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SCORES GRAFTERS

VALLEY WOULD PUNISH OFFENSE
WITH DEATH.

WRITES AN OPEN LETTER

Naval Committeemen Who Make Appropriations to Provide Jobs For Constituents are Grafters.

By Associated Press.

Waterbury, Conn., Sept. 14.—Representative George L. Lilley, a member of the house committee on naval affairs, who has been criticized because of outspoken attitude on the Charleston harbor, has written an open letter in which he says: "If I had the supreme law-making power of this country, the only crime punishable with death would be that of grafting. Any man who sits as a member of the committee on naval affairs and uses his efforts to obtain an appropriation for some tumbled-down navy yard in his district to the end that he might provide well paid jobs for his constituents is grafting. Not a single dollar may touch his hands, but just the same he is grafting from the United States government, which he is paid and sworn to serve."

J. G. Hardin, who owns a tract of land west of Burkburnett, has filed an appeal from the award of damages by the commissioners' court in connection with the opening of a new road through his land. The commissioners placed his damages at the rate of \$50 per acre. Mr. Hardin is not satisfied with this award and has appealed to the county court. The county commissioners held a meeting today to consider what action they would take in the matter.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 500. Market steady.
Beef steers 4.00@7.60
Cows 1.25@5.50
Texas steers 3.75@5.90
Calves 6.00@8.00
Western cattle 4.00@6.00
Stockers and feeders 2.60@5.00
Sheep—Receipts, 2,500. Market steady.
Western 3.75@5.85
Yearlings 5.50@6.40
Lambs 5.00@7.60
Western 5.00@7.70

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000. Market unchanged. Sheep—Receipts none. Market is steady.

Wool.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 14.—Wool steady. Territory and western mediums, 20¢ 25; fine medium, 19¢ 23; fine, 19¢ 20.

Copper is Lower.

New York, Sept. 14.—The United Metals Selling Company announced today that it had reduced its price of electrolic copper from 18 to 16½ cents a pound. The company acts as selling agent for the Amalgamated Copper Company.

MUSHIR DOWLEH DEAD.

Created a National Assembly in Persia.

By Associated Press.

Teheran, Sept. 14.—Mushir Ed Dowle, ex-grand vizier and ex-foreign minister of Persia, who was regarded as chiefly responsible for the shah's rescript granting a national assembly, died suddenly today of heart disease.

MEDAL IS AWARDED
TO DOCTOR FINLAY

By Associated Press.

Liverpool, Eng., Sept. 14.—The Mary Kingsley medal, instituted by the Liverpool school for the study of tropical diseases, to commemorate Miss Mary Kingsley, the African traveler, has been awarded to Dr. Charles Finlay, chief sanitary officer of Cuba, who originated the theory that yellow fever is carried by mosquitoes. Col. W. C. Gorgas, U. S. A., who was the chief sanitary officer at Havana, gave a practical effect, in 1902, to the discovery of Dr. Finlay in connection with an investigation of the cause of yellow fever and succeeded in banishing that disease from Havana.

STREET MEETING TONIGHT.

Satan's Stronghold to be Attacked—
All Christians Called to Battle.

The services last night were the best yet. Four confessed the name of Jesus and gave their lives to Him in service. The sermon was one of the best Brother Lockhart has yet given us. We have had twenty added to the church the first week and the interest is growing. Our services tonight will be at the corner of the street near the City National bank. All are invited to be present. Some good music and a sermon on "Rightly Dividing the Word of God."

We believe the gospel of Jesus Christ can save every saloon man and drunkard in our city if they will only believe and obey it, and all other sinners as well. There are many who do not sell nor drink whiskey who are lost and are sure of hell if they do not repent. We want to help you and hence are coming after you.

One of the strongholds of the devil in our city is the narrow sectarian. There are those who claim to be leaders in their own denominations that stand off and have nothing to do, only to criticize the efforts of those who are trying to save men. If we would be true to Jesus we must lend our aid and influence to every effort that points men to Jesus.

I always join in an effort to save men, though some of the methods employed are not just such as I prefer. If God's will honors the methods and saves men, I can surely afford to give my influence to the work. The old devil is so thoroughly entrenched in our town that it will require the united effort of all who profess to be on the Lord's side to rout him. Shall we have this?

If those who profess to be Christians are found among those who go out to the lake tomorrow and leave the services of the Lord's house, what will your neighbors think of your religion? Yea, what will Jesus think of you? Souls are perishing we might save if we were consecrated to the Lord's service. May we not count on you, my brother or sister, for your presence and help in every way possible in this effort to save men? I am earnestly asking and praying for this. God will bless the united effort of his people.

A. J. BUSH.

BRAKEMAN MET
AWFUL DEATH

Special to the Times.

Amarillo, Tex., Sept. 13.—With both legs from his thighs down crushed into a shapeless pulp, D. A. Austen, a freight brakeman on the Denver, lived three hours this afternoon from the time he was caught under a freight train near Washburn till he died just after he had been taken to the sanitarium in Amarillo.

Accident at DeSoto.

The accident occurred at DeSoto, the siding half way between Washburn and Claude. Austen had been engaged in looking after the switches at the siding and after the train started, he stepped to the side, caught a bar and swung up. But his foot missed the bar and instead of resting safely, his body shot under the car and the trucks caught his legs just below the hips. Another member of the crew saw the accident, but it was impossible to stop the train and the trucks passed entirely over his body.

The engine and caboose were at once detached and the man, suffering terrible agony from the wounds, was hurried here. An ambulance was in waiting and he was taken immediately to the sanitarium. He was beyond the help of the surgeons, however, and before he could be put on the operating table death ended his suffering.

W. R. Scott, who was superintendent of the Denver road from 1901 to 1903, since which time he has been with the Southern Pacific road with headquarters at Oakland, Cal., has been made general superintendent of the western division of that road at a salary of \$700 per month. Mr. Scott's many friends in this section of the State will be pleased to hear of his continued prosperity.—Childress Index.

