Cracker Jars, Salad Bowls, etc., all prices.

Beautifully decorated China Placques, decorated in roses, pansies, violets and iris; each, 50c and ..... 75¢

Hand Mirrors in solid English oak and ebony backs; 25c to.... $2.50

Tourist Cases in morocco, genuine bristle brushes with ebony mountings; very cheap. Smoker Sets in ebony and wood, from 50c up to $1.50

And hundreds of things we can't enumerate.

Elegant line of ebony Candlesticks and Cigar Holders, specially low priced.

Genuine Cocobola and ebony Dresser Sets, ornamented with silver; $2.50 to $25.00

Come enclosed in leather cases, satin lined.

Latest novelties in Collar and Cuff Boxes; 75¢ up.

Extremely pretty line of Shaving Sets in ebony and silver; $3.75 to $7.50

Burnt Wood Dresser Boxes in several designs—very low priced.

Handsome line Silver and Gold Crumb Trays, Card Receivers, Pin Trays and Match Boxes—25¢ up.

Every new thing in Jewel Cases.

Manicure Sets in ebony and silver; come in satin lined cases, priced very low.

Imitation Cut Glass Powder Boxes, sterling silver tops ..... 25¢

Beautiful Mission Furniture

Now on display in our window on Houston street, is one of the nicest things you could select for a Christmas present, and one that will be appreciated. This furniture is not as expensive as you would think to look at it, and yet it is durable, and nothing that you can buy in furniture is so pretty and graceful in outline. We show a line of handsome Plate Racks, Music Racks, Paper Racks, Tables, Stools, Chairs, Desks and many other pieces, and you are cordially invited to call and inspect it.

Our Notion Department

Glistens with newness. Every novelty of the season in Stick Pins, Hat Pins, Beauty Pins, Beads, Belts, Purses in beaded work and leather, Belt Buckles, Hose Supporters, Garters and Garter Sets, Side Combs, Ornamental Back Combs and hundreds of new things too numerous to mention, are shown—priced within reach of all.

The Holiday Excursions

Will soon begin. Are you going to take a trip, and will you want a traveling bag? If so, we have a splendid line, from $1.00 to $10.00
Or a Suit Case you will want. We can supply you with the best, from $1.50 to $10.00
Or a Trunk—we can give you just what you want, for we have any kind of a Trunk you can call for, ranging in price from $3.95 to $30.00
Remember, we save you 25 per cent on any of the above.
Don't forget our Silk and Dress Goods department. Great reductions being made in both material and trimmings.
We are showing a very handsome line of Silk Shawls and Fichus in all shades, very cheap.

Big Bargains

In Ladies' Fine Muslin Underwear, for Monday.
Gowns ..... 75¢ up Skirts..... 75¢ up
Pants ..... 25¢ up Chemise..... 75¢ up
All beautifully trimmed in laces, embroidery, insertion and ribbons. Also a splendid line of Flannelette Gowns, from 50c to $1.00
Pajamas, $1.50 up to $3.00

FURS FURS FURS

If you intend buying Furs this season, Monday's opportunity should not be neglected, for you will never buy them so cheap again, nor have such an immense stock to select from. We will not attempt description, for it would take a page of space. We only quote a few prices—

Coney Furs, 95c to	$6.75
Beaver Furs	$3.00 up
Opossum	$2.25 up
Squirrel, $7.50 to	$10.00
Russian Mink Scarfs	$9.75 up
Sable	$6.00 up
Ermine	$8.75
Isabella Fox	$5.00 up

Prices made for Monday 25 per cent less than ever before made on same class of furs anywhere.

You Could Spend the Day

In Our Art Department

Looking at the many new things that we show in this particular line and then not see one-half. Remember, we have made special prices throughout this department for Monday.

Six Big Bargains

For This Week in Our Carpet Dept.

Best quality Velvet Carpet, made, laid and lined, per yard $1.15
Second quality Velvet Carpet, made laid and lined, per yard ..... 85¢
Best 10-wire Tapestry Brussels, made, laid and lined, per yard ..... 78¢
Second quality Tapestry Brussels, made, laid and lined, per yard ..... 65¢
Sanford's best Axminster Rugs, 6x9 ..... $16.00
Sanford's best Axminster Rugs, 4-ft. 6 in.x 6-ft. 6 inches, at $7.50

The above values are reduced 20 per cent below regular prices, and are the greatest bargains we have yet offered.

Ladies' Hosiery

Beautiful line of Fancy Silk, Lisle and Cotton Hose just received. Also a full line of the celebrated split foot Hosiery, which is the best on earth. Get our prices Monday.

NAVY WINS FROM ARMY

Won First Victory Recorded in Six Years

SCORE IS 10 TO 0

President Roosevelt Unable to Attend—Miss Ethel Witnessed the Game

SCORE

First half—Army 0, Navy 0.
Second half—Army 0, Navy 10.

Special to The Telegram.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—For the first time in six years, the team of Uncle Sam's naval cadets triumphed here today over the eleven of West Point in a game that was marked by brilliant playing from start to finish, by a score of 10 to 0. It was a glorious victory for the sailors and it was a glorious game. Every seat in the immense stands of Franklin Field was filled and that alone means a crowd of not less than 30,000. Then there were several thousands who were not fortunate enough to get seats, but they were glad to stand wherever they could about the side lines and witness the game as best they might.

The weather conditions could not have been more unfavorable if it had rained. The air was misty and thick with the smoke of the numerous factories in the neighborhood. There was a cold and cutting breeze blowing across the gridiron and the spectators more than once shifted nervously to keep themselves warm.

Despite these conditions, every person in Washington who could spare the time was present. Unfortunately President Roosevelt and the heads of the naval and war department were kept away. Assistant Secretary Newberry represented the navy and Assistant Secretary Oliver was on hand to represent the war department. These two parties were the center of a large group of persons from Washington who occupied the greater part of the first two rows of the long stand.

The crowd crushed its way thru the narrow passage in front of the stands and gazed at the members of Uncle Sam's official family. Miss Ethel Roosevelt, chaperoned by Mrs. Hagenock, with her brothers and friends, saw the game from a box.

First Since 1900

This was the first victory in the annual history which the navy won since 1900, when the sailors were victorious by a score of 11 to 7. The game today was won by a wonderful field goal, made by Northcroft, who was only played in the line a few days ago on probation, and a piece of quick-witted strategy on the part of the navy team. The goal by Northcroft was easily the feature of the game. It was much like the goal Tooker kicked for Princeton at the Yale-Princeton game in 1905, by which the Tigers got a score against the New Haven nine.

It served to give the sailors confidence in their team and from that point on they swept away the attack of the army and rushed on to victory. It took but a few minutes more until Annapolis scored her touchdown after Northcroft had instilled the winning spirit into the hearts of his team.

A fortunate play gave the sailors the ball on the army's thirty-yard line, and Norton made a brilliant forward pass to Ingram, the latter rushing across the army goal before the soldiers had time to collect their senses. Norton got a bit more glory by kicking the goal for the extra point, making the score 10 to 0.

The scene of the game was one which will not be forgotten for a long time by those who witnessed it. The students of the naval academy were seated on the north end of the field, which position they occupied during the entire game, waving their gold and blue flags until their arms ached, and until the final whistle blew. It was one of the prettiest sights ever witnessed and reflected great credit on those who planned it. After every play a burst of golden colors burst over the battalion of naval cadets while the stand re-echoed with tremendous volumes of cheers. The yellow of the flags were reflected all the more because the sailors wore black uniforms against which the flags stood out in wonderful contrast.

On the other side of the field the West Point battalion sat, clad in the more solemn gray uniforms. They had no flag to wave, but made up for the lack of decoration by a volume of rooting that they cheered their mates on with.

Goat Was Mascot

Second to that of the navy, after the game had been won the navy rushed down on the field and paraded about the grounds with a little goat wrapped in a blanket of blue and gold at their head. This was the mascot of the navy and if ever there was a sorry goat it was that one. Each cadet attributed victory to the goat, and each cadet gave the goat an affectionate hug that the goat resented as best it could. For a full half hour the naval cadets celebrated the victory on the field, parading around shouting themselves hoarse and doing the wonderful smoke dance.

Then they cleared the gridiron and the military cadets, like true sportsmen, entered the arena for a small celebration of condolence. The sailors showed distinct superiority over their rivals in many ways. At the beginning of the contest it was seen that punting would be the main strategy. West Point chose the west goal to defend, and with the wind behind him, Beavers tried hard to place the ball in the navy territory, so that the army might have a chance to score, but Douglas, who was punting for Annapolis, was doing equally good, and the ball passed back and forth over the gridiron during the entire first half without either side getting any advantage.

The Second Half

In the second half the navy showed its superiority. The punting game was again resorted to and the sailors used it to make their two scores. Line rushes were tried by both teams, but they proved disastrous in almost every instance. The ends of the two elevens were also well protected, so there was little chance for ground gaining by that route. Spencer was the man who started the navy on to victory. With remarkable coolness in an emergency he signaled for a fair catch, when he could get the leather on the army's 45-yard line. It was this that gave Northcroft his chance to kick the wonderful goal from placement, the army seeming to be rattled by this, for the sailors had everything their own way the next few minutes.

A disastrous fumble by Johnson gave the blue and gold team the ball on West Point's 30-yard line. Norton lay back as if for a kick, but instead he made a forward pass that was captured by Ingram five yards away from the nearest army player. It was easy for him to race the remaining twenty yards for a touchdown and he placed the ball squarely between the goal posts, so that Norton had little difficulty in kicking the goal.

The lineup and summary:

Army.	Position.	Navy.
	Left End.	
Halin		Barnerd
	Left Tackle.	
Weeks		Northcroft
	Left Guard.	
Erwin		Meyer
	Center.	
Sultan		Slingiugg
	Right Guard.	
Christy		Wright
	Rigat Tackle.	
Fowler		Pierson
	Right End.	
Sterns		Damut
	Quarterback.	
Johnson		Norton
	Left Halfback.	
Beavers		Douglas
	Right Halfback.	
Hill (Capt.)		Spencer (Capt.)
	Fullback.	

Smith ..... Ingram

Touchdown, Ingram; goal from touchdown, Norton. Goal from placement, Northcroft. Referee, W. H. Corbin, Yale. Umpire, Al Sharpe, Yale. Linesman, Dr. R. G. Torrey, University of Pennsylvania. Time of halves, 30 minutes each. Attendance, 32,000.

FREE SHOW OPENS MONDAY NIGHT

Hot Springs Free Open Air Concerts at Fifth and Taylor

The Great Anselme with his staff of Hot Springs Doctors and a retinue of vaudeville entertainers are now in the city. All preparations are completed for a magnificent program for the opening night tomorrow evening. The large electric-lighted platform on the vacant lot at Fifth and Taylor streets has been erected in such a manner that thousands will be able to see and hear this greatest of all free open-air vaudeville performances.

Among the leading features of tomorrow evening's bill are Gornes, the silver-throated southern nightingale; the world's greatest counter tenor; Gallagher, the great character comedian, and Kit Whirlwind, the Carlisle Indian College boy. These artists all draw salaries much higher than can be paid by regular vaudeville shows, but the Hot Springs Doctors spare no expense to make their free open-air entertainments worthy of the attendance of the most refined and fastidious.

Monday evening the Great Anselme, who is recognized as the world's most eloquent and ablest medical lecturer, will appear upon the platform and in a brief way explain the object, intentions and methods of the Hot Springs Doctors. To demonstrate the wonderful curative powers of nature's remedies as embodied in the Hot Springs remedies, cases of deafness or paralysis are invited to come upon the platform Monday evening and be cured absolutely free of charge.

Until a permanent home can be erected, the Hot Springs Institute will be located in an elegant suite of rooms on the second floor of the building at Eighth and Houston, over Blythe's. This institute will be personally conducted by Ben W. Kinsey, M. D., better known among his associates in the medical profession as "Marvel Kinsey," the man with the X-ray eye, on account of his marvelous skill in locating and curing disease. Dr. Kinsey will diagnose the most difficult and complicated cases in a moment's time, describing every symptom, ache and pain without asking the patient a single question. He has no peer in the medical profession, as diplomas, licenses and newspaper records will show. The professional services of this great specialist are absolutely free to all during the month of December.

The Hot Springs system of curing chronic diseases has a national reputation, as is attested by the fact the United States government has established its army and navy hospital at Hot Springs, Ark., where our soldiers and sailors are sent when all ordinary methods have failed to cure. An average of over 2,500 people go to Hot Springs every week to be cured of diseases that are incurable by ordinary methods. They come on crutches, in carriages and on stretchers, and most of them go home well and happy. Hot Springs is a national blessing. It remained for the Great Anselme and Marvel Kinsey to discover the secret healing properties of the waters of Hot Springs and to perfect their wonderful system of Hot Springs treatment so that it can be used anywhere, in any home, without inconvenience, annoyance or publicity and without detaining the patient from his business or occupation. This Hot Springs system of curing and preventing disease is the blessing that the Hot Springs Doctors are bringing to Fort Worth and the great southwest.

The Hot Springs Doctors propose to spend the month of December in advertising the Fort Worth Institute and in demonstrating their wonderful ability to cure disease when all ordinary methods have failed; and as a cured patient is the best advertisement, they desire to secure a few supposedly incurable cases in each community. They want these cases at once, and in order to secure them quickly they will offer free examination and consultation and free treatment, except for the bare cost of the medicines used, to all who call during the month of December, or until they have secured a sufficient number of patients to demonstrate their ability to cure many diseases that are incurable by ordinary methods. While this grand free offer is in force all comers will be examined free, but only cases that can be completely and permanently cured will be accepted for treatment under this free offer. The Hot Springs Doctors reserve the right to refuse to treat any and all incurable cases.

New Paper for Muskogee

Special to The Telegram.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., Dec. 1.—Another morning newspaper, alleged to belong to C. W. Raymond, will appear in this city tomorrow. It will be Republican in politics. The officers are: F. L. Martin, city councilman, president; Ira L. Reeves, vice president, and F. F. Merriam, secretary and treasurer.

Police Work Overtime

The police officers came in very irregularly Saturday night to report, for it is the day for the shift of watches and some of the men were on for the full twenty-four hours. On the first of each month the day and night men shift their watches and it is hard on those who have to do the twenty-four hour tour of duty.

Best for rheumatism, Elmer & ... Description No. 2561. Celebrated on its merits for many effectual cures. For sale by all druggists.

UNIVERSITY TEAM CLOSES SEASON

Has Won Six Out of Seven Games Played

SEASON SCORE: 115 TO 9

Many Trick Plays as Up-to-date as Those of Eastern Teams Were Used—Much Credit to Mills

Fort Worth University football team closed the most successful and satisfactory season in its history with the Thanksgiving game. The school was represented in seven games this season, winning six of them. The teams representing the University scored 115 points, against 9 by opponents. In only one game, the Thanksgiving game, was the team scored on. This is a new record for the University team and places it in the ranks of the best teams of the south.

The team averaged but 145 pounds, yet in spite of this it won games from opponents who were twenty-five pounds heavier to the man. In spite of the light weight of most of the players several are stars who deserve places on the "All Southwestern Team." Payton at halfback and Gantt at right tackle are the particular stars of the team; their work on both offensive and defensive is of the class rarely found outside the larger colleges. Charbonneau at left end weighs but 135 pounds, but his work has always been effective; he is cool and heady, a sure tackler and quick to cover a loose ball.

Loyd and Ward were the 'varsity guards. They are both young, but careful, cool and reliable players. Along with them is classed Horn, who has played center, often opposing a man forty pounds heavier than himself.

Slawson at left tackle, Nies at quarter and Borden at fullback have at all times played hard, aggressive and effective football. They are fearless, accurate and reliable. Minter at right end is a promising end. Altho young, he has at times played up to the standard of a seasoned man. His work has been good, but rather irregular.

Triplett, Scarborough, Ellington, Woodruff, Moore, Rouer, Portwood, Marsh and Grisson are members of the second team and to them is credited the greater number of points scored this season.

Credit for the success of the team falls to Coach and Halfback Mills, who is one of the speediest players that has ever been on a Fort Worth field. As coach, he worked up plays which were startling to opponents with the entire movement was in most cases absolutely. Plays were used by the Fort Worth team almost as soon as they were by the big teams of the east, where the experts formed the rules and knew just what they could do before they were published. The forward pass as developed by the University team here was almost absolutely certain and was guarded perfectly.

As a player Mills is just as fine as he is a coach, and has easily been the star of the team. He is fast on his feet and in a broken field can be counted on to make many yards before finally being downed. As a tackler he is sure. In fact he is a good man in any position.

ASK $10,000 FOR FREIGHT BUREAU

Special Board of Trade Committee Makes Report

The special committee to consider the matter of the establishment of a freight bureau for the city of Fort Worth, a committee which was appointed at the latest meeting of the Board of Trade, met Saturday afternoon at the Board of Trade rooms and made a unanimous report. The report favors the establishment of such a freight bureau and to that end recommends that the sum of $10,000 be raised and the special committee is continued to aid in raising, or in actually raising, that sum for the purpose named.

That committee will report the results of its labor at a meeting to be held at the Board of Trade rooms on Monday evening at 7:30, and all interested in the proposed freight bureau are invited to be present.

The plan contemplates the selection by the subscribers of an executive committee, who will have the general supervision of the affairs of the freight bureau. The question of a manager for the bureau, when it is organized, was not even brought up at the Saturday meeting.

The special committee which has acted so promptly in this important matter is: George C. Mountcastle, chairman; A. P. Foute, F. M. Rogers, R. E. Bell, W. G. Turner, William Monnig and Neil P. Anderson.

This same committee will act as a kind of soliciting committee, at least, until the Monday night meeting.

Shipping Broom Corn

The Santa Fe is shipping a large lot of broom corn from Oklahoma this season and the traffic at this time fills from fifteen to twenty cars daily. The broom corn is shipped to Kansas and Nebraska and the Atlantic coast states, some of the shipments going even to New Brunswick and Ontario.

NEW SPECIAL TO MEXICO

Attitude of Texas Railroad Commission Is Problematical

The "Mexico-St. Louis Special" is the name of the new train, which, starting from St. Louis, runs by the Iron Mountain, Texas & Pacific, International and the Mexican National, to the City of Mexico. To assist in advertising it so that the traveling public may know its merits the interested railways have had printed one of the most unique folders gotten out by any of the railways of the southwest for a long time, if it is not superior to any of its predecessors.

Full information about the equipment is given and much succinct information about the principal places passed thru on the journey. It is well illustrated.

In this connection, the following special from Chicago is apropos for the Wabash, another Gould line, makes the Chicago connection and therefore the comment which names the Wabash, is admissible.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—A position has been assumed by the railroad commission of Texas which may interfere seriously with the operation of the Wabash's thru train from Chicago to the City of Mexico. The commission has intimated that it will issue an order directing that the train stop at every station on the International & Great Northern and the Texas & Pacific roads in Texas. These are the two roads over which the train runs after it reaches the end of the Wabash lines. The carrying out of the order will reduce the train to the standing of a local way-train.

The commission, furthermore, has taken the position that no person who holds a ticket purchased from the agent of one of these roads may be debarred from riding on this train without the payment of an extra fare.

New Southern Pacific Steamship Service

About Dec. 12 the Southern Pacific Company will place in service their new 16,000 ton steamer Mexico. The initial trip will be from New York to New Orleans and return, after which the steamer will be put in the Havana service during the winter months and be returned to the New York-New Orleans line about June 1, in time for summer excursion travel.

This steamer is a steel, oil-powered, four-deck, ocean-going passenger and cargo vessel of unusual strength, capable of navigating any waters and has a speed of 16 knots per hour. Its length is 440 feet, beam 53 feet, depth 37 feet, load draft 26 feet and a dead weight capacity of 4,500 gross tons and displacement of 10,600 gross tons. It is fitted with a complete electric light plant, with turbine generators, electric lights, heaters and call bells; also fire detecting and extinguishing, fumigating and disinfecting systems.

FOOT BALL RULES ARE SUCCESSFUL

Many New Plays Allowed by Revised Rules

BY ENOCH J. MILLS.

The "new" football rules have proved a success, especially from the spectators' point of view. Players are satisfied with the rules because new and difficult plays are possible, and are



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only limited by the players' ability. The "forward pass" and the "ten yard" are the main features of the new rules. There are other important changes, but these two are the ones that have materially altered the game.

The teams this season were required to advance the ball ten yards in three downs, double the distance required in the past. This rule gave weaker teams a chance to stop the progress of their opponents, but made it more difficult, in fact almost impossible for the weaker team to make the required distance by the old style of play. For this reason the forward pass was given as a means to make the gain possible.

The forward pass is the most sensational and spectacular play in football. It requires more skill and exactness than any other play. It is a difficult play to execute because the defense has advanced in judgment and alertness.

There have been fewer accidents, so few in fact that there has not been an objection to the game. The new rules mark a new epoch in the game's advancement. It has lifted the game out of its rut and placed it upon another base, which is not governed by old styles, ideas or methods. For these reasons it has prevented many teams from playing, because new rules were not understood. No doubt this alone accounts for the fewer accidents in the game. This season the game has been played along a new course and prevented rowdy and old-style methods which were the cause of most of the injuries occurring in the game.

Many schools that abolished football have already reinstated it, and most of the others will have done so before the next season opens.

The new rules were an experiment this season, but they proved a success, and will no doubt remain, with slight changes, in force in the future.

Love is blind; at any rate the fellow who is in love feels that it is out of sight.

MOB FIRED FACTORIES

Tobacco Stemmeries in Kentucky Burned

LOSS IS $100,000

Mob of Masked Men Took Possession of Town of Princeton

Special to The Telegram.

PRINCETON, Ky., Dec. 1.—A mob rode into town early today and set fire to two large tobacco stemmeries along the Illinois Central railroad. Another fire was started in another part of town. The loss will be about $100,000.

The stemmeries were the property of James Stenger and John G. Orr, the latter controlled by the Imperial Tobacco Company of New York, and were totally destroyed. Several cottages in the vicinity were badly damaged, but nobody was hurt. The mob numbered about three hundred masked men, entered Princeton between 1 and 2 o'clock and seized the night town marshal and disarmed him. They then went to the factories and quickly applied the torch. The masked men stood on guard, permitting no one to come near until the buildings were completely enveloped in the flames and help was useless. A squad of the mob took charge of the telephone office and no word of the affair was allowed to go out. When the mob saw the fire was beyond control they left the town, going in the direction of Hopkinsville, discharging revolvers and rifles as they departed. The fire department then came out, but could do nothing more than prevent the fire from destroying buildings in the vicinity.

The Orr factory was fired first and when the flames had a good start the marauders started for the Stenger concern. Mr. Orr was in his office when the raid was made and was put under guard and sent to his home with a warning to stay there. At the Stenger factory the mob, evidently pressed for time, wasted none, but put dynamite under the building and blew it up. Stopping only long enough to see that the ruins were well fired and that the flames at both houses were beyond control, the night raiders hurried away in all directions. Four dwellings near the Orr factory were badly damaged and a coal office and two stables near the Stenger factory burned down. After the men left town a message was sent to Eddyville and several citizens formed a guard around their factories, fearing that the mob would pay them a visit and burn their stocks of tobacco.

At 7 o'clock this morning the sheriff of Lyon county arrived with five men heavily armed. It was at first proposed to raise a posse and pursue the marauders, but this was abandoned as it was considered too late for such action.

Other Barns Dynamited

A few weeks ago tobacco barns at Fredonia, Kuttawa and Eddyville, in Lyon county, were dynamited. It is believed here that the raid is part of the fight of the tobacco growers on the American Tobacco Company, but it is not known that any person connected with the Dark Tobacco Growers' Association was in the crowd that made the raid.

Six years ago the Italian government, by high prices, drove all other agents out and later by what is declared an agreement with the American Tobacco Company became able to control prices, paying the growers any price the agents pleased.

The growers organized independent plants and have been waging a commercial warfare. While the growers' organizations disclaim any responsibility for the outrages, the trust people claim that all the acts of lawlessness have been committed by sympathizers.

It is expected that Governor Beckham will be asked to call out the state troops to protect the property from another outbreak, because of several suspicious fires in the last few weeks. United States Fire Marshal Mott Ayres arrived here this afternoon to begin a thoro investigation of the burning of the warehouses. He will probably take up the matter tomorrow.

WHAT "TENEMENT" MEANS

A Building Occupied by Three or More Families as a Home

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 1.—The tenement house commission recommended a course of action yesterday to give immediate effect to the ordinance requiring the registering of tenements and lodging houses and the issuing of permits for renting buildings for such purposes. For the benefit of the owners of buildings that may become subject to the ordinance the commission suggested the publishing of the definition of tenements under the general building ordinances.

Tenement, it is said, means any building occupied by three or more families occupying separate apartments or rooms in the building for living purposes. The owners of such buildings are now required to obtain a permit from the superintendent of buildings, who shall issue it only when he has satisfied himself that the building conforms to the sanitary and building laws.

It is stated that the incomes of physicians in England have decreased 25 per cent during the last three years.

CONSTABLES MEET DEATH IN TWO STATES

Saloon Man Thought He Was Burglar

Special to The Telegram.

JACKSONVILLE, Ind., Dec. 1.—Constable Emanuel Sanders was shot and fatally wounded this morning. It is charged, by George Phelps, who conducts a road house saloon, a mile east of this city. Some men came in Phelps' place, and, drawing their guns, took charge of the saloon. Policeman Chandler and Constable Sanders went to the place, and in the meantime Phelps had gone back to his place and locked himself in. The officers went to his saloon and asked admittance, and were refused, when they at once broke in the door. Phelps, thinking they were robbers, began firing, and Constable Sanders was wounded.

Quarrel Over Receipts of Theatrical Performance

Special to The Telegram.

QUINCY, Ill., Dec. 1.—In a quarrel over the receipts for a theatrical performance given at LaGrange, Mo., eight miles north of Quincy, Hosea Duvall was shot and instantly killed, James E. Rohan and Orion K. Stewart were fatally wounded and Roy Millard was shot thru the body and arm. Rohan is a constable at LaGrange, and with Duvall assisting, was levying on some trunks claimed by Gilbert Donaldson, owner of the combined shows. Stewart and Millard are actors. They are alleged to have begun the shooting.

The little town of La Grange is very much excited over the fatal shooting.

KRESS' 5-10 AND 25 CENT STORE

The Power of a Large Business

Everybody knows that a manufacturer will sell carload lots of his productions cheaper than he will a lot of a dozen or a hundred articles, and everybody knows that a store doing a very large business can afford to sell at a smaller margin of profit than a store doing a small business.

Taking these two facts together, you can readily understand why you can buy in Kress' stores for ten cents articles which in other stores would cost four and five times as much. We have a chain of sixty stores, each store doing an enormous business. Both in buying and in selling we give our customers the full benefit of all the power this great outlet gives us.

This explains such values as those mentioned below.

Souvenir Post Cards Local pride is universal. Kress' offer beautiful views of points that interest you, and hence your friends in other towns. Also an endless variety in comic and general subjects. Ask for Raphael Tuck's line of cards, which are the best made. Sold every place else 2 for 5c; Kress price 3 for.....5¢
We have them in seventeen different views, such as:
Hotel Worth. City Park Dam.
Court House. Stock Yards.
Federal Building. High School.
City Hall. Carnegie Library.
Polytechnic College.
Live Stock Exchange.
Metropolitan Hotel.
Fort Worth University.
St. Joseph's Infirmary.
View in City Park.
Main Street by Night.
Texas & Pacific Station.
Houston Street Looking North.

Fort Worth in a Nutshell The newest thing in a Souvenir, 24 views in a nutshell, each .....10¢

Table Cloth A regular 49c value in Tablecloths will be placed on sale Monday 10 o'clock, per yard, only.....25¢

Table Napkins Mercerized Linen, 20 inches square, variety of designs, white figure work, each .....10¢

Nut Pick Sets Six nickle plated picks to set, each set in box; Kress' price, set,.....10¢

Boys' Tool Chest 10 pieces. Instructive gift. Hammer, Mallet, "T"-square, Saw, Miter-box, Plumb-line, Chalk, Nails, Tacks, etc.; in wooden chest .....25¢

Mechanical Toys Nothing brings more joy to a boy's heart than a good Mechanical Toy. Kress has regular 50c and 75c values at, each.....25¢

Silverware Lancaster French Gray Finished Table Silver, very artistic patterns, in grapes and grape leaves. This line of forks, knives, spoons, sugar tongs, etc., includes only the best workmanship and material. Guaranteed for two years. Would cost you treble the money if purchased at ordinary stores. Kress' price, each .....10¢

Box Paper Now is the season of the year for Writing Paper to sell, and Kress has on display the greatest value that we have been able to secure. A real linen finish paper that always sells for 25c; Kress' price, per box..10¢

Celery Tray Kress has the prettiest assortment of Glass Celery Trays in Fort Worth, each, only .....15¢

Narcissus Lily Bulbs What is a home without the brightness of Flowers, and we will sell Narcissus bulbs at 5 for .....5¢

Ladies' Fleece Lined Hose You would be willing to pay 25c the pair for the Hose to have the comfort out of these on cold days. Kress' per pair .....10¢

Ladies Collars We have the prettiest line of Silk Braid Collars with Tabs and Lawn Turnovers to be shown in Fort Worth. Collars that usually sell at 25c, Kress' price, each.....10¢

Gas Goods Save your gas bills—double your light power. Kress' sell the proper equipment for one-half less than anyone else.
Loop Mantles, Kress' and green label .....10¢
Low Gallery Burners.....10¢
High Gallery Burners.....10¢
7-inch Mica Chimneys, each..10¢
Gas Torches, cast key, polished handle .....10¢
Wax Tapers, 30 in a box.....5¢

"WATCH KRESS' WINDOWS"

The City in Brief

Crouch Hardware Co., 1007 Main St. Cut Flowers at Drumm's. Phone 101.

Boaz's Book Store, 402 Main street.

J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel. Phone 530.

Have your Xmas photo made at Leffler's Studio, corner Fifth and Houston.

Water Proof Shoe Soles. Sole Leather in strips at Nobby Harness Company, 600 Houston street.

Will Loving of Jacksboro was the guest of Graham Stewart for the Entre Nous dance.

Miss Beckwith of Houston is with Miss Fay Spencer for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Leana Lytton's music class will give the usual quarterly recital at her home, 919 South Adams street, Saturday afternoon, Dec. 8.

Mrs. Laura B. Payne will lecture at Red Men's hall, 610 Main street, at 3 p.m. Sunday on "Revolutionary Socialism." No charge for admission.

Jim Day, an old-time Midland boy, and assistant cashier of the First National Bank of that town, is at the Metropolitan. He and a party of friends came over expressly to see "Parsifal."

Wigg—"Mr. Rich is adding another wing to his house." Wagg—"Yes; I've heard the Riches take unto themselves wings."

Man About Town

Nat M. Washer of San Antonio, a member of the firm of Washer Brothers, Fort Worth and San Antonio, is in the city, and tho his visits are frequent he says that lately every time he looks he sees something new in the way of improvements in Fort Worth which the people of the city seem to accept simply as a matter of course.

Mr. Washer is a past grand master of the Masons of Texas and is in this part of the state to attend the meeting of the Masonic grand lodge, which is to convene in Waco next week. He is also a director of the Masonic Widows and Orphans' Home of Fort Worth and spent the afternoon Saturday visiting the home.

Leeds, England, has 5,000 girls in its public elementary schools under systematic instruction in the art of swimming, and 550 of them hold certificates as expert swimmers.

NEURALGIA

Is an affliction of the nerves, and therefore yields readily to the soothing influence of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. They are absolutely harmless, and drive out the pain by relieving the irritated condition of the nerves. Sold by druggists. 25 doses 25 cents. Never sold in bulk.

A BIG SNAP IN FOUR FINE LOTS

All corners, 50x100 ft. each, half block west of Hemphill street car line, front north on Bois D'Arc street. $2,000 buys the bunch, ONE-THIRD CASH, balance one, two and three years. These lots are well worth $3,000. Phone to or call on

George C. Clarke

Phone 993. 709 Main Street.

MAKE YOUR LINER AD EXPLICIT

FOR "FEW WORDS DARKEN SPEECH"

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Successful life or accident insurance producers, on salary or very liberal commission contract. Old line stock company, that pays for everything, including convalescence, insures beneficiary for half accidental indemnity, in event of death, increases ten per cent for five years and allows extra accident policy for very small premium. Address with references, J. T. Downing, southwestern manager, Phoenix Preferred Accident Insurance Co., Amarillo, Texas.

WANTED—Eight experienced Novelty salesmen for 1907 to handle, under contract, our exclusive line of advertising wall map hangers, pocket maps, business and art calendars. The best selling line out. Liberal commissions, exclusive territory, fine samples. State experience. Send references or don't write. Kenyon Map Co., Des Moines, Iowa.

WANTED—For United States army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer, 346 Main street, Dallas; 1300 Main street, Fort Worth; 121½ Travis street, Sherman, Texas.

WANTED—Traveling salesmen for most complete and popular line of advertising calendars and novelties. Only men of high character, good education, Exclusive territory. Liberal contract. Require bond and best references. Bennett-Thomas Mfg. Co., of Chicago.

AGENTS—Canvassers, mixers, peddlers, solicitors, mail order people, etc.; should buy Kramer's Book of Trade Secrets. Regular price $5, but balance of last edition for $1.25 as long as they last. Guaranteed. Order quick. Sioux Pub. Co., Sutherland, Iowa.

WANTED—Salesman with established trade with manufacturers and electric railroads thruout the states of Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory. Must be in position to demonstrate his ability to handle line of sterling merit. State reference. Lock Box 140, Station C, Cleveland, Ohio.

TRAVELING SALESMAN—Get in line for 1907 with large, high-rated old established house selling attractive staple line to retail trade. $50 weekly and expenses to right man. Technical experience unnecessary. High-priced men investigate. References. Sales Manager, Box 725, Chicago.

AGENTS—Something extraordinary; self-generating gas burner, fitting kerosene lamps; brilliant white gas light; liberal inducements; exclusive territory; positive monopoly; description free; established, reliable. Eastern Gaslight Co., 280 Broadway, New York.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Splendid time to begin. Few weeks completes. Top wages paid graduates. Positions waiting; best trade in the world for poor man. Little expense. Call or write Moler Barber College, First and Main streets.

WANTED—Side line traveling salesman can make $30 to $50 per week handling our latest production of Advertising Fans. Liberal terms. Apply at once. United States Calendar Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—An aggressive, capable salesman to handle superior staple line; $75 per week and expenses to man who can make good. Responsible house. Established 12 years. References. Frank R. Jennings, Chicago.

CANVASSERS wanted, every town, for our advertising assorted soap packages; $1 worth 25c, world beaters; $25 weekly paid good canvassers. Moore Brothers, 288 Greenwich street, New York.

WANTED—Side line traveling salesman can make $30 to $50 per week handling our latest production of Advertising Fans. Liberal terms. Apply at once. United States Calendar Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.

A TEACHER and governess for private family; pay $20 per month and board; for 4 or 5 months. Apply Business Exchange, 1007½ Houston. Phones 4762-931.

WANTED—Lady solicitor, salary and expenses, to travel for a portrait house. Indelible Linen goods. No opposition. Call City Employment Office, 1608½ Main street. See sample.

SALESMAN calling on retail country trade to sell good specialty line summer dress goods, white goods, on commission. Purnell Dale Mills, P. O. box 560, Philadelphia.

WILL PAY agent good commission to get good location for photograph gallery by Jan. 1. Frank Simpson, 403 Main street.

LADY MANAGER in each county; straight salary $18 per week and expenses; your office at home. F. Pack, Dept. 95, Nashville, Tenn.

SALESMEN for 1907. Will guarantee $2,400 a year and expenses to first-class men. Staple lines seels to general stores. Box 786, St. Louis, Mo.

GOOD PAY to men everywhere to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc. No canvassing. Universal Adv. Co., Chicago.

AGENTS of good moral character to solicit for the Fort Worth Life Insurance Company. Call or address C. R. Reynolds, 412 F. & M. Bank Bldg.

WANTED—A good white cook and housekeeper to go to the coast. Apply at once. 205 Hill street, corner Jarvis, or phone 593.

AGENTS, elegant catalog, your imprint; selling everything; grandest mail order business free. Home Supply Company, Paterson, N. J.

WANTED—A good business woman to handle line of imported dress goods. Call at 910 Monroe street. 3005 old phone.

SALESMEN make $50 weekly selling White Sox Cigars, Talking Machines, Records, Electrical Books. O'Connell-Gruss, 225 Dearborn St., Chicago.

LADY AGENTS—Big money until Christmas with Photograph Pillow Tops. Electric Art Co., Dept. 11, 112 Clark street, Chicago.

WANTED—A good cook or house girl at once. Call 600 Galveston or phone 4432.

WANTED—One man to buy a pair of of W. L. Douglas Shoes. Apply at Monnig's.

FOR SALE—Nice surrey and harness. J. J. Dillin, 109 West Sixth street. Phone 4593.

WANTED—At once, first-class dishwasher for big boarding house. Apply 810 Lamar.

WANTED—Good cook at once. Apply 913 Lamar street.

EXPERIENCED white girl for general house work. 1022 Alston ave.

HELP WANTED

SALESMAN WANTED — Traveling Texas drumming dry goods trade to handle strong, popular-priced line Laces, Embroideries, Vellings, Dress Trimmings; samples weigh twenty pounds; liberal commissions. Address S. Ellinger & Son, 487 Broadway, New York City.

WANTED—Traveling salesmen for most complete and popular line of advertising calendars and novelties. Only men of high character, good education, Exclusive territory. Liberal contract. Require bond and best references. Bennett-Thomas Mfg. Co. of Chicago.

WANTED—Gentleman or lady with good reference, to travel for firm of $250,000 capital. Salary $1,072 per year and expenses; salary paid weekly and expenses advanced. Address, stamp, J. A. Alexander, Fort Worth, Texas.

WANTED—Lady agents to sell ladies' furnishings; no schemes nor premiums; no deposit or security required; straight business. If you want to earn money for Christmas, write us. Standard Notion Co., Detroit, Mich.

PHOTO Sofa Pillow Tops; made from any good photo. Best agents proposition on the market; sameples 35c. Portrait and frame catalogue free. Credit given. Bailey Company, 81 Potomac avenue, Chicago.

"WANTED—Stenographer, Bookkeepers, Salesmen everywhere." "Situations" (published weekly) contains many such ads. Sample copy, 10c. Guarantee Co., Toledo, Ohio.

LADIES to work piecework, $3 per dozen; materials furnished; no canvassing; steady work. Stamped envelope. Best Mfg. Co., Champlain Bldg., Chicago.

THREE first-class salesmen for remainder of this year and 1907; will guarantee $2,400 a year and expenses to right salesman. Address Wholesale, Box 786, St. Louis, Mo.

$40 PER WEEK and expenses to man with rig to introduce Success Remedies; no experience necessary. Success Remedy Co., Taylor, Texas. Department S.

QUICK, easy money for people with a few hours spare time, men or women. New article, sells at sight, big profits. Inquire; Kleenitt Company, Seguin, Texas.

WANTED EVERYWHERE—Hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

AGENTS—Something new in Portraits. Write for greatest money maker on earth. Oil Portrait Co., 155 West Madison street, Chicago.

AGENTS—Learn to fit glasses. Our Eye Book, with full information, free. Jacksonian Optical College, 16 College Place, Jackson, Mich.

REFINED lady wishes roommate, room close in; steam heat; reasonable. P. O. Box 492.

WANTED—Waist skirt and sleeve makers at once. Apply 826 Monroe street. Mrs. W. T. Mayers.

WANTED—A girl, white or colored, for general housework. Apply to 426 Henderson.

THIRTY concrete men at once at the new Denver roadhouse.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position as stenographer by young man of several years experience; can give best of references. 414 West Weatherford, or phone 1740.

WANTED—Man and wife want positions on a ranch at once. Call or address H. T. Fry, 412 Kentucky avenue, old phone 3134. Fort Worth, Tex.

GROCERYMAN — Wanted —position by young man; ten years experience in store and on wagon; good hustler; best references. Address 170, care Telegram.

DRUGGIST, graduated, registered, ten years' experience, on or before 1st of December. Best references. Address Box 26, Talpa, Texas.

WANTED—Position by competent stenographer, thoroly experienced, first-class city reference. New phone 675.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—At once, good clean rags in any quantity at press room, this office; no woolens.

WANTED—$1,000 worth of second-hand furniture and stoves for spot cash. Call on W. P. Lane Furniture & Carpet Co., corner Fourteenth and Houston streets, or call 3252 old phone or 45 new phone.

WANTED—Two men boarders or man and wife, $4 week; no objection to baby; close to car line; best neighborhood; with small family. 1315 Wallis avenue. New phone 1348.

I WILL PAY highest cash price for all the second-hand furniture I can get. R. E. Lewis. Phones 1320. 212-14 Houston street.

WANTED—Pupils who desire to learn German; lessons given evenings. Apply 1211 Main street.

WE pay the highest for your old clothes. A. Wolfe, 1504 Main street. Phone 89, new.

WANTED—Shotgun, double barrel or repeater; must be in good condition. Phone 2098.

WE PAY CASH for second-hand furniture, refrigerators and stoves. Hubbard Bros. Both phones 2191.

EDUCATIONAL

NIGHT SCHOOL BOOKKEEPING, Shorthand, Typewriting, etc., only $4 a month. Draughon's Practical Business College, Fourteenth and Main. Phones 868. Call, phone or write for catalogue. It will convince you that Draughon's is the best.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five-room house on south side; must have bath, gas, servant's house and barn. Either phone 981.

WANTED TO RENT on south side, modern 6 or 7-room house. Phone 1348 old, 122 new.

WANT TO RENT HOUSE on west side from owner. Will make long lease if place suits. Phone 4949.

WANTED TO RENT—Good house on south side, from owner. Will make long lease for right place. Phone 4949.

WANTED—A 5 or 6-room house, close in. Call at 615 Burnett. Phone 374.

ROOMS FOR RENT

NICE, LARGE, FRONT ROOM, two minutes' walk to Main street, for couple or two gentlemen; very reasonable. Call 509 East Third street; nice neighborhood.

THE ANGELUS—Rooms, single or en suite; newly furnished, up-to-date close in. Corner Fifth and Throckmorton. Rates $2.50 to $4 per week. Phone 2227.

NICE large newly furnished rooms with bath; with or without light housekeeping; home-like place, four blocks east of court house, corner Bluff and Pecan streets, 511 East Bluff st.

FURNISHED room, south and east exposure, suitable for two young men; privilege of hot and cold baths; east Belknap, close in; reference required. Phone 1776 or 846.

YOUNG MEN—If you want a nice place to room, close to business center, call at The Angelus, corner Fifth and Throckmorton. Phone 2227.

