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FORT WORTH, TEXAS, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1905

COAT OF SLEET COVERS SOUTH

Most Serious Storm of Late
Years Reported from Texas
to Georgia

ATLANTA WHOLLY ISOLATED

Not a Wire Out of City Work-
ing—Railroads Scarcely
Able to Operate Trains

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 6.—All means of communication in the central south were crippled today to a degree of seriousness unknown in late years by a sleet storm of many hours' duration, extending from Georgia into Texas and as far north as the Ohio river.

The city of Atlanta, which under normal conditions keeps in touch with the world over one hundred and fifty telegraph wires, is cut off today from all communication with any point.

Telephone wires are also unworkable and railroads are deprived of their usual method of transmitting telegraphic train orders by their own lines and are forced to use other methods of directing train operation. Telegraph companies have large gangs of men at work in the sleet territory, but it will be several days before the wires are restored.

One of the first reports which came in to Chattanooga today was that 300 telegraph poles are flat on the ground in the vicinity of Atlanta. This information was brought in by train. The city of Macon, in the center of Georgia, had also failed to communicate with any neighboring towns up to 10 o'clock.

In fact the only part of Georgia reached by wires is Columbus, in the southwestern corner of the state, and it is reported there no communication had been had with Atlanta or Macon for two days. New Orleans also suffered from lack of communication and very few wires are working into that territory. Long stretches of poles are reported down in Mississippi. The commercial telegraph companies, owing to impaired facilities, are forced to route telegrams originally intended between cities only a short distance apart over a territory covering thousands of miles and involving much delay. Many southern cities have reported the crippling of street car and lighting facilities and every direction trains are hours late.

PUTS HARNESS ON SUN

New Jersey Inventor Says He Has Solved
the Problem

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—A machine to utilize the almost unknown vibrations from the sun and to produce power from them has been invented by Ernest V. Howe of Morristown, N. J.

"It is now a demonstrated fact," said Mr. Howe today, "that most of the heat and light and other solar manifestations are the direct result of solar vibrations, of which at present we know very little. However, we know this much: Wireless telegraphy is an established fact. It is demonstrated that vibrations of the ether started by a little machine no larger than a man's hand can be felt by a receiving machine over a distance of thousands of miles. Now, if a little machine can record these vibrations, it is evident that the power of vibration is very large. How large, of course, we are unable even to comprehend or begin to imagine, but it seems reasonable to suppose that with a generator the size of the sun sending off vibrations of such power as to produce the light for this world and the heat also, those vibrations can be turned directly into power without passing through a secondary medium. It is something like the old problem of gaining direct energy from coal."

"I have been working upon this solar motor for about fifteen years and, after infinite labor have produced a machine which actually runs."

DREAMED THAT HER SON WAS DROWNING

Tennessee Woman's Remarkable
Premonition of Death Fulfilled—Lo-
cation of Body Also Told

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 6.—The story of a remarkable premonition of death, revealed in a dream, comes from Claiborne county, this state. On Wednesday, Jan. 11, Campbell Gillenwaters left his home and went to a logging camp to hasten preparations for starting rafting down the river on the tide that was expected within the next 24 hours, and it was necessary for him to cross the river to reach his destination. It was his intention to return home early the next morning, and this fact was known to his family.

On Wednesday night Mrs. Gillen-

waters, the unfortunate young man's mother, dreamed that she saw her son struggling in the waters of the expected tide. She awoke in a fright and aroused the household, telling them her dream. Breakfast was hastily prepared and disposed of, and before daylight came the young man's wife, who was a bride of only a few weeks, was well on her way, horseback, to meet her husband at the river to warn him not to attempt to cross. When she was very near the river, still riding at the best speed her fagged-out horse could make, she met a man who told her that her husband had been drowned just a little while before, and that his body had not yet been recovered.

During Sunday night the drowned man's mother-in-law dreamed that the body was hung at the bottom of the river near where last seen. Monday morning her husband returned to the river, and with others went to the spot indicated by his wife, and in five minutes succeeded in recovering the body.

ANOTHER RUSSIAN GENERAL WOUNDED

Latest Reports from Kuropat-
kin Tell of Suspension in
Sandiapu Operations

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 6, 2:45 a. m.—According to General Kuropatkin's late reports, which indicate the wounding of a third Russian general, Dunowski, the operations at Sandiapu and the fighting at Shakhe have been momentarily suspended. The Russians successfully repulsed the attack of the Japanese eastward with heavy loss.

The cold is still intense, there being 24 degrees of frost. There are indications that the Japanese are preparing to break the inactivity on their own account as soon as the weather moderates.

The war office is closed and no further reports regarding the reports that General Kuropatkin is about to give up his command can be obtained.

QUIET NEAR CHANGTAN

Russians Busy Intrenching—Northern
Korea to Be Abandoned

TOKIO, Feb. 6, Noon.—Official announcement is made that everything is quiet in the vicinity of Changtan with the exception that the Russians are strenuously intrenching.

The Russian force which attacked Chitau Feb. 4 retired northward Feb. 5. On the afternoon of Feb. 4 and the morning of Feb. 5 the Russian artillery west of Tanshan shelled Machuanzu mountain and vicinity.

Small bodies of Russian infantry attacked, but they were repulsed.

Before abandoning Songchin in Northeastern Korea Jan. 24 the Russians burned all their stores.

It is thought that the Russians intend to abandon all operations in Northeastern Korea.

TARS TO GET TIP IF THEY DON'T TATTOO

Miss Gould Offers Prize to Men Who Will
Remain in Navy Five Years
Without Being Decorated

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 6.—Helen Gould intends using all the power at her command to stop what she terms the barbaric habit of tattooing in the United States navy. She always has been much interested in the welfare of Uncle Sam's tars. Miss Gould is trying to find some means to remove the marks of India ink and also offers substantial prizes to sailors who will remain in the navy five years without being tattooed. The prize consists of \$50 in cash and an order for \$50 worth of clothing. The first to enter the competition is Edward Hauser of Cincinnati.

MOUTH IS FROZEN OPEN

Entire Line Seized Because Judgment
Was Not Paid

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 6.—Deputy United States Marshal Howe has seized the tracks, cars and all other property of the Camden and Inter-State Railway Company, operating a traction line between Trenton and Hanging Rock, Ohio. Judgment was obtained before Judge Thompson in October for \$10,000, Edward Brown, a minor, having sued for \$25,000 damages because his leg was cut off by a car. The seizure was made because the company failed to pay the judgment.

Heavy Snow in New York

GLEN FALLS, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Northwestern New York is snow bound. Fifteen inches of snow have fallen and the storm still continues. Trolley traffic is suspended.

ANTI-CLUB ROOM BILL IS PASSED

Senate Adopts Measure Affect-
ing Sale of Liquor in Local
Option Territory

FOR LIBRARY COMMISSION

House Committee Reports Fa-
vorably on Plan—Senator
Hill Has New Bill

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 6.—The anti-club room bill passed finally in the senate today. This bill suppresses club rooms where liquor is sold in local option districts.

A big fight is on in the senate today over a bill providing for the creation of an osteopathic board of examiners. The senate went under call on the bill. The debate for and against the bill was spirited.

Senator Hawkins' bill providing for county and state depositories, which was set for today in the senate, went over after discussing it for some time.

TO SUPPRESS GAMBLING
Senator Hill today introduced a bill to prevent renting of a building for gambling purposes by a writ of injunction. This he believes will suppress gambling.

The house committee on state affairs today reported favorably on a bill providing for the creation of a library commission. The bill seeks to create a library department independent of other departments. The same committee killed Senator Looney's bill, which sought to make common law marriages illegal.

The house committees on common carriers and revenue and taxation were not in session this morning. The house judiciary committee reported favorably this morning a bill providing that jurors and witnesses may be summoned by telephone, which will be as binding as serving in person.

LAND FRAUD JURY TO REST

Oregon Investigations to Be Postponed
During Absence of United States Dis-
trict Attorney in Washington

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 6.—The federal grand jury, which is investigating the charges of fraud in connection with government lands, will conclude its labors this week, as the presence of United States District Attorney F. J. Henry is required in Washington to argue a motion for habeas corpus in the Hyde-Benson case before the supreme court of the United States on Feb. 20.

In an interview given to the Associated Press Mr. Henry said: "A number of cases will be investigated by the grand jury this week, which are of equal importance from a national state point to any of those in which indictments have been returned at the present time. A number of officials and ex-officials are included in the list of persons who will be investigated."

PRISONER HELD IN INDIANA MURDER CASE

Investigation of Sara Schaefer's Murder
at Bedford, Ind., Will Be Resumed
by Grand Jury Feb. 20

BEDFORD, Ind., Feb. 6.—Justice McLaughlin today made a decision in the preliminary hearing of Frank Evans and Elmer Browning, charged with the murder of Miss Sarah Schaefer. Evans was released and Browning held to the grand jury, which will meet Feb. 20.

JULIET'S BALCONY MAY TUMBLE DOWN

Age Claiming Historic House Where
Amorous Romeo Went to
Do His Wooing

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The historic Juliet house, where, according to tradition, Juliet dwelt when she was wooed by Romeo, is in danger of collapse, says a Herald dispatch from Verona. One of the walls is cracked and repairs are being made, but it is feared that the house is doomed.

Denison Man Drops Dead

DENISON, Texas, Feb. 6.—C. R. R. Iman, a pioneer groceryman, dropped dead Saturday night.

Here is Johann Hoch and Nine of His Reputed Wives



CHADWICK CASE WITNESS DEAD

Banker Beckwith Fails to Rally
from Collapse Following
Oberlin Exposures

BERLIN, Ohio, Feb. 6.—C. T. Beckwith, president of the defunct Citizens National Bank of this city, died at 10:45 o'clock last night, after two days of unconsciousness, during which dissolution was expected at any moment. Only the family surrounded the deathbed of the banker.

Mr. Beckwith was about 65 years of age. On Dec. 14, last, the federal grand jury in Cleveland returned five indictments against him upon the charge of violating the national banking laws in connection with the loans made to Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick by the Citizens National bank of Oberlin, Ohio, of which deceased was the president. From the day of his arrest Beckwith's health failed rapidly, as a result of worry over his troubles. He frequently declared during his illness that he wanted to die. For several days prior to his death he refused to take food in any form. Death resulted directly from heart trouble.

The death of President Beckwith may materially weaken the cases of forgery and conspiracy to misapply bank funds now charged against Mrs. Chadwick.

