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LIVESTOCK MARKET

HEAVY RUN OF CATTLE FOR SATURDAY MARKET.

Steers in Light Supply, in Demand, and Strong—Cows Active and Steady. Bulls Steady—Calves Weak.

RECEIPTS AT HOG PENS SHOW A DECREASE.

Only 500 in Today—Another Decline of 5 to 10 Cents, With Tops at $5.90.

RECEIPTS.

	Today.	Same day '03
Cattle	1,300	1,313
Hogs	500	153
Horses and mules	25	....

Official Receipts Yesterday.

Cattle	2,412
Hogs	1,112
Horses and mules	137

THE CATTLE TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Steers—Good to strict choice	$3 25@4 00
Medium fed	2 50@3 25
Stockers and feeders	2 00@2 50
Yearlings	1 25@2 25
Cows—Choice heavy fed	2 50@3 25
Medium butcher	2 00@2 50
Cutters	1 75@2 00
Canners	1 00@1 75
Bulls, stags and oxen	1 50@3 00
Calves—Medium to fancy	2 75@3 50
Common to fair	1 50@2 75

Receipts of cattle at the opening of the market were light, but one train of fifteen cars was still back, and when these arrived, and with the few drive-ins expected, total receipts were estimated at 1,300 head, against 1,464 for the closing day last week, 805 for the same Saturday in August, and 1,313 for the corresponding day one year ago.

BEEF STEERS.

The same good demand that has prevailed all week for steers was again in evidence today. Offerings were light and of fairly well finished grades, and with the good inquiry from packers, all of this class of cattle was the first to go to the scales at prices fully steady with yesterday. The best sold at $3.60 and averaged 1,088 pounds.

Packers have not been getting enough steers, and traders as a rule are expecting a strong market next week.

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.
20	1084	3 60
37	1088	3 60
5	1010	3 00
2	1000	2 50
14	715	2 15
1	730	2 00
5	658	1 85

BUTCHER STOCK.

Offerings of butcher stock were moderate, and while a few loads of well finished cows arrived, the bulk were mixed loads and medium grades.

There was a strong demand from packers, city butchers and the outside, and trading from the start ruled active and steady, the bulk going at a range of from $1.75@2.00.

Bulls found a free outlet on a steady basis, the bulk of the fat bulls going to packers, with feeder buyers and speculators taking the thin grades. Sales were at a range of from $1.65@1.95.

Cows.

28	813	2 05
18	794	2 05
13	768	2 05
20	801	1 95
6	696	1 50
6	665	1 85
18	721	1 85
13	872	1 80
3	552	1 50
6	707	1 25
2	695	1 00

Heifers.

1	570	2 25
13	570	1 90

Bulls.

1	1130	1 75
8	1205	1 75

CALVES.

Again supplies of calves were fairly liberal, and mostly of the heavy medium grades. Packers were pretty well filled up out of the liberal runs earlier in the week, and there was a slack demand today, the few selling ruling barely steady with yesterday.

7	155	3 00
1	150	3 00
81	270	2 10
4	210	2 00
1	250	2 00
12	332	2 00
5	265	1 50
5	310	1 50
1	130	1 50

THE HOG TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Choice sorted	$5 75@5 95
Mixed packers	5 65@5 75
Lights	5 55@5 75
Pigs	4 00@5 25
Stags and roughs	4 00@5 00

Supplies of hogs today were fair for Saturday. Six shipments arrived, and with wagon hogs total receipts were estimated at 500 head, against 271 for last Saturday. None were recived on the corresponding day in August, and 153 for the corresponding day one year ago.

The supply today had fairly good weight, but offerings were largely mixed loads and of medium quality.

Buyers from the start were bidding lower and this caused a slow dull market during the early hours of the trade. Finally, salesmen wanting to clean up the week's business, cut loose, and supplies were weighed up, with sales generally on a 5 to 10c lower basis. Hogs averaging 213 to 235 pounds topped the market at $5.90, with the bulk at a range of from $5.65@5.90, and pigs selling at a range of from $4.75@5.00.

Representative sales:

Hogs.

No.	Ave.	Price.
22	182	5 65
36	138	5 65
82	190	5 77½
5	212	5 80
1	220	5 80
99	197	5 87½
16	255	5 90
70	235	5 90
3	213	5 90
70	243	5 90

Pigs.

30	110	4 75
6	70	5 00

THE SHEEP TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Lambs	$3 50@5 00
Wethers	3 00@4 00
Ewes	2 50@3 50
Culls	1 50@2 50

HORSES AND MULES

Horses.

Drafts, good	$140@150
Chunks, good	75@130
Drivers, good to fancy	75 up
Drivers, medium	55@ 75
Southerners, common to fair	35@ 50
Southerners, good to extra	75@100
Plugs	15@ 20
Rangers, plain	10@ 30
Choice range horses	50@ 75

Mules.

13½ to 14 hands, fat	$ 50@ 60
14 to 14½ hands, fat	75@ 80
14½ to 15 hands, fat	90@120
15 to 15½ hands, fat	125@140
15½ to 16 hands, fat with quality	145@160
16 to 16½ hands, extra, 1,200 to 1,500	165@175

RECEIPTS AT THE YARDS TODAY.

Cattle.

H. M. Anderson, Graham	31
C. M. Cauble, Cisco	267
W. H. Green, Cisco	76
King & Richardson, Cisco	87
A. J. Center, Cisco	194
Brown & Tipton, Chico	52
J. F. Baker, Brady	31
Q. W. Yates, Vernon	28
A. J. Trawick, Vernon	25
C. S. Smith, Vernon	33
J. W. Williams, Iatan	138
J. B. Winship, Eskota	89

Hogs.

First Nat'l Bank, Cushing, O. T.	99
T. M. Brown, Gatesville, Tex.	73
B. C. Dawson, Dawson, Tex.	103
C. C. Curlee, Bonham, Tex.	82
C. M. Cauble, Cisco, Tex.	5
J. N. Stevens, Osceola, I. T.	70

Horses and Mules.

Polk Bros., Fort Worth	21

BUYERS ON YESTERDAY'S MARKET

Cattle.

Armour & Co.	501
Swift & Co.	498
Ditch	23
Austin	21
McCauley	13
Nolen	21
Allen	10
Lewin	35
Others	37

Calves.

Armour & Co.	119
Swift & Co.	6

Hogs.

Swift & Co.	630
Armour & Co.	296
Austin	19
Others	1

Sheep.

Hovenkamp	61
Others	6

TELEGRAPHIC MARKET REPORTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Chicago	1,000	8,000	4,000
Kansas City	100	2,000	3,000
St. Louis	600	1,500	400
	1,700	11,500	7,400

Chicago.

Special to The Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, Sept. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts 1,000. Market steady.

HOGS — Receipts 8,000. Market steady to strong. Top $6.20, bulk $5.80@6.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 4,000. Strong.

Kansas City.

Special to The Reporter.

Kansas City, Sept. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts 100.

HOGS — Receipts 2,000. Market steady. Top $5.90, bulk $5.80@5.90.

SHEEP—Receipts 4,000. Steady.

St. Louis.

Special to The Reporter.

National Stockyards, Sept. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts 600, all Texas. Market steady.

HOGS — Receipts 1,500. Market 5 higher. Top $6.25.

KATY STOCK TRAIN WRECKED.

Kansas City Drovers' Telegram, Sept. 22: A stock train on the Missouri Pacific railroad en route to Kansas City was wrecked this morning at Stillwell, Kas. The wrecking of the train caused the breaking of the wires and no details can be obtained except the number of cars of stock wrecked. This, it is stated by the company, is 18 cars of cattle and one car of hogs.

WEEK'S MARKET REVIEW

CATTLE ARE GENERALLY STEADY. HOGS SHOW AN ADVANCE.