NICELY FURNISHED, southeast front room, with grate; gentleman preferred. 612 West Fifth street. Old phone 4251.

ONE furnished room, $8 per month, for one or two gentlemen; board across the street. 611 Huffman. Phone 1765 (new).

FOR RENT—Three complete housekeeping rooms for couple; reasonable if taken at once. 1302 East Belknap street.

TWO NICE, light southwest rooms for rent for light housekeeping or for rooms. Convenient to Frisco shops. Phone 4150. 110 West Jarvis.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished south front rooms, modern home, best part of city; first-class table board for refined couple. Phone 1211.

ONE nicely furnished room for rent, with bath, for gentlemen or couple without children, on Henderson car line. 319 Henderson street.

ROOMS, newly furnished under new management, for men only. Post-office flats, 708½ Houston street. Phone 3709.

THE REX, corner Eleventh and Houston. Everything new, strictly first class; large, light rooms; reasonable. Also transient. Mrs. W. H. Vosburg.

FOR RENT—Several nice rooms for rent; can be used for light housekeeping; references. Apply 414 West Third.

WANTED—Two young men to occupy furnished room, close, in, on south side; modern conveniences. New phone 304.

NICE COOL ROOMS with or without board. Phone 374 or apply Sixth and Burnett streets.

WANTED—Day boarders at 913 East Hattie street, $3.50 per week; private family.

ROOM AND BOARD, $4 per week, family style. 1113 Taylor street. New phone 1858.

GOOD board and room at Mrs. Emmett Perry's, 304 Florence street. Terms moderate.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board, five blocks from court house. 1121 Burnett street.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, one block from College car. 211 Josephine street.

FIRST-CLASS BOARD and rooms, modern and up-to-date, close in; rates reasonable. 304 Taylor.

FOR RENT—One downstairs furnished room to couple, with board. Phone 1926.

BEST ROOM AND BOARD at the Family Hotel, 1004 Lamar street. Rates reasonable.

FOR RENT—Newly-finished rooms, $5 to $15. Brooker's Office Building, 413 Main street. J. N. Brooker.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, gas stove, water, ground floor. 608 East Second street.

TWO rooms for rent unfurnished for light housekeeping. 210 North Burnett.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS for rent. 212 East Belknap street, one block from courthouse.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room for two working girls; cheap. 813 Crawford; new phone 1430 white.

FURNISHED rooms for two or more gentlemen, $1.25 each per week. Apply 906 East Belknap.

LARGE southeast furnished room with closet; modern bathroom; hot water all hours; furnace heat. Phone 3192.

TO RENT—Nicely furnished rooms at Kingsley Flats, 907½ Throckmorton St. Phone 2726. J. J. Mullen, Prop.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room; light housekeeping; all modern conveniences. 317 South Calhoun.

NICELY furnished rooms for rent; close in, 221 South Main. New phone 1049.

FOR RENT—Two large south rooms, for gentlemen; $1.50 per week each; close in. 1100 Taylor street.

TWO LARGE furnished rooms for four young men; boarding houses convenient. 805 Taylor street.

FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms, with or without board. 815 West Weatherford.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms, with bath and telephone privileges. 612 West First street. New phone 1057.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished and well-kept rooms. The Flats, 207½ Main street.

ROOMS furnished for housekeeping with bath, light and phone. 612 East Second.

ONE nicely furnished front room, downstairs; bath. 612 West First street. New phone 1057.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. 945 West Fifth St. Phone 4262.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, near business district. Phone 4863, mornings.

FURNISHED or unfurnished housekeeping and bedrooms; very cheap. 1023 Taylor street.

FOR RENT—Furnished south front room, electric lights, bath and modern cottage. 605 East Second street.

FURNISHED ROOMS for gentlemen, all new and modern, close in. Phone 1118.

TWO nicely furnished downstairs rooms for rent at 914 Lamar. Phone 3352.

ROOMS FOR RENT — Breakfast served; newly repaired and furnished. At 404 Taylor street.

THREE furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 803 Seventeenth St. Phone 3465.

FOR RENT—Two furnished and two unfurnished rooms, with water. 1008 East Daggett.

ST. LOUIS AVE. 100—Large desirable front room for gentlemen or couple. Phone 2725.

THREE unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in. 1015 West Daggett.

ROOMS—Large, nicely furnished, all modern conveniences; five minutes' walk to Main. 712 Florence.

THREE unfurnished rooms for rent. Apply 604 West First street.

TWO OFFICE ROOMS to rent. Apply 1004 Houston street.

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms, reasonable. 500 East Third.

ROOMS for housekeeping, 412 East Fifth street.

WANTED—A renter for elegantly furnished office, 603-4r. new 644.

NICE FURNISHED front room to rent, at 403 Lipscomb street.

ROOMS for rent at 910 Taylor street.

BOARD AND ROOM

A VERY CHOICE room to rent with strictly first class board in a private family; bath room adjacent; hot and cold water; all modern improvements. Close in, easy walking distance to business center. Apply at No. 1018 Burnett street.

NICELY furnished front room; southern exposure; bath, all conveniences; board if desired. 607 Terry. Old phone 4183.

WANTED—Man and wife, or two gentlemen boarders; front room, private family. 1511 Lake avenue, North Fort Worth. New phone 808.

"WHERE IS THE WITHERS?" "114½ Throckmorton." "Why?" "Well, I heard it is was a quiet, modern place, with beautiful rooms and good board."

WANTED—Man and wife and gentlemen to rent nice rooms, house newly renovated and furnished new; references exchanged. 404 Taylor street.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOM, very close in, electric lights, hot and cold baths; modern cottage; private family, for gentlemen. Phone 4919.

A FEW choice outside rooms, neatly furnished, well arranged for light housekeeping, reasonable. 607 Rusk street. New phone 1666.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished large connecting rooms, hot water, electric lights, phone; private family, $8 each. Call at 509 May street.

ONE-HALF of a furnished house, in private family, where there are no children; water; $11 per month. 1010 East Daggett.

ROOMS FOR RENT—With or without board; modern conveniences; terms reasonable. 922 Macon street. Old phone 3386.

FIRST-CLASS rooms and board, $5 to $6 per week. 1014 Burnett.

NICELY furnished rooms with modern conveniences. 804 Taylor.

BOARDING and lodging; $4 per week. Family style. 400 Taylor street.

SPECIAL rates to four young men together. Inquire at Mansion Hotel.

NICE, large rooms, good board; modern conveniences. 300 E. 4th.

ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished; board if desired. 900 East Third.

NEATLY furnished south room. New phone 1187. 300 North Burnett.

FIRST-CLASS rooms and board, $5 to $6 per week. 1014 Burnett.

FOOD WELL COOKED AT CRANE'S.

BOARD AND ROOMS WANTED

CONGENIAL COUPLE want pleasant home in private family; would pay well for the right accommodations; must be close in. P. O. Box 254.

HOTEL DIRECTORY

ITASCA, TEXAS.
WAUKESHA HOTEL.
$2.00 per day. First-class in every particular. Large rooms, clean beds and first-class table. We especially invite you to call on us.
MISS CASSIDY, Proprietress.

UNDERTAKER

L. P. ROBERTSON—Funeral director and embalmer, opposite city hall. All details looked after.

STREET & ROBERTS, Undertakers. 1002 Monroe street. Phones 1199. Private Ambulance.

FOR RENT

H. C. Jewell. H. Veal Jewell.
H. C. JEWELL & SON.
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W. J. GILVIN is a candidate for re-election to the office of city assessor and tax collector, subject to the Democratic primary, Thursday, Dec. 6, 1906.

JAMES H. MADDOX is a candidate for re-election to the office of city marshal, subject to the action of the democratic primary, Thursday, Dec. 6, 1906.

L. E. (LEM) DAY is a candidate for city tax assessor and collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Thursday, Dec. 6, 1906.

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WANTED—To borrow $5,000 to improve a well-located tract on west side, close in. Give lowest rate. For particulars address P. O. Box 522, Fort Worth, Texas.

MONEY TO LOAN on Fort Worth real estate in amounts from $500 to $50,000; interest rates right. Howell & Bowers, 109 West Sixth street. Old phone 4593.

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WE HAVE several buyers for 4or 5-room houses that are good rental propositions; must be bargains. Also buyers for nice residences close in at about $4,000 to $6,000. What have you? Business Exchange, 1007½ Houston. Phones 4762-931.

HOUSES WANTED—Will pay $5,000 cash for a two-story house, close in; must have six or seven rooms; modern. Will also pay $4,500 cash for six or seven-room, two-story, not too far out. Call at 1600½ Main street, room 4, or phone 3237. W. A. Patterson.

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HERRING, Hall, Marvin Fire-Proof Safes, Manganese Steel Bank Safes, vaults, etc., Universal Adding Machines, second-hand Safes. H. W. Peak Safe Co., 112 West Front street.

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40-room hotel, best location, $150 rent, $2,100.
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FOR SALE—Fifty-acre farm, 40 acres in cultivation, 5 acres timber, 5 acres grass; good house and outbuilding, good water, on public road, in good neighborhood; price $1,200, $300 cash, balance easy payments.

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Eighty acres, one of the nicest homes in Tarrant county, 60 acres in cultivation, balance grass and timber; all would do to cultivate. A good house of 5 rooms, also a tenant house, barn and outbuildings, 8 acres of the finest orchard, plenty of good water, half mile to store, school and church, 13 miles from Fort Worth; it's a bargain; only $22 per acre; must be sold next week. Write for list.
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On Taylor street, centrally located, new thirteen-room house. If sold at once, $8,500.

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Telephone—Office 4593, residence 4111.

I DESIRE to call your attention once more to the trackage property which I am offering for sale at a bargain, on the Katy, near the Medlin mill. It is certain to be very valuable at some near date and in the meantime is paying net 13 per cent with an expenditure of about $500 can be made to pay 15 per cent. About $2,000 is required to handle this. Claude Hayes, 112 West Ninth St., phone 2125.

SPECIAL BARGAIN—For sale, new modern 5-room cottage, bath, nice porcelain tub, sewerage, sink, wired for electric lights, flues built to ground, graded and graveled street, cement sidewalks, east front, lot 50x138 to alley, near three car lines. The design is attractive bungalow with large columns in front. For quick sale we will let it go for only $2,300. Let us show you this. J. E. Head & Co., room 410 Reynolds Bldg., phone 1422. Owners.

FOR SALE—A fourteen-room furnished flat, on Main street, in heart of city, worth $1,000; will sell this week only for $600; about $300 cash required. Rent on building only $50 a month. This will be gone by Wednesday. See A. W. Samuels, 112 West Ninth street, down stairs, between Main and Houston streets. Old phone 1400. New phone 988.

4,000 ACRES in La Salle county, black sandy loam. Every foot agricultural. Not an acre waste. Solid body. 75 per cent open prairie, practically ready for plow. Balance open mesquite land. Big $1,000 tank, never goes dry. Another tank cost $600. Comfortable ranch house, fenced two sides. Investigate quick; at $6. Conness Realty Co., San Antonio, Texas.

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HAVE YOU SEEN GEORGE?
Agent for the L. T. Millett addition, Polytechnic Heights. Lots $5 down and $5 per month.
G. B. PENNOCK REALTY CO.,
115 West Eleventh Street,
Between Main and Houston Streets.

FOR SALE—Neat cottages near university; also near Seventh ward schools. Terms like paying rent; also 400 feet trackage on Rock Island; also excellent home close in on Pennsylvania avenue, $6,500. Less than cost of improvements. W. S. Essex.

GOOD BARGAIN—Must sell quick; nice new, eight-room rooming house; $50 under invoice price; party absolutely leaving city; new house, rent is $40 month. Smith-Henry Realty Co., 1007½ Houston street. Both phones 851.

DO you want to buy a good four-room frame house, east front, lot 50x160, well fenced, barn, etc., $50 down, $12.50 per month, if so see A. D. Carpenter, with Glen Walker, over 115 West Sixth street.

NEW BUNGALOW cottage, on Polytechnic car line, six rooms, halls, pantry, bath, nice corner lot, 75 by 135 feet; room for tenant house; $1,000 cash, balance monthly. 1701 Vickery boulevard. Phone 1618-2 rings.

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BEAUTIFUL 8-room 2-story dwelling with all modern conveniences on S. Jennings. If you want a home to cost as much as $4,750 you should certainly see this. $1,000 cash.

Let me show you the 5-room 1½-story house, ½ block from car line, on Rosen Heights. It is a bargain at $1,325, $50 cash, balance in small monthly payments.

A nice 5-room cottage on McKnight, near Fifth avenue, with bath, sewerage, gas for cooking, electric lights, good barn, graveled driveway and lot, cement walks, $2,500.

Remember, it is no trouble to show property. Would be pleased to have you list your property with me.
CLAUDE HAYES, 112 West Ninth St., Phone 2125.

$100 CASH and $15 monthly will buy nice three-room cottage, with two porches, on nice graded street, good location, one and one-half block of car line; only $1,050. Smith-Henry Realty Co., 1007½ Houston street. Both phones 851.

640 ACRES northeast corner Glasscock county, unimproved, fine valley land; will make ideal stock farm; 18 miles from Big Springs, cheap; will take some unincumbered property as part pay. See Pratt & Ward, Midland, Tex.

FOR SALE—Good twenty-nine-room hotel, in railroadd iviston town, well furnished and doing good business; clears $150 per month; good reasons for selling. For particulars address W. F. P., Commercial Hotel, Bessie, Okla.

$100 CASH—3-room new house, near Laurel, on Galveston, 1 block of car line, east front. Small monthly payments pay balance. See us before it's gone. Mills Realty Co., 1016 Houston. Phone 2158.

GOOD INVESTMENT in four-room house, close in, south side, two nice porches, out houses. This is a bargain. Will not last long. Only $1,400. Smith-Henry Realty Co., 1007½ Houston street. Both phone 851.

CALL at the Business Exchange, 1067½ Houston, and examine some of those bargains we have in real estate. We can suit you if you are in the market. Business Exchange, 1007½ Houston. Phones 4762-931.

FOR SALE—A modern five-room cottage, all conveniences, nice lawn, cement walks, in best part of town, a bargain; price $3,000; one-third cash, balance on easy payments. Address P. O. Box 26.

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HELLO!
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NEAR THE NEW TOWN of Coburn, land has of late advanced $1 per month; good for home or investment. Address The Home Builders, Coburn, Lipscomb county, Texas.

LOTS all parts of the city, either business or residence lots. Prices from $120 up. Any kind of terms. See us if you want a lot. Mills Realty Co., 1016 Houston. Phone 2158.

ON GRAINGER street, near three car lines, 6 rooms, cellar, shade, iron fence, etc., $1,900; easy terms. Mills Realty Co., 1016 Houston.

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GOOD BUSINESS LOT on East Front street; six-room house adjoining. Will sell altogether at a bargain. Small cash payments. Phone 1211.

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FOR SALE—Lot, 2 houses, corner Daggett and Henderson streets; lot 100x200; fine houses and extraordinary water.

DESIRABLE home for sale, direct from owner. Phone 2626 for particulars.

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JOHN M. MOODY, Main and Exchange, North Fort Worth. Phone 1189.

GOOD three-room house, close in, water on the porch; on car line. Phone 1211.

BUSINESS EXCHANGE, 1007½ Houston, new phone 931, old phone 4762. Real estate and insurance.

W. A. DARTER, 711 Main, has special bargains city property, farm ranches.

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Diseases of Nervous System—Fridays, 2 to 3 p. m.

Diseases of Women—Fridays, 3 to 4 p. m.

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Emergency cases at all hours. Prescriptions for medicine filled free of cost at the college dispensary, entrance on Fifth street. For further information ring 1965 old phone.

To Build Up Our City

it should be the duty of every man to join the Board of Trade and it is in the power of every woman to foster and encourage Home Factories by buying goods put up in Fort Worth.

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Grand Lodge to Meet

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Dec. 1.—Grand High Priest Sam B. Cochran of Dallas spent yesterday with the committee on work of the grand chapter and received a warm welcome. The committee is working hard to get everything in shape to close instruction on Monday night and make the way clear for the grand lodge Tuesday morning. All officers will have their reports ready, and it is thought that a most prosperous Masonic year will be shown. A big attendance for the grand lodge is expected. It is thought the sessions will last about three days.

No man is so hungry as to want to eat his own words.

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You call on us this very day
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Our terms are as cheap as rent,
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Pay out your home like paying rent,
Then you save every cent.
In a short time you own your place,
And wear a gentle, smiling face
When you meet

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VALUE $2,800—This week only $250 down, balance easy. Buy a brand new five-room modern cottage. Hall and bath complete; electric lights and gas for cooking; on a lot 50x225 feet to a 20-foot alley. Situated No. 1610 S. Jennings ave. East front, 2 blocks south of Magnolia. Go; see for yourself. Back door unlocked. Lot alone worth $1,500. This won't last long. See

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Our Christmas Finery is on Display

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PLAN TO BUILD NEW PARSONAGE

Salary of Rev. Knickerbocker Is Raised

Rev. Hubert D. Knickerbocker of the First Methodist church, has found favor in the sight of his new congregation and the board of stewards of the church gave substantial evidence of that at a regular meeting held Friday evening, when the board determined by unanimous vote to buy or build a new and more suitable parsonage and in a more suitable location than is the one the church now owns, which is on Jones street near Fourth.

Of course that parsonage would not be in a suitable locality after the new church at Seventh and Taylor streets, is erected and in use, and the action of the board was controlled to a degree by that fact, but it is also a fact that there is the desire to make Mr. Knickerbocker as comfortable as is possible and to make his home, and his home life so far as the surroundings go, as pleasant as they can be made.

The board contemplates the possibility of expending from $6,500 to $7,500 for the new building and its lot, if a new parsonage is decided on, or about the same sum for the purchase of a new edifice which will have the requisites to make it a desirable place for such uses.

The sentiment of a decided majority of the board of stewards, if not of the entire board, is for a location in the Jennings west addition or on "Quality Hill," as it is more commonly called.

If it is found necessary to build that will be done at once and as soon as possible to do so to advantage, the present parsonage will be sold. The board also voted to increase the salary of the pastor to $3,600 per year.

COLLETT DEFEATED

Finals of the Second Round Played Saturday

The finals in the second round for the James B. Gray handicap cup resulted in a startling finish at the Country Club Saturday afternoon, when W. T. Humble succeeded in defeating E. K. Collett by the close score of 1 up. At the sixteenth hole, Collett was 1 up and then matters were squared at the seventeenth hole, which Humble won. Going for the last hole Humble placed his drive dead on the green and followed up with an approach put that landed his ball almost on the rim of the cup. The third stroke dropped the ball in the cup for a three and victory by 1 up. Humble negotiated the eighteen holes in 95 and Collett in 96.

Two matches will have to be played yet and then the final round between the four winners will take place. J. D. Collett was the winner of the first round.

Altho players entered for the I. H. Hurney cup were allowed to play off their matches Saturday, the first day of play, no matches were played. All the eight matches will have to be played within two weeks' time.

BUYS LIVERY BUSINESS

R. L. Rogers Will Be Partner of Duff Purvis

R. L. Rogers, former county clerk, has purchased an interest in the livery stable business of Duff Purvis on the corner of Eighth and Rusk streets. The change took place Saturday morning, when Mr. Rogers became a joint partner with Duff Purvis. The firm will be known as Purvis & Rogers.

Charcoal Kills Bad Breath

Disagreeable Odor Arising From Indigestion or From Any Habit or Indulgence, Can Be Instantly Stopped

Sample Package Mailed Free

Other people notice your bad breath where you would not notice it at all. It is nauseating to other people to stand before them and while you are talking, give them a whiff or two of your bad breath. It usually comes from food fermenting on your stomach. Sometimes you have it in the morning—that awful sour, bilious, bad breath. You can stop that at once by swallowing one or two Stuart Charcoal Lozenges, the most powerful gas and odor absorbers ever prepared.

Sometimes your meals will reveal themselves in your breath to those who talk with you. "You've had onions," or "You've been eating cabbage," and all of a sudden you belch in the face of your friend. Charcoal is a wonderful absorber of odors, as every one knows. That is why Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are so quick to stop all gases and odors of odorous foods, or gas from indigestion.

Don't use breath perfumes. They never conceal the odor, and never absorb the gas that causes the odor. Besides, the very fact of using them reveals the reason for their use. Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges in the first place stop for good all sour brash and belching of gas, and make your breath pure, fresh and sweet, just after you've eaten. Then no one will turn his face away from you when you breathe or talk; your breath will be pure and fresh, and besides your food will taste so much better to you at your next meal. Just try it.

Charcoal does other wonderful things, too. It carries away from your stomach and intestines, all the impurities there massed together and which causes the bad breath. Charcoal is a purifier as well as an absorber.

Charcoal is now by far the best, most easy and mild laxative known. A whole boxful will do no harm; in fact, the more you take the better. Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made of pure willow charcoal and mixed with just a faint flavor of honey to make them palatable for you, but not too sweet. You just chew them like candy. They are absolutely harmless.

Get a new, pure, sweet breath, freshen your stomach for your next meal, and keep the intestines in good working order. These two things are the secret of good health and long life. You can get all the charcoal necessary to do these wonderful but simple things by getting Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges. We want you to test these little wonder workers yourself before you buy them. So send us your full name and address for a free sample of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges. Then after you have tried the sample, and been convinced, go to your druggist and get a 25c box of them. You'll feel better all over, more comfortable, and "cleaner" inside.

Send us your name and address today and we will at once send you by mail a sample package, free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 60 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

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And Now for Christmas

THE TIME is now at hand to plan for Christmas. Our stocks are now replete and gift seekers will find here appropriate presents for men that are useful and auxiliaries to home comfort and sure to win appreciation.

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"HELLO GIRLS" DREAD SATURDAY AND MONDAY

Monday is the telephone girls' busy day, and early on the morning of that day of the week she gets a move on that she cannot let up on until her day's work is ended; Saturday is said to be second on the list when people talk the most.



Maybe you never thought about this matter or never thought that there is any difference in your talkativeness one day against another.

Just think a little bit and you will readily understand why telephone operators dread Monday and Saturday in their work. These two days are to the telephone girl what bargain counter days are to saleswomen in big department stores, trying both on brain and body.

Monday morning after Sunday off from business and things that are not business, everybody has something to talk about, either inquiring "What's been going on since Saturday," or "Did you do what I told you to do," and from 9 o'clock Monday morning until the sun goes down in the west there can be heard a whizzing and buzzing in the telephone exchange that almost lifts the hair off an operator's head, and puts that look of trouble in her eyes. The records of either of the Fort Worth telephone exchanges will show more calls on Monday than any other day in the week and the girls go home in the evening with a kind of frazzled out feeling that a field hand has at the end of a week's hard work.

It is no wonder that telephone operators have squint wrinkles at the corners of their eyes and a troubled look in them, but the world never gives a thought as to why they have them; the world doesn't care.

From 9 o'clock to 11 o'clock on a Monday morning a telephone operator perched up on her stool has the appearance (in action) of a humanized windmill. A "buzz-buzz" sets one arm in motion and a "whir-whir" sets another one going and this thing keeps up with such infernal regularity that the girl's two arms are kept going as those of a boy fighting a bumble bee's nest would be. There is no rest for them; these ever coming in Monday calls must be answered. No typewriter's fingers are ever more busy than the telephone operator's hands are on Monday.

Housewives want to give the butcher Hall Columbia because he didn't send the right kind of meat for the Sunday dinner; some old codger wants to dust down the newspaper circulators because he didn't get his Sunday paper; some Miss wants to get John and ask why he didn't come out Sunday night; the preacher wants to ask his leading elder why he didn't come to church; somebody else wants to inquire about somebody's health; and worlds of people want to talk over the telephone to other worlds of people and get "put on" to what's up for the week.

And there is no rest on Monday for the telephone operator, who breaks a great big chunk of a sigh when 6 p. m. comes, relaxes her whole system like a limp dish rag tumbling, and with a heart-felt exclamation: "Thank the Lord, this day's work is over," makes a dash for her hat, cloak and lunch basket and then makes a dart for the door to catch the first street car for home.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday are, compared with Monday, days of rest. Business affairs get straightened out pretty well at Monday's rush and the girls get a breathing spell in which to brace themselves up to meet the Saturday ordeal and stand it.

Saturday the wires are kept almost as hot as they are Monday. Everybody appears to have some orders to give for Sunday or to make some engagement for Sunday. One man wants to tell some other man what to have ready Monday morning; Mary wants to ask Kate what dress she is going to wear to church Sunday and Jack wants to tell Marie that he will be out Sunday evening. Housewives give hurry orders to butchers, bakers and grocers; wives want to ask their husbands what time they will be home, and ten thousand other things that people want to ask about over the wires keep the telephone girls gyroting about like jack-in-a-box when the string is pulled.

The wear and tear on a telephone girl because of Monday and Saturday work is equal, if not greater, than two 2,000-mile up-stream trips on the machinery of a Mississippi river steamboat, and it is no wonder that they are fagged out, frazzled out, weary and oh, so tired, when Saturday night cimes.

NEW COUNTERFEIT BILL

None of the Bills Has Been Seen in Fort Worth

A new counterfeit $5 bill has been unearthed by the United States secret service, altho of a crude design. None of the new bills have been seen by any of the bankers of Fort Worth as yet.

Description of the new bill is as follows:

Series of 1889, check letter A, face plate number indistinct but probably 289, back plate number 518; J. W. Lyons, Register of the Treasury; Charles A. Treat, Treasurer of the United States, portrait of Onepapa.

This is a crudely executed process note on a single piece of paper slightly thinner than the genuine, with the fiber imitated by red and blue ink marks on the surface. The work is blurred. Denominational design, seal and numbering darker blue than the genuine. Back of note rough in finish and darker green than the genuine. The note will not deceive experienced handlers of money, but is sufficiently dangerous to impose on careless or inexperienced persons. The number of the note unearthed is B58335172. It made its appearance at Chicago.

PORTER ESTATE IS SOLD AGAIN

Judge Will Act on Report of Sale

Sidney L. Samuels, administrator of the estate of Mary Porter, deceased, filed a report in the probate court Saturday of the sale to J. C. Ingram, subject to the approval of the court, of the real estate of Mary Porter, at private sale, the price bid being $35,000, one-half cash, the remainder at the expiration of twelve months. The report has not yet been acted on by Judge Terrell.

The real estate involved in this sale is located on Rusk street, facing east, and is half of the block between Tenth and Eleventh streets. A short time ago this same property was put up at public auction by the administrator, two lots at a time, and the prices bid for it aggregated $33,550. Judge Milam refused to approve this sale and ordered the administrator to sell it at private sale, which he has done, subject to the court's approval. The price bid at private sale is $1,450 more than was bid for it at auction. Judge John L. Terrell will act on the report the coming week.

TO KEEP FEET WARM

81-Year-Old Man's Wedding Proves a Failure

Special to The Telegram.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 1.—"Oh, I only married her to keep my feet warm," said 81-year-old John Davenport, who was in court on a charge of assaulting his 30-year-old wife.

"But you got warm under the collar?" said Alderman Brown.

"I have cooled off now, Judge, and the old lady says it's all right; won't you let me go?"

Mrs. Davenport pleaded for her husband's release, which was granted, and the happy pair kissed and made up before the alderman.

"77"

Dr. Humphreys' Seventy-Seven breaks up Grip and

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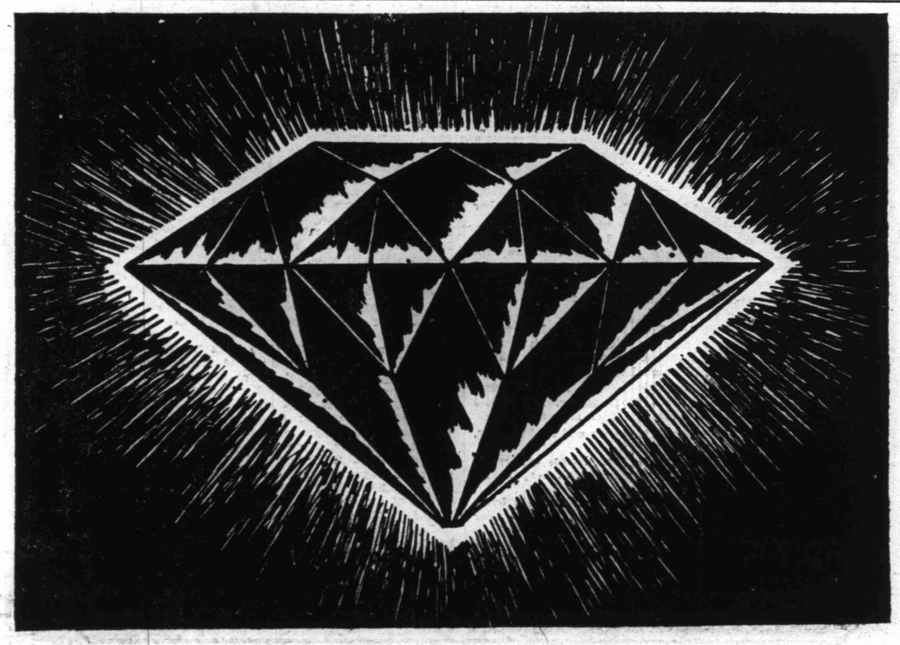
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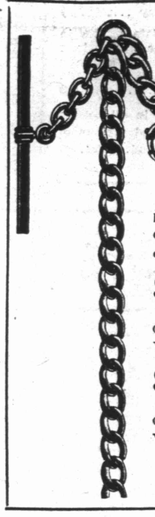
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WHIMS AND FANCIES

The numerousness of weddings for the past few months will have one result. The boys on the ten-per will have a chance to catch up before the next bunch of debutants arrive.

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I would like to know what is the matter with our marriage system, that everybody who can get a column printed rushes in with a remedy for evils declared to be ruining the very foundations of our civilization.

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A good woman, Mrs. Herbert Parsons, has written something in advocacy of trial marriage, that is marriage for a specified length of time. Then if the folk find themselves persona non grata each to the other, to hie themselves in search of other partners to try.

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We think that our civilization rests upon our marriage system. Somehow that idea seems to me to be wrong. Rather more reasonable to me is it that our marriage system is the outcropping of our civilization. Once, a long time ago, when things were being organized, or reorganized, it was found best for the protection of family rights and inheritance, that men should limit their legal responsibilities to one woman and her children. Civic exigencies suggested monogamy, and religion found it a useful handmaiden.

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I often wonder why mothers do not try more to hammer into a girl's head that marrying a man does not mean making him over. I have seen few cases where the girl did not have the idea that her views, her wishes, her aspirations, her ideas about little things as well as big did not constitute her sole standard for measuring the man she has made some pretty solemn promises to. Women, quite as well as men, forget that marriage is an important partnership in which the man gives up much of his freedom, assumes many responsibilities, but remains just John, with the same head on his shoulders, the same vocabulary, the same likings for amusements, the same temper, etc., and then some.

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Before marriage was recognized as an institution to be regulated by law there was human nature, just about the same old human nature as may be found among the sons of Adam now. Why, in theorizing about marriage, divorce, etc., do not women, and men, too—some of them are as bad as the women—take this Old Adam into account?

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I have about divorced in my own mind religion and marriage. I have substituted common sense for religion. Religion as promulgated in the marriage service does not usually make John more patient over the luke-warm coffee and greasy steak, or keep Mary from running home with red eyes to Mama when John forgets to come home until near the hour for the milkman's visit.

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About the saddest thing that can happen to married folks is to tire of each other. The daily breakfast, the unvarying dinner, when two people have ceased to interest each other, is worse than either will confess. A man's sins may cause heartaches, but a sinning man at least breaks the monotony by being sorry once in a awhile and begging for forgiveness. But to be eternally bored!

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I believe more married folks tire of each other and fly apart than separate from one or the other's wrong doing. In fact I would not be surprised if the "tired feeling" did not lead to the wrong doing. I never feel in the least like plunging into naughty escapades when I am with folks that interest me. Some of my worst spasms of desire to some wild, desperately wicked deed, has been when I was forced to listen to the well meant conversation of such nice people, but, oh, so stupid!

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There should be a new department of medicine, one wherein experts could diagnose the troubles that afflict married folks just before they visit the law specialist in divorce proceedings. I fancy he would tell one couple to take a little vacation—send the wife away, or give the husband an important business trip that would keep him away from home for several months. (But not leave the wife in a boarding house with a lot of gay, good-looking young men).

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Another couple might need a little stiffened vertabrae for the "husband" regarding expenditures or other weaknesses. The wife might need a treatment of bread and water in close confinement until she saw what a wife's conduct toward her husband and other men should be. Oh, there is no end of possibilities for the services for such a doctor of marriage.

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But at the start, marriage needs a bigger bunch of common sense than the newly married usually possess. It takes common sense to recognize that the love that leads so happily to the altar is not a permanent member of the firm. That only by consideration, mutual understanding and sympathy, willingness to give the other credit for a bit of thinking as an individual as well as a unit in affection—in fact, that marriage is a partnership with Love acting as advisory attorney—what folk at the matrimonial moment will be ready to listen to the voice of common sense?

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The fundamental trouble with the age is that women are refusing to be "bossed" as formerly, and that men still insist on their rights. Men will continue to be men, and the male of every age thinks he is IT on the boss question. When women are willing to return to the habit of being bossed, the freak writers on marriage and divorce like Mrs. Parsons will be out of a job.

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I want to tell the Hon. Joseph W. Bailey something, and I don't know whether to write to him or not. I want to tell him that I have been in Texas lots longer than he has, that I knew a lot of the plain, common folks long before he struck Gainesville, and that every ploughman and cowboy calling himself a Texan, is loyal beyond the efforts of any man to disturb in his admiration and devotion to the public men who have served the Lone State State faithfully and with undiminished affection.

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When I read Mr. Bailey's point of view regarding opposition to him I wonder how it is he does not know better the real Texas he represents.

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My first personal recollection of a governor of Texas is of one not as handsome as is Senator Bailey, but he stood as a rock of strength at the capitol at Austin, even when opposed as he sometimes was, and the whole state of Texas stood back of the governor. The "Old Alcalde" stood for the things Texans wanted. He knew his people and trusted them. No apology marks his place in our history.

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To call the names of the men honored by the state is to fire the imagination with noble ideas. From Houston down, Lubbock, Throckmorton, Roberts, Ross, in the gray mansion at Austin. At Washington, Dave Culberson, Sam Maxey, John H. Reagan, Olin M. Welborne, R. Q. Mills, who ever heard of one of these men replying to criticism by crying "conspiracy"?

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Defaming the good name of a man Texans have decided to trust wholly and entirely, is rather risky work for the defamer—that is if he has any political aspirations. For that reason I want to tell Senator Bailey to possess his soul in peace as to what the Texas man who plows, or rides cow ponies, or sells side bacon and barbed wire, or teaches in the country schools, will do to the men who make false charges against a public man whom the state of Texas has trusted with her honor and good name.

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There is no need for Senator Bailey to waste his indignation on his enemies. The country man of Texas, something over a million of him, has lots more sense than most folks on Wall street is going to make up his mind as to this and elsewhere "up north" realize. He defaming business, and then somebody is going to hear the result and it will not be spoken in a whisper, either.

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Senator Bailey sould remember that not since Isaac Van Zandt succeeded in negotiating the annexation of Texas to the union has Texas ever failed in loyalty to a man who has served HER in the nation's capital with zeal, with honor and with ability.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Card Party for Misses Lackland and Grosshart

An enjoyable whist party was given Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Bertha Hutchins in honor of two popular visiting girls, Miss Lackland of El Paso and Miss Grosshart of Missouri.

Two beautiful prizes were given. The first, an odd birch-bark waste basket, was captured by Miss Elizabeth Gardner in a cut with Misses Lillie Douglas and Jessie Binyon. The consolation prize, a pair of silk hose, fell to Miss Madge Hosmer. After several games were played, a delicious two-course luncheon was served to the guests, who were: Misses White, Wombwell, Binyon, Kennedy, Stewart, Madge and Irma Hosmer, Alice Stewart, Pendleton, Peacock, Williams, Shropshire, Lusk, Douglas, Gardner, Wells, Fuller, Scott, Hull, Maude

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THE WOMAN'S STORE

The Fair

Preparing for the Holidays

ON THIS page you will find many items of seasonable merchandise at tempting reductions from our usual moderate prices. And why? We must have room to display our large and attractive stock of Xmas goods now arriving daily. You will find the items detailed below quite interesting from an economical standpoint.

The Fair

THE WOMAN'S STORE

Womens and Childrens Furs Specially Priced



Now that the time is at hand for the selection of holiday Furs, we are pleased to announce that we are in a position to offer every advantage to Fur buyers. Our showing of high class novelties is the best our house ever made, and the prices for the fine quality of Furs offered, will be found to be very tempting.

Novelty Fur Scarfs, Boas, Collarettes, etc., of mink, fox, baum marten, blended mink, chinchilla, Japanese mink, black marten, etc., $5.00 to $95.00

Sable Muffs at $8.00 and up to $35.00

Child's Fur Set of astrachan, white only, neck piece and muff with purse and cord.....$1.65

Child's Set of gray squirrel, neck piece and muff, trimmed n braids $2.25

Misses' Fur Set of fox or chinchilla; squirrel neck piece and muff; $2.95 and up to $7.95

Womens Stylish Waists Underpriced Monday



This is an attractive offering of good warm all-wool and pretty Silk Waists at quite a price reduction. Better have a look Monday. Waists of all-wool nun's velling, serge and flannel; all colors, lace trimmed embroidered fronts; full tucked back and full sleeves, also plain tailored effects; regular shirt style with turn-back cuffs and turn down collar; regular price $2.96 to $3.25. Monday, special $1.98

Waists of Persian Striped Silk, trimmed in bias folds of the material and fancy buttons; full sleeves, $10.95 value; Monday $8.95

Waists of plain taffeta in blue, pink or white; long or elbow sleeves, specially priced at $7.95, $5.50 and down to 3.69

Waists of satin striped taffeta plaids, in all colors; strictly tailored; trimmed in buttons and pipings of tafeeta; specially priced at $8.95, $5.95 and....$4.95



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APPLY THE TEST—Anyone, or in any way you please, to every piece of this jewelry, and it will assay pure and solid gold. You may be sure of that fact when we tell you so, for we could not and would not jeopardize our reputation as merchants by deceiving or misleading our patrons.

A solid gold ring for baby, 29c. One for yourself, solid gold, 75c. Sounds impossible, yet it is true and the jewelry is here and ready to sell you on Monday morning. Signet rings for women, $1.25; Signet Rings for men at $2.25; both beautifully wrought and all solid gold.

And other jewelry, including Cuff Links, Breast Pins, Brooches, Beauty Pins, Fancy Rings set with splendid stones, Signet Hat Pins, Scarf Pins, pearl and other settings; Children's Necklaces—at relatively low prices.

The explanation of this sale of Solid Gold Jewelry at such remarkable prices is simple. The prices are the natural results of manufacturing as it is done today in America. The man who makes this Jewelry is a genius in economics. He has reduced the cost of manufacturing greatly by making thousands of pieces at a time. A large factory is devoted to nothing else than the making of Jewelry. And it is so good and the prices are so low that he sells every dealer of consequence in the world—confining, of course, his goods to one store in a city—that one capable of using the largest quantities.

Every piece of Jewelry in this sale is SOLID GOLD. We guarantee it. The styles are choice and beautiful. They are designed by men who "know"—and many are copied outright from the pieces in the famous and exclusive Jewelry shops of New York. The illustrations round about these words give you a fair idea of what this Jewelry is like. But you must see the pieces themselves in order to appreciate the real value and wonderfully low prices—**And what a chance to buy Christmas gifts.**

29c Children's and Infants' Solid Gold Rings, either plain bands or engraved, in dainty designs.

50c Children's, Misses' and Infants' Solid Gold Rings; signet; plain and Roman; others still prettier, set in turquoise, rubies and garnets.

50c Solid Gold Beauty Pins, Roman finish, plain gold and Roman finish, jewel studded; many styles.

50c Solid Gold Stick Pins for men and women—the variety is great and includes such popular designs as crosses, anchors, crescents, golf sticks, whips and daggers, plain gold or jewel set.

75c Solid Gold Rings for women and children; narrow bands set with turquoise, rubies and pearls, in groups of three and four stones.

$1.00 Solid Gold Barettes, square and oval designs, plain or Roman finish.

$1.19 Solid Gold Signet Hat Pins; others in flower leaf shapes, adorned with sparkling brailliants.

$1.00 Solid Gold Rings for women and children; ruby and emerald settings; two to four stones.

$1.25 Solid Gold Signet Rings for women and boys; plain or Roman finish, engraved.

$1.00 And up to $2.95—Solid Gold Scarf Pins in handsome designs—crescents, wishbones, heads, whips, golf sticks, scrolls, owl's heads, etc.—Roman or plain and set in jewels—emeralds, turquoise and brilliants.

$1.50 Solid Gold Brooches, Crescents, Bow-knots, Wishbones; floral designs; splendid values.

$1.50 Solid Gold Breast Pins—a wide assortment of styles; horseshoes, crescents and wishbones.

$1.50 to $2.75—Solid Gold Link Buttons for men and women; heavy and exceptional styles; Roman finish and jewel set or plain.

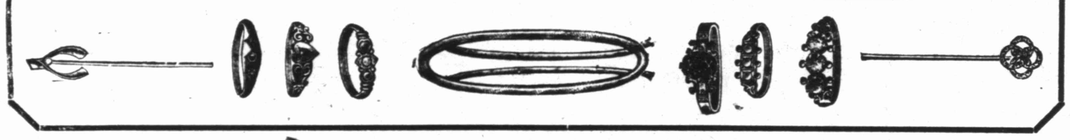
$1.50 and up to $2.95—Solid Gold Rings for women. Many set with opals and full of fire and surrounded by pearls; others set in many designs with emeralds, turquoise, garnets, pearls, etc.; some with large pearls, garnets or emeralds.

$2.25 Solid Gold Signet Rings for men; extra heavy Roman, old rose or bright gold.

$2.50 Solid Gold Necklaces for infants and children, soldered links; pearl set heart locket.

$2.95 Also $3.75 and $4.95—Very handsome new designs in Brooches—Roman, old rose and bright gold; set in emeralds, sapphires, rubies, garnets, pearls, opals and chip diamonds.

