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VII. NORTH FORT WORTH, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1903. No. 157.

Worth Live Stock Market.

s of Cattle and Hogs Today.

CTIVE TO HIGHER

Cows are in Demand, eady to Higher.

RKET 10c HIGHER

ood Light Territory Hogs at $5.55.

DAY'S RECEIPTS.

	1,000
	500
	137

al Receipts Yesterday.

	1,413
	42

DAY'S MARKET.

— Steers, top $3.85 bulk Cows, top $2.25; bulk $2.00

Top $5.55, bulk $5.50.
-Top $3.35.

CATTLE MARKET

DAY'S QUOTATIONS:

ce fed	$3.65@4.25
d	2.90@3.50
s	2.75@3.75
	2.00@3.00
e heavy fed	2.25@2.50
utcher	2.00@2.75
	1.75@2.00
	1.00@1.75
and oxen	1.50@3.00
d to fancy veals	2.50@4.00
fair	2.00@2.75

of cattle today were moderate. urs of 612 head were in at the t enough more were expected n time for the market, includ- ns, to make the total receipts y figure close around 1,000 st 1,372 last Wednesday, and the corresponding day last

BEEF STEERS.

he notable features of late on market has been the small steers that have been coming. it was not different. Only a arrived. The greater part of only partly fat, and but two in that showed finish.

and was good, and the good le the market fairly active, s strong to 10 higher. The nce was on the best cattle, as supply that has been coming k or more was hardly enough l buyers' orders.

half fat and light steers, the ac- ng feeder buyers made compe- ng, and while prices were hard- gher the market was strong, fully steady with yesterday. today was $3.85 for two loads 1011 and 1024 pounds, with of the sales between $2.50 and

heavy fed steers are quoted 5, with medium fed $2.90@ d grass $2.75@3.75, and light @3.00.

ntative sales:

STEERS

Average.	Price.
1011	3 85
1024	3 85
1066	3 10
975	3 10
990	3 00
761	3 00
983	2 60
698	2 50
810	2 50
721	2 25
635	2 25
690	2 10
680	2 10
450	2 00
503	2 00
646	2 00
690	1 75
400	1 50

BUTCHER STOCK.

market was again good. The supply with the good demand active strong market.

A good number of fairly good cows arrived, but the largest part of the run was only medium.

Though buyers have taken freely of the supply of cows so far this week, it seemed today as though they were unable to get enough, and the largest portion of the run was weighed by noon.

Top car lead lots of cows are selling largely at $2.25, but the bulk of the sales, which are largely of medium butchers, are going within a range of from $2.00@2.15.

The bull supply was small, and trading was on about a steady basis with yesterday, with sales mostly around $1.75.

Choice heavy fed cows are quoted from $2.25@2.50, with medium butcher $2.00@2.25, light thin $1.75@2.00, and canners $1.00@1.75.

Bulls, stags and oxen are quoted from $1.50@3.00.

Calves.

The calf supply was moderate. The demand was good, and as the bulk of arrivals were fairly good vealers, trading was active with sales fully steady with yesterday.

Good to fancy are quoted from $2.75@4.00, with common to fair $2.00@2.75.

COWS

1	780	2 50
11	897	2 25
20	815	2 20
28	791	2 15
7	704	2 15
20	848	2 10
1	920	2 05
8	808	2 05
15	855	2 05
2	755	2 05
14	798	2 05
11	697	2 05
1	730	2 05
16	721	2 00
29	776	2 00
31	808	2 00
1	910	2 00
1	980	2 00
2	1040	2 00
17	704	2 00
4	760	1 90
32	747	1 90
11	655	1 90
21	672	1 85
28	691	1 80
25	695	1 80
1	1010	1 50
5	894	1 50
2	700	1 25
1	700	1 25
9	735	1 25
13	730	1 15
1	540	1 00

HEIFERS

19	682	2 05
3	470	2 00
3	440	2 00
5	540	2 00
2	380	1 50

BULLS AND STAGS

1 stag	1070	3 25
1	1120	1 85
1	910	1 80

CALVES.

19	173	3 75
41	180	3 50
38	209	3 50
15	172	3 50
8	220	3 00
15	265	2 75
1	210	2 50
4	285	2 00

THE HOG MARKET

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS:

Choice sorted	$5.45@5.65
Mixed packers	5.30@5.60
Light	5.00@5.35
Choice pigs	5.00@5.35
Stags and roughs	4.00@5.00

Receipts of hogs today were a little better. Three loads arrived, 254 head, which with those expected and including drive ins made the total receipts for the day close around 500 head, against 144 for last Wednesday and 183 for the corresponding day last month.

The quality today was good, with the average weight of the run close around 175 pounds. Today's offerings were just the kind packers have been wanting, and it did not take long to clear up business in the hog pens.

At the start buyers were bidding only steady prices with the opening of the week, but the demand today was good enough to better the market, and sales were on a 10c higher basis, and all hogs were sold and weighed within an hour after the opening.

The top for the day was $5.55 for 87 Oklahoma-Territory corn-fed hogs averaging 189 pounds, with the bulk of the sales at $5.50.

Choice sorted are quoted from $5.45 to $5.65, with mixed packers $5.30 to $5.60, light grades $5.00 to $5.35, choice pigs $5.00 to $5.40, and boars, stags and roughs $4.00 to $5.00.

Representative sales:

TERRITORY HOGS.

No.	Shrink.	Average.	Price.
93		180	5 50
72	80	204	5 50
1		130	5 50
1		380	5 50
87		189	5 55

THE SHEEP MARKET.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

Lambs	4.00@5.00
Wethers	2.50@3.50
Ewes	2.00@3.00
Culls	1.50@2.50

Receipts of sheep today were light. One car of 137 head came in, against 601 last Wednesday, and 421 for the corresponding day last month.

The quality today was fair, and while the greater number were only partly fat, a few good fat sheep were among receipts.

The demand was good and trading strong, with the top price today $3.35 for 31 head of 96-pound sheep.

Representative sales:

SHEEP

No.	Average.	Price.
LAMBS.		
31	96	$3 35

SHIPPERS AT THE YARDS TODAY.

Cattle.

Birdwell & Hunt, Bryson	110
J. P. McCoy "	64
Walker & Burns, Graham	34
J. F. Gilmore, "	36
W. Newman, Ardmore, I. T	30
J. M. Perkinson, Cresson	32
D. F. Sansom & Co, Alvarado	90
J. Parner, Dallas	27
S. H. Teel, Henrietta	66
T. Roberts, Waureka	63
M. B. Woolsey, Addington	60
S. Cuthbert, Baird	38
H. C Perkins, Roscoe	29
J. J. M., Abilene	33
W. H. H., Abilene	37
A. H. Berring, Jolly	56
Jno. Leeper, Vernon	41
T. H. Shaw, Ballinger	36
J. W. Mosley, Lampasas	33

Hogs.