High School Defeats Kemp.

The high school team defeated the Kemp ball team yesterday by a score of 9 to 7. The batteries were for Wichita, Schofe, C. Smith and Filgo; for Kemp, Neal and Gregor.

Three shows at the Majestic tonight.

STRIKE THREATENED

RAILWAY MEN IN ENGLAND DEMAND RECOGNITION OF UNION.

A DECISION TOMORROW

Executive Committee in Session at Manchester—Refusal Will Precipitate Strike.

By Associated Press.

London, Eng., Sept. 14.—A general railroad strike is threatened in England as the result of the long struggle of the railway men's union for recognition. The decision of the executive committee of the union will be announced in Manchester Sunday. It is understood they will give the companies a week to officially recognize and treat with the union and that a strike will follow a refusal to do so.

AT THE CHURCHES.

The Christian Church.

All the services will be held at tent. We have the tent enlarged till we can accommodate all who will come.

Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Communion and sermon at 11 a. m. Juniors and Sunbeam chorus at 4:15 p. m. Christian Endeavors at 6:45 p. m. Sermon at 7:30 p. m. Brother Lockhart will preach at both services. Our meeting will continue all next week. All are cordially invited to come and help us lead souls to Christ. We expect great things of the Lord. Come and enjoy this.

A. J. BUSH.

The Episcopal Church.

The Church of the Good Shepherd, corner of Lamar avenue and Eighth street. Rector, Rev. Charles A. Eaton. The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. Litany. Celebration of the Holy Communion and sermon. Subject, "Quite Safe." 8 p. m. evening prayer and sermon. Subject, "Quiet Work."

The ladies' aid society will meet on next Wednesday, September 18th, at the rectory at 3 p. m. A full attendance of all members is requested.

M. E. Church South.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Junior League at 5:30 p. m. Senior League at 7:00 p. m. There will be no preaching service in the morning or evening, on account of the Christian church revival meeting.

First Presbyterian Church.

Services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow at the First Presbyterian church by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Dalton. No evening services owing to the revival meetings now being held in the tent by the Christian church.

A splendid musical program will be rendered by Mrs. Maer and choir. Mr. Krueger will sing that beautiful solo, "The Palms," in his own charming way. Let all members be present. Friends and strangers are cordially invited to this service.

FAMOUS TURFMAN DEAD.

Owner of Famous Logan, Who Won Races on Every Track in America.

By Associated Press.

New York, Sept. 14.—Alto Shields, well known in turf circles during the last twenty years, died last night, following an attack of stomach trouble and typhoid fever. Shields made the horse called Logan famous by winning many races in Canada and on every track in America. The horse ran 120 races during his career.

CITY INDEBTEDNESS
AMOUNTS TO \$34,000

The papers certifying to the proceedings relative to the recent bond election have been forwarded to the attorney general for approval. Among the papers is an exhibit showing the indebtedness of the city, the taxable valuation, etc.

The statement shows that the city owes nothing in the way of city scrip, or notes. The total bonded indebtedness is \$34,000, and there is cash in the sinking and interest fund to the amount of \$6,873. The total assessed valuation of property in the city is \$1,924,760.

Latest in post cards at Winfrey's.

TEXAS HARVESTER COMPANY.

Charter Filed at Austin for Concern With Dallas Headquarters.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 13.—A new harvester company is born and chartered to do business under the laws of Texas. Judge J. E. Cockrell of Dallas was here today and filed the charter of the Texas Harvester Company of Dallas, having a capital stock of \$100,000. Incorporators and directors: John M. Johnston, Dallas, 300 shares; Ed. S. Hughes, Abilene, 250 shares; Joe E. Johnson, Dallas, 100 shares; Le Monte Daniels, Dallas, 190 shares; Cockrell & Gray, Dallas, 250 shares.

Cockrell & Gray were the attorneys for the harvester company just ousted from Texas, and which paid a fine of \$35,000.

Judge Cockrell was asked if the new company had any connection with the old, and he stated that it had not, but that it was entirely Texas capital and organized to take advantage of the opportunity offered by the ouster of the International company.

He stated that it does not propose to manufacture harvester machinery, but sell it wholesale.

FOR ARCHER COUNTY RANCH.

Sidney Webb Makes Purchase of 7,500 Steers.

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 13.—J. D. Suggs of San Angelo, who owns some large and fine ranches in the San Angelo country, has sold through E. A. (Pat) Paffrath, as agent, to Mr. Sidney Webb of Bellevue, Tex., about 4,500 head of one, two, three and four-year-old steers. These animals are highly bred. About 5,000 of them are now on what is known as the Washington pasture in the Indian territory, near Addington. The lease goes in on the deal. About 2,500 of them are now on Mr. Suggs' ranches in the San Angelo country and will be shipped by Mr. Webb, when he receives them, to his Archer county, Texas, ranch, near Dundee. Some of them may go to the Washington pasture. Mr. Suggs will deliver these cattle about the first of next month. The deal, it is said, runs into the hundreds of thousands of dollars, but the price is private.

Hear the new Indian song at the Majestic tonight.

DENVER WRECK
DELAYS TRAIN

Special to the Times.

Amarillo, Tex., Sept. 13.—An ordinary Denver wreck near Channing yesterday put a baggage to the bad and delayed traffic over the line for fifteen hours. The southbound passenger due here yesterday morning struck a bad piece of track and the tender and four cars left the track. The engine held the rails and succeeded in stopping the train in eight rail lengths. For that distance the cars tore up the ties and smashed the rails.

Delay in getting a wrecking train to the place and insufficient help after the repair crew got there kept up the blockade longer than would otherwise have been the case. The passengers were obliged to pass their time as best they could at the wreck till the train finally started last night.

The crash and bumping when the cars left the rails caused a small panic in the coaches, but no one suffered any real damage. So far as the passengers could ascertain, the wreck is another accident to be charged to faulty track.

SCHOOL LAND EXHAUSTED.

