

PARKER PEOPLE CLAIM A NOMINATION FIRST BALLOT

Some of the States Are Going Over to the New Yorker as Soon as They Reach St. Louis, but Some Are Staying by Favorite Sons for the Honor to be Given Out by This Convention—The Hearst Following is Also There.

BRYAN WILL MAKE BEST SPEECH

Friends of the Nebraskan Say His Effort Will Be Greater Than That at Chicago—Gorman May Match a Fight With Taggart for the Committee Chairmanship—Very Little Is Heard of Those Who Want the Vice Presidency—John Sharp Williams Preparing His Speech as the Temporary Chairman of the Convention

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 2.—The campaign for Judge Alton B. Parker for president on the democratic national ticket is now on in full blast. If the sanguinary claims of the Parkerites are realized the New York jurist will be nominated on the first ballot.

The Parker managers put in a busy day and tonight they jubilantly claim that they will have over 700 votes on the first ballot. They succeeded in capturing the twenty-two votes of the Alabama delegation today. Tonight it is admitted that the sixty-eight votes of the Pennsylvania delegation will be found in the Parker column.

The Hearst supporters held several conferences through the day and tonight they declared that Congressman Hearst would have over one-third of the delegation pledged to their candidate. This is scouted by the other leaders, however.

tin W. Littleton, president of the borough of Brooklyn, will place Judge Parker's name in nomination. Littleton is a former Texan, having lived at Weatherford. The Hearst and anti-Parker followers claim tonight that they will control the situation and will be able to name the candidate and write the platform. Max Himmels, the manager of Hearst's campaign here, said this afternoon:

THE HIMMELS STATEMENT
"Hearst has more followers among the delegates to this convention than any other man. The Hearst movement has been growing rapidly since the republicans had their convention in Chicago. Hearst is certain to be nominated, and after his nomination he will make a campaign such as this country never saw or heard of."

Although there was a paucity of num-

James K. Jones of Arkansas, J. G. Johnson was selected to act as temporary secretary of the convention.

STONE IS FOR COCKRELL
William J. Stone, delegate-at-large from Missouri, came to town today and began to spread enthusiasm for Senator Cockrell. The senator said that he knew of no second choice and that the Missouri delegates proposed making a strong fight for Cockrell. "We are getting things in shape for a fight for Senator Cockrell," he said, "and I am going to do all I can to increase the strength of the senator. I believe, however, that Judge Parker will go into the convention with a large majority of the delegates, though I hardly believe he will have two-thirds. I have no second choice and am for Cockrell all the way through."

BRYAN COMES LOADED
Former Senator Allen of Nebraska arrived today. Speaking of William J. Bryan, he said:
"He is coming on here as a delegate to the convention and he will be heard from when he arrives. He is going to make a greater speech than this country has ever heard from him. His Chicago speech will not be a marker to the one he will deliver here."

The California delegation came today, headed by Michael P. Harrington of Alameda, the chairman. The delegation is pledged to Hearst and on their arrival they did some missionary work for the New Yorker. Mr. Tarpey, when asked for an opinion of the situation, said: "California's delegation is instructed for Hearst and will continue to vote for him as long as his name is before the convention. We want a platform which states implicitly that the trusts should be throttled and the people given an opportunity."

A California attorney will place Hearst's name in nomination. It was announced this afternoon that Congressman Hearst will not attend the convention. Congressman O. H. P. Belmont of New York is staying in New York City today, asking what he meant in an interview appearing in a New York morning paper today, declaring that Parker would not be nominated. Belmont says that although a Tammany man, he has been and is now for Parker. He characterizes the alleged interview as absolutely false and again announces his belief that Judge Parker's nomination is assured.

THE MARYLAND MAN
Great interest was manifested by leaders in the gossip concerning the attitude of Senator A. E. Gorman of Maryland. There is an impression that he will not be present at the convention. Others say he will be here. In the Maryland man absents himself from a situation that is sounding "assembly" for the great democratic fight of the country it would be taken to signify that he recanted from the position assumed at a recent private conference in Washington and that he now has his coral ready for a stampede that seems further away than ever, if any probability of it ever did exist. The fact was established today beyond all peradventure that at the Washington meeting at the home of John R. McLean, the Ohio editor, that the proposition to have Gorman stand as the conservative anti-Parker candidate was obligated by a half dozen leaders and after a thorough discussion was rejected by Gorman, who was present and who said he would have none of it. McLean offered him Ohio's vote, Guffey of Pennsylvania pledged the sixty-eight votes of the Keystone state and Smith of New Jersey offered him that state's support. These, with nearly a hundred other votes that Gorman could have controlled, presented a temptation at that time to the Maryland leader.

It is not believed here now by those who appear to be on the inside that Senator Gorman can be other than a loyal supporter of Parker. It is admitted by his friends that some exigency in political manipulation might arise that would render it essential that his following do what it could to divert the presidential current from Parker to their favorite. But Gorman talk can be heard about hotel lobbies.

FOLK WANTS NONE OF IT
Joseph W. Folk of Missouri, the Missouri bribery scavenger, says his name will not be presented to the convention with his knowledge. He is looking for no higher honors, he says, than those already bestowed upon him.
"I am too busy engaged here with my work of turning the rascals out to be seeking new burdens," was the way he put it when asked if he was a presidential candidate. "I have no knowledge of any such movement," he further de-

clared when informed that his friends had named him in that connection.
The Nevada delegation is disturbed. Although it is a Hearst contingent, a belief has become a conviction in some of the individual minds that Parker should be supported from the first. It is not a serious break and may amount to nothing when the roll is called, but it makes a splendid representation of the actual conditions prevailing. Parker talk is everywhere. Other possibilities are mentioned, but when the respective merits have been fully reviewed it winds up with the declaration he is to win in a walk.

THE CHAIRMANSHIP
There is as much of a fight on for the position of chairman of the democratic national committee as there is for presidential honors. Friends of Thomas Taggart of Indiana are making a spirited fight and today it developed that Senator Gorman was trying for the position. It is said that a political deal had been arranged whereby Gorman was to transfer all his interests to Parker in return for the chairmanship. Gorman is expected tomorrow night. Report has it in the corridors of the Planters hotel today that August Belmont might be made chairman of the committee in the event of Parker's election. Belmont would not discuss the report. Politicians, however, were of the opinion that Belmont, being a Wall Street man, would not do for the position.

THE VICE PRESIDENCY
The vice presidential honors are sleeping quietly tonight, waiting until the head of the ticket is selected. Congressman James R. Williams of Illinois and Judge Honore Palmer are mentioned for the place. Illinois is asked to furnish the candidate. Mayor David Rose of Milwaukee and E. C. Wall, who is a presidential aspirant, are also being talked of. There is a story current tonight that friends of Former Attorney General Harmon of Ohio are making a presidential boom and if Parker is nominated will bring Harmon's name before the convention for vice president. Parker's friends say, however, that as Ohio is hopeless to the democracy they must look elsewhere for a vice presidential candidate.

WILLIAMS' SPEECH
John Sharp Williams, who is a Parker advocate, said this afternoon that he had been busy for several days preparing his speech as temporary chairman and that he had also been at work drafting several planks for the platform. It is said that Williams' platform will be modeled on the one recently adopted by the state convention of Mississippi. Mr. Williams said:
"My speech will be divided into three parts. It will discuss the republican platform, parts of Ellhu Root's speech at the Chicago convention and parts of Speaker Cannon's speech. I have been working on the platform draft and it follows in important particulars that of the state of Mississippi."

SENATOR HILL ARRIVES
Increased vigor was given to the Parker campaign tonight when Senator David B. Hill, William F. Sheehan, former Senator Edward F. Murphy and State Senator Patrick H. McCarren of Brooklyn arrived here from New York. The party prepared for one of their headquarters at the Southern hotel and were soon in touch with the leaders already on the ground.

Governor Dockery held a long and extended conference with Senator Hill tonight. Senator Hill later authorized the following statement:
"I am not a candidate nor would I accept the position of chairman of the resolutions committee. The permanent chairman of the convention or the chairman of the national committee, the state of New York has a candidate for president in the person of Alton B. Parker. I think he will be nominated. It has no candidates for any other position in the gift of the convention."

Senator McCarrren was optimistic on the outlook for the nomination of Parker and said he would surely be nominated. Senator McCarrren thought that Judge Parker would have over 500 votes on the first ballot.

MCLEAN IS WILLING
It is said tonight that Ohio's solid vote will in all probability be given to Parker on the first ballot. John R. McLean is inclined to be flirtatious and he is understood to be willing to accept the nomination of Parker. Senator Gorman or any other conservative.

Senator Cockrell advised his friends by wire tonight that he would give his personal support to his presidential candidacy and that he would reach here Monday morning.
A dozen Wisconsin delegates held an informal conference at the Lindell tonight. Plans for pushing the candidacy of E. C. Wall of Milwaukee for the presidency were discussed and a vigorous campaign inaugurated. It is announced that Mr. Wall's name will be presented and supported throughout. Another meeting will be held Monday, after the arrival of the other members of the delegation.

GORMAN WILL B ETHERE
CUMBERLAND, Md., July 2.—The Maryland delegation to the St. Louis convention passed through here this afternoon. Senator Gorman was with the party and his son, A. P. Gorman Jr., was on the train.

TRAGEDY IN MAIN STREET STORE DURING BUSINESS

RUSSIA'S FLEET IS IN A BAD WAY

The Vaunted Baltic Squadron Said to Be an Armada of Cripples

SHIPS MADE AT HOME

Believed That When Port Arthur Falls the Japs Will Carry War to Europe

BY JOHN VANDERCOOK

LONDON, July 2.—In the case of the Baltic fleet, a lot of Russian bad management chickens are coming home to roost. What in reality should be a fine and formidable armada is made practically useless by various sins of omission extending over a long period of time.

At bottom, there is the Russian habit of planning magnificent things in St. Petersburg bureaus, writing orders out in proper form and then not seeing whether or not they are carried out. The best ships of the Russian navy, including the Retvisan, Casarevitch, Bayan, Varlag, Bogatyr and Novik, were built abroad, but about four years ago the Russian administration, naturally enough, concluded that it would be better policy to have them built at home.

Forthwith, without further consideration, foreign bids were rejected and enormous orders placed with such ship yards as there were in the Neva. The best of these yards, the Baltic iron works, was a private concern largely controlled by English capitalists. The idea that Englishmen should be building Russian warships, even on the Neva, was repugnant to St. Petersburg officialdom and the government proceeded to buy out all the private stockholders, without considering whether or not they had any men capable of continuing the business.

When they did do so, it was put in naval officers as managers who had no amount of theoretical ideas, but no practical experience. Even under these circumstances two battleships of the Borodino type were launched in 1901, two in 1902 and one in 1903.

As soon as these ships were launched, they appeared on the Russian naval lists as "almost ready," while as a matter of fact they were mere shells.

The Neva is an especially shallow stream and on this account it was necessary to launch the hulls in as light a condition as possible. They were then towed down to Kronstadt for their boilers, machinery, armor plate, guns and all equipment.

Today the battleship Alexander III, which was launched in August, 1901, is still incomplete, and the Borodino, launched in September, 1901, is in a similar condition.

When orders came for preparing the fleet for immediate departure to the Far East it was discovered that such things were missing as electrical equipment, some of the minor machinery for turning turrets, for ammunition hoists, and things of that sort.

The Orca and the Ostiaba were still more backward and, almost at once, the Orca had the misfortune to run so seriously aground that her guns had to be taken off and a large part of her armor plate as well as the guns could be repaired. Today she represents a state of construction about half-way toward completion.

Three old battleships, the Navarin, the Sissoi Veliky and the Alexander II, are ready to sail, but these boats are so old-fashioned that they would serve no other purpose than targets for the Japanese.

In this condition Admiral Rozhdestvensky admits that he will have to stick to the Baltic, at least until September, and his friends know that he regards it

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R. G. Williams Meets Death as He Walks Into a Business House and Engages in Conversation With L. G. Curd, Who Was Already in the Place When He Entered—Curd Gives Himself Up to the County Officers.

WILL ENTER SELF-DEFENSE PLEA

Affair Occurs About Ten Thirty O'clock—Curd Had Entered the Place and Was Standing Near a Young Lady Who Is Sister-in-law of the Man Who Was Shot—Curd Says He Was Cursed and Attacked—Makes Bond in the Sum of Ten Thousand Dollars and Is Released—Manager of a Big Business Here

R. G. Williams, a workman employed in the construction work of a local grain elevator, was shot and instantly killed at 10:30 o'clock last night in the Red Front store on the east side of Main street above Second street.

L. G. Curd, manager of the Waples Painter Lumber company of North Fort Worth, who admitted to Doc Price that he had done the shooting, gave himself up and was taken into custody.

The whole affair occurred so suddenly that the clerks in the store and others present at the time can give only a hazy account of it.

Miss Sally McAllister, a sister-in-law of the dead man, stated to Justice Terrell in response to inquiries that Williams had the night before and again upon the evening of the tragedy, threatened to cut the heart out of a man with whom she had frequently been. Further questions showed that Williams had mistaken Curd for this man.

MEETING OF THE MEN
Miss McAllister was sitting in the store when Curd entered and stood near her. Williams then entered the store and the next that was known three shots were fired in rapid succession after a few words passed between the men. Williams then dropped to the floor.

Price rushed in at this time, having been attracted by the shots and asked Curd for his gun, which was promptly turned over to him still hot from the recent shooting. Jeff Baggs, a saloon man, also appeared at this time and went with Curd to the county jail.

Williams was found to have been shot once in the left side and twice over the left eye. He has lived in this city for some time and is survived by wife and three children. Williams' home is at Durant, I. T., where he had been up until his return to this city.

MISS McALLISTER'S STATEMENT
When questioned by Justice Terrell and Assistant County Attorney Cummings, Miss McAllister stated that Williams had threatened both Curd and another man, although admitting that he had never seen Curd.

At the time Williams entered the store, she said, he approached Curd, and calling him by the name of the

other man, cursed him and told him he was going to kill him. At the same time she stated he thrust his hand in his pocket, whereupon Curd struck him over the head with the butt of his gun and then fired the fatal shots.

Dr. W. T. Newton, who was called in, found the man already dead, and after an examination of his wounds, pronounced death to have been caused by the bullet fired into his side at such close range as to leave him powder-marked. None of the bullets were recovered last night, those striking the head having failed to pierce the skull, evidently glancing off and striking the walls of the store.

Williams' body was removed to Gause's undertaking rooms, where it will be prepared for burial.

CURD DOES NOT TALK
Curd was accompanied by Jeff Baggs to the county jail, where he gave himself up to the officers.

When the Telegram representative entered the jail Curd was sitting on a bed discussing the shooting with the officers. He was very much excited.

Assistant County Attorney R. H. Buck held a private consultation with Curd, but what passed between them could not be learned.

Curd was asked for a statement about the shooting, but declined to give a connected story and said there had already been too much said about the tragedy.

From random statements it seems that Curd was mistaken for another, a well-known employe in one of the leading mercantile establishments of Fort Worth.

While Curd refused to give details of the shooting, he talked to the officers enough to indicate that he acted in self-defense; that Williams assaulted and knocked him down when the shooting followed.

CURD MAKES BOND
After Justice Terrell had made an investigation, Mr. Curd agreed to waive preliminary and his bond was fixed at \$10,000. The bond was furnished by friends within a few minutes and he was released. The bondsmen are L. G. Pritchard, L. M. Walker and G. W. Moore.

It is explained that Mr. Curd was not armed expecting trouble, but is an officer in North Fort Worth and on that account had his pistol with him.



Judge Alton B. Parker of New York, whom Texas endorsed for the democratic nomination for president.

The boom for Grover Cleveland broke out sporadically, but made little impression, and its only effect was to apparently drive more supporters to Parker.

BELMONT ARRIVES
The campaign of the Parkerites began with a full swing this morning, when August Belmont, the New York banker, arrived and took charge of affairs at the Parker headquarters at the Planters hotel. Mr. Belmont had hardly been in town more than a couple of hours when the news came from headquarters that the Alabama delegates had decided to give their twenty votes for Parker. Mr. Belmont had a constant stream of callers all day, and after getting in close touch with the situation, said he had every reason to believe that Parker would be nominated.

At Parker headquarters, it was said, the boom for Hearst was waning, and that after the first ballot such states as Kansas, Nebraska and Illinois would be found voting for Parker. They say that the conservative element in Kansas and Nebraska have not been saying much, but when the delegates from those states arrive there will be some surprises for those who think that Bryan is still in absolute control of Nebraska and the adjoining states. The Parker managers further state that the boom talk for Grover Cleveland has been of great help to Parker. Many delegates, they declare, are violently opposed to the sage of Princeton and the shadow of Cleveland has driven them into the Parker camp.

TEXAN TO NOMINATE PARKER
Word has come here that the Tammany delegates will try to stamper the convention for Cleveland, but no feeling for the former president has developed here. It is announced tonight that Mar-

bers and an absence of democratic enthusiasm, the day was full of incidents of deep significance to the national democracy.

John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, the leader of the minority in the national house of representatives, was selected as temporary chairman of the convention.

Pennsylvania practically declared itself for Judge Parker, Alabama agreed to bestow its twenty-two votes upon the Empire state jurist, and Hearst split was reported in the Nevada delegation and the Wisconsin leaders declared that its thirty votes would go first, last and all the time to E. C. Wall for president, James Guffey, leader of the Pennsylvania democracy and member of the national committee from that state, arrived here late this afternoon, in company with J. K. P. Hall, state chairman. They declined to be interviewed, stating that they preferred not to talk for publication until after the delegation had organized on Monday evening. Those who stand close to Mr. Guffey declare that he has been for Judge Parker ever since Senator Gorman declined his support, and that Pennsylvania will cast its full vote for the New York jurist.

WILLIAMS FOR CHAIRMAN
When the sub-committee of the national committee on arrangements for this afternoon decided upon John Sharp Williams of Mississippi for temporary chairman of the convention, it was decided that his name would be presented to the committee when it meets next Monday. The members of the sub-committee are Norman E. Mack of New York, Senator William J. Stone of Missouri, J. G. Johnson of Kansas, Governor Osborn of Wyoming and National Chairman

CITIZENS WANT TO SEE IF COUNTY ATTORNEY ACTS

The statement in The Telegram yesterday that the ice combine might be brought into the local courts, was read by Telegram subscribers with a great deal of interest, and the public is awaiting the return to the city of County Attorney Lattimore to see if he will make an investigation of the subject under the law which now exists.

No advance in price could have touched the public pulse so readily as did this, which seeks to control the ice market, and from all over the city there has been a vote of congratulation that The Telegram has exposed the matter.

Speaking yesterday afternoon, Joseph W. Adams of Galveston avenue said:
"Great democracy! Living in a strong democratic community and on the eve of sending delegates to St. Louis to a democratic convention to nominate men to office for the purpose of breaking the

trusts' power, and then in our own city a trust springs up and chokes commerce to death. The greatest summer season we have is controlled in such a manner as to almost prohibit the use of it."

"The advance in ice was not in line with good business for the manufacturer, and certainly works an injustice to the consumer. I am not an advocate of shipping ice from Dallas for the reason that we might just as well purchase what else we need in Dallas, or elsewhere than here. I for one, who am a fair salary here, and spends most of it for living, prefer to buy what I need where I earn my money, and I think there is a way whereby this question, which affects the entire community, could be settled without outside help. Investigation should be made to find out whether the manufacturers actually work at a loss, or not, and what

reason, if any, they have for the rise in price.

It seems, from the surface, that it was all understood to come to one price at the same time, and to bring pressure to bear on those who were unwilling to meet the price being made. I, for one, am in that unlucky gang who has no recourse but to pay the demand. I do not manufacture or sell anything that I can hedge with; nothing but my labor, and there is plenty of that. To an absolute consumer of all the articles of commerce that go to make a living for a family, the gradual rise is sufficient, without almost doubling the price of any one commodity; at any rate, it hurts, and I, like most other citizens, feel an utter disgust at the power certain classes are allowed to wield. I want to congratulate The Telegram for exposing the combine and for the stand it has taken."

BURTON'S CASE GOES TO HIGHEST COURT

St. Louis, Mo., July 2.—In the United States district court Judge Adams granted an appeal in the case of United States Senator Joseph R. Burton, now on bail, after being convicted of accepting that the defendant is charged with an infamous offense; that the supreme court of the United States is the only tribunal

having jurisdiction. Senator Burton is under sentence six months in jail and to pay a fine of \$2,500. He was present in court and was released in \$10,000 bail. This action of Judge Adams overrules the appeal to the United States circuit court of Appeals and sends the case direct to the supreme court of the United States.

SLOCUM'S OWNERS ARE TO BE SUED

Man Wants to Recover for His Wife and Four Children Lost in the Fire

NEW YORK, July 2.—In the supreme court here today suit was begun against the Knickerbocker Steamboat Company, owners of the General Slocum, by Adolph Molitor of Yonkers, who lost his wife and four children as a result of the destruction of the steamer in the bay by fire

on June 15. In instituting the suit the attorneys for Molitor included each of the directors of the directors of the company in the complaint, the intent being to get around the federal statute which limits liability of steamboat owners to the value of the vessel in which the passengers are carried. The suits allege that the accident was caused by the gross "negligence of the officials of the corporation."

- WASHINGTON FORECAST**
WASHINGTON, July 2.—Weather indications for the southeast:
• East Texas—Showers Sunday and in east portion Monday; fresh south-east to south winds.
• Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Showers and cooler Sunday; Monday showers.
• West Texas—Fair in south; showers in northern part Sunday and Monday.

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FRANCE AND ITALY CONTINUE FRIENDS

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PARIS, July 2.—The deft machinations of the German diplomacy have not succeeded in provoking any ill-feeling between France and Italy. A strong party in Italy is even working to have Italy leave the Triple Alliance and form a new formal alliance with France and possibly England.

The sentiments of the majority of the Italian nation have been exactly expressed by the paper Secolo at Milan, which writes:
"Italians and Frenchmen are not children of different mothers; they are as two branches of the same river, two rays of the same sun, the sun of Latin civilization, a civilization which is not mercenary, which cares little or nothing for money or stocks.
"It is no barrack civilization of tyranny on one side and slavish obedience on the other, it is the civilization of genius. What we need is an economic alliance which would abolish the boundary lines between the two countries and open the way for the birth of one great Latin nation of more than seventy million people.
"Preparedness for war may prevent or delay the outbreak of war, but to live in a state of armed peace as we are doing now places on our shoulders far heavier burdens than would an actual war.

IN MEMORIAL HALL HANGS THE FLAG GIVEN TO HIM

Taylor McRea Wishes His Old Comrades to Know of the Silken Banner

To The Telegram:
The following is the letter referred to:
Headquarters United Confederate Veterans, Adjutant General's Office, New Orleans, La., Dec. 4, 1899.—Colonel Taylor McRea, Adjutant General and Chief of Staff, Oklahoma Division, U. S. V., Oklahoma City, Okla.:
Dear Colonel—I write to inform you of the disposition I have made of the splendid flag presented to me by the Oklahoma Division, U. S. V., and for which I am deeply indebted to you, your gallant general commanding your comrades and the beautiful Oklahoma sponsor and maid of honor.

This priceless memento was presented to me for my personal use and as my personal property to do with as I please; but upon reflection I have decided that the inspiration, sentiment, memories and associations connected with all these flags and banners, coming as they do from the hands of the bravest men and the noblest women whose names are recorded in the annals of the world, make them too precious and sacred to be appropriated to the personal use of any individual; and for this reason and to show my gratitude to you I have placed them all permanently in the keeping of the great Confederate depository, "Memorial Hall," in New Orleans, and have had painted in letters of gold upon two silk streamers, which are attached to the flag, the following inscription:
"Presented to Major General George Moorman, adjutant general U. S. V., and chief of General J. B. Gordon's staff, Charleston, S. C., reunion May 19, 1899."

Upon the other, "By Oklahoma Division, U. S. V., Major General J. O. Casler, commanding; Miss Frances Holland Oslin, sponsor; Colonel Taylor McRea, adjutant general; Miss Marie Estelle Pattillo, maid of honor."

This magnificent flag, with which you are so inseparably associated, is suspended in "Memorial Hall" in the space set apart for the relics and mementos of the territory of Oklahoma, and for the records of the Oklahoma Division, U. S. V., and graces the walls adorned with the portraits of Jefferson Davis, Generals R. E. Lee, Albert Sidney Johnston, and Joseph E. Johnston, Palk, A. P. Hill, Stuart, Cleburne, S. D. Lee, William H. Jackson, Semmes, Clement A. Evans, Beauregard, Bragg, Stonewall Jackson, Gordon, Hood, Hampton, Forrest, Morgan, Buckner, Hoke, Law, Ross and the Daughters of the Confederacy; and of hundreds of other illustrious names in the galaxy of southern glory, "names which were born not to die," and is surrounded by countless emblems of southern valor and heroism, and by numbers of Confederate flags, torn and shred by shot and shell upon hundreds of battle fields.

This "Oklahoma Flag" is placed in this "Valhalla," where everything speaks eloquently of the atmosphere filled with the story of the south and her noble people, and will with the streamer bearing your name, remain forever in this hallowed place so sacred to every southern heart, exposed each day to the gaze and admiration of the living, and to be handed down as a treasure for posterity and for the ages.

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GEORGE MOORMAN,
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Pierce remedies it has backed down completely and offers an apology for the mistake made, which will no doubt be considered by the Pierce company as ample vindication. The statement of the Ladies' Home Journal follows:
In the May number of "The Ladies' Home Journal," published in the article entitled "The 'Patent Medicine' Cure," an analysis of "Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription," in which that preparation was represented containing, among other ingredients, tincture of digitalis, tincture of opium, and alcohol. Immediately upon publication of the number a suit for damages was instituted by the R. V. Pierce Medical company of Buffalo, New York, proprietors of the preparation in question, against the Curtis Publishing company, based upon the claim that none of the three ingredients was contained in the medicine.

Upon the filing of the suit, we, of course, immediately looked into the published analysis. It appears that this particular analysis had been made, if made at all, fully twenty-five years ago. We, thereupon, employed three leading chemists in different cities to make an analysis of the preparation from bottles bought in the open market. These analyses, one and all, now show to us conclusively that not a single one of the ingredients mentioned by us in the analysis quoted—that is, either digitalis, opium or alcohol—was contained in the bottles analyzed. We then—the president of this company and the writer—personally visited the R. V. Pierce Medical company at Buffalo and were there convinced that the officers of the company were absolutely truthful in their claim that not one of these injurious ingredients was contained in "Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription." Naturally, since the analysis we printed has been proved erroneous, the deductions made in connection with this preparation were unwarranted and unfounded.

Under these circumstances it is now perfectly plain to us that this magazine was unintentionally misled in making the original statement, and we hereby, of our own volition, make this acknowledgment of our mistake to the R. V. Pierce Medical company and to our readers.

The mistake was honestly made, but it was a mistake.

IN THE COURTS

Court of Civil Appeals.
Proceedings of the court of civil appeals for the second supreme judicial district of Texas, at Fort Worth:
Motions overruled: Sprinkle et al. vs. Leslie et al., for rehearing; Western Union Telegraph Company vs. Hamilton, for rehearing; Fort Worth and Denver City Railway company vs. Alexander, for rehearing; Fort Worth and Denver City Railway company vs. Wagoner National bank, for rehearing; Texas Central Railroad company vs. Caudle et al., for rehearing; Western Cottage Piano and Organ company vs. Anderson, for rehearing; Texas and Pacific Railroad company vs. Shoemaker, for rehearing; Eakins vs. Klein Bros., to affirm on certificate; Chicago, Rock Island and Texas Railway company vs. Carroll (two motions), for rehearing.

Motions granted: Carroll vs. Shoemaker, to affirm on certificate; Canning vs. Andrews, for leave to file transcript. The motion for leave to file motion for rehearing in the case of Smithers vs. Smith et al., was continued for the term.

Reversed and Remanded: Chicago, Rock Island and Texas Railway company vs. Haisell (two cases), from Wise county; the Aultman and Taylor Machinery company vs. Cappelman, from Clay.

Affirmed: Waggoner et al. vs. Snoddy, from Baylor county; Hatcher vs. Range et al., from Clay.

The following cases were ordered set down for submission on the first day of the next term of court: Logan et al. vs. Robertson et al., from Bosque county; Word vs. Mars, from Potter; Bell vs. Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway company, from Cooke; Hays vs. Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway company, from Tarrant; Cage vs. Simmons, from Erath; Schmidt & Zeigler vs. Latham company, from Erath; Haynie vs. Plano Manufacturing company, from Taylor; Texas and Pacific Railway company vs. Whittaker, from Ward; Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway company vs. Grison, from Cooke; Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway company vs. Purdy, from Cooke; Texas Central Railway company vs. Brown, from Erath; Texas and Pacific Railway company vs. Edins, from Taylor.

All motions for rehearing and other matters that shall have been on file a sufficient time for submission will be submitted on Friday, Oct. 7.

This court today adjourned until the first Monday in October.

DISTRICT COURTS.
An application of business corpus was heard by Judge Dunklin of the Forty-eighth district court yesterday in the case of the State vs. D. C. Kirkpatrick, who is charged with theft committed at El Paso. The judge ordered the writ issued for the return of the prisoner to the judge of the district court of El Paso county. The prisoner was arrested in Fort Worth about ten days ago. Kirkpatrick will be taken to El Paso at once.

Motions for a new trial in the cases of W. R. Moore vs. Texas and Pacific in two cases were made in the Forty-eighth district court yesterday, but were not acted upon by the court.

The damage case of Nelson vs. the Northern Texas Traction company is still being heard in the Seventeenth district court.

COUNTY COURT.
Judge Milam overruled defendant's motion for a new trial in the case of the State vs. Louise Schmarie. Notice of appeal to the court of civil appeals was given.

A motion for a new trial in the case of E. R. and D. C. Kolp Jr. vs. Houston and Texas Central Railroad company was overruled. The case will be appealed.

VITAL STATISTICS.
Births Reported Saturday.—To Mr. and Mrs. John Sifford of Enon, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Steel of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Small of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar White of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilkerson of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patterson of Fort Worth, a boy.

Deaths.—Infant boy of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Richardson of Arlington, June 21, from congestion of the brain.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
J. W. Long and Miss Lellar Vinson, J. L. Davis and Miss Lena Curry, J. E. Faucett and Miss Rosa Brady, W. H. Kirkley and Miss Effie L. George, R. L. Young and Miss Lora Rockett.

Late in the afternoon of the latter couple were married by Justice Charles T. Rowland.

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HARVEST REPORTS BEAR ON MARKET EVERY DAY

Keen Students of the Situation See the Effect on Financial Affairs

NEW YORK, July 2.—The keenest students of the financial situation are still playing the harvest reports and all other matter bearing upon the security market. They are doing this because they foresee that upon the outcome of the crops more than upon anything else depends the question of the revival of depression.

If any further demonstrations were needed of the strong underlying position it has been afforded in the complacent manner with which the market has viewed the approaching political campaign. A good part of professional Wall street looked forward to the outset of the week to at least some signs of perturbation over the outcome of the St. Louis convention. Prices have at no time lost their inclination to advance. When the democratic nominations are out of the way and a presidential campaign is on and neither candidate is in sympathy with radical changes in the laws and administration of the laws of the land, the general situation will be very much simpler than it has been in many years.

A very thorough liquidation has taken place, prices of securities are down to an investment basis. Only two things can happen to lower these investment values, one being a continuation indefinitely of the trade decline which has been in progress for the last year, the other being a decrease in money demand. The latter has been eliminated. Reports of the general trade do not indicate that the turn for the better is yet at hand, but they do reflect a very widespread feeling that the forces of reaction have spent themselves and that the worst that can be looked for is a further period of dullness similar to what has been experienced for several months.

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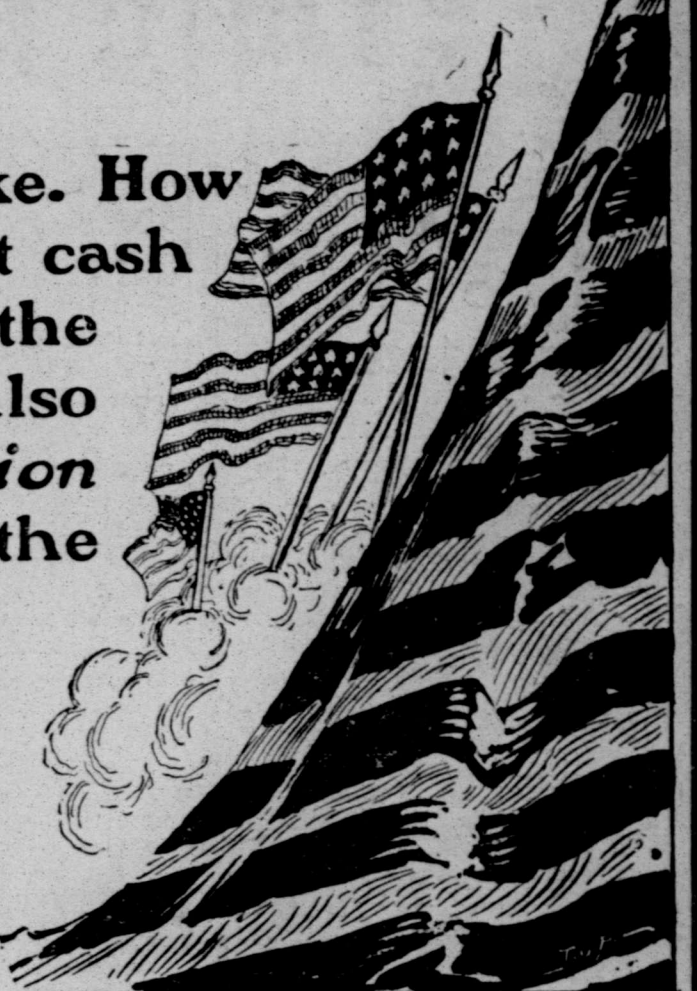
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And to impress upon the public what American Manufacturers can make. How well they can make it and at what low cost. We can, through our great cash buying powers and small margin of profit, place their products before the purchasing people of Fort Worth. In the great American Sale will also be found the Long Looked for *Sweester, Pembroke & Co. Auction Goods*, bought by our New York representative for less than 50c on the Dollar. They've been a Long time coming. The large quantity of goods sold (over \$1,250,000 worth) and want of space to pack and ship, delayed the delivery of big purchases. They are here now and with the odd lots and broken lines not invoiced in our semi-annual inventory, the American Sale is an event of uttermost importance to prudent buyers. Sale begins Tuesday A. M.



American Sale High Grade

Silks From the Sweester, Pembroke Auction

Now yours at one-third their true value. Cheap enough for you to buy double the quantity you think will be necessary this summer. We want these goods distributed among as many of our customers as possible, and these prices will do it:

75c WARRANTED BLACK TAFFETA—The demand for this lot was so great we could only secure five pieces. Be here early, for they will be gone by noon Tuesday, at American Sale price of **45c**

\$1.00 PONGEE SILKS—Splendid for summer wraps and Shirt Waist Suits. They were one of the silk plums of the auction; yours in the American Sale at the yard **79c**

\$1.50 WARRANTED BLACK TAFFETA—This is a splendid lot of yard wide, oil boiled and guaranteed Silk, that will be sold for less than two-thirds of its value; the American Sale **95c**

REMNANTS—All remnants of Silk Mousseline, Mousseline de Soie, plain and fancy Silks, that were sold from 50c to 75c a yard, will go in the American Sale at the yard **15c**

REMNANTS of Fancy Silks that were sold from the piece up to \$1.50 a yard, will be in the American Sale at the yard **45c**

American Sale in Bargain Basement

Goods from the Sweester, Pembroke Auction

Alpine Lawn	Roller Toweling	Tuscan Batiste
Extra wide in pretty light colors, stripes, dots and floral patterns; in the American Sale at the 2 1/2c yard	Half bleached Roller Crash, 18 inches wide, in loom herringbone patterns, well worth 7 1/2c a yard; American Sale 4c yard	Fast color, dainty patterns, the quality that always sell for 5c a yard, in the American Sale at 3 1/2c yard
Queensboro Dimity	Mercerized Madras	Ormonde Batiste
30 inches wide, in a variety of patterns, all the wanted colors, regular 10c grade; American Sale 7 1/2c price	In solid colors and lace stripes. They were manufactured to sell for 25c a yard. The American Sale 15c price is	These Batistes are always sold for 15c a yard, but in the American Sale they are priced at 9 1/2c only

American Sale of Fine

White Goods--Seasonable Goods

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18c ORGANDIES—For pretty summer dresses. A chance to be cool as well as stylish at a moderate price; our 15c and 18c grades all go to swell the American Sale at **10c**

DRESS DUCK—Sometimes called Indian-head, made especially for waists and suits. At the white goods counted on main floor during the American Sale **12 1/2c**

LINEN SUITINGS—Natural colored, just the thing for a traveling suit of a child's dress; in the American Sale the 36-inch width at 22 1/2c; the 28-inch width at **20c**

EMBROIDERED SWISSES—Snow white, 27 inches wide, our 50c quality, in the American Sale at the yard **36c**

American Sale of Shirt Waist Suits

SHIRT WAIST SUITS that we have been selling up to now for \$7.50 are in this lot. Made of Linen Etamines, Flaked Tissues, Linens and Cottons in a variety of styles. Priced in the American Sale at **\$5.00**

SHIRT WAIST SUITS of Butchers' Linen, Linen Etamine and fancy Cottons. Made and trimmed in Dame Fashion's latest modes—just what you need for the seashore and outings. Suits that have sold up to \$10.00; in the American Sale **\$6.75**

American Sale of Rugs and Matting

CHINA MATTINGS—A choice assortment of good quality China Matting will be found in the American Sale at a roll of 40 yards for **\$2.98**

CHINA MATTINGS—40-yard rolls of extra quality China Mattings will be found to be an exceptional value in the American Sale, at the roll **\$3.98**

TAPESTRY RUGS—A new line of Tapestry Brussels one seam Rugs, full room size, in floral and Persian designs, are in the American Sale for **\$16.50**

American Sale of Pictures

40c FANCY PICTURES in gilt and natural wood frames. A great variety of subjects to choose from, 35c and 40c values, in the American Sale **25c**

60c FANCY PICTURES—Come and get all you need, the assortment of subjects is endless; 50c and 60c Pictures in gilt and natural wood frames; American Sale price **35c**

American Sale Women's Suits at Half

WITH AN OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE A ROUND TRIP TICKET TO THE WORLD'S FAIR FREE. These Suits are the greatest values ever offered in the history of this house, and in addition to the radical reductions of one-half or more for the American Sale, every purchaser of one has the opportunity of securing a Round Trip Ticket to the World's Fair free. Every Suit in the lot is made in this season's latest style, of light-weight material. They are just the thing you will need for traveling and to wear in the changeable St. Louis climate. Come to the store Tuesday and we will tell you how to make your World's Fair trip without paying railroad fare.