F. L. Lillard, Ponca City, O. T	72
Babcock & Brock, Stillwater, O T	87
E. W. Johnson, Pond Creek, O. T	91
J. Roberts, Waurika, O. T	1

Sheep.

J. W. Glass, Omaha, Tex	137

BUYERS ON YESTERDAY'S MARKET

Cattle.

Swift & Co.	601
Armour & Co.	501
Johnson & K	87
Cook & Wreath	14
W. L. Cherry	24
A. H. Burns	35
Conley	28
J. P. Miller	1
Ingrem	1
W. H. Carter	3
French	3
Boomer	6
Hoskins	2

Hogs.

Armour & Co.	42

Sheep.

Swift & Co	418
Armour & Co	284

AROUND THE STOCK YARDS.

T. J. Price, manager of the Three Circle ranch at Bluffdale, was at the yards today.

J. F. Gilmore had in from Graham 32 cows, 747 pounds average, that brought $1.90.

V. B. Zapalac of Ellinger, Tex, had on today's market 24 steers averaging 983 pounds, which sold at $2.60.

E. W. Johnston of Pond Creek, O. T., had in today 93 hogs, averaging 180 pounds, which sold to Swift & Co. for $5.50.

Babcock & Brock of Stillwater, O. T., had on the market today 72 204-pound hogs, which sold to Armour & Co. at $5.50.

J. M. Pannell of Kemp, Texas, was represented on today's market with 27 steers, averaging 761 pounds, which sold at $3.

J. W. Glass, of Omaha, Texas, topped today's sheep market with 31 head, averaging 96 pounds, which sold to Swift & Co. at $3.35.

N. B. Woolsey, from Woolsey, I. T., shipped in 41 calves, 181 pounds, that sold at $3.50, and 19 heifers, 682 pounds, that brought $2.05.

J. P. McCoy, of Bryson, Texas, was in today with 704-pound cows which sold at $2.15, and 48 969-pound cows which sold at $1.90.

H. Teal, of Henrietta, Texas, had on to-day's market one car of calves. Thirty-eight averaging 209 pounds sold at $3.50, and 15 averaging 265 at $2.75.

J. M. Pickerson, of Cresson, Texas, had in today one car of cows and yearling steers: 11 cows, averaging 897, sold at $2.25 and 6 503-pound steers at $2.00.

J. Roberts, of Waurika, O. T., was in today with two cars of cattle. Twenty-three cows averaging 688 and 25 averaging 695 sold at $1.80, with one hog, aving 380, at $5.50.

F. L. Lillard, a regular shipper to this market from Ponca City, O. T., topped the hog market today with 89 head, averaging 189 pounds, which was sold to Swift & Co. at $5.55.

D. F. Sansom & Co., regular shippers to this market from Alvarado, had in to day 3 cars of mixed cattle. Forty-nine steers averaging 1017 topped the market at $3.85, with 20 cows averaging 815 at $2.20 and 15 calves averaging 172 at $3.50.

Vance Birdwell sent in a mixed shipment of cows, steers and calves from Bryson. Two steers of 990 pounds brought $3.00, 28 cows of 791 pounds $2.15, 31 cows, 808 pounds, $2.00, and 19 calves, 173 pounds, $3.75. This was the top price for calves.

AT OTHER MARKETS

Receipts Today.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep
Chicago	26,000	25,000	18,000
Kansas City	11,000	8,000	2,500
St. Louis	7,000	8,000	3,500
St. Joseph	2,600	7,700	3,600
Total	46,600	48,700	27,600

CHICAGO

Special to the Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, Ill., Aug 5.—The Drovers' Journal reports:

CATTLE — Receipts 26 000 Market slow, mostly 10c lower. Top $5.55.

HOGS — Receipts 25,000. Market strong, to 5c higher. Top $5.75; bulk $5 10@5 40.

SHEEP— Receipts 18,000. Market dull, steady to 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY

Special to the Reporter.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Aug. 5.—The Drovers' Telegram reports today:

CATTLE —Receipts 11,000. Market dull, 10 to 15c lower. Top $5.15. Cows steady to lower. Stockers lower. Texas slow.

HOGS — Receipts 8,000. Market steady 10 to lower. Top $5.45; bulk $5.12½@5 30.

SHEEP — Receipts 2,500. Market steady to 10c higher.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS.

Special to the Reporter.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Aug. 5.—Receipts and quotations as furnished by the National Live Stock Reporter:

CATTLE — Receipts 7000, including 5,000 Texas. Market steady. Top $3.60. Natives $5.10.

HOGS—Receipts 8,000. Market 10c lower. Top $5.80; bulk $5.45@$5.60.

SHEEP — Receipts 3,500. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Special to the Reporter.

South St. Joseph, Aug. 5.—The Stock Yards Daily Journal reports:

CATTLE — Receipts 2,600. Market steady to 15c lower. Top $5.00.

HOGS — Receipts 7,700. Market uneven. Steady to 10 lower. Top $5.50; bulk $5.05@5 35.

SHEEP — Receipts 3,600. Market steady to lower.

Bring Out Your Old Furniture.

Six Hepplewhite chairs have just been sold for $350 and two Chippendale armchairs for $105 at Norwich.

Great Britain's Emigrants.

Taking into account her population, Great Britain sends more of her subjects abroad than any other country.

Enginemen Must Be Alert.

An engine driver working from Crewe to London and back has to notice no fewer than 570 signals.

Home of Golf.

Twelve thousand people were arrested in Glasgow last year for using obscene language.

SOUTHERN CATTLE AT ST. LOUIS.

Demand for a Modification of Coburn's Ruling.

The Fort Worth Board of Trade held a meeting yesterday to take action in favor of a Texas exhibit of cattle at the St. Louis World's Fair, and to endeavor to have Secretary Coburn's ruling against quarantine cattle modified. After several of the members had discussed the matter, a spirited resolution was adopted, urging the World's Fair management to provide separate pens for quarantine cattle, at which they could be exhibited without danger to Northern cattle.

Unless this is done, the cattle department of the great World's fair will have nothing to show that there are any cattle in the United States south of the quarantine line. In this territory are some of the greatest cattle raising states of the Union, and some of the finest of the registered breeds. It is an injustice to the whole of this vast territory and the great cattle-raising interest to let Secretary Coburn's order stand as it is. Foreign visitors to the World's fair will come and go away with the belief that in a third of the territory of the United States there are no cattle thought fit to have a place at such a fair.

Southern cattle can be exhibited at the World's Fair in separate pens without more danger to other cattle, than when they are exhibited at other fairs in the North.