Sale Begins Monday Morning, December 3rd



Street and Suit Hats at Half Price



The near approach of the Xmas holidays makes imperative this sale of women's Street and Suit Hats at such great price concessions — We must have the space now occupied by our millinery for the Xmas display of dolls, hence we make these great price inducements to effect a quick sale of all remaining Hats. Beautiful imported pattern Hats are also greatly reduced in price. Just to give you a hint of the values we quote a few prices that will indicate the reductions that have been made. Paris Pattern Hats, were $25.00, now..$15.00
Street and Suit Hats, were $7.50 and $8.00....$4.00
Hats priced at $9.00 and $9.50, now $5.00
Hats priced at $5.95 and $6.95, now.....$3.50
Hats priced at $4.50, now only.....$2.98
Hats priced at $3.50, now only $1.75

Infants Warm Coats Reduced



Every possible want can be supplied in Coats for the little tots and at very special prices Monday.
Infants' Coats of Bearskin in gray, red, light blue and white, ages 2 to 6 years, regular price $3.69; Monday $2.98
Coats of Curly Bearskin in white and colors, trimmed in silk cords and fancy buttons; 3 to 8 years, special $5.95
Coats of white serge trimmed in velvets and silk braids; ages 2 to 4 years, special $3.98
Women's Bath Robes and Kimonos, made of good warm material in rich colors, dark red, green, tan and blue; trimmed down front and around collar with bands of satin, silk cord fastenings, regular price $3.98; for.....$2.98

Plaid Blankets $5.00

THE very best plaid Blankets to be had await you Monday at a special price; 11-4 all pure wool Blankets in ten different colored plaids, red, pink, blue, black, navy, etc., etc., combined with white; fine, soft warm Blankets; special, pair..$5.00

Stock Reducing Sale of Women's Ready-to-Wear Coats, Suits and Skirts

MONDAY, December the third, we inaugurate the most important sale of women's high-class ready-to-wear garments that has been exploited in Fort Worth this present season. The garments we offer you Monday embrace a wide range of the season's most beautiful models and most splendid materials—styles that are absolutely correct and practical. This is a selling event that will attract hundreds of enthusiastic patrons to this section of our store. Do you realize what an unusual thing it is to have such splendid garments offered you this early in the season at such great price reductions? The reason—our goods for the holidays are being unpacked every day, and we must have room to properly display them.



92 Handsome Coats Worth $25 to $30 $19.95

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Women's Coats Special $5.00

COATS in the new wool mixture materials and herringbone diagonal weaves, in all colors, full seven-eighths length, full back, patch pockets, collarless effects or with velvet collar. Also Short Coats il light weight meltons and kerseys, black or tan; very nobby new styles that just reached us, but will go in this sale; not a single coat in this lot worth less than $6.95, and many worth $7.95 and more; Monday special, at $5.00

Children's Coats Reduced 20 Per Cent

COATS for misses' and children made in this season's best and most popular styles of new wool mixture materials in all colors, bright plaids, checks and stripes; trimmed in bright velvets, silk braids and fancy buttons; popular lengths, some of these Coats are lined and have collars and cuffs of velvet, others collarless and unlined. Most any style you could want and at prices that will tempt you to buy. Coats worth $5.95 to $13.95 Monday reduced 20 per cent.

57 Tailored Suits for Women Worth $19.50 to $22.50, at $10.00

WE HAVE remaining from lines that have been sold out during this busy season just 47 Suits "odds and ends" that is only one or two of a kind left; every size in some style. These garments are made of new woolen mixture materials in grays and popular plaids, checks and stripes. These styles are blouses, ponettes, Coat Suits and Military Ponette Suits. The Coats are trimmed in braids and buttons and velvets; many with vest effect; satin and taffeta lined. The skirts are in new full plaited models; plain tailored or strap and button trimmed. This is a splendid chance to secure a practical, serviceable Suit to fill out the season at about half its full worth; Monday $10.00

Black Voile and Panama Skirts 10% Off

OUR entire stock of fine French and Altman's voiles and Panama Skirts, unlined or made over silk drop Skirts, plain tailored or elaborate in silk braids and bands of silk; priced regularly at $10.00 to $35.00; Monday reduced 10 PER CENT.



60 Tailored Suits Worth $29.50 to $37.50, at $25

WOMEN'S Tailored Blouse Suits in the season's most wanted styles and materials; only 60 suits in this offering, and half that number of styles—ensuring exclusiveness.

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KING MIDAS

By Upton Sinclair

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Synopsis

Helen Davis, having just returned from a course of three years' study in Germany, is walking thru the forest on her birthday, when she meets her foster brother, Arthur, who has walked twelve miles from Hilltown, where he is teaching school. Together they wander thru the forest, as they used to do before she went abroad. As they come to the edge of the wood he reminds her of her promise to him before she went away. She draws back and says that she was young at that time.

Helen goes to the village to pay a visit of charity to one of her father's flock (her father being a preacher). She tells him to wait, but when she returns he is gone. She goes home and shows that she can do as she pleases with her father. Just after he leaves Arthur comes in with a poem he has written for her and reads it. She is delighted and starts to play Wagner's "Ninth Symphony." Arthur is so moved by the music that he seizes her hand and covers it with kisses, whereupon she tells him she does not love him. Arthur leaves the house, altho he is expected to spend the Saturday and Sunday holiday there.

After his arrival her father asks her not to play such frantic, heavy music, which has surprised the country people, coming especially from the home of a minister. A storm comes up and Helen attempts to keep her thoughts from Arthur, who is undoubtedly out in it, by her music, but for no avail. Her thoughts run back to the man out in the storm.

After three days at home Helen is taken by her aunt, Mrs. Roberts, to her home for a house party. On the way her aunt tells her that she ought to marry a 40-year-old multimillionaire who will be there. In her room Helen comes to the same opinion after a struggle with herself and goes down to dinner, to meet the millionaire, Gerald Roberts.

(Continued from yesterday.)

CHAPTER VI.

"And yet methinks I see it in thy face,
What thou shouldest be; th' occasion speaks thee; and
My strong imagination sees a crown
Dropping upon thy head."

When Helen awoke the following morning, the resolution to withstand her aunt's urging was still strong within her; as she strove to bring back the swift events of the night before, the first discovery she made was a headache and a feeling of weariness and dissatisfaction that was new to her. She arose and looked in the glass, and seeing that she was pale, vowed again. "They shall not torment me in this way." I do not even mean that he shall propose to me; I must have time to realize it!"

And so firm was she in her own mind that she rang the bell and sent the maid to call her aunt. It was then only 9 o'clock in the morning, and Helen presumed that neither Mrs. Roberts nor any of the other guests would be awake, they not being fresh from boarding school as she was; but the girl was so nervous and restless, and so weighed upon by her urgent resolution, that she felt she could do nothing else until she had declared it and gotten rid of the matter. "I'm going to tell her once for all," she vowed; "they shall not torment me any more."

It turned out, however, that Mrs. Roberts had been up and dressed a considerable time—for a reason which, when Helen learned it, prevented her delivering so quickly the speech she had upon her mind; she noticed a worried expression upon her aunt's face as soon as the latter came into the room.

"What is the matter?" she asked, in some surprise.

"A very dreadful misfortune, my dear," said Mrs. Roberts; "I don't know how to tell you, you'll be so put out."

Helen was quite alarmed as she saw her aunt sink down into a chair; but then it flashed over her that Mr. Harrison might have for some reason been called away.

"What is it? Tell me!" she asked eagerly.

"It's Mr. Howard, my dear," said the other; and Helen frowned.

"Oh, bother!" she cried; "what about him?"

"He's been ill during the night," replied Aunt Polly.

"Ill!" exclaimed Helen. "Dear me, what a nuisance!"

"Poor man," said the other, deprecatingly; "he cannot help it."

"Yes," exclaimed Helen, "but he ought not to be here. What is the matter with him?"

"I don't know," was the reply, "but he has been suffering so all night that the doctor has had to give him an opiate."

The wan countenance of Mr. Howard arose up before Helen just then, and she shuddered inwardly. "Dear me, what a state of affairs!" she exclaimed. "It seems to me as if I were to have nothing but fright and worry. Why should there be such things in the world?"

"I don't know, Helen," said the other, "but it is certainly inopportune for you. Of course the company will all have to leave."

"To leave!" echoed Helen; she had never once thought of that.

"Why, of course," said her aunt. "It would not be possible to enjoy ourselves under such very dreadful circumstances."

"But, Aunt Polly, that is a shame!" cried the girl. "The idea of so many people being inconvenienced for such a cause. Can't he be moved?"

"The doctor declares it would not look right anyway, you know. He will certainly have to remain until he is better."

"And how long will that be?"

"A week, or perhaps more," was the reply.

And Helen saw that her promised holiday was ruined; her emotions, however, were not all of disappointment, for tho she was vexed at the interruptions, she recollected with sudden relief that she could thus obtain, and without so much effort of her own, the time to debate the problem of Mr. Harrison. Also there was in her mind, if not exactly pity for the invalid, at any rate the nearest to it that Helen had ever learned to feel, an uncomfortable fright at the idea of such suffering.

"I promise you," said Aunt Polly, who had been watching her face and trying to read her emotions, "that we shall only postpone the good time I meant to give you. You cannot possibly be more vexed about it than I, for I was rejoicing in your triumph with Mr. Harrison."

"I'm not worrying on that account," said Helen, angrily.

"Helen, dear," said Mrs. Roberts, pleadingly, "what can be the matter with you? I think anyone who was watching you and me would get the idea that I was the one to whom the fortune is coming. I suppose that was only one of your jokes, my dear, but I truly don't think you show a realization of what a tremendous opportunity you have. You show much more lack of experience than I had any idea could be possible."

"It isn't that, Aunt Polly," protested Helen; "I realize it, but I want time to think."

"To think, Helen! But what is there to think? It seems to be madness to trifle with such a chance."

"Will it be trifling to keep him waiting a while?" asked Helen, laughing in spite of her vexation.

"Maybe not, my dear; but you ought to know that every other girl in this house would snap him up at one second's notice. If you'd only seen them watching you last night as I did."

"I saw a little," was the reply. "But, Aunt Polly, is Mr. Harrison the only man whom I can find?"

"My husband and I have been over the list of our acquaintances, and not found anyone that can be compared with him for an instant, Helen. We know of no one that would do for you that has half as much money."

"I never said he'd do for me," said Helen, again laughing. "Understand me, auntie,' she added; "it isn't that I'd not like the fortune! If I could get it without its attachment—"

"But, my dear, you know you can never get any wealth except by marriage; what is the use of talking such nonsense, even in fun?"

"But listen," objected Helen in turn; "suppose I don't want such a great fortune—suppose I should marry one of these other men?"

"Helen, if you only could know as much as I know about these things," said Mrs. Roberts, "if you only could know the difference between being in the middle and at the top of the social ladder! Dear, why will you choose anything but the best when you can have the best if you want it? I tell you once for all I do not care how clever you are, or how beautiful you are, the great people will look down on you for an upstart if you cannot match them and make just as much of a show. And why can you not discover what your own tastes are? I watched you last night, child; anyone could have seen that you were in your element! You outshone everyone, Helen, and you should do just the same all your life. Can you not see just what that means to you?"

"Yes, Auntie," said Helen, "but then——"

"Were you not perfectly happy last night?" interrupted the other.

"No," protested the other, "that's just what I was going to say."

"The only reason in the world why you are not, my dear, is that you were tormenting yourself with foolish scruples. Can you not see that if you once had the courage to rid yourself of them it would be all that you need. Why are you so weak, Helen?"

"It is not weak!" exclaimed the other.

"Yes," asserted Mrs. Roberts, "I say it is weak. It is weak of you not to comprehend what your life is to be, and what you need for your happiness. It is a shame for you to make no use of the glorious gifts that are yours, and to cramp and hinder all your own progress. I want you to have room to show your true powers, Helen!"

Helen had been leaning over the foot of the bed listening to her aunt, stirred again by all her old emotion, and angry with herself for being stirred; her unspoken resolution was not quite so steady as it had been, tho like all good resolutions it remained in her mind to torment her.

She sprang up suddenly with a very nervous and forced laugh. "I'm glad I don't have to argue with you, Auntie," she said, "and that I'm saved the trouble of worrying myself ill. You see the Fates are on my side—I must have time to think, whether I want to or not." It was that comfort which saved her from further struggle with herself upon the subject. (Helen much preferred being happy to struggling.) She set hurriedly to work to dress, for her aunt told her that the guests were nearly ready for breakfast.

"Nobody could sleep since all the excitement," she said. "I wonder it did not wake you."

"I was tired," said Helen; "I guess that was it."

"You'll find the breakfast rather a somber repast," added Mrs. Roberts, pathetically. "I've been up nearly three hours myself, so frightened about poor Mr. Howard; I had never seen anyone so dreadfully ill, and I was quite certain he was in his death agony."

"Aunt Polly!" cried Helen with a sudden wild start, "why do you talk like that?"

"I won't say any more about it," was the reply, "only hurry up. And put on your best looks, my dear, for Mr. Harrison to carry away in his memory."

"I'll do that much with pleasure," was the answer; "and please have the maid come up to pack my trunks again; for you won't want me to stay now, of course."

"Oh, no," said Mrs. Roberts, "not unless you want to. Our house won't be a very cheerful place, I fear."

"I'll come back in a week or two, when you are ready for me," Helen added; "in the meantime I can be thinking about Mr. Harrison."

Helen was soon on her way downstairs, for it was terrifying to her to be alone and in the neighborhood of Mr. Howard. She found a somber gathering indeed, for the guests spoke to each other only in half-whispers, and there were few smiles to be seen. Helen found herself placed opposite Mr. Harrison at the table, and she had a chance to study him by glances thru the meal. "He's well dressed, anyway," she mused, "and he isn't altogether bad. I wonder if I'd dare to marry him."

After breakfast Helen strolled out upon the piazza, perhaps with some purpose in her mind; for it is not unpleasant to toy with a temptation, even when one means to resist it. At any rate, she was a little excited when she heard Mr. Harrison coming out to join her there.

"Rather a sad ending of our little party, wasn't it, Miss Davis?" he said.

"Yes," answered the girl, "I feel so sorry for poor Mr. Howard."

"He seemed to be rather ill last night," said the other. He was going to add that the fact perhaps accounted for the invalid's severity, but he was afraid of shocking Helen by his levity—a not entirely necessary precaution, unfortunately.

"You are going back to town this morning, with the others?" Helen asked.

"No," said Mr. Harrison, somewhat to her surprise; "I have a different plan."

"Good Heavens, does he suppose he's going to stay here with me?" thought the girl.

"I received your aunt's permission to ask you," continued Mr. Harrison, "and so I need only yours."

"For what?" Helen inquired, with varied emotions.

"To drive you over to Oakdale with my rig," said the other. "I had it brought down, you know, because I thought there might be a chance to use it."

Helen had turned slightly paler, and was staring in front of her.

"Are you not fond of driving, then, Miss Davis?" asked the other, as she hesitated.

"Yes," said Helen, "but I don't like to trouble you——"

"I assure you it will be the greatest pleasure in the world," said Mr. Harrison; "I only regret that I shall not be able to see more of you, Miss Davis; it is only for the present, I hope."

"Thank you," said Helen, still very faintly.

"And I have a pair of horses that I am rather proud of," added Mr. Harrison, laughing; "I should like you to tell me what you think of them. Will you give me the pleasure?"

And Helen could not hesitate very much longer without being rude. "If you really wish it, Mr. Harrison," she said, "very well." And then someone else came out on the piazza and cut short the conversation; Helen had no time to think any more about the matter, but she had a disagreeable consciousness that her blood was flowing faster again, and that her old agitation was back in all its strength. Soon afterwards Mrs. Roberts came out and joined the two.

"Miss Davis has granted me the very great favor," said Mr. Harrison; "I fear I shall be happier than I ought to be, considering what suffering I leave behind."

"It will do no good to worry about it," said Mrs. Roberts, a reflection which often keeps the world the world from wasting its sympathy. "I shall have your carriage brought round."

"Isn't it rather early to start?" asked Helen.

"I don't know," said her aunt; 'is it?"

"We can take a little drive if it is," said Mr. Harrison; "I mean that Miss Davis shall think a great deal of my horses."

Helen said nothing, but stood gazing in front of her across the lawns, her mind in a tempest of emotions. She could not put away from her the excitement that Mr. Harrison's presence brought; the visions of wealth and power which gleamed before her almost overwhelmed her with their vastness. But she had also the memory of her morning resolve to trouble her conscience; the result was the same confused helplessness, the dazed and frightened feeling which she so rebelled against.

"I do not want to be troubled in this way," she muttered angrily to herself, again and again; "I wish to be let alone, so that I can be happy!"

Yet there was no chance just then for her to find an instant's peace, or time for further thought; there were half a dozen people about her, and she was compelled to listen to and answer commonplace remarks about the beauty of the country in front of her, and about her singing on the previous evening.

She had to stifle her agitation as best she could, and almost before she realized it her aunt had come to summon her to get ready for the drive.

Helen hoped to have a moment's quiet then; but there was nothing to be done but put on her hat and gloves, and Mrs. Roberts was with her all the time.

"Helen," she said pleadingly, as she watched the girl surveying herself in the glass, "I do hope you will not forget all that I told you."

"I wish you would let me alone about it!" cried Helen, very peevishly.

"If you only knew, my dear girl, how much I have done for you," replied the other, "and how I've planned and looked forward to this time, I don't think you'd answer me in that way."

"It isn't that, Aunt Polly," exclaimed Helen, "but I am so confused and I don't know what to think."

"I am trying my poor, humble best to show you what to think. And you could not possibly feel more worried than I just now; Helen, you could be rid of all these doubts and struggles in one instant, if you chose. Ask yourself if it is not true; you have only to give yourself into the arms of the happiness that calls you. And you never will get rid of the matter in any other way—indeed you will not! If you should fling away this chance, the memory of it would never leave you all your life; after you knew it was too late, you would torment yourself a thousand times more than ever you can now."

"Oh, dear, dear!" cried Helen, half hysterically; "I can't stand that, Aunt Polly. I'll do anything, only let me alone! My head is aching to split, and I don't know where I am."

"And you will never find another chance like it, Helen," went on the other, with sledge-hammer remorselessness. "For if you behave in this perfectly insane way and lose this opportunity, I shall simply give you up in despair at your perversity."

"But I haven't said I was going to lose it," the girl exclaimed. "He won't be any the less in love with me if I make him wait, Aunt Polly"—

"Mr. Harrison was going back to Cincinnati in a day or two," put in Mrs. Roberts, swiftly.

"He will stay if I wish him to," was the girl's reply. "There is no need for so much worry; one would think I was getting old."

"Old!" laughed the other. "You are so beautiful this morning, Helen, that I could fall in love with you myself." She turned the girl toward her, seeing that her toilet was finished. "I haven't a thought in the world, dear, but to keep you so beautiful," she said. "I hate to see you tormenting yourself and making yourself so pale; why will you not take my advice and fling all these worries aside and let yourself be happy? That is all I want you to do, and it is so easy! I like to see you smile, Helen!" And Helen, who was tired of struggling, made a wry attempt to oblige her, and then broke into a laugh at herself. Meanwhile the other picked a rose from a great bunch of them that lay upon the bureau and pinned it upon her dress.

"There, child," she said, "he can never resist you now, I know!"

Helen kissed her excitedly upon the cheek, and darted quickly out of the door, singing, in a brave attempt to bring back her old merry self:

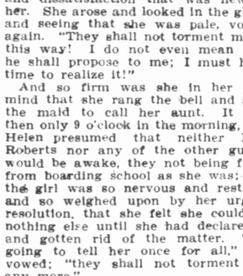
"The flowers that bloom in the spring, tra-la-la,
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A moment later, however, she recollected Mr. Howard and his misfortune, and her heart sank; she ran quickly down the steps to get the thought of him from her mind.

It was easy enough to forget him and all other troubles as well when she was once outside upon the piazza; for there were plenty of happy people, and everyone crowded about her to bid her good-bye. There too was Mr. Harrison standing upon the steps waiting for her, and there was his driving cart with two magnificent black horses, alert and eager for the sport. Helen was not much of a judge of horses, having never had one of her own to drive, but she had the eye of a person of aristocratic tastes for what was in good form, and she saw that Mr. Harrison's turn-out was all of that, with another attraction for her, that it was daring; for the horses were lithe, restless creatures, thoroughbreds, both of them; and it looked as if they had not been out of the stable in a week. They were giving the groom who held them all that he could do.

Mr. Harrison held out his hand to the girl as she came down the steps, and eyed her keenly to see if her flushed cheeks would betray any sign of fear. But Helen's emotions were surging too strongly for such thoughts, and she had, besides, a little of the thorobred nature herself. She laughed gaily as she gave her hand to her companion and sprang into the wagon; he followed her, and as he took the reins the groom sprang aside and the two horses bounded away down the broad avenue. Helen turned once to wave her hand in answer to the chorus of good-byes that sounded from the porch and then she faced about and sank back into the seat and drank in with delight the fresh morning breeze that blew in her face.

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DAILY KNITTING CHATS

BY LAURA La RUE



If you have been taking a trip thru the shops lately, I didn't need to tell you how many Norfolk sweaters are going to be worn this season. Perhaps you have already set your heart on one, and because you do not know how to knit it, think you will buy a machine made garment.

That is why my talk today is about Norfolk sweaters, or to be exact, the Basket Stitch Norfolk, certainly the prettiest of the models of the season. There is one particularly good point about the new Norfolks for the grown up feminine world—there are no belts across the front. This gives a long, unbroken line, making the garment so much more graceful than when it is belted in. As to the back, some of the new Norfolks are fitted and some are straight and gathered beneath a strap crossing from underarm seam to underarm seam. All knitters know there are basket weaves and basket weaves, but that used here is the finest one—that with the plain row between the patterns, making each strand stand out from the others, as tho really made of a separate thread. Of course, the Basket Stitch Norfolk can be made in any color one chooses, but I don't know of anything that could be smarter in appearance than the white and green of the model.

The back of the Norfolk is knit almost straight, and has across it the strap I spoke of before. It is caught down at each end with two pearl buttons.

I will mail full directions for making this pattern to any of my readers who are interested. There will be no charge for sending them. Kindly address Laura La Rue, Knitting Editor, The Telegram.

HINTS BY MAY MANTON

Box-Plaited Skirt with Fancy Yoke, 5517

The plaited skirt is the skirt of the season for the street and, indeed, for a

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Name .....
Address .....
Size .....

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great many indoor occasions, for it not alone is seen in the walking length, but also in a great many gowns that are made with skirts of round length. Here is one of the very latest variations that is made with a deep yoke and provides perfect smoothness over the hips, while there is abundant flare below and which includes also a shaped and fitted girdle. As illustrated, it is made of Bordeaux red broadcloth stitched with belding silk and trimmed with dull gold buttons, but while the color is an exceedingly handsome as well as exceedingly fashionable one, there are a great many others as well as a variety of materials which can be utilized, inasmuch as the model suits almost everything fashionable, velvet, velveteen and the lighter weight wools quite as well as broadcloth.

The skirt is made in nine gores and is box-plaited and joined to a foundation yoke at front and sides, over which the pointed yoke is arranged, but at the back the plaits extend all



5517 Box Plaited Skirt with Fancy Yoke 22 to 30 waist.

the way to the waist line, giving the latest and most fashionable effect to the figure.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is 11 yards 27, 6¾ yards 44 or 5¾ yards 52 inches wide.

The pattern, 5517, is cut in sizes for a 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30-inch waist measure.

SHORT STORY

The Man Courageous

You would have been sorry for John Dent.

In the first place he was not built for a soldier, and why he ever enlisted and allowed himself to be sent to far-away Manila was and is a mystery.

No, he was not meant for a soldier. He did not drink or smoke or swear or gamble. He did not intrude his beliefs, but he lived them. He was just naturally good and his comrades found delight in shocking him, for what reason God alone knows. Surely there are not enough good men in the world.

And they called this boy in khaki a coward, and they told him that he would run at the first shot, and they painted the horrors of war in a way to chill one's blood.

And they played mean pranks on him—cut down his hammock, stole his clothes, and when he shrank at sight of some of the slimy creatures of the swamps, they called him coward again and laughed him to scorn.

Ah, it was a hard, unloved life that John Dent lived.

Well, there came the weeks when we swept thru swamps and up hills, searching for an elusive enemy. We swore as we marched. We cursed the natives, the government, the food, and the dates of our births. Only John Dent marched on and patiently endured.

And then came a fierce fight on a hillside, when bullets and arrows and spears filled the air and swarms of savages picked us off until we had to retreat.

"Where is Lieutenant Conway?" was the cry, as we stopped to breathe behind a natural rampart of rock.

"Here," came a feeble answer, and a bloody thing stumbled into our refuge, bearing a wounded soldier. He never spoke again. With that one word "Here!" John Dent had been ushered into the presence of his Maker, and we know that the "coward" was the bravest of all.

Christmas Gifts to Order

When a woman wishes to make a Christmas gift of some article of fancy work and is not able to make the article herself, she can go to the shops and find almost anything she desires in that line, ready made, and not only ready made, but well made, with all the daintiness and fine work that the clever needlewoman can put in it.

One of the pretty things to be bought is the bag, and the variety of bags seems endless. There are the beautiful bags made of handsome silks, the fancy silks that come in every possible shade and in many weaves and combinations of colors. These bags are of all sizes and for all purposes. They are for opera glasses, for party accessories, or to carry on the arm to hold the handkerchief. Some of the prettiest bags are of white and gold that will harmonize with any evening costume and they can be bought for almost any amount one can pay.

Cretonne Bags

There are all sizes and shapes of cretonne bags, the art designs of the material being more like a picture, than a piece of cloth. The newest bags are in octagon sections, put together with a ribbon of a shade to harmonize with the material. A full set of these bags will include one for the laundry, another for pieces, another for handkerchiefs, another for fancy work, another for the duster—to be hung on the door knob, to be ready for immediate service in these days of dust, soot and smoke—and for traveling they are invaluable, when lined with an oiled fabric.

Smaller bags are for the work basket and to hold the small articles like chalk, beeswax, emery, that so often get separated and require some hunting to find them. There are little bags for the veils and collars and ribbons, for "husband's" neckties, for gloves and for the small things.

Big bags, little bags and middle-sized bags. Bags for cents and bags for dollars.

JEWELRY STOCK SOLD

J. A. Todd Agrees to Pay the Sum of $6,604.09

In the matter of the estate of W. P. Kruckman, deceased, the administrator Saturday, filed his report of the sale at private sale of the personal property of said estate to J. A. Todd and the sale was approved by Judge John L. Terrell.

The personal property sold by the administrator consists of the stock of jewelry, etc., at 507 Main street, the price agreed to be paid by J. A. Todd being $6,604.09, and this, the administrator said, was the highest and best bid received by him.

The reduction works at Canso, Nova Scotia, handled 1,300 tons of dogfish last year and produced therefrom 9,000 gallons of fish oil, besides 200 tons of fish scrap, which makes a good fertilizer.

It rarely fails to cure rheumatism because it supplies the blood with the necessary substance to absorb the poison of rheumatic-uric acid. That is what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. J. P. Brashear.

We extend a card of thanks to our friends who assisted us during the late sickness of our daughter and sister, Lillian, and for their many expressions of friendship and floral offerings in our bereavement.
J. J. GOODFELLOW AND FAMILY.

A Monster Closing-Out Sale!

Beginning Monday Morning, Dec. 10——Ending Monday Night, Dec. 24

$75,000.00

Worth of Standard Merchandise, Consisting of Dress Goods, Staples, Linens, Notions, Ladies' Ready-to-Wear, Shoes, Clothing, Men's and Ladies' Furnishings, Trunks and Valises

Will be sold out at actual New York and mill cost. Store will be closed all this week, preparing the **GREATEST BARGAIN FEAST** ever spread before the people of this city. Doors will be thrown open Monday Morning, December 10, at 9 o'clock; sale running just fourteen days, ending Monday night, December 24. THIS IS NO HATCHED-UP ADVERTISING SCHEME, but a genuine retiring from business sale. Our store furniture and fixtures are for sale; also unexpired lease on store-room, 50x100 feet, double-decked.

NO GOODS WILL BE LAID AWAY
Exchanged or taken back during this sale.

Here is an exceptional opportunity for country merchants who are in need of merchandise quickly to replenish their stocks, saving both time and freight expense and getting advantage of the lowest cash prices that the eastern markets afford.

We also offer the entire stock in bulk, together with fixtures and unexpired lease on building.

Curtis & Co.
405 & 407 HOUSTON ST.

FORMER FORT WORTH GIRL ASTONISHES WITH VOICE

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The interest of believers in psychic influences is attracted by the seeming marvelous performances of Miss Edna Murray, of Fort Worth, Texas, who has become the protege of wealthy society women in this city.

Under hypnotic influence this young woman sings in a remarkable series of songs. Her voice is naturally a high soprano, but, under the hypnotic influence, she is able to sing in robust baritone, strong tone and volume, perfectly imitating the voice of a man.

"A couple of years ago," said Miss Murray, "I began to study psychic forces. I have learned to put myself in the hypnotic state. It was while I was under this influence one day, that I went to the piano and began to sing.



I instantly realized that my voice was changed. In fact I could run any of the lower scales.

"My mother, who had heard me, was alarmed, but after the influence had passed off I found that my voice was perfectly natural. Such eminent suggestionists as Dr. Gustave A. Meyer say that I merely hypnotized myself into accomplishing the thing that I wished for. It is a clear instance of auto-suggestion."

Mrs. Henry Siegel and other society women have given evenings for Miss Murray, and she has demonstrated to wondering audiences her strange power.

The CHURCHES

Baptist

Broadway Baptist church, Broadway and St. Louis avenue; Rev. P. E. Burroughs, pastor—Preaching at both hours by the pastor. Special music by the choir.

First Baptist church, Third and Taylor streets; Rev. Charles W. Daniel, pastor—Public worship at 11 a. m.; subject, "Proclaiming the Lord's Death;" 7:30 p. m., "The Conversion of a High Official."

North Fort Worth Baptist church, Boulevard and Fifteenth street; Rev. E. N. Bell, pastor—Public worship at 11 a. m.; topic, "Hilarity." Evangelistic service at 7 p. m.

Broadway Baptist church, Broadway and St. Louis avenue—P. E. Burroughs, pastor. Preaching at both hours by the rector. Evening sermon for young men.

Church of Christ

Church of Christ, Rosedale and Alston avenues—Bible school at 10 a. m.; Bible study at 11 a. m.; exhortation and communion at 12 m.; night services at 7:30.

Central Church of Christ—Services begin in the court house basement at 10 a. m. with Bible study; exhortation and communion at 11 o'clock; prayer and topic meeting at 7:30 p. m.; subject, "Self-Denial."

Church of Christ, Brooklyn Heights—Bible school at 3 p. m., followed by a topic meeting at 4 p. m.; Lord's supper at 5 p. m.

Church of Christ, South side, corner Jennings and Cahnon avenues—Bible studies 10 a. m. to 11. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by C. E. Wooldridge. Lord's supper at 11:45 a. m.

Church of Christ, Handley; C. E. Wooldridge will preach at Woodmen hall at 3:30 p. m. on "God's Foolishness and Men's Wisdom."

Christian

Tabernacle Christian church, Rev. A. E. Dubber, pastor, Fifth and Throckmorton streets—Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; subject, "The Constraining Love of Christ;" services Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock; subject, "Glorying in the Cross."

Bellevue Christian church, Laurel and Alston streets, Rev. C. P. Craig, pastor—Preaching services morning and evening. Subjects, "The Conversion of the Three Thousand;" "Look and Live."

First Christian Church, corner Sixth and Throckmorton streets—Rev. J. J. Morgan, late of Kansas City, who has been called to this church, has arrived and will preach at both the 11 o'clock and the 7:30 o'clock services. A cordial invitation is extended. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

Episcopal

Trinity church, Hemphill street and Pennsylvania avenue (take the Hemphill car)—Rector Robert Hammond Cotton, M. A., B. Sc., (London)—Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; subject of night sermon, "The Crapsey Position; So far as I Understand and Endorse It."

The Church of the Holy Innocents, corner Josephine street and Virginia avenue, Union Depot addition (take College car to Virginia avenue), Rev. Charles A. Eaton, priest in charge—The first Sunday in advent; 11 o'clock, shortened morning prayer; celebration of the holy communion and sermon; subject, "The Coming Dawn;" 7:30 o'clock, evening prayer and sermon; subject, "The First Missionary."

Methodist

St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church—Tomorrow at 11 a. m., Rev. Dr. Wheat of Sullivan, Ill., will preach. This being the closing Sunday of the conference year, at 7:30 p. m. an old fashioned love feast will be held. The members of St. Paul's are especially urged by the pastor to attend this service, for testimony and praise and fellowship. In this service the pastor will give a brief resume of the year's work.

Glenwood M. E. church, Rev. Frank E. Singleton, B. D., pastor. Services Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Text of sermon: "Christ's Death Voluntary; Not Forced to Die, But He Gave Himself; at 7:30 p. m. "A Self-Mastered Man."

At First Methodist Episcopal church, south, corner Jones and Fourth streets, the new pastor, Rev. Hubert D. Knickerbocker, will fill the pulpit at both services Sunday. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Soldiership of the Soul." At 7:30 o'clock the subject will be "The Narrow Way of Life."

Presbyterian

Broadway Presbyterian church, Broadway and St. Louis avenue, Rev. Junius B. French, D. D., pastor; H. S. Anderson, assistant pastor—Sunday will be rally day for the Sunday school department. The contest between the Reds and the Blues for members closes Sunday morning and the winning side will be announced. Rev. A. C. Browne of Texarkana, secretary of the Texas assembly comprising Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. His subject for the morning hour will be "Sunday School Work." A convention of Sunday school workers will be held at 3 o'clock in the parlors of the church, and the Young People's union will have a special service at 6:30 p. m.

Cannon Avenue Presbyterian, corner Cannon avenue and Hemphill. Rev. R. E. Chandler will occupy the pulpit at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian church, Fourth and Calhoun streets.—Divine services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. Wm. Caldwell, Ph. D., preaches at 11 a. m. Rev. J. Frank Smith of Dallas preaches at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Oscar Seagle sings at the night service. The Sunday Club meets at 4 p. m. A week of evangelistic meetings begins Sunday night under the auspices of the Sunday Club.

Broadway Presbyterian.—Sunday at the Broadway Presbyterian church, corner Broadway and St. Louis, will be Sunday school rally day and at 9:30 sharp the services will begin; every child in the school will have a part in this service. A report will be made of new pupils brought in by the Reds and Blues and the winning side announced. Dr. A. O. Browne, the general assembly's Sunday secretary, will make an address at this service. Dr. Browne will also preach at 11 o'clock on Sunday school work, and 7:30 p. m. At 3 p. m. Dr. Browne will meet the Sunday school workers in a conference, all Sunday school workers of the city are given a cordial invitation to attend this service. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. Special music at this service by the High School Quartet

Congregational

First Congregational Church, corner Pennsylvania and College avenues—Rev. George W. Ray, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "The Goal of Democracy." Subject of evening sermon, "The Vision of Life." Christian Endeavor meets at 6:45 p. m. Bible study of the Sunday school lessons every Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Scientist

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 502 Lamar street, corner Fourth—Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject, "God the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school, 10 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meetings, 8 o'clock.

Gospel Mission

Gospel Mission, non-sectarian, 813½ Main street—Services every night at 7:30 o'clock, except Monday.

Fort Worth Spiritualist Society will hold Thanksgiving services Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall, corner West First and Throckmorton streets. There will be a very interesting program, speaking, tests, clairvoyant and psychometric reading, vocal and instrumental music. After the services refreshments will be served in honor of Dallas visitors. All are welcome.

German Lutheran church, Railroad avenue and Hemphill street. Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. L. Roehm, pastor.

Mulkey Memorial M. E. church, South, corner Ireland and St. Louis streets—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Judge J. C. Smith, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m., subject, "Our Gifts and What to Do with Them." Epworth League service 6 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m., subject, "The Way of Salvation."

SEVENTH WARD HALL COMPLETE

Fort Worth Now Has Nine Fire Halls

Work on the new Seventh ward fire hall is practically done. With a few finishing touches the building is ready for occupancy and can be in perfect condition by the time the hose wagon is to arrive, December 20.

The location is Missouri avenue and Schiller street. The size is 25x45, two stories high and the material is of the best, the walls being of pressed brick with stone lintals.

The arrangements conform to the experiences of modern fire engine station demands and, while there is not a large station, there is room for other equipment, if it is found necessary.

The equipment will consist, at this time, of one combination hose wagon such as is in common use in the city, and the force will consist of four men, captain, driver and two hosemen.

When this fire hall or station is placed in use, Fort Worth will have nine fire halls.

LODGE OF SORROW

Elks Will Honor Memory of the Departed

The annual lodge of sorrow of Fort Worth lodge No. 124, B. P. O. E., in honor of the members of the lodge who have died will be held in the Elks' hall in the Continental bank building Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The services will be open to the general public and a cordial invitation has been issued to all to be present.

Members of the local lodge have been requested to be present at the hall an hour before the opening of the exercises in order that they may familiarize themselves with any part of the ritual that they may not know and also to attend to other small matters which may come up.

Seats will be reserved at the exercises for the families of the deceased members.

Members of Fort Worth lodge in whose honor the services will be held were: J. V. Goode, W. H. Firth, J. L. Joiner, G. H. Human, J. E. Bomar, Robert Ellison and G. M. Morris.

He Collected the Bill

An old church in England decided to repair its properties and employed an artist to touch up some large paintings. Upon presenting his bill, the committee in charge refused payment unless the details were specified, whereupon the following itemized bill was presented.

	£	S.	D.
To correcting the Ten Commandments	1	2	0
Embellishing Pontius Pilate and new ribbons on hat		15	6
Putting new tail on rooster and mending comb		12	6
Replumming and gilding left wing of guardian angel	1	2	0
Washing the servant of the high priest and carmine cheek		18	7
Renewing Heaven, adjusting the stars, cleaning moon	1	5	6
Touching up Purgatory and restoring lost souls		15	4
Brighten up flames of hell, new tail on Devil		12	7
Mending Devil's hoof, odd jobs for the damned		10	6
Rebordering Herod's robes and adjusting wig		16	4
Taking spots off the son of Tobias		5	4
Cleaning Balaam's ass and putting shoes on		7	6
Putting new earrings in Sara's ears		5	4
Putting new stone in David's sling, enlarging Goliath's head		18	6
Extending Saul's legs		5	4
Decorating Noah's ark and putting head on Shem		15	6
Mending prodigal son's shirt and cleaning ears		14	7
Total	11	16	8

Novelties

For fancy Collars, Belts, Combs, Hand Bags and Ladies' Fancy Hose; be sure to see our line before buying.

Keep Your Eyes on This Store

Parasols

Rain or shine we have them in better qualities and lower prices than elsewhere; come and see for yourself.

Watch our goods, watch our qualities; in fact, watch every item quoted, if possible; and last but not least, watch the prices we have attached to our goods. This means much to you; although the item may be small, just remember the store that makes the price. Every shelf and counter contains many valuable bargains for you. It was not so long ago that most people looked forward to buying their dry goods with many misgivings—with thoughts of "Will it do?" "Shall I like it?" "Will it prove satisfactory?" After aggravating delays and many tiresome hours making their purchases, they go home and it either calls for a sigh of relief or a flood of tears. *Listen—Not So Nowadays. This Uncertainty Can Be Avoided by Buying of Us.* We have so carefully studied your needs and wants and have gathered together a collection of the best selected Silks, Wool Goods of most every kind and weave; White Goods, Plain or Plaid Worsted Suitings, all the best Gray Mixtures, Cotton Plaid Suitings, Flannelettes, Outings, Staples, Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Silk Shawls, Fascinators, Hosiery, all the newest and latest creations in Novelties and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments; that today shopping at this store is a true pleasure. Pay us a visit whether you wish to buy or not. We assure you your time will be well spent looking over the many beautiful things on display and special sale at our store now. Our sales have been phenomenal, but we expect to make December our banner month.

"Gilt Edge" High Grade Dress Silks and Tailors Silk Fabrics

36-inch Black Gilt Edge high grade Chiffon Taffeta; our regular $1.50 yard kind; while it lasts; yard **$1.19**

36-inch Black Gilt Edge Tailors' Silk Fabric, in Chiffon Taffeta; our $1.35 grade; our sale price, yard only **$1.08**

All our 36-inch Black Chiffon Taffeta, "Gilt Edge," wear guaranteed stamped on every yard, and our $1.25 value—while it lasts, "we make the price," per yard ..... **95¢**

Two bolts 36-inch Black Taffeta, very soft and durable; a grade that usually sells for 85c yard; our price, while it lasts, yard only ..... **69¢**

36-inch Chiffon Taffetas in cardinal, scarlet and garnet reds, navy blue, brown, white, gray and some changeable colors. These are substantial weights and are known for their durability; a line worth today $1.10 the yard; our special price, yard only **89¢**

Don't fail to see our line of 27-inch Plaid Chiffon Taffeta Shirt Waist patterns; all the very newest and latest style plaid effects; our price on these silks, only a yard ..... **98¢**

All Lining Taffetas left from special silk sale, in many good solid colors. These are all worth 25c yard; our special sale price to close out quickly, a yard only ..... **7½¢**

Prices Must Be Right

We are doing the biggest Silk and Dress Goods business in our history. 44 and 46-inch Surah, French and Imperial Serges, Mohairs, Sicilians, Bedford cord, Mohair, Serge. 50-inch storm serges; these are in blacks only, and worth regular $1.25 yard; our special price, yard only ..... **95¢**

30 new bolts very fine gray mixtures. Overlaid all-wool Plaids, all best colors. These run in width from 44 to 56 inches wide. The very newest patterns and extra qualities. Many of these goods are really worth and sell at $1.50 the yard. Note the width, quality and prices; our special price for our December sale only, the yard ..... **98¢**

52 and 54-inch very fine novelty high grade Suitings. Nothing to equal their values; also 54-inch Chiffon Broadcloth in all leading staple colors; these exceptional values are actually worth $1.00 the yard; our special sale price the yard only ..... **73¢**

White & Cream Wool Goods

And the Prices We Have Attached to Them

52-inch Cream Chiffon Broadcloth, a very fine grade; our regular $2.00 quality; special price yard, only..... **$1.75**

44 and 50-inch Sicilian, Mohair Tamise, Surah, French and Imperial Serges; this line cannot be duplicated today to sell for less than $1.25 the yard; our special price, yard only ..... **95¢**

Wool Goods at Unheard of Prices

NOTE THESE AT ONCE

50-inch Sicilians, 75c values, in brown, black, gray and navy blue; our price for special sale, only the yard ..... **48¢**

44 to 50-inch Plaid Wool Suiting in brown, navy blue, red and gray, with small overlaid plaids and checks; a line that has no equal at 65c yard; our special sale price, yard only.... **48¢**

14 bolts Gray Mixtures and high colored Plaids—a beautiful line, well selected for a value of 60c yard; our price, the yard only ..... **45¢**

Extra Special—20 bolts 36-inch Plaid Wool Suitings—grays, tans, browns, reds, blue and many others. This is our regular 50c seller; all now on special sale counter. Come and look them over. We know you will buy a pattern if you see these; a yard only ..... **38¢**

Plaid Cottons & Plaid Worsteds

8 bolts 40-inch Worsted Plaids and Checks in greens, browns, black and white; both large and small; a line you have always paid 40c the yard for; nothing ever equaled its value; while it lasts, we close it out, a yard only ..... **25¢**

20 bolts Arnold's Cotton Plaid Suitings—most every available color in stripes and checks; a regular 25c grade. We make the special sale price, yard only ..... **15¢**

40 bolts Cotton Beige Suitings and heavy Coverts, in all washable colors, worth and sell everywhere at 12 1-2c and 15c. We place the entire lot on special sale counter and will sell as long as they last, a yard only ..... **10¢**

White & Cream Wool Goods

And the Prices We Have Attached to Them

36-inch cream, plain and fancy Sicilians, wool batistes in cream, baby blue, nile green, gray, pink, garnet and lavender. Be sure to see this line at special sale; price, yard only ..... **48¢**

42-inch cream substantial weight all-wool Serge; a quality worth 90c yard; special sale price, yard only ..... **69¢**

Keep Your Eye On Our Silk And Dress Goods Department. The Prices Must Be Right

Coats Coats

Ladies' black 52-inch Coats, worth $25, our price **$14.95**

Ladies' mannish mixtures; very long; price ranging from $3.95 to **$10.95**

Misses long gray mixtures, red and green collars and cuffs, $3.95 to **$6.95**

A full line of Children's Coats, $1.50 and up to **$4.95**

From Our Ladies Ready-to-Wear Department

Suits Cut in Half

We have about 25 Suits left that go at half price. These Suits are all late styles, finely tailored.