\$15.00 TO \$25.00 LIGHT-WEIGHT WOOL SUITS \$7.50, made of Cheviots, Sicilians and fancy men's wear mixtures, cut in coat effects, Etons and Blouses, trimmed with wood fibre braid, plaits and self strappings. Not a suit in this lot has sold up to now for less than \$15.00; some of them are from our regular \$25.00 line. All go in the American Sale **7.50**

\$28.50 VERY STYLISH WOOL SUITS, \$10.00—The best of this season's styles are to be found in this lot. The materials are fancy light colored Mohairs and Sicilians, Etamines, Cheviots and Voiles in grays, blues, browns and black; strictly men's tailor made, in a number of different styles. It is only once in a lifetime you can buy as you can in this American Sale **10.00**

\$35.00 SWAGGER LIGHT WOOL SUITS, \$16.50—Some of the handsomest creations we have shown this season. Those that have been selling as high as \$35.00 are in the lot, made in a dozen of the most swagger styles, of Voiles, Etamines, Cheviots, Sicilians and fancy mannish mixtures, the trimmings and findings are the best, and it is only in our great American Sale you can find such values at **16.50**

\$50.00 FANCY WOOL COSTUMES AT \$25.00 AND \$29.00—The balance of our stock of handsome Street Suits and Fancy Wool Costumes, in the newest materials and most wanted shades of tan and gray mixtures. Made by America's leading makers of women's wear, they are up to the minute in style detail. Priced in our American Sale to barely cover the cost of the materials, they go for \$29.00 and **25.00**



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American Sale of Sweester, Pembroke Laces

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American Sale of Wash Dress Goods

20c WASH FABRICS—Our entire line of Flaked Tissues, Mercerized Striped Batistes and Embroidered Batistes, in dots, stripes and floral designs, that have been selling at 15c and 20c a yard. All go in the American Sale at the yard **10c**

39c IMPORTED ORGANDIES—All that are left of our Imported Organdies, in floral and conventional designs, go in the American Sale, the 50c grade at 25c, the 39c quality at the yard **19c**

50c IMPORTED FABRICS—Mercerized Flaked Tissues, Batistes and Foulards that have sold as high as 50c a yard, are in the American Sale at the yard **19c**

American Sale of Ladies' Belts

\$1.75 BELTS—All of them this season's newest styles. Made of fancy silk and leather. Take your choice in the American Sale for **50c**

American Sale of Trunks, Bags

Every possible demand of the traveler can be supplied from our varied line. We call your special attention to the Trunks we offer this week at \$12.50, \$16.50, \$19.50 and **\$25.00**

SUIT CASES—Canvas covered, brass locks and catches, leather handles and corners; special in the American Sale **\$1.48** at

TRUNKS—Canvas covered, iron bound, with hard-wood slats, brass locks and iron bottoms; American Sale special at **\$4.38**

ENGLISH KITS with double steel bound case, brass locks and catches, sole leather straps inside and out; the 26-inch at \$5.98; the 24-inch at \$5.75, and the 22-inch an American Sale special at **\$5.00**

TRUNKS—Covered with waterproof duck, hard-wood slats, brass locks, catches and bumpers, two sole leather straps and iron bottom; special in the American Sale **\$6.98**

15c Red Damask

Turkey Red Damask, 54 inches wide. We secured some thousands of yards at a price that enables us to offer it in the American Sale at **10c**

American Sale of Parasols

In the loveliest of designs, very latest and most favored of styles—Fontainebleau, Coaching and Dress, with swagger handles and coverings of magnificent quality. It is easy to suppose that the demand will be great for them on Tuesday, for all have been reduced to one-third or one-half of their former price, for the American Sale.

American Sale of Hosiery

25c LACE LISLE HOSE—Fast black, with all-over lace, full seamless, as pretty a stocking as any lady can wish to wear. The usual price is 25c a pair; in the American Sale, the pair **19c**

American Sale of Draperies

15c SILKOLINE—Full 36 inches in width, in a splendid line of colors and patterns for door and sash curtains; American Sale price, **7 1/2c** per yard

15c DOTTED SWISS—Yard wide, white dotted Curtain Swiss will be found in the drapery section during the American Sale at the **7 1/2c** yard

\$1 House Wrappers

Pretty Lawn Wrappers in light summery colors, trimmed with embroidery and braid, wide founce at the bottom; a Basement Bargain in this sale **79c**

\$2.50 Laton Waists in the American Sale

WE CALL YOUR SPECIAL ATTENTION to the values in these Waists, and will leave it to you to judge if we are not absolutely correct when we say they are Waists you could not have bought before now for less than \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50. Made of the finest of white India Linon, some are in the new round yoke effect, trimmed with lace insertion and medallions; others are trimmed with embroidery and hemstitched tucks, with the newest sleeves and collars. Be here early Tuesday morning, for the choicest will soon go in the American Sale at **95c**

American Sale of Women's Gloves

Nothing old about them—this season's goods. That we thought well enough of to secure a good quantity of them.

25c SUEDE LISLE GLOVES—Two patent clasps, a full line of sizes, at a saving in the American Sale of one-third on every pair you buy **19c**

50c SUEDE LISLE GLOVES for 35c is a bargain not to be overlooked, all sizes, with two patent clasps, are in the American Sale for **35c**

\$1.50 SILK LACE MITTS, in black or white, elbow, half and three-quarter length; good to buy at \$1.50 a pair; in the American Sale they are only **59c**

Basement Bargains

In the American Sale

PEPPERELL SHEETING—Full 9-4 width. Every woman knows as well as we do what Pepperell is **19c** worth, American Sale price

50c ELASTIC SEAM DRAWERS—Men's Elastic Seam Drill Drawers, that are sold everywhere for 50c a pair; in the American Sale for **29c**

50c SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Fancy Jersey ribbed, silk finish Shirts and Drawers, that sell regularly for 50c a garment, are in the American Sale, per garment **35c**

50c SUMMER CORSETS—Also Girdles, can't rust, finely made throughout of good quality white Batiste, made to retail at 50c; in the American Sale **35c**

American Sale of Fine Millinery

These reductions being without a parallel, an early visit to the Millinery Parlors is advisable to secure choice.

\$2.00 OUTING HATS—Come Tuesday morning and take your choice of a line of Shirt Waist and Street Hats that have been selling as high as \$2.00 each; reduced for the American Sale to **75c**

\$7.00 STREET HATS—Up to the minute in style, just what is correct for street or semi-dress occasions. We have placed a line of our \$6.00 and \$7.00 Hats, in the American Sale price **\$2.50**

\$15.00 DRESS HATS—Some are conceptions of the leading Parisian artists, others are the product of our own skilled milliners; some were priced at \$12.00, many at \$15.00; all are in the American Sale at **\$5.00**

American Sale and Mail Orders

In order to accommodate our many out-of-town customers who would like to take advantage of the many special offerings in the American Sale, we will fill all orders received up to noon on Wednesday at the advertised prices, provided the goods have not been sold. As usual, we will prepay all orders of \$5.00 or more, excepting heavy goods.

American Sale of Black Henrietta

\$1.00 BLACK HENRIETTA—All wool and from 40 to 44 inches in width. They are the kind that always give satisfaction. Here is a big saving, priced as they are in the American Sale at the **59c** yard

American Sale of Boys' Suits

\$2.25 WASH SUITS—White or colored, made in a manner to please every mother. Sailor and Russian Blouse styles. Instead of \$2.25, the regular price, they will be found in the American Sale **\$1.50** for

\$2 Muslin Petticoats

Trimmed with cambric and Swiss embroidery, Torchon lace and hemstitched tucks. They will be found in the Bargain Basement **\$1.00**

American Sale of H'dkerchiefs

A small lot of Drummers' Samples that came to us at half and less. We give our customers the benefit of our lucky purchase.

50c HANDKERCHIEFS—Pure linen, hand embroidered in the daintiest of patterns. While they last, the American Sale price is **25c** only

35c HANDKERCHIEFS—Extra fine and sheer linen lawn, in the loveliest of hand-worked designs, will go in the American Sale Tuesday morning for **19c**

25c HANDKERCHIEFS—It is easy to suppose the demand will be great for this lot. Their value is unequalled at the American Sale price of **15c**

15c HANDKERCHIEFS of extra fine cambric and Union linen, embroidered in pretty patterns; the price in the American Sale is **10c**

American Sale on Next Tuesday

While our store will be open until noon tomorrow, none of the articles advertised for the American Sale will be sold before Tuesday.

20c Table Oil Cloth

An unusually good offer at a little more than half price. It will be an attractive Basement Bargain in the American Sale at **12 1/2c**

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FLAGS AND BUNTING OF ALL KINDS—Special for Monday Morning.

22x28-inch Flags, spear stick; special19¢
 14x24-inch Flags, regular 10c size; Monday.....5¢
 8x13-inch Flags, regular 5c size; Monday2½¢
 Small Flags, per dozen10¢
 All kinds of Bunting, several different patterns, per yard5¢

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IRGINIAN IS OF COMMITTEE TO RAISE FUNDS

Monument Is to Be Erected to the Southern Women, Living and Dead

Immediately after his election at Nashville, N. R. Tisdal, commander-in-chief of the United Sons of Confederacy, tendered to James Mann of Norfolk, Va., the chairmanship of the committee having in charge of the matter of raising a fund of \$100,000 to be used in erecting somewhere in the south a shaft to the memory of the southern women, dead and living. Yesterday Mr. Tisdal received a reply from Mr. Mann, accepting the honor, and at the request of the commander-in-chief, Mr. Mann suggested that the following old members of the committee be retained: Hamilton M. Branch of Charleston, S. C.; Robert A. Smythe of Charleston, S. C.; H. H. Clark of New Orleans; W. W. Crane of Jacksonville, Tenn.; Briscoe Hindman of Louisville; Walter T. Colquitt of Atlanta and Warlick H. Payne of Scottsboro, Ala. Mr. Mann also suggests that in addition to the above that the following be added to the committee: Wallace Street of Washington, D. C.; J. A. Webb of Virginia, Maryland, Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Among the states not yet represented on the committee are the following: Texas, Florida, Indian Territory, West Virginia, Maryland, Arkansas and Oklahoma. Mr. Tisdal will soon name committee-men from these states, and, in a general order soon to be issued, will announce the entire committee. In his letter to Mr. Tisdal Mr. Mann says strenuous efforts will be made by the entire membership of the committee during the present year to raise as much money as is possible. He thinks that by the exercise of good judgment the fund can be materially increased. It is now about \$12,000.

PAY ORE IS TO BE FOUND IN WICHITAS
 The Fort Worth stockholders in several mining claims in the Wichita mountains are anxiously awaiting the report soon to be made by a commission recently appointed to investigate the ores of that section. The commission is headed by Professor Edwin DeBarr, chemist and assayer for the University of Oklahoma, located at Norman. The commission started out some days ago to examine the ores which have caused much excitement among people interested in such matters because of their value, assays running from \$10 to several hundred dollars.

The Fort Worth Owners of Claims Are Waiting to Hear the Report
 The report which will be made by Professor DeBarr will be a satisfactory one, as this gentleman in 1896 made a similar investigation and report which showed the existence of paying gold ore. In fact his returns gave ore values as high as \$1,200 to the ton, taken from the property of John Kaho. In view of this fact, the present owners of claims have a right to expect that the forthcoming report will be a very favorable one.

Other assays made by Professor DeBarr gave returns averaging from \$1.50 to \$96 to the ton. This result was procured from some thirteen different assays. The professor made a speech recently before a miners' picnic at Mountain Park, in which he gave them the above information.

Taking all these facts as a whole, the Fort Worth stockholders have a right to look for a favorable report from Professor DeBarr. Captain E. M. Tucker and R. Burdige, both interested in several claims in the Wichitas, are here. They are feeling jubilant over the prospects of making of the Wichita mining district one of the greatest in the country.

WHISKY
 CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 2.—Whisky sales, 1,016 barrels, at \$1.20.

SILVER
 NEW YORK, July 2.—Bar silver in London firm and ¼d higher at 26½d per ounce. Today's New York price for commercial bars ¼c higher, at 57½¢; Government assay bars ¼c higher, at 58¢; Mexican dollars unchanged at 45½¢.

NEW YORK MONEY
 NEW YORK, July 2.—Money on call nominal; no loans. Time loans nominal; six months, 3¼¢; three months, 3¼¢; sterling exchange nominal with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.87½¢; 15 days demand and at \$4.85; 30 days demand, at \$4.85; 60 days demand, at \$4.85; commercial bills, at \$4.85.

BUTTER
 ELGIN, Ill., July 2.—On the board of trade today the quotations committee fixed the price of butter at 17½¢. Market firm. The total output for the week in this district was 904,300 pounds.

IMPERIAL COUNCIL NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE
 Atlantic City, N. J., July 13-15.

The Chicago Great Western railway will on July 9 and 10 sell round trip tickets at one fare plus \$2 to Atlantic City, N. J. Tickets limited to July 23. On return trip stopovers will be allowed at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. For further information apply to any Great Western agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

ANNUAL CONVENTION COMMERCIAL LAW LEAGUE OF AMERICA
 West Baden and French Lick Springs, Ind., July 25-26.

The Chicago Great Western railway will on July 22 to 25, inclusive, sell round trip tickets at one fare plus \$2 to West Baden and French Lick Springs, Ind. Tickets good until August 11 for return. For further information apply to any Great Western agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

Asphalt from the valley of Siddin floats down into the Dead sea.

THE MAN IN ARMOR

Was no match for the microbe. Giants he might slay but this microscopic organism defied him, and in many a campaign more men were destroyed by camp diseases than by the enemy's sword.

The one way to arm against micro-bic disease is to keep the blood pure. Impure blood both breeds and feeds disease.

The signs of impure blood are easy to read. Pimples, boils, and eruptions generally proclaim the blood to be impure. Scrofulous sores and swellings, salt-rheum, eczema, etc., are other signs of a corrupt condition of the blood.

Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood and cures diseases caused by the blood's impurity. It cures scrofulous sores, boils, pimples, eczema and other defiling and disfiguring diseases.

"It gives me great pleasure to express my faith in the virtue of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery," writes Mr. Ezekiel Floro, of Graytown, Ohio. "I suffered every thing for two years with humor on my face, which baffled the skill of some of the most noted physicians. Was at once advised to go to the hospital; was doctored there for three months without success. Came home discouraged. Then began to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, with no other remedy. It did it only to please my wife; but I am happy to tell you that after taking five bottles I am entirely cured."

FREE. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or 31 stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

business was to be conducted was not unfolded during the company's brief existence in Fort Worth. It is said, however, that the "22 street car tickets for a quarter" had an endless chain attachment to it.

LOCAL COMPANIES ARE CONSOLIDATED

Texas Immigration Bureau Absorbs the Texas Land and Investment Company
 A deal was closed in this city yesterday by which the Texas Immigration Bureau of this city has absorbed the Texas Land and Investment company, having a large amount of property in this section of the state listed and having also valuable eastern connections.

The charter of the Texas Immigration Bureau will be amended to omit the change and the capital stock increased to \$25,000, all of which has been subscribed. Upon the amending of the charter the headquarters of the immigration bureau will be transferred to Dallas.

Officers of the consolidated companies were elected as follows: R. L. McCright, president; W. C. Forbes, vice president, and A. A. Billingsley, secretary.

A number of prominent St. Louis and eastern capitalists are reported among the stockholders of the new company.

AMBASSADOR CHOATE TO SERVE STRAWBERRIES

LONDON, July 2.—The Fourth of July will be celebrated in the usual manner in Europe this year. There will be a banquet with speeches at the Hotel Cecil in London, and Ambassador Choate will give a free-for-all reception at which strawberries and cream will be the star attraction. Ambassador Porter in Paris will give a similar entertainment to hungry fellow-exiles and there will be similar gatherings of Americans in Berlin, Rome and other capitals.

DR. JACKSON IS CHIEF OF HIS STAFF

Major General Van Zandt of the Texas division, United Confederate Veterans, yesterday issued general order No. 55, promoting Lieutenant Colonel Jackson.

The promotion was made necessary by the recent death of Judge S. P. Greene, who was formerly adjutant general and chief of staff.

LIVELY 70

Right Food Makes Young of the Aged. When one is lively and a hard worker at this age there is something interesting to tell and the Princeton lady who has passed this mark explains how her wonderful health is due to the food she eats.

"I am past seventy years of age and up to five years ago suffered terribly with chronic stomach trouble, heart disease, and was generally as weak as you will find an old woman of 65. At that time I began to use Grape-Nuts food and from the very first it began to build me up. Soon I came to a condition of perfect health because I can always digest this food and it is full of nourishment. All my heart and stomach troubles are gone. I soon gained between fifteen and twenty pounds and have never lost it. I can now do a hard day's work."

"Certainly this is the greatest food I ever struck. It gives me strength and ambition and courage and I try to do all the good I can telling people what it has done for me. Many of my neighbors use it and are doing fine."

"I had the grip the latter part of the winter and for four weeks ate absolutely nothing but Grape-Nuts and came out of the sickness healthy. That will show you how strong and sturdy I am. Truly it is wonderful food to do such things for one of my age." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Delicious, crisp, nutty flavored Grape-Nuts. Trial ten days proves things. Get the little book, "The Road to Well-Vie," in each package.

ENGINEER HURT IN A FREIGHT COLLISION

Breaks His Arm in Attempting to Reverse His Engine and Prevent Accident—Passengers Uninjured

A wreck at the crossing of the Texas and Pacific and the Missouri, Kansas and Texas roads, just at the foot of the interlocking plant in course of construction, occurred yesterday afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock, delaying traffic until a late hour last night.

The wreck was occasioned by the Texas and Pacific eastbound train, No. 8, running between this city and Dallas, striking a Katy local freight about midway of the track.

The force of the collision threw the Texas and Pacific engine from the track and totally demolished two coal cars, leading practically all tracks at the crossing blocked. In leaving the track the engine remained upright and the only person injured was Engineer Jack Dempsey of Marshall, who broke his right arm in endeavoring to reverse his engine, when he saw the collision was inevitable. Dempsey was removed to St. Joseph's infirmary, where his injuries were treated.

That no more serious injuries occurred is due to the fact that the passenger train had proceeded but a short distance from the station and was moving at a slow rate of speed.

With the completion of the interlocking plant, it is stated, a repetition of such an accident will be impossible.

SPECIAL SUMMER TOURIST RATES

To St. Paul and Minneapolis.

On July 14 to 18 inclusive, the Chicago Great Western railway will sell round trip tickets at \$14.55 from Kansas City to St. Paul and Minneapolis. Tickets good for return until August 5. For further information apply to any Great Western agent of J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

WHIT DRYDEN IS GIVEN PROMOTION

He Succeeds D. A. Robinson as Office Deputy for Marshal Green

United States Marshal Green of the northern district of Texas, headquarters at Dallas, yesterday appointed Whit Dryden of Fort Worth chief deputy, to have charge of his office.

Mr. Dryden is to succeed D. A. Robinson, who was recently made postmaster at Dallas.

Mr. Dryden has been field deputy under Marshal Green the past six years and has proved to be an efficient officer. He will take charge of his new duties during the present week and later on will move his family from Fort Worth to Dallas.

Mr. Dryden says he has no information as to who will succeed him as deputy at this point.

TEXANS GO TO PUT PARKER AT TOP

There Will Be a Departure Over the Frisco for the St. Louis Convention

The morning at 1 o'clock the delegates from this city will leave to attend the democratic national convention at St. Louis.

Although it cannot be definitely ascertained how many or what persons are going it is known there will be a large delegation from this section, all the lower berths and many of the upper ones having been taken in the sleeper over the Frisco, chosen as the official route.

District Delegates William Capps and J. Collin George, together with the alternates, J. R. Ransom Jr. and J. R. Milam and Delegate at Large Ousley will head the party leaving this city. Judge Templeton and T. D. Cobb, both delegates at large, will also be in the Fort Worth car.

A sleeper over the Santa from Galveston will be picked up at Paris by the Frisco and will also be from Houston over the Central to Denison and another over the Midland at Paris. In this way the whole Texas delegation will be gotten together. Upon reaching St. Louis the Texas headquarters will be opened at the St. James Hotel, which from that time on will be a Parker stronghold.

The Texans are Parker to the finish and can foresee no other result than the nomination of the New Yorker.

INDICTED FOR ASSAULT

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 2.—J. H. Doyle, arrested here for embezzlement two weeks ago, was taken to St. Louis tonight by Detective Dwyer on extradition granted by the governor. A heavy rain fell here today. The ball game with Beaumont was postponed. Juan Rangel and Manuel Perez were indicted today for criminal assault on Mrs. Putarco Navarro. The defendants at the point of a pistol took

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Mrs. Navarro away from her husband and committed the outrage.

SHOP LIFTERS ARRESTED BY OFFICERS

Accused of Pilfering Articles From Two Stores Yesterday Afternoon—Are Well Known

Assistant Chief of Police Allen and Officer Speight yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock arrested two well known women on charges of shoplifting.

They were later transferred to the county officials, where one was released, owing to the fact that she had an infant child.

The first complaint of the women, one of whom lives in this city and the other in Arlington, was made by the manager of a Main street store, who accused them of pilfering skirts which were taken and placed beneath their outer skirts. They then visited a Houston street store, it is alleged, and procured a quantity of lace and other small articles.

They were arrested at Sixth and Houston streets by the officers, and after being put through a thorough questioning were transferred to the county. Both women seemed heartbroken over the affair, the older of the two fainting when confronted with the charge.

Assistant County Attorney Buck released the younger woman for the sake of her little child. Managers of the stores, it is said, are loath to push the cases against the women, being content to teach them a lesson.

At least a half dozen women in the business and professional life of Chicago receive \$10,000 per year from their

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With regret that the time for profit getting on Refrigerators is past for this season and as we have a large stock on hand

Reduced Prices

on the entire line go into effect at once, as we propose to cut them all out as soon as possible. Don't wait until the assortment is broken but get in line at once.

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COACH EXCURSIONS

The second coach excursion sale of tickets to the World's Fair will take place July 9 and 23. This announcement is made by the Rock Island. Other Texas lines will also sell these tickets on the above dates. This is thought to be the last sale of the kind during the life of the St. Louis exposition. These tickets are good for seven days from the date of sale.

Japan has a Young Men's Buddhist Association, modeled on the Young Men's Christian Association.

Market Quotations

NORTH FORT WORTH, July 2.—Receipts of cattle today, with twenty cars in the pens, figured close around 500 head.

The supply of steers was quite liberal, but mostly grassers, with nothing choice on sale. There was very little doing around the yards and trading was slow and drab. One of the local packers was looking around for cattle, but salesmen claimed hide were unsatisfactory and, with the bulk of receipts on a through bill, the large end of the supply was shipped out.

The few loads of cows that arrived were mostly of common quality and there was no change in quotations from yesterday. There was nothing to compare with the bulk of receipts on a through bill, the large end of the supply was shipped out.

Bulls were scarce and the only business done was among speculators. Only a few odd head of calves were on the yards. Buyers for local houses were on hand with plenty of orders and everything in sight sold strong.

It took traders some time to find the hog supply today, and it was only by the squeal that they could be located. One load arrived with about seventy-five head. There was nothing to compare with the quality of the hogs on the market yesterday, and offerings, taking this into consideration, ruled just about steady.

One double-deck of sheep came in, which sold early to packers on about a steady basis with yesterday. Two hundred and thirty clipped mixed sheep, averaging eighty-one pounds sold at \$3.75.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES
 CATTLE—Hardly enough steers sold today to quote prices, the bulk of the supply was on a through bill and was shipped out. A few odds and ends on the yearling order sold about steady.

The few cows on the market sold about steady with yesterday. There was no demand, but the supply was cleaned up by noon. A few cows, averaging 912 pounds, topped the market at \$2.15, with the bulk of sales at \$1.50 to \$2.75.

Bulls were scarce and the only thing selling were a few common light bulls, which brought steady prices.

Calves were in good demand and sold strong, the best on the market selling at \$3.50.

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GET RICH QUICK SCHEME HERE IS STOPPED

Two Young Men Were to Sell Car Tickets Cheap for the Cash

"Twenty-two street car tickets for 25 cents."

This was the brief paragraph printed in the morning paper on Wednesday and Thursday. Just what the scheme consisted of no one was able to learn, as the firm hung out its shingle for only two brief days at No. 407½ Main street, up stairs, before it was notified by the police to close up shop.

The enterprise was launched by two young men who came here from the north. When told to leave the city they took a train Friday morning for Dallas.

"The Coupon Company" was the title of the firm, but the manner in which the

BASEBALL, RACING

The following are the batting and fielding averages of the Dallas and Fort Worth players in the Texas League, subject to revision when fuller official scores are in:

Player	AB.	R.	H.	SB.	SH.	P.	C.	PO.	A.	E.	P.	C.	Extra	Base	Hits.
Sullivan, I. F.	185	35	46	14	1	250	58	6	7	914	4	2	3	3	3
Hubbard, B. B.	112	10	24	14	9	222	68	7	11	321	2	3	2	3	3
McMurray, C.	47	19	25	47	32	6	246	299	43	18	950	6	2	3	3
Dunn, C. F.	50	185	22	52	16	7	280	100	11	2	982	13	2	3	3
Reitz, S. S.	50	175	25	36	12	4	201	86	160	32	910	5	2	3	3
Boles, utility	32	32	12	27	12	1	290	36	69	2	981	4	2	3	3
Poindeux, R. F.	46	167	20	37	18	1	221	58	4	3	951	8	2	3	3
Willis, I. B.	50	297	38	47	18	1	567	21	1	980	10	2	3	3	3
Christman, P.	14	52	8	20	1	2	690	6	70	1	1,000	1	2	3	3
Tullar, B.	42	140	7	10	7	1	192	40	74	26	771	8	2	3	3
Haidt, B.	14	50	6	12	10	1	240	29	31	3	950	2	2	3	3
Jarvis, P.	15	48	5	9	1	2	188	4	40	3	931	1	2	3	3
Jackson, P.	16	54	4	2	2	1	089	10	40	2	960	1	2	3	3

Player	Games	At Bat	Runs	Hits	Putouts	Assists	Errors	Total	Stolen	Two-base	Three-base	Home	Extra	Fielding	Batting
Corcoran, B. B.	44	152	24	36	53	79	16	148	6	14	4	0	0	892	.237
Andres, B.	49	162	21	32	95	112	18	225	15	12	4	1	0	920	.198
Ury, C. F.	52	192	27	51	108	21	4	133	2	20	2	1	0	970	.266
Moran, C. H. C.	27	100	22	37	157	38	15	210	0	6	4	0	1	929	.320
Boyd, R. B.	53	181	23	39	53	24	6	83	2	5	7	0	1	929	.320
Johnson, S. S.	52	178	29	61	109	148	36	293	0	19	5	3	8	977	.285
Doyle, I. F.	53	179	27	45	120	17	7	144	2	15	8	2	1	951	.252
Hunter, I. B.	51	138	28	51	222	46	12	384	4	19	11	1	1	941	.266
Reitz, S. S.	30	111	15	37	230	22	9	261	1	2	4	0	1	935	.335
Ragan, P.	21	65	8	10	6	47	2	65	4	1	0	0	1	964	.154
Clark, C. F.	18	58	8	10	7	59	2	65	1	2	1	0	0	963	.179
McCarthy, I. B.	14	46	3	8	76	6	3	85	3	2	1	0	3	863	.174
Craig, P.	6	15	1	5	36	1	2	25	0	2	1	0	0	100	.150
South, I. B.	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	.333
Willingham, R. F.	1	4	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	.1000
Pfleisterer, P.	2	7	0	2	0	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	.286
Rickey, C.	3	10	0	4	17	2	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	3	.400

There is a lurking suspicion that Christman lost the game yesterday. In the second there was a base on balls, a wild pitch and four successive hits that netted Paris four runs. In the eighth there were infield hits that pitcher Christman failed to throw so as to retire any runners that scored one man and filled the bases. Tullar's hit for a double into left scored all the other ways in which the game could have been lost were not used, possibly because the usually effective pitcher did not have them in stock. There can hardly be criticism of the weak showing of the home team. They have just finished a series of hard fought victories with Dallas. When they led Dallas into camp yesterday they were "all in." A letting down in the team could be overlooked, but Christman has, may be, had too long a vacation.

Paris made ten hits, got ten hits, put up a good fielding game and brought heavy artillery to the bat. Mulkey's threat to "skin them alive" was executed. The sensational fielding of Deskin that got Ditch's long drive left was expected to be noteworthy. McCullum, Tullar and Dugan got two hits each, both of Dugan's being doubles. The score:

AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Sullivan, I. F.	2	1	0	0	0
Hubbard, B. B.	0	1	1	0	0
Ditch, C. F.	4	1	0	1	0
Dunn, C. F.	4	1	3	1	0
Willis, I. B.	4	0	2	12	0
Poindeux, R. F.	4	0	0	0	2
Boles, utility	4	0	0	0	2
Reitz, S. S.	4	0	2	2	1
Christman, P.	4	0	1	0	2
Totals	36	2	12	29	10

AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Deskin, I. F.	4	1	0	3	0
Burke, R. F.	5	2	1	1	0
Butler, C. F.	5	1	0	4	0
McCullum, B. B.	5	1	2	0	0
Mulkey, P.	4	2	1	0	2
Welter, S. S.	4	1	1	3	0
Tullar, I. B.	4	1	2	5	0
Abrogast, C.	4	1	1	6	1
Dugan, B. B.	4	0	2	4	0
Totals	39	10	10	36	8

Runs and hits by innings:
Fort Worth 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2
Base hits 1 0 2 2 2 2 1 2 12
Paris 0 4 0 0 0 0 4 2 10
Summary—Innings pitched by Christman and Mulkey 9; struck out by Christman 5; by Mulkey 7; first base on errors, Paris 4; double plays, Reitz, Dunn and Willis, Mulkey, Welter and Tullar; wild pitches, by Christman 2; time, 1 hour and 40 minutes; umpire, Ed Spencer.

DALLAS WINS A GAME
DALLAS, Texas, July 2.—The Giants took the Oilers down the line yesterday afternoon again by a score of 8 to 5. Everything being considered, the game was very good, indeed.

The game was advertised to commence at 4:45 o'clock, but owing to heavy black clouds making their appearance on the eastern horizon, Umpire O'Connor, he of the green coat, called "play ball" at 4:30. The Petroleum Peddlers were full of ginger, but were retired in the space of five minutes. Before the third hand was down, however, a rain had set in, one of the kind the boys from the sticks term a "slow-drip-drip-drip," and before long the first Giant up, could find his way off the home plate the precipitation had become rather heavy and O'Connor bade the players follow him to cover. For twenty-five minutes the magnets, the players and the fans huddled together in dry places and bit their finger nails and made faces at Jupiter Pluvius. The shower subsided at the end of that time and Umpire O'Connor stalked out onto the open and almost went up to his neck in the mud as he took the first step on the diamond. However, he gave the order to resume hostilities, and after a bucket or two of sand had been poured around the home plate a spot of about four square feet was made dry enough for the man at bat and the catcher to play on. For nine long innings the players and Big Mike stuck it out, and the crowd was not sent back to town disappointed. The diamond was, of course, in a fearful condition, but they managed to play just the same. It was almost impossible for a batter to run after he had stepped on the diamond, or for an infielder to field a ball. It was slip, slide and kick mud throughout the entire game.

Three of the new players, Miller, Fetz and Mott, appeared for the first time on the local diamond and all played a very good quality of ball. Each of them managed to get his eye on the ball, and Miller and Fetz did splendid fielding. Miller only had one chance and accepted it handily. One of the features of the game was a fast double made between

Fetz and Mott. Patterson sent a hot liner, which Fetz had to make a run to catch with one hand, and before Blasingsame, who was on second and had thrown the bag he was retired by a fast throw from Fetz to Mott. The visitors also had three double plays to their credit.

Gilbreath, who was on the firing line for the visitors, was pounded hard and thirteen single and one double were made off his delivery.

Hunter pitched the first six innings for Dallas and all the hits the visitors made, six in number, were at his expense. The ball was wet and slippery and he did not have the control which will no doubt come to him later. Ragan worked in the coming throw the last three innings, and for three innings the crowd headed by Curly Maloney went down in one-two-three order without a hit.

The same teams play again this afternoon. Miller, the new outfielder and catcher, will work behind the bat and Ragan will put the leather into his mitt. The tabulated score of yesterday's game is shown below:

AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Sullivan, I. F.	2	1	0	0	0
Hubbard, B. B.	0	1	1	0	0
Ditch, C. F.	4	1	0	1	0
Dunn, C. F.	4	1	3	1	0
Willis, I. B.	4	0	2	12	0
Poindeux, R. F.	4	0	0	0	2
Boles, utility	4	0	0	0	2
Reitz, S. S.	4	0	2	2	1
Christman, P.	4	0	1	0	2
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Burke, R. F.	5	2	1	1	0
Butler, C. F.	5	1	0	4	0
McCullum, B. B.	5	1	2	0	0
Mulkey, P.	4	2	1	0	2
Welter, S. S.	4	1	1	3	0
Tullar, I. B.	4	1	2	5	0
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Runs and hits by innings:
Fort Worth 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2
Base hits 1 0 2 2 2 2 1 2 12
Paris 0 4 0 0 0 0 4 2 10
Summary—Innings pitched by Christman and Mulkey 9; struck out by Christman 5; by Mulkey 7; first base on errors, Paris 4; double plays, Reitz, Dunn and Willis, Mulkey, Welter and Tullar; wild pitches, by Christman 2; time, 1 hour and 40 minutes; umpire, Ed Spencer.

DALLAS WINS A GAME
DALLAS, Texas, July 2.—The Giants took the Oilers down the line yesterday afternoon again by a score of 8 to 5. Everything being considered, the game was very good, indeed.

The game was advertised to commence at 4:45 o'clock, but owing to heavy black clouds making their appearance on the eastern horizon, Umpire O'Connor, he of the green coat, called "play ball" at 4:30. The Petroleum Peddlers were full of ginger, but were retired in the space of five minutes. Before the third hand was down, however, a rain had set in, one of the kind the boys from the sticks term a "slow-drip-drip-drip," and before long the first Giant up, could find his way off the home plate the precipitation had become rather heavy and O'Connor bade the players follow him to cover. For twenty-five minutes the magnets, the players and the fans huddled together in dry places and bit their finger nails and made faces at Jupiter Pluvius. The shower subsided at the end of that time and Umpire O'Connor stalked out onto the open and almost went up to his neck in the mud as he took the first step on the diamond. However, he gave the order to resume hostilities, and after a bucket or two of sand had been poured around the home plate a spot of about four square feet was made dry enough for the man at bat and the catcher to play on. For nine long innings the players and Big Mike stuck it out, and the crowd was not sent back to town disappointed. The diamond was, of course, in a fearful condition, but they managed to play just the same. It was almost impossible for a batter to run after he had stepped on the diamond, or for an infielder to field a ball. It was slip, slide and kick mud throughout the entire game.

Three of the new players, Miller, Fetz and Mott, appeared for the first time on the local diamond and all played a very good quality of ball. Each of them managed to get his eye on the ball, and Miller and Fetz did splendid fielding. Miller only had one chance and accepted it handily. One of the features of the game was a fast double made between

NATIONAL LEAGUE
DIVIDED DOUBLE-HEADER
PHILADELPHIA, July 2.—The Philadelphia Nationals took the first game of the double-header today, and won by a score of 10 to 3. The second game was a tie, 3 to 3.

BOSTON DEMORIALIZED
NEW YORK, July 2.—Two extremes of baseball were played at the polo grounds this afternoon. The New Yorks played a dashing game and won their sixteenth straight victory. The Bostonians gave a faithful exhibition of baseball and were completely demoralized by New York's bunting. The score: R. H. E.
Boston 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 9
New York 0 2 1 2 3 5 0 14 6
Batteries—Willis and Needham; Wiltz; McClintock and Warner. Umpires—Carpenter and Johnston.

TWIRLER RUNS IN TWO INNINGS
PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 2.—Pittsburgh defeated Cincinnati by the overwhelming score of 14 to 2. Harper started to pitch for the Reds, but twelve runs were made off his delivery in the first and second innings and he retired in favor of Ewing, who did better. Lynch pitched good ball for Pittsburgh, but let down toward the end. The score: R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 3 9 0 0 1 0 0 1 16 9
Cincinnati 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 6 6
Batteries—Lynch and Phelps; Harper,

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Ewing and O'Neill. Umpires—Moran and Zimmer.

CARDINALS WIN A GAME
ST. LOUIS, July 2.—The St. Louis Cardinals again defeated the Chicago Nationals today, the score being 3 to 2. Nichols did excellent work in the box for St. Louis today. The score:
St. Louis 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 3 7
Chicago 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 2 5
Batteries—Nichols and McLean; Wick-
er and O'Neill. Umpire—O'Day. Time
of game—One hour and thirty-five min-
utes. Attendance—5,000.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
SPLIT A DOUBLE-HEADER
NEW YORK, July 2.—The New York American split their double header today, the Washington team taking the first game by the close score of 3 to 2, while the locals captured the second game 11 to 6. Clarkson, the former Harvard star, started in the box in the first game, but received poor support. The score:
First game—R. H. E.
Washington 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 3 8
New York 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 4 2
Batteries—Clarkson and Clark; Clarkson and McGuire. Umpire, Dewey.
Second game—R. H. E.
Washington 3 0 0 1 2 0 0 0 6 10 2
New York 1 0 0 0 4 5 0 0 11 14 1
Batteries—Patten and Klitzgrae; Powell, Hughes and Klenow. Umpire, Dwyer.

CHICAGO WINS IT
CHICAGO, July 2.—White gave passes in the second inning today and forced in a run. St. Louis scored again in the sixth on a hit batsman, a sacrifice, a base on balls and a double steal. The White Sox were helpless till the sixth. Then Dundon singled, Padden fumbled Jones' grounder and hits by Callahan, Davis and Donahue ran in three runs. Neither team did much batting and four out of Chicago's five hits were made in the sixth inning. The score:
R. H. E.
Chicago 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 1 3 5 3
St. Louis 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2
Batteries—White and Sullivan; Siever and Sugden. Umpires, King and O'Loughlin.

THEY BREAK EVEN
DETROIT, Mich., July 2.—The Detroit and Cleveland Americans broke even in a double header today. Cleveland won the first game in the ninth with Hickman's two-bagger as the principal feature. Stovall and Bernard both pitched good ball in the second game. Detroit landed hard on Moore, O'Loughlin going in the box in the fifth. Kison was well supported. Donahue, who started the game for Cleveland, had a finger on his left hand broken by the first ball. The score:
First game—R. H. E.
Detroit 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 4 2
Cleveland 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 3 6 1
Batteries—Stovall and Butler; Bernard and Bemis. Umpire, Connelly.
Second game—R. H. E.
Cleveland 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 10 7
Detroit 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 5 9 3
Batteries—Moore, Hess and Bemis; Kison and Wood. Umpire, Connelly.

FIELDING AND PITCHING
BOSTON, July 2.—Fine fielding by Selbach and Winters' pitching won today's game for the locals. Plank also pitched great ball, striking out seven men and allowing but four hits, one of which was a home run by Parent in the fourth. The score:
R. H. E.
Boston 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 1 3 1
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 1
Batteries—Winter and Doran; Plank and Powers. Umpire, Sheridan.

A SUIT FOR DAMAGES
BEAUMONT, Texas, July 2.—The Higgins Oil and Fuel company today filed suit in the district court against the Merchants and Mechanics Oil company for \$30,000 damages for failure to return oil delivered to it.

A number of Beaumonters today acquired three thousand acres of land near Nacogdoches on which they will grow peaches.

BUSINESS OF THE DALLAS POSTOFFICE
DALLAS, Texas, July 2.—The fiscal year in the Dallas postoffice was closed today. The day showed a very satisfactory condition of affairs. The postal receipts during the year have been exceptionally large and are very much in excess of those of any other office in Texas, and nearly double those of most of the large cities of the country.

At no time in the last two fiscal years have the receipts fallen below \$19,000 for a single month; the highest receipts for a month were in April of the last year, when they were \$28,377.14. October, March and April were the banner months, in all of which the receipts were over \$18,000. The average receipts of the office during the last two years have been approximately \$24,000 per month.

The statement of the receipts in the money order department have not as yet been completed, but it is said that they will show a corresponding increase.

