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CLARKSON.

[illegible]—Oh, Harbin! Clarkson is [illegible], even if the correspondence seem to be irregular. It [illegible] to the front some time. [illegible] for the nice compliment [illegible] on our community.

[illegible] shower of rain fell Sunday Monday nights which was [illegible]ptable, as the gardens and [illegible]re showing that rain was [illegible]h needed. Although it was [illegible]cient to put any stock water [illegible]nks, it will help some.

[illegible]alloy reports considerable [illegible] in our midst since our last [illegible], but no fatal cases so far.

[illegible]e Morton, who has been at[illegible] school at Granbury, came [illegible]st Friday. The school will [illegible] the 15th of this month. He [illegible]on account of the illness [illegible]ther, who is improving at [illegible]ing, but he will be confined [illegible]om for some time yet.

[illegible] Morton and family, of near [illegible]d Mrs. McClendon, of Dub[illegible]ed J. E. Morton Sunday [illegible] and night.

[illegible]stated some time ago that [illegible]ple were requested to meet [illegible]chool house last Sunday for [illegible]pose of organizing a Sunday [illegible]out as the weather was bad [illegible]y a few persons present the [illegible]tion was postponed until [illegible]nday, the 11th.

[illegible]ertainment was enjoyed at [illegible]ton's last Thursday night. [illegible] number of the young people [illegible]esent.

[illegible]ee Culwell and wife were [illegible] the home of Rev. Morton [illegible]day evening their horse be[illegible]rightened and ran away. [illegible]upants of the buggy escaped [illegible] injury, but the buggy was [illegible] wrecked.

Julia Jones, who has been [illegible] at Rev. Morton's for some [illegible]turned home Monday. She [illegible]any friends during her stay [illegible].

ROCH SCHOOL HOUSE.

[illegible] correspondence.

[illegible]nd.—The health of the com[illegible] is very good with the ex[illegible] of the illness of Tom Camp[illegible] has rheumatism but he is [illegible]ng some.

[illegible] are looking fine and every [illegible] growing fast.

[illegible]scribe and Sponcie Thomas [illegible] relatives at Thurber last [illegible]y and while there two good [illegible]. About seven miles south [illegible]er a hail fell which almost [illegible] the leaves off the trees.

[illegible]Hodge and family are visit[illegible]k Williams this week.

[illegible] Williams and uncle visited [illegible] in Coleman county last [illegible]orning last Saturday.

[illegible] Warsham of Alabama is [illegible] relatives and friends here.

Mr. Warsham, together with his brother W. A., is visiting relatives near Sidney this week.

It is getting very dry but it looks very much like rain this morning.

Our school closed last Friday with exercises that night, which were well attended. Prof. Robertson taught our school and gave satisfaction to all.

W. L. Walton and lady of Hasse visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

The people of this community came together last Saturday at the cemetery and fenced the yard and fixed it up. The yard was very much in need of repair. There was dinner on the ground and those who came passed the day pleasantly.

A baby boy was born to Tom Gilon and wife last week.

Rev. Tucker filled his appointment here last Sunday.

Miss Dora Kendrick of Walker school visited friends here last Saturday and Sunday.

Tom Holloway of Gustine was in this community last Sunday casting smiles on some of our ladies.

We had a nice rain Sunday night which we needed very badly, especially oats.

CHALK MOUNTAIN.

Regular Correspondence.

May 5th.—A light shower fell here this morning. While nothing like a season was put in the ground it revived every thing.

Unless we get a good rain soon oats will not be worth cutting. Corn is growing nicely.

We were advised by a 'phone message from Duffau that Andrew Shaw had committed suicide by shooting himself. We did not learn particulars.

Pete Lanham, who moved from here two years ago to Jones county, passed through Saturday going to his fathers', who lives on the Paluxy. His father is very ill with cancer.

Our berg was almost deserted yesterday on account of the singing convention at Hootout near Iredell.

W. P. Hattler's uncle and his son came out from Tennessee last week on a visit and to look at the country.

B. P. Underwood and J. E. Stigler made a trip to Hico today on business.

Claude Hamic was up from Kimbal last week trying to buy fat cattle. Don't know how many he bought.

H. H. Lokie returned last week from Tom Green county. He reports having purchased 160 acres of land for $1,600.

A great many of our people went to Glen Rose to view the wreck of the cyclone and render what aid they could.

Dr. Whiteacre of Illinois is in the county on a visit to relatives.

HARBIN.

Regular Correspondence.

May 5th.—The past week was a windy period for this time of the year with us. Sandy land farms hove blown much more than at any other time this year and a few farms worse than ever known before. The sand has almost ruined many fields of corn and has banked in the roads until it is hard to pass some places with a wagon. The corn and garden of Conner Carpenter make one think that the Bible parable is not always true for instead of there being a "fall" of that which he "founded" in the sand there has been a rise—roots and all.

Your writer had the honor and pleasure of attending the marriage of Miss Nina Long to Mr. Wilber Parten last Sunday evening in Stephenville at the home of the bride's mother. The beauty of her face only reflects the beauty of character which all her acquaintances so much appreciate. Mr. Parten is an energetic young business man of estimable character. Such a couple we all feel like congratulating. They will make their home in east Texas.

Cards are out announcing the marriages of Miss Allie Garrett to Marvin Raney and Miss Lillie Hickey to Forney McCleskey. It is to be a double wedding to take place at the Methodist church on the 14th inst. We wish them the greatest of all blessings.

Mrs. Mollie Moore from Springdale, Ark., is visiting relatives here. She stopped over with her cousin W. C. Bishop Friday night.

Noah Riherd and Will Warren took the train for Stephenville today. Mrs. John White also for Ft. Worth.

Miss Abbie Morton leaves today for Montera, Mexico, where she has been employed by a hospital as Sunday School instructor. She will also study to become a trained nurse. We regret to lose so faithful a christian girl.

The boys and girls were treated to ice cream at Conner Carpenter's Saturday night.

ST. GEORGE.

Regular Correspondence.

May 6th.—We had a good rain Sunday and is raining some to-day. Corn is looking fine and some will be laid by next week.

R. L. Jones, a merchant of Newton, Ala., who has been visiting his brothers, M. G. and A. M. Jones of Highland left last Friday morning for Polma, Ellis county, accompanied by his nephew, Mr. Jay Hayley, a merchant and planter of Palma, who has also been visiting relatives here.

Mr. Johnson, who has been confined to his bed for several weeks with Whites swelling, is better and hopes to be able to sit up soon.

Joe Smith and family of X-Ray, came down Saturday to attend the bedside of his brother's wife, Mrs. Ida Smith, who has been very ill for sometime and is no better at this writing.

W. D. Hallum sold a bunch of two-year-old steers to Maloney Bros. for sixteen dollars around. Also a bunch of yearlings to Mr. Dick Moore for eight dollars around. The two bunches net him eleven hundred dollars.

Lee Jones will have his house painted this week.

Several of our young people attended meeting at Mexico Sunday.

DUFFAU.

Regular Correspondence.

May 7th.—This part of the country was visited by a nice shower of rain yesterday and prospects are good for more.

Miss Annie Briggs of McKinnie is visiting friends here.

W. B. Rucker's baby died and was buried at the cemetery Wednesday.

Considerable excitement was caused Saturday over the death of Andy Shaw, who committed suicide about 10 o'clock that day. Family troubles seem to have been the cause of the act. He was buried at the Box church cemetery.

John Taylor and family, who live at Clairette, was visiting at the Wells Sunday.

Miss Mollie Knight, who has been in the merchantile business here for several years has moved her stock of goods to Duffau.

This scribe visited Hico Saturday.

HAZEL DELL.

Regular Correspondence.

May 6th.—The little child of John Jones' that has been sick for a month died last Thursday morning.

C. C. Loveless of Wilson was in our community Sunday.

Crops are looking fine at present.

Farmers are planting, plowing and chopping cotton.

J. C. Collingworth is all smiles on account of an eleven and one-half pound boy arriving at his house this week.

Tom Davidson has a fine girl at his house.

Collie McDonald and Homer Johnson of Gustine was in the community this week.

Rev. T. S. Ewell will preach at Flat Rock church the second Sunday in this month.

Mrs. Oates and family were here Sunday.

Mrs. Long, who has been visiting her son in Hico, come home Saturday.

Tom Stallcup went to Dublin Monday.

The Hazel Dell base ball nine met last Saturday and had a nice time. The "Crackerjacks" will cross bats with us here Saturday.

H. L. Hortson is running for justice of the peace and C. C. Loveless for constable.

CARLTON.

Regular Correspondence.

May 6th.—We had a very good shower here this morning but not enough to do much good.

Corn and cotton are in a thriving condition at present though unless it rains more in a short time they are going to suffer.

We have two music teachers among us at present, Miss Leola Gilbert of Dublin and Miss Cora Carter of Proctor. Both have schools and are giving satisfaction.

Newt Jones and Calvin Norris left this morning for Plainview, Hale County. Mr. Jones goes on a prospecting tour and Mr. Norris has a contract to fill in the carpenter's trade there.

J. D. Clark and wife also left for the west, but a different part to see relatives.

The following gentlemen were elected trustees of our school her Saturday: J. B. Curry, T. A. Caudle, F. M. Richburg and J. A. Rowland. The board is now composed of the gentlemen above mentioned and W. D. Thornton, J. L. Truett and Jim Finley. If there be anything in number in carrying on a school we have it in the board.

Lee Curbo and wife are the happy parents of a new boy at their house. We haven't heard yet what Lee is going to try to make out of him.

Mr. Moore and wife of Olin were visiting here Monday. They report a heavy rain at Olin last Saturday evening.

THENY.

Regular Correspondence.

May 7th.—We are having some fiive weather at present. We have had same good showers of rain which makes everybody feel good. Corn is fine. Some are plowing their corn the last time. It is waist high and is beginning to tassel. Cotton is doing well and cotton chopping is in full blast.

Mrs. Ed Lewis, of Fort Worth, is visiting the family of R. S. Davis this week.

R. J. Irwin, of Avery, Ark., is visiting his brother, J. P. Irwin, at this place.

A brother of W. A. Embry came in Tuesday from Mississippi on a visit.

There were several from this place in attendance at the singing convention at Downing last Sunday and they report a nice time.

There is talk of a general merchandise store being put in here. It will be a great help to the town.

John McCarley, of Dublin, was in our little city Monday, on business.

We hope our trustees will secure good teachers this year. We have a good school building and something over a hundred scholars.

The Leon river was out of its banks again this week.

C. D. Scarborough, of Fruitland, Montague county, is visiting relatives here this week.

HIGHLAND.

Regular Correspondence.

May 6th.—People are smiling over the nice rain.

Dr. W. C. Murray, who has been absent for some time attending school, has returned to resume his practice at this place. We are glad to have the doctor with us.

J. O. Shiplin lost a fine horse yesterday evening.

Crops are looking fine in these parts.

The young people enjoyed an ice cream supper at the residence of Robert Burnett last Saturday night.

BUNYAN.

Regular Correspondence.

May 6th.—We are having some rain at present.

Crops are looking fine at present.

Mrs. Bettie Cooper is visiting her parents near Lingleville this week.

This scribe visited his sister, Mrs. Cornelius of Bluff Dale, Saturday night and Sunday. She is ill with something like appendicitis.

Will Cooper had the misfortune of having two of his ribs broken last Saturday by a cow hooking him.

Dr. West's wife is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Couey is able to be up. Mrs. Goin is still sick.

Most of the farmers are done planting cotton in this part of the country.

Mr. Ellis and family visited relatives at Greens creek Safurday night.

Mr. Gayles' two brothers are visiting him. One is from Johnson county, the other from Alabama. They had not seen one another in fifteen years.

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STEPHENVILLE.

From The Appeal.

May 1st.—Mrs. Will Witcher of Chickasha, I. T., is visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Inez Hyatt, who has been teaching at Eastland city returned last Thursday.

Several Erath county boys will attend the summer school of the university of Texas at Austin this year.

John Tarleton college commencement exercises will begin with examination Wednesday, the 14th inst. and end Friday following. During the week one day will be set apart as athletic field day.

Dr. Williamson this week exhibited a sixty foot tape worm of which he had relieved one of the Mexican residents of this city.

From the Tribune.

May 2nd.—Terrell Bryan has announced as an independent candidate for justice in the Stephenville precinct.

G. M. Thomas has contracted to carry the mails from Stephenville to Thurber, Pigeon and Skippers Gap.

A. E. Oates of Dublin is now employed with W. H. Frey and will remove his family here as soon as he can find a suitable location.

Miss May Bruce, the young lady who was not long since tried on a charge of murdering her mother while in a fit of insanity, was married Thursday near here to L. R. Franklin.

AN APRIL BRACER.

Grape-Nuts Food Gives Spring in the Spring.

Teachers require nourishing food more than the average person for their work is nerve destroying and unless the food taken will surely rebuild the lost gray matter nervous prostration will set in.

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"Miss R— used to beg me to join her and give the food a trial but for some reason I never would try it until the spring of the present year. Then one day in April when I was very much in need of something bracing and was on the point of buying the usual tonic she prevailed upon me to begin using Grape-Nuts together from then until June.

"Previous to that, every spring I had been compelled to take bottle after bottle of tonics and then go home much run down but this year June found me well and strong after a most trying month of work, with never a thought about tonics other than the nourishment received from Grape-Nuts. Naturally I believe heartily in the merits of the food.

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1288 acres of Isaac Aldridge survey, 100 acres in cultivation, creek water, everlasting living water runs through the place. Two sets of improvements, very fine stock farm. Price, $8000. Terms to suit.

About 500 acres 2 miles S. of Stephenville, on Stephenville and Alexander road, divided into 3 pastures and 2 farms of 50 acres each, about 250 acres heavy timber that will yield about 12 cords of wood per acre, same being fine tillable land—mesquite and sedge grass. 4 wells, 1 windmill, 1 house, barn and outhouses, very good orchard, all under 4 wire fence, cedar posts, 1 mile of good rock fence. Price $12.50 per acre.

666-acre farm in good state of cultivation, with good well and windmill at house, house has 4 rooms and 2 galleries, lasting spring water, 2 good orchards, well fenced, cedar posts, 1 mile north of Marvel Gap schoolhouse. $5000 net, or will sell 316 acres, including land in cultivation, with house, $3000.

1600 acre pasture and stock farm, all under 4-wire fence, 40 acres in cultivation, 4-room house with gallery, one deep well with windmill. Pony creek runs through pasture, about 600 acres tillable land. Price $10,000.

400 acre stock farm, 6 miles east of Duffau, 3-room box house with gallery, spring water, 50 acres in cultivation, about 200 acres tillable, 3 wires, all enclosed, barn, seed pens and outhouses etc. Postoffice 1 1-2 miles; 2 good school-houses located on public road. Price $3200—$1500 cash, balance to suit.

340 acre stock farm, 10 miles northwest from Stephenville, on Lingleville and Huckaby and Eastland City roads, also on Stephenville and Eastland City road. One mile from union schoolhouse. 110 acres in fine state of cultivation, including 16 acres of new ground not stumped, balance pasture and timber land all fenced with 4 wires. New 5-room frame house, painted and well finished inside. One log house 1 1-2 story, 3 rooms well built, Good tank of water and 3 wells. Good ground for apple orchard, price $3900—$580 in 3 notes $150 each, $300 due next year and $150 next, or enough cash to make notes good.

140-acre farm located 3-4 mile east Morgan Mill, 80 acres in fine state of cultivation; about 60 is Paluxy valley land, balance is all tillable, but about 3 acres; fenced with 4-wire fence. Two-story frame house, 6 rooms, hall and gallery. Living creek water, 2 good dug wells, one at house and one at barn. Log crib or barn, shedded on three sides, with plenty of room for feed. 2 acres fenced old orchard, and about 30 young trees—some bearing; farm runs up to within 350 yards of Morgan mill. Fine school and churches. Price $2200—$1500 cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Interest 10 per cent.

410 acres of grass land fenced with 3 and 4 wires, 3-4 mile from above farm, and about same distance from Morgan mill. Sage and mesquite grass mixed; plenty of living water. Price $5 per acre.

371 acres pasture land 6 miles of Stephenville, fenced all around, 1-2 of fence belongs to place, about 35 acres tillable. 1-2 mesquite and 1-2 sage grass. Good grass land. Price $4.50 per acre. 1-3 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years. Interest 10 per cent. New tank on place.

About 550 acres located 21 miles north of Stephenville—7 miles south of Thurber, on Stephenville and Thurber road. All under fence and fair tenantable house, with 3 or 4 rooms. About 100 acres in cultivation, 150 more fine Bartons creek valley land. Price $10 per acre, 1-4 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.

200 acres of B. Frey survey, all tillable land, located 3 miles northwest from Victor. Price $5 per acre, 1-4 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.

320 acres of Wm. Cornett survey, unimproved, 2 miles northwest of Topaz; by actual survey, found to contain about 400 acres; part fine tillable land, balance good grass land, located on public road, about 2 miles of good school and gin. Will be sold as 320 acres at $10.50 per acre, 1-3 cash, balance on long time. Interest 8 per cent.

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FARM AND FLOCK.

Radishes are numerous.

Bran is in good demand.

Blackberries find ready sale.

Vegetables are in abundance.

Mathis ships many vegetables.

Strawberries are numerous now.

There is little old corn on hand.

Cabbage continues to find ready sale.

Scurry and Fisher counties have had fine rains.

Johnson county crops are in fine condition.

Kaffir corn will be largely planted this season in Oklahoma.

Over 800 acres are planted in melons near Thomaston and Nursery, Tex.

Some Collin county farmers report wheat suffering from wind and sun.

I. A. Wycob sold at Llano 320 hogs. They were raised in Kimble county.

S. P. Jones of Gonzales shipped eighten carloads of cattle to the Territory.

Twenty-two sections of rice land have ben sold around Katy, near Houston.

J. A. Miller of Bandera sold a bunch of steers at San Antonio at 4½ cents a pound.

Hailstones, it is claimed, as large as lemons, fell in Cooke county on the 28th ult.

Llano stockmen are driving their cattle to Lampasas for shipment to the Territory.

S. P. Jones lately shipped from Gonzales to the Indian Teritory eight cars of cattle.

Rains in western Iowa and Nebraska have carried wheat beyond the danger point.

Recent showers have put watermelons and other crops in the Mathis section in excellent condition.

On the irrigated farms adjacent to Laredo ther will be an increased onion acreage this season. Last year over $500 was netted per acre.

E. A. Schwartz, an entomologist of the United States department of agriculture, has found evidences of boll weelvil near Victoria.

In a number of Fannin county grain fields wheat and oats are in a critical condition. Stalks are turning yellow. Farmers are not agreed as to the cause.

C. C. Baldridge of Victoria shipped from Alva and Keeran the McFadden steers, which about winds up his shipments for the season to the Indian Territory, aggregating about 250 cars in all.

Many farmers near Tulsa, I. T., have formed a melon growers' association and will plant 1000 acres of canteloupes and several hundred in watermelons. A Chicago commission house has arranged to send a buyer to Tulsa.

There is a great demand for eggs in several western states, caused by certain Chicago packing houses purchasing all the available stock. As a consequence prices have rapidly advanced and may go to a much higher figure.