Washington Forecast

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—The forecast:
East Texas, North—Tonight, snow flurries; colder in east portion Tuesday; snow flurries; some warmer.
Arkansas—Tonight, snow flurries; colder Tuesday; snow flurries; some warmer.
Oklahoma and Indian Territories—Tonight, snow flurries; Tuesday, snow flurries; some warmer.
East Texas, South—Tonight, cloudy weather, snow flurries in interior; continued cold tonight, with temperatures 24 to 28. Tuesday, rain on coast, snow in interior; some warmer.

POLISH STRIKERS RIOTS CONTINUE

Conflicts Between Workmen
and Military at Kalizasays.
Twenty Killed

GERMAN STRIKERS RETURN

Believe Government Investiga-
tion Assures Relief—Strike
Begins in Belgium

WARSAW, Feb. 6.—Advice from Kalizasays say the strike situation there is serious. There are continual conflicts between the military and the strikers. Twenty of the latter have been killed and many of the strikers and others wounded.

No Disturbance at Lodz

LODZ, Feb. 6.—A few factories were enabled to partially resume work this morning, through the return of some employees. The majority of the strikers, however, are still out and attempts are being made to prevent the workmen from returning to their employment.

The soldiers are guarding the factories, and they do not permit malcontents to enter. No disturbances are reported to have occurred.

Silesian Strikers Return

BERLIN, Feb. 6.—Two to three thousand coal miners, who struck in the Silesian district, returned to work today, believing the government's bill now in preparation will readjust their relations with the employers.

The government's proposed law limits the working day to nine hours in the galleries where the temperatures are 70 degrees Fahrenheit, including the time in going in and coming out of the mines. In temperatures of 84 degrees Fahrenheit and higher, only six hours a day is permitted. Within two or three years the nine hour day is to be shortened to eight and one-half hours. About nine-tenths of the miners of Germany come within these provisions.

Disallowing the entire cars of coal because of the presence of foreign substances is to be forbidden. Fines may be assessed, but these must not exceed \$1 to \$1.50 per month. Overtime is to be paid for at the highest rate. A workmen's committee shall be recognized by the mine owners as representing the men. Making the present condition of the miners worse in any particular than now is forbidden.

Herr Sachle, a member of the reichstag, speaking at an immense meeting of the miners at Essen yesterday, said the government's bill concerned only four out of sixteen demands of the strikers, and was not fully satisfactory.

Strike in Belgium

CHARLEROI, Belgium, Feb. 6.—As a result of the decision of the miners' congress yesterday to declare a general strike to begin today, work was completely suspended this morning at eight of the collieries, and there was a partial strike at thirteen others. Work is proceeding as usual at twelve collieries.

Strike at Batoum

BATOUM, Russia, Feb. 6.—With the exception of one factory, which was partially wrecked, all the oil works and many factories and shops are closed because of the strike. Rice and food stuffs have risen. The Sumtrod railroad station and several miles of railroad have been damaged.

Striker and Cossack Killed

LODZ, Feb. 6.—Several conflicts occurred between the Cossacks and strikers at the Geiner factory today where the latter sought to intimidate men returning to work. A Cossack and a workman were killed and fifteen strikers were wounded.

INSURRECTIONISTS NOT YET SUBDUED

Argentine Army Officer Reported Killed.
Revolutionists Offer to Surrender
on Promise of Safety

BUENOS AYRES, Feb. 6.—Colonel Calaza has started for Cordova with the government troops. It is stated that Colonel Delacruz, commanding the artillery there, has been killed and the leaders of the insurrection at Cordova had offered to submit on condition their lives would be spared.

President Quintana replied, however, that their surrender must be unconditional and the court would decide the fate of the revolutionists. The transport Santa Cruz has sailed for the outer harbor with political prisoners.



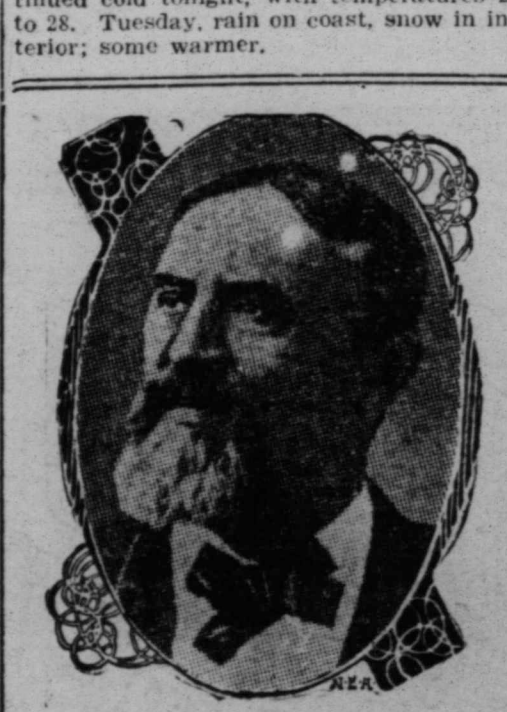
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United States Circuit Judge Grosscup, who granted the injunction against the beef trust forbidding it to continue the operations whereby it has been enabled to fix the prices of cattle and dressed meats. Judge Grosscup's action has been upheld by the supreme court of the United States.



J. OGDEN ARMOUR.



MICHAEL CUDAHY.



FERDINAND SULZBERGER.



LOUIS F. SWIFT.



NELSON MORRIS.



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Supreme Court Justice Holmes, who handed down the decision which declared the actions of the beef trust to be illegal. Justice Holmes is one of the most recently appointed of the supreme court, and is generally regarded as one of the ablest.

Here Are Seven Persons Mentioned in Connection With the Supreme Court's Recent "Beef Trust" Case Decision

My Offer to Kidney Sufferers

I Will Give You a Full Dollar's Worth of My Remedy Free to Try Without Cost or Deposit or Promise to Pay

I could not make this offer—a full dollar's worth free—if mine were an ordinary kidney remedy. It is not. It treats not the kidneys themselves, but the nerves that control them. The cause of kidney trouble lies ALWAYS in these nerves. The only way to cure kidney trouble is by strengthening and vitalizing and restoring these kidney nerves. That is exactly what my remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative—does. Therefore I can make this offer with the certain knowledge that every kidney sufferer who makes this trial will be helped.

When I say "nerves," I do not mean the ordinary nerves of feeling, thought, action. I mean the automatic nerves, which night and day, unguided and unseen, control and actuate and operate every vital process of life. These are the master nerves. The kidneys are their slaves. Your mind cannot control them. Your will cannot sway them. Yet when they are strong, you are well; when they are not, you weaken and die.

I have written a book on the Kidneys which will be sent when you write. This book explains fully and clearly how these tiny, tender "inside" nerves control not only the kidneys but each of the other vital organs.

I have made my offer that strangers to my remedy may know. It is not intended for or open to those who have used my remedy. They need no further evidence. But to those who have not heard, or hearing, may have delayed or doubted, I say "simply write and ask." I will send you an order for which your druggist will hand you a full dollar bottle—and he will send the bill to me. There are no conditions—no requirements—simply write me today.

For a free order for a full dollar bottle you must address Dr. Shoop, Box F883, Racine, Wis. State which book you want.

Book 1 on Dyspepsia. Book 2 on the Heart. Book 3 on the Kidneys. Book 4 for Women. Book 5 for Men. Book 6 on Rheumatism.

Mild cases are often cured by a single bottle. For sale at forty thousand drug stores.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

AGED MAN FOUND DEAD

Discovered on Floor of Home Where He Had Lived Alone For Many Years—An Inquest Held

John Guettler, aged 51 years, was found dead under a cot at his home in East Eleventh street, Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Although having a large amount of property he lived in the house alone.

Justice Charles T. Rowland was summoned and held an inquest. When Judge Rowland visited the place he found the door barred and forced an entrance through the window. The body was found lying face downward on the floor, partially under a cot.

There were two abrasions on the forehead, which had evidently been made in falling from the cot to the floor.

Sixty cents was found in Guettler's pocket, also a poll tax receipt issued by Collector Glavin Jan. 21. The certificate shows that the deceased had lived in Fort Worth fifteen years.

There was also a city receipt showing that Guettler owned eight blocks in the East addition to Fort Worth, the taxes on which were \$12.25.

The body was attired only in a suit of underclothes. On the wall was a watch hanging on a nail, while the man's clothes were lying across the foot of a bed. The man had probably been dead two or three days.

Gus Zaske, a friend of the dead man, went to the house early Sunday morning. "Not being able to get into the house, Zaske looked into the window and discovered that his friend was lying on the floor. The last time Guettler was seen alive by neighbors was Thursday.

He was single and worked as a truck gardener.

No one seems to know where Guettler lived before coming to Fort Worth. It is the opinion of Justice Rowland that death resulted from natural causes.

For odd jobs in carpentry see Donaldson, 297½ Main street.

Stole Teeth from Mouth

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Mrs. Mary Flynn of West Fifty-first street and her husband hurried breathlessly into the West Forty-eighth street police station last night and told of a remarkable robbery. She said while she was asleep in an armchair in their home a thief entered and stole a set of false teeth out of her mouth. Sleuths were sent out to find the teeth.

Always Remember the Bull Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

MILES BREAKS SILENCE OF FORTY YEARS

BOSTON, Feb. 6.—For the first time in forty years General Nelson A. Miles, now acting inspector general on the staff of Governor Douglas, has broken silence on the circumstances surrounding the imprisonment in irons of President Jefferson Davis of the Confederate states, who after he had surrendered himself to the federal authorities, was given in charge of the then Colonel Miles.

"Jefferson Davis did not surrender when the capital of the Confederacy at Richmond was captured," said General Miles. "He did not surrender with his principal armies when they surrendered under Lee and Jackson, but it was his intention—and he admits it in his own book, 'The Rise and Fall of the Confederacy,' to try to escape across the Mississippi so that he could join the Confederate army in that section and continue the war. He was sent to Fortress Monroe to await trial for complicity in the assassination of Mr. Lincoln."

"On May 22, 1865, C. A. Dana, assistant secretary of war, authorized and directed me, in a special order, to place manacles and fetters upon the hands and feet of Jefferson Davis and Clement C. Clay whenever it might be thought advisable to render their imprisonment more secure."

"Davis, in his book, admits he intended to attempt to unhorse a man and escape with his mount. Daily notices of plots to effect the escape and rescue of Davis were sent me, with directions to take every precaution to prevent it. Light anklets were placed on Davis. He knocked over a strong man who was helping to do it. The anklets were kept on five days only, while a wooden door was being removed and an iron grating substituted. The anklets gave Davis no pain and did not prevent him from walking. Letters to me from Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Clay thanking me for my courtesies to them, statements under oath from army officers as to my humane and considerate treatment of Mr. Davis and other statements in my possession prove that I treated Mr. Davis with all the kindness that could be shown him under the circumstances."