TEXAS CATTLE AT CHICAGO.

Product of the X I T Ranch Top the Market.

We take from the Chicago Drovers' Journal this item, showing how Texas cattle topped the market:

Three cars of high-grade Shorthorn, Hereford and Angus steers sold upon this market today at top market prices attracted considerable attention. These steers were 2-year-olds and consigned by ex-Senator T. S. Chapman of Jerseyville, Ill. The twenty-one Shorthorns averaged 1322 pounds and sold at $5.60; the twenty-one Herefords averaged 1281 pounds and brought $5.60 also, and the nineteen Angus averaging 1228 pounds were knocked off at $5.55.

Today Senator Chapman's cattle sold at the top, with an estimated receipt of 24,000 head of cattle here and 60,000 head of cattle for the first half of the week. Added to this is the fact that the top price today of $5.60 is within 5 cents of the highest selling cattle here during the past three months.

Eighteen months ago Senator Chapman bought these steers in Texas from the well-known XIT ranch. At that time the steers that sold so well today weighed only 370 pounds each. They were brought to the feeding yards, and the course of development was commenced that results today in turning three choice loads of cattle over to the packer at handsome prices.

These cattle were finished upon shelled corn, gluten meal, bran and straw. They have had very little hay since put upon feed. No grass has been allowed thus far this season, so that the cattle are strictly dry fed. This has undoubtedly had some influence in bringing them to the finish that commanded such desirable prices today.

GENERAL NOTES.

Chicago quotes hogs 5c higher.

Cattle generally 10 cents lower at Chicago, with 26,000 in.

Kansas City reports cattle dull, 10 to 15c lower. Hogs steady to 10c lower.

St. Louis reports 5,000 Texas cattle, and market steady. Hogs 10c lower.

L. B. Imboden, a former resident of Fort Worth, is in that city, and denies that he is actively connected with the Interstate Trust Co. in New Jersey that has been held up by the bank commissioner of New Jersey, pending an investigation.

Capt. Sidney Martin died at his residence in Fort Worth Monday, at the advanced age of 75. He came to Fort Worth in the early 70's, and went into business with B. C. Evans, but later he organized the Martin-Brown Co., with which he was connected until a few years ago.

A train load of rails for the Northern Texas Traction company has arrived from Galveston. It weighed 320 tons, and required 17 cars for its transportation. These rails were made in Belgium, because the mills in this country were so crowded with orders that they could not do the work. It is given out by the Traction company management that work will begin at once on its proposed extension over Hemphill street in Fort Worth and up Main street in North Fort Worth.

FORT WORTH MARKET.

JOBBERS PRICES.

Grain and Hay.

CASH WHEAT—No. 2	$ .66
CASH CORN—No. 2, mixed	.60
No. 2, white	.63
CASH OATS—No. 2, red	40 to 43
HAY—Choice prairie, per ton	$9 00
Johnson grass, per ton	9 00

Provisions.

PEACHES—Elbertas, 4 basket crates	$1.00
PEACHES—Clings, per ¼ bushel basket	.70
APPLES—per bushel	1.00
GRAPES—small basket	.50
WATERMELONS—per dozen	$1 50 to 2 50
CANTELOUPES—per dozen	15 to 25
CAULIFLOWER—per lb	6c to 08
SIBERIAN CRABS—per bushel	1 50
ONIONS—dry per pound	.01
ONIONS—green per bunch	.15
CABBAGE—per cwt	1.00
CUCUMBERS—per dozen	.10
HONEY—per 1 pound sections	.14½
HONEY—bulk strained 60 pound tins	.08½
HONEY—bulk comb 60 pound tins	.12½
TOMATOES—per 4 basket crate	.25
PLUMS—per crate	
COLORADO BEANS—½ bushel basket	.75
COLORADO LETTUCE—dozen	.40

LIVE POULTRY

TURKEYS—No demand.	
CHICKENS—fryers perd ozen	$2.00 to $2.50
Hens	2.00 to 2.50
EGGS—per case (case not included)	$3.75 to 3.90
BUTTER—Country per pound	8c to 15c
EXTRA CREAMERIES	— —

RETAIL PRICES.

PEACHES—per bushel	$2.00
APPLES—cookers	1.25
BLACKBERRIES—per box	.12½
WATERMELONS—each	25c to .35
CANTELOUPES—per dozen	.25
SIBERIAN CRABS—per bushel	1.50
BEANS, green, per gallon	.20
BUTTERBEANS, gallon	.25
ONIONS—dry, per pound	.03½
ONIONS—green, bunch	.02½
OKRA, quart	.10
CORN, per doz ears	8 to 10
CABBAGE—per pound	.2½
CUCUMBERS—per dozen	15c to .30
HONEY—per 1 pound sections	.20
HONEY—strained, per gallon	1.35
HONEY—comb, per gallon	1.65
ROASTING EARS—dozen	.12½
BEETS—3 bunches for	.10
TOMATOES—per pound	.05
PLUMS—bushel	1.50

POULTRY.

TURKEYS—no demand.	
CHICKENS—fryers per dozen	$2 50 to $3.00
hens—	3.00 to 3.50
EGGS—per case (case not included)	3.75 to 4 00
BUTTER—(country)	20c to 25c
BUTTER—Extra creamery	30c

Hides.

Heavy Dry Beef	13½c
Heavy Dry Fallen	12½c
Lights	10c
Dry Salt	10 to 11c
Green salt	6 to 7c

Literary Giant.

"He has been a giant in the literary world." "Indeed?" "Yes; he has seen the time he could keep five historical novels running serially, at the same time, blindfolded and with one hand tied behind him."—Puck.

Co-operation Fails.

Socialistic experiments have fallen off in the United States. Few now survive of the seventy-two carried on twenty-five years ago by societies with 5,000 members and a capital of $12,000,000.

Fremasons of the World.

There are at least 1,750,000 Freemasons in the world, of whom 150,000 belong to 3,430 British lodges.

Keats Manuscripts.

In London twenty-nine autograph letters and manuscripts of John Keats were sold for 1,070 pounds.

How to Attain Age.

It is asserted that the longest-lived people are those who make breakfast their chief meal.

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Correspondence telling of the condition of live-stock, its progress and improvement of the industry, and anything that would be of interest to stock raisers, is invited.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1903.

Notice to Agents.

Subscribers ordering The Reporter must sign subscription blanks. This is necessary to insure the name being correctly written, and to prevent mistakes in making up the mail list. Agents must see that these instructions are carried out.

Insanity Among Women.

A German professor has been investigating the causes of insanity among women, and has come to the conclusion that if women are admitted into competition with men the inevitable result will be a tremendous increase of insanity among the women. He finds that the percentage of women teachers who become insane is almost double that of the men teachers.

Trains at Auction.