West of Brandon, Hill county, the high winds did a great deal of damage to growing crops of all kinds, but more especially to cotton that had not been plowed. Some farmers say from 30 to 50 per cent of their cotton was ruined.

E. F. Schwartz, an entomologist of the United States department of agriculture, who has made Victoria his headquarters for a year, has returned to Washington. He expects to return in the fall. Mr. Schwartz fears the boll weevil will return.

From present indications the cotton acreage of Oklahoma this year will be fully twice as large as that of last year. This is due to the fact that cotton is usually a sure and profitable crop in that territory.

A. P. Rachal has shipped recently from Alice to the Indian Territory thre trains and eight carloads of cattle one day, and the next day Mr. Rachal shipped three more trains to the same destination. They have been put on grass in that section.

Worms are operating in rice fields in the vicinity of Jennings, La., and doing much damage to the young plants. This condition is due to the extremely dry weather that has prevailed in that section for a long period, causing replanting.

The secretary of agriculture sent fifty pounds of selected Japanese rice to the Orange County Irrigation company to be planted by that company. The rice will be given a fair trial and compared with the Honduras quality, also being grown.

Sol Mayer of Sutton county has received from College Station fifteen Hereford calves, bulls and cows that he purchased last year at Fort Worth and sent to College Station to be immuned.

APPEAL FOR BOERS

Delegation Appears Before a House Subcommittee.

POLITICAL REFERENCE IS MADE.

One Man Predicts that if Republican Party Fails to Take Favorable Action it Will Lose One Million Votes.

Washington, May 6.—A large delegation appeared before a subcommittee of the house committee on foreign affairs Monday in the interest of the Boers in South Africa, including Dr. C. J. Hexemer of the National German alliance. He urged the adoption of a resolution asking the president to communicate with Great Britain an expression of sympathy for the Boers and expressing the hope that the unfortunate differences may be settled. He said that England at this time would not take umbrage, being enfeebled with the war.

Dr. Hexemer said he advocated the resolution as a Republican, and if it was pigeonholed it would mean the loss of a million votes of the German alliance.

Through Representative W. A. Smith a report of I. M. Bruyn was presented on the use of New Orleans as a base for military supplies for Great Britain. Others spoke of the use of American ports as supply camps for the British camps.

Representative Adams of the subcommittee, in closing the hearing, took exception to the introduction of politics, saying no such question was involved.

LIFE SENTENCE.

Three Indians Convicted of Murder Given that Penalty.

Fort Smith, Ark.: In the Federal court Monday afternoon Judge Rogers passed sentence upon Abel McGilberry, Isaac King and Morris Cooper, Choctaw Indians, who were convicted several months ago of killing John B. Drake in the Choctaw nation. The jury made life imprisonment the penalty, and that sentence was passed by the court, Leavenworth, Kan., being designated as the place of imprisonment.

These cases are old ones, having been on the docket several years, and were tried in this court under a provision of law which gives Indians the right of a change of venue to the Federal court here. These Indians were first indicted in the Central district of the Indian Territory. There were originally six defendants in the case, but three of them have died since they were indicted. All are connected with prominent Choctaw families. An appeal will be taken to the supreme court of the United States.

Scored Whisky Peddlers.

Ardmore, I. T.: The spring term of the United States court began here on Monday. Judge Hosea Townsend, in his charge to the grand jury, was very severe in his denunciation of the whisky peddlers in the Indian Territory, and said that more crime could be directly traced to the introduction and sale of liquor than to any other source. The grand jury was asked to especially investigate whisky cases and look up every one.

Raging Torrents.

Guthrie, Ok.: The Cottonwood and Cimarron rivers are the highest since the damaging flood of 1898, and the residents of the lowlands are moving to the uplands to escape another flood. The rain commenced to fall in torrents last Saturday night and since then there has been no abatement. All rivers are roaring torrents and bridges have been washed away. Workmen have been stationed at all the railroad and important bridges to try to save them.

Oklahoma Congregationalists.

Guthrie, Ok.: General Association of Congregational Churches of Oklahoma met at Perkins. The following new officers were elected: Moderator, T. H. Harper of Oklahoma City; scribe, W. F. Harding of Perkins; registerer and treasurer, W. F. Harding of Perkins; scribe, H. L. Saunderson of Kingfisher.

There was provision made to raise a $50,000 endowment for Congregational college at Kingfisher.

Is Ended.

Manila: The trial by court-martial of Gen. Jacob H. Smith has ended. The findings of the court will be forwarded to Washington.

The closing address of Col. Charles A. Woodruff for the defense was a remarkable oratorical effort that drew tears from his hearers. He dramatically sketched Gen. Smith's career and declared he had conducted a remarkable and successful campaign in a manner which reflected honor upon his valor, humanity and kindness.

COLOR LINE.

It Has Been Drawn by the Convention of Women's Clubs.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 6.—After a two hours' discussion of the question of admisson of colored women into the Women's clubs the anti-colored women won the day, when the convention voted overwhelmingly to accept what is known as the compromise amendment agreed upon in New York several weeks ago.

Monday morning there was suppressed excitement during the consideration of the charter, and when Mrs. A. I. Ganger, president of the Georgia federation, moved that sections 2 and 3 of article 2, parts of the proposed amendment, be considered first, every one knew the battle was on.

Mrs. Lowe retired from the chair temporarily, givng Mrs. Denison another opportunity to preside.

Section 2 was considered and finally adopted. Section 3 will come up.

The color discussion entirely overshadowed the parliamentary rules Monday, but at the same time reports are flying fast. There seems to be a feeling that the Decker forces are gaining ground.

DR. PALMER HURT.

The Venerable Presbyterian Divine Sustains Serious Injuries.

New Orleans, La.: Dr. B. M. Palmer, the noted Presbyterian divine, considered at the head of the Southern church, met with a terrible accident Monday afternoon.

Although 84 years old, he was very active and went about everywhere. He was crossing St. Charles avenue near his home and saw a trolley car coming along. As two ladies were at the corner, he supposed the car would stop, so he continued on his way. The ladies made no move and the car continued at full speed, striking the venerable minister and dragging him some distance.

He was carried to his home unconscious and it was found that one leg was broken, one foot mangled and his head gashed. He recovered consciousness later and the physicians at his bedside found him in much better condition Monday night than anticipated, although on account of his age there is still much danger.

The home has been besieged by all classes and kinds of people, and telegrams have been pouring in from everywhere.

QUEEN BEATER.

The Ruler of Holland Passed Through a Trying Ordeal.

The Hague: A bulletin issued at Castle Loo Monday afternoon stated that the condition of Queen Wilhemina was satisfactory up to that time.

It transpires that the first disquieting symptoms in the queen's condition manifested themselves during Saturday evening. An urgent summons was dispatched for an accoucheur, who remained at her majesty's bedside all night long, and summoned Dr. Roessings and Prof. Konwer, gynaecologist of Utrecht university, who arrived at Castle Loo Sunday afternoon. The condition of the queen was at that time considered extremely grave. The queen's mother and the prince consort did not leave the bedside.

J. P. Stafford of Brooklyn has his heart on right side.

Delayed.

Austin, Tex.: The treasury department and general land office are being delayed because of the investigating committee having the remittances and books of the current land business. The treasury department is unable to furnish the land office with receipts of first payments, final payments and lease payments, and therefore the land office cannot make awards of land or leases or issue patents. The delay has been over ten days.

Cuban Congress.

Havana: Cuban senate and house met Monday.

Governor General Wood made an address, wishing the legislators success. He informed them that no legislative power would be vested in congress until after the formal transfer of the government. Their work now was to pass upon credentials to inform the military government officially who had been elected president and vice president, senators and members of house.

Exclusive Feature Objected To.

Washington: President Havemeyer of the American Sugar Refining company continued his testimony before the committee on relations with Cuba. He was questioned by Senator Teller regarding the reduction in the price of sugar at Missouri river points. He said that beet sugar generally sold 10 points below cane sugar at the points affected. He did not object to difference in price, but to exclusive features of contracts.

WISH AGUINALDO.

Senators on Minority Side Insist that He Testify.

MR. CARMACK OF TENNESSEE

Declares that the Press Censorship Has Been So Far Conducted in Interest of the Dominant Party.

Washington, May 2.—Aguinaldo was the special subject of discussion in the senate Thursday. As soon as the Philippine government bill was taken up Mr. Carmack of Tennessee resumed his criticism of the Philippine committee because of its refusal to call Aguinaldo and other Filipinos as witnesses. He maintained that, as reflections by witnesses had been cast on the character of Aguinaldo, he ought to be permitted, "in all decency," to defend himself.

Mr. Carmack's position was sharply combatted by Mr. Foraker of Ohio, Mr. McComas of Maryland and Mr. Burton of Kansas.

Mr. Culberson of Texas, in support of a statement by Mr. Carmack that the war department suppressed information and falsified the Philippine situation, presented a letter from the secretary of war, which he thought was proof of the Tennessee senator's assertion. The secretary stated in the letter that it was not practicable to supply the information asked for, because no special account was kept of the Philippine war expenses, and it would require the services of a large force of clerks to work out the information desired.

At the conclusion of routine business a resolution, offered Wednesday by Mr. Culberson, calling for information with reference to recent orders issued in the Philippines, was adopted.

Senator Carmack declared that the letter of the secretary of war was simply a part of the "policy of suppression and falsification" which had been followed ever since the beginning of the Philippine business. He had read a letter sent to the general manager of the Associated Press by Robert M. Collins, its Manila correspondent, and declared that the letter demonstrated that the news in the Philippines was suppressed, not as a military measure, but to protect the interests of the Republican party.

Mr. Burton of Kansas replied to some of the remarks of Mr. Carmack concerning Gen. Funston's statements of the Luna killing, and declared that the Tennessee senator's remarks showed that he was controlled by feeling, and not by discriminating judgment.

Souvenir Programme.

During the late Confederate reunion the Texas Midland Railway company issued a most creditable and valuable pamphlet. It contained the official programme, committees, the various corps, time table of street car lines, and location of depots, etc. Then followed a list of counties the Midland traverses, dates southern states joined the Confederacy, first cabinet, notable events and battles of the Civil war, with generals in command. A map of the road and a magnificent cover complete this artistic print.

The May St. Nicholas has among other good things a funny story of a cat.

Club Women Convene.

Los Angeles, Cal.: The formal opening of the club women's convention was marked by brilliant scenes. Hundreds of visitors packed the auditorium to the roof, the interior was embellished with fifty thousand calla lilies and representative American women sat on the platform, while the happy greetings were exchanged between hostesses and guests.

The opening day was otherwise distinguished by two separate questions which would have developed into sensations had they reached the convention. One of them, which got as far as the board of directors, had to do with the turning down of a delegate from a secret society. The other, which concerned the possible unseating of Mrs. Roberts of Salt Lake City, wife of the former congressman from Utah, in the event that she should try to appear as a delegate, was squelched in its native state.

Thousands of workmen are on strike in New England.

Terribly Maugled.

Kewanee, Ill.: Four lives were lost here Thursday morning on a Main street crossing of the Burlington railroad. The Burlington fast mail train, eastbound, which runs through Kewanee without stopping, ran down a carriage containing four young people, and all were instantly killed. The dead:

Miss Maggie Keesler, Kewanee.
Miss Blanche Harding, Kewanee.
C. A. Puters, Galva.
E. A. Emery, Galva.

HAVEMEYER HEARD.

He Testifies Before a Senate Committee Relative to Sugar Matters.

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Replying to questions by Platt, Mr. Havemeyer said pany was generally known as trust, and that its refineries as follows: In New Jersey York three, Massachusetts delphia two and New Orleans

"Will you," Senator "tell the committee how much sugar, if any, has been purchased is now held by your company?"

"Since early in February have purchased 50,000 tons of bags, or about ten days' supplied the witness. "Of that 26,000 tons is now in process ment from Cuba."

The prices paid, he said, from $1.75 to $1.92, the highest being pand on March 13 and on April 22.

"Where do you buy your raw

"All over the world—in Cuba, Hamburg, Trieste, the British Indies, South America—wherever is grown."

"Does the 50,000 tons you represent your entire purchases Cuba since the 1st of February?"

"No; we have bought all the tons of Cuban sugars during present year, or about three-fourths month's supply, our consumption about 35,000 tons per week."

"Do you control any sugar other than that purchased?"

"None whatever in any case."

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Plan Indorsed.

New Orleans: The Louisiana ers' association indorsed the order system similar to the vogue in Texas.

J. W. Butler, secretary of the ers' association of Texas, read communication, which outlined success of the interchange among the Texas banks. He that it was the only plan by the bankers could successfully express and postal money tems, which reap the revenues pect the banks to handle the free of charge. The Louisiana tion, after a full discussion, resolution indorsing the system.

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The May Century has a double tispiece in color, showing reclaimed land in Arizona.

Large Fire Loss.

Terrell, Tex.: A big fire in this city at 5:15 o'clock afternoon. The fire broke out south end of Ables & Walton's sheds, on East Moore avenue, union depot. The flames spread the buildings and sheds, fanned strong wind from the south. lumber sheds, buildings and were destroyed. An ironclad situated just west of the lumber caught fire and was burned, with a quantity of plumber's and equipment belonging Gainesville Plumbing company had just been put in the building Bradshaw's wagon yard and across the street, also burned.

The losses are:

Ables & Walton, $15,000; for $7000.

John McGraw, building, $2 Gainesville Plumbing $1000; partially covered by C. Bradshaw, building, $ for $500; contents $300, cov surance.

Gov. Davis Returns.

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See Dr. Snider's ad. He gives best dental work—guaranteed.

W. T. Miller is at home this week on his ranch near Stamford.

Mrs. Rogers is on a visit this week with her son at Ballinger.

Capt. R. G. Armstrong of Comanche was here a day or two this week on business.

Mrs. J. D. Brock and children are this week visiting the family of Mr. Broom at Comanche.

Miss Josie Mosley returned last Friday evening from a visit with relatives at Kennedale.

A girl baby was born last Friday night at the home of A. R. Hester and lady in south Dublin.

J. J. Wilson, now a merchant at Paradise, Texas, spent Tuesday at the old home at Stephenville.

For sale at Ice Plant—A large quantity of second hand one-inch pipe. Also two small platform scales. 1t.

Mayor Tom Webb of De Leon is being mentioned as a probable candidate for representative in Comanche county.

The next annual meeting of the Knights of P. grand lodge will meet at Fort Worth. The meeting at Waco recently was largely attended.

Mrs. H. A. Boaz went to Dallas last Tuesday morning to attend the general conference of the Methodist church in session at that place this week.

There were eighty-two pelicans counted on the lake at Thurber last Friday evening. Two of them were killed, the largest measuring nine feet and three inches from tip to tip.

County Attorney O. S. Lattimore of Ft. Worth was here Saturday en route home from a trip to De Leon in the interest of the candidacy of Hon. O. W. Gillespie of Ft. Worth for congress.

W. H. Farley, who has for several years been farming several miles below Dublin on the Proctor and Dublin road has recently removed to Comanche and leased the Wagon Yard there.

If you know an item of news don't fail to mention it to a Progress reporter. Kindly interests of this kind always helps to make the paper better and are heartily appreciated by the publisher.

J. T. Daniel returned Saturday morning from Sterling county, Northwest of San Angelo, where he had been a week fishing and prospecting. He expects to shortly begin work to complete an abstract of that county.

Mayor R. B. Spencer returned last Friday morning from a prospecting trip of over a week through Oklahoma and the Territory. He was accompanied by Messrs. W. R. Church and L. W. Wade of Temple and R. R. Nobblin and another gentleman from South Boston, Virginia.

A. S. Jones, who formerly resided in Erath county, but who now lives near Thackerville, I. T., writes the Progress under recent date some encouraging crop reports. He says corn and oats are looking fine there, cotton is coming up nicely and they have been bountifully blessed with good rains.

The only reason every man who wears pants doesn't wear the Buckskin Breeches is because he hasn't tried them. 'Tisn't reasonable to expect any man to wear common pants if he can get the best for the same price. Ask your dealer to show you a pair of Buckskins the next time you buy pants.

Sam G. Harris and family of Meridian passed through Dublin last Saturday spending the night, with relatives at this place. He was en route to Stamford prospecting with a view to locating. They spent Tuesday in Dublin on their return home. Mr. Harris was very favorably impressed with the Stamford country.

C. A. Housley and family came in last Saturday to spend a week with friends here and possibly to again locate at this place or some where in this section. For several years after removing from Dublin he was manager of the Spencer lumber interests at Granbury but has been for a year or so residing in the Territory.

A meeting of the old board of school trustees was held Tuesday evening for the purpose of canvassing and declaring the result of Saturday's election and closing up the business transacted by the board. The new trustees will be sworn in as soon as the properly signed commissions have been received from the county judge.

Prim Bros. last week received a car load of the celebrated Purina Food for stock, the car being one of a train of twenty-two cars shipped by the Purina Mills at St. Louis to various points in Louisiana and Texas. It is the third complete train of the feed that has been shipped south since the company has been manufacturing it and each car of the train was decorated on both sides with a large sign bearing the name of the feed and the address of the party to whom the particular car was sent. The passage of the train through different points on its route to destinations was variously noted by the press and commented upon as one of the few instances of such a large shipment of any one particular article of merchandise.

J. L. Mayfield of Dublin is preparing to put in an apple orchard of six hundred and fifty acres in Deaf Smith county, near Amarillo this year. He expects to set out none but the Black Ben Davis variety and having tested the land as to adaptability for growing apples he is very sanguine of being able in a short time to reap a magnificent harvest. This will probably be one of the largest apple orchards in Texas and the friends of Mr. Mayfield hope for him the success that he deserves in this venture.

The Progress has in the past several years accumulated a big lot of governmental reports on agriculture and other matters of interest, printed in various sized volumes. We have absolutely no time to give to their perusal and wishing some one to be benefitted by them we shall distribute them among our farmer friends if they will call at the office and ask for them. If you want any of them call early and a reasonable number are yours for the asking.

Miss Lizzie Laurie of near Carbon died very suddenly last Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. She was a sister of Mrs. Joe Reid of this place and having visited here frequently was well known. The Progress joins her many friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved relatives. Mr. Reid and wife went up on the noon train Sunday to attend the funeral which took place in Carbon Sunday afternoon.

A. E. Oates came in Wednesday from Stephenville to spend a day with home folks preparatory to removing his family to that place about the first of next month. Mr. Oates has been a citizen of Dublin for many years and we greatly regret the loss of himself and family from our citizenship. He is employed in the hardware and implement establishment of W. H. Frey.

Dr. Mayes Miller, who has been practicing his profession at Iredell for sometime, has returned to Dublin and will locate. He will occupy the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. C. F. Ulmer over the Grange Store. Mayes is a Dublin raised boy and there is no reason why he should not build up and maintain a good practice at this place.

Following is the program for the Christian endeavor, Sunday, May 11: Subject, "Jesus, the Living Bread," Scripture, John 6: 22-25; John 6: 48-58. Leader, James Marable. Readings, Misses Nellie Andrew, Maggie Hartgrove, Daisy Trout, and Gilbert Williams. Recitations, Misses Annie Cargile and Stella Evans.