WILL OFFER HOTEL BILLS

Secretary of Worth Hotel Summoned to Appear Before Senate in Connection With Swayne Case

Wilbur F. Hardwick of this city has been summoned by subpoena to appear before the United States senate on Feb. 11, to testify in the Swayne impeachment case. Mr. Hardwick will leave for Washington Tuesday morning.

Mr. Hardwick is instructed to produce all books and records pertaining to the case. Judge Swayne stopped at the Hotel Worth while he was in this city and the testimony of Mr. Hardwick is required to show Judge Swayne's expenses incident to the trip.

After serving the subpoena here, F. W. Weber, commissioner for the purpose, went to Tyler to summon E. W. Chase of the National hotel of that city.

Judge Swayne was a guest at the Hotel Worth for one and three-quarter days, registering on Feb. 28, 1897. He paid his bill of \$6.50 and left for Dallas.

Wilbur Hardwick was a witness before the investigation committee of the house of representatives Nov. 25, 1904, at which time he swore that Judge Swayne had stayed at the Hotel Worth as noted.

Witness Hardwick stated today that the government refused to accept his deposition but required his presence at the trial of the case.

The government pays 10 cents per mile to witnesses for one way, and \$4 a day for the time consumed in going and returning, in addition to the time consumed during the hearing of a case.

HAS STOOD THE TEST 25 YEARS
GROVES TASTELESS CHILL TONIC.
The first and original tasteless chill tonic. 50 cents.

NAVAL REPAIR BOAT UNCLE SAM'S LATEST

Vessel Can Be Towed to Any Harbor and Used in Patching Damaged Battleships

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—A strange craft is nearing completion at the New York navy yard. It is in fact "a miniature floating navy yard," and will take its first plunge into the waters of the East river in about six weeks. When the craft is completed the United States navy will be in possession of a floating-repair shop, the like of which the world has never seen and one which, according to the officials of the navy yard, will make it possible to repair second-class cruisers, gun boats and torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers wherever there is water enough to anchor.

The craft is about 120 feet long, forty feet wide and will draw about six feet of water. It is built entirely of steel and every inch of space has been utilized. At one end will be a steam derrick capable of lifting twenty tons, while at the other end will be the boilers that will furnish steam to operate dynamos, air compressors and the derricks. Amidship will be the navy yard proper.

Practically every machine used in repair work will be installed somewhere in this space including a miscellaneous assortment of electrical and pneumatic lathes, drills, slotters, shears, punches, etc.

The apparatus will be capable of taking off the smaller guns on battleships and armored cruisers and of making minor repairs to the superstructure and interior of great ships. There is nothing pertaining to the smaller craft except a hole below water line that cannot be attended to.

The roof will be fitted with a number of big skylights which can be removed at will and through which ordnance and parts of ships can be lowered to the ships.

The craft is practically non-sinkable, but must be towed to there is no propelling machinery aboard. Should the experiment prove successful larger ones will at once be constructed.

BIG FIRE IN BIRMINGHAM

Alabama City Sustains Loss of \$240,000. Fire Department Saves Adjoining Property Worth \$1,000,000

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 6.—After sustaining a loss of \$240,000 by fire yesterday morning, the city's fire department continued its work under trying conditions and saved contiguous property valued at more than \$1,000,000. Assistance which had been asked for from Montgomery, Atlanta, Chattanooga and Gadsden, were canceled about 5 o'clock, the necessity for which was obviated by the veering of the wind and a dashing rain. Two firemen were severely injured by falling walls and one of the smaller steamers exploded, but no casualties were connected with the latter accident. Losses approximated are as follows:

Robert Garry & Company, wholesale notions; loss \$50,000, insurance \$40,000. Earle building, loss \$39,000, fully covered by insurance.

Mrs. J. O. Turner, building, \$15,000, insurance \$10,000.

John W. Tomlinson, building \$15,000. C. C. Snider, tobacco \$22,500, insurance \$30,000.

Mrs. E. J. Pearce, building \$10,000, insurance \$7,000.

Buchanan Candy Company, \$5,000; insurance \$2,000.

Harrison building \$15,000, insurance \$15,000.

Steiner Bank, building and office \$7,500, insurance \$5,000.

F. P. Norvick & Company, \$15,000; insurance \$14,000.

Franklin, Stiles & Franklin, \$15,000; insurance \$10,000.

Goodalls, Brown & Company, buildings \$10,000, insurance \$10,000.

Two-story, First Street Bridge, \$1,500; insurance \$1,500.

James Bros., wholesale produce, \$4,000; insurance \$3,000.

Erb Produce Company, \$5,000; insurance \$3,000.

Other buildings on the north side of the street, \$4,000.

W. H. Colby Decorating Company, \$12,000; insurance \$10,000.

O. T. Dozier & Son Medical Institute, \$14,000; insurance \$15,000.

About \$1,500 loss is distributed and covered by insurance among others.

NEW ORDER REGULATES BANKRUPTCY PLEADINGS

Full Christian Names Required in Such Proceedings Together With List of Persons in Partnership

Judge E. R. Meek has issued the following orders regarding petitions and pleadings in bankruptcy cases:

A. Voluntary petitions of individuals in bankruptcy and the pleadings of respondents in involuntary proceedings admitting or confessing bankruptcy and all petitions for discharge shall contain the full christian name or names of the petitioner or pleader.

B. Voluntary petitions of partnerships shall contain, in addition to the partnership name, the names of the persons composing such partnership and all petitions for discharge filed by such partnership or any partner, shall contain the full christian name of names of each partner a party to the petition.

C. The clerk may not refer any such petition or pleading in case of non-compliance with this order, unless otherwise directed by the judge.

EDWARD R. MECK,
United States District Judge.

Give the children Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. It makes them grow and gives them rosy cheeks. There is no other medicine in the world so good for the children. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. Ask your druggist.

A man has been arrested in Paris whose method was to tear a different piece out of each of a number of bank notes, and then placing the pieces together, produce a complete bank note, which he was able to pass.

HOW THE DIPLOMATIC HENRY FORESTALLED HIS WIFE



"There's my wife and I'll bet \$15 to a doughnut hole she'll try to drag me to that closing out sale of fancy tinware."



"If I can only get out the door while she's reading that bill of fare I can escape this house of torture."



"Look, Mrs. Gabberly, look at that man going out the door. Does't that look like Henry? Why, it is Henry—look at that hat! I just know he's running away so he won't have to go to Tinnerly's sale with us. Won't I give it to him when we get home?"



"I saw that dreadful bore, Mrs. Gabberly, in the restaurant this afternoon with one of the handsomest women I've seen in a year. I thought at first it was you, but when I discovered it wasn't I sneaked out before Mrs. Gabberly had a chance to talk me to death."

FIRST STEP TAKEN IN GOULD SCHEME

Official Announcement of Construction to Form Line from Lakes to Gulf

Lakes to Gulf

The first step by the Goulds to operate a great system of roads extending from Minneapolis to Kansas City and thence to the Gulf of Mexico, announcement of which plan was made recently in The Telegram, has been taken.

President Mordaunt of the St. Joseph, Albany and Des Moines railroad, announces that the bonds for the construction of the line have been sold and that the work of construction will commence just as soon as the frost is out of the ground. He also states that the line will form a part of the Gould scheme to secure an outlet for the system to the gulf.

The Missouri Pacific between St. Joseph and Kansas City yet to be built would furnish the middle section of the great trunk line from the lakes on the north to the gulf on the south.

To reach the gulf from Kansas City it will be the aim of the Goulds to buy the Kansas City Southern if it be possible, but if not an independent line will be constructed to either Port Arthur or to Galveston. If the latter is accepted the line would probably reach Fort Worth via Oklahoma City, Ok., one of the leading freight tariff producing towns in that country.

WILL ESTABLISH HEADQUARTERS

Traveling Auditor of Santa Fe, Just Promoted, Coming Here

O. C. Van Zandt, traveling auditor of the Santa Fe, whose territory has been south of Cleburne, has been promoted to the territory north from Cleburne, and will in a few days move to Fort Worth, where his headquarters will be in the future.

Mr. Van Zandt succeeds R. S. Rollo, who recently resigned to engage in private business. Mr. Van Zandt's successor will probably be Auditor Valentine, whose jurisdiction includes the southern district.

PIPE LINE TO HUMBLE

Under Consideration by International as Against Spur Track

It was reported recently that the International and Great Northern railroad company was contemplating building a spur twelve miles long from

TO DISCUSS GRAIN RATES

Atlantic Port Commercial Organizations Will Hold Convention in New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Commercial organizations of the Atlantic ports, as well as of the primary grain centers, whose natural outlet for export grain has heretofore been considered the Atlantic ports, will hold a conference over the railroad rate situation in the rooms of the New York Produce Exchange next Thursday. Invitations have been sent to and accepted by most of the following organizations: Chamber of Commerce, New York; Produce Exchange, New York; Board of Trade, Chicago; Chamber of Commerce, Milwaukee; Produce Exchange, Toledo; Board of Trade, Detroit; Chamber of Commerce, Buffalo; Chamber of Commerce, Boston; Chamber of Commerce, Baltimore, and Commercial Exchange, Philadelphia.

No definite plan of procedure has as yet been decided on and the intention is to leave the entire matter open as far as possible. Ways and means for meeting the competition of the gulf ports will be thoroughly discussed and a future policy agreed on if possible.

MAPS AND SURVEYS FILED

Sierra Madre Submits Plans to Mexican Government

Colonel W. C. Greene, president of the Sierra Madre Railroad Company, has just filed with the Mexican government, maps of the survey of the extension from Terrazas Station in a southwesterly course crossing the Sierra Madres to the town of Onabas on the aqueduct. The extension is to cover more than 400 miles.

Work on the first division of the extension is to begin at once as there are now on the ground about 1,000 men and teams for the execution of the work.

The extension is to run through the entire property of the company recently formed by Colonel Greene composed of Connecticut capitalists comprising more than 2,500,000 acres of fine timber lands which are to be developed. With the mills to be erected on the property it is expected the monthly output of lumber will be more than 2,000,000 feet. The mills have already been ordered and will soon be put into operation.

Pneumonia and Grip Follow the Snow. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE prevents Pneumonia and Grip. Call for the full name and look for the signature of E. W. Grove, 25c.