Unorganized Counties Will Receive No Portion of Domain.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 13.—The counties not yet organized will get no land for their public schools, as the available domain for that purpose is exhausted. Under the law, a county was given four leagues, 17,712 acres for school purposes when it formally organized, and the proceeds therefrom were used for the schools in said county. Often it was held several years and leased and some of it was sold and the money invested in the bonds of other counties. However, all of the counties participate in the apportionment of the available school fund. But the fact remains that the seven remaining unorganized counties will not get their 17,712 acres. Garza, the last county to organize, exhausted the available acreage and then did not get her full four leagues.

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SUPPLY TOO SMALL

CONTRACT FOR COALING BATTLESHIP FLEET WILL LIKELY GO BEGGING.

HIGHER PRICE IN ENGLAND

Private Contracts for the Supply at Fancy Figures.

By Associated Press.

New York, Sept. 14.—The situation in regard to the proposals issued by the bureau of equipment of the navy department for supplying coal for the battleship fleet on its voyage to the Pacific, says the Journal of Commerce, has assumed an interesting phase by the statements of several agents of the larger coal concerns to the effect that they will not present bids. The reason given is that they have not the necessary quantity of coal on hand aside from that demanded by private contracts already entered into. It is stated that coal contracts can be obtained in England at fancy prices.

GOOD COTTON.

Irrigated Fields Will Average Three-Quarters of a Bale.

W. G. Bentley, who is in the employ of the United States Department of Agriculture, believes that the cotton under irrigation in this county will produce fully three-quarters of a bale per acre. Mr. Bentley is enthusiastic over the subject of irrigation and believes that when the proper method of cultivation is found that two bales per acre can be raised on the irrigated land.

Mr. Bentley estimates that the average yield for Wichita county will be about one-fifth of a bale per acre.

Meetings of the members of the Farmers' Union, and of the directors of the Farmers' Union Gin Company were held in the offices of the Farmers' Bank and Trust Company this afternoon.

AN AMUSEMENT CARNIVAL

Under the Auspices of the Fire Department on the Week Commencing September 23.

Under the auspices of the Fire Department an amusement carnival will be held here on the week beginning Monday, September 23rd, by the Cole Younger-Nichols Amusement Company. Among the attractions will be the sensational radium dance, a thrilling high dive act, a plantation theatre, balloon ascension, the Roman coliseum, electric theatre and other attractions.

The Cole Younger-Nichols Company is said to be a clean and entertaining outfit and will come to Wichita Falls with the highest recommendations.

RESTRAINING ORDER ISSUED.

Gulf Express Co. Restrained From Business in Mississippi.

By Associated Press.

Vicksburg, Miss., Sept. 14.—Chancellor Hicks has granted an injunction restraining the Gulf Express Company from doing business in the State of Mississippi or disposing of its property pending the adjudication of the antitrust suit instituted several days ago, which alleges violation of the antitrust law of this State.

In bottled pickles, relish and chow chow, we offer Heinz. There is no better. Phone us your orders.

TREVATHAN & BLAND.

Come out and have a good hearty laugh with us—the Majestic.

FOUR NEW CASES
ARE DISCOVERED

Washington, Sept. 14.—In a dispatch from Havana, Governor Magoon says that four new cases of yellow fever were discovered in Cienfuegos Thursday and three yesterday. One is private William Foster, an American soldier, and the others are Spanish.

A cast of home talent performers is being organized for the purpose of giving a performance at the new theatre which is soon to be opened by Messrs. Pack & Hatcher. The proceeds from the performance will be used in putting down a hard maple floor in the new theatre so that it can be used for dancing.

Professional Ads

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OFFICE:—Room 13 & 15 Kemp & Lasker Block also rear First National Bank.

DR. W. H. FELDER,
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Office, Kemp & Lasker Block.

DR. H. A. WALLER

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Office—Over Farmers Bank and
Trust Company.

Wichita Falls. :: Texas

T. B. GREENWOOD,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

County Attorney Wichita County and
Notary Public.Office Over Farmers' Bank and
Trust Company.

L. H. MATHIS

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Wichita Falls. :: Texas

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Worth Considering.We furnish everything
necessary to catch and de-
liver rain water from the
time it falls on your roof
until you place it to your
lips pure and clear. ::

We Know How.

Better SEE US About it.

WHAT IS REQUIRED

CONSIDERATIONS WHICH WILL
GOVERN LOCATION OF PRES-
BYTERIAN COLLEGE.

