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FRUIT CROP KILLED BY FREEZING NIGHT

Loss Declared to Be Almost Total Here

SMALL HOPE LEFT

Fear Pears Are Utterly Ruined and Peaches Partly—Berries Uninjured

The cold wave of Monday night has practically ruined the fruit crop of this vicinity, according to reports received this morning. All the fruit that had blossomed was killed.

The official temperature at the weather bureau was 26 degrees, which would make about 23 degrees on the ground. At the Riverside nurseries the thermometer this morning showed a minimum of 19 degrees on the ground level, which is sufficient to kill all fruit.

Reports received Tuesday morning indicate that all of the pear crop, with a few possible exceptions, was killed, as was nearly all of the peach crop and some of the plums. The pears have all been in blossome for some time, and there were but a few tardy buds that had not blossomed. These may still bear fruit.

In the case of the peaches there were more unopened buds, while a large number of plums had failed to open, thus saving part of that crop, unless there is another heavy frost.

Ice Formed in Buds

Reports from the nurseries indicate that when buds from several of the trees were picked and opened ice was found in the middle, insuring a total loss.

The grape and blackberry crops are reported to be damaged but little, as the buds had not opened yet.

It is impossible to estimate the amount of damage in the county, but it is certain that it will be large, as the crops which have been ruined are all large crops around here, and there are but few tardy buds.

Truck Injured

Small garden truck was damaged to some extent also, but this loss is not so severely felt, as it is still possible to replant seed and get returns.

This past week has been an anxious one to the fruit grower, as the series of cold nights, culminating with the killing frost of Monday night, have kept them working in order to save the crops. This is a process coming from California, and consists in burning small fires and causing smoke, which prevents the frost from settling and killing the crops.

The temperature, however, went too low Monday night, and this method where used was found to have proved unsuccessful.

$1,000,000 LOSS

Reports from South Texas Indicate Fruit Crop Partially Ruined

Special to The Telegram.

HOUSTON, Texas, March 20.—Reports from the fruit and truck growers this morning indicate a divergence, of opinion regarding damage from last night's freeze.

Some say the crops are totally ruined and that it is not possible to even approximate the losses. Others report a dry freeze and that the damage will be comparatively slight. Some others declare that there will be no crop at all. Temperatures from eighteen to twenty degrees were reported to the various fruit and trucking points with considerable ice. A light frost extended almost entirely along the coast line, but the wind is said to have prevented heavier damage. It is generally admitted that the crops in some localities are totally ruined, while considerable damage has been done over the entire belt. This would approximate losses of $1,000,000.

Special to The Telegram.

TYLER, Texas, March 20.—The hard freeze here last night, temperature going as low as 22 degrees, causes the prevailing opinion that peaches, apples, pears, plums and strawberries are badly damage, but as to the exact extent of the injury there is a diversity of opinion. Some think the crop is almost totally killed, others say fifty per cent is a conservative estimate. All agree they can better judge of the extent by tomorrow.

Fruit Severely Injured

Unofficial temperature in Fort Worth Monday night reached 19 degrees on the ground and general colder conditions prevailed over North and East Texas. Reports are to the effect that the fruit crops are severely injured from the frost, which was general throughout these sections of the state.

BROKEN HEART CAUSES SUICIDE

Young Girl Takes Strychnine Near Georgetown, Texas

Special to The Telegram.

GEORGETOWN, Texas, March 20.—Miss Ida Joslin, a pretty girl of 16 years, living with her parents on the Bland Harrison plantation, eight miles from Georgetown, committed suicide yesterday by taking a big dose of strychnine. Mis Josline died before medical aid could arrive from Hutto, four miles distant. Before death came she declared she was heartbroken over a love disappointment.

Justice Sheppard of Round Rock held the inquest yesterday afternoon.

Llano County

Special to The Telegram.

LLANO, Texas, March 20.—A heavy frost occurred here, with ice, this morning. The temperature was 25 degrees and there has been great damage done to fruit.

Bexar County

Special to The Telegram.

SAN ANTONIO, March 20.—Ice and frost this morning have ruined the fruit crop.

Johnson County

Special to The Telegram.

CLEBURNE, Texas, March 20.—The thermometer is 18 degrees here this morning, and ice is a half an inch thick. Many hydrants were frozen and a very heavy frost fell. Fruit and gardens were injured from 50 to 90 per cent.

Harrison County

Special to The Telegram.

MARSHALL, Texas, March 20.—There is ice and heavy frost here this morning, but peaches were too far advanced for damage. Fears, however, are entertained for other fruit crops.

Lamar County

Special to The Telegram.

PARIS, Texas, March 20.—Reports from the adjacent country are that peaches are ruined. All fruit buds were killed by one of the heaviest freezes of this winter.

Williamson County

Special to The Telegram.

GEORGETOWN, Texas, March 20.—The thermometer was 75 degrees here this morning. Gardens and fruit are damaged severely.

Hunt County

Special to The Telegram.

GREENVILLE, Texas, March 20.—As a result of last night's frost the early apricots, plums and peaches were damaged three-fourths; late buds may be safe; pears 50 per cent damaged, but berries and apples are not hurt. Nothing had been hurt up to last night.

Taylor County

Special to The Telegram.

ABILENE, Texas, March 20.—The heaviest frost of the season fell last night. Reports from various points in the Abilene country are that the fruit crop is materially damaged, if not wholly destroyed, and most of the farmers claim the latter.

Hill County

Special to The Telegram.

HILLSBORO, Texas, March 20.—Last night was the coldest of the past few days, the government thermometer registering 22, while farmers from different portions of Taylor county report the early fruit and gardens almost entirely destroyed.

Denton County

Special to The Telegram.

PILOT POINT, Texas, March 20.—As a result of one of the hardest freezes this winter here last night, reports from the adjacent country are to the effect that early fruit is severely injured, if not altogether destroyed—especially pears and peaches.

Grayson County

Special to The Telegram.

DENISON, Texas, March 20.—Last night developed the hardest freeze of the last ten days. That all fruit in the bud was killed is the opinion of the prominent growers and nursery men.

Safe at Beaumont

Special to The Telegram.

BEAUMONT, Texas, March 20.—There was some frost and the thermometer was near the freezing point this morning, but no serious damage to fruit or truck is reported.

Travis County

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 20.—The fruit crop was badly damaged in Travis and adjoining counties as a result of the freeze last night. A thin sheet of ice prevailed and served to practically ruin the truck garden products. Truck growers of this section had an early crop of vegetables growing, which was practically destroyed and will have to be replanted.

F. T. Ramsey, a leading nurseryman here, stated that the fruit crop is almost a total ruin. He said that

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STANDARD ABSORBS REPUBLIC COMPANY

Big Concern Takes Missouri Co. to Avoid Ouster

Special to The Telegram.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 20.—The Standard Oil Company here today announced that it has absorbed and taken over the business of the Republic Oil Company, which Attorney General Hadley is seeking to oust from Missouri on the charge that it is in an anti-trust arrangement with the Waters-Pierce and the Standard. This puts the Republic out of existence and steps will be taken to have the charter formally rescinded.

Local Standard people think this action will annul the Missouri proceedings. The local representative of the Republic Company said notice of the absorption had been received Saturday.

"We are instructed," he said, "to continue the office and business as formerly, though, presumably we will have different executive officials. The order applies everywhere."

The Standard attorneys say Rockefeller can now come out of hiding without fear of process servers.

Atotrney General Hadley Talks

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—Discussing the announcement of the Republic Oil Company's absorption by the Standard Attorney General Hadley said:

"The absorption will have no effect on the litigation now pending against the oil trust in Missouri. The move will prove abortive."

QUARREL IS FATAL

Boys Fight for Possession of Brass Ring—One Dead

By Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20. — A quarrel over a 10-cent brass ring here last night resulted in the killing of Herbert McArthur, a 16-year-old boy, by William Johnson, a companion, who is under 14 years of age.

They had a dispute over the possession of the ring and began to fight. Before anyone could interfere, Johnson took a small revolver from his pocket and shot McArthur. The latter died in a few minutes.

Johnson was arrested.

JONES REPORTED TO BE DEAD MAN

Former Valet of Dead Millionaire Still Missing

Special to The Telegram.

HOUSTON, Texas, March 20.—Wanted by both sides in the case of Albert Patrick, who is endeavoring to secure a new trial, having been convicted on the charge of the murder of the aged millionaire, Wm. Marsh Rice, of this city, Jones, the valet, is now reported to be dead, but how he met his fate remains to be determined by the large number of detectives that are now scouring the earth in the search for him.

By the statement of Dr. Sol Williams he left Cove March 12, 1905. According to the statement of Sheriff Anderson he took employment on a sloop at La Porte some time later for a voyage to some spot unknown and by the repeated statement of Miss Gailyard, the school teacher who took such a conspicuous part in the hearing at New York in February, he was seen in Brunner during the summer.

"He has not been killed by George Wright," declares Charles Tinsley, one of those associated in the investigation now in progress and today in Houston. "Wright had occasion to fill that man full of shot, but he didn't. He's not the sort of a citizen to do that kind of work.

"Where Jones is I cannot say," Mr. Tinsley asserted, "but we are searching for him as well as detectives for the Rice estate and for Jerome. He may be in Panama and as a matter of fact we have information that he expressed a determination to go there when he left Cove."

The hint of a dark fate for the ex-valet as described in possibility recalls the death of John Frost, formerly sheriff of Chambers county, near the spot some years ago.

With a writ of restitution he invaded the Cove country to dispossess a family. He disappeared as completely as the valet Jones.

The sheriff's horse was found where it had wandered riderless, but not even a trace of the body could be located. The tug boat upon which Sheriff Anderson sailed in his investigation was enveloped in flames in the middle of the bay and the lives of those on board saved only by desperate work.

Finally a man by the name of Bob Hineman was taken into custody. He declared that Sheriff Frost had been killed and his body cut to pieces to be disposed of in a marsh. First one statement made by the man and then another was disproved and the mystery of the death of John Frost is as dark today as is the mystery of the whereabouts of valet Jones.

Today they are searching just such a marsh to ascertain as to whether or not the bleached bones of ex-valet Jones lie therein.

SLIDE KILLS MINER

Snow Crashes Into Colorado Mining Camp with Fatal Result

By Associated Press.

CREEDE, Colo., March 20.—A snowslide came down from Mammoth Mountain yesterday at the East Willow Company's plant, killing one man, Sam East, and demolishing the blacksmith shop in which he was working. The news was telephoned to Creede and 100 men with shovels were soon at work, endeavoring to save the unfortunate man's life, but he had evidently been killed instantly, being found under six feet of snow within an hour. The slide was a heavy one and drove large mining timbers more than two hundred feet into the opposite side of the canon.

TWO ARRESTS MADE

San Antonio Men Charged with Game Law Violations

Special to The Telegram.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 20.—Affidavits were filed yesterday against Freeman Carter and his son, Will Carter, charging them with violation of the Texas game laws.

Investigations have disclosed that violations of this law have extended over Oklahoma, Texas and parts of Mexico, the shipping being made to New York and Chicago firms. Federal authorities are interested in the matter as far as it pertains to Mexico.

VOUCHER IS REPRODUCED

Shows Receipt for $75,000 From Campaign Committee

TO REPUBLICANS

Cornelius Bliss Says It's a Lie and Refuses to Look at Photo of Document

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 20.The Herald today reproduces a fac-simile of what purports to be a voucher for $75,000 given Andrew Hamilton in October, 1903, by the treasurer of the National republican campaign committee.

The voucher was originally drawn for $10,000 and dated October 1. Later it was changed to ackoowledge a total of $75,000, and the date October 20 was added. The Herald says that the voucher was exhibited yesterday by Andrew Hamilton, formerly legislative agent for the New York Life Insurance Company at Albany, and that Hamilton claims that the receipt was received by him in acknowledgment of two contributions which he had been instructed to make to the republican national campaign fund. There is nothing in the alleged voucher to indicate that it is other than an acknowledgment of cash received from Hamilton personally.

When the subject of the voucher was brought to the attention of Cornelius N. Bliss, treasurer of the national committee, last night, he promptly repudiated all knowledge of such a voucher, positively declaring, according to the Herald, that nothing of the kind existed.

Bliss Says It's a Lie

The Herald quotes Mr. Bliss as saying:

"I have said all I care to say about the matter. No such sum was paid over by Mr. Hamilton or the New York Life. My word should be accepted as final."

"But it is now shown that a voucher exists?"

"No such receipt exists. If any one says so he lies. Have you seen such a voucher."

"Yes, Mr. Bliss, and I have a photograph of that voucher. Will you let me show it to you in order that you may pass upon the genuineness of the signautres?"

"No, sir, I won't look at it. I decline to say another word about the matter."

The Herald asked Mr. Hamilton why he had not earlier returned from Paris, and quotes him as saying that influences kept him in Paris against his will. He added:

Hamilton Still Explaining

"When the inner history of all this comes out the public will know why I did not come back. I wanted to come back. I was eager to come back. When I learned that Mr. McCall was in a dangerous condition I was anxious to return. It will all come out in time."

Tarbell to Head Mutual

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The Herald today says:

"Gage E. Tarbell is slated tentatively for the presidency of the Mutual Life Insurance Company in the event that the forces now enlisted under the banner of Stuyvesant Fish should succeed in ousting from the Mutual the present board of trustees and executive officers.

"Mr. Tarbell is at present the second vice president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. While the present announcement may be accepted authoritatively, it is no part of the Fish campaign to have this portion of its plan prematurely revealed, and extraordinary efforts have been made to keep it secret."

TO FORM NEW CABINET

Portugese King Commissions Roberti to Make Up New Official Family

By Associated Press.

LISBON, March 20.—Hintze Roberti has been commissioned to form the new cabinet of Portugese ministry, formed Oct. 19, 1904, under the premiership of J. Luciano de Castro, who resigned Dec. 25, 1905. King Charles accepted the resignation, but requested the ministers to retain their portfolios until the new year.

LID ON AT BUTTE

BUTTE, Mont., March 20.—As a result of a crusade instigated some weeks ago by an organization of citizens known as the Civic League, Sheriff J. Quinn last night notified all gambling houses to close their doors.

SCHOONER BEACHED

Life-Saving Crew Working to Rescue Unknown Ship at Boston

By Associated Press.

BOSTON, March 20.—A three-masted schooner was discovered on the Boston light ledges, below Boston harbor shortly after daylight today. She was almost entirely submerged, and though the weather was very thick three men could be seen on board. Her name is not known. The Storey Beach life-saving crew went to the vessel's assistance. There is little wind, but the seas carried a heavy swell following last night's gale.

SAYS CITIZENS SHOULD ASSIST

Attorney General Advocates People as Police in Chicago

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, March 20.—A great auxiliary peace force, composed of every able-bodied citizen of Chicago in plain clothes, was advocated by William H. Stead, attorney general of Illinois, in a speech on "Crime in Chicago From the Standpoint of the State Government," before the Congregational Club last night. Mr. Stead pointed out cases of state laws authorizing ordinary citizens to make arrests, land prisoners in jail and set the machinery of justice in motion. He pointed the finger of contempt at the man who blames the courts and the laws while shirking from his own duties as a citizen.

State's Attorney John J. Healy condemned the vicious crime element in Chicago. He declared that a war of extermination was the remedy for this prolific cause of thuggery, robbery, murder and crimes unmentionable. He asserted that the people are lotus eaters when it comes to the punishment of law breakers, and admitted that he himself "was not unwilling to shirk his share of the responsibility" in view of the prevailing apathy.

City Prosecuting Attorney Howard S. Taylor blamed the prevalence of the drug habit as a cause of crime, and advocated the municipal suffrage of women as a sovereign remedy for the crime problem which confronts the city.

MUSEUM HAS MASTODON

Morgan Gives Famous Specimen to Natural History Institution

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 20.—J. Pierpont Morgan has given to the American Museum of natural history the Warren mastodon, which is considered the finest specimen known to be in existence. With this gift also goes the rest of the Warren collection of bones of extinct animals. The mastodon will be set up in the museum as soon as it can be brought from Boston.

The Warren mastodon was found about 1860 near Newburg, N. Y. It was purchased by Professor Warren of the Harvard Medical School. Because of its fine state of preservation, the skeleton being almost complete, it has attracted much attention among scientific men.

COMET OBSERVED

Melbourne Professor Reports to Have Made a Celestial Discovery

By Associated Press.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 20.—A dispatch was received at the Harvard observatory yesterday from Professor Krutz at Kiel, announcing the discovery of a comet by Professor Ross at Melbourne on March 17, 9:14 Greenwich mean time, in right ascension 2 hours, 3 minutes and 52 seconds, and declination minus 7 degrees 41 minutes. The comet has a daily motion in right ascension of plus 3 minutes and 36 seconds and a declination of plus 1 degree 10 minutes. The physical appearance of the comet was circular, 3 minutes in diameter, of the eighth magnitude and with some central condensation.

BANKER NOW EDITOR

Waxahachie Financier Buys and Takes Charge of Newspaper

Special to The Telegram.

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, March 20.—F. M. Getzendaner, formerly assistant cashier of the Citizens National Bank of Waxahachie, has given up the banking business to enter the newspaper profession. He recently purchased the Uvalde Leader-News and last week took editorial charge of that paper.

DISTRICT UNION ORGANIZED

Ellis County Farmers' Secretary at Work in Adjoining Counties

Special to The Telegram.

ITALY, Texas, March 20.—J. L. Anderson of this city, secretary of the Ellis County Farmers' Union, returned Monday from Ennis, where he has been at work for several days organizing a district farmers' union, with headquarters at Ennis. The district will comprise several counties, including Ellis and Navarro.

SAN ANTONIO MAN NOW PRESIDENT OF CATTLEMEN

Colonel Ike T. Pryor Chosen by Acclamation

BY MACKENZIE

South Texas Man Nominated After Col. Slaughter Declines to Accept

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, March 20.—At the election of officers of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, in convention here today, Colonel C. C. Slaughter of Dallas was nominated for the presidency by R. H. Harris of San Angelo, but Colonel Slaughter declined before there was an opportunity to second the nomination, and R. L. Hall of San Antonio then nominated Colonel Ike T. Pryor of San Antonio. Murdo MacKenzie seconded the nomination of Colonel Pryor. Harris insisted on the vote for Slaughter, but the latter repeated his declination. Harris then withdrew Colonel Slaughter's name.

The secretary was then instructed to cast the vote for Ike T. Pryor, which was done.

The next place of meeting will probably be selected Wednesday afternoon.

The Session Today

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, March 20.—After a short, but spirited discussion, the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas in thirtieth annual convention this morning passed a resolution condemning the action of live stock exchanges in advancing commission charges at the various markets of the country.

Advances Condemned

The resolution was read shortly after the convention had convened and its text is as follows:

preciative of the assistance which live stock exchanges have given in the efstock exchanges have been in the efforts to secure the amendment of the twenty-eight hour law and other matters of importance in behalf of the live stock industry, and while the association is appreciative of the co-operation of the commission companies at the markets in all those matters which pertain to the inspection and recovery of cattle caught by inspectors at the markets and the proceeds thereof, it deplores the action of the live stock exchanges at the markets which our members patronize in advancing commission charges on the sale of live stock on Jan. 1, 1906, without the consent of the shipper.

"This association believes it to be inimical to the best interests of the live stock producer that those who are the agents of the producer in selling live stock in the market shall exercise the power to vote to themselves an increase in their charges. Therefore, it is

"Resolved, by the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas in annual convention assembled at Dallas, March 19 to 21, 1906, That it protests against and condemns the action of the live stock exchanges in making such advances in common charges, and this association commends and indorses the action of its president in protesting against the same. Be it further

"Resolved, That the executive committee of the association should take such active steps that may seem to it proper and necessary to prevent any and all unjust or unreasonable advances of commission charges or other charges in connection with the sale of live stock as the committee shall deem necessary in full protection of the members of this association."

Davis in Opposition

W. L. Davis of Fort Worth, a member of the Fort Worth Live Stock Exchange, spoke in opposition to the proposed resolution. He asked that before any action be taken, a committee be named by the association to investigate conditions at the Fort Worth market, declaring that better familiarity with conditions would change the committees view point. He said that the proposition to increase charges on

FIRST LIBRARY INSTITUTE HERE

Sessions Opening Thursday Initial Ones

The first library institute held in Texas will be conducted under the auspices of the Texas Library Association at Carnegie public library, March 22 and 23. There will be delegates at the institute from all parts of this district, which embraces North and West Texas. About fifteen librarians will be in attendance as will also several prominent club women of this section of the state.

This will be the first of a series of institutes which are to be held for the purpose of improving the small libraries and bringing them up to a higher standard. The best methods of accomplishing this result will be discussed and practical ideas bearing thereon will be interchanged.

There will be three other institutes held in the state during the spring and summer, one to be held at San Antonio, embracing the Southwest Texas district; another at Houston, embracing the southern district of the state, and a third at Tyler, where representatives will be present from the eastern part of the state.

Among those who will attend the institute held here will be Mrs. Charles Scheuber, vice president; Miss Ode Surratt, librarian of Baylor University, Waco; Mrs. W. D. House, librarian of the Waco public library; Miss Irene D. Galloway, librarian at Waxahachie; P. L. Windsor, librarian of the University of Texas and secretary of the association; Mrs. Dancy Ledbetter, Coleman; Miss Rebecca Royale, Cleburne; Mrs. M. Quigley, Greenville; F. C. Tanco, Terrell, and Miss Zoe Faddis, Corsicana. All of the foregoing will take part in the program, which has been published in full in The Telegram.

All sessions will be open to the public, including the evening session to be held Thursday at St. Paul's Methodist church, at which there will be addresses by Mayor T. J. Powell, Captain B. B. Paddock, Judge W. D. Harris and P. L. Windsor.

CONFERENCE SMOOTH

Delegates to Moroccan Meeting About to Reach Pacific Agreement

By Associated Press.

ALGECIRAS, March 20.—Extreme animation prevails here, the delegates to the Moroccan conference believing that the final results are near at hand, unless an agreement is speedily secured by representatives of the neutral powers to threaten to interrogate the French and German representatives before the conference.

M. Regnault, the second delegate of the French mission, has taken the initiative and has prepared a draft of an agreement seeking to reconcile the French and the Austro-German projects.

The commission has already approved a portion of Regnault's plan, but there is a disputed point relative to the inspection of the Moroccan police, and this remains unsettled. The French are prepared to accept the principle of inspection, but not to accept foreign control. Therefore it remains to secure middle ground.

SHEEP LOSS HEAVY

Worst Snow Storm in History of Wyoming Ends

By Associated Press.

BIG PINEY, Wyo., March 20.—The most terrific snow storm in the history of this section has just come to an end here, having raged continuously since March 10. The snow piled seven feet in depth in places and was two feet deep on the level. Stage and mail service has been interfered with. It is feared there will be great loss of sheep in the desert east of here and it is reported some flocks have been entirely wiped out. There is no feed accessible and flock masters are in despair. Several sheep herders are missing and many ranches of this section are completely snowed in, some houses being entirely covered from sight. The only possible method of travel between the ranches is on snow shoes.

CANADIANS FORCED TO PAY

Price for Coming Into United States Paid to Boat Captains

By Associated Press.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 20.—In reply to Mr. Ingraham of St. Thomas, in the house last night, Premier Laurier said that the government was aware that United States officials had collected $2 a head tax from Canadians who crossed the boundary. The government had no information, he added, that these officials were collecting the tax while in Canadian territory. It was known, however, that captains of steamers were appointed to collect the tax. The Canadian government made representations to the United States, but the latter declined to interfere with the appointments.

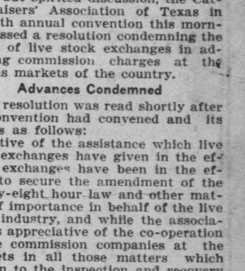
HAS MANY REPORTS

State Revenue Agent Bell Makes Trip to East Texas

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 20.—State Revenue Agent Bell returned yesterday from a trip to central and east Texas. He announced that he had reports from all but six counties and as soon as the comptroller compares these reports with the reports made by these county officials notices are promptly made, the matter will be placed in the hands of the attorney general for prosecution.

WEDNESDAY FAIR; WARMER WEATHER



Temperature at 2.30 p. m., 48 deegrees, Wind, south; velocity, 6 miles per hour. Barometer, falling.

NEW ORLEANS FORECAST

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, March 20.—Indications of the weather for the southwest are as follows:

East Texas (north)—Tonight and Wednesday fair, slowly rising temperature; frost Wednesday morning.

East Texas (south)—Tonight and Wednesday fair; slow rising temperature; frost to coast line Wednesday morning; light variable winds on the coast.

Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Tonight and Wednesday fair and warmer.

Arkansas—Tonight and Wednesday slowly rising temperature.

Fort Worth and vicinity may expect fair weather tonight and Wednesday, with slowly rising temperature, but frost will be present Wednesday morning.

ANOTHER TERRIBLE TORNADO SWEEPS SOUTH MISSISSIPPI

By Associated Press.

MOBILE, Ala., March 20.—A special from Hattiesburg, Miss., says a cyclone passed over south Mississippi last night.

Details are meager. Whether any one was killed or not cannot be learned, but it is said the tornado in many respects resembled the one which passed over Meridian a few days ago.

George Kennedy, who returned to the city from New Augusta, brought the first news of the tornado to Hattiesburg. Before leaving New Augusta Mr. Kennedy talked with several men who witnessed the tornado, others hearing it from a distance of four or five miles.

From all accounts, the tornado originated on the gulf and on Ship Island, twenty miles south of this city. The tornado, with a funnel formation, sped across the country for a distance of fifteen miles, demolishing everything in front of it. The tornado covered a space of a quarter of a mile wide, and was very severe, traveling at the rate of seventy-five miles an hour. It tore down fences, uprooted and destroyed all the timber in its path.

Mr. Kennedy left New Augusta in the early morning, and up to the hour of his departure few, if any, details of the tornado had been received. He is of the opinion, however, that great damage has been done. Whether the storm is accompanied by heavy loss of life, he could not say, but it is certain that the storm swept the country for a width of a quarter of a mile or more, and that, at the points from which reports have been received, the country is entirely cleaned of timber and everything else in front of the storm.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 20.—A special to the Tribune from New Orleans says:

A dispatch received here says that a tornado struck Brooklyn, Miss., near Meridian, Monday night, and wrecked it. Enormous damage was done and loss of life was reported, but no exact figures have been received. The wind attained a velocity of ninety miles an hour, and everything in the path of the tornado was razed to the ground.

After destroying Brooklyn, the tornado went sweeping across the country, leaving a trail of desolation in its wake.

DIES FROM LOCKJAW

Splinter in Boys' Foot Has Fatal Result at Waxahachie

Special to The Telegram.

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, March 20.—About ten days ago the 12-year-old son of W. R. Drake at Maypearl stuck a splinter in his foot. Saturday the boy was attacked with lockjaw, which resulted in his death yesterday morning. It is said that he had a number of severe convulsions a few hours before his death occurred.

FORT WORTH'S LARGEST DEPARTMENT STORE

W. C. Stripling

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44-inch Panamas in new grays we offer you today, 75c, 98c and $1.25

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selling mixed car lots was really to the benefit of the large shipper, in that the latter's consignments were held back after they reached the market by the mixed cars sent in by the smaller shipper. He said that the desire of the commission men in increasing the rate for selling cattle from $12 per car to from $12.50 to $18 per car was to be paid for the time required in handling these mixed shipments and to endeavor to have consignments sent in by single shippers instead of in mixed consignments, so that time and effort could be saved.

Mr. Davis closed his remarks with a tribute to Colonel Ike Pryor of San Antonio, and the latter's candidacy for the presidency of the association.

Murdo MacKenzie of Denver replied to Mr. Davis, saying that if anyone should be paid for delays on market incident to handling mixed shipments, it should be the larger shippers, who lost in shrinkage of their cattle during the delays, rather than the commission men.

When put to a vote, the resolution carried practically unanimously.

A resolution indorsing immediate statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory was read and passed unanimously.

During the morning the Baylor University Students' band, which came up from Waco for the occasion, played and was generously applauded.

Assessment Increased

The association voted to increase the assessment on members from 2½c to 3c per head of cattle in order to cover all expenses accruing during the year, including contribution to the American National.

Following the adoption of the resolution favoring immediate statehood for the two territories, Colonel W. E. Hughes of Denver spoke on "National Legislation Affecting the Live Stock Industry," referring to the interstate commerce commission, the twenty-eight hour law and reciprocity.

1,200 Present

The attendance today was larger than yesterday, total of those present being estimated at 1,200 persons, which filled the opera house almost to its capacity. The feature of the attendance this morning is the large number of women present.

The convention adjourned at 1 o'clock this afternoon, to meet tomorrow morning. For the benefit of the women in attendance in the city during the convention, an art exhibit is to be held this afternoon at the Carnegie library.

Tonight's Ball

Probably the most looked-for entertainment of social nature that will mark the meeting of the cattlemen in Dallas this year will be the grand ball to be given tonight at the Majestic hotel. It is estimated that nearly two thousand people will be in attendance at the ball tonight.

The Fort Worth delegation has been active since the opening of the convention, noted as conspicuous for one reason on account of the badges they are wearing, having the inscription, "We are for Fort Worth in 1907."

The New President

Colonel Ike T. Pryor was elected president of the association to succeed W. W. Turney, practically by unanimous vote. There were a few votes cast against Colonel Pryor, but in the final announcement the election was made unanimous.

Colonel Pryor accepted the honor conferred upon him in a neat and appropriate speech, in which he pledged the great organization his very best efforts. He outlined his views of the most vital matters affecting the cattlemen, which were characterized as reciprocity, the development of our foreign trade, the twenty-eight-hour law, railway rate regulation and the matter of increased commission charges.

Touching the fight that had been made upon him for the presidency of the association on account of his connection with commission houses, Colonel Pryor said as a matter of fact he was one-twentieth commission man nineteen-twentieths producing cattleman.

With reference to his policy as president of the association, he said at any time a member feels he has any kind of a grievance to contend with, if he will make the fact known to the president of the organization he will at once appoint a committee to investigate and take other necessary action.