HURT BY FALL ON ICE

Young Man Painfully Injured at Rock Island Pond

The first serious accident following the freezing of streets and ponds occurred Sunday afternoon when Verna Bradburn, aged 19 years, fell on the Rock Island pond, crushing his nose, cutting his lip and severely bruising his forehead. He was taken to his home at 305 Pecan street, where he received medical attention. This morning his condition was reported greatly improved, although bleeding of the nose occurred at frequent intervals. His father, George K. Bradburn, is just recovering from injuries received Dec. 13.

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Live Stock

TODAY'S RECEIPTS

Cattle	1,800
Hogs	1,500
Horses and mules	50

TOP PRICES TODAY

Steers	\$3.60
Cows	2.75
Heifers	2.50
Bulls	2.25
Calves	2.25
Hogs	5.10

MARKET REVIEW

NORTH FORT WORTH, Feb. 6.—Around forty-five cars of cattle were in for the day's supply, ten of which were killed through, making around 1,000 head for the market, against 1,750 Monday of last week, 2,633 Monday a month ago and 2,448 the corresponding Monday in 1904. Steer receipts were light and some of the best went forward. Prices, however, ruled 10c higher on all grades of steers. Best sales were \$3, with the bulk at the same.

Cows were present in pretty fair supply, the bulk coming from West Texas. They were not extra choice, but good killing cows. A long string sold at \$2.75, which was also the bulk sale of the day. The market was quoted as 10c stronger than at the close of last week.

The calf trade developed more strength. A load of inferior calves sold at \$1.25. Good yearlings would easily have brought \$5.50 today. The market may be quoted as 25c higher. Packers and butchers alike were looking for good calves.

HOGS

With about 1,200 hogs in the pens, the bulk of which consisted of East Texas razor-backs, the market took a raise of 10c to 15c on good hogs, the light and trashy contingent selling at any old price. The tops of the lot averaged 230 pounds, and sold at \$5.10. They were Oklahomas, and had been well shunk up. Bulk of fat hogs sold at \$4.90 and 50c; lights at \$4.30; pigs at \$3.70 and 4c.

The market was the lightest for many a Monday, due in great part to the unseasonable weather. While prices were higher all around, selling lacked snap and vigor.

TODAY'S SHIPPERS

CATTLE	
Fisher Bros., Brenham	44
F. E. Dublin, Palestine	15
McDonald & James, Cisco	161
Coleman & Kerran, Enclinal	145
Coleman & Kerran, Enclinal	62
Wood Trust Company, South Omaha	28
H. H. Bray, Valley View	23
Brigham & Pomeroy, Merkel	48
J. M. Leven, Cisco	53
R. L. Wells, Greenville	47
J. H. Gant, Terrell	69
H. H. Robertson, Whitesboro	82
H. M. Kidwell, McGregor	49
Russell & Montgomery, McGregor	27
Dan Hill, Chico	52
Claude Wilmet, McKinney	30
E. Spurgeon, McKinney	27
HOGS	
Babeock Bros. & Co., Stillwater	70
D. B. Jones, Perry	154
F. E. Dublin, Palestine	121
L. A. Roe, Palestine	125
W. E. Weatherbee, Odessa	468
I. Lowe, Frederick, Okla.	104
J. C. Henderson	104
I. H. Bray, Valley View	18
T. R. Raso, Madisonville	112
G. T. Lainer, Marquez	120
HORSES AND MULES	
W. O. Rominger, Trinidad, Col.	23
W. H. Wright, Kansas City, Mo.	21

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

STEERS					
No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
No.	888	\$3.00			
COWS					
No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
No.	826	\$2.75	15.....	980	\$2.75
.....	850	1.75	58.....	791	2.75
7.....	791	2.75	1.....	830	1.85
.....	785	2.00	1.....	660	1.40
6.....	963	1.75	23.....	860	2.35
BULLS					
No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1.....	1,270	\$2.25	1.....	850	\$1.75
CALVES					
No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1.....	120	\$5.25	1.....	111	\$3.25
1.....	400	.75	82.....	218	5.25
1.....	150	3.00		490	2.25
1.....	260	3.50	1.....	490	2.75
16.....	426	1.25	4.....	332	1.75
1.....	199	3.50	2.....	245	1.75
1.....	360	2.25	1.....	440	2.75
1.....	260	3.25	2.....	175	4.50
1.....	190	5.25	18.....	218	4.75
1.....	475	1.85			
HOGS					
No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
.....	163	\$4.90	69.....	230	\$5.10
.....	213	4.90	70.....	202	5.05
.....	292	4.75		469	4.75
.....	173	4.75	72.....	163	4.80
.....	210	4.90	109.....	165	5.00
.....	152	4.30			
PIGS					
No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
1.....	111	\$3.50	60.....	101	\$3.75
.....	103	3.70	12.....	119	\$4.00
			101.....	101	3.50

FOREIGN MARKETS

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK
CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market opened strong; beefs, \$1.85@4.50; cows and heifers, \$1.75@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.00@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 33,000; market opened strong and closed mostly 10c higher; mixed and butchers, \$4.80@4.95; good to choice heavy, \$4.90@5.05; rough heavy, \$4.60@4.75; light, \$4.65@4.80; bulk, \$4.75@4.90; pigs, \$3.60@4.50. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 25,000.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; market strong; lambs, \$4.60@7.50; ewes, \$3.35@5.60.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK
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ceipts, 4,000; market strong; beefs, \$3.50@5.50; cows and heifers, \$1.50@4.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.00@4.15; Texas and westerns, \$2.05.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; market steady; mixed and butchers, \$4.80@5.05; good to choice heavy, \$5.05@5.10; rough heavy, \$4.55@5; light, \$4.70@4.95; bulk, \$4.80@5; pigs, \$3.50@4.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; market steady; lambs, \$7.00@7.50; ewes, \$4.75@5.15; wethers, \$5.25@5.50.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,800, including 1,000 Texas; market strong; native steers, \$3.25@5.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@4.25; Texas steers, \$3.45@5; cows and heifers, \$2.60@3.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,000; market strong; mixed and butchers, \$4.60@4.65; packers, \$4.80@4.95; butchers, \$4.90@5.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market strong; sheep, \$4.50@5.50; lambs, \$5.00@7.25.

COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 6.—After opening off 7 points this morning, March cotton gathered considerable strength, advancing steadily to a top figure of 7.39 during the morning. The advance was a steady one, despite the light trading the bull campaign seemed to be on in earnest. May opened two points higher than March and advanced steadily with the earlier option. July, which was not affected by the opening slump, also gained steadily. While domestic cotton is suffering to a great extent with commission trading, spots were about 1-16 up, with about 2,000 bales sold during the morning.

LIVERPOOL COTTON

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
LIVERPOOL, Feb. 6.—The spot cotton market was easier in tone, with a good demand. Spots were quoted today at 4.01 for middling. Sales 10,000 bales. Receipts 14,100 bales, all American.

The following was the range in prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
February	3.88-86	3.88	3.88	3.89
March	3.87-85	3.85	3.88	3.89
April	3.82-83-81	3.81	3.93	3.94
May	3.96-94	3.94	3.97	3.97
June	4.00-97	3.97	4.00	4.00
July	4.03-00	4.00	4.02	4.03
Aug.	4.04-01-02	4.02	4.04	4.04
Sept.	4.04	4.02	4.06	4.05
Oct.	4.07-05	4.04	4.08	4.07
Nov.	4.07-06-05	4.07	4.09	4.09

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NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The market in cotton futures was steady today. Following is the range in quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	7.15	7.45	7.14	7.43-44
May	7.26	7.50	7.24	7.49-50
July	7.36	7.60	7.35	7.59-60
August				7.62-64
September				7.66-68
October	7.50	7.72	7.48	7.71-73

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	Today.	Saturday.
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Sales	15	3,000

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

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NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 6.—The market in cotton futures was steady. The following is the range in quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	7.19	7.47	7.19	7.46-47
May	7.17	7.47	7.17	7.46-47
July	7.30	7.51	7.26	7.50-51
August				7.55-57
September				7.57-59

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WANTED—Chambermaids at Metropolitan Hotel.

FOR RENT—Office rooms, fine suite front rooms over Green's Jewelry. Apply to Dr. Duncan, corner Fifth and Main.

WANTED—A place to work for my board, by young man while attending college. Phone 1307, old phone.

October 7.60-61 7.44-43

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS
(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 6.—The spot cotton market was firm. Prices and receipts were as follows:

	Today.	Saturday.
Middling	7.7-16	7.4
Sales	4,250	3,000
F. o. b.	150	400

GRAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—Wheat, though steady this morning, showed a tendency to decline, largely influenced by reports of snows in the southern belts. May, which opened at 1.17½, was off a quarter on noon quotations, fluctuating, however, being much in evidence. May was steady around opening figures.

Kansas City reports a strong cash wheat market, Minneapolis and Duluth primary receipts of wheat are 625,000 bushels, and shipments 187,000 bushels. World's shipments last week were 9,032,000 bushels, against 9,024,000 bushels the previous week and 11,052,000 last year. The visible supply shows a decrease of 408,000 bushels, and an increase of 3,640,000 bushels. Clearance figures are 10,900 bushels.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

	Wheat—Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.17½	1.17½	1.16½	1.17
July	1.02	1.02½	1.01½	1.02
Corn				
May	45½	45½	45½	45½
July	46	46	45½	46
Oats				
May	30½	30½	30½	30½
July	30½	30½	30½	30½
Pork				
May	12.92	12.95	12.87	12.87
Lard				
May	6.95		6.97	6.92
July	7.00		7.07	7.05
May	6.90		6.90	6.87
July			7.02	7.00

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 6.—Cash grain was quoted today as follows:

	Wheat—No. 2 red	No. 1 hard	No. 3
May	\$1.13½	\$1.16	\$1.18 to \$1.19
July	\$1.13½	\$1.16	\$1.18 to \$1.19
Oct.	\$1.13	\$1.15	\$1.18 to \$1.19
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THE BIG LAND OWNERS

To the Big Land Owners: Do you know that putting up the prices is just driving people away and that we are simply killing the chances of making this a good country?

All that you want to do is to make up your mind to sell a little of your land at prices that will make some of these men invest, who are going home and telling the world that no one can buy land in Texas, as the prices are too high. We can show you that thousands are going back daily without buying. These men are now in the north telling others to stay away from Texas, as they can't get land at the prices that they should get it at. Now, this is just what Texas has had working against it for the last thirty years, and we know it. You must know it. You must know what this means to us, and that it is killing us.