There will be wagons at the Christian church Saturday morning to take all to Alexander who wish to go, No charges. News comes from Stephenville and Hico that they are expecting to bring large crowds.

Jno. E. McCarty and Hon. Ben Palmer are preparing to engage in the raising of Angora goats on a somewhat extensive scale on Mr. Palmer's ranch on the east side of the county.—Empire.

The Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian Sunday schools are to have a joint picnic at Alexander to-day. We understand the public schools at this place will be dismissed for the day.

At the Christian church the Sunday morning subject will be "Prayer," and the evening subject "Legal Charges Against Belhsazzar."

A. E. (Bud) Oates of this place has recently accepted a position as salesman in the implement house of W. H. Frey at Stephenville.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson and children of De Leon visited friends and relatives in this city the latter part of last week.

Capt. F. Cain and lady, of San Jose, Cal., who have been here the past week, left Wednesday for home.

The woven wire fencing for the Christian church lot has arrived and will be put up in a few days.

Dr. Mayes Miller suffered a four hundred dollar loss by the death of his fine horse this week.

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Democratic Nominees.

For Representative:
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R. T. (RIGGS) ROBERTS.
For Tax Assessor:
M. L. ASHWORTH.
For County Treasurer:
J. T. STARR.
For Commissioner Precinct 2.
L. R. MAYFIELD.
For Justice of the Peace Prec. No. 2,
W. R. (Bud) ABLES.

Independent Candidates.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 8.
J. W. (WINN) SMITH.

Dr. Armendt of Kentucky was here last week on a visit to his brother, J. A. Armendt.

J. H. King, who has for six years been farming near Proctor has recently removed to Dublin.

I. H. McMillan of Stephenville is holding the position of special judge in the district court at Stephenville this week.

D. P. Cline has leased the Cain farm and pasture near his own place for the coming year to take charge on the first of next January.

If it is strictly first-class FLOUR you want, and that which is sold under a positive guarantee, come to ROBERTS & BRYAN.

The Wichita Valley railroad is expected soon to be extended from Seymour to Stamford. The extension will make some important connections.

The Kansas City Weekly Star and the Progress will for a limited time be sent to any address one year for $1.25.

I have recently purchased a latest improved patent fly shuttle carpet loom and now solicit work in that line.—Mrs. M. C. Easley. 46tf

Good biscuit are made only out of the best flour, and soft wheat makes the best flour. If you want good bread buy your flour from Roberts & Bryan.

You know what you are taking when you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay, 50c.

The Risien property near the stand pipe for sale cheap or rent. Apply to Jno T. Risien at Progress office or E. W. Abrahams. 45

Every person interested in the Cottonwood grave yard are requested to meet there Saturday morning, May 17, with tools to work the yard in every way to improve it.

For sale—A few fine full blooded Durham male yearlings and a few fine cows and calves. Also a few young Norman horses, broke to ride and work.—Dr. T. Y. Lewis. 41tf

Miss Norma Ives, who has been visiting the family of her uncle, H. L. Preston, has returned to Beaumont in response to a message advising her of the sudden and serious illness of her mother.

Mr. Fitzgerald died at Stephenville Monday morning and was buried with Odd Fellow ceremonies at Johnson school house the following day. Several members of the lodge from this place attended the funeral.

The best prescription for malaria, chills and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tastless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tastless form. No cure, no pay, price 50c.

At Cost.

For the next thirty days I will sell my whiskey stock that I have on hand at actual cost.

The reason for this is that I have moved a large stock from Stephenville to this place and the two stocks together is much larger than I can afford to handle, hence, as above, for the next thirty days I will sell any of my stock at cost in amounts from one quart to anything less than five gallons.—Zack Eakins, Dublin, Texas.

The T. & P. railroad gives choice of routes via New Orleans, Shreveport and Texarkana and Memphis for the Southern Baptist Convention at Asheville, N. C. May 8th to 15th. For all points in Texas east of Big Springs tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip on May 5th to 7th. Further information regarding rates, schedule, sleeper accomodations etc. may be had from any local ticket agent of the road or E. P. Turner, G. P. A., Dallas, Texas.

In the democratic primaries held last Saturday in Hamilton county J. W. Warren was nominated for county judge, R. G. Murphee for attorney, G. W. Oliver for clerk, T. P. Kinney for sheriff, W. S. Graves for collector, R. W. Scott for assessor, R. C. Cornelius for district clerk, Geo. E. Terry for treasurer and W. T. Saxon for surveyor. R. S. Henry carried the county for congress over Cullen F. Thomas.

Prof. Elzie Jennings and Miss Dickey Long of near Harbin were married at the residence of the bride's father Wednesday evening, Rev. Addison Clark of Add-Ran college officiating. They are both popular young people and enjoy the friendship of the entire community, with whom the Progress joins in wishing them much happiness.

One fine No. 3 sorghum mill and twelve foot copper bottom evaporator for sale at a big bargain. Apply to W. F. Gilbreath, Sr., nine miles south of Dublin. 46tf

Col. H. L. Bentley of Abilene is here this week in the interest of an advertising proposition on a map of Texas which is a special patent of his own and to which he has devoted several years of work. It is the most complete thing in the way of a map that has yet been offered to the public.

The state treasurer has notified the state board of education that there is to the credit of the available school fund for this month the sum of $225,000, which is twenty thousand dollars more than is necessary to make the ordinary per capita apportionment of forty cents.

The Latham Co. have disposed of their general merchandising store at Gustine to Messrs Watson Bros. of Stevenville and Dublin, one of them being H. S. Watson, who recently made the race for tax collector in this county.

Tom Earley and "Grandma" Keith started yesterday evening on the Central flyer for White Oaks, New Mexico, where they will remain. They will be met this evening at El Paso by Messrs Will Eddleman and Hillery Leslie.

Dr. J. J. Mulloy, practice limited to the diseasesof the eye, ear, nose and throat. Office over the Grange Store, Dublin, Texas.

Rev. Sid Williams is holding revival meetings at Weatherford which began Sunday night.

Shoo Fly.

Screen doors! Screen doors! New stock just received, large assortment at low prices.—H. A. Smith & Co. 44tf.

Big Cattle Sale.

I will sell 40 or 50 head of full blood native raised Durham cattle, at Dublin, Texas, Thursday, June 6th, 1902. Milch cows with calves, heifers and yearling males. Terms of sale, one-half cash, balance five months credit. Sale to begin promptly at 1 o'clock p. m.

DR. T. Y. LEWIS.

Texas Central Excursions.

State Dental Association at Waco May 13th to 16th, round trip rate $4.20 on the certificate plan.

Meeting State Firemans Association at Waco May 14th and 15th. Tickets on sale 13th and 14th good to return by 17th, rate round trip $3.45 from Dublin.

Southern Baptist Convention, Ashville, N. C., May 8th to 15th inclusive. Tickets on sale 5th to 7th inclusive, good to return by 24th. Round trip from Dublin $31.85, can be extended to June 2nd for 50c.

Fort Worth & Rio Grande Excursions.

For the following occasions round trip tickets will be sold at rates named below:

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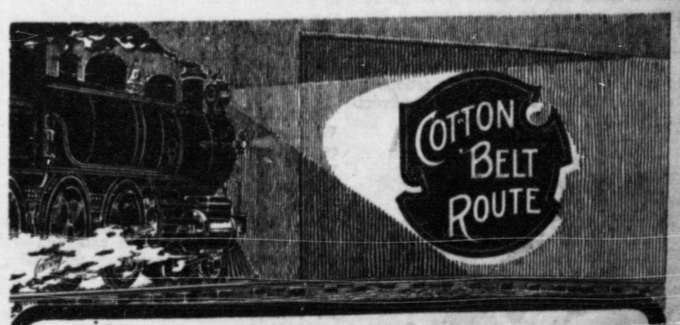
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THE PHILIPPINE BILL

Another Day of Criticism and Defense in the Senate.

MR. M'COMAS SPEAKS

He Defends the Administration and Charges to Democrats the Responsibility of Conditions—Tillman Defends His Party.

Washington, May 7.—When the senate convened Wednesday, Mr. Cullom, chairman of the foreign relations committee reported favorably a bill making appropriations for the diplomatic and consular service of the United States in the Republic of Cuba. The salary of the minister is fixed at $12,000.

Mr. Spooner of Wisconsin offered an additional appropriation amendment not exceeding $5000 a year for rental of proper legation residence in Havana. It was agreed to. As an amended the bill was passed.

Mr. Hawley, the chairman of the



LOUIS E. M'COMAS.

committee on military affairs, reported the army appropriation bil.

Mr. Culberson of Texas inquired whether the secretary of war had responded to his resolution of the first instant concerning the orders of Generals Bell and Smith. When informed that no response had been received, he offered a resolution directing the secretary of war to send the senate copies of all orders, instructions, letters and cablegrams relating to concentration in the Philippines and also copies of all orders, instructions, letters and cablegrams relating to the order of Brig. Gen. Jacob H. Smith, to Maj. Waller.

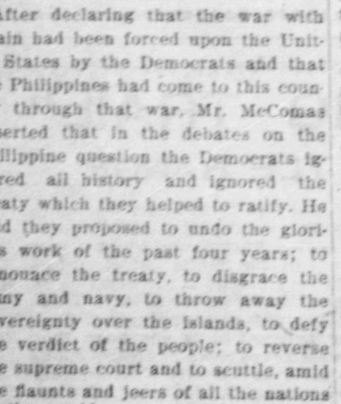
Mr. Lodge said that as a resolution of which the above was an amplification had been asked only five days ago he would ask that the resolution go over. It was so ordered.

Consideration of the Philippines bill then was resumed and Mr. McComas of Maryland, addressed the senate in support of the measure.

After declaring that the war with Spain had been forced upon the United States by the Democrats and that the Philippines had come to this country through that war, Mr. McComas asserted that in the debates on the Philippine question the Democrats ignored all history and ignored the treaty which they helped to ratify. He said they proposed to undo the glorious work of the past four years; to denounce the treaty, to disgrace the army and navy, to throw away the sovereignty over the islands, to defy the verdict of the people; to reverse the supreme court and to scuttle, amid the flaunts and jeers of all the nations of the world.

The benefit provided in the pending bill, he said was being obstructed by the minority of the senate, the members of which confined their speeches to denunciations of the army. He said that all humane men deplored the administration of the watercure by Americans, but he insisted it was not patriotic to clutch at every charge made against our army. He made a warm defense of Gen. Funston and paid a high tribute to his courage and patriotism. Mr. McComas paid a high tribute to President McKinley, President Roosevelt and Secretary Root.

Discussing the alleged cruelties, said to be practised by American troops in the Philippines, Mr. McComas adverted to many such instances during the



SENATOR TILLMAN.

civil war—instances furnished by both the Union and Confederate forces. He referred to Sherman's march to the sea "lighted by the burning of bridges and hamlets;" an dto the horrors of Andersonville and Libbey prisons. He urged as to those prisons that the Confederate soldiers as a body were not to be charged with the acts of a few. He spoke, he said, in defense of the soldiers of both the north and the south. The army in the Philippines, he contended, was no more justly to be charged with approving of isolated instances of cruelty than were the armies of the north and south during the civil war. He paid a tribute to the humanity of the American troops in the Philippines and cited many instances of tenderness and mercy.

Mr. McComas said the policy of the minority was one of scuttle and that they steal away from the islands and leave them to anarchism and imperialism.

Referring to elections in the south, Mr. McComas said that the senators from South Carolina and Mississippi (Tillman and Money) cried out against the small percentage of voters in the early elections in the Philippines. After discussing the election methods in the states referred to he said:

"We behold senators from the two states where there is less popular liberty than in any others shouting loudest for constitutional liberty on this side of the globe."

In conclusion he said: "The administration of President Roosevelt will not haul down our flag in the Philippines. This administration will follow the path wherein President McKinley walked."

While Mr. McComas was referring to some of the cruelties of war inflicted on both sides during the civil war, Mr. Tillman protested against the injectment into the debate of statements likely to stir up bitterness.

Mr. McComas had referred to instances of cruelties committed by both sides in the civil war simply, he said, with the idea that war itself was most cruel.

Mr. Tillman replied to some of the statements made by the Maryland senator, with reference to election methods of South Carolina and Mississippi as compared with the outrages said to have been committed by American soldiers in the Philippines. He declared that Mr. McComas had passed over with complacency the "outrages and iniquities and barbarities," which had been, he said, committed by American soldiers. He discussed the situation in the south and declared that if it had been known prior to the conclusion of the war that in the south the reins of government were to be turned over to the negroes there would have been inaugurated a guerrilla warfare in the swamps of the south that would have been kept up indefinitely.

In his own state there were 200,000 more negroes than whites and in Mississippi 200,000 more colored than white people. In order to maintain their self-respect, the whites, he declared, were obliged to take the reins of government in the south by whatever means they could, using the shotgun as one means.

He insisted that the Republican contention was that the negroes of the south were fitten to govern in this country, but that the Filipinos were not fitted to govern themselves in the Philippines. In the United States, he maintained, a serious problem confronted the government—the negro problem—and we might better try to solve that than to hunt for trouble in the Philippines.

"Throughout the south," said he, "there is a horror hanging over every household for this awful fear of rapine. And you turn your back upon it and march to the east where you murder and butcher and torture the poor Filipinos. And you are doing all this in the name of Christianity and humanity and liberty. I can see the hypocrisy oozing out of you all over."

"You are taunting us," said he, "about our treatment of the negroes of the south, hoping at the same time that we will not interfere with your game of deviltry in the Philippines. We hope you will help us of the south to get rid of the threat of negro domination which hangs over us like the sword of Damocles. Lynchings will continue as long as those fiends rape our women."

Mr. Burton of Kansas replied to Mr. Tillman, criticising severely his remarks, and Mr. Clapp of Minnesota put in afew words of protest.

The House.

Washington, May 7.—Some routine business was transacted in the house Wednesday, the senate amendment to the bill to authorize municipalities in the Indian Territory with 2000 inhabitants or over, to issue bonds, was agreed to.

Mr. Sherman of New York called up the conference report on the Indian appropriation bill.

Mr. Little of Arkansas, one of the conferees did not sign the report owing to his opposition to certain of its features and it was arranged that there should be an hour's debate upon a side.

The conference report was adopted, 97 to 85.

The house then began consideration of the bill to provide enabling acts for the admission of the territories of Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma. Mr. Knox of Massachusetts, chairman.

To Test Spanish Land Grants.

Austin, May 8.—There was argued Wednesday in the Fifty-third district court the case of the state of Texas vs. Thomas O'Connor, to recover 19,410 acres of land in Webb county granted by the king of Spain at the time Spain owned Texas. The old Spanish land grants are attacked on the grounds that they are not valid in Texas, and five other suits are pending to recover lands in Webb county as follows: From Claude Hamilton et al. 11,270 acres, from Procopia Garza de Villeral et al. 29,666 acres, from J. A. Ortiz et al. 139,482 acres, from Juan Manuel Flores et al. 22,240 acres and from Juan Vela Cuellar et al. 8852 acres.

To Cultivate Rice Lands.

Austin, July 8.—The secretary of state has granted a permit to do business in Texas to the Texas Land and Irrigation company, with a capital stock of $2,000,000. This company was chartered under the laws of South Dakota, but will maintain its principal offices in Texas at Houston. It will engage in the cultivation of rice on an extensive scale near Wallis.

GENERAL CONFERENCE

Quadrennial Meeting of the M. E. Church, South.

THE OPENING DAY

Welcoming Address and Responses the First Order—The Senior Bishop Delivered His Message to the General Conference.

Dallas, May 8.—Bishop A. W. Wilson of Baltimore, in the absence of Bishop Keener of New Orleans, called the fourteenth quadriennial conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, to order in the old auditorium at the Texas State Fair grounds Wednesday. The large hall was well filled with clerical and lay delegates, and several hundred auditors in addition to the delegates listened intently to the proceedings.

Bishop Wilson read hymn No. 221, "Draw Near, O Son of God, Draw Near," which was sung by the entire assembly, led by the choir.

Bishop B. K. Hargrove of Nashville Tenn., offered up the invocation.

Bishop E. R. Hendrix of Kansas City read the ninety-ninth Psalm.

Bishop A. W. Candler of Atlanta Ga., read a selection from the Epistle to the Ephesians.

Bishop H. C. Morrison of Atlanta Ga., read hymn No. 191, which was sung by the assemblage, the choir leading.

Dr. John J. Tigert, of Nashville, Tenn., secretary of the last general conference, then called the roll of delegates, lay and clerical.

When the name of H. C. Morrison of the Louisville conference was called Dr. E. M. Boswell of the Louisiana conference gave notice that he would challenge his right to a seat on some irregularity—and other names have to be passed upon by the credentials committee.

Dr. J. J. Tigert of the Louisville conference and book editor of the M. E. Church, South, was re-elected secretary unanimously and A. F. Watkins of the Mississippi conference and J. M. Barcus of the North Texas conference, assistant secretaries.

Addres of welcome then came, Governor Sayers welcoming the conference in behalf of the state, Mayor Cabell in behalf of the city, Judge Perkins for the laity and Dr. Rankin for the ministry. Bishop Galloway of Mississippi replied in behalf of the conference.

Bishop W. W. Duncan then read the episcopal address. Its reading consumed two hours' time and was listened to attentively. This address is to the conference what a president's message is to congress, and it is referred to different subcommittees for action.

The address states that there are 6,000,000 members of the Methodist church in America, with property valued at $200,000,000. This includes churches, buildings, schools, colleges, etc.

Charged With Murder.

Little Rock, May 8.—J. A. Huddleston, a Perry county merchant, has been placed in jail here on a charge of murder in the first degree in the killing of Samuel Childers, postmaster of Jennings Falls. The evidence is circumstantial. Childers was found dead on the roadside April 24 last, having been shot and his throat cut. About two months ago Huddleston was arrested on a charge of being J. A. Anderson, a fugitive from justice at Paris, Tex., since 1890. He was taken to Texas and discharged. It is alleged that Childers had informed on Huddleston and the latter was arrested on suspicion of having killed Childers through revenge. A writ of habeas corpus has been applied for.

Davis Replies to Charges.

Little Rock, May 8.—Governor Davis has filed a reply to the charge preferred against him by the discipline committee of the Second Baptist church of which he is a member. He insists that in accordance with the church rules and usage the charges must be made over the signature of an individual member and not through a committee on discipline which, he declares, is an unheard of thing in the Baptist church. The governor concludes his reply as follows: "Let some able-bodies man who is at the back of these charges prefer them and sign them, and I am ready for trial, but not till then."

Killed by a Fall.

Vinita, I. T., May 8.—News has reached here of the death of Charles Pierce, a prominent Cherokee lawyer of Braggs, I. T. Pierce fell from his wagon, sustaining injuries that proved fatal. Deceased had resided in the Cherokee nation for the past 20 years, coming here from New York. He held several offices of honor and trust under the Cherokee tribal government and was an honest and faithful public servant.

Jiminez Relinquishes the Presidency.