$25.00 Suits **$12.50**
$22.50 Suits **$11.25**
$20.00 Suits **$10.00**
$15.00 Suits **$7.50**
$10.00 Suits **$5.00**
$6.00 Suits **$2.95**

All Ladies Tailored Suits Go At One Half Price

Skirts Skirts Skirts

About 30 Sample Skirts left—

$18.50 Voile Skirts **$10.95**
$15.00 Panama, blue and black..... **$7.95**
$12.00 Panama and Serge, all colors **$6.95**
$7.50 Panama Bradcloth, all colors **$4.95**

Ladies and Childrens Underwear

A saving on every garment.

10 dozen ladies' full bleach, tape neck, fine ribbed, fleece lined; an extraordinary quality in all sizes; our special price on these Vests and Pants, each, only..... **45¢**

5 dozen ladies' swiss ribbed Vests; a good winter weight; our price, each only... **25¢**

50 dozen children's good ribbed Union Suits; all sizes and sells everywhere at 25c suit; our special sale price, each ..... **19¢**

December Prices on Mens Shoes

Will More Than Interest You Don't Forget the Place

Men's vici kid, patent kid, box and velour calf Shoes, the newest styles of the season; regular $3.00 values; our price **$2.45**

Boys' School Shoes, all solid leather, and warranted not to rip; prices, **$1.00, $1.15, $1.25, $1.35** and **$1.50**

Men's water-proof Bootees for work shoes; a $3.50 quality; our price **$2.75**

Men's all solid leather Shoes—warranted to wear well; $2.50 quality; our price..... **$1.95**

A big assortment of Men's heavy Sample Shoes, worth up to $2.50; choice, the pair **$1.45**

Our Mens Furnishings—We Save You Money on Every Article

Twenty-five dozen Men's Suspenders, 20c quality; per pair..... **10¢**

Fifty dozen fine Sample Dress Shirts, 75c and $1.00 quality; choice ..... **50¢**

Twenty dozen Men's Negligee Shirts, splendid 50c quality; choice, each ..... **35¢**

Forty dozen Men's Black Hose, 10c quality; per pair ..... **5¢**

One hundred dozen Men's White Canton Flannel Gloves, 10c grade; per pair ..... **5¢**

Thirty-five dozen Men's White Handkerchiefs, splendid 5c quality; our price ..... **2½¢**

Big lot Boys' Sample Hats, worth up to 50c; choice ..... **25¢**

Five dozen Men's fine $2.00 and $2.50 Hats, one and two of a kind; to close out..... **$1.45**

John B. Stetson Hats, black and white; $5.00 quality **$3.95**

Seventy-five Men's Hats, one and two of a kind, black and colors; values up to $2.00; to close out... **95¢**

Our Special December Prices on Ladies High Grade Shoes

Ladies' patent kid college cut Blucher, silk lace Shoe, $3.50 quality; now **$2.95**

Ladies' Goodyear welt sole Shoes in patent tip and patent kid, in button and blucher lace, regular $3.00 kinds; our special price only **$2.45**

Ladies' light and extension sole Shoes, in patent kid and vici, worth $2.50; now only.... **$1.95**

We have just received the snappiest line of Ladies' Shoes in the city; regular $2.00 grade, now; pair **$1.45**

Misses' warranted solid leather Shoes, blucher and lace; they will not rip; sizes 11 1-2 to 2; our price, **$1.50, $1.35** and.... **$1.25**

Children's Shoes, light and extension soles; all solid leather; sizes 8 1-2 to 11; our price, **$1.15** and ..... **95¢**

Our December Price Youths and Boys Clothing

can't be beat; now's you time to buy.

Big lot of Boys' Overcoats, $3.50 value, our price **$2.50**

Fifteen Boys' Corduroy Knee Pants, 50c quality, per pair ..... **25¢**

Twenty-five dozen Boys' all-wool Knee Pants, never rip, 75c grade, pair..... **50¢**

Sixty Boys' Woolen Suits, sizes 5 to 15, splendid $2 suit, our price..... **$1.50**

Seventy-five Boys' Knee Suits, 5 to 15; $2.50 value, our price..... **$1.75**

Thirty-six boys' heavy wool Knee Suits, $3.50 quality, our price **$2.50**

Eighteen boys' all-wool worsted, splendid $5.00 quality; special **$3.50**

Eighteen Long Pants Suits, 10 to 13, $3.50 quality, very special..... **$1.95**

Thirty Youths' Long Pants three-piece Suits; $5 quality, special **$3.95**

Twenty-four Youths' Long Pants Suits, ages 14 to 19, $7.50 grade, per Suit.. **$5.95**

If You Are in Need of a Suit of Clothes—Best Take Advantage of These Prices Now, as Tomorrow May Be Too Late

Seventy-two Men's Worsted Suits, splendid patterns; $10.00 grade; very special **$7.45**

Eighty-four Men's Black and Colored All-Wool Suits, good value at $12.50 to $15.00; our price **$9.95**

Thirty-six Men's very fine All Worsted Suits, beautiful patterns; $20.00 grade **$14.95**

Twenty-four Men's heavy Kersey Long Overcoats, all wool; $12.50 value **$9.95**

48 Men's Coats and Vests, all qualities, worth from $3.00 to $10.00—entire lot to close out at ABOUT HALF PRICE.

60 Men's Three-piece Suits; two to four of a kind; values up to $7.50; our December price, choice **$4.95**

40 Men's Three-piece Suits, broken sizes; values up to $6.00; to close the lot, choice **$3.95**

If You Need Staples Now Is Your Time To Buy

1,000 yards 4-4 brown Domestic; a good one, yard only ..... **5¢**

1,200 yards bleached Domestic; a good one at, a yard, only ..... **5¢**

300 yards nice plaid Suiting, yard..... **6¢**

9-4 brown Sheeting; good heavy weight; worth 22 1-2c yard; our special sale price, yard only ..... **18¢**

9-4 Bleached Sheets, hemmed and ready for use, each only..... **48¢**

3 bolts Curtain Scrim, good..... **5¢**

We have a few nice large white Bed Spreads; while they last ..... **75¢**

800 yards good Outing Flannel, yard.... **5¢**

Special lot good Cheviots, yard..... **7½¢**

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The Big One Comes off Monday, Dec. 3d

Silks---"1,500 Yards---Silks"

400 Yards at 25c 500 Yards at 39c 600 Yards at 49c

Monday morning dawns upon a day of the greatest sale of Silks on record, at 25c, 39c and 49c the yard. The admission is free with extraordinary buying opportunities in our Silk and Dress Goods sections for four special lots in high class dress materials. Sales that have gone before dwindle to nothingness in the face of this one. The immense quantity, the matchless quality and all but incredible prices are the factors that place this sale high above every other in all the annals of the dry good business in this city.

Lot No. 1

25c

400 yards Taffeta Silks in 19-inch widths and some fancy changeable in navy blues and reds; small figure in tan color; light blue and white stripe; solid color, brown and green, brown liberty satin and perhaps many others that might strike your fancy; these have been sold on special sales before at 45c the yard. "We make the price" to break the records Monday, your choice the yard, only ..

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Lot No. 2

500 yards 19-inch fancy Taffetas and mostly Moire Silk, that dress Silk of beauty and durability. This special lot comprises many beautiful patterns of solid colors, check, stripes and the Moire changeable effects. These Silks are actually worth from 75c to $1.00 the yard; possibly advertised before at 69c yard; as the colors are too numerous to be mentioned here, you will have to see these Silks to appreciate their real values. "We make the price" as a record-breaker Monday, December 3, yard only ..

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Lot No. 3

600 yards 27-inch plaid and fancy Taffetas, 19-inch regular $1.00 Silk Moire, in the browns and reds in small checks. The Taffetas are the prettiest line any one ever looked upon at an advertised price of 89c yard; in navy blue fancies, browns, reds, greens and many other beautiful patterns. A collection of varied colors and plaids. Whether you need Silks now or not, now is the best chance of your life to buy such high grade Dress Silks at such prices as we will sell these. All this lot is actually worth $1.00 the yard, but for a record-breaker "we make the price" this lot, yard only..

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Mrs. Scott's Luncheon

Mrs. Winfield Scott's luncheon Saturday for a bride-to-be and a recent bride, specially dear to a large number of friends, was one of the events to delight lovers of the beautiful as well as the specially favored guests. Mrs. C. D. Reimers, the bride, tho named as one of the honorees, had not returned, the wedding trip was not completed. Miss Maybelle Slaughter, the dear bride-to-be, sat enthroned in a seat of honor, with chair twined with smilax wreaths tied with generous bows of white tulle. Mrs. Reimers' chair was vacant, but with its decorations spoke eloquently thru the eight courses of loving remebrance.

Over the table, suspended from the chandelier, hung a bell of lilies of the valley, a glowing globe of electric light forming the clapper. The center piece was a huge bowl of pink roses, a white slipper resting upon its rosy surface. A cluny lace cover with a pink satin undercloth set off with beauty the brilliant accessories.

Mrs. Scott's guests were Miss Slaughter, Mrs. J. B. Slaughter, Miss Tom Montgomery, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Charles Alfred Johnson of Denver, Miss Stripling, Miss Fakes, Miss Jennings, Mrs. Wharton and Mrs. Ware.

The Entre Nous

The Entre Nous Thanksgiving dance was one of the Thanksgiving holidays' happiest expressions of gayety. The young folk danced in Colonial hall, Charles Wynne and Miss Wombwell leading the cotillon. Those present were: Misses Hopson of Sherman, Lackland, McCarthey, Diehl, Spencer, West, Binyon, Parker, Mahl, Daniels, Cowan, Gardner, Evans, Wells, Wright of Mansfield, Pendleton, Wombwell, Rintleman, Caldwell, Calhoun, Lusk, Douglas, Stewart, Graham of Graham, Miller, Shropshire, Beaumont of Key, Beckwith of Waco, Messrs. Will Loving of Jacksboro, Charles Wynnes, Dale Smith, Binyon, Wallace Campbell, Benson Campbell, Maddox, Hyman, Fiquet, Anderson, Bartlett, Dick, Joe Hyman, C. Heyer, O. H. Heyer, Wesson, Ed Cheatham, Robert Cheatham, Charles Stewart, Graham Stewart, A. Gernsbacher, Stieren, Ross Trigg, Wallace, Will Loving, Jacksboro, Paul Williams, Darling, Baker, Gardner, Walker, Robert Jenkins, Carnrike, Carter, Raynor Hyman, Hanney, Hull and Ault, Dr. and Mrs. Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bishop, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Dabban, Mrs. B. C. Evans, Mrs. Scott Wilson.

The Elks on Thursday Evening

Thursday evening the Elks, for the first time in months, returned to the gayety that has marked the organization in Fort Worth. Elks' hall was beautifully decorated.

The walls entire were hung with trailing wild smilax and festoons of white drapery extending from the center pillars to the ceiling were edged with green. Over the doors were large United States flags, gracefully draped, and around the elk's horn was a large five-pointed star made of smilax. The pillars were entwined with purple and white, the colors of the order, and the musicians' balcony was a well-screened bower of green.

The cotillon was led by Alf Luckett, with Miss Stripling. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Bryan, Captain and Mrs. George West, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Noble, Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Talbott, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gladney, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Pape, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. J. E Blythe, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stonestreet, Mr. and Mrs. John Scharbauer, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Barcroft, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Wilson, Mrs. Charles Matthie; Misses Stripling, Anne Stripling McCarthey, Van Zandt, Evans, West, Moriarity, Taylor, Hill of McKinney, Hays of San Antonio, Oxsheer, Diehl, Geisen of San Marcos, Hunter, Darter, Wilson, Lee, Bunton of Sweetwater, Beaumont of Kentucky.

The Imperial's Cotillon

The Imperial's full-dress cotillon Wednesday evening inaugurated the week of dances most delightfully. There were no decorations, but the music was excellent and the presence of a number of out-of-town visitors created a bit of pleasurable excitement among the men. A. W. Winfrey led with Miss Lee, a charming girl recently come to us, and now the guest of Mrs. Hunter Wilson. Among the dancers were other visitors—Miss Le Mond of Albany, Miss Bright of Kentucky, Miss Burke of Dallas, Miss Lackland of El Paso, Miss Carpenter of Austin, Miss Holland of Weatherford, Miss Goggan of Dallas.

The home girls present were: Misses Wells, Darter, Taylor, Greene, McLean, Caldwell, Brown, Pendleton, Bibb, Rintleman, Diehl, Daniels, Anderson, Stripling and Oxsheer.

The men dancers were: Messrs. John Scheuber, Oxsheer, Van Valkenburg, Homan, Ed Byars, Dave Byars, Miller, Taylor, Jordan, Raymond Reimers, Walker, Gahagan of Dallas, Herman Gahagan, John Scheuber, Moore, Stierin, Myers, Bartlett, Day, Wynne, Hoover, Toombs, Cannon, Mitchell and Dr. Roy Saunders.

The married guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Barcroft.

The Sans Pareil

The Sans Pareil's Thanksgiving dance was marked by informality and was confined to club members only. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. King Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert May, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Malony, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Lawson, Misses Wells, Pendleton, Graham, Stewart, Lusk, Douglas, Williams, Lackland and McCarthey, Messrs. Lea, Hyman, Browne, Smith, Carter, Gaines, Aaron and Jake Gernsbacher, Carter and Darling. Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Gernsbacher.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coleman

W. T. Coleman and his bride, formerly Miss Frances Louise Gibson of Calvert, arrived Thursday morning and are at home for a few days with Mrs. L. P. Robertson. Mrs. Coleman is the daughter of one of the prominent citizens of South Texas, a Texan who has been identified with the state's commercial prosperity.

Mrs. Coleman has visited here and was much admired, being a charming girl of gracious manners and striking beauty. Mr. Coleman is a prominent clubman and Elk and has a host of friends, who are congratulating him.

Mrs. Robertson had Mr. and Mrs. Coleman as guests of honor for a Thanksgiving dinner with Miss Helen Murdock and Miss Hogg. Dr. Fred Nowlin and James Coleman to meet them. Eight courses of one of Mrs. Robertson's choicest menus were served.

Thanksgiving Dinner With Mrs. Post

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Post had an old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner for their guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roe, Miss Mary Roe, Miss Conkling, Herbert Post, Mrs. J. W. Barbee, Miss Carolina Barbee, of Arlington Heights college, and Master Jere Barbee of Walnut Springs. The place cards were water color representations of bronze turkeys, with an especially handsome one for the "absent one." Bride roses and rosy shaded candles formed a pretty effect for table decorations.

An Informal Evening

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Want's home was a scene of gayety Tuesday night, at which time Misses White, Parker, Murdock, Hager, McKee and Thomas and Messrs. Hager, Danner, Dolard, Wynne, Boaz and Dr. Drake, and Mesdames Rozelle, Merrill, Montgomery, G. H. Want and Newby called to meet Miss Lackland of El Paso. One of the principal amusements of the evening was a "molding contest," the sculptors present using chewing gum instead of clay.

Miss Hull Entertains

The W. A. G.'s and a number of guests were delightfully entertained with cards Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Hazel Hull. Miss Lillian Fuller was the highest scorer among the club members, so was rewarded with a beautiful pair of pink silk hose. The guests' prize, a pair of black silk hose, went to Miss Mitchell. A dainty salad course was served to Misses Kennedy, Fuller, Douglas, Murdock, Lusk, Stewart, Graham, Rintleman, Williams, Hogg of Georgia, Margaret and Amelia Mitchell, Flato, Hutchins, Hosmer, Anderson, Connor, Wells, Gardner, Ruth Hull; Mesdames Maloney, Wallace, Lewis, Paul Bishop, Waldo Lawson, William King and John Huff.

A Theater Party

A theater party at the Majestic theater in honor of visitors of Miss Mary Brown was given by members of the Imperial Club Monday night. The party included the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Burns, Misses Rena and Ethel Brown of Watertown, N. Y.; Miss Susette Matthews of Albany, Texas; Miss Mary Brown and Miss Griggs; Messrs. Jordan, Crow, Hoover, Reimers and Byars.

Luncheon for Mrs. McDonald

Mrs. Willard Burton entertained with luncheon Monday in honor of Mrs. McDonald of New Orleans. Beautiful roses in decorations vied in welcoming the guests, who were intimate friends of Mrs. McDonald, were delighted to have her once more among them..

Mrs. Burton's guests were Mesdames Connery, oPllock, Tidball, Harding, Humble, Adams, Pollock, H. W. Williams, Beck, Scott Wilson, Collett, Jennings, John C. Harrison, I. H. Burney, Buchanan, Waples, Hardwick, Van Zandt and Johnson of Denver.

Mrs. Burney's Luncheon

Mrs. I. H. Burney entertained with luncheon in honor of Mrs. McDonald Tuesday, other out of town guests being Mrs. Broad of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Johnson of Denver. The guests were former intimate friends of Mrs. McDonald, and the occasion most informal.

The Daisies Entertained

Mrs. Robert May was the hostess of the Daisies Friday afternoon. Whist was played. Quite an original idea was carried out in the giving of the prizes. This club is composed of very young matrons and maids; so Mrs. May had a prize for the successful matron, which was a fancy china pitcher, and was won by Mrs. W. B. King Jr. The prize for the maids, a box of stationery, went to Miss Helen Murdock.

The players were: Misses Wells, Murdock, Fuller, Hobson, Wombwell, Pendleton, Elizabeth and Allie Mallard; Mesdames Lawson, King, Maloney, Bishop.

Miss Lackland Entertained

Mrs. George Want entertained informally Monday night in honor of Miss Lackland of El Paso. The following guests were present: Misses Crowley, Anderson, Bess and Lucile White, Alice Stewart, Graham of Graham, Texas; Wells, Sigler, Madge and Irma Hosmer, Watkins, Lackland; Mesdames Clayton Howell, Bishop and Montgomery; Messrs. Hicks, R. C. Armstrong, Winfrey, Watkins, Moore, Stewart, Maddox, Spoonts, J. A. and Willis Lea and Jones.

The Progress Whist

The Progress Whist played with Mrs. L. Weltman Wednesday afternoon, and after the stipulated number of games there was a delicious two-course luncheon. Mrs. Brown won half a dozen Haviland bread and butter plates and Miss Simon of Tyler a set of glove supporters, the latter the guest souvenir.

The players present were: Mesdames Seligman, I. Carb, C. Carb, Heninger, Brown, Lederman, Neumagen, Schloss, Rosenthal, Alexander, Ascher Sanger of Waco, Misses Ephraim of Hempstead, Mayer of San Antonio, Sanger of Waco, Mamie Simon of Tyler, Esther Neumagen and Ida Brown.

Mrs. I. Carb will be the next hostess.

The Fortnightly Whist

Mrs. George Womack entertained the Fortnightly Whist Wednesday afternoon, two prizes and a salad luncheon of excellent flavor making diversions particularly enjoyable. Mrs. Foster won the club prize and Mrs. Collins that for the guests, both being cut glass olive dishes. The guests of the afternoon were Mesdames Foster, Coombs, Hall, Robinson, Crowley, Cooper, Taylor, Mitchell, Furman, Dooley, Stearns, Starling, Parker, Collins, Thompson, Yale, Miss Furman of Shreveport, Miss Flake and Miss Furman of Belton.

Mrs. Foster will be the next hostess.

A Surprise Wedding

Miss Flora Lee McKinley's marriage to Frank Ligon last Wednesday did not really surprise those of their intimate friends who had been watching the happy romance for months, but still it was hardly expected that the wedding would be so quiet. Rev. C. W. Daniel officiated at the ceremony, witnessed only by members of the family.

The bride is a beautiful girl, the daughter of Mrs. McKinley and the grand-daughter of Colonel Abe Harris, a distinguished veteran of the war with Mexico and the Confederacy.

Mr. Ligon is a son of W. L. Ligon and is in business with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Ligon will be at home at 500 East First street.

Mrs. Hardwick's Dinner

Mrs. Hardwick entertained with dinner Thursday for Mrs. McDonald of New Orleans. An elaborate scheme of decoration was carried out in smilax and yellow chrysanthemums. The guests were Mrs. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Waples and Mrs. W. A. Adams.

Luncheon for Miss Slaughter

Miss Tom Montgomery's luncheon Wednesday was quite as informal as it was a tribute of affection for Miss Maybelle Slaughter, in whose honor the guests came. These guests were Miss Stripling, Mrs. Charles Alfred Johnson of Denver, Mrs. J. B. Slaughter and Mrs. Winfield Scott.

MISCELLANEOUS

Quite an enjoyable affair was the annual masquerade given by the seniors of the hight school to the juniors on Wednesday, the 28th. The rooms were crowded, and presented a varied spectacle. Every costume imaginable was represented, from an oldtime negro woman to the sedate dames of colonial times. A novel way of entertaining was the unique method of choosing partners for the evening. The hall was beautifully decorated in the cherry and white of the senior class. Cakes and ice cream were served and spoons tied with the class colors were the favors.

The guests were entertained with a guessing contest. The prizes were won by Miss R. Montgomery and Mr. Groom. Misses Murrin and Giese for the first prizes and Miss Isbell and Mr. Lindsay consolation. The chaperons were Mesdames Hallaran, Kelso, McDonald, Isbell, Whitsitt, Scott and Dunlavy.

The members of the senor class are Misses Weeman, Hallaran, McKee, Campbell, Wessendrof, Ousley, Sawyers, Brown, Giese, Smith, Burford, Wilson, Joyce, Whitsitt, Trott, May, Yeates, McKenna, Montgomery, Kelso, Harding, Harris, Darwin, Boykin, Massie, Quarles, Calhoun, Ray, Isbell, Dunlavy, Dazey, Osborne, Rathgaber, Locklear, Duncan, Blanton, Cameron, Ferguson, Hughes; Messrs. Murrin, Welch, Armstrong, Maddox, Martin, Ingram, McGown, Bostick, Evans, Phillips and Parker.

The junior class is composed of Misses Talfair, Kern, Woods, Wagner, Landis, Lambdin, Wardlaw, Lea, Carter, Vaughn, Lindsay, Franklin, Sweeney, Luther, Locke, Pots, Mathews, Moodie, Peterson, McDermett, Weeck, Pemberton, Nichols, Mulkey, Paquette, Pate, Lewis, McKnight, Redford, Baker, McDougal, Sawyers, Harris, Brightwell, Lytle, Sheffield, Lyles, Spear, Orgain, Killenger, Steel, Miller, Hayden, Stephens, Bicknell, Bishop, Tucker, Bunting, Briggance, Masterson, Coppage, Bush, Crowley, Curtis, Dwiggins, Evans, Edwards, Ferguson, Gill, Flemming, Glass, Harrill, Pruit, Helmcamp, Ray, Hovenkamp, Sanborne, Jasin; Messrs. Young, Wall, McLean, Thomas, Stubblefield, Ryans, Rogers, Milliken, McKenna, Johnson, Groom, Grimes, Gardner, Gaines, Ferguson, Davies, Daffron, Burke, Peters, McCart, Lamblin, Scales, Reynolds, Gooden and Bell.

The invited guests were Misses Clayton, Boaz, Smith, Vance, Logan, Logan, Montgomery, Murrin; Messrs. Will Dunlap, Herbert Calhoun, Jackson, Caswell, Montgomery, Johnson, Barber, Durway, Ray, Fenton, Noble, Dingee, Cameron, McKee, Garrett, Harrick, Locklear and Adams.

Unique Entertainment .In Broadway Baptist Church

Rev. P. E. Burroughs of the Broadway Baptist church is proving himself pastmaster in drawing together in mutual bonds the men of his congregation. He believes that the churches lost much in failing to cultivate the social life of its members, as is done by many of the lodges and clubs.

In pursuance of these ends and at his request the ladies of the church on the evening of Thanksgiving day set a banquet for the gentlemen, leaving them to spend the evening together in feasting and merriment. When the men began to arrive about 8 o'clock they found the church tastefully arranged, beautifully decorated with cut flowers and pot plants and brilliantly lighted thruout. The pastor called out Mayor W. D. Harris to speaks words of greeting. Judge Harris spoke with his usual dignity, but with unusual warmth and winsomeness. The pastor followed in well chosen words and happy vein, creating much amusement and yet stirring all hearts to better things.

After these introductory addresses, the guests were invited up into the church parlors. These rooms, always beautiful in their simple furniture and chaste lines, were yet more beautified by artistic decorations and flowers, while the tables, artistically arranged with covers for seventy, added much. The pastor as toastmaster was accorded a seat at one end of the central table, while G. H. Connell, who was long a member and always a faithful friend of the church, sat at the other end as the guest of honor.

Until nearly midnight mirth and merriment were rife, while ever and anon words of reminiscence were spoken, which stirred to their depths the hearts of all present. It was agreed to accord the ladies who made the preparation an expression of thanks and appreciation and Judge M. B. Harris was appointed to this pleasing task.

The musical that was to have been given by Mrs. O. B. Holt and Mrs. C. Dickinson in the interest of the building society of the First Methodist church was sadly interfered with by the rain Friday and Saturday and was finally abandoned, even tho a program of exceptional merit had been arranged.

Two of the musicians, Misses Katherine and Helen Norfleet, came from Sherman to take part and the friends of the hostesses missed a musical treat. A number of friends called Saturday evening upon Mrs. Holt and heard the gifted girls. Great talent is seldom more pronounced than in these sisters, aged 11 and 13 years. Miss Helen Norfleet, the pianist, gave selections that are usually heard only on the concert stage, Liszt's Sixth Rhapsodie was especially remarkable and comparison was inevitable with the famous pianists who present it. Miss Norfleet's rendition is remarkable, both as to phrasing and technique.

Miss Katherine Norfleet is a violinist and her Souvenir de Sorrento as well as Wienawski's great compositions, make the eyes open wide with the breadth of tone and the wonderful facility and clearness of execution. The young ladies are cousins of Mrs. Holt and were her guests while in town.

One of the most unique and entertaining socials in the history of the Sunday Club was given in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church last Thursday night. The parlors were arranged and decorated to represent a Chinese home. Each young man and young lady on going in, was given a number with which to find a partner for the evening, which was the cause of much merriment. After each had secured his partner, they were seated on the floor after Chinese fashion. A curtain was drawn across one corner of the room with chrysanthemums painted on the screen. Thru each chrysanthemum was seen the head of a young lady, and, while the people were seated on the floor, these young ladies sang some delightful songs. Among those that sang were Mrs. Dryden and Misses Gordon and Coppage.

After these songs the crowd was grouped into parties of ten to twenty each. Each group was to furnish one or two numbers toward an impromptu program. Among those who contributed to this program were Professor Magee, who gave a "snake story." A couple of humorous readings by Mr. Gwynne. Miss Ray and Miss Douglass sang songs.

The I. H. F. C. was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. N. T. Hinkley, on Allen avenue, Nov. 19, the parlors being beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums and La France roses. The usual club game was progressive high five, of which seven games were played. The club prize was cut for by Mrs. Lairn Henderson and Mrs. Kennedy, the latter winning. The guest prize was won by Mrs. Harrell. After the game delicious two-course lunch was served by Mmes. Harrell, Willson and Demitz. The club members were Mmes. Labin and Stoll, Nicklous, Rine, Jay Kenedy, O'Neal, Henderson, Walker, McCormac, Mrs. Hogan. The guests were Mmes. J. D. Turner, C. H. Demitz, P. C. Burns, M. E. French, W. H. Harrell, J. K. Wilson and Miss B. Terry.

Thanksgiving Dinner

Dr. and Mrs. O. Lee Jones entertained a few of their friends at a 6 o'clock dinner Thanksgiving. Covers were laid for ten an an elegant five-course dinner was served. The home was brilliantly ligated and the table prettily decorated. One unique feature of the decorations was a large pumpkin cut in basket shape, bountifully filled with fruits of ingathering harvest. This occupied the center of the table and was surrounded by beautiful Kentucky autumn leaves.

After dinner a guessing game was enjoyed. Place cards, which were hand painted, paper plates, were pinned to the back of each guest. On these were written the name of some dish of the menu. Each one was required to guess the name that was on his plate, and write a poem recipe of same. As gentlemen are unacquainted with the culinary department, many of the poems were ludicrous. After retiring to the parlor, other games were enjoyed and the evening very pleasantly spent. Among the invited guests were: Misses Annie Massie, Laura Suddeth, Mattie Abston, Messrs. Thomas Suddeth, Phil Tucker and Joe Amos.

Mrs. Melvon Brownson and Mrs. E. D. Rutledge entertained the husbands and members of the Auxiliary R. M. A. Wednesday with a unique and clever idea. "Living Picture," applied to titles of books, created no end of laughter and applause. The books illustrated in tableaux and action were "Little Minister," "Over the Tea Cups," "Rough Rider," "The Clansman," "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," "Tempest and Sunshine," "In His Steps," "Rip Van Winkle," "The Runaway Girl" and "Little Women."

Mrs. Brownson, at whose home the guests were entertained, had the rooms prettily decorated with the club colors, purple and gold, carried out in a border of green on the picture mold filled in with purple and yellow mums. Mistletoe suggested times when they were not married and the dining table was radiant with the club-colored mums. Punch was served during the evening and a salad course toward the close of the party.

Musical numbers were contributed by Mrs. Delos Brownson and Miss Norma Rutledge delighted with recitations.

A delightful day was had with Mr. and Mrs. R. Logan Sunday at their home, 1614 Galveston avenue, the occasion being in honor of their son, Arthur, of Springfield, Mo., who was here on a few days' visit.

The dinner was a real Thanksgiving dinner. The married children here came with well-filled baskets and, after spreading it with the good things that were already prepared by their mother, it was a tempting picture. It was a dinner that was enjoyed and a day to be remembered. The children present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Valentine and little daughter, Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Logan and children, Howard, Zelma and Ralph, Miss Bessie Logan, Messrs. Arthur, Hardy and Clyde Logan. The invited guests outside the family were: Misses Nora Bobo and May Tipton, Mr. Ralph Compton and Rev. Craig, of the Bellevue Christian church, of which Mr. and Mrs. R. Logan are members.

Mel Rose, the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Price at Polytechnic, was the scene of much merriment Tuesday, Nov. 27, from 3 to 6 o'clock, when their little daughter, Margaret, entertained a number of her friends at a birthday party. A two-course luncheon was served to the following little girls: Mary Dillow, Ruth and Edith Boaz, Kate and Carrie Coffman, Eloise and Lucile Blair, Lucile Key Morris, Fen Nunnally Edah Burton, Roslyn Gardner and Momett Stout.

The "Do As You Please" Club, with Mrs. Robert Addis as hostess, were pleased to practice high five as diversion Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Geo. Frazier won a half dozen doilies, the low cut prize; Mrs. Walter Hart a set of linen napkins, the high cut prize, and Miss Ida Steinfeldt secured a pin cushion for winning the most games.

A luncheon of salads and sweets was served to Mesdames Lloyd, Colton, Frazier, Crady, Sawyer, Hart, Steele, Custead, Gernsbacher, Ault, Carb and Miss Steinfeldt.

Mrs. Addis was assisted in serving by Misses Jennie and Jessie Lloyd.

Mrs. Custead will be the next hostess.

The benefit tea for the Altar Society of St. Patrick's church, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Hird, was one of Tuesday's pleasant events. The Hird home was handsomely decorated with chrysanthemums and palms, and the dining room, where the refreshments were served, was gayly attractive as could be. Mrs. Hird was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. McElwee, Mrs. Kiley, Mrs. Peak, Mrs. Cotter, Mrs. Hamlett, Mrs. Dunham and Miss Cotter. A large number of callers enjoyed the afternoon and evening.

There will be an important meeting of the members of the Jewish Women's Council Monday, December 2, at 2:30 p. m. at the residence of Mrs. Theodore Mack.

Mrs. Conlisk will entertain the Seriatim Club Friday afternoon, Dec. 17.

Mrs. Robert Beckham will be the hostess of the West Side Social Club Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Social Book Club will meet with Mrs. J. M. Collins Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Daughters of Caledonia will meet with Mrs. A. Cowan, 1900 Washington avenue, Wednesday afternoon. The meeting will be for the election of officers, and a full attendance is requested. The meeting will be called to order at 2:30 o'clock.

The Monday Book Club will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Miss Sweeney, 303 Summit avenue.

The Young Women's Auxiliary of the Broadway Presbyterian church will entertain the Boys' Brigade, Dec. 14, at 7:30 p. m., in the parlors of the church.

The ladies of the Broadway Baptist church will give a bazar Saturday, Dec. 8, at the residence of Mrs. W. J. Binyon, corner Hattie and May streets. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

The Daisies meet with Miss Edna Pendleton next week.

Miss Annie May Kennedy entertains the W. A. Gs. next week.

Honeymoon trips on yachts or in the bridal suites of ocean liners are accepted as quite "up-to-date." Wedding journeys in automobiles and in Japanese jinrikishas also have been attempted in a small way. But the newest thing in hymenial Odysseys is no doubt the up-Mississippi trip recently undertaken by a romantic couple of Fort Worth.

The young people, who belong to the best society of the Texas town, are now in New York to attend the opera. They are Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Reimers, and both speak most enthusiastically of their journey coming up the great river, all alone in one of the old-time steamboats such as Mark Twain himself used to pilot.

Some of Mr. Reimers' relatives are largely interested in the Rock Island Steamboat company, which operates a line of freight and passenger vessels from Rock Island, Ill., to New Orleans; and when one of the company's craft—the Weyerhaeuser—started up the river to go out of commission for the winter, Mr. Reimers and his bride were invited to become its sole and undisturbed passengers. The yaccepted with alacrity, and November 2 boarded the Weyerhaeuser at New Orleans.

"We could not have had better weather," said Mr. Reimers today. "We started in the late summer, you might say, and in ten days went thru early fall, late fall, and early winter. When we left the banks were green on both sides. The water had been high until into July, so that the river was only making new channels for itself. We had to wind in and out and around sand bars, zigzagging across from one bank to the other, past cotton fields and sugar plantations, and great tree-grown bluffs crumbling down into the stream with the noise of an avalanche.

"It was very picturesque. The trees turned yellow and red as we made our way north, and by the time we got to Quincy they were bare. We passed Memphis on the ninth, and Cairo on the eleventh. On the thirteenth we disembarked at St. Louis and continued by rail.

"We had an old Confederate pilot aboard who had run blockades during the war, and he showed us how the channels changed between trips and how difficult it was to master the ways of the ever-changing river—despite the activity of government engineers the year round in marking new channels with buoys.

"The old man was very sad over the changes that had come to the river in his time. He told us of days when the Mississippi was the only artery of commerce between the south and the middle west—when a boat leaving New Orleans for Rock Island would pass 300 or 400 other river craft, towing lumber and carrying freight and passengers. Today practically all the timber that could profitably be floated down the Mississippi has been cut; what is left is so far inland that it no longer pays to ship it by water. Where there were 300 or 400 boats plying up and down there are now three or four."

Mr. Reimers, who is the owner and editor of The Fort Worth Telegram, intends to remain in New York another week. His bride, who was Miss Linda Ray Saunders, daughter of Dr. Bacon Saunders of Fort Worth, is a beautiful and talented woman, with many friends in this city.—N. Y. Globe.

Miss Slaughter's Wedding

The marriage of Miss Maybelle Slaughter to Francis Lott of Kansas City will be celebrated at the First Baptist church Wednesday eevning at 8 o'clock. After the ceremony there will be a reception at the Hotel Worth.

CLUBS

The Farmers' Library

Mrs. John F. Swayne of the City Federation desires to correct the impression that has gone out that the farmers' library, organized and maintained for several years by Mrs. R. M. Wynne and recently taken over by the federation, will be abandoned. Mrs. Swayne spent Friday at the court house, looking for a room and found one available and only awaits the action of the county commissioners to take possession.

The library will be for the use of residents outside of the city. It has been greatly appreciated by the farmers and those living in the country and will be continued with even further usefulness.

Mrs. George Beggs and Mrs. M. M. Barnes returned Tuesday from Little Rock, where they attended the missionary meeting of the Eighth district of the Protestant Episcopal church. Five bishops, a hundred clergy and laymen and a city full of visitors gave an impression of church dignity and enthusiasm most inspiring and uplifting.

Bishop Browne of Arkansas, especially noted for his catholicity, invited all the citizens, regardless of church affiliation, to the mass meeting and in consequence the great cathedral building was filled to overflowing with evangelical workers and sympathizers.

The Stitch in Time needleworkers met with Mrs. Delos Brownson last week, sewing, gossiping and enjoying a delicious repast. Mesdames Nichols, Burk, Burgher, Smith, Winger and Miss Nichols were Mrs. Brownson's guests.

Mrs. Burgher takes the club next Wednesday.

Dinner for Miss Grosshart

Mrs. J. C. Ingram entertained Thursday with dinner in honor of her niece, Miss Grosshart. American beauties were favors, great vases of them being thruout the dining room and on the table. On the centerpiece grapes and bright-hued fruits mingled with the "beauties." Carnations and yellow mums were used for florafying the hall and parlors. The guests were: Misses Grosshart, Neilson, Labatt and Hutchins, Messrs. Ramsay, Cates, Bryant and Ingram.

Mrs. L. M. Bush entertained last Wednesday from 5 to 8 o'clock in honor of Miss Lutie Bush's 13th birthday. Miss Mary West assisted in receiving and entertaining the guests. A huge cake with thirteen candles blinking joyously told of the number of birthdays and bright flowers abounded. Over the cake was an arch formed of red and white ribbons. The souvenirs were bronze turkey baskets filled with bonbons. Those present were:

Martha Mayfield, Hattie Mayfield, Moore and Cecil Paddock, Julia Booth, Luella Patterson, Esther Ray, Emma Warren, Xenia Rogers, Lucille Lane, Lula Reddick, Dorothy Bush, Fay Delp, Pauline Stripling, Vera Woody, Jessie Boaz, Ruth Tackaberry, Anna Wait, Lydia Lasby, Amelia Deffebach, Elizabeth Warren; Luke Ray, Leslie Cooper, Arthur and Russell Paddock, Arthur and Raymond Massie, Ray McNeely, Mortimer Buck, Frank Barden, Rea Jackson, Marion Long, Robert

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THE THEATRE

The Lion and the Mouse

A play which has scored one of the greatest successes of the past ten years will be produced by Henry B. Harris at Greenwall's opera house Monday night, December 3, "The Lion and the Mouse," by Charles Klein.

tire summer without a single break and will in a very short time be in its twelfth month at one theater.

Mr. Klein has taken as his central figure a money baron of the present day who wants to be a supreme leader in monetary affairs, a faithful Julius Caesar, an Alexander sighing for a more moneyed world to conquer. His will is law, and anyone crossing him in its exercise has to fall. He rules his ordinates and his family with a scepter of iron, but he is not without paternal love nor is he unkindly as a husband. He simply has his way to carry out his ideas for the advancement of himself and loves power more than he does gold, which to him is only a means to obtaining his ambitious ends. He has no idea of financial morality. Men are to be bought and sold and tion; he has all the marks of a man of decision who does not hesitate at adopting any means for carrying out his purpose, short of actual murder. He is a bold commander of fiduciary forces, who believes that any means to obtain victory are permissible no matter how near it approaches criminality. No dishonest method is a sin to him if there is no danger of conviction. He is a man who believes supremely in himself that he is almost his own Deity.

Against this element Mr. Klein has arrayed another force, that of love. To attain his ends in a scheme of colossal proportions, the money baron has been balked by a decision rendered by Judge Rossmore, a supreme court judge adverse to this great interest. The money baron proceeds to remove him. Fear-

IRVING BROOKS AND KITTIE DUEBEL WITH "THE LITTLE DUCHESS" AT GREENWALL'S THURSDAY AND FRIDAY NIGHTS WITH MATINEE FRIDAY.



MISS MILDRED HOLLAND IN "THE LILY AND THE PRINCE" AND "A PARADISE OF LIES" AT GREENWALL'S TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY NIGHTS WITH MATINEE WEDNESDAY.

tutelige of religious peasants, finally to be cast upon the world to become one of the roving band of gypsies, and at last finding amid the palaces of Rome her noble rank and solving the mystery of her life, the actress ranges the scale of every emition which the sensitive soul of a pure woman may know.

"The Little Duchess"

Fort Worth theatergoers who had the pleasure of seeing dainty little Countess Olga von Hatzfeldt, when she appeared here in "The Storks" and again in "The Burgomaster," will be pleased with the announcement of her reappearance here next Thursday and Friday, with a matinee on Friday, at the Greenwall Opera house, this time as a star at the head of her own company of fifty people. Her managers, Milton & Sargent Aborn, purchased from Florenz Zeigfeld, the splendid production of "The Little Duchess" with which Anna Held made her most pronounced hit, and had the book reconstructed to suit the charming personality of Countess von Hatzfeldt, beside adding many new musical interpolations. The countess starred in this clever musical comedy last season in all the larger cities east of the Mississippi, and made such a splendid success that her management determined to introduce her to the West in the features and new ideas will be a feature of this season's program.

Coming Attractions

Olga Nethersole is a believer of the efficacy of fresh air. For the summer time, whenever possible, she sleeps in the open on a balcony from choice, but when this is not possible, then on a platform raised from the ground to avoid contact with the mists and dews.