Every few years we get people turned this way and the land owners drive the prospective buyer away for another few years. Now, if cattle were worth anything and our lands were making good returns, that would be another thing, but they ain't, and you know it. Who is making money raising cattle? That day has gone, and the only thing open to us is to sell and turn our lands into cash. The truck lands, and when the northern trucker knocks at our door, meet him and let him in, so that he will buy land and become one of us.—Alice Echo.

There is no question but that the ownership of large bodies of land in some portions of Texas is operating as a detriment to the immediate settlement and development of the country, but the ownership of large bodies of land does not constitute a crime in this state, and it is a pretty safe principle that men should be allowed to own what they are able to pay for. There is too much of the sentiment extant that the state of Texas owes every poor man on earth a home, and too much of the disposition to take from him who has to give to him who has not. The fact that some men through the exercise of frugality and business acumen have been able to acquire a competency and invest that competency in rich Texas dirt, is no reason why it should be taken from them and turned over bodily to some poor devil who has not been so fortunate. There is plenty of cheap land in Texas, and the man who desires to purchase a home at a fair market price does not have to travel very far to find ample accommodations. The low price and favorable terms upon which the state of Texas has sold its school lands in the west has lured many speculators into the state under the impression that all Texas land could be purchased for a song.

The fact that the price of cattle in Texas has been very low for the past three years is no reason why the men who own large bodies of land that have been devoted to grazing purposes should turn it loose on the same basis that they have been sacrificing its product. It is a singular fact, but it is nevertheless true, that in all the hardships that have been attached to cattle raising in this state during the past three years there has been no depreciation in land values. Even in the western portion of the state where ranchmen have been the hardest hit, there has been no falling off in land values, but rather a steady and gratifying appreciation. This fact has within itself caused the breaking up of a number of large ranches and the sale of the land in small tracts to stock farmers. Some of the leading ranchmen of the west have gone so far as to cut their pastures up into 640 and 320-acre tracts, build houses on each tract, and sell the same upon the most favorable terms to the men who were clamoring for homes in that section. All of this is good for the country, for the more people it contains the more business there is for all interests. All over the country there are many men going out of the stock business in this manner, but it does not indicate that the stock business in Texas is being abandoned. On the contrary, some of the leading stockmen have purchased the land they feel they will need in their business and have settled down to stock growing in a permanent manner. They have reduced their herds to conform to the idea of smaller pastures and have improved the quality so that it offsets the diminished quantity. With such men as these there is no incentive to sell. They are stockmen by profession and will continue to aid in the production of the nation's beef. If the lands held by these people are enhancing in value all the time they are entitled to every dollar that can be gained by its appreciation, and if they are able to continue to hold it they have both a legal and a moral right to do so.

The fact that stock in a prosperous national bank is constantly enhancing in value from the fact that its management is able through skillful financing and

safe business methods to earn large dividends, is no reason why the stockholders of that bank should be compelled to sell their stock to some man who has come to Texas looking for cheap bank stock in a prosperous financial institution. And so it is with Texas land owners. There is no reason for the demand that they should furnish cheap land because some man is foolish enough to come to Texas expecting to get it at his own price.

President Castro of Venezuela is still dallying with the United States government over the settlement of some matters that have been pressed upon him for attention, and a naval demonstration against his poor little government is a strong probability of the immediate future. There is no credit attached to forcing a weaker nation into anything, but occasions often arise where such a course has to be adopted in order to maintain the proper respect for the stronger nation. That seems to be the case now, and the little brother should be immediately brought to terms.

It looks just a little bit peculiar that members of the state legislature object to cutting out free passes for the reason that such action will cost the state good money through compelling it to pay the fares of officers and employees who now travel free. The surprising feature of the situation lies in the desire to save the state money through the retention of the free pass system by a body of which many members are charged with riding to the capital city on passes and then drawing mileage from the state to which they are clearly not entitled.

The weather for the past week has not been very creditable to the Sunny South, as for the greater part of the time Old Sol has been put entirely out of business by the ice king. The greater part of the state has been covered with sleet and snow, and the suffering among the live stock has of necessity been very severe. So far few losses have been reported, but it is rather early yet for the official figures to be compiled. It looks as if the man in charge of the weather machine has attempted to spill all the remainder of the winter season in one big lump.

Uncle Joe Cannon refused an invitation to dine at the White House with the supreme court, on the grounds that the court would have precedence over him, and it is evident from this that the speaker is as much of a stickler on questions of etiquette as he is on parliamentary usage on the floor of the house. The card of regrets was accepted by the president, and he will later give a dinner at which Speaker Cannon can shine.

Members of the state legislature are said to be unusually afraid of public sentiment this term, and if that is the case, the house had better dig up that murdered anti-nepotism measure and pass it without any further delay. Democratic platform demands are not to be disregarded with impunity. Representative Onion to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Judge Swayne admits that he collected ten dollars per day from the federal government for his expenses, and justifies that action by the claim that it is both law and custom. Perhaps when the court of impeachment gets through with the gentleman such practices will no longer be justified either by law or custom.

The legislatures of various states are passing resolutions endorsing the policy of the president in the attempted regulation of the railways. It is evident from this that the demand for railway regulation is a cause that is very dear to the hearts of the masses irrespective of party ties.

The honorable mayor of North Fort Worth says that the matter of proper protection of railway crossings in that city shall have immediate attention, and the honorable mayor is a man who generally does what he promises to do.

Texas railways are taking no hand in the fight that is progressing at Austin over the free pass question, but their action before previous sessions indicates that they would prefer no legislation of the kind.

A motion to adjourn the state legislature at the end of the five dollar per day period has been tabled, and this would seem to indicate that Austin boarding hash has as yet developed no great terrors for the average sojourner.

Dr. George C. Rankin of Dallas paid the state legislature a visit last week, for the first time since his defeat for the chapeau of that institution, and was cordially received.



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Gleanings From the Exchanges

Did you ever hear of a fellow putting himself on the county road? Well, here is a good case that happened in Fannin county: A negro by the name of Sam Weatherby recently went to J. S. Boggs, the county road boss, and told him that he wanted to repay the county of Fannin for violating the laws by indulging in a crap game, and offered himself for service on the road. The road boss, not knowing anything else to do, took the negro in custody and put him to work as requested. Then he came to the county seat and made an investigation and found that the negro had been charged with gambling about a year ago, but as he had gone to Kansas he was never tried.—Bonham News.

It is evident from the above that there can be honor even among negro craps shooters, but such occurrences are extremely rare. The action of the negro in voluntarily returning and taking up the burden of his iniquity is to be commended and his time of service should be reduced in due proportion.

We think the bill should pass in the Texas legislature that prohibits city councils from holding executive sessions. Such sessions are worse than useless. They do not hold as profound secrets what transpired therein, and if any member of the city government or the other officers of the city has committed a crime against the city, it is wrong to keep it a secret. Publicity never harms an innocent man, but it is death on a guilty one.—Texarkana Courier.

There is nothing connected with the conduct of any city government in Texas that should not be made public, and there is no sound reason why any matters pertaining to city government should be cloaked with the secrecy of an executive session. The cry of the hour is for publicity in all governmental affairs, and city councils should be required to measure up.

Brother John Robbins has his political faults, but Brother John knows a thing or two. He is a greater power before the Texas legislature than the democratic party. The democratic party said there would be a law enacted blotting out a nepotism. Brother John Robbins said such law should be passed. The house committee has killed the bill that the democratic party said would be passed. Brother John's graft goes marching on, but meantime score another broken promise against the democratic party.—Dallas Times-Herald.

Brother John is mighty and this is another case where might has prevailed, but it has left a very bad taste in the Texas democratic mouth, and the victor may yet find that he has made the mistake of his life. Texas democracy cannot always be defied with impunity.

A very interesting pamphlet issues from the state house at Austin, giving the statistics of railroad consolidations in Texas, and it is a valuable addition to the general information on that subject. The statistics and statements cover the period down to the close of the year 1903 and show that the railroad operations of the state were largely in the nature of closing gaps or perfecting connections and that the network of lines thus spread fairly well enmesh the state, large as it is. If there is no damper put on this work of railroad extension and consolidation in the present legislature 1905 will see many miles of line built.—San Antonio Light.

There is no reason why the consolidation of all railway lines should be opposed as a matter of principle, for there are instances where consolidations have been effected with advantage. It is the consolidations that destroy competition that should be prevented, and such are the con-

WITH THE CATTLEMEN

FROM THE ALPINE COUNTRY

ALPINE, Texas, Feb. 6.—Oliver Billingsley recently shipped two carloads of cows to El Paso, put up by himself, Mrs. Winder and Captain James. The first car dressed 443 pounds and the second car 425 pounds.

Albert Cookhill has been buying butcher cattle in this county for the El Paso markets this week.

George Orr came up from his ranch near Haymond this week and reports cattle and range in good condition down there. He says that part of the county is fast being settled up by people who control all the way from one to twenty sections of land.

Lobo wolves are reported as becoming plentiful on the range north of Alpine. A. S. Gage has sold to O. R. Slavins about 3,800 two and four-year-old steers. Mr. Slavins has bought about 17,000 head of steers in Brewster and Presidio counties in the past few days.

George Miller sold five carloads of steers and cows and N. O. Pierson two carloads to Bob Serna last week. They were shipped east from Sanderson.

J. B. Irving sold two carloads of fat cows and eight calves to Oliver Billingsley, which he shipped to El Paso yesterday.

J. A. Straud has received seventeen head of fine Galaway bulls from Midland. They were sent down to his ranch this week.

Ben and Jesse Pruett shipped a carload of cows to Fort Worth yesterday.

H. L. Kokernot is in Lubbock county looking after his cattle interests there.

Range and stock of all kinds were never in better condition to go through the winter and spring than during the present season.

NEW MEXICO CONDITIONS
SILVER CITY, N. M., Feb. 6.—Our winter so far has been just about the thing that the doctor ordered so far as the cattlemen in southern New Mexico are concerned. An abundance of moisture has fallen and no very cold weather. Quite a number of steers have been contracted already for spring delivery at \$11, \$15 and \$18 for ones, twos and threes.

As very few cattle were sold last year there are a number of good steers in the country. Californians are buying some, but most of the stuff goes north. I am surprised that the convention at Denver did not permit the packers, railroad and commission men to join the cattlemen, for, had such been the case, we could have given the consumers hordes or else forced them to join the vegetarians for self preservation.

J. C. CURETON.

solidations that are opposed by the people of Texas. The present state legislature will doubtless be as liberal in matters of the kind as the exigencies of the situation will warrant. No one desires to hamper railway building in Texas, but there are some consolidation schemes that will doubtless bear investigation.