As the result of the electrification of the Mersey Tunnel railway the old carriages and engines will come under the hammer at Birkenhead, England. The auction will take place on the Great Central Railway company's sidings, where eighteen locomotives and ninety-six coaches will be paraded for the benefit of the bidders, after the fashion adopted at horse sales.

Where Violets Are Raised.

Recent years have brought an enormous growth in the use of violets, and this has been to the great advantage of parts of Dutchess county, New York, where the soil is proving especially adapted to the growing of violets. In the vicinity of Red Hook and Rhinebeck more than 125 violet houses are operated, and dozens more are being built.

Brilliant Censor.

The Turkish censor is a man of great breadth of mind and intelligence. He recently edited the Bible carefully before it was allowed to be used much in Turkey, and he has just suppressed a book on chemistry because it contained the awful symbol H_2O. He said that it was highly revolutionary and that beyond a doubt H_2O was the cipher for "Hamid II is naught."

What the Strong Man Is Not.

The strong man is not the soldier on horseback with saber drawn. The strong man is the man with folded arms who utters the truth regardless of consequences. No one can injure a man who refuses to be hurt; you may kill him, but you cannot touch the man in him. He wields a power that he would have to give up if he stooped to physical force.

Ostentation.

"You say that man's relations won't speak to him?" said the surveyor who had stopped at the log cabin. "Yes. An' it serves him right. Jes' as soon as he come into a little property he bought hisself a glass eye an' a set o' false teeth, an' his kin' reckoned it was mighty ill-mannered to come around puttin' on style an' wearin' all that jewelry."

Mosquitoes and Malaria.

Capt. S. P. Jones, who was associated with the Royal Society's commission on malaria during the investigation in India, says that in India, anyway, the kind of mosquito that carries malaria rarely, if ever, flies more than half a mile from its breeding place.

Immigrants.

In the last fifteen years the United States has received about eight million emigrants from every European nation, including Russians, Austrians, Hungarians, Italians, Irish, Scandinavians and a comparatively small number of English and Scotch.

O'Rell's Advice.

"What's your recipe for making a homebody of one's husband?" asked a newspaper woman of Max O'Rell. "Become a gadabout yourself," was the caustic reply. He was acquainted with both people.—New York Times.

Revives the Bonnet.

Queen Alexandra of England has revived the bonnet, and all feminine Britain is prepared to accept it.

'Twould Be Grand.

He—If I stole a kiss would it be petit larceny? She—I think it would be grand.—Smart Set.

Dog Specials.

Berlin (Germany) local trains now have special compartments for "passengers with dogs."

VOTE WAS UNANIMOUS

Cardinal Sarto Was Much Agitated Over His Election.

MAN OF POPULARITY.

In Appearance, Despite the Fact of His Sixty-Eight Years, the New Pope Is Quite Handsome, and a Great Favorite Where Known.

Rome, Aug. 5.—The election of Cardinal Sarto, patriarch of Venice, as Pope Leo's successor, was unanimous. After Monday's ballots it was a foregone conclusion that he was the only cardinal sufficiently acceptable to all to secure the necessary two-thirds, which the laws of the church require. One of the cardinals said of the pope to the Associated Press correspondent, that he believed Pius X. would follow the broad lines of Leo's policy, although not likely to accentuate it. This voices the general feeling here, which is one of satisfaction. The new pontiff is a man of simple origin and although not a very prominent candidate, he had frequently been mentioned as one of the many cardinals who might be taken up as a compromise. In several respects he resembles his venerable predecessor, notably in his reputation for culture and piety. Having associated with no factions, this fact alone won him much favor with foreign cardinals, who were without a special candidate. Pius X. is described as a "country mouse, who could not possibly find his way about Rome."

Venetians who know the new pope well say that he will soon be as much beloved as pontiff as he was as the beloved patriarch of the poor of the Adriatic. In appearance Pius X. is a very handsome man. He has an erect figure, despite his sixty-eight years. His face greatly resembles that of the late Phillips Brooks, the eminent Boston divine.

Cardinal Casseta, as scrutiner, was reading the last vote. When forty-two votes had been recorded for the patriarch of Venice, the scrutiner arose, lifting his red zucchetto, saying: "Habemud pontificem." But from many sides cardinals cried out "continue."

As the vote approached fifty, however, the cardinals, as of one accord, surrounded the new pontiff and according to tradition demanded to know if he would accept pontificate?

Cardinal Sarto's lips trembled so that he could hardly articulate, but after a visible effort he said:

"This cup cannot pass me." There he paused, but the cardinals around him insisted that it was necessary for him to answer "yes" or "no." Thereupon he replied firmly: "I accept."

Cardinal Gibbons, speaking to a representative of the Associated Press, said that the election of Cardinal Sarto had produced the best impression in the entire sacred college, he being a man of such piety and culture and he was fitted to be the head of the church at the present time. Cardinal Gibbons hopes that the coronation of Pius X. will take place son in order that all the cardinals may be able to assist.

Rome, Aug. 5.—Pius X. accompanied by Cardinals Satolli and San Miniatelli and Mgr. Riggi, master of ceremonies, Tuesday afternoon went to the cell of the sick Cardinal Herrera, saying he wished the first act of his pontifical to be a compliment to a brother laid so low. Cardinal Herrera seemed transfigured by such thoughtfulness and exclaimed: "Let me kiss your hand. Now, I shall be happy." The pope remained sometime in the sell, encouraged the sick man, and said he would pray for his recovery. He then gave him the apostolic blessing.

Rome, Aug. 5.—The new pope is one of eight children—two sons and six daughters. One of his sisters is a dressmaker, another is married to a Sacristian and peddler, a third married a wineshop keeper and the others are unmarried. The new pope is the seventh pope who has come from the region of Venice.

Acceptable to Germany.

Berlin, Aug. 5.—Replying to the question whether the election is acceptable to Germany, a representative of the foreign office answered: "Unqualifiedly so from an official view point. Sarto is a mild mannered man and has never been active politically." In other quarters it is remarked that Sarto is only an Italian cardinal whom the king of Italy received. His repeated visits to the king and his aversion to politics is regarded as an auspicious sign for the triple alliance. Germany also is fully satisfied that Sarto does not aspire to a restoration of the temporal power of the papacy.

Extra Editions.

Berlin, Aug 5.—The election of the new pope was made known here at 1 o'clock through extra editions of newspapers, which were eagerly read.

Friendly Reviews.

London, Aug. 5.—The papers have long and friendly interviews of the pope's career. They generally think the election augurs well for better relations between the Vatican and the quirinal. Stress is laid on his attitude when the king and queen of Italy visited Venice last May and Sarto went in state in his gorgeous gondola to redner them homage. tI is deduced therefrom that Pius X. is likely to depart from Pope Leo's policy of rigorous confinement in the Vatican.