DALLAS REAL ESTATE IS CHANGING HANDS
DALLAS, Texas, July 2.—Another large realty deal was finally consummated this afternoon by Frank L. Irvine and C. H. Huffman, whereby the Scottish American Mortgage Company, through its local representative, Robert Ralston, transferred to Messrs. B. W. J. D. and H. F. Jackson the property at Nos. 291, 293 and 295 Elm street, occupied by J. F. Zang's furniture store.

The lot is 62½ by 200 feet and contains a modern three-story brick and stone building. The consideration was \$60,000. Mr. Zang has a two years' lease on the property and it is simply a matter of an investment. Mr. Jackson stated that there would be no objection to his remaining there as long as he cares to.

J. D. and H. E. Jackson are sons of B. W. Jackson and came here from Mexico. J. D. Jackson is the cashier of the Gaston National bank and H. E. Jackson is an attorney.

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ODDS ON FAVORITE WINS THE DERBY VERY EASILY

English Lad Made a Show of His Field at the Big Event in St. Louis

FAIR GROUNDS RACE TRACK, ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 2.—English Lad, Fred Cook's good colt, made a show of his small field in the St. Louis Derby, worth \$17,000. He won under all kinds of conditions by three lengths. Moharib beat Elwood ten lengths for the place. The time was 2:36 3/4, a half second behind that made by Claude last year and two and three-fourths seconds slower than the record made by Prince of Wales in 1895.

The winner was an odds on favorite, opening at 2 to 5. He was backed to 7 to 20 under heavy play by speculators who thought him a certain winner.

Moharib and Rainland jumped to the front as soon as the second gate opened. English Lad laid in behind the pair for the first mile, then moved up slowly. Rainland quit all over when he tired and dropped back rapidly. English Lad went to Moharib, they entered the stretch turn and overhauled him before they swung into the stretch. Moharib tried to battle with the favorite, but English Lad had no trouble shaking him off and winning as his rider pleased.

Summary:
First race, six furlongs: Avoid, 102 (Vanderbuit), 15 to 1, won; King Rose, 111 (D. Austin), 6 to 1, second; Debbie May, 91 (W. Davis), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 1/4.
Percey Clark, 103 (F. H. Ivernia, Miss Manners, Miss Gomez, Miss Betty, Wager, Silver Thistle, Chorus Boy, Kiowa Chief, Bensonhurst and Blumenthal also ran.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs: Kurtzman, 114 (Donovan), 7 to 1, won; Brumley, 109 (Dale), 2 to 1, second; Manaco Maid, 100 (Fischer), 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 1/4. Three starters.

Third race, six furlongs—Orient, 98 (D. Austin), 5 to 1, won; Joe G. 156 (Williams), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:34.
Happy Chappy, Dr. Scharff, Tally H., Sid Silver, Ladas, Modella, One More, Blissful, King Fox, Howling Dervish, Lansdown and Goody Two Shoes also ran.

Fort Worth People the Guests of Dallas Newspaper Men and Publishers

One of the most delightful affairs ever given at Lake Erie park was that yesterday afternoon by the Gridiron club of Dallas. This organization has been formed of the newspaper men and proprietors of publishing houses with their managers and it promises to grow in importance and to become quite an organization in Northern Texas. The club has heretofore been having its affairs in the vicinity of Dallas, but on this occasion it spread out and invited Fort Worth to join in the Lake Erie outing. Those from Fort Worth in the party were W. T. Royster of the Texas Printing company, Sam Taylor, A. B. Moore, J. K. Millican and Frank Tanco of the Keystone, R. Speer, C. D. Reimann and James Hays Quarles of the Telegram, C. W. Hutchison and A. J. Sandegard of the Record.

The Dallas party came over in the special car Sagamore, and the Fort Worthites joined them at 4 o'clock, and a fast run was made to Lake Erie. There the Black and Tan orchestra discoursed music, the program being as follows:

Yacht..... Henry Fillmore
Golden Sunset, waltz.....Jno. T. Hall
Pretty Maiden..... Leslie Stuart
Jolly Pickaninny..... Jean Howard
Unes, march and..... James J. Kaiser
Meet Me at Handley, waltz.....
..... Everett J. Evans
Salome, intermezzo..... Wm. Lorraine
Dance of the Honey Bees, schottische..... Benjamin Richmond
Weeping Willow, two-step.....Scott Joplin
The World Is Full of Sunshine When Your Friends Are True, cornet solo..... Fred J. Hamill
Bedelia, two-step Jerome and Schwartz
Juanita, intermezzo two-step.....

While this musical program was in progress the party discussed eatables which had been prepared by the Dallas party before leaving home. To the Dallas eatables was added Fort Worth materials for irrigation.

S. A. Fishburn was master of ceremonies. He made a short address calling attention to the fact that it was a plan for business men to get together socially. At this point Albert Toole interrupted him to say that heretofore they had been working seven days a week, ten hours a day, but they had learned sense and were working five and a half days a week, eight hours a day.

Frank P. Holland was the first speaker of the evening. He was followed by A. G. Elliot, P. S. Prouts, N. T. Blackwell, C. W. Hutchison, A. J. Sandegard, Henry Dorsey, C. D. Reimann, James Hays Quarles and others. There were vocal solos by Messrs. Toole.

It is believed the result of this first social meeting will be the organization of a delightful social organization which the Dallas and Fort Worth publishing houses will form.

In the Dallas party were H. Jones, A. G. Elliot, Frank P. Holland, Louis Maylock, Miles H. McMillen, A. D. Albridge, James A. Dorsey, H. S. Simpson, John F. Worley, Sam Hargraves, E. P. Exline, Edmund Bourke, Bob Williams, Al Egan, Robert Sheegee, N. T. Blackwell, Mr. Colville, Albert Toole, Paris F. Pfouts, Mat Toole, Theodore Sala, Clayton West, S. A. Fishburn and Henry Dorsey.

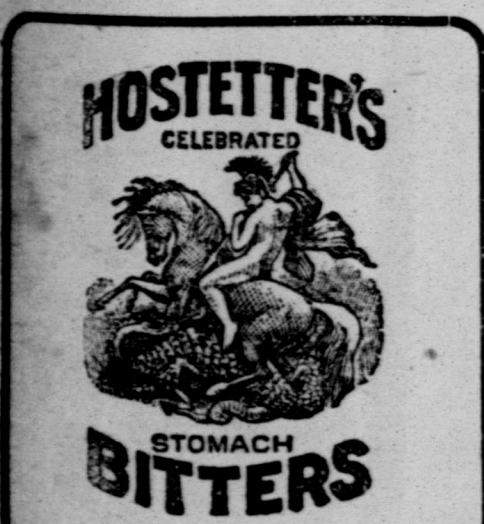
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DALLAS MAN SAYS JAPS ARE HUMANE

DALLAS, Texas, July 2.—L. L. Alwright, a Dallas attorney and a former teacher in the American-Japanese college at Nagoya, Japan, takes exception to the press dispatches to the effect that the Japanese soldiers treated the Russian wounded in a barbarous manner.

"I lived in Japan about ten years ago and during the five years of my stay there I found the natives to be humane and kind. I do not believe a single word of the reports that they treated the Russians cruelly. The Japanese have not been barbarous. Their civilization is as old as ours and their religion teaches them to be humane. I say this in justice to the Japanese, because I have confidence in the integrity of that plucky nation. They are a very kind and considerate people and where it is true they worship idols, nevertheless they are taught that it is wrong to take life of any kind unless it is absolutely necessary. Why, I've seen a Japanese blow a mosquito off his arm rather than kill it."



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DALLAS

A Number of Events Are Scheduled for Monday in That City—In Fort Worth

DALLAS, Texas, July 2.—Dallas has a reputation of long standing for arranging the kind of entertainments which please all classes, and are universally pronounced first class. No red-letter date on the calendar receives more general attention at the hands of the residents of the Texas metropolis than does the glorious Fourth. Amid the booming of cannon, popping of firecrackers and patriotic shouts of the American citizens from the early dawn until late at night can be heard the scream of the proud bird of freedom who soars at a dizzy height on this memorial day.

From present indications the one hundred and twenty-eighth anniversary of the nation's birthday will be observed in a fitting manner in Dallas this year, and if the elaborate preparations for this patriotic event are any precursors of the big time to be expected, all previous attempts at celebrating the day which is so dear to the hearts of every loyal American will seem tame in comparison.

The glorious Fourth never passes unobserved in Dallas, as some organizations invariably takes the initiative towards preparing an appropriate celebration. It seems this year that several bodies have arranged jointly to make the occasion one to be long remembered, and have prepared a program which will entertain all. The members of the two lodges of Red Men, Dallas Roadster Club, Dallas Auto Club and the military organizations have arranged a very elaborate program, which is shown in detail in this article. A big parade will be held in the morning, and will be participated in by the militia, both orders of Red Men, Roadster Club, Auto Club and other organizations which will start promptly at 10 o'clock. After traversing the principal thoroughfares of the city it will disband and the participants in the parade will board cars for the fair grounds.

The afternoon program will be started promptly at 1 o'clock, and will consist of races of every description and kind, from the fast auto races to the three-legged race and wheelbarrow contests, which are open to all who care to compete. In addition to the races there will be athletic contests open to all and for which quite a large number of prizes are offered. The Dallas Auto Club race meet committee has prepared the program for the Fourth of July races. The program will consist of six races and a final five-mile race. In the first six races only cars of the same make will be allowed to participate, and in the final five-mile race the winning car in each of the preliminary races will represent that make of machine in the final race.

In addition to the prizes to be offered by the citizens, the club will offer a handsome gold prize to the winner. According to the provisions for the races no cars are to be stripped of the body and front seat, but tomcoats, fenders, mufflers, lamps and all tools may be removed. No adjustments will be allowed after the race has been called.

THE FORT WORTH CELEBRATION.
Fourth of July will be celebrated in more than one way in Fort Worth, and, besides the irrepressible kid with his cannon and firecrackers, the older folks will put in the day in various sorts of amusements and picnics.

The gun club will hold a prize shoot at Prospect park, where the spectators will be entertained by the skill of the marksmen.

Several picnics and entertainments are booked to take place at Lake Erie. The Traction company announces special attractions on the Fourth, among the many features are a sensational high dive, a big basket picnic and fire works and a dance at night.

The Red Men in Dallas on the Fourth will hold a big street parade. Many of the Red Men of this city will go to Dallas to take part in the affair.

Janter City Lodge, No. 649, of the Coming Men of America, will also have a picnic.

RUSSIA'S FLEET IS IN A BAD WAY

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as hopeless even to get ready by that time. Rozhdestvensky is one of the best Russian naval officers, and has had considerable foreign experience as naval attaché in London and elsewhere. He knows too much of his own and foreign navies to attempt the impossible.

Even if the fleet were ready, the only possible device which would admit of its reaching the east would be to use oil fuel, which Russia could get in abundance from the Caucasus. This fuel has been used by Russian steamers on the Caspian sea, and on the eastern rivers, so presumably there are engineers in Russia who understand it.

An idea has begun to form in Russian naval military circles, however, that the available ships may be needed in the Baltic itself. If Port Arthur falls and Kuropatkin is forced to retire to Harbin the purpose of the war so far as Japan is concerned will have been achieved and she will be naturally desirous of concluding peace. If Russia refuses this she would be for the Japanese to carry the war into Europe by sending a squadron of battleships and cruisers to the Baltic. This possibility is one which Russia has to consider and prepare to meet when navigation reopens next spring.

RUSSIANS PLEASED WITH THE LATE NEWS

CHICAGO, July 2.—The Daily News has the following cable from a staff correspondent:

NEW CHWANG, July 2.—Russians here are jubilant over reports received from the fighting line near Liao Yang. The rainy season, which is said to have begun five weeks earlier than usual, is delaying the Japanese advance. Another report states that General Kuropatkin led an attack on Fenchu Pass, re-captured

mine. The vessel struck almost immediately. Nine of the crew lost their lives.

MORE TROOPS MOBILIZED.
ST. PETERSBURG, July 3.—The first army corps of the Russian army made up of troops from this district will be mobilized here today. They are under orders for the front and will start as soon as arrangements for their transportation can be made. It is announced that General Kuropatkin asked, especially that these troops be sent him.

CZAR FINDS HE MUST MAKE CONCESSIONS

LONDON, July 2.—The czar and his advisers are beginning to see that concessions must be made to the feelings of the people of Russia if the prosecution of the war is not to be hindered by revolutionary fires in the rear.

It is said the people of Finland would have the right to conduct their business in their own language had it not been for the assassination of Governor Bobrikoff.

The czar's weakness, which occasionally permits concessions to the rights of his subjects has also permitted in many instances excesses on the part of brutal army officers. The Moscow merchants are above all else most practical and having at least most of the concentrated wealth of the country, they are at last, when money is badly needed, making themselves heard in opposition to military rule and military adventure.

The Grand Duke Sergius who went to Moscow to raise money to carry on the war had to be brought home in an emphatic manner. He summoned a number of merchants to confer with him and told them it was time for them to display their love for the czar by going deep down in their pockets. They replied they told the grand duke that they considered the war frivolous. Moreover, they believed it would bring the country to the verge of financial ruin and for their part they would do nothing more than they were compelled to towards its support. One merchant stated he was paying 10,000 rubles a day to retain dissatisfied workmen, that he was joining the ranks of the unemployed and he thought he might be doing a patriotic service even from the point of view of the grand duke.

It is reported that no less than 60,000 men have been discharged by the Russian railways since the breaking out of the war. All other branches of the business were in a bad way and fully three quarters of a million men are out of work. The great tours of Russia, Moscow and Odessa are confronted by a labor problem that is becoming acute. Were it possible for the trans-Siberian railroad to carry more men, the czar might be able to draft some of these men into the army, but only a small number can be sent to the far east and the war department has no desire to swell the ranks with laboring men.

RUSSIAN WINS A WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP

LONDON, July 2.—The interest which is felt here in wrestling matches was shown last night when Royal Albert Hall proved too small to accommodate the crowd which gathered to see the match for the championship of the world between Tom Jenkins of America and the Russian, Hackenschmidt, champion of Europe. The Russian won in straight falls.

The agreement provided for a clash at catch-as-catch-can, although all holds allowed. For the first fall they went to the mat together, with the Russian on top. Superior brawn told and exactly twenty minutes and thirty seconds after they had been introduced the big Russian scored the first fall.

They came for the second turn and Jenkins immediately assumed the aggressive. Hackenschmidt acted on the defensive and finally caught the American, swung him to the floor and shortly afterward he cut both shoulders down, winning the bout and match. The last fall was secured in fourteen minutes and twenty seconds.

The Russian, besides winning the title of champion of the world, won the purse of \$10,000 and the side bet of \$1250.

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Curran's Hand Laundry, Sixth and Burnett sts., Fort Worth Tel. Co., 1741 green; S. W. Tel. Co., 1741, 4 rings.

James C. Scott is a candidate for district judge, Forty-eighth district, subject to the primary, July 9.

A. D. Anderson of Wichita Falls is in the city on business.

The son of Henry and Alice, Anderson died on the 11th inst.

Horses get fat and sick when fed on Texas Star Dairy Food.

A. E. Downs and wife of Bisbee, Ariz., are guests at the Delaware.

The Watkins Hay and Grain Company, manufacturers of Texas Star Dairy Food.

J. C. Johnston and H. B. McKeever of Los Esteros, Mexico, are in the city.

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Miss Thetta Hill is spending a few days in Dallas, visiting friends.

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T. G. Jordan, Viesca, Mexico, arrived in Fort Worth yesterday.

D. D. Swearingen, a well-known cat-

same number, 972.
All Saints, North Fort Worth. Mass 7:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m., sermon and benediction 7:30 p. m.

L. M. Brown, chief clerk in the general passenger department of the Cotton Belt at Tyler, is in the city.

Yesterday Miss Charlotte Gregg gave an outing at Lake Erie, which was fully enjoyed.

Mr. Fred Mueller has gone to Troy, Indiana, for a several weeks' visit at his old home.

A called meeting of the St. Cecilia club will be held at 12:30 p. m. in the Arion studio.

Dr. I. C. McCoy, Genito, Urinary and Rectal Specialist, has moved to Fort Worth National Bank Building, second floor.

J. M. Ball, commercial agent for the Cotton Belt at Houston, is in the city spending his vacation with his parents.

J. F. Lehane, general freight and passenger agent of the Cotton Belt is in Fort Worth. He will leave for St. Louis today.

It was learned that the improvements to be made on the Columbia building will begin this week. The cost of the improvements will be about \$10,000.

W. F. Schlar, inspector in charge of the immigration bureau in Texas, with headquarters at El Paso, will visit this city next week on his regular tour of inspection.

The Denver and Peacocks will play ball at Handley this afternoon. The Denver team will leave for Wichita Falls tonight after the game, where they will play a double header with Wichita Falls July 4.

Greenwall's Colts, the crack baseball team of the amateur class, left yesterday for Mineral Wells to play three games. From that place the team will go to Weatherford for a series. Manager Greenwall says he has a bunch of winners.

Edward Paschal, assistant city and passenger agent of the Frisco, who has been at San Antonio the past two months on account of a severe spell of sickness, has recovered and is now at his post of duty. His friends are pleased to note his recovery.

There will be a meeting of the building committee of the Daughters of the Confederacy at the residence of Mrs. George Ellison Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The committee has about completed plans for a cottage for the Confederate park and this meeting is most important.

Mrs. Walter Oblesky of Sherman, Texas, who, with her children, Gracie and Samuel, have been visiting her uncle, J. H. Oglesby, 402 Hill street, was called home suddenly yesterday by the sequence of the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Hooper.

A meeting of a number of the republican party was held last night in the office of Lon Barkley in the Wheat building to consider the pitting in the putting in the field of a full county ticket. This course, it is learned, was decided upon and a meeting of the executive committee to complete arrangements for so doing. Among those attending the meeting last night were Chairman Lon Barkley, Captain Pennington and Postmaster Burroughs.

General Passenger Agent Forbess of the Northern Texas Traction company has announced that on Monday, July 4, round trip tickets between this city and Dallas will be sold for \$1. The round trip between Fort Worth and Handley will be 20 cents for the day and between Dallas and Handley will be 75 cents. Special attractions have been prepared for the day at Lake Erie park.

Tarrant county tomatoes for the northern markets were shipped yesterday evening for the first time this year. A lot of the vegetables raised by the farmers around Riverside and the surrounding country having been bought up and shipped out by a local produce company. The tomatoes, which were unusually fine specimens, are said to have been billed through to St. Louis and may prove a part of the fare of the Texas delegation to the democratic convention.

Major Elliot announced last night that a party would go to Lake Erie tomorrow to lay out the camp ground for the encampment of the companies of the Third and Fourth regiments to be held there July 10, 11, 12 and 13. Arrangements have been made with the International and Great Northern railroad for the transportation of the necessary equipments from the state capital at Austin, and all the tents and paraphernalia will be on hand ready for the opening of the camp one week from today.

Eleanor Temple No. 36, order Rathbone sisters installed the following officers at their meeting last Friday night: Most excellent chief, Mrs. Esther Colton; senior, Mrs. Ada Wares; mistress of records and correspondence, Mrs. Allie Johnson; mistress of finance, Mrs. Ella McDonald; protector of the temple, Mrs. Emma Sawyer; guard of the outer temple, Mrs. Steele; past chief, Mrs. Flora Hart; installing officer, Mrs. Eva Cook. After the installation, ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. George Q. McGown and son returned this morning from a few weeks' visit in Wichita, Kan., where they were visiting Mrs. McGown's mother, Mrs. J. S. Harkey.

MODEL MOTHER'S BREAD.
That's all. Model Bakery, 609 Houston street.

JONES OF TOLEDO IS SERIOUSLY ILL

TOLEDO, Ohio, June 2.—At about 2 o'clock today Mayor S. M. Jones suffered a sinking spell and it was thought that the end was at hand. Heart action and pulse, however, responded to stimulants and the immediate danger was avoided. Tonight there was a consultation of physicians and the report was given out that the mayor's condition was about the same as it was after the sinking spell in the afternoon. The physicians do not expect him to recover.

At midnight it was reported that there had been a decided improvement in Mayor Jones' condition. He sat up in bed and talked and his physicians are now very hopeful.

WANTED—One or two rooms with board for couple; state price. Martin, care Telegram.

He Backs Up the Statement That He Has Made on the Stump in the County

At the meeting of candidates last night in the Fifth ward, there were a number of speeches by those who are aspiring for office. "Bud" Daggett went at Sheriff Honea with a number of affidavits, which are as follows:

I met John T. Honea in the court house and he asked me if I would work for him after he was elected sheriff. I stated to him that this was unexpected to me and that I would not accept the position until I saw my wife. After consulting with her I agreed to accept the place. I notified him of this. We agreed that I should have the place of riding deputy for north side of the county. He agreed to this and said that he would pay me a salary of \$65 per month and I furnish my own horse and saddle. He was also to furnish me a place to sleep in the sheriff's office. He also agreed to pay my traveling expenses while I was away from home. In compliance with this agreement I came to Fort Worth and was sworn into office on the 17th of November, when he qualified as sheriff. The agreement was that I was not to go to jail on the 1st of January thereafter. On that day I was in Fort Worth and told him that I was ready to go to work. He asked me to wait till January 15, giving as a reason therefor that none of the courts were in session and that he did not need me. I was here on the 15th and was ready to go to work. He did not put me to go to work. I went to his chief deputy and said I was ready. He said he could not put me to work; that Mr. Honea did not authorize him to do so. I was in his office and hunted for him until April 1, 1902. When I did finally get to see him he refused to give me work. I had made all my arrangements to take the position and he had damaged me considerably. We agreed to arbitrate the matter and submit it to the ranks of the county. The finding of the arbitrators is as follows:

"Fort Worth, Texas, April 29, 1902. We find that John T. Honea is due James Carter for breach of contract, the sum of \$210. Carter is to keep the horse and saddle beside."

"M. E. SMITH,
"O. S. LATTIMORE,
"R. L. ROGERS."

After the finding of the arbitrators, Honea refused to stand by it; although he had previously promised to do so. Then either his brother-in-law or Walter Prichard, who is now one of his deputies, agreed that the finding of the arbitrators was correct and Honea then paid it.

Sworn to before me this 2d day of July, 1902.

(Seal.) MORGAN BRYAN,
Notary Public, Tarrant County, Texas.

Since Sheriff Honea has started publicly in his speech at the city hall that he did not promise a deputyship to any person before his nomination or election I feel it my duty to let the public know the truth so far as his promises to me in that connection are concerned. I would state that Sheriff Honea did promise me a job as deputy sheriff about the 1st day of January, 1902, on Weatherford street, between Main and Rusk, and that a very short time thereafter on the strength of his promise he borrowed from me the sum of \$30. On his qualification as sheriff he declined to give me the job, although I had given up my place, having full faith and confidence in Mr. Honea's intention to keep his promise.

Witness my hand this the 2d day of July, 1904.

W. L. JOPLING,
W. L. Jopling, upon oath, says that the foregoing facts are true.

Sworn to before me this the 2d day of July, 1904.

(Seal.) MORGAN BRYAN,
Notary Public, Tarrant County, Texas.

Z. T. McLeary says that he has read the foregoing affidavit of W. L. Jopling, knows the facts herein stated and upon his oath says that they are true.

Z. T. McLEARY,
Sworn to and subscribed to before me this the 2d day of July, 1904.

(Seal.) MORGAN BRYAN,
Notary Public, Tarrant County, Texas.

PRESIDENT GOES TO SUMMER HOME

He Is Warmly Welcomed by His Fellow Citizens of Oyster Bay

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 2.—President Roosevelt was welcomed home by a salute of twenty-one giant firecrackers and music of a band and the shout of his fellow-townsmen.

As the special train bearing the president and his party rounded the bend into the Oyster Bay station, the engine pulling his car set up a furious tooting which was taken up by several whistles in the town. The brass band of the station immediately struck up "Hail to the Chief" and the firecrackers and cannon were set off. The firecrackers were made very effective and by the time the president reached Sagamore Hill it is estimated that at least a majority of the firecrackers had been exhausted.

There were half a dozen young cousins on hand for the occasion. The villagers at the station cheered lustily before, during and after the president's disembarkation and followed him on foot as far as they could. Up in front of the Christ church the children of the public school were stationed armed with a flag apiece and as the president approached they sang the "Star Spangled Banner."

Three little girls stepped out of the crowd with huge bouquets which they handed the president.

The president's trip from Washington was practically without incident.

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Excellent Train Service
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Write for descriptive book of the "Land of the Sky," mailed free upon application to
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WORLD'S FAIR WAY

TWO ROUTES TO THE
Saint Louis Exposition

Via the **SOUTHERN PACIFIC**

Via **SHREVEPORT** Via **NEW ORLEANS**

THROUGH SLEEPERS	THROUGH SLEEPERS
Lv SAN ANTONIO (G. H. & S. A.).....10:30 p.m.	Lv SAN ANTONIO (G. H. & S. A.).....11:40 a.m.
Ar HOUSTON.....6:00 a.m.	Ar HOUSTON.....7:00 p.m.
Lv HOUSTON (H. E. & W. T.).....8:00 a.m.	Lv HOUSTON (T. & N. O.).....7:20 p.m.
Ar SHREVEPORT.....4:25 p.m.	Ar NEW ORLEANS.....8:35 a.m.
Lv SHREVEPORT (Cotton Belt).....4:40 p.m.	Lv NEW ORLEANS (I. C.).....9:15 a.m.
Ar ST. LOUIS.....11:00 a.m.	Ar ST. LOUIS.....7:08 a.m.

STOP-OVER ALLOWED AT NEW ORLEANS
Also QUICK CONNECTION via NEW ORLEANS, leaving SAN ANTONIO on Sunset Limited at 10:30 p. m.; arriving Houston 6 a. m.; leaving Houston 6:30 a. m.; arriving New Orleans 6:45 p. m.; leaving New Orleans 8:15 p. m.; arriving ST. LOUIS 8:08 p. m.

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August's

Sweeping July Clearing Sale

MONDAY we continue one of the most important sales we have ever held. A general and decisive movement in every department to sweep out all the surplus stock—broken lines and odds and ends. Articles suitable for MEN AND BOYS.

CHEAP PRICES on HIGH-GRADE CLOTHING Prevail During this Sale

MEN'S SUITS

\$14.85

For Men's Finest \$20 to \$25 Suits.

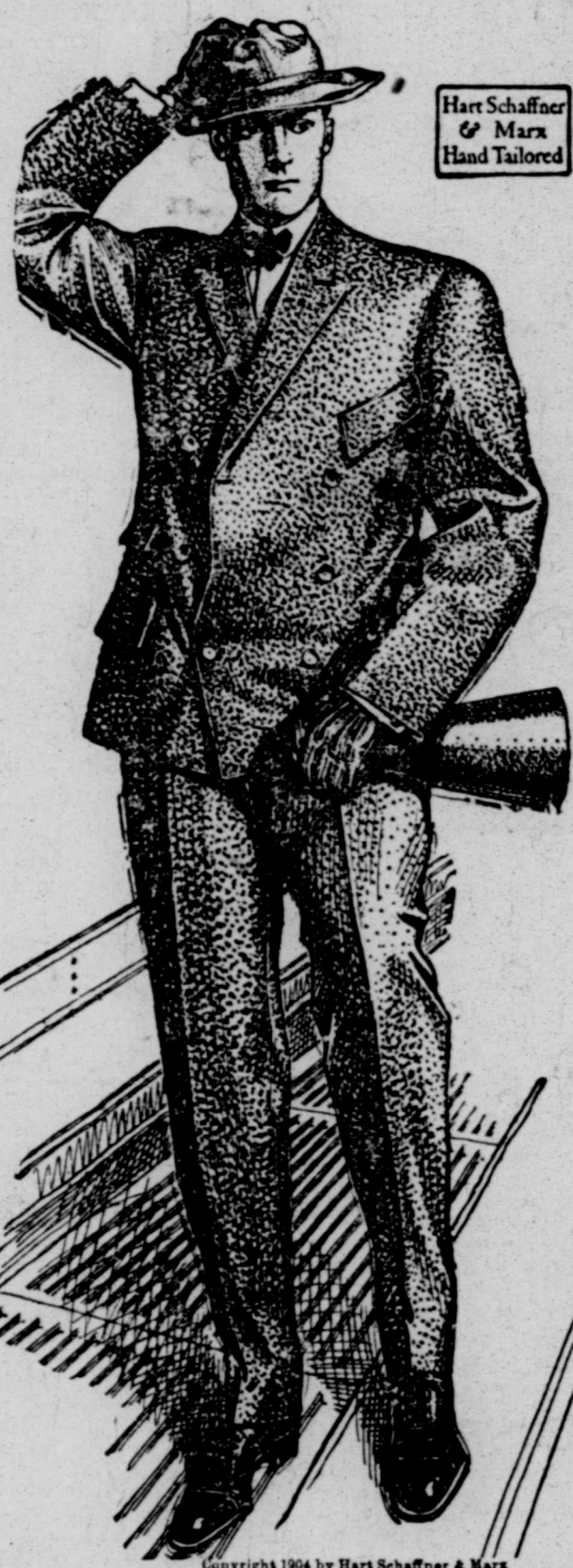
\$12.00

for Men's \$18 Suits.

\$6.85 For Men's \$10 Coats and Pants

\$8.65 Men's \$12 Outing Coats and Pants.

STORE CLOSSES AT NOON MONDAY



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vinced we could be of no use, so we came back. She had run up on the rocks. She was the same ship that helped the Oregon the time she ran on the rocks out here. The crew were all taken off before she went to pieces.

I received papers and magazines you sent in December and was glad to see them. They were addressed care of the New Orleans. Those you have sent to the Kentucky will go to her, then back to the states and out here again. Things must certainly be booming at Fort Worth by what the papers say.

How would you like to stay aboard ship for three months and not go ashore, as I have done? There are places here where leprosy and other equally bad diseases are so prevalent that it is not safe to go ashore. It is a common sight to see men, women and children with an arm, leg or foot eaten off by leprosy. Even the dogs bite it, so it is safer for us boys aboard ship.

Chefoo, China, May 19.—Well, here we are back at this dirty place, and I expect we will lay here for the next three months, as we did last year. You asked me in my last letter if we ever see or hear any of the war that is going on out here. I have not seen either a Russian or Japanese warship or heard a gun since the war began, except the Russian gunboat that a Japanese cruiser had cornered at Shanghai when we were there in March. The Russians are pouring in here by the hundreds. Three hundred came in last night from Dalney and Port Arthur. The Japs keep them on the run. It is pretty dangerous steaming around in these waters for the Russian submarine mines are drifting out to sea. They say the reason of it is the Russians were in such a hurry to plant them that they did not secure them well enough and they break loose and come to the top and float out to sea. A merchant ship picked one up just off Wei Hai Wei the morning we came by there. If we had happened to hit it there would have been very little left of the New Orleans. Wei Hai Wei is about sixty miles south of here.

The piece of money I send you is a Chinese cash. It takes twenty-two of them to make one cent of our money. The Chinese coolies that unload the steamers here get 22 of them a day. So you see it would take quite a while to save \$5 of our money. The coolies are always hungry. There are droves of them around the ships all day. They come out in san pans and have a net like a butterfly net on the end of a long bamboo pole and the skim the garbage off of the water that is thrown out of the ships. That is all some of them ever have to eat. The little kids come along side and say, "Chow Cho, Charley." That means give me something to eat. If you give a beggar any money ashore they will get down and kiss your feet.

I will mail you some views next week. Am waiting for four views of the Chinese cruiser that ran on the rocks while we were at Shanghai. This letter will be some time in getting to you, as it has to go to the United States postoffice at Shanghai. Mail boats do not run up this far now on account of the floating mines.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. H. Hatcher*

TOLSTOY AMAZED AT TREATMENT GIVEN MR. DAVITT

He Heard the Story of the Imprisonment of the Political Irishman

DUBLIN, July 2.—Michael Davitt publishes in the Freeman's Journal this morning an interview with Tolstoy at Yasnaya Polyana, in which he expressed great interest in American affairs and said he hoped to visit America, but found that he was now too old.

He questioned Davitt keenly about the presidential election, particularly as to the part Bryan intended to play in the contest. He warmly admired Henry George and said that he (Tolstoy) had sent a copy of "Progress and Poverty" to the czar and asked him to apply its doctrines to the economic and social advantage of the Russian laboring people. George's plan, he thought, would abolish poverty and discontent. Henry George, he said, had written him some beautiful letters which he greatly treasured.

Tolstoy said he was greatly delighted with the transfer of Irish land to the tenants, but considered the payments to the landlords too burdensome. He agreed with Henry George that compensation to the landlords was morally wrong and amounted to a reward to landowners for successful robbery of the people. He believed Ireland had grown favorable to English rule from the fact that a large number of Irishmen fought in the English army against the Boers.

Tolstoy was amazed at Davitt's account of how he was treated when a political prisoner in England, as he had always believed in English humanity in such matters.

JOHN TENNISON IS ALLOWED BOND

WACO, Texas, July 2.—John Tennison, charged with the murder of Harry Hay, a non-union motorman, last fall during the street car strike in Waco, was this afternoon liberated on a \$5,000 bond. Tennison has been in jail since his arrest several months ago. J. B. Bowen and P. F. Ripley are still in jail and the latter is under a sentence of five years in the penitentiary on the same charge. The case excited much interest at the time.

INDIGESTION

With its companions, heart burn, flatulence, torpidity of the liver, constipation, palpitation of the heart, poor blood, headache and other nervous symptoms, sallow skin, foul tongue, offensive breath and a legion of other ailments, is at once the most widespread and destructive malady among the American people. The Herbine treatment will cure all these troubles. 50c bottle. Sold by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

A FORT WORTH BOY IN THE FAR EAST WRITES HOME

He Says the Russian Mines Are Floating Out to Sea and Are Dangerous

The following letter has been received by Mrs. W. H. Large of this city from her son, Wilson, who is aboard the United States ship New Orleans, stationed at Shanghai, China:

April 28.—We arrived here last week. Had fine weather all the way up from Manila. Last Wednesday word came that a Chinese cruiser had gone ashore about seventy miles south of here, so that night we started out to see if we could be of any assistance to her, but when we got to her and saw the condition she was in the captain was con-

DOMESTIC TROUBLES

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you, but cure. 25c. at Matt S. Blanton & Co., Reeves' Pharmacy and W. J. Fisher's drug store.

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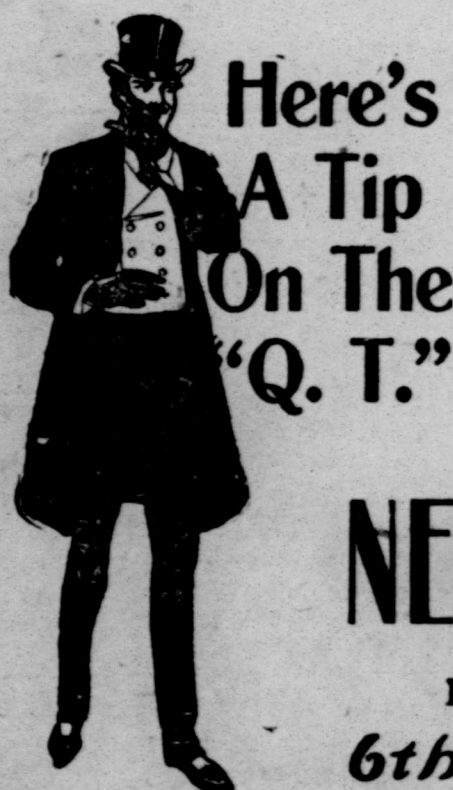
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—OF—
Good Shoes!

Including
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WOMEN'S
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Ladies' Oxfords and Straps—
95c, \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.35 \$2.65
Misses' and Children's—
75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00
Men's Oxfords—
\$2.35, \$2.65, \$3.15, \$3.85, \$4.15



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These are real bargains—
No disappointments to
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THIS SALE for CASH



MEN'S FINE SPRING SUITS

THE Washer Sale is always a great event each season. It's a great money saving opportunity

Not a sale of "Job Lots" purchased for this special purpose, but a bona-fide reduction on "the remainders" of our superior Clothing.

Every Fancy Spring Suit offered in this Sale is correct in Style and Fabric, and was exceptional value at the original price.

\$9.65 \$14.65 \$19.65

For \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$16.50 Suits For \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$22.50 Suits For \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.00 Suits



Straw Hats Reduced to Half Price

Bargains in Straw Hats that should induce every man and boy who has not as yet secured one this season to do so at the great savings offered.

Reductions on Broken Lines of Shirts

All styles, and include light, medium and dark shades.

- Lot 1—MANHATTAN SHIRTS—Good range of styles and sizes, reduced from \$1.50 to **\$1.15**
- Lot 2—FANCY NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—About fifteen dozen, cuffs attached and detached, reduced from \$1.00, for **55c**
- Lot 3—FANCY NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—Desirable styles, plaited bosoms, cuffs detached, \$1.50 and \$1.25 quality, for **95c**
- Lot 4—MANHATTAN SHIRTS—Plain bosom Negligees, reduced from \$1.50 to **75c**
- Lot 5—NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—Dark patterns, reduced from \$1.50 to **95c**



Exceptional Values in Underwear

Half Hose and Neckwear

These Goods Are Priced for Quick Clearance

- Lot 6—UNDERWEAR—Fancy Shirts and Drawers, broken sizes, 50c garments for **25c**
- Lot 7—BALBRIGGAN DRAWERS—All sizes, 50c quality, 3 for..... **\$1.00**
- Lot 8—HALF HOSE—Plain and fancy, 50c quality, 3 for..... **\$1.00**
- 25c quality, 3 for **50c**
- Lot 9—NECKWEAR—Four-in-hands, rich colorings, figures and stripes, reduced from 50c to **25c**
- Lot 10—NECKWEAR—Fancy madras bows, good patterns, 15c and 10c quality, now, per dozen **50c**



Boys' Wearables Specially Priced

To realize the extraordinary character of the values offered you must come and examine the goods.

WOOL SUITS, one-third off—Fancy Cheviot two-piece and Russian blouse effects.

- LINEN CRASH SUITS**—Ages 14 to 16 years, \$1.00 to \$2.50 Suits, choice..... **50c**
- LINEN PANTS**—White and fancy, ages 11 to 16 years, 50c and 75c quality, a pair **25c**
- UNLAUNDERED WAISTS**—Fancy stripes and figures, ages 5 to 12 years, 50c quality for **25c**
- FANCY BLOUSES**—Military collars, fancy patterns, 50c quality..... **25c**
- YOUTHS' CANVAS SHOES**—Sizes 10 to 2, reduced from \$1.00 to **50c**
- CHILDREN'S LINEN SAILOR HATS**—White and colored, \$1.50 quality..... **75c**
- 75c quality **40c**
- BOYS' WHITE DUCK TAMS**—Reduced from 35c to **25c**



This store extends to the people of Fort Worth a hearty welcome, offering the most satisfactory goods at the lowest possible prices, with quick, efficient service. To the customers of this store who have been running monthly accounts, we solicit a continuance of the same.

A. F. HARDIE

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We will maintain our record established at the great opening sale for the greatest value-giving and price-

Store Closes at 12,
Monday, July 4th

TOMORROW MORNING THE GREATEST OF ALL JULY CLEARANCE SALES BEGINS at HARDIE'S

TOMORROW starts the boldest and most decisive price-cutting event ever inaugurated in the city, following close upon the great opening sale which was so liberally patronized and so much talked about far and near. We have decided to maintain our record established at this great sale for the greatest values and lowest prices. Not only will we do this, but in many instances go even farther. Prices will be cut still deeper and bargains still greater will be proclaimed at Hardie's

Most Emphatic Price Cutting on Women's Apparel

The further reduction of stocks in ready-to-wear apparel is imperative. Our entire stocks must be thoroughly cleared of odd and small lots. Included in this sale are many new garments bought at advantageous prices, that go at wholesale cost.