Some smart member of the legislature proposes to tack on to the anti-pass bill a provision prohibiting railroads from issuing mileage to newspapers in exchange for advertising space, thinking he is playing for even against the papers for agitating anti-pass legislation. He and the few who favor the proposition not only seek to dodge a plain platform pledge, but at the same time proclaim their ignorance by proposing to legislate against legitimate business contracts.—Granbury News.

That same smart member ought to also include in the bill some measure of retaliation against all members of the democratic party for formulating such a demand at the hands of its servants. If it is wrong for democratic papers to advocate democratic platform demands, the very root of the evil could be reached by striking at the inspiration of newspaper action. If the newspapers have sinned it has been through a misconception of what has appeared to them as a plain duty.

The man, white or black, who will knowingly curse in the presence of ladies is a whelp of the mangiest kind and needs kicking until he couldn't sit down on a pillow for a month. The same can be said of the fellow who has to be led out of the depot by a policeman for persisting in smoking in the ladies' sitting room. With such bifurcated skunks, a lady is entitled to no more respect than the blackest he-coon that walks the street. But some folk are born that way and just naturally cannot help it.—Beaumont Enterprise.

Men do not curse in the presence of ladies and the things that do ought to be caught by their collars and booted out of the presence of ladies whom they have

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Mrs. C. O. Smith, 56 Bowen St., Nashua, N. H., says: "My trouble began with a weakness of the bowels. I became white as snow, my heart palpitated and my head throbed continually. My limbs swelled and I grew too weak to walk. Doctors said my case was incurable and that I had but a few weeks to live. Then my son-in-law brought me the best remedy ever discovered for wasting diseases,

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THE TEXAS SHEEPMAN

Texas sheepmen are not complaining these days. Wool brought such a good price last year that all sheep growers made money. No sheepmen are trying to get out of the business, but on the contrary we know of many who would like to run sheep on their ranges if they were to be had. Breeding has been given a great stimulus the past two years, and with a couple of more years of good prices for wool and mutton the number of sheep in Texas will be largely increased. The greatest increase in the future in this class of live stock, however, must come from the farms. Texas farmers are not growing as many sheep as they ought to. Those Texas farmers who have been running small bands of sheep all report them a profitable investment.—Texas Stockman.

TEXAS CATTLE SUPPLY

The Fort Worth Telegram, discussing the cattle subject, asserts that the Texas cattle supply may safely be assumed to be below the normal. There will be fewer cattle of all classes offered for sale in the spring than for a number of years. Buyers are going to be surprised and disappointed at the smallness of the offering, but they will be pleased with the quality of the stuff, which will be better than ever before, as the result of intelligent breeding. This means, too, that the prices demanded for this small offering of Texas stuff will be higher than those of last year.—San Antonio Stockman.

TO EXTERMINATE SCAB

Claude Hudspeth of Crockett county hopes to exterminate scab among sheep in Texas by securing the passage of a bill which he will introduce in the house to impose heavy penalties upon any person who drives scabby sheep along a public road. He asserts that professional sheep drifters from New Mexico bring their sheep into Texas and drift their animals along the roads through the pastures of Texas sheepmen, thereby spreading the scab to home flocks and causing heavy loss and damage. Mr. Hudspeth's bill authorizes ranchmen to hold all scabby sheep which are attempted to be driven through their ranches, and it makes the owner of the diseased sheep liable for damages in the sum of from \$1,000 to \$5,000. The bill is similar to the Australian law, which caused that country to be rid of scabby sheep. Mr. Hudspeth says.

Statements made by officials of the Traction Company and the railway regarding the horrible accident in Fort Worth yesterday indicate that both regard the other as responsible and their own lines blameless. The courts will no doubt get to decide the question, and in the meantime better protection should in some way be afforded the public.—Brownwood Bulletin.

The question as to responsibility for the North Fort Worth accident is not of so much moment to the people of this city as the matter of prevention of such occurrences in the future. It is generally hoped that both railway and street car companies will take the necessary action to reduce the danger to a minimum. Human life is not a thing to be toyed with.



"Some city feller with a lot o' money's bought Hub Lampley's place." "Wonder what he's goin' to do with it—'tain't fit fer nuthin'." "Says he 'jint wants a quiet place t' live. He's goin' t' put up a \$20,000 house on th' knoll back o' th' orchard." "What's he goin' t' do?" "Hub says th' country's too quiet fer him an' he's goin' t' town an' start a confectionery store."

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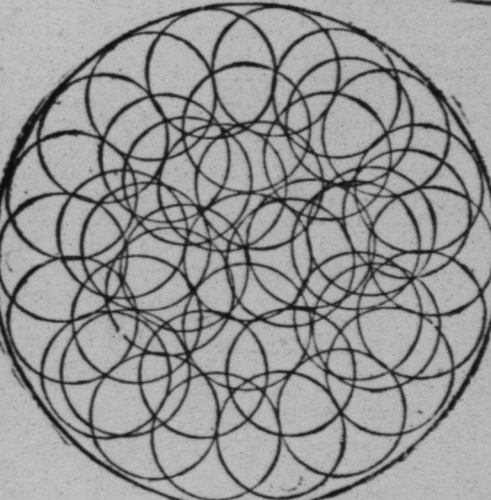
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In addition to the two big prizes above mentioned, every one who counts the rings correctly shall receive a prize of the value of one dollar. So that there are no blanks. Every one who counts correctly is bound to get a prize.
One count is allowed with each year's subscription to The American Home Journal (regular price of subscription one dollar); but if you will send us your count and 60 cents, you shall be entered in the contest for these big prizes, and shall also receive The American Home Journal for one year. And remember, if your count is correct, you shall, in any event, receive a prize of the value of one dollar. Renewals count as new subscribers.
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A MYSTERY OF THE SEA

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What was known as the "Lone Ship"

mystery occurred in the year 1853.

An English merchantman named the

White Squall, homeward bound from

the Cape to Liverpool, was jogging

along to the north of the Azores one

night when she overtook and passed an

unknown craft. It was a starlight

night without the slightest sign of

mist rising from the water. The un-

known had no lights out and was pass-

ing within a hundred feet. The chief

mate had the watch and hailed her, but

got no answer in return. He was curs-

ing her carelessly in sailing the high-

way without a light when the un-

known came sailing in his wake and

took up a position on the starboard

quarter and only a stone's throw

away. She was hailed a dozen times

over, but made no answer.

Only one single person could be seen

aboard, and he was the man at the

wheel. His figure was without motion

except what the tossing of the ship

imparted to it. He stood there clear

enough under the naked eye, but the

light brought him closer still.

For an hour the strange ship held a

parallel course to that of the mer-

chantman, and the crew of the latter

got a bad fright over it. The breeze

held steadily, and during one minute

the unknown craft and her solitary

man were in full view of fifteen men.

The next she had vanished off the face

of the sea, leaving everybody to rub

his eyes and stare.

It was three months before the

"Lone Ship" was seen again. An Amer-

ican ship bound from New York to

Bordeaux had left the Azores well to

the south and behind her when one

day at noon the breeze left her and

there fell a dead calm. The sea soon

went down until there was only a

glassy ground swell, and when night

came on there was not a sail in sight.

At midnight the moon rose, and so

bright was its light that one could

have read a book on deck.

Half an hour later, without enough

air stirring to move a feather, a

strange craft came slowly into view

from the east and when first discover-

ed was only about two miles away.

She was bows on at first, but when

within half a mile of the American

she swung around and showed her

broadside and ceased her drift. The

second mate had the watch, having

come on at midnight, and after puzz-

ling for a few minutes he called the

captain. Captain and mate united

their voices in a hall which was not

answered, and then a musket was

brought up and fired three times with-

out eliciting any reply.

The American captain was a hard

headed fellow, with no superstition in

his composition. He took a boat and

two men—no others of his crew would

go with him—and pulled to the ship.

The log book said of their adventure:

"When we had approached within a

few feet of the 'Lone Ship,' I ordered

the men to cease rowing that I might

look her over. She had no name paint-

ed on her stern or quarter."

"We rowed twice around her, hail-

ing several times without result, and

then I ordered the men to row me un-

der her bows that I might climb up by

her chains. They hung in the wind

and would have refused had I not

menaced them with the revolver I had

brought along in my pocket.

"As I climbed up I ordered one of

them to follow me and was presently

taking a view of the stranger's decks.

I counted ten objects lying about

which I verily believed were dead men

wrapped up in blankets, though for

reasons shortly to be given I could

not make sure of this. The decks

were not badly littered up, though in

the moonlight I could see that they

had not been cared for for months.

"I was ready to go aft and was wait-

ing for the man when I heard the

splash of oars and turned to discover

that the cowards were making off. I

menaced them with the pistol, but they

would return no nearer than fifty feet,

and I had to leap into the sea to swim

that distance. The men feared the

strange craft both as a ghost ship and

a plague ship, and nothing I could say

would change their opinion. My own

belief is that all her crew were dead

of some fell disease, but yet I should

have liked to make sure by investiga-

tion. They had been too long dead

for me to fear infection."

The "Lone Ship" was seen once more

and for the last time about a month

later. An English man-of-war was

sent out to look for her, and after a

cruise of two weeks back and forth

without sighting her the government

craft found herself becalmed one night

midway between the Azores and the

Madeiras.

At half past 11 o'clock the "Lone

Ship" was discovered, appearing of a

sudden within half a mile of the man-

of-war. Ten minutes after sighting

her the captain had two boats in the

water, and the officer in command had

orders to board the derelict and over-

haul every foot of her. Away went

the boats, but they never reached her.

At a point about midway the men

saw the "Lone Ship" suddenly settle

down, and two minutes later her top-

masts were disappearing beneath the

surface. Some bits of wreckage were

picked up and preserved, but nothing

that could identify her, and to this day

her name, port of hall and the fate

that made her a derelict are matters

of conjecture.

I have always held that she was a

foreigner and that her crew died to be

a man of some terrible epidemic, but as

to her mysterious appearance and dis-

appearance and the nature of the ac-

cident that finally sent her to the bot-

tom I have no theories to advance.

M. QUAD.

THE SHADOWER

[Original.]

"Captain," said the general, "here is

a dispatch of importance which I wish

you to deliver at once to General Tay-

lor. I do not think there are any

Mexicans in the region between our

two separate forces, but there may be.

You can either take an escort or scout

your way alone."

Captain Allen Duane paled. His gen-

eral looked at his aid-de-camp curi-

ously, wondering, for he knew him to be

a brave man, then asked, "Which

course will you adopt?"

"I shall scout through alone."

As if the captain had chased away a

disagreeable suspicion as to his cour-

age, the general turned complacently

to other matters.