COMMITTEE'S STATEMENT

Some Things Also That the Church
Promises in Connection With
the College.In response to a letter of inquiry
from A. E. Myles, secretary of the
Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce,
concerning the considerations which
would govern the committee in its
choice of a location for the proposed
new Presbyterian college, Rev. M. H.
Frank of Canadian, secretary of the
committee, sent the following:In response to numerous requests
from cities that desire to secure the
location of our school, the "locating
committee," appointed by the Amar-
illo Presbytery, hereby undertakes to
outline more fully what it promises;
what is required of those who would
enter into the contest; also, some of
the considerations which will govern
the committee in its choice of a se-
lection of a location.What the Presbyterian Church Will
Do for the School.We propose as soon as the location
is settled and the necessary buildings
can be made ready, to open and there-
after conduct a first class college, to
be known as the Presbyterian College
of the Panhandle, or other similar
name.In this school we propose to give
thorough and practical instruction in
all the literary and scientific studies of
the preparatory or academic grades
and will probably not undertake more
than one or two years of distinctively
college work at the beginning; though
we shall expect to add to our facili-
ties as rapidly as conditions will war-
rant and ultimately do full college
work. But whatever we do, we pro-
pose to do thoroughly and in the most
approved manner.We propose also to give a practical
business training; not along the line of
the "Cheap John" business colleges,
but requiring a thorough training in
the fundamental branches before send-
ing out a graduate of the business de-
partment.We shall also conduct a high class
musical department.In general we will state that all
of the departments will be in charge
of noble and able Christian men and
women, whose aim will be to mould
the young people who come to us into
Christian men and women of high pur-
pose in life, as well as to train them
along the most approved educational
lines. The school will be open to both
sexes and to all persons without re-
gard to creed. The work and tone of
the school will be distinctively and
earnestly Christian; but it will not be
sectarian in its teachings.We promise also to undertake at
once an energetic campaign for an en-
dowment which shall at least equal in
amount the total cash value of the
property and money contributed by
the city in which the school is located.While this committee may not bind
the church at large, it is only fair to
say that this school is the child of the
Amarillo Presbytery, which belongs to
the great National Presbyterian
Church, made up of the Presbyterian
churches in the United States of Amer-
ica (sometimes heretofore known as
the "Northern" church, and the Cum-
berland Presbyterian church, which
has been particularly strong in the
Southern States). This united church
has nearly one and one-half million
members in the United States and
nearly ten thousand ministers. Figures
are not available for the combined
church, but last year the United States
of America church contributed \$707,-
000 in aid of its colleges and acad-
emies. The Presbyterian church has al-
ways been known as the "College
Building Church" and has stood con-
sistently and aggressively for Chris-
tian education. We shall therefore ex-
pect with good right to have some sub-
stantial help in our effort to build
a college in this great and newest em-
pire—the Panhandle of Texas.What We Require of Those Who De-
sire to Secure the Location of
This School.It is the sense of the locating board
that we ought to have not less than
\$25,000 worth of property or money
(or both), donated by the city or town
in which we locate the school. By
the help of the Presbytery and the
church at large we shall expect to se-
cure an equal amount in the form of
an endowment. We shall then have
\$50,000 or more, which will be a start
toward the kind of a school we want,
viz.: One that shall be first class in
every respect and shall rank with the
best. We shall, however, welcome ev-
ery proposition that any city or town
desires to make and will give careful
and courteous consideration to every
such proposition that is made in good
faith and in accordance with the spirit
of our requirements.

SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS

The New Fall Fashions

The pleasure of coming out in a tailored suit of newest
cut and shade with the visitation of fall weather is well
worth the full price to any woman, both in service and
enjoyment.CUTAWAY COAT SUITS in
all popular colors \$15 to \$30Nice line of Voile and Panama
Skirts in all pop- ular colors..... \$5 to \$15Remember Our MILLINERY OPENING Wednesday and
Thursday, August 11th and 12th.

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we guarantee every article
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which is one of the best educational institutions in the State. We
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A. M. BEEMAN, Wichita Falls, Tex.

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OF DRESS HATS

Wednesday and Thursday

Sept. 18th and 19th

Will have a complete showing of all the late creations in dress and general wear hats for fall and winter. You are cordially invited to call and look the lines over. We are also showing a complete line of

**Dress Goods, Skirts, Coats,
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In fact our stock is practically complete in all lines. You are respectfully requested to give us your presence and look the lines over.

YOURS TO PLEASE,

W. E. Skeen

It is Said

that there never was a good article put on the market that was not *imitated*. We all know that imitations are never so good as the genuine and in Ranges and Stoves it was never more emphatically demonstrated than in the case of the **Majestic Range and Bridge & Beach Stoves**.

If You Will

take pains to examine the Majestic Range carefully you will find a degree of fine workmanship that will surprise you with its excellence. Why take something just as good when you can get the genuine article at a reasonable price at our store.

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A BARGAIN

4-Room House, good location, 70 foot lot—\$1600.00. Will have clients wanting vacant residence lots; list your lots with us if you wish to sell them.

BEAN & STONE, Wichita Falls, Texas.

The bonus offered by any city may be in the form of all cash, or partly cash and partly land or other property. If buildings are offered for school purposes they should be built under the directions of the Presbytery. And while some land is necessary, yet a gift of all land would not be advisable, because we cannot have a school without buildings. The best form would be a suitable site for a campus, together with the cash bonus sufficient to put up the buildings and start the school. We can get an endowment and have aid from our college board more readily if we can point to a school already in operation.

In accordance with the rulings of the college board, to whom we look for substantial aid in meeting the running expenses of the school and also an endowment, we state that all title to all property must be vested in the board of trustees elected by the Amarillo Presbytery.

Each proposition for the location of this school shall be accompanied by a certified check on their bank of an amount equal to 5 per cent of what they consider their proposition to be worth in cash. Such check will be considered part of their bonus. But it will be forfeited to the Presbytery of Amarillo if they fail to make good their pledges in case they secure the location of the school. As soon as the decision is made all other checks shall at once be returned to the proper parties.

Considerations That Will Govern the Locating Committee in Selection. Present cash value of gift, whether lands, buildings, or money, or all of these.

Prospective value of the same. Accessibility, the railroad facilities, present and prospective.

Location with reference to other schools and to the center of the Presbytery.

Population of town and county at present and reasonable prospects for future growth.

Water supply, amount, quality and expense of getting same.

Healthfulness of region, altitude, freedom from malaria, fevers, etc., and prospect of school being attractive as a health resort for delicate students.

Moral influences of town, prohibition of saloons, etc.

The locating committee will meet in Canadian October 4th, 1907, and all propositions must be in their hands for final action at that time.

Address Rev. M. H. Frank, Secretary, Canadian, Texas.

subscribe for the Daily Times.

MISERLINESS.

Starving and Saving For Others to Spend When You're Dead.

"I'm not opposed to a man saving money," remarked the undertaker, lighting a fresh cigar, "but I can't help feeling that it is wrong for one to do it by meanness and by denying oneself comforts. It is because I see so much of this that I feel this way."

"Whatever is the reason I must say that in my observation the usual result is that when one has saved up money, by this self denial the ones who receive the money after death usually waste it."

"To illustrate this let me tell you of a specific case. A few years ago an elderly woman died in our city. I was called to care for the remains. I assure you that the room into which I went was one of the barest and most desolate places I ever saw. There was none of those little things which go to make a room comfortable and cheerful. I couldn't but help thinking that the poor woman's life had been a dreary one. In a way I still think so."