Highest Prices Paid for Hogs in About a Year—Receipts Show an Increase all Around.

A slight increase in cattle and a heavy increase in hog and sheep receipts is the record of the week as compared with last week. Hog receipts are the largest since the week ending May 7.

Shippers have done fairly well in cattle, and have had a big week in hogs. The highest prices were paid for hogs on this market this week that have been paid for almost a year. On Wednesday a bunch of 248-pound hogs sold for $6.02½. The last sale of hogs at $6 before that was on Oct. 3, 1903, nearly a year ago.

Cattle.

Monday's opening was 10 to 15 cents higher on good beef and butcher cattle, but the market sagged later, closing about steady with Saturday. Calves lost a quarter. Tuesday cattle were generally steady, except on calves, which lost another quarter, and in some cases more. Wednesday's market was mostly steady, except on calves, which were slow. Thursday the few beef steers in sold steady to strong, fat cows steady, others slow. Friday there was a decline of a dime in medium quality cows.

Summed up, it may be said that steers of all kinds are about steady. Best grades of cows are steady, and common cows 10 lower. Bulls are steady. Calves are 50 to 75 lower. The demand for feeder steers is good.

Hogs.

Monday's hog market opened strong, closing with an advance of a nickel. Tuesday a dime was gained, and Wednesday another nickel was added. This was the highest point of the week, when a sale was made at $6.02½. Thursday there was no advance, but the market was steady. Friday the reaction came, and sales were made at about 5 lower for the best and 10 lower for others. Today there was another loss of 5 to 10 cents. The net result is an advance of about 15 cents on the best since last Saturday's closing. Others are 5 to 10 higher.

Sheep.

Sheep have come in larger supply than for several weeks, the total being 1,632, against 292 last week. The market has been strong for mutton sheep, but others are not desired.

Receipts.

Receipts for the week, compared with last week and the corresponding week last year:

	This wk.	Last wk.	Same wk '03
Cattle	13,265	12,375	10,287
Hogs	6,073	3,577	2,771
Sheep	1,632	292	521
Horses & mules	1,500	474	161

Receipts for the year to date, compared with the same period in 1903:

	1904.	1903.
Cattle	400,882	276,083
Hogs	194,429	99,760
Sheep	89,833	110,005

CATTLE.

Monday.

Receipts 2,122. Steers, top $3.60, bulk $3.20@3.25. Cows, top $2.40, bulk $2.00@2.25. Calves, top $3.50, bulk $2.75@3.25.

With the slim picking at hand buyers came out early and the market had an active tone. Prices were unevenly higher in the early hours today and all grades of good killing steers show an advance of from 10 to 15c, with some traders quoting an occasional sale higher.

After the first spurt of the market, weakness soon ruled the trade, and though only a few common thin grades were left, about all at the early advance was lost, and closing sales ruled no better than steady with last week's close.

The small offerings of good fat cows and heifers met an active demand and prices for such ranged largely 10 to 15c higher. Common and medium grades composed the bulk of supplies and these found an early outlet on a steady basis.

Buying was chiefly by packers. City butchers wanted a few, and though a few out-of-town orders came in, purchasers from this source were of comparatively small volume.

Supplies of calves were lighter than usual for the opening day of the week, and mostly of medium quality. Local packers were weak bidders, and from the start sales were 25c lower, with prospects of a further decline.

Tuesday.

Receipts 4,197. Steers, top $3.60, bulk $2.90@3.25. Cows, top $2.50, bulk $2.00@2.25. Calves, top $2.75, bulk $2.40@2.75.

Steers were in light numbers. Only a few loads of medium to well finished grades arrived. There was a fairly good demand from packers, who absorbed all offerings at an early hour, and though no change was quotable as to prices, some salesmen were quoting sales a shade weaker than yesterday. Top prices today were $2.60 for cattle averaging 1187 pounds, with a few sales around $3.25.

Supplies of butcher stock were light and mostly of common quality canners and mixed loads. There was a good demand from packers and butchers, but they complained of the quality of stuff offered, and there was some difference of opinion as to the market. Some salesmen were calling their sales fully steady and in some cases strong, taking quality into consideration, while others were calling bids a shade lower.

The general trade ruled slow and draggy, and while salesmen found an outlet on the outside for a few on a steady basis, the bulk of offerings went to packers on a 25c lower basis, making a decline for the week of from 50c to 60c.

Wednesday.

Receipts 1,811. Steers, top $3.15. Cows, top $2.45, bulk $2.00@2.25. Calves, top $3.50, bulk $2.60@2.75.

Only a few loads of steers came in and these were common thin to medium grades, with nothing choice on sale.

There was a good inquiry from packers and city butchers, also a few orders from the outside, and the few on sale changed hands early with prices fully steady with yesterday. One load averaging around 950 pounds sold at $3, with the bulk of sales from $2.50@3.00.

The bulk of supplies was composed of cows and heifers, mostly of common to medium quality, with only a few good cows on sale.

There was a good demand from all sources, which the supply was unable to fill, and trading moved along freely on a steady basis. A few heavy fat cows were good enough to bring $2.50, but the bulk went at a range of from $1.75@2.25.

Thursday.

Receipts 1,523. Steers, top $3.25, bulk $2.80@3.25. Cows, top $2.50, bulk $2.00@2.25. Calves, top $3.25, bulk $2.75@3.25.

There has been a small supply of steers coming lately, and in today's small run not many could be found. Offerings were mostly of medium grades, but the demand was strong enough from local packers to absorb all on hand, and selling ruled steady to strong, with the best averaging around 975 pounds and selling at $3.25. The bulk of sales went at a range of from $3.00@3.25.

The supply was not large enough to fill the demand, and all grades of cows and heifers showing decent to good kill sold at strong prices. Canners and cutters were slow to move and no better than steady. A few choice cows were good enough to sell around $3, but the bulk of offerings went at a range of from $1.90@2.25.

Friday.

Receipts 2,412. Steers, top $3.90, bulk $3.15@3.90. Cows, top $2.50, bulk $2.00@2.20. Calves, top $3.50.

Supplies of steers are still coming in light numbers and not enough to supply the demand. Only a few loads of medium grade arrived in the early shipments, but later in the day one drove of good quality well finished steers came in.

There was a good demand from local packers, who absorbed all offerings early in the day, with prices fully steady with yesterday.

Everybody seemed to have cows, and buyers realizing there was enough to go around, bidding was lower.

The general trade ruled slow and draggy, and while a few sales were made on a steady basis, the bulk of offerings sold on a 10c lower basis, the bulk going at a range of from $1.50@2.25.

HOGS.

Monday.

Receipts 693. Top $5.80, bulk $5.50@5.75.

The quality all around was good, but with the exception of two loads, offerings were mostly of light weight.

Packers were anxious for hogs, but as there were hardly enough to go around the bulk of supplies went to one local firm and all selling ruled strong to 5c higher.

Tuesday.

Receipts 1,379. Top $5.90, bulk $5.75@5.80.

Reports from other points came in quoting strong and higher markets, and with the good demand here buyers did not stop at the advance in prices asked, and trading ruled active on a strong to 10c higher basis. Top sales today went at $5.90, averaging around 236 pounds, with the bulk of sales at a range of from $5.75@5.80, and pigs largely at a range of from $4.60@5.25.

Wednesday.

Receipts 1,185. Top $6.02½, bulk $5.85@5.95.

Hogs continue to show improvement in quality. Today's offerings were of fairly good weight, and while loads were mixed and considerable sorting had to done, there was a strong demand from packers, and salesmen gained another advance of 10c from the early trade yesterday, or 5 higher than yesterday's close.

Thursday.

Receipts 1,203. Top $6.00, bulk $5.85@5.95.