The matter of increased commission charges at all Missouri river markets, scheduled to go into effect April 1, is a very warm proposition and may yet evoke some very sensational developments. While the association has referred the matter to the executive committee with full power to act in the premises, it can be safely asserted the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas is preparing to make a hot fight against the proposed advances.

The speech of Judge S. H. Cowan of Fort Worth, which will be delivered before adjournment, will probably outline the proposed plan of procedure, and Judge Cowan's views in that respect are already known.

At the recent Kansas City conference between representatives from the American National and the commission men, Cowan asserted the cattlemen could be easily induced to establish independent commission houses and investigate the legality of the action of the live stock exchanges in arbitrarily agreeing upon the proposed concert of action.

As the commission men are standing pat, it seems to be up to the cattlemen to make good, and the general belief is they are preparing to take radical action if necessary.

After the election of Pryor as president the meeting adjourned without proceeding with the other officers.

The selection of the next place of meeting will not come up until tomorrow afternoon, and the sentiment among members seems to be strongly in favor of returning to Fort Worth.

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CATTLEMEN PASS MANY RESOLUTIONS

Business Transacted at Monday Afternoon Session

ROOSEVELT IS ENDORSED

Senator Harris Delivers Address on Reciprocity—Murdo MacKenzie Talks Interestingly

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, March 20.—Addresses by Senator W. A. Harris of Kansas and Murdo Mackenzie, president of the American Live Stock association, and the adoption of a number of resolutions occupied the attention of the cattlemen at the afternoon session of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association convention Monday.

Senator Harris made an appeal to the convention to give its support to the bill for the repeal of section 4 of the Dingley tariff law.

"This question is something that has been a good deal like a shuttlecock, knocked from one party to the other from campaign to campaign," he said. "They have coddled it in convention, crucified it in congress, lauded it in campaign and damned it in committees. It is a matter which concerns every man who owns a pig or a horse or a cow or raises wheat, corn, cotton, oats or any other farm product.

"The problem of the people is how to adjust our relations to each other. We can't live under the old ideas. The population is growing greater and greater, and we have no more acres of land. The problems of food supply are growing more important. We have to restrict ourselves now so that we won't trespass on our neighbors. This means reciprocity—a give and take proposition.

View of the Foreigner

"We must look upon the foreigner as the man with whom we have to do business. Commerce is as essential as agriculture or the industries. It is the vehicle for everything else. Tariff for revenue will not fit in now.

"The party which is now in power enacted the Dingley tariff in 1897. The crowning glory was section 4, which provided that the President could make reciprocal trade treaties with other nations. However, there was a two-year limitation and this has expired. Those who were the beneficiaries then continue to be the beneficiaries beyond the time it was intended.

"What we want you to do is to impress upon your congressional representatives the necessity of giving their support to the Curtis bill, which will amend this section so that our exports will be doubled in a few years."

Resolution Is Adopted

The following resolution was offered by Senator Harris and was referred to the committee on resolutions. It made a favorable report and the resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That we regard the duty of congress to be imperative in the revival in some form of the principles of reciprocal trade relations as enuncuated in section 4 of the Dingley act. We believe that the doctrine enunciated by Mr. McKinley in his Buffalo speech is absolutely essential to the welfare of the country, and we demand that steps be taken at once to carry out the policy pledged by the republican party in the Dingley act to the country at large. We believe that the principles of section 4 of the Dingley act, if enacted into a law, would constitute a maximum and minimum tariff, which should be put into force by the executive without further legislation, and we request our representatives in congress to act promptly before irretrievable damage is done in this direction, to the end that we may retain the markets that we now have for all our agricultural and meat products and extend the same throughout continental Europe."

Murdo Mackenzie's Speech

Murdo Mackenzie spoke in favor of a resolution indorsing the American Live Stock association. He declared that the Texas Cattle Raisers' association was the father of the American association, and should give it moral and financial support.

This precipitated a discussion and Col. John N. Simpson moved that the convention adjourn and to postpone the discussion until this morning. This prevailed.

Indorses the President

The various resolutions offered by the executive committee, which were unanimously adopted, were as follows:

"Whereas, Our President, Theodore Roosevelt, in the face of the opposition of the great powers of the aggregated and combined wealth of the country, and of powerful and astute political leaders of his own party in the administration of the affairs of the government and in the performance of his duties as President of the United States has steadfastly adhered to the principle that every man and every manner of lawful business shall have an equal and fair show to success without being compelled to pay tribute to combinations of capital or suffer the destruction of his business by the action of monopolies and trusts, and while acting for the benefit of the public against the violations or such combinations has steadfastly adhered to the principle of protecting property rights, and

"Whereas, He has, with persistence and fidelity, stood firm as a rock in support of the principles of the railroad rate regulation, which this association for years has advocated, to the end that the interstate commerce commission be given power whereby it can effectually and speedily regulate the rates and practices of railroads so that the shippers of the country shall be able to obtain fair and equal treatment and be relieved from unjust burdens in the transportation of their products and yet the railroads be protected in all their rights of property, and

"Whereas, He stands as the advocate of those trade arrangements with foreign countries which shall give the most extended markets to the products of the ranch and farm and favors the adjustment of the tariff so that the producer upon the farm and the ranch shall not be made to suffer the penalty of being impoverished in order that some manufacturing interest of the country shall enjoy unreasonable profits under a so-called protection of an unjust tariff which prevents such trade relations with foreign countries as will enable us to sell our live stock and its products to the best market, wherever found, and

Opposes Combinations

"Whereas, He and his administration stand opposed to all combinations in trade and commerce which stifle or eliminate competition, the life of trade or which affect or regulate the prices of live stock or rubber products, and through the departments of his administration is endeavoring to ascertain the facts in order that those who are guilty of violations of the law against combinations, trusts and monopolies may be convicted and the innocent exonerated, in order that every man may have his just rights in accordance with the law of land, and

"Whereas, He advocates the policy of bringing all grazing and public lands under such government control that the grass and forage thereon shall be protected against destruction and those using it will be protected in the use of sufficient time to enable them to carry on their business upon the payment of a reasonable sum therefor, giving such preference to the settler and small stock owner as will encourage their business and give them at least an equal and fair show and such advantages as their circumstances seem to demand, and

"Whereas, He has worked incessantly for the speedy construction of the Panama canal, which we consider for the great interest and upbuilding of the state of Texas and its seaports and commerce as well as the commerce and interests of the west in particular, and the country in general; now therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the Cattle Raisers' association of Texas, in annual convention assembled at Dallas, Texas, March 19 to 21, 1906, That we indorse and commend President Roosevelt for the stand he has taken as the champion of the public interests and otherwise, as pointed out in the foregoing particulars and especially for his unswerving policy and his devotion to duty in the matter of railroad rate regulation, and we tender to him our hearty support in respect to the same. We congratulate the country on the fact that in the interest of this important legislation we have a President and a house of representatives which have risen above partisan politics in the interest of a square deal in the passage by the house of representatives of the Hepburn bill, which we indorse.

"Whereas, The Texas delegation in congress, in both the senate and the house, have taken and are taking active interest to secure proper regulation of railroads with respect to rates and service and to secure the extension of the 28-hour law so that live stock may not be compelled to be arbitrarily unloaded, to their injury, and of importance pertaining to the live stock interests of the country, now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, in annual convention assembled at Dallas, Texas, March 19 to 21, 1906, That this association extends its thanks to the Texas delegation in the senate and house for the work they have done and are doing in furtherance of these measures, and urge upon them continued diligent action in behalf of these measures so that this congress shall not adjourn without the enactment of the same into law. And be it further

"Resolved, That the secretary of this association mail to President Roosevelt, to the speaker of the house of representatives and to each of our Texas senators and congressmen a copy of this resolution.

Approves Reciprocity League

"Whereas, There has been organized a reciprocity league composed of the various producing and industrial organizations of the country, and particularly the live stock organizations and others interested in live stock business, to carry on a campaign to the end of securing such trade relations with foreign countries in the products of the ranch and the farm, as this country seems to be entitled to, and to that end to secure such modification of the tariff laws as will permit the making of reciprocity and other trade arrangements with foreign countries which shall extend the trade in live stock and its products and thereby open up better prices and a better market for our products now, therefore be it

"Resolved, by the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas in annual convention assembled at Dallas, Texas, March 19 to 21, That we lend our hearty support to the movement which has been inaugurated and is being carried on by the said reciprocity league and especially do we indorse the action of the officers of said organization in their efforts in behalf of its objects.

For Wolf Bounty Law

"Whereas, Many parts of this state which are engaged in raising live stock have become invested with wolves and other animals which depredate upon, kill and otherwise destroy thousands of dollars' worth of live stock every year, and

"Whereas, The great live stock industry of the state is entitled to the protection which the state alone can afford in the destruction of such depredating animals; now therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Cattle Raisers' association of Texas in annual convention assembled at Dallas, Texas, March 19 to 21, That we recommend that the next legislature pass an adequate bounty law, and we urge it upon our senators and representatives in the legislature to actively espouse and see to the passage of such a law.

Live Stock Association

"Whereas, The American Stock Growers' association and the National Live Stock association at their annual meetings held in Denver, Colo., on Jan. 30 to Feb. 1, 1906, by the adoption of the constitution and by-laws of the American Stock Growers' association, consolidated the two associations under the name of the American-National Live Stock association, composed alone of the live stock producers, and

"Whereas, Said association is performing its work in the direction of every matter of public importance to which this association is lending its efforts, and by organizing into one association the entire live stock interests of all the northwestern states, will enable it to exercise an influence in every matter of public concern to the live stock interests of the country, which could not otherwise be done, and

"Whereas, We believe it to the great interest of this association to further the work of the American-National Live Stock association by lending it the moral and financial support of this association; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we commend the American-National Live Stock association and hereby indorse its efforts, and that this association gives it such financial support as the executive committee of this association may determine, and recommend that the membership of this association, wherever possible, align themselves with the American-National Live Stock association to the end that we may be able to accomplish through our combined efforts the purposes of this association which shall appear to be necessary in matters of national legislation and governmental regulation which pertains to the live stock interests of the country.

Passage of Hepburn Bill

"Whereas, The Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, and the other live stock associations of the west, and many organizations of shippers throughout the country, have for years petitioned congress to so amend the interstate commerce act that the interstate commerce commission shall have the power to prescribe such rates, regulations and practices to be observed by railroads as will secure to the shippers just, fair and reasonable rates, and will prevent undue discriminations and preferences and otherwise provide that the commission's orders shall become promptly effective, and

"Whereas, Through the various forces at work in behalf of the people's interests the house of representatives of the present congress has passed the Hepburn bill with practical unanimity, and

"Whereas, After due consideration of the provisions of that bill this association considers that it meets the requirements which this association has been urging upon congress, and

"Whereas, The great powers of the opposition to such legislation render it extremely difficult to secure such legislation, and as we are informed and believe are now attempting to defeat the passage of this bill in the senate of the United States by every obstructive tactics which it is possible for them to command by proposed amendments intended either for the purpose of preventing the passage of the bill or in other instances to render the bill valueless if it is passed, and

"Whereas, We believe it is a duty which the senate of the United States owes the people to pass this legislation in the shape that the bill now is, in order to make certain that the remedies provided by the bill will be enacted into law, and

"Whereas, If it shall appear, after the law has been put into operation, that it needs amendment, congress convenes again within eight months of this date and can then take up the matter of such amendments as may seem to be needful, and

"Whereas, If this course is not pursued there may be grave danger of the bill not being passed at all, and

"Whereas, We believe it to be our right to call upon our senators from the various western states in which the members of this association reside and do business, and particularly the senators from the state of Texas, to urge them to consider our wishes in this matter, and

"Whereas, The amount of unjust rates which we are being compelled to pay for the want of adequate law affording a remedy such as is provided by the Hepburn bill against such unreasonable rates is costing us millions of dollars; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, in annual convention assembled at Dallas, Texas, March 19 to 21, 1906, That we urgently request the senate of the United States, and particularly from the state of Texas, to use their efforts and best endeavors to secure the passage of the Hepburn bill in the form in which the same has passed the house, with such minor corrections as may appear to be necessary, without an attempt to so amend it as to endanger its passage."

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WATER FORMS COURT EXHIBIT

Samples Under Guard at Trial of Case

Five bottles and three buckets of water drawn at various places and times are under guard in the federal court, forming a prominent part of the exhibits in the case of T. A. Rains vs. Armour & Co. et al., now on trial in that court.

The case alleging pollution of the Trinity river to the damage of the plaintiff is one of a number of similar actions pending against the packing houses in the United States and district courts. It is not believed that a decision will be reached for several days.

Seventeenth District Court

Court opened before Judge Mike E. Smith with the case of J. E. and S. Henderson vs. St. L., S. F. and T. railway company. Motion to continue the case to the latter end of the term, made by the defendant, was sustained.

This case was followed by Fred Pabst Jr. vs. Armour & Co. et al. The complaint is that defendants deposited obnoxious refuse matter near plaintiff's hotel in North Fort Worth, for which he claims he is injured to the amount of $12,000.

Forty-Eighth District Court

In the case of A. R. Mullinix vs. the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf railway company, continued until 11:30 Tuesday morning, the jury has not yet returned its verdict.

The case of Leon Gross et al. vs. W. R. Harper et al. was taken up. The suit is over a vendor's lien for $285. The land in question is lot 2, block J, Rosedale addition to the city of Fort Worth.

Suits Filed

In the district court:

Nola Masher vs. Bert Masher, divorce.

G. B. Fayne vs. L. F. Fayne, divorce.

Fay Meyer vs. Dan R. Meyers, divorce.

Willie Jochen vs. E. E. Jochen, divorce.

In the county court criminal docket:

Dock Temples, drunk.

Harrison Jones, theft.

Rue Houston, pistol.

Rue Houston, aggravated assault.

Owen Mills, theft.

Si Elliott, aggravated assault, (2 cases.

H. D. White, theft (2 cases).

Cal Leach, aggravated assault.

Probate Court

Sarah B. Corpany has applied for an appointment of guardianship for the Corpany minors.

Federal Court

The case of T. A. Rains vs. Armour & Company et al., is still on trial in the federal court.

Real Estate Transfers

F. J. Lagler to H. C. Jarrel, lot 6, in lock 104 of M. G. Ellis' addition to North Fort Worth, $200.

North Fort Worth Townsite Company to J. E. Bomar, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, in block H, subdivision of blocks 215 and H of North Fort Worth, $3,000.

O. H. Brogdon to B. D. Worlkin, part of block 22, in Jennings' south addition to Fort Worth, $800.

Ben O. Smith to U. H. and Alice E. Hodge, lot 2, block 13, Field Welch addition to Fort Worth, $1,200.

P. L. Martin and wife, Inez Martin, to Ripy & Irwin, lumber dealers, lot 5, block 32, Polytechnic Heights, $200.

C. L. Madison and wife, Bertha Madison, to J. D. and Minnie T. McNeely, lot 7, out of east block 13, Fields Welch addition, $275.

A. L. Crowley to C. A. Adams, lot 14, block 20, Union Depot addition, $1,200.

Arlington Heights Realty Company to Miss Pessie Byrne, lots 27 to 40, in block 77, Chamberlin Arlington Heights, $1,482.50.

M. L. Chambers to C. R. Crane, a strip of land 12 feet wide and 163 feet long out of lot 1, in block 3, Hemphill Heights addition, $10.

J. H. Price to U. B. Allen, lot 4, block 72, Polytechnic Heights, $100.

F. J. Johnson and J. L. Johnson to R. L. Carlock, lots 2 and 3, block A1, Daggett's addition, $7,750.

Vital Statistics

To Rev. C. A. Stewart and wife, Hannie Stewart, 310 St. Louis avenue, March 15, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Williams, 1907 Gay street, March 12, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sawyer, 924 East Fourteenth street, March 17, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Walton, 304 Pessie street, March 18, a boy.

County Court

Civil suit by H. G. Dearing vs. Western Union Telegraph Company, damages; filed.

Justice Rowland's Court

The cases of Francisco Martinez and Melton Salmos, charged with assault to murder, were called before Justice Rowland this morning. Melton Salmos was held in $500 bail and Francisco Martinez was held in $200.

TRAINS SNOWBOUND

Large Forces of Men Dig Cars Out of Drifts

By Associated Press.

DECATUR, Ill., March 20.—The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton passenger train due at Decatur from Indianapolis at 4 a. m., which was fast in the snow drift six miles east of Decatur all day Monday and Monday night, was dug out of the snow today.

The fifteen passengers who were on the train had plenty of food supplied by the company and spent the night in the sleeping cars.

The total snowfall at Decatur, by official measurement, was fourteen inches.

The Illinois Central passenger train leaving Decatur Monday for Champaign is still in the snow drift at Argenta.

The Vandalia passenger train due at Decatur at 10:20 Monday morning arrived this morning at 6 o'clock, drawn by seven engines.

The Continental Limited on the Wabash, from New York to St. Louis, due at Decatur at 4:20 p. m. Monday afternoon, passed Decatur at 2 o'clock this morning, after having been seven hours in the drift near Philo, Ill.

There was much suffering from the cold, because the heat had to be cut off while the cars were pulled out one at a time.

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FRUIT CROP KILLED BY FREEZING NIGHT

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out of ten flowers in bloom, only one is now saved. The dewberry crop is also a total ruin. The freeze did not, however, affect the blackberry crop very much according to Ramsey.

IN THE TERRITORIES

Ardmore Reports Say That the Early Fruit Crop Is Ruined

Special to The Telegram.

ARDMORE, I. T., March 20.—Last night was clear and cold, the temperature going to 11 below freezing, with a heavy frost. The early fruit crop is ruined.

MISSISSIPPI FRUIT DAMAGED

Frost and Ice Work Havoc With Crops About Jackson

By Associated Press.

JACKSON, Miss., March 20.—Traffic was resumed on the main line of the Illinois Central between Jackson and New Orleans today. Washouts have been repaired on this road. Other railroads state that they are suffering delays, owing to washout. Frost and ice wrought havoc with the early fruit crops of Mississippi this morning. It is believed the loss will be great.

Grayson County

Special to The Telegram.

SHERMAN, Texas, March 20.—The temperature was 27 degrees this morning at 6 o'clock. The damage to fruit is great. Early peaches, plums, pears and apricots are practically wiped out. There is much ice and gardeners in this section report heavy loss.

At Muskogee

Special to The Telegram.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., March 20.—After a thorough canvass of the fruit growers of this vicinity it is today found that the fruit crop is in good shape, there being no damage whatever.

Dallas County

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, March 20.—Reports from the nurserymen in this section of the country and from North Texas generally are that the damage resulting from the frost and freeze of last night will damage the North Texas fruit crop from $1,500,000 to $2,000,000. All are agreed that they will be better prepared to judge of the total loss tomorrow.

The damage to peaches and plums is expected to reach 90 per cent; pears are damaged about 75 per cent.

Apples and berries are not much damaged.

The larger nurserymen are advising farmers to plant tomatoes, sugar cane and other crops in order that the land wasted by this freeze will not prove a total loss to them for this year.

Cooke County

Special to The Telegram.

GAINESVILLE, Texas, March 20.—Fruit growers of this county are of the opinion the freeze of last night has completely killed the fruit crop in this part of the state.

CANAL IN NINE YEARS

Former Chief Engineer Favors Sea Level System

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—John Wallace, former chief engineer of the Panama canal, told the senate committee today that he favored a sea level canal for Panama. He said it would dispel every element of doubt, and if done by contract might be completed in nine years.

I had rather men should ask why my statue is not set up than what it is.—Cato.

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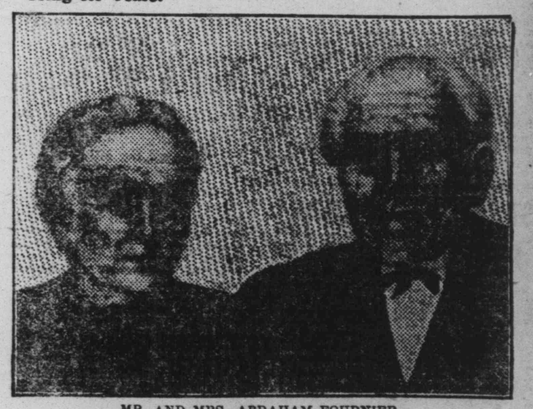
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The Daylight Store

Offers another cheap sale tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. This time it is the much-wanted and protecting article for the fair woman's complexion—**"SUN BONNETS,"** and at the price at which they will sell, every lady in Fort Worth should buy one. They are nicely made, beautifully ruffled and in all colors of chambray, batiste and lawns. The material is actually worth more than the price you pay. Tomorrow morning—Wednesday—at 9 o'clock, we will sell this lot **FOR 25c EACH.** SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

Thursday morning watch for a very sensational sale of Dresser, Sideboard and Washstand Scarfs. Take a look at window display and note the price in Thursday's ad.

G. Y. SMITH, Prop.

TO HOLD SPECIAL FAREWELL SERVICE

Houston Baptist Pastor Sails for Havana, March 30

Special to The Telegram.

HOUSTON, Texas, March 20.—Dr. T. L. Mayes of the Taum Avenue Baptist church, who has been called to the pastorate of the First Baptist church of Havana, Cuba, and the presidency of the Baptist College on the island, sails March 30. An elaborate farewell service will be held here Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church.

Among a score of visiting distinguished churchmen will be J. B. Cranfill and Dr. J. B. Gambrel of Dallas.

Rev. C. T. Alexander of Corinth, Miss., has been called to suceed Dr. Mayes. Rev. Mr. Alexander was formerly pastor of the First Baptist church at Cleburne, Texas.

JOINT MEETING TODAY

United Mine Workers and Operators Together

By Associated Press.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 20.—The convention of the United Mine Workers of America was called to order today by John Mitchell. President Mitchell said the operators had signified their willingness to meet the mine workers in a joint conference and that it had been arranged to have this conference begin at 10 o'clock. One-fourth of the hall was cleared for the operators, who, as they came in, took places at the right hand of the chairman.

FIFTH ARREST MADE

J. S. Simpkins, Charged with Connection with Steunenberg Murder, Is Taken

Special to The Telegram.

BISBEE, Ariz., March 20.—J. S. Simpkins, the fifth man charged with connection with the Steunenberg assassination, was arrested near the Mexican line and jailed at Tombstone, pending extradition.

COTTON REPORT COMPLETE

Census Bureau of Government Issues Comparative Statement on Crop

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—A bulletin issued today by the census bureau shows the complete crop of cotton for 1905, including linters and counting round bales as half bales, to be 10,697,013, compared with 13,697,310 for 1904 and 10,015,721 for 1903.

The average gross weight of the bales this season is shown to have been 503.8 pounds and the equivalent in 500-pound bales to have been 10,777,510. The number of bales estimated by ginners as remaining to be ginned, and included in the report, is 40,112.

NEW DEPOT FOR ITALY

Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company Will Build

Special to The Telegram.

ITALY, Texas, March 20.—Agent A. H. Brown of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway has received a letter from Superintendent Sullivan relative to the improvement of the depot facilities here. He promises at an early date to provide separate waiting rooms for the white and colored people here. This action is the result of a letter to the railroad officials by Mayor Murphy and other citizens here and has caused general rejoicing, as the volume of business transacted by the Katy at Italy demands such improvements.

JOINT SESSION DELAYED

Miners Adjourn to Afternoon After Wait for Operators

Special to The Telegram.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 20.—After waiting for an hour for the operators to come to the joint session, the miners' convention adjourned at noon to reconvene this afternoon, when the joint session will begin.

DEAD AT DESK

Young School Teacher Found With Chloroformed Linen

Special to The Telegram.

LAWRENCE, Kan., March 20.—Alice Reed, a school teacher near Eudora, failed to return home last night and a hack driver was sent for her. He found her seated at her desk, dead, her face buried in a handkerchief reeking with chloroform.

The Original Laxative Cough Syrup is Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. It expels all cold from the system by acting as a cathartic on the bowels. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is a certain, safe and harmless cure for colds, croup and whooping cough.

This is the season of listlessness, headaches and spring disorders. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a sure preventative. Makes you strong and vigorous. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. P. Brashear.

Shadow Embroidery

May be considered the novelty of the year in art needlework; for although not absolutely new, it has remained practically unknown to most needleworkers. Its extreme simplicity and great beauty should long before this have given it the popularity it deserves. The work is done on the wrong side of the material, which must be very sheer, so that the work may be seen through it. A single stitch and that a very simple one, is used in producing in an easy and rapid manner, the most varied and exquisitely dainty effects. The work may be done in white or light colors. The best materials to use are either silk floss or the new washable mercerized cottons. We carry a complete line of white and colors in both silk and cotton, and have just received all that is new in this popular work. Also the latest ideas in shirt waist and corset cover patterns, centerpieces, piano scarfs, cushions, etc.

See Sixth street window display for all that's new in art needlework, for both home and personal adornment. Free lessons on all the latest work, when you buy your materials of our department. JOIN THE CLASS.

WEDNESDAY SPECIALS

10 yards Lonsdale Muslin ..... **75¢**
Ladies' and Children's Oxfords in both black leather, and white canvas; pair **$1.25**
Suit Department—50 dozen white and white and black Lawn Shirt Waists, worth a dollar ..... **50¢**
10c, 12 1-2c and 15c Laces; a counter full; yard..... **5¢**
Dropping the line—All sizes Thompson's Glove Fitting Corsets; choice ..... **50¢**
The new all linen Ladies' Shirts—just in..... **$1.98**
More new Ready-to-wear and Street Hats; popular prices, $7.50 down to **$1.50**

Burch & Prince

SIXTH AND HOUSTON STREETS .....

GOULDS WILL FIGHT PENNSY.

Effort Made to Enter City of Philadelphia

WILL EXTEND WABASH

Permission of City Asked to Construct Elevated and Subway by Philadelphia and Western

Effort of the Goulds to secure entry into Philadelphia with the Wabash and a consequent clash with the Pennsylvania system is the latest important railroad action.

Application for entrance into the heart of Philadelphia by means of an elevated road and subway combined has been made by the Philadelphia and Western, a company already holding right of way for a distance of fifty miles paralleling the Pennsylvania, and this is reputed to be the line that will carry the Gould traffic into the city.

Millions of dollars are to be spent in effecting the entrance to the city, according to a proposition laid before the Philadelphia select council, with the favorable recommendation of the mayor, a committee of leading business men recently appointed to seek concessions from the Pennsylvania railroad and the Philadelphia Traction Company.

The very cost of the undertaking is admitted in railroad circles to show that more than a mere local line is sought, construction of the subway to extend from the Delaware to the Schuylkill rivers, twenty-four blocks being estimated at fully $1,000,000 a mile.

The offer made by the company was referred to the council by Mayor Weaver with the comment that the offer made was the first in which the city had ever been given proper safeguards and returns.

The offer summarized gives the city 5 per cent of the gross earnings of the line after give years and the gift of the system at the end of thirty-five years, provision being made that the company may then lease the line for $400,000 annually and 5 per cent of the gross earnings.

That the Goulds have long sought a Philadelphia entrance is well known, and there is little doubt in eastern railroad circles that the Wabash, which recently entered Pittsburg, is the factor behind the offer, which is declared to be so liberal and so well backed by the business interests of the city that it cannot be refused though President Cassat of the Pennsylvania is not expected to permit a competing line to enter without a struggle.

Entrance of the line would effectually break up the Pennsylvania control, safeguarded by control of the Baltimore and Ohio, which in turn controls the Reading, the only other line with a Philadelphia terminal. Deepening of the Delaware channel also affords a good eastern seaport terminal at Philadelphia.

The effect on the Gould systems throughtout the country in event of successful entrance into Philadelphia is problematical, though bound to be of wide inflence.

Even the name of the road seems to have a Gould sound, plan of combining a definte point and direction as is done in Texas and Pacific and St. Louis and Southwestern, St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern and Missouri Pacific roads.

To See America First

A. A. Glisson, general passenger agent of the Fort Woet hand Denver, has received a copy of a booklet issued by Major S. K. Hooper, general passenger agent of the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, entitled, "See Europe If You Will, But See America First." The booklet contains an address delivered by Hon. Heber M. Wells, former governor of Utah, at the See America First congress, held at Salt Lake City, Jan. 25, and it also calls attention to the fact that there is not an attractive feature in the old world which cannot be duplicated or discounted in America. Attention is called to the Rockies, Yosemite valley, the Royal Gorge, the Great Continental Divide and numerous other points.

Bianci Remodeled

Bianci, the private car of M. Sweeney, vice president and general manager of the Trinity and Brazos Valley railroad, has just been taken from the shops, where she has been thoroughly renovated, and she presents the appearance of an entirely new car.

Will Improve Line

W. B. Drake, vice president and general superintendent of the Frisco, went to Brady Tuesday night after the banquet at Brownwood. His visit is for the purpose of carefully inspecting the track between Brady and Fort Worth, with a view of making some extensive improvements. C. W. Strain, the general passenger agent, who was with Mr. Drake at Brownwood, stated that he did not care to go into details about the proposed improvements, preferring to let Mr. Drake give out such information himself, but that the track would be greatly improved over the entire line and that extensive work has been mapped out.

Mr. Drake has only been in his office a few hours since he was elected vice president, having spent nearly all of his time out on the road, making investigations preparatory to making the improvements in store.

Notes and Personals

W. M. McClure, chief clerk in the general passenger office of the Frisco, has returned from San Antonio, where he has been assisting in checking up the Texas rate sheet.

C. W. Strain, general passenger agent of the Frisco; W. B. Noble, commercial agent, and E. A. Pennington, city passenger agent of the Houston and Texas Central, left Tuesday for Dallas.

J. W. Ward, superintendent of the Rio Grande division of the Texas and Pacific, is here from Big Springs.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Tolado, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists. Price, 75c per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

BAER WILL WAIT

Answer to Mitchell's Request for Another Conference Postponed

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 20.—It was learned unofficially yesterday that no reply will be sent to the letter of President Mitchell of the coal mine workers to President Baer of the Philadelphia and Reading Company, asking for another conference, until the anthracite coal presidents get together. Mr. Baer will pay his usual weekly visit to this city today and will have a talk over Mitchell's letter with the presidents of the other coal-carrying companies. It was stated last night, however, that no meeting of the Temple Coal and Iron Company had been arranged for today.

It was said that if Mitchell was anxious for another conference, the operators would be willing to grant it. They will, however, it was intimated, stand by the award of the anthracite strike commission and its methods.