"She was a maiden lady about seventy. In the town was one woman who had been her friend. She sent word to me to bring the remains there. No one supposed the deceased had a cent in the world. When we were about to remove the body the people of the house called my attention to a small box which they said contained all the effects of the dead woman."

"When we opened that box we found that it contained \$5,000, the old lady's saving of a lifetime."

"In her efforts to hoard up this money she had gone without comforts and necessities; had denied herself every little luxury. What for? Answer it if you can, I can't."

"A relative, the nearest one and the only heir, came on from a middle Atlantic state and took the remains home with her for burial. She also took the money. On the day of the funeral she had several hacks at a cost of \$15 each, then she made the driver of each hack a present of \$5, gave the driver of the hearse the same sum and each of the two men who dug the grave \$5 and spent \$2,500 for a monument. The rest of the \$5,000 she blew. At the end of six months every dollar of it was gone."

"And that old lady had gone without necessities of life to accumulate it."

"And, my friend, that is but one of several cases—yes, of scores of them—that I could recite to you did I have the mind."—Lewiston Journal.

BOOKWORMS.

There Are a Dozen Different Kinds of the Borer.

"One of the queerest superstitions," says a secondhand book dealer in this city, "is the idea that the bookworm commits immense ravages among printed volumes and yet has never been seen. People think it bores holes through books and eats out large cavities in the middle of a volume, then disappears, and the superstition even goes so far as to assert that the bookworm will eat a hole that would hold a marble right in the middle of a book, then vanish without leaving any exit."

"The plain truth is that almost any borer that infest wood will bore holes, through books and also that cockroaches do about as much harm to books as any other insects. There are a dozen different kinds of borers that do more or less damage to books, and the reason why the insects are not more frequently caught is that they do their work and generally leave the book to enter the chrysalis state in other quarters. None of the boring worms are large, and even when a borer is actually at work the sudden opening of the book allows the insect to drop out unobserved."

"American made books, however, are very little troubled by borers. There are so many different kinds of chemicals used in the covers, bindings, paper and paste that boring insects generally get very sick at the stomach before they have made their way far into an American book. In southern Europe, however, great damage is often done to libraries not only by borers, but also by ants, which eat their way into the heart of a book and leave galleries and chambers easily mistaken for the work of the borers."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Knocker That Meant Life.

So cruel were some of the punishments meted out to criminals in England centuries ago that it was small wonder the poor wretches claimed the "right of sanctuary." If they reached a church or some other privileged place the law could not touch them. A curious relic in connection with this custom exists today in the form of the quaint knocker on the door of Durham cathedral. The applicant having hammered at the portal, one of the priests inside would inspect him through the eyes of the copper mask above the knocker and after due parley would admit the frightened criminal.

Exact justice is commonly more merciful in the long run than pity, for it tends to foster in men those stronger qualities which make them good citizens.—Lowell.

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THE CASE OF CORTELYOU.

Asked as to his part in raising the republican campaign fund of 1904, George Bruce Cortelyou answers: "Nothing to say." The Cortelyou self-estimate grows with increasing political honors. His pompadour stands erect—each hair revealing the rigidity of the quill of the more or less fretful porcupine. The office he holds through appointment convinces him that he is truly great and he remembers himself no more as the stenographer and typewriter of a few years ago who neglected no opportunity to extend every possible favor to the reporters and correspondents.

Somewhere has mentioned Cortelyou as a presidential possibility and it has given him a case of caput elephantis. The Wall street bankers have worked him for scores of millions of

government deposits and they tell him he is a great man, a point upon which he is easily convinced. But whatever his faculty for exaggerating his real dimensions, there are questions that silence cannot dispose of. He commanded the favorable attention of the country several years ago as a sinless product of the civil service theory. Judged by moral standards, his course has been downward from the moment he left the White House clerkship to become a "figure" in the political world.

He has done things that covered the names of Hanna, Quay, Dudley and others of that ilk with everlasting infamy, and yet it remains to be shown that Cortelyou did not do far worse than either of them ever attempted to do.

Hanna made promises and raised millions, but it was never within Hanna's province to make threats. Cortelyou elicited corporation secrets as head of the department of commerce and as campaign manager, slated for the postmaster generalship, he exacted toll of the mail-carrying railroads. Now upon the eve of another campaign, he is secretary to an overflowing treasury with importunate banks before him begging favors which it is a shame the government should ever be in a position to grant.

Are we witnessing now in the financial stress of the "street" a condition that is expected to yield next year's campaign fund? Surely Mr. Cortelyou's record is not such as would warrant us in dismissing the thought as impossible.

With Cortelyou as the official head of our National flag and the immediate power of the financial establishment of the country, the question can not down. Is the next presidential election to be bought?

Cortelyou has reveled in silence, but he need not delude himself with the notion that either his character or consequence entitles him to hide his delinquencies behind an official prerogative. The roused and curious public declines to take him so seriously.—Houston Post.

Next Tuesday will be the first election in the new State of Oklahoma. The Democrats of the new State offer a ticket made up of splendid men who are standing upon a platform that means something for the people. The republicans are opposing the adoption of the new State constitution, the only objection to it being that it confers too many powers upon the people themselves, and restricts the opportunities of trusts and corporations to exploit the people. Secretary Taft opposed its adoption, one ground being that it conferred the right of trial by jury in all cases of contempt arising from the violation of injunctions. Naturally enough, the corporations, and especially the transportation companies oppose the constitution, because of this provision, and because of the

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further provision that it confers upon the people the right to protect themselves against the encroachments of the corporations. The republican leaders are opposing the adoption of the constitution because its adoption means an end to the territorial government which has afforded them such rich political picking. The democrats have taken the people into their confidence, and have waged an open fight, based upon the plain statement of democratic principles, and they are confident of success.—The Commoner.

Just arrived, a fresh shipment of Douglass famous chocolate and cream candies at the Busy Bee Candy Kitchen. 105-2t

At Iowa Park.