Advised by Iddings.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The Washington government was advised of the election of the new pope by the following cablegram received from Mr. Iddings, American charge d' affairs at Rome: "Cardinal Sarto elected pope. Age sixty-eight."

Charles Medworth, a farmer, was killed near Mount Ayr, Ind., by a hired man.

AUSTRIA SURPRISED.

Satisfaction, and Even Pleasure, Are Manifested Over Selection.

Vienna, Aug. 5.—The election of Cardinal Sarto as pope has occasioned some surprise here, his name being scarcely mentioned among the possible successors of Pope Leo. In official circles satisfaction, and even pleasure, is expressed at the result of the conclave. Pius X. enjoys the reputation of being a moderate man of a very conciliatory character, and unlikely to take any particularly decided line politically, or to do anything tending to disturb the relations of the Vatican with foreign governments.

Ascribed to Gibbons.

Berlin, Aug. 5.—A dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Rome asserts that Cardinal Gibbons played the chief prat in frustrating the election of Cardinal Rampolla.

SCHWAB RESIGNS.

Same Is Accepted by United States Steel Corporation.

New York, Aug. 5.—The resignation of Charles M. Schwab as president of the United States Steel Corporation was tendered and accepted by the board of directors Tuesday. William E. Cory was unanimously elected his successor. Mr. Schwab's resignation

CHARLES M. SCHWAB.

was no surprise in financial circles, where it had for some time been foreshadowed. The new president was for some years one of Andrew Carnegie's ablest lieutenants, and is now president of the Carnegie Steel company, one of the subsidiary concerns of the United States Steel Corporation.

AS TO FINANCES.

Reporter and Treasurer of Knights of Honor Make Reports.

Dallas, Aug. 5.—In the Knights of Honor convention in the report of Grand Reporter R. W. Finley a summary of the receipts and disbursements during the two years of his term of office were shown. The total receipts in the period were $25,292.56, and the disbursements $20,911.92. The net resources in the treasury June 20, 1903, were shown to be $4891.74.

The report of John B. Wolf of Cameron, grand treasurer, showed $3012.41 cash on hand June 30, 1901, and $22,280.15 received during the two years ending June 30, 1903, making a total of $26,292.56.

The disbursements for the same period were shown to be $20,911.92, leaving a balance of $4188.64 to the general fund on June 30, 1903, and $194 to the credit of the general lodge extension fund, a total of $4380.64.

DEATH OF CURRY.

Victim of Compressed Air Joke Dies at Hospital.

San Antonio, Aug. 5.—J. B. Curry, the Sunset roundhouse employe, who was fatally injured by an inflation of compressed air from a Southern Pacific enbine, died at the Santa Rosa hospital Tuesday morning. He was thirty years of age and leaves a wife and two young children.

H. M. Nichols, a fellow employe, who is alleged to have stolen behind Curry with the nozzle from the air tank and inflicted the terrible injury as a practical joke, has been charged with the murder of the deceased.

FIENDISH CRIME.

Negro Attempts to Criminally Assault a Blind Woman.

Denison, Tex., Aug. 5.—Tuesday evening about 7:30 an unknown negro attempted an outrage on Mrs. Blackmon, a blind woman, and the wife of a woodchopper in a camp near Ray, West Denison. She screamed and the negro ran and is now in hiding in a dense thicket near the scene of the attempted assault. Sheriff Russell of Sherman is here with several deputies, and with Denison officers and a large crowd surrounded the thicket. The negroe's capture is almost certain.

NEW BOOKS.

Texas School Children Will Have to Purchase Twenty-Three.

Austin, Aug. 5.—The state textbook board adopted twenty-three books. In the adoption of the books there were several innovations, the introduction of a primer, a mental arithmetic, a beginner's history of the United States, a physical geography and a book on composition work. In other words, there were eighteen books under the former adoption, exclusive of copy books.

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Rome, Aug. 5.—Cardinal Sarto, patriarch of Venice, was elected pope.

Cardinal Macchi, secretary of apostolic briefs, announced to the crowd assembled before St. Peter's that Cardinal Sarto had been elected pope and he had taken the name of Pius X. The troops on duty immediately lined up on the piazza and presented arms. At 12 10 Tuesday afternoon Pipe Pius X. appeared inside the balcony of the basilica and blessed the populace amid acclamations of the enormous crowd assembled upon the piazza. Thousands of persons within the cathedral cheered and waved their hats. While Prince Chiga, master of the conclave, was drawing up the official act of the election and acceptance of the newly elected pope, the latter, surrounded by friends, disappeared into a small room near the altar, where he donned with, who can say what feelings of triumph and humility, the white robes of the office. Pius X., assisted by his conclavist, who first knelt and kissed the master's hand and thus received the first apostolic blessing given by Pius X. The new pope was attired all in white with the exception of the red hat, which is quite regular, but he did not stop to remove red cardinal's stockings for white papal ones, and these showed as he raised his gown to move forward. When he was quite robed secretary of conclave, Mgr. Merry del Val, kneeling, offered him the papal white cap amidst breathless silence. He did not follow precedent created by Pope Leo, who declined to give his red cap to the master of ceremonies as a sign that he was soon to be created a cardinal, but with a slight smile Sarto took the white cap, placed it calmly on his head and dropped the red one lightly on the head of Mgr. Merry del Val amidst a murmur of approval. This is taken as a certain indication that the happy recipient is soon to be raised a cardinal. As the new pontiff stepped from behind the altar, the only touch of color about him being his red and gold shoes, he really looked to be embodiment of his holy office. His face was pale and clearly softened by emotion. He paused a moment as he came before the expectant cardinals and seated himself on the throne with a hurried movement as though he had suddenly grov weak. His back was to the altar and he was enthroned to serve the so-called "first obedience" of cardinals. They came forward, one by one, some calm and smiling, others sober and non-commital, while still others found considerable difficulty even at this hour of concealing their too-obvious disappointment. All kissed his hand and foot while he saluted each on the cheek with the kiss of peace. Then all broke into the Te Deum with such effect that scarcely an eye was dry. Pius X. then rose and in a voice at first tremulous, but gradually becoming full and firm, administered the papal blessing to all members of the sacred college. It was received with bowed and uncovered heads. The Fisherman's ring, not yet having been found, a new one designed by Camerlingo Oreglia was placed on the pontiff's finger as a symbol of renewed power and evidence that the Catholic church had one more sovereign head.