What was it that caused the color to

momentarily leave the cheek of the

young officer at being ordered upon an

ordinary duty? He did not know him-

self. He only knew that some vague

message had come to him to tell him

that this would be to him a night of

what? He did not know. More in

fear of cowardice than danger, he

shook off the disagreeable impression,

which melted before his resolution like

mist before the sun.

Riding to the outposts, he left his

horse and moved away into the debate-

ble land held by neither American nor

Mexican. A young moon shone down

on his shoulder, casting a faint shadow

to his left and to his rear. It annoyed

him. Turning to glance at it, he could

not refrain from a fancy that a figure

was following him. Looking straight

ahead, he fixed his gaze on the plain,

over which here and there grew scat-

tered clumps of tropical trees.

It was lonely out there on that deso-

late plain where the poorest Mexican

disdained to build even an adobe hut.

The vipers with which the country

abounds had crawled into their holes;

the few birds were hidden, silent, in

the branches of the trees. It seemed

to him that even the melancholy cry

of a whippoorwill, with which he had

long been familiar in the north, would

sound companionable. There were only

the plain, the trees, the moon and the

sky, over which floated small clouds

with dark bodies and fleecy borders.

Despite his efforts to drive away the

impression that his shadow was some-

one following him this impression grew

stronger. Turning again, he cast a

quick glance behind. There was the

shadow as before. Raising his eyes to

the sky, he shuddered. The moon was

behind a cloud.

It was now clear to Captain Duane

that the mysterious follower was not

his shadow. What was it? If a hu-

man enemy it would have long before

this shot or knife him in the back.

If a friend, why did it not declare it-

self? He listened, but by the closest

attention he could not detect a foot-

step. And why, he asked himself, did

he, a soldier who had been twice

brevetted for bravery, shrink from

turning and confronting this mystical

intensity of shade?

By an effort he gathered strength to

turn his head for one more glance.

There was the figure, more distinct

than before, yet not continuously so.

It seemed to Captain Duane that his

eyesight was not capable of holding

the image long enough to see exactly

what it was. Now, for an instant, the

head and shoulders would keep before

him—the face bony, with deep sunken

eyes—a broad, prominent mouth. Then

the legs, long thin ones, would be

tramping with one uninterrupted, un-

changed gait, the whole covered by a

long flowing mantle which fluttered in

the wind, yet there was no sound.

Desperate, the officer halted and fac-

ed about.

"Who comes there?" he cried.

The words broke the stillness like a

clap of thunder from a serene sky.

There was in them a singular distress,

as if they had been for ages asking a

question to which there had come no

reply. The figure stopped, waiting, as

though neither impatient nor tired, con-

fident that the object of its attention

would move on and it would again fol-

low.

The young captain did move on.

Though his physical strength was un-

impaired, it seemed to him that his

soul was lagging, that it was slowly

but surely slipping away from him.

He was as ready to meet an accus-

tomed enemy and fight as bravely as

ever. As Captain Allen Duane he was

still independent; as a human soul he

was losing himself.

And now there in the distance

something white. He shades his eyes

from every ray of moonlight and dis-

covers white tents. He is nearing the

end of his mission. A few more miles

and he will be within the picket line

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But sometimes the truth is concealed—hidden—covered up. It's part of the business of a good tailor (like us) to reconcile a man's figure to the fashion. We take the fellow with shoulders built on the angle of a toboggan slide and turn him out, apparently a broad-shouldered athlete. And we are equally friendly to the fat man and the others with a tender spot.

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We desire to announce that we have organized with home capital a company for the sale and distribution of ice in small quantities to the citizens of Fort Worth, and that we have contracted for sufficient quantities to insure prompt delivery to all our customers. The city will be supplied with ice by a company of special territory, thus minimizing the haul and making a perfect service. We aim to please everybody—which, it is said, cannot be done—nevertheless, we intend to try, and to that end we promise full weight, prompt service and no raise in price.

Every driver will be furnished with scales, and we ask all who buy from us to satisfy themselves as to full weight at their doors, calling to our notice any neglect or shortage and immediate attention shall be given to the case.

We ask your generous support in our enterprise.

CITIZENS ICE COMPANY,
Office and Yards, Foot of Monroe St.,
Phone 640.

WEATHER IN MISSOURI

Report of Section Director Reeder Published by Department

Summary of conditions for 1904 in the Missouri section of the climate and crop service of the weather bureau maintained in connection with the University of Missouri, as compiled by Section Director George Reeder, formerly official in charge of the Fort Worth bureau, has been issued in pamphlet form under the direction of Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau.

The publication contains detailed statement of the temperature, atmospheric pressure, wind and precipitation, together with a crop review by months. A table of observations with variations from normal conditions noted is also contained in the pamphlet.

Curse of DRINK

Drunkness Cured to Stay Cured By

White Ribbon Remedy

White Ribbon Remedy will cure or destroy the diseased appetite for all alcoholic drinks, whether the patient is a confirmed inebriate, a "tippler," social drinker or drunkard. It is the only remedy known to cure the craving for alcoholic liquors after using White Ribbon Remedy. It has made many thousands of permanent cures, and in addition restores the victim to normal health, steadying the nerves, increasing the will power and determination to resist temptation.

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Mrs. Anna Moore, Treasurer of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Los Angeles, Cal., states: "I have tested White Ribbon Remedy on very many drunkards, and the cures have been many. I cheerfully recommend and indorse White Ribbon Remedy, and advise any woman to give it to any relative suffering from drunkenness."

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pleadings of Wolfram, when the funeral procession of Elizabeth enters and a second band of pilgrims appears, announcing that the pope's staff has blossomed over the tomb, thus indicating the Almighty's pardon for the sinner. The English Grand Opera Company comes to Greenwall's opera house Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee, Feb. 10 and 11, presenting Friday night "Tannhauser," Saturday matinee "Carmen" and Saturday night "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "Pagliacci." Sale of seats and boxes Tuesday, Feb. 7, 9 a. m.

IN THE COURTS

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Since Saturday the following marriage certificates have been issued by Deputy County Clerk Walter Wing:
L. E. Baldwin of Kansas City and Miss Ida M. Stogin of Dallas; Saturday, E. D. Stevens and Miss Berdie Parr of Fort Worth.

L. E. Baldwin of Kansas City and Miss Ethel May Rigdon of North Fort Worth. John H. Hall of Dallas and Miss Kate McGinn of Fort Worth.

CASES DISMISSED

The damage case of Kell & Merrell vs. the Texas and Pacific Railway Company et al. was dismissed by the plaintiffs in the Seventeenth district court today.

Other dismissals were: J. A. Simms vs. Northern Texas Traction Company, damages; F. E. Holt vs. G. W. Holt, divorce; Matt Ward vs. Northern Texas Traction Company, damages; James Garrett vs. William Smith, damages; B. Coleman vs. L. Coleman, divorce.

Several civil cases were continued for service by Judge Smith in the Seventeenth district court.

PROBATE MATTERS

Messrs. W. S. Essex and Capps & Canby today made application for temporary administration on the estate of the late John Guttler, who was on Sunday found dead at his home on East Eleventh street. The estate is estimated to be worth about \$2,500.

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT COURT

The case of the state of Texas against J. B. Miller and others, charged by indictment with having committed a swindle, was called up in the Seventeenth judicial district court this morning, but was temporarily passed.

The defendants announced they were ready for trial but the state asked a continuance until certain witnesses could be subpoenaed. The case has been called for trial several times, each time the defendants being ready for trial.

The trial of Brooks James, a negro, is being tried by Judge Smith today. James is accused of attacking a colored girl.

LETTER TO REV. J. S. MYERS

PORT WORTH, TEXAS.

Rev. Sir: In making pastoral visits, of course, you do not consider your pleasure or comfort or ease; you go where your people live. But you have two sets of feelings in going about—can't help it—have all have. But you especially have; for a part of your business is sympathy. Well-kept lawns and well-tended fields, nice homes and nice people, are cheerful to you, as they are to everyone. Turned-down buildings, poor fences, men harassed by burdens too heavy for them, overworked women, and dirty-faced children, you may be strong to get on with; but you would be more than human to find inspiration in misery.

Faint divides the two sorts of people; one paints, and the other don't. Or, perhaps, the thrifty paint well; the unthrifty paint ill.

To paint well is to keep paint sound. There are two ways to do it: one is bound to paint often; the other to use good paint.

It costs about half as much to paint Devoe as to paint with any other paint; for Devoe takes fewer gallons than mixed paints and wears twice as long as lead and oil.

The thrifty and comfortable have the art of using money more wisely. How lucky they are! how happy!

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO.

P. S.—Brown & Vera sell our paint.

Ice Causes Accidents

WACO, Texas, Feb. 6.—There were a number of serious accidents by falling on the frozen ground, among the more dangerous being the following:

Miss Jane Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, fell and was rendered unconscious for some time, and it was at first thought she would not recover.

Herman Allison, a Baylor student, fell while skating and a number of companions fell on him, injuring him dangerously.

Mrs. J. L. Ratcliffe of the Elm Street hotel in East Waco, seriously hurt by a fall.

Mrs. William McCauley of Moody, leg broken by a fall on the frozen ground.

There were several accidents of a minor character.

Truck Driver Appointed

John Parrish, formerly fireman at No. 3 fire company, has been promoted to the position of driver of the big truck at the Central station, succeeding Ben Calhoun, resigned. Parrish has been in the department for several years and was promoted as a result of good service and ability as a driver.

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We will gladly send to anyone, free of charge, a trial treatment of our wonderful treatments for the cure of men who are suffering from nervous debility, loss of vitality, vital weakness, unnatural drains at night, varicose, and all the evil results of early indiscretions; also stricture, blood poison in the first, second, third stage, and all other venereal or private diseases of men.

We feel it a waste of time and space to go into details to tell you what these wonderful remedies have done for others. The quickest way to convince you that the remedies will do all that we claim for them is to have you give them a trial. As the old saying is, "the proof of the pudding is in the eating."

We earnestly and sincerely ask you to write to us at once, on receipt of your letter we will immediately mail you a trial of the remedies, and a sufficient quantity to convince you that this treatment is what long have had for the cure of your ailment, and a treatment that will quickly restore you to your full manly strength and vigor. Simply send your name and address to the Interstate Remedy Co., 178 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and we will gladly send you, absolutely free, a trial treatment, with full directions as to its use.

NOTE! THE above is indeed a fair and liberal offer, as the doctors connected with the Interstate Remedy Co. are all skilled and experienced specialists.