Washington, May 8.—Cable advices received here state President Jiminez, of the Dominican Republic, has signed a relinquishment of his claims to the presidency and on his part Horacio Vasquez, the late vice president, has granted amnesty to the adherents of the late government and assumed the presidential office.

Texas Mayors' Convention.

Corsicana, Tex., May 8.—Mayor Hicks has called the annual convention of the Mayors' Association of Texas to meet at Corsicana on Thursday and Friday, May 22 and 23.

WRECK AT A CROSSING.

Two Men Killed and Seven Injured and Freight Trains Wrecked.

Topeka, Kan., May 8.—During a heavy fog the east bound extra freight train on the Union Pacific ran into the regular east bound freight train at a crossing north of Topeka, causing a bad wreck and killing two men and injuring seven others.

The dead are:

Al McCandless, a stock man, Natoma, Kas.

An unidentified stockman, from Luray, Kas.

The injured:

H. W. Kueker, Miles, Kas., head badly cut.

G. E. Fields, Hoxie, Kas., badly bruised.

John Buzzard, Belleview, Kan., bruised.

John Hummerlund, St. Marys, Kas., leg cut.

Ed. Arnold, Chapman, Kas., internally injured.

Joseph Hurst, Cheyenne, internally injured and forehead cut.

The regular train stopped at the crossing as usual. Just when starting up, the extra, coming at the rate of 40 miles an hour, struck the caboose, splitting it completely in two. Three cars on extra train badly broken up and engine derailed.

Engineer Zimmerman of the extra says he did not see any lights on the regular train on account of the fog.

All the injured were stockmen going east on the extra with cattle.

REMARKABLE STATEMENT.

Emperor Francis Joseph Says He Will Cater to His Allies.

Buda Pest, May 8.—"As in the past, so in future, the constant endeavor of my government will be directed to fostering close relations with our allies, well feeling that confidence with all other powers would contribute to the maintenance and consolidation of European peace."

This most interesting passage, from a general international view, is the reply of Emperor Francis Joseph to the address of delegations of Austria-Hungary at a reception held in the castle at Buda.

The emperor also made a brief, but important reference to the Balkan situation, saying: "Our unvarying events near the east are conducive to continued maintenance of order and tranquility of those regions."

CHIEFS OF POLICE.

There Are Over Two Hundred Attending Meeting at Louisville.

Louisville, May 8.—The ninth annual convention of chiefs of police of the United States and Canada was called to order yesterday morning by Mayor Charles F. Grainger. About 225 delegates were in attendance. The response was made by President Sylvester.

Harvey O. Carr, secretary and treasurer of the association, made his report and President Sylvester read his annual address and report. Major Sylvester then appointed committees.

During the meeting the laws will be changed in order to make the organization an international association. This will admit members from every country instead of from the United States and Canada as at present.

Rabbis in Session.

New Orleans, May 8.—The conference of Jewish rabbis took up the question of transferring the Jewish Sabbath to the Christian Sunday. There was an interesting discussion. It is known that many rabbis favor the change. St. Louis, New York, Cincinnati and Chicago are heard from. The conference is deeply interested. The lengthy debate is to be resumed to-day. It is of direct concern to all Jews.

Natchez Team Won.

Natchez, Miss., May 8.—Natchez won the team trophy, a solid silver loving cup offered by the Mississippi and Louisiana Trap Shooters' association at their fifth annual tournament which closed at the Gaillard Shooting club grounds Wednesday. There were three men to each team with Greenville, Vicksburg, Woodville and Natchez, Miss., Baton Rouge and Shreveport, La., as the contestants. The next tournament will take place at Shreveport, La., June 17 and 18.

Shot While Hunting.

Whitewright, Tex., May 8.—While Roscoe Darwin and Charley Ball, who live in the country near this place, were out hunting Darwin was accidentally shot. The ball took effect in his head and will likely prove fatal.

Authorized to Issue Bond.

Washington, May 8—After some routine business was transacted in the house the senate amendment to the bill to authorize municipalities in the Indian Territory with 2000 inhabitants or over to issue bonds was agreed to.

Meyers Says Peace Is Probable.

London, May 8.—The wife of General Lucas Meyer, commander of the Orange Free State forces, who is in this country, has received a cablegram from her husband saying peace in South Africa was probable.

Dr. Palmer's Condition.

New Orleans, May 8.—Dr. Palmer, who was injured in a trolley accident on Monday, passed a restless night but consultation his physicians declare his condition to be fair.

Will Sign Oleomargarine Bill

Washington, May 8.—All doubt as to the president's intention in respect to signing the oleomargarine bill has been removed when he announced he would give it his approval.

REBELS IN CONTROL

Vasquez Men Hold Important Cities in Santo Domingo.

HAVE THE CAPITAL

Preceding Capitulation of Santo Domingo City There Was Two Days Fighting in Which Many Men Were Killed.

Monte Christi, May 8.—Further confirmation have been received of the surrender of San Domingo, the capital of Santo Domingo, on Friday last to the revolutionary forces commanded by Vice President Vasquez.

A provisional government established there retain power until new elections can be held.

Peace is completely re-established in the southern part of Santo Domingo.

Advices from Purto Plata, on the north coast announce that the crew of the Dominican war vessel at that port has sided with the insurgents and conveyed to Governor Gen. Deschamps an order to surrender.

An agreement providing for the suspension of hostilities at Purto Plata was signed later in the day so as to permit the drawing up of conditions on which the port would capitulate to revolutionists.

When San Domingo city surrendered to Vice President Vasquez, President Jiminez sought refuge in the French consulate there.

Later in the day it became known here that Purto Plata capitulated to the revolutionists who took possession of the town and fort.

General Deschamps, former governor, embarked on board a French steamer, bound for Hayti. All quiet at Purto Plata.

There was no enthusiasm shown by the population at entry of the victorious army.

The approach of the revolutionists to the capital was announced after two days' heavy fighting betwen government troops and the forces of Gen. Vasquez during which time many were killed or wounded on both sides.

When it became known that General Vasquez threatened attack on Santo Domingo, the United States Minister Powell, as dean of the diplomatic corps, requested the Dominican government to inform him regarding arrangements adopted to protect the lives and property of foreigners, adding in case no precautions had been taken he would consider it his duty to take such measures that would provide for the safety as the situation demanded.

The nature of the reply of the government was not made public.

No foreign warships were at Santo Domingo, though the United States cruiser Cincinnati was expected.

Schley on Sampson's Death.

Washington, May 8.—Admiral Schley made the following statement regarding the death of Admiral Sampson:

"I regret very much the death of Admiral Sampson, and I sympathize with the family. No one ever heard me utter one unkind word about him. On account of his death I requested my friends at Baltimore to postpone the delivery to me, which was intended to take place Wednesday night, the Cristobal Colon service of silver, and they accepted my request."

Archbishop Corrigan's Successor.

New York, May 8.—It will be nearly 40 days, under the church law, before the three names selected by the bishops of the province can be sent to Rome and submitted to the pope, from which he will make a choice, if he does not decide to disregard them all, as the successor to Archbishop Corrigan. The most prominent among those named in the quiet discussion of the probabilities are Bishop Farley, Bishop McDonnell, Father Charles H. Colton and Father J. H. McGaff.

Will Ruf Eating Houses.

San Francisco, May 8.—The Southern Pacific railroad has decided to take under its own management all eating houses and lunch places on the entire railroad system, more than 8000 miles in California, Oregon, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and Louisiana, and assume the supervision of restaurants on the San Francisco transport ferries between this city and Oakland, and this city and Alemeda.

Editor Shorten Dead.

Denver, Colo., May 8.—John Shorten, editor of the Cripple Creek Hersid, and one of the best known newspaper men in Colorado, is dead. Mr. Shorten was 65 years old and was born in England. He saw service in the Confederate army and was on board the Trent at the time of the capture of the Confederate agents, Mason and Slidell.

Remembered Her Servants.

Toledo, O., May 8.—The will of Miss Annie C. Mott, who died a week ago and who was reputed to be the wealthiest woman in the city, has been filed for probate. She bequeaths about $100,000 to the charitable institutions of the city. She also leaves about $7000 to her servants.

Boers Captured and Killed.

London, May 8.—Further advices received from South Africa announce that 208 Boers were captured and 10 burghers killed in the neighborhood of Lindley, Orange River Colony Tuesday.

Mrs. Livermore Almost Blind.

Boston, May 8.—Mrs. M. A. Livermore, the well known woman suffragist is confined to home in Melrose by serious difficulty with her eyes. It is feared she may become totally blind.

Big Fire in Russia.

St. Petersburg, May 8.—Fire at Lobrinsk, government of Minsk, destroyed 972 houses and 650 small shops.

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...the free speech, Gen. MacAr... ...d he had told the Filipinos ...ey would give him their guns ...ld have a massmeeting on ...ner. He said soldiers were ...d in private houses as an in... ...f war. This led to a discus... ...whether war was in existence. ...acArthur insisted that there had ...reat upheaval and the ground ...s still apparent, some of the ...of war continuing even after ...ation of a locality.

...Culberson went through ...the bill of rights, his ques... ...ing to develop that the fun... ...rights had not been im... ...the islands. Gen. MacAr... ...ained that all of the funda... ...ghts except trial by jury and ...to bear arms were in opera... ...r as conditions would per... ...read a proclamation he had ...ifying most of the consti... ...rights.

CATTLE MARKET.

...ged Not to Dispose of Any at ...the Present Time.

...Colo.: Not a single head of ...s sold in the Denver market ...d the commission men, al... ...most exception, wired to their ...s in all parts of the west not ...cattle, hogs or sheep to the ...s in this city, Kansas City, ...or Chicago. Commission men ...cities are understood to have ...similar action.

...thousands of head are on the ...market and three or four days ...before the effect of the or... ...ill, but at the beginning of ...k it is thought little or no ...be offered at these packing ...

...ation men and stock owners ...have taken this radical action ...of the decline in prices of ...

...sman Cummings Dead.

...ro, Md., May 3.—Congress... ...J. Cummings of New York ...the Church Home infirmary. ...death was pneumonia, inci... ...an operation. The congress... ...ife and cousin, Charles H. ...s were at his bedside when ...ne.

...sman Cummings came to ...on April 11 to undergo treat... ...kidney trouble. Four days ...operation was performed by ...H. Young.

At Meridian.

...n, Miss.: Friday was Schley ...eridian and the admiral was ...reat ovation by the people of .... He was accompanied by ...ley and Miss Abert of Wash... ...nd the ladies were received ...tastically as was the guest of ...

...ty arrived from Jackson on ...train, and during the stay ...the guests of the Meridian ...Trade and Cotton Exchange.

...plication Refused.

...gton: The state department ...tified that the Mexican ...t has finally refused the ap... ...of the United States govern... ...the surrender of Charles ...councilman of St. Louis, who ...with bribery.

...n has been held under arrest ...ajara, the Mexican govern... ...ng consented to his provis... ...ation for eight days pend... ...ration of the request.

SON OF A HERO.

A Land Claimant's Father Helped Texas Achieve Her Independence.

Beaumont, Tex., May 3.—Another claimant to the wealth on Spindletop arrived in Beaumont Friday morning. The stranger's visit was not heralded, and few besides his lawyers knew of the gentleman's presence in the city. An interesting bundle of papers reposes in the office of a law firm of this city, and in the faded and stained papers are foundations for the claim to valuable lands in Texas. The attorneys refuse to state whether or not a claim was made for Spindletop lands, but two papers were exhibited which were said to have been made out by John A. Veatch favoring the father of the stranger in Beaumont. The attorneys refused to disclose the contents of the papers, but stated that they had only just been submitted and no prophecy could be made concerning prospective legal action.

Oliver H. Perry of Reno, Nev., son and only heir of Stuart Perry, the Hamilton of the republic of Texas, came to Beaumont, and with him came a bundle of his father's papers. Wrapped up in that bundle of papers is a great deal of Texas history. Among other things is a copy of the resolution of 1848, thanking Stuart Perry for services rendered the republic of Texas. Perry furnished the sinews of war during the struggle for freedom. He will be remembered longest, perhaps, for having slapped Gen. Sam Houston, and then, after waiting in vain for a challenge to fight a duel, sent one to the famous fighter. Houston's reply was long a household expression. He was wise enough to see that Texas could not spare either Perry or himself, and one was sure to die if a duel were fought, so he sent word to Perry that "Sam Houston never fights down hill." The famous Texans had quarreled over what should be regarded as the Washington of Texas. After the challenge and reply, friends used every means to keep the disputants apart. It was during the early days of Texas that Stuart Perry came into possession of the property whose title is conveyed in the pile of documents in the attorney's desk. The most interesting are the two which bear the date of 1839 and the name of John A. Veatch as the grantor.

The elder Perry was associated with Thomas Toby in gaining possession of many tracts of land in all parts of Texas.

Seven Years for Widow.

Paris, Tex.: Mrs. Mary Roberts, charged with complicity in the killing of her husband, "Uncle Jackie" Roberts, in this county near Maxey, a year ago, was found guilty of murder in the second degree in the district court and given seven years.

The deceased was nearly 80 years old and was found dead in bed with his throat cut. His death was reported to have been a suicide, but suspicion was directed toward the defendant and one John Killian, a hired man who lived in the house with the couple. They were both arrested and on the wife's confession Killian was convicted of murder in the first degree and is at present serving a life sentence in the penitentiary. In consideration of Mrs. Roberts' confession and turning state's evidence it was agreed by the prosecuting attorney that she should not be tried for a higher offense than second degree.

Steel foundrides at Germany will combine against American ones.

Ask an Advance.

Houston, Tex.: A committee has been appointed by the shopmen of the Southern Pacific railway shops, employing about 2000 men, to wait upon Master Mechanic J. J. Ryan and request either a nine-hour day or an approximate increase of wages. A prominent member of the union said that the men made no demand, but merely requested a raise.

The shopmen are paid by the hour, their wages ranging from $3 to $.50 a day.

Bowron Resigns.

Tyler, Tex.: R. H. Bowron, first vice president and general superintendent of the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad company of Texas, headquarters in Tyler, has resigned his position with that company, to take effect at once.

A terrible hail storm visited western Oklahoma on the 1st. Wheat and fruit were greatly damaged.

While Climbing a Tree.

Bremond, Tex.: A report reached town that a boy named Hammond, about 15 years of age, had accidentally shot himself. The fact was later in the day confirmed. The boy was climbing a tree with a target rifle after a squirrel and the hammer caught something, causing the gun to fire, the ball striking the young man about the hip, ranging upward. He came down, walked home and told his mother and died a few hours afterward.

FALSE FIRE ALARM

Causes a Terrible Scare in a Tobacco Factory.

EIGHT GIRLS CRUSHED TO DEATH

And Three Young Women Receive Injuries that May Prove Fatal in Endeavoring to Effect an Escape.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 1.—An accident to a deaf and dumb boy, Isadore Baccus, was directly responsible for the death of eight girls and young women, the fatal injury of three others and the serious injury of more than two score of girls employed in the cigar factory of Harburger, Homan & Co., a branch of the American Tobacco company, located at Tenth street and Washington avenue.

The building in which the disaster occurred is a five-story brick structure and reaches an entire block. Twelve hundred persons were at work, 90 per cent of whom were girls whose ages range from 12 years upward.

While on the fourth floor Baccus, who was the janitor, started for the fifth floor for a ball of twine. The elevator was at the top of the shaft, and Baccus pulled the rope to bring it down. He opened the door leading to the shaft and leaned forward to see where the carriage was. As he did so the elevator, which was descending slowly, struck him across the back of the neck, pinioning him between the elevator and the floor.

A stock boy released Baccus and cried for help. The foreman rushed from the building to call an ambulance, and immediately there was a panic among the employes. Some of the younger girls fainted, while others cried fire. Instantly there was a mad rush for the stairway leading to Tenth street.

The girls rushed down the narrow staircase until they reached a bend in the exit between the second and third floors. In their eagerness to escape the frightened leaders fell. Others immediately following tripped over the struggling mass of humanity, and in less than a miuute there were hundreds of children and young women struggling in the passage way. The shrieks and screams of the terror-stricken girls could be heard for a block or more.

During the excitement an alarm of fire was turned in, but before the engine could reach the scene several of the occupants of the building had rushed to the windows and jumped to the street, a distance of over fifty feet. Helen Tolini, one of those to jump, was instantly killed.

The work of rescuing the girls from the windows was necessarily tedious. They were so excited that they did not seem to understand the pleadings of the firemen. At nearly every window of the structure were girls screaming and crying for help.

Mining Deal.

Kansas City, Mo.: By a deal just closed here a New York syndicate secures two gold mines and a copper mine in Mexico, the property of Buena Ventura Bucerra, one of the richest men in that county. The consideration, it is said, was $700,000. The mines are the Clenegueta, the Cerococague and the Piedras Verdes.

New Naval Cadets.

Annapolis, Md.: The recent examinations of candidates for admission to the naval academy which were held in the various cities before civil service commissions, as designated by the navy department show that thirty-six have passed and will be admitted as cadets.

Seventy-five in all took the examination, and these were successful: Peter J. Moyer, Jefferson B. Golden and H. K. Allen of Louisiana, Louis D. Causey and George W. Miller of Mississippi, Rowen P. Lemley of North Carolina, and Cassius M. Cade of Oklahoma.

At large—William C. O'Connell of Texas; William H. Booth of Virginia, W. F. Newton of Georgia, Garrett E. Davis and Herndon B. Kelly of Kentucky, and Alfred E. Clark of Tennessee.

Wheat was higher in New York on Tuesday.

Marshal Killed.

England, Ark: Town Marshal Sam B. Weaver was shot and killed by Dr. W. E. Allen. The right arm of Arthur Young, a bystander, was broken by a stray shot. Dr. Allen was seriously wounded in the hip by Weaver.

Dr. Allen had been arrested about ten days ago by Weaver. The two men met Wednesday, and after some angry words, Allen pulled his pistol and shot Weaver four times. As Weaver fell he pulled his pistol and shot Allen in the hip, then expired.

AID ASKED.

Citizens of Glen Rose Issue an Appeal for Assistance.

Glen Rose, Tex., May 1.—The people of Glen Rose, in massmeeting assembled, have elected the following named persons as a permanent relief committee for our suffering people: J. L. Lilley, chairman; J. Elbert Fears, secretary; First National bank of Glen Rose, treasurer; R. L. Bryant and J. R. Milam, committee.

The following, and no others, are authorized to draw drafts for and receive donations from cities or towns outside of the county: Dallas News, Houston Post, Fort Worth Register, First National bank of Glen Rose and J. L. Lilley, chairman of relief committee. I will make this announcement in connection with the appeal of our relief committee to the people over the state, in order that there may be no confusion as to who are authorized to receive donations from cities and towns outside of Somervell county.

J. G. ADAMS,
County Judge.

Are Aroused.

Louisville, Ky.: In speaking of the desire of the liquor interests that congress reduce the tax on whisky, Angelo Meyers of Philadelphia, president of the Kentucky Distillers' and Warehouse company, while in Louisville, said:

"The liquor interests have endured these high taxes and these restrictions long enough and the trade is determined that they shall stop. All branches of the business are united for the first time and we will make a fight. We will enter politics and we will have money. I should not be surprised if the country should see the strongest and most powerful organization not to be a party organization that was ever formed in the country."