\$4.95 for beautiful all silk Crepe de Chine Waists worth \$8.50, in colors light blue, pink, cream and champagne, trimmed in cream bands and medallions, shirred, large full sleeves, particularly dressy and stylish model.
\$2.50 for Wash Habutai Waists worth \$3.25. About three dozen in the lot, made of good quality washable Habutai, trimmed in fagoting and tucks, long full front, large sleeves. Large purchase of Lawn Waists from manufacturers enables us to offer the lot at whole-

sale cost. See the assortment and the wonderfully low prices.

Ten dozen pretty Lawn and Madras Waists, values to 98c, for **39c**
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Walking Skirts, reduced to only **\$3.50**

A classification of all Walking Skirts gives you an opportunity to buy at about one-half. The materials used in these Skirts are of Mohair, Sicilian, Panama Cloth, Scotch mixtures, mannish cloths, etc.

Shirt Waist Suits cut for immediate clearance at more than 25 per cent discount. Popular made stylish Shirt Waist Suits; skirts made in short walking length; colors white, pink and blue, fancy Lawns, Batistes and Linens. Reduction prices, \$2.00 to \$3.50 a

All Millinery Radically Reduced

An absolute clearance of all the beautiful Spring and Summer Millinery, the Finest and Largest Stock. Thousands of Hats must be sold during the next few days.

\$10.00 for \$25.00

Pattern Hats

We have assembled all the fine Pattern and Model Hats together and marked them at a price to insure an immediate clearance. All beautiful, high-class creations and but one of a kind.

\$3.50 for \$8.00

Trimmed Hats

Also a clearance of our entire stock of dressy Trimmed Hats, an endless variety from which to select this spring's most desirable styles, to be closed out.

\$1.50 for \$3.50

Shirt Waist Hats

An immense stock of bright, stylish Shirt Waist Hats in all the latest straws, colors and combinations; new shapes, new ideas in trimmings, all go in a quick and complete clearance.

Extraordinary Clearance of White Goods

Only by a visit to this department, where you can see the goods, can you realize what an extraordinary opportunity this is.

5c for sheer, perfect India Linon, the 10c quality. This is a real India Linon, woven smooth and even—the usual 10c quality at 5c yard.

7½c quality Check Nainsook at 5c. In assorted checks; popular for cool summer underwear; washes and wears excellently.

Sheer, fine Persian Lawns, very durable for summer dresses, the 20c grade offered at **15c**

White and Cream Silk Mousselines, most desirable for sheer dress material, ordinarily priced at 25c; sale price, per yard **15c**

\$1.00 for 12-yard piece English Long Cloth, worth \$1.25; particularly desirable and so much used in making women's and children's undergarments.

Linens and Domestics Great Price Reductions

Every odd piece, every remnant and broken lot must be closed out during this sale. We have marked them at prices to insure ready clearance.

4c yard for 19-inch Linen Finish Toweling, worth 8c—A plain, smooth woven linen finished Toweling, fast red border, the regular selling price 8c, reduced to **4c**

The 18-inch fine all linen Glass Toweling, red or blue check, 15c quality, yard **10c**

One case full bleached Turkish Bath Towels, in the regular 19c quality; on sale at, each **15c**

German and Irish-made Linen Damask, in silver, bleach and cream, all priced for this clearance at marked reduction—extra values, 39c, 49c, 69c and **89c**

One case 4-4 soft, smooth bleached cotton finish superior and permanent 7½c quality; sale price **5c**

4-4 "Good as Gold" Bleached Cotton, finished soft for the needle, usual 10c quality offered at yard **8 13c**

4-4 soft, well finished Cambric, 10c value, will be sold at a yard **8 13c**

36-inch linen finished White Indian-head, for shirt waists and "Pike Suits," 15c quality, on sale at a yard **12½c**

The Greatest Reductions in Summer Wash Fabrics

In this department you will find splendid stocks, which enables you to make selections satisfactory, and prices are quoted so low that it means a big saving in purchases.

Beautiful Spot Organdies, one of the season's most stylish dress materials, pretty tinted grounds with large floral printings, 25c regular retail price; sale price a yard **19c**

One lot Chiffon Etamines, plain and printed, very thin and makes up effectively over tinted linings, usual selling price 35c, reduced to, yard **19c**

Dotted Swiss Muslins in white and tinted grounds, embroidered dots and effective printings, reduced to yard **15c**

50 pieces fine Printed Batiste in small and medium figures and dots, 12½c values, on table at a yard **8c**

One case 32-inch linen colored Batiste, printed in plain and Persian stripes, the value and price of same is 10c yard—bought special, and offered during clearance sale at yd., **5c**

50 pieces choice styles in A. F. C. Red Seal and Toile du Nord Gingham, styles for summer and early fall wear, at yard **10c**

Unapproachable July Bargains in Belts and Bags

Such high-grade valuable leather goods are seldom offered at such price reductions.

Fine quality White Canvas Belts, stitched gilt nickel or black enameled harness buckles; sale price each **19c**

One assortment of Leather and Silk Belts, sold for 35c and 25c, reduced to one price, each **15c**

Leather Bags in assorted shapes and styles, assembled in one special lot, Bags worth to \$1.50, reduced to, each **49c**

New styles in Carriage and new handle Bags, "Peggy From Paris" and popular 10 and 12-inch handsome walrus; special prices, \$1.50 to **\$2.98**

Children's small new style Purses in assorted colors, each, 50c down to **15c**

Hosiery and Knit Underwear

Heavy reductions on new seasonable goods. Here is a list of bargains that is of importance to economical buyers.

Women's Imported Black, Brown and Tan Allover Lace Hosiery, all regular made, double soles, heel and toe, worth 35c a pair, 3 pair for \$1.00, reduced to, pair for July Clearance **25c**

Women's Brown and Tan Cotton Hose, regular 2 for 25c kind; a pair **10c**

Children's Tan Lace Hose in all sizes from

5 to 8½, 15c quality, reduced for July clearance sale at pair **10c**

Women's White Ribbed Cotton Vests, low neck, taped and lace trimmed, value 15c; on sale at 10c, or 3 for **25c**

Extra quality and finish, Women's pure white Vests, all sizes, well trimmed at 15c, 2 for **25c**

Men's best colored and black Lace Hose, fancy embroidered in silk, all sizes, 25c quality, reduced to a pair **19c**

July Clearance Notions and Neck Wears

Extra good quality pure white clear pearl Buttons in all sizes, dozen **5c**

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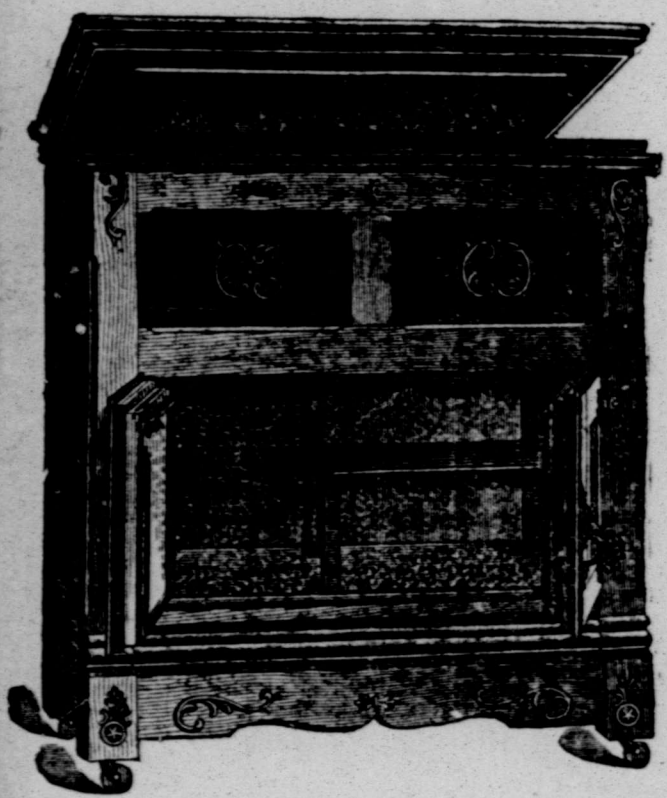
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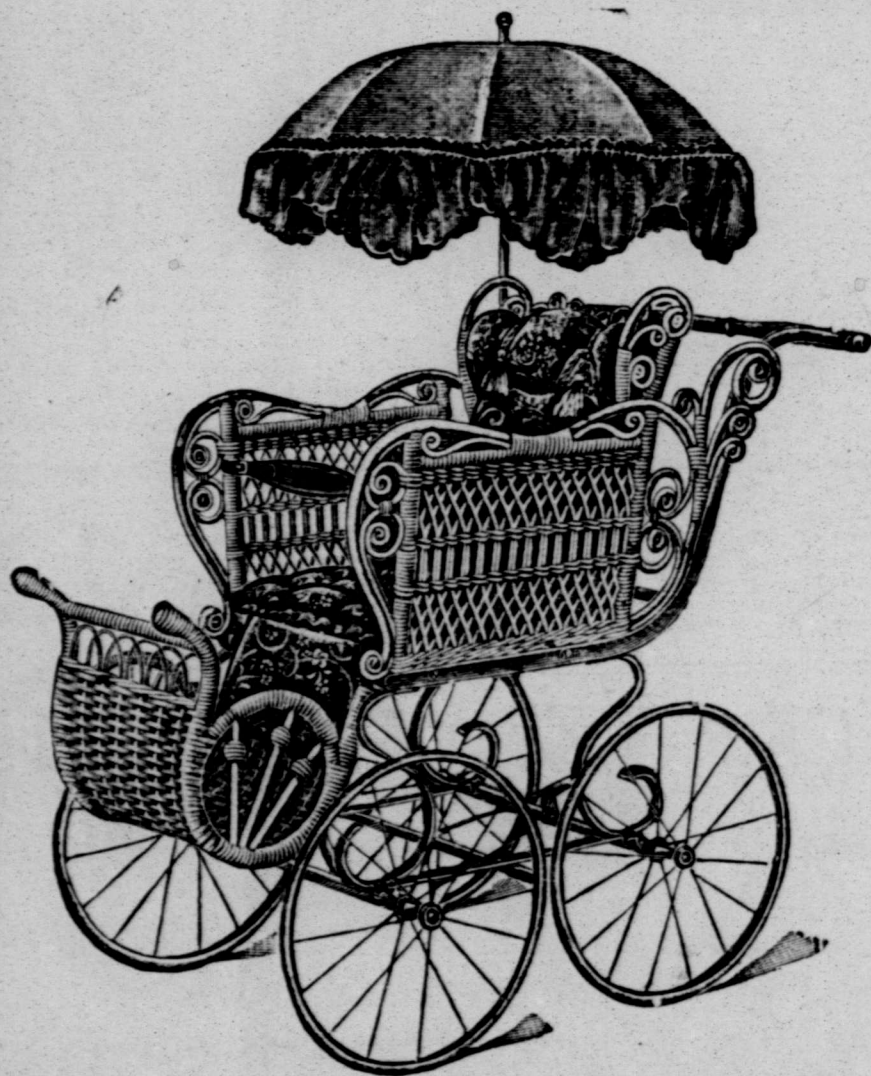
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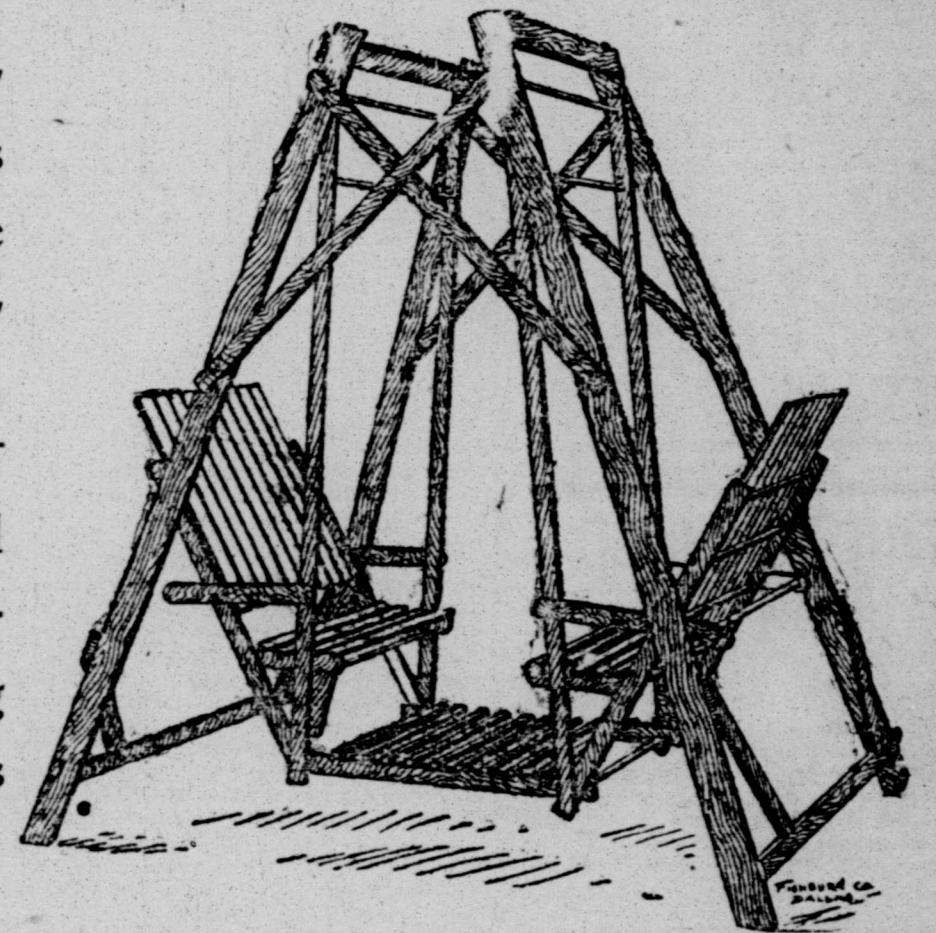
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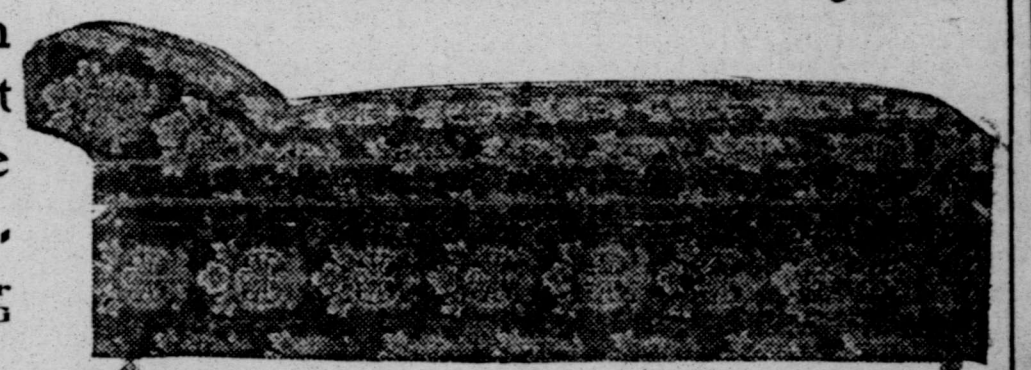
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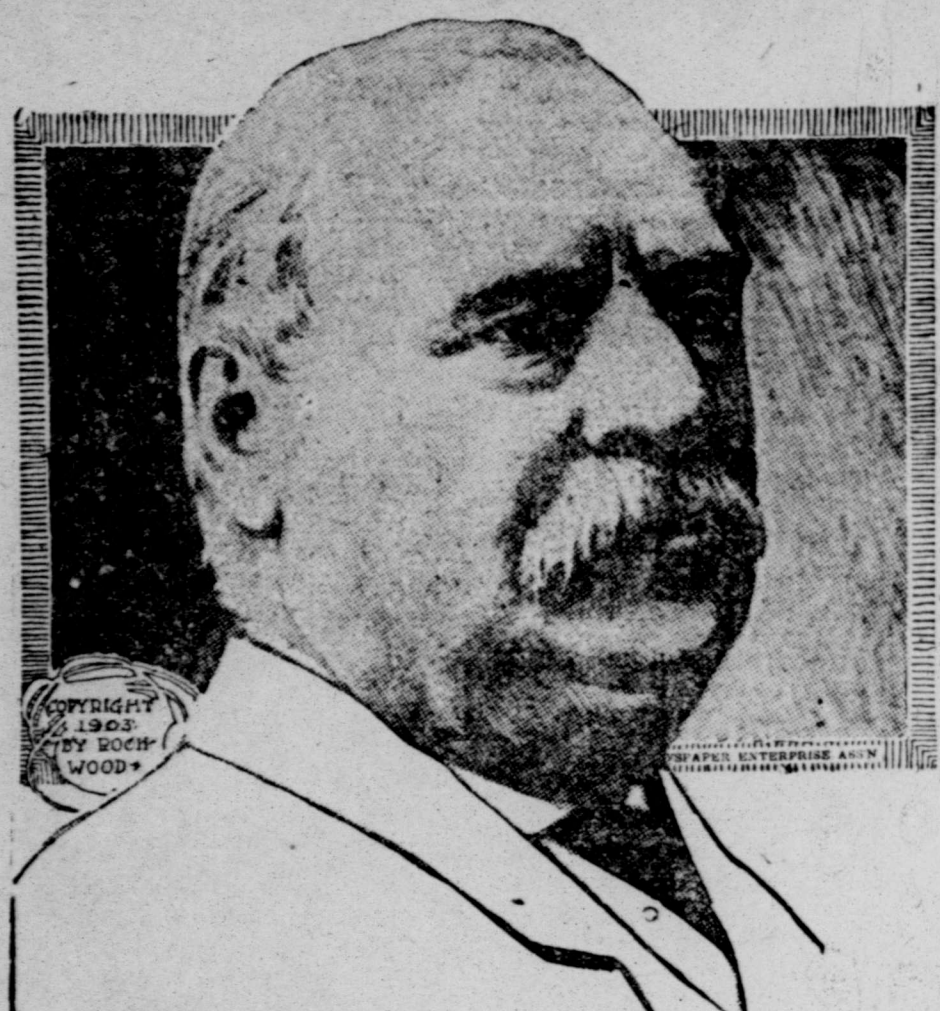
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WM. F. SHEEHAN, THE ORIGINAL PARKER MAN

To Be a Factor in the Convention and a Power in the Campaign

NEW YORK, July 2.—Former Lieutenant Governor William F. Sheehan, who has long been an interesting figure of New York politics, is one of the Parker managers. He is confident that the boom will grow rapidly from this time on and that Parker will land the nomination. Sheehan is credited with having been an original Parker man, and it is claimed that he began three years ago to lay the foundation for the present movement. He will be a factor in the St. Louis convention, and, in the event of Parker's nomination, will be a prominent figure in the campaign. Sheehan secured his early political education in Buffalo. He sold newspapers as a boy and became a lawyer when he attained his majority. He was speaker of the assembly before his election as lieutenant governor on the ticket with Roosevelt P. Flower. Sheehan says that most of the states that have sent uncommitted delegations are going to be found in the Parker column at St. Louis.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, WHO IS LIVE PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITY

TAMMANY MAN WHO BECAME MAYOR AND JOUSTED SUCCESSFULLY WITH VICE—GRAFTERS AND DIVE KEEPERS COULD NOT MOVE HIM—HIGH STANDARD OF HONOR

BY MARLEN E. PEW.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The weather-beaten, heroic statue of an Indian war chief that has long had its place under a coping on the street wall of Tammany hall has felt that old structure tremble from internal political earthquakes a good many times in the past few years. The old chief clung to his pedestal when Richard Croker turned about everything else in New York upside down by making his famous remark, "I am working for my pocket all the time." The statue looked down upon Richard Croker when he released his political armful and left the country, as he says, forever. With unchanging expression the old sachem witnessed the entry of a new ruler, Charles F. Murphy, and upon this event hinged new conditions that caused a whirlwind of excitement among the "faithful."

Mr. Murphy saw beyond the limits of Greater New York when he chose George B. McClellan as candidate for the mayoralty, for, ere the young mayor had been in office less than half a year and with the "reform movement" in municipal politics only half buried, Mr. Murphy laid down a handsome trump in the form of diplomatic announcements that there might be "something doing" for McClellan at the national St. Louis convention. Even the "faithful" were staggered. Mr. McClellan maintained a discreet silence and he talked by fooling all New York in the conduct of his office as mayor. "If Tammany and McClellan are put in power in this city it will be like taking the lid off of hell," said the Rev. Dr. Parkhurst in a pre-election declaration last fall. To halt that assertion to the earth and to calm the fears of many good New Yorkers who had visions of two years of vice and open-handed criminal disorder in the metropolis was the work the mayor set out to do. And the boom kept pace.

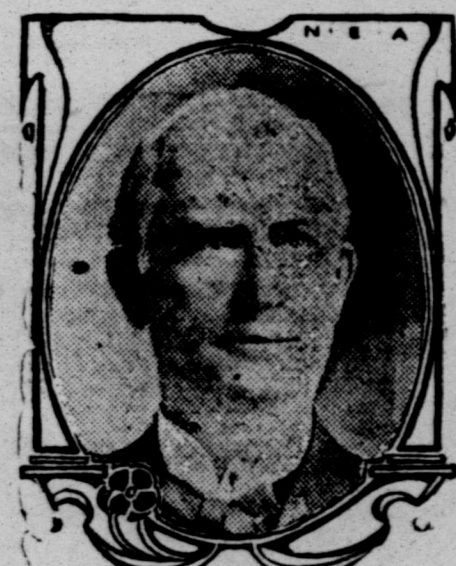
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HON. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN.

"grafters" that they even set out to undo Leader Murphy, but with little success. Mayor McClellan tells his friends that when he was a little boy he wanted to be a soldier. He wanted to go to West Point and become a general like his father. "Little Mac" put his foot down hard on that. The boy went to a military academy at Ossining, N. Y., but that was as far as he got. As a newspaper reporter Mr. McClellan succeeded best as a political writer, and it was through this that



J. P. CLARKE.

Arkansas is represented on the democratic national committee by Senator J. P. Clarke.

York and has visited the city of the sea seventeen times. His recent book, "The Oligarchy of Venice," tells of his experiences. The mayor holds the newspaper men who deal with him as among his best friends and he "talks" when he thinks he should.

George B. McClellan is a man first of all who does things, and with youth, vigor and a high sense of honor and clear purpose he does them right. Tammany's Indian chief has a watchful eye upon him.



J. E. OSBORNE.

Illinois is represented on the democratic national committee by J. E. Osborne of Chicago.

he got his appointment as secretary of Brooklyn bridge. When he ran for office he was never defeated. In speaking of his political life recently Mr. McClellan said: "There is nothing exciting in it; sounds like the short and simple annals of the poor."

The mayor has a pleasant, sort of boyish smile and it plays continually over his face when he is in conversation. A man asked the mayor if, in view of the fact that his father and his father's father were in politics, he did not intend to continue along the same road until, perhaps, he should rest in the White House.

"The future, like the past, must in a large measure be left to take care of itself when one is occupied with urgent problems of the present," was his reply, and he added, "My guiding principle on my journey will be to do the best I can and keep straight."

Mr. McClellan has declared that he makes no distinction between personal and political honesty, and right in this connection he said: "One of the dominating motives of my life has been to be worthy of my name."

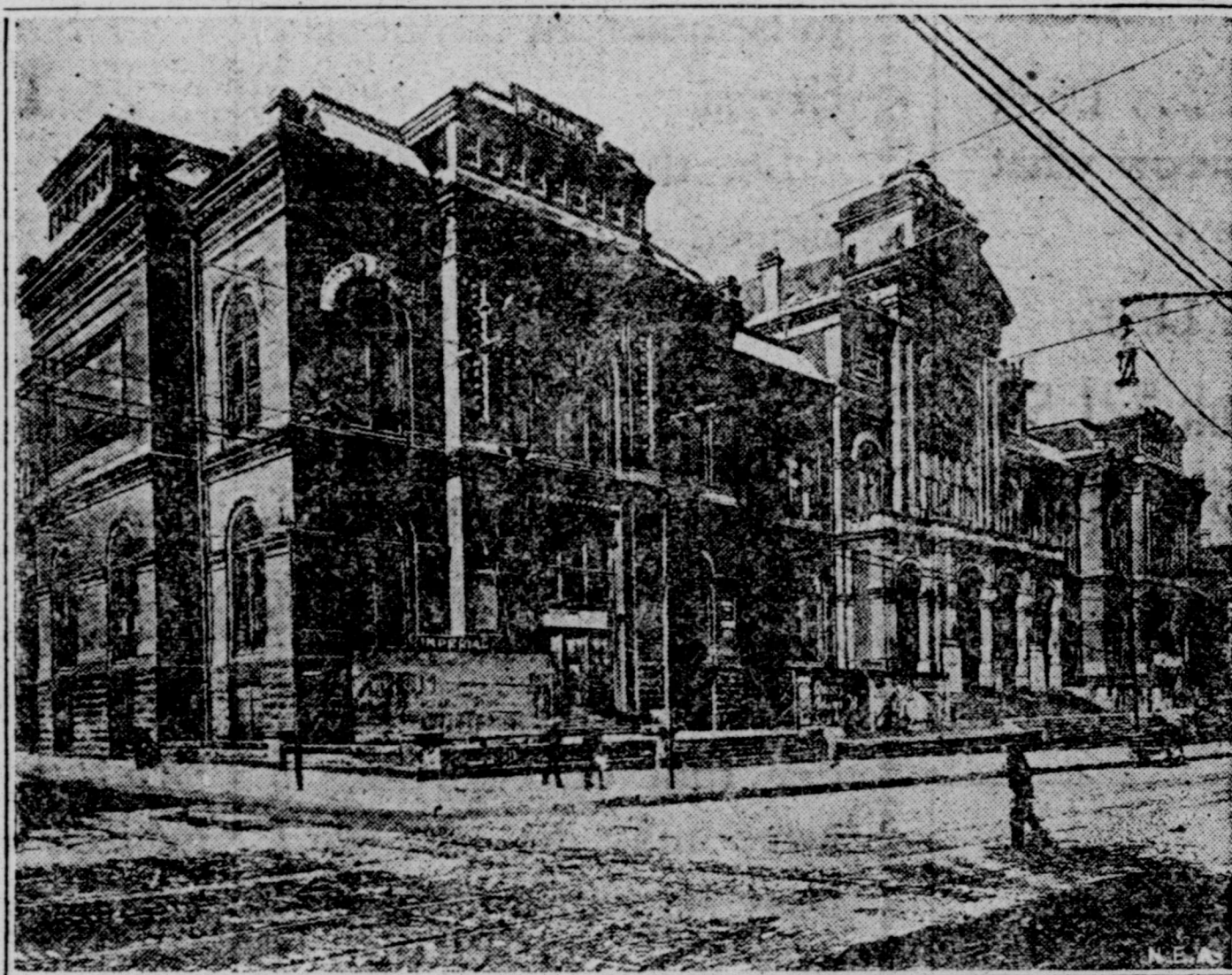
The mayor and his wife have their home in Washington square north and its feature is his library of 9,000 volumes. His speeches in German, French and Italian during the recent local campaign and his powerful oratory in his native tongue were commented upon widely. He loves Venice next to New



GEORGE FRED WILLIAMS.

George Fred Williams, democratic national committeeman, hails from classic Boston and is the champion anti-imperialist of the anti-imperialist party.

To protect the Liberty Bell from fire while at the St. Louis fair the Pennsylvania commission has built trackways from the rotunda of the Pennsylvania building to the roadway below, so that the bell may be taken from the building in short order.



BIG ST. LOUIS COLISEUM WHERE DEMOCRATS WILL MEET

THOMAS TAGGART.

Next Democratic National Committee Chairman.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 2.—Thomas Taggart, whom the democratic state central committee has endorsed for chairman of the national democratic committee, was mayor of this city from 1895 to 1901. He



has been in politics since 1886; has been Taggart was born in Ireland November 17, 1855, and came to this city in 1877, but previously had lived in Xenia, Ohio, and Garrett, Ind. He is genial and companionable and his popularity resulted in his election as auditor of Marion county for two terms, from 1885 to 1894. Mr. Taggart is a Boniface who is well known to the traveling public, being proprietor of the Grand hotel in this city. a member of the democratic national committee since 1892, and in 1904 was chairman of the state committee. Mr.

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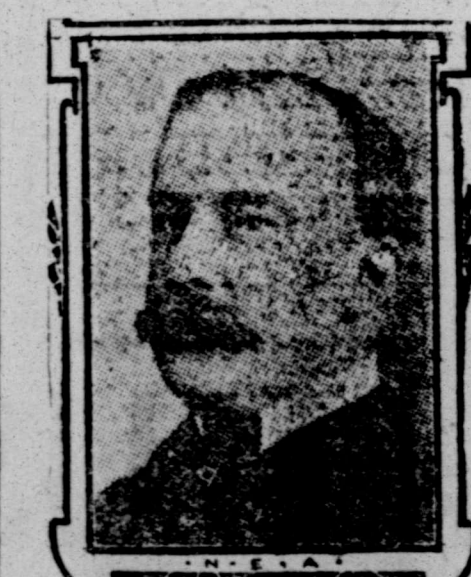
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B. R. TILLMAN.

One of the most picturesque members of the democratic national committee is United States Senator B. R. Tillman of South Carolina.



JOHN R. McLEAN.

NORMAN E. MACK.

Norman E. Mack is a member of the democratic national committee and a power in New York politics by virtue of his ownership of the Buffalo Times.

New York was born. The first words the youngster uttered were not, "I want to go home and be president." He came home, however, and after a while went to Princeton university, and graduated from there in 1886. He was a husky lad and his ambitions ran to the strenuous, so he became a reporter and later held several editorial positions. Meanwhile he studied law. His first political position was secretary for three years of Brooklyn bridge. Admitted to the bar in 1892 he became a



C. A. WALSH.

BRYAN AND GORMAN PLATFORMS SEEN IN PARALLEL COLUMNS

RADICAL AND CONSERVATIVE PARTY LEADERS WILL HEAD RIVAL DELEGATIONS AT ST. LOUIS

WASHINGTON, July 2.—About the most interesting contributions to political literature this year have been the platforms adopted at the Democratic state conventions in Maryland and Nebraska.

Folks who know about such things say that these declarations mark the line upon which the fight over the national large extent upon what is said in the St. Louis convention.

Extraordinary interest therefore attaches to these state declarations because the result of the election will hinge to a large extent upon what is said in the St. Louis platform.

The Maryland platform will be the rallying point for the conservative element of the democracy. It was written by Senator A. P. Gorman, who has for years been a democratic conservative, especially on the tariff question. He will be at the head of the Maryland delegation to St. Louis and will be urged by the conservatives for chairman of the platform committee.

The Nebraska platform presents the ideas that will be advocated by the radicals. It was written by W. J. Bryan, who was in absolute control of the convention.

So strong was the radical sentiment that the delegates refused to consider a resolution pledging the support of the Nebraska democracy in advance to the nominee of the St. Louis convention.

Of first interest, naturally, is the attitude of the two factions toward the Kansas City platform of 1900. The Nebraska platform leads off with a cordial indorsement of that historic document. The Maryland platform does not mention it.

The tariff and trusts promise to be leading issues of the campaign and the declarations of the factions on those subjects are of importance.

BRYAN ON THE TARIFF

Bryan's platform says: "Democracy would restore the tariff to a revenue basis and administer it for revenue only, thus demolishing the legal bulwark behind which the predatory trusts have found refuge. Protection for protection's sake is an ingenious device for the exploitation of the masses by the privileged classes; it has brought great injustice to the consumers and has been the fruitful source of widespread political corruption."

BRYAN'S TRUST VIEWS

The Nebraska platform says regarding the trusts that the democracy would destroy "all private monopolies" by the remedies suggested in the Kansas City platform. Those remedies were the enforcement of existing laws and the enactment of new laws requiring all corporations, before doing business outside the state of their origin, to make public reports of their condition. Monopolies were to be exterminated by the power of the government in the regulation of interstate commerce and the mails and by amending the tariff laws by "putting the products of trusts upon the free list."



ARTHUR PUE GORMAN.

to prevent monopoly under the plea of protection."

AS BRYAN SEEMS THEM

Bryan's platform promises that democracy would relieve the country of the menace of militarism and imperialism, give the Filipinos an immediate promise of ultimate independence, administer the treasury in the interest of the public instead of Wall street, prevent the recoinage of legal tender silver dollars into limited legal tender subsidiary coin; would favor paper money issued by the government without the intervention of national banks, would provide plenty of standard money, favor an income tax, popular election of United States senators, would strictly regulate the railroads, provide the eight-hour work day, substitute arbitration for strikes and lockouts, restore the right of trial by jury now suspended through government by injunction, pay generous pensions, construct an isthmian canal without violating treaty obligations, and administer the government economically.

PHILIPPINES AND PANAMA

The Gorman platform demands the independence of the Philippines at the earliest possible moment, indorses the Panama canal project, but denounces the manner in which the right of way was secured, denounces republican extravagance and departmental capriciousness, demands reform and lower taxes, and deplores presidential dictation to congress.

THE GORMAN TARIFF IDEA

As to the tariff, the Gorman platform says regarding the intentions of the democratic party: "It will revise the tariff in a conservative spirit of fairness to all interests. Its anxious purpose will be to legislate with such a due regard for labor and capital involved in our industrial enterprises as to promote their healthy growth and to carefully guard against the infliction of injury upon established industries by abrupt, unjust and radical measures."

On the trust question the Maryland platform says: "Odious and powerful monopolies may expect reduction of the excessive rates under which they have been enabled to extort oppressive tribute from the people. The illegal combinations of trusts, which within the last few years under the republican tariff have grown so great and which in unlawful restraint of legitimate trade have crushed honest competition, must be stripped of the power which they have so mercilessly abused."

JACOB WALDECK.

By interbreeding and selection California fruit growers have produced plums and prunes without stones, pure white "blackberries," daisies four inches across and other wonders of the vegetable world. It is now some 1,550 years since the Apostle Paul wrote the last of the New Testament epistles. It is about 2,350 years since Ezra is said to have collected the books which compose the Old Testament.

BATTLE TO BE FOUGHT TO DOWN RADICAL ELEMENT



WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST.

J. S. WILLIAMS FOR CHAIRMAN IS PLAN OF THE CONSERVATIVES

INDICATIONS POINT TO A STRUGGLE BETWEEN THE TWO FACTIONS FOR PARTY CONTROL—CONSERVATIVES WILL TRY TO THROW OFF RADICAL YOKE

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Convention details long settled by the republicans have not been seriously considered by the democrats.

The fact that republican plans are so nearly perfected is due to the fact that discipline and organization is far more advanced among republicans than among democrats and the further fact that as President Roosevelt was given a renomination his personal desires were allowed to govern in convention affairs.

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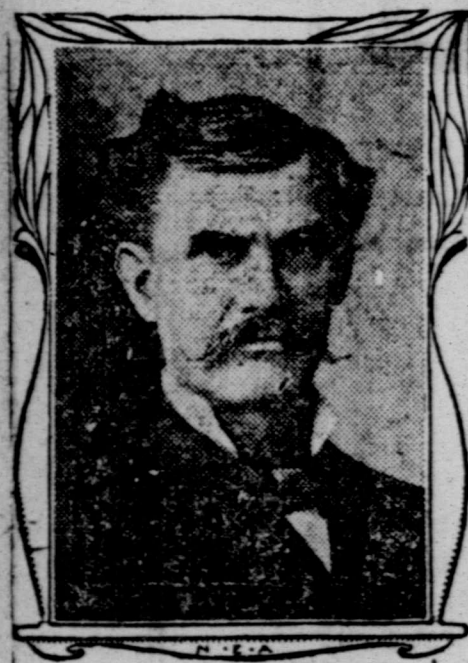
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SENATOR J. W. DANIEL.

Who Is Mentioned as Permanent Chairman of the Convention.



WILLIAM J. STONE.

William J. Stone, United States senator from Missouri, represents that state on the democratic national committee and is vice chairman of that body. He is one of the shrewdest politicians in the country, never seen or heard, but always felt, hence his title, "Gum Shoe Bill."

of the convention. He is an accomplished orator and one of the most scholarly and polished men in congress. He was major and chief of staff of General Jubal A. Early until crippled in the Wilderness campaign.

After the war he became a lawyer and an author of law books. Daniel entered the senate in 1887 and has been twice unanimously re-elected.

With the delegates split into two factions and pledged to half a dozen candidates, however, names entirely new may figure in the convention honors when the actual conflict occurs at St. Louis.

JACOB WALDECK.



CLARK HOWELL JR.

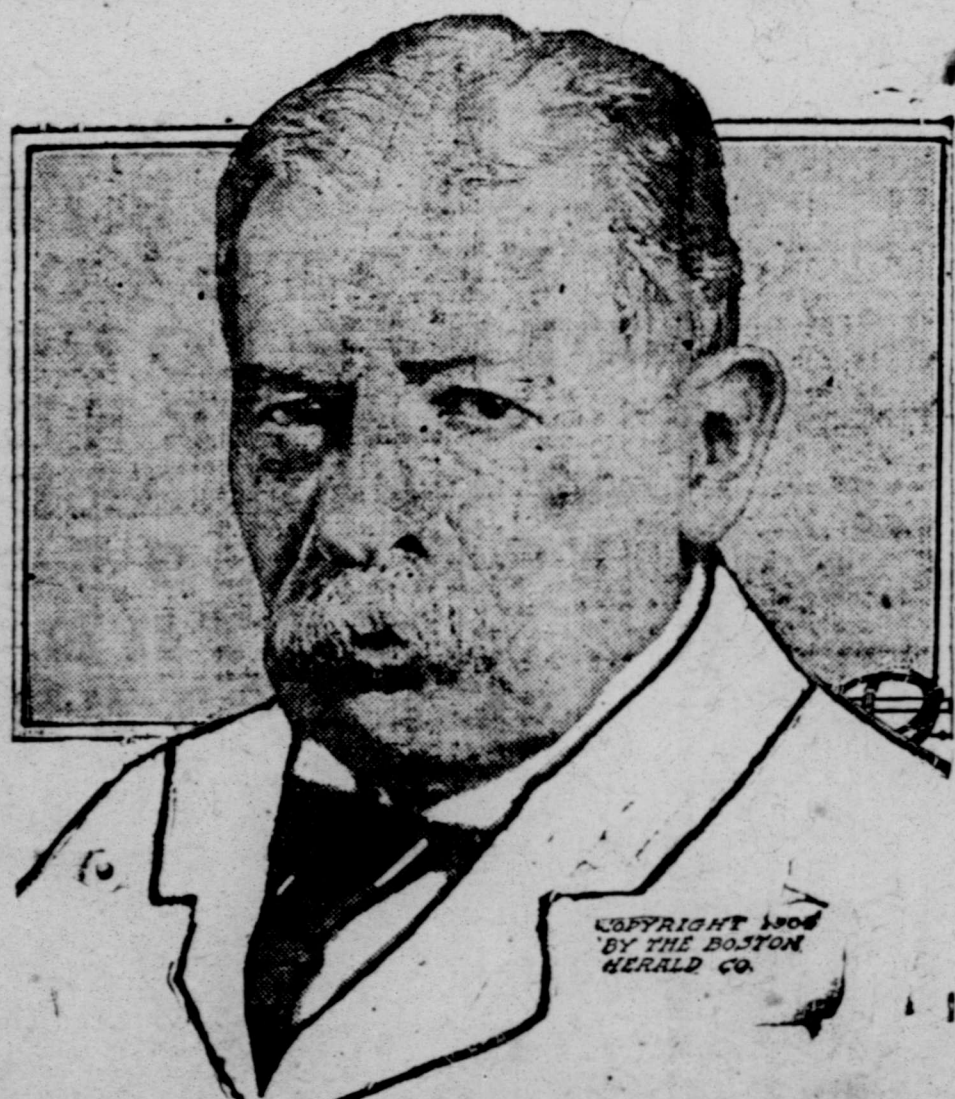
Georgia is represented on the democratic national committee by Clark Howell Jr. of Atlanta.