Sarto bore himself with becoming dignity and gave no outward sign of exultation in this supreme moment of his life. In the meanwhile masons and carpenters had been busy breaking down the doors so the cardinal deacons, together with the master of ceremonies and conclavists and many others, might proceed to the balcony of St. Peter's. The poulace waiting in the piazza already at 11:30 o'clock saw a tiny thread of smoke almost transparent, which warned them what to expect, so when the windows on the balcony slowly opened and the great gleaming cross was seen the excitement and impatience was heightened to the extreme. Slowly Cardinal Macchi, secretary of apostolic briefs, advanced and exclaimed in a loud voice: "Annuntio vobis gaudium magnum habenus papen eminent issimum ac Reverendisimum Dominum Sardinalem Joseph Sarto qui sibi imposunt nomen Pium X."

Then the bells of St. Peter's rang out as did those of all churches of Rome, giving the news to the world. After a short rest, imposed by fatigue following the emotion caused by his election the new pontiff joined his court in the ducal salon for the solemn benediction which he was about to give to the people of Rome.

As Cardinal Macchi returned to the Sistine chapel, after having performed his pious duty, the new pope rose and an effort to make some kind of procession made, but Pius X. was literally carried triumph to his cell, followed by a great concourse and preceded by a cross. He was stopped every step or two by those anxious to kiss his ring and receive his papal blessing, which Sarto accorded with great benignity and patience. As the new pope passed along many of those present tried to prove they had always known what the result would be and how satisfied they all were. "Why, of course," shouted one, "before the conclave gathered I always said it would be he." If any of these compliments reached the ears of the pontiff he gave no sign thereof. When he arrived at the door of his cell the pope turned and, raising his hands, gave in a voice almost suffocated with emotion his benediction to the assembly, which received it on bended knees.

SOMETHING OF SARTO.

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Rome, Aug. 5.—Giuseppe Sarto was born in Riesi, diocese of Treviso, June 2, 1835 and was created cardinal by Leo. XIII. at the consistory of June 12, 1893, receiving the title of S. Bernardo delle Terme. He is also patriarch of Venice since June, 1895, and bishop of Mantua. He belong to the ecclesiastical congregations of bishops and regulars, sacred rites, indulgences and sacred relics.

Cardinal Sarto enjoys great popularity in his diocese, and is honored by all for his purity, for the strict uprightness of his life, and for liberal ideas. He is a modest and agreeable man, highly cultivated, very kind-hearted, still strong and robust in spite of his sixty-eight years. He has never taken great part in the political and public life of the church, but divided his time between study and good works. Although most faithful to the holy see he was presented to the king and queen of Italy in Venice. He may be considered among the more liberal member of the Italian episcopate and sacred college. He is rather timid in expressing an opinion. It is said that Leo XIII. always thought very highly of him, and sided with him on one occasion when Sarto disapproved of Rampolla's policy.

He is very learned in ecclesiastical doctrines; is modest, energetic, a good administrtor and organizer, patron of arts and his seriousness has always been proverbial. Early in April Pope Leo, in conversation with Father Perosi the Italian composer, said in speaking of Cardinal Sarto: "I hold him very dear, Perosi, as in future he may be able to do much for you. We firmly believe he will be our successor." H has been known for many years as one of the greatest preachers in the Catholic church.

LONDON SURPRISED.

Even High Church Dignitaries Asked "Who Is Sarto?"

London, Aug. 5.—News of the election of Cardinal Sarto as pope reached England first through the Associated Press dispatch from New York. The fact was communicated to the church authorities, and Mgr. Johnson, who is in charge of church affairs here pending the appointment of a successor to Cardinal Vaughan, said: "I am glad the election is over and the suspense ended. Cardinal Sarto is midway between the older and younger element of the sacred college, so he probably has many useful years to live. He is active and energetic."

To the Catholics of London the election was a great surprise. The first question asked, not only by laymen but by high church dignitaries, was: "Who is Sarto?" Books of reference were quickly hunted up in order to ascertain a knowledge of the career of the new pontiff. Cable dispatches were received at the archbishop's house from the English college at Rome, formally announcing the fact of Sarto's election. Churchmen at Westminster expressed the opinion that the new pope is a quiet ecclesiastic, who has not mixed much in politics, and will probably pursue a policy designed to harmonize conflicting interests. A few who are acquainted with him say he is highly esteemed by the Italian government and a close friend of King Humbert.

PARIS PLEASED.

Believed That New Pope Will Continue Predecessor's Policy.

Paris, Aug. 5.—The election of Cardinal Sarto as pope created a distinctly favorable impression in governmental quarters here, removing the fear that the choice might fall upon a radical or reactionary candidate. The foreign office received first information of the election from press sources. The news spread rapidly among officials and caused widespread comment. Although not espousing any particular candidacy, the official feeling had been favorable to one who would continue the conservative policy of the late pope. Cardinal Rampolla at first seemed to be the best exponent of continuance of former policy, but he lacked the necessary strength. Cardinals Sarto and Di Pietro are regarded as being closely identified with Rampolla and as likely to share his peneral views. The choice of Sarto, therefore, is satisfactory as apparently insuring the continuance of the recent policy of moderation followed by the holy see in its relations with France

POWERS CASE.

For the Third Time ex-Secretary of State Is Placed on Trial.

Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 5.—The commonwealth announced "ready" when the special term of the Scott circuit court, presided over by Special Judge J. R. Robbins of Mayfield, was convened to try former Secretary Caleb Powers for the third time on a charge of complicity in the Goebel assassination. The state called about fifty witnesses. Among the witnesses is Frank Cecil of Bell county, a star witness in the last Jim Howard trial. He now hails from Oskaloosa, Kan. Among the defense witnesses are about thirty who have never taken the stand before in this case. Fully a dozen of them were defense witnesses in the last trial of Jas. Howard.

Oil Soon Struck.

Crowley, La., Aug. 5.—The Champion Oil company, it is reported, has struck oil in its holdings near Canal switch at a depth of 117 feet.

WORK OF A MOB.

Killed a Negro Preacher and Fatally Shot Another Colored Man.

Lewisburg, Tenn., Aug. 4.—One negro was killed and another fatally wounded by a band of whitecappers Monday night. There was between fifteen and thirty in the mob, which made its appearance at the home of a negro preacher named John Millikin, and, after gaining extrance, demanded Millikin. He told his wife not to strike a match, but she did so and at the same time Millikin made his exit through the back door. He was commanded to halt, but continued to run until brought down by a volley. Millikin died almost instantly. Nine bullet holes was found in his body. John Hunter, son-in-law of Millikin, was made to accompany the mob in a fruitless search for another negro and in an attempt to escape was fatally shot in the back. The wife of Millikin was struck over the head with a gun and painfully injured.

KILLED HER HUSBAND.

He Fired Three Shots at Her and She Slew Him With a Rifle.