Rebels Gaining.

Panama, Colombia: The report that the Colombian revolutionists have captured Rio Hacha is confirmed. Gen. Folso, who was in command of the garrison, made a move to attack the revolutionary forces, leaving the town unprotected. Meantime the insurgents entered Rio Hacha.

Gen. Salazar, governor of Panama, says Rio Hacha had been practically evacuated by the government forces because of its unhealthy condition.

Was Convicted.

Weatherford, Tex.: In the case of J. P. Davis, a farmer residing near Brock, in this county, tried in the district court this week on a charge of forgery, the jury found the defendant guilty and assessed a penalty of two years in the penitentiary. This was the third trail of this case, the two former trials resulting in a hung jury. The defendant was charged with having raised the price on a cotton ticket at this place during the fall of 1900.

Quick Second Marriage.

Lake Charles, La.: Rev. E. L. Wells, a Methodist minister and until recently in charge of a church, procured a divorce from his wife at noon Tuesday and six hours later married Miss Bertha Cropper of this city. The attorney who procured the divorce was also a minister and performed the wedding ceremony. Rev. Wells is now farming near Jennings.

Negro Lynched.

Brandenburg, Ky.: Ernest D. Wiley, a negro, who shot and seriously wounded Harry Dowell, a young white man, at Guston, about seven miles from this place, was hanged by a mob and his body was riddled with bullets.

Have Not Surrendered.

London: There is no truth in the report circulated in the United States Wednesday that Gen. Delarey, with three Boer commandoes, had surrendered to the British in South Africa.

The war office received dispatches from Lord Kitchener, but he made no mention of surrenders. Operators on the Stock exchange were busy with peace rumors, but they were all intangible. The Boer commandoes were said to have surrendered.

Floral and Feminine Beauty.

Okolona, Miss.: This city is smiling under a load of flowers and feminine beauty. The occasion is the fifth annual meeting of the Mississippi Federation of Women's clubs, with representatives from over twenty clubs and visitors numbering forty.

President Josie Fraser Capleman dropped the ivory gavel, when an imposing ceremony begun. The forenoon was devoted to greetings and afternoon to committee reports.

Fire at Silo.

Denison, Tex.: A message from Silo, I. T., says Silo suffered a very serious loss by fire on Sunday night. The fire started in W. R. Davis' blacksmith shop on West Main street, burning every business house in the block. The only means of fighting the fire was by a bucket brigade, which was ineffective to control the fire.

The loss on all the property burned is about $7000, with insurance to the amount of $2750.

WHITE RIBBON WEARERS.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union Meets at Terrell.

Terrell, Tex.: The twentieth annual session of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union began at the Methodist church Thursday morning.

Mrs. A. C. Zehner of Dallas, state organizer, began the devotional exercises by asking for the song, "Holy Spirit, Faithful Guide." Then, after a short prayer, she read the twenty-first Psalm. Then there were half-minute responses and the devotional hour was a most interesting and profitable one.

Then Mrs. Helen M. Stoddard, the greatly beloved president of the organization, called the convention to order by asking that they sing "Press On" and this was followed by responsive reading, "Give to the Winds Thy Fears."

President Stoddard reported as follows:

Summary of work for the year ending May 1, 1902: Number of public meetings held during the year, 83; number of meetings with workers, 93; meetings in schools, Sunday schools, L. T. L.'s, etc., 15; parliamentary drills, 8; receptions, 18; number of institutes held, 5; number of days of institute work, 21; number of days spent in conventions, national, state and county, 21; number of meetings held in city prison, 15. Welcomed "Mother National" to Fort Worth in November. Appointed by Gov. Sayers a member of the commission to locate the Girls' Industrial college. Appointed regent of school by the governor, and serve the board as its secretary.

Recommendations—The work has developed beyond our former methods of work. We must have an office secretary to do the detail work. To show how much this is needed, I have written over 3000 letters, and postal cards almost without number. To relieve this and give better results an office secretary is needed. This would multiply our usefulness many times in the state in every particular.

This report brought forth much applause.

TRAGIC TERMINATION.

Young Man Slain Before the Eyes of His Intended Bride.

Paris, Tex.: Jim Ward, a young farmer, was killed ten miles southeast of Paris, near Jennings, at the home of his brother, D. Ward. The deceased had been paying attentions to a daughter of J. W. Mills, a neighbor, against the father's wishes. Early after supper Wednesday night the young couple met in a field by appointment and started to Paris to get married. They first drove by the home of the deceased's brother to stop a few minutes. While there, Mills, accompanied by his son, came up. The father entered the house and told his daughter he had come to take her back home. She assented and while they were starting to leave the deceased accosted him. Two shots were almost immediately fired and Ward fell dead, striking against a bureau, overturning the lamp and leaving the room in darkness. One charge of shot took effect in the deceased's abdomen, to the right of the navel, tearing a hole from which the intestines protruded. Mills telephoned the sheriff he was ready to surrender.

"A Mock Caliph and His Wife," by Edith Robinson, is an interesting number in Lippincott's Magazine for May.

Cornerstone Laying May 14.

Milford, Tex.: The cornerstone of the Texas Presbyterian College for Girls is to be laid here on Wednesday, May 14. Prominent speakers from all sections of the state have been invited to be present and make addresses. It is intended to make this a great event in the history of Milford, as well as to mark the beginning of the Presbyterian Female college in Texas. The board of trustees will meet here on Tuesday night, May 13.

Burleson's Resolution Passes.

Washington: The resolution of Mr. Burleson of Texas calling on the war department for copies of all orders to commanding officers in the Philippines bearing upon the operations in Samar under Gen. Jacob H. Smith was adopted by the house. A somewhat similar resolution by Representative Conrey of Massachusetts was laid on the table.

A resolution was adopted which called on the civil service commission for information regarding appointments.

Postponed Until 1904.

St. Louis, Mo.: A statement given out by President David R. Francis of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company says in part that for many months the St. Louis World's fair has virtually been postponed for one year. A decided majority of the directors prefer 1904, and foreign and domestic exhibitors requested that it be done. Accordingly, the exposition will not be opened until the year 1904.

LONE STAR LINES.

Seguin is to have a brewery.

Galveston will have a rice mill.

St. Mary's college, San Antonio, celebrated its fiftieth anniversary.

Fire destroyed a grocery, postoffice and Mabel hotel at Corrigan.

The remains of a child were found in a field near Climax, ollin county.

A. J. Dale, a pioneer settler of Caldwell county, died near Taylorsville.

The controller has registered $49,000 of city of Fort Worth refunding bonds.

Col. L. J. Wortham has nearly recovered from his recent indisposition.

Panthers are reported numerous in the Rio Grande bottoms near Langtry.

Mrs. A. F. Stengel was fatally burned at Mason by the breaking of an oil lamp.

A. W. Stoneman, a Confederate veteran, died at San Angelo from an overdose of morphine.

The Austin Golf club has been admitted to membership in the United States Golf association.

Amanda Parker, a negro woman, was drowned while attempting to ford Little river near Cameron.

The Gulf Refining company expects to have its new refinery at Port Arthur in operation by July 1.

The national controller of the currency has approved the application of the First National bank of Groveton, capital stock $25,000.

James Carter of Dallas, 18 years old, while out hunting had his left hand torn to shreds by the accidental discharge of his gun.

The International and Great Northern railway will be extended from Columbia through Brazoria and on down to the state farm before Nov. 1.

Despite the fact that Johnson county went prohibition, Cleburne saloon men are taking out licenses. They await decision of court of civil appeals.

Thirteen young ladies of Greenville have organized The Dixie-American Glee club. Each young lady represents a state of the Southern Confederacy.

J. D. Dillard has taken charge of the government geodetic station at Langtry. J. P. Hogue, his predecessor, is in charge of a similar one at Fort Hancock.

Eugene Gordon, colored, a resident of Paris, was run over by a Santa Fe freight engine at Dallas. His right leg was crushed near the knee, necessitating amputation.

Travis county commissioners have let a contract for ridding the courthouse at Austin of mites. These pests have been so annoying that the jurors could not remain in the jury room over night.

President Green of the Texas Midland railway has built at Rockport a glass aquarium. In this he will put three tarpon at least six feet long and exhibit them at he Louisiana Purchase exposition.

An allegd burglar was arraigned in the Dallas city court to be transferred. A drunk case was called. He responded, pleaded guilty to being intoxicated, was fined $3, paid the same and took his speedy departure.

Mrs. Lucia Covoruvio, 83 years old, passed away at San Antonio. She had resided in that city all her life and was the widow of a Mexican war veteran, who died some years ago. Her support came chiefly from a pension.

While traveling in a wagon, Ben Snell and family were thrown out. Mr. Snell's 3-year-old child was killed and ne badly injured. The wife and baby were slightly injured. The wagon was going down a hill at the time.

Since Dallas has been made a reserve city the four banks there have been made reserve agents for 155 banks located in Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and New Mexico.

At Houston, in the case of Bud Graham, colored, charged with murder, the jury brought in a verdict of guilty and assessed his punishment at thirty years in the penitentiary. Graham was arrested at New Orleans.

During the Schley parade at Memphis, Tenn., a flagpole fell upon J. S. Venable, killing him instantly. The end of the pole struck the center of his forehead. Mr. Venable was a resident of Stephenville, Tex. He was visiting at Memphis.

Two rural mail routes will be established out of Bells, Grayson county. Henry Young, a railroad man, was found unconscious on Houston street, Dallas. On reviving, he said that some one struck him in the back of the head, inflicting a deep wound, and then relieved him of his money—$15.

A Mexican was arrested at El Paso on the charge of seizing a 17-year-old senorita across from the west Texas city and ragging her into the rugged mountains. He was released, Texas having no jurisdiction in the case.

Prof. Jacob Bickler, the well known educator and principal of the school at Austin bearing his name, is dead. He was taken ill several days before his death while delivering a toast at a reception and remained unconscious until the end.

LOOK FOR THE BIG RED TICKETS!

Explanation of the Big Red Ticket Sale of Factory Ends and Remnants at MISTROTS.

Comprising a Purchase of $120,000.

In this lot to be distributed between our 25 Retail Stores bought at 65c on the dollar.

From Clothing Manufacturers.

They comprise Sample Suits, sample pairs of Pants, small end lots of Suits, 3 to 12 Suits of a kind, Wool Suits, Linen Suits, Crash Suits, Serge Suits and Unfinished Worsted Suits in all, comprising a purchase of $75,000 spot cash at 62 1-2c on the dollar.

From Shoe Manufacturers.

They comprise a lot of sample shoes for men, boys, ladies and misses. Lot of sample cases, some full case, others 18 to 24 pairs of a kind making a big variety of styles. Comprising in this purchase over $60,000 worth of Factory Ends Shoes bought at a sacrifice of 60 cents on the dollars.

Our Remnant Sale!

LOOK FOR THIS BIG RED TICKET.

The Price on it Means a Saving to You.

The result of a big purchase made by Mistrot Bros. & Co., headquarters at Galveston, they closed a big deal with Eastern manufacturers of Clothing, manufacturers of Shoes, manufacturers of Piece Goods, manufacturers of Ladies and Gents Underwear, manufacturers of Hosiery, comprising a purchase in bulk for the spot cash of their entire surplus of Factory Ends and Remnant Lots amounting in bulk to a purchase of $365,000 spot cash. These goods have been divided between our 25 retail stores in Texas to be thrown on the market at money saving prices to the consumer. Meaning a money saving to you of 35 to 40c on every dollar's worth of goods you buy from Mistrots during this sale.

LOOK FOR THE BIG RED TICKET.

A Saving to you with every Ticket.

Big Special Sale of Millinery this Week.

returns to Galveston to take charge of the wholesale millinery there. At once we will close

Preparation for Big Sale For the past ten days our Dublin store has been receiving loads on top of loads of these goods as fast as they could be shipped out by the Galveston wholesale house. Our Big Store Building is now chuck full from floor to ceiling to be disposed of within the next 30 days. Our entire force of salespeople have been kept busy the past ten days until late at night checking and marking these goods in plain figures with Red Tickets. It would be impossible for us to display this big stock at once—the down stair floor won't hold the stock. You will find every day new lots of goods on sale as fast as we can make room to bring them down.

Conditions of this Sale A fare and square business proposition trade. Remember all goods bought from us during this sale are guaranteed to be just as advertised. Any goods bought from us during this sale we guarantee to be a saving to you of 35c to 40c on every dollar you spend. If you are not satisfied with your purchase bring it back and get your money back for the asking. That is always your privilege at Mistrots. We stand by you on every purchase you make from us during this sale or at any other time. Our goods are worth the money you pay for them and you can always cash them, we refund your money.

Dress Goods, Etc.

200 pieces of factory ends of calicoes, factory ends of ginghams, factory ends of fancy lawns, factory ends of toweling on sale at.....2c yd

Factory ends of bleach domestic, factory ends of Sea Island domestic, factory ends of fancy lawns, factory ends of Huck toweling, factory ends of dress ginghams, factory end sale price .....3½c yd

Look for the Big Red Ticket.

Apron check ginghams, factory ends of check nainsook, factory ends of fine white lawns, 6½c goods on sale at.....2½c yd

Factory ends of fancy madras, factory ends of foulards, factory ends of fine white lawns, 12½c to 15c grades on sale at..6½c yd

Factory ends 36 inch madras, factory ends of mercerized foulards, factory ends zephyr ginghams, factory ends fancy Indian lawns, 15c to 25c grades, sale price.....8½c yd

2500 yards of printed Scotch lawns in fancy colors and solid, retail price 5c, on sale for .....2½c yd

Factory ends white lawns nainsooks, factory ends of fancy shirting, factory ends of check nainsook, 12½c per yd, sale price 4c yd

Factory ends of embroideries, factory ends of torcheon lace and embroidery, value 10c per yard, sale price.....3½c yd

Factory ends of embroidery, factory ends of torcheon laces, factory ends of applique 12½c grade, sale price.....5c yd

Factory ends of table damask, factory ends of red table damask, 35c grade, sale price.. .....18c yd

Factory ends of fine bleached satin damask in 2½ and 5 yard lengths, 75c grade, sale price.....47c yd

White bed quilts Marseilles, $2.50 grade, sale price.....$1.48 each

Bed quilts, white crotchets, 75c grade, sale price.....45c each

Bed quilts, fine satin Marseilles, extra plump stock, $3.00 grade, sale price..... .....$1.83 each

Parasols, black steel frames, extra quality, 75c grade, sale price.....38c

Parasols, fine steel rod and frame, fine black mercerized, $1.00 grade.....63c each

Parasols, steel rod and frame, black tafetine, 85c grade, sale price.....48c

Window shades, 7 ft. linen cloth, 30c grade, sale price.....18c each

Window shades, plain felt 6 ft. shades, 25c grade, sale price.....10c each

White enamel curtain poles, small white pole and fixtures, with brass, silver and wood fixtures, 25c grade, sale price.....10c

Lace curtains, full size, $1.00 grade, sale price.....45c pr

Lace curtains, $1.25 grade, full size 3½ yards, sale price.....68c

Lace curtains, fine Bobinet and fish net effect, $1.50 grade, sale price.....98c

Silks! Silks! Silks!

Silk waist patterns, solid and fancy, value $4 to $6, sale price.....$2.48 pattern

Silk foulards, satin foulard factory ends, they come in 3½ and 5 yards, in piece retail value $1 per yard, sale price.....69c yd

Silk taffeta, black and colors, black peau de soi, 22 inch goods, $1 grade, sale price.. .....69c

Solid 27 in. taffeta silk, lighter weight for waist, 85c grade, sale price.....59c

Big Sale on Shoes.

Ladies' low cut shoes, odds and ends, sale price.....25c pr

Ladies' low cut shoes, counter sale, $1 grade sale price.....50c pr

Ladies low cut shoes, variety of styles, 1 50 grade, sale price .....75c pr

Ladies' low cut shoes in oxford strap sandals, 1 75 grade sale price.....98c pr

Ladies low cut shoes in one, two to four strap sandals, orford ties, southern button, big variety of styles and shapes, 2 00 grade sale price.....1.25 pr

2500 Pairs of men's shoe factory samples, all 6, 7 and 8, no two pair alike, low cut and high cut, value 2 50, to 3 00 a pair sale price.....1.48 pr

Men's shoes, dress styles, 1 50 grade, sale price.....98c pr

Men's shoes, dress styles, 2 00 grade, sale price.....1.25 pr

Men's dress shoes, vici kid, coin toe, 2 50 grade, sale price.....1.25 pr

Men's dress shoes, high and low cut, finest makes, 4 00 grade, sale price.....2.98 pr

Men's shoes strictly hand sewed in all shapes and enamel stock, patent colt skin, all 5 00 grade, sale price.....3.48 pr

Men's canvas shoes, 2 50 grade, sale price.....1.48 pr

Big line of gent's fancy neckwear, the newest things, four in hand, string, King Edward's 50c grade, sale sale price.....25c

Big line of gent's neckwear, silk in string, four in hand, scarfs and bows, 25c grade, sale price.....15c

Clothing for gents, all new shapes and patterns, endless varieties at a big saving to you.

One lot of men's suits in wool clay worsted, 8 00 grade, sale price.....3.50

Gent's suits in wool cassimere, in Gray check and stripes, 12 50 grade, sale price 6.98

One line of gent's wool flannel suits, coat and pants with belt straps, in gray, 6 50 grade on sale price.....3.48

Gent's coat and pants suits, wool serge, 8 50 grade, sale price.....498

Gent's fine Granite suits in blue and black, 15 00 grade, sale price.....8.00

Gent's fine green stripe unfinished worsted suits, 12 50 grade, sale price.....7.50

Special Factory Samples.

Over 200 ladies's fancy parasols in fancy colors, black and white foulards, all silks, value 2 50 to 3 00, choice this lot, Red Ticket sale.....1.48 ea

One lot 3 50 to 4 00 grade sale price 1.98

Look For Big Red Tickets.

Remember these goods are factory samples just received, no two alike in the lot only one of a kind, big variety of styles to select from, all at one half price.

Ladies vests, bleach ribbed, taped neck, 15c grade, Red Ticket sale price.....10c

Ladies' vests, bleach and unbleached, embroidered crochet neck, 5c grade, Red Ticket sale price.....2 ½c ea

Big lot of ladies white waists, percale waists, madras waists, value 1 50 to 2 50 each choice of this lot.....98c

BIG COUNTER SALE OF LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

One lot $1 grade skirts, gowns and chemise, sale price, choice.....69c

One lot ladies gowns, skirts, retail price $1.25, counter sale, choice.....89c each

One lot ladies gowns, skirts, retail price $1.50, choice, sale price.....98c

Ladies Furnishing Goods.

Factory sale of ladies' waists in colored percales, 75c grade, sale price.....18c each

Ladies waists in white embroidery and fancy percale, $1 grade, sale price..48c each

Ladies duck suits, coat and skirt, $1.25 grade, sale price.....48c each

Ladies fancy lawn suits, $2.50 grade, sale price.....$1.48

Ladies brown suits and duck suits, $2 grade, sale price.....$1.25

Ladies muslin underwear at factory sale price at 65 cents on the dollar.