MAYOR CARTER HARRISON Of Chicago.

Mayor Harrison will be one of the leading figures at the democratic national convention.

The Cherokee Advocate is one of the oldest and most remarkable newspapers in the United States. It is the official organ of the Cherokee nation, and is published at Tahlequah at the nation's expense. It is a five-column folio weekly, half of which is printed in the Cherokee language. It is strictly non-partisan and is forbidden by law to deal in politics. Indians who read only Cherokee get the paper free. The total circulation is about 1,000.



RICHARD OLNEY.

DARK HORSES WINNERS IN PAST NATIONAL CONVENTIONS

NOMINEES WHO WERE INSIGNIFICANT FACTORS DURING THE EARLY BALLOTS—WILD STAMPEDES WHEN A NAME GOT GOING FAST

There is always a chance of stampede and the nomination of a dark horse in a national convention. The political history of the country contains several instances where what seemed to be "sure things"

on the first ballot he stood 235 to Bryan's 119 votes. The tide swung toward the Nebraska after the fifth ballot, and this is remembered as "the cross of gold stampede."



RICHARD R. KENNEY.

Former United States Senator Richard R. Kenney of Delaware represents his state on the democratic committee.

went down to defeat before some practically unknown man.

That there is likelihood of a stampede in a now unforeseen direction at the St. Louis convention is considered a possibility.

Here are some instances of dark horses in national political conventions:

In 1844 Martin Van Buren, who had been elected president in 1836 and had again been the democratic nominee for re-election four years later, came into the convention for a third nomination. The talk of the democrats of the country was for Van Buren. On the first ballot he received 145 votes, and the name of James Knox Polk was not mentioned.



JAS. M. GUFFEY

He is Pennsylvania's member of the democratic national committee, and a very influential member, too.

On the ninth ballot there was a wild stampede for Polk and he was nominated, receiving 232 votes to Van Buren's 16. Before the convention Polk had hardly been thought of.

In 1852 the democrats again nominated a dark horse. No one dreamed of Franklin Pierce as a possibility on the opening day of the convention. On the first ballot William L. Cass led with 116 votes. In succeeding ballots Stephen A.



HENRY D. CLAYTON.

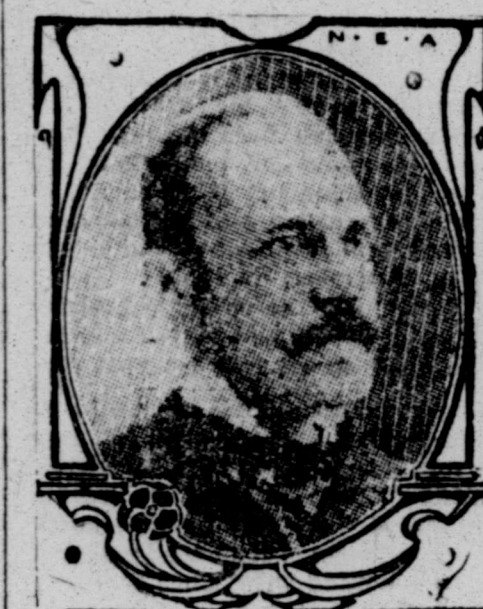
Henry D. Clayton of Eufaula, Ala., represents his state in the democratic national committee and is a power in politics.

Douglas took the lead. On the thirty-fifth ballot the name of Pierce was mentioned and he carried fifteen votes. This did not attract much notice, but the boom grew and suddenly on the forty-eighth ballot there was a remarkable stampede for Pierce, and on the following ballot he was nominated, carrying all but four votes in the convention.

In 1868 the democrats again nominated a dark horse in the person of Horatio Seymour. As chairman of the convention he put himself on record as being out of the race. Nevertheless there was a great rush for him and on the twenty-second ballot he was nominated by acclamation. General Grant was the popular candidate in the republican convention at Chicago in 1860. On the first ballot he received 304 votes. General James A. Garfield was not mentioned. On the thirty-first, thirty-second and thirty-third ballots Garfield received one vote. On the thirty-fourth this was increased to seven votes, and then the convention went wild for him and on the thirty-sixth ballot he was nominated, carrying 339 votes to Grant's 306.

In the republican convention of 1883 John Sherman had 229 votes to Benjamin Harrison's 86 on the first ballot, and the tide turned to Harrison on the eighth ballot. Harrison, however, was not actually a dark horse.

William J. Bryan was a dark horse in the Chicago convention of 1896. Richard Bland was picked as the candidate and



DANIEL J. CAMPAU.

One of the powers in the councils of the democratic party is D. J. Campau, national committeeman from Michigan.



J. M. HEAD.

One of the influential members of the democratic national committee is J. M. Head of Tennessee.

TOO MUCH

A Chinese servant employed in a New York family, who lived next door to a famous woman pianist, left suddenly after only a few days service.

His knowledge of the English language was limited, and the letter which he left behind him notifying the family of his departure was written in Chinese. With the aid of an interpreter the gist of the communication was made out. "I do not mind your heathen parrot," said the letter; "I do not mind your barbarous customs of dressing and eating; but the lady next door who sits on the musical instrument every day is too much."

TYPICAL SOUTHERN GENTLEMAN WILL PUT JUDGE PARKER IN NOMINATION

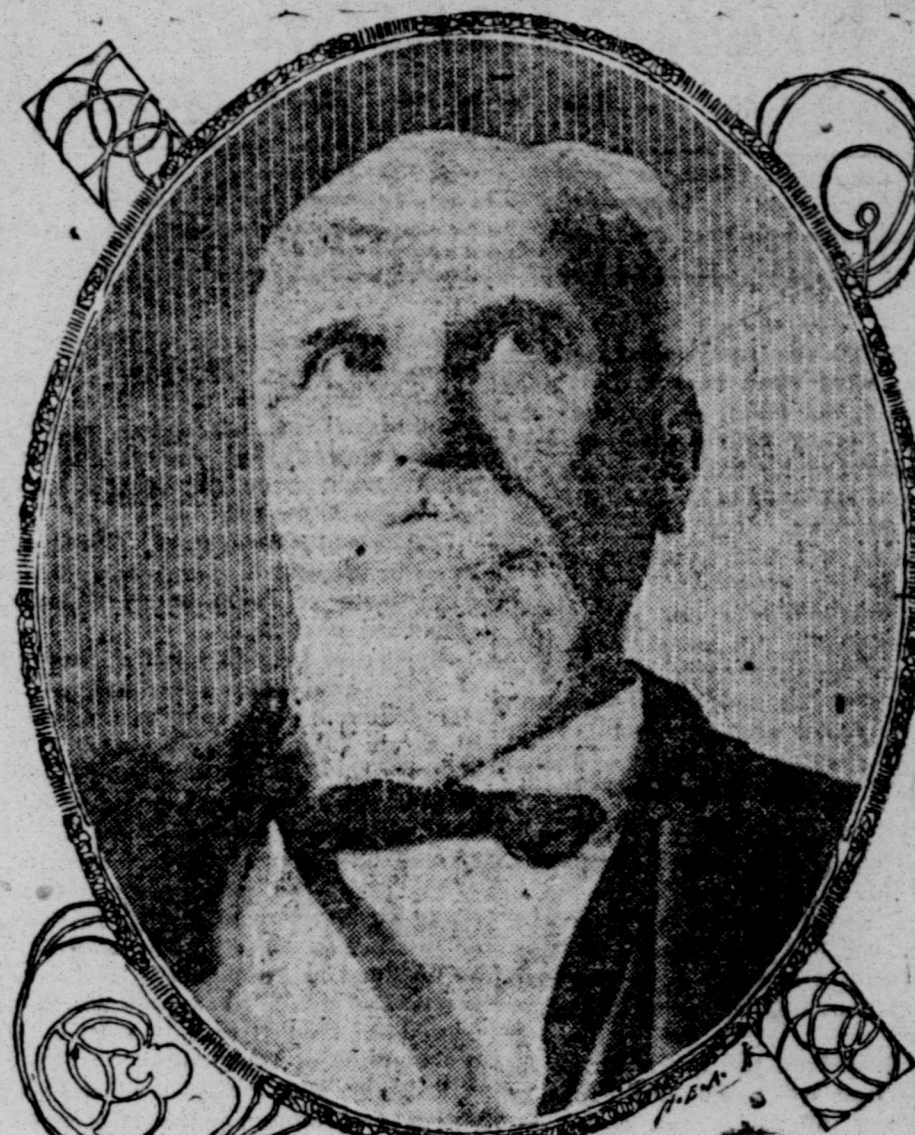


COL. EDWARD L. RUSSELL

MOBILE, Ala., July 2.—Colonel Edward L. Russell will probably be made chairman of the delegation from Alabama to the democratic national convention at St. Louis. In the recent state convention he was chosen one of the four delegates at large. Colonel Russell will make the first speech of nomination, which will be for Judge Parker.

Colonel Russell is probably the best beloved man in the state of Alabama and is well known and loved by all

EX-SENATOR JONES WILL CALL DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION AT ST. LOUIS TO ORDER JULY 6



SENATOR JAMES K. JONES.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Former United States Senator James Kimbrough Jones will call the St. Louis convention to order. The duty and honor comes to him because he is chairman of the national democratic committee. It will probably be his last appearance on the political stage for a long time.

Troubles in his state in which he was opposed to Governor Jeff Davis and ex-Governor J. P. Clarke, placed him in a state of eclipse, much to the regret of a big circle of friends here both in and out of congress.

Last fall Clarke succeeded Jones in the senate. The latter is now practicing law in this city. His home town is Washington, Ark.

Jones was the manager of both the Bryan campaigns and was the leader of his party in the senate. Since his retirement Gorman, who came back last fall, is the leader. Jones was a private soldier in the Confederacy and after the war lived on a plantation until 1875, when he began the practice of law.

He was a candidate for member of the Isthmian canal commission and had strong support even among republicans, but failed to get the appointment. President McKinley provided for many deposed statesmen on commissions and otherwise in the public service, but Roosevelt does not seem to be disposed to follow that policy.

HE HAS TELEPHONITIS

The Conceited Man Most Often Afflicted With It

From the New York Press.

"The man with telephitis is one of the features of New York restaurant life. And there are many of him. As soon as his party is seated and the supper is ordered he rises, thrusts both hands in his pockets, and strolls up to the cashier's desk—to use the telephone. And of course every man and woman in the restaurant watches him and all try their level best to hear what he says. He shields his lips with his hand, which adds to the effect of mystery, and for some minutes he holds the center of the stage, which is exactly what he wants. Then back go his hands in his pockets, and he returns to the table.

"The cashier in one popular cafe says that some of the conversations are positively absurd. He overheard this important message:

"Hello, Jim, is that you? Oh, nothing. Just dropped into B—'s for supper. Yes, they're all here. Know anything new? All right, see you tomorrow. So long."

If he's a regular customer the house pays the toll. And the other patrons get a chance to study his summer waistcoat or the fit of his Tuxedo coat.

HIS BOOM FOR PRESIDENT

A Story of John Sharp Williams and a Reporter

From Harper's Weekly.

It was in February last that John Sharp Williams' leadership of the minority in the house of representatives had so spread his fame that he was widely talked about as of presidential caliber. An enterprising but unsophisticated young newspaper man sought the Mississippian for information as to any movement in his favor. Mr. Williams, with well dissimbled gravity, assured the reporter that everything was auspicious for "his boom. Recent reports from Mississippi, especially, were highly encouraging.

"Toombsia, Ofanoma, Noxapater, Nanachewaw, Toccepolia, Tabbville and Grubbs Springs, I am told," he said, "are already for me, while I have every reason to believe that I shall have the undivided support of such places as Nittayuma, Wahalak, Bolatusha, Hushpuckena, Pelahatchie, Mittyuma, Eastabuchee, Itabena, Scutch, Chiquapin, Pawtuckaw, Octog, Leggo, Yellow Rabbit, Chunkey Station, Hambone, Deovolente and Whynot."

When the reporter had sufficiently recovered to scrutinize the countenance of the Mississippian statesman, he asked:

"How do you spell those?"

Mr. Williams patiently and with dignified deliberation spelled the words. The reporter took it all down, and went away with a quizzical look, almost as quizzical as that with which the minority leader disappeared within the swinging doors of the house.

GOT THE CHECK CASHED

Confidence Man's Bright Scheme Gets Indorsement

From the Cleveland Leader.

"You will notice," said a city detective the other day, "that nearly all merchants instead of simply indorsing a check prefix 'for deposit' with a rubber stamp and give the name of the bank. Cleveland merchants have learned this after an experience that cost one of them \$500.

"A man walked into a jewelry store and selected a \$125 watch, left a check for \$500, drawn on an out-of-town bank, with the instructions that the watch be regulated and that he would come after it and his change a week later. On returning he was informed that his check was no good.

"Well, that's strange," he said. It's the second time the bank has done that thing on me. But here's the money for your watch," and he counted out \$125 in currency and started for the door. "Oh, yes," he said, turning around, "you had better give me that check." It was willingly handed over to him. On the back was the jeweler's simple indorsement. With this the man went into a bank, got it cashed and was never heard of afterward."

PROCTOR'S SENSE OF HONOR

Took His Own Son to the Justice's Office

United States Senator Redfield Proctor's strict regard for the laws, even those of minor importance, is well known. An illustration of this happened recently. The senator and his son, Redfield Proctor Jr., were hunting rabbits in the mountains east of Rutland a few months ago. The younger man, who had become separated from his father, shot a large raccoon, and when he next met the senator he proudly exhibited his prize. "My son," said the senator sternly, "the open season for 'coon hunting has not yet begun. Come with me."

The senator thereupon marched the young man off to the residence of a justice of the peace, where he appeared against him, and the boy was fined for the offense, the money being advanced by the senator himself.

Commandatore Bond, the archaeologist of the Roman Forum, says that locality was a cemetery long before it was a forum and the tombs were packed so close together that no trace of a pathway could be found.

The Gentleman From Indiana

By BOOTH TARKINGTON

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CHAPTER I.

WHEN the rusty hands of the office clock marked half past 4, the editor in chief of the Carlow County Herald took his hand out of his hair, wiped his pen on his last notice from the White Caps, put on his coat, swept out the close little entry and left the sanctum for the bright June afternoon.

He chose the way to the west, strolling thoughtfully out of town by the white, hot, deserted Main street and thence onward by the country road into which his proud half mile of old brick store buildings, tumbledown frame shops and thinly painted cottages

generated. The sun was in his face where the road ran between the summer fields, lying waveless, low, gracious in promise; but, coming to a wood of hickory and beech and walnut that stood beyond, he might turn his down-bent hat brim up and hold his head erect. Here the shade fell deep and cool on the green tangle of rag and iron weed and long grass in the corners of the snake fence, although the sun beat upon the road so close beside. There was no movement of the crisp young leaves overhead. High in the boughs there was a quick flirt of crimson where two robins hopped noiselessly. The late afternoon, when the air is quite still, had come, yet there rested somewhere on the quiet day a faint, pleasant, woody smell. It came to the editor of the Herald as he climbed to the top rail of the fence for a seat, and he drew a long breath to get the elusive odor more luxuriously, and then it was gone altogether.

"A habit of delicacies," he said aloud, addressing the wide silence complainingly. "One taste and they quit," he finished, gazing solemnly upon the shining little town down the road.

It was a place of which its inhabitants sometimes remarked easily that their city had a population of from 5,000 to 6,000 souls, but it should be easy to forgive them for such statements. Civic pride is a virtue. The town lay in the heart of that fertile stretch of flat lands in Indiana where eastern travelers, glancing from car windows, shudder and return their eyes to interior upholstery, preferring even the swaying caparisons of a Pullman to the monotony without. The landscape runs on interminably level lines—black in winter, a desolate plain of mud and snow; hot and dusty in summer, miles on miles of flat lonesomeness, with not one cool hill slope away from the sun. The persistent tourist who seeks for signs of man in this sad expanse perceives a reckless amount of rail fence, at intervals a large barn, and here and there a man himself, incurious, patient, slow, looking up from the fields apathetically as the limited flies by. Now and then the train passes a village built scattering about a courthouse, with a mill or two humming near the tracks. This is a county seat, and the inhabitants and the local papers refer to it confidently as "our city."

Such a county seat was Plattville, capital of Carlow county. The social and business energy of the town concentrated on the square, and here in summer time the gentlemen were wont to lounge from store to store in their shirt sleeves, and in the center of the square stood the old red brick courthouse, loosely fenced in a shady grove of maple and elm—"slippery ellum"—called the "courthouse yard." When the sun grew too hot for the dry goods box whittlers in front of the stores around the square and the occupants of the chairs in front of the Palace hotel on the corner they would go across and drape themselves over the fence and carve their initials on the top board. From the position of the sun the editor of the Herald judged that these operations were now in progress, and he was not deeply elated by the knowledge that whatever desultory conversation might pass from man to man on the fence would probably be inspired by his own convictions expressed editorially in the Herald.

He drew a faded tobacco bag and a briar pipe from his pocket and, after filling and lighting the pipe, twirled the pouch mechanically about his finger, then, suddenly regarding it, patted it caressingly. It had been a giddy little bag long ago, gay with embroidery in the colors of the editor's university, and, although now it was frayed to the verge of tatters, it still bore an air of pristine jauntiness, an air of which its owner in nowise partook. He looked from it toward the village in the clear distance and sighed softly as he put the pouch back in his pocket and, resting his arm on his knee and his chin on his hand, sat blowing clouds of smoke out of the shade into the sunshine, absently watching the ghostly shadow on the white dust of the road.

A little garter snake crept under the fence beneath him and disappeared in the underbrush; a rabbit, progressing on its travels by a series of brilliant dashes and terror smitten halts, came within a few yards of him, sat up with quivering nose and eyes alight with fearful imaginings and vanished, a flash of fluffy brown and white. Shadows grew longer; a cricket chirped and heard answers; there was a woodland stir of breezes, and the pair of robins left the branches overhead in eager flight, va-

cating before the arrival of a flock of blackbirds hastening thither ere the evening should be upon them. The blackbirds came, chattered, gossiped, quarreled and beat each other with their wings above the smoker sitting on the top fence rail.

But he had remembered. A thousand miles to the east it was commencement day, seven years to a day from his own commencement.

Five years ago, on another June afternoon, a young man from the east had alighted on the platform of the station north of Plattville and, entering the rickety omnibus that lingered there seeking whom it might rattle to deafness, demanded to be driven to the Herald building. It did not strike the driver that the newcomer was precisely a gay young man when he climbed into the omnibus, but an hour later, as he stood in the doorway of the office he had indicated as his destination, depression seemed to have settled into the marrow of his bones.

Plattville was instantly alert to the stranger's presence, and interesting conjectures were hazarded all day long at the back door of Martin's Dry Goods Emporium (this was the club during the day), and at supper the new arrival and his probable purposes were discussed over every table in the town. Upon inquiry he had informed Judd Bennett, the driver of the omnibus, that he had come to stay. Naturally such a declaration caused a sensation as people did not come to Plattville to live except through the inadvertency of being born there. In addition the young man's appearance and attire were reported to be extraordinary. Many of the curious, among them most of the marriageable females of the place, took occasion to pass and re-pass the sign of the Carlow County Herald during the evening.

Meanwhile the stranger was seated in the dingy office upstairs with his head bowed low on his arms. Twilight stole through the dirty window panes and faded into darkness. Night filled the room. He did not move. The young man from the east had bought the Herald from an agent—had bought it without ever having been within a hundred miles of Plattville. The Herald was an alleged weekly which had sometimes appeared within five days of its declared date of publication and sometimes missed fire altogether. It was a thorn in the side of every patriot of Carlow county, and Carlow people, after supporting the paper loyally and long, had at last given it up and subscribed for the Gazette, published in the neighboring county of Amo. The former proprietor of the Herald, a surreptitious gentleman with a goatee, had taken the precaution of leaving Plattville forever on the afternoon preceding his successor's arrival. The young man from the east had vastly overpaid for his purchase. Moreover, the price he had paid for it was all the money he had in the world.

The next morning he went bitterly to work. He hired a compositor from Rouen, a young man named Parker, who set type all night long and helped him pursue advertisements all day. The citizens shook their heads pessimistically. They had about given up the idea that the Herald could ever amount to anything, and they betrayed an innocent but caustic doubt of ability in any stranger.

One day the new editor left a note on his door: "Will return in fifteen minutes."

Mr. Rodney McCune, a politician from the neighboring county of Gaines, happening to be in Plattville on an errand to his benchmark, found the note and wrote beneath the message the scathing inquiry, "Why?"

When he discovered this addendum, the editor smiled for the first time since his advent and reported the incident in his next issue, using the rubric "Why Has the Herald Returned to Life?" as a text for a rousing editorial on honesty in politics, a subject of which he already knew something. The political district to which Carlow belonged was governed by a limited number of gentlemen whose wealth was over on the increase, and honesty in politics was a startling conception to the minds of the passive and resigned voters, who talked the editorial over on the street corners and in the stores. The next week there was another editorial, personal and local in its application, and thereby it became evident that the new proprietor of the Herald was a theorist who believed in general that a politician's honor should not be merely of that middling healthy species known as "honor among politicians," and in particular that Rodney McCune should not receive the nomination of his party for congress. Now, Mr. McCune was the undoubted dictator of the district, and his followers laughed at the stranger's fantastic onset; but the editor was not content with the word of print. He hired a horse and rode about the country and (to his own surprise) proved to be an adaptable young man who enjoyed exercise with a pitchfork to the farmer's profit while the farmer talked. He talked little himself, but after listening an hour or so he would drop a word from the saddle as he left, and then, by some surprising wizardry, the farmer, thinking over the interview, decided there was some sense in what

that young fellow said and grew curious to see what the young fellow had further to say in the Herald.

Politics is the one subject that goes to the vitals of every rural American, and a Hoosier will talk politics after he is dead.

Everybody read the campaign editorials and found them interesting, although there was no one who did not perceive the utter absurdity of a young stranger dropping into Carlow and involving himself in a party fight against the boss of the district. It was entirely a party fight, for by grace of the last gerrymander the nomination carried with it the certainty of election.

A week before the convention there came a provincial earthquake. The news passed from man to man in awe-struck whispers—McCune had withdrawn his name, making the shallowest of excuses to his cohorts. Nothing was known of the real reason for his disordered retreat beyond the fact that he had been in Plattville on the morning before his withdrawal and had issued from a visit to the Herald office in a state of palsy. Mr. Parker, the Rouen printer, had been present at the close of the interview, but he held his peace at the command of his employer. He had been called into the sanctum and had found McCune, white and shaking, leaning on the desk.

"Tarker," said the editor, exhibiting a bundle of papers he held in his hand. "I want you to witness a verbal contract between Mr. McCune and myself. These papers are an affidavit and copies of some records of a street car company which obtained a charter while Mr. McCune was in the legislature. They were sent to me by a man I do not know, an anonymous friend of Mr. McCune—in fact, a friend he seems to have lost. On consideration of our not printing these papers Mr. McCune agrees to retire from politics for good. You understand, if he ever lifts his head again politically we publish them, and the courts will do the rest. Now, in case anything should happen to me—"

"Something will happen to you all right!" broke out McCune. "You can bank on that, you black!"

"Come," the editor interrupted not unpleasantly. "Why should there be anything personal in all this? I don't recognize you as my private enemy—not at all—and I think you are getting off rather easily, aren't you? You keep out of politics and everything will be comfortable. You ought never to have been in it, you see. It's a mistake not to go square, because in the long run somebody is sure to give you away, like the fellow who sent me these. You promise to hold to a strictly private life?"

"You're a traitor to the party," groaned the other; "but you only wait!"

The editor smiled sadly. "Wait nothing! Don't threaten, man. Go home to your wife. I'll give you three to one she'll be glad you are out of it."

"I'll give you three to one," said McCune, "that the White Caps will get you if you stay in Carlow. You want to look out for yourself, I tell you, my smart boy."

"Good day, Mr. McCune," was the answer. "Let me have your note of withdrawal before you leave town this afternoon." The young man paused a moment, then extended his hand as he said: "Shake hands, won't you? I-I haven't meant to be too hard on you. I hope things will seem easier and gay to you before long, and if anything should turn up that I can do for you in a private way I'll be very glad, you know. Goodbye."

The sound of the Herald's victory went over the state. The paper came out regularly. The townsfolk bought it, and the farmers drove in for it. Old subscribers came back. Old advertisements renewed. The Herald began to sell in Amo, and Gaines county people subscribed. Carlow folk held up their heads when journalism was mentioned. Presently the Herald announced a news connection with Rouen, and with that and the aid of "patent insides" began an era of three issues a week, appearing on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The Plattville brass band serenaded the editor.

During the second month of the new regime of the Herald the working force of the paper received an addition. One night the editor found some barroom loafers tormenting a patriarchal old man who had a magnificent head and a grand white beard. He had been thrown out of a saloon, and he was drunk with the drunkenness of three weeks' steady pouring. He propped himself against a wall and reproved his tormentors in Latin. "I'm walking your way, Mr. Fisbee," remarked the journalist, looking his arm into the old man's. "Suppose we leave our friends here and go home."

Mr. Fisbee was the one inhabitant of the town possessing an unknown past.

Bright's Disease

Caused the death of Doctor Bright. Bright's Disease is simply slow congestion of the kidneys. In the last stage the congestion becomes acute and the victim lives a few hours or a few days, but is past saving. This insidious kidney trouble is caused by sluggish, torpid, congested liver and slow, constipated bowels, whereby the kidneys are involved and ruined. Drake's Palmetto Wine is a foe to congestion of liver, kidneys and bowels. It promptly relieves the congestion and carries it out of the liver, kidneys, bowels and blood. Drake's Palmetto Wine restores the mucous membranes to healthy condition, relieves the membranes throughout the body from inflammation and catarrh and cures Catarrh, Constipation and Liver and Kidney disease to stay cured. It gives relief immediately, builds up vigor and health, prolongs life and makes it enjoyable. A trial bottle will be sent to every reader of this paper who will write for it to Drake Formula Company, Drake Building, Chicago, Ill. A postal card will bring this wonderful tonic Palmetto medicine to you absolutely free. It is a boon to disease-laden, pain-ridden men and women.

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and a glamour of romance was thrown about him by the gossips, who agreed that there was a dark, portentous secret in his life, an opinion not too well confirmed by the old man's appearance. His fine eyes had a habit of wandering to the horizon, and his expression was mild, vague and sad, lost in dreams. At the first glance one guessed that his dreams would never be practicable in their application, and some such impression of him was probably what caused the editor of the Herald to nickname him, in his own mind, "the White Knight."

Mr. Fisbee, coming to Plattville from nobody knew where, had taught in the high school for ten years, but he proved quite unable to refrain from lecturing to the dumfounded pupils on archaeology, neglecting more and more the ordinary courses of instruction, growing year by year more forgetful and absent, lost in his few books and his own reflections, until at last he had been discharged for incompetency. The dazed old man had no money and no way to make any. One day he dropped in at the hotel bar, where Wilkerson, the professional drunkard, favored him with his society. The old man understood. He knew it was the beginning of the end. He sold his books in order to continue his credit at the Palace bar, and once or twice, unable to proceed to his own dwelling, spent the night in a lumber yard, piloted thither by the hardier veteran Wilkerson.

The morning after the editor took him home Fisbee appeared at the Herald office in a new hat and a decent suit of black. He had received his salary in advance, his books had been repurchased and he had become the reporter staff of the Carlow County Herald; also he was to write various treatises for the paper. For the first few evenings when he started home from the office his chief walked with him, chatting cheerfully, until they had passed the Palace bar. But Fisbee's redemption was complete.

The editor of the Herald kept steadily at his work, and as time went on the bitterness his predecessor's swindle had left in him passed away. But his loneliness and a sense of defeat grew and deepened. When the vistas of the world had opened to his first youth he had not thought to spend his life in such a place as Plattville, but he found himself doing it, and it was no great happiness to him that the Hon. Kedge Halloway of Amo, whom the Herald's opposition to McCune had sent to Washington, came to depend on his influence for renomination, nor did the realization that the editor of the Carlow County Herald had come to be McCune's successor as political dictator produce a perceptibly enlivening effect upon the young man. The years drifted very slowly, and to him it seemed that they went by while he stood far aside and could not even see them move. He did not consider the life he led an exciting one, but the other citizens of Carlow did when he undertook a war against the White Caps, denizens of Six Crossroads, seven miles west of Plattville. The natives were much more afraid of the White Caps than he was. They knew more about them and understood them better than he did.

There was no thought of the people of the Crossroads in his mind as he sat on the snake fence staring at the little smoky shadow dance on the white road in the June sunshine. On the contrary, he was occupied with the realization that there had been a man in his class at college whose ambition needed no restraint, his promise was so great—in the strong belief of the university, a belief he could not help knowing—and that seven years to a day from his commencement this man was sitting on a fence rail in Indiana.

Down the pike a buggy came creaking toward him, gray with dust, old and frayed like the fat, shaggy gray mare that drew it, her unchecked, despondent head lowering before her, while her incongruous tail waved incessantly, like the banner of a storming party. The editor did not hear the flop of the mare's hoofs nor the sound of the wheels, so deep was his reverie, till the vehicle was nearly opposite him. The red faced and perspiring driver drew rein, and the journalist looked up and waved a long white hand to him in greeting.

"Howdy do, Mr. Harkless?" called the man in the buggy. "Soakin' in the weather?" He spoke in shouts, though neither was hard of hearing.

"Yes, just soaking," answered Harkless. "It's such a gypsy day. How is Mr. Bowlder?"

"I'm givin' good satisfaction, thank you, and all at home. She's in town."

"Give Mrs. Bowlder my regards," said the journalist, comprehending the symbolism. "How is Hartley?"

The farmer's honest face shaded over for a second. "He's be'n steady ever since the night you brought him home, six weeks straight. I'm kind of bothered about tomorrow—he wants to come in for show day, and seems if I hadn't any call to say no. I reckon he'll have to take his chance—and us too. Seems more like we'd have to let him, long as we got him not to come in last night for Kedge Halloway's lecture at the courthouse. Say, how'd that lecture strike you? You give Kedge a mighty fine send-off to the audience in your introduction, but I noticed you spoke of him as 'a thinker,' without sayin' 'what kind.' I didn't know you was as cautious a man as that! Of course I know Kedge is honest!"

Harkless sighed. "Oh, he's the best we've got, Bowlder."

"Yes, I presume so, but"—Mr. Bowlder broke off suddenly as his eyes opened in surprise, and he exclaimed: "Law, I'd never of expected to see you settin' here today! Why ain't you out at Judge Briscoe's?" This speech seemed to be intended with some humor, for Bowlder accompanied it with the loud laughter of sylvan timidity risking a joke.

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THE RAILROAD PROBLEM

The railroads of the United States maintain that their corporations are entitled to make such charges for transportation as will enable them at all times, not only to pay operating expenses, but to pay interest upon their bonds, and all outstanding obligations and a dividend upon all of its stock.

It is the claim of the stockmen and other shippers who are contesting this claim, that a railroad is a public highway, constructed and maintained by a corporation, given authority to charge toll for the service rendered the public, that in fixing the rates of toll to be charged the rights of the public must be regarded and only reasonable rates charged. The courts have already held that if a railroad has bonded its property for an amount that exceeds its fair value or its capitalization is largely fictitious, it shall not impose upon the public the burden of such increased rates as may be required for the purpose of realizing profits upon such excessive valuation.

There is no standard by which to determine the amount which a railroad may be permitted to earn. The public is entitled to reasonable rates and these rates should be determined arbitrarily by an unbiased authority. The legislative department of the government alone has this characteristic. The original intention was to give this power to the interstate commerce commission. It has been found that the law does not quite reach that point. It is therefore necessary to amend that law so as to give the power to the commission to exercise that control over the railroads.—Denver Record-Stockman.

being illegally grazed in the Cherokee Nation, and, under the law, the Indian agent is empowered to run such cattle out of the territory, but nowhere is it written that he can run them into Kansas, say the authorities. The other day Captain West of the Indian police ran 170 head of cattle over the Kansas line and served notice on the farmers in that section that they had better keep an eye on the cattle if they wanted to save their crops. The authorities were appealed to. Indian Territory is in the quarantine district and the sheriffs of counties on the border claim that it is unlawful to bring the cattle across without passing quarantine inspection. Acting on this theory the sheriff of the county took the 170 head of cattle and quarantined them. The owner of the cattle seems to be indifferent as to the situation and evidently intends to let Kansas and the Indian officials fight it out among themselves.

BIG PASTURES PASSING

The future cattle of Indian Territory will be handled in small bunches by farmers and will be a better grade of cattle. The day of the range steer has passed. All the big pastures running from 25,000 to 100,000 acres have been cut up into allotments and will never be grazed again. Many of the big cattle-men of the territory who have handled thousands of head of cattle every year have quit the business already, and those who are still in say that this is their last season.

THE PLAINS COUNTRY

It is said to be very dry up in the plains country. They have no grass scarcely and are up against a strong proposition.—Hall County Herald.

From the above one would be led to believe that the plains country is in a deplorable condition. The editor of the Herald certainly does not endeavor to keep posted about the condition of this country, else he would not give credence

to such an erroneous statement as the above. We have had all the rain we need, three heavy rains having fallen within the past week. We have plenty of grass and our cattle are in fine shape. Besides, our crop prospects are all that could be hoped for and our farmers are strenuously in need of sunshine and dry weather so that they can cultivate them.—Hereford Brand.

HEAVY STOCK MOVEMENT

More stock has been shipped from Del Rio during the past few months than from any other station along the line. On Friday last twenty cars of sheep were sent out. On Saturday eighteen cars, and on Sunday fourteen cars, and today a trainload of eighteen cars will be sent out. All the above were sheep shipments and are sent to various markets. Yesterday sixteen cars of sheep were shipped from Standard—Del Rio Record-News.

AUGUST THE LIMIT

In Rio de Janeiro, 22 pounds of fresh beef cost from 21.8 to 23.5 cents, and in Manaoas 47.6 to 59.5 cents.

"The exports of live cattle from Rio Grande do Sul are also increasing, but not as they would if transportation facilities were improved. Any undertaking which would result in exporting beef in a better form than that of jerked beef would be exceedingly profitable and would make the jerked beef industry almost impossible. Although the climate is more unfavorable than at Chicago, there are a number of methods used there which could be employed here, and in addition, cattle are cheaper here."

"The export of smoked meats should also be successful, and with refrigerating apparatus should have as good results here as in Hamburg. It would be necessary, however, to formulate some plan to prevent mold attacking the meat in storage and in shipping."

"The indications are that there will be a radical change in the method of conducting the beef industry, and it is probable that this will be accomplished by Americans, as they have had considerable experience in this line. It is to be much desired that German capital might get interested in this industry."

"Since the above was prepared, an English person has indicated that exporting refrigerated beef has been formed."

unless we have a rainfall in a short time."—Albuquerque (N. M.) Journal.

BRAZILIAN CATTLE INDUSTRY

Export, a German consular paper, in its issue of April 28, 1904, on the cattle and beef industry of Rio Grande do Sul, says:

"The cattle industry is the most important one in this state. Besides inland consumption, about 400,000 cattle are used for jerked beef. The largest part of the beef is sent to Rio de Janeiro, Bahia and Pernambuco, where eighteen pounds of the product is worth from \$1.3 to \$2.36, and no general rain so far in the valley. It has rained heavily in the Panhandle and it will come here in time."

Cowmen say that the danger of any more losses is passed. They are happy that the losses have been light—in fact, less than the average. Stories about the plains being literally covered with dead animals are "pipe dreams." The men whose property is involved say that dead animals are to be seen anywhere.

But the calf crop is light. Cows were thin and had little feed to keep up the milk flow, and it is surprising that any calves were saved. Some estimate the calf crop at about 5 per cent, others at less and some at more, but the first is probably about right.

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YOUNG TEXAS CATTLE

S. A. Swenson of Swenson Brothers, New York, owners of the noted "S. M. S." ranch at Stamford, Texas, and Frank Hastings, manager of that enterprise, reached Chicago today, after a long trip to the cattle feeding states. E. J. Swenson accompanied Mr. Hastings on the first half of the journey, his brother doing the last part of the stunt. The trip was taken solely for the purpose of ascertaining how the thousands of Pecos calves and calves recently put into feed lots have done.

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ARIZONA CATTLE LOSSES

H. J. Ramer, one of the best known cattlemen in New Mexico and the owner of large property interests in Albuquerque, arrived last night from his ranch near Holbrook, Ariz., where he has been for several days inspecting the herd for severe losses. "In some cases," he said, "the sheepmen tell me that it will take them two years to recover from the effects of the disastrous season, and to bring their holdings back to the point where they were a year ago. My own cattle have stood the drought remarkably well, but this is only because my range is not overstocked."

"I believe, however, that the drought is finally broken and that better days are in sight for us all. Last night there was a heavy rain in Gallup and scattering showers have been reported within the week from all over Arizona, bringing the greatest relief. I have received advices from Las Vegas and Northern New Mex-

ico within the past two days, telling of good rains all over that section and I believe there is no further cause for anxiety from that region."

The drought, I believe, is the worst I have ever known in the southwest, and considering its severity, it is a matter of wonder that the losses, both among sheep and cattle, have not been heavier.—Albuquerque (N. M.) Journal.

PECOS CALF CROP

The Pecos country in New Mexico has had good rains in addition to the light showers practically all over the range and enough grass has started to make feed for the cattle, but no general rain so far in the valley. It has rained heavily in the Panhandle and it will come here in time.

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CATTLE RUSTLERS SEEM DOOMED

Wyoming Gang Is Broken Up After Marauding Experience Extending Over Many Years on Northwestern Range

CHEYENNE, Wyo., July 2.—It is near the end of the cattle rustlers. The profession in Wyoming has received a discouraging setback through the recent capture of "Tom" O'Day, "king of the cattle rustlers." The death of his partner, "Flat Nose" George Curry, about the same time, marks another chapter in the fight the authorities of the state have been waging against cattle thieves in the Lost Cabin district.

For years O'Day has been one of the leading spirits of the Lost Cabin gang of cattle rustlers and sheep stealers. He has been hand and glove with the Hole-in-the-Wall band of desperadoes, and has taken part in some of the train robbery expeditions of that gang. His chief operations, however, have been in stealing his practice being so expert that he has caused losses of thousands of dollars to Wyoming and Montana stockmen.

O'Day was recently captured by a daring sheriff and was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary. Such was the fear the desperado exercised over the jurors that two disagreements resulted, both the evidence against O'Day was strong. As he left the court room the desperado cursed the man who had arrested him and declared that he would escape from the penitentiary before three months had passed. As jail breaking has always been one of the chief amusements of O'Day's gang, his threat is not looked upon as an idle boast.

Most of the "bad men" of the west have possessed redeeming traits, but if the authorities are to be believed, there is nothing admirable about the "king of the cattle rustlers." O'Day is a heavy drinker, quarrelsome in disposition, and always ready to resort to a rifle or pistol, with both of which weapons he is a crack shot.

His hair is thick and dark, and grows low on his forehead, and this, with his heavy, scowling eyebrows, makes a combination calculated to frighten the tenderfoot. O'Day is an inveterate gambler, and the authorities assert that he has killed at least two men in gaming table brawls.