COMPROMISE IN SIGHT

German Representatives Authorized to Meet French Concession

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, March 20.—Herr Von Radowiz and Count Von Tattenbach, German representatives at Algeciras, have been instructed by the foreign office, provided France meets German views on the question of the Moroccan bank, to yield on the question to the extent of giving up Casa Blanca as headquarters of the inspector general, but retaining neutral inspectorship, with real powers of control over the police.

TRACKS INUNDATED

Mobile and Ohio Line in Mississippi Is Now Flooded

By Associated Press.

MOBILE, Ala., March 20.—Information reaching here today from a private source is to the effect that the tracks of the Mobile and Ohio railroad are inundated north of Enterprise, Miss., and that the river is rising rapidly. Fears are entertained that the flood will exceed all previous overflows. People living in the lower lands have already left their homes, seeking safety in higher places.

AGREEMENT REACHED

London Reports Say Conference at Algeciras Is Satisfactory

By Associated Press.

LONDON, March 20.—According to the Evening News of this city, telegrams were received in London from Algeciras today stating that the Moroccan conference reached an agreement satisfactory to all parties.

ALL RESIGN

Spanish Cabinet Ministers Hand in Their Resignations at Madrid

By Associated Press.

MADRID, March 20.—Premier Moret having announced to his colleagues his intention to resign after the passing of the judicial reform bill, all the cabinet ministers today placed their resignations in his hands.

The departure of King Alfonso for the Canary islands has been deferred.

WALLACE TALKS ON CANAL

Former Chief Engineer of Panama Commission Favors Sea Level

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 20.—John F. Wallace, former chief engineer of the Panama canal commission, made a statement before the senate committee on inter-oceanic canals today. He said he advocated approximately a straight sea level canal of ample width and depth, as the best type.

WOMAN RELEASED

Coroner's Jury Says Man's Murderer Is Unknown

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—The coroner's jury today found that E. C. Harris was killed by a gunshot wound inflicted by some party unknown. Mrs. Ida Donielson, in whose home Harris was shot dead Sunday, was immediately released from custody.

DOCTORS ARE PUZZLED

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth Mciver of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the Throat and congestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life." Cures the worst Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarseness and La Grippe. Guaranteed at Walkup & Fielder's, Holland's Red Cross Pharmary, Renfro Drug Co.'s drug stores. 50c and 1. Trial bottle free.

MAN ARRESTED

Judge Snyder Shot in Face at Colorado, Texas

Special to The Telegram.

COLORADO, Texas, March 20.—Sunday night Judge Joe Autrey Snyder was called from home and fired at five times by an unknown party, shot taking effect in the judge's face, inflicting painful though not dangerous wounds. The assailant fled, leaving the pistol behind. Yesterday Sheriff Johnston arrested O. C. Baker of this place and turned him over this morning to the sheriff of Scurry county, charged with being implicated in the shooting.

INVALUABLE FOR RHEUMATISM

I have been suffering for the past few years with a severe attack of rheumatism, and found that Ballard's Snow Liniment was the only thing that gave me satisfaction and tended to alleviate my pains. March 24, 02: John C. Degnan, Kinsman, Ills.

25c, 50c and $1.00.

Sold by Covey & Martin, 810 Main street, opposite Hotel Worth.

Abe Attell, the American champion bantam, and Joe Bowker, English champion, will fight twenty rounds before the National Sporting Club of London, on the night of May 28 for a purse of $2,500, $1,500 to the winner.

TORTURE FOR SAVAGES.

"Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for three months from inflammation of the Kidneys," says W. M. Sherman of Cushing, Me. "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood disorders and Malaria; and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed at Walkup & Fielder's, Holland's Red Cross Pharmacy, Renfro Drug Co., druggists. Price 50c.

Nothing is so foolish as the laugh of a fool.—Martial.

It pours the oil of life into your system. It warms you up and starts the life blood circulating. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain does. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

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Women's Advanced Spring Suit Models

A Wonderfully Extensive Showing—Excellent Values

For many months in this section we have bought and planned for the spring and summer season, and now our exhibition of all the very latest styles cannot be surpassed by anyone, and never have we owned such excellent values as are now in our displays. **Cattlemen and stockmen, if you wish to take your mother, wife, sister or daughter a present when you leave for home, we would suggest a new spring suit—there is nothing more pleasing to women than a new suit or costume.** Come and look at these:

Gray Pony Suits, made of lightweight Panama, trimmed in narrow braids and buttons, with vest effect of fancy braids, skirt made circular, plaited at bottom; an exceptional value at **$15.00**

White Serge Suits, pony coat style, black velvet collar, trimmed with large buttons, pockets on each side, gored skirt, circular effect; a specially attractive value at **$25.00**

Fancy White Serge Eton Suit, made with elbow sleeves and wide girdle, braid trimmed, with vest of baby blue ribbon, skirt circular effect; a value unmatchable at ... **$25.00**

A Wonderful Array of Spring Dress Goods

Every New Weave and Coloring Is Here

Even in the very largest cities of the east in the middle of the season you could not find a more complete stock of novelty Dress Goods than the one we own now. Every weave, coloring and pattern that will be popular this season is included in our displays, at prices of surprising lowness. Come and inspect the season's newest weaves. We offer a few suggestions:

44-inch Tennis Serge Suiting, in white and black and white and green checks, suitable for pony suits, tennis suits, etc.; the yard, only **$1.50**

44-inch Mohair Brilliantine, in the new Queen's grays, so popular this season; a practical suit and skirt fabric; yard ..... **98¢**

BLACK ONLY—Handsome quality Mohair, Taffeta Cord, Chiffon Voile, Crepe de Paris and Panamas, for spring and summer suits, skirts, costumes, etc.; at, the yard **$1.50**

BLACK ONLY—New 44-inch Odessa Voiles, Wool Taffeta, Batiste and Melrose weaves, very popular for suits and skirts this spring; grades really worth $1.25 at, the yard, only **$1.00**

Fine quality 44-inch gray Panama, in medium and dark shades, suitable for Eton suits and separate skirts; special vlaue at ..... **89¢**

Handsome quality 44 inch invisible checked Sicilian, in cream and black and cream and green; the yard, only **$1.25**

We call special attention to another shipment of the popular fancy Silks, in the latest colors and patterns.

Arabian Complexion Lotion Demonstration

On Second Floor This Week---FREE

Arabian Complexion Lotion imparts a brilliant transparency to the face, neck, shoulders and arms free from the appearance given by powder or other imitations. Positively destroys freckles, tan, pimples and all roughness of the skin, leaving the complexion a delicate softness. Changes the sunburnt face and hands to the freshness of youth. Does all the work of face powder. Come to the second floor and let the lady in charge explain this wonderful preparation to you.

We Welcome the Cattlemen and Stockmen of Texas to Fort Worth

Bring your families and friends with you and make our store your headquarters and meeting place while in the city. You are welcome at all times, whether you contemplate purchasing or not.

STATE REPORT GIVEN APPROVAL

Active Y. M. C. A. Campaign Endorsed

WILL PUSH BUILDINGS

Secretary's Budget Providing for Four Men Fixed at $8,000 and Part of Fund Subscribed

The most important business of the Y. M. C. A. convention Tuesday morning was the adoption of the state committee's report of the former state committee, which outlines the work for the ensuing year, fixes the budget for the maintenance of the state secretary's department and fills vacancies on the executive committee. The report of the retiring state committee was read at the Monday night meeting and referred to the new committe, A. G. Irons of San Antonio, chairman.

The convention also began the raising of funds for the maintenance of the state secretary's department and all over $1,000 was either pledged or suggested.

Morning Session

The convention was called to order promptly at 9:30 a. m. by President Bleim, with the attendance showing improvement over that of Monday.

The first order of business on the program was a Bible study discussion led by Dr. W. I. Carrol of Dallas, which was a continuation of his talks at the two sessions Monday.

The business feature of the session was next and President Bleim vacated the chair in favor of Mr. Bruno Hobbs.

Report Approved

A. G. Irons of San Antonio, chairman of the new committee on state reports, read the report of his committee on the report of the old committee. The report was acted upon section by section and every recommendation of the committee was adopted, after discussion of the diferent recommendations made, as follows:

Thanks to the retiring state secretary for his efficient work for the association; by rising vote.

Approving the action of the state committee in securing the services of S. A. Kincaide as state secretary.

Recommending the employment of an assistant state secretary at the earliest possible date.

Recommending an extension of the work of the association and the pushing of campaigns for new association buildings.

To get able men to push work of the association all over the state, providing for a series of men's gospel meetings, educational work, boys' work, country work, Bible work and the raising of finances.

The prosecution of work for the young men in the country districts.

Favoring the employment of a secretary for college associations.

Recommending the reorganization of the summer camp schools, to be conducted as under the former plan.

Executive Committee

The committee nominated as members of the state executive committee to fill the places of retiring members the following: J. L. Thompson, Houston; M. J. Bleim, San Antonio; R. P. Smith, Fort Worth; H. Booth, Houston; C. F. W. Felt, Galveston; W. A. Wilson, Houston; F. W. Axtell, Fort Worth, and B. H. Hill, Waco, all of them to serve until 1909, except H. Booth, who will serve until 1907. All were elected.

The report also recommended that the budget for the maintenance of the state secretary department be fixed at $8,000, including the salaries of four men, traveling expenses, etc. This budget contemplates the addition of a college secretary.

On motion it was ordered that the convention at once start the work of raising money to provide for the budget and $1,153 was either subscribed or suggested, the associations pledging amounts being as follows:

Beaumont, $100; San Antonio, $100; Fort Worth, $100; Waco, $50; Childress, $50; Cleburne, $50; Temple, $25; Palestine, $25, a total by associations of $525. Many of the delegates were not authorized to subscribe to the fund, but made suggestions as to the amount their associations could give.

College association authorized the subscription of $75 as follows: Ad Rau, $20; North Texas University, $25; Austin College, $50; Blind Institute, $5.

Individual contributions amounted to about $150, which, with the college and association contributions pledged and suggested made a total of $1,153.

Bruno Hobbs of Kansas City, who presided at the business session, announced that the next order of business was the reception of invitations for the holding of the next annual convention, explaining that the convention would simply receive invititions which would be acted on later by the executive committee. Only one invitation was announced, and that was from Temple. This concluded the business session and Mr. Hobbs gave way to President Bleim, who took the chair and announced that the next order was a discussion by W. A. Wilson of Houston on the topic, "Texas College Association Work," but that only a few minutes to the hour of adjournment remained and he suggested that the time for adjournment be extended in order that Mr. Wilson have time in which to discuss his topic. This was granted and Texas college association work was discussed, followed by adjournment to 2:45 p. m.

Following is the program for the convention work at the final session Tuesday night, and the meeting of secretaries and physical directors Wednesday:

8 o'clock—Christian Tabernacle. Song service; short reports from department conference; address, Bruno Hobbs of Kansas City, topic "Some Principles for Which the Young Men's Christian Association Stands;" farewell exercises; W. M. Lewis, presiding; adjournment.

Wednesday, 9:30 a. m.—Broadway Presbyterian church parlors. Annual meeting of Secretaries' and Physical Directors' Association of Texas.

GIVES HEALTH, VIGAR AND TONE

Herbine is a boon for sufferers from anemia. By its use the blood is quickly regenerated and the color becomes normal. The drooping strength is revived. The languor is diminished. Health, vigor and tone predominate. New life and happy activity results. Mrs. Belle H. Shriel, Middlesborough, Ill., writes: I have been troubled with liver complaint and poor blood, and have found nothing to benefit me like Herbine. I hope never to be without it. I have wished that I had known of it in my husband's lifetime." 50c. Sold by Covey & Martin, 810 Main street, opposite Hotel Worth.

NEGRO RESCUED FROM FARMERS

Grayson County Mob Foiled by Deputy Constable

Special to The Telegram.

DENISON, Texas, March 20.—Deputy Constable Lee Skaggs of the Ambrose community, fourteen miles southeast of here, last night rescued John Howard, a negro, from the clutches of an angry mob of farmers after a fire had been built to burn the prisoner.

The negro was placed in jail here, charged with making an attack on Mrs. F. A. Hicks, who lives a mile and a half east of Ambrose.

The alleged attack occurred yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock. A dog came to the rescue of the woman and she managed to escape the negro.

The neighborhood was aroused and the negro was caught about 6 p. m. The farmers had the fire built and the conservative ones were angry with the hot heads when Officer Skaggs appeared.

Howard had a preliminary trial this morning and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $2,000, and was taken to the county jail at Sherman.

STUDENTS PASS BOARD

Local Institution Men Stand Good Examination

The medical students of Fort Worth University who went to Durant, I. T., and took the medical examination held there on Feb. 23 and 24, have just heard the result of the examinations. Word has just been received by the students that every one of them passed the examinations with good grades.

Among those who went from Fort Worth were several freshmen and sophomores. The diplomas of these young men are to be sent to them in one package. Quite a number of the successful ones are planning to locate in the territory.

CURED CONSUMPTION

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes, My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago, and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal.

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Sold by Covey & Martin, 810 Main street, opposite Hotel Worth.

Connie Mack has two promising aspirants for Lave Cross' old position at third base. One is Knight, a lanky school boy, who played several games with the Athletics and made good, and the other is Oldring, a yongster who has had no big league experience, but is said to be something of a wonder.

The limit in purity—ALTA VISTA—at the Pure Food Show, of course.

Your Doctor

Ask your doctor how long he has known Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ask him if he uses it himself, in his own family. Ask him if he can recommend anything better for throat and lung troubles, such as hard coughs and colds, hoarseness, bronchitis, weak lungs. Do as he says, at any rate. We are willing.

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RESOURCES

Loans	$1,211,326.83
U. S. Bonds at par	250,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	674,333.17
Banking House	75,000.00
	$2,210,661.00

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$ 250,000.00
Surplus and Profits	126,964.84
Circulation	250,000.00
Deposits	1,583,696.16
	$2,210,661.00

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RATE SHEET FOR TEX. COMMISSION

Individual Classification Being Prepared

AUSTIN, Texas, March 20.—The railroad commission is preparing an up-to-date rate classification of its own, and the copy will be ready for the printers within the next week or ten days. This will be the first effort of the Texas commission along this line. Since the commission has been created it has been using what is known as the western classification which is issued at stated periods by the western classification committee at Chicago, and is used by the different railroads of the country. The last two of these classifications issued by the classification committee are designated as 34 and 39, and the latter is now being used by the railroad commission as a basis in compiling the new classification.

This new classification will contain between 9,000 and 10,000 items embracing every commodity handled by railroads and the rates and will cover about 150 pages. In the hands of the experts of the commission, the new classification is expected to prove one of the best efforts of the commission, and will also prove of great benefit to the shippers and also be of great assistance to the railroads. The aim of the commission in issuing this new classification is to make it apply strictly to Texas business.

TO CURE COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

TO HOLD CONVENTION

Wants Commercial Clubs of Territory to Work Together

Special to The Telegram.

LAWTON, O. T., March 20.—Thos. B. Martin, president of the First National Bank of Marlow, has mailed out to the commercial organizations in all the towns that expect to receive any benefit from the opening of the pasture lands of southwest Oklahoma a circular letter in which he advises that the commercial organization of each town at once hold a meeting and elect one or more delegates to a convention to be held at some convenient place in the southwest in the next few weeks, for the purpose of discussing and finally passing upon a uniform system of advertising to be done by each town prior to the date of the opening.

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TELLS STORY OF JONAH AND WHALE

Miracle of Old Testament Subject of Sermon

BY REV. WM. CALDWELL

Large Congregation at First Presbyterian Church Includes Many Visitors to Hear Pastor

Rev. William Caldwell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, preached to an interested audience Sunday night and his sermon had reference to the message of the book of Jonah and some reference to the miracles which are spoken of in the Bible.

It will be remembered that the discussion in the presbytery and in the synod regarding the admission of Rev. William Caldwell had reference to his views regarding the miracles, and that some opposition to him developed because of the manner in which he construed these miracles.

The sermon shows deep and thorough research of the Scripture. He brings together passages in the old and new testament which bear upon the same subject, and presents a very strong arguments.

The Gospel of the Book of Jonah

There are three typical attitudes toward the book of Jonah. First, the book is held as a test of faith or unfaith. Persons holding this view are not required to know what the book teaches—the book is a pass word. Second, it is made the laughing stock of certain unbelievers. It goes without saying, of course, that these men are not required to read or study the book. The story is well known of easy reference. It furnishes a laugh and eases the unbeliever's conscience. Third, many believers, following a bad example which corrupts good manners, allow themselves flippantly to jest at the expense of book, or the episode of the hero.

My desire is to rescue this book from its enemies and its false friends and invite men and women, laying aside the spirit of enmity or levity, to consider seriously the merits of a writing which has a great message for us, as it had an unheeded message in olden times to the chosen people.

The Nature of the Book

The book in its central idea stands at the top of old testament revelation and joins hands with the new testament. It is the voice of a great prophetic spirit, who had something of the spirit of Christ before he came in the flesh. It seems to me lamentable, a shame to our intelligence that so great a book has been used as a test of one's capacity to believe things, when its purpose is to reveal God in His great love and mercy for heathen men, little children and even the dumb brute.

We have reason to believe that this book was a favorite with Jesus. It would naturally be so, since it holds up to ridicule what He condemned so severely—the loveless spirit of the elder brother, who had no sympathy with the returned prodigal, and its graphic and pictorial materials were just such as He Himself was fond of using. It has often been supposed that Jesus has said the final word on the interpretation of the book. That is, as to the question whether it is the account of an individual or of the nation. The question is not whether we have a history here, but whether we have a literalistic history of an individual or a pictorial history of Israel. If this statement of the question were generally understood some fears would be removed. The question, then, would have resolved itself into this, have we here God's working in a small circle, or God's working in a large circle? But many devout scholars do not feel that Jesus has really pronounced on this question in such a way as to close discussion. Several considerations may be mentioned. First, Jesus uses the elder brother to symbolize Israel dominant in His day; His references to Jonah would not therefore guarantee an individual interpretation. Second, with us, jumping at conclusions on the basis of modern and western ideas, we should naturally give an individual interpretation. But a slight acquaintance with old testament thought will teach us that on old testament soil precisely the opposite is the probable thing on the face of it. With the ancients it is all different. We say "the individual withers and the state is more and more." They said, "the nation is all, the individual counts little." Individualism may be said, roughly speaking, to take its rise at the fall of the nation in the days of Jeremiah. But as a matter of fact, it was Jesus who really brought the individual to light. The nation came by Moses, the individual was given his right by Jesus Christ. The reformation and modern times have been working out these rights so that the individual may really come to his "majority" and be a human personality. Third, the literally historical character of the narrative is not guaranteed by Jesus. We do not demand that Dives and Lazarus of the parable should be historical persons. Jesus does not seem so much interested in history as such. It may be the bearer of revelation in which He is supremely interested, but a parable might serve the same end. The parable, indeed, is His favorite vehicle of truth; this is true even when He builds his parable on the framework of current history, as He does at least once. But the reference to the Ninevites arising to condemn the unrepentant on the lay of judgment is supposed by some to be decisive. But is it really so? Would it not be permissible to say, the younger brother will arise to condemn the elder brother, even though the scenes in which they figured were not literally historical? But a more sure word is this. The second commandment says, "Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image of any likeness of anything . . . in the water under the earth." Now in ancient days it was very important that this should be commanded because men were making images of fabled monsters of the fabled waters under the earth. But since the days of the Copernican view of the world we know this command was addressed to men for practical purposes and that it did not make an eternally valid deliverance on cosmography. The idea of the Ninevites and their repentance is thoroughly real and is used for illustration and practical purposes. To be dogmatic beyond this is perilous.

Escape of Jonah

One other thing is to be said, the national interpretation is not an unbelieving effort to escape the miraculous. First, because the miraculous escape of Jonah is unlike any other in the old testament, and second, because this interpretation is accepted by many scholars who would die at the stake for their belief in the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. But these men believe that the book moves in a large world of miracle, that Jonah (meaning dove) is the "Silly dove Israel," Hosea, vii, 11. They believe that Israel, which has been called the miracle of history, is miraculous from first to last, from the miracle of crossing the Red sea to the miracle of the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

My purpose in speaking on this subject is not to disturb faith, which would be strange work for a minister, but to plead with men who are shirking duty and living in sin and quieting their consciences by presenting to themselves Biblical difficulties such as the book of Jonah affords. I want to uncover such men, that they and others may see how traitorous they are to themselves and to the social organism which has bred and nourished them; that there are no Biblical or intellectual difficulties that can afford any excuse for a life of self and sin. We must work for the time, and we must come to the time, when every true man shall judge as Jesus judges, when He said, "This is the condemnation—that men love darkness because their deeds are evil." The social organism must come to destroy or segregate cells that will not function serviceably for the organism. Nothing so respectable as unbelief can be pleaded. If you make a mistake as to the nature of a book, this may be forgiven as an error of the head; but if you make the mistake of not obeying its message your error is one of the heart and is more serious. If I believe the Omnipotent Creator of the universe can do all His holy will, but make a misjudgment as to the intention of the Spirit in the form of the book, God will forgive me that if I obey the message which is independent of the form. On the other hand if I am very correct as to the form and fail to obey the message I am condemned utterly. We are not in much danger of underestimating God's power. He is the one who can. Reason, common sense and science all combine to humble us before this mighty thought. But the beauty of the book of Jonah is, that it tells what reason, common sense and science know very little about—it tells of the love of God, "and this is the tragedy of the book of Jonah, that a book which is made the means of one of the most sublime revelations of truth in the old testament should be known to most only by its connection with a whale."

Is a Simple Story.

What theology underlies the gospel of the book of Jonah? The book of course is not a treatise on theology, but a simple story. Yet a theology is clearly reflected on the surface and in the depths of the story. Theology here, as elsewhere, is inseparable from a gospel. Of course, men may enjoy stars without knowing astronomy, and flowers without knowing botany. So men enjoy religion without bringing much theology as much to consciousness. Yet it is always implicit. We may state Jonah's implicit theology as a circle moving through the three points of God, sin and salvation. (1) Within the book of Jonah God is holy, loving righteousness, hating wickedness, showing mercy to penitents. He has terrible power and cannot be defeated in His purposes. He does what He pleases, the resources of earth, sea and sky being at His command. His dominion is vast, including far-away Nineveh. Jonah in his naive way will flee from His presence, but soon realizes that his effort is vain. The wings of the morning and the uttermost part of the sea are no help to him. The right hand held him; and the hold of the ship could not conceal him. Not only is this God able to find Jonah on the sea, but Jonah finds God there, and finds Him as a deliverer from his own cowardice and selfishness. The fleeing Jonah becomes ready to lay down his life to save the heathen crew and their passengers. The God who looses the winds from His fists to lash the great sea into a fury, and who controls growth and decay in Assyria, and reads the doom of great Nineveh can be nothing less than the God. The book knows little or nothing of second causes, but refers everything immediately to God. It knows God can do all His holy will, and believes the goal of that will is the redemptive purpose for man. Of course the believer now has what was unknown in Jonah's day, a conception of natural law. He grants this intellectual construction of the actual world to the scientific investigator, but his faith refers everything that actually is, natural law and all, immediately to God.

The book regards sin as a tremendous fact. There is no list of sins, or catalogue of broken laws; but sin stands forth as dreadful in God's sight, and in its dire consequences. Sin rouses the anger and stirs the wrath of God; at the same time becoming the occasion for the manifestation of His profoundest and tenderest love. Sin moves the mind that rules the world, it literally shocks the universe. It is sir, that calls out the mission to Nineveh. No special sins are mentioned. Sin is not in acts, but in attitude. The children have lost the child-spirit. They have gone away like prodigals from the Father's heart—their wickedness wounds Him, but His love abides. But the great city lies in rebellion. God's banner is being trailed in the dust. Without amendment there can be but one result—destruction. Sin in its darkest hues, however, is seen in Jonah, not in Nineveh, in the one who sinned against greatest light. The irrationality of sin (in Jonah's case) is appreciated even by the heathen sailors in their question, "Why hast thou done this?"

It is true Jonah answers his "great refusal" with a great surrender, but there still remains the saddest feature of his sin. After he repented and went, there was still no love in his heart which can utterly cover sin. He still longed for the destruction of Israel's enemy, the great Assyrian capital. In a word, we find the book wonderfully modern. Its view of sin as dreadful in God's sight, dreadful in its consequences, dreadful in its subtle working even within God's servant, is worthy of most serious consideration.

Message on Salvation

What does our book say of salvation? Its message to us on this subject in the light of the full gospel is dim. But we have intimations of the boundless love of God and the wonderful susceptibility of the heathen. Jonah had a lesson in the wideness of God's mercy, and the religiousness of the heathen. The method of salvation is simple. There is no machinery, but simplicity and spirituality. As sin is in attitude rather than in act, so is salvation. The Assyrians need not come to the "mountain of the house;" they could find God where they were. God was there in Nineveh. Salvation is not of works. No temple, no priest is needed. The only sacrifice needed is the sacrifice of a broken and contrite heart. "The Eternal is merciful and gracious, long suffering and abundant in goodness and truth. Keeping mercy for thousands, forgiving iniquity, transgression and sin." Repentance is the gateway to God and all that is good.

Message Is in Isaiah

The message, the text of the message as it came to the ancient people, may be found in Isaiah xlii, 19-"Who is blind but My servant, or deaf as My messenger whom I have sent?" The servant referred to is Israel, and Isreal's picture in bold and terrifying outline is presented in the book of Jonah. (1) Israel was the chosen messenger of God to carry the knowledge of the one true God, who is righteous and loving, to the uttermost parts of the earth. (2) But from lack of heart, as pictured in Jonah, Israel had failed and fled from duty. In punishment God had sent Israel into exile, a kind of living death, a life over which the waves and billows of outrageous fortune rolled relentlessly. It was like the grave, the pit, sheol. This living death, charnel house existence, is pictured by Ezekiel in the vision of the valley of dry bones, which represent Israel in exile. The figure of a monster swallowing Israel is seen in Jeremiah li 34-45: "Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylon, hath devoured me. * * * He hath swallowed me up like a dragon filling his belly, from my delights he hath cast me out." But Jehovah replies, "I will bring out of his mouth that which he hath swallowed —My people, go ye out of the midst of her." Foreign nations are often represented as sea monsters, Leviathan, Rahab or dragon (see Isaiah xxvii, 1, li, 9, Psalms lxxiv and many other passages.) Israel in exile did cry out of the belly of the great fish, or out of the belly of hell--it makes little difference about the figure. Psalm cxxxvii is such a cry, "By the rivers of Babylon there we sat down and wept when we remembered Zion. They that carried us away captive required of us a song, and they that wasted us required of us mirth, saying sing us one of the songs of Zion. How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land?" * * * (John iii:6.)

The Sentence Is Finished

Some centuries after unfaithful conduct of Jonah, the false servant, there appeared the true servant of God, prophesied of in the 53d chapter of Isaiah—Jesus Christ, and the unfinished verse of John iii:6 is completed, "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." He did what Jonah failed to do. The grandeur of His life of surrender, with the results achieved, are set forth in Philippians ii:5-11: "Have this in mind in you which was also in Christ Jesus; who, existing in the form of God, counted not the being on an equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, taking the form of a servant; and being formed in fashion as a man He humbled himself, becoming obedient even unto death, yea the death of the cross. Wherefore also God highly exalted Him and gave Him a name above every name; that in the name of Jesus every knee should bow * * * and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord to the glory of God the Father."

To confess that Jesus is Lord is to share this great purpose, in love, service and sacrifice. No man can call Jesus Lord but by the Holy Spirit. He has the right to be our Lord because of what He was and is and because of what He did for us. He laid down His life for us. He expects us to live our life for Him.

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SPECIAL SESSION

Auditorium Likely to Be Included in Building Plans of the Structure

A number of important matters were taken up at the regular meeting of the city council Monday night, the most important of which was the passing of a resolution authorizing the borrowing of $35,000 for the purpose of building a market house. This money is to be borrowed from the State National Bank at 6 per cent for a period of ten years, with the provision that the city shall keep its account at the bank in the meantime. The council will meet in special session next Monday night to take up the matter of arranging an ordinance to cover the market house proposition. The fire station in the Seventh ward was authorized and the matter of opening Burford street crossing, which has been so long discussed, was referred to the city attorney to ascertain whether the street belonged to the city, with the understanding that in the event it does the street will be opened.

The committee on claims recommending payment of the following, was adopted: City secretary, $39.60; city auditor, $20; engineer, $4.50; electrician, $14.15; city hall, $259.98; electric light department, $764.68; fire department, $534.98; health department, $302.65; police department, $261.70; pound, $21.88; calaboose, $14.50; sewer department, $395.18; street department, $975.34; street paving, $20; tax department, $63.35; advertising, $59.85; city park, $26.62; culverts and bridges, $3.65; interest current, $82.90; insurance, $622.75; pauper expense, $42.50; public schools, $2,895.91; water works department, $1,717.17. Total, $24,563.15.

Aldermen Waggoman, Zurn and Ward, the committee to which was referred the matter of opening Burford and other streets, reported, recommending that the proposed opening be indefinitely postponed on account of the expense involved. This brought forth considerable discussion, Alderman Moreland insisting upon the opening of East Bluff street, Alderman Parker upon the opening of Twelfth street and Alderman Maddox upon the opening of Burford street. Alderman Maddox stated that he would pay all the cost of opening Burford street exceeding $25 out of his own pocket, and each of the respective aldermen urged the opening of the streets mentioned. Finally the report of the committee was voted down. Alderman Maddox then offered a motion that Burford street be opened across the Frisco railroad. Aldermen Moreland and Parker promptly tacked on amendments to include the streets they desired opened, but all the amendments were tabled and the matter was referred to Mr. Orrick with instructions to ascertain the ownership of Burford street.

Upon recommendation of John B. Hawley, city engineer, the city will advertise for bids for the old school buildings in the Fifth and Eighth wards.

The culvert authorized at Fourteenth and Chambers streets, to cost $200 would, in the opinion of City Engineer Hawley, cost $1,000, but he suggested that grading could be done for $100 which would make the creek crossing passable there for some time to come. The grading was ordered.