Ladies drawers, muslin, plain, sale price .....18c pair

Ladies corset covers, 18c grade, sale price.....10c

Ladies corset covers, muslin domestic, 50c grade, sale price 25c

One lot ladies muslin gowns, skirts and drawers, value 75c, sale price, choice....48c

Ladies summer corsets, factory ends, 40c grade, sale price.....18c

Factory ends ladies corsets, straight front, 4 hooks, summer gauze and satine, 75c grade, sale price 43c

Ladies corsets, Puritan waist and straight front and girdle in white, pink and blue, 85c grade, sale price.....48c

Ladies corsets, fine Puritan, satine girdles and straight front, $1.50 grade, sale price.. .....83c

Matting, fine Japanese, cotton warp matting 35c grade, sale price.....18c yd

Fancy Chinese matting, 20c grade, sale price.....10c yd

Fancy Japanese matting, cotton warp, 25c grade, sale price.....15c yd

Chinese matting, heavy stock, 25c grade, sale price.....15c yd

Gent's Underwear.

Gent's undershirts, gauze and balbriggan finish, 25c grade, sale price.....15c

Gent's two seam, elastic seam drawers, bleach, 72c grade, sale price.....38c

Gent's fine Lisle thread underwear factory ends samples, value 1 00 to 1 25 garments, sale price.....48c

Gent's Balbriggan underwear, fine silk finish 75c grade, sale price.....38c

Gent's undershirts, fancy collars and balbriggan, 50c grade, sale price.....25c

Gent's Dress Shirts, fancy laundried, 35c grade, sale price.....18c

Gent's dress shirt, fancy, collars attached or detached, 50c grade, sale price.....35c

Big line of gent's dress shirts, fancy laundred, 75c to 1 00 grade, choice.....48c

Gent's suits in cassimere, brown, gray and gray mixture, and plaid, all wool, 12 00 grade, Red Ticket sale price.....6.48

Men's Brilliantine coats and vests, extra quality, Red Ticket sale price.....3.48

Gent's black and blue serge coats, 2 50 grade, sale price.....1.25

Gent's blue and black serge coats and vests 4 00 grade, sale price.....2.48

Gent's linen crash pants in stripes and plain 1 50 grade, sale price.....63c pr

Men's crash suits, linen collars, 2 50 grade, sale price.....1.48 suit

Men's fine linnen suits in check, plain linen cash and solid blue, 5 00 grade, Red Ticket sale price.....2.48

One lot men's California jeans pants, 1 25 grade, sale price.....75c

Men's work shirts, 35c grade, sale price 18c

Wool cassimere pants, 1 50 grade, counter sale price.....98c

Mistrot Bros. & Co.

THE ONE PRICE CASH HOUSE. DUBLIN, TEXAS.

Big Red Ticket Sale

OF FACTORY ENDS & REMNANTS AT

Mistrot Bros. & Co.

COMMENCING SATURDAY, MAY 10.

At 8:30 a. m. Sharp We Open Our Doors To the people of Dublin and surrounding country on one of the Greatest Money Saving Sales ever inaugurated in the history of our business in Dublin. This will be a grand opportunity to supply yourselves with Merchandise at a saving of 35c to 40c on every dollar you buy. Factory ends of Piece Goods, Factory Ends of Dress Goods, Factory Ends of Woolen Goods, Factory Ends of Clothing, Factory Ends of Ladies' Underwear, Factory Ends Laces, Factory Ends of Embroideries, Factory Ends of Ribbons, Factory Ends of Parasols, Factory Ends of Corsets, Factory Ends of Hosiery and Factory Ends of a hundred other articles will be on sale with Big Red Tickets marked in Plain Figures.

Explanation of the Big Red Ticket Sale of Factory Ends and Remnants: The result of a big purchase made by Mistrot Bros. & Co., headquarters at Galveston, from the Eastern Manufacturers of Piece Goods, Manufacturers of Shoes, Manufacturers of Laces and Embroideries, Manufacturers of Ladies' Underwear, Manufacturers of Gents' Underwear and Hosiery, comprising a purchase for the Spot Cash of their entire surplus of Factory Ends and Samples, amounting in bulk to $365,000 Spot Cash. These goods have been divided between our 25 retail stores in Texas to be thrown on the market to the trade at sacrificing figures. A saving to you of 35c to 40c on every dollars worth of goods you buy from Mistrot. For the past Ten Days our Dublin store has been receiving loads on top of loads of these goods as fast as they could be delivered by the Galveston Wholesale Store until our store is chuck full of these goods to be disposed of in the next 30 days. We have been very busy the past ten days working every night checking, marking and ticketing these goods in lots with Big Red Tickets, all in plain figures for quick selling.

LOOK FOR THE BIG RED TICKETS!

Explanation of the Big Red Ticket Sale of Factory Ends and Remnants at MISTROTS.

Comprising a Purchase of $120,000.

In this lot to be distributed between our 25 Retail Stores bought at 65c on the dollar.

From Clothing Manufacturers.

They comprise Sample Suits, sample pairs of Pants, small end lots of Suits, 3 to 12 Suits of a kind, Wool Suits, Linen Suits, Crash Suits, Serge Suits and Unfinished Worsted Suits in all, comprising a purchase of $75,000 spot cash at 62 1-2c on the dollar.

Our Remnant Sale!

LOOK FOR THE BIG RED TICKET.

The Price on it Means a Saving to You.

The result of a big purchase made by Mistrot Bros. & Co., headquarters at Galveston, they closed a big deal with Eastern manufacturers of Clothing, manufacturers of Shoes, manufacturers of Piece Goods, manufacturers of Ladies and Gents Underwear, manufacturers of Hosiery, comprising a purchase in bulk for the spot cash of their entire surplus of Factory Ends and Remnant Lots amounting in bulk to a purchase of $365,000 spot cash. These goods have been divided between our 25 retail stores in Texas to be thrown on the market at money

Big Special Sale of Millinery this Week.

returns to Galveston to take charge of the wholesale millinery there

Preparation for Big Sale For the past ten days our Dublin store has been receiving loads on top of loads of these goods as fast as they could be shipped out by the Galveston wholesale house. Our Big Store Building is now chuck full from floor to ceiling to be disposed of within the next 30 days. Our entire force of salespeople have been kept busy the past ten days until late at night checking and marking these goods in plain figures with Red Tickets. It would be impossible for us to display this big stock at once—the down stair floor won't hold the stock. You will find every day new lots of goods on sale as fast as we can make room to bring them down.

THE WEEKLY PANORAMA

CAPT. WYNNE HAS GALLANT RECORD

Brave United States Sailor Who Is in Trouble in Italy.

Capt. Robert F. Wynne of the United States marine corps, whom the Italian authorities at Venice have punished more severely than the other officers of the cruiser Chicago for a fracas in a cafe, is a native of Washington, and the son of Robert J. Wynne, the well-known Washington correspondent. The captain, who has been sentenced to four months and ten days in a Venetian prison, is a graduate of the Georgetown college law department with the class of 1897. He is 26 years old. He served with the allied forces at Tsintsin two years ago and assisted in the assault on the walls July 13, in which action young Lieut. Butler of Pennsylvania was so severely wounded. Wynne began his career in the navy during the war with Spain. Previously to that he had served five years as a member of the national guard of the District of Columbia. He served in the operations at Guantanamo, Cuba, with distinction, and at the end of the war passed a splendid examination for a commission in the regular service. He then went to the Philippines, fought in the battle of Novelleta and in all



Capt. Wynne.

the skirmishes around Manila in which the marines took a part. His reputation is that of a brave, capable and courteous officer.

Not Worth the Money.

Justice William L. Putnam of the United States circuit court of appeals in Portland, Ore., recently fell into conversation with a young man of the nouveaux riches who expressed astonishment that the judge could get along on his salary of $6,000 a year. "Why" said the purse-proud youth, "it easily costs me twice that amount to live a year." The judge answered gravely: "It isn't worth it, George; it isn't worth it."

SON-IN-LAW OF FAMOUS PREACHER

Death of Rev. Samuel Scoville Once Fire Chief of Norwich, N. Y.

Of the church wherein Rev. Henry Ward Beecher acquired fame—Plymouth, of Brooklyn—his son-in-law, Rev. Samuel Scoville, was assistant pastor when death came to him the other day. In some ways Rev. Mr. Scoville resembled his distinguished father-in-law. He was more than a formal minister of the gospel and wherever his career was cast every phase of life—social, moral, educational, literary and professional—felt his influence. For eighteen years he was pastor of the Congregational church in Norwich, Conn., and he made himself beloved by every resident of the county, for his influence radiated through it. While in Norwich he took a deep interest in fire department matters, and served for a time as chief.

Rev. Mr. Scoville was born in West Cornwall, Conn., in 1834, and was a Yale graduate. He studied for the ministry at the Theological Seminary at Andover, Mass., and at Union Theological Semnary, from which he



Rev. Samuel Scoville.

graduated in 1861. The same year he was married to Harriet E. Beecher by the distinguished father of the bride. His first charge was at Norwich.

Governor Davis in Trouble.

Gov. Jeff C. Davis of Arkansas has been summoned to answer to grave charges of heresy by the Baptist general convention of the state. The governor has hitherto been regarded as an exemplary member of the church. His friends declare he has the politeness of Henry Clay, the finesse of Abraham Lincoln and the force of Daniel Webster.

Persons, Places and Things

LIFEWORK OF REMARKABLE WOMAN

Active in Many Walks of Life and at the Head of a Big Business.

Mrs. C. E. Merritt, of Norwich, N. Y., may well be classed among the women whose varied attainments place them on a level far above the



Mrs. C. E. Merritt.

ordinary. She is the largest property owner in the village, and consequently the heaviest taxpayer. She is the president of the Ladies' Village Improvement society, which has done much to beautify and benefit Norwich by building a chapel, erecting a fountain, improving the parks and by work of a similar nature. She is also the proprietor of two well-conducted and paying newspapers.

But it is as president of the extensive David Maydole Hammer company that Mrs. Merritt attracts most attention. The works were founded by her father and her late husband succeeded to the presidency of the concern. For many years she was vice president, but has recently became herself the directing head, a position for which her unusual business capacity well fits her.

ARCHBISHOP CORRIGAN'S ILLNESS.

Noted Roman Catholic Prelate Suffering with Pneumonia.

Archbishop Michael Augustine Corrigan, whose illness is causing considerable anxiety in Roman Catholic circles, has been head of the rich see of New York since 1885 and has ruled his diocese with a dignity and power which have won him the admiration and respect of all New York. The archbishop has numerous friends among the Protestant people of the city, and these are anxious for the outcome of his present attack of pneumonia as are the members of his own



Archbishop Corrigan.

faith. For twenty-two years the learned prelate has practically administered the affairs of the diocese. He has been a bishop of the Roman hierarchy since 1873.

President Polk's Relics.

The Chicago Historical Society is now the owner of the diary and correspondence, state and personal, of James K. Polk, which has been purchased of the heirs in Nashville for $3,500. The correspondence covers a period of twenty years—one of the most important and trying periods in American history. It is in Polk's own handwriting. There are letters from Andrew Jackson and replies from Polk, negotiations on the Oregon boundary, the annexation of Texas, communications with the British parliament over what then were vexing questions, and a complete history of diplomacy at that time.

The President's Way.

George B. Cox, the Republican boss of Cincinnati, was in Washington a few days ago and was taken to the white house to be presented to the president. Congressman Shattuc had him in tow and said, when they were in Roosevelt's presence: "Mr. President, I wish to introduce George B. Cox, a Cincinnati Republican of whom you have heard of course." Mr. Roosevelt looked hard at the two men for a moment and then said, rapidly: "Ah, how-de-do, Mr. Cox, delighted, I'm sure, good day," and almost before his visitors knew what had happened they were outside.

The Author at Home.

"No," said the author's wife. "It's hard to understand these men of genius. There's my husband, for instance."

"Why—anything wrong with him this morning?"

"I should say so! Do you know, I merely asked him to take down the stovepipe and take up the parlor carpet and hang the new curtains on the bay window and stain the dining-room floor and move the piano to the east corner—and he flew into a rage and acted as if he had lost all the mind he thinks he's got!"

Banker Lingar's Son-In-Law.

BY JAMES O'SHAUGHNESSY.

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Upon the promotion of William Tarnley Faldis to the position of receiving teller of the Thirteenth National Bank he began to show signs of the widening of his horizon. He spelled out his middle name in full and acquired the art of appearing at ease in a dress suit. He narrowed his social orbit until he felt justified in classifying himself as exclusive, and then he discreetly fell in love with the daughter of Abel Lingar, the president of the bank.

Fortunately for him Miss Lingar was not beautiful of face, and there was neither symmetry nor grace in her figure. These gaps in her structural charms made his love course easy.

In visiting her father's bank her keen eye fell on Faldis. He was rather pleasing in appearance, with light blue eyes, a blonde mustache and a pink and white complexion. He could sing all of the popular and sentimental songs. He sang the sentimental ones for her and before the end of the season he was calling her Ethyl when no one else was in hearing.

When he asked her to marry him, she gave him her hand and their secret troth was plighted. All that remained to be done was to obtain the consent of Abel Lingar. Here Faldis' training was a hindrance and not a help to him. He could not disassociate Ethyl's father from the president of the Thirteenth National Bank, and he could not summon sufficient courage to ask President Lingar for the hand of his daughter in marriage.

When he arose in the morning his resolution was fixed, but at night he returned fretfully to his couch with the dreaded task still ahead of him. Whenever he would put himself in the presence of Ethyl's father it was only to discover the great president of the Thirteenth National Bank and he would retire in deferential confusion.

One evening when closing his accounts he found they were wrong. There, in his own handwriting, was a false entry of $20,000. Over and over the books he went, but the studied examination only confirmed the awful evidence that he was short $20,000.

At the sight of President Lingar stalking majestically through the counting room of the bank to his private office, Faldis shook with terror. It suddenly occurred to his overwrought mind that perhaps the bank had an unexplained overplus of $20,000. With the impulse of this vagary he rushed off to the office.

"I beg your pardon, Mr. Lingar," he faltered, "but—er—has—is there an overplus of $20,000 "

"What?"

"Has anyone made an error?"

"An error? An error of $20,000?" thundered Lingar.

The cold, accusing manner of Lingar sounded the depths of Faldis' abjection. The reaction was instantaneous. The pale blue eyes of the teller ceased to waver in their glances and became as fixed and steely as those of the president. No longer cringing, he straightened up defiantly.

"Did you say there was an error of $20,000?" said Lingar in slightly softened tones.

"I did not, but there is an item of that amount in my books which I am unable to explain."

"You are ill, Faldis. Take a rest of a day or so. Johnson will take your place."

Faldis went back to his cage. A few minutes later Johnson, the assistant cashier, entered it. Faldis had on his hat and was buttoning his overcoat. Johnson did not notice that Faldis' overcoat was bulging at the breast.

"Go through my accounts carefully, Mr. Johnson, and find the mistake, I am ill."

Faldis walked slowly out of the bank. A thick jawed, athletic looking man stepped quietly out of the office from behind Lingar, and followed like



"An error of $20,000?" thundered Lingar.

a shadow on the footsteps of Faldis.

A few hours later Johnson entered the president's office with a sheet of paper in his hand.

"I find that this item of $20,000 is merely a clerical error, Mr. Lingar," he said.

"Then there is nothing irregular in Faldis' accounts?" said Lingar, brightening up.

"Nothing—that is nothing in this connection. I have not brought the figures up to date yet."

"Then do it. I'll wait."

Johnson returned to the president's office late that afternoon with trembling hand and quivering lip.

"What is it, Mr. Johnson?" cried Lingar, springing from his chair.

"Faldis is short $250,000 on to-day's slip."

Lingar gasped, but with his returning pulse his eyes flashed with a quick glare of triumph.

"We will not lose it," he cried. "He had the money in his pockets when he walked out of here this morning. He cannot get away. I put a shadow on him the moment he stepped out of the bank. I judged that thief rightly."

Late that night, Lingar and Johnson were going over the books when a knock came to the door of the bank. At a signal to the watchman, the door was opened, and the thick-jawed, athletic looking shadow entered. He had a bandage over one eye.

"What's this?" cried Lingar.

"He had me done up."

"Who—what?"

"Your man, Faldis. He hired a half dozen Inter-State Detective agency men to slug me."

"And he got away?"

"Of course, but our office and all of our men are notified and every depot



A thick-jawed, athletic looking man followed Faldis.

is watched. Oh, he can't get away for good."

When Lingar was alone in his carriage driving home, he gave way to his anguish and groaned aloud. He was realizing the enormity of the theft that had at first stunned him. When he reached home the butler who swung open the door for him was in a flurry of excitement. He took off his hat and gloves and overcoat and threw them, rather than handed them to the servant. He strayed into the parlor and drawing room and had reached the wide door to the library when he stopped, tottered and clutched the portieres for support.

"Faldis!" he shrieked.

The butler, who had hovered near, rushed to his side.

"Robber! In my house! Quick, Percy, sound the alarm!"

"No, no, papa, wait. Listen to me." and Ethyl ran to him and put her arms around his neck, while the quick hands of the butler were obeying the master's orders.

"My daughter—my child—are you interceding for this thief?"

"Yes, but we will confess all. Now can you not forgive us?"

"We will confess! We! what do you mean? What part can you have in it?"

"What part have I in it?" she said slowly. "Do you think,papa, that I am insensible to my own heart's desire? I had the eager part of one who loves. He has robbed my poor, dear papa, I know—robbed him of his darling daughter." And, running to Faldis, she threw her arms around his neck and kissed him repeatedly.

The clanging of a brass gong sounded in the street, followed by a rush of feet up the steps. The butler threw open the door and four policemen in uniform rushed in.

"What's the matter, Mr. Lingar?" asked the sergeant of the police.

"Arrest that man.

Ethyl swooned in Faldis' arms.

"Wouldn't you better have an explanation first?" asked Faldis coolly.

"Explanation? What can you say in explanation?"

"Let us excuse these officers first."

Lingar looked at Faldis for some time, then turning to the police he asked them to step out in the hall for awhile.

"You are a man of sense, so listen. I did not take the $20,000, although it looked bad for me. I didn't propose being made an innocent victim, and I provided against it. My first provision against it, you have discovered at the bank, I believe. The second was to get rid of your detective so that I could put the money away safely for future emergencies. The third careful thing I did to save me from the penitentiary was to marry your daughter."

Lingar stared at him dazed and vacantly, but waited for him to continue.

"Now I hardly think that you want to put the bank to the expense of a quarter of a million dollars just to make a convict of your son-in-law."

"But the money! Where is it?"

"Oh, that is put away where no one but me can get it, all except $1,000 that I paid to have your detective taken off my trail. I can turn over to you $249,000, or I can keep it."

Lingar was silent, his brows contracted.

"Of course, you have not talked much about this for the sake of the bank. I have not mentioned it even to my wife. So you see we can still avoid publicity."

Without a word to Faldis, Lingar walked slowly out to the hall. The policemen went away. He returned to the library. Ethyl had recovered.

"Oh, papa, you will forgive us, won't you?" she sobbed.