Two events of great importance to playgoers will be the appearance in this city within the next few weeks of Henry B. Harris' special company presenting "The Lion and the Mouse" and the engagement of Robert Edeson in "Strongheart," the greatest play of college life that has ever been produced.

Louis James, always welcome, will soon be here, when he will present his magnificent production of "The Merry Wives of Windsor" and appear in his intimate comedy masterpiece "Sir John Falstaff." Mr. James is too well known to require any introduction, any more than by merely referring to the excellent cast that supports him and the sumptuous equipment he has given this delightful comedy. Nellie McHenry and Norman Hackett head the company in association with Aphie James, Charlotte Lambert, Lillian Lancaster, Anna Milward, J. Arthur Young,



INEZ McCAULEY AT THE MAJESTIC THIS WEEK.



HAL DAVIS AT THE MAJESTIC THIS WEEK.

The success of the piece which opened in Boston in October, 1905, was immediate, and after an engagement of four weeks there it was transferred to the Lyceum theater, New York, where it has been presented ever since to the fire limits of the theater, in fact this play has a record which no other dramatic production can boast—it is the only drama to have run thru an en-

he is simply the highest bidder for their influence. With him nearly every man has his price. When he cannot buy men he plots their downfall as he does that of Judge Rossmore of the supreme bench, who has rendered decisions adverse to corporations in which this multi-millionaire is interested.

The author has made the central character an impressively natural crea-

ling disgrace, dishonor and poverty for her father Shirley Rossmore takes it upon herself to intercede. The son of the money baron falls in love with Shirley, and John Burkett Ryder finds in her something which he has never before found in anyone, and for which he has the greatest admiration, absolute determination to attain her end. She visits his house under an assumed name; he proposed her marriage to his son, whereupon she admits the truth of her identity. Ryder orders her out of his house and she denounces him. This scene is one of the best ever presented on any stage.

Indeed the play is one of exceptional quality and because of its universally interesting theme it should appeal in the keenest way to all classes of theatergoers.

Mildred Holland

One of the most powerful scenes of Carina Jordan's romantic drama is the famous inquisition chamber in the fourth act of the play. Miss Mildred Holland, who portrays the part of Angela has splendid opportunities to display her wonderful emotional powers. The death chamber, as they used to call it, was one of the institutions of the papal court of that age, which made the power of the pope feared more than respected. Whoever had the misfortune to enter that chamber as a prisoner, was tortured in the most cruel way, guilty or innocent; had to confess the guilt he was accused of, or die the martyr's death. The stage during this scene is in perfect darkness, save for the spotlights, which illuminate Angela, who is trying to save her father—the prisoner of the chamber, accused of being a traitor conspiring against the pope—from the most terrible death. Angela fears not the horrors and perils of that chamber, and her bravery and faith in the Almighty saves her father.

Miss Holland is supported by a company of noted players and will present "The Lily and the Prince" under the management of Edward C. White at Greenwall's opera house, Tuesday night, December 4.

Miss Mildred Holland will be seen at Greenwall's opera house Wednesday, matinee and night, December 5, in Matthew Barry's play, "A Paradise of Lies," which production has been given a magnificent stage setting by Miss Holland's manager, Edward C. White, believes that she has the most satisfactory part of her entire career. As Lolita, a castaway child, who is rescued from a lily pond by an old man and brought to womanhood under the same offering this year, with the same cast of comedians intact.

"The Little Duchess," at Greenwall's opera house Thursday and Friday nights, matinee Friday, December 6-7.

Primrose Minstrels

George Primrose and his big minstrel company will be the attraction at Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, December 8. On the roster of talent supporting Mr. Primrose are the Groman brothers, Emile Subers, James Conners and Eddie Horan, comedians; Ed Chappell, interlocutor; Clarence Marks, Charles Reinhart, David Irwin, Walter S. Brower, William Oakland, Edgar Allyn, Frank Dunn and Richard Reid, vocalists. There is also an operatic orchestra of twenty musicians under the conductorship of Cadries Proctor. Novel Nathan Aronson, C. D. Burt, Herbert D. Brown, William Chrystie Miller, etc.

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THE BILL AT THE MAJESTIC

The Great Francellias.
Hal Davis and Inez McCauley.
Ad Carlisle's Pony and Dog Circus.
Raymond Teal.
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bacon.
Orgerita Arnold.

Of the vaudeville array which makes up the bill at the Majestic the coming week, this much may be said—five of the first named acts have no superiors in this style of entertainment. When such a selection of talent has been made for the pleasure of the Majestic patronage, there is nothing further for the management to say. The bill will be found fully equal to anything that has preceded it and many specials may see in it, far better things.

The Great Francellias

Francellias will discount all strong men who have preceded since the Majestic was first opened fact; despite the fine acts of this character that have been seen here already the Belgian Hercules, easily overshadows any strong man in the who is now performing before the public. His appearances elsewhere in country have been received with mouthed wonder and even amazement. One achievement of this human of brass places him beyond the competition. He receives upon naked shoulders, a regulation naval shell, fired across the stage a French catapult, or spring gun, rated by pneumatic power. The of this giant missile is about pounds. Lifting a similar weight the ground in no way compares

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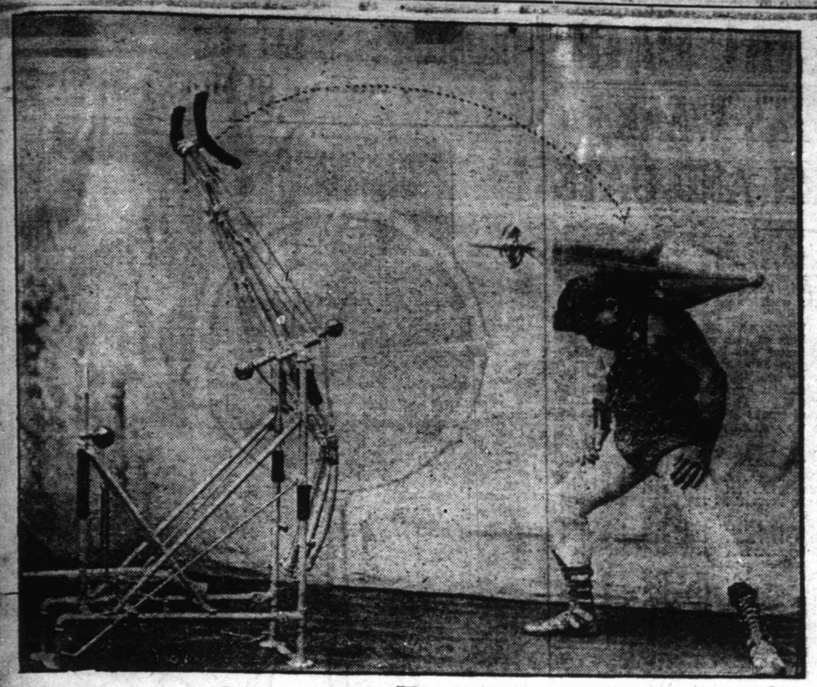
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the feat of catching this flying mass of steel after it has been discharged from the gun. The catapult alone, is a delicately devised instrument of steel which conserves enormous force, sufficient indeed to project this massive weapon of destruction some distance over the stage, in a parabola. Francelias does other equally bewildering things, closing his marvelous performance by showing that he has an iron jaw as well as steel muscles.

Hal Davis and Inez McCauley

Mr. Davis and Miss McCauley are two of the most famous head liners in vaudeville. Mr. Davis is the sole owner of "Pals," the great melodramatic act, that is preceding him over the Majestic circuit. The vaudeville audiences of the greater cities of the country always welcome these talented and delightful players and the management bespeaks a royal reception from Majestic audiences everywhere, on this first invasion of the Southland. As for the playlet which they interpret—"The Unexpected," it has been a fortune-maker for Mr. Davis and Miss McCauley. A young fellow on his birthday receives from an uncle, then in India, a magic jadestone bracelet, which enables the possessor to "wish true." Various comical things are brought to pass by this means and the young man resolves to place all his money on a "100 to 1" shot and then "wish" that horse a winner. Lobster is the horse's name. The youth's sweetheart likes the name Ladybird much better and secretly substituted it in the different phases; and the youth and the maid alternate in holding the bracelet and in expressing their respective wishes. It grows very exciting, but of course Ladybird wins and the couple have $50,000 on which to start housekeeping.

Ad Carlisle's Ponies and Dogs

Mr. Carlisle's great show, regarded by the leading vaudeville managers as the greatest trained animal act now playing on their boards, is not a repetition of other pony performances. This act is distinctly an English importation of the present season and it is without doubt, the finest presentation of educated ponies and dogs that have ever been brought to this country. The bright star of the group is Talking Tom, a wonderful equine prodigy who reads and writes, ciphers and tells the time of day correctly. One of his most astonishing tests is the addition of several columns of figures on a blackboard. Mr. Carlisle's ponies and dogs are wonderful because of the very evident wonder of their training. Such a high order of intelligence, if it may be called that, has not been seen on any vaudeville stage in the country. The management believes that its patrons will pronounce the Carlisle performance the greatest of its kind.

Raymond Teal

The first blackface comedian of the season makes his appearance on this bill. Mr. Teal is rated today as the best in vaudeville. That speaks enough in his favor. His humor is refined but full of the unctious laugh which amusement lovers love to utter when they see and hear a really clever monologuist. Mr. Teal will fulfill all expectations and, without doubt, before the end of the week, he will be the laughing hit of the bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bacon

It is very possible that no patron of the Majestic has ever heard the banjo played so musically as he will when he hears Mr. Bacon. This artist is the best banjoist among the vaudeville ranks of performers in the United States. Above and beyond that, he is a cultivated musician who draws from the instrument such strains as have never been heard from a rather forgotten source. An experience of fifteen years before the public has enabled him to make a careful study of the kind of music people want. In order to carry out the expression of this want, Mr. Bacon invented a special banjo, which will surprise lovers of good music.

Orgerita Arnold

Miss Arnold was one of the artists who helped to dedicate the Majestic theaters over the circuit during the first year of their operation. She returns with riper experience and added fame as a singer. Many of the first patrons of the theater will recall her winning personality on the occasion referred to.

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AUNT JUDY'S CHICKEN FIXIN'S

Browned Chicken.—Season the pieces well and roll in flour. Have ready a skillet with about one inch of good lard and butter sizzling hot. Drop the pieces into the hot fat and quickly brown all over. Then pull to a cooler part of the stove and allow to cook slowly till tender, closely covered to keep the steam in. When done pour off part of the fat and lift the chicken to a hot platter. Add flour and milk blended together and enough hot water to make the desired quantity of gravy.

Creamed Chicken—Pour the floured pieces into the hot frying pan with enough butter to keep from sticking. Season and cook rather rapidly till done. Put the pan on the hot part of the stove and add one cup of thin cream into which has been rubbed a scant tablespoonful of flour. Of course the flour will be mixed with a small quantity of cold cream first. If too thick a gravy over the chicken add a little hot water. The chicken and the gravy should be served together.

Panned Chicken—Season and roll the pieces in flour arranged in a dripping pan close together. Here and there put dots of fresh butter and add one or two slices of smoked bacon chopped fine. Pour over the chicken one cup of boiling water and bake in a hot oven over half an hour. The gravy is made on top of the stove in the usual manner after the chicken has been removed. This is an especially valuable recipe for the busy housekeeper or when three or four chickens must be cooked at once.

CANNING

The women on the farm will be pretty well occupied the remainder of the season in canning, preserving, making jellies and in the general preparation of fruits and vegetables for the winter. If the fruits and vegetables required are not raised on the farm, better arrange at once to secure them where they are raised in large quantities and can be had cheap, in many instances where the men are busily engaged on the farm, a number of neighbors arrange to send one of their number into the fruit and vegetable district and buy the supplies which he either takes back by wagon or ships. Where this plan is followed, the cost will be small to each family compared to that of buying the canned goods from the store while that put up at home is far superior and the satisfaction of enjoying the work of one's hands, much greater.

THE HIRED HELP

We have duties not only to the members of our own family, but to the stranger that is within the gates. If it becomes necessary or expedient to hire some one to help with the work of the household, the person is entitled to the consideration and sympathy of each member of the family, and so far as is possible, the family should provide for the comfort, health and happiness of such person while she is an inmate of their home.—The Cosmopolitan.

PAT'S REPLY

A smartly gowned, but evidently contentious woman who boarded a Lexington avenue car remonstrated vainly with the big Irishman who was distributing his tobacco smoke among the passengers.

He listened without making retort, till the woman, losing her patience, exclaimed:

"You old brute, if you were my husband, I'd give you poison!"

Giving a complacent puff to his pipe, Pat looked at her steadily and replied:

"Begorra, if I was your husband, I'd take it!"

PULLMAN CASE MONDAY

Railroad Commission to Resume Hearings Next Week

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Dec. 1. — The railroad commission concluded its hearings yesterday and Friday afternoon reached decisions on most of the matters which had been considered during the past several days.

On the proposed order to make the Southern Kansas and Pecos Red River railways subject to one line rates, was issued, and one rate will apply as these roads are under the same management.

The proposition heard to require the Texas Central to cancel $650,000 of its bonds, alleged to have been issued without the authority of the commission, is still under advisement by the commission, as is also the proposition to readjust the rates of hide and the abolishment of concentration points.

The arguments in the Pullman car case, will be resumed Monday.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Why, yes; all the fashionable women want the best in hats, and for that reason they go to J. M. Reagan's, Sixth and Houston streets, to get them.

See Cromer Bros., 1016 Main street, for Edison Phonographs and records.



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Warren, Jimmie Wheelis, Tribus Woody and Fred Bush.

The Harmony Club

The Harmony Club at the meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hill had twenty of the members present to enjoy an excellent program on Mendelssohn. The opening number was a duet by Mrs. Wagley and Herbert Starr, the club director, songs, "How Fair Thy Misty Pinions" and "The Favorite Spot," were sung by Mrs. Frank Wassell. A piano number, "Spinning Song," was given by Herbert Starr, and Mrs. Keyser and Mrs. Lyon sang "O, Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast." Mrs. SoRell closed the program with a piano number.

Refreshments were served during the social chat that followed.

The meeting next Wednesday afternoon will be with Mrs. Lyons, 1113 Hemphill. The choral practice will begin promptly at 2 o'clock.

Euterpean Club

The Euterpean Club met Friday afternoon, the program on Polish music bringing out Chopin and Moszkowsky numbers. The members contributing solos were Miss Hassard, Mrs. Cummings, Mrs. Henry Smith, Miss Sawyer, Mrs. Fry, Miss Ella Scott and Mrs. Jaccard.

The club will henceforth meet in the Odd Fellows' hall, corner First and Throckmorton streets.

Scholarships

Mrs. C. W. Connery, chairman of the music committee of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, announces that Mrs. Groom and Claude A. Rossignol have donated a year's musical scholarship to the federation, the beneficiaries to be decided thru the educational committe, of which Mrs. E. E. Bramlett of Texarkana is chairman. Medals for composition for piano and voice to be awarded at the next meeting at Waco were donated by Mrs. Eli Hertzberg of San Antonio and Mrs. Connery.

The Trio Club

The Trio Club had several new choruses for Monday's work, one of them an arrangement of "Nearer My God to Thee," by the director, Jacob Schreiner.

A part of the business session was taken up with the report of a committee appointed to assist the library association and a decision to co-operate in the social settlement work undertaken by the Kindergarten Association.

The Monday Book

The Monday Book Club met with Miss McLean, Mrs. Hardy and Mrs. Orr conducting the round table talk on the Congo Free State.

The program included papers on Patrick Henry and his famous resolution, by Miss McLean, Ethan Allen and Fort Ticonderoga, by Miss Labatt, the action of the colonies and Declaration of Independence, by Mrs. Fry.

During the month of December the club will meet with Miss Sweeney.

The History Club

The History Club met with Mrs. R. E. Buchanan Monday afternoon and heard papers on Fujiyama by Mrs. Price, home decorations, by Mrs. Pollock and Japanese women, by Mrs. Jennings.

The club will continue to meet with Mrs. Buchanan thru December.

The Penelope Club

The Penelope Club answered to roll call at the Tuesday's meeting with patriotic quotations. This was followed by historical incidents bearing on the life of Robert E. Lee and Jefferson Davis. The round table discussion was an analysis of the literary style of Edgar Allen Poe. The meeting was greatly enjoyed and furnished much valuable information.

Mrs. Geer was the director.

The St. Cecilia Choral

The St. Cecilia Choral Club held a short rehearsal Monday night and then adjourned to attend in a body the Arion recital at the opera house. The club is receiving new members at every meeting and the work is improving.

The Sososis

The Sorosis Club had the fourth act of "King Lear" at the meeting Wednesday afternoon, Miss Shelton directing with scholarly thoroness.

PERSONALS

Miss Jessie Binyon left Saturday for a short visit in Dallas.

Berkeley Spiller went to Jacksboro Wednesday.

Miss Geisen of San Marcos is visiting Mrs. J. H. Hines.

Miss Bunton of Sweetwater is visiting Mrs. Hemphill.

John H. Spellman of Dallas was in town Tuesday.

J. C. Walton is quite ill at his home on Royal avenue.

Mrs. Broad of Denver is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. T. Bomar.

Miss Lucy Flint has gone to Mineral Wells for a week or two.

Mrs. C. O. Harper, who has been in El Paso, returned home Monday.

Mrs. W. F. Stewart has returned home after a short trip to Commerce.

Miss Carrie Bell Spiller is here from Jacksboro.

Miss Lee Miller leaves Monday for a visit in Waco.

Mrs. Edgar Wallace left Thursday for Amarillo.

Miss Gladys Butcher of Whitesboro is visiting her friend, Alma Woodall.

Miss Fay Spencer came up from Baylor for Thanksgiving at home.

Clarence Miller left Monday for Wichita Falls.

Miss Edna Mae Card left Wednesday for a short visit in Dallas.

Miss Allie Mallard has returned from a short stay in Corsicana.

Miss Mabel Moore of Waco is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Darnell.

Mrs. R. E. Smith of Kentucky is visiting Mrs. H. V. Jewell.

Miss Fisher of Houston, Texas, is visiting Mrs Frank Reynolds.

Miss Ephriam of Hempstead is visiting Mrs. L. Weltman.

Miss Alleen Goggan of Dallas was the guest of Miss Margaret McLean last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Feider are visiting in Texarkana for a couple of weeks.

Miss Frances Wright of Mansfield, Texas, arrived here Friday to attend the Entre Nous dance.

Miss Annie Hill of McKinney is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. C. Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hovencamp and daughter, Elizabeth, left Saturday for Chicago.

Mrs. Ben Rose of Oklahoma City is visiting her father, L. Freefield, and sister, Miss Freefield.

Misses Grace and Mabel Fuller of New York are the guests of the Misses Fuller on West Third street.

Mrs. J. L. Dreibelbis of Dallas is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. E. Binyon.

Will Loving of Jacksboro, who has been in town several days, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Twnsend leave Friday for Kansas City, which will be their future home.

Miss Emma Faulkner, who has been visiting Mrs. J. D. Quick, has returned to her home.

George J. Simmons of Big Springs will be the guest of his sister, Mrs. Winfield Scott, this week.

Miss Birdie Gordon of Granbury will arrive Monday to visit Mrs. Winfield Scott.

Miss Stella Putman has returned from Weatherford, where she attended the marriage of a cousin.

Judge John M. Freeman and wife of Belton, Texas, are visiting Dr. J. M. Furman at 421 Broadway.

Miss Lillie Furman, of Shreveport, and Miss Nellie Flake of Belton, are visiting Mrs. S. M. Furman on Broadway.

Mrs. Sadie Cameron McDonald of New Orleans is making a visit in Fort Worth. She is at the Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hill, after a week's stay with their parents, returned to their home in Muskogee, I. T.

Miss Christine Bright of Kentucky will spend several weeks with her cousin, Mrs. G. T. Dunn.

Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Boyd have moved into their new home, 1016 Cannon avenue, and are welcoming their friends there.

Mrs. H. Peters of Commerce, Texas, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. W. F. Stewart.

Miss Mae Wilson, who is attending school in Massachusetts, will come home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott will leave the latter part of the week for a short visit in Kansas City and St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Reimers will return home Monday from their wedding trip to New Orleans, New York and Chicago.

Mrs. W. H. Lloyd of Houston, who has been visiting Mrs. J. M. Logan and other relatives, is now the guest of Dallas relatives.

Mrs. J. T. Johnson leaves Monday for Mexico after a visit of several months with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Binyon.

Miss Marguerite Cantey, who is at school in New York, and Miss Martha Cantey, who is in Virginia, will spend the Christmas holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coleman arrived from Calvert, Texas, Wednesday night. They will be at home at Mrs. L. P. Robertson's for the present.

Mrs. M. V. Eubank, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sam Stearns, will visit in McKinney before returning to her home in Missouri

Miss Sallie Maddox of Dallas, who has been the guest of Misses Edna and Roberta Maddox, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Graham of Graham, Texas, who has been visiting Miss Alice Stewart, returned to her home Monday.

The friends of Miss Susan L. Smith will be grieved to know that she is seriously ill at her home, 806 Burnet street.

Misses Ethel and Rena Brown of Watertown, N. Y., who have been visiting Miss Mary Brown, left Tuesday night for Fort Leavenworth.

Mrs. M. R. Sanguinet, who has been at St. Joseph's Infirmary for the past two weeks, is improving. It will be several weeks, however, before she will be able to return home.

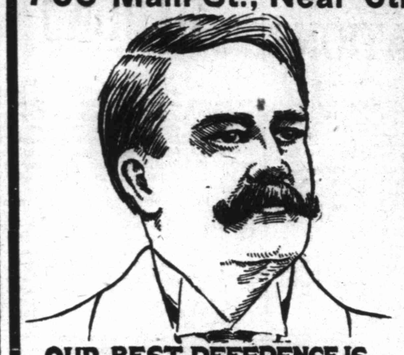
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Saunders and children and Mrs. Plato have returned from Saunders, Texas, where they attended the Edwards-Saunders wedding.

Mrs. Verner Hayes, who has been the guest of Mrs. Pauline Rintleman, returned to her home in Dallas, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Pauline Rintelman.

Miss Effie Hazard and Dodson Hazard of New Orleans arrived Thanksgiving to be the guests of Mr. and

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THE TELEGRAM'S FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL PAGE

COTTON FUTURES DULL AT LOWER QUOTATIONS

New Orleans Cotton

Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.—Futures opened 6 to 15 points lower, the greatest loss, of course, being for distant options.

December contracts opened at 10.84, or a loss of 7 points, fluctuated within a small range of 8 points, and closed at 10.80-81. January opened at 10.83, varied between 87 and 75, finally settling at 10.76-77, a decline of 14 points from Friday's level.

The spot market was steady at the same prices as were in effect Friday, but sales amounted to only 2,700 bales, basis of 11⅝c for middling.

The effect of a discouraging Liverpool was reflected in a dull market, and the reverse tendency abroad was again the index. This influence was augmented by the week-end statistics.

The trade here is awaiting with keen interest the publication of the Times-Democrat's estimate, concerning which opinion varied widely.

This document will appear Monday, Dec. 3.

The bearish features today were: Liverpool's altered mind, the visible supply statement, and a good weather map. The bullish factors were: Continued firm spot demand, repeated reports from the south reiterating scarcity of good grade and the emphasized requirements of actual cotton during this month.

Against the argument of the friends of cotton that futures are at too great a discount under spots, the opponents of high prices advanced the theory that the present confidence in spots is not general, because the good grades of cotton are furnishing all the support, leaving a surplus of inferior grades to later depress the market.

A probability pointed out by the students of cotton is this: The bearishly inclined argue that as there is no large short interest in existence, a sharp reaction is easily possible, if the publications of next week denote anything like bearish estimates. On the other hand, should the government documents, which will be known Dec. 8 and 10, be anything like bullish, and the world accepts them so, the excess in cotton requirements would cause a sharp advance past present levels, regardless of the surplus of interior grades of the staple.

The trading in futures here, like that at New York, was featureless, with the usual Saturday-like quietness. The waiting policy of the trade was decidedly noticeable.

New Orleans Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	10.83	10.87	10.75	10.76-77
March	10.93	10.97	10.85	10.86-87
May	11.11	11.11	11.01	11.01-02
July	11.16	.....	.....	11.14-16
December	10.84	10.84	10.76	10.80-81

New York Cotton

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Following the decline yesterday, Liverpool broke sharply 10 points this morning and the local market followed reluctantly. From 10.43 for January prices moved lower until January finally sold at 10.32. The decline of 12 or 15 points for the day was not unusual for Saturday and can hardly be taken as any indication of the progress of the market.

Reports from the south show no change from the general position in cotton but the speculation is so narrow that on such advances as we have had recently, long cotton comes out and there is not enough business to care for the cotton except declining values. The general undertone of the market was decidedly steady and short covering went on every point decline. The market did not appear weak.

Two weeks ago, January closed around thirty, last week around 32 and today around 33. From this can be seen that the market has made very little progress in either direction and seems to be market in which the trade is marking time. The market is waiting for the annual report, as the size of the crop is still problematical. There was good buying on the break today.

New York Cotton

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	10.40	10.43	10.32	10.33-34
March	10.57	10.61	10.50	10.51-52
May	10.70	10.72	10.63	10.64-65
July	10.75	10.75	10.70	10.70-71
December	10.31	10.34	10.23	10.24-25

Liverpool Cotton Cable

Special to The Telegram.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 1.—Futures, due 3½ to 4½ points lower, opened steady, 7 off. Finals show a net decline of 8 to 10 points.

Spots were easier at prices 3 points lower, basis for American middling being 6.16d.

Sales were 5,000 bales, 4,000 American. Receipts aggregated 28,000 bales.

The weekly statement is as follows:

	This year.	1905.	1904.
Week's sales	36,000	41,000	52,000
Of which American	28,000	35,000	39,000
For export	1,400	1,400	1,000
For speculation	600	800	5,800
Forwarded	73,000	80,000	102,000
Total stock	507,000	777,000	562,000
Of which American	426,000	674,000	508,800
Actual week's exports	10,000	9,000	5,000
Receipts for week	162,000	141,000	178,000
Of which American	187,000	107,000	155,000
Receipts since Sept. 1	1,112,000	1,103,000	1,366,000
Of which American	928,000	845,000	1,210,100
Stock afloat	471,000	330,000	458,00.
Of which American	396,000	271,000	401,000

Quotations

	Open.	Close.
January-February	5.77	5.74½
February-March	5.78	5.75
March-April	5.78	5.76½
April-May	5.81	5.78½
May-June	5.83	5.80½
June-July	5.83½	5.81½
July-August	5.86	5.82½
August-September	5.75	5.76
September-October	5.60	5.58
December	5.83	5.82
December-January	5.77	5.77

Port Receipts

	Today.	Last year.
Galveston	22,536	15,337
New Orleans	7,347	7,034
Mobile	1,327	1,936
Savannah	14,912	17,614
Total	55,000	57,995

Interior Receipts

Little Rock	2,790	1,620
St. Louis	7,732	4,092
Cincinnati	764	2,069
Memphis	3,978	3,428
Augusta	4,582	2,472
Houston	15,859	11,155

Estimated Monday

	Monday.	Last year.
New Orleans	16,000 to 19,000	9,783
Galveston	22,000 to 25,000	14,552
Houston	15,000 to 17,000	7,777

Liverpool Spots

Special to The Telegram.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 1.—Spots easier, 3 points lower. Middling (American) 6.16d. Sales, 5,000 bales; receipts, 28,000.

New York Spots

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Spots were quiet at unchanged prices, basis 11.40 middling. No sales.

New Orleans Spots

Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.—Spots were steady at Friday's quotations, 11⅝c for middling. Sales, 2,700; f. o. b., 1,400.

COTTON TIPS

Good grades are still in strong demand.

The bearish week-end figures weakened Liverpool.

The comparisons in spinners' takings attracted considerable attention.

At Taylor, Texas, 740 wagon receipts Friday sold quickly.

Room traders at Liverpool helped to establish lower prices.

Fundamental conditions continue favorable.

Liverpool was a surprise, probably to the majority.

Bailey & Montgomery—We are inclined to look for an eventually higher level for contracts.

Dick Bros. & Co.—There is a very little speculation, but in spite of this the market shows an advancing tendency.

The weather map indicates further showers in central and eastern states, clearing, much colder in northern portion of belt.

Says the Times-Democrat: "The week-end statistics illustrate the altered order of things cottonwise rather than prove anybody's cotton market contentions."

The large amount of cotton required in December, argue many, will make this month the hardest of all in spots, because many November contracts have been put forward.

T. A. McIntyre & Co.—The trade is centering its interest now on probable character of government's preliminary estimate on size of the crop.

Carpenter, Baggott & Co.—We think bullish figures will be expected and look for prices to work higher.

A. O. Brown & Co.—Until we receive the ginning and government crop reports of Dec. 8 and 10 it is probable that the course of prices will be directed largely by the weather and receipts.

John Muir & Co.—We regard almost 11 cents as enough for cotton and, as we have recently done, we advise our friends against following this advance.

Miller & Co.—Anything like a good Liverpool market tomorrow will intensify the feeling in favor of the market, which continues to absorb all offerings very promptly.

Edward Moyse & Co.—Realization by longs and bear pressure may put futures down temporarily, but if spots remain firm a rally in futures is a foregone conclusion.

Marshall, Spader & Co.—We cannot ignore the fact that sentiment is generally favorable to the market and that the option list can quite consistently reflect this feeling in the near future.

A dispatch from New York said: A great deal is being said this morning about comparisons of spinners' takings with same week last year, but the visible supply of American cotton is 300,000 bales less than last year, even with 300,000 more crop in sight.

Scales & Co. have from New Orleans: Consensus of opinion is that a Times-Democrat estimate of around 12,500,000 would cause temporary decline of possibly 30 to 50 points; an estimate of 12,200,000 to 12,300,000, a depression of 30 points, but recovery during the day. An estimate around 12,000,000 would cause sustained advance.

The New York Chronicle says that reports to them by wire from the south denote in the main a continuation of weather conditions favorable to the gathering and marketing of cotton. In consequence thereof, the Chronicle continues, picking as a rule has made good progress where not already finished and cotton has moved quite freely to market.

The New York Chronicle's figures are as follows:

Visible supply of all kinds, 4,355,037, against 4,677,474. American, 3,516,031, against 3,794,474. Brought into sight since September 1, 5,686,972, against 5,408,159; this week, 522,247, against 436,461. Port receipts, 390,858, against 322,410. Port stocks, 1,149,786, against 1,292,324. Exports this week, 332,987, against 308,837. Interior receipts this week 305,567, against 268,689. Interior shipments this week, 257,000, against 13,000. Interior stocks, 607,243, against 667,389.

CHEAP RATES TO WEST TEXAS

On Nov. 26 the Texas and Pacific Railway Company will sell tickets to Stanton, Texas, and return at rate of one fare for the round trip, limit Nov. 29, 1906, on account colonization of Higginbotham, Harris & Co.'s ranch, thus affording an excellent opportunity to secure rich agricultural land in the best section of the state. E. P. Turner, G. P. A., Dallas, Texas.

VERY LOW RATES TO THE WEST

The Chicago Great Western Railway will sell tickets to points in Alberta, British Columbia, Idaho, Montana, Oregon and Washington at about one-half the usual fare. Tickets on sale daily from Aug. 27 to Oct. 31, inclusive. Get full information from George W. Lincoln, T. P. A., 7 West Ninth street, Kansas City, Mo.

STOCKS

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Today's bank statement is better than was generally expected. It shows in five days an increase in circulation of $1,509,000, in deposits $669,600, in legals $542,200, in loans $5,084,000, and a decrease in reserve of $2,954,300, United States decrease $2,960,500, and in specie $3,329,100.

Atchison worked higher after opening at 104¼, which advance is attributed to the practice certainly on an increased dividend rate, which should be reflected by much better quotations than were in effect today.

The most interest and dividend payments out of the way, cheaper money rates are expected and consequently a broader and more active market in the immediate future.

London was about at a parity today, and the conditions abroad favored better prices for American stocks of merit, especially in view of the increasing regard by foreigners for American strong issues.

Today's trading was affected but slightly by the professionals, and the fractional declines here and there after the opening were due to the usual week-end liquidation.

Biscuit was one of the most active industrial issues, making a new high level of 78½, owing to its immense earnings. A confident feeling prevailed for steels, copper and railway equipment.

Southern Railway was well supported today after the decline of Friday.

Copper, Baltimore and Ohio, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Louisville and Nashville, Wabash, Southern Railway, Southern Pacific, Sugar, New York Central, Canadian Pacific, Missouri Pacific and others closed higher.

Trading was dull and the market ruled without feature, with undertone steady thruout the short session.

Quotations

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Anaconda	280	281½	280	281½
Atchison	104¼	105½	104¼	105⅜
B. and O.	....	....	....	119¼
B. R. T.	80⅛	80⅜	79⅞	80⅜
Can Pac.	182⅜	....	....	183¼
C. F. and I.	54⅜	54¾	54½	54½
C. and O.	56¼	57¼	56¼	57¼
Copper	113⅜	113⅝	113¼	113⅝
C. Gt. W.	18¼	....	....	18
Erie	44	....	....	44
Illinois Central	....	....	....	175
L. and N.	145	146½	145	146¼
Mex. Central	25¼	....	....	25⅝
Mex. National	62	62⅞	61⅜	61⅜
M., K. and T.	42⅜	42⅜	42¼	42⅜
Mo. Pac.	94⅜	....	....	94⅜
N. Y. Central	131⅜	132	131⅝	131⅞
O. and W.	48½	48½	48⅛	48¼
People's Gas	....	....	....	92¼
Pennsylvania	138½	138⅜	138⅜	138½
Reading	147⅝	147⅞	147⅜	147⅝
Rock Island	32⅝	32⅝	32¼	32⅜
South. Pac.	94¼	94½	94	94¼
Sugar	133⅜	....	....	133⅜
Smelter	151⅜	152	151⅜	152
South. Ry.	35¼	35¼	34½	34½
St. Paul	182⅜	182⅜	182⅝	182⅜
T. C. and I.	165	165	163½	163½
Texas Pacific	37½	37⅞	37½	37⅞
Union Pacific	187	187⅛	186⅞	186⅞
U. S. Steel pfd	104⅜	104⅞	104⅜	104⅞
U. S. Steel	47⅝	48	47⅝	47⅞
Wabash	20⅝	20⅝	20⅜	20½

Week's Bank Clearings

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Following table, compiled by Bradstreet's, shows the bank clearings at the cities named for the week ended Nov. 29, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year. Totals include clearings of fifty-two other cities. Canadian totals include clearings of seven other cities in Canada:

Cities—	Amount.	Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,629,589,556	....	6.3
Chicago	189,120,913	10.0	....
Boston	135,526,134	7.0	....
Philadelphia	130,958,586	4.9	....
St. Louis	54,092,705	8.7	....
Pittsburg	45,229,118	5.1	....
San Fran.	40,085,593	24.7	....
Baltimore	24,351,213	10.3	....
Cincinnati	20,697,350	5.3	....
Kansas City	23,132,424	21.3	....
New Orleans	22,589,824	8.7	....
Louisville	9,415,784	.4	....
Fort Worth	**8,896,536**	....	....
Denver	6,165,240	7.4	....
Memphis	5,165,078	....	24.0
Richmond	6,197,436	12.6	....
Washington	4,507,275	18.9	....
Savannah	6,867,090	4.9	....
Atlanta	4,857,773	42.2	....
Nashville	2,857,258	2.0	....
Norfolk	2,026,564	38.7	....
Augusta	1,476,468	....	15.5
Birmingham	2,474,292	....	....
Knoxville	2,88,715	28.0	....
Little Rock	1,775,132	5.3	....
Chattanooga	1,291,808	14.9	....
Lexington	431,514	....	2.2
Jacksonville	974,688	4.8	....
Charleston	1,260,869	11.3	....
Macon	713,321	37.1	....
Mobile	1,486,688	27.7	....
Total U. S.	$2,574,649,415	....	....
Total outside of N. Y.	945,059,862	10.6	....

Liverpool Grain

Special to The Telegram.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 1.—The wheat market closed dull at unchanged prices. Corn ruled quiet, quotations having advanced ⅛d.

New York Cotton Seed Oil

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Closing quotations of cotton seed oil futures today were as follows:

December	38½@39
January	36½@37¼
March	36¼@36½
May	36 @36¼

RAILWAY CLERKS MEET

Will Plan for Meeting of National Association

The regular meeting of the Fort Worth branch of the Railway Mail Clerks' Association will be held in the office of Chief Clerk W. O. Davis in the Federal building Monday at 7:30 o'clock. Matters pertaining to the entertainment of the convention of the Railway Mail Service Associations which will hold their annual conventions in Fort Worth next year will be discussed. Extensive plans will be made by the Fort Worth members and also the members of the Eleventh division for their entertainment while here.

Gulfport Trading Company of Galveston estimates crop at 12,365,000.

December wheat advanced on shorts' covering, but tone at close was weak. Corn market full of resting buying orders.

Stocks ruled without feature. Economic factors favor advocates of better prices.

There are more than 520 India rubber manufacturers in the United States, employing more than 15,000 operatives.

THE CLOSING WAS WEAK, BOTH CORN AND OATS

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Wheat: The market displayed quite a strong tone early, December advancing the most on shorts covering and buying by cash houses, but who also sold May. There was fairly good buying of the May kind, and the bull element felt encouraged, due to the fact that the heavy deliveries of about four million bushels were well taken, having passed into strong hands. The weakness abroad was bearishly commented on, however, and as the spring wheat movement again showed an increase over last year at all points, it led up to selling for bear account as well as realizing, altho the small world's shipments may offset an increase in the visible. It developed late in the day that the pit shorts had pretty well covered, but there was considerable changing with the premium narrowed down to five cents per bushel. The closing was weak with local sentiment rather bearish.

Corn

December deliveries are excedingly light and the market displayed little strength, altho trade was light with prices working off toward the close in sympathy with wheat. The market was full of resting buying orders in the May kind.

Oats

Rather large deliveries did not make much impression, as there was fair buying by elevator people of December and some commission house buying of May. Prices eased off late in sympathy with wheat and corn.

Provisions

There was some commission house selling of lard and ribs early, but the demand was good, hogs at western points showing about 14,000 under a year ago, with the appearance of investment buying of provision offerings dried up, and there is an impression that stocks of products here will make a very small showing.

Quotations

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
December	72⅝	73⅛	72⅝	72⅞
May	78⅛	78⅜	77⅞	77⅞
July	77⅞	78	77⅜	77⅜
Corn—				
December	42⅜	42½	42⅛	42¼
May	43½	43⅝	43⅜	43⅜
July	44⅛	44¼	44	44
Oats—				
December	33	33⅜	32⅜	33
May	34⅞	35⅛	34⅜	34⅞
July	33	33⅛	32⅜	32⅞
Pork—				
December	14.60	14.62	14.52	14.60
January	14.77	14.97	14.77	14.95
Lard—				
January	8.47	8.50	8.45	8.50
Ribs—				
January	7.72	7.82	7.72	7.80

LIVESTOCK MARKET WEEK END STEADY

Moderate Week-End Run — Closing Prices Steady With Preceding Day's Sales

The receipts were moderate for a Saturday market. The total cars in at the opening were about fifty, including shipments of cattle, calves and hogs. No sheep or horses and mules were received. The hog market was about steady with Friday's prices, tho the quality was generally poor. The bids for cattle were generally about 10c lower at the opening, and very few sales were made. Nothing was sold early, and several shippers were preparing to reship. The northern markets came in about steady, and sellers were holding out for steady prices here. On account of the heavy run Friday the local packers had on hand about all the cattle stuff they seemed to want, and the demand was very inactive. Later in the session, the market began to show more activity, and among the local packers who took small offerings of choice killing stuff, and order buyers, the offerings for the most part were cleared. Some, however, were held over or reshipped. The quality, especially in cows, was good, the offerings consisting of well finished Texas grass cows, which composed the bulk of the cattle offerings. No steers were on sale, and the calf receipts were light.

Yard Receipts

The following are the estimated receipts for the day, including receipts from all sources:

Cattle	1,500
Calves	500
Hogs	900

Prevailing Prices

	Top.	Bulk.
Steers	$3.00	....
Cows	2.65	$2.00@2.35
Bulls	2.15	....
Hogs	6.20	6.00@6.20
Pigs	5.05	5.00@....

Butcher Stock

Butcher stock comprised the bulk of the cattle receipts. Only five steers were sold as butcher stock, which sold at $3. The cow stuff consisted of several loads of Texas grassers, in good killing flesh, but the demand was not very active. Toward the close, however, the market showed more activity, and the principal portion of the offerings were sold at generally steady prices, the early bids of 10c lower being raised to steady prices.

Sales of steers:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
3...	900	$3.00	2...	1,100	$3.00

Sales of cows:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
58...	854	$2.30	23...	720	$1.85
33...	806	3.00	152...	880	2.65
27...	857	2.30	33...	721	2.35
4...	702	2.00	25...	284	2.35
1...	550	2.00	33...	712	2.15
18...	800	2.15	15...	771	2.00
51...	889	2.65	51...	894	2.65
52...	878	2.65	7...	790	2.25
30...	760	2.30	29...	710	2.15
27...	680	2.10	31...	813	2.55
29...	755	2.35	41...	822	2.35
14...	700	2.05	27...	771	1.85
43...	773	2.30	28...	774	2.30

Sales of bulls:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
22...	1,040	$2.15	21...	1,230	$2.15
21...	1,243	2.15			

Calves

The receipts of calves were light. The quality was not good, and no demand on the Saturday market for such offerings. The few loads consisted of common and heavy weights, with no vealers of desirable quality in the lot. The market for desirable stuff was about steady, but no sales were made.

Hogs

The run of hogs was moderate for the week end market. The quality was unusually poor, and a slow demand for the offerings. The tone of the market was steady with both the northern prices and the local prices of yesterday, but the inferior quality brought the top down to $6.20. The bulk of of the offerings were from Texas points, while two or three loads were from Oklahoma points. The bulk of the receipts consisted of lights and pigs.

Sales of hogs:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
79...	237	$6.20	78...	231	$6.00
76...	225	6.20	64...	258	6.20
37...	177	5.00	70...	169	5.95
80...	210	6.00	109...	169	6.20
35...	163	6.00			

Sales of pigs:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
101..	93	$5.05	99...	85	$5.00
148..	77	5.00	110...	91	5.00

MARKETS ELSEWHERE

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 700 head; market steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 13,000 head; market slow; mixed and butchers, $5.90@6.25; good to choice heavy, $5.95@6.25; rough heavy, $5.70@5.90; light, $5.90@6.20; bulk, $5.95@6.20; pigs, $5.35@6.15. Estimated receipts Monday, 3,700.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,800 head; market steady.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 head; market slow.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000 head; market slow; mixed and butchers, $6.13½@6.17½; good to choice heavy, $6.15@6.17½; rough heavy, $6.10@6.12½; light, $6.07½@6.15; bulk, $6.10@6.15; pigs, $5.50@5.80. Estimated receipts Monday, 8,000.