To Aid Sidewalk Movement

The city engineer and city attorney recommended that in view of the large amount of work being done upon the sidewalks and crossings in the city, an ordinance should be passed to cover the work. An ordinance was ordered drawn which would cover the case and upon the suggestion of City Attorney Orrick the matter of defraying the cost of raising the sidewalks to the proper grade will be distinctly set forth. This expense will be borne by the city.

The damage claim of Carrie Adams was ordered compromised for $50, and that of J. A. Rogers was ordered compromised for $125. Alderman Waggoman raised an objection regarding the latter, stating that he thought that it was time that the city was fighting some of these damage suits. Alderman Parker said that he thought it depended upon whether the city had a chance of winning or not, and that he understood in this case there was a damage incurred by Mr. Rogers on account of an overflow from the city sewer. City Engineer Hawley explained that the city sewer was rather small at the point mentioned. He said that the suit was originally for $25,000, and that he and Mayor Powell had managed to get Rogers to agree to accept $250. City Attorney Orrick stated that he had at first refused to give anything, but that after careful investigation he thought that $125 would be the best settlement the city could expect.

A recommendation of the fire committee that 2,000 feet of hose be purchased was referred to the purchasing committee with power to act.

Fire Stations

The special fire committee made its report, recommending the erection of a new fire station on block C, Bellview addition, between South Jones street and Eighth avenue, in the Eighth ward, and that it be provided with a hose wagon and apparatus and that the matter of building a new station in the Seventh ward be postponed, owing to the expense involved. The city owns the property upon which the new station is to be erected and it was explained that the station could be built and the city pay for it upon almost any terms desired.

Alderman Henderson of the Seventh ward objected strenuously to having the building of the Seventh ward station postponed. He said that the financial condition of the city should not be taken into consideration when it was a matter of providing fire protection and that the station was going to be built on wind, anyway. He said that the standpipe was eaten away by the elements and that there was no pressure on the south side in the standpipe area. He declared that it was necessary for the fire companies from the Tucker street station to cross three railroad tracks in getting to the Seventh ward and that he believed the council owed it to the ward to provide fire protection before anything else. Mr. Henderson stated further that he had been after the station for a long time and that he knew a man in his ward who would donate a lot in the event the city would build the station.

Chairman Waggoman of the fire committee explained that it was the intention to eventually build a station in the Seventh ward and that the matter had only been postponed owing to the financial condition of the city.

Alderman Moreland then insisted upon a new station also being erected in the Ninth ward. These were suggested as amendments to the recommendation to build the station in the Eighth ward, but they were lost and the station in the one ward was ordered built.

C. L. Smith, F. D. Jones and G. H. Day, a committee appointed by the mayor to investigate the claim of William Lahay for damages or to secure possession of his property now submerged by the water backed up from the city dam, reported favoring the purchase of Lahay's property for $5,000. The matter was referred to the finance committee.

R. F. Doherty was allowed $25 for damages to his property by reason of the laying of the sewer through it.

Upon the petition of Chief Maddox an allowance of $25 was granted for repairing the city calaboose and putting it in good sanitary condition.

A culvert was ordered at the intersection of Harding and Sixth streets, to cost $100.

Auditorium

The following was received and filed: "Recognizing the city council is the representative of the whole people of the city of Fort Worth, and realizing the urgent need of a large and commodious auditorium, we, the auditorium committee, at a called meeting held this day, passed the following:

"Resolved, That the auditorium committee co-operate with the city council in the erection of an auditorium at the earliest possible date."

This was signed by W. G. Turner, chairman, and Brown Harwood, secretary.

Market House

The report of the market house committee was then read, recommending that as the city is desirous of erecting a market house and auditorium and as the Fort Worth Market House Company has donated the city property valued at $20,000, conditioned upon the city purchasing an amount equal to this sum and erecting a market house thereon, that the city borrow $35,000 from the State National Bank at 6 per cent for ten years. This brought up a lively discussion, in which Alderman Henderson and Maddox both opposed building a market house. Alderman Henderson also stated that if the State National Bank was going to lend the city money for 6 per cent he believed that the city should only pay that percentage on overdrafts, instead of 8 per cent, as at present. He made this in the form of a motion and it was amended by Alderman Waggoman that the city should pay only 6 per cent on overdrafts if money could be secured at that rate by the finance committee.

Alderman Henderson diverted slightly from the point at issue to speak of the various things which the city needed worse than a market house. He stated that the water supply here was insufficient and that it was generally understood to be 6,000,000 gallons, when in reality it was only 3,500,000.

New Supply Soon

Alderman Ward, as a member of the water committee, asked Mr. Henderson if he had ever visited the new station and advised him that the supply would be increased 3,000,000 gallons within thirty or sixty days. Mr. Henderson challenged his statement and Alderman Ward stated that Mr. Henderson was evidently in the dark and was not properly advised in the matter. A few contradictions were exchanged, when Alderman Moreland made a point of order and the question went back to the adoption of the resolution introduced by Mr. Waggoman. The resolution was adopted and the council adjourned to meet next Monday night to take up the matter of an ordinance to cover the market house proposition. Alderman Henderson strongly insisted that it be referred to the city attorney for an opinion upon its legality, but this motion was lost.

There was a petition protesting against a saloon near the wire bridge. On motion of Alderman Waggoman the city collector was instructed not to renew the license, as it is outside the saloon limits.

The city received an offer of $6,300 for the four lots by the viaduct. Referred.

The street and alley committee was instructed to repair North Main street to the city limits line.

COLD WEATHER HERE

Ice on Pools and Gutters Following Chilly Night

High barometer conditions prevail in nearly all parts of the United States, the wind in nearly every instance being from the north. The high barometer center is southwest of Fort Worth, causing freezing weather to prevail. Monday night there was ice formed over all pools of still water, the gutters being frozen almost solid.

The minimum official temperatures over the state were as follows: Fort Worth, 26; Amarillo, 34; Abilene, 42; San Antonio, 30, and Corpus Christi, 36 degrees.

The weather condition reported by the railroads Tuesday morning was: Clear and cold east to Marshall, temperature at 5 a. m., 29 degrees, with thin ice. Clear and cold west to Big Springs, ice formed; temperature, 27 degrees. From Big Springs the weather was clear to El Paso. Clear and cold to Whitesboro; temperature at 5 a. m., 28 degrees.

The temperature Monday at Texline was 12, at Amarillo 14, Childress 23 and Wichita Falls 43. Tuesday morning the temperatures at these places were as follows: Texline, 24; Amarillo, 22; Childress, 23, and Wichita Falls, 30. The westbound Texas and Pacific train from Texarkana reached the city Tuesday morning with a covering of about an inch of snow.

Official statement of conditions is: "The high barometer area, with cold wave conditions, is centered over Southeast Texas. This high area dominates the whole country, with the exceptions of the extreme northeast and the Pacific states. Freezing conditions prevail as far south as El Paso, Palestine and Atlanta. San Antonio and Fort Worth report killing frosts. The low barometer area over New England is causing snow in the east lake regions.

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CAR COUPLING ENDS IN INJURY

Will Shipp Seriously Hurt at Gainesville

Will Shipp was badly injured at Gainesville Monday by being caught between cars which he was coupling. Mr. Shipp is well known in North Fort Worth, where he formerly lived, at the corner of Twelfth street and Clinton avenue. Several relatives are still in North Fort Worth.

Immediately after the accident Mr. Shipp was brought to Fort Worth and hurried to St. Joseph's infirmary. Tuesday noon he was resting as well as could be expected, and it is said that he has good chances of recovery. One hip was crushed and other injuries sustained.

Mr. Shipp is a member of the Knights of Pythias lodge.

Lodge Meeting

Next Friday night the Knights of Pythias will hold a special meeting at their hall in North Fort Worth to consider important business. Besides the business, there will be a social feature to the meeting, and it is expected that there will be a number of visitors present at the meeting. Some entertaining features will be provided, and the affair will assume the features of a smoker.

Baptist Workers Meet

There was a meeting of the Tarrant county workers at the North Fort Worth Baptist church Tuesday. This was not a regular meeting of the county association, but just a meeting of a number of enthusiastic workers of the association.

The meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock and lasted until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. There were reports from the fields by the workers, and after that a sermon at 11 o'clock by Rev. Harling.

Dinner was served at the church, corner of Fifteenth street and the boulevard, and the afternoon was devoted to the discussion of religious topics.

Notes and Personals

Mrs. Eaton of Waco is visiting her son, William C. Eaton, who resides at 402 West Fifteenth street.

Already there have been a large number of visitors in North Fort Worth on account of the Fat Stock Show, and more are arriving. It is expected that there will be an immense crowd in attendance during the last three days of the week.

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The contest for the naming of the White City theater will close Wednesday, instead of Tuesday, as announced. This will be the last day that names will be received for the contest.

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Will Furnam has arrived from Dublin to visit his sister, Mrs. G. M. Hines, who has recently removed to Rosen Heights from Gainesville.

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NEW ORCHESTRA HAS REHEARSAL

Good Program by Amateur Organization

A number of friends of the Fort Worth Amateur orchestra gathered Monday night in Zane-Cetti hall for the purpose of enjoying the first public recital of this organization.

This society is composed of some of the most accomplished amateur musicians of the city, who have banded together for the purpose of study and social pleasure. While the society has been organized but a short time, the program rendered showed the ability of the members and careful study. D. J. Ehricht, the organizer and promoter of the society, showed himself an able director and an enthusiastic musician.

The program rendered was one which brought out the beauty of the various instruments. On account of illness several members were unable to be present, thus necessitating the absence of instruments, but altogether the program was much enjoyed. A piano solo by Miss Therese Ross showed her ability as an accomplished musician and accompanist. The vocal solo by Miss Marion Zane-Cetti was much enjoyed and showed a voice of exquisite sweetness and promise.

The many friends of the orchestra look forward to another recital in the near future.

The program was as follows:
Priest March from "Athalie".....Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy
Overture—"Poet and Peasant".....Franz von Suppe
Piano solo—Selected.....Miss Therese Ross
"Sarabande and Gavotte".....Arcangelo Corelli
"Invitation to the Valse".....Carl Maria von Weber
Andante and Scherzo from Quintet.....Reissiger
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WHOLE DISTRICT HAS BEEN PAVED

Continuous Sidewalks Laid by Owners of Property

A general movement for the putting down of sidewalks has been going on the past month on Henderson and Adams streets, between Jarvis and Pennsylvania avenue. A series of successive walks covering over two blocks is now being laid.

The new addition to the number of walks begins in the middle of the blocks on Henderson between West Daggett avenue and Broadway and goes to Broadway. The rest of the block already has sidewalks. From the corner of Henderson and Broadway the new walk continued the entire length of the block between Henderson and Adams streets on the north side of the street. On Adams street a walk is also being built along three-quarters of the west side of the street between Broadway and Daggett avenue, making a continuous new walk of 700 feet, work on which is now progressing.

Besides these new walks, 100 feet of walk was laid on Adams street between Jarvis street and Dagegtt avenue not long ago and 400 feet of solid walk, making a complete block on Henderson, between Peter Smith street and Broadway, and 100 feet on Peter Smith street.

The district named above now has almost continuous walks on both sides of the street on Adams and Henderson streets for three blocks and also on the cross streets.

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The Fort Worth Elks will give a minstrel show at Greenwall's opera house on April 16 and 17, for the purpose of raising funds for the new building.

A show was given by the Elks last year, which was a great success, and it is expected that the success this year will be even greater by reason of the experience gained.

A committee has been appointed by the organization for the purpose of arranging the entertainment and the members of the committee promise that the show will be even better than the last one.

It is expected that some of the society girls of the city will also participate in the show, although that part of the program has not been definitely arranged.

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PURE FOOD AND HOME INDUSTRY

The Telegram cannot refrain from offering its sincere congratulations to those enterprising citizens who have during the present week given our people the benefits of the Pure Food Show so successfully held in this city. The matter of pure food is one in which every citizen of Fort Worth is deeply and vitally interested, and so long as the discriminating public is discriminating in thought only, and accepts the things that are purveyed under the guise of pure food without anything to back them up but the word of an unscrupulous manufacturer or dealer, the prospects are decidedly gloomy for needed reform. But when the consumer and the purveyor both begin to take an interest in the matter by supplying and demanding the pure article, it is a good omen and shows that we are preparing to get a little bit out from the old ruts.

The matter of pure food in this connection and that of home industry is so nearly parallel that it also seems an opportune time to again suggest to our people the propriety of always patronizing home industries. Especially is this true in matters of domestic manufacture. The food article manufactured right here in Fort Worth must be good in order to compete with the best stuff of its kind that is shipped in here. And the manufacturer of the Fort Worth article, in the event of failing to measure up, is of much more easy access than the manufacturer of the same line located in Chicago. Here, the manufacturer can be reached by telephone if it is not desirable to pay a personal visit, and the things that are not right can be rectified on the spot.

While we are interested in the matter of pure food, We should not lose sight of our duties in all other directions. In the purchase of articles of every kind we should insist on having the Fort Worth made article at every opportunity. The more we can consume of the output of a Fort Worth manufactory, the more we are contributing to the upbuilding of a Fort Worth institution and Fort Worth in general.

It is the duty of every citizen of Fort Worth to patronize home industry.

THE KINGS OF THE RANGE

The city of Dallas has the honor of entertaining the kings of the range this week, through the meeting in that city of the thirtieth annual convention of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas. According to the reports that come from the sister city, the convention is largely attended this year, the city being filled with cattlemen not only from Texas, but all the Southwest.

And these big annual gatherings of the cowmen never fail to prove memorable occasions. They mark the coming together of the beef producers of the Southwest from every portion of the range country, the annual interchange of ideas, the annual swapping of yarns and recountal of reminiscences and a good time all around for those who can afford to lay dull care aside. Incidentally, there is a little trading, providing things are just exactly right, but the great majority of the men who attend these annual meetings of the cattlemen simply mill around and have a good time.

Of course, there are workers in the great organization known as the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, for the volume of its annual transactions is very large. But the work of the big organization is nearly all done by its executive committee, and so thoroughly is its affairs shaped and organized that every thing moves with the delicate precision of a fine piece of machinery and there is nothing left for the rank and file to do but enjoy the benefits of thorough organization.

The association has done and is doing a great work for the producing element of the Southwest. That work has been of far reaching effect especially during the last few years, and is still being felt all over the country. The Texas idea is making itself felt in the affairs of this nation at Washington today, and is playing a most important part in freeing the live stock industry of the country as a whole from many of the evils that have encompassed it. More work of this kind will be outlined at the Dallas meeting, for the great Texas organization has come to be regarded as the leader in all things pertaining to the live stock industry of the country, and it is in Texas that the bull must always be started moving.

The heart of Fort Worth goes out to these tried and true friends and allies in their annual meeting in Dallas, with the hope that their deliberations may prove both pleasant and fruitful. They are the very salt of the earth and heartily deserving of all the good things that possibly come their way. The domain of the kings of the range is annually being taken from them, and range operations correspondingly restricted. But the time will never come when there will be no range cattle industry in Texas, and those who are mourning the passing of the cattle business in this state had best prepare to dry their tears. The cattle business in Texas is here to stay. There may come a further change of methods, but so long as the civilized world eats beef, just so long will beef be produced with profit in Texas.

And next year we expect to have the cattlemen meet in Fort Worth. This is the home of their great organization, its headquarters are maintained here, and Fort Worth cannot consent that the next annual meeting shall be held elsewhere. So the kings of the range had as well set their houses in order and prepare to come home next year. Fort Worth will not be content with any other procedure.

CENTRALIZED CITY GOVERNMENT

In all the larger cities of Texas the matter of centralized municipal government is at this time attracting great attention. The Dallas News is an ardent supporter of the idea, and Dallas is in line for the experiment. San Antonio has already drafted a new city charter providing for the new departure, which will be submitted to the special session of the state legislature if a method for wedging it in can be discovered. Austin has the matter under serious consideration. The Statesman says:

Following upon the heels, or rather running along side in a companionship way, with the news coming from San Antonio, Houston and Fort Worth that said cities are going to give the elective commission theory a fair showing as has Galveston and oHuston ,comes the report of James Dalrymple, the Scotch expert on municipal ownership, which has just been made public, emphasizing the views expressed in interviews in the various cities he visited last year when he was brought over to this country by Mayor Dunne of Chicago to advise the latter in regard to the street railway system in that city. In these interviews Mr. Dalrymple stated that while municipal ownership had proved generally successful in Glasgow and other European cities which have practically ceased to grow, it was a bad principle for American cities because it had a tendency to retard a city's growth. The management by boards or bureaucracies is invariably slow, cumbrous, costly and inefficient as compared with the management of private corporations. His opinion was confirmed by his observations during his tour of the principal cities of the United States in which experiments are being tried in municipal ownership of various public utilities. In every instance he found that the service was bad or failed to keep up with the city's growth or was more costly to the consumer than the similar service by private corporations. Mr. Dalrymple's final conclusion was that these defects could not be remedied under the existing political conditions that prevail in American municipal governments.

Those who are advocating this new form of municipal government in Texas claim that it has a very strong tendency toward ridding the cities of the slow and cumbersome methods of the average city council, and the existing form of government and municipal management in general. It is also believed this centralized form of city government is a proper step in precedence of municipal ownership where such procedure is desired by the people.

It is evident from the continued agitation of this subject and the steps already taken in that direction that the new idea is going to be subjected to a practical test in all of the larger Texas cities. The demand of the times seems to be unmistakably for some improvement over existing conditions and advocates of the new idea claim they have the panacea for all existing evils.

SCORED ON FORT WORTH

The Granbury Democrat man is feeling good these days, and all on account of taking a nice fat job out of Fort Worth. He says:

The Fort Worth printing offices wanted to charge the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show $160 for printing the catalogue of their sale this month. The Democrat Job office printed the catalogue for $80 and delivered the books Monday. In getting out the catalogues we had the assistance of a printer from the Dallas Typographical Union, and while we do not claim that the book is perfect in all respects, it compares favorably with previous catalogues printed in Fort Worth at much higher figures. The members of the Fat Stock Show can be excused for sending the catalogue to a Granbury printing office when they saved the neat sum of $80 by so doing, and got just as good work. We made a fair profit on the job, but could have made more if we had had the gall to want as much as the Fort Worth printing offices wanted to charge for it. It is no wonder that Fort Worth job printing is going to the country offices to be done. The Fort Worth Fat Stock Show did right when it refused to be robbed.

The Telegram does not know any thing concerning the awarding of this work to the Granbury man, except what is contained in the above statement. If he was able to come into Fort Worth, meet Fort Worth competition and walk off with a fat take it stands that much to his credit. But the general understanding is that prices for all kinds of commercial printing are very reasonable in Fort Worth, and the charge of attempted robbery does not comport with the general understanding of the situation in this city. The job printing establishments located here are business institutions, and presumed to be conducted along legitimate lines. When they manifest a disposition to do otherwise a loss of patronage would be the inevitable result.

In job printing, as in all things else, there is a matter of quality to be considered, and few of the small country offices in the state are prepared to compete with the large city offices in the matter of the quality of the work they turn out, from the fact they do not enjoy the same facilities. But if the Granbury office turned out as good work as could be done in Fort Worth at one-half the Fort Worth price it is entitled to much credit for its unusual achievement.

Alton B. Parker says the South is in position to control the Democratic party and should do so. There is no question but the party would have been in better shape if the Parker idea had been adopted before the last presidential campaign.

That suspected case of yellow fever at New Orleans turns out to be a case of liver trouble, and the people of the entire South are pleased to learn the truth of the matter. Another outbreak of fever in the city so early in the season would seem to indicate an epidemic for the future that would be of no mean proportions.

The weather man seems to have slipped a cog and given Texas a taste of March weather that legitimately belongs to Kansas or Nebraska.

Only one day more until the opening of the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, and it will be an occasion that will long be remembered throughout the Southwest.

The governor is opposed to any consideration of the blanket primary idea during the special session of the state legislature, and members of the body should defer to his views. The session should be devoted solely to the purposes outlined in the official call.

The Texas Press

Francis Marion Cockrell, ex-United States senator from Missouri, is after the Standard Oil company in his own state, and when "old Frank" and Joe Folk with Attorney Hadley thrown in get through with that gang of highway robbers, they will know that they have been in a scrap.—Bonham Favorite.

The consumers of Standard Oil and the various by-products will also have reason to know they have been in something of an entanglement. The trust people have never yet failed to devise a method of making the consumer pay the freight.

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James Hays Quarles, the Fort Worth newspaper man, has decided not to run for flotorial representative, as he decided his candidacy injured that of C. K. Bell and W. D. Williams.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Colonel James Hays Quarles is a patriot as well as a newspaper man. His heart is located in the right place and he would not injure the smallest thing that crawls on the face of God's footstool if he knew how to avoid it. Besides all that, he has decided that a man who is a "floater" must be a light weight, and heaven knows Colonel Quarles has no desire to pose in that capacity.

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It is estimated that Texas has a million voters, but something less than 500,000 have qualified this year by paying poll taxes. What an awkward situation for the candidates! One out of every two voters he approaches is unqualified to enter the voting booth, though fully qualified to accept cigars or drinks.—San Antonio Express.

There ought to be another provision added to the Terrell election law providing for the protection of candidates. The man who has failed to pay his poll tax should be compelled to wear a label during the time candidates are in action.

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The special session of the legislature which convenes in Austin March 26, ought to be characterized by strictly business methods. There was sufficient unbusinesslike ones displayed at the regular session to last the state a good long time.—Denison Herald.

The approaching special session of the state legislature should get down to business in the most approved manner, but such a procedure is hardly possible. There will be too many candidates and all around politicians at Austin during the next thirty days to permit a strictly business session of the state legislature.

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One of the secrets of success of the commission government in getting Houston out of debt was equalizing property tax valuations and the collection of delinquent taxes. If property valuations in Beaumont were taxed on an equitable basis, this city could within a year pay off its outstanding indebtedness and have cash in the treasury with which to make public improvements. Evidence of this is the fact that the insurance valuation of property in Beaumont—which don't include land—exceeds $14,000,000, while the tax valuation which includes land, railroad tracks and everything insurable, is less than $10,000,000.—Beaumont Journal.

And that fully sustains a point long argued by The Telegram. What Texas most needs now in tax matters is the proper equalization. When this is done the state, county and city governments can all rapidly attain the pay as you go policy.

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Whenever a town gets divided up in half a dozen little cliques and clans, that town is as dead as a door nail so far as public enterprises are concerned. If people don't pull together, they will pull everything down.—Austin Tribune.

All of which is plain gospel truth. No town can grow and prosper whose people are divided and continually scrapping among themselves. In this time of push and hustle it requires a pull all together to achieve results.

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Galveston is setting an example for all Texas. She has arisen from her injury, has forgotten her troubles of the past, and is happy in the work of pushing forward to build up the great port city of the South. If North Texas towns would spend one-fifth the amount of money that Galveston is spending to make a greater Galveston, it wouldn't be long until there would be some magnificent and prosperous cities in North Texas.—Sherman Register.

Galveston is showing a commendable energy, but it came after a dreadful catastrophe and was a case of do things or quit business. North Texas cities and towns are continually doing things without being driven to action through necessity.

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Peace again hovers over the wigwams of the Farmers union in Texas, and it was a Taylor county man, Colonel Childers, who made it possible by offering and having passed a resolution looking to an amicable compromise. Now with a united pull and a pull together for the common good of the farmers of the South upon whose well being and prosperity all of us depend in the end.—Abilene News.

If the farmers can manage to keep the politicians out of their organization they will have much smoother sailing. But so long as the men who want offices are permitted to creep within the sheep fold there is going to be continual trouble .

QUAKER REFLECTIONS

The dyspeptic's motto is: "Eat, drink and be sorry."

Death loves a shining but not necessarily an easy mark.

What's in a name? A croquette, after all, is only hash.

There is absolutely no hope for the fellow who is too lazy to go fishing.

The way to stop drinking is not to abolish liquor, but to abolish thirst.

The trouble with education is that it often unfits a man for making a living.

When a girl refers to twilight as the gloaming it's a pretty sure sign she's in love.

Any man knows what to say, but the trouble is he doesn't always remember not to say it.

It takes a woman who wears false hair to sneer at another because she suspects her figure isn't all her own.

There is a legend that Death used to ride a pale horse; but that was before the day of the automobile.—Philadelphia Record.

MODERN ATLAS



WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Since Elder Bennet, the young congressman from New York city, made an exhibition of Representative Hopkins of Kentucky in the house the other day in replying to the speech of Mr. Hopkins on the subject of immigration, some of the other New York city men have been hoping Hopkins would attempt to reply. He was such an easy mark for Elder Bennet that they want a shy at him themselves. One of them tackled him on the subject yesterday and asked if he did not intend to come back at Bennet.

"Not on your life," said Hopkins. "I know when I've been well skinned, and once is enough for me."

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John Sharp Williams was taunting the republicans because they were going into a caucus on the statehood bill, and reminding them he had told them the first day of the session how they would deliver themselves, bound and gagged, to the house machine. He made the picture so clear that Miller of Kansas, who is one of those in trouble between Uncle Joe and their constituents on the statehood matter, could stand it no longer, and butted in.

"Would you accept an invitation to that caucus?" he asked.

"Yes," drawled Williams, "I will if you will promise that after I am there I shall not be gagged and bound and sent back to the rear row to sit silent through it all."

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Judge Palmer, the hard-headed old lawyer who represents the Wilkesbarre district, called on his old friend Aleck McDowell, clerk of the house, the other day. While he was there a Scranton man came in, and Uncle Aleck introduced him to Judge Palmer and went on with his work.

"Where are you from, Judge?" asked the newcomer.

"I'm from Wilkesbarre way," replied Palmer.

"Is that so? Well, years ago, when I was a boy, they had an old duck named Palmer over there who was a cracker-jack at pulling wires and got into politics a heap. I think he got to be attorney general of the state."

"Yes," mused Palmer, looking into the fire, "I remember. I am that old duck."

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Reeder of Kansas, a red-hot statehood insurgent, and Wachter of Maryland, always an organization man, had a lively tilt as to the difference between a caucus and a conference.

"If this thing the speaker has called is a caucus, I stay out," said Reeder, "because a caucus binds those who attend, and a conference does not."

"Nonsense," retorted Wachter. "There is no difference at all between them."

"I know there is," insisted Reeder, "and this performance today just shows why. That's why Cannon is so dead set for it. You don't know what 'caucus' means."

"Well, what does it mean?' demanded the Maryland man.

"It comes from an Indian word 'cawcawwassough,'" replied Reeder, "and means 'one who pushes on.' That's just what Cannon is doing now. He's trying to push us all on."

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"Nobody seems to want our territory," said ex-Delegate B. S. Rodey of New Mexico today, "and there is no telling where we have landed by the time the statehood fight is settled. Our status is as uncertain as that of an old negro slave I once heard of. Somebody asked him whom he belonged to.

"Ah don't know, Suh," replied the darky. "Ole Marse, he upstairs playin' pokah."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

There is no other disease quite so contagious as gossip.

A conceited man misleads himself more than he does others.

What's the matter with a star circus performer as a ringleader?

After finding something good get busy and look for something better.

Any man who is capable of thinking real thoughts never gets lonesome.

Paradoxical though it may seem, it takes a good wife to make a good husband.

Success comes to the man who can adapt himself quickly to unexpected conditions.

When a man's conscience begins to approve of his evil deeds he has reached the bottom.—Chicago News.

GET IT STRAIGHT

There may be objection to pure food legislation in the senate, but we get plenty of pure and unadulterated buncombe, without any legislation.—Chicago Record-Herald.

VERSES THAT RING

"THE TWO ANGELS"

I stood and saw the angel of the dawn,
Whose rest had been in heaven the dark night through,
Pressing, with jeweled feet, the silent lawn
In radiant robes of dew.

And slowly to the west, in ebon gldom,
Upbearing in his lifted hands on high
The scroll of destiny—of life and doom—
The nightwatch passed by.

But ere he turned his step from earth away,
I gazed upon his countenance again,
And, lo! I thought upon his brow there lay
A shadow as of pain.

But he, the brother angel of the day,
Bore on his breast the beaming star of hope,
And in his golden chalice balm, alway,
On bruised hearts to drop.

And so to men there cometh evermore
An angel fraught with promise, making glad;
And one who taketh from the stricken sore
Much anguish, wild and sad.

—John MacFarlane.

LITTLE STORIES WELL TOLD

FOR HIS CIRCULATION

On his 68th birthday last month Andrew Carnegie praised poverty.

"Poverty," he said, "develops us. It makes us work our hardest. Thus it brings out the best that is in us.

"But this it won't do unless we keep brave in adversity. If we despair we are doomed.

"I like to see men cheerful in misfortune. I used to know a young painter who was so poor he could not afford to dress warmly enough in the winter time.

"I met him one coldish day in Pittsburg. He had on a summer suit of blue serge, and the wind molded the suit to his limbs till the cloth clung as if wet.

"'I never wear an overcoat, he said.

"'Never?' said I.

"'No, never,' he repeated, laughing bravely.

"'But what do you do in very cold weather?' I asked.

"'I run,' he answered.

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OBEYED INSTRUCTIONS

Connie Mack, manager of the Athletics of Philadelphia, was talking about the disastrous games with the New York Giants.

Suddenly the look of pain faded from his face, and a gentle smile appeared.

"One funny thing, though," he said, "I did see on that unlucky day.

"As the crowd was pushing and struggling to get out at the game's end a boy bored his way to the fence and began to climb over it.

"A policeman hastened toward him.

"'Hey, there, kid,' he yelled; 'none o' that. Go out the way you came in.'

"But by this time the boy had reached the top. He said, as he vanished on the other side:

"'This is the way I came in.'"

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WHAT HE WAS DOING

Owen Wister, the novelist, was criticising the work of a literary beginner.

"Now, here," said Mr. Wister, slashing his blue pencil through an entire manuscript page, "here is arrant superfluity and surplusage. In what way do these 400 words help your story?

"In no way. On the contrary, they hinder, they impede it. These written words are mere surplusage, as so many of our spoken words are mere surplusage. They resemble the useless questions that we ask.

"A man stood before a mirror in his room, his face lathered and an open razor in his hand.

"His wife came in. She looked at him and said:

"'Are you shaving?'