"What else can I do, my child?" he said, taking her in his arms.

And Faldis stepped up to take the outstretched hand of his relenting father-in-law.

PRINCE HENRY'S AUTOGRAPHS FEW

Many Efforts Made to Get Them, but Few Were Successful.

Prince Henry, while here, was naturally asked often for his autograph, but it is estimated that not more than 100 persons succeeded in getting it. Most of the requests came by mail.

The prince, who had met the autograph fiends on the other side, decided to give his autograph only to certain individuals. These were the president of a society or club of which he was the guest, and one or two of those nearest him at table. To this rule he persistently adhered.

At all the dinners at which the prince was a guest, in this city and elsewhere, requests for his autograph were sent to him in large numbers, most of them in notes addressed to him through the presiding officer. Not a few of these requests were made personally.

The prince always took pains to inform whoever presided at the dinner of the rule he had made, and left it to him to explain it to the applicants. In accordance with the rule he made for himself, he always wrote his autograph on the menu card of the presiding officer, and of those nearest him at table, sometimes extending it so that perhaps five or six persons had the favor shown to them at the head table.

Had he complied with all the requests made, it was said by a person who was with him and knew about his mail, he would not have had time to do anything else throughout his visit but write his signature.—New York Sun.

WHY WASHINGTON'S LEGS SHINE.

Misapplied Zeal of Agent for New Kind of Polish.

One of the points of interest in the financial district is the bronze statue of Washington in the front of the United States sub-treasury on Wall street, says the New York Press. It is invariably pointed out to visitors, and almost invariably the question is asked:

"Why do they polish only the knees and not the whole statue?"

Mentor and guide has to shake his head, and admits that he does not know.

It appears that some years ago a peddler with some new kind of polish came to the sub-treasury and extolled the virtues of his compound to one of the guards. "Why," he said, "I could even polish up that rusty old statue out there in a jiffy."

"Go ahead," said the guard.

The agent went to work with a will and in a few minutes had succeeded in taking off the beautiful dull oxydizing from the legs of the statue as far as the knees. Just then Mr. Muhleman, the deputy assistant treasurer, came up the steps, and in less time than it takes to tell it the agent found himself sitting at the foot of the steps, while Mr. Muhleman lectured to the surprised guard in forcible language on the vandalism of indiscriminate polishing.

But not even the variability of the New York climate has been sufficient as yet to restore to the polished parts their old dull beauty.

HAS A CURIOUS TRANSFORMATION.

The Axaloti Becomes Another Animal in Certain Localities.

Naturalists have long been familiar with a newt-like creature, breathing by gills and lungs both, and inhabiting the lakes of Mexico and other American waters. This is the axolotl. It was also discovered that in certain localities this creature, which by the way breeds freely in Mexico, sheds its skin, casts off its gills and its tail fin, develops another color of body and leaves the water to become a land newt. Under this latter guise it is known as the amblystoma.

Naturally, the explanation of this curious transformation rests on the fact that the axolotl is really the young or tadpole stage of the amblystoma form, but the peculiarity here is that in its first stage it should breed and multiply and continue to reproduce axolotls, as if it were a perfectly mature animal. The occurrence of such cases points out to us one way in which species can be evolved, for, had we not been acquainted with the relationship of these forms, nobody would have hesitated to describe them as two essentially distinct animals.

Lately it has been shown, says the London Chronicle, that, while in Colorado and Dakota the transformation is complete, in Mexico the axolotl stage is apparently permanent. Here, probably, the influence of environment on a living being is typically illustrated.

"The Uncle of His Nephew."

The potency of football in giving prominence not only to the player, but to all his relatives was amusingly illustrated in the case of the well-known anti-expansionist, William Lloyd Garrison. At an evening reception Mr. Garrison was introduced to a noted athlete.

"I am pleased to know you, Mr. Garrison," said the athelete. "I presume you are a relative of the famous Harvard quarterback, 'Billy' Garrison."

"Great heavens!" exclaimed Mr. Garrison in mock indignation. "All my life I have been known as the son of my father; must I in my old age be known as the uncle of my nephew?"

GREATNESS THRUST UPON

How Poor French Poet Was Made State Functionary.

A poor Parisian poet named [illegible] during the reign of Napoleon I. dressed an ode to Princess [illegible], Napoleon's favorite sister. A [illegible] to the poet being waiting maid [illegible] princess, presented the ode, [illegible] result that Pauline asked for [illegible] for M. Dubois, a man of superior [illegible] Minister Fouche, delighted to [illegible] the princess, called at the poet's [illegible] ble attic. The poet put his head [illegible] of the window of his garret and [illegible] ing a carriage escorted by gendarmes [illegible] concluded that the boldness of his [illegible] marks with regard to a marriage [illegible] peace had been badly received by the [illegible] emperor and that they had come to [illegible] arrest him. Prompted by his fear [illegible] Dubois considered it most prudent to [illegible] hide under his bed. The poet was [illegible] out and was sent to Elba as [illegible] sary general of police. It was [illegible] time ere Fouche and Pauline met [illegible] the princess had difficulty in [illegible] bering the request that she had [illegible] for Dubois. "Does not your [illegible] recollect a letter sent to me [illegible] three months ago, most pressing [illegible] recommending a M. Dubois, a [illegible] letters, in whom your highness [illegible] the greatest interest?" "One [illegible] ment," said the princess, and the [illegible] smile overspread her beautiful [illegible] tures. "My protege, M. le Duc, was [illegible] poor poet, a relative of one of [illegible] maids, who sent me an ode. [illegible] have you done with him? Have [illegible] given him a stool in one of your [illegible] partments?" The minister, seeing [illegible] at having been duped in that [illegible] took particular care to suppress [illegible] fact of his having made a grand [illegible] tionary of Dubois. Unfortunately [illegible] Fouche's friends at court got wind [illegible] the thing and there was an end of [illegible] secret. Napoleon himself was [illegible] amused at it and bantered his minister. Dubois was recalled, but [illegible] 200,000 francs had been paid to him.

HE MADE A TOO GENEROUS OFFER

Dr. Emerson Was Too Hasty in Kindly Deed.

Dr. Edward W. Emerson, the son of Ralph Waldo Emerson, was recently the victim of his own generosity, says the New York Tribune. In Concord, where Dr. Emerson lives, one of the best known characters is a simple minded old fellow, whose actions furnish the villages with an inexhaustible fund of amusement. Among the [illegible] gies of the old codger, who is [illegible] known as "Charlie," is a fondness for reading. No one has ever discovered how much of his reading is for pleasure, but "Charlie" is never seen without at least one book under his arm.

The other day "Charlie" came to Dr. Emerson, and said sorrowfully: "Doctor, they won't let me take books out of the library any more."

Dr. Emerson has a fine private library, and, moved by the sadness in "Charlie's" tone, said kindly: "Never mind, 'Charlie.' You may take any book of mine you wish."

Satisfied with this assurance, "Charlie" departed, and did not return for several days. Then he came back and said doubtfully: "You said I might take any book of yours I want, didn't you?"

The doctor assented, wondering what was coming.

"That means any book you own, doesn't it?" queried "Charlie."

Again the doctor assented.

"Well, then," said "Charlie," triumphantly, "let me take your mind book."

EASY VICTIMS OF CARD SHARPS

High-Rolling Players Chosen Out Immense Amounts.

In the old days of gambling the men who played highest were very frequently the most easily duped. Wrothesly, duke of Bedford, was famously robbed by a gang of sharpers of whom Beau Nash was the head. The duke had been plundered out of over $350,000 at hazard, when, suspecting the dice to be loaded, he [illegible] in a passion, put them in his pocket and refused to play or pay further [illegible] til he had examined them. He retired to another room and fell asleep, affording the conspirators the chance to pick his pockets and substitute loaded mate dice for the loaded. The duke on awakening and finding the dice correct played again and lost a further $150,000. Beau Nash, not getting a sufficient share of the plunder, reformed the duke. A similar misadventure befell a duke of Norfolk early in the last century. He went through the same ceremony of carrying off the dice and falling asleep with them in his possession. In this instance, however, the thieves got a notorious bully perado to go into the room with a brace of pistols and new dice, with instructions to shoot the duke if the latter were awake and to change the dice if he were asleep.

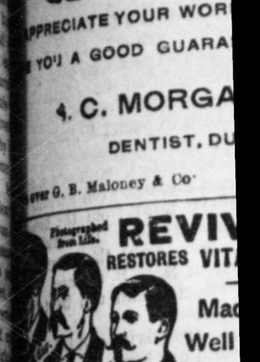
Value of Encouragement.

Perhaps there is nothing else so productive of cheerful, helpful service as the expression of approval or praise of work well done, and yet there is nothing so grudgingly, so meagrely given by employers. Many of them seem to think that commendation is demoralizing, and that the voicing of appreciation will lead to listlessness and the withdrawal of energy and interest. This evinces [illegible] a poor knowledge of human nature, which is always hungering for approbation; but how mistaken such views are is shown by the loyal and unstinted service given to those large-minded men who treat their employes as members of a family committed to their care.

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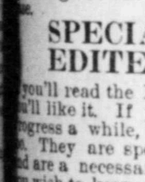
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OPERATIONS OF THE BEEF TRUST HAVE ACCOMPLISHED MUCH.

Set the People to Pondering Keenly and Deeply on the Subject of Monopoly —Cry of "Prosperity" Apt to Lose Its Spellbinding Power.

The trust question threatens to resolve itself into a national stomach trouble. And if it does the popular view of it will be rapidly and radically changed.

As to iron, steel, copper, tin, wire, nails and hardware generally, the people may listen more or less patiently to the proposition that trusts are beautiful and beneficent agencies for lessening the cost of production, raising wages and cheapening prices. But no argument will avail to reconcile the mass of mankind to the disappearing beefsteak, the vanishing lamb stew and the shrinking ration of pork.

The beef trust has done more in a fortnight to set the people thinking keenly and deeply on the problem of monopoly that all the trusts that manipulate unedible things put together could possibly do. Steak at 25 cents a pound is the "price that staggers humanity." It is the anti-climax of "the full dinner pail." The subtleties of the economists will be swept away like cobwebs when people are forced to weigh them against a lean larder and a pinched bill of fare.

History abounds with illustrations of the fact that whoever and whatever interfere between man and his meals invites disaster. The French Revolution began with the cry for food under the windows of the king's palace. It was the bread riots of half-fed England that forced a Tory government to repeal the taxes on corn in very fear of what might happen if it did not. The American people, having always been the best fed people in the world, will resent all the more fiercely the artificial dearness and scarcity of food which the trusts are conspiring to create.

If there is any practical remedy for this piratical raid on the people's food supplies in the federal anti-trust laws, President Roosevelt and Attorney General Knox cannot move to apply it too quickly. "The full dinner pail" was a conquering cry. "The empty dinner plate" would be a still more decisive slogan. "Prosperity" will lose all its spellbinding power if the trusts are able to maintain extortionate prices on meat, poultry, butter and eggs, and put the people on short food allowance amid the overflowing plenty of the most plentiful land on which the sun shines.

A Corner in Philanthropy.

The sugar trust has not been generally recognized as a charitable institution until the question of reducing the duties on Cuban sugar came up. For lo, these many years this much abused corporation has been maligned as a soulless corporation, intent upon extorting money from the consumers of sugar. It now appears that it was organized solely for purposes of philanthropy—for "sweet" charity's sake. Its only mission in life is to aid and comfort the struggling Cuban planter, to feed the American consumer of sugar, and, incidentally, the "squash" the beet sugar trust, that monster of such horrid mien, which makes its den in the sacred halls and lobbies of the capitol building at Washington. It is time the American people awoke to a proper recognition of these charitable purposes of the sugar trust. The comprehensiveness of this programme at once suggests the possibility of a corner in charity. It has been hinted that the starving sugar planter of Cuba consists mostly of the sugar trust. Whether this be true or not, free raw sugar, together with free refined sugar, would be a great boon to the American people, and if the trust gained from this freedom it would be a legitimate gain, in which both Cuba and the United States would share. No doubt, since the trust is so solicitous for the alleviation of Cuba's poverty and woe, it will have a like interest in removing the burden of the tariff tax from the shoulders of the American people. The repeal of such taxes would be better than charity. It would be an act of justice.

Silly Talk of Treason.

Some of the army officers in the Philippines, or who have recently returned from there, appear reluctant to allow an opportunity to pass without endeavoring to give the American people the impression that, for the first time in the nation's history, it is engaged in a war that cannot bear discussion. At least that is the effect of the recent demands for the indictment for treason of senators, congressmen and private citizens who have dared to consider the Philippine question in any other light than that of the military.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Democrats in Much the Better Form.

Contrasted with the existing Republican disaffection, the present organization of American Democracy is full of triumphant promise. Harmony was never more evident than now. Leaders and the rank and file alike realize that the duty devolving upon the Democratic party in 1902 and 1904 calls for absolute unity of action in the people's behalf. An unrepublican spirit is wrecking the Republican party and endangering the nation.

Henderson Is Receiving Light.

It must be admitted that when Speaker Henderson flops—and his record in this line is something remarkable—he comes down with both feet. About a fortnight ago he was, if not openly and avowedly for beet sugar first, last and all the time, leaning strongly toward beets as the basis of harmony. Tuesday night he was friendly to Cuba with all the zeal of the convert who has come to a definite conclusion as to which side of the bread is buttered. He was for harmony without beets as ingredients. In effect he warned the extremists among the opponents to Cuban relief that if they persisted they had better make an assignment to the Democratic party and be done with it.—Boston Transcript.

Taft's Weak-Kneed Suggestion.

Gov. Taft's solemn statement that the 250,000 Moro slaves would fight rather than be freed contains a first-class suggestion for the makers of comic opera. The undoubted willingness of many negroes to continue as slaves did not stop this nation from making fearful sacrifices in the assertion of a great moral and political principle, but Gov. Taft deprecates the issuance of a declaration of emancipation in the Philippines because it might possibly cause us trouble with a tribe who, he says, are "warlike, but not formidable."—Philadelphia North American.

Ruined the Edifice He Built.

In less than nineteen years Theodore Roosevelt, the young knight in politics who posed as the champion of the people, became the defender of the very people who were denounced by him as "part of an infinitely dangerous order—the wealthy criminal class." Theodore Roosevelt started out well. He reared a grand stronghold in his early strenuous year. But time has crumbled that fortification to pieces and to-day it stands a melancholy ruin, which appears to have been forgotten by the world.—Albany Express.

Selfishness of Protected Interests.

The selfishness of the tariff barons recoils upon itself at times, as in the case of the high protective tariff shoe manufacturers of Massachusetts, who are now demanding the free admission of Cuban hides. They would not hear to a reduction in the tariff on shoes, which would be a benefit to the country generally, but they insist on the abolition of the tariff on hides so that while they can charge the people what they please for the finished product they are being favored with cheaper raw material.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Western Voters Are Disgusted.

That the voters of the west are already making manifest their disgust of the Republican party and its policies is evidenced by the fact that in last week's elections in western states, and particularly in Illinois, the Democrats have made very significant and unexpected gains, carrying some localities which had never been carried by them before. No wonder the man in the white house is worried over the situation.—Syracuse Telegram.

Babcock Has Been Muzzled.

Congressman Babcock of Wisconsin has been re-elected chairman of the Republican congressional campaign committee. Now the Dingleyites have Mr. Babcock where they want him. He must fish, cut bait or go ashore. His arguments in favor of electing a majority in the next congress, which will perpetuate the injustices and absurdities of the existing tariff, will be awaited with general, not to say feverish, impatience.—Albany Argus.

Partial Justice Done Cuba.

Setting aside all questions of partisan advantage, the essential point has been gained. So far as the house is concerned, justice has been done to Cuba, though it might have been done in a less grudging spirit. A 20 per cent reduction in the duty on Cuban sugar is not all that was to be desired, but it is a move in the right direction and will doubtless accomplish some good.

Real Democrats Are United.

Every genuine Democrat is now in line for Democratic success in the congressional elections this year, and in the presidential election of 1894, and is duly enrolled for active and harmonious party service. Scratch any man outside this formation who claims to be a Democrat and you'll find his Democracy is only skin deep and assumed for selfish advantage.—St. Louis Republic.

Forestalls Revision of the Tariff.

The relief which may be experienced through the repeal of the war revenue taxes will be trivial and not general, while the Dingley tariff, which touches every pocketbook, is to remain in full force. Furthermore, one purpose of the war revenue repeal act was to forestall a general revision and reduction of the tariff schedules.—Albany Argus.

A Pregnant Discovery.

So the protectionists now are satisfied that the Cuban proposed concessions have been set afoot by the Sugar Trust. It is quite natural that the men who stand guard over the Steel Trust should have made this discovery and should be most wrathy about it.—St. Paul Globe.

Issues That Will Bring Success.

Should the paramount issue in the next campaign be the control of the trusts and the related questions of the tariff and the ship subsidy steal, it will mean victory for the Democratic ticket.

AGAINST TOBACCO.

Its Use by Boys Under Sixteen Years of Age Opposed.

Terrell, Tex., May 6.—Monday was the closing day of the twentieth annual convention of the Texas Woman's Christian Temperance Union, which has been in session in this city since last Thursday morning. The business of the convention was practically completed Saturday. The session held Monday was a "hurry-up" one and business was disposed of with a rush. There were many little matters that had been left over from day to day that were disposed of briefly.

E. P. Turner, general passenger agent of the Texas and Pacific railway, arrived that morning in compliance with his promise to attend the convention, and was sorry to learn that the proceedings were nearly over, but he was in time to become an honorary member, was enrolled, paid his membership fee and donned the emblem of the organization.

The following resolution, offered by Mrs. Purinton, superintendent fo the purity department, to be presented to the Sheriffs' Association of Texas, was adopted:

"To the Sheriffs' Association of Texas in Convention Assembled: Honorable Gentlemen and Brothers—

"Whereas, The supremacy of the tissue pays for its kingship by never being able to replace itself; and

"Whereas, The use of tobacco has been found by medical tests to be a most insidious destroyer of this tissue; and

"Whereas, The note of warning has been sounded by those in charge of the insane (our own Dr. Turner of Terrell being one), by physicians, chemists, eductators and philanthropists, and by the bleeding hearts of mothers all over the land, weeping for their sons, who have been dwarfed in intellect and body, and whose moral sensibilities have in hundreds, yea, thousands of cases, been dulled by the pernicious tobacco habit, there we, the W. C. T. U. of Texas, in convention assembled, representing the motherhood of Texas, petition you for a better enforcement of the state anti-tobacco law, whereby tobacco in any form shall not be sold, given or bartered or caused to be sold, given or bartered to boys under 16 years of age."

The selecting of a place for holding the next convention was deferred until the mid-year meeting of the executive committee, the date of which has not been fixed.

Telegraph Office Burns.

San Antonio, Tex.: At 5 o'clock Monday morning lightning struck the building, No. 140 West Commerce street, owned by Louis Oge and occupied by the Western Union Telegraph company. The telegraph force had all quit work for the night and gone home and no one was in the building. The woodwork in the telegraph office caught fire and spread rapidly through the room and to the second story, the whole interior being ablaze when the fire department reached the scene. The flames were confined to the building, but the telegraph office was ruined. the loss to the company being not less than $3000. The building was damaged $5000, fully covered by insurance.