Mateuwan, W. Va., Aug. 5.—Wm. Adair, a prosperous farmer and timber dealer, was shot and killed by his wife in front of their home on Pigeon-creek this county. Adair, who had been in Cincinnati disposing of some of his lumber, returned home unexpectedly, and found his wife away from home. He went in search of her, finding her in the home of a neighbor, became jealous and pulling a revolver from his pocket fired three shots at her, all of which went wide. Mrs. Adair ran into her house, seized her husband's rifle and returned to the yard just as he was entering the gate. He attempted to escape by running toward the woods nearby, but a bullet from the rifle laid him low. He fell to the ground mortally wounded and died without uttering a word. The woman rode horseback to Williamson, where she surrendered and is now in jail.

Mrs. Adair comes from one of the wealthy families of Mingo county. She will enter a plea of self defense.

GIRL'S AWFU LFATE.

Poured Oil on Fire. Explosion Followed and She Died in Great Agony.

Austin, Aug. 5.—Francesca Garza, sixteen years old, a Mexican girl, was burned to death at her father's home on J. M. Best's farm, several miles from here, by the explosion of a kerosene can filled with oil. It was the same old story of lighting a fire with coal oil. She was holding the can over the stove and struck a match. An explosion followed and her dress caught fire. She was terribly burned before assistance reached her, and died in great agony a few hours after the accident. Her limbs were almost burned to a crisp.

DENIED BAIL.

Mexican Girls Tell Revolting Story of Their Treatment.

Austin, Aug. 5.—Lem and Moss Van Zandt, two negroes, charged with criminal assault on Susie and Anita Rivas, Mexican girls, last week on the Hunter farm, several miles from here, had examining trials and were denied bail. A revolting story was told by the two victims, who testified they were forced to submit at the point of revolvers. There was no demonstration in court.

Conferred With Health Officer.

Austin, Aug. 5.—A conference was held between railway surgeons of Texas roads and state health officers at which the new law requiring railroads to disinfect their coaches came up. Every phase of the law was discussed and a method adopted for following provisions of the law. All surgeons declared their intention to see the law obeyed.

Satisfactory Arrangement.

Austin, Aug. 5.—A conference was held between the adjutant general and representatives of different railroads, and the manner of transporting troops to the encampment satisfactorily arranged.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

Biennial Session of Grand Lodge Being Held at Dallas.

Dallas, Aug. 5.—The grand lodge of the Knights of Honor is holding its biennial session here. The address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Cabell and responses made by J. R. Cole of Sherman and Monta J. Moore of Cameron. Grand Dictator Steger of Bonham is presiding. There is a large attendance of delegates and considerable business handled.

MORTALLY WOUNDED.

Negro Receives Fatal Shot While Trying to Burglarize Store.

Beaumont, Tex., Aug. 5.—At 2 o'clock Tuesday morning a negro was shot and mortally wounded while attempting to burglarize Martin Weiss' dry goods store. His store has been frequently robbed. The shot was fired, it is alelged, by a clerk on watch.

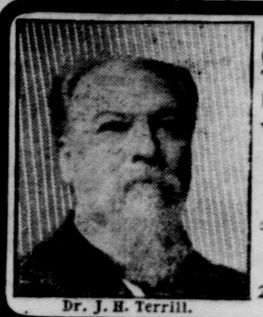
Child Ate Tablet.

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 4.—The infant son of J. A. Spellacy, former passenger agent of the Southern Pacific railway, ate an antiseptic tablet and is dying. He is three years old.

RAILS SPREAD.

Twenty-Five of Those on Train Were More or Less Injured.

Portsmouth, O., Aug. 5.—The south bound Norfolk and Western passenger train No. 8, wast wrecked at East Portsmouth by the rails spreading. The engine left the track and turned over and Engineer Billy Simonton of Columbus, O., was caught under the wreck and fatally injured. Fireman S. N. Donald of Portsmouth was probably fatally injured. He is internally injured. The train was running at the rate of fifty-five miles an hour when the accident happened. Twenty-five people were more or less injured.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TESTIMONY OF DOCTOR

Physician Who Attended Marcum Now on the Stand.

SAW JETT ON STREET.

His Evidence Contradicts That of Other Parties, Who Testified to Seeing Defendant Enter Courthouse Just Before the Shooting.

Cynthiana, Ky., Aug. 5.—In the Jett case Tuesday Dr. J. M. Kash testified to attending the dying man as he lay in front of the court house. He testified that a few minutes before the killing of Marcum he saw Curtis Jett in front of Hargis Bros.'s store, immediately across the street from the court house, talking to Asbury Spicer and Tish Noble. This contradicted the testimony of at least fifteen witnesses who testified for the prosecution to seeing Jett go into the side door of the court house a minute before the shooting.

On cross-examination he did not remember seeing any one else at the time of the killing about the court house. It was claimed by cross-examiners that he contradicted his testimony on the former trial at Jackson six weeks ago.

John Smith and John Werner testified at length contradicting Mrs. Mary Johnson and Edward Marcum, who said that they had seen Smith and Abner a year before the killing of Marcum in a stone quarry near Marcum's home, armed, with other men.

Lewis Hayes, the Jackson boarding house keeper, testified that Wesner, Abner Smith and Thomas White boarded with him during the term of court in June, 1902, but he did not remember whether they were up as early in the morning as the hour fixed by the prosecution, when armed men prevented Marcum from leaving his home.

Dodge Banks and Clarence Haddon were called to corroborate Jett's statement as to his location when Marcum was shot. The rigid cross-examination of Banks was a feature of the morning session. Dr. Offutt and W. H. Blanton testified, contradicting Mrs. Johnson's story about waylaying Marcum at a stone quarry. Joe Bruner testified that Ewen had told him that he did not recognize Jett as the man who killed Marcum.

MEXICAN BOLL WEEVIL.

Has Made Its Appearance at Louisiana Experimental Station.

New Orleans, Aug. 5.—The Mexican boll weevil has made its appearance at the experimental station near Audobon Park, where two acres are under cultivation. For several days brokers who have been watching the growth of the cotton have had suspicions that it was infested with the weevil in spite of opinions to the contrary from several authorities. The habits and the characteristics of the weevil were studied up and by the aid of Dr. Grayville was secured. He secured many plants and many embryo insects which he developed. Tuesday morning on the floor of the cotton exchange he exhibited a bottle full of insects that every one unhesitatingly pronounced the real Mexican weevil that has proved to be such a scourge in portions of Texas.

Conductor Takes His Life.

Shreveport, La., Aug. 5.—The dead body of Charles J. Bainer, a railroad conductor, was found lying in the dining room of his home in West Shreveport. A gaping hole in his left breast over the heart and an empty revolver by his side told the story of the man's death.

Nearly Roasted Alive.