"The man, a foe to surplusage, replied fiercely:

"'No; Im blacking the kitchen range. Where are you—out driving or at a matinee?'"

MAKE 'EM PONDER

Theatrical people are declining to issue passes to railroad men, and the latter are acquiring a thoughtful look.—Philadelphia Ledger.

TO THE MOB

If William K. Jr., had discharged a broadside of silver bullets into that Italian mob maybe the results would have been more satisfactory.—Columbia State.

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HENRY POLLACK TRUNK CO.

DEATHS

W. N. Hopkins, 28 years of age, died Sunday morning at his home, 809 West Central avenue, of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife and children and a brother in North Fort Worth and his parents in Dallas. The remains were shipped to Kansas City Monday evening.

SPECIAL TRAIN HERE

Canadians Returning from Trip Across Continent

The Cuthbert special excursion train arrived at Fort Worth at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the City of Mexico en route on its return trip to Canada. The train consists of six coaches including sleepers and diners and it is equipped with everything needful for a long railroad journey. In the party are a number of Canadians who have been making a tour of Mexico. The party passed through Fort Worth en route to Mexico about four weeks ago.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Why, yes: all the fashionable women want the best in hats, and for that reason they go to J. M. Reagan's, Sixth and Houston streets, to get them.

George D. Elliott of Midland is a guest at the Metropolitan.

In any part of town Haggard & Duff, 513 Main street, have property listed. They will help you to build a home and secure the property.

C. W. Grownball and Sib X. Moore of Shreveport are in the city.

The place to get anything you want for the home is at the Nix Furniture and Storage Co., 304 Houston street. Cash or time is the way goods are sold.

Earl B. Caraway of Sherman is among the visitors here today.

Dr. Johnston's Red Blood Tonic drives out all poisons from the blood and leaves it rich, red and pure. Dillon Bros., 200 Jennings avenue.

D. Y. Hadley and J. Lindsey, live stock men of El Paso, are here on business.

Full line of horse timers at Cromer Bros., 1616 Main street.

J. T. Berry and L. M. Body of Merkel are guests at Hotel Worth.

The Eagle Loan Office, 1009 Main street, makes liberal loan on all articles of value. Unredeemed pledges at one-half price.

Mrs. J. N. Ward of Orange and Mrs. W. B. Ward of Amarillo are visiting in this city.

Try us for Furniture and Rugs, cash or credit; trade us your old furniture for new. Hubbard Bros., phone 2191.

We dress your horse in the latest style. Old harness taken in exchange for new. Nobby Harness Company.

NEW TEXAS CHARTERS

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 20.—Charter filed yesterday:

Montgomery Hardware Company; Sweetwater, Nolan county, capital, $20,000.

Clem Lumber Company, San Angelo, Tom Green county; capital, $20,000.

Wertheimer Iron and Metal Company, Dallas, capital, $10,000.

Aqua Pura Bottling Company, Houston, capital, $20,000.

Godley Mill and Elevator Company, Godley, Johnson county, capital, $15,000.

M. C. Kirkpatrick Company, Mullins, Mills county, capital, $8,000.

First State bank, Sagoville, Dallas county, capital, $10,000.

Waco Electrical Supply Company, Waco, capital, $10,00.

Brenham Compress Company, Brenham, capital, $[illegible],000.

El Paso Fuel Company, El Paso, capital, $50,000.

Amendment — Dennis Mercantile Company, Taylor county, by changing its name to Hogue-Hamilton Company.

Citizens' State bank, Richardson, Dallas county, capital, $10,000.

INJURED NEGRO DIES

James Mobley's Death Due to Bright's Disease

James Mobley, a negro, 30 years of age, who was found at 1205 East Ninth street with his throat cut and sent to St. Joseph's hospital Sunday morning, died there Monday. Mobley had been suffering from kidney trouble for some time, Bright's disease being the immediate cause of death.

We are more sensible of what is done against custom than against nature.—Plutarch.

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In our Millinery department we are doing our particular best to satisfy ladies who want to pay about $5 for a hat.

Of course we have now on display quite a few for which we are compelled to ask more than $5, and a large number that we sell for less.

Our trimmer, who, by the way, is a mere woman, may have an ambition to make hats for people who do not care what price they pay; but if she has, such ambition will not soon be satisfied here.

However, our Mrs. Harrill has a collection that we are proud to show.

Having been identified with the millinery business in Fort Worth for more than fifteen years and in charge of some of the leading departments here, she is not unknown to many.

Let us show you.

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5313 Infant's Tucked and Plain Sacques, 6 mos., 1 and 2 years.

Infants' Tucked and Plain Sacques 5313

The little sacque that can be slipped on over the baby's dress whenever the morning is cool makes a valuable addition to his wardrobe and is always dainty and attractive as well as serviceable. Here are two models, the one tucked and the other plain that are equally correct and equally attractive, which is better depending entirely on individual preference and taste. In the illustration the tucked sacque is made of pale blue cashmere and is featherstitched with belding silk, while the plain one is of pink French flannel trimmed with a little dainty banding purchased by the yard. All the light weight wool materials are appropriate, however, veiling and albatross as well as the heavier cashmeres and flannels.

Each sacque is made with fronts and back. The tucked sacque is slightly warmer and fuller, but both include the turn-down collar and the plain sleeves that allow a choice of cuffs or no cuffs.

The quantity of material required for a child one year old is 1½ yards 27, 1¼ yards 36 or 1 yard 44 inches wide with 3½ yards of banding to trim the plain sacque as illustrated.

The pattern 5313 is cut in sizes for children of 6 months, 1 and 2 years.

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This pattern will be mailed by filling out the above coupon, inclosing 10 cents, and sending to The Telegram Pattern Department, Fort Worth, Texas.

How Could He Help It

That the geographical area of the United States is not fully comprehended by the average foreigner is illustrated by an anecdote. An Englishman, accompanied by his valet, had been traveling due west from New York for four days. At the end of the fourth day master and servant seated themselves in the smoker of the train, whence the man looked steadily out the car window. At last his companion grew curious.

"John," he said, "of what are you thinking?"

"I was just thinking, sir, about the discovery of Hamerica," replied the valet. "Columbus didn't do such a wonderful thing when he found this country, did he, sir? Hafter all's said and done, 'ow could 'e 'elp it."

Didn't Recognize It

A West Philadelphia family was at supper the other night talking about the engagement of one of the daughters, whose wedding was soon to be. The negro servant, who acted as waitress, laundress, etc., had just brought into the dining room the dessert, when one of the girls asked:

"Virginia, have you seen Edith's fiance?"

"Laws! I doan know, honey," she replied, "hit ain't been in de wash yit."

MOORE OPENS CAMPAIGN

Candidate Makes Initial Speech in Race for Governor at Waco

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, March 20.—Monta J. Moore of Cameron delivered the opening gun in his race for governor in this city this afternoon. His address was delivered in the city hall, and that building was crowded.

A special train came up on the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railroad today, coming from points as low down as Giddings, and brought several hundred people from Mr. Moore's home town. The train was bannered, and the friends of Mr. Moore wore badges.

Mr. Moore was given close attention and spoke for an hour or more. His remarks were devoted largely to the discussion of his plan of regulating the trusts of Texas by a corporation commission.

He insists that there is a lumber trust in Texas; that there is a cotton seed oil trust, as well as a number of other trusts, and, with a corporation commission, all trusts can be regulated as the railroads are regulated by the railroad commission.

He submitted his candidacy for governor upon the issue of regulating the trusts, contending that this is the most important question before the people of Texas.



Monday Book Club

The Monday Book Club was called to order promptly at 2:30 Monday afternoon. After the roll call and reading of the minutes, Mrs. Robert Buchanan directed a very interesting debate on, "Has Justice Been Meeted to the Indian." Mrs. Orr led the affirmative, supported by Mrs. Fry and Miss Alice Lathrop. Miss Labatt led the negative, supported by Mrs. Wardlaw and Miss Ray Saunders. Mesdames Morton, Tewksbury and Hertford were the judges, deciding in favor of the affirmative.

Mrs. Sam Henderson read a paper on "Indian Myths and Legends."

History Club

The History Club was called to order by the president Monday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. H. W. Williams. Mrs. Julian Andrews directed the history study. Very good papers were read by Mrs. James Collett on "The Constitutional Convention;" by Mrs. Rose on "The Virginia Plan;" by Miss Bessie White on "Connecticut Compromise;" by Mrs. Albert Evans on "Gouverneur Morris;" by Mrs. Lloyd Pollock on "John Langdon," and by Mrs. Ford on "Edmund Randolph."

Trio Club

The Trio Club rehearsal Monday afternoon was on the numbers to be given at their next concert, the third of the series for this year. The concert will be given on April 17.

Tea Drinking

Mrs. H. H. Cobb gave a tea drinking afternoon on Monday, complimenting Mrs. O. L. Teachout and Miss Ethel Teachout of Adrian, Mich. Tea was served from a table dainty with a red carnation centerpiece. The guests to meet the visitors were: Mesdames Z. E. B. Nash, George W. Parker, N. H. Lassiter, S. M. Gaines, J. F. Wellington, L. D. Cobb, W. A. Duringer, Will Cobb.

Worth High Five

Mrs. J. A. Coker wil entertain the members of the Worth High Five Club Wednesday afternoon, at 514 West Third street.

D. A. R.

At the call meeting of the Mary Isham Keith chapter, D. A. R., the sum of $50 was raised, which is the contribution of the local chapter to the memorial hall at Washington city.

The regent, Mrs. John F. Swayne; Mrs. C. I. Dickinson, and Miss Ruth Wingfield were instructed to prepare suitable resolutions on the death of the former regent, Mrs. E. D. Bell.

The Continental tea, postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Bell, will be given April 20 or on a date close to that day.

Mrs. W. A. Huffman

Mrs. W. A. Huffman is spending a few days in town before returning to Dallas. From there she will go to Cuero.

Mrs. Huffman's lecture on Siam, illustrated by her rich collection of oriental fabrics, all of which were made in the harem of the royal palace of Siam, have attracted much favorable interest in Dallas. Several societies, church and educational, have heard her lecture and the praise has been of the warmest kind.

One of the leading experts on carpets and tapestry there estimated that her fabrics alone would be valued at $50,000 by any museum that has an oriental department. Not one of the fabrics, scarfs or curtains has been or can be duplicated outside of the royal palace of Siam.

Social Personals

Mrs. E. R. Meek spent Monday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben J. Tillar are at the Delaware.

Zack Mulhall let Fort Worth Monday for Dallas.

Clarence Conner at of Savannah, Ga., is visiting in Fort Worth.

James Gray is attending the cattlemen's convention in Dallas.

Burke Burnett is attending the cattlemen's convention in Dallas.

Mrs. T. A. McDowell returned Monday forenoon from a visit to south Texas.

Mademoiselle Toucas, Miss Lillian Fakes' guest, will leave this week for a month's trip in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kingsbery and Joe Kingsbery of Randolph, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stripling.

W. B. Ward Jr., William Anson, Berney Anderson, Lee Rumsey, J. Frerichs and James Collett are in New Orleans. They play the New Orleans Polo Club Wednesday.

BIG DAMAGE SUIT

Widow Asks $100,000 Folllowing Death of Husband

Special to The Telegram.

SHERMAN, Texas, March 20.—Mrs. Kitty Kinsey on behalf of herself and sons, Samuel A., Benjamin J. and Paul F., filed a damage suit in the Fifteenth district court today against J. H. Foster and C. C. McCarthy of Denison for $100,000, following the death of her husband, P. B. Kinsey, Feb. 6, 1906. This is the largest damage suit for years in Grayson county.

Curtain Rod Substitute

Have you learned the trick of using quarter-inch iron wire instead of brass rods for hanging of sash curtains? For the shams, the mantel and closet curtains and all the little extra "shirrs" put up in house decoration it answers just as well and is about one-fifth the price. It is necessary to have a little bottle of gold paint and to "wash" it, both for the sake of the looks and to keep it from rusting. You can have it cut in lengths wanted at any hardware store, and will be surprised at the purchasing power of the small sum of 10 cents when invested in it.

When Dr. Paton followed the call of God to the New Hebrides, the 18,000 who have since accepted Christ were cannibals, says the Ram's Horn. There are now twenty-three missionaries and 300 teachers working among the 40,000 that are still cannibals. Sometimes they are murdered or stolen for slaves, but others are always ready to take their places.

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The City in Brief

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J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel. Phone 530.

Ebb McKinney of Mineral Wells is here.

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Straw Shopping Baskets at Conner's Book Store.

Good lumber, low prices. Manning Lumber Co., 700 W. R. R. ave. Tels. 906.

Tom Russell is here from Menardville.

League Baseball Shoes, $2.50, at Monnig's.

Cap Newman of Sweetwater is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. DuPree of Paris are in the city.

For monuments see Fort Worth Marble and Granite Works.

E. W. Kidwell is here from Aspermont.

W. L. Lott and family of Stamford are at the Delaware.

Leghorn eggs, at Polk Stock Yards, 50c per setting of fifteen.

S. Ikard of Henrietta, an exhibitor in the Fat Stock Show, is here from his home.

J. M. Stewart Transfer Company hauls anything in the freight line. Phone 357.

For careful handling and prompt delivery, ring 357. J. M. Stewart Transfer Company.

Alden R. Wallace of the Leslie and Seligman railway postoffice has resigned.

Bowden Tims saves you 10 per cent on lumber. 711 West Railroad avenue. Both phones 711.

Ross Barry, one of the Fat Stock Show exhibitors, arrived from Walnut Springs Tuesday morning.

The cowboy postmaster, Lon M. Barkley, will go over to Dallas Wednesday to bring over the cattlemen.

Dr. F. G. Bittick Jr. was in Dallas Monday in order to attend the meeting of the State Medical Veterinary Association.

It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main street.

Ezra S. McMullen of the Fort Worth and Galveston railroad postoffice has been transferred to the Hempstead and Llano railway postoffice.

The Young Men's Society of the Mulkey Memorial church has announced a social gathering to be at the church Tuesday night. A short program will be arranged and refreshments will be served.

One-year-old roses, $1 dozen, 2-year-old roses $3 dozen, pot grown verbenas, 40c dozen; Cana bulbs, 50c dozen; pansies, 35c dozen. McCart's Green Houses, 213 East Belknap and 505-507 East Bluff. Old Phone 1053.

Miss Belle Kearney has reached Fort Worth and will lecture Tuesday night at the Cumberland Presbyterian church on "Russia as I Saw It." This lecture is under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

Conductor W. H. Hanney of the Houston and Texas Central took down fifty board of trade buttons to decorate the Ennis delegation going to Dallas Tuesday. The buttons are those urging Fort Worth as the cattle convention city.



WORTH Commandery No. 19, K. T., will confer the orders of Knighthood, beginning at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Lunch will be served in the asylum at 7 o'clock. Members of the commandery and all visiting Sir Knights cordially invited. ELMO RENFRO, Commander.

"Attest:
W. H. FEILD, Recorder.

Texans In the City

At the Delaware

Dallas—W. N. Simmons.
Stamford—W. L. Lott and family.
Dalhart—Mrs. J. A. Hedrick.
Jonah—J. A. Salyer.
San Angelo—John Hassard, W. D. Currier.
Palo Pinto—W. K. Bell.
Brownwood—Sam Brin.
Seymour—W. D. Davis, George Brignan, W. H. Gibbs.
Quanah—L. T. Clark.
Texarkana—H. Hartley.
Midland—L. M. Murphy and wife, A. J. Boyd and wife, Miss C. M. Gougill, Fred Murphy, J. M. Cowden.
Mineral Wells—E. C. Maddox, A. B. Hitt.
Weatherford—A. A. Akard and wife, S. G. Maddox.
Waco—J. B. Stannard.
Walnut Springs—Ross Barry.
Amarillo—W. W. Jones, H. S. Sadler.
Beeville—J. C. Word, David Myers.
Cleburne—R. E. Willis.
Aspermont—E. W. Kidwell.
San Antonio—C. Palmer, J. K. Burr.

At the Worth

Dallas—F. H. Burnaby.
Caldwell—D. J. Dacy.
Denison—John Doyle, M. L. Eppstein.
Graham—R. F. Arnold.
Amarillo—J. O. Curtis and wife, O. H. Nelson.
Barstow—George E. Barstow.
Ennis—E. O. Chadwick.
Gainesville—Richard Burrage, L. A. House, Bailey English.
Vernon—J. E. Lutz.
Waco—W. B. Brazelton.
San Antonio—J. J. Coffman.
Austin—Mrs. R. N. Watts.
Temple—Miss Florence Cahoon.
Marshall—W. E. Maxfield.
Montague—J. E. Bryant.
Mineral Wells—Ebb McKinney.
McLean—R. E. Coldin, A. O. Cook.
Ennis—J. C. Senter.
Ballinger—R. O. Walton.
Big Springs—R. C. Sanderson.
Paris—James W. DuPree and wife.
Galveston—C. F. W. Felt.

At the Metropolitan

Dallas—J. S. Milliken, Ben Huntley, W. B. Gans, R. Nackell, C. S. Chambers.
Menardville—Tom Russell, I. Ellis.
Snyder—E. W. Clark, W. A. Fuller.
San Antonio—J. F. Kline.
Quanah—E. J. Wall.
Texarkana—G. R. De Poyster.
Sherman—F. McQueen.
Henrietta—S. Ikard.
Decatur—R. L. Thompson, E. O. Lively.
San Saba—J. J. Lucas.
Pecos—W. L. Ross, J. S. Ross.
Sweetwater—Cap Newman.
Midland—A. L. Camp.
Hereford—W. R. Evantz.
Baird—J. C. McWhorter.
Odessa—R. D. Hunter.
Big Springs—J. W. Ward.
Saginaw—O. L. Tucker.
Morgan—John T. Linter and wife.
Bellevue—Percy Webb.
Marshall—Page Harris.
Lufkin—J. A. Long.
Vernon—S. T. Wilhelm.
Abilene—K. C. Wylie.
Houston—J. J. McCartney.
Quanah—D. E. Decker and wife.
Justin—Z. J. Harmonson and wife.
Stephenville—O. W. Cameron.
Jacksboro—L. T. Hawes.
San Diego—Wiley Seays.
College Station—M. S. Church.
San Antonio—R. L. Wills.

STOCK FARMS INCREASE

Advance in Lubbock County Noted by Cattleman

J. W. Dalton of Lubbock county is a visitor at the cattlemen's convention in Dallas this week, and will remain in Fort Worth for the Fat Stock Show. Mr. Dalton owns twelve sections on the plains, and has been in the ranching business a number of years.

"Stock farming is rapidly increasing in Lubbock county," he said to a Telegram reporter. "For the past two or three years there has been a great increase in farming, and if we only had a railroad to take out farm products and bring in building material the country would settle up very rapidly.

"I sold a half section of my land last year to a farmer for $4 an acre, and in the first season he raised twenty-three bales of cotton, besides eighty acres of sorghum, which he hauled to Big Springs and sold for $60 a ton. At the end of the year he had paid for his farm and was money ahead.

"We can raise cotton, milo maize, Kaffir corn and practically all other farm products, but the question of getting them to market is a serious one. For the same reason building material is almost impossible to get save at exorbitant prices for freight.

"As soon as we get a railroad the country will develop readily, as it is an ideal farming section.

"While in the vicinity of Fort Worth I expect to look into the chances of buying some Jersey cows to ship out into Lubbock county. There is such a demand for milch cows there that a good Jersey would easily fetch $100 to $125.

"I haven't been in Fort Worth since 1884, and it looks to me as if the town had grown entirely out of its shoes."

Detroit fants think Jack Warner is the best catcher that town has seen since the days when Charlie Bennett was in his prime.

Burton-Peel Dry Goods Co.

BELOW we mention a few things you will appreciate. Articles of worth, specially "underpriced" for Wednesday.

Embroidered Habutai 79c

We have just opened a new line of White Habutai Silks, with hand-embroidered colored dots and figures, the regular $1.00 quality; our price is but 79c.

White Madras 12c

A special purchase of 2000 yards White Madras Waistings and Shirtings, soft finished, light weight; the width is 36 inches; the actual worth is 25c; extra special, 12c.

Spunglass Petticoats 48c

No matter what store you visit, this grade and style petticoat is sold at 75c. Black grounds with white dots, well made of good quality fabric; special, 48c.

White Madras 10c

A lot of 27-inch White Madras Waistings and Shirtings, sold at all stores at 15c and 19c. This is a special buy; soft summer weight, the yard only 10c.

Ladies Skirts $1.49

200 Ladies' Mohair Skirts; navy, black and white. We will not be able to duplicate this lot to sell under $2.50; well made, all sizes; Wednesday's sale $1.49.

Childrens Dresses 89c

This special will please the mothers. Girls' School Dresses of Gingham and fine madras and percale, nicely made and trimmed, regular $1.25 values, 89c.

Table Damask 29c

Here are twenty piece bleached Union Table Damask—heavy weight, 60 inches wide. It is worth 49c; just for a Wednesday special, the yard 29c.

Childrens Drawers 5c

Hundreds of these Muslin Drawers will be sold tomorrow. Well made, all sizes; usual 8 and 10c sellers. We shall offer the choice tomorrow, only 5c.

Jewelry and Combs

The new is always to be found here first. The center aisle is brimful of new Jewelry Fads. The Novelty Hair Ribbon Pin is a 4-inch bar of gold set with rhinestones, 25c. Another special is a Ladies' Purse Fob, wide ribbon with gold medallions, 69c. New line of Combs just opened; set of three 69c upwards. Single Combs 25c and upwards. Both lines are new creations, filigree gold work set in jewels. See the line.

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There is as much difference between the genuine Mexican Chili Con-Carne and the IMITATION as there always is in every line—the imitation made to sell—the genuine to PLEASE. Ours is the famous old-time Mexican dish, made of the finest beef, Chili beans and real Chili pods. Call for it at restaurants, etc., or at your grocers'. Look for the "Red Cross." It's your protection. Prepared by Houston Packing Co., Houston, Tex.

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CATTLEMEN FIGHTING HIGH FREIGHT RATES

Outline of Work Done by the Texas Association

3-YEAR STRUGGLE

Interesting Story of Cattle Raisers' Efforts to Secure Modification of Tariffs

An interesting story of the fight that has been waged in the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas against an increase in the rates for shipping live cattle to market is told in the annual program of the thirtieth annual convention, which is now being held in Dallas. The fight, which dates back to 1898, has been waged intermittently ever since the cattlemen, considering that terminal charges at the Chicago stock yards were unjust, entered a protest, and this failing, carried the matter before the interstate commerce commission.

The story of the whole eight-years' struggle, in a large part of which Attorney S. H. Cowan of Fort Worth has been a prominent figure, representing the interests of the cattlemen, is told in the following language:

The Railroad Rate Legislation

"From the standpoint of dollars and cents, a matter of the very greatest importance which now claims the attention of this association and to which its efforts are being directed, is the want of regulation of the railroad rates and charges which you have to pay, or which if you do not in person pay is yet as much chargeable against your property, for it must all be shipped by some one, and the freight rate is as certain a tax upon it as is the tax levied by your state and county. Almost ten years ago, after repeated protest against the manifestly unjust and unreasonable charge of $2 per car made by the railroads for delivering live stock at the Union Stock yards at Chicago, this association filed its complaint with the interstate commerce commission, demanding an investigation thereof, which resulted in the commission having made a finding in 1898 that said charge was unjust and unreasonable, at least to the extent of $1 per car. But for want of the power to put its findings and order into effect the railroads continued to make said charge, notwithstanding the tribunal appointed by the government to do so had held it to be unreasonable and unjust, and after having litigated this case in the courts of the country it was ultimately referred back to the interstate commerce commission, and that body again decided said charge to be unjust and unreasonable. But for want of power to make its findings and order effective the railroads are continuing to make said charge, and again the question must be relegated by the courts to enforce the commission's order against such unlawful charge.

"Beginning in the early part of 1899 the railroads, as organized through their traffic organizations and in combination with each other, began a system of advancing the rate of freight on shipments of live stock from Texas and kindred territory to the markets and elsewhere, as a result of which two advances were made in the year 1899. This association believing that the railroads ought to deal fairly with the great live stock producing interests of the country, secured a meeting of the traffic agents of all of the southwestern lines at St. Louis and after this association had fully prepared itself on the showing that the advances in these rates were unjust and unreasonable, laid the matter before said traffic agents, and after giving respectful hearing they as respectfully refused to do anything.

"Seeing the ease with which these advances might be made and millions of dollars taken from the pockets of the cattle raisers of the southwest, these railroads in the early part of 1903 again materially advanced your rates of freight. This last advance amounted to approximately $7 per car for all shipments from the state of Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma, being slightly less in some localities and slightly more in others. And during the same year similar advances were made in the rates from western Kansas, Colorado, western Nebraska and from New Mexico and elsewhere to the markets.

"Seeing that the power to advance these rates was as complete as the power of taxation, and quite as much beyond the possibility of prevention, this association filed its complaint before the interstate commerce commission, challenging the reasonableness of the advances made in those rates, and at large expense and enormous labor that case has been tried before the interstate commerce commission, requiring a series of hearings throughout last year, at which the railroads presented every possible reason in the testimony of railroad traffic officials and other officials in the attempt to show that the rates were not only not too high, but were in fact still too low.

"As a general proposition they expressed the idea that they should again be increased, and it is the belief of this committee that but for said proceeding they would again have been increased.

Decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission

"It affords this committee great pleasure to be able to report that the interstate commerce commission recently decided that case and held that all of the advances made in these rates on cattle during the year 1903 were unjust and unreasonable and that the advanced rates as charged are unjust and unreasonable to the extent of the said advances.

"It is the belief of this committee that the railroads will refuse to obey the order of the commission to cease and desist making such unlawful charge, and, if so, under the present law the only way to enforce that order is by suit in the United States circuit court.

"When you consider that the amount of these unjust and unreasonable charges as applied to shipments in the territory to which said advances in the rates applied, will reach probably more than $100,000 per year, you then realize the great importance of this decision and the great importance of having it promptly put into effect. The law gave to this association the right on behalf of its members to present an application before the interstate commerce commission for reparation, that is for an order requiring the carriers to pay back to the shippers the amount of the unjust charges collected, and this application has been made by this association in behalf of its members. While that part of the case has not yet been passed upon by the commission, it is manifest that it should, and, as we believe, it will grant that reparation on proof of the amount of it, as to each of our members being made before the commission as against each of the railroad lines which collected the same, and this committee in the management and conduct of the business of this association will take active steps to secure that end.

"Without doubt this is the most important decision ever rendered by the interstate commerce commission in point of the vast amount involved, of the shipments involved and the territory covered, and it is not less important on the principles decided by the commission. There has doubtless been collected of the unreasonable rate since March, 1903, from all of the territory embraced in the unlawful advances more than two million dollars, and it will probably reach three million dollars before this matter can be finally determined in the court.

"It can be readily seen that if finally the railroads shall obey the order of the commission, or shall be compelled to do so, that every shipper, owner or raiser of live stock within the territory involved, becomes an equal participant in the benefits with the members of this association, so far at least as the future charges are concerned, and if they become members of this association before the question of reparation is tried will be equal participants in the matter of recovering back the part of the unlawful charge previously collected.

Amendments to the Interstate Commerce Act

"It was apparent in the Chicago terminal charge case, and it has been apparent ever since, that the interstate commerce act does not give to the commission that power which reasonably it ought to possess—viz: that when it decides a rate to be unjust and unreasonable it should have the power to name a reasonable and just rate which should go into effect within a reasonable time, unless the railroads for good cause should set it aside by decree of the court. It is manifestly an undue burden that the law should require, not only that the shipper prove his case when he claims a rate to be unreasonable before the commission, but in addition to that, that suit must be brought in the court to enforce the order of the commission. The simplest and sensible thing, and the one which would promote the ends of justice, is that after the tribunal appointed by the government, that is the interstate commerce commission, finds a rate to be unreasonable that the rate which it finds to be the proper rate ought to go into effect in a reasonably short time, and the burden should be on the railroads to set aside the findings of the commission, rather than on the shipper to continue to pay the unlawful rate with the burden of enforcing the order of the commission in the courts.

"In order that the shipper of live stock or any other commodity as to that matter, could have any adequate and speedy relief in cases of interstate shipments, it was apparent that the act to regulate commerce must be amended, and, therefore, this association took up the matter in the year 1900, and since that time has actively advocated, and as we believe effectively used its efforts in that direction. We have aided all of those organizations having similar objects in view who are manufacturers and shippers in their line of the industry throughout the country; we have secured the co-operation of practically all of the live stock associations throughout the entire west; we have done whatever was possible to arouse public sentiment to the necessity of their not submitting to the unjust burdens which the railroads are a mind to place upon the shippers and to secure that character of amendment to the interstate commerce act which would make the findings of the commission effective.

"It is with pride that this committee is enabled to say that our peerless and fearless President, Theodore Roosevelt, stands squarely upon the platform which this association has advocated with respect to railroad rate regulation for the last five years.

"If the law had been amended at the last session of congress, then instead of you continuing to pay the unlawful rate of freight as held by the commission, its orders would have gone into effect, unless the railroads could set it aside for some sufficient reason, which we are advised they cannot do.

"The same may be said also with respect to the terminal charge case.

"Notwithstanding that the law does not afford that adequate, just and speedy remedy which it should, still it affords the opportunity to now carry the order of the commission into the courts with a view to the enforcement of the same, which undoubtedly will be done, and it is the purpose of this committee to render as active aid in this matter as possible."

WHAT CATTLEMEN HAVE BEEN DOING

Report of Texas Association Executive Committee

Following is the report of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association executive committee, which was read and adopted at the Monday afternoon session of the convention in Dallas:

We, your executive committee, submit the following report for the past year. Our report will consist of reports to us from the secretary and manager, treasurer, inspectors and attorneys, supplemented by comments and suggestions of our own.

Secretary's Report

RESOURCES.

Assessments, 1905-06	$47,605 86
Annual dues, 1905-06	7,747 20
Initiation fees, 1905-06	1,685 00
Proceeds collected for cattle caught, 1905-06	19,403 67
Dues from members	7,268 97
Total	$83,710 70

LIABILITIES.