Menger & Freed, wholesale liquor dealers, adjoining the telegraph office, sustained $1000 damage from water and heat, covered by insurance. The Western Union opened for business across the street in a few hours.

Strike Over.

Denison, Tex.: The carpenters' walkout at the Katy shops has ended. A telegram from William O'Herrin, superintendent of motive power and machinery, to whom the men's demands were referred, instructed that the men be put back to work. This is taken to mean that the demands of the men have been acceded to.

More Accountants.

Austin, Tex.: Legislative investigating committee announce that the expert accountants would go back as far as the administration of Hon. Frank R. Lubbock in investigating the affair of the state treasury department.

The following additional accountants were employed: Otto Bergstrom and Frank Gallagher of Austin, Tom Ramsey of San Anotonio. Another accountant will be employed as soon as the proper person can be selected.

Greene Chosen!

Tyler, Tex.: At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Louis Southwestern Railway company of Texas Monday the old directors, with one exception, were elected.

The board of directors then met and accepted the resignation of R. H. Bowronas first vice president and general superintendent of the road.

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Regular Correspondence.

May 7—J. D. Brown of Grandbury is here today looking after his branch house.

Dr. and Mrs. Bowie left today for a several days' visit at Carlton.

Willie Simmons and Joe Cardwell of Purvis are here taking orders for enlarging pictures,

There will be an ice cream supper at Mrs. Simmons' Friday night for the benefit of the M. E. church.

Grandbury and Tolar crossed bats Saturday evening which resulted in a score of 15 to 9 in favor of Tolar. Another game will be played Friday.

Rev. Walker of Bluff Dale filled his regular appointment at the M. E. church Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Baines of Olin, Hamilton county, preached a series of sermons here the latter part of last week.

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May 3rd.—Mr. Sheehan of Dublin, was in Hico Tuesday.

Henry Wieser of Dublin was down Sunday.

B. M. Utterback of Dublin was in the city Tuesday.

B. R. Weaver visited his home folks near Lingleville Sunday.

Ben McDermott of Dublin spent Sunday in Hico.

Jim McKinney and Chas. Hooker of Dublin were in the city Sunday.

Will Hutchingson of Dublin visited his parents Sunday.

T B. Lafferty was called to Arkansas by telephone Sunday announcing the serious illness of his mother. He returned Thursday.

Babe Morrison went to Dublin this week and accompanied the Dublin gun club to Comanche, where there was a match shoot between the two clubs Thursday.

Mrs. Shoffner of Dublin spent Sunday in the city, the guest of Mesdames W. H. Fuller and Tom Woods.

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Regular Correspondence.

May 7—The democrats held their primary here last Saturday. J. F. Barbee, C. C. Loveless and Doc Kerby were elected delegates to the county convention.

J. C. Watson returned home from Vennevive, Texas, Saturday of last week. He reports plenty of rain in that part of the state but says corn is much smaller there than here.

The young people had quite an enjoyable singing Sunday night at the home of F. A. Highley.

C. C. Loveless and Miss Ethel Gorman made a trip to the western part of the county Monday. Miss Ethel was looking for a school. She was employed in the Wilson school the past term.

P. W. Harding surprised his many friends in Wilson last Thursday by going off and bringing home a bride Tuesday of this week. The bride was a resident of Eastland county.

Tom Case was in Wilson last week, having just returned from the Territory. Tom was one of the many who went to the new country to make his fortune. He has decided that Erath county is a good enough place for him.

Miss Effie Wright visited friends in Wilson Wednesday.

A number of our young people are making preparations to attend the entertainment tonight at the home of Will Gilbreath.

The entire eastern section of Texas was visited by a good rain last Monday. In many counties where cattle and grain were suffering it came in the nick of time.

Holds up a Congressman.

"At the end of the campaign," writes Champ Clark, Missouri's brilliant congressman, "from overwork, nervous tension, loss of sleep and constant speaking I had about utterly collapsed. It seemed that all the organs in my body were out of order but three bottles of Electric Bitters made me all right. It's the best all-around medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter." Over worked, run-down men and weak, sickly women gain splendid health and vitality from Electric Bitters. Try them; only 50c guaranteed by Overton Drug Co.

Taking Up of Public Lands.

A press dispatch from Austin says:

"The rapid settling up of the western part of the state is something startling to the old timers. By an act of the Twenty-sixth legislature 3,000,000 acres of public school land was put on the market for sale to the actual settler, and a large part of this was in the great west. It was classified and sold by the land commission at one dollar and two dollars per acre. The 3,000,000 acres have been disposed of, with only a few forfeitures and they in turn were sold again, so that every foot of that allotment of state land is now in the possession of some sturdy fellow who has thus become a factor in the upbuilding of the state. Since that time many hundreds of acres of new land, so to speak, have been placed on the market and likewise sold. While many Texans took up claims in that section of the state, a large majority of the landholders are new comers to Texas but since their arrival they have become thoroughly Texanized. Many hailed from Iowa, Missouri, Illinois and Nebraska, having disposed of their holdings in the older states."

Stand Like a Stone Wall

Between your children and the tortures of itching and burning eczema, scaldhead or other skin diseases.—How? why, by using Bucklen's Arnica Salve, earth's greatest healer. Quickest cure for ulcers, fever sores, salt rheum, cuts, burns and bruises. Infallible for piles. 25c at Overton Drug Co.

The Dublin Library Association.

An interesting meeting was held in the Library room over Latham Co's. store Tuesday night. The room has been nicely furnished with rockers, chairs, tables and bookcase. The Ladies Thursday Club presented the association with sixty-six volumns of the latest copyright books.

Next meeting will be held Tuesday May 13th at 8:30 p. m. in the library room with the following program:

Humorous recitation—Mrs. Dr. Rew.

Debate—Resolved, That Marriage is a Failure—Prof. Hollingsworth, R. A. Brite affirmative; Prof. Simms, C. S. Bowden negative; judges, five young ladies.

Local Option Proceedure.

State Revenue Agent J. D. Cunningham has sent out from Austin the following self explanatory letter, addressed to the tax collectors of counties which have voted prohibition:

"Dear Sir: In answer to the question as to what shall be done with the party or parties in local option places who have internal revenue stamps for selling intoxicating liquors and sell such articles as ginger ale, hop ale, blackberry cordial and harmless wines of every grade and kind, will say that if the parties have United States special tax it is prima facie evidence that they are engaged in selling spirituous liquors, and the burden of proof will be upon them to show to the contrary in an effort made by you to collect the state tax. You will understand that drinks such as are enumerated as above can be sold in local option places only upon prescription as prescribed by the local option law, and if the drinks are intoxicating they must pay a state tax of $200 per year.

"In case there are parties in your county coming within the above definition who refuse to take out occupation taxes, my advice would be to file complaints against the parties so refusing and let the complaint embrace two counts, one for failure to pay occupation taxes and the other for violating local option laws and by this means there will be no loophole of escape."

The Schools and Trustees.

The school trustee election held in Dublin last Saturday to elect three trustees for the Dublin Independent school district resulted in the following vote: J. B. Waldo 227, B. W. Lafferty 223, J. S. Daley 226, Dr. T. J. Farmer 62, Prof. W. J. Clay 48 and J. E. Bishop 65, the three first named being elected.

Two tickets were in the field, each printed on separate slips, and for a time the interest was intense between the friends of each, but the ticket containing the names of those elected had been previously agreed upon by a large number of the two opposing factions, in the interest of securing harmony and that but one ticket might be out and hence when the other ticket was named it was at the outset placed at a great disadvantage and the extremely small vote received by those not elected, was not on account of their personality or that they were the less qualified, but the unequal result is attributable only to an effort for harmony.

The school board, as at present composed, is of men who will be able to work harmoniously in the interest of the schools and as adaptability for the position and their recognition as representative citizens can hardly be questioned, it may be believed that every interest of our educational institutions will be carefully and intelligently guarded without prejudice or partiality to any patron or teacher and only with a view to making the schools the leading and most potent as well as the most harmonious factor for the development of our city and its most sacred interests.

It is to be hoped that every citizen will work in unity for this benificent result and that instead of at any time placing an obstacle in the way of success of the board or faculty as the managers of this most important adjunct of our civilization, they will in every way possible assist, by council and encouragement, to bring out the greatest results.

In addition to the three mentioned above as being elected last Saturday the board now consists of Messrs. Jno. G. Harris, M. C. Witcher, S. A. Green and G. B. Maloney.

Comanche County Conventions.

In the democratic precinct conventions in Comanche county last Saturday Lee Riddle for congress carried every precinct except Sipe Springs, which went to Poindexter. Ocie Speer for associate justice of the supreme court carried every precinct, Curtis for railroad commissioner all precincts but DeLeon, which went to Colquitt and Reiger carried all but DeLeon and Bibb for representative. In no part of the county did populists enter the proceedings and the number of votes in all represented was exceedingly small. Considerable spirit was shown at Sipe Springs in the congressional race and one of the representatives of Gillespie was hung in effigy, but no trouble resulted.

No Loss of Time.

I have sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for years and would rather be out of coffee and sugar than it. I sold five bottles of it yesterday to threshers that could go no farther, and they are at work again this morning —H. R. Phelps, Plymouth, Okla. As will be seen by the above the threshers were able to keep on with their work without losing a single day's time. You should keep a bottle of this remedy in your home. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

Through the courtesy of our friend C. B. Bassell, who sent us a copy of an extra edition of the San Angelo Standard, we learn that the democratic primaries in Tom Green county last Saturday resulted in the nomination of Milton Mays for county judge, Ed Duggan for county and district clerk, Jno. I. Huffman for treasurer, J. B. Allen for sheriff and tax collector, David A. Grant for attorney, J. W. Lawton for hide and animal inspector, A. D. West for assessor and H. B. Tarver for surveyor. The total vote at the San Angelo box was 856, the largest ever polled there.

For those Who Live on Farms.

Dr. Bergin, Pana, Ills., writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment; always recommend it to my friends, as I am confident there is no better made. It is a dandy for burns." Those who live on farms are especially liable to many accidental cuts, burns and bruises, which heal rapidly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is applied. It should always be kept in the house for cases of emergency. 25c, 50c and $1 at Overton Drug Co.

The re-union edition of the Dallas News is a publication of seventy-two pages, every page of which is filled with live and suggestive matter of the greatness of Dallas and of Texas. It will undoubtedely prove one of the greatest advertisements for Texas that has ever been printed.

World Wide Reputation.

White's Cream Vermifuge has achieved a world wide reputation as being the best of all worm destroyers, and for its tonic influence on weak and unthrifty children, as it naturalizes the acidity or sourness of the stomach, improves their digestion and assimilation of food, strengthen their nervous system and restores them to the health, vigor and elasticity of spirits natural to childhood. 25c at Overton Drug Co.

An Editor's Dictionary.

Poet—A man whose breast throbs while he writes things that are supposed to rhyme. Example—

"The poet twanged a mournful lyre;
His brain with anguish was on fire—
He piled his 'copy' ten sheets higher,
And sighed!
"Fiercely he puffed his pipe of cob;
His breast it heaved with fervent 'throb'—
He wrote of verses a great gob,
And sighed!"

Mystery—What the sausage link was made of. Ex.—"It was a 'mystery' in the community what became of Jones' dog."

Editor—One who is supposed to take cordwood on subscription. Ex.—'Ye editor is in need of fuel for his domicile. Will some back subscriber please bring us in some stumps and receive our blessing. It takes money to run a newspaper!"

Muzzle—A political contraption. Ex.—"He put a 'muzzle' on his friends and was elected by the back country."

Potatoes—Taters. Example—

"He plowed up ten acres
And planted 'pertaters';
Says he: 'I'll just cater
To wealth and estate—er
My name's not Boggs!'"

*This was last spring. He is now known as the Honorable Horatio de Bogges of Boggsville, Oklahoma. Moral—Know when to plant potatoes.

Insolent—One who wears insoles. Ex.—"Get up and build your own fire," she said with "insolence."

Newspaper Reporter—A reporter of news. Ex.—"The reporter unbridled his imagination and 'smoked up.'"

Rubber—To peek, to crane one's neck. Ex.—

"Little Johnny 'rubbered'
At his sister May;
Until her beau blew out the light
And settled down to stay."

Divorce—An antidote for matrimony. Ex.—"He was cold and cruel and she hit him with a custard pie. Then they tried to beat each other to the 'divorce' court."

Bloomers—A word used in the bicycle era to designate a pair of exhaustions. Ex.—"His breath came and went in short pants."

Children's Fertilizer.

That's a good name for Scott's Emulsion. Children are like young plants. Some will grow in ordinary soil. Others need fertilizers.

The nature of some children prevents them from thriving on ordinary food Such children grow right if treated right.

All they need is a little fertilizer—a little extra richness. Scott's Emulsion is the right treatment.

Fertilizers make things grow. That's just what Scott's Emulsion does. It makes children grow in flesh, grow in strength, grow rich blood, grow in mind, grow happy. That's what we make it for.

Send for free sample.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y.
50c and $1.00; all druggists.

INSIDE THE GROCERY.

Some Facts Made Known.

It is often thought that grocers really have very little care regarding the food value of the articles they sell, but the real facts are that grocery keepers of the right sort are extremely particular as to what they recommend.

One of the fraternity relates a tale. "The highest priced coffee on the market I introduced to my customers and used myself. I began to have billious attacks and after a little observation attributed them directly to coffee. Every time I left off drinking it I got better, but I felt the need of a warm drink for breakfast.

"Along in '96 a wholesale grocer urged me to put in some Postum Food Coffee in my store, which I did with considerable misgiving for at that time, the now famous Postum was not so well known.

"He urged me to try it myself which I did and was disgusted with the flat, tasteless beverage, so was my wife. I remembered the wholesale grocer said something about following directions carefully, so I took the package and studied it. I at once discovered that we had not boiled it long enough, only three or four minutes, but it must be boiled fifteen minutes at least so I tried it again with the result that we got a perfect cup of coffee, a delightful and healthful beverage. I have continued the use of Postum in my home ever since. We use it for breakfast, dinner and supper.

"My bilious attacks quickly left and I am free from them altogether. I began to explain to my customers something of the value of Postum Coffee and now have a very large trade on it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Parents' Great Responsibility



It is the right of every child to be well born, and to the parents it must look for health and happiness. How inconceivably great is the parents' responsibility, and how important that no taint of disease is left in the blood to be transmitted to the helpless child, entailing the pitiable suffering, and marking its little body with offensive sores and eruptions, catarrh of the nose and throat, weak eyes, glandular swellings, brittle bones, white swelling and deformity.

How can parents look upon such little sufferers and not reproach themselves for bringing so much misery into the world? If you have any disease lurking in your system, how can you expect well developed healthy children? Cleanse your own blood and build up your health, and you have not only enlarged your capacity for the enjoyment of the pleasures of life, but have discharged a duty all parents owe to posterity, and made mankind healthier and happier.

There is no remedy that so surely reaches deep-seated, stubborn blood troubles as S. S. S. It searches out even hereditary poisons, and removes every taint from the blood and builds up the general health. If weaklings are growing up around you, right the wrong by putting them on a course of S. S. S. at once. It is a purely vegetable medicine, harmless in its effects, and can be taken by both old and young without fear of any bad results.

Write us about your case, and let our physicians advise and help you. This will cost you nothing, and we will also send our book on blood and skin diseases.

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THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

The Old Dublin Cemetery Work.

On account of the election last Saturday the working of the old Dublin cemetery and the meeting proposed to be had in the interest of the cemetery last Saturday was postponed until next Monday the 12th inst. All parties interested are requested to meet at the grave yard promptly on the morning of the day named.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured After Fourteen Years of Suffering.

"I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism for fourteen years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was able to be around but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured and am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this liniment and get well? It is for sale by Overton Drug Co.

Every editor is the architect of his own future, but many are poor carpenters.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
Lucas County, }

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. Frank J. Cheney.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. Gleason,
[SEAL] Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Men have been worse pricked by the point of a pen than by the point of a sword.

Reveals a Great Secret.

It is often asked how such startling cures, that puzzle the best physicians, are effected by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Here's the secret. It cuts out the phlegm and germ-infected mucous and lets the life-giving oxygen enrich and vitalize the blood. It heals the inflamed, cough-worn throat and lungs. Hard colds and stubborn coughs soon yeild to Dr. King's New Discovery, the most infallible remedy for all throat and lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Overton Drug Co.

The democratic primaries held in Palo Pinto county last Saturday resulted in the nomination of Wm. Connell for county judge, T. C. Hinman for sheriff, Wayne Lassiter for attorney and R. O. Peak for district clerk.

On account of the lack of patronage the Carbon Headlight has "swunk" from a six column to a five column paper. The town, even though a small one, can ill afford this weekly pronounced evidence of business stagnation.

Because a town has no Chinaman is not a sign it is a safe community for rats.

To cure a cold in one day take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

The miser seldom sees the point. It is only the editor who is paid for boquets.

When you wake up with a bad taste in your mouth you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlin's Stomach & Liver Tablets. They will cleanse your stomach, improve your appetite and make you feel like a new man. They are easy to take, being sugar coated and pleasant in effect. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

A Kentucky man who has thirteen wives has been rescued. The authorities kindly put him in jail.

Cures When Doctors Fail.

Mrs. Frank Chiasson, Patterson, La., writes June 8th, 1901: "I had malaria fever in very bad form, was under treatment by doctors, but as soon as I stopped taking their medicine the fever would return. I used a sample of Herbine, found it helped me. Then bought two bottles, which completely cured me. I feel grateful to you for furnishing such a splended medicine and can honestly recommend it to those suffering from malaria, as it will surely cure them." Herbine 50c a bottle at Overton Drug Co.

Nothing is certain but death and taxes. Babies, newspapers and cyclones are suppositional.

Spring Ailments.

There is an aching and tired feeling; the liver, bowels and kidneys become sluggish and inactive, the digestion impaired, with little or no appetite, no ambition for anything and a feeling that the whole body and mind needs toning up. The trouble is, that during winter, there has been an accumulation of waste matter in the system. Herbine will remove it, secure to the secretions an exit, and by its tonic effects, fully restore the wasted tissues and give strength in place of weakness. 50c at Overton Drug Co.

If all the truths were told in the newspapers there wouldn't be enough life insurance policies to go 'round.

Whooping Cough.

A woman who has had experience with this disease, tells how to prevent any dangerous consequences from it. She says: "Our three children took whooping cough last summer, our baby boy being only three months old, and owing to our giving them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they lost none of their plumpness and came out in much better health than other children whose parents did not use this remedy. Our oldest little girl would call lustily for cough syrup between the whoops. Jessie Pinkley Hall, Springville, Ala. This remedy is for sale by Overton Drug Co.

Delicious Eating!

Prize Medal Chocolate and Nadja Caramels. A 50c Candy for 35c.

Salted Spanish Peanuts and Fine Gums.

Chocolate Creams	20c.
Good Mixed Candy	10c.
Best Pulled Stick	10c.
Prize Pop Corn Box	05c.
Hot Stuff, all the go	05c.

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