The quality of today's supply was good but hardly as good as the late arrivals yesterday.

There was a good demand and packers took the supply at prices fully steady with the close yesterday. Several loads averaging from 196 to 208 pounds sold at $6, with the bulk of sales at a range of from $5.90@5.95.

Friday.

Receipts 1,112. Top $6.00.

Packers wanted the supply but claimed they were going to buy them lower, and a slow dull trade ruled throughout the forenoon. Finally salesmen cut loose and the general run of sales ruled 5 to 10c lower than yesterday, with the best selling at $6.00, averaging around — lbs., and with the bulk of sales at a range of from $5.75@5.90.

SHEEP.

Tuesday.

Supplies of sheep amounted to about 300 head. The quality was only medium but there was a good demand from packers for all grades of good killing sheep and lambs, and selling ruled strong.

Clipped lambs averaging 59 pounds sold at $4.25, with 74-pound clipped wethers at $3.25.

Thursday.

Receipts of sheep were close around 600 head, the quality of which was only medium. Buyers wanted good fat muttons, but there was only a limited demand for the kind offered, and the few selling went over the scales on a steady basis. At a late hour over half of the supply was still in the pens. About 274 mixed clipped sheep averaging around 76 pounds sold at $3.25.

TEN THOUSAND DOLLAR GUESS.

Here's a Chance for Easy Money on a Small Investment.

The Reporter calls attention to the guess contest it is now carying on. The man who guesses closest to the number of votes cast at the election next November will get Ten Thousand Dollars in cash. There are other rewards for second, third, fourth, and other guesses, aggregating $15,000, making a total of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars. The money to pay these prizes is deposited in the Central Savings Bank of Detroit, Mich.

Every subscriber to the Daily Live Stock Reporter gets a chance to take part in this contest. For one month's subscription and 50 cents he is entitled to two guesses; for two months' subscription and $1, four guesses; and so on—two guesses for every 50 cents.

The paper is worth the 50 cents a month. The guesses cost you nothing—and if you guess right you have a neat little fortune. Your guess is as good as any other man's.

Read the advertisement on the 4th page of this paper for further particulars.

THE FINANCIAL WORLD.

Summary of the Week's Bank Statement from New York.

Special to The Reporter.

New York, Sept. 24.—Following is a summary of the bank statement for the week:

Reserve on all deposits, dec.	$ 3,102,125
Reserve on all deposits other than United States, dec.	5,054,700
Legal tender, decrease	578,300
Deposits, decrease	10,123,500
Circulation, increase	611,900

TEXAS YEARLINGS SELL WELL.

Baby Beef Bred Around Quanah, Tex., Fetches Good Prices.

Chicago Live Stock World: Edgar county, Illinois, was well represented here today by a shipment of eight cars of Hereford yearling steers that were bred in Texas and feed in Illinois. Joe Collins & Son, of Paris, sold 112 of them to L. Pfaelzer & Sons and Armour at 86. They averaged 852 pounds. Ed Davis, of the same town, sold Armour & Co. 38 that averaged 971 pounds at 86.95. These cattle were all bought in the neighborhood of Quanah, Tex., last December and have been fed on cotton seed meal and shelled corn.

JUDICIAL INEXPERIENCE.

Philadelphia Ledger: Last week a strapping negro woman was up before a magistrate, charged with mercilessly beating her boy.

"I don't understand how you can have the heart to treat your own child so cruelly," said the magistrate.

"Jedge, has you been a parent of a wuffless yaller boy like dat ar cub of mine?"

"Never—no, never!" (with great vehemence, and getting red in the face).

"Den don't talk; you don't know nuffin about it."

ABOUT THE STOCK YARDS TODAY.

Marion Sansom bought 267 stocker sheep at $1.25 per head.

Allen & Leightly from Eskota, sold 18 cows of 720 pounds at $1.85.

J. N. Stevens, Osceola, I. T., sold 70 hogs of 243 pounds at $5.90.

A. Easley, from Brown county, sold 81 calves of 271 pounds average at $2.10.

A. J. Trawick sold 19 cows from Wilbarger county, average 819 pounds, at $1.80.

The First National Bank of Cushing, O. T., sold 99 hogs of 197 pounds at $5.87½.

T. M. Brown had in from Cushing, O. T., 70 hogs of 236 pounds average that sold at $5.90.

Q. W. Yates sent in 13 steers from Wilbarger county of 724 pounds average that brought $2.15.

H. M. Anderson shipped in from Young county 18 cows of 794 pounds average that sold at $2.05.

Tipton & Brown had 57 head of 1088-pound steers in from Wise county, that sold at $3.60, and 5 of 1010 pounds at $3.

Capt. Lytle, secretary of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association, has wired a message of sympathy to the wife of the late Charles F. Martin, secretary of the National Live Stock Raisers' association, who died last Thursday.

SUM OF WEEK'S SALES

ABOUT $150,000 WORTH OF HORSES AND MULES SOLD.

Impossible to Get Exact Figures Because of Unreported Private Sales. Satisfactory to All.

The auction sale closed yesterday afternoon, after five days of most successful selling. It was the intention of the management to continue the sale through the entire week, but the last two days buying was so heavy that in some lines all the stock was taken, leaving an incomplete supply. Yesterday afternoon sales on the block were 104 head. There was a total selling for the afternoon of $6,681, an average of $64.24 per head. The stock represented every kind of horse, from a small saddle pony to large draft and fancy drivers, single and in pairs. Only domestic stock was sold.

The auction brought out a big business, and this has been a banner week in the horse and mule sale since the opening of business at this market. The week's selling has not yet ended, as there are many trades to be closed up. Exact figures cannot be given of the total amount of business done. A great many private sales were made that were not given out, as both buyer and seller were averse to publicity. The auction selling averaged about 250 head per day, possibly more, and the sales at the block were probably 1,750 to 1,500. More than that number were sold privately. About 3,500 were in for sale, and the supply has been pretty well cleaned up.

The quality of the offerings was good. Buyers who had not been on this market before, and who looked upon all Texas horses as cow ponies, were surprised to find fine drivers, saddlers and draft horses in the majority. Many of the horses that went at $150 or better were worth every cent of what they brought. But there was nearly every kind of horse on sale—cow ponies, broke and unbroke, children's saddle ponies, at $19 to $20, up to stylish drivers. An estimate, roughly made by a horse dealer, put the total amount of selling for the week at about $150,000. The average prices of mules were of course higher than those of horses. Some jacks sold at prices ranging from $175 to $350.

The sale was a success. We have failed to find, after mixing daily with both the sellers and the buyers, a single complaint.

It is considered that prices were good, on the whole, and that the horse and mule prices will not recede, but are expected to advance considerably during the next twelve months.

The Fort Worth Horse and Mule Co. announces that there will be two more big auction sales next month, one on the 17th and one on the 27th, and these monthly auction sales will be run through the season regularly hereafter.

SMALL SHIPPERS WIN.

Railroad Commission Makes Change in Free Pass Rules.

The work of the Fort Worth Live Stock Exchange in favor of passes for small shippers has won a victory. The State Railroad Commission rules that railroads in Texas must give shippers to Fort Worth the same favors that are given to shippers to outside markets. The order of the commission is in the following form:

"Pass one man in charge of one car of live stock, except horses and mules; no return pass. Pass one man each way in charge of one car of horses and mules.

"Pass one man each way in charge of two to five cars of live stock, all kinds.

"Pass two men each way in charge of six to ten cars of live stock, all kinds.

"Pass three men each way in charge of eleven or more cars of live stock, all kinds, which will be the maximum number of men that will be passed with any shipment of live stock from one shipper in the same train."

The new rule is effective Oct. 13.

Struggle for Passes in Missouri.