AN EXPERIENCE IN BRANDS

"Flat Nose" Curry, whose name is enough to make any Wyoming or Montana stockman draw a rueful face, was "Tom" O'Day's guide in the cattle stealing industry. Curry was a Nebraska man, who moved to Wyoming in the '80s, when great herds were roaming the foothills. Curry organized a gang of cattle rustlers and began operations on a wholesale scale. He was an expert in the use of the running iron, and was well versed in the art of changing the form of a brand. The iron is simply a point which is heated red hot and then used as a pencil to change the brand.

There was hardly a combination of brands among the Wyoming and Montana herds which "Flat Nose" George did not know how to change to his own advantage. If a brand defied his ingenuity he simply cut it out altogether and replaced it with a new one by one of his associates.

It was only natural that "Flat Nose" George should have appealed to "Tom" O'Day, who was a daredevil young cowboy. O'Day joined "Flat Nose" George. He proved an able lieutenant and the depredations of the two became so great that the cattlemen's association started after them. They made it so hot that the rustlers were forced to go to the mountains. The rustlers returned and levied tribute on cattle and sheep men. Most of the individual cattle owners were intimidated and those who refused to pay were one by one assassinated. Some member of the gang being chosen to commit each murder.

The gang made its headquarters at Lost Cabin, in a desolate part of Wyoming, which for years has been almost as notorious as the Hole-in-the-Wall. When there was little to be done in cattle stealing the bolder spirits of the gang embarked on more hazardous ventures. O'Day was admitted to the councils of the Hole-in-the-Wall gang, which included "Butch" Cassidy, Harvey Logan and half a dozen other bandits. From Lost Cabin, which is about fifty miles from Thermopolis, Wyo., the gang made a descent on the bank at Belle Fourche, S. D. Here O'Day came near losing his career as a "bad man." Tom had been sent ahead of the gang to note the "lay of the land" and informed other members of the crowd if things did not look propitious for the robbery.

FELL INTO DRUNKEN SLEEP

"Tom" took one drink after another, and finally fell into a sleep in a saloon, propped against the wall and snoring comfortably in his chair. The gang heard nothing from "Tom" and supposed the coast to be clear. They rode into town, firing at everything in sight, and clattered up to the hotel where they obtained a considerable sum of money. O'Day was roused by the firing of his companions. He found the robbers beset by the townspeople, who had flocked to the scene armed with rifles and were about to surround every building that offered a shelter.

All the robbers except O'Day made

their escape. At "Tom's" trial he put on such a terrifying front that the witnesses were frightened out of their intention, and there was nothing to do but let him go free. Then the bandit rode away and resumed his career of crime near Lost Cabin.

It is believed that O'Day was a member of the gang that held up the Union Pacific express at Wilcox, Wyo., in 1899. About \$3,000 was obtained in this robbery, and a posse of deputies was put on the trail of the robbers. The gang made a stand in Converse county resulting in the killing of Sheriff Hason and the escape of the bandits. The detectives are satisfied that the "Flat Nose" George Curry was in this job, and it is more than likely that O'Day was with Curry.

"Flat Nose" George was hunted long and industriously by detectives, sheriffs and other officials, and finally his career ended in 1901. With a confederate named "Tom" Cartwright, Curry was hunted down on the banks of the Green river. A battle ensued, which the "king of the cattle rustlers" met his death and his title passed to "Tom" O'Day.

In spite of the fact that the range has been greatly depleted of cattle in late years and that the herds are much smaller and less scattered than before, O'Day continued his daring work until early this year. Much of the Wyoming grazing land is now taken up by sheep, but this made no difference to O'Day. He found that sheep were readily marketed and easy to steal, and he "rustled" them by hundreds, intimidating herders and boldly taking what he wanted from under their guns.

Recently a plucky sheriff had the hardihood to invade the Lost Cabin district and beard the outlaw in his den. He "got the drop" on O'Day, and had the outlaw handcuffed and on the road to jail before "Tom's" confederate realized what had happened. O'Day boasted that his cowboy friends would descend on the jail at Thermopolis and release him, but the boast proved empty. The jail was heavily guarded for many days, but no outlaws appeared. O'Day was tried and finally sentenced.

Unless O'Day makes good his threat of breaking out of the penitentiary, the authorities believe that they have ended cattle rustling in Wyoming on a wholesale scale. The war against cattle rustlers has cost a score of lives in twenty years and hundreds of thousands of dollars in stock. The cattlemen will welcome the peace that is promised by the capture of the "king of cattle rustlers."

CANADA'S RANGE BEEF

Little if any good beef was shipped from Canada's northwestern range last season. This year conditions are improving promise to be reversed. Recent reports from Alberta indicate that cattle wintered well and are rapidly acquiring flesh.

This means active competition from Canada for export trade during the fall months. The range man in Alberta has no other outlet for his product than that afforded by the British market. Eastern Canada, with its sparse population, produces enough beef for its own wants and to spare. In Western Canada, as in our own Trans-Missouri region, local markets are usually glutted.

Doubtless the Montana, Dakota and Wyoming range men expect to secure a share of this export trade. If the weather is good enough he will probably get it. The question of fitness is paramount. Last year a range steer fit to cross the Atlantic would have been eligible to a prominent position in a collection of cows.

Canada's northwestern range is not as badly overstocked as ours, consequently, in a favorable season such as this, its cattle ought to move in superior condition, but the long transcontinental haul is a serious drawback. Our ranges are finished much nearer the Atlantic seaboard and facilities for moving them are superior to those existing north of the international boundary.

Canadian range cattle will probably compete with ours for several years to come, but the time is not far distant when range men as we now know them, American and Canadian, will not be in evidence in market circles. The settler on the edge of the line will relegate the industry to an interesting chapter in the history of the North American continent.

TOURISTS MONOPOLIZE BEST HOTEL ROOMS

VIENNA, July 2.—Owing to the numerous complaints of other guests that Jewish tourists during the summer monopolize all of the best rooms of the various hotels and summer resorts and by display of wealth put aristocratic, but less rich guests in the shade, the owners of more than two hundred hotels and resorts in Austria, Germany and Switzerland have entered into an agreement whereby they bind themselves not to let accommodations to people of the Semitic race.

"This may seem unjust," said a prominent hotel man in this city, who also owns a number of Swiss hotels, "but the Jews, and especially the American Jews, who have come over to dazzle others with their display, very often make themselves obnoxious to other guests and often cause considerable trouble. We emphasize the fact that Hebrews are not wanted."

None of us are anti-Semites, but we think that we have as much right to try to keep Jews out of our hotels as the manager of the Waldorf-Astoria, in New York, has to refuse to let apartments to a negro.

Flowers were advocated as a cure for consumption by Dr. Francis Bartlett in a paper which she read before the Botanical Society of Pennsylvania at the University of Pennsylvania.

Experiences of Mrs. A. T. Jones and Mr. Arcand.



MRS. A. T. JONES, of 926 Hayes Street, San Francisco, Cal., writes: "As a child I was delicate, and great care was taken of me because some of my relatives had died of consumption, although my father and mother were healthy. I grew up with only the ordinary diseases of all children, but about two years ago I contracted a severe cold, which would not yield to such home-treatment as was handy. Doctors were tried, but after three months of this treatment I was only worse. Then I was advised to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and am glad to say that three bottles not only cured me of the cold and cough, but made me feel better than I ever had before. I will always have a bottle of this medicine in the house."

A prominent merchant, Mr. J. Alfred Arcand, of 689 Saint Lawrence Street, Montreal, Canada, writes: "I have used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery off and on for nine years. When I have it in the house I need no doctor or other medicine. Nine years ago I was troubled with rheumatism. Your 'Golden Medical Discovery' eliminated the uric acid from the system within eleven months. Since that time I have never been without it in the house. There is no other medicine I think so much of, nor none I think its equal. Every one to whom I recommend it is pleased with the results, and all thank me for advising its use. It is a splendid remedy for stomach trouble; cures colds in a few days, and is the only cure cure I know of for 'La Grippe.'"

laxative; some vegetable pill that will not disturb the system or cause griping. About the handiest and best thing to take at such a time are "Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets," little sugar coated granules, which come in vials and are perfectly harmless to the system. Sometimes a try and get you to take his own make of pills which may contain calomel (mercury), or drugs harmful to the system, whereas the "Pleasant Pellets" are warranted to be composed of vegetable ingredients. If the cold starts with a cough, and it persists, then some local treatment for this condition should be taken. A well-known alternative extract which has been on the market for a great many years, and which has been highly recommended by thousands of users, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This tonic compound is composed of an extract of roots and herbs and has a soothing effect upon the mucous membrane, allays the irritation and at the same time works in the proper and reasonable way, at the seat of the trouble—the stagnated or poisoned blood.

COMMON SENSE MEDICATION.

No one ever takes cold unless constipated, or exhausted, and having what we call mal-nutrition, which is attended with impoverished blood and exhaustion of nerve force. Tonics consisting of large portions of alcohol, iron or cod-liver oil do not bring the desired changes in the blood, because they do not enter the system and are not absorbed into the blood, with the exception of the alcohol, which shrivels up the red blood corpuscles when it does come in contact with them. We recommend this botanical extract of Dr. Pierce's because it contains no alcohol, and offers a reasonable and scientific method of treating the blood, by improving the nutritive functions of the patient. The "Golden Medical Discovery" accomplishes this, by first restoring the enfeebled digestive organs, so that food, the natural tissue builder, may be digested and assimilated. For there is always present in these cases, loss of appetite and lack of sufficient nourishment to replenish the waste of tissue.

PERSONS OF EITHER SEX

Before or after marriage should know themselves. Ignorance of the laws of SELF AND SEX leads to misery and suffering. Do not permit FALSE modesty to deprive you from such knowledge. The Process of Generation, Physical and Mental Properties of the Blood, and the Organs of the Body.

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AN EDITORIAL FOR BOYS ALONE
Just a word, son.
Of course, you are eager to handle your fireworks. You have ten bunches of firecrackers, a half of pinwheels, Roman candles, "go-devils," torpedoes and an explosive cane. You have ten times as much Fourth of July equipment as your father had when he was a boy, and you can hardly wait, you are so anxious to raise merry Edward, and make the very air quiver with noise.
Wait a minute. Don't be selfish. Over on the corner, just a few blocks away, is a hospital. It is full of sick folks. Some of them may never see another Fourth of July. They are in pain now, and noise adds to their agony.
When you jounce that cane on the cement sidewalk and yell at the explosion, the sick folks are going to be hurt as bad as the dentist hurts you when he pulls a tooth.
And perhaps there are sick folks in your neighborhood. Perhaps there is an old woman, who has been in bed for weeks, and who will never get up, because a lot of boys didn't think about her suffering, and kept up such a racket in the neighborhood that her nerves were all unstrung, and nothing the doctor could do would soothe her.
You are big enough to think about those things. You are big enough to mix kindness with your celebration. Don't be selfish. Find out who is sick in your neighborhood, and do the celebrating somewhere else. Go among well people and shout and shoot to your heart's content, but respect the feelings of the aged and infirm, and surely don't touch off a single cracker near the hospital.
If you will think this over and take it right home to yourself, you'll get more satisfaction out of your celebration.
A real American patriot always celebrates, and he does it in a gentlemanly way. He doesn't scare the baby or throw torpedoes at the horses. He does not fire a toy cannon at a dog or injure any of his playmates.
You'll remember? Bless your heart, of course you will. Run along and have just as much fun as you can crowd into one day.

SHAW'S ARGUMENT
There are indications that one of Mr. Cortelyou's first official acts will be to suppress Secretary Shaw. This amiable gentleman has, to use an administration figure of speech, been running amuck on the stump. His repeated statement that he is thankful prices are high in this country has not met with much enthusiasm among his hearers. The laboring man sees little cause for satisfaction in the fact that his wages may be slightly higher now than formerly, because he is compelled to pay out all the net gain and more in foodstuffs, the increase in the prices of which has by far outstripped that in his wages. He doesn't see why he should toss his hat in the air and hurrah himself hoarse over republican policies when they fill the pockets of the manufacturer and middle man instead of his own.

Secretary Shaw is a man of exceedingly narrow views, and he doesn't seem to be able to put himself in the wage earners' place. He is a man of wealth himself, most of which was made in Iowa, loaning eastern money to the farmers at high rates of interest. The difference in the rate he paid the easterners and what he got from the farmers went to Shaw, and constant yearly accumulations of this finally made him a very rich man. In so far as a man that collects interest money is a wage earner Mr. Shaw is one. And in the same degree he is able to get the laboring man's point of view.

Mr. Cortelyou is a laboring man, and so very recently has he risen from the ranks of the toilers that he appreciates the weakness of Secretary Shaw's kind of argument. He knows that he can talk till he is black in the face without convincing the man that works that he is better off now than previously, if the man owes money to the grocer when formerly he did not. The test of prosperity to a person is not what his wages may be, but this: Has he any more money in the bank or is his financial

affairs in any better shape under the so-called prosperity than before?
Cortelyou knows by this test that laboring people are not as well off now as they were when prices were lower, and he knows that Secretary Shaw is making a mistake in feeding his hearers the kind of argument that a child among them can recognize as fallacious. Secretary Shaw, if he continues, will neutralize the efforts of any other ten spell-binders the republicans may turn loose during the campaign.

A DEAD TYRANT
We can not see in the assassination of General Bobrikoff, the czar's representative in Finland, "the deep damnation of his taking off," as those of the Russian official circles who are mourning his death seem to see it.
Assassination is only justified as to tyrants. And Bobrikoff was a tyrant.
That brutal soldier was put over Finland and given a free hand in the unholy task of destroying the liberties of a nation. He was to Russianize Finland, and he did it in the most cruel and blood-thirsty manner. By deportation, by confiscation of property, by secret and hellish means, by the ruin of families, by pillage and murder he did the will of his master.

Poor Finland deserved a better fate. Since 1809—when the country became subject to Russia—each czar has guaranteed autonomy to these people. They were permitted their own parliament, their own army, local government, schools, language. Nicholas also swore an imperial oath to the same intent. But his tool, Bobrikoff, has swept away the last vestige of everything that was Finnish.

Since the imperial decree putting an end to the independence of the Finns, more than two hundred thousand of that country's best and bravest have come to the United States. Many of these were the leading men of the nation—educated men, the flower of the country—and they were compelled to leave on a few hours' notice. Their property was confiscated.

Is it any wonder the instrument of such foul tyranny should die?
And not less guilty—but more—is that Czar Nicholas, who broke his imperial oath and sent Bobrikoff.

In a dispatch from Chicago it is claimed that Paul Morton's friends say that whatever the result of the coming election he will remain in President Roosevelt's cabinet only until March 4, 1905. It is said Mr. Morton so informed the president when he accepted the portfolio. Mr. Morton, his friends say, is not giving up his railway connection, but leave of absence has been granted him for nine months, at the end of which time he will again be vice president of the Santa Fe system. His present salary is \$30,000 a year. The politicians here can not understand why Mr. Morton should accept a cabinet position for only a few months, unless it should be for a political reason. Word has been received here from Morton to the effect that he will be in Washington tomorrow prepared to qualify as secretary of the navy.

The Texas exhibit at the World's Fair has stood the test of fire, and is now confronted with a lack of funds. Few doubt that it will overcome the latter as easily as it resisted the former. Just where the \$30,000 needed to come from, we are unable to say, but we have an abiding faith that it will come from somewhere. There is comfort in Paul Waples' assertion, anyway, that the Texas building will close on the last minute of November 30, and not till then.

The military experts in Texas, of whom there are several hundred thousand, might possibly confer a favor on the remainder of the people of the state if they would, for awhile, turn their attention from the Russo-Jap war and formulate a plan of campaign against the mosquitoes that have stormed and taken almost every city in the state. Here is a field for the strategist that will exhaust all his cunning.

The war department ought to get Perry Heath to solve the "pants" problem for the Igorrotes at St. Louis. Perry is an authority on this useful article of apparel. He appeared at the republican convention of 1896 with no less than thirty-three pairs. Being a little out of under the limelight just now he might welcome this opportunity to display himself in its glare.

Who would ever have guessed that the prohibitionists would swoop down on Texas and pick out a vice presidential candidate without a word to anybody? Swallow and Corral is an euphonious combination, and offers a world of material to the paragrapher with a leaning toward puns. Further than that we can say nothing. Never heard of either one of them till day before yesterday.

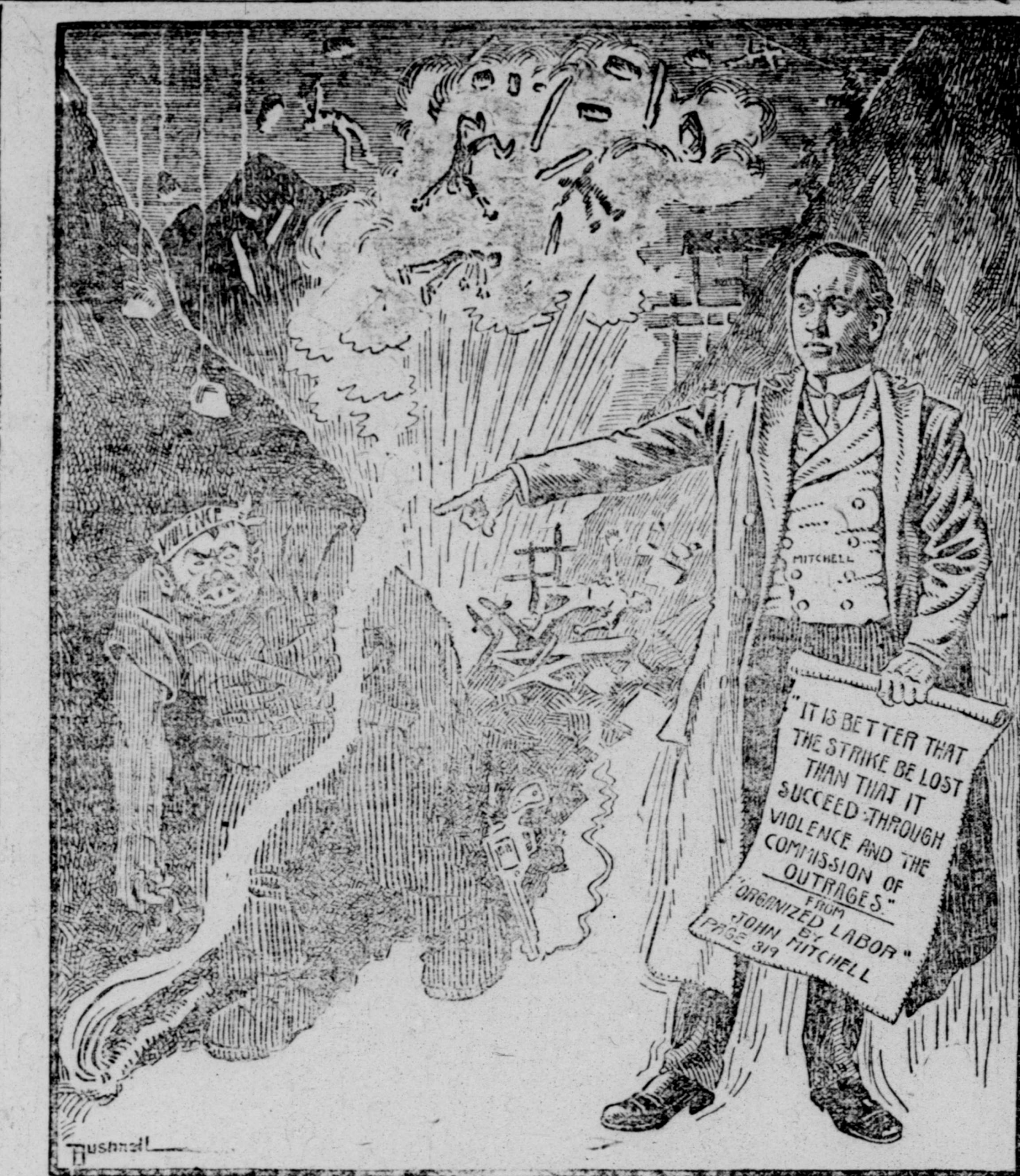
Talk runs the gamut of all the other candidates before the St. Louis convention and comes back to Grover Cleveland with a frequency that is startling. Stranger things happen every day in Fort Worth than that he should be the nominee of the democratic party for the third time.

Grover Cleveland, E. O. Benedict and Joe Jefferson have gone a-fishing. Think of any one giving up that for a mere presidency.

The folk boom has been launched in Illinois, and there didn't anyone break a bottle of wine over its bow, either.

The man who hopes to write the great American drama can obtain much valuable information at St. Louis this week.

The head line is already up: "Maimed by the Deadly Toy Pistol."



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MURPHY OF TAMMANY

From Pittsburg Dispatch.
Charles F. Murphy, grand sachem of the Society of Tammany, or the Columbian Order, merits having turned upon him the blinding light of the spotlight, as he is the political artist of a palmarose dalliance kind, green-tinted jealousy, or of red and yellow colors of other significance. He is confabulating with great democratic statesmen and traveling from place to place, confiding mighty names and views and drifting the anti-Hill forces to defeat Father that his green was the worst. Mr. Murphy has instructed Tammany leaves and underlings to hold themselves ready for any emergency, and to be ready to take the lead in the choice of the members. It is conceded that even if Murphy's few months of rule protected him into a presidential quarry the grave doubt of his eligibility would accompany his defeat. But as a stalling horse the effort sent of General George B. McClellan is admirable.

Murphy preaches his high personal education for Judge Parker and affirms that it is his duty to see that the judicial gentleman is not ousted by a convention of his party from all of New York declared its undivided loyalty to his cause. It was ever thus with Tammany. Always in the local canvasses, it is against the leading candidate and always it gets worsted and becomes an object of suspicion. When nationally campaigns were interlarded with presidential elections in New York Tammany enjoyed to the utmost the national ticket for its own retention in radiance power in city hall and the Wigwam.

Murphy succeeded Richard Croker to the control of Tammany after that gentleman retired to Wantage abroad to escape the constant reiteration of the query, "Where did he get it?" It was not a disease to which allusion was made unless the accused thief for gold is the main thing. Murphy has indeed rehabilitated Tammany and made the old voracious and underhanded Tiger quite a respectable beast, with moral ideas of abstaining contrast with his past record. He had kept a saloon in the Gas House district of New York, located at Second avenue and Twentieth street, and in that dispensary he implied wisdom and practical philosophy from the Hennessys of the vineyard. He was a saloon keeper of principle, for he transacted all his party business outside the establishment, and observed the doctrine that the voters under his leadership need not contribute to his personal gain by drinking at his bar. The aldermen and assemblymen lived near and about the Gas House district, and were adjusted for constituents. He is known as a good husband and father, and in private life of more than average steadiness. Finally he retired from the saloon enterprise with fair competence and devoted all his energy to Tammany.

He has been an athlete all his life, and followed all the phases of the sport—boxing, baseball, rowing and now indulges in golf. He reads newspapers and magazines, but prefers to accumulate his utilitarian information at first hand by word of mouth. His boon companion is J. S. Cram, a Harvard man, and this furnishes a funny comment, as Harvard men at present are decidedly chummy with political personages in either party. Murphy and Cram are always seen together, sometimes afoot on Fifth avenue's crowded walks, or again speeding through the parks behind the rich chums' trotters. Murphy married in the Gas House district and maintains a fine home there. He is of immense physique, smooth faced, alert in movement and reticent as the judge whose ambition it is his now engaged task to defeat. Nothing is left of saloon habits, and many doubt that the polished Murphy of the Wigwam ever conducted such an establishment in a district where roughness must have been an essential element of control. He wears glasses, and the expression of the face is thus made more stern. The whole impression is that of a leader, a boss.

And it was by the timely assertion of personal leadership that Murphy won his advancement. He drove Big Chief Devery from Tammany when that boaster was drawing fees from the Tenderloin resorts and defying in uncouth phrase all efforts of Low's administration to reform him or the precincts entrusted to his charge. Croker had shown complacency when Devery's dismissal was demanded, and Murphy's reluctance to sign his "death

SEEKS DIVORCE FROM MILLIONAIRE WHO DESERTED HER SO SHE CAN RE-WED A PENNILESS PLUMBER

SAN FRANCISCO.
Ada Miller will cast aside a millionaire's fortune for the love of a poor plumber. But the divorce courts will first have to undo the matrimonial tangle that now separates the young woman from her husband's estate.

In 1900 when Mrs. Miller was a simple country girl, she married George William Miller, the son of a Brooklyn millionaire. The rich young man soon fell in love with her, and his ways did not suit his bride, who promptly told him so. He was of persistent in her objection that he finally left her and Mrs. Miller came to California.

Shortly after her arrival here she received news of Miller's death. Last year she met William F. Eichler, a poor plumber. It was a case of love at first sight. After a very short courtship they were married. But the honeymoon had scarcely passed, when news came that Miller was alive and that he had inherited the wealth left by his father. The young woman investigated the report and found it to be true.

She immediately had her marriage to Eichler annulled, but this step was only preparatory to a suit for divorce from Miller on the grounds of desertion, and remarriage to Eichler.

Mrs. Miller still have no difficulty in securing a divorce, but after the signing of the interlocutory decree a year must elapse, as required by the laws of California, before Mr. Eichler and Mrs. Miller can be married again.

Mrs. Miller will make no claim to any of her first husband's money and has already refused to consider any proposition for a settlement. She says she will not accept a single penny of her husband's great fortune, preferring poverty with the young plumber, whom she will wed as soon as the law's delay will permit.

Her present fight against Belmont, the accredited financier of the Parker movement; Hill, the assumed Warwick of the affair, and McCarran, the former boss of Brooklyn, has had some extraneous elements that added him from the start. The popularity of Hill has been sedulously nurtured for years by the press, though selfishness has been the sole charge that the most patient investigator could find lodged against him. In ability and decency private life he towers far above most of his detractors, and it is a mystery on the outside why Tammany should revolt against so loyal a party man unless his own selfishness dares not encounter him. Senator McCarran has been deposed in Brooklyn and it will be recalled that he provoked Murphy into exposing the reasons, which their victim has thus far left unspoken. Murphy simply asserted that McCarran had refused to drill because he expected to lift the lid in Brooklyn and had received positive instruction that Tammany meant to keep its faith. Commissioner McClellan bore witness that Murphy's exposure of McCarran was correct. Those who know the witty Irishman, who has been assistant secretary of the navy, place full reliance in what he tells of official action as police commissioner in New York.

As a politician Murphy is of the extremely practical sort, and he uses up-to-date methods of organization. Tammany is a marvelous machine, working on blue under orders issued at the last moment. District enrollment embraces every member, and the most anxious tab is kept upon the assertion of the elective franchise. Murphy has insisted on polling bases and early voting. No routine de listie in France is more rigorous than Tammany when saving the city. Even the rampant partisans of the opposition admit that Murphy has made Tammany so respectable by his reforms that some of its most cultivated and well-to-do members now visit the Wigwam and mingle in a democratic way with the boys.

Such is Murphy of Tammany. He spends much time upon the details of his leadership. He rules not by magnetism or jolly-boy methods, but by iron will. The members believe in his resources and trust his word. It is not likely that Tammany will either control or disrupt the St. Louis convention. It has no use for Bryan or radicalism. It is not devoting much time to the platform. Its campaign is personal and one of premature revenge. The defeat at Albany is to be avenged at St. Louis. Good maneuvering may be disclosed, but such a fight is not apt to succeed. Tammany is a bad odor with the party and its past conduct exerts a repellent force. That it might foist Cleveland upon the ticket so as to win under the aegis of his name would not surprise, but what a mockery of the past would be Tammany with Bourke Cockran praising Grover Cleveland!

MAYOR ARRESTED FOR DISTURBANCE

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PARIS, July 2.—An announcement in the "Journal Officiel," the other morning of the removal of the mayor and several municipal officials and magistrates of Nevers from their posts is the sequel of an amusing scene which took place in the town.

A young doctor, well known in the town, was married a few days ago, and the night before his wedding he gave a farewell bachelor party to twenty-five of his friends.

After dinner the doctor and his guests sallied out into the quiet streets and began to shout and sing.

When the police arrested the uproarious party they were astonished to find that the midnight revelers included the mayor, the local captain of gendarmes, the local receiver of taxes, two magistrates and a county councillor.

With pain in their hearts, the policemen did their duty and conveyed the party to the police station, there charging them with creating a public scandal in the streets.

The result is the notice in the "Journal Officiel."

IN THE SAME BOAT
"I wish," said the man whose chair was tilted against the coalbox, "that I had all the money William Randolph Hearst has used up in his presidential hunt."
"Much good would that do him," said the man on the cracker barrel.
"Oh, I dunno," drawled the other man. "He'd be just as close to the presidency as he is now."

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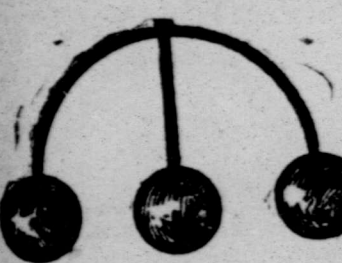
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ANIMAL LIFE PRODUCED BY A SCIENTIST

Indiana Man Claims That He can Produce Animation by a Combination Which is Secret

ANDERSON, Ind., July 2.—Spontaneous generation of animal life in the form of insects was apparently accomplished and demonstrated by Dr. Charles W. Littlefield in his laboratory in this city in the presence of professional men. The demonstrations were repeated for the benefit of skeptics. Littlefield withheld the formula of his compounds, but stated that two were used. One was as near as possible to protoplasm, while the other was a solution of common salt, distilled water, aqua ammonia and alcohol. The union of the two compounds, the scientist explained, arrested and controlled the vibrations of luminiferous ether, producing animal life.

A few drops of the milk-white fluid were placed on glass in an air tight case on which a powerful microscope was focused. As if boiling from the liquid, innumerable minute black objects rapidly appeared. Muttering and flying about the liquid in the case, in appearance they suggested the smallest specimen of gnats. While one experiment was being made the apparatus became aflame. Dr. Littlefield said he would make captives of others and undertake to nourish them on a higher culture to ascertain if possible what they might propagate.

About one year ago Scientist Littlefield says he developed atoms of life germs in crystals of salt, which were subjected to ether chemicals.

Since then Dr. Littlefield has experimented to produce higher forms of life, and witnesses today believe his assertion that he has succeeded beyond all doubt.

SPECTRE HAUNTS GIRL TO DEATH IN RIVER

Brooding Over the Trouble She Caused Another She Ends Her Life

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 2.—Haunted by the specter of the woman she had wronged, Ruth Teachout, aged 18, of Minneapolis, is reported to have ended her own life by drowning. Her body, found in the Mississippi river, in this city, had floated the ten miles from Minneapolis.

A year and a half ago Miss Teachout left Minneapolis with H. W. Taylor, deputy auditor of Hennepin county. They went to Chicago. When Mrs. Taylor learned of the departure of her husband and the girl she went to Miss Teachout's home to see her family. While returning to her own home Mrs. Taylor shot herself three times, dying as the result. Subsequently Miss Teachout returned to Minneapolis, but always appeared worried because of the tragedy.

She had lately been attending a Minneapolis business college. She left home for the college last Saturday. This was the last seen of her alive. Her hat and parasol were found on a rock in the river near the shore in Minneapolis. Her family feared that she had ended her life and notified the police.

G. N. Teachout, grandfather of the dead girl, and a sister identified the body in the St. Paul morgue today. Miss Teachout's relatives are convinced that she purposely drowned herself. The fact that the ribbon she wore about her throat had cut into the flesh through the swelling of the body suggests the theory of murder, and the police of the twin cities are working on it. If the girl was murdered there is as yet no clue to the criminal or his motive.

GERMAN WOMAN IS ACTIVE IN ATHLETICS

(Copyright, 1904, by W. R. Hearst.) BERLIN, July 2.—The German woman of the moment is strenuous in her athletic activity. Spring and summer have called with no uncertain voice to the living, pulsating creature known as the modern woman.

Riding, golf, swimming, motoring, fencing—all these find room in the daily program of the vigorous society girl, who in her healthful dissipation has found the sovereign remedy for ennui.

At the moment the golf links are her special attraction. She has decided already that she shall be hatless. Hats are apt to get in the way.

They often spoil a drive, and they blow about mercilessly in the wind and—"they look like taking care of one's health, which is very bad form nowadays."

Society girls are indulging in strange crazes. Smoking teas are the order of the day in exclusive clubs, and they have even learned to appreciate the American cocktail, which is becoming immensely popular in Berlin.

Even in fashionable restaurants the sight of young ladies smoking cigarettes and drinking in full view of the public is no longer unusual.

SEEKING HER HUSBAND SHERMAN, Texas, July 2.—County Clerk Ellis is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Lester McCaul of Crowell, Texas, in which she makes inquiry concerning her husband, who she states sold a farm in Greer county, Oklahoma, and on February 11 left for this county ostensibly to purchase a farm near Whitesboro. Since that time nothing has been heard from him. She seems much distressed and asks that the records be searched to see whether he has ever made any transaction in this county.

LAST CAR OF POTATOES SHERMAN, Texas, July 2.—Probably the last car of potatoes to be shipped out of Sherman this year went over the Katy Friday night. Inquiry shows that the total shipments amount to about 130 cars.

OFFERS GORMAN BUTTONS TO CROWD

The Guesser Is Plunging Heavily on the Maryland Man for President

ST. LOUIS, July 2.—Outward and visible signs are already abundant that when the democratic national convention assemblies here next week St. Louis will be called upon to entertain the largest crowd ever gathered within the city's gates. At all the large hotels every available room has been reserved in advance, and it is difficult to figure out how accommodations will be provided for the swarms of visitors who have not been wise enough to look out for a place to sleep before their arrival here.

The thousand regular delegates to the convention will be distributed among the leading downtown hotels, all of them having a shooting gallery of the Coliseum, where the convention will be held. Within one block, at the Jefferson hotel, the national committee and several of the state delegations will be located. The headquarters of the Tammany delegation will be at the Southern hotel, a part of the New York delegation will be located at the Jefferson. The Southern will also be the headquarters for the Maryland, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Michigan and Georgia delegations.

On account of the fact that the delegations from the most important states will have their headquarters there, and because of its far-famed rotunda, the Southern, in all probability will be the headquarters of the convention. The convention is not in session. The Planter hotel will accommodate the West Virginia delegation, but most of its rooms have been pre-empted by United States senators, governors and other distinguished politicians. The Hearst headquarters are at the Planter. The national committee, as before stated, are located at the Jefferson, and that hotel will also shelter the delegations from Nebraska, Kansas and Wyoming.

It is not expected that the great number of delegates will be here before Monday morning. The majority of the rooms at the hotels have been engaged with this understanding. The outside visitors, however, are already putting in an appearance in large numbers. It is estimated that the crowd will be twice and perhaps three as large as that at the recent republican convention at Chicago. This expectation is based on the fact that the World's Fair will naturally attract thousands of visitors who might not take the trouble to attend the national convention if it were not for the opportunity of taking in two big shows for the price of one admission. Then, again, the politicians generally will come to the convention because of the probability that the gathering will develop into a spirited contest of the good old-fashioned sort with plenty of oratory, sharp debates and political intrigue.

The finishing touches were put on the convention hall this morning. Thousands of flags and miles of red, white and blue bunting have been used to give a gala appearance to the Coliseum, both inside and out. The leading hotels and business houses of the downtown section are likewise putting on holiday attire.

The belief here is that the convention will not be able to conclude its session before next Saturday, at the earliest, and there are many politicians who are inclined to the opinion that the session of the convention will be even much more protracted.

The vendors of badges and buttons bearing likenesses of several candidates for the presidential nomination, and without whose presence no political convention nowadays would seem complete, are rounding up in St. Louis in anticipation of reaping a good harvest. It is estimated that several carloads of buttons have been shipped to the city by eastern manufacturers this week. "Bim," the original button man who was famous for Gorman buttons on hand and expects that there will be a great demand for them, particularly after the convention has completed its work. The wisecracker says that "Bim" is following a Gorman button man who has about a ton of Gorman buttons on hand and expects that there will be a great demand for them, particularly after the convention has completed its work. The wisecracker says that "Bim" is following a Gorman button man who has about a ton of Gorman buttons on hand and expects that there will be a great demand for them, particularly after the convention has completed its work.

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TWO CHILDREN DIE IN TRAIN COLLISION

Horse Became Frightened at a Fast Moving Freight and Dashes Into It

PARIS, Texas, July 2.—At 7 o'clock this morning Collie and Lillie Calvin were driving near the Shiloh street crossing. The horse became frightened at an incoming freight train and dashed into it. The horse was killed and the buggy torn to pieces.

The girls are sisters of E. A. Calvin, a member of the legislature from this county.

INSURANCE MAN DIES IN LOUISVILLE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 2.—W. C. Nelson, secretary of the Kentucky and Tennessee Board of Fire Underwriters, and widely known throughout the south, died suddenly of heart failure at his residence in this city early today.

Colonel Nelson was born in Little Rock, Ark., sixty-three years ago. He served throughout the civil war in a Mississippi regiment, and at the close of the struggle returned to Little Rock and engaged in the insurance business. Subsequently he held responsible positions in Atlanta, Nashville and New Orleans. He was prominent in Masonry and retained a membership in the commandery of Knights Templars at New Orleans at the time of his death.

ARMENIANS ASK UNCLE SAM TO HELP THEM

Appeal to the United States to Put a Stop to the Massacres in Turkey

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Secretary Hay today received the following cablegram from Persia:

"Ishpahan, July 2.—The Turkish barbarians are massacring thousands of Armenians. We humbly solicit the United States government in the name of Christianity and humanity to save the innocent lives."

"ARMENIAN BISHOPS IN PERSIA."

FRISCO OFFICES TO BE MOVED THIS CITY

Amendment to the Charter Which Changes Headquarters From Paris

AUSTIN, Texas, July 2.—The St. Louis and San Francisco Railway Company has filed an amendment to its charter this morning, changing its Texas headquarters from Paris to Fort Worth.

Monday will be observed as a legal holiday in the state capital and all the departments will be closed. Mr. Lanham will speak in Burton on the fourth of July.

The state purchasing agent awarded a contract to Swift & Co. of Fort Worth for furnishing the state institutions with mutton, lard, ham and butter for the next year.

The Jefferson Navigation Company, with a capital stock of \$5,000, was granted a charter today. Their purpose is to run a line of naphtha boats between Jefferson and New Orleans.

NOT MUCH Mrs. Bankers—"Oh, come out to the barnyard, William, and see the farmer watering his stock."

Mr. Banker—"No, Julia, I came out here in the country to forget business."

LIVING EXPENSES First Chaplain—"Do you think two can live as cheaply as one, old fellow?"

Second Chaplain—"Not if the girl smokes cigarettes, too, yer know."

DISABLED IN ONE DAY Proprietor—"The new office boy telephones that he is sick."

Stenographer—"Sick of work, I guess."

LADY-LIKE Princess—"I suppose Romance is all right; but then he is so effeminate—a regular sissy!"

Griggs—"But he isn't aware of it. He was telling me the other day he couldn't understand why the brakeman always assists him on and off the train."

BLACK HORSE LOST Lost—Black horse, over sixteen hands high, about 8 years old; has skinned place on each hip about size of half dollar; has wire cut on one of fore feet. Liberal reward if returned to S. P. Maddox, city hall.

FREE TRIP TO THE WORLD'S FAIR

On September 1 we will absolutely give away two round trip tickets to the World's Fair, over the best, the quickest and the most enjoyable of roads running out of Texas, which, of course, is the "Cotton Belt Route."

How to Obtain these Free Tickets

With each \$1.00 cash purchase, or with each \$1.00 paid on account, we give you a coupon ticket bearing a number. Write your name on coupon, tear off and drop coupon in sealed box at our office.