St. Louis Live Stock

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 800 head, including 200 head Texans; market steady; native steers, $3.25@7; stockers and feeders, $2@4.50; cows and heifers, $2.35@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,500 head; market steady; mixed and butchers, $6.10@6.25; good heavy, $6.15@6.25; rough heavy, $6@6.10; lights, $6.10@6.25; bulk, $6.10@6.20; pigs, $5.80@6.

Sheep—Receipts, 300 head; market steady; sheep, $3@5.35; lambs, $3.50@7.00.

MISCELLANEOUS

Green Coffee

No. 1 fancy peaberry, 15c; fancy polished Rio, 14½c; choice Rio, 13½c; fair Rio, 12 1-2c.

Cheese

Full cream, Longhorns, 4 in hoop, 16½c; cheese, full cream, 1-lb. cuts, 16½c; cheese, full cream, daisies, 16½c; prints, 16½c.

Poultry, Eggs and Butter

Hens, $3.25@3.75 per dozen; geese, $9.75@11.75; ducks, $5.75@6. Eggs, fresh, $8.25; storage, $7.25@7.50 per case; turkeys, 10@11c per lb; springs, $3.25@3.50 per doz. Creamery butter, 32c; country butter, 18@20c; renovated butter, 25c.

Wholesale Fruit and Vegetables

Colorado potatoes, 90c bu; lemons, choice Messina, $4.50 box; Verdillis, $4.25@4.50; oranges, choice California small sizes, $3@3.25 per case; New York grapes, 4-lb Concord, per basket 16½c. Colorado onions, 1 3-4c per lb; Cabbages, 1 3-4c per lb; Florida oranges, per case, $2.75@3; apples, fancy, per bbl., $3; winesap, $3.25; cocoanuts, 4 3-4c.

Hides and Wool

Green Sales—35 lb up, 11½c; lights, 10½c.

Green Hides by Express—40 lb up, 9@10c.

Wool—Light medium, 20c to 23c; light merino, 12c to 20c.

Horse Hides—Green salted, $1.25@2.25.

Dry flint hides, 16 lb up, butcher flint, 18c; 16 lb up, 17c; light dry flint hides under 16 lb, 16c.

Syrups and Molasses

Georgia cane, $2.10; fancy cable syrup, ½ gals, per case, $2.25. Sorghum, bbls, per gal, 32c; corn syrup, bbls, per gal, 32c; fair open kettle, bbls, per gal 38c; sugar house, bbls, per gal, 35c. Evaporated Cove, gals $3.10; Wapco open kettle, gals, $3.10; Wapco, gal, White Swan cane, $3.20; ½ gal White Swan cane, $3.65.

Building Material

Boards, per 100 feet, $2.50 and $2.75; ship lap, per 100 feet, $2.30; flooring, per 100 feet, $3.50; drop siding, per 100 feet, $3.25 and $3.50; ceiling, per 100 feet, $2.75 and $3; finishing, per 100 feet, $4 and $5; shingles, per 1,000, $4@4.25; pickets, per 100, $2.75 and $3.25; cedar and bois d'arc blocks, per foot, 15@20; 2x4, 6s and 8s, per 100 feet, $2.50; 2x12, 10, $2.75 per 100 feet; windows, 60 per cent from list; doors, No. 1, $2 and $3; A, B and C grades, 50 per cent from list.

Provisions

White Frost and Sunflower kettle rendered lard, in 10s, 11 1-4c; kettle rendered lard, in 5s, 11 3-8c; steamed lard, tierces, 10c; pure lard, 10s, 10 3-4c; pure lard, 5c, 10 7-8c; compound lard, in tierces, 8c; compound lard 50s, 8 1-4c; compound lard, 10s, 8 3-4c; Snowdrift, tierces, 8 1-4c; 50s, 8½c; 10s, 9c; 5s, 9 1-8c.

Dry salt extras, 9½c; dry salt regulars, 9 3-4c; dry salt bellies, 11 1-2c; bacon extras, 10 1-4c; bacon regulars, 10 1-2c; 14-16 bacon bellies, 12 3-4@13c; hams, 14@16c; fancy breakfast bacon, 20c.

Drugs and Chemicals

Acetanilid, lb, 35c; alcohol, 88-proof, gal, $2.75; bismuth, subnitrate, lb $1.75; borax, lump, lb, 10c; borax, powd, in 1-4-lb ctns, doz, 40c; borax, powd in 1-2-lb ctns, doz, 75c; borax, powd, in 1-lb ctns, doz, $1.25; chloral hydrate, lb, $1.30; cocaine, oz vials, $3.05; 1-8s, oz, $3.50; glycerin, small lots, lb, 20c; Harlem oil, doz, 40c morphine, oz vials, $2.35; 1-8s, $2.60; nux vomica, powd, small lots, lb, 60c; potassium, bromide, gran, lb, 34c; potassium, iodide, lb, $2.60; quicksilver, lb, 80c; quinine, oz vials, 28c; salts, Rochelle, lb, 28c; salts, Epsom, lb, 4c; salts, crab orchard, lb, 15c; soap, white castile, con, lb, 15@16c; soap, mottled, lb, 10@12c; spermaceti, lb, 40c; sugar of milk, powd, lb, 25c; strychnine, cryst, 1-8 oz, $1; calomel, Amer, lb, 99c; calomel, Eng, lb, $1.15 @1.20; shellac, orange, lb, 60c; shellac, white, lb, 60c; rosin, lb, 5c.

BUSHNELL'S LITTLE SCHOOL STUDIES



I was just thinking of "Stub" Williams. Remember him? He sat on the front seat and was the dumbest thing that ever went barefoot. About all he could do when called upon to recite was sweat and look as expressionless as a pumpkin pie. He couldn't spell; he could scarcely read; he knew nothing about geography, and he always said that grammar "ain't no use." His father was another "Stub," and went to law with the school authorities because they forced him to send his boy to school.

The old man is dead. Heard of the other "Stub" last week. He went thru our town in his private car. His grammar isn't much better, but when he speaks the superintendents of three big railroad systems take notice, and he can sign his name so that they can read it at the bank. You can never tell.

SOCIETY

(Continued from page 9.)

Mrs. S. S. Perry, stop 6, on the Interurban.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Arnold of Wharton, Texas, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Beggs for several weeks. Mr. Arnold returned home on Tuesday, but Mrs. Arnold and the little girl will remain with Mrs. Beggs two or three weeks longer.

Miss Nellie Lee, the charming daughter of Mr. J. M. Lee, who has lately moved to Fort Worth with the Trinity and Brazos Valley railway, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Wilson at their beautiful home, Oak Ridge, on the Interurban. Miss Lee is highly accomplished and is a brilliant musician.

Miss Mabel Spencer will sing at the wedding of Miss Louise Higginbottom to Lee Nash of Waco, the ceremony taking place in a few days. Miss Mabel graduates from Baylor this year and it is already known that she is one of the honor students.

Among the out-of-town guests who will attend the marriage of Miss Maybelle Slaughter to Francis Lott of Kansas City next Wednesday evening, will be Miss Clara Kellogg of Kansas City, A. W. Hedson of Kansas City, Mrs. Mary Lott, mother of the bridegroom, and Miss Hallie B. Cook of Oklahoma City.

DOCKET IS CROWDED

Clerk of San Antonio Court Would Redistrict State

Special to The Telegram.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 1.—In order to prevent the overcrowding of the dockets of the courts of civil appeals of this state, J. Murray, clerk of the court of civil appeals of the Fourth judicial district in this city, is advocating the redistricting of the state. He thinks that some of the territory now attached to the Fort Worth and Dallas districts could be added to the Austin district without crowding the docket, and that some of the counties returnable to the Galveston district should be attached to this district.

Altho the San Antonio district covers a very large territory, comparatively few cases originate in its jurisdiction, and cases are constantly being transferred here from other districts.

By a rearrangement he thinks a more just distribution would follow.

New Texas Charters

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 1.—Charters of the following corporations have been filed in the state department by Secretary of State Shannon:

Zimmerman & Co. of Port Arthur, Jefferson county; capital stock, $10,000. Purpose, the manufacture of building, sidewalk, curbing and paving material.

Texas Farm Mortgage Company of Dallas; capital stock, $50,000. Purpose, the accumulation and loan of money.

The Texas Lignite Company of Dallas; capital stock, $25,000.

The Falls County Mercantile Company of Marlin; capital stock, $5,000.

B. D. Gray & Co. of Pilot Point, Denton county; capital stock, $50,000. Purpose, to buy and sell general merchandise.

The Texas Paraffine Oil Company of Dallas; capital stock, $100,000.

The News Publishing Company of San Angelo; capital stock, $10,000. Purpose, to conduct a printing and publishing business.

Gulf Pipe Line Company of Beaumont; capital stock, $3,500,000. Purpose, to build a pipe line from Jefferson county to the Indian Territory.

Traders Mercantile Company of Strawn; capital stock, $25,000.

Training School Dormitory of Denton; capital stock, $35,000. Purpose, to maintain a benevolent educational institution.

First State Bank of Devine; capital stock, $10,000.

Carlton Produce Company of Houston; capital stock, $5,000.

Fay Oil Company of Beaumont; capital stock, $5,000.

The Hamilton Mercantile Company of Stanton filed an amendment to its charter in the state department, changing its corporate name to G. C. Fletcher & Co.

CLAUSES IN THE CONSTITUTION

Twenty-five Provisions Are Introduced

Special to The Telegram.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Dec. 1.—Twenty-eight more constitutional provisions were introduced this morning and referred to the committee. The principal ones are to regulate child labor, prohibit intermarriage of whites and blacks, provide an inheritage law and to provide for separate submission of clause extending Indian Territory prohibition in Oklahoma.

Three initiative and referendum clauses and one providing that the legislature shall arrange for primary nominations have been introduced. Several clauses are on trusts and the educational system. One by Board of Okmulgee, is for a state printing plant, and Weaver of Ada introduced one against the sale of the school lands. Jones of Ryan introduced a clause making the only causes for divorce adultery, abandonment and conviction for felony. Another by Jones makes 10 per cent maximum interstate rate.

WANT FEDERAL PIE

Many Applicants for Positions in New State of Oklahoma

Special to The Telegram.

SOUTH McALESTER, I. T., Dec. 1.—The federal office holders in this part of the Indian Territory have already begun to make their plans for the future, when statehood comes. There will be only two federal districts when the two territories can write the word "Oklahoma," and one of these will be the eastern district, with headquarters at South McAlester, and the other the western district, with headquarters at Oklahoma City.

For the eastern district the candidate is already slated. It is none other than Hon. W. H. H. Clayton, the present incumbent of the federal bench for the central district. Judge Clayton has been indorsed for the place by the bar of his district, but what is more to the point, he has the backing of a most influential brother, General Powell Clayton of Arkansas. It is generally admitted that the President will select an Oklahoman man for the western district, hence there are no candidates for the position from the Indian country.

There will be considerable shuffling about to fill the two United States marshalships of the new state. George K. Prithard of the central district will resign at the end of his term and retire to his home in North Carolina, where he has large business interests, and Marshal Leo K. Bennett of Muskogee, and Marshal H. K. Porter of Ardmore will be aspirants to succeed him. The knowing ones seem to believe that the chances will be in favor of Porter, who is a young man, a Rough Rider and connected with the President's family by ties of kinship.

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THE WO... ANN...

The following letter from ... quarters of the fine and ... show, given in connection ... forty-third annual convent... National Wool Growers' ... at Salt Lake City, on Jan. ... 19, 1907, will possibly be ... interest to all stockmen ... especially interesting to ... Texas:

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THE WOOL GROWERS ANNUAL MEETING

The following letter from the headquarters of the fine and fat sheep show, given in connection with the forty-third annual convention of the National Wood Growers' Association, at Salt Lake City, on Jan. 17, 18 and 19, 1907, will possibly be of general interest to all stockmen as well as especially interesting to sheepmen in Texas:

Salt Lake City, Nov. 19.—Editor Texas Stockman-Journal, Fort Worth, Texas.—Dear Sir: Your attention is respectfully called to the fact that the forty-third annual convention of the National Wool Growers' Association will be held in Salt Lake City, Jan. 17, 18 and 19, 1907, and in connection with that great event, the flock masters of Utah have determined to hold a fine and fat sheep show, which will be open to entries from all parts of the United States, Canada and Mexico. A partial list of the premiums offered on this occasion appears on the back of this sheet. Entries will close Jan. 1, 1907, and the exhibition will be held in the fine new building of the State Fair Association, where the facilities for holding such a complete exposition of the sheep industry of the countries named above, as is designed, are unusually excellent.

The indications at present are that the forthcoming convention of the National Wool Growers' Association will be a notable event in the history of that organization, and it is the intention of the local sheepmen to make the fine and fat sheep show of equal benefit and importance to the interests involved.

In this connection you are earnestly requested to give such publicity to these events as in your judgment the subject deserves.

Thanking you now for the courtesy of your attention, we are, very sincerely, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

By Arthur A. Callister, secretary.

Looking for Sheep

Bob Carothers, one of the firm of Carothers Brothers, the big stockmen, especiolly noted for their dealings in sheep, was a visitor in the exchange and on the yards looking out for sheep bargains and semed to be actively on the track of what he wanted. This firm is a large dealer, having interests, among others, in the Angelo country and out in the Pecos country. He would say nothing as to the effects of the blizzard upon stock, as he had left the range before it culminated, but he was cheerful and seemed to fear say such things. Our corn was fair, but the small grain was not at all up to the average even of other years. Cotton is not good, owing to rains and consequently worms, that increased as they usually do under damp conditions. Our prospects of a good year all round have proved a failure this time, as they have in years gone by, but our people are better able to stand it now than ever before since the war. I am looking around and thinking of locating here if things suit me."

LIKES FORT WORTH

William Davis of Denton, Texas, was looking over Fort Worth with a view toward locating here. "I have lived in Denton county for many years," said he, "and have passed thru all the ups and downs incident to a new country, and have seen many changes and old things pass away to give place to the new. We have had only partial success with our crops this year and the failure is due to too much moisture at an improper time, if I may be allowed to

PLENTY OF FEED

Colonel Bill Washington halted in the city for a few hours on his way from Marietta, I. T., to Austin, and was discoursing stock in the exchange. He said that getting up in the morning at 3 o'clock and riding four miles to the station with weather as cold as it was, was no fun. "It was pretty cold," said he, "to be sure, and I expect it has grown worse since I left home. Of course such weather as this looks like it is liable to be, will be bad for stock unless one is provided with plenty of shelter on the range and extra feed. I am well off in this respect and fear nothing of the ordinary kind. Some are predicting a very hard winter, but I don't know about it, altho it has started in rather earlier than customary. There is plenty of feed in our section and grass is good and unless we meet with the misfortune that has overtaken stockmen lower down in the territory, burn out by prairie fires, we will get along comfortably enough. There is not much full feeding going on for some reason. There seems to be a hesitancy about engaging in it for some reason not yet developed."

DESTRUCTIVE PRAIRIE FIRE

Dick True came in from Ryan and brought with him the first news of big prairie fires in that section. "Friday morning early fire broke out," said he, "and in a few minutes under the influence of the high wind that was blowing, it had gotten good headway. We fought it all day and it was only by the very hardest work that I saved my barn, house, etc. The fire came within seventy-five yards of my barn and the wind being so strong made it difficult indeed to save it. The fire burned the prairie, corn fields, cotton and any thing else that was in its way. I lost about $1,000 in grass, etc. My neighbor, N. T. Nabors, however, was a big sufferer. The fire burned up nearly all of his grass, his fields of corn and hay. He had about 3,000 head of cattle on his 25,000 acre pasture and the fire only left him enough grass for 700 head. He is in a deplorable condition, for nothing hurts a cowman worse than to have his grass burnt at this season of the year. The grass was waist high and burned faster than a good horse could run. Colonel Washington has some pasturage near Majors and as soon as he heard of the result of the fire to Majors, after arriving here, he immediately offered to let Majors have it for his stock. No one but a stockman can know how much a God send as this is to a crippled cowman in the winter. Outside of this fire things have gone along very well. The fire burnt its way on up above Ryan, how far, I can't say, for I left home Friday night as soon as my place was safe."

Little Territory Feeding

Arthur James lives at Ardmore and is engaged in the cold storage and stock shopping business. "Our section," he said, "is still in excellent shape and will be able to weather the winter blasts very well. We are practically a farming country now and the people are to some extent engaging in stock farming, not to such an extent as one would suppose, but this takes time, especially when such fine crops of corn and cotton were raised this year. Corn sells readily at an average of 30c per bushel and the price of cotton has been and is satisfactory, so the farmers do not, of necessity, have to sell unless they wish. Ours is a good stock farming country and will eventually be the equal of any. I brought in a load of hogs. The hog business will grow rapidly with us and will prove so profitable I am sure that many more will be induced by the success of those in the business to engage themselves.

"There are very few feeders doing business at present, why I cannot say. There is plenty of feed of all kinds and in this line there can be no cause for hesitancy. Fear of the future market may be the cause, altho many feeders declare that cattle will go up and that the market next year will be unusually good. Any way, for some reason they are not rushing over each other to get feeders. There are very few aged steers in the country, all there is are ones and twos."

No Damage Done

J. K. Rosson when asked relative to effect of the blizzard upon stock generally, said: "Most of the reports that we have received are very favorable and indicate that stock have stood the test very well indeed, especially when it is taken into consideration the unusually early date of the cold weather. Cattle are in such excellent condition for this time of the year that they are enabled to bear the cold for the few days it will last. A few days of clear weather, which we are sure to have, will cure what injury has been done by this severe spell and the effects will not be noticed at all. Winter is unusually brisk in its appearance this year, but we may hope for an early spring and with it good grass."

Thin Cattle Suffered

W. L. Tandy of Temple, O. T., dropped in on the yards on stock interests bent and had in to show conditions among the stock interests a good lot of steers. "It has been pretty cold and hard weather," he said, "but around Temple things were not hurt much I think. Of course thin cattle will be drawn to some extent, but it is hardly probable that fat stuff will be hurt, for the spell did not last long enough for that. Cattle have been very well up to this and bid fair to go thru the winter well unless it should prove a very hard and extended one. There is plenty of feed in the country, altho fires have destroyed some pastures, which makes it hard on individual men. But the country generally is in very good fix. Cotton has turned out very well and of course we like the rest of the territory have had an excellent crop of corn. We are a stock farming kind of a people anyway and have more irons in the fire than one."

Visiting South Texas

Colonel Marion Sansom has gone on a southern trip to look into the cattle conditions and to take a look at the green grass that is said to be growing finely in the Uvalde and Cotulla countries and south of there. There are reported to be a number of good stock down in that section to come out and with the condition of grass and weather now in that section there is no doubt but that cattle will remain fat all the winter. There is not much doing at the yards, comparatively, and this is the time when such stockmen as Colonel Sansom make it convenient to travel and look over matters and things. It was not learned when he would return, but it is certain that he will bring back a good lot of reliable news.

DEMAND MORE WAGES

Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen Meet

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 1.—Officers and representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen of the Rock Island system in session here are formulating demands which include increased wages. The demands are to be presented in Chicago Monday.

WEDS AN ACTRESS

Bridegroom Was the Originator of Luna Park

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Frederick Thompson of Thompson & Dundy and Miss Mabel Taliafero, the actress, were married last night at the Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in this city. The couple became engaged only two weeks ago.

Miss Taliaferro, who is 19 years of age, is now playing in special matinees of "Pippa Passes" at the Majestic theater. She comes of a stage family and has been known as a child actress for some years. Before the "Pippa Passes" engagement she was with "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" and in the "Little Princess."

Frederick Thompson is about 32 years of age. He was the originator of many of the novel ideas of Luna Park and of similar wonders at the Buffalo exposition.

EDEN'S RETURN

Eden, with all her happy bowers and many brooks, is reborn whenever two hearts meet each other in the bliss of youthful love, and every mother who clasps to her bosom her newborn child dreams that she is the first Eve that ever drank at the fountain of maternal joy. And when the frosts of sorrow and the chill of death come to this paradise the voice of heavenly love explains that the discipline is but temporary, and that high above earth's glooms and mutations glows a heavenly sphere, and that what began in joy and hope shall end in a kingdom of love and gladness in a fellowship wherein God and man shall have part together.—Prsident John Henry Barrows, Oberlin University.

How many wives realize the importance of being cheerful at the breakfast table? How many stop to think that when their husbands leave them in the morning they carry during the day impressions made at breakfast? A cheerful face at breakfast will do a great deal toward keeping a man in good humor all day. The memory of an untidy, disheveled wife will depress him.

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BY PAUL VILLIERS.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—Paris "hello girls" and female clerks in the postal service now have a fine new hotel of their own, where they may live cheaply in comfort and in artistic surroundings.

The hotel, which has been built by private philanthrophy at a cost of $163,000, under the patronage of the postmaster general, has 117 bedrooms, prettily furnished, recreation rooms and work rooms. The restaurant, where wonderfully cheap meals can be had, is open to all women.

The institution was opened by M. Barton, minister of public works, and the same night seventy-five of the bedrooms were occupied by girl postal employes. They pay from $3 to $6.75 a month for the bedrooms.

ALBINO OPOSSUM

Special to The Telegram.

PALESTINE, Texas, Dec. 1.—A negro was in the city Tuesday exhibiting a white "possum" which he captured near Spring Rark, east of the city. It was pure white with the exception of its ears and around its mouth and was regarded as quite a curiosity by all who saw it.

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Same bottled in bond	$1.25	Gallon Sweet Wine	$1.50
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FOUR KILLED IN VERMONT WRECK

Many Known to Be Seriously Injured

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VERGENNES, Vt., Dec. 1.—Four persons are known to have been killed and it is feared others lost their lives, while several are seriously injured in a wreck on the Rutland railroad near here today. A gravel train plowed into the rear end of a passenger train. Two passenger cars were wrecked and caught on fire. None of the dead have been positively identified.

ARMY AND NAVY GAME

Many Come to Philadelphia for Annual Event

Special to The Telegram.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—Black, gold and gray of the army and the blue and gold of the navy are flying everywhere in Philadelphia in honor of the annual football match on Franklin Field this afternoon between the cadets of West Point and Annapolis.

Despite threatening weather, an enormous crowd, the largest that ever attended an army and navy game on the University of Pennsylvania's famous gridiron, is expected. Hundreds came in yesterday and last night and thousands arrived on morning trains. The greatest number came from Washington and included assistant secretarys of war and the navy, rear admirals, major generals and officers of all other grades down to plain privates.

RESPONSIBLE FOR MILK

City Attorney of Dallas Renders An Opinion

Special to The Telegram.

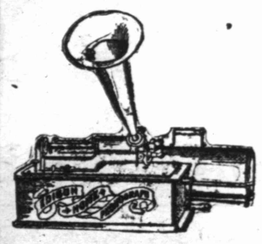
DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 1.—The city attorney rendered an opinion today that restaurants serving impure milk will be held responsible, no matter what the condition of the milk when purchased from the dairyman.

Soap has been in use for 3,000 years and is twice mentioned in the Bible. A few years ago a soap boiler's shop was discovered in Pompeii, having been buried beneath the terrible rain of ashes that fell upon that city in the year 79 A. D. The soap found in the shop had not lost its efficacy, altho it had been buried 1,800 years.

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NORWAY'S KING GIVEN A GARTER

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BY PAUL LAMBETH.

LONDON, Dec. 1. The "Velkommen", as the Norwegians call it, given to the King and Queen from the North, and to little Olaf, their son, has been probably the most heart-felt demonstration of personal interest and affection that has taken place in England, and ranks with the Coronation of the King and the Jubilee of the late queen. King Haakon, who is a picturesque figure, tall, slight, manly and strong, as a Norse Prince should be, has been long a popular favorite in this country, and Queen Maud, prettiest of the King's daughters, graceful and witty, and altogether charming, are by no means the principal figures in the minds of the public. The one that looms large is the tiniest of all, little Olaf, the eldest and only son of the king of Norway; and no one is enjoying his visit more than he. The mayors in their stately trappings, the guards in their brilliant uniforms, even the policemen he regards as performing for his special benefit. He made the success of his father's and mother's entry into Norway, and holds the hearts of the Norwegians in the hollow of his baby hand, and he has gone far to captivate England in the same way. The sturdy little child, overflowing with fun, with his fair hair and bright eyes, is the picture of the heir to the Viking's throne. The Queen adores the little boy, and is to be seen at all hours; showing him from the window of Windsor Castle or of Buckingham Palace the regiment changing guard, or other military wonders which are constantly to be witnessed from the royal residence, and the crowd goes mad about him as he passes thru London and touches his pale blue cap with a military salute.

Garter for Haakon

King Haakon has just been invested with the Order of the Garter at Windsor castle. The history of that order takes one over almost the whole range of English history. Some say it was founded in 1344, some assert that it did not exist till five years later. The reigning monarch has always been ex-officio the soverign of the order, and five women rulers have belonged to the knights. Queen Anne was the first who habitually wore the garter and ribbon, and her pictures represent her with a blue band, or with the collar and George, and in some she has the star on her bosom. Queen Victoria was never seen in public on state occasions without the order. Its religious significance has been largely lost sight of, but all investitures are attended by ceremonies of a very precise character, and so strong has been the religious sentiment associated with it that an English nobleman hesitated to accept honor on account of the fact that it had been conferred on an Oriental monarch. Elizabeth of York, afterward wife of Henry VII, and Lady Margaret, founder of St. John's and Christ's colleges at Cambridge, were admitted as ladies of the Order of the Garter. Queen Alexandra belongs to it, and her flag flies in the chapel of St. George. In the early days women were admitted under the title of dames of the Fraternity of St. George, but the custom was abolished by Henry VIII, who lost no opportunity of heaping indignities upon women, and no attempt has been made to revive it. The great authority on heraldry, Austen, strongly advocated that the honors of the order should be revived. The garter itself is a bard of blue velvet, an inch broad, encrusted with gold, and bearing the motto, "Honi soit qui mal y pense," and Charles I wore the order set in diamonds on the fateful day wen he ascended the scaffold.

When a knight has been elected by the chapter of the order two junior knights proceed to the door of the chapter room with the garter king of arms, who carries the insignia on a cushion, and conducts the newly elected knight to the sovereign. The king himself buckles on the order while the new knight kneels, and the king pins the ribbon over his shoulder. The collar, which is intended as a badge of servitude, is of gold, and weighs nearly thirty ounces. It is made in twenty-six pieces, corresponding with the number of knights, and in the center of each garter is a rose, enamelled red with gold and green. From the collar depends a figure of the saint encountering the dragon. Charles I introduced the star, with its brilliant red cross. The insignia are always returned to the king on the death of the knight. The garter is worn on the left leg, and all women belonging to the order wear it on the arm.

The admission of a knight of the garter is probably one of the most gorgeous ceremonials still extant, and none can have been more impressive than that which took place at Windsor the other day, when King Haakoh was invested with the insignia. There had been no investiture at Windsor castle for more than half a century, and then two reigning monarchs were admitted to the ranks, Napoleon III and Victor Emmanuel, king of Sardinia. The present king of England was then a boy of 14. When King Haakon received the garter from King Edward the chancellor read this quaint and ancient admonition:

"To the honor of God Omnipotent, and in memorial of the blessed Martyr St. George tie about thy leg for thy renown this royal garter. Wear it as a symbol of the most illustrious order, never to be forgotten or laid aside, that thereby thou mayst be admonished to be courageous, and having undertaken a just war in which thou shalt be engaged, thou mayest stand firm, valiantly fight, and successfully conquer."

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A food that made Assistant Postmaster Estes "feel like a 2-year-old in a clover pasture."

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A highly nutritious, stomachic food, made from the pineapple, and the paw-paw-melon, figs, oranges, celery and a few other good things for the nerves, stomach and bowels.

You may be starving your blood and brain in the midst of plenty. It isn't how much you eat that counts, but it's how you digest the food you eat.

You can't get steam out of water without fire; you can't get brain power, nerve force and blood corpuscles out of food without digestion.

Thousands lack sufficient vital force and don't know why.

They think they need a tonic, a vacation or a change of scenery. But they don't. It's old indigestion that's the matter with them, and six days' use of my Biscuit will prove it.

They don't get the strength out of their food. It's like running corn through a mill with the rollers too wide apart; the corn goes through, but the mill doesn't grind.

Don't think you must have a pain to have indigestion.

Lack of flesh, too much fat, pimples, blotches, sallow complexion, lack of nerve force, impoverished blood, insomnia, headaches, weak brain power, may all be due to a faulty digestive process either in the stomach or bowels.

Eat my Biscuit along with your other food for a week and find out how your digestive organs are working. If the Biscuit helps you greatly, gives you more force, strength and brain power, you may set it down that your stomach, liver and bowels were doing their duty.

Only yesterday your head may have felt dull and heavy; you had the "blues;" were cross, nervous or irritable; everything seemed to go wrong, and you couldn't tell why.

It's ten to one it was old dyspepsia slyly getting in his work, not enough to cause you pain, but just enough to dull your brain, rob you of your vitality, upset your liver and deplete your nerve force. Maybe you don't think so, but just try one package of my Biscuit and see if they don't change "blues" to a bright, cheery red; make the old world laugh in a merry glee and put vigor and vim in your life again.

National Bank President Kinner of Olean, N. Y., had stomach trouble so bad that he had to live on malted milk, and even that caused him pain—he ate three biscuits and went to eating his meals—sounds like a miracle. Well, I have Mr. Kinner's own letter to that effect.

W. G. Roach of Hornellsville, N. Y., says he hadn't been able to work for several years—had dyspepsia so bad—after eating my biscuit two weeks he got a position and went to work, says he can eat anything now and feels "tiptop." This is only two of hundreds.

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WHITE WOMAN CROSSES AFRICA

Wife of Belgian Major First of Sex to Make Trip

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BY PAUL VILLIERS.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—Mme. Cabra, wife of a major in the Belgian army, is the first white woman to cross the African continent.

Landing with her husband at Dares-Salaam, in German East Africa, the plucky traveler journeyed to Zanzibar, Manbasa and Entebbe, Uganda. A caravan took them thence to Lake Albert and Mahagi, in the Congo. Crossing the Ruwenzori range, Major and Mme. Cabra then traveled down the Congo river and reached the western coast.

Some of the natives they met had never seen a white woman before, and were much astonished at the sight of Mme. Cabra. One chief said he never believed white women existed, and when he was asked how he imagined the race was propagated he said: "I had not thought of that." Mme. Cabra has now returned to Belgium after a journey that occupied eighteen months.

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Will Save Travelers Distance of 116 Miles

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PARIS, Dec. 1. — Another tunnel under the Alps is now projected, to connect Italy with the rest of Europe. It will pass under Mount Blanc at a height of 3,100 feet.

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EGYPTIANS SCANDALIZED

Gay Doings of Winter Tourists to Cairo

WOMEN INSULTED

Intrigues With Guides Result in Unpleasant Gossip and Insulting Attentions

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BY PAUL LAMBETH.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—There is a great deal more in the tale of Egyptian unrest than the general British public is aware of. Private letters received from Cairo state that the natives are becoming more arrogant and insulting to English and Americans every day.

The Cairo season will soon be in full swing, and Lord Cromer intends to start a regular crusade against certain "goings on," which contribute very largely to the attitude adopted, especially by the Arabian races, toward English and American women.

It is useless, according to those who regularly visit Cairo during the winter, to conceal the fact that some white women have been involved in scandals with low class Arabs who escort parties by moonlight to the tombs.

These cases, fortunately have been few, but the result has been that white women of respectability are liable to be insulted by donkey boys and others, and that the native races are losing respect for the tourists whom they once held in such awe.

In addition to this serious state of affairs the propaganda of rebellion carried on by two or three native newspaper proprietors is causing serious apprehension to the authorities, and no one would be surprised to hear of a serious revolution in the very height of the Cairo season.

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No Comedy for Him

Little Prince Edward of Wales, the eldest son of the prince of Wales, was allowed to sit up and see his first play when Mr. Charles Hawtrey, the king's favorite actor, brought "The Man from Blankley's" to Sandringham.

Queen Alexandra, whose deafness is becoming more serious every year, watched her grandson's face all thru the performance to note how the entertainment would impress him. At the end of the very amusing dinner scene in the play her majesty saw Prince Edward's face droop with anguish. Then she saw him protesting to King Edward. "What does he say?" asked the queen.

"Oh," said the king, who was consulted with laughter, "he says that he never has six courses for dinner, and he doesn't see why Mr. Hawtrey should."

Morgan's Nephew to Wed

The engagement of Mr. Walter Burns, Mr. Pierpont Morgan's rich nephew, to Miss Evelyn Cavendish Bentinck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cavendish Bentinck (nee Livingston), has given great pleasure to both families.

Altho Mrs. Bentinck is wealthy, her husband is one of the most extravagant men in London, and spends money like water. Were it not for the fact that the king is a great friend of Mrs. Bentinck it is extremely doubtful if Mr. Bentinck's mode of living would be tolerated by society.

The Burns relatives are glad to see Mr. Walter Burns married to a charming girl, as his first marriage, contracted in youth to a woman of eccentric character, was a terrible blow to them all. Fortunately, the woman gave him ample reasons to divorce her.

Miss Evelyn Cavendish Bentinck is very much like her sister, whose recent marriage to Mr. Ford, a young diplomat at the British embassy in Rome, was the smartest affair of the autumn season. Mr. Burns is a brother of Mrs. Lulu Harcourt. No date has yet been fixed for the wedding.

Drexel Yacht Chartered

At last Anthony J. Drexel, of Philadelphia, has found some one to charter his magnificent steam yacht, Margarita, the finest vessel of the kind in British waters.

James Henry Smith (Silent Smith), whose marriage to Mrs. Rheinlander Stewart surprised most of his friends, has chartered the Margarita for five months. He and his wife and a small party will visit India and Japan.

Mr. Smith is paying $60,000 for the charter, and no one will be surprised if he buys the yacht outright at the end of the cruise. Mr. Drexel refused an offer last season of $750,000 for the Margarita, made by a wealthy Scotch manufacturer. Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Smith will settle in London next season.

Edna May Playing Golf

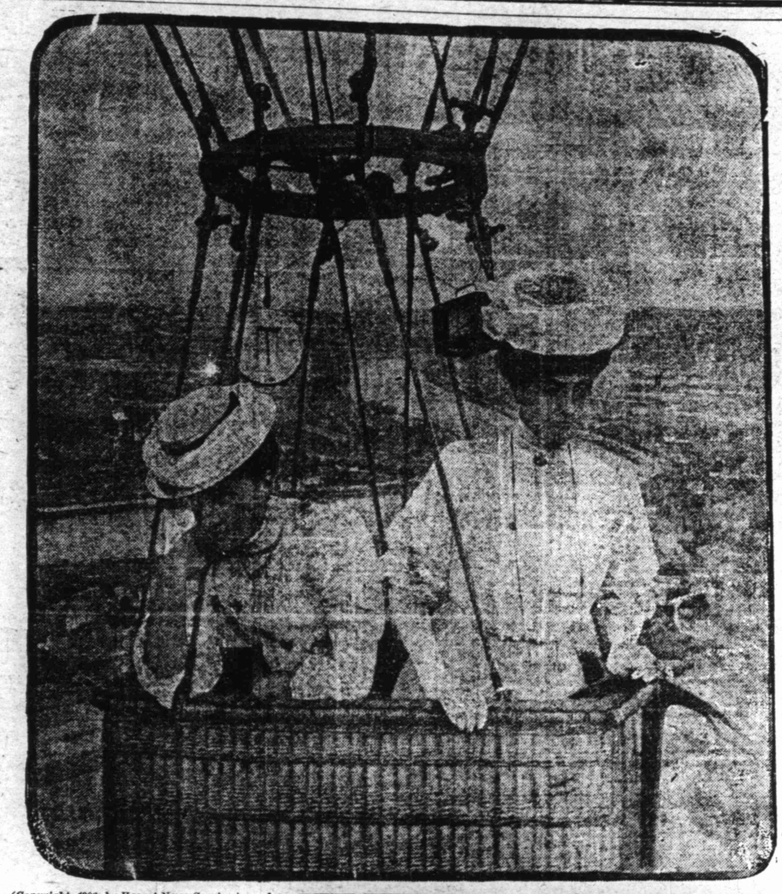
Miss Edna May is becoming an expert golf player. For some weeks past she had been out on the links at Ascot with a professional, and now plays a remarkably good game. What chiefly amuses the members of the club is the worship of the caddies, who fight with each other for the privilege of escorting Miss May around the links.

The actress declares that no amount of professional worries or jealousies will ever affect her again. She has reduced her figure and is in perfect condition, and she has taken a sort of pledge to give up late hours and suppers when she takes her part in "Nell-Dale," the new musical comedy in which she is to be the star.

In other words Miss May is the latest recruit to the simple out of door life which so many London actresses now find it pays them to lead.

American Injured

Baron Max de Tuyll, who is well known in fox hunting circles in Leicestershire, has been disappointed of a very good tenant for his house, J. C. Strawbridge, of Philadelphia, had taken the house for a hunting season, and his hunters had actually arrived from America, when he met with a bad motor car accident near Biarritz. His injuries are reported to be very severe, and it is doubtful whether he will ever be well enough to hunt again. Mrs. Strawbridge is an excellent horsewoman, and had intended to come over to Leicestershire regularly to hunt. Another well known American, Mrs. Chauncey, has had to give up all thoughts of Leicestershire this season owing to a breakdown in health. She is at present in a London nursing home.



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PARIS, Dec. 1.—Snapshot of Madame Surcof and Mlle. Gaehe as they were ascending from the Champs Elysees, the two first women in the world to make a balloon ascension without a professional pilot.

WOMEN OF FRANCE ARE INDEPENDENT

Advance Over Sisters in England Is Marked

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BY PAUL LAMBETH.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Woman undoubtedly rules in France, whoever else does not. A third woman barrister will be called to the bar Tuesday next, Mme. Rene Benezech whose husband is already a member of the Paris bar, and Mme. Benezech is the third Parisian advocate. Certainly woman is recognized in "the pleasant land," for Mme. Curie is at the Sorbonne, two women have been appointed to the commission of education, and now three are at the bar. It will not be long before women are allowed to be electors, and possibly sitting at the Palais Bourbon.

But not only do women occupy responsible public posts, they are also invading utilitarian callings, and Paris is the possessor of at least two women cab drivers. They wear a costume in keeping with their occupation, consisting of a bolero, a dark gray skirt and overcoat of the same material, ornamented with brass buttons, and a flat glazed hat like that now seen on the head of the Parisian cab driver. Much wrangling has taken place as to whether the wording of the act which admits a man to receive the permit for driving a cab can apply to a woman. The rules say "Le candidat," and the question is whether that includes women as well as men.

If the women who drive cabs in Paris are to have gracious manners, and to receive their fares with ordinary courtesy, they will indeed be a benefit to the race, for nothing is so offensive as the Parisian cocher, so unsafe as his driving, or so detestable as his greed for gain.

Should Women Ride Astride?

The old question. Should women ride astride? has again been raised. The matter appears to be blocked on account of a suitable costume. It is perfectly obvious that a woman is safer riding like a man, and that if hunting ladies were to adopt this attitude many accidents would probably be averted. The curious thing is that many ladies are not only devoted to riding in that way, but dare to show themselves in London. Lady Castlereagh, the duchess of Westminster, and Lady Constance Stewart Richardson all ride astride in the London park.

Lady Castlereagh is to be seen every morning. She looks charming on horseback and wears a divided riding costume. The young daughter of the duchess of Sutherland, who is still in her teens, rides in the same manner. Consequently it is almost inconceivable to us here to see that Mrs. Maitland Alexander, who ventured to ride astride in Pittsburg, has been ostracised for so doing.

Woman Educator Dead

The death of Miss Beale, the principal of Cheltenham college, removes from our midst one of the pioneer figures of English women's education. The Cheltenham ladies' college was the very first to recognize the necessity for higher education for women. It commenced with sixty-five pupils, and now numbers over a thousand, while to her efforts are due the erection of the magnificent buildings, which have cost £130,000. Miss Beale's quiet personality will not be forgotten by any who met her. It is not long ago since I had the honor of being shown over Cheltenham college by this distinguished woman. I remember the pride with which she pointed out over each of the class rooms the statues which had been carved of the various woman saints. "It is such a thing," she said, "to awake a great spiritual ambition in women, and to make them realize the heritage of the past." She was full of originality, and yet one of the most self-effacing people I have ever met. You could see that her college was her life, that she had no thought save the one to which she had dedicated her great talents, and it is good to know that in later life her efforts have been widely recognized. Miss Buss, who was, with Miss Beale, the originator of the new movement for the higher education for women, has also passed away, but both are names which will be long remembered.

An impudent school girl wrote about these two venerable ladies some lines which have been often quoted:

Miss Buss and Miss Beale
Love's shafts cannot feel;
He keeps them for us.
Poor Miss Beale, poor Miss Buss.

One day Percy, aged 3, was playing with the tail of a big dog.

"Lookout," said a careful aunt; "he'll bite you, dear."

"Oh no, auntie," he said. "I'se not at the bitin' end."—Harper's Weekly.



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LONDON, Dec. 1.—This is the first picture taken of Sir William Treloar in his official robes as lord mayor of London. Sir Treloar has been spoken of in this city for many years as the children's alderman, and every one who knows him expects him to make the best lord mayor London ever had.



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BERLIN, Dec. 1. — This unique snapshot was taken recently during the vacation which the Crown Prince of Germany took before entering his term as a civil official. Both the Crown Prince and his wife are ardent lovers of sport, and in the Bavarian mountains, where this snapshot was taken, they enjoyed themselves immensely, hunting together and killing a goodly number of deer.

CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN RY. Will on Nov. 27 sell tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota and Illinois at one and one-third fare, good to return thirty days from date of sale. For further information apply to George W. Lincoln, T. P. A., 7 West Ninth street, Kansas City, Mo.



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ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 1.—The latest photo of the czarina with her baby son and heir. The czar is exceedingly pleased with this portrait, which shows that his son is both good looking and sturdy, effectually setting at rest all rumors as to the coming ruler of Russia being a weakling, mentally and physically.

ARCHBISHOP FOND OF PHILIPPINES

Predicts Influx of White Settlers to Islands

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BY PAUL VILLIERS.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—I have just had an interview with Archbishop Harty of Manila. His grace, who looks in excellent health, said that the climate of the Philippines had been much maligned. It is not true that the archipelago is not a "white man's" country. He expects that there will be a great influx of white colonists within a few years. The three railroad lines which are to be built will open up a veritable El Dorado for capital, especially in wood and hemp. Owing to the difficulty of communication, not more than one-tenth of the soil (which is the most fertile in the whole world) has been cultivated.