Live stock shippers are struggling for pass privileges in Missouri. We find this news item in a Missouri newspaper:

"The Missouri board of railroad commissioners decided yesterday in favor of J. A. Harmon of Browning, Mo., against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway company for return passage required by the railroad from complainant, who had shipped one carload of hogs from Browning to Kansas City. The complaint was in four separate charges and the total is $10.95 for fares, which the board orders refunded, and the board also orders the cost of the hearing at Brookfield, which amounted to $8, refunded. The board finds the defendant guilty of violating section 1,085, R. S., 1899. The case will be carried to the Missouri supreme court."

WEDDING INVITATION.

Miss Nettie, Daughter of Philip H. Hale, to be Married Soon.

The following invitations have been received in this city:

"Mr. and Mrs. Philip Henry Hale invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Nettie Lumpkin, to Mr. Frank Chambless Rand; Wednesday evening the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and four, at eight o'clock. St. Marks Episcopal church, Saint Louis."

Miss Nettie Hale is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Hale, who lived in Fort Worth in the 80's. Mr. Hale was the editor of the Texas Live Stock Journal. He is well known to the old-time stockmen in Texas, all of whom join in the wish that his winsome and graceful daughter may have a happy married life.

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SPORTING NOTES.

Schlei is the fastest catcher in the matter of fielding bunts that the Cincinnati club ever has had.

When it comes to first basemen, McGann of the New York Nationals leaves all others in the rear.

The last year's stake winner, Totara II, 2:17½, by Bingen, 2:06¼, bids fair to take a low record this season. She has already trotted a workout mile in 2:15 and a half at a considerably faster clip.

Gus Macey has got the "little red horse," Country Jay, 2:10½, going right again, and recently stepped him a half in 1:02½. If the chestnut gelding stays up on his "pins" he will be a hard horse to beat.

What will be the future of the boxing game in Chicago is an enigma. Mayor Carter Harrison's edict forbidding bouts of all descriptions in his bailiwick has been strictly observed and all the clubs are closed.

Thornway, by Steinway, the pacer which the late Orrin Hickok brought east a couple of years ago, was uncovered by Vance Nuckols in the 2:25 pace at Saugus recently and won in straight heats, taking a record of 2:12¾.

After being punched, cuffed, beaten, bruised and hammered enough to earn the title of "human punching bag," Joe Grim, the Italian pugilist whom Jeffries refused to kill, gives every indication of becoming a fighter after all.

CHURCH AND CLERGY.

Fifteen new societies have been added to the Church of England union in the past year, making the total number sixty-two.

The Rev. William Lawton Brown, the oldest living graduate of Brown university, has turned his ninetieth year. He is a resident of Wrentham, Mass., where he lives with a daughter in a cozy home.

It is proposed to adopt the old St. John's Episcopal church at Richmond, Va., to modern uses, and there is an outcry against it, very naturally, since it is more than 200 years since the church was built, being one of ten or twelve Episcopal edifices of colonial date which still defy the ravages of time.

The Rev. Dr. C. A. Bjork, who has been re-elected president of the Swedish mission convent of America, is a noted churchman and missionary worker. He organized the convent in 1885 with a few hundred members, and now it has 20,000 members and 180 churches, with missions in Alaska and China.

PEN AND BRUSH.

Ernest Thompson Seton is a prominent member of a society for the preservation of Indian folk songs.

Sir Gilbert Parker, the eminent novelist, has been a clergyman, professor in a deaf and dumb institute, deacon, editor and playwright.

George Kelly, an English artist, aged twenty-five, has captured Paris, and the French government has ordered one of his paintings for the Luxembourg.

Ten dollars was the first fee Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney and Mrs. Margaret Deland received from their writings, coming in each instance without the slightest struggle on the author's part.

The admirers of the Parisian painter Degas recently celebrated his seventieth birthday. His works claim special attention at present because their individuality is largely due to the influence of Japanese art which they betray.

OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

By order of the ameer of Afghanistan some astrologers who prophesied a destructive pestilence in the country have been imprisoned and will be tortured to death if their prediction be falsified.

A Birmingham (England) insurance office recently received a claim for compensation from a woman for the loss of a joint of meat which was burned in the oven. She informed them that the loss was due to fire.

Mrs. Spencer Pillsbury of Mount Holly, Vt., has just received word of the finding of a ring on the battlefield at Spottsylvania, Pa., which is marked with the name of her first husband, Corporal David A. Patch, Company B, Second Vermont volunteers, who was killed in that battle.

In a Parlor Car

By M. LOUISE CUMMINS

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"Goodby."

"Goodby."

"Win the polo match."

"Sure."

Hallett raised himself lazily in his chair as the above conversation struck his ears and, turning slowly, looked across the aisle of the parlor car.

At the open window opposite a girl was bending forward. The knot of dark hair under her wide hat and the graceful shoulders in their silk shirt waist suit were sufficiently attractive to make him rise farther to see whom she thus urged to victory.

Scarcely had he done so than he sprang across the moving car and waved his hand frantically to the young man who stood, hat in hand, seeing the girl off.

"Why, hello, Hall!" the latter shouted surprisedly. Then he ran beside the train.

"Grace, allow me to introduce my chum, Hallett—there behind you. Hallett—Miss Kennard."

The two people thus hastily thrust into acquaintanceship looked at each other for a moment in rather a constrained silence. Then the girl laughed.

"Why, you must be 'the' Mr. Hallett," she said frankly.

"Why that distinguishing 'the?'"

"Oh, hasn't any man who was once stroke of the Harvard eight a claim to distinction?"

"But that was in the remote past, quite three years ago. I presume I am talking to 'the' Miss Kennard?"

The girl looked at him sharply.

"Jack wrote me of his engagement two weeks ago," he explained. "It is beginning to dawn upon me that my letter of congratulation was tame."

Her glance drooped. A demure smile lifted the corners of her lip. It might mean assent or denial. Hallett glanced in quick uncertainty at her left hand, but it was covered by a tan colored traveling glove. Underneath, he supposed, blazed her engagement diamond.

"I think," she said, looking up and surprising his inspection of her, "that my stay in New York is to be with a friend of yours as well as mine—Miss Glerhart."

"Oh, Dorothy; yes, indeed," he said heartily.

"We nearly fell out for life when Yale won, she was so anxious you should come off victorious."

"And you were not?"

"Well, you see, I did not know you then."

She gave him a shy glance.

"I wonder if she is a flirt." Hallett speculated and almost felt sorry for his friend in spite of the girl's unusual beauty. Presently he rose.

"I am afraid I shall have to leave you for a moment," he apologized. "My fox terrier Clip is in the baggage car, and I have to let him have a sniff at me once in awhile to keep him from tearing things to pieces generally."

"Oh, let me go too!" The girl jumped up. "I love fox terriers."

Hallett's brow drew together slightly. He had his own ideas about girls, and this rather too free young woman did not quite fit in with them. Nevertheless he helped her through the swaying train.

She went into ecstasies over Clip, stroking his velvet brown head while he frantically licked his master's hand.

"I think his collar is much too tight," she said authoritatively.

Hallett smiled.

"I took it in a notch on purpose to prevent his pulling his head through," he replied quietly.

She looked the dog over with the eye of a connoisseur, and Hallett watched her narrowly. By the time they left the baggage car he had about concluded that Miss Kennard belonged to that objectionable class of young woman who could tell the good points of a horse or dog, but was decidedly lacking in the more tender and womanly qualities.

In their zigzag way through the day coach she paused suddenly. The car was crowded almost to the point of suffocation. In one seat a fragile looking woman with a boy of four on her lap sat wedged close to the window by a stout man with a handkerchief tucked round his collar, who fanned himself vigorously with a large hat.

"That woman will faint if she remains here," Grace Kennard said decidedly. "She is almost gone now."

"What can we do?" Hallett asked, with a hopeless look around them at the crowded seats.