Inspectors' salaries	$40,761 48
Inspectors' expense	2,231 86
Attorneys' salaries	5,000 00
Litigation expense	771 80
Officers' and assistants' salaries	6,350 00
Incidental expenses	3,421 08
Interstate commerce com. case	1,181 65
American Stock Growers' assn.	250 00
Exchange	18 41
Balance due for cattle caught	8,314 49
Paid members for cattle caught	8,763 48
Profit and loss	690 88
Due treasurer	5,955 57
Total	$83,710 70

Treasurer's Report

Receipts from March 1, 1905, to March 1, 1906	$66,923 75
Due by secretary March 1, 1906	2,533 51
Total	$69,457 26
Due by secretary March 1, 1905	378 96
Paid out from March 1, 1905, to March 1, 1906	69,078 30
Total	$69,457 26

Cattle rendered, 1905-06	1,792,599
Total number caught same yr.	2,105

Report of cattle handled by inspectors during the year:

Number sold and proceeds collected	914
Number held up and released	435
Number put in pasture	215
Number delivered to owners	526
Number lost and died	3
Number held up pending investigation	461
Total number handled	2,554
Less number caught in previous years	449
Number caught this year	2,105

Number of Cattle Caught

The number of cattle caught this year was 566 less than last year and their total valuation was $2,778.47 less than the total valuation of last year, but the average price was $2.75 greater, being $21.42 for this year and $18.67 for last year.

The number of cattle collected for this year was 128 less than last, but their value was $125.27 more. The 914 collected brought $19,583.79, making an average of $21.42.

Estimating the total number caught, 2,105, at the same average price, $21.42, the cattle caught during the year were worth $45,089.10.

Of the 914 collected for, 877 were caught this year and 37 in former years.

Of the 435 released, 295 were caught this year and 140 in previous years.

The 215 put in pasture and the three lost and died were all caught this year.

Of the 461 held for investigation, 192 were caught this year and 269 in former years.



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WHERE CATTLE WILL BE FOUND

Arrangement of Pens for the Big Show

General arrangement for the display of the stock entered in the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show is as follows:

Just east of the Live Stock Exchange building, on the north side of exchange avenue, will be found the fat cattle. These cattle are arranged in pens as follows:

Three-year-old steers in car lots—513, 405, 403, 401, 613, 614, 616, 618, 611.

Two-year-old steers in car lots—511, 509, 302, 307, 309, 311, 304, 612, 313, 315, 610.

Yearling steers in car lots—503, 505, 606, 607, 608, 208, 609.

Calves—501, 202, 204, 203, 205, 207.

Speyed heifers—708.

Grass steers, 210, 706.

Grass cows—710.

The short horn cattle will be in the red (Hicks') barn, and in the pens just east of the barn. This barn is on the south side of Exchange avenue, just across the street from the Exchange building.

The Hereford cattle will be found just east of the barn, in the hog pens, beginning at pen No. 042.

The Red Polls and Aberdeen Augus will be found just east of the Herefords.

The hogs, as usual, will be found in the hog pens. These pens are just south of the Red Poll cattle exhibit.

The registered cattle from above the quarantine line will be found in the southeast corner of the hog sheds.

The ring where the judging will be done is just east of the red barn and south of the first cattle pens.

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PURE FOOD DISPLAY will be found as attractive as artistic workmanship can make it. The most essential feature of our show, however, will be the "proving of the pudding," as we shall serve hot rolls and tea biscuits at our booth both day and evening. We shall be pleased to have you sample our products and receive recipes for making home-made bread, rolls and tea biscuit. As nothing save home baking will be allowed on display at our booth during this show, we offer as prizes to the home bakers of our city:—$50.00—FIFTY DOLLARS IN PRIZES TO BE GIVEN AWAY AS FOLLOWS—$50.00

$15.00 given to the party baking the best Angel Food Cake.
$5.00 to the second best.
$5.00 given for the best loaf of bread.



$15.00 given to the party baking the best Plain White Cake.
$5.00 to the second best.
$5.00 given for the best one dozen rolls.

REQUIREMENTS

It is required of the lady entering the contest that "Worth" flour shall be used only. The judges will pass on the rolls and bread Wednesday afternoon, March21, at 3 o'clock, so it is required that contestants have their bread and rolls at our booth by 1 o'clock p. m., same day at the Pure Food Show. It is also required that cake contestants have their cakes ready by Saturday afternoon, March 24, at 1 o'clock, as the judges will pass on the best cake at 3 o'clock, same day.

Three distinterested ladies will act as judges, who will be competent. The cakes, rolls and bread furnished as types for this contest will be retained by us and sold to the best advantage, the proceeds, however, will be donated to the Masonic Orphanage.

We would be glad to have every lady in Fort Worth enter this contest. It will be interesting and besides you will be doing something for the Orphans' Home. Remember, "Worth" Flour is to be used and the best bread and cake take the CASH, and gain for the baker a reputation as an accomplished cook. Visit our booth during the Pure Food Show, commencing Monday, the 18th, and lasting until the 31st.

NOTICE—At the request of a large number of the ladies, the time for deciding the contests has been changed from 11 a. m. to 3 p. m. of each day.

Medlin Milling Company

THE TELEGRAM'S FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL PAGE

STOCKS

Market Exhibits Better Tone—Prices React on Rumor of Agreement at Algerciras

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Stocks reacted partially from the sharp loss suffered yesterday. Opening prices were fractionally higher, but a considerable volume of selling orders had accumulated over night and the execution of these forced prices down during the initial trading, with A. C. P. the leader in the decline. There was a great deal of bearish talk on this stock and it was predicted by people associated with the Heinz interest that there would be a drive, forcing it to 90. However, after selling off to 103, good support developed and the price was soon started upward.

After about an hour's trading, during which the active issues all showed weakness, the general list rallied on on a cable from London stating that France and Germany had reached an agreement and that settlement of the Moroccan question might be announced at any moment, but the reaction seemed to be purely a traders' movement and floor speculators were the chief buyers and after a recovery had been effected the market relapsed into the former dull state. There was no dearth of bearish articles regarding the situation and a large portion of these were supposed to emanate from the pen of a prominent Boston operator, although they seemed to have but little weight on sentiment, a glance at the list of the day's buyers and sellers showing that the latter represented the more important interests. Sales to noon, 320,300 shares.

There was no confirmation of the rumor regarding the Moroccan situation, although cables from Algerciras stated that opinion as to a favorable settlement was general. The market developed renewed strength in the afternoon trading and the close was firm with most issues at the best of the day and about on a parity with Saturday's closing level.

New York Stock Quotations

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Stocks ranged in prices today on the New York Stock Exchange as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Loco.	67	....	....	69¼
Atchison	91⅞	93¼	91¾	93¼
B. and O.	109½	110¾	109½	110¾
B. R. T.	82¼	83¾	82	83¼
Can. Pac.	169½	172	169½	172
C. F. and I.	59½	61¾	59⅝	61¾
C. and O.	56⅝	57⅛	56⅝	57⅛
Copper	103½	105½	103	105½
C. Gt. W.	20⅞	....	....	20⅞
Erie	41⅜	42¼	41¾	42⅛
Illinois Central	169⅝	....	....	170
L. and N.	150	151½	149¾	150¾
Natl. Lead	75½	79	75½	79
Metropolitan	113	....	....	115
Mex. Central	24	....	....	24⅜
M., K. and T.	71	71⅝	71	71½
Mo. Pac.	95	96	94⅜	96
N. Y. Central	145¼	146¼	145	145¾
N. and W.	....	....	....	87½
O. and W.	50	50¼	50	50
People's Gas	93¼	95	93¼	94¾
Pennsylvania	136¾	138	136¾	138
Reading	125⅞	127½	125⅜	127½
Rock Island	25⅞	26¾	25⅞	26¼
South. Pac.	65⅝	66¼	65⅝	66¼
Sugar	137	137½	137	137½
Smelter	154	155⅜	153¼	155⅛
South. Ry.	40¼	40⅞	40¼	40⅜
St. Paul	174	174½	173⅝	174⅜
T. C. and I.	....	....	....	149
Texas Pacific	34	....	....	33⅞
Union Pacific	151¼	152½	151¼	152⅜
U. S. Steel pfd	104⅞	105⅞	104⅞	105⅞
U. S. Steel	39¼	39⅞	39¼	39¾

GRAIN

Wheat Prices Weaken Under Liquidation—Corn Quiet—Oats Firm. Provisions Slightly Higher

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, March 20.—The wheat market was quiet today. Despite the fact that cables reported a strong market in Liverpool, the opening was easy with prices fractionally lower, the decline being increased under scattered selling by commission houses to a net loss of 1-2c for the May option before the end of the first hour, but the local crowd were averse to going short, and there was scattered buying on a limited scale. This checked the declining tendency, and when reports were received stating that there was a good demand for the cash article in Minneapolis, with the price ½c over May, the crowd began to buy liberally, thus imparting a firm tone to the market and effecting a reaction, with the result that prices soon recovered, working up to a net gain of 1-4c.

The rally was of short duration, however, as advices from Argentine were not favorable, and the advance attracted some liquidation, resulting in a recession. The close was weak, with prices at the lowest, showing a net loss of 3-8c to 1-2c.

Bradstreet's report on the world's available supply shows an increase for the past week of 38,000 bushels. Broomhall cabled that the official estimate of the Argentine crop was 142,200,000 bushels against 195,132,000 bushels last year. Local receipts were six cars, with four cars expected tomorrow. The northwest reports 376 cars against 185 cars this day last year. Primary receipts, 417,855 bushels against 307,920 bushels this day last year. Shipments, 230,543 bushels against 203,275 bushels last year.

Corn was firm the greater part of the session, the feature of the trading being the light offerings. The cash situation was a bullish factor. Local houses reported light acceptances, notwithstanding the higher bids. The export and domestic demand was good at the advance in prices.

After working up 1-4c to 3-8c, prices eased off in sympathy with the decline in wheat, and final figures showed a net loss of 1-8c.

Bradstreets report shows a decrease of 1,996,000 bushels in the world's visible supply, as compared with last week's figures. Total receipts, 279 cars. Estimated for tomorrow, 130 cars.

Primary receipts, 327,485 bushels against 988,880 bushels this day last year. Shipments, 325,177 bushels against 454,730 bushels this day last year.

Oats again showed firmness, despite the movement of wheat and corn prices. The trading, however, was only moderate. Final figures were unchanged to 1-4c higher. Local receipts were 229 cars, with 22 cars expected tomorrow. Bradstreet's report shows a decrease for the past week of 1,368,000 bushels.

Provisions continued strong and fairly active. At the close pork was up 7c, lard showed a gain of 5c, and ribs sold off 3c.

Contract stocks of grain are as follows:

Wheat, 4,474,000 bushels; corn, 3,226,000 bushels; oats, 3,368,000 bushels.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—The grain and provision markets were quoted today as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat—				
May	73¼	73⅝	73¼	73¼
July	70⅞	71	70¾	70¾
Corn—				
May	40	40	39⅞	39⅞
July	40½	40½	40⅜	40⅜
Oats—				
May	28⅞	29⅛	28⅞	29⅛
July	27⅝	27⅞	27⅝	27⅞

Chicago Grain and Provisions

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 20.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices on this market today as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat—				
May	78⅞	79¼	78⅜	78⅝
July	78	78¼	77¾	77⅝
September	77⅝	77⅞	77⅜	77⅜
Corn—				
May	44¼	44⅜	44	44
July	44⅝	44⅝	44⅜	44⅜
September	45	45⅛	44⅞	44⅞
Oats—				
May	30⅛	30⅜	30⅛	30⅜
July	29¼	....	....	29¼
September	28⅜	....	....	28½
Pork—				
May	16.25	16.45	16.25	16.27
July	16.15	16.40	16.15	16.23
Lard—				
May	8.17	8.35	8.17	8.22
July	8.30	8.45	8.27	8.30
Ribs—				
May	8.67	....	....	8.62
July	8.75	....	....	8.62

Liverpool Grain Cable

Special to The Telegram.

LIVERPOL, March 20.—Following were the changes noted today in the wheat and corn markets, compared with yesterday final quotations on this market:

Wheat opened ¼d above yesterday's finals and closed at a net gain of ¼d.

Corn opened ½d above yesterday's finals and closed at a net gain of ⅜d to ½d.

Chicago Bids and Offers

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 20.—Following were the offers and bids on this market today:

Wheat—Bids 77⅞c, offers 78¾c.
Corn—Bids 43⅞c, offers 44⅛c.

Kansas City Puts and Calls

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—Following were the puts and calls on this market today:

Wheat—Puts 73c, calls 73½c.
Corn—Puts 39⅞c, calls 40c.

Kansas City Cash Grain

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—Cash grain was quoted today on this market as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 hard 78c to 83c, No. 3 74c to 78c, No. 4 65c to 75c, No. 2 red 93c, No. 3 87c to 89c.

Corn—No. 2 white 42¼c to 44c, No. 3 42c, No. 2 mixed 40¼c, No. 3 40c to 40¼c, No. 4 38c.

NOTICE TO COMMITTEE.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the committee of arrangements for the coming State Medical Association meeting here is to meet Tuesday morning, March 21, at 10 o'clock, in the trustees' room in the Carnegie library. A complete membership attendance is requested. Mrs. Bacon Saunders, Chairman.

THE BEST COUGH SYRUP

S. L. Apple, ex-probate judge, Ottawa Co., Kansas, writes: "This is to say that I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for years, and that I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c, 50c and $1.00. Sold by Covey & Martin, 810 Main street, opposite Hotel Worth.

COTTON

Prices Break Over $1 a Bale on Receipt of Bureau Figures—Partial Recovery Later

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The final report of the census bureau showing the amount of cotton ginned up to and inclusive of March 15 and practically deciding the size of the total crop produced the past season was the dominating influence in today's cotton market. Owing to the uncertainty regarding the time of issuance, the trade was very much wrought up and in a highly nervous condition, which was only natural, as the practical ownership of millions of dollars hung by a thread. There were many rumors in circulation as to the time and some went so far as to state that the figures would not be given out today at all. Nevertheless, the report appeared promptly at 2 p. m., which was the time generally anticipated. The round figures were 10,697,000, counting round bales as half bales and including linters. Prior to this time prices had first worked up to a net gain of 4 points and then eased off under liquidation 17 to 18 points from the high, standing at this level when the figures were made public. The news was received with favor by the bears, who immediately began to hammer the market, being helped along by disappointed bulls, with the result that in a minute's time May declined from 10.58c to 10.38c, while July broke from 10.70c to 10.47c. At this level bulls offered support and the flurry was of short duration, the market resuming its normal state and prices starting upward again in a few minutes. The close was steady, with prices 14 to 15 points from the lowest, showing a net loss of 21 to 22 points. Spots were quiet, with prices $1 a bale lower at 11.15c for the middling grade.

Futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	10.52	10.57	10.35	10.35-36
May	10.72	10.78	10.28	10.53-54
July	10.84	10.87	10.47	10.61-62
Aug.	10.78	10.79	10.56	10.56-58
Oct.	10.30	10.33	10.00	10.11-12
Dec.	10.34	10.37	10.00	10.15-16

New Orleans Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, March 20.—The cotton market was active and nervous throughout the session today. As a matter of course the census bureau figures were the all-absorbing topic of conversation, completely overshadowing all other events.

The market opened steady with prices 2 points lower, in response to the rather unfavorable character of the early cables, the trading was about evenly divided before the report was issued and at 1 o'clock the near positions were selling at a net loss of 5 points, with May at 10.80c and July at 10.95c.

The report showed 10,697,013 bales, including linters. The average gross weight of the bales was put at 503.8 pounds. Immediately after the report was read prices broke over $1 a bale, July being the most active position, touching 10.70c on the first sale and 10.69c on the second. At this level the bulls gave heavy support and prices started upward immediately, regaining a portion of the loss and closing firm at a net loss of 15 to 16 points.

Spots were quiet at unchanged prices, on a basis of 10¾c for middling uplands. Sales, 800 bales. F. o. b., 350 bales.

Futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
March	10.74	10.74	10.55	10.56-57
May	10.83	10.90	10.57	10.69-70
July	10.98	11.04	10.69	10.85-86
Oct.	10.23	10.26	10.00	10.09-10
Dec.	10.24	10.25	10.03	10.12-13

Liverpool Cotton Cable

Special to The Telegram

LIVERPOOL, March 20—The cotton market opened quiet and steady, with prices 1 to 2 points lower.

There was some scattered selling for the purpose of taking profits, but this was mostly for American account, as the European buying continued good and the market closed steady with prices at a net loss of 1 point.

Spots were steady, with prices one point higher at 5.91d for American middling. Sales, 8,000 bales, of which 6,900 bales were American. Receipts, 34,000 bales, of which 24,800 bales were American.

Following are the opening and closing prices for futures:

	Open.	Close
January-February	5.59	5.59
March	5.60	....
March-April	5.74	5.74
April-May	5.74	5.75
May-June	5.76	5.77
June-July	5.79	5.79
July-August	5.79	5.80
August-September	5.78	5.78
September-October	5.64	5.63
October-November	5.58	5.58
November-December	5.57	5.57
December-January	....	5.58

Port Receipts

Receipts at the leading accumulative points today, compared with the receipts at the same points last year:

	Today.	Last Year
Galveston	10,004	9,418
New Orleans	7,466	8,963
Mobile	460	383
Savannah	1,740	5,530
Charleston	47	306
Wilmington	1,154	2,833
Pacific coast	650	....
Boston	153	1,928
Total	21,954	31,187
St. Louis	2,987	2,608
Little Rock	430	1,186
Memphis	1,529	4,255
Cincinnati	280	187
Houston	7,708	8,637
Augusta	230	1,527

Estimated Tomorrow

Following is the estimated receipts for tomorrow at the three principal ports, compared with the receipts for the same day last year:

	Tomorrow.	Last year.
New Orleans	8,500-9,500	12,520
Houston	4,500-5,000	5,188

A THOUSAND KILLED

Reported to London Telegram That Taihoku Earthquake Loss Heavy

By Associated Press.

LONDON, March 20. — A dispatch from Tokio to the Daily Telegram says:

"Advices from Taihoku, the capital of Formosa, state that the earthquake on that island was more serious than was at first reported. In the prefecture of Kagi alone, 1,400 houses completely destroyed, 1,014 persons killed and 795 injured."

AT CARLISLE ACADEMY

Memorial Exercises in Honor of Ex-Governor Hogg to Be Held

Special to The Telegram.

ARLINGTON, Texas, March 20.—Memorial exercises are to be held at Arlington under the auspices of the cadets of the Carlisle Military academy on March 25 in honor of the late ex-Governor J. S. Hogg. The exercises will be held in the chapel of the academy.

LIVESTOCK

Thursday's Receipts

Cattle	2,000
Hogs	2,500
Sheep	500

Thursday's Review and Sales

Steers

The supply of steers today were quite liberal considering the moderate run, and offerings were largely medium grade, though a few loads of well-finished beeves arrived. Trading opened up very slow and draggy and it was hard to find buyers for the supply. Buyers seemed to have but few orders to fill and bids were generally lower. About the only thing sold up to the noon hour were a few common cattle, and these changed hands at prices about steady with yesterday. The bulk of supplies were on hand at a late hour, unsold. Sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
11	822	$3.60	38	662	$3.35

Butcher Stock

Cows and heifers were in moderate supply, with the quality running largely common to medium. However, there was the usual sprinkling of fleshy cows. Packers and butchers were all active for she stuff and the few available changed hands at prices fully steady with yesterday.

Sales of cows:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
4	992	$3.40	17	842	$2.40
1	900	3.00	8	754	2.50
1	1,030	2.50	1	810	2.65
2	765	2.40	2	895	2.40
2	730	2.00	11	746	1.85
2	1,036	3.25	1	1,150	3.65

Sales of heifers:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
2	980	$3.75			

Calves

Calf receipts were the lightest for some time, just a few arriving in odd lots with mixed loads. The demand still continues good, both from packers and order buyers, and all offerings changed hands steady with yesterday. Sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
2	245	$1.50	2	360	$2.50
20	258	2.75	20	887	3.00
4	255	2.75	8	192	4.50
3	283	4.50	6	310	3.50
2	430	2.35			

Hogs

Receipts of hogs were light at the opening of the market, but before the close a fairly liberal run had arrived. Total from the day being estimated at 2,500. The quality run largely common to medium grades, with but few well finished hogs on sale. Buyers were again bearish today and trying to buy lower. It was late before many moved, and then the trade ruled very slow and draggy on a weak to shade lower basis. Tops today averaged 260 pounds and sold at $6.15.

Sales of hogs:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
24	142	$4.30	146	160	$5.00
23	228	5.70	6	163	2.00
58	162	5.85	155	177	6.00
18	175	6.00	68	196	5.50
69	260	6.15	53	191	5.95
68	197	5.95	9	175	5.85
51	184	6.00			

Sales of pigs:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
12	118	$4.50	12	121	$4.60
20	112	4.60	158	100	4.30
40	117	4.60	173	100	4.35

Sheep

One shipment of 122 sheep, averaging 88 pounds, sold for $5.50.

Tuesday's Shippers

Cattle—L. J. C. Parish, Detroit, 45; W. A. Johnson, Colorado, 25; J. R. Logan, Roscoe, 26; Captain Newman, Sweetwater, 38; Max Heathman, Roff, I. T., 3; L. B. Brown, Smithfield, 26; B. F. Gearhart, Celina, 15; W. A. Bragg, Waxahachie, 45; John Solan, Waxahachie, 41; C. Treese, Midlothian, 25; J. A. Belew, Midlothian, 25; Teal & Robinson, Frisco, 1; Bryan & Newman, Sanger, 30; Davis & Miller, Terrell, 78; M. B. Freeland, Godley, 18; J. C. Washington, Marulla, 14; R. M. C., Walnut Springs, 2; W. H. Starr, Godley, 2; W. C. Lavender, Midlothian, 9; Sid Webb, Beeville, 20.

Hogs—W. C. Smith, Monterey, 121; F. Penner, Mill Creek, I. T., 165; J. C. Rea, Roff, I. T., 105; Max Heitman, Roff, I. T., 99; B. F. Gearhart, Celina, 66; J. A. Belew, Midlothian, 65; W. C. Lavender, Midlothian, 80; R. L. Vineyard, Kopperel, 83; J. A. Bolton, Nacona, 114; Bill Gage, Nacona, 125; L. O. Blanton, St. Joe, 94; Davis & Miller, Terrell, 81; J. P. Goodyer, Newark, 53; W. H. Dreggs, Chickasha, I. T., 70; C. E. Bell, Alex, I. T., 70; H. D. Richardson, Roff, I. T., 79; Hamm & T., Ada, I. T., 91; W. S. Pickens, Roff, I. T., 78.

Sheep—B. F. Gearhart, Celina, 6; C. S. Donald, Krum, 121; Berger & N., Sanger, 1.

Fat Stock Show Receipts

Sheep—B. C. Rhome, Rhome, 6.

Hogs—W. W. Hovenkamp, Keller, 56; B. F. Gearhart, Celina, 115; Teel & Robinson, Frisco, 122; R. B. Whisnant, Plano, 59. H. O. Dutton, Cordell, O. T., 144; Ed Edmundson, Newark, 65.

Cattle—E. P. Reynolds, Roanoke, 21; C. Russell, Russell, I. T., 11; Charles Maloney, Haslett, 7; C. W. Martin, Rhome, 15; J. T. Rhea, Abilene, 4; C. McFarland, Aledo, 4; V. O. Hildreth, Aledo, 7; Charles McFarland, Aledo, 21; W. G. Hutchison, Smithfield, 28; L. B. Brown, Smithfield, 41; J. M. Campbell, Renner, 21; W. A. Rhea, Prosper, 17; B. C. Rhome, Rhome, 12; J. Dillon, Arlington, 9.

Trade Notes

Clover, corn and hogs are mighty good things on the farm.

Young pigs must have easily digested foods and be fed often.

Change the bedding in the hog house at least once a week.

Hog floors and pens should be cleaned as often as other barns.

A dry bed of clean straw and a shelter should be provided in every pasture.

Keep sows in good thrifty condition at least three weeks after breeding.

Give the pig at least as much care in feeding as you do the other stock.

B. C. Rhome has twelve head of fat stock on exhibit.

Charles Maloney of Haslet, the Tarrant county breeder, is much interested in the fat stock show and has several head to exhibit.

Arlington is represented in the Fat Stock Show by J. Dillon, with nine head of fat stuff.

L. B. Brown of Smithfield has twenty-eight head to show.

C. McFarland, the Aledo breeder, is on deck, according to promise, with twenty-nine head of beauties.

MARKETS ELSEWHERE

Chicago Live Stock

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; market opened slow; beeves, $3.90@6.35; cows and heifers, $1.60@5.15; stockers and feeders, $2.80@4.75.

Hogs — Receipts, 21,000; market opened strong to 5c higher and closed 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $6.15@6.45; good to choice heavy, $6.25@6.45; rough heavy, $6.15@6.20; light, $6.15@6.45; bulk, $6.30@6.40; pigs, $5.60@6.20.

Sheep — Receipts, 16,000; market weak; sheep, $3.25@6; lambs, $5@6.75.

Kansas City Live Stock

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—Cattle—Reciepts, 10,000; market slow; beeves, $4.25@5.90; cows and heifers, $2.25@4.90; stockers and feeders, $3.35@4.50; Texas and westerns, $3.75@5.10.

Hogs — Receipts, 11,000; market steady; mixed and butchers, $6.15@6.22½; good to choice heavy, $6.20@6.27½; rough heavy, $6.10@6.17½; light, $6@6.17½; bulk, $6.10@6.20; pigs, $5@5.25. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 11,000.

Sheep — Receipts, 6,000; market steady; lambs, $6@6.50; ewes, $4.50@5.15; wethers, $5.50@5.65; yearlings, $5.60@6.

St. Louis Live Stock

Special to The Telegram.

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,800, including 300 Texans; market steady; native seters, $3.25@6; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.40; cows and heifers, $2.10@5; Texas steers, $3.90@4.70; cows and heifers, $2.20@4.15.

Hogs — Receipts, 6,500; market 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $6.35@6.50; good heavy, $6.40@6.50; rough and heavy, $6.20@6.35; lights, $6.35@6.45; bulk, $6.40@6.50; pigs, $5.40@6.25.

Sheep — Receipts, 2,000; market steady; sheep, $4@5.50; lambs, $5.50@6.85.

REVOLVER SHOOT; EXPERTS COMPETE

Contests of U. S. Association On in Seven Cities

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Experts with the revolver and pistol last night began the competitions for the national championship with those weapons. The contest is also being conducted in seven other cities. The meeting is the annual indoor championship of the United States Revolver Association.

From the entry list twenty men will compete at the Manhattan gallery for the national title, while similar competitions are being shot at Boston, Springfield, Mass.; Chicago, St. Louis, Pine Bluff, Ark., and Pinehurst, N. C. At the close of the contest the targets will be reviewed by Secretary J. B. Crabtree in Springfield. Each competitor has fifty shots with each weapon at a range of twenty yards.

The best score made last night was by A. L. A. Himmelwright at the prescribed twenty yards. He scored 94.

M. Hayes and J. E. Stillman both shot 93 marks in competition for the pistol title. The former entered two targets of 87 each. Stillman scored two targets, totalling 90 and 88 respectively.

The Manhattan Association has accepted a challenge from the Circle Le Carbiniere de Paris of France for an international match with revolver and rifle, which will be contested the latter part of May, by cable.

Among those who will shoot in this city are Lieutenant Reginald H. Savre, John Dietz, Thomas Anderton and Dr. W. H. Luckett, all former champions.

YESTERDAY'S RACE RESULTS

At Oaklawn

First race—Six furlongs: Bandillo won, Pickles second, Kuropatkin third. Time—1:19 3-5.

Second race—Three and a half furlongs: Wing Ting won, Mike Sutton second, De Oro third. Time—0:44 3-5.

Third race—Five and a half furlongs: Haughty won, H. L. Frank second, Bandigo third. Time—1:03 3-5.

Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth, the Mountain Valley handicap: Jack Young won, Marshal Ney second, Elsie Harris third. Time—1:53.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: J. W. O'Neil won, Ben Lear second, All Black third. Time—1:18 2-5.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Trinstan Shandy won, Dolinda second, Any Rags third. Time—1:53.

At Fair Grounds

First race—Five and a half furlongs: Owaska won, Nevada second, Vagary third. Time—1:12.

Second race—Two-year-olds, three and a half furlongs: Baleful won, Sanscrit second, Captain McCormick third. Time—0:44 2-5.

Third race—Three and one-half furlongs: Blackburn won, Zick Abrams second, Dorothy M. third. Time—0:43 3-5.

Fourth race—Five and a half furlongs: Stonerhill won, Cousin Kate second, Whippoorwill third. Time—1:11 1-5.

Fifth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Flavigny won, Paul second, Merry Pioneer third. Time—1:56.

Sixth race—One mile: Rolla won, Little Rose second, King's Gem third. Time—1:47 3-5.

At City Park

First race—Three and a half furlongs: McIntyre won, Too Beach second, Marry Leap Year third. Time—0:44 1-5.

Second race—Five and a half furlongs: Jim Beattie won, Clyde O. second, Prebian third. Time—1:10.

Third race—Five and a half furlongs: Ferrinier won, Dr. Mack second, Arachue third. Time—1:11 4-5.

Fourth race—Five and a half furlongs: Precious Stone won, Meadow Breeze second, Zinda third. Time—1:10 3-5.

Fifth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Creel won, Ruth M. second, Girard third. Time—1:51.

Sixth race—One mile: Lieutenant Rice won, Devout second, The Gleam third. Time—1:44 3-5.

Seventh race—Five and a half furlongs: Gold Zone won, Oratian second, Telepathy third. Time—1:15¼.

At Oakland

First race—Seven furlongs: Wheatstone won, Riley Dwyer second, Pelf third. Time—1:30½.

Second race—Four and a half furlongs: Blanche C. won, Elota second, Duke of Orleans third. Time—0:56¼.

Third race—Six furlongs: Elevation won, Lisaro second, F. W. Barr third. Time—1:14¼.

Fourth race—Five and one-half furlongs: David Bowland won, Bucolic second, St. Francis third. Time—1:07¾.