No.	No.
RHODES-HAVERTY FURNITURE COMPANY.	Keep this ticket; it may be worth dollars to you. With every \$1.00 (one dollar) cash purchase or collection you are entitled to one ticket, and on Sept. 1, 1904, we will give away A Round Trip Ticket over the Cotton Belt Route to the World's Fair, good for thirty days.
Tear off this stub, write your name on the back and drop in the box.	RHODES-HAVERTY FURNITURE CO., Third and Houston Streets.

On August 31 the following gentlemen, Mr. A. J. Sandegard of The Fort Worth Record, Mr. J. S. Cresswell of the Fort Worth Telegram, Mr. A. A. Glisson of the "Denver Road," Mr. J. M. Adams of the "Cotton Belt," shall decide how many coupons shall be drawn from the box before the winner is declared. For illustration, they decide that the twenty-fifth coupon drawn shall be the first winner and the fiftieth coupon drawn shall be the second winner. The person holding the numbered ticket corresponding with the number on coupon will be announced in the papers of September 1, and parties holding these tickets can call at our office and receive railroad tickets. For further information call at our new store and we will take pleasure in explaining more fully and in showing you our new and up-to-date store and stock.

Rhodes-Haverty Furniture Company

W. C. HATHAWAY, MANAGER.
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THIS SHOULD REMIND YOU THAT The Great Colorado Chautauqua

AT BOULDER, opens July 4 for Five Weeks, and that you cannot be better entertained elsewhere. It is but one of a THOUSAND ATTRACTIONS ever available in "COOL COLORADO," and

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IS THE ONLY LINE AFFORDING EITHER Double Daily Through Trains or 24-Hour Service From Texas!

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Phone 229. Call 700 Main. Write. Ask Us, We Know. JNO. M. ADAMS, C. P. & T. A.



For the Tourist who desires to unite pleasure with comfort at moderate cost. For those Seeking Health in the balmy and invigorating Lake Breeze. For the Business Man to build up his shattered nerves. Three sailings each week between Chicago, Frankfort, Northport, Charlevoix, Petoskey, Harbor Springs and Mackinac Island, connecting for Detroit, Buffalo, etc. Booklet Free. JOS. BEROLZHEIM, C. P. A. Chicago

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A Shrewd Schoolboy
whose available cash
is a brass button, will

sometime trade him-
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ship of a watch; and
when he grows up he

becomes a "Captain
of Industry." Grow-
ups, through the "For
Sale" & "Exchange"

Columns, have much
better opportunities
for barter than the
"shrewd" schoolboy

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JUST A FEW LEFT—
\$17.50 Suits for \$3.45
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\$12.00 Suits for \$6.95
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WANTED—100 men to buy a pair of
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WANTED—By man and wife, to cook on
extra bridge gang or ranch. Address
102 1/2 West Front.

WANTED—White man used to farm or
dairy work. German or Swede pre-
ferred; \$15 per month, room and board.
Call at Daggett Place, on Maddox ave.,
or phone 2331.

WANTED—Your pants to press at 10c.
Suits pressed, 50c. Phone me. Call
Rate Tailor. New phone 693. 403 Main.

PHONE 837 for electric fans to rent.

WANTED—A boy, about 15 years old,
in a retail store. Must be bright and
active. Address, own handwriting, Boy
Telegram.

**THE left hind foot of a grave yard
rabbit is a purely fictitious good-luck
charm.** Telegram want ads have
displaced it.

NOW IS THE TIME for you to get a
good business education. The Nelson-
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a thorough course in all commercial
branches and let you pay your tuition
after you have completed the course and
accepted a position. Call today at college
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TRUSTWORTHY person, each district, to
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house; \$20 paid weekly; expense money
advanced; position permanent; experience
not essential. This is no deception. Man-
ager, 820 Como Bldg., Chicago.

MR. CONDUCTOR, let me off at A. &
L. August's, Clothiers.

WANTED—Energetic man to manage of-
fice for large manufacturing company;
salary \$1,500 per annum and extra profits;
must furnish \$1,000 cash and good refer-
ences. Superintendent, Twelfth and John-
son streets, Chicago.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE
SUMMER RESORT
Drinks of all kinds served at

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WANTED!

Every lady in town to look at our
"Insurance" Gasoline Stoves. No pos-
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operate them.

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W. C. Hathaway, Mgr., 3d and Houston

WANTED—Chambermaids, at Metropol-
itan hotel.

WANTED—White girl or lady to do
light housework in small family, at
306 Royal avenue.

WANTED—At the Brewery Exchange
boarding house, a colored woman to
work in kitchen.

WHAT you want and what you will get
are two things which grow to resemble
each other after you have used these
want ad columns.

WANTED—Females to work city; \$50
per month guaranteed. Opposite opera
house, 311 Rusk street.

DON'T overlook the Stein, Block &
Co. \$20, \$25 suits for \$14.95. A. & L.
August.

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TRAVELING SALESMAN—One good
man for each state; experience unne-
cessary, just hustlers. Permanent. Good
pay. Liberal running expense account. E.
M. Arthur Co., Detroit, Mich.

WANTED—High class specialty salesman
to sell attractive proposition to the
general trade; Commission of one man
for May over \$750. Barton-Parker Mfg.
Co., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

TRAVELING SALESMAN in Texas by
large wholesale house. Position perma-
nent to right man. Apply with refer-
ence. Drawer S, Chicago.

TAKE a hint and get one of August's
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eral trade; commission of one man for
May over \$750. Barton-Parker Mfg. Co.,
Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

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BOUND ELECTRIC CO. for bells and
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WANTED—Everywhere, people to copy
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cratic Primaries, July 9**

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For Supt. of Schools
W. M. TRIMBLE

For Sheriff
E. M. (BUD) DAGGETT

For County Attorney
JORDAN Y. CUMMINGS

For County Attorney
JEFF D. McLEAN

For Commissioner—
W. Z. CASTLEBERRY.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms,
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Fifth.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms,
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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, for
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ROOMS, single or en suite. 1003 Lamar
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PHONE BOUND for electric fans; 837.

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnish-
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Phone 2785.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms for
light housekeeping. Inquire 315 East
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rooms completely furnished for light
housekeeping, bath and phone. No chil-
dren. Call before 1st at 709 W. Belknap.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms,
for rent cheap. 807 Burnett street.

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnish-
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FURNISHED ROOMS with fans, \$2.00
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southern exposure; one suite of rooms
for light housekeeping; references. Mrs.
Speer.

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FOR SALE—Cheap, for cash, five-year-
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in the city, 550 subscribers, located in
the best residence district. Will
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equipment for running a dairy; with
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new; \$15.
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One set Lord's carriage harness, in
good condition.
One set double survey harness.
One set double back harness.
Twenty-five-dollar buckskin side sad-
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J. A. CLARY, Manager,
600 Houston Street.

A GENUINE BARGAIN—Well drained
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Price \$250; \$10 cash and \$10 per month.
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FOR SALE—Big bargain for cash in new,
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Dairy Food takes your place.

LOST—Paper carrier's route book. Finder
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Return to this office for reward.

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FOUND—On stock yard car, bunch of
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No. 1134. Owner may have same by
paying for this ad.

LOST—Fox terrier dog, white, with
black face and black spot on right
side. Name, Stubby. Reward for re-
turn to W. Rounds, 827 Cannon avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—A 4 or 5-room
cottage within walking distance of
Stripling's. State price and particulars.
Address, A. B. C. care Telegram.

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REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

113 Sixth Street.

interesting particulars as to the appetites which come to half-frozen men on long sledge expeditions. Hunger proved a dreadful nightmare, some of the men having horrible visions of tempting dishes. It is questionable if anything could compare in the way of hardships suffered to this form of modified starvation on such trips.

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LATE NEWS BY CABLE FROM FOREIGN CAPITALS

KAISER WILLIAM WROTH AT EMPRESS

She Received in Private Audience the Delegates to the Women's Congress

DOES NOT SYMPATHIZE

He Believes That Their Place Is in the Home and Not in Public Life

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BERLIN, July 2.—The Kaiser has not yet quite forgotten the empress that she received in private audience a number of the delegates to the International Congress of Women, who advocates principles the Kaiser strongly opposes.
It is said that he even left the palace all day when the progress-loving women were expected, and that a certain coolness has arisen between the imperial couple since then.
The Kaiser has very old-fashioned ideas regarding women, and is a bitter enemy of the admission of female students to the colleges and universities of Germany. He maintains that woman's sphere is bounded by the walls of her home, and has repeatedly said that the ideal German woman should have no higher ambition in life than to become the mother of many and sturdy sons capable of bearing arms.
While she was younger the empress agreed with her husband on this subject, but during later years she has followed the development of woman's progress with considerable interest, much to the sorrow of her imperial spouse.
In spite, however, of all the government has done to discourage women in government service, the number of women who have entered the railroad, telegraph and telephone service is rapidly increasing, and they have given far better satisfaction than their male competitors.

POPE PIUS IS AN UPPER SILESIA POLE

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BERLIN, July 2.—A paper in German Poland has succeeded in proving to its own satisfaction that Pope Pius X is an Upper Silesian Pole.
Some time ago, the paper says, a farmer entered the store of a merchant Spychalski, in the village of Oppeln, and said that he knew a Sister of Mercy at Open Pest who was born at Boguschnetz, and who recently asked a member of his family to send her certain papers, which she claims prove that Pope Pius is a direct descendant of a Pole by the name of Krowetz, who emigrated to Italy during the time of the Napoleonic war.
As the Italians could not pronounce his Polish name, he translated it into Italian, and was afterward known as Sarto (tailor), the family name of the present pope. Probably no one will be more surprised to learn this than his holiness himself.

POLICEMAN'S DOG FINDS MURDERER

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BERLIN, July 2.—A dog belonging to a policeman in Brunswick has recently discovered a murderer.
A tumbler named Duwe has been arrested and has confessed that he had murdered an 11-year-old girl, daughter of a widow, Mrs. Bebenroth. The dog was taken into the room where the murder had been committed, and Duwe, with a number of other suspects was brought in. The dog had no sooner laid eye on him, when it made a rush for him, and would have bitten him but for the interference of its master.
Twelve Duwe was removed and allowed to change his clothes, but the dog again picked him out.
There was no other evidence against him, and he could probably never have been convicted if he had not confessed.
The spider can spin threads throughout life. It has the ability of producing different kinds of silk, according to the object for which it is needed.

KING EDWARD RATHER BORED AT THE MEETING

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BERLIN, July 2.—The meeting between the Kaiser and King Edward, though apparently very cordial, failed, however, to efface the lack of personal sympathy between the two monarchs, and as for political results, it might as well not have taken place at all.
The reception given the king of England by the people was more than cool, and all the cheering was done by the soldiers and marines, who performed it as they perform any other duty, with perfect precision.
That King Edward was rather bored by the whole affair outside of the interest he has in the sportsman, took in some of the events of the regatta, was evident to every one who watched his expression.
With his keen sense of humor, he, however, is said to have greatly enjoyed an incident which took place on board the Hohenzollern.
After luncheon the Kaiser, who wanted to smoke a cigar on deck, could not find his pocket knife.
A young officer hastened to offer one to his majesty, who cut off the end of his cigar and returned the knife to the officer, saying in his most serious manner, "Keep it and guard it well—some day it will be historic."
King Edward, who overheard the Kaiser's words, is said to have made heroic efforts to keep from bursting out laughing, and fortunately succeeded so well that his imperial nephew did not notice anything.

WRITING AN ESSAY ON SHAKESPEARE

German Journalist Visits Tolstoy and Tells of His Present Occupation

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BERLIN, July 2.—A German journalist who has just returned from Russia, where he visited Count Tolstoy on his estate, Yasnaya Polyana, writes that the great author and philosopher is in most excellent health, and if possible works harder than ever.
He is at present busy writing an essay on Shakespeare, or rather against Shakespeare, for the count hates the English playwright most cordially.
He accuses him of having been an insufferable aristocrat, whose heroes all belonged to the higher classes, and who invariably ridiculed all artisans which figure in his plays.
The essay will be finished and published before the end of this month.

GIRLS' COLLEGES MAY CLOSE THEIR DOORS

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GENEVA, July 2.—All the girls' colleges and private institutes may be forced to close their doors at a premature time this year owing to the epidemic character of a new and mysterious disease popularly called the "shaking sickness," which has attacked hundreds of young girls from all parts of the world who are finishing their education in Vevey, Alaudreux, Lacaux and Evian.
No cure is known which has any effect on the disease which commences with headaches and slight nervous tremors which increase until the victim becomes helpless and, in extreme cases, paralyzed. Prominent physicians believe that the disease is a form of spinal meningitis and closely related to the "spotted sickness" in America.

WELL KNOWN ADVOCATE OPENS VEINS IN ARM

TAMSK, July 2.—Feodor Romanovsky, a well known advocate and rationalist, has committed suicide at Irkutsk by opening one of the veins in his arm, and leaving a record of his sensations preceding death.
He had for twenty years preached that suicide was the most courageous and honorable end for a man threatened with infirmity and old age.
After making a hearty meal he opened an artery in his left wrist and applied a ligature, so that he could stop the bleeding when he chose.
Taking a sheet of paper he noted down his mental impressions as exhaustion came on. Just before the end he wrote: "This, I expect, will be my last note. I am indescribably happy and serene. There is a sweet taste in my mouth and a pleasing blue vapour over everything.
"I can not stir from my chair and satisfy the thirst which is coming on me."
A curious thought comes to me. Is it not strange that millions of men and women wept because a few hundred men died on a Russian ship?

THE ROYAL VISIT TO ETON COLLEGE

Lady Henry Somerset Describes This Most Brilliant Pageant

THE SECRET OF YOUTH

Old Age Microbe Discovered and Put to Flight by Pasteur Professor

BY LADY HENRY SOMERSET.
(Copyright, 1904, by W. R. Hearst.)
LONDON, July 2.—No more splendid pageant has been seen than the royal visit to Eton College, which has been so long talked of and which took place the other day.
The little town of Eton was gay with flags and banners, and the old college was decorated with pennons of Eton blue, from every tower and turret.
The governing body received the king and queen. The various ceremonies over their majesties descended to a pavilion, which had been erected by the water side, and the procession of boats commenced.
The scene was one of the most picturesque that could be imagined. The royal barge, built 215 years ago, glittered in the sun, with its richly-gilded and carved figure-head, the crown and royal arms being painted in red, and the oars colored scarlet.
The old craft is of oak and is as sound today as when first launched. The crew were dressed in the ancient beef-eater costume, with the gold crown and royal cipher on back and front, scarlet breeches and black velvet caps. A crimson canopy adorned the stern, under which the royal party took their place.
The procession of boats, manned by the Eton boys, followed the royal barge. The little lads were in their blue jackets, and as the king passed they tossed their oars and cheered again and again.
In 1449 Eton College was founded by Henry VI, under the title of "The College of the Blessed Mary of Eton Beside Windsor." The original foundation consisted of a provost, ten priests, four clerks, six choristers, twenty-five poor grammar scholars, a master and twenty-five poor, infirm men.
The king provided for the college out of his own estate. Some of the buildings were finished in 1443, but most of them were only completed as late as 1523, when a supplementary charter was given. Eton has long been considered one of the colleges to which the sons of great houses were almost invariably sent, but nowadays I think that it numbers as many sons of the nobles as those of illustrious descent; but there is no doubt that the spirit which has always been maintained in the school is one that is likely to kill. In the boys, an exuberant exultation in fortuitous circumstances.
It has been related that a boy who had recently arrived there was asked by a group of elder youths what his name was. He replied: "My name is Lord Blank, and I have just come."
"What, who else are you?" was the question.
"My sister is Lady Blank," he said.
"My father is the Duke of Blank," he said.
"What more want more?" they asked; and by-and-by they fell upon this seignior of a great house and with many shouts said: "Here's a kick for Lord Blank, and one for your sister; and there's three for your father, who is an earl, and four for your grandfather, who is a duke; and if you ever give yourself any more airs we will do it all over again."

Another story is related of the eldest son of an earl who arrived at Eton with a splendid dressing case, with gold fittings. No sooner had the eyes of his companions laid upon these splendours than they fell upon them and threw every bottle out of the window.
The boy grew up to be a man, and has often said that he was glad of that incident, for it taught him more than anything else in his school days.
Is it true that eternal youth is no longer a dream, but that the old-age microbe having been detected, this unwelcome visitor can be put to flight?

KEEP EYES OPEN FOR SPIES FROM AMERICA

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BERLIN, July 2.—Several large German trade papers in editorials warn German manufacturers to keep their eyes open for American spies who have been sent over here to try to discover certain secrets of manufacturing, which the Americans are anxious to possess. Especially busy are these spies in china and earthenware factories, and all manufacturers of goods of this kind are informed of the mission of a certain Henry Burgess of Trenton, N. J., who is now displaying unusual interest in china factories, and who carries a letter of recommendation from the American Vice Consul, Paquet.

visitor can be outwitted?

Professor Metchnikoff, of the Pasteur Institute, has written a book to prove that our bodies are a perpetual battle ground between the enemies of our race and the defenders of the human citadel, and the result of his work goes to show that old age is a chronic disease which can be cured like any other, although the remedy has not yet been found.
In a recent lecture, which has produced a sensation in Paris, the professor gave the welcome news that old age, both in man and beast, would eventually be overcome; that it was produced by certain physiological conditions, the result of the overproduction of a certain kind of cell, known as macrophages, innocent and even beneficial in small numbers, but injurious when they increase beyond a certain point.
Old age, therefore, is the result of a battle between the good and the bad elements of the human organism, an active struggle for supremacy on the part of the phagocytes, who form the protective element, and the macrophages, who are the invaders.
For instance, said the professor, in studying the action of the hair, which on turning gray, gives the first visible signs of old age. "I found that colored hair was full of minute particles at pigment. At a given moment the cells of the hair become agitated, they come out of their torpor and devour all the pigment in their reach."
These cells are another variety of the macrophages. They are filled with colored particles, and, becoming active, proceed to move, some, however, traveling through the body, and some leaving the system, taking away with them the pigments of the hair, which naturally turns white.

I wonder will the world be any better when youth is perennial? Is not old age the porch on which we rest until the tired spirits go, at the calling of our Father, into the court of His eternal temple, gladly leaving this tabernacle of toil?
But among those who appear to have discovered Professor Metchnikoff's secret, we must certainly reckon Mme. Adeline Patti, the concert singer.
Recently in the great Albert Hall the English public had again an opportunity of welcoming the Baroness Cederstrom, best known as Adeline Patti.
That wonderful voice filled the vast building and thrilled her audience of yore, and it was impossible to believe that the singer, whose fresh and bird-like notes had that great concourse of people spellbound, had already attained more than sixty years, for the slight figure and the wonderfully youthful appearance seemed to belie that fact, as well as the glorious voice.

I was told some years ago, by one of the most eminent throat specialists in the country, that the formation of Madame Patti's throat was distinctly different from that of any one whom he had ever seen; that it was more like the shape of a bird's throat than that of a human being, the column being perfectly straight and the tonsils abnormally small.
Probably Madame Patti enjoys the distinction of being one of the few great singers who are contented to sing to an audience of one. Some years ago in America Madame Patti was compelled to disappoint her public one night.
The weather was bad, and she decided that she dared not risk the cold, and it came about that the diva spent the evening quietly in her room at a hotel. This was a new and quiet way of behaving, presently destined to be broken by the sobs of a child, and Patti immediately went to see what the trouble was and from whence came the sorrowful sounds. She found a little girl, crying alone because, the weather being bad, she had not been allowed to go to the concert, and her mother had gone to hear Madame Patti sing.
Without saying who she was, Patti asked whether if she sang to the child, it would comfort her.
The tear-stained eyes looked up into hers and rather grudgingly the child said perhaps it might. It seemed, however, to the little one but a poor substitute for the great prima donna.
Presently Patti began to sing. The child was so enchanted that she encored again and again and another song was given, and at last it dawned upon the little one, who, with wide open eyes looked at her and said, "Why, you are Madame Patti!"
The vision of the great singer thus devoting her talent to comfort one sorrowful child must have remained with her all through her life.

It is refreshing to find a man with a strong sense of fairness. All honor to Mons. Curie, who shares with his wife the distinction of being the discoverer of radium, and who seems to be a man that has a fine perception in social things, as in scientific research.

Mons. Curie recently refused the decoration of the red ribbon because he does not see why he should be decorated if his wife is not similarly honored.

LOUISE MICHEL MOVES A CROWD

Addresses Huge Audience in Place de la Bastille With All Her Old Power

HER DYING UTTERANCE

Women Bend Before Her and Kiss Her Hands—Time Has Softened Her

(Special Cable to New York American and Journal.)

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PARIS, July 2.—Louise Michel, the famous petroleuse, who was falsely reported dead some time ago, and who actually came very near dying at Toulon, has once more proved her power as an orator in this city.
Scarcely recovered and exceedingly feeble she addressed a crowd on the Place de la Bastille the other day and moved her listeners to tears.
Her speech, which she called "On the Threshold of the Great Unknown," was entirely different from her old revolutionary speeches, but it was touchingly pathetic and delivered in a masterly manner.
When it was over many women went down on their knees before her, kissing her hands and cut pieces from her clothing to preserve them as relics.
Time had softened the female advocate of fire and murder, but she still believes in the necessity of a revolution which she declares is not far off and her only sorrow is that she is too old to hope to see the new order of society which will arise from the ashes of the present unjust system.
She has now returned to London, where she says she will quietly await her end.

THE HORSE OF THE GREAT NAPOLEON

(Copyright, 1904, by W. R. Hearst.)
PARIS, July 2.—In a room of the National palace, which had not been opened for many years, is an interesting relic, evidently left there from the time of the old Museum of the Sovereigns. It is nothing less than the charger of the great Napoleon.
The horse, which the emperor had stuffed, is in excellent condition and of great beauty.
It is white, with brown spots, rather small and is branded on the left hip with N. surmounted by the imperial crown.
During the second empire this horse was offered to the French government by the Society of Natural History of the city of Manchester. The offer was accepted, but until now the whereabouts of this interesting historic relic had been unknown.

PRINCE OF BOURBON IS A CORRESPONDENT

(Copyright, 1904, by W. R. Hearst.)
PARIS, June 2.—Prince Jaime de Bourbon, the son of Don Carlos, who is now commander in chief of a Russian cavalry division in Manchuria, in spite of his arduous military duties finds time to act as war correspondent for a French magazine.
He has written a series of most interesting letters in which he greatly praises the courage of the Japanese.
He says that on one occasion he approached in a boat with several Russian officers and men to take off some Japanese who were clinging to the masts of one of their sunken fireships outside Port Arthur.
Seeing that they were about to be taken prisoners, the Japanese, one after another, either blew out their brains with revolvers or cut their throats with pocket knives, and fell into the water rather than surrender.
The prince says that the caliber of the Japanese army rifle is so small that when it does not kill outright the wound caused by the bullet does little harm.

After the battle of the Yalu most of the Russian wounded were able to walk alone and unaided to the field hospital.
Life is a process of fermentation.

SAINT-SAENS GETS OFFER TO PLAY

Famous Composer Approached by Country Manager With \$1.25 Contract

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PARIS, June 2.—M. Camille Saint-Saens, the famous composer, who has just returned from London, where he was present during the rehearsals of his new opera, "Helene," at Covent Garden, tells the following amusing story:
He went one night with some friends to a small music hall in a suburb of the city, and as the pianist was a very poor player, M. Saint-Saens took his place during an interval, and improvised so marvelously that the audience forced him to accompany all the songs during the rest of the evening.
At the close of the concert the manager approached the great composer and offered to pay him the magnificent salary of \$1.25 a night if he would sign a contract with him.
"I am very sorry," replied Saint-Saens, "but it would not pay me. I get \$2.50 a night in Paris."

EXPLAINS SUCCESS OF GENERAL KUROKI

(Copyright, 1904, by W. R. Hearst.)
PARIS, July 2.—The great success of the Japanese General Kuroki has been explained.
The now famous general is a Frenchman, according to a Paris paper.
It appears that during his stay in China a certain M. Joseph Curique de Sierck had a love affair with a beautiful Japanese woman, who bore him a son, and this son is no other than General Kuroki.
This is the statement made by M. Curique, a retired customs official, who says that his brother, Joseph Curique, often told him of his liaison with the Japanese girl whom he met while attached to the staff of General Cousin de Montanban, in 1859.
There is, however, one circumstance which makes General Kuroki's French parentage a little doubtful. He is said to be 72 years old. Rather odd when his parents met for the first time only forty-five years ago.

HUNGARIAN COUNT AND A GIRL WITH MILLION

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VIENNA, July 2.—The following advertisement which is inserted daily in several Vienna newspapers may be of interest to all members of the million dollars in loose change and a desire for a title:
The offer of marriage reads:
"Imperial Austrian Hungarian Count, 33 years old, Roman Catholic, wants to marry a suitable lady of any faith with \$1,000,000 dowry. Wife could become lady-in-waiting at court. Communications to be sent to E. Bergmann, Odeanasse 7, Vienna."
Investigation here has shown that the ad has not been inserted by a member of the notorious marriage syndicate, but is absolutely bona fide and comes from a member of the Hungarian upper house, formerly in the diplomatic service.

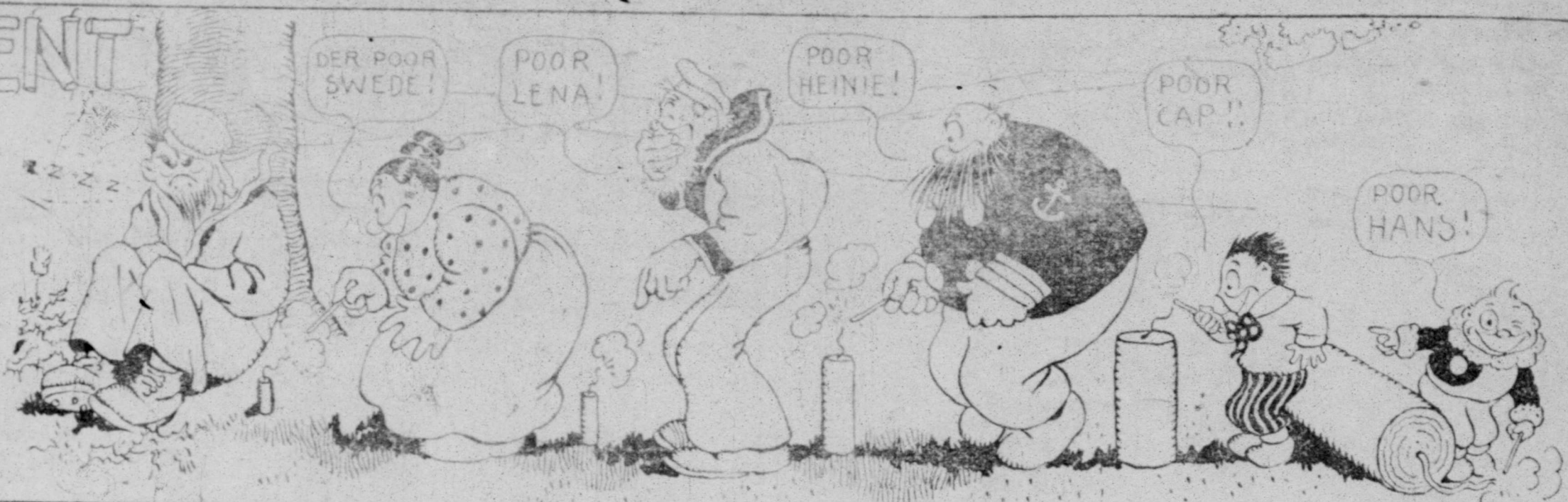
SULTAN ABDUL HAMID ON VERGE OF INSANITY

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BERLIN, July 2.—Sultan Abdul Hamid is declared to be on the verge of insanity and a state of terror is reported reign at Yildiz Kiosk, where a number of officials have been executed, suspected of having conspired against the life of the sultan.
It is impossible to get exact facts, but the grand vizier is said to have discovered that certain members of the harem had been approached by dissatisfied officers of the guard and that a plan had been laid to poison the sultan.
Several inmates of the harem have been tried, the Bosphorus and Abdul Hamid is said to be afraid to take any nourishment, even if the food had been sampled by the chief cook in his presence.
His condition is now reported to be such that it may be necessary to place him in a padded room that he shall not be driven to commit suicide by despair.
Life is a process of fermentation.