With regard to his diocesan work, the archbishop has been greatly handicaped by the want of priests. There are no fewer than forty-eight parishes without priests. He hoped that this will soon be remedied by the supply of priests from his seminary, which has now 250 students.

The archbishop believes that the best Filipinos are all in favor of the United States. "I did not go to Rome," he said, "on any political business of any kind. If there are any questions between the civil and religious authorities, they are treated by the apostolic delegate, Archbishop Agius. I went there simply on my official visit, just as all bishops of the Catholic church are obliged to go to Rome at stated periods. I have also had to lay before the ecclesiastical authorities in Rome an account of my diocese, every part of which I have visited."

The archbishop would not say anything about the appointment of a coadjutor or auxiliary bishop, but I know on good authority that this question will be decided during Mgr. Harty's stay in Rome. It is probable that an American priest will be appointed as assistant bishop, but probably without the right of succeeding Mgr. Harty, who is still a comparatively young man of 53.

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Balloons Cross Alps

The first successful balloon voyage over the Alps has been accomplished by two business men of Milan, Signor Celestino Usuelli and Signor Crespi, who are enthusiastic aeronauts.

The balloon "Milano" started from the exposition area at Milan, filled to only three-fifths of its capacity to allow for expansion of the gas in rarefied air and carrying a very light car.

At a height of 15,000 feet the thermometer registered 39 degrees of frost Fahrenheit, and the aeronauts donned heavy gloves and covered their faces with woolen masks. The balloon was flying along at an immense speed, while the rarefied atmosphere made their hearts beat violently — their pulses counted 130 a minute—and there was an inconvenient buzzing in their ears. To remedy this they inhaled oxygen from their stores.

They were now over the great Appenine range, the backbone of Italy, while ahead of them lay the magnificent panorama of the Alps.

Describing the scene when the balloon was over the Monet Rosa group, at an altitude of 21,000 feet, Signor Usuelli says: "From this height we had an extraordinary vision of the earth's spherical form. The curve of the horizon seemed to be precipitated over an appalling bottomless abyss with a slant of 45 degrees, and we enjoyed the illusion of a hemisphere as seen from a sidereal vantage ground. Flinging out sand, we found ourselves speeding toward Mount Blanc at a frightful rate. The barometer marked 21,080 feet. Our sand, being somewhat damp, froze to hard blocks inside the sacks."

After crossing the highest peaks the balloon descended on French territory.

POPE'S DOCTOR DOOMED TO DIE

Lapponi Incurably Ill From Cancer of Stomach

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PARIS, Dec. 1.—There is reason to fear that Dr. Lapponi, private physician to Pope Pius X. as he was for thirteen years to the late Leo XIII, cannot live much longer. He is a victim of cancer of the stomach and the doctors have relinquished the hope of being able to perform an operation.

Still Dr. Lapponi continues to visit Pope Pius twice a week officially. In fact, his assiduous attention keeps alive the idea that the pope himself is not well.

The only truth is this, that Pius X continues to suffer from the effects of his last attack of gout which has not passed off as rapidly as previously.

NO NEW CARDINALS

Pope Will Not Fill Any of the Fourteen Vacancies

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BY PAUL VILLIERS.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—At the consistory which will be held in Rome December 6, it has been practically decided that no new cardinals will be created. There are at present fourteen vacancies in the sacred college, so the pope's decision not to fill some of them now has created considerable surprise.

The real reason of it is this: There are a number of ecclesiastics who, according to old custom hitherto followed, would have a kind of right to be created cardinals. Pius X wishes to abolish all such pretended rights—he does not want to make any man a cardinal who has not shown special ability and done special service to the church. He prefers therefore not to create any cardinals at all for the moment rather than to hurt the sensibility of those who would be doomed to disappointment.

Speaking this week to a prelate who is on intimate terms with him, the pope declared that he was fully resolved to reduce the number of cardinals who live in Rome from thirty to eighteen, and to increase the number of cardinals in the rest of the Catholic world.

The question of the cardinalate for Archbishop Farley is only delayed. It may be taken for certain that New York will be specially honored in this way by the pope in time for the solemn consecration of the St. Patrick's cathedral in 1908.

The reason most people don't lose more money in their investments is they haven't it to lose.

DOES HE HAVE TO BUY ANY?

Publisher Wants Women's Dresses Simpler

PLANS A LEAGUE

All Nations to Be Invited to Participate in War Against Expensive Clothing

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BY MALCOLM CLARKE.

BERLIN, Germany, December 1.—A crusade against women's extravagance in dress is being organized here by Felix Heinemann, a leading German publisher. His scheme is to form an international league to fight against the passion of most women for luxurious, costly clothes and ornaments.

As an object lesson to what lengths women will go in arraying themselves Herr Heinemann proposed that illustrated books should be published in Berlin, New York, Paris and London, with photographs showing fashionable women of all nations wearing gorgeous gowns, rich furs and magnificent jewelry. The pictures would be accompanied by letter press describing the careers and habits of the women, especially noting their methods of spending their money, the object being, of course, to point out the wicked waste on fashion among wealthy people.

Herr Heinemann thinks that such a book would be a powerful argument for a return to sane and simple tastes. While admitting that this movement has been inspired by Cleveland Moffett's newspaper campaign in America, he disagrees with Mr. Moffett's proposal of a 10 per cent tax on gowns and jewels, for the benefit of the poor as a check to extravagance.

Burglars Loot Museum

Fifteen thousand dollars worth of treasures have been taken from the Guelph museum, Herrenhausen castle, Hanover, by burglars who were evidently experts and who disappeared with their booty.

The stolen exhibits consisted of fifty jeweled orders worn by King Ernest Augustus, including British, Hanoverian, Prussian and Russian decorations, and a number of ornamented swords. Entering by breaking a window on the ground floor, the thieves ransacked a large glass case and escaped without waking the attendant, who slept on the premises.

The museum was formed by George V, last king of Hanover, the castle in which it is located being the former residence of the kings of England and Hanover. Its present owner is the duke of Cumberland, who opens it to the public.

How the Kaiser Hunts

This is the season of the kaiser's big battles among the game preserves of the great German landowners. As the guest of some sporting nobleman, his majesty loves to kill as many head of game as he can with as little trouble or real sport as possible.

His shooting methods are not like President Roosevelt's strenuous Adirondack expeditions. The kaiser sits in an ambush, attended by three or four keepers who hand him loaded repeating rifles in rapid succession. He pots at the game as it is driven past him within easy range by beaters, and his only object is to kill as many as possible.

Minute records are kept of the number of birds, bears or deer shot by his majesty, and the spot where he kills his thousandth or ten thousandth pheasant is now marked with a memorial stone inscribed with the fact and date.

According to the court chronicles the kaiser is a perfect shot, as he ought to be when it is all made so easy for him.

It is said that a slight indisposition is rather a pleasure than otherwise to the kaiser, for not interfering with his daily business, it allows him to see more of his family and enjoy domestic life untrammeled by imperial state.

Ministers were received by him in his bedroom at Potsdam palace, and the emperor, propped up with pillows, heard their reports, gave instructions, and signed documents just as if he were seated in his study.

The kaiser has no time to be ill. Even when kept in bed for a week by a severe cold he carried on the affairs of the empire as usual.

Murder on a Coach

A railroad murder of a kind impossible on an American train has been committed on a suburban train near Hamburg. The murderer managed to kill the only other passenger in the little compartment in the three minutes interval between the two stations.

In consequence of this crime and its exposure of danger of the compartment system the kaiser has suggested that changes should be made in the Prussian state railroads. The result may be the introduction of the American car thruout the system.

The victim in this tragedy was a dentist, Dr. Clausgen, who was followed into a second class by Thomas Ruecker, an unemployed gardener. While Dr. Clausgen was reading Ruecker attacked him with an axe and had killed and robbed him before the train stopped at the next station, three minutes later.

Such crimes as these, which are becoming more frequent in Europe, are a powerful argument for making the American system of police supervision universal.

WHAT'S worth doing is worth doing well. If you wish to be cured of Rheumatism, use Ballard's Snow Liniment and you will be "well cured." A positive cure for Sprains, Neuralgia, Bruises, Contracted Muscles and all the ills that flesh is heir to. A. G. M. Williams, Navasota, Texas, writes:

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NEWS, REVIEW AND COMMENT OF THE NEW BOOKS AND MAGAZINES

THE DRAGON PAINTER

"The Dragon Painter," by Mary McNeil Fenollosa (Sidney McCall) is one of a series of books which the writer has drawn from her intimate knowledge of Japanese life, treating of phases of that life but little known to the people of the occident and breathing an intensity of Japanese feeling which the people of this country can scarce believe to be the line of thought and feeling characteristic of Japan.

The motif is simple. An old painter, of great renown, has been blessed in his late marriage with a rarely beautiful daughter, but no son to succeed to his talents, and he looks on the ending of his line of generations of painters with a horror which can be fully entered into, perhaps, only by those who practice ancestor worship and contemplate the fate of those who leave none to do their name honor. He has heard rumors of a wonderful painter, a mountain dweller, but his strivings to reach him are vain. The wild painter wanders to the home city of the old painter and sees the latter's daintily beautiful daughter. It is a case of wild and savage love on one side and a recognition of the lover of her visions on the other.

They marry and the wild painter tells the girl she is and was his from time immemorial, that she is the embodied vision of his frequent dreams. Instead of the wealth of paintings which the old man, Kano, expects from his son-in-law and adopted son, Tatsu, the latter gives himself unreservedly to love of Ume, the painter's daughter, and the family is brought to direst want. Ume sacrifices her love to the welfare of her husband and pretends by letter that she is a suicide. She retires to a convent and after a nearly fatal sickness which Tatsu suffers, he comes from his sickbed purified with the sufferings which he has undergone. Chastened by his sorrow for the loss of Ume, he loses none of his force of character, but much or all of his ways of savagery and Ume, coming from the sanctuary of the convent, is retored to him and the ending of the story, after much portrayal of sorrow and even despair, is a happy one.

Some of the word painting, not in a mere striving for effect, is wonderful. During his period of grief for the loss of his wife, when the painter's art again comes to him with redoubled ability and strength, Tatsu sees as in a vision his lost Ume. He feels that she is near him and that he tells: "Sometimes a little hand, light as the dust upon a moth's wing, rested the ghost of a moment on his robe."

Again descriptive of the autumn painting which had colored a maple, the author writes: "Autumn had made it a crimson heart against the sky; and later, had sent down into the Kano garden, frail alms of ruby films."

The story is strong, pure and gives one the sense of an intimate at the more sacred home-life of Japan.

"The Dragon Painter," by Sidney Mary McNeil Fenollosa. Published by Little, Brown & Co., Boston, Mass. Library cloth, 12mo., decorated and the book illustrated. Price, $1.50.

MAGAZINES

Is the Beef Trust Reformed?

"The Jungle" was an appeal to pubpretense is made that anything has it and to write it and to get it published. It took some more time to get President Roosevelt interested in it, and to get the investigation under way. And then, for about two months, the whole power of the public opinion of the United States, and, indeed, of the entire civilized world, was centered upon conditions in the Chicago stockyards. And what did the whole thing accomplish?

Two articles have recently appeared, which tell about it. In the October number of the World's Work, Isaac F. Marcosson describes "Packingtown Reformed," and in the second number of the new weekly, Ridgway's, an English writer essays the same task. We are told that Packingtown is now clean, and that the public stomach is safe; even the hands of the workingmen are clean—wash basins have been provided for that especial purpose! And so we may sit back and rest at ease; the purpose of the great appeal to public opinion has been accomplished.

And in all this not one single word concerning the conditions under which the wage-slaves of the beef trust are obliged to exist! Not even the slightest lie opinion. It took a long time to plan been accomplished for the benefit of the thousands of helpless wretches who toil ten and twelve hours a day in these dingy meat factories for an average wage of five and six dollars a week! The packers are just as rapacious, the bosses are just as brutal, the politicians are just as corrupt, and the unions are just as helpless! In some respects the men are worse off than they ever were before—for instance, they are poorer in pocket by all the aprons and new clothing, which they were compelled to purchase at their own expense.

I had a letter from a man in Packingtown, who told me how it felt to be compelled to buy new aprons during the slack season, when your wages amounted to two or three dollars a week, and you had a family to support. He complained of the fact that President Roosevelt seemed to be more interested in the meat supply than in the workingmen; and I forwarded the letter to the President.

His reply was that he could help one, and could not help the other; and so that was the reason why he felt compelled to concentrate his attention on reforming the inspection laws.

This was frank and to the point. The President could not help the workingmen, and congress could not help them—not even public opinion could help them. They have to help themselves, if ever they were to be helpd.

I have still a faint hope that I may not have failed utterly in my purpose in writing "The Jungle;" I am waiting until next election day to find out.

My purpose was to point out to workingmen the futility of all effort on the part of others to help them—to point out to them that they must help themselves by voting out of power their present oppressors.—Wilshire's Magazine.

Quinine Growing in America

According to a writer in Harper's Weekly, it is probable that the department of agriculture will shortly undertake some experiments in cinchona-growing, as it is believed that it could be done with great profit in Porto Rico, Hawaii and the gulf states. Alabama is particularly adapted, both in soil and in climate, to some varieties of cinchona. In South America, cinchona trees are found over an area of great diversity of soil and climate, a strip 100 miles wide and 2,000 miles long. Many trees are found growing at altitudes of 2,500 to 9,000 feet above sea level.

As an indication of the probable profits of such cultivation, the returns from the plantations conducted by the government of Madras, India, may be cited. The gross receipts from the plantations was $80,419, of which $19,469 was net profit. The crop of bark amounted to 294,000 pounds. This bark was worked up at the factory operated and owned by the government. The cost of making the quinine, including the value of the bark, was $3.20 per pound, while the market price was $3.60 to $4 per pound, in bulk.

A Looted Kingdom

The "Trade" statistics of the Congo Free State, recently published, show that in the last six years, from 1900 to 1905 inclusive, merchandise—eighty per cent rubber—to the value of 307,455,927 francs has been exported, against imports to the value of 130,223,015 francs. The exports, therefore, exceeded the imports by 177,232,912 francs, showing that, if the trade figures of other west coast colonies—where the imports are almost invariably in excess of the exports—are any criterion, Leopold, according to its own figures, is looting the country to the extent of about $6,000,000 a year. These figures gain added significance from the fact that of this merchandise imported, more than three-quarters consisted, not of goods for the benefit of the native producer, but of government material, stores, etc.

In effect, the king, since he has had a free hand in the Congo, has practically put the state in pawn. One curious result of his policy is that in capitalizing the Congo enterprise and putting the stock of his concessionaire companies on the market he has turned the present system into a vested interest, and has sold to presumably innocent investors the forced labor of the natives—has, in other words, used the machinery of commerce to create in Europe a property in slaves.—Robert E. Park in "The Terrible Story of the Congo," in the December Everybody's.

The Danger of Incognito

Ever since the '30s the pretty little Orleanaises have danced into the small hours of the morning without a clue to their partners' identity, for with wig and mask completely covering the head, the masker's incognito may well defy detection. Indeed, even if a lady were able to recognize a masker thru some peculiarity of his speech, she would be careful to keep her discovery to herself. Frequently, I am told, extremely droll incidents have resulted from a crafty expedient resorted to by married men to keep their wives in doubt regarding their whereabouts on the night of the ball. This usually consists of an agreement between two maskers to call out their respective wives. Not long ago two gentlemen who had formed a similar pact danced thru the night without either of the ladies suspecting their identity, when the one masked—a doctor—pleased with the way the scheme was progressing, and seeing his wife glide past on the arm of his partner's husband, chose to add an additional convincing note to the deception by exclaiming, "Why, there goes the doctor's wife!" "Yes," replied his pretty partner, examining his wife with a hypercritical eye; "isn't she an awful mess?"—C. H. White, in Harper's Magazine for December.

The "Pity-Sakes Class"

Mr. Clark, of the Northwestern university, in writing to the Evening Post about simplified spelling, says that the freshmen in his university who fail to pass the spelling test have to join a sub-freshman spelling class, "significantly dubbed by our students 'the pity sakes class.'" The Northwestern students seem to have good names for things. It would be possible to recruit a large and distinguished "pity-sakes class" from the country at large, not on the issue of spelling, but on general lines, putting into it various notable persons who appear deficient in certain details of knowledge or perception that they ought to possess. Should not Mr. Hearst, for example, be entitled to a seat on the bench of the national pity-sakes class? And how about Mr. Harriman, who knows so much about some things, and is such an irrepressible hustler? Is he defective in his grasp of some things he ought to know, and is there due warrant for the Pity-sakes! we hear so often joined nawadays to his name? —Harper's Weekly.

The "stranger," or Anglo-Saxon visitor who finds himself during the year-end holidays in the French capitol, lacks not for occupation and amusement, says Mrs. John Van Vorst in the Travel magazine. The Frenchman is secluded and domestic in his family life to an extent little dreamed of by Americans, because of their very exclusion from this life and consequent inability to judge. But, tho the home life in Paris may be denied the chance acquaintance, the city's hospitality is extended to the travelers of all nations for whom have been provided amusements of every description. While in Paris, one is a guest more of the city than of the people.

A New Portrait of Peter Pan

There is pretty story told in connection with Miss Maude Adams' first view of Sigismond de Ivanowski's delightful portrait of her as Peter Pan, which is reproduced as the Christmas Century's frontispiece. Miss Adams posed for the artist at her summer home in the Catskills, Onteora park, out of doors. When Mr. de Ivanowski finally carried the finished portrait to Miss Adams' cottage, she was playing tennis; and the canvas was placed where she would see it as soon as she entered the door. So she came in, flushed and merry from her game, to find herself unexpectedly face to face with a Peter Pan who seemed radiant with joy and very much alive. And, the story goes, the real Peter Pan ran forward with a cry of admiration and dropped on her knees before the canvas, with tears and exclamations of pleasure over the painted likeness.

BOOKS

What a Man Must Read

A French author, Henri Mazel, has written a book entitled "What a Man Must Read in His Lifetime." He has in mind both business and professional men whose desire is to keep in touch with literature and the intellectual life, but who have little leisure for the purpose.

Apart from newspapers and the works needed by one's calling, Mazel says that three authors a year, if well chosen, will be enough for the average man to read. He then lays out a program which divides life into periods of seven years each. From eighteen to twenty-four poets and romancers should be read; the time from 25 to 31 should be given to the great poets of other lands, to the classics, to ancient historians; from 32 to 38 he should read the antique poets, modern politics, old chroniclers; the years from 39 to 49 should be given to classic poets and contemporary novelists, the great philosophers and to the authors of memoirs of recent centuries; in the next period great thinkers of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries and the ancient philosophers should be read and the period from 53 to 59 should be devoted to the highest religious authors.

It is a strange that a man of intelligence should set himself to such a task as laying out a life schedule of reading for other men, or should dream that the same lines of literature would pleas or profit all readers. One who would undertake to prescribe the food his neighbors should eat, simply because such food suits his own taste and digestive capacity, would be no more absurd. Nothing can be more useless than "the courses of reading" so often outlined by well-meaning persons for the use of people in need of mental pabulum. Often conscientious attempts to follow them are made, but seldom with success, for as a rule they are not suited to the seekers after light upon whom they are urged.

An uncultivated literary taste may be improved and trained, of course, under proper guidance, but each individual is, in a sense, a law unto himself in regard to the manner in which the improvement is to come, and his likings and leanings must be studied by the one who would serve as a mentor. Certain very good books may fail to appeal to him; he may get nothing from them, finding them, so far as he is concerned, mere tasks. If he forces himself to read in certain lines because of some one's theory that this particular variety of literature is good for him he is likely to profit little by his venture. Unless real interest is felt in a book small good is derived from it and interest cannot be compelled merely because a book is a classic and has pleased many people in succeeding generations. Even the tastes of scholars and bookish people differ, as was proved by the wide differences in the lists of "100 best books" sent to the literary periodicals a few years ago.

A wise teacher once gave this advice concerning the reading of history to a young man obliged to gain his education outside of schools and in scant intervals of leisure. "Take up any period of history in which you are interested. Follow it until you come to some episode or individual or period of which you would care to learn more than this book tells; then drop the book and follow this side line where you will—into novels, poetry, biography or essay, anything that will throw further light on it. As you read and continue this method of following what interests you, you will find that you get a grasp of events and that history shapes itself in your mind as a whole better than is possible in any other way."

The same rule is not a bad one to apply to all lines of reading for information and mental enjoyment and improvement. Interest must be there or the time is wasted.

Mazel's specification of three authors a year might be a heavy undertaking, since some authors are voluminous. Three books a year seem insufficient if the ground is to be covered which he lays out; but three books of the right kind mean a good deal, and if the truth were known it would probably be found that the average business man of intelligence and education does not read that many books of importance in the time mentioned. Many books of all kinds are offered, but it is the excentional man who takes leisure from his business for serious reading. And yet much good literature can be enjoyed even if a brief time be given to it each day.

"White Fang"

An enterprising New York bookseller has been attracting much attention by displaying in his window an enormous stuffed wolf, surrounded by stocks of Jack London's latest book, "White Fang," the hero of which is a wolf. As usual, however, the New Yorker has been outdone in enterprise by the westerner, for in the window of a bookseller in Grand Rapids, Mich., is a cage containing a real live wolf, which the bookseller asserts is the genuine original of Mr. London's animal hero. It is further recorded that the wolf likes the book; the first night of his captivity he devoured—literally—three copies that had been carelessly left too near his cage.

"The Shuttle"

The chapters of Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnet's novel, "The Shuttle," in the Christmas Century, will bring a dramatic scene in young Lady Anstruthers' life at Stornham Court, and picture the development of Bettina Vanderpoel from an outspoken and self-willed little girl into a self-reliant and altogether fascinating young woman, who tells her father, with whom she is the best of comrades:

"I have a little monomania, father. Some people have a monomania for one thing and some for another. Mine is for not taking a bargain from the ducal remnant counter."

It becomes clear in these chapters, which already begin to present interesting phases of social and economic conditions of vital importance to both English and Americans, that Bettina is to be the dominant figure in the story, and a character of unusual force and charm.

"The Ragged Messenger"

"The Ragged Messenger" (Putnam), by W. B. Maxwell, a book full of dramatic incidents that reach their highest point of excitement in the suicide of the erring wife, has been dramatized and is now being presented by Edwin Booth's nephew, Creston Clark, who himself plays the leading role. The novel is what is called a "strong" book; it deals with people and social conditions that squeamish and polite societies like to ignore. A street preacher, John Morton, the "Mad Messiah," as the wretched poor to whom he ministers call him, will be remembered by all who have read the book on the score of his religious fervor and intensity. "The Ragged Messenger" is a striking story, full of interest, and likely to leave a vivid and abiding impression upon all into whose hands it comes.

The Grand Canyon

"Only to the poet's vision is the Grand Canyon revealed; only to the poet's touch do its mighty harmonies respond. For this sublime spectacle is as vital as a drama enacted on the stage, only its acts require the centuries and the ages in which to represent themselves. Whatever one sees of the Grand Canyon—it matters not from what commanding view of vision or vista, one sees only an infinitesimal point. It is the Carnival of the Gods," writes Lilian Whiting in her new book "The Land of Enchantment," which Little, Brown & Co. are publishing.

Halved for the Substitute

Bishop Talbot, the "Cowboy Bishop," the original of the bishop pictured by Owen Wister in his "Lin McLean" and "The Virginian," had a host of picturesque experiences during the years of his life on the plains when he was Bishop of Wyoming and Idaho.

Entering a particularly wild mining camp in Idaho one day, he went from one saloon and gambling house to the other, inviting the men to attend a meeting in one of the dance halls on the following day. Out of sheer curiosity to hear what this churchman would say, the men flocked to the meeting; and his trenchant words and his manliness made instant friends.

For three weeks he remained at the camp, working day and night, and when finally he announced that he must leave, a committee of miners solemnly went to him and offered him a salary of $2,000 to stay and "hustle up this preachin' business." He was, of course, unable to accept their proposition, but offered to send them a good man in his place. To this, however, the committee demurred. It was "not in the deal," they said.

They retired for consultation, and then came back with another offer. "If you'll send us a good talker and a good mixer," they said, "we'll guarantee him at least $1,000 a year. But, please," they added, imploringly, "don't send us no stick."

Great numbers of similarly entertaining experiences are told in his book of reminiscences, just published by the Harpers, "My People of the Plains."

Justice of the Peace—You say the couple wishes to be married? But the bridegroom is drunk!

Father of the Bride—Yes, judge, excuse me, judge, but it's only when he's drunk that he will consent to marry her.—Translated for Trans-Atlantic Tales from "Le Journal."

"THE VALLEY OF UNREST"

The Valley of Unrest

Once it smiled a silent dell
Where the people did not dwell;
They had gone unto the wars,
Trusting to the mild-eyed stars
Nightly, from their azure towers,
To keep watch above the flowers,
In the midst of which all day
The red sun-light lazily lay.
Now each visitor shall confess
The sad valley's restlessness.
Nothing there is motionless—
Nothing save the airs that brood
Over the magic solitude.
Ah, by no wind are stirred those trees
That palpitate like the chill seas
Around the misty Hebrides!
Ah, by no wind those clouds are driven
That rustle through the unquiet Heaven
Unceasingly, from morn-till even,
Over the violets there that lie
In myriad types of the human eye—
Over the lilies there that wave
And weep above a nameless grave!
They wave:—from out their fragrant tops
Eternal dews come down in drops.
They weep:—from off their delicate stems
Perennial tears descend in gems.

—EDGAR ALLEN POE—1831.

"RIDOLFO"

"Ridolfo, the Coming of the Dawn," a tale of the Renaissance by Egerton R. Williams Jr., author of "The Hill Towns of Italy," is one of the strongest novels that has been issued in the English language for some time. A story of Italy, by an author who is thoroly acquainted with the historical side of his setting and written with a masterly style second to none of the present day writers, it is a book that cannot fail to succeed.

A novel of the fifteenth century, it shows the tyranny and oppression of Italian cities of that day. Founded upon history, the subject of the book has fictitious characters, altho these are drawn largely from the actual figures of the time. Ridolfo, the despot in whom the medieval darkness breaks to light just at the close, when his own folly and tempestuous life have caused a revolt, is inspired by the personage of Gianpaolo, the greatest of the Baglioni family of Perugio. While no claim is made by the author that events came as described in that his later years were of contrast to the earlier period of his reign.

The story of the novel in short is as follows: Ridolfo has married Gismonda of Florence for her dowry, which he needs to carry on his wars. She is neglected altogether by her husband. Inspired by her confessor, Fra Barnardo, said the towns people in their struggle for life under the heavy taxes and endears herself to them. She then sets about to change Ridolfo's plan of life and at first begins to win his love. His jealousy, however, destroys her work at times and he orders her death on three occasions, but this is prevented by the watchful Fra Bernardo. Every time she escapes, Ridolfo is overjoyed, having been stricken by remorse.

Finally he orders her into prison and slowly tortured by starvation. Fra Bernardo steals in wine and bread to her and is finally discovered by Ridolfo, who orders his death by torture before the eyes of Grismonda. The maddened Ridolfo strikes Gismonda and she drops apparently lifeless. Remorse sets in and he prays to Heaven for forgiveness. Then Gismonda opens her eyes. Before she fully recovers consciousness, a mob of enraged townspeople storms the palace. Ridolfo is saved by Gismonda's entreaty.



RIDOLFO AND GISMONDA

"They gazed at each other, he wondering what golden madonna had appeared to him, she marvelling at the power and radiance of his presence" from "Ridolfo, the Coming of Dawn" by Egerton R. Williams, Jr.

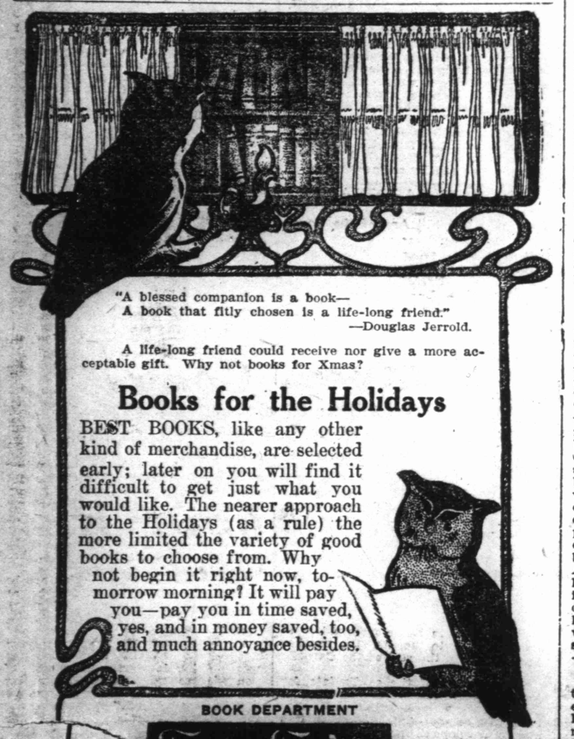
Reformation started by the sight of the apparently lifeless Gismonda is fully completed and three years later Ridolfo is known as "The Good" and Gismonda as "The Blessed."

The coming of the dawn is Gismonda, herself. At first the brain of Ridolfo, accustomed to war, pillage and murder, cannot realize her power, her beauty and her goodness. Savage feudalism has never been drawn better. At last the light breaks and the purpose is accomplished.

Gismonda is "but a type of the numbers of heroic and devoted women who did so much to save humanity in the world's crisis, which admitted of few half-way natures, when people were as a rule utterly bad or actually inspired." Ridolfo is a figure of a man plunging downward, but who nevertheless contains the "mighty elements of the awakening."

One of the features of the book is the wonderful success of the illustrator, J. C. Leyendecker, which have met wonderfully the spirit of the book. A cut of one of these marvelous interpretations, herein given, shows the effect such as no words can.

"Ridolfo," by Egerton R. Williams, illustrated in color by Joseph C. Leyendecker. A. C. McClurg & Co., Chicago. $1.50.



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—Douglas Jerrold.

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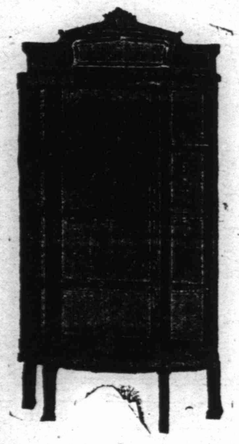
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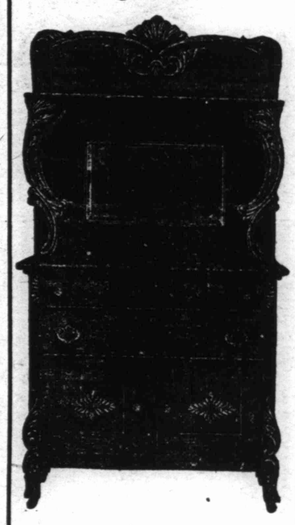
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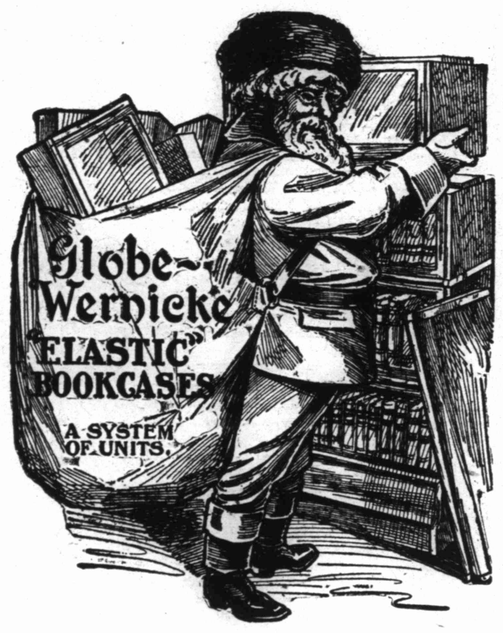


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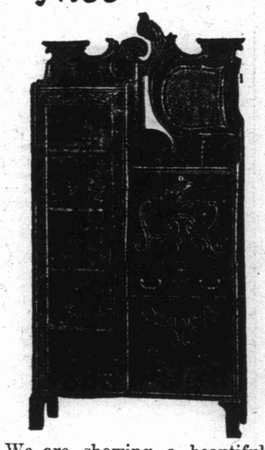
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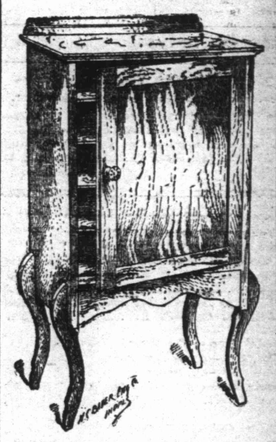
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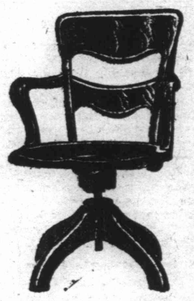
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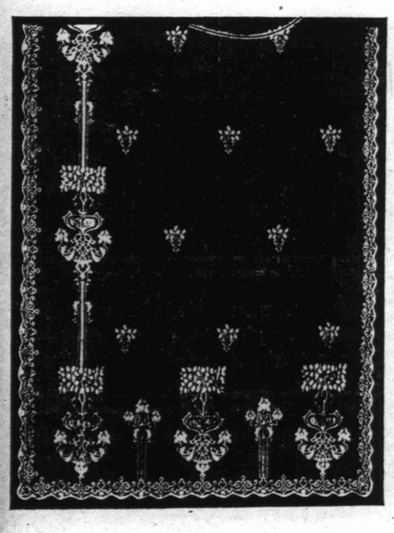


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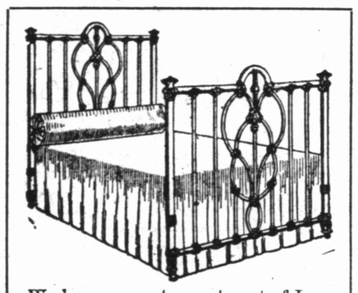


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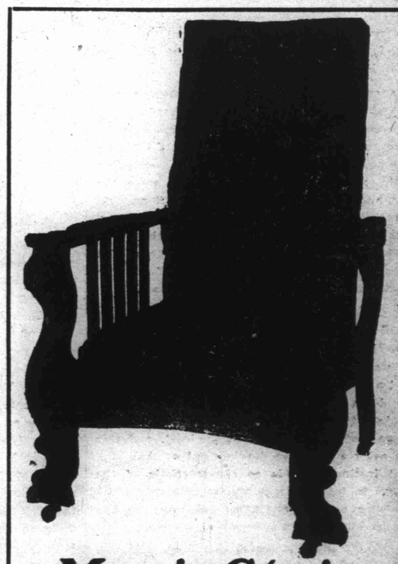
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OUR LAY SERMON

Self-sacrifice is one of the great deeds of the world. It is the noblest of acts to wait and let others take what you likely would enjoy yourself. There are many self-sacrificing people in the world. They have to be here, for some of the rest of us want the best of it all the time, or we won't play. The latter do have given up and regiven up all their lives—stayed when the grand square deal is made to all, those who have given up and regiven up all their lives—stayed at home in the Cinderella role and wore the calico, or toiled between the plow handles while the prodigal spent in riotous living—will outshine their earthly betters like the noonday sun does an electric light that has gone out on account of a breakdown at the power house.—Bonham Herald.

The sweetest joy that comes to the human heart should be from the consciousness of having added to the happiness of others. But in this day and time we are all too much given to the practice of looking out strictly for the interests of Number One.

The father and mother who practice self-denial for years in order that they may give their children some needed advantage—the old mother who is content with a plain calico frock that her daughter may be clothed in laces and fine ribbons, knows a joy that the daughter will never experience until she in turn learns the principles of self-denial and cultivates the desire to promote the happiness of others.

There are heroes in the medical profession who have given their very lives in the interest of science and for the amelioration of human suffering and there are heroines scattered all along the journey of life who are just as self-sacrificing, but they are the exception and not the rule. Human nature is the same the world over, and it is human nature to get all possible and give as little in return as will answer. Men as a general proposition are too wrapped up in their own affairs to take much cognizance of the struggles of a brother, much less endure some form of self-sacrifice to help him along the hard and uneven journey.

Instead of self-sacrifice, we are all too willing to sacrifice the other fellow. It makes no difference to us that he is human, with the same instincts, the same hopes and the same aspirations as ourselves. If he is the least bit in our way we do not hesitate to strike him down as a cumberer of the earth and one who has absolutely no claim upon our consideration. We must succeed no matter what the cost, and this is but the net result of the development of that high commercial instinct that is so characteristic of the present day. In the mad race we are making for the almighty dollar we are forgetting too much of the things that we should learn concerning humanity.

We indulge in sharp practices under the mistaken apprehension that the end to be attained justifies the means employed, and to the world we keep constantly exhibited only the sordid and grasping side of our natures. We are willing to sacrifice nothing except it be a matter of principle in the accumulation of gain, and this feature is becoming alarmingly evident among even men who occupy high places. Too many of our public men are willing to sacrifice principle for the dollars they can hoard away in anticipation of the coming old age, in order that they may die possessed of the fatness of the land.

It is this tendency that is causing the development of the pessimistic apprehension that the world is constantly growing worse. When those who should be leaders in doing good as in all other things set such an example and refuse to sacrifice one principle in the commercialism that is actuating them, then the example they set is as pernicious as the practice.

What this world needs at this time is the general exercise of more of the principles of true humanity, and the principles of true humanity always dictate all necessary self-sacrifice. The man who has a human heart within his bosom does not have to be eternally reminded of the principles of this rule. He knows just what to do and how to do it.

When we learn that we are human and the other fellow is possessed of identically the same attributes that we claim for ourselves, then we will have largely solved the problem which at this time appears to be of such immense proportions to all those who are too engrossed in the sordid things of life to recognize humanity when they meet it.

LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION

Judge Charles H. Jenkins, of Brownwood, who will be a member of the next state legislature, is the champion of a very important measure. In a letter sent out to the daily press of the state he says:

It is my present purpose to introduce in the next legislature a constitutional amendment providing for a legislative commission as hereinafter briefly explained. I beg first, however, to say as a basis for the proposed amendment that in my judgment most of the evils of legislation in this state arise from our system, which practically prevents the legislature from being a deliberate body. Heretofore from 500 to 1,000 bills have been introduced at each session of the legislature, and to each there have been offered from one to 100 amendments. Now how is it possible for a member of the legislature, in a session of three or four months to give due consideration to say 500 bills and 5,000 amendments? Is not the necessary result of such a system hasty, crude and inconsiderate legislation on the one hand, or wholesale slaughter of meritorious bills on the other hand?

The remedy I suggest is a legislative commission for a period of ten years to be composed of five men, who shall be paid a sufficient remuneration, and who shall devote their entire time to the preparation of bills to be submitted to the legislature. Require them to be in session at the capitol ten months in the year, and make them ex-officio members of the legislature for the purpose of introducing and discussing bills. This commission would take up a subject of legislation, i. e. taxation, criminal or civil procedure, our penal or eleemosynary institutions, public schools, etc. They would devote their entire time to one subject until they had completed a bill on that subject. As a preparation for this they would secure copies of all the laws, of all of the states, and of all civilized governments on the subject in hand. They would also obtain from heads of departments in other states and countries their opinion as to the practical workings of their laws on the subject under consideration, and what were its particular merits or demands as demonstrated by experience. Having obtained this information and duly considered the subject the commission would prepare a bill and accompany the same with a written report in which they would set out a digest of the laws of other states and countries and their reasons for the bill that they report.

I take it that the daily press of the state would publish, as a mater of news, all bills formulated by the commission, and that many of the country weeklies would publish the same, and thus the intelligent and reading people of the state would express themselves on the merits or demerits of such bills in advance of the meeting of the legislature. Also that while such bills were being prepared those who had views upon the matter under consideration would write the commission their views on the subject and their reasons therefore.

In brief such a commission would give us the benefit of the labors of competent men, in collecting the legislation and experience of the civilized world, and also the benefits of the initiative by suggestions made by citizens to the commission and the benefits of the referendum by having the bills discussed by the public in advance of the meeting of the legislature. It would enable members of the legislature to obtain the views of their constituents, and also to fully mature their own opinions with information upon which to base an intelligent opinion. It occurs to me that in this way in the course of time, say in ten years, our laws would be made as perfect as human wisdom could devise.

THE SCHOOL BOOK TRUST

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 30.—"No reason! Come over and see us, brother," says Harlequin, one of the leading weeklies of the country in its editorial columns of its issue of Thursday, Nov. 8, in reply to the Fort Worth Telegram's paragraph: "The next legislature should pass a uniform text book bill that will fit all Texas. There is no reason why any city or town in this state should be exempt from the provisions of a general text book law. The same school book fund sustains all Texas public schools."

Continuing, Harlequin says, "and we'll show you how there's ever reason for it. What could the poor, downtrodden book trust do if there were not a uniform text book law! What could the monopolists of the book-handler's business do? Bless you, man, get next! The people here are on. A uniformity of text books, too, which means a monopoly for some handler, makes possible a fine disregard for the people. A poor mother with her little child coming in to get the next set of text books, bringing along the old, with from forty to eighty cents rebate exchange printed on their covers, can be told with impunity that the exchange rebate "doesn't go any more!"

Perhaps the rebate on the exchange wouldn't go in the state of Louisiana, but over here in Texas a way has been found to enforce this arrangement thru the making of it a part of the contract with the people that furnish the books. The price of each book and the exchange price is printed conspicuously on the back of each book, and under the law in this state the dealer is compelled to not only sell the new boks at the contract price, but he is compelled to take the old books at the exchange price.

The Harlequin does not get at the gist of The Telegram's contention, however. Under the uniform text book bill that we have had in Texas, the provisions of which are just expiring, certain Texas cities are exempted from its provisions. The Telegram contends that this is not the proper procedure, but that if Texas is to have a text book law it should be made to apply to every portion of the state without any limitations or restrictions whatever.

The fund for the maintenance of the public schools in Fort Worth comes from the same source as that which supports the public schools at every country school house, and there should be no discrimination in favor of the Fort Worth or any other city schools. They should be compelled to use the same text books that are used in the public schools of the state generally, so that the man who makes his home in this city and comes from one of these outside school districts should not be compelled to stand the expense of a new set of text books for his children. That is what The Telegram had in mind when it said give us a text book law that will fit all Texas.

PANHANDLE DESIRES NEW DISTRICT

There is a renewal of the former effort made by the Panhandle people to obtain a new federal judicial district for that portion of Texas. The Amarillo Daily Panhandle says:

There have been efforts made to induce the representative from this district at Washington to frame a bill in congress that has for its object the creation of a new federal court district in the Panhandle and the erection of a new federal building at Amarillo. Two years ago a committee, made up of some of the most prominent men in this city, were sent to Fort Worth to confer with the congressional committeement and to place before that body for consideration what Amarillo considered her just rights to a federal court.