Fifth race—Mile and one-eighth: Haviland won, Ralph Young second, Orchan third. Time—1:55⅛.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Hi Col Cap won, Fisher Boy second, Red Light third. Time—1:48½.

READY FOR CONFEDERATION

Canada Would Affiliate With New Foundland, But Not West Indies

By Associated Press.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 20.—In the house yesterday Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that Canada was ready for confederation with New Foundland, but not with the British West Indies.

CITY ENDING FISCAL YEAR

Officials Prepare to Make Annual Reports

The fiscal year of the city of Fort Worth ends Wednesday, March 21, and the heads of the various departments will make their reports for the year up to and including that date to the city auditor. The auditor will compile his annual report, embracing the financial accounts of all the departments, and will have it ready for the public by April 1.

Owing to the fact that the elections were held in April and that the heads of the various departments took charge some time during April, a report embracing the entire year will be compiled as their respective fiscal years expire. The report of the water works department will be ready some time during April; that of the city assessor and collector will be ready about April 20, and that of the police department will be made up to and including April 14, which is the date when Chief Maddox entered office.

Charles Newby, clerk at the police department, has already compiled a considerable portion of his annual report, and he states that it will show that the city police transferred over eight hundred prisoners to the county this far during the year and that about twenty-four of these have been sentenced to the penitentiary. Notwithstanding the small police force, the number of arrests made will exceed those of any city in Texas and will be greater than ever before in the history of Fort Worth.

The financial balances of the respective departments must be submitted to the city auditor up to and including March 21, so that he can compile his report, and the full report for the year of the incumbent in office can then be made out when his year expires.

SAYS NO FEVER AT NEW ORLEANS

Florence Thinks Yellow Jack Not in New Orleans

Special to The Telegram,

AUSTIN, Texas, March 20.—Dr. J. H. Florence, acting state health officer, returned yesterday afternoon from New Orleans, where he had been in response to a telegram from Dr. Iron, president of the New Orleans board of health, to make an investigation of the alleged case of yellow fever there. Dr. Florence confirmed the telegram sent Governor Lanham Sunday night, to the effect that the patient did not die from yellow fever.

Dr. Florence said that there were two representatives from the different states on the committee of doctors to make the investigation, and after the autopsy, it was the unanimous opinion of the physicians that the patient had not been afflicted with the fever.

"While at New Orleans," said Dr. Florence, "I remained over a day longer so as to make an investigation of the sanitary conditions of the city, and I found that New Orleans was in a very good sanitary condition, but, although far from being in a perfect sanitary condition, still it shows a great improvement under the new board of health."

Dr. Florence declared that the people appear to have more confidence in the new board of health, that has recently taken charge. After a close investigation Dr. Florence says that he does not think that there is any yellow fever at New Orleans at present.

THREE KILLED

Men Operating Snow Plows in Ohio Meet Death

By Associated Press.

DAYTON, Ohio, March 20.—While operating a snow plow on the Dayton and Troy traction road at Chambersburg this morning, William Pumphrey, Bert Hoover and Gus Nicol were instantly killed. When running at a lively speed the plow struck a horse that had become fastened to the bridge.

FOREMAN KILLS SEVEN

Italian Railroad Workers Attack Man and Are Worsted

By Associated Press.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., March 20.—A special to the Sentinel from Bristol, Tenn., says information from Marion, N. C., is to the effect that in a riot between the foreman and foreign laborers on the South and Western railroad construction, the foreman was attacked by Italians. He clubbed seven men to death, using a steel crowbar in self-defense.

MAY LEAVE VERNON

State Treasurer Robbins Disposes of Land in Panhandle

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 20.—Colonel John W. Robbins, state treasurer, who has returned from a trip to the Panhandle country, stated yesterday afternoon that he had disposed of his farm and lands there. Also that he had sold a great number of his mules and cattle. This means that Colonel Robbins will likely remove from that section of the state, although he said that he had not as yet disposed of his residence at Vernon.

Colonel Robbins said that he had not as yet decided where he will locate or what business he will engage in after he quits public office next January. He declared that he got a good price for his ranch and farm and decided to sell, but when he did so he had not determined where he will make his future home.

Speaking of land conditions in the Panhandle, Colonel Robbins said that realty values were continually on the increase and the country was being quickly settled by thrifty people from other and older states.

LIEUTENANT EXECUTED

Former Commander of Russian Black Fleet Shot with Three Sailors

By Associated Press.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 20.—Former Lieutenant Schomidt, who commanded the vessels of the Black Sea fleet, which mutinied in November of last year, was shot yesterday at Otchakoff with three of his sailors.

Just as children—as they grow a little older—quit talking about fairies, so grown-ups, as they grow a little wiser, quit talking about Luck—and become Liner advertisers.

The annual report of the Piano and Organ Workers' Union shows that during 1905 benefits aggregating $35,282.96 were paid.

COTTON REPORT OUT

Total Crop 10,697,000 Bales—Census Bureau Report Issued at 2 p. m.

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The final report of the census bureau, issued at 2 p. m. today, places the total amount of cotton produced in the United States this year in round figures at 10,696,000 bales. This counts round bales as halves and includes the linters and all cotton ginned up to and including March 15.

The total on March 28, last year, was 13,597,782 bales, and on March 25, 1904, the amount was 10,014,454 bales.

MOODY RAISES LAUGH

"Immunity Bath" Referred to by Attorney General in Packers' Case

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, March 20—Attorney General Moody continued the argument of the beef trust case today, saying that if the packers committed no crime, they should have nothing to fear. If their contention is upheld, every distinguished citizen in the country could break the laws of the country with impunity and claim immunity. He provoked laughter by picturing Armour and Swift meeting Rockefeller in Washington and asking:

"Good morning, have you taken your immunity bath yet?"

WATCHMAN SHOOTS WIFE

Memphis Man Kills Woman After Quarrel Following Divorce

By Associated Press.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 20.—Leon Croft, a night watchman, aged 30, shot and mortally wounded his wife, Lena, and then committed suicide today. The couple had been divorced and Croft was calling to see his little daughter, when the quarrel arose which resulted in the tragedy.

Mrs. Croft died in the hospital this morning.

FOR SCHOOL FUND

Stephens Proposes to Buy Indian Coal Land and Give it to New State

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Representative Stephens today offered a resolution in the house which proposes the purchase of the Choctaw and the Chickasaw coal lands by the government for $5,000,000, and the land to be donated to the new state as a school fund. The surface lands are not included in the purchase.

ARDMORE INTERESTED

Delegates Elected to Attend Statehood Rally at Shawnee

Special to The Telegram.

ARDMORE, I. T., March 19.—At a mass meeting held here today twenty delegates were elected to go to the Shawnee convention tomorrow, which will be attended by delegates from all over the two territories. An organized effort will be made to secure passage of the statehood bill by the house.

BALLINGER BONDS APPROVED

Water Works Issue of $14,000 Are Payable in Forty Years

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 20.—The attorney general's department yesterday afternoon approved an issue of $14,000 city of Ballinger water works bonds. These bonds are payable in forty years, with an option of twenty years, and they bear 5 per cent interest.

FARM WORK SLOW

Cold Weather Retards Agriculture in Ellis County

Special to The Telegram.

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, March 20.—The present cold spell is retarding farm work in Ellis county. Light rains fell Friday and Saturday, which will keep the farmers out of their fields nearly all of this week. The work of putting corn in the ground has about been completed and as soon as the ground is dry enough to plow farmers will begin planting cotton. There is now very little cotton in the county to be picked and most all has been sold. The acreage this year

If Your Boarding House Breeds a Race of Cynics, Escape by Means of a "Board Wanted" Liner Ad.

UNCALLED FOR. ANSWERS.

Answers to classified ads remaining in this office March 10, 1906: 8, 21, 22, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 37, 40, 41, 42, 47, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 112, 113, 117, 121, 122, 123, 126, 130, 134, 135, 136, 137, 139, 143, 180, 197, 202, 217, 225, 226, 236, 256, 259, 276, 270, 272, 273, 285, 287, 289, 293, 297, 302, 325, 332, 336, 337, 344, 346, 379, 381, 407, 459, 460, 469, 472, 480, 481, 492, 496, Oliver, Office, Max.

HELP WANTED

WE ARE THE CONNECTING LINK between employer and employe; our constant calls for good men continue to increase and we get many openings that we cannot fill. There are good positions waiting for you. Why not let us place you? Apply today. Southern Opportunity Co., 214-215 Fort Worth Nat'l Bank Bldg.

WANTED—For United States army, able bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting **officer, 345 Main** street, Dallas; **1300 Main street, Fort** Worth; 113 1-2 **South Fourth street,** Waco; 121 1-2 **Travis street, Sherman, Tex**as.

WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, chiropody or electrolysis; few weeks completes; top wages paid graduates; best paying work a lady can do; good field for resident trade, salaried positions or conducting establishments. See our advantages. Moler College, 1st and Main sts.

ALL PERSONS or firms having any account due them by Smyers, Webster & Company while they were at work on Grand avenue are hereby notified to present the same to the North Fort Worth Townsite Company on or before March 15, 1906, or the same will not be collectable.

WANTED—Energetic, honest, trustworthy young man to collect rents, attend to office and make himself generally useful; would prefer one who can handle typewriter. Permanent position will be given to right party. Reference required. Address in own handwriting, 204, Telegram.

ACTIVE MAN WANTED in each county **to exhibit, demonstrate** and advertise **staple line; salary $18 weekly. $3 per day for expenses. No capital required. Honesty and sobriety more essential than experience. National Co., 720 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.**

WANTED—Gentleman or lady with good reference to travel for firm of $250,000 capital; salary $1,072 per year and expenses; salary paid weekly and expenses advanced. Address, with stamp, J. A. Alexander, Fort Worth, Texas.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; splendid time to begin; busy season soon; few weeks completes; top wages paid graduates; little capital starts business; positions waiting; investigate. Moler Barber College, First and Main streets.

GOVERNESS wanted on ranch for the next two or three months to teach two children, Fifth and Seventh grades and piano. Call at 320 Henderson st., between the hours of 1 and 2.

WANTED—First-class vaudeville and dramatic people; also band and orchestra. Call at room 4, Richelieu Hotel. Billy Mack, mgr. Dude Faust Co.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 320 West 20th Street, North Fort Worth.

WANTED—AT once, man or woman to cook and do general housework. 418 South Main.

WANTED—A **first-class watchmaker,** for best location in Houston street. Address **348, Telegram.**

WANTED—One man to buy a pair of W. L. Douglas Shoes. Apply at Monnig's.

WANTED—A reliable white woman for general house work. Apply 401 Hemphill street.

WANTED—A chambermaid at Metropolitan hotel.

A WIDOW Wants work at once. Address 465 care Telegram.

POSITIONS furnished or money refunded. Labor Bureau, 202 1-2 Main.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—$1,000 worth of second-hand furniture and stoves for spot cash. Call on W. P. Lane Furniture and Carpet Co., corner Fourteenth and Houston streets, or call 3252 old phone or 45 new phone.

WANTED—Room and board in private family, west side, close in, for young lady; must be first class in every respect. P. O. Box 250.

I WILL PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICE for all the second hand furniture I can get. R. E. Lewis. Phones 1329, 212-14 Houston street.

WANTED—Pianos to tune. J. Edwin Macon, tuner, at J. C. Walton's Phone 2379-2. Endorsed by E. Armstrong.

WANTED—At new hospital, all cases of lameness or sickness. Satisfaction guaranteed. Both phones. 110 Rusk street. Dr. Barnes.

WANTED—Pupils who desire to learn German; lessons given evenings. Apply 1211 Main street.

WANTED—DRESSMAKING by first-class experienced hand. 315 Hemphill street, phone 2044.

WISH a room in private family seven nights a month. Address 326, care Telegram.

WANTED—To buy or rent good buggy; give price and description. Address 293, care Telegram.

WANTED—A two or three-room house for removal. Old phones 2949 or 1681.

WANTED—To figure with parties wishing to build; cash or easy payments. Phone 874.

WANTED TO BUY second hand flat top office desk, double width. Phone 868.

A YOUNG college girl wants home as companion for married lady who is alone nights. Phone 850.

WANTED TO BUY—A lot suitable for lumber yard. Address R. L. Davenport, Cleburne, Texas.

WANTED—To buy for cash, modern five-room cottage, close in. Address 474, care Telegram.

A FEW ACRES of ground with house on it, close in. Business Exchange, 102½ Main.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

LADY partner with $300 in one of the best paying business; money secured. Address 493, care Telegram.

PIANOS WANTED—Six second-hand pianos, square or upright. Prof. Lamb, 333 Taylor street.

WANTED—To buy modern seven-room house, close in, on west side. Address 470, Care Telegram.

WANTED—Second hand clothing. J. Singer, 1505 Main street.

WANTED—Safe, show cases and cash register. Address 492, care Telegram.

WANTED-To buy second hand furniture. Hubbard Bros., phone 2191.

GOOD cow. Phone 2370, between 2 and 4 p. m.

SMOKE UNION MARK 5c CIGAR.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED by young man, a position as helper in railway office; fourteen months' experience; best of references. Address, The Raymond, room 27.

WANTED—Position by student attending school to work for board after school hours. Address 112, care Telegram.

WANTED—Position on a ranch, as bookkeeper or stenographer, by young man, but will take other one. 122, care of The Telegram.

WANTED—Work for a few weeks; painting or paperhanging preferred; experienced in this kind of work. W. M. C., 946 College avenue.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and stenographer desires position; can furnish best of references. Address 1125 King street.

A WIDOW wants position as housekeeper at once. Mrs. Maud Rankin, general delivery.

CLERICAL OR Collecting position; best of reference. Address R. E. W., General Delivery.

WANTED—Position by an experienced lady stenographer. Address 336, care Telegram.

WANTED—A position at once as bookkeeper. Address 488, care Telegram office.

Help of all kinds furnished promptly by Labor Bureau. New phone 931.

ROOMS FOR RENT

THE MONTEZUMA APARTMENTS—All newly furnished and largest rooms in the city. Your patronage solicited. 804 1-2 Houston street. Old phone 4176.

THREE LARGE new unfurnished rooms, screened, cool and delightful, with water, phone and bath, on southwest side, two blocks of Summit avenue and three blocks of Henderson street car lines. Call at 315 Houston street.

TWO or three rooms in modern home, West Side, eight blocks from library, furnished for sleeping or will rent unfurnished for housekeeping to desirable parties; references required. Phone 1889

TWO unfurnished rooms; bath and phone privileve; to married couple without children. 1508 W. Fifth st., near Penn. Reference required. Phone 2812, after Monday noon.

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished front room with first-class table board, for couple or two gentlemen. References exchanged. 603 East Bluff.

NICE, cool outside rooms, nicely furnished at the Keburg. First and Throckmorton streets. Now under new management, at very reasonable prices.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, suitable for two young men, with or without board. 306 Hemphill. Phone 4115.

FOR RENT—Room, furnished or unfurnished, opposite modern boarding house, 917 West Weatherford street. Phone 1904.

ROOMS FOR RENT—With or without board; modern conveniences; terms reasonable. 922 Macon street. Old phone 3386.

TWO NICE large furnished rooms and board, with electric lights, furnace heat and bath, hot and cold water. West Fifth street. Phone 1314.

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Elizabeth and South Calhoun.

TWO NICELY furnished rooms for bed rooms, or light housekeeping. Phone 4289.

MODERN living in private house; bath, everything first class; reasonable. Phone 3192.

FURNISHED rooms, all modern conveniences, at The Speer, corner Fifth and Throckmorton.

FURNISHED ROOMS for gentlemen; electric lights; hot and cold water. Phone 1391.

NICELY furnished rooms for light housekeeping; new phone 517.. Lenox Flats, 501 1-2 Main St.

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping, six blocks from Main; bath, phone and no children. Phone 2333.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Apply to Mrs. K. D. Calb, 531 South Jennings.

ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished, for bed rooms or light housekeeping. Old phone 2906.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 821 West Railroad avenue.

FOR RENT—One unfurnished room in private family. Apply 606 Pennsylvania ave.

FRONT ROOM, just furnished with new carpet and furniture; 508 Throckmorton street; $3.50 per week.

TRY the Harris House for first-class furnished rooms. 406 Throckmorton street.

FOR RENT—Two or three rooms, furnished for housekeeping, near car line, nice location. 916 West Belknap.

FOR RENT—Two elegant rooms for light housekeeping; close in. 313 West Second.

ROOMS FOR RENT

NO better place to room than The St. Innes, 203½ Main; also light housekeeping.

VERY DESIRABLE front room; good board; modern conveniences. 300 East Fourth street.

ONE FUNISHED front room, convenient to three boarding houses; 413 East Third street.

EVERYTHING MODERN, new building, The Kingsley, corner Eighth and Throckmorton streets.

DESIRABLE furnished front room for gentlemen or housekeeping; cheap. Phone 2023.

TWO rooms, furnished complete, near Frisco, for couple. For particulars phone 2251.

ONE nicely furnished room with or without board. Phone 685.

NICELY furnished front room, reasonable. Phone 3776 old.

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, $10 a month. 514 E. 4th St.

TWO well furnished rooms for housekeeping. 315 Hemphill. Phone 2044.

THREE unfurnished rooms with water. 1008 East Daggett.

TWO well furnished rooms for housekeeping, 315 Hemphill. Phone 2044.

TWO FURNISHED rooms for rent. Old phone 3111.

BOARD AND ROOMS

FOR RENT, with board, one large southeast room, beautifully furnished, two blocks from Main street, for two young men or man and wife. Phone 3454.

WANTED—Table and regular boarders; rates reasonable. The St. Charles, Seventh and Rusk streets. J. W. Harris, Prop.

BOARD and lodging, with good home-cooked meals, 15 cents; weekly from $3.50 up. Goff House, 1314½ Houston street.

GOOD DAY BOARD can be secured at 514 East Sixth street; $3.50 per week. Phone 2613.

BEST ROOM AND BOARD at the Family Hotel, 1004 Lamar street. Rates reasonable.

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room; board near by; references exchanged. 309 Wheeler near Daggett.

ROOM AND BOARD—$4 week and up. The Colonial Inn, the new hotel, 304 15th.

WANTED—Four more good boarders, one minute walk from Main street; rates reasonable. Phone 1524.

ROOM and board, $4 week and up. The Colonial Inn, the new hotel, 304 Fifteenth.

BOARD AND ROOM—$3.50 to $5 per week; family style; at "The Texas," 404 Taylor street. Phone 1150.

GOOD table board at 506 West Belknap. Call after Feb. 1; 3 blocks west of court house.

GOOD TABLE BOARD, $3 per week, at 309 East First street. Meals 20c. Phone 3740.

ONE nicely furnished upstairs room with board, for couple or two gentlemen. 913 Taylor.

FIRST-CLASS board and room; modern conveniences; hot bath; $4 per week, 902 West Weatherford.

NICELY furnished rooms, modern conveniences, first-class board. 302 Lipscomb street.

FURNISHED ROOMS with board. 1113 North street.

TWO NICE ROOMS and board, in a private family. Phone 3664.

HOTEL BALTIC (European), 1609½ Houston street. New place.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—I have several lots in Fort Worth; trade for farm lands; have 200 acres in Dallas county, three miles of Grand Prairie; 160 acres in cultivation, 4 tenant houses; plenty of water, 150$ acres in Burleson county, 12 miles of county seat, 8 miles west Christman, to trade for city property. L. J. Hawkins, 210 Hill street, Fort Worth. Phone 1630.

VERY cheap and must sell the following household goods: One upright folding bed, one oak suit, one dining table, chairs, rockers, cook stove, heater, springs and one genuine Singer sewing machine, medium grade, and will save you big money. 109 South Jennings avenue. Old phone 1681.

FOR SALE—New five-room cottage, with porches, bath, pantry, barn, chicken house, trees, shrubbery, three hydrants, near care line; $1,600, $ balance easy terms. Vacant corner lot, 50x100 and city water, $550, $430 cash, balance easy; will sell together or separate. Address 345, care Telegram.

IF YOU want to trade that $2,000 residence in Fort Worth as part pay on my 2,000 acres of land near Graham, at $4 per acre, be quick; balance one to ten years at 8 per cent. J. N. Johnston, Arlington, Texas.

FOR SALE—On account of leaving city, office furniture, including roll, standing and flat top desks, typewriters, files, cabinets, chairs, etc.. Apply immediately at room 411, Hoxie building.

SODA FOUNTAINS, show cases, bank and drug fixtures, carbonators, charging outfits, etc; lowest prices. Write for catalogue. Manufactured by C. Mallander & Son, Waco, Texas.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching S. C. White and Brown Leghorns; good stock, Puritans, Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, $1 and $1.50 per 15. J. F. Wright, 1229 Arizona.

FOR SALE—Small stock of fancy goods material, Filo silk (Belding brand), stamping patterns, etc. Will sell below cost. Address Mrs. C. H. Ward, 1014 Cherry street.

FOR SALE—Investigate, 1421 Hemphill, nice home, lot 100x150 to a 20-foot alley, within half block of three car lines; beautiful trees, shrubbery, lawn, etc. See S. S. Potts.

FOR SALE—200 stock cows at $12.50 per head; 200 1 and 2-year-old heifers at $7.50 and $10.50 per head for sale by J. R. Lyon, Somerville, Texas.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

AUCTION on Jennings avenue square Saturday morning. Gents' suits of clothing, sewing machine and household goods.

INCUBATOR and brooder; Stahl's make; 100 egg capacity; for $10. Apply corner May and Myrtle streets, city.

FOR SALE—One of the best restaurants in Fort Worth; cheap rent; good opportunity. Address 480,care Telegram.

FOR SALE—One male cockerell spaniel; coal black; eight weeks old. 905 South Main street. Phone 1188 red (new phone).

FOR SALE—Coal in bags, delivered to your rooms upstairs or down, at same price. W. C. Guffey & Co. Phones 438.

BARGAIN—Near high school, 5-room frame house, bath room, hydrants, lawn, iron fence, lot 50x100; $2,000, easy terms. Phone 417.

$85 for $250 Dunham Upright Piano. $150 for $300 Schiller Piano; $5 monthly payments. The Alex. Hirschfeld Co.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—My market business cheap for cash; good reason for selling. Address 489, care Telegram.

FOR SALE—Top runabout buggy cheap for cash or easy payments. Z. L. Bogan, 112 West Ireland street.

FOR SALE—Black Minorca eggs for setting; best strain in the south. 1014 Cherry St.

FOR SALE—The Pullman restaurant on North Side, known as Van Tresse restaurant. New phone 1232.

FOR SALE—North Fort Worth Livery stable; sell stock and rent barn. Phone 576, new phone.

FOR SALE—Well-located, nicely furnished boarding house; also eight boarders in the house. Old phone 8592.

FOR SALE—Ice wagon, team and route; or wagon alone; cheap. Both phones 640.

FOR SALE—Horse and buggy. Call at 1028 Washington avenue. A. W. Boynton.

FOR SALE—Gasoline range in A-1 condition. Phone 3107. 315 St. Louis avenue.

$3,500 BUYS grocery business with an established trade of $30,000 a year. Address 319, care Telegram.

FOR SALE—Store in good location, news, cigars, fruit and candy. Address 297, care Telegram.

FOR SALE—Horse and buggy. Apply 1215 Rusk street, phone 4595. Lee Black.

FOR SALE—The Crown Restaurant, doing good business; a bargain. R. Epstein, Twelfth and Calhoun.

FOR SALE—Extra good family horse, 16½ hands high. No traders can get him. See him at 1014 El Paso street.

FOR SALE—Little grocery and fixtures, cheap. 1514 Houston street.

FOR TRADE—A $250 lot for horse or horses. Phone 1630.

BARGAINS in irrigated farms. 1625 Main street.

W. A. DARTER, 711 Main has special bargains city property, farm ranches

LARGE RANCH properties, 1625 Main street.

FOR SALE—One thoroughbred Jersey bull, 3 years old. Phone 1747.

PLATE GLASS, 78x82, $25; 48x78, $15 Brown & Vera, 1108 Main street.

FOR SALE—One thousand five hundred loads of dirt. Old phone 4477.

LARGE fireproof safe for sale. Apply 311 Main street. Phone 71.

FOR SALE—Eggs for setting: Black Manorca. 1014 Cherry street.

GENUINE rental bargains; must sell. Owner. phone 3976.

GOOD PIANO—1513 East Bluff street.

MISCELLANEOUS

A CONSTANTLY increasing furniture business tells the tale of low prices and fair dealing at the store of N. A. Cunningham, dealer in new and second hand furniture, stoves, queensware, etc. Look the line over before buying. Cash or credit. N. A. Cunningham. 406-408 Houston street.

UNION STEAM DYE WORKS—111 West Ninth street, Fort Worth—We dye and clean evening dresses of the most delicate and expensive makes with care and skill. White albatross, mulls, silks, organdies, broadcloths, pongee dresses that are trimmed with Battenburg lace are carefully and properly handled.

EXCHANGE—Furniture, stoves, carpets, mattings, draperies of all kinds, the largest stock in the city where you can exchange your old goods for new. Everything sold on easy payments. Ladd Furniture and Carpet Co., 704-6 Houston street. Both phones 562.

THE TELEGRAM accepts advertising on a guarantee that its circulation in Fort Worth is greater than any other paper. Circulation books and press room open to all.

IF you want the highest prices for your second-hand furniture, ring up R. E. Lewis, 212-14 Houston. Phones 1329.

ROOM in car for furniture going to California. Address 342, care Telegram.

FOR ALL KINDS of scavenger work, phone 918. Lee Taylor.

SMOKE UNION MARK 5c CIGAR.

ASK THE WOMAN ABOUT C. M. H.S.

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Bay mare, fifteen hands high; scar on front right foot. Return 2015 Grove street, North Fort Worth, and get reward.

LOST—A short brown fur. Finder please leave over T. P. Day's bicycle store and receive reward.

LOST—One pair of pearl opera glasses in red plush bag. Finder please leave at Telegram office.

FOUND at Monnig's, the best pair of Men's Shoes. It's W. L. Douglas.

SPECIAL NOTICES

PHONE 108 old, 628 new, or call at Colp's Livery Stable, 705 Rusk street, if information about arrival and departure of trains is wanted. A special operator is on duty day and night, whose business it is to furnish the public with the time all trains are due to arrive and depart, according to the latest information obtainable at the dispatcher's office. We are prepared to furnish you carriages on short notice day or night. Colp Livery and Carriage Co. Phone 108.

MRS. C. KAUFMAN, proprietress of Mama's Chili Parlor, corner Twelfth and Main streets, will close her place March 31, on account of the rebuilding of the house she now occupies. The new building will be ready for occupancy the latter part of September, where Mrs. Kaufman will be installed in handsome new quarters. Old patrons are thanked for their patronage in the past and their business solicited when the new place opens.

PIANOS TUNED AND REPAIRED—Prompt service. L. A. Barringer, tuner, at Armstrong's Piano Store, 503 Houston street. Old Phone 3399.

WE DO manicuring, massage, hairdressing and shampooing; all work guaranteed. Panther City Beauty Parlor, 811 Houston street.

IF YOU live in the north side patronize a north side tailor; suits to order; repairing, cleaning and pressing. A. A. Sosa, Exchange avenue.

H. H. HAGER & CO. appreciate coal, wood and feed orders, prompt delivery. Phones, old 2232, new 1578.

J. S. CLARKSON will rent you furniture cheap, at corner Second and Main. Old phone 428; new 278.

SHOO-FLY, you can't bother me, for I was screened in by Dilliard's Cabinet Shop. hone 1950.

BOUND ELECTRICAL CO. for gas mantles and burners.

50c to Dallas; round trip, $1. J. T. Lynn, Richelieu Hotel.

ALL kinds of plain sewing; charges reasonable. Call at 718 Allen ave.

NATIONAL Fashion Co., phones 1588.

SMOKE UNION MARK 5c CIGAR.

FOR RENT

H. C. Jewell. H. Veal Jewell.
H. C. JEWELL & SON
The Rental Agents of the City. 1000 Houston Street. Phones 63.

FOR RENT—813 Hemphill, modern bungaloo cottage, 5 rooms, reception hall and bathroom, $30 per month. 1215 Kane street; new 5-room cottage, $15 per month. J. A. Starling, Phone 120.

FOR RENT—15-room furnished house, close in, two blocks from postoffice; house now making $100 per month; all rooms occupied. Address 210, care Telegram.

A FEW NICE office rooms, centrally located. Apply Strong & Co., 1115½ Main street. Old phone 4134. New phone 1764.

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FOR RENT—Six-room house, 1010 East Weatherford street; gas, bath, servant house; lately renovated. Apply 910 Penn street. Phone 437.

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WANTED—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping on East Front, or within one block of East Front. Address No. 458, care Telegram.

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Five-room cottage with large reception hall, mantel and grate, bath, barn, well located in the Seventh ward, for $1,800; worth $2,000, and you will say so when you see the property.

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4-room house on Holt st., Glenwood, $650; $250 cash.

3-room house on St. Louis ave.; lot 50x103½; price this week only $950.

4-room house on Clara st., close in, $1,000.

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FOR SALE—75x237, east front, on Hemphill street, with a beautiful new six-room modern cottage. Owner leaving city. Now is your chance for a bargain.

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DR. G. E. LA BAUME, Reynolds Bldg.. Both telephones 185.

DR. JOHN GRAMMER, Dentist, 906 Main, opp. Metropolitan. Phone 585.

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BIG BARGAIN this day; boarding and rooming house, fine Main street location; must sacrifice. 501 Wheat building.

THOSE desiring employment at Summit avenue rink will apply to Manager Beach Friday, March 23, between 2:30 and 4:30, at rink.

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$1,000 of gilt edge secured notes and good real estate to exchange for grocery, a lodging house or saloon. 501 Wheat Bldg.

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N. J. WADE, attorney at law. Reynolds building. Phone 180.

COOK & ORR, lawyers, 909 Houston street. Floore bldg., phone 4019.

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LEGAL NOTICE

ELECTION NOTICE.