T. P. Dorris, south of the Park, brought the first load of cotton to town to be ginned by the new gin of Overbey Bros.

Misses May and Louise Evans, the charming and accomplished daughters of Dr. Evans, president of Milford college, are the guests of Mrs. Jessie and Lois Bell and Miss Clara Lowrance.

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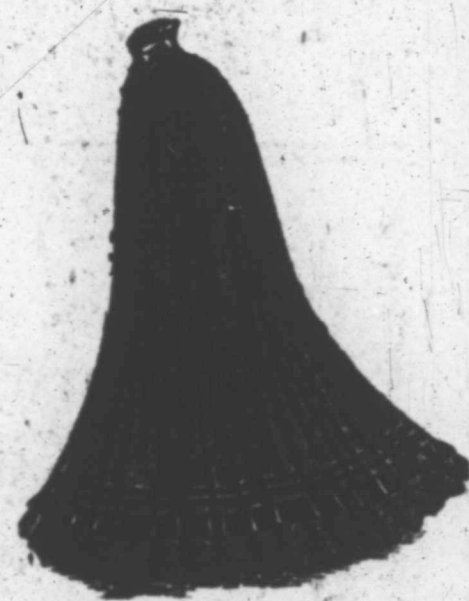
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A new barrel of mackerel just received by King & White. d&w-tf

J. C. Carnes has been granted a beer license.

For feed and coal, see the Wichita Grain and Coal Company. d&w-tf

Narrow Escape.

John—You very nearly got engaged while you were on your tour in the mountains, I hear. Michael—Precious near. But fortunately just at the last moment I fell down a precipice.—Pearson's Weekly.

At the Club.

Mrs. Bloodgood—I thought her quotation was apropos, didn't you? Mrs. Newritch—Dear me! I always supposed his name was Edgar Allan.—Exchange.

A judicious silence is always better than truth spoken without charity.—De Sales.

Want Ad Column

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WANTED—Boy not over 16 years of age, to learn the jewelry trade. Must have good reputation and be of neat appearance. Apply to A. S. Fonville, the jeweler. 104-tf

Remember, three shows tonight at Majestic: 8, 9 and 10 o'clock.

THEY GAVE THE BALLS.

And the People Danced to Pay the Debts of Louis XIV.

In 1712 Louis XIV. favored the opera, then established in the first salle of the Palais Royal (there have been two), with a special mansion for the better accommodation of its administration, archives and rehearsals. This hotel is situated in the Rue Nicaise. The building was generally designated under the name of Magasin, whence the term Filles du Magasin (not de magasin), which was applied not only to the female choristers and supers, but to the female dancers themselves. It so happened that the king forgot to pay his architects and workmen. In order to satisfy them the Chevalier de Bouillon conceived the idea of giving balls in the opera house, for which idea he received an annual pension of 6,000 francs. He was paid, but the king's debtors were not, for, although the letters patent were granted somewhere about the beginning of 1713, not a single ball had been given when the most magnificent of the Bourbon sovereigns descended to his grave.

One day shortly after his death d'Argenson, the then lieutenant of police, was talking to Louis' nephew, Philippe d'Orleans, the regent. "Monsieur," he said, "there are people who go about yelling that his majesty of blessed memory was a bankrupt and a thief. I'll have them arrested and have them hung into some deep underground dungeon." "You don't know what you are talking about," was the answer. "Those people must be paid, and then they'll cease to bellow." "But how, monsieur?" "Let's give the balls that were projected by Bouillon." So said, so done, and the people danced to pay Louis XIV's debts, as, according to Shadwell, people drank to fill Charles II's coffers:

The king's most faithful subjects we
In 's service are not dull.
We drink to show our loyalty
And make his coffers full.
—London Saturday Review.

Majesty.

"My wife adores the majesty of the Alps, whereas I the majesty of the ocean," said Pfeif.

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MONTANA SHEEP WAR BREAKS OUT

Butte, Mon., Sept. 13.—Montana's long and bloody range war, between the cattlemen and sheep herders has again been revived and outrages reported in various sections of the State lead to the fear that open warfare may result. Hundreds of sheep have been ruthlessly slaughtered, presumably by cowboys, during the last few months. So far no fatalities have resulted from this most recent outbreak of the range warfare, but several sheep men have been threatened with death. Near Helena recently a sheep herder was awakened from sleep to find himself surrounded by a band of masked men, who threatened that his brains would be blown out if he did not keep silent. Leaving one of their number to guard the herder, the marauders then opened fire into the huddled herd of sheep, killing over one hundred of the animals. This is the third time in the past two years that this same ranch has been invaded by masked men on such a slaughtering expedition. The herders are swearing vengeance and bloodshed may result.

BURKBURNETT NEWS.

Progress in Red River Town as Told in the Four Six Star.

F. J. Graves has moved into his new building on Main street and which will be the home of the Four Six Star.

Dr. George M. Evans has demonstrated his faith in the Queen City and has moved into a fine residence he had erected in the northeast part of town. Such faith is what it takes to build a town.

A Mr. Denton of Montague is to be commended for his spirit of enterprise. He has completed a fine residence in the east part of town and will move his family here in the near future.

A Mr. Griffin of Montague has built a handsome dwelling house in the southeast part of town.

Matthews & Stoudt are keeping abreast of the times and have just completed a large and commodious carpenter shop on the south side.

W. E. Smith of Munday has a new store building completed on East Main and will soon open a first class restaurant and short order house.

A letter was received the first of the week from Burk Burnett in which he states that he will be here in a short time to make the necessary arrangements for the erection of a fine brick hotel and store building on Main street.

Robert E. Freely of Wichita Falls spent a few days in our city the past week, the guest of his father, Isaac Freely.

Kitt Cowan has returned from Kell, where he built the pump house and stock yards for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern.

Miss Carrie Little of Beeville, Texas, arrived Tuesday morning on an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. H. D. Creath.

There will be \$300,000 worth of cotton marketed in Burkburnett this fall. Not so bad for a town less than three months old.