"I will give her my place in the parlor car."

"You?" His surprise was hardly complimentary.

"Yes, I, Mr. Hallett." Her eyes challenged his for an instant. "If you will help the mother I will take the child," she added coldly.

"Then I insist on your having my chair," he temporized.

"And I will take it—for the boy! Don't you see that he is too heavy for that delicate woman to hold? Oh, what does it matter about me?" she went on impatiently. "I am strong. Let me get them out of this while the mother is able to walk."

While the woman lay gasping her relief in a comfortable armchair and purer air Grace Kennard retired to the narrow seat at the rear of the car usually used by the conductor when sorting his tickets. Hallett went off to arrange things with that worthy, and, returning successful, stood beside her.

"Do you know, I think I owe you an apology?" he said slowly.

Her eyebrows and shoulders raised themselves imperceptibly, as though the subject was not worth pursuing.

"Perhaps you could find a seat in the smoking car," she suggested coldly.

"Does that mean that I am dismissed?"

"No."

He watched the softly flushed face. How tender, how beautiful it had looked as the older and weaker woman leaned upon Miss Kennard's young strength. Hallett looked away from her quickly. Was he forgetting his friend, he who had always prided himself upon being the soul of honor?

Again his glance traveled to her hands.

"Do you always wear gloves when traveling?" he said abruptly.

"What a question!"

"But do you?"

"Of course. Every well bred woman does."

"Would you think it very impertinent if I asked you to remove them?"

"Mr. Hallett," she said hurriedly, "will you kindly bring me my traveling bag? I want to get some violet water for that poor woman. I'm sure her head aches."

With a baffled sigh he started to obey. As he returned she slowly and deliberately withdrew her gloves.

Hallett watched the white, ringless hands like one fascinated, while she fumbled among the dainty contents of the bag.

"I thought"— he stammered. "Surely"—

"Please take this to our friend." She held out a filigree silver bottle.

He took both hand and ornament in a steady clasp.

"Not until you tell me," he said firmly.

"Mr. Hallett!" But something else struggled with the displeasure in her eyes.

"Please tell me!"

"Well, if you must know, I am not the Miss Kennard. Jack in the hurry of his introduction failed to make that clear. It is my older sister, Margaret, to whom he is engaged."

"Whew! Then I may"— Hallett wanted to fling his hat to the roof of the car.

"You do not deserve to be told," she pouted resentfully. "During the first half hour of our acquaintance your opinion of me was anything but flattering."

He bent over her, turning suddenly grave.

"Some day I hope to know you well enough to tell you my opinion," he said earnestly.

She rose hurriedly, for the train was pulling into the Grand Central.

"Goodby," she said, holding out her hand. "Dorothy will be here to meet me."

"Then I shall see you safely into her keeping, and"—he still held the ringless hand in his—"I shall begin tonight to pay my large debt of calls to Dorothy. Will you forgive my saying that life for me has only begun today?"

Pure Air.

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Pineapple Juice.

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Citation by Publication.—No. 24531.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District Court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and S. H. Richardson, B. M. Rose and Jack Adams, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said District Court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the second amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 5th day of December, 1903, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $6.31, county taxes amounting to $11.89, fees allowed by law amounting to $27, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent. of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent. interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lots 24, 25 and 26, Cummings' addition to city of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant county, Texas. (L.S.) By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication.—No. 24991.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District Court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and L. M. Howard, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having, or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said District Court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 5th day of December, 1903, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $13.58, county taxes amounting to $21.84, fees allowed by law amounting to $9, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent. of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent. interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lots 41 and 42 block 4, Park addition to city of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant county, Texas. (L.S.) By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 24481.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the district court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and S. C. Gardner and S. E. Gardner, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular therm thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the second amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 28th day of July, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and County of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $2.27, county taxes amounting to $4.30,, fees allowed by law amounting to $9.00, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lot 4, block 22, Chambers addition to the City of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 27141.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 16th day of September, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $0.44, county taxes amounting to $1.19, fees allowed by law amounting to $13.50, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Block 36, town of Kennedale, in Tarrant county, Texas, for years 1898 to 1903 inclusive. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 16th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 22047.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and Chas. Adams and John Adams, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the petition of the state of Texas, filed in said court on the 20th day of May, 1902, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and County of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $2.39, county taxes amounting to $4.31, fees allowed by law amounting to $4.50, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lot 21, block 30, original town of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 24695, the State of Texas vs. W. H. Key and Ozella B. Key, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Lots 2 to 7 and 9, Granger's 3rd addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 22129, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and Ryley Clark, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: N. 50 feet lot 5, Price's addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 22623, the State of Texas vs. T. Y. Wright, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: 5 acres, L. Moore survey, abstract number 1093, in Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 24705, the State of Texas vs. Frank D. Jones, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendant, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: South ½ lot 3, block 3, Harmon's addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 23525, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and W. B. Stevenson, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: N. ½ lot 3, block 20½, Moodie & Evans addition to Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 24937, the State of Texas vs. Mrs. Attie H. White, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendant, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Lot 6, block 59, Original Town of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 24651, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and C. Anschicio, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Lots 1 and 2, block 16, Glenwood addition to the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 23903, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and J. A. T. D. Brock, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, TTexas vs. Frank D. Jones, I did on the Depot addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 23525, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and W. B. Stevenson, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: N. ½ lot 3, block 20½, Moodie & Evans addition to Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 24705, the State of Texas vs. Frank D. Jones, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendant, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: South ½ lot 3, block 3, Harmon's addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 23903, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and J. A. T. D. Brock, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, TTexas vs. Frank D. Jones, I did on the Depot addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

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Rock Island System.

	Arrive.
Omaha and Mo. River	7:15 pm
Kansas City, Chicago, Denver, Col. Springs and Pueblo Fast Ex..	7:10 am
DALLAS LINE.	Arrive East
Mail and Express...	6:35 pm

Texas & Pacific Railway

	Arrive. East
St. Louis Cannon Ball	7:45 pm
St. Louis Mail & Ex	4:45 pm
....Dallas Local....	5:15 am
Dallas & Wea'fd Local	3:25 pm
....Dallas Local....	6:10 pm
..Wills Point Local..	11:00 am
St. Louis Mail & Ex.	9: am
Main Line West.	Arrive. West
Colorado Mail & Ex..	7:00 am
Weatherford Local..	9:45 am
..El Paso Express..	6:00 pm
ontinental Division via Sherman	Arrive.
Texark. & St. Louis.	4:35 pm

FRISCO SYSTEM.

d River, Texas & Southern Ry.

K.C.&St. L. Mail&Ex.	2:55 pm

Ft. W. & R. G. Ry.

Brownwood M. & Ex.	10:55 am
..... Mixed	6:00 am

Worth & Denver City Railway.

	Arrive.
Denver, Colo. Springs and Pueblo Mail & Ex	5:10 pm
... Amarillo Ex ...	7:25 am

Missouri, Kansas & Texas.

	Arrive. North
... "Katy Flyer" ...	7:45 pm
..Mail and Express..	7:45 am
..Mail and Express..	4:15 pm
....Fair Special....	8:35 am
	Arrive. South
Hou. & Gal. &San Antonio, "Katy Flyer"	8:10 am
.Houston Mail & Ex.	10:55 am
.Houston Mail & Ex.	8:15 pm
....Fair Special....	7:20 pm

Cotton Belt Route.

	Arrive.
..Mail and Express..	5:30 pm
..Mail and Express..	5:30 pm
..Mail and Express..	6:50 am

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	Arrive.
Houston & San An. Ex	9:10 pm
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Colorado & Santa Fe Ry

	Arrive. North
K.C.&Chi. Mail & Ex.	9:00 am
K.C. & Chi. Fast Ex..	7:40 am
	Arrive. South
Hou. & Gal. M. & Ex.	8:20 pm
Hou. & San Antonio Gal. Mail & Ex.....	7:55 am

ton & Texas Central Railroad.