By virtue of the power vested in me by the charter of the City of Fort Worth, Texas, I hereby call an election in said city on Tuesday, April 3, 1906, being the first Tuesday in said month, during the legal hours for holding elections; for the purpose of electing:

One mayor for the city at large,
One alderman for the First ward,
One alderman for the Second ward.
One alderman for the Third ward,
One alderman for the Fourth ward,
One alderman for the Fifth ward,
One alderman for the Sixth ward,
One alderman for the Seventh ward.
One alderman for the Eighth ward,
One alderman for the Ninth ward.

The polls will be located at the following places with following presiding judges:

First Ward—At First ward fire hall, with Joe Leahey presiding judge.
Second Ward—At west basement of court house, with William Smith presiding judge.
Third Ward—At 207 East Fifteenth street, with Carl Schilder as presiding judge.
Fourth Ward—At city hall, with S. T. Bibb as presiding judge.
Fifth Ward—At Tucker Hill fire hall, with John A. Mugg presiding judge.
Sixth ward—At Sixth ward fire hall, with M. J. Lewis as presiding judge.
Seventh Ward—At P. O'Connell's store, South Main street, with Hugh Wood as presiding judge.
Eighth Ward—Corner Magnolia and Hemphill street, with F. E. Dycus as presiding judge.
Ninth Ward—At east basement of court house, with Theodore Mack as presiding judge.

T. J. POWELL, Mayor.

Attest:
JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 952.

An ordinance to abolish the stand for vehicles heretofore established by ordinance on West Tenth street between Main and Houston Streets, Fort Worth, Texas.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Fort Worth, Texas:

Section 1. That the stand heretofore established on West Tenth street between Main and Houston Streets for the use of hacks, carriages, and other vehicles engaged in carrying goods and passengers for hire in the city of Fort Worth, shall be, and the same is hereby abolished, and it shall hereafter be unlawful for the driver of any such hack, carriage or other vehicle to stop, stand, or detain the same while soliciting or waiting for employment at any place on said West Tenth street in the said city of Fort Worth.

Section 2. That any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined not less than five, nor more than twenty-five dollars for each and every offense.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

Filed March 5, 1906.
JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

Passed under suspension of rules, March 5, 1906.
JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

Recorded in ordinance Book E, page 149, March 12, 1906.
JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

This ordinance not having been approved nor disapproved by the mayor within three days after its passage, as required by the charter, takes effect the same as if approved.
JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

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FIRE PROOF SAFES—We have on hand at all times several sizes and solicit your inquiries and orders. Nash Hardware Co., Fort Worth.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR CONRESS
JAMES W. SWAYNE.
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

W. P. LANE—Candidate for legislature; subject to action democratic primaries, July 28.

FOR SHERIFF
The Telegram is authorized to announce JOHN T. HONEA as a candidate for sheriff of Tarrant county for a third term; subject to the action of the democratic party.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
Chas. T. Rowland is a candidate for county judge of Tarrant county, subject to the action of democratic party.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
JOHN L. TERRELL is a candidate for County Judge of Tarrant county, subject to democratic primary in July.

FOR CONGRESS,
T. J. POWELL.
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries July 28.

WALTER G. KING, condidate for County Clerk, Tarrant county. Subject to action Democratic primary.

JOHN A. MARTIN—Candidate reelection district clerk; subject action democratic primaries, July 28.

JOHN A. KEE, candidate for county clerk of Tarrant county; subject to action of democratic primaries.

FINANCIAL

WE WANT all readers of The Telegram to know that we have 8 per cent money to loan on farms and improved city property. Vendor lien notes extended. Thomas & Swinney, 506 Main street, Fort Worth, Texas, both phones.

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MONEY TO LOAN on farms and ranches by the W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Co., Reynolds Building, corner Eighth and Houston streets.

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WE LOAN money on chattel mortgages, Floore-Epes Loan Company, 909 Houston, phone 3532.

IF IT'S money you want, phone J. A. Crow, both phones.

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FOR money ring new telephone 1013.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

THE UNITED STATES government is going to spend $600,000 at Carlsbad, N. M., on irrigation. See me and get land already in high state of cultivation. 1625 Main street.

J. A. STARLING & CO.
Real Estate Brokers, Rentals.
512 Main street. In Cotton Belt Ticket Office. Phone 120.

COTTAGE for sale cheap by owner on monthly installments like rent; walking distance stock yards. 2623 Gould avenue.

STRONG & CO.,
Real Estate and Rental Agents, 1115½ Main street, Fort Worth, Texas. Phone 4134 old 1764 new.

IRRIGATED LANDS—Fruit and cotton, at Barstow, on the Texas and Pacific railway. Bruce Knight, 1625 Main.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, nice, two-story 6-room residence on Sixth avenue. Address Owner, box 304, city.

WE want you to own your own home. North Fort Worth Townsite Co., Main st. and Exchange ave, phone 1236

FOR SALE—Four-room house on Penn avenue; a bargain at $1,750. Phone 861. Extra good location.

IF RESIDENCE or business property or investment (you want to buy or sell) see L. B. Kohnle, phones 1515.

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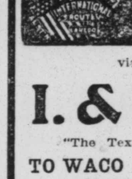
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MUCH STOCK IN TARRANT COUNTY

Farmers Appreciate Value of Close Market

While the stockmen are constantly giving their story as to what is taking place in the south, west and north Texas, very few home people are aware that the stock interests of Tarrant county are of some importance, being equal in the aggregate to the herds that can be found in some of the strictly cow counties. In addition to the men who raise registered cattle and the ranchmen who have still remained in the business, whose numbers are not so limited as most would suppose, there are numbers of stock farmers who furnish a good lot of marketable stuff which is shipped in small lots or are driven to market and thus avoid the prominence that larger shipments induce. The fact is that the small shippers, those of one and two cars, form in the aggregate a very large percentage of the receipts at the yards. This being unknown to most people they do not, when this market is spoken of, give any thought of Tarrant county, but their thoughts invariably turn to the great ranges.

"We have a good cattle country," said A. H. Copeland, of Tarrant county, "and as I live near Arlington you will understand that I am not boasting when I say this. There are, of course, no stock raisers as the term is generally understood in Texas, but all of our people are interested in stock more or less and give the interest to it that is necessary to make a success of it. A large number of fat cattle are shipped from our station and they are good beef, too. There are no special breeds as far as the beef cattle are concerned, but the Shorthorns are probably the favorites with the most people, because they make good beef and milk and butter, which is so necessary to a farming community and to storekeepers, too, for that matter at the present time.

Jerseys are being fancied more and more now, for their butter producing qualities, and no doubt will increase in favor as the markets in Fort Worth and Dallas increase. With the winter pastures of wheat and oats cattle can be kept in condition easily, and now that alfalfa is coming into use more and more the task will be still greater lightened. Many of our people now-a-days are beginning to abandon wheat and are planting less and less of it each year.

"No man can succeed in this day and generation by confining his efforts to one special kind of stuff alone and our people are finding this out and now that they have a market near in which they can sell any kind of stock, they will diversify and be in condition to supply any demand, and a failure of one product will not affect them to any great extent.

Few Sheep Pastured

"No sheep are raised in our section now. They cannot be turned out on account of the dogs that roam around and kill them. Sheep are bringing good prices and I suppose that when we get rid of the dogs and raise the right kind of feed we will make a success of sheep raising. Our people are as intelligent as those engaged in the same avocation anywhere else, and it only needs experience to set them to work to raising cattle and other things with equal skill of people elsewhere. We have not always had the means of selling what we raised as other people had, and no man can be induced to raise things for simple glory, and then bear the burden of the loss himself. This has been the case in Texas heretofore, before Fort Worth established her market, and it was not the fault in any manner of the people that diversification did not take with them faster. The condition were to blame. I am from Tennessee and have been here twenty-four years and all my neighbors are almost all the same kind of people and they will be found at the head of the procession, now that the opportunity has been given them.

"Horses and mules are also given much attention by our people and a good many are turned out for market of a quality as good as most Texas stock.

Fruit Supply

Up to now the cold spell has not hurt the fruit to any extent, so far as the cloudy weather has prevented frost. The trees are in fine bloom and if they are not hurt this time it is probable that will have a banner crop. Of course we raise a lot of berries around Arlington, but these do not put themselves forward as fast as peaches and plums and fruit of that sort. The farmers are all well up with their work and there is a good season in the ground. Corn has all been planted. I examined it Saturday and found that all the seed had sprouted and would go to growing just as soon as the weather is warmer. Of course cotton will not be planted now until April, for the ground is too cold. Wheat looks well and so do oats. Wheat looks well planted seems to be getting along nicely. I do not believe that alfalfa will do well on the uplands, but in the bottoms it will be a success. Such bottoms as Village creek, I am sure, would suit it admirably. Altogether it may be said that our part of Tarrant county is in fine fix and every prospect would assure us that this year will be another good one."

AMUSEMENTS

"Atlantic City" is a comic strung together cleverly, filled with situations abounding in fun, a few fresh jokes, a number of catchy ditties, a fair chorus and—Miss Adams. The latter renders "Bright Eyes" in heliotrope, she actually sings it ,and really understands how to deport herself, deploy her hands and feet and depict her countenance while on the stage. W. S. Wills as Reggie, and Hinckey Dee, successfully sang "Nobody" variably, and danced. Applause from the darker portion of the gallery shows how naturally he works, after the "just as easy" style, known only to experts. His makeup reminds one of "The Millionaire Tramp" in its approach to the real thing. The chorus behaved very nicely, of whom it may be said that Miss Kate Elder made the usual "hit" by capricious angling in "Looking for a Sweetheart," the song evidently being directed at a lonely occupant of a box, who "didn't mind."

Dick Thomas' "Handy Thing to Have About the House" was de trop.

The others were all there.
Costumes were pretty.
They are still here.

A New Melodrama Coming

A true Yankee story, presented as an interesting Yankee play, portrayed by real New England actors, piloted by a veteran manager from the Green Mountain state, are the promises held forth by U. D. Newell, who will present for the first time in this city at Greenwall's opera house, Thursday matinee and night, March 22, his sensational comedy drama, "A Jolly American Tramp." In this play the author, E. E. Kidder, who wrote "A Poor Relation" and "Peaceful Valley" for Sol Smith Russell, is said to have outdone himself, for in this piece he gives us deft character delineations that we are told almost rank co-equal with Charles Dickens' creations, so true to nature are they said to be. In this play the author touches that well-spring of emotion, the heart, and, firmly grasping it, holds his audience entranced until the curtain rings down upon the final scene, and every wrong has been righted, the just rewarded and the guilty punished. Manager Newell has secured a good cast for its portrayal.

The Majestic

A bill headed by the Four Oturas, Japanese tumblers, containing three little subjects of the Mikado but 9, 10 and 11 years of age respectively, proved an applause producer with the large audience gathered at the Majestic Monday night. Though the youth of the little Japanese endeared them to the hearts of those in the audience, they had no need to rely upon this for success, the feats performed meriting full applause whether done by youth or full age.

This act was but one of a number of clever presentations. Clever Conkey, comedian juggler, was indeed clever furnishing wonder and amusement. Charles Howison, bird imitator and mimic, was well received, while Rawls and Van Kaufman gave another strong leading to the ridiculous. A return to physical skill was shown in the act of Cull and Johnson, clever dancers, whose act is also graceful and attractive.

Klokke and Frigoli were heard in a number of fine voice selections, and Zoe Matthews was also received with great favor. The Majestograph closed the performance with its usual good numbers.

LABOR BO IES AT HOGG MEMORIAL

Many Addresses for Sunday Service

Program for memorial services on the death of ex-Governor James S. Hogg at Greenwall's opera house at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, March 25, is announced as follows:

Meeting called to order by Colonel R. M. Wynne, master of ceremonies.
Prayer by Rev. Junius B. French.
Sacred song.
Fifteen-minute speech by Colonel R. M. Wynne.
Sacred song.
Short memorial sermon by Rev. Alonzo Monk.
Five-minutes speeches by W. P. McLean Sr., T. T. D. Andrews, T. J. Powell, R. R. Webb, J. J. Jarvis, Joseph S. Myers, R. B. Paddock, S. J. Hunter, W. A. Hanger and Sidney L. Samuels.
Five-minute speeches by a representative from each labor organization in the city and the Farmers' Union.
Five-minute speeches from any one in the audience desiring to pay tribute to the dead statesman and patriot.
Sacred song.
Benediction.

POSTAL CHANGES

The following Texas postoffices have been discontinued: Belgarde, Newton county, mail going to Trotti; Zint, Gonzales county, mail going to Smiley.

The postoffice at Short, Selby county, will be discontinued on April 2. It has been supplied by rural free delivery service.

The postoffice at Sunview, Marion county, will be discontinued and superseded by rural free delivery.

A postoffice has been established at Adamson, district 15, and at Sadie, district 11, Indian Territory.

The postoffice at Sully, Washita county, Okla., has been discontinued.

The following Texas postmasters have been recommissioned: Anson, Harry C. Butler: Dripping Springs, Mercer E. Chapman; Kilgore, John N. Lindsey.

The postoffice at Marston, Polk county, has been discontinued.

The postoffice at Daugherty, Kaufman county, has been discontinued and superseded by rural delivery.

Postoffices in Oklahoma which have been discontinued are as follows: Oney, Caddo county, and Seger, Washita county.

The following Texas postmasters have been recommissioned: Monahans, Mary E. Moore; Carsdan, John M. Poer; Elmtown, Benjamin F. Ipepn.

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SEEK TO AMEND THE 28-HOUR LAW

Cattlemen Declare Present Ruling Subjects Them to Loss

Telegram readers who have frequently seen reference to the twenty-eight-hour law and the reference of the cattlemen to secure its modification will be interested to learn from the following statement, taken from the official program of the thirtieth annual convention of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, the attitude of the Texas cattle raisers toward that law and its present efforts on their interests. From present indications it is believed that the twenty-eight-hour law will be amended at the present session of congress, and the time limit for keeping live stock in cars extended to thirty-six hours.

The statement of the law's effects on the cattle industry in Texas, as given in the official program is as follows:

Amendments to the Twenty-Eight-Hour Law

"In 1873 the congress of the United States passed a law requiring that live stock do not remain upon the cars without feed, water and rest for more than twenty-eight hours, except where the cars were of such character as to afford the opportunity for feed, water and rest. It was a part of the history of this enactment that it was secured through the private car lines which were then building and putting into operation so-called stable cars, equipped for watering and feeding live stock. Experience showed that it was impracticable to water stock on the cars, and that to a large extent was abandoned and the law was not enforced to any appreciable extent until last year, when through some means or other the department of agriculture undertook the more active enforcement of the law, and its enforcement developed the fact that in most instances shipments from Texas and other points that are far away from the markets an additional unloading was required, and this was not only an expense to the shipper and consequent loss to him, but generally kept his live stock off the market for an additional day, with a consequent shrinkage, and added to such injuries as are naturally incident to the shipment of live stock, the injury of an extra unloading and reloading, the total expense and loss being variously estimated at from $20 to $50 per car where such unloading and reloading was required. As a general rule in shipments from Fort Worth and points on the Fort Worth and Denver City railway and other points in northern Texas to Kansas City, it requires something more than twenty-eight hours in most instances to make the run. The convenience of the shipper generally is to load at night and reach the market the second morning. In shipments to St. Louis from many parts of Texas an additional unloading was required, because the run could not generally be made in twenty-eight hours, nor is it desirable to do so where the live stock can be loaded one evening and reach destination early the second morning.

"Our members who are engaged in the grazing of cattle in the northwestern ranges find that it requires sometimes as much as two extra unloadings and reloadings to comply with this twenty-eight-hour law. The pens of sufficient size having sufficient equipment in which to unload and feed train loads of cattle were not so situated as to be able to unload at the end of twenty-eight hours, and frequently required stoppage four or five hours earlier.

"In consequence with this difficulty, this Association, in connection with the American Stock Growers' Association, took up the matter with the railroad companies with a view of making a joint fight to secure an amendment to this injurious law, and at the same time took up the matter with the department of agriculture to secure some relaxation of the rigid rules which have been adopted for its enforcement. The result of it has been that the department of agriculture has done all that it can within the limits of the law to relieve the situation. The live stock carriers of the west, acting with this association, have arranged an active canvass for a united effort to secure at the hands of congress the amendment of this act so as to extend the time to thirty-six hours. To that end the Live Stock Transportation Association has been formed, with an office and secretary at Chicago, and it is hoped that every member of this association and every cattleman throughout the country will lend his active support in furthering the united effort to amend the law and not rest upon the assumption that it will be done without the support of each individual.

Regulation of Railroad Service and Furnishing Cars

"Closely allied with the railroad rate regulation is the matter of securing the best attainable service both in the matter of transporting cattle and in the matter of securing cars upon application. This association has procured to be introduced in congress, a bill to provide for the matter of furnishing cars, and the exchange of loaded for empty cars, so as to reduce to a minimum the difficulty of obtaining cars and to prevent railroads from compelling live stock to be unloaded at junction points, but on the contrary to compel the exchange of loaded cars of live stock for empties. This is a very important matter, and one which interests all shippers to a greater or less degree. We expect to push that bill at the next session of congress, and ultimately hope and expect to gain relief in this particular.

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VERY FINE BOOTHS

First Sessions of Exhibition Draw Large Attendance to See Display

The Fort Worth Retail Grocers and Butchers' Pure Food Show, which opened Monday afternoon with a blaze of glory, proved to be a great success all the way through. Several of the booths were not finished for the afternoon session, so the show was thrown open to the public without admission being charged. The formal opening took place in the evening. A large crowd was present at the afternoon exhibition, but in the evening it was still larger, and the aisles were crowded with people.

Almost every booth had attendants present, who prepared samples of the various goods on exhibition and served them to the public. A good luncheon can easily be obtained by passing from one booth to another.

The exhibition is most elaborate and was a source of surprise to every one as the door was passed and the tremendous display of color was noticed. Bright colors, set for the most part on a background of white, were predominant. The first room, containing as it does more booths than the second room, was the center of attraction for most of the people, except when the show was going on, when they crowded into the second room.

The Booths

Entering the room, the first booth that greets the eye is the McCord-Collins booth, which is directly before the door. It is done entirely in pink and white and presents a fine appearance. In the middle of the booth is a small house arrangement, in which is located a gas range for the preparation of samples which are given to the visitors. The booth contains almost everything that a wholesale grocery house could offer.

Across the aisle from this booth and right alongside of the door is the booth of Franklin McVeigh & Co., done entirely in light blue, corresponding to the colors of the cans of coffee which form the principal part of the exhibit.

Next to this exhibit as one passes along the aisle is that of the National Coffee Company, the principal part of which is a large picture of the Alamo in the back part. The exhibit is done in green and white and presents a fine appearance. The Alamo coffee furnishes the principal part of the exhibit and visitors are given samples of the coffee after preparation. Other grades of coffee complete the exhibition.

Across the aisle is the exhibit of the Bewley Mills. Flour is here filled in almost everywhere. Around the booth is a counter, which is entirely supported by flour barrels, and in the middle is a pile of flour reaching almost to the ceiling. The booth is done almost entirely in white. Across the top of the booth is a string of incandescent lamps.

Next to the Bewley exhibit is the elaborate exposition of Swift & Co., which is done in purple and white. Around the top of the booth on each side is a row of incandescent lights, bearing the letters, "S W I F T," one letter on each globe. A complete line of goods is shown throughout the booth and samples of sausage and other meat preparations are served with crackers.

On the opposite side of the aisle Chase & Sanborn have put up an elaborate Japanese cottage, in which tea and coffee are served. The Japanese cottage is complete in every detail and presents an attractive appearance.

Medlin mill, occupying the corner space of the first aisle, has a fine exhibit, in which is used over a ton of flour in sacks. Diagonally across the booth is a picture of the mills, surrounded with a border of small sacks of flour. This picture serves as a screen to cut off the kitchen in the rear, where biscuits are prepared by the dozen for the visitors. On the roof of the pavilion is a pile of flour extending upwards until it touches the ceiling. The booth is elaborately decorated with electric lights.

Adjoining this booth is that of the Gleason Grape Juice Company of Fredonia, N. Y., where samples of grape juice are served. The exhibit is done in green and white, and is largely decorated with bows of leaves.

The Heinz booth, with its almost numberless varieties, comes next, and presents a fine appearance. The color scheme is also green and white, with a small canopy in the rear. Pickles are the main things served.

Next to the Heinz pavilion comes that of the Brown Cracker Company of Dallas, which has about an equal number of varieties, only this time they are crackers. The entire woodwork of the pavilion is hidden underneath covers of cracker boxes and visitors are served to all manner of good things, including small boxes of soda crackers.

In the corner next to this booth is the Carter-Hunt pavilion, where one can get almost a complete luncheon. Part of the refreshments served at this booth include hot cakes with syrup, soup, pork and beans, coffee and crackers. This is the only entirely white pavilion in the exposition. The small kitchen, with its gas range, is located in the corner of the exhibit in the rear.

One of the most elaborate of the exhibits is the Armour booth, located in the center on the corner. It is all done in the Armour colors of blue and orange, and is most complete with colors decorated in orange. Show cases contain a large line of goods. Around the top of the booth small incandescent lights spell out the name of the company on each side. Beef tea forms the bill of fare here.

Across the aisle is the O. L. Gregory Vinegar Company of Paducah, Ky., and Fort Worth, which has a display, all parts of which are composed of barrels, etc., used by the company. Texas pickles and cider offer a welcome to the visitor. Around the booth are strung small jugs.

Then comes the Fort Worth Macaroni Company, which presents an attractive appearance and shows various forms of its manufacture, done up in fancy shapes. One of the first things in the booth to attract the attention is a large star formed of macaroni. The booth is decorated largely with red, white and blue trimmings, and a large number of green leaves.

The St. Charles Cream Company comes next with a yellow and white booth, which was not entirely completed at the time of the show Monday.

A. E. Want & Co. have a purple and white display in the center aisle, which is fitted up with a large number of varieties of the wholesale grocery lines and presents an attractive appearance. The work of fitting this booth up took a great deal of time, and the booth shows what was done.

In a prominent place is the Burrus Mill and Elevator Company exhibit, with a booth trimmed in red, white and blue. Flags add a great deal to the decorations. Sacks of flour are exhibited in prominent places, and bread made of the Burrus flour is served to the visitors.

On the opposite side is the exhibit of T. M. Sinclair & Co., which is complete with hams, bacons and vinegar pickled goods. The color scheme is blue and white.

Next comes the Waples-Platter Grocer Company, with a complete line of Wapco and White Swan goods. The booth is decorated in yellow and white. All manner of refreshments are served, chief among them being cakes served by an old negro mammy.

The J. A. Folger Coffee Company occupies a booth next to the office, and it is composed entirely of the red cans of coffee of the company in various sizes. Hot coffe is served to visitors.

Last but not least of the exhibits of this room is that of the King Candy Company, which has prepared a dainty green and white booth, about which decorations of King candy are spread in large quantities. In the center of the exhibit is a figure representing an "American Queen," with a box of King's candy in her lap. Two show cases in front of the exhibit present a view of the many kinds of candy made by the company.

Passing into the second room from the first exhibit, on the left is that of the Ratliff Chili Manufacturing Company, decorated with red streamers hanging from all sides and across the top. Chili with crackers is served to all visitors.

Next is the booth of the Sutton Germ Proof Filter, in purple and white. Purple is the prominent part of the color scheme.

On the opposite side of the room is the exhibit of the G. E. Faucher Broom Company, with a full line of brooms exhibited in the booth. A large circular rack in the middle has a number of brooms, while other varieties are displayed on the sides. The colors of the booth are pink and white.

Next is the booth occupied jointly by Freckeleater and Dr. Pepper. Decorations are in purple and white, and streamers of the same colors hang along the four sides. The front presents an elaborate appearance, with purple streamers intertwined along the top.

The Cheek & Neal Coffee Company of Nashville and Houston occupies the corner, and is decorated in red, lavender, yellow and blue, with a number of flags. Coffee is served, forming as it does, the entire exhibit.

Next is the booth of the Standard Food Company of Dallas, with a display of potato chips. The booth is decorated in green, yellow and white, and is in charge of the Fort Worth agent, Ben U. Bell.

The last of the booths is that of the Texas Bottling and Candy Company, with a complete line of candies and bottled soft drinks. Back of the exhibit is the principal attraction in the shape of a house built entirely of candy. One large stick of candy, weighing sixty-five pounds, is also on exhibition.

Vaudeville Performance

A vaudeville performance is given both afternoon and evening, and the acts which are presented are too well known in this city to need any introduction. The program is given by Swor Brothers, black face comedians; Don Carlos, his dogs and lion; Diaz Sisters' Mexican orchestra and moving pictures.

SHORTHORN MEETING

Directors of American Association to Hold Session Here

Word has been received here that the members of the board of directors of the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association will arrive in this city Wednesday evening and that the meeting of the board will be held that night at the Worth hotel at 8:30 o'clock. This is the first time that the board of directors of the national association has ever met in the south.

Among the members of the board who are expected are: J. F. Prather, Williamsville, Ill.; C. E. Leonard, Belhair, Mo.; H. W. Harding, Waukesha, Wis.; J. M. Forbess, Henry, Ill.; W. I. Woods, Greensboro, Ohio; T. J. Wornall, Liberty, Mo., and Secretary J. W. Graves, Chicago. J. F. Hovenkamp of this city is also a member of the committee.

The members will remain after the meeting for the purpose of visiting the Fat Stock Show.

BOOSTING HOUSTON

Merchants, Jobbers and Manufacturers to Take Series of Trips

Special to The Telegram.

HOUSTON, Texas, March 20.—Texas wholesale merchants and manufacturers start March 28 on the first of a series of junketing trips over all territory within a 200-mile radius of this city. The purpose is extending acquaintance and widening Houston's influence as a wholesale, jobbing and manufacturing center.

The first trip covers four days' period, and will include Seguin, Kenedy and Beeville. A palatial train will carry a party of near a hundred people. Future trips will cover the remainder of the cardinal points, in anticipating of shipping trade.

"A girl," remarks an urban philosopher, "has no trouble in keeping warm in open-work in March, provided she has a $4 bunch of violets to wear."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BROKE HER CHAIN

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A venerable lady of Iowa, says that she was a regular cofee drinker for thirty years, and although convinced that the habit was the cause of her increasing nervousness, she was loath to give it up.

"I became so nervous," she says, "that when I had callers it would excite my nerves so that I would sit and cry for an hour or more after they had gone. I could not even go up town to do a little shopping with any comfort, and I would often get all ready and then take off my hat and stay at home and have a crying spell.

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YEAR'S WORK OF Y. M. C. A. TOLD

Good Report Made at State Convention

A Y. M. C. A. conference was held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Christian Tabernacle, when the question of an extension of the work of the physical culture of the association was discussed. The conference was between the physical culture directors of the association and Dr. George J. Fisher of New York, who has had large experience in this branch of the association work and who is a staunch advocate of it as an invaluable adjunct of the other work, he claiming that it is one of the most important features of the Y. M. C. A. and that it has contributed more than any other one thing to the popularity of the association with the young men of the country.

At the conference much interest was manifested by the directors by what Dr. Fisher had to say in advocacy of an extension of this branch of the work, and it is quite probable that the ideas suggested by him will be acted on by the directors.

During Monday there were additions to the list of delegates attending the state Y. M. C. A. convention by the arrival of the following: J. J. Clark, Professor Lee Clark, Add-Ran Jarvis School; Everett Huffman, Cleburne; Ben H. Alden, Cleburne; H. A. Schwartz, Cleburne; H. S. Anderson, Dallas; Rev. W. I. Carroll, D. D., Dallas; James E. Morris, Hillsboro; N. B. Peake, Palestine; C. G. Titus, El Paso.

Afternoon Session

At the regular afternoon session of the convention the attendance was somewhat larger than it was at the morning session, and there was likewise an increased interest manifested by delegates in the proceedings.

The convention reconvened at 3 o'clock and the program as heretofore published was carried out. Dr. W. I. [illegible] of Dallas led in a discussion of Bible study, which was a continuation [illegible] session conducted by him at the morning session, his presentation of the subject being characterized by strong positions taken, backed by authorities quoted.

Following the Bible study discussion, Samuel Warr of the Cleburne association led in a discussion on "The Methods Shown by Experience to Be Helpful in Railroad Work."

Dr. M. J. Bliem of the San Antonio association conducted an open discussion in which delegates from a number of associations took part, on "Association Work as We Have It in Texas Today."

Night Session

At the night session at the Christian Tabernacle the attendance was much better than at either the morning or afternoon sessions. There was a twenty minutes' song service with prayer as a preliminary, which was followed by the reading of the report of the state committee on reports, of which Edward Rotan of Waco was chairman. This was a complete review of the association work in Texas during the past year.

Following the annual report, C. K. Ober of New York, who led a discussion at the morning session on "Methods in Religious Work Shown by Experience to Be Correct," addressed the audience on, "The Recent Development in the Work of the Young Men's Christian Association."

A letter was read to the convention from Rev. C. I. Scofield, formerly of Dallas, who is now in Switzerland, bidding the convention Godspeed and expressing regrets at not being present to take part in its deliberations.

State Committee Report

The report of the state committee read at the night session showed that substantial progress had been made by the association. Many associations had centered their efforts to get new buildings; the building at Waco has been finished; the building at San Antonio is nearly completed, and the one at Fort Worth is well under way. The canvass for funds for the Dallas building has been finished, and a $100,000 building there is assured. About $40,000 has been pledged for a building at El Paso, and a canvass is going on for a building at Houston with prospects of success. An appropriation by the International and Great Northern railroad, a gift from Miss Helen Gould and a $5,000 pledge by the citizens of Mart insures a good building there.

The report showed material growth of city, college and railroad associations.

The Bible work of the association has been much more effective than during previous years.

No one has as yet been selected as college secretary, as the committee is exercising the greatest care in making a selection and seeks only the very best material for that position.

The work of railroad associations is growing stronger.

The financial condition of the state committee is growing better. During the year $1,300 more was collected than the year preceding.

The committee reported in favor of assisting in building movements.

That the sub-committee on college work seek out and secure suitable man for college secretary.

The reorganization of summer school and camp associations.

That more attention be given to the enlargement of the religious work of the local associations.

That the state committee be authorized to secure the services of Geo. B. Hodge for a tour of Texas in the interest of educational work.

That the services of a specialist in boys' work be secured.

That more money be given the state committee to aid in its work.

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