Headache

Biliousness, sour stomach, constipation and all liver ills are cured by **Hood's Pills**. The non-irritating cathartic. Price 25 cents of all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

CITY BRIEFS

Queen Quality Starch. All Grocers. Cut flowers at Drumm's. Phone 101. Bon's Book Store, 402 Main street.

J. W. Adams & Co. feed, produce, fuel and fat kindling. Phone 630. It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main.

In everybody's mouth. Eagle Bread. For sale by all grocers.

Three prizes given away on C. C. page of The Telegram.

Win a prize. See Telegram want page. Voss Electric Co., 508 Rusk street. Phone 490.

For cold feet use Manning's Powder. Guaranteed by Pangburn.

W. S. Mabry of the X. I. T. ranch is in the city today.

Bowden Tins saves you ten per cent on lumber. 711 West Railroad avenue.

William F. Smith of Goldthwaite is in the city.

J. F. Grammer, Dentist, 506 Main st., Fort Worth, Texas.

President A. J. Davidson of the Frisco, who has been in the city for several days left Sunday night for San Antonio.

Get new and second-hand books, also school supplies, at J. T. Green's.

Arthur H. Castle of San Francisco, engaged in the dried fruit industry in California, is visiting Don Campbell of this city, with whom he will make a tour of the state.

Mrs. J. M. Massie has gone to Chicago for a visit with friends at that place.

Mrs. C. W. Childress will postpone her reception, which was to have been Tuesday, until Tuesday, Feb. 14, owing to the cold weather.

Rev. Alonzo Monk announced at the First Methodist church at the Sunday morning service \$22,000 had been subscribed for the new church building. The new structure will be erected at a cost of about \$60,000.

Have your pictures made at the Worth Studio. They can't be beat.

Tyler's lake in Glenwood was covered with a strong coating of ice Sunday for the first time in many years, a number of persons owning skates taking advantage of the opportunity to enjoy the sport.

Glen Bros. & Co., 1315-15 Houston st., furnish house, cash or credit.

Senator Hanger spent Sunday in the city returning to Austin at night accompanied by Representative Fitzhugh who spent the day at his home in Arlington.

Current sale prices on women's, misses' and children's shoes at Hardie's.

J. Y. Burke, roadmaster of the A. & O. Grande division of the Texas and Pacific railway, is in the city today.

H. D. Bartlett, president of the National Spiritualist Association, lectured at the Temple on Taylor street Sunday night to a fair sized audience.

I. N. Cole, a Texas and Pacific passenger conductor will leave this evening, accompanied by his wife, for a thirty days' tour in Old Mexico.

Rambler bicycles are greatest wheels on record. Cromer Bros., 1616 Main street.

City Engineer Hawley has gone to Dallas to attend a Good Roads convention in that city today.

Have you heard the phonographs at Cromer's Jewelry store, 503 Houston st.?

Andrew McCampbell Jr., deputy United States revenue collector, has returned from East Texas.

Hugh H. Lewis Hardware Store will tell you what they have for you. Don't fail to do your duty by looking over the stock.

M. A. Norris, The Tailor, will give you the best-fitting tailor-made suits to order for the least money, considering quality.

Do you care for your eyes? Every thoughtful person does. Consult Chas. G. Lord, the reliable optician of Fort Worth. Eyes examined free of charge.

A good collection was taken for the poor of the city at the services at the First Methodist church yesterday.

The Nobby Harness Co., 600 Houston st., will make prices on harness and house furnishing goods that will surprise you. Repairing done.

The rehearsal of the St. Cecelia Society, which was to have been held at the Artists' club rooms tonight, has been postponed until Thursday at 2:30 p. m., and will be held at the residence of Mrs. Maud Peters Ducker.

One hundred and eighty-eight days—one-half a year—of solid comfort can be spent in a room at the Kingsley, Eighth and Throckmorton streets.

The regular weekly meeting of the Methodist ministry of the city was held at the First Methodist church this morning.

Head Grocery Co., 1100 Houston st., leads in good things to eat. Watch our wagons. We supply you with choicest table delicacies.

The regular monthly meeting of the city school trustees will not be held this evening.

Call on your grocer for old-fashioned wholesome rock ground corn meal. Like your grandmother used to eat. Made by Mugg-Dryden Corn Mills.

The meeting of the Kindergarten College Association postponed last Thursday will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the college building. Election of officers and other important business will be taken up.

Kentucky Liquor House. Finest imported and domestic wines, liquors and cigars. Quart and jug trade a specialty. 114-16 Houston st.

Fort Worth Steam Laundry is never surpassed for first-class work. They will call for your laundry and deliver to your home. Phone 201.

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H. H. Pitman, the leading cash grocer of Fort Worth, sells you the purest at everything in the grocery line that money will buy.

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nishing store. Furniture, cook stoves, gas and gasoline stoves, heating stoves, lamps, glassware, queensware and anti-rust tinware. Cash or time.

Monnig's Dry Goods Co., 1302-4 Main st., is the place to get Royal Blue \$3.50 shoes for men and Keith's Konqueror for men. \$2 to \$4.

National Grocery Co., Jennings and West Railroad aves., will deliver to your home choicest, freshest select groceries. Get their prices. Phone 3218.

T. P. Day, 414 Houston st., will repair bicycles, sewing machines and automobiles to your entire satisfaction and his prices never fail to please.

BED CLOTHING IN FLAMES

Children Had Narrow Escape in Fire Started from Stove About Which They Sat

Several small children at the residence of J. K. White, 302 Hays street, had a narrow escape from fire this morning as a result of blazing bed clothes, which caught from the stove.

The children, who had just arisen, were sitting around the stove with the clothing thrown about them. When the clothing became ignited they threw it from them and escaped without injury.

Mrs. White, mother of the children, succeeded in putting out the flames without damage to the room. The fire department responded to an alarm, but could render no assistance, as the fire was out when they arrived.

METROPOLITAN HOTEL

BLOCK TO BE ENLARGED

Plans Drawn for Addition Making Structure Cover Entire Block Now Partially Occupied

Work on an addition to the Metropolitan Hotel, which will be put up at a cost of more than \$100,000 by Winfield Scott of this city, will begin April 1. The contract for the iron structural work has already been let.

The addition when finished will extend from Eighth to Ninth streets, north and south, and from the rear of the present structure to Rusk street, thus making the hotel building occupy the entire block bounded by Main and Rusk and Eighth and Ninth streets. Plans for the addition have been drawn by M. R. Sanquinet of this city.

COLD WEATHER NOT YET OVER

Government Forecast Is for Continuation of Extreme Temperatures

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The weather bureau announced today the outlook is for continued cold weather, not only in this section, but over a large part of the United States. Zero weather extends as far south as Oklahoma and the Dakotas report twenty to thirty degrees below zero this morning.

The coldest point shown by the official reports is Valentine, Neb., which registered 32 below. The snow and sleet storm which centered yesterday morning in the lower Mississippi valley states traveled rapidly northeastward and is now off the New England coast and maritime provinces, passing out to sea.

Unusually heavy precipitation of rain has occurred through New Mexico, Arizona and Southern California for some days. While the cold snap continues undiminished in the northwest and the Missouri valley there are signs of moderation in the south.

The weather has cleared here, but it continues cold. Trains from the south are arriving behind time, two trains from Atlanta being many hours late on account of the storm which swept that portion of the country yesterday. The steamer from Norfolk due to arrive here at 7:30 had not reached her pier at 10 o'clock this morning.

Accumulated Snow Covered With Ice Coating Impedes Traffic and Causes Many Accidents

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—With miles of residence streets in the upper part of Manhattan Island and in Brooklyn piled high with snowbanks the discomfort which people of New York have experienced from bad weather recently was increased today when the snow storm which began last evening changed into a heavy fall of rain and sleet, which covered the sidewalks with an icy coating. Streets and crossings were flooded in many sections of the city, gutters being badly choked with the accumulation of several storms. Travel either by surface or elevated lines was much impeded, owing to slippery rails, and numerous minor accidents were attributed to the difficult under which traffic was moved. Huge fields of floating ice still fill portions of the rivers and harbor and delay travel by ferry.

Dr. Ray, Osteopath, telephone 553.

Man With Gapes Asks \$5,000

ELGIN, Ill., Feb. 6.—Because he gapes at intervals of one to two minutes and is unable to sleep at night or to secure employment, Robert Thompson of this city has sued the Roebeling Construction Company of Chicago for \$5,000 in the circuit court of Kane county. Three months ago, through the alleged negligence of the elevator manager in a new building under construction by this company, Thompson fell fifty feet. He escaped with slight injuries, and within two weeks the gaping commenced. Since then he has lost fifty pounds on account of his inability to rest. Specialists declare that the nerves of the throat were injured and are responsible for the peculiar malady.

Japs Building Forts

RUSSIAN HEADQUARTERS, HUAN MOUNTAIN, Sunday, Feb. 6.—Lieutenant Grippenberg, former commander of the Second Manchurian army, reports that the Japanese are feverishly fortifying their east flank and center, evidently apprehending a Russian offensive move, the Russian movement on the Hun river having demonstrated the possibility of operations despite the winter. The Japanese are attempting vainly to roll up the Russian right wing northwest of Sandepas.

For odd jobs and carpentering see Don-

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Arriving at Detroit	7:50 p. m.	11:40 p. m.	9:40 a. m.	12:10 p. m.
Arriving at Buffalo	4:05 a. m.	7:33 a. m.	6:50 p. m.	7:50 p. m.
Arriving at New York	3:30 p. m.	9:00 p. m.	7:40 a. m.	7:30 a. m.
Arriving at Boston	5:20 p. m.	9:50 a. m.	10:10 a. m.	

Unexcelled Service Between St. Louis and Chicago

Leave St. Louis	9:22 a. m.	2:00 p. m.	9:05 p. m.	11:32 p. m.
Arrive in Chicago	5:30 p. m.	9:00 p. m.	7:30 a. m.	8:00 a. m.

St. Louis, St. Paul and Minneapolis Limited

Leaving St. Louis	2:10 p. m.	Leaving St. Paul	7:10 p. m.
Arriving in Minneapolis	8:15 p. m.	Leaving Minneapolis	7:45 p. m.
Arriving in St. Paul	8:50 a. m.	Arriving in St. Louis	2:00 p. m.

The New Pittsburg Route

Leave St. Louis	9:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	9:05 p. m.
Arrive Toledo	7:40 a. m.	10:50 p. m.	8:10 a. m.
Arrive Pittsburg	6:30 a. m.	6:20 a. m.	4:15 p. m.

Stopover allowed on all through tickets at St. Louis, Detroit and Niagara Falls.