Hou. & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:23 pm
Hou. & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:05 am
....Easis Mixed....	11:10 am

Citation by Publication—No. 24477.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and J. W. Hatchell, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 28th day of July, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $0.28, county taxes amounting to $0.46, fees allowed by law amounting to $6.75, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lot 5, block 18, Chambers' addition to the City of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 24593.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and Fort Worth and Windsor Land and Improvement Co., whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 15th day of September, 1904, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $117.87, county taxes amounting to $269.31, fees allowed by law amounting to $24.75, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: One hundred and twenty acres of the J. P. Montgomery survey, for the year 1893, and 80 acres of said survey for years 1894 to 1903, inclusive tracts No. 2 and 4, abstract No. 1030. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 15th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 27119.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 15th day of September, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $2.81, county taxes amounting to $8.79, fees allowed by law amounting to $38.25, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: One hundred and twenty acres of the J. P. Montgomery survey, for the year 1893, and 80 acres of said survey for years 1894 to 1903, inclusive tracts No. 2 and 4, abstract No. 1030. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 15th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 27437.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and M. Palmer, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 15th day of September, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $2.75, county taxes amounting to $6.57, fees allowed by law amounting to $18.00, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Fifteen acres S. K. Elliott survey, part of tract 3, abstract No. 460, said property being delinquent for the years 1896 to 1903 inclusive. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 15th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

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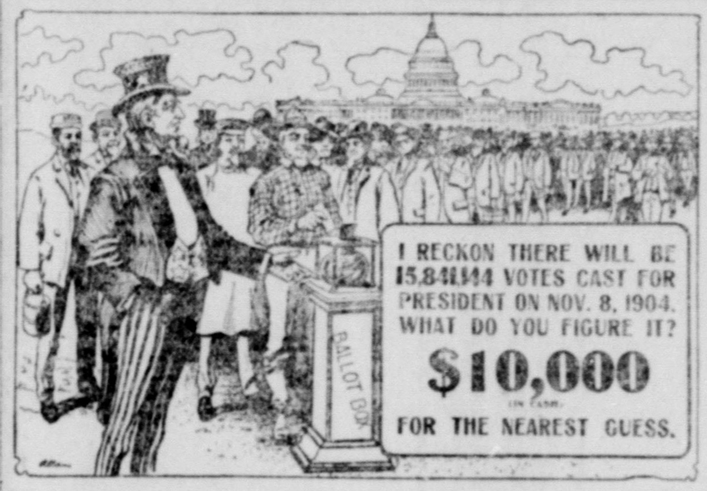
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SPORTING NOTES.

Schlei is the fastest catcher in the matter of fielding bunts that the Cincinnati club ever has had.

When it comes to first basemen, McGann of the New York Nationals leaves all others in the rear.

The last year's stake winner, Totaris II., 2:17¼, by Bingen, 2:09¾, bids fair to take a low record this season. She has already trotted a workout mile in 2:15 and a half at a considerably faster clip.

Gus Macey has got the "little red horse," Country Jay, 2:10½, going right again, and recently stepped him a half in 1:02½. If the chestnut gelding stays up on his "pins" he will be a hard horse to beat.

What will be the future of the boxing game in Chicago is an enigma. Mayor Carter Harrison's edict forbidding bouts of all descriptions in his bailiwick has been strictly observed and all the clubs are closed.

Thornway, by Steinway, the pacer which the late Orrin Hickok brought east a couple of years ago, was uncovered by Vance Nuckols in the 2:25 pace at Saugus recently and won in straight heats, taking a record of 2:12¼.

After being punched, cuffed, beaten, bruised and hammered enough to earn the title of "human punching bag," Joe Grim, the Italian pugilist whom Jeffries refused to kill, gives every indication of becoming a fighter after all.

CHURCH AND CLERGY.

Fifteen new societies have been added to the Church of England union in the past year, making the total number sixty-two.

The Rev. William Lawton Brown, the oldest living graduate of Brown university, has turned his ninetieth year. He is a resident of Wrentham, Mass., where he lives with a daughter in a cosy home.

It is proposed to adopt the old St. John's Episcopal church at Richmond, Va., to modern uses, and there is an outcry against it, very naturally, since it is more than 200 years since the church was built, being one of ten or twelve Episcopal edifices of colonial date which still defy the ravages of time.

The Rev. Dr. C. A. Bjork, who has been re-elected president of the Swedish mission convent of America, is a noted churchman and missionary worker. He organized the convent in 1885 with a few hundred members, and now it has 20,000 members and 180 churches, with missions in Alaska and China.

PEN AND BRUSH.

Ernest Thompson Seton is a prominent member of a society for the preservation of Indian folk songs.

Sir Gilbert Parker, the eminent novelist, has been a clergyman, professor in a deaf and dumb institute, deacon, editor and playwright.

George Kelly, an English artist, aged twenty-five, has captured Paris, and the French government has ordered one of his paintings for the Luxembourg.

Ten dollars was the first fee Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney and Mrs. Margaret Deland received from their writings, coming in each instance without the slightest struggle on the author's part.

The admirers of the Parisian painter Degas recently celebrated his seventieth birthday. His works claim special attention at present because their individuality is largely due to the influence of Japanese art which they betray.

OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

By order of the ameer of Afghanistan some astrologers who prophesied a destructive pestilence in the country have been imprisoned and will be tortured to death if their prediction be falsified.

A Birmingham (England) insurance office recently received a claim for compensation from a woman for the loss of a joint of meat which was burned in the oven. She informed them that the loss was due to fire.

Mrs. Spencer Pillsbury of Mount Holly, Vt., has just received word of the finding of a ring on the battlefield at Spottsylvania, Pa., which is marked with the name of her first husband, Corporal David A. Patch, Company B, Second Vermont volunteers, who was killed in that battle.

In a Parlor Car

By M. LOUISE CUMMINS

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"Goodby."

"Goodby."

"Win the polo match."

"Sure."

Hallett raised himself lazily in his chair as the above conversation struck his ears and, turning slowly, looked across the aisle of the parlor car.

At the open window opposite a girl was bending forward. The knot of dark hair under her wide hat and the graceful shoulders in their silk shirt waist suit were sufficiently attractive to make him rise farther to see whom she thus urged to victory.

Scarcely had he done so than he sprang across the moving car and waved his hand frantically to the young man who stood, hat in hand, seeing the girl off.

"Why, hello, Hall!" the latter shouted surprisedly. Then he ran beside the train.

"Grace, allow me to introduce my chum, Hallett—there behind you. Hallett—Miss Kennard."

The two people thus hastily thrust into acquaintanceship looked at each other for a moment in rather a constrained silence. Then the girl laughed.

"Why, you must be 'the' Mr. Hallett," she said frankly.

"Why that distinguishing 'the?'"

"Oh, hasn't any man who was once stroke of the Harvard eight a claim to distinction?"

"But that was in the remote past, quite three years ago. I presume I am talking to 'the' Miss Kennard?"

The girl looked at him sharply.

"Jack wrote me of his engagement two weeks ago," he explained. "It is beginning to dawn upon me that my letter of congratulation was tame."

Her glance drooped. A demure smile lifted the corners of her lip. It might mean assent or denial. Hallett glanced in quick uncertainty at her left hand, but it was covered by a tan colored traveling glove. Underneath, he supposed, blazed her engagement diamond.

"I think," she said, looking up and surprising his inspection of her, "that my stay in New York is to be with a friend of yours as well as mine—Miss Gierhart."

"Oh, Dorothy; yes, indeed," he said heartily.