However, after several days "closeting" the request was turned down, as at that time the number of cases summoned before the federal court at Fort Worth from the Panhandle was not considered sufficient evidence in the Panhandle was necessary. One of the chief obstacles in the way of the project at this time was the fact that a new district had just been created at San Angelo and if this could have been overruled, would have made things easier for the demands of our representatives.

Conditions in the Panhandle have changed wonderfully in two years, our population has increased at a rapid rate and consequently the federal court docket shows an increase in cases from the Panhandle country and our demands now are adequate to the requirements of the congressional committee and with the able assistance and co-operation of representative citizens our demands are to be given a hearing before the Fifty-third congress in December. A bill will be introduced in the house by Representative Stevens for the creation of the new district.

If the Panhandle his sufficient business to justify the new district it should be created, but The Telegram believes it is going to be hard work to get such a measure thru the next congress.

An election every four years is often enough in every county in Texas, and if such procedure should result in a few four-year terms for incompetents it would but prove a wholesome lesson. The custom is to reward all good officers with the second term, which is equivalent to four years election, and it would be both wisdom and economy to elect every state and county officer for a single term of four years and then retire them from business.

A very bitter and determined fight is being made against Tom Love, of Dallas, for the speakership of the next legislature, the opposition even going so far as to send a man to Missouri in an effort to dig up something calculated to adversely influence the Love sentiment.

There is a great deal of speculation being indulged in now in Texas ranch lands, and syndicates are being formed all over the country to handle large bodies of this land for colonizing purposes. If one-half of these colonizing projects materialize it will result in the addition of millions to the population of the state.

The management of the Weatherford, Mineral Wells & Northwestern railway has just voluntarily raised the salaries of its employes 10 per cent, and the men were taken completely by surprise. And there are many others who would appreciate the same kind of surprise.

When the attorneys for the Pullman company asked for ten days' delay in the proceedings at Austin to reduce the charges for their services on the Texas railways, the commission declined to grant even one day. That seems to indicate a determination to make these people toe the mark.

That North Fort Worth negro who protests against white people occupying negro cars on the railway train is right in his contention. A pair of the cars has been set aside for the negro race, and they should be permitted to serve their legitimate purpose.

Employes of the Pullman company have heard of that big dividend recently served up to the stockholders and are clamoring for an increase of pay. It is to be hoped that in the agitation that is resulting something will be done for the needy porters.

The Denison Herald has been recently enlarged, and is keeping to the front as one of the leading Texas newspapers. Editor Thompson is a man who seems to be thoroly imbued with the spirit of progress.

No daily newspaper in Texas is doing the work for West Texas and the Panhandle that is being done by The Telegram. This paper is keeping these sections continually to the front.

Every factory brought to Fort Worth will be a valuable factor in the future upbuilding and development of the city.

The re-organized Republican party in Texas seems to be among the things that went into winter quarters early.

DRIFT OF POLITICS

KEEPING THE RECORD STRAIGHT

Speaking of the demand of Attorney General Davidson on the attorneys for the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, showing payment, or alleged payment, of sums of money to Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey, the Austin correspondent of the Fort Worth Record furnished the following story, which appeared in the Record this morning:

"While the attorneys for the Waters-Pierce Oil Company decline to discuss the mater at all for publication, it is known that the attorney most familiar with the transactions has remarked that none of the papers demanded by the state will reveal any connection between Senator Bailey and the Waters-Pierce Oil Company not already thoroly understood by the public. It is furthermore remarked that any relations between Mr. Pierce and Mr. Bailey were purely personal and of the same kind as Mr. Bailey's employment in the Tennessee railroad case. Considering the repeated effort to connect Mr. Bailey with this particular litigation of the state, it appears that there is to be no abatement of the political fight against the senator."

"O, Lord, deliver me from fool friends," should be the evening prayer of Senator Bailey and all other men of affairs, in or out of public life. This sapient correspondent of our Fort Worth contemporary should be informed by his chief that Senator Bailey boldly and unequivocally declared from Gainesville to Houston and from Rusk to McKinney that he did not appear as an attorney for Henry Clay Pierce, that he never received a dollar in fees in connection with the readmission to the state of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company and that not a cent of Waters-Pierce money had ever found its way to his pocket. And yet this Austin correspondent of the Record says:

"It is furthermore remarked that any relations between Mr. Pierce and Mr. Bailey were purely personal and of the same kind as Mr. Bailey's employment in the Tennessee railroad case."

Mr. Bailey has repeatedly stated that he appeared as a retained attorney in the Tennessee railroad case and was paid a substantial sum for his services. He has also repeatedly stated from the platform and in the press of the state that he did not accept employment in the Waters-Pierce case as an attorney and never received a cent, directly or indirectly, from Henry Clay Pierce or the associates of the oil king.

Just to keep the record straight the Times Herald clears away this November morning mist.—Dallas Times Herald.

THE BANK SCRUBLADY

OR, THE VOLUNTEER SLEUTHESS



"Great heavens, I tremble to think of what a run there would have been on the bank if I hadn't of been the one to see it. Pericles Oppendyke, the kid clerk, was discovered by me red-handed chalking his cue in a billiard hall. Little anyone thought he was on the downward path, and him a regular attendant at the Y. M. C. A. Oh, how much they trusted him at the bank, and him engaged in leading a double life, out as late as 7 p. m.

"Of course I told our president about it. 'Say nothing to anyone about it,' he said to me. It is well that he can trust me. Nothing suspicious will be kept from him if I can help it."

(To Be Continued.)

The Texas Press

The Georgia legislature in declaring for District Attorney Jerome of New York as the democratic nominee for President did nothing more premature and ill-advised than some other nominating bodies of last spring and summer.—San Antonio Express.

Correct you are, and a nomination declared at Dallas by the Texas state democratic convention, without any authority of the law, is among the number.

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Do not trust magnates and their legal advisers know that sometimes when the laws the people make are defied and spit upon that the people get weary of peaceful methods, and that when lawyers by devious methods turn loose criminals on the community, the people begin to think about self-protection?—Houston Chronicle.

If they do not know it they are going to soon be brought to its full knowledge in a manner that will jolt them from center to circumference. The people will not eternally submit to trust oppression.

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Fort Worth papers continue to talk of the trade excursion of business men of that town to southwest Texas early in December. As San Angelo will in all probability be included in their itinerary, it behooves the Business Club of San Angelo to inquire into the matter, and begin to make preparations to receive and entertain the visitors at that time. Closer business and social relations with the centers of Texas will help to advertise this section to the world, and particularly to the people of Texas.—San Angelo Standard.

San Angelo will certainly be among the number of live west Texas towns visited by the Fort Worth trade excursion. And The Telegram is pleased to see such evidences of friendship for this city in advance of the visit.

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E. H. Harriman, who controls more railroads than any other individual in the United States, says this country has all the railroads it needs. Possibly it has, from Mr. Harriman's viewpoint, but Mr. Harriman is not a shipper, nor does he pay railroad fare when he travels.—Beaumont Journal.

Harriman evidently believes that there should be but one railway system in the entire country, and that should be under his personal control.

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Judge Alton B. Parker, mugwump politician and corporation attorney, lost his case for the American Sugar Refining Company, charged with accepting rebates. The company was fined $26,000 for taking the rebate and the railroad was fined $108,000 for giving the rebate. It begins to look like the people will get a little justice dealt out to them in New York.—Sherman Register.

And Judge Parker sold his influence to the sugar trust without avail. The man who was given prominence by the democratic party has been unable to deliver the goods in the transfer of his fealty.

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Look about you, ye who have plenty. Is there a widow or orphan without food and raiment about you? A rich woman once met a half-starved, ragged boy on the streets. She clothed him, she fed him, while he wondered. At last he spoke up timidly and said: "Say, lady, are you God's wife?"—Bonham Herald.

Few of us do half the good deeds in life that we should do. We are too engrossed in our own affairs to pay attention to the necessities of those who are struggling beneath us.

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North Fort Worth is to have a celebration that is to be a celebration right. Four years ago, where the town now stands with its population of 10,000, there was little more than a small village. All of this change came in space of four years. The packing establishments came there and all was changed, thus showing what thrift, push and vim can do in the way of building up a town. Texas needs more of this North Fort Worth spirit. It seems to be, indeed, the spirit that "does things."—Terrell Transcript.

The North Fort Worth spirit is the real Fort Worth spirit, and the Fort Worth spirit is the lever that is working continually for the upbuilding and development of all Texas.

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At the present rate practically all the largest ranches in this section of the plains will be on the market in tracts of 160 acres and will be sold on easy terms. And where land is thus offered it will be purchased readily and by men who want it for homes and this is the class of people that develop the country.—Lubbock Avalanche.

The ranches are going fast and the home makers are developing all the waste places. West Texas and the Panhandle are coming to the front at a rate that is positively surprising.

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The Herald does not believe it is a good idea to consider the repeal of the Terrell election law as is being advocated by some of its contemporaries. There are some splendid features in the law which should be continued. What the law needs is a judicious pruning.—Denison Herald.

The Terrell election law has many valuable features, but it is too cumbersome. What Texas needs is a plain and simple law that will be of easy comprehension.

That Reminds Me

GAVE HIS NAME

In a certain prosperous town in England the ground landlord of part of it has so arranged matters that several consecutive streets bear the Christian names of various members of his family. Down the main road out of which these streets run, one of the principal tram lines of the town is laid. During the holidays a visitor who had come from some out-of-the-way corner of Ireland, and was carrying a capacious carpet bag, entered one of the tram cars and hesitatingly took his seat by the door.

"James!" called out the conductor in a few moments, the word "street" being either so pronounced as to be quite inaudible or being altogether dropped because of a desire to be sparing of words.

Immediately after the name was announced one of the passengers passed out and alighted. Then, when about half a minute had elapsed, they neared another street.

"William!" shouted the conductor.

Another man got out, and the Irishman, after gazing about him in wonder, rose and approached the conductor.

"Oi want to git out at Park Grove," said he, tapping the conductor's arm. "Me front name is Timothy."

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BAGGAGE SMASHING EXPERIMENT

Jules Dupree, the French artist who recently found in Miss Constance Leaming, of Wolf, Mont., the ideal beauty woman he had set out to search the world for, was talking in New York about America.

"I have been much impressed in America," he said, "with the dashing strength of your baggage handlers, or baggage smashers, as you justly call them.

"In Washington one day I pointed out to a baggage smasher a rather frail gripsack.

"'Is that gripsack strong enough,' I asked, 'to go in the baggage car?'

"'I'll see,' said the man.

"He lifted the grip high above his head, and threw it on the ground with all his might.

"'That,' he said, 'is what she'll get in Philadelphia.'

"He took it up again, and banged it against the side of a car four or five times.

"'That is what she'll get in Chicago,' he went on.

"He tossed it high in the air, and on its descent jumped on it, breaking the lock open this time, so that the contents were scattered over the platform.

"'And that's what she'll get in Sioux City,' he concluded. 'You'd better take her in the Pullman with you, boss, if you're going farther than Sioux City.'"

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THE BRIGHT REPORTER

Charles M. Jacobs, the chief engineer of the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel under the North river, recently conducted a party of railroad officials and reporters thru the superb tunnel on foot.

At one stage of the program there was some slight delay, and Mr. Jacobs said, with a laugh, to a reporter:

"We are not very punctual, eh? We are like a little country railroad that I used to ride on.

"To the president of this road a reporter went hurriedly one evening.

"'I understand,' he said, 'that there has been an accident on your line tonight.'

"'Oh, you do, do you?' said the president, with a sneer.

"'Yes, sir.' And the reporter waited, pencil and yellow paper in hand.

"'What do you know about this accident?' the president, still sneering, asked.

"'Nothing, except that it happened to the 9:15 train,' the reporter meekly answered.

"'Well,' said the president, 'that train came in on time to the minute.'

"'Are you sure of that?' said the reporter.

"'Of course I am, sir.'

"The disappointed reporter pocketed his tools.

"'I suppose,' he said, thoughtfully, 'that must have been the accident referred to.'"

THE NEW YORK SPIRIT

A pew in a New York church recently sold for $3,500. The next thing will be the listing of church pews on the New York stock exchange.—Atlanta Journal.

GRANDDADDY OF THE TRUSTS

You see the tracks of Standard Oil everywhere. It is the sleek, bald-headed granddaddy of all the little trusts.—Atlanta Constitution.

PRETTY THICK

A subscriber wants to know if there is any animal that has a thicker skin than the elephant. Not unless it is Charles F. Murphy.—Houston Post.

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The Doctor Writes of Counterfeiters.

CHAS. H. FLETCHER, New York City. Hyannis, Mass., Aug. 17, 1905.

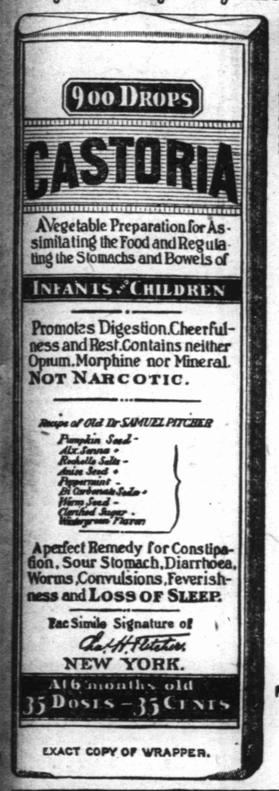
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CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 1.—At the opening of the trial of Cornelius P. Shea, president of the International Teamsters' Union, and other officials accused of a conspiracy to injure business by the teamsters' strike, this morning, Albert Young, former president of the union, took the stand. He and three other defendants turned state's evidence Friday. Young testified that $1,500 had been distributed among five officers of the Teamsters' Union for the purpose of declaring a strike against Montgomery Ward & Co. Young said Shea and Hugh McGee of the local teamsters, Robert Normen of the Gargent Workers' Union, J. Mcarthy and himself each received $300. Each then gave $20 to the man who scattered the money.

TEAM DEFEATED BAYLOR

Locla Team Played at Waco Friday Afternoon

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Dec. 1.—Fort Worth University basket ball team defeated the Baylor team Friday afternoon by a score of 22 to 12 on the Baylor campus. The Fort Worth team was too fast for Baylor and played all around the local players, notwithstanding that they had all played in the football game with Texas Christian Institute the day before and were sore and stiff. The line-up of the Fort Worth team was as follows: Forwards, Mills and Childs; center, Borden; guards, Neis and Payton.

FIRE AT BIG SPRINGS

Sanitarium Valued at $14,000 Destroyed Friday Night

Special to The Telegram.

BIG SPRINGS, Texas, Dev. 1.—Last night at 11:30 Dr. Wright's sanitarium was totally destroyed by fire at a loss of $14,000, partially covered by insurance. Had it not been for the recent rains a big section of the town would have gone up in flames.

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KING RANCH DEAL IS NOW PENDING

R. Holbein is a stockman who, the young in years, is experienced in the stock business, having grown up under the wing, as it were, of such men as Captain Richard King. "I live," said he, "in Alice, Duval county, but my ranch interests are in Starr county. I have been connected with the stock business all my life, and my father was before me. He came to Texas with Captain Richard King and was with him practically as long as he lived, so you see my business is an inherited one, and the love of it is hereditary. We have had no frost, or rather had none up to the time I left. I was on the road with six loads of cows during the late cold snap and can't say just what happened, but I am sure that it was not cold enough to give us frost down there. Grass is as green and growing just as if it were summer time. The "tallow" weed is up and growing fast. This is, as I suppose you know, a weed that comes during the winter and is not affected at all by the cold. It is relished by the stock and is as fattening at cotton seed meal. There is lots of other stuff besides grass and these weeds for the cattle to fatten on in winter and the winter protection is unsurpassed. We have had good seasons for five years now and we are beginning to put on agricultural airs and talk of vegetables, cotton, etc. These new fangled ideas would have made one of the old-time cowmen, who never allowed a milch cow on his ranch, grow black in the face. He has passed away, however, with the long horn and the new prevails. One thing that is greatly for the betterment of the cattlemen and stock is the supply of water that is obtained from the wells anywhere in the range country of southwest Texas, which enables the stock to get what they want without walking themselves to death after eating dry grass. In old times all depended on the natural water holes and when they dried up there was nothing for it but to stand around and see the stock pass out. Cattle were sold very close last spring in our country and these are not many aged stuff to come out. In fact, cattle are pretty scarce in any age.

"Land is increasing in value all the time and anyone who bought a month or two ago can double his money at this time. Mrs. King has been offered, it is said, twice per acre what she paid for the Laureles ranch. It is also common talk that a big syndicate has offered to buy all her holdings. If this goes thru it will be the biggest sale of ranch property that ever occurred in Texas at one time, she having in fee at least 1,250,000 acres at present. Richard King, her son, has a ranch of 40,000 acres or so near his mother's place, this being presented to him by his father before he died. The Brownsville railroad passing thru the King pastures has enhanced their value greatly."

Conditions Out West

Captain W. J. Turner, who ranches out in Borden county, with postoffice at Gail, came in from Alvarado and was found in the exchange swapping yarns with other cowmen. "I have not been out home in some time," said the Captain, "but I am feeding a lot of cattle at Alvarado and have had but little to do with the range country recently. I heard from there, tho, since the hard spell of weather, and the news while not very encouraging, still is not so bad as it might have been. Cattle have been badly drawn on the plains where there is no sort of protection from the biting tongue of the blizzard, but down below the Cap Rock things are never so bad as above. My place is below the Cap Rock and I have protection a plenty in the draws and brakes, where it is comparatively warm even in the midst of the worst weather. The thin stuff of course will naturally be the biggest sufferers and this spell must have hurt badly that class of stock, but fortunately most of my stock is in good condition and well able to stand the cold. What the winter has for us, however, is another question."

Cold Snap Injurious

A. Nussbaumer came in from his Sweetwater place, bringing in six loads of fat cows. "Altho the road ordered the cattle to the shipping pens Monday," said he, "they held them there for forty-eight hours before they were loaded and shipped. The cattle might just as well have been standing in the cars as far as rest was concerned, for they were so crowded in the pens that they could not lie down and the weather being so bad made it worse. Instead of the stock getting here to market on Monday they never reached here until Thursday. It is awful, sure, on the stockmen. The cold weather was very hard on things in the Sweetwater country. The mesquites had not shed all their leaves the first spell of frost not effecting this. When the weather changed and the rain began to fall it froze immediately and then the sleet came on top of that and then snow and the leaves and limbs of the mesquite trees were weighted with so much ice that they actually bent down to the ground. Any other trees would have snapped off with the weight, but the mesquite is not built that way by any means. It don't let any old ice break it down. Cattle suffered some naturally, but the spell did not last long enough to make it serious. Stock were all in good condition and could stand it better than they will another should it come bad. My cows were grass stuff, but they were fine sure. After what they underwent getting to market they averaged 950 pounds—and brought me $3.20, which is a good price for cows."

Expects No Damage

George McEntyre, the young ranchman and stock farmer from Mitchell county, Texas, was on the yards this week looking out for his stock interests. "I have not been out on the ranch for some time, but have been up in the Indian Territory and spending some time in Dallas with the old folks. I have heard nothing very definite as to the effects of such a cold snap as the last, for with ice all covering the grass they are unable to eat and only turn tail and drift. However, the injury could not have been very serious this time, for stock were all fat and in better condition to withstand the weather than they usually are at this time of the year, and then the spell did not last long. All of our ranch and farming interests are in good shape. The crops were very good and cotton especially so. Our feed stuffs are especially fine and will furnish an unusually large amount of stuff.

"We are going to have a picture taken of our crops some day and will furnish the Stockman-Journal with one. Father lost one of his hunting dogs, and he has had me looking for one up in the territory, but I failed to get what he wanted."

POULTRY

THE CHICAGO SHOW

The annual poultry, pigeon and pet stock show to be held in Chicago January 23 to 30 inclusive, 1907, will be an improvement on any of the series of high class shows heretofore held under the management of the National Fanciers' and Breeders' Association. The exhibits of stock, incubators, appliances, foods, remedies, and all the things pertaining to the poultry, pigeon and pet stock industry have at all times taxed to the utmost, the capacity of the largest hall obtainable. The attendance of visitors always great, was phenonenally large last year. Plans are now being perfected to make the exhibition, whether from the standpoint of the exhibitor, the visitor or the management, better than ever before.

Premium lists giving names of the judges and the varieties to be passed upon by each of them, and all necessary information to intending patrons will be issued about December 15, 1906. Twenty thousand will be mailed out, and it is the intention to have one sent to every interested person, but if for any reason it is not received or additional copies are desired, write to the secretary, Fred L. Kimmey, 325 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill.

PACKING THE TURKEY

Never pack till the animal heat is all out! Use neat, clean packages. Boxes holding from 100 to 200 pounds—no larger—are best for turkeys. Barrels are very good for chickens, ducks or for poultry packed in ice. Pack solidly, in even layers, backs up, legs out straight, so the package will present a neat appearance when opened. Grade the stock thoroly. Don't make the mistake of putting in a poor bird, thinking it will "pass in a crowd." It won't! It will more likely fix the price for the rest. Ordinarily it is best to use no packing, but line the box with clean paper. Mark each package plainly as to contents, names of consignors and consignee, and notify the latter by mail, also. Some of these may seem like needless details, but experience shows that they are needed. In large markets it is not safe to have poultry arrive for the Thanksgiving markets later than the Monday preceding, tho some choice lots occasionally do well on Tuesday. Never ship the week after a big holiday without special instructions, as that is "clean-up" week.—Farming.

NUMBER OF MALES NEEDED

To questions asked by a subscriber relative to the number of males to every one hundred hens, the editor of an agricultural paper replies as follows:

"How many males would you advise keeping with 100 hens? Would you advise them all to be chosen from other flocks than your own? Do you advise an incubator for raising chickens?"

The number of males to be kept with the hens depends on the breed. The active males of the Leghorn family will serve more hens than the Cochins. Usually six males are an abundance for one hundred hens. If we were flock mating one hundred hens we would not use males from our own flocks for more than two years at a time. If your male birds suit you, and you wish new blood for next year's breeders, buy a hen of the best quality you can afford, and raise your cockerels from her. Flock mating is not productive of fancy points.

We would advise an incubator if large numbers of chickens are to be raised, but would not advise an incubator without brooders to go with it. Some people are successful in raising chickens in boxes, but if time is an object this method of rearing is very expensive, and we would not buy an incubator until we had brooder capacity, either hens or breeders, to care for the chicks hatched.

The price of eggs has been growing higher for several years, because consumers have wanted more eggs than have been produced. The exports are not worth mentioning. Apparently there is no limit to the consumption of fresh eggs at a moderate price.

SOME FACTS

The demand for geese is not constant, altho there is a limited demand the year around; the greatest number are called for season. But to bring good prices they must be young, fat, well-dressed and put up in attractive shape.

If your chickens are "off their feed" and do not seem to care whether they live or eat or die, give them an appetized in the shape of a little fasting. Let them get hungry and then change their style of feeding. If you have been giving them their bulky food at night, give it to them in the morning; give it to them warm and not very much of it, so that they will still want more. Then send them to roost a few nights with only half a craw full, and they will soon begin to think that life is worth living after all.—Poultry Life in America.

CACKLES FROM THE HENHOUSE

All kinds of poultry require fresh, pure air, night and day.

Don't keep the fowls of doubtful value thru the winter.

Hens don't need cayenne pepper as a stimulant any more than men need whisky.

Rather than overcrowd the poultry house it is better to kill and eat the surplus fowls.

Exercise is one of the most important things in securing eggs during the winter.

It is largely your own fault if the hens do not lay eggs in the winter. Find out why they do not.

Drinking vessels for fowls should be so arranged that the birds cannot get into them with their feet.

NEW U. S. FLAG

Arrangement of Stars is Decided Upon

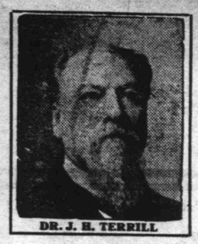
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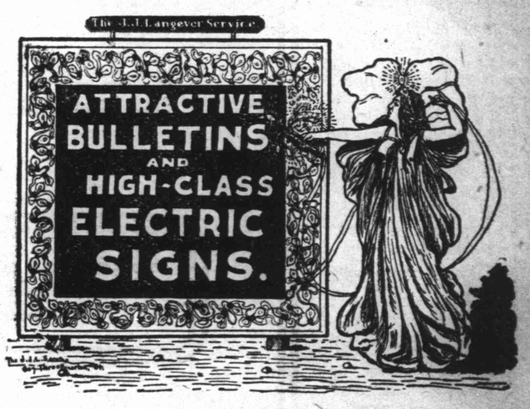
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TALKS WITH TEXAS STOCKFARMERS

West Texas Stock Farmer

[illegible] Carr is a stock farmer who [illegible]es his business in Mitchell [illegible], Texas, and is proud of his [illegible]es and section:

"I have a small place near Iatan, located in what has been known as the [illegible] & Tillar pasture, but which has [illegible] recently sold to Missouri people. [illegible]main selection for the business [illegible]ell the different classes of live [illegible] are cattle. We have one of the [illegible]best sections for stock in the [illegible]and as we have never failed in [illegible]g a sufficiency of feedstuffs, such [illegible]ffir corn, milo maize and sorghum [illegible]es corn with our grass, we cannot [illegible]o mature and market the very [illegible]st of stuff in the live stock line. [illegible]e have not as a general thing [illegible]turned their attention to swine [illegible]ing, but there is much talk of it [illegible]t will soon be one of the main [illegible]interests in Mitchell county. It [illegible]s a little time to evolute entirely [illegible]a range cattle country into an [illegible]ultural stock farming one, and [illegible]e cannot turn their attention all [illegible]ce to all branches of business. At [illegible]the new comers who have pur[illegible]ased homes make it their business [illegible]o such stuff as will the soonest [illegible]ide cash to pay off their indebted[illegible]ss on the land bought, and as cotton [illegible]ills do this the quickest of anything [illegible], they settle down the first year [illegible]ve and attend to that strictly. Aft[illegible]he pressure is somewhat relaxed [illegible]y began to take up other things [illegible]belong to the farming operations [illegible]n the course of three or four [illegible]have something of everything in [illegible]shape of crops. This is the pres[illegible]ondition out our way, but the [illegible]ects are fine for the future sure. [illegible]llustrate the opinion of the old set [illegible]as to the relation of our section [illegible]e stock raising interests, old Tom [illegible]son said the other day while the [illegible]was covered with sleet and snow, [illegible]this is the finest country in [illegible]for stock raising and stock [illegible]. Why look here, said he, [illegible] the sleet off the ground, 'just [illegible]at that grass under this sleet, [illegible]it is just as green as in summer. [illegible]can't beat a country that has [illegible]like that.'

"Our crops are certainly very fine, [illegible]them. Cotton is remarkable. [illegible]of my neighbors have gathered [illegible]of them thirty bales of cotton [illegible]thirty-five acres of land and it [illegible]thru yet. Just think, seven years [illegible]and by the section could be had [illegible]rom $100 to $600 a section easily. [illegible]now it is worth all the way from [illegible]$30, according to location and [illegible]to railroads. Farming has [illegible]ble, at least, for the land holder. [illegible]are doing well and while the [illegible]old spell was a hard one, only [illegible]cattle as had fevered and were [illegible]drawn to any extent by the [illegible]cold. Most of the stock were [illegible]ed one cold spell did not hurt [illegible]. The big ranches are almost all [illegible]out now. Bush & Tillar's was [illegible]not one cut up. It was sold, I [illegible]stand, to Missouri people. It is [illegible]that Bob Pyron of Fort Worth [illegible]the old headquarters of the [illegible]. Feedstuffs such as kaffir, milo, [illegible]sorgium have made big crops and

there is no fear of a failure of feed should colder weather come."

Making Mixed Shipments

Doc Williamson, from Hill county, came in on a trip of inquiry. He is the big stock farmer who deals in everything that a farm ought to deal in.

"I am wanting to know how I can get about forty big bronze turkeys to this market," he said. "I have sold all of the hundred I had except forty head and I want to get them to this market without too much cost. I thought I would load them in with some yearlings I have, placing the coops on top above the yearlings. I find that this will not work, for the yearlings will take the cost of the highest rate and this would, of course, be the turkey rate. I find that the express company will be my best way to get them here. I had a lot last year and they averaged in weight a little over twenty pounds to the bird. This is pretty good for birds that did not cost anything to raise. We are trying to get a shipping pen built by the railroad at Covington to facilitate our business. I have neither a carload or hogs nor of yearlings, but enough of both to make a car so I am going to ship the lot together."

Stock Farmers Prosperous

Captain Bill Henderson, one of Tarrant county's well known citizens, was in the city in attendance upon the courts of the county.

"I live about three miles from Birdville" said he, "and have some hundreds of acres of land in cultivation, say maby a thousand. I do not work it myself, but rent it out. Everything in the crop line has been very good this year and up to this spell of weather we had several weeks of fine dry weather for picking. Cattle are doing well and grass has been extra fine. There is a very fine season in the ground and it will need but little moisture to keep things in good shape for spring planting. I came from Missouri to Texas and have lived in this county for many years."

Oklahoma Stockfarmer

G. F. Gossett came in from his home in Piedmont, O. T. Reaching here with the snow which fell at the tail end of the recent blizzard. "Sunday about 5 o'clock the first breath of the cold snap warned us of what was behind, but no one supposed for a minute that Arctic weather was to come as early as November 18," he said. "It soon became very cold and almost at once it began to sleet heavily. There was not much drift as the sleet and rain froze and was too heavy in its damp condition to be moved even by the heavy wind that was in company with the sleet. The snowfall when I left home was some two or three inches on the level and was still falling. There are not many cattle on feed this year and no one has accounted for it yet upon any conclusive grounds that are satisfactory. There is plenty of feed in the territory and at a satisfactory price compared with the cost in other seasons, so this can't be given as a reason. There is one thing, however, that may be a cause, and that is that owners of cattle suitable for feeders are enabled to hold this winter and are very stiff in their support of their demands for good prices. This, added to an uncertainty about the market conditions next year may have an effect upon the speculative views of the feeders which has rendered them extra cautious in their operations. Corn is worth 30 cents with us and plenty of it. Cotton is a good crop and there will be lots of seed to turn into feed for stock. There has been lots of hay put up this year and grass is unusually good on the ground for winter. Stock are fat what there are and, altogether, conditions were were better. Ours is a good swine section, but there are not many hogs raised as yet. Our people are stuck on cotton and believe that ours is a very fine cotton country. Too far north, you say? Well, we do not think so, and our people are cotton and corn farmers now, just like parts of Texas, and until they are taught better they believe they are right. I suppose after a while they will take up diversification and go into stock farming which will prove a paying business, for any amount of feed can be raised for hogs and other kind of stock. There will be a great reduction in the acreage of wheat planted for next year, in fact the reduction has already been accomplished. Farmers have come to the conclusion that wheat does not pay as a crop in our section altho it has always been supposed to be a wheat section. Many things that are considered best at times afterwards prove to be a losing problem, and then the farmer turns to something else, as they are now doing in cotton. The fact is that no man should make any one crop his sole moneymaker, for farming is a very uncertain business at best and unless more than one iron is in the fire at the same time total loss comes so often to the toiler in the cultivation of the soil that trouble will surely result, and a condition of serfdom, in the shape of debt become his portion.

"We are all much interested in the constitutional convention that is in session in Guthrie. We want a constitution that will force the railroads to provide separate accommodation for blacks and whites, on the trains, in the depots and in the schools. We also want the referendum and the imperative mandate and we have sent these delegates to a convention to put these in a constitution for us. Our people are wide awake, and if this crowd don't do as we want them they will repent it at home next time an election is held. The Democrats were put in this time almost unanimously for a purpose, which the people expect them to carry out, and it had better be done in a satisfactory manner."

Small Farms Profitable

Henry Jackson from Boyd, Texas, was one of the few visitors who came in with the snow. "Crops up with us are not particularly good," said Mr. Jackson." There was too much rain for any of them at the time of maturity and in consequence a falling off in the yield was the result. While I claim to be a stock farmer, still to be honest, my wife is the farmer on the place and I am only salesman for what she raises. I have a lot of outside business that needs my attention and she looks out for things on the farm. Everything that is raised on small farms in Texas is accounted for on ours. A few steers every year, ditto mules and a lot of hogs. I have just brought in a load which averaged $6.17½, even if the market is said to be lower. Most of the farmers with us are on small tracts of land, my place being only 200 acres, so not a large number of any one particular kind of stock can be bred, but some of all will make up the difference and at the end of the year there will be no difference in the cash balance. Small farms will be the ones that will become the rule in Texas, and with diversification and smaller acreage of cotton the benefit will be greater to the individual man, who will be free from the necessity of buying help to gather the crop, and the general public will be the gainer in the superior quality of the stuff furnished for consumption. All these small farms will and are raising from one to three head of cattle each year for market and in the aggregate this will amount to a large herd. Look at it this way and it will be seen that the soil will produce more feed for more cattle than all the grass in the world.

"Johnson grass and sorghum are my standbys for stock feed. I sold a three-year-old mule lately, my own raising, for $150, and I do not think the animal cost me over $25 from the time it was foaled. This mule would have sold for just as much on this market, for it was a good one from good stock.

"We—well, that is, my wife—raises heaps of chickens and turkeys and sells them at good prices. She has sold this year 300 head of chickens and has on hand now plenty of others. Among these she has selected Plymouth Rocks and Langshans and also has a herd of big bronze turkeys which will sell for something like two dollars per head. Our land is a fine loval sandy soil and everything in creation that grows in Texas can be profitably raised out of it.

Land of Plenty

L. M. Wallace lives in the confines of what is called east Texas, in a section that is fast coming into favor as a land of plenty, a veritable "hog and hominy" country. "Our crops have been very good all round, altho corn was damaged a little by too much rain. Cotton is very good and peas fine this year and cattle are in good shape for the winter. There was a bad mast this year and the people who held their hogs back to get the benefit of it got caught. There are lots of hogs raised and shipped from Madisonville, our home shipping point and they are not the razor back variety altogether, by any means. There is plenty of stuff raised to fatten hogs, even with no corn and the people are fast learning this fact and will act accordingly. There are a good many cattle sold out of Madison county. The stock is a mixture of Durham and Hereford and are not the old east Texas scrub. On the prairies the cattle are all good and compare with the same classes in other parts of the state very favorably indeed. Ticks and worms have been less in evidence this year than for a long time, at which we rejoiced. The people sell most of their fat marketable hogs at home. Beside the butcher demand many people who like to put up their own meat make arrangements with farmers to supply them with dressed hogs, and the demand for this class of stuff is comparatively large. The average weight of hogs for this kind of trade is not more than from 150 to 175 pounds, the people wishing a "streak of lean and a streak of fat" in their bacon and not all lard. This is about the average size of the hogs desired in the south and it gives the breeder and raiser a big advantage of his northern brother. It is no trouble at all to bring a pig up to this weight at six or eight months, so you can see what a business can be done when never less than two litters of pigs can be had from a sow each year. Stock farming is destined to make our country a rich one for we have the climate, the soil and an intelligent, industrious people who will profit by experience and take advantage of new discoveries in agricultural methods. The advantage of the Agricultural and Mechanical College being so near us is one that should be appreciated and will be taken advantage of by all after awhile. Of course not all of the cultivators of the soil will take advantage of their opportunities, for like all other business, farming has its drones and nothing will ever change this fact. Still the large majority will adapt themselves to the changed conditions and profit by them."

Looking for Feeders

Captain Bill Corn Jr. passed thru the city from Alvarado on his way out to the Palo Pinto and Parker county country on the lookout for feeders. "Father is going to feed a lot of stuff down at Alvarado and I am looking out for him and will go to Palo Pinto county and that section looking for some stuff to feed," said he. "Alvarado is one of the best feeding points we have, on account of its superior pens and shelter for stock. I find that owners of good stuff are holding fast and are hard to convince that what they ask for their stuff is too nigh from a feeder's standpoint, but they can't see it and are perfectly independent and are of the sort that say 'take it or leave it,' it is the same to me. I have not been in the territory for some time and missed Doc Riddle when he was down not long since."

Cattle Are Fat

W. M. Shiff of Gainesville said: "I have been in the city some days and may likely in the end locate here. I, of course, was not at home when the blizzard hit our section but have heard that nothing of great harm was done to stock, altho it was extremely cold for this time of the year. Cattle were all fat and of course did not suffer as they would had they been in the usual thin condition at this time of the year. Crops have been very good this season. Corn was a pretty heavy one and cotton a good average one. Wheat was not so good as usual owing to so much wet weather. The Gainesville section is considered a fine wheat belt and usually from 25 to 30 bushels are made to an acre, but this year the harvest fell far below this. Things are pretty fair in our county anyway and there is no complaining."

The Concho County

W. M. Shields returned from the Angelo country looking fresh and hearty, much to his friends' joy, for they had heard rumors that he had been taken ill while in San Angelo. "Everything in the cow line was all right up to the time this storm came on," said he, "but this was a severe one, sure. It sleeted hard and ice covered everything when I left and it was still doing its best to get colder. There will be a lot of cattle to come out from the Angelo country, and they will be shipping all along thru the winter. The scarcity of cattle cars will delay shipments to a greater or less extent until the cotton season is over and the rush for transportation is past. Yes, I am in good health and only suffered from a slight attack of indigestion while gone. Of course, at a distance everything is exaggerated and people make a mountain out of a molehill.

BEST WAY

A correspondent of Farm Progress writes as follows to his paper, his topic being "How Best to Pick Geese":

The next time I pick my geese will be about July 21, says an expert raiser of geese, the beginning of the new moon. About six weeks later will be the next regular picking, every other picking being the first of the new moon.

The most profitable pickings are in the winter. I do not consider this cruel, but believe one should use care that the geese do not suffer in stormy weather or when there is snow on the ground. I pick only the feathers in the winter, leaving the down which is sufficient to keep them warm, but will not turn water as feathers do. I plan for my winter pickings to take place about the first of December, the middle of January and the last of February. We usually have nice weather (in southern Iowa) about those dates.

To vary a few days in the winter does not make so much difference as they do not lose their feathers as readily as they do in the summer months. You will find they will not feather out well during the spring months, or laying season. Therefore, I do not pick them, as there is danger of injuring the females.

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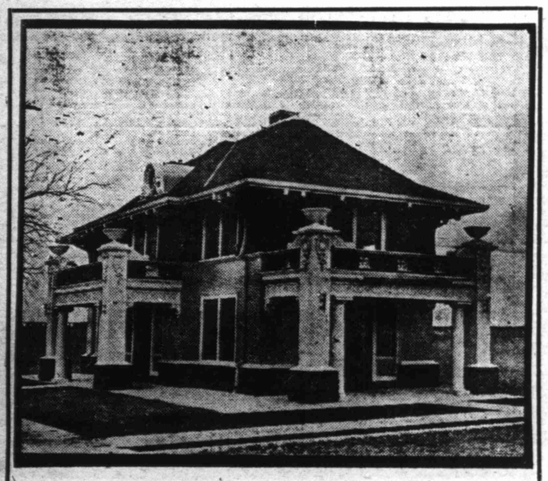
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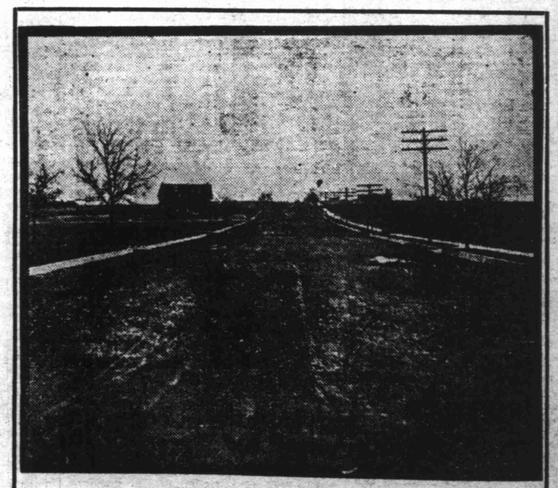
The greatest fortunes of this country have been made thru real estate investments. John Jacob Astor bought a piece of land for $25,000—then considered an enormous price—that is now worth $35,000,000. He foresaw the wonderful growth of that city and took advantage of it. It does not require the brains of an Astor to foresee today the advantages in buying cautiously in the best residence suburb of Fort Worth—in Arlington Heights, the high, healthy, pretty, picturesque place on the ideal west side, where are to be had all the comforts, conveniences and luxuries of city and country life. It is only a twenty minutes' ride from Arlington Heights to the center of Fort Worth.

THE BEST LIFE

People live longer who live where the air is fresh—away from the din and roar of "down-town." And, they live lots better and happier, too. Maybe you can afford to stay in the city, but—think it over a little while—can you afford to keep your children there? Why not give them a chance to grow up where they can grow best? "Oh," you may say, "they'll miss the city school." At Arlington Heights they won't. That's one of the many advantages of Arlington Heights—schools. We'll match ours with the best. It wouldn't do to have second-rate schools where the standard of other things is so high, and all other improvements at Arlington Heights are the finest obtainable.

Picturesquely situated just to the west of the Panther City, it is one of the prettiest and altogether most aristocratic suburbs in the entire southwest. Located upon a hill at an elevation of more than one hundred and fifty feet above that of Fort Worth, Arlington Heights commands a magnificent view of the entire city. Indeed, Arlington Heights affords the ideal home site because the climate is superb, the elevation high, and because the resident may enjoy every advantage of city and suburban life. Electric lighted, with an ample water supply, only a twenty-minute ride from the center of the city, there is every reason that Arlington Heights property should rapidly enhance in value. Already this healthful suburb is dotted with palatial homes, that would do justice to a city anywhere. Some of these residences cost as much as $15,000, $18,000, $20,000 and $25,000. The Fort Worth Country Club has a $25,000 home, elegantly situated just across from the offices of the Arlington Heights Realty Company, the latter costing $4,600. The visitor is at once struck with the natural beauty of the place; THE WIDE, SPACIOUS, GRADED STREETS, the delightful breezes, the handsome homes, the picturesque view and the unsurpassed surroundings of the Heights.

Our terms are only $10 down, $10 per month for each lot. Every convenience of which brains can conceive is being rapidly installed, and in no other suburb of Fort Worth can be found so many features looking to the comfort and service of the people. The fact that we sell lots for only $100 to $300 should not be construed to mean that because they are CHEAP they are not GOOD.



ONE OF ARLINGTON HEIGHTS' WIDE, GRADED STREETS

WE FURNISH THE LOTS AND BUILD HOUSES, to suit customers, on payment of 25 per cent, balance in monthly payments, just as if paying rent.

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