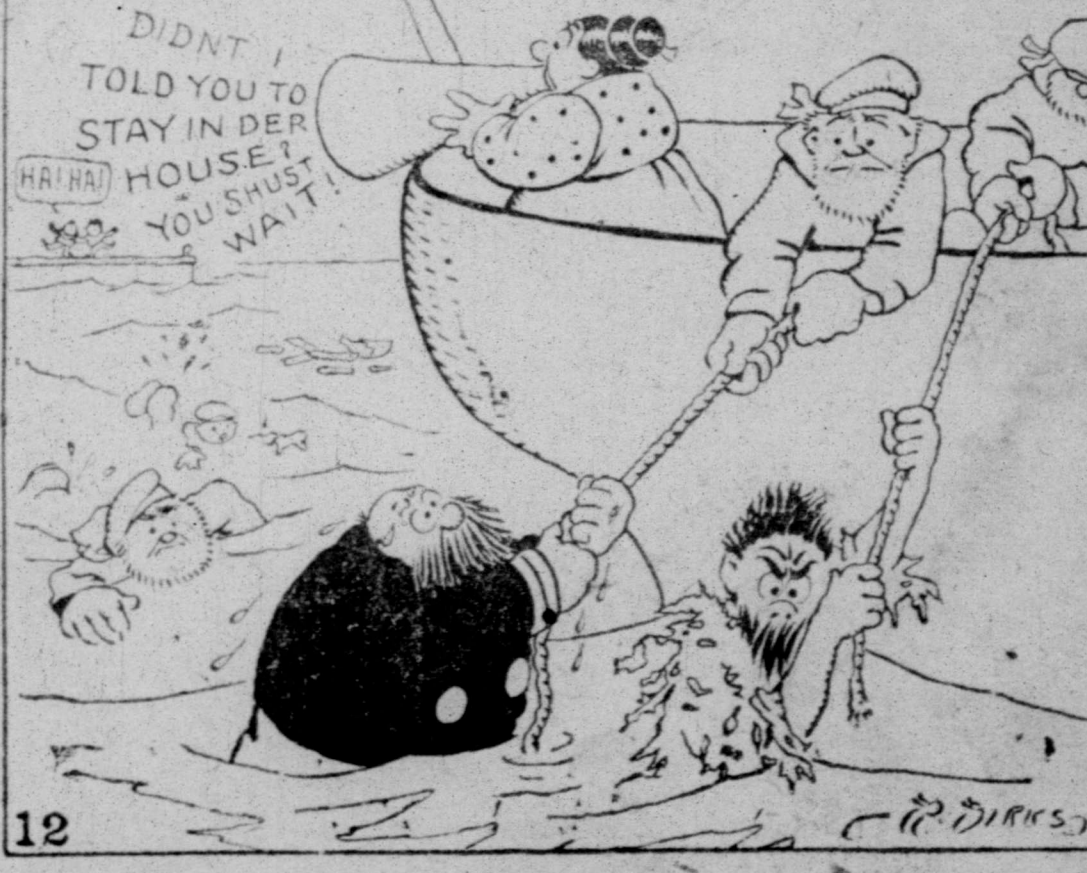
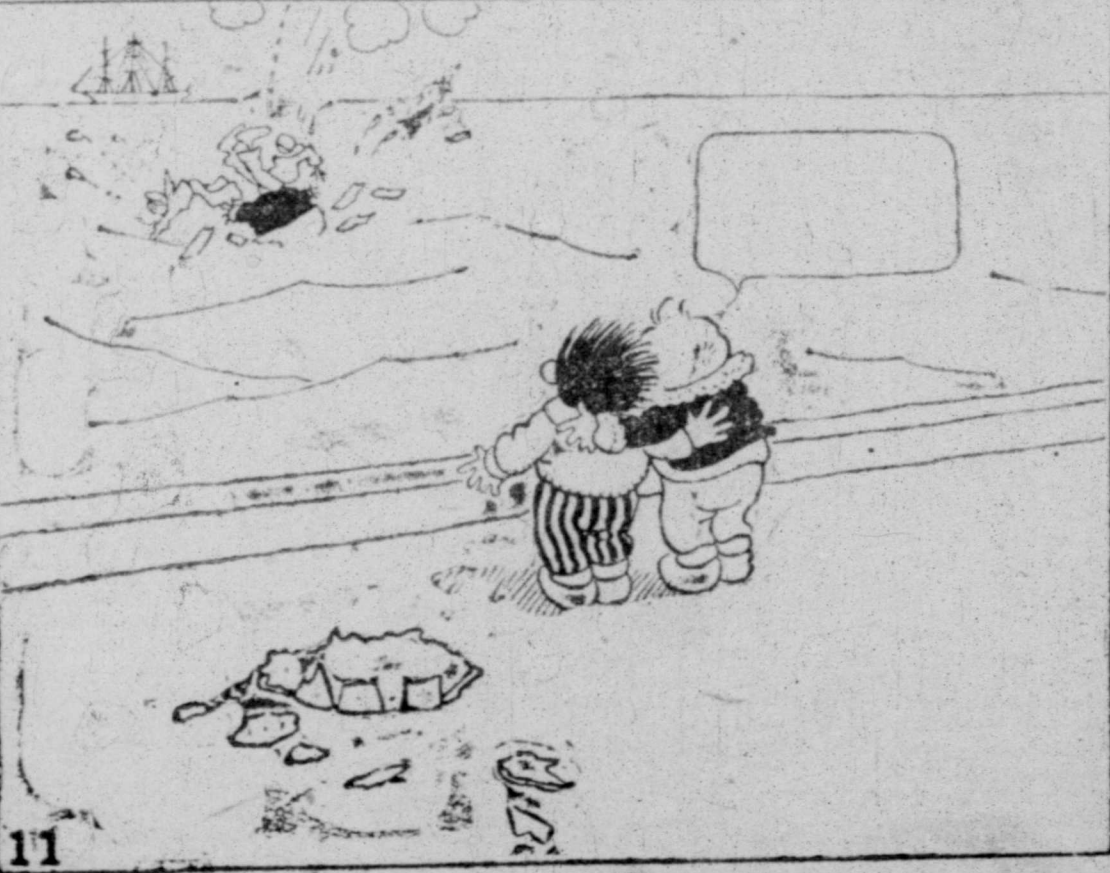
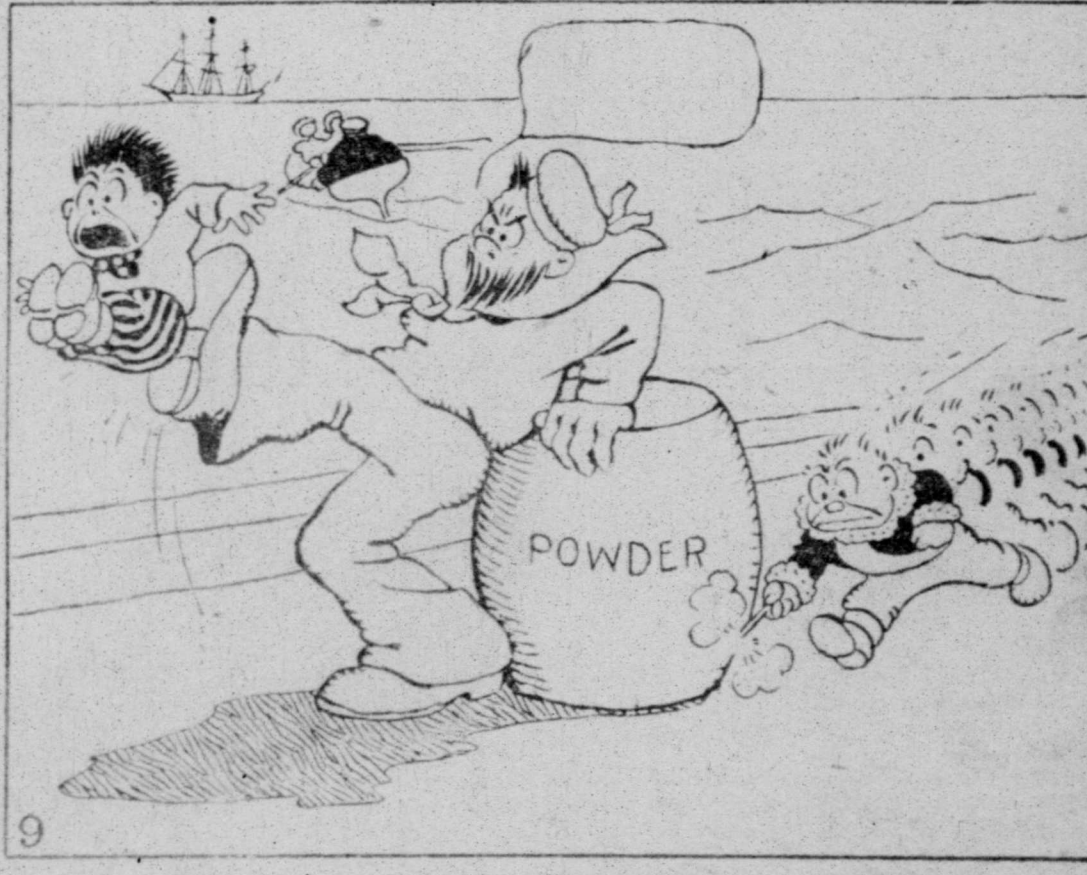
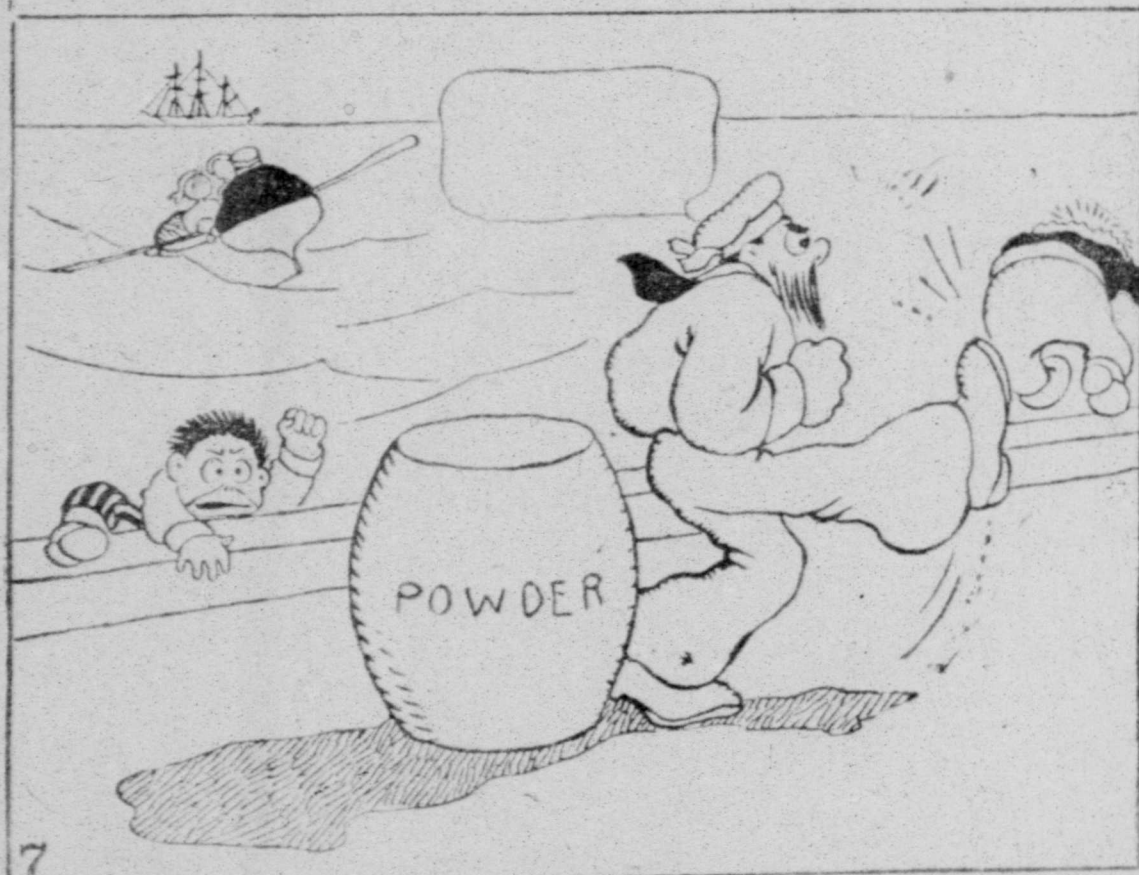
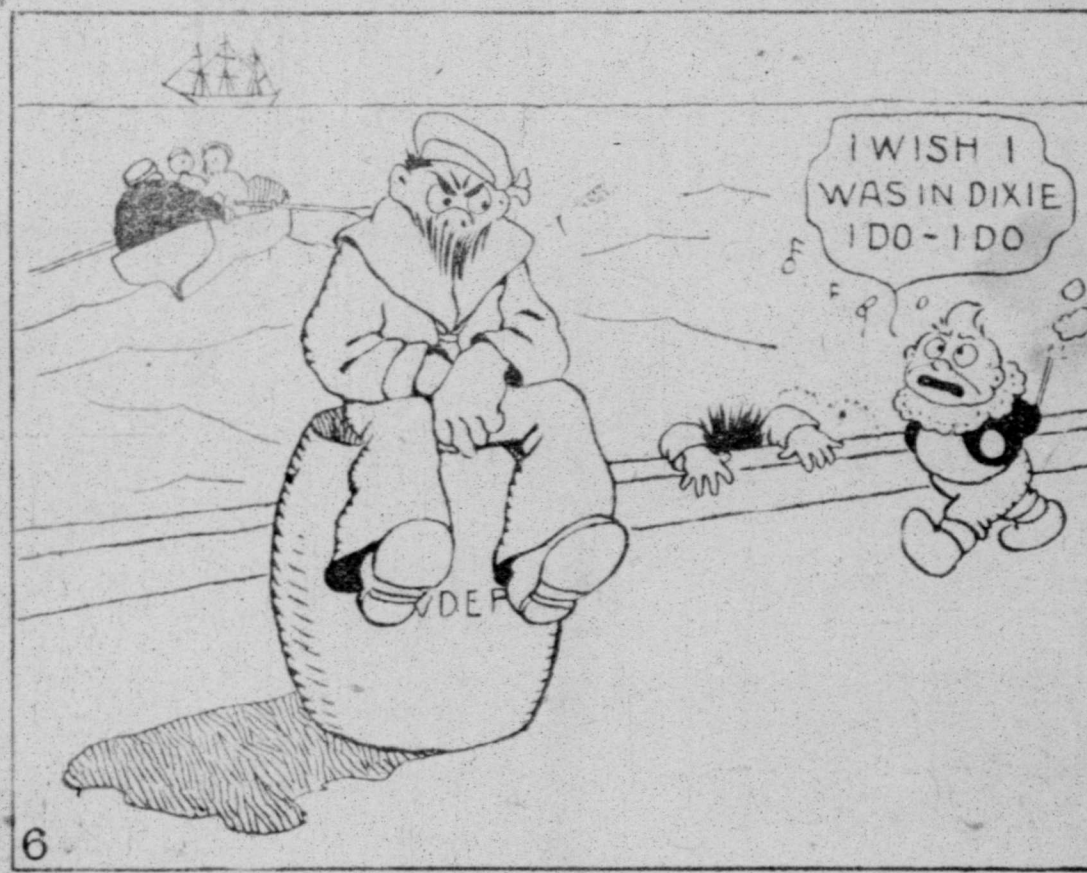
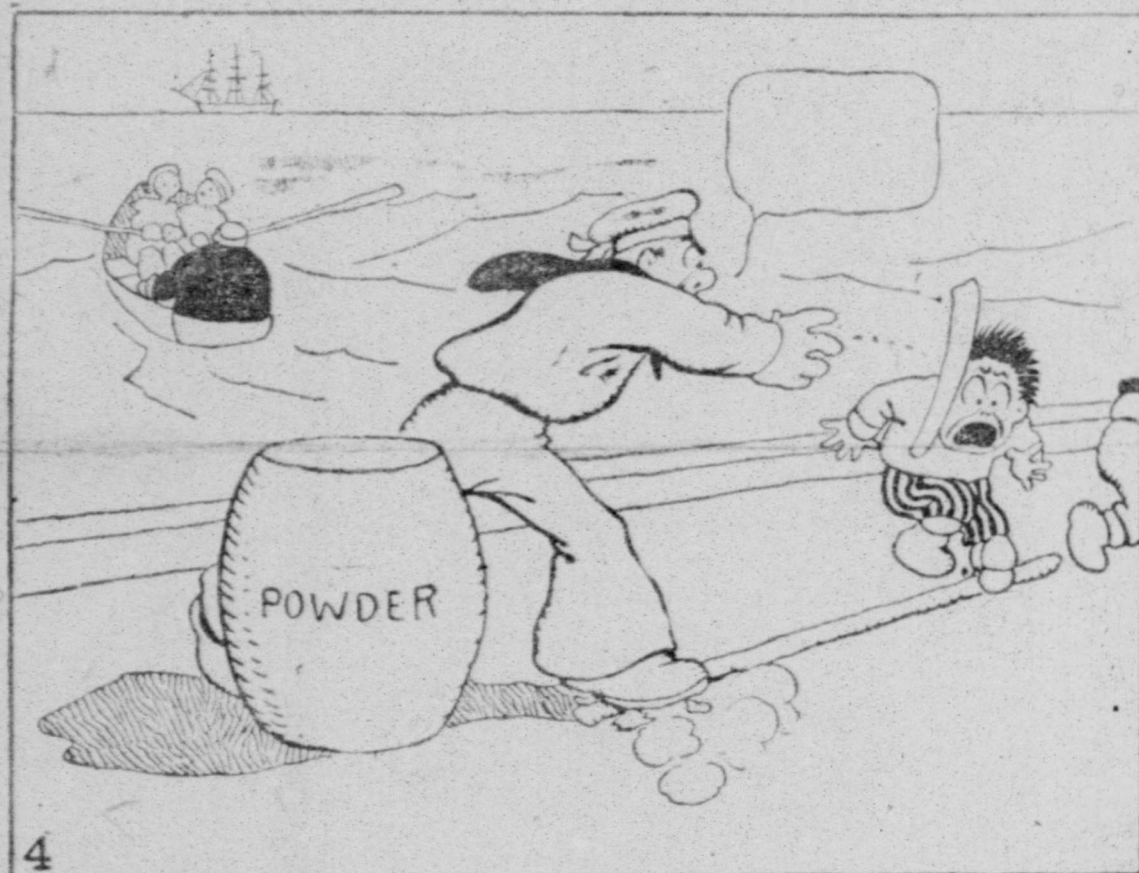
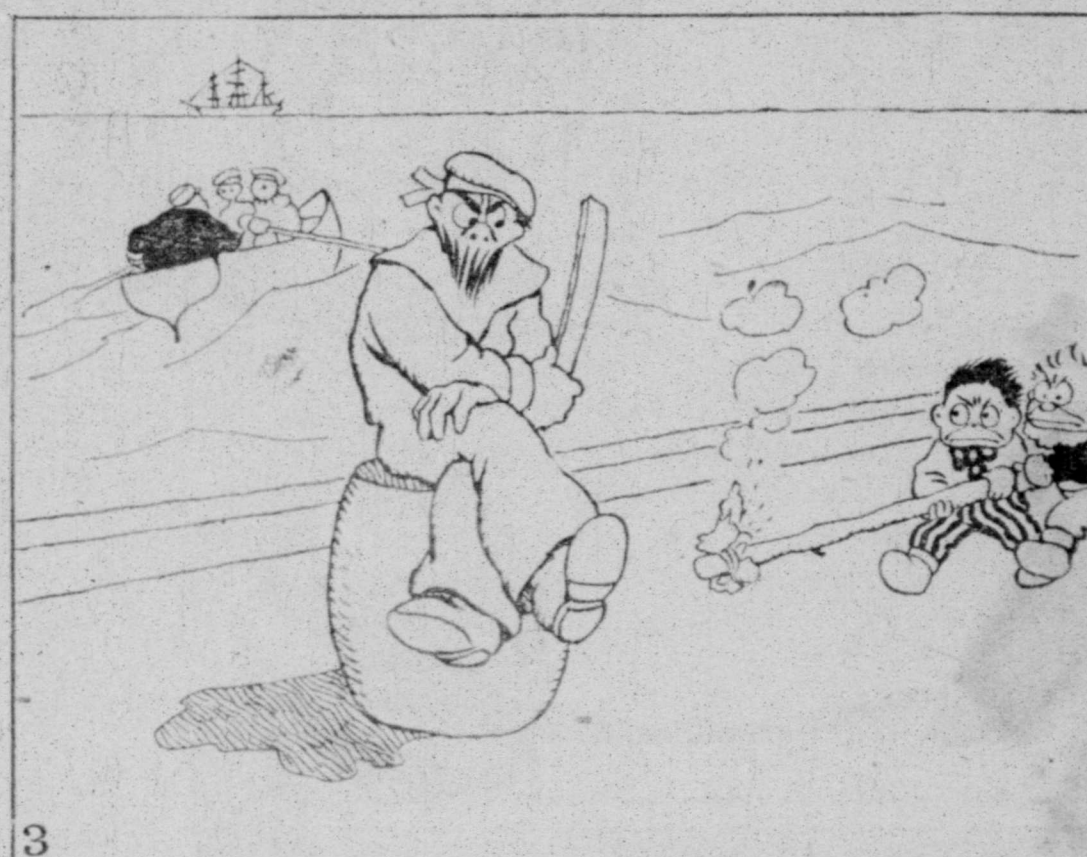
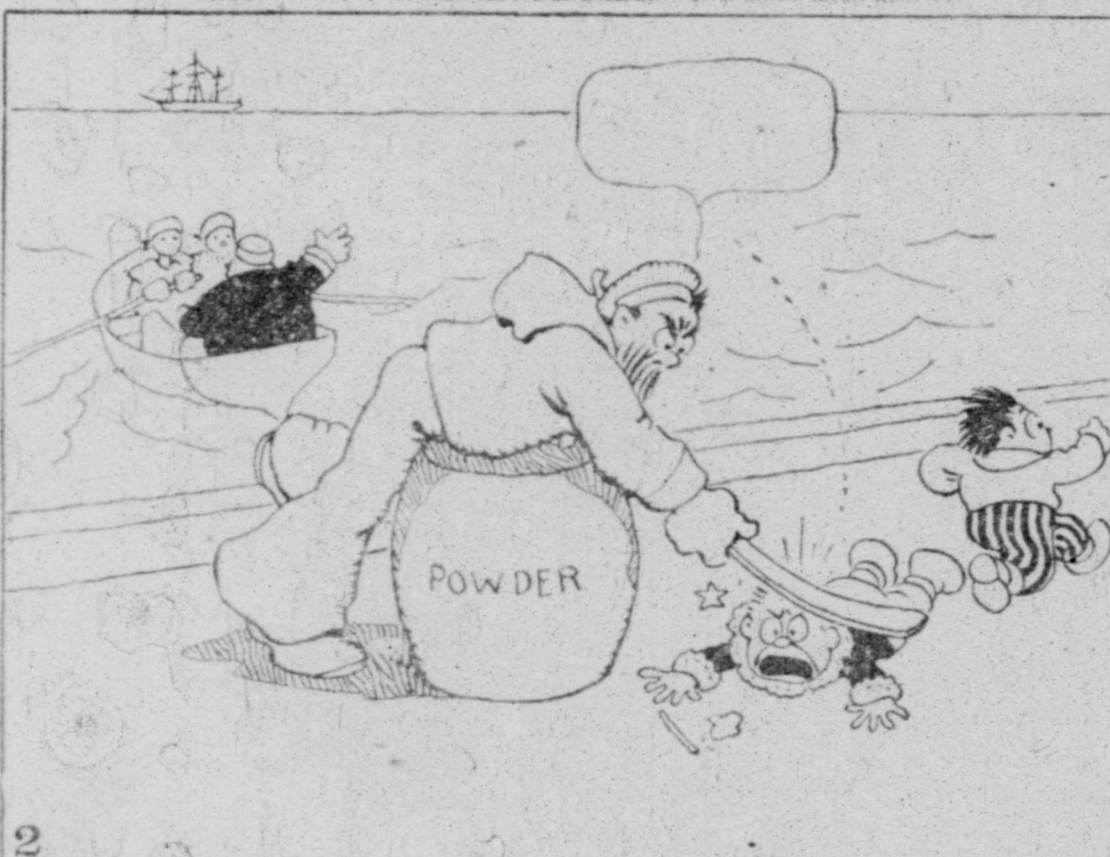
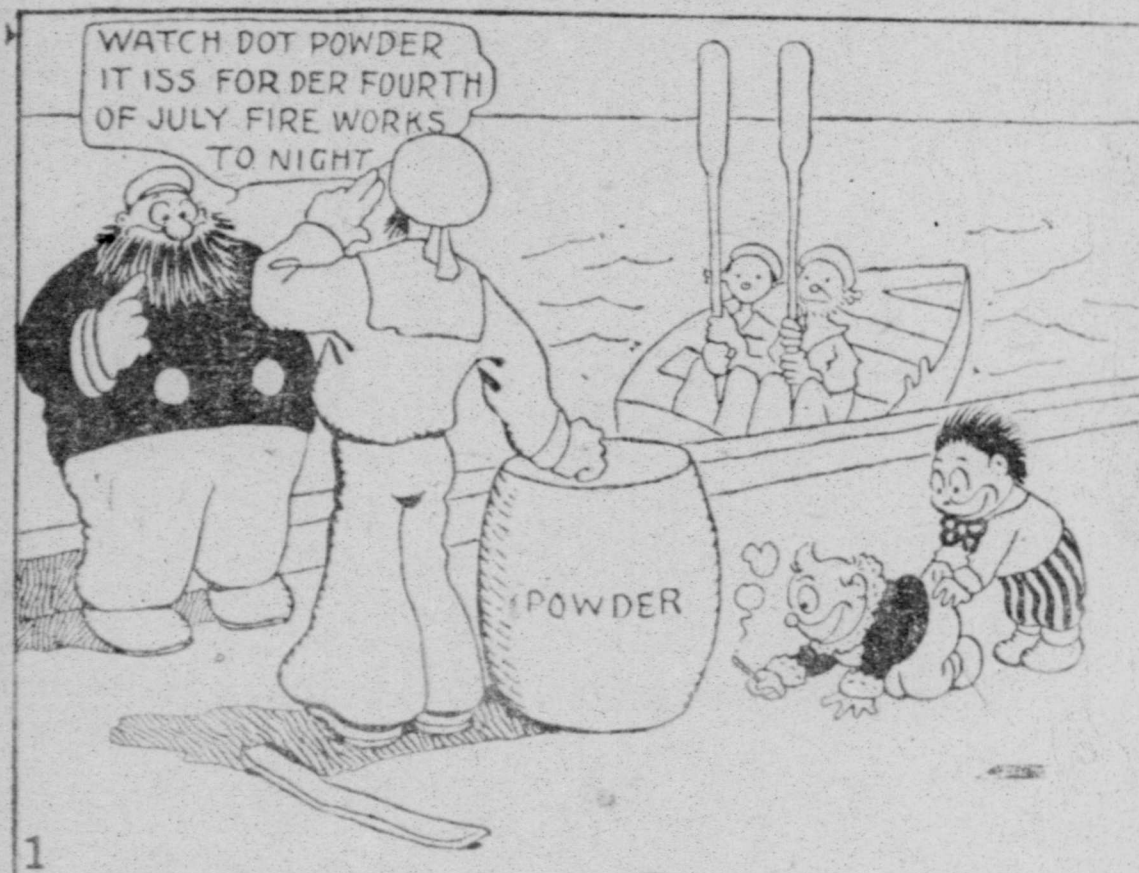
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'Twas the Fourth of July! And the Awful Swede Got It!



FROCKS for LITTLE FOLK



A LA
GRANDE
DAME

DRIFTY
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HAT

A LITTLE FRENCH SAILOR

OF THE RUSSIAN MODE

The New Frocks and Headwear.

Fetchng Sailor Suit.

White sateen duck fashions this fetching little sailor suit, the collar being in cadet-blue linen braided in white, with cuffs to match, and the chevrons on the moderate-sized sleeve being embroidered in the same tint. The skirt is shirred to a skeleton waist, in which the shield and collar are sewn, and the blouse is put on over the head, an elastic band in the waist hem adjusting the tunic.

Long-Waisted French Frock.

A fine printed French percale is used for this smart little model, in which the long French waist is seen to perfection. Rows of beading run with black ribbon, velvet alternate with tucks, and a broad leading ribbon threaded, passes around the waist. The skirt has three rather scant volants, each simply finished with a rolled hem.

The Josephine Model.

Cut with a square neck and a short spencer waist, this fascinating little model lends itself well to almost any material. The waist is pleated fully and blouses slightly over the belt, to which the full skirt is shirred with several rows of the oscillating stitch of the sewing-machine. Over the shoulders are little buckled bretelles of velvet ribbon, and the same appears at the puff sleeves and around the waist.

A Little French Sailor.

In a fine Milan straw this roll brim French sailor offers an attractive model. The brim is unbound; a band of brown velvet encircling the crown, and a huge rosette at the side, pierced with a smart white quill.

Dainty Shade Hat.

An all around flat of leghorn is wired to follow soft undulations around the face, and the edge bound with a fancy straw. A wreath of wild roses and foliage encircles the crown, and is tied in the back with loops and ends of black velvet ribbon. A bandeau fits the shape of the face, and the underbrim is faced with lace and strapped with a fancy straw.

On the Russian Mode.

This very smart model is fashioned in one piece, broad box pleats running from shoulder to hem, and affording the requisite fullness in the skirt. A shield and collar in scarlet linen embroidered in white, lends a touch of color, and a white kid belt is loosely passed around the waist.

A la Grande Dame.

Brown straw composes this picture shape, which is sharply lifted at one side to show a huge chou of white chiffon. A long ostrich feather is draped on the other side, and a loose fold of white satin ribbon encircles the crown, and is tied in a coquettish bow which falls on the hair in the back.

Little Bo-Peep Bonnet.

A fine white ermine straw is bent into shape for this Little Bo-Peep bonnet, the brim of which flares off the face in front and presses closely to the head in the back. A little wreath of blue pink roses edges the brim, and long stemmed cherries are cunningly in the "scoop" front. Bows and roses of white taffeta ribbon are perched here and there, and the long streaming strings are of the same lustrous ribbon.

A Unique Boy's Costume.

For the mother who wishes to get away from the apparently inevitable Buster Brown costume for her little lad the following makes up into a boy's suit, which is just now popular in West London. The suit is one consisting of knickerbockers and a blouse with a diagonal closing on the right, but the sweater to which side the blouse shall close on can be optional with the maker. The blouse is fitted by the shoulder seams with an underseam of plain stitching. The neck may be finished off with a collar band of the suit's material or a Buster Brown collar can be attached over the suit collar. The sleeve is slightly bunched with a plain seam as possible, and is finished off with a very narrow cuff, which may be lapped over and fastened with a fancy button, or if less trouble is the object of the mother, the cuff may be merely a turned back and closed affair. A leather belt can be worn for more dressy occasions, but the prevalent mother will not fail to have one or more beltings of the suit material, all of which should pass through the regulation side straps attached to the jacket. The knickerbocker is largely of the regulation pattern with simple inside and outside leg seams, while the necessary fullness at the knees should be adjusted by elastic or gathered and finished off with a hat for dressy as well as other occasions. The chic little walking hat has a rosette and quill artistically arranged on a round sailor shape.



LONG WAISTED FRENCH FROCK

[By Our Special Correspondent.]

MIRIAM SPIER.

The quaintness of grown-up styles of the present, which have cast a reflection, if nothing more, on little girls' frocks, are responsible for much of the picturesqueness of children's attire which is characteristic of this season. Children's fashions vary little, but that little counts. While the same simple effects prevail with slight variation from year to year in the general make-up of little frocks, it is the recognition of those variations that distinguishes the well-dressed child. Dancing school dresses were never prettier than now, and one reason is the general becomingness of the drooping shoulders, berths and deeply cut yokes which are now so much used. Then, too, the wee maiden of today is as minus crisp frills, petticoats and other starch box effects as are her older relatives. Soft, unfinished silks, wool and wash materials make up her wardrobe. The laundress, like the manufacturer, has fallen into line, and if any starch at all is used it is of the thin, cooked order. Not a trace of cold starching, for more little quality is now known to her realm.

Children's fashions do not vary so much as those of older people, and yet, in these days, when so much attention is paid to dress, it is necessary to keep watch and ward over the styles for children's frocks, or the little people soon look shabby and odd. Fortunately, materials are cheap, and good materials, too, and there is a wide range of choice. Then, while trimming of all kinds is more fashionable than a year ago, the smartest of frocks may be severely simple in one piece—provided the cut and fit are looked after and the trimming of pretty collars and cuffs is all-sufficient. All white is expensive, but can be easily cleaned or laundered at home. Dark colors are, however, not unfashionable, be it understood, and with coat, hat and gloves to match, made of dark blue, red or brown material, a child looks well dressed for all occasions.

For party dresses simple muslin

frocks are considered the smartest and the cost can be regulated according to the price of the lace or embroidery used for trimming. Openwork embroidery is the most in demand, and the little waist trimmed with ruffles of openwork around the shoulders is most becoming, while the skirt may be finished with a ruffle of the same embroidery, or with merely a deep hem and tucks. Nothing simpler could well be designed than the one-piece pique frock, with three pleats back and front, and on the pleats a design in heavy embroidery stitched, if further elaboration is desired, although a plain collar and wristband of embroidery are thought quite sufficient trimming for this style of frock. A particularly dainty dress seen on a little damsel was of challie, self-bordered. Under it was worn a guimp of cambric. The skirt has two wide tucks above the deep hem, the yoke pointing low in the front and the sleeve caps are outlined with the border. The belt is also of the border. Linen trimmed with either hand or machine embroidery, which comes at reasonable prices, or some figured cotton goods trimmed with embroidery, could be used in the same way.

At a dance given for little folks among the many beautiful frocks was one of white china silk made with the long waist, full skirt and low berth, which



THE JOSEPHINE MODEL

nishes the collar and cuffs. A white kid belt with brass buckle is worn with it. Accordion pleated or gored skirts are worn by older girls, and materials such as velvety cashmere and china silks are fashionable. The waists are pleated to match the skirts, are without collars and finished with a round lace yoke at the neck and with deep lace cuffs to match. If the skirt is plain, not pleated, there are rows of narrow satin ribbon and the waist is trimmed to match.

But no longer is it fashionable to trim these frocks elaborately with bands of lace introduced or with lace edged flounces. There are exceptions to the rule, but there are more frocks of the plain description than of the fanciful. White serge, white velvety and white poplin are all in favor for girls' frocks, and the original model of a plain pleated frock can be elaborated upon by the trimmings of braiddings, the rows of satin ribbon and the lace yoke, or collar and cuffs, with the further addition of a sash in place of the white leather belt.

No longer need mothers declare that it is difficult to dress children, for never were the requirements of the juvenile world more carefully considered. Even the dressing of the awkward age—the girl all legs and arms—has become a comparatively easy matter, while for the naturally graceful child effective models are almost confusingly plentiful. All sorts of charming devices hide

the meagerness of growing girls. Among these are a new berth and a very full skirt with ungoed widths. The berth, which is cut circular and delicately trimmed, falls often to the belt, forming a complete cape. Sometimes the skirt is shirred at the hips; sometimes it is only gathered. In this case above the wide hem there may be several large tucks. For girls below this stage those who still show the roundness of babyhood new fashions have a doll-like charm.

Little gored skirts are of an incredible shortness, decked often with tiny ruffles of ribbon and quiltings of lace, that form wreaths and garlands. The bodices on such toilets are equally pretentious high necked in most cases and sometimes adjusted with featherbone, for featherbone and even regulation corset bodies are worn by such ages in France. High lace and ribbon boxes, wide crush belts of silk or soft satin and elaborate undersleeves are other features of these charming gowns, which, of course, constitute the best bib and tucker.

Along with this delicious finery importers also show other elegances not usually accorded mads of 3 and 4. An automobile coat of red leather, with a hood to match was seen on a girl of about six years. Another summer driving wrap for several ages is in embroidered pongee, while real lace veils are seen for curly heads from one to four years old. These, which are white of course, drape, curtain fashion, the fronts of elaborate poke bonnets, in whose bouffant face trimmings delicate flowers are put.

The wash materials now in the market clearly demonstrate the increasing demand for beauty. Colors and designs with even the most inexpensive of the wash goods were never lovelier and the majority of them have, besides, the added virtue of being really washable. For the white and colored piques, which are so much used, narrow wash fringes to match are seen. Exquisite flower tints are shown by the new piques, ducks, linens and drills, and upon the handsome frocks displayed in these materials superb effects in braiding or hand embroidery are encountered. The tinted chambrays and Scotch ginghams, every year used, are still combined with white Hamburg embroideries, with beadings of the same often joining the seams of both bodices and skirts.

Chaille is not usually accounted a wash texture, but the new chailles are warranted washable, and many display charming border effects, as already mentioned. Narrow wash ribbons are combined with them, with sometimes a stout lace for the yoke, and cuff bands. But the growing fondness for immaculate freshness results not only in fast tints, but in the placing of white above all color. Never, merchants declare, were white wash textures so supplied in vaster quantities or more exquisite varieties. From the heaviest linen crash, as coarse in some instances as a basket weave, the new white goods run to textures as fine as cobwebs. A party gown for a girl of 12 is made of three and a half yards of Paris lawn 50 inches wide. Only upon the berth, edge and round the neck and sleeve

The Social Duties of the Ladies of the Cabinet



BLUE ROOM AT WHITE HOUSE WHERE THE LADIES OF THE CABINET ENTERTAIN



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Summer and winter the wife of a member of the president's cabinet is never permitted to forget for long her social responsibilities, and this will be especially true this year. For one thing, the St. Louis Exposition is bringing to our shores great numbers of distinguished foreigners, many of them persons of rank and official position, to whom formal hospitalities must be extended, and then again a presidential campaign, with the Chief Magistrate a candidate for re-election, necessitates social activity rather beyond ordinary standards.

In what might be termed the official social circles of the nation the wife of the President is as pre-eminent as is her husband in the political realm. For instance, her preferences in the matter of social usage are universally respected. But, just as at foreign courts, the gaiety of a social regime is often more dependent upon the ladies of the court than upon royalty itself, so, too, in this greatest of republics fate has placed the balance of power in the hands of the wives and daughters of the members of the president's cabinet.

The feminine members of the cabinet households constitute, with the possible exception of the president's wife, the greatest single factor in official social life. The heads of the various executive departments constitute the official family of the chief executive and from a social standpoint the ladies of the cabinet bear much the same relation to the first lady of the land. One reason for their influence is found in the fact that the social duties of a cabinet member's wife are obligatory. To be sure, the wives of United States senators also have social responsibilities that are supposed to be compulsory, but there is far more shirking of such duties on the part of senatorial women than by the ladies of the cabinet circle.

The social importance of the presidential cabinet is no new thing. But it has existed from the earliest days of the republic. It was during the administration of Thomas Jefferson that ladies of the cabinet first became especially prominent in entertaining. Mr. Madison was then secretary of state and his wife, the famous Dolley Madison, and her sister, Miss Payne, afterward Mrs. Monroe, were very active hostesses. James



MISS WILSON

Monroe was in turn, Madison's secretary of state and his wife proved herself admirably fitted to act as the first lady of the cabinet. The next turn of the wheel of political fortune made John Quincy Adams, secretary of state in the cabinet of President Monroe, and Mrs. Adams, who was born, educated and married in London, was the moving spirit of a very brilliant series of cabinet functions.

Early in the last century there first appeared those vexing social problems which in one form or another have confronted all the women of the cabinet circle to this day. Even at that early date the tangle was such that during the time John Quincy Adams was secretary it became necessary to discuss it at cabinet meetings. The first turmoil was occasioned by the fact that all ladies arriving at the National Capital as strangers expected that the wives of members of the cabinet should take the initiative in calling upon them. This the cabinet women absolutely refused to do. They were perfectly willing to return all visits, but they would under no circumstances make "first calls" upon strangers who arrived.

The indignant newcomers complained to the wife of the President and she interceded with the cabinet

ladies, but all to no avail. Then the Cabinet took up the matter one day, but after discussing it for more than two hours they wisely concluded to allow each lady to follow her own inclination. At the conclusion of this memorable Cabinet conference Secretary of State Adams issued a formal declaration setting forth his position and that of his wife. They took the ground that to visit all strangers was impossible and that to visit some of the newcomers would imply a slight upon many other ladies.

Perhaps the earliest of the great social events which was distinctly a Cabinet function was the ball given by Mrs. John Quincy Adams in honor of Andrew Jackson, on January 8, 1824, the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans. The gentlemen present were all in full state reception dress, consisting of blue coats, gilt buttons, white or buff waistcoats, white neckties, high chokers, silk stockings and pumps. In this connection it may be mentioned that although political feeling ran very high at the time—as it may again this autumn—no exclusions were made in invitations during the eight years Mrs. Adams presided at the head of the Cabinet circle because of differences in

sentiment as to public affairs.

The most sensational episode or rather series of episodes in the social history of the Cabinet occurred during the administration of Andrew Jackson, when Mrs. John H. Eaton, the wife of the Secretary of War, but a woman unfortunate in her antecedents, was openly slighted by the other ladies of the Cabinet, who exerted all their influence to have the President remove Mr. Eaton simply that his wife might be deposed from the social position to which her husband's post entitled her. President Jackson not only refused to accede to these requests, but openly sided with General Eaton and his wife, of whom he was a great admirer.

How satisfactorily the ladies of the Cabinet can, upon occasion, meet grave responsibilities was strikingly attested during the administration of President Van Buren. Mrs. Van Buren had died many years before her husband attained to any degree of political prominence, and the ladies of the Cabinet literally saved the administration from going down to history as a social failure. During President Johnson's incumbency of the position of Chief Magistrate the ladies of the Cabinet inaugurated the regular weekly public receptions which have ever since been held at the Cabinet

homes in Washington each winter.

Possibly the Cabinet circle which in the entire history of the country has been most memorable for lavish hospitality was that formed as a result of the election of Grover Cleveland to the presidency. It included such hostesses as Mrs. William C. Whitney, whose husband was Secretary of the Navy, and Mrs. Manning, a descendant of Chancellor Livingston, who administered the oath of office to President Washington. When ill-health compelled the retirement of Mr. Manning from the Cabinet he was succeeded by Assistant Secretary Charles Stebbins Fairchild, and Mrs. Fairchild became the first lady of the Cabinet after the death of Mrs. Bayard, wife of the premier. An important event in the Cabinet circle during the Cleveland administration was the marriage of Mary C. Endicott, the daughter of the Secretary of War and Mrs. William Crowninshield Endicott, to Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, of England.

A broader sphere of social activities was opened to the ladies of the Cabinet when, during the Cleveland administration, Congress repealed the old law, whereby the president pro tem. of the Senate or the speaker of the House of Representatives succeeded as chief executive in the event of the death of the president and vice president, and, instead, regulated presidential succession by precedence of members of the Cabinet. Not only did this give the members of the Cabinet added importance in the eyes of the law and the public, but it established a line of succession according to which Cabinet members and their wives now rank at all ceremonial and social affairs. This order of precedence is as follows: Secretary of state, secretary of the treasury, secretary of war, attorney general, postmaster general, secretary of the Navy, secretary of the interior, secretary of agriculture and secretary of commerce and labor.

One of the first women who was obliged

to give up social life because of ill health, supposed to have been due to the latter-day responsibilities of a Cabinet member's wife, was Mrs. William Freeman Vilas, the wife of the postmaster general under Cleveland. Since then there have been several similar cases. To the fatigue induced by arduous social duties was attributed the death of Mrs. Lyman Gage, wife of the secretary of the treasury in the McKinley administration, and the daughter of ex-Secretary Long, of the Navy, and other feminine members of Cabinet households have also within the past few years suffered from nervous prostration and other serious consequences of the severe strain imposed.

One of the conditions which play havoc with the health of many Cabinet women is found in the unwritten law which requires that the wife of a Cabinet member shall return every call made upon her, not merely by her personal friends and other prominent people in official life, but by the throngs of curious folk who attend her public receptions. As a result of this custom there are Cabinet women who, at the height of the social season, average over 3,000 calls a month. Then too, a Cabinet hostess must assist the President's wife in all the big card and public receptions at the White House, and at least once each year the wife of each member of the Cabinet entertains at her own home the President and his Cabinet, together with the ladies of their households.

The daughters of Cabinet officers have frequently vied with the older ladies of the circle in popularity and weight of influence. A notable example was afforded by the famous Kate Chase, whose father was at one time secretary of the treasury. This beautiful woman was one of the most powerful of the powers behind the throne during the Civil War, and it was largely her influence which kept General McClellan at the head of the Union Army.

In quite a number of instances the



RESIDENCE OF SECRETARY OF STATE HAY



MRS. TAFT

daughters of widowers in the Cabinet have acted as mistresses of their fathers' households. This is the case in the home of the present Secretary of Agriculture. His daughter, Miss Wilson, is one of the most admired young women in official life and she recently came off victorious in an animated social contest with the daughter of another member of the Cabinet, who claimed that Miss Wilson should not be entitled to rank with the wives of the other Cabinet members at official and social functions. However, the persons in control decreed that inasmuch as she was presiding over her father's household she was entitled by virtue of that position to all the privileges which would be accorded to his wife were she living.

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The World's Biggest Grain Elevator.

Canada has rightly been termed the world's granary, and it is not surprising to learn that some monster elevators are to be seen in that country. By elevator is meant a building specially designed for the storage of wheat.

What is probably the largest ever erected is that recently completed in Montreal. It was built to the order of the Harbor Commissioners, after plans approved by the Minister of Public Works for the Dominion, so Canada's greatest elevator may be said to be a government building.

The edifice is particularly interesting, not so much on account of its gigantic size as the improvements it embodies over existing structures of this kind. It is built of steel and concrete, and is fireproof. Most elevators are of wood, and, being liable to destruction by fire, a heavy insurance premium is demanded.

The new Montreal elevator has a total storage capacity of 1,000,000 bushels of wheat. The grain is kept in bins. They are cylindrical in shape and built of steel plates. Alongside the structure is a movable tower, which runs on four steel rails along the dock. It is 23 feet wide, 33 feet long and 150 feet high. It moves on 20 pairs of car wheels. The total height of the whole structure is 156 feet.

The building is lighted throughout by incandescent electric lights. All the machinery is driven by electric motors, while it is needless to add there is a complete dust collecting and burning system. The cleaners are entirely of steel, and therefore fireproof.

It is in these buildings that farmers store their wheat, often for months at a time. The grain on being received at the elevator is examined and graded, all of the same quality being kept together. The farmer or merchant who brings it receives an acknowledgment for so much grain of such a quality, and the grain which is delivered from the elevator on his account is grain of that quality, and not the same as he brought. The elevator under notice can receive from boats at the rate of 18,000 bushels an hour. Grain can also be taken in from railway trucks at the rate of 20 cars an hour. By means of its conveyors it can load ships with the precious wheat at the rate of 80,000 bushels an hour.

A Modish Traveling Suit.

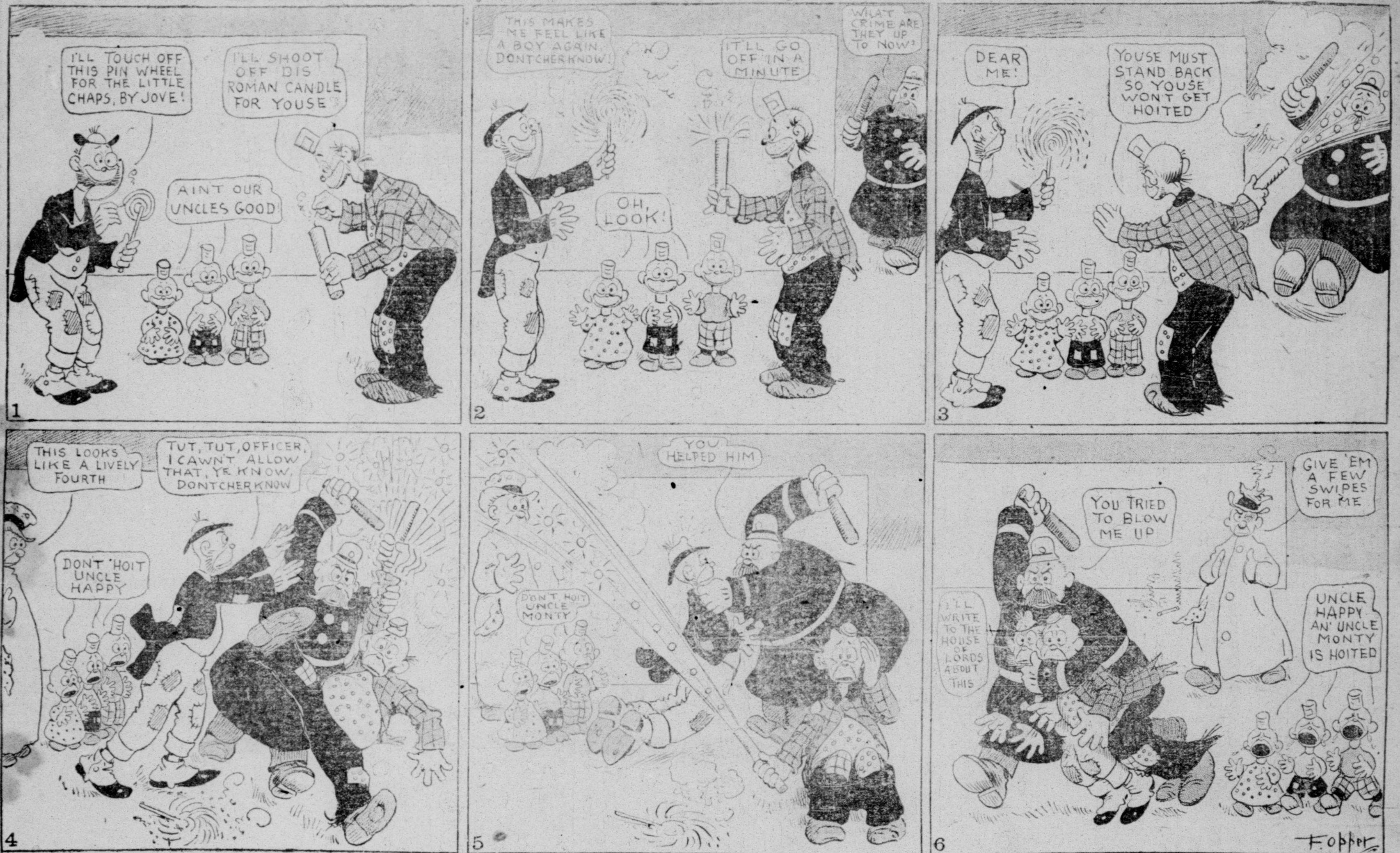


Here is a model for a modish two-piece mohair traveling suit. The color is steel gray and the trimming consists of gray taffeta straps, pearl buttons and stitching.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN SHOOTS OFF SOME FOURTH OF JULY FIREWORKS FOR HIS LITTLE NEPHEWS.

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