"We nearly fell out for life when Yale won, she was so anxious you should come off victorious."

"And you were not?"

"Well, you see, I did not know you then."

She gave him a shy glance.

"I wonder if she is a flirt." Hallett speculated and almost felt sorry for his friend in spite of the girl's unusual beauty. Presently he rose.

"I am afraid I shall have to leave you for a moment," he apologized. "My fox terrier Clip is in the baggage car, and I have to let him have a sniff at me once in awhile to keep him from tearing things to pieces generally."

"Oh, let me go too!" The girl jumped up. "I love fox terriers."

Hallett's brow drew together slightly. He had his own ideas about girls, and this rather too free young woman did not quite fit in with them. Nevertheless he helped her through the swaying train.

She went into ecstasies over Clip, stroking his velvet brown head while he frantically licked his master's hand.

"I think his collar is much too tight," she said authoritatively.

Hallett smiled.

"I took it in a notch on purpose to prevent his pulling his head through," he replied quietly.

She looked the dog over with the eye of a connoisseur, and Hallett watched her narrowly. By the time they left the baggage car he had about concluded that Miss Kennard belonged to that objectionable class of young woman who could tell the good points of a horse or dog, but was decidedly lacking in the more tender and womanly qualities.

In their zigzag way through the day coach she paused suddenly. The car was crowded almost to the point of suffocation. In one seat a fragile looking woman with a boy of four on her lap sat wedged close to the window by a stout man with a handkerchief tucked round his collar, who fanned himself vigorously with a large hat.

"That woman will faint if she remains here," Grace Kennard said decidedly. "She is almost gone now."

"What can we do?" Hallett asked, with a hopeless look around them at the crowded seats.

"I will give her my place in the parlor car."

"You?" His surprise was hardly complimentary.

"Yes, I, Mr. Hallett." Her eyes challenged his for an instant. "If you will help the mother I will take the child," she added coldly.

"Then I insist on your having my chair," he temporized.

"And I will take it—for the boy! Don't you see that he is too heavy for that delicate woman to hold? Oh, what does it matter about me?" she went on impatiently. "I am strong. Let me get them out of this while the mother is able to walk."

While the woman lay gasping her relief in a comfortable armchair and purer air Grace Kennard retired to the narrow seat at the rear of the car usually used by the conductor when sorting his tickets. Hallett went off to arrange things with that worthy, and, returning successful, stood beside her.

"Do you know, I think I owe you an apology?" he said slowly.

Her eyebrows and shoulders raised themselves imperceptibly, as though the subject was not worth pursuing.

"Perhaps you could find a seat in the smoking car," she suggested coldly.

"Does that mean that I am dismissed?"

"No."

He watched the softly flushed face. How tender, how beautiful it had looked as the older and weaker woman leaned upon Miss Kennard's young strength. Hallett looked away from her quickly. Was he forgetting his friend, he who had always prided himself upon being the soul of honor?

Again his glance traveled to her hands.

"Do you always wear gloves when traveling?" he said abruptly.

"What a question!"

"But do you?"

"Of course. Every well bred woman does."

"Would you think it very impertinent if I asked you to remove them?"

"Mr. Hallett," she said hurriedly, "will you kindly bring me my traveling bag? I want to get some violet water for that poor woman. I'm sure her head aches."

With a baffled sigh he started to obey. As he returned she slowly and deliberately withdrew her gloves.

Hallett watched the white, ringless hands like one fascinated, while she fumbled among the dainty contents of the bag.

"I thought"— he stammered. "Surely"—

"Please take this to our friend." She held out a filigree silver bottle.

He took both hand and ornament in a steady clasp.

"Not until you tell me," he said firmly.

"Mr. Hallett!" But something else struggled with the displeasure in her eyes.

"Please tell me!"

"Well, if you must know, I am not the Miss Kennard. Jack in the hurry of his introduction failed to make that clear. It is my older sister, Margaret, to whom he is engaged."

"Whew! Then I may"— Hallett wanted to fling his hat to the roof of the car.

"You do not deserve to be told," she pouted resentfully. "During the first half hour of our acquaintance your opinion of me was anything but flattering."

He bent over her, turning suddenly grave.

"Some day I hope to know you well enough to tell you my opinion," he said earnestly.

She rose hurriedly, for the train was pulling into the Grand Central.

"Goodby," she said, holding out her hand. "Dorothy will be here to meet me."

"Then I shall see you safely into her keeping, and"—he still held the ringless hand in his—"I shall begin tonight to pay my large debt of calls to Dorothy. Will you forgive my saying that life for me has only begun today?"

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The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District Court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and S. H. Richardson, B. M. Rose and Jack Adams, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said District Court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the second amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 5th day of December, 1903, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $6.31, county taxes amounting to $11.89, fees allowed by law amounting to $27, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent. of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent. interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lots 24, 25 and 26, Cummings' addition to city of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant county, Texas. (L.S.) By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication.—No. 24991.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District Court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and L. M. Howard, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having, or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said District Court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 8th day of December, 1903, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $13.58, county taxes amounting to $21.84, fees allowed by law amounting to $9, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent. of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent. interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lots 41 and 42 block 4, Park addition to city of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant county, Texas. (L.S.) By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 24481.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the district court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and S. C. Gardner and S. E. Gardner, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular therm thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the second amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 28th day of July, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and County of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $2.27, county taxes amounting to $4.30,, fees allowed by law amounting to $9.00, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lot 4, block 22, Chambers addition to the City of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 27141.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 16th day of September, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $0.44, county taxes amounting to $1.19, fees allowed by law amounting to $13.50, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Block 36, town of Kennedale, in Tarrant county, Texas, for years 1898 to 1903 inclusive. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 16th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 22047.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and Chas. Adams and John Adams, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the petition of the state of Texas, filed in said court on the 20th day of May, 1902, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and County of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $2.39, county taxes amounting to $4.31, fees allowed by law amounting to $4.50, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lot 21, block 30, original town of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 24695, the State of Texas vs. W. H. Key and Ozella B. Key, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Lots 2 to 7 and 9, Granger's 3rd addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 22129, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and Ryley Clark, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: N. 50 feet lot 5, Price's addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 22623, the State of Texas vs. T. Y. Wright, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: 5 acres, L. Moore survey, abstract number 1093, in Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 24705, the State of Texas vs. Frank D. Jones, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendant, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: South ½ lot 3, block 3, Harmon's addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 23525, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and W. B. Stevenson, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: N. ½ lot 3, block 20½, Moodie & Evans addition to Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 24651, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and C. Anschicio, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Lots 1 and 2, block 16, Glenwood addition to the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 23903, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and J. A. T. D. Brock, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, TTexas vs. Frank D. Jones, I did on the Depot addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said City of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant County, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 23525, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and W. B. Stevenson, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: N. ½ lot 3, block 20½, Moodie & Evans addition to Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in