The prairie fire that raged in this section for several days last week destroyed the Tom Burnett house, known as the old ranch house.

It has come to our notice that some unscrupulous person or persons who have had amusement attractions in your city have represented that they had with them the original Cole Younger. We desire to say that such representation was false, as we have the one and only Cole Younger with us. We will forfeit \$1,000 if found to the contrary. This is to settle all controversy. Respectfully, Cole Younger, Nichols Amusement Co. 106-11

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Enjoy a ride on the launch at Lake Wichita Sunday. Excursion train leaves Katy depot at 8 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7 p. m.; returning, leaves Lake Wichita at 1 p. m., 6 p. m. and 9:30 p. m. The fare is only 25c for the round trip. 105-31

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We have just received our new fall patterns in "Onyx Brand Hosiery." Simple elegance is the key-note to the really stylish hosiery for the coming season. The silk or fine lisle in black, embroidered in buds, sprays and dots, or the white checking are in great favor.

New Fall Silks and Dress Goods.

The choicest production of both American and foreign weaves. Fashion followers will find much to interest them, as the display comprises a grand collection of that which is new. Fashion followers will find much to interest them in our woolen goods, as the displays comprise a represented collection of that which is stylish in colors according to prediction of fashion authorities. Plain shades will have a strong run; brown will be the favorite shade, while blues, greens and garnets in their various hues will be the less prominent. Novelties will be much worn, particularly so in Broadcloth and worsteds.

and squandered oftentimes in riotous living the men who are engaged in trying to keep the railway tracks safe for travel are poorly fed, poorly housed and poorly clothed, underpaid and overworked. The treatment which they receive has grown to be a national disgrace and scandal. Surely the people of this country will come to their senses and take steps to right the wrongs of these poor laborers and compel the railway companies of the country to place their tracks in safe condition for travel and keep them so. Undoubtedly many of those who read this will ride to their death on defective railway tracks before we secure safe conditions. The tracks have been so long neglected and have in many instances deteriorated so far that a long period of time must necessarily elapse, from the very nature of things before they can be put in a proper state of efficiency, no matter how vigorous the campaign for these changes may be.—The Commoner.

STATEMENT RESENTED.

Bowie Paper Says There Was No Demonstration Against Hargrove.

The Bowie papers resent the statement that an armed mob sought to take Walker Hargrove's life after he was shot by Porter Brodie.

They say that there was no demonstration of any kind and that Hargrove's departure from the city was made in a peaceful and quiet manner. In its account of the duel the Bowie Blade says:

"It is reported that Brodie started the fight by striking Hargrove on the head with his six-shooter, after which the two men emptied their pistols at each other, at no time being further apart than a distance of eight or ten feet. Hargrove fell to his knees on being struck, but immediately arose, pulling his gun as he did so, and both began firing at about the same time. The shot were exchanged in rapid succession and when the pistols of both were empty, Hargrove tried to pull another gun, but Brodie prevented him from doing so by striking him over the head with his pistol and seemed to be getting the best of his antagonist when John Craig interfered by approaching Brodie from behind and threw him several feet away and then covered Hargrove's retreat into the Bowie Meat Market.

Brodie made no further attempt to renew the fight and quietly walked to his home.

Just the reason for Brodie's attack upon Hargrove is a matter of conjecture. Mr. Brodie, when approached by a Blade reporter, talked freely of the difficulty, but declined to say anything for publication bearing on the origin of the trouble. He is held under two charges, one for fighting with Hargrove and the other for shooting Stoner, in a bond of \$500 in each case to appear before the next grand jury. Hargrove gave a bond of \$500 before leaving town for appearance before the grand jury for his part in the difficulty.

GUN FOR MOTHER-IN-LAW.

Arkansas Asks Permit to Carry Fire Arms.

Armourdale, Kan., Sept. 11.—"I want to get a commission to carry a gun," said a man in the Armourdale police station this morning.

"What's the trouble," asked P. J. Lyons, the police sergeant.

"My mother-in-law is coming to live with us for six months," replied the man. "She doesn't like me and she has ways of her own. I just thought if she knew I carried a gun she would not be quite so persistent on some occasions."

The man was told that his grievance was not sufficient to warrant his carrying a revolver.

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RAILROAD WRECKS FROM 1903 TO 1906

Under an act of congress, approved March 3, 1901, it is the duty of railway officials on all roads engaged in interstate commerce, to make a monthly report under oath to the interstate commerce commission, of all collisions of trains, or where any train or part of a train accidentally leaves the track, and of all accidents that may occur to passengers or employees. The

report must state the nature and the causes of the accident, and the circumstances connected therewith. We have taken the period from January 1, 1903, to January 1, 1907, and compiled from the accident bulletins issued by the interstate commerce commission the number of derailments on the various railroads for the period mentioned. Below is printed a table showing result of this compilation:

	Derailed	Lost	Killed	Injured
January, February and March, 1903.	1,187	\$1,204,338	75	782
April, May and June, 1903.	1,202	1,100,206	72	895
July, August and September, 1903.	1,296	1,130,099	102	942
October, November and December, 1903.	1,179	1,085,451	187	787
January, February and March, 1904.	1,140	868,664	62	704
April, May and June, 1904.	1,288	1,142,816	67	738
July, August and September, 1904.	1,321	1,214,472	190	1202
October, November and December, 1904.	1,190	929,468	57	860
January, February and March, 1905.	1,321	1,190,171	79	1210
April, May and June, 1905.	1,535	1,328,492	130	1244
July, August and September, 1905.	1,530	1,256,247	109	1244
October, November and December, 1905.	1,645	1,364,309	99	1178
January, February and March, 1906.	1,599	1,407,242	75	1310
April, May and June, 1906.	1,515	1,410,988	89	1084
July, August and September, 1906.	1,781	1,557,730	105	1406
October, November and December, 1906.	1,730	1,389,249	146	1517
TOTAL.	22,284	\$19,684,005	1,614	17,442