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State of Texas. Suit pending in trict court Forty-eighth Judicial of Texas. To the sheriff or any le of Tarrant county—Greeting: e hereby commanded to make pubof this citation in some newspaished in said county, for three ive weeks previous to the secday in October, 1904, the return reof, and thereby notify and sume unknown owner, and Mrs. Magd, whose residence is unknown, parties owning, having or claim- interest in the land herein men- to be and appear before the said court of the Forty-eighth Judistrict of Texas, at the next regun thereof, to be held at the court the City of Fort Worth, Tarnty, Texas, on the second Mon- 10th day of October, 1904, then re to answer the first amended petition of the State of Texas, said court on the 5th day of De- 1903, in said above numbered wherein the State of Texas is and the hereinbefore named par- fendants, and in which the plainges that there are now delind unpaid to the State of Texas nty of Tarrant, state taxes ing to $3.81, county taxes ing to $6.98, fees allowed by law ing to $4.50, including a penalty ing to 10 per cent of said taxes year, including and since the year r which the said taxes are de- together with 6 per cent interest said taxes from the first day of next succeeding the years for ny taxes are delinquent, and that unt of said taxes, penalty, interes and all court costs are delinunpaid and due to the plaintiff, t the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lot 20, block 10, Union Depot addition to City of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 24477.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and J. W. Hatchell, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 28th day of July, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $0.28, county taxes amounting to $0.46, fees allowed by law amounting to $6.75, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lot 5, block 18, Chambers' addition to the City of Fort Worth. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 10th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 27437.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and M. Palmer, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 15th day of September, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $2.75, county taxes amounting to $6.57, fees allowed by law amounting to $18.00, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Fifteen acres S. K. Elliott survey, part of tract 3, abstract No. 460, said property being delinquent for the years 1896 to 1903 inclusive. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 15th day of September, 1904. (L. S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 20593.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, and Fort Worth and Windsor Land and Improvement Co., whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 15th day of September, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $117.87, county taxes amounting to $269.31, fees allowed by law amounting to $24.75, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: One hundred and twenty acres of the J. P. Montgomery survey, for the year 1893, and 80 acres of said survey for years 1894 to 1903, inclusive tracts No. 2 and 4, abstract No. 1030. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 15th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

Citation by Publication—No. 27119.

The State of Texas. Suit pending in the District court Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to make publication of this citation in some newspaper published in said county, for three consecutive weeks previous to the second Monday in October, 1904, the return day hereof, and thereby notify and summon the unknown owner, whose residence is unknown, and all parties owning, having or claiming any interest in the land herein mentioned, to be and appear before the said district court of the Forty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, on the second Monday, the 10th day of October, 1904, then and there to answer the first amended original petition of the State of Texas, filed in said court on the 15th day of September, 1904, in said above numbered cause, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named parties defendants, and in which the plaintiff alleges that there are now delinquent and unpaid to the State of Texas and county of Tarrant, state taxes amounting to $8.79, county taxes amounting to $3.81, fees allowed by law amounting to $38.25, including a penalty amounting to 10 per cent of said taxes for the year, including and since the year 1897, for which the said taxes are delinquent, together with 6 per cent interest on said taxes from the first day of January next succeeding the years for which any taxes are delinquent, and that the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs are delinquent, unpaid and due to the plaintiff, and that the amount thereof is a charge against and a lien on the said land in Tarrant county, Texas, described as follows: Lot 8, block 14, town of Handley, Texas, said property being delinquent from 1887 to 1903 inclusive. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of the said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for a foreclosure of the said tax lien against all of said defendants on said land, to satisfy the amount of said taxes, penalty, interest, fees and all court costs, and for all other general legal and equitable relief. Herein fail not, but have then and there before this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon indorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Fort Worth, this the 15th day of September, 1904. (L.S.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

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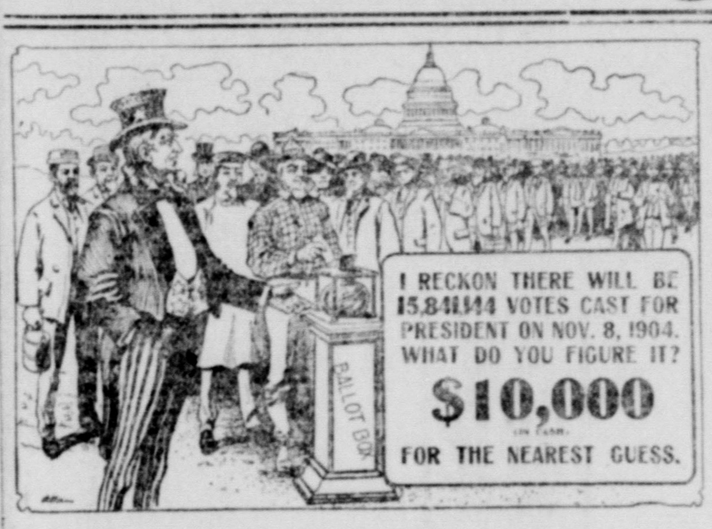
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For the 42 next nearest correct estimates or guesses, $15 each	630
For the 100 next nearest correct estimates or guesses, $10 each	1,000
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For the nearest correct guess received on or after July 1st and before July 15th	500
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For the nearest correct guess received on or after August 15th and before September 1st	500
For the nearest correct guess received on or after Sept. 1st and before Sept 15th	500
For the nearest correct guess received on or after Sept. 15th and before Oct. 1st	500
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1864, was	4,024,792	
1868, was	5,724,686	increase of 42.23 per cent.
1872, was	6,466,165	increase of 12.94 per cent.
1876, was	8,412,733	increase of 30.10 per cent.
1880, was	9,209,406	increase of 9.47 per cent.
1884, was	10,044,985	increase of 9.07 per cent.
1888, was	11,380,860	increase of 13.30 per cent.
1892, was	12,059,351	increase of 5.96 per cent.
1896, was	13,923,102	increase of 15.45 per cent.
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e trains at T. & P. Passenger Station of Main street:

Rock Island System.

	Arrive.
m Omaha and Mo. River	7:15 pm
m Kansas City, Chicago, Denver, Col. Springs and Pueblo Fast Ex..	7:10 am
DALLAS LINE.	Arrive East
m Mail and Express...	8:35 pm

Texas & Pacific Railway

	Arrive. East
m St. Louis Cannon Ball	7:45 pm
m St. Louis Mail & Ex	4:45 pm
m ....Dallas Local....	5:15 am
m Dallas & Wea'fd Local	3:25 pm
m ....Dallas Local....	6:10 pm
m ..Wills Point Local..	11:00 am
m St. Louis Mail & Ex.	9: am
Main Line West.	Arrive. West
m Colorado Mail & Ex..	7:00 am
m Weatherford Local..	9:45 am
m ..El Paso Express..	6:00 pm

ntinental Division via Sherman

	Arrive.
m Texark. & St. Louis.	4:35 pm

FRISCO SYSTEM.

d River, Texas & Southern Ry.

m K.C.&St. L. Mail&Ex.	2:55 pm

Ft. W. & R. G. Ry.

m Brownwood M. & Ex.	10:55 am
m ..... Mixed	6:00 am

Worth & Denver City Railway.

	Arrive.
Denver, Colo. Springs and Pueblo Mail & Ex	5:10 pm
m ... Amarillo Ex ...	7:25 am

Missouri, Kansas & Texas.

	Arrive. North
m ... "Katy Flyer" ...	7:45 pm
m ..Mail and Express..	7:45 am
m ..Mail and Express..	4:15 pm
m ....Fair Special....	8:35 am
	Arrive. South
m Hou. & Gal. & San Antonio, "Katy Flyer"	8:10 am
m .Houston Mail & Ex.	10:55 am
m .Houston Mail & Ex.	8:15 pm
m ....Fair Special....	7:20 pm

Cotton Belt Route.

	Arrive.
m ..Mail and Express..	5:30 pm
m ..Mail and Express..	5:30 pm
m ..Mail and Express..	6:50 am

ntional & Great Northern Ry.

	Arrive.
m Houston & San An. Ex	9:10 pm
m Austin " " "	11:35 pm

e trains at Santa Fe Station, Cor. nd Jones:

Colorado & Santa Fe Ry

	Arrive. North
m K.C.&Chi. Mail & Ex.	9:00 am
m K.C. & Chi. Fast Ex..	7:40 am
	Arrive. South
m Hou. & Gal. M. & Ex.	8:20 pm
m Hou. & San Antonio Gal. Mail & Ex.....	7:55 am

ston & Texas Central Railroad.

m Hou. & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:23 pm
m Hou. & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:05 am
m ....Ennis Mixed....	11:10 am