The conditions that exist in this department are not caused by the recent railroad agitation; they have continued to exist for a period of years and they have now become unendurable. The trouble is that no railroad owner today knows whether he will be a railroad owner tomorrow or not. A sudden turn in the stock market may oust any or all of them. Each general manager feels that he must make a record, and when he is either discharged or promoted, the next one must make a record for economy, as his predecessor did. A succession of general managers, each making his own record, in a large measure destroys the railway property. If the economizing in the track department continues for a sufficient length of time, as it has done on some roads, the property is ready for the junk pile. Rails and ties must be replaced occasionally to have any

railroad at all. There must be a sufficient number of good men employed to keep the track in good condition, even when the rails and ties are good. We make the statement boldly and without fear of successful contradiction that there is no railway in the United States that employs enough men to properly do the repairing and keeping in repair its railway tracks. We make the further charge that when they desire to make a saving they always attack the track department. They do this because the men are unorganized and will stand for any kind of mistreatment. The men in the track departments of the railroads of our country are the most poverty stricken class of laborers we have. Their wages are not sufficient to decently and properly house, feed and clothe their families. While vast millions are being made every year by railway owners

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. H. Greenwood of Amarillo is in the city.

R. E. Sawdon of Thornberry was in the city today.

J. A. Fisher of Electra was in the city today.

Postmaster Ralph Darnell made a business trip to Burkburnett this morning.

Rev. R. E. Farley has returned from a visit with relatives at Noblesville, Indiana.

F. P. Warren, a well known farmer living near Iowa Park, is in town today on business.

Mrs. G. R. Decker of the Howman neighborhood is visiting relatives and friends in Illinois.

C. Birk, president of the First National bank of Iowa Park, was transacting business here today.

Mrs. M. M. B. Darnell, who has been in Denver Colo., for the past three months, arrived home today.

S. E. Dempsey of Petrolia was in the city today on his return home from Dallas, where he has business interests.

Messrs. Ralph Hines and Sim Warren, two enterprising young businessmen of Iowa Park, were transacting business in the city today.

Capt. Sam Bellah of Decatur was in the city today en route to Dundee and Seymour to visit relatives and look after his large interests in that section.

A. J. Wyatt of Milburn, Arkansas, arrived in this city this morning for a visit to his brother-in-law, J. M. Bland. Mr. Wyatt comes here with a view of locating.

D. M. Norwood of Seymour, one of the proprietors of the Seymour Banner, together with his wife and children are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Peeler.

Mrs. J. P. Bryan and Miss Lillian Irvine of Missouri returned yesterday from the Club Ranch, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carver for the past week.

J. W. Dowlen and family of Iowa Park were in the city today on their return home from Byers, where they had been visiting their son, John Dowlen, and family.



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Master Joe Carrigan left today for Fort Worth. Judge A. H. Carrigan, who has been holding court at Graham, will meet him there.

Mrs. Nunn and daughter, Miss Lucy, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sherrod and Miss Frankie Lee, left today for their home at Shreveport, La.

Miss Mymie Hiles, who has been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Walker, left this morning for Dallas, where she has accepted a position for the winter.

Spots and Stains Taken From Clothes.

Spots and stains on frocks and coats are frequently the despair of the wearers, for nothing can make a garment look worse. The general effect of untidiness and dirt is repellant, and some times applications of soap, ammonia or gasoline seem only to make stains, etc., more prominent. This is partly because the cleaning agent has not been adapted to the material, and also because the work is improperly done.

It makes no difference whether silk, wool or cotton is to be cleansed, there must be a fresh piece of cloth underneath to absorb the soiled liquid that soaks through. Otherwise, the cleaning fluid, laden with dirt, has no place to go and simply spreads over the original place. Several layers of absorbent material underneath are absolutely necessary, and I doubt if anything is as good for this purpose as cheese cloth.

Next to this condition it is important to spread the soiled piece out on a smooth surface, that the spot may be watched, to see that no dirt is forming. A skirt board or table is best for this, and the absorbent and scrupulously fresh cloth beneath should be large enough to move several times, so that the old wet dirt may not be rubbed in again.

A bit of old white flannel is the best for wetting and rubbing, and there should be another with which to work the place dry, or nearly so. With care such as this, home cleaning is quite practicable and a saving on one's income when the processes and the liquids to be applied on different fabrics are understood.

For removing grease spots from white linen or colored goods, use soap or weak lyes; for colored colored call soap suds of ammonia; for silks, benzine, ether, magnesia or chalk.

Spirits of wine will clean soiled silk embroidery. Dip a camel's hairbrush in it and brush the trimming till all the dirt is removed. Jet passementerie can be cleaned by rubbing it with cloth dipped in equal parts of alcohol and water. Dry it afterwards with a clean cloth.

When using magnesia the stained place is first dampened, then the magnesia is moistened and vigorously rubbed on the stain. It must be allowed to dry thoroughly. Then the powder can easily be shaken off.

When removing paint stains with turpentine, if the paint spot is surrounded with corn starch it will prevent the turpentine from spreading.

The same process may be tried when removing other kinds of spots. A mixture of pure alcohol and salt is of great assistance in taking out the grease stains from tailor-made tweed and serge garments. Coarse kitchen salt should be mixed with the spirit until no more can be absorbed, when a brush should be dipped in it and the material well scrubbed all over as evenly as possible.

Fruit stains on white fabrics should

always be attended to at once, before they have been allowed to sink into the goods and mark it irrevocably. Milk is an excellent specific, but in order to be of any use it should be heated to nearly boiling point and applied at once with a piece of flannel, the stained portion being then left to soak in the milk for a few hours.

A hint on the subject of washing mauve muslins and prints is to the effect that a little pinch of soda should

be put in the water in which the materials are washed, in order to prevent the color coming out, as it is said that soda has exactly the opposite effect on mauve to what it has on other colors.

Pink or green prints will be brighter if vinegar is put in the rinsing water. Always dry prints in the shade.

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