Logansport, La., Aug. 5.—Henry Bishop, a negro confined in the city calaboose undertook to make his escape by burning a hole in the wall of the building with the result that the negro was nearly roasted alive and city sustained a loss of about $500 by the burning of the calaboose and mayor's office.

BASEBALL.

Texas League.

At Dallas—Corsicana, 2; Dallas, 1.
At Waco—Waco, 4; Fort Worth, 2.

Southern League.

At Montgomery—Montgomery, 5; Atlanta, 4.
At Shreveport—Shreveport, 9; Little Rock, 3.
At Birmingham—Nashville, 3; Birmingham, 1.
At New Orleans—Memphis, 4; New Orleans, 0.

National League.

At Chicago—Chicago, 1; Pittsburg, 0.

American League.

At Cleveland—Detroit, 5; Cleveland, 2.
At St. Louis—First game: St. Louis, 3; Chicago, 0. Second game: Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 1.

Motion Overruled.

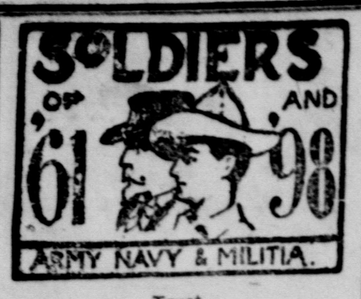
Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 5.—In the Tabel Powers case court overruled motion for a continuance and allowed the admission of depositions of absent witnesses, except in the case of William Sweeney and John Sweeney, Jr. The shediff was ordered to summon 200 men from Bourbon county to qualify for jury service.

Won by Meteor.

Cowes, Eng., Aug. 5.—The king's cup, the chief event of the regatta of the royal yacht squadron was won by the German emperor's Meteor.

Death Caused by Bread Crumb.

Austin, Aug. 5.—Guy T. Smith, aged thirty years, died at his home near Hyde Park Tuesday night from a bread crumb lodging in his windpipe.



Trust.

I know not if or dark or bright
Shall be my lot,
If that wherein my hopes delight
Be best or not.

It may be mine to drag for years
Toil's heavy chain,
Or day and night my meed be tears
On bed of pain.

Kind faces may surround my hearth
With smiles and glee,
Or I may dwell alone, and mirth
Be strange to me.

My bark is wafted to the strand
By breath Divine,
And on the helm there rests a hand
Other than mine.

One who has known in storms to sail,
I have on board;
Above the raging of the gale
I hear my Lord.

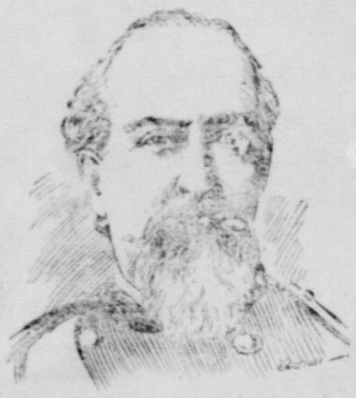
He holds me when the billows smite,
I shall not fall.
If sharp, 'tis short; if long, 'tis light—
He tempers all.

Safe to the land, safe to the land,
The end is this;
And then go with him hand in hand
Far into bliss.

Gen. Frank Wheaton's Record.

Maj. Gen. Frank Wheaton, U. S. A., who died in Washington a few days ago, served in the army for forty-two years.

Deceased was born in Providence, R. I., in 1832 and was in his 71st year. He became civil engineer, took part in the Mexican boundary surveys and, in 1855, was made lieutenant in the Third U. S. cavalry. The general's fighting record was one greatly to his credit. He took to the field against the Cheyenne Indians in 1857 and his opening fight was near Fort Kearny, Neb., where he acquitted himself most gallantly. He took part in the Utah expedition and, on the breaking out of the rebellion, proceeded to his native state and was made lieutenant colonel of the 2d Rhode Island volunteers; a month later he was made colonel, and had his troops in Virginia early in May, so that they took part in the opening engagement of the war at Bull Run. Thereafter the command was with the Army of the Potomac in all its desperate engagements. In 1862 the commander was made brigadier general and directed a division of the Sixth corps at Gettysburg and in the campaign in the Schenandoah valley in 1864, and was actively engaged in


THE LATE GEN. F. WHEATON

the maneuvers preceding the surrender of Lee in 1865 at Appomattox. For gallantry at the battles of Opequan, Fisher's Hill and Middletown, Va., he was made major general and further honors came to him for bravery in the battles of the Wilderness, Cedar Creek and Petersburg. For his chivalric conduct in these engagements the state of Rhode Island presented him with a sword in 1866. The civil war over, he was made lieutenant colonel of the 39th U. S. infantry and made colonel of the Second U. S. infantry in 1874. Later he was made brigadier and major general, held commands in Dakota, Montana and Nebraska, and took part in many severe encounters with the Indians on the plains. Since 1897 he had been on the retired list and had made his home in Washington.

The Flag Over Richmond.

The Poughkeepsie Eagle prints the following communication:

The question, "Who first raised the United States flag over Richmond in April, 1865?" is not a very important one. In view of the peaceful occupation of that city, but its continued agitation suggests that it ought to be answered. The facts are undoubtedly correctly stated by Col. Kreutzer, commanding the Ninety-eighth New York volunteers, in his interesting history of that regiment.

Col. Kreutzer says that his regiment belonged to Devens' division, and was the first regiment which entered the City of Richmond after its evacuation by the Confederate troops on the 3d of April, 1865. To quote his own language:

"Arrived opposite the front entrance of the city hall, we halted. Across the street the Capitol grounds were filled with goods taken from the burned district, and the portico and steps of the edifice were densely packed with the homeless tenants, extremely old, extremely young, sick and infirm.

"Adjt. Oakley, followed by a color sergeant, pressed his way through the crowd and, ascending the building, first waved our regimental flag from the roof of the Capitol of the Southern Confederacy. Leaving the sergeant with the flag, Oakley descended. An hour after Sergt. Hardy was relieved by Lieut. J. L. de Peyster of Weitzel's staff; and De Peyster, assisted by Capt. Langdon, Weitzel's chief of artillery, hoisted over the building a storm flag which had waved over the St. Charles hotel in New Orleans during Gen. Butler's administration.

De Peyster was honored by Gov. Fenton with a brevet lieutenant colonelcy, but no member of the Ninety-eighth ever received from anyone a thank or the merest recognition for the service. When De Peyster raised his garrison flag over the Capitol of Virginia he displaced the silken colors of the Ninety-eighth. He may parade his honors and vaunt over his services among his princely friends and relatives, but in this particular an unpretending adjutant and plain sergeant in the Ninety-eighth were an hour ahead of him on the calendar of time, if not on that of history. EDWARD ELLSWORTH.

An Old Soldier's Story.

"It is not often that a man commits suicide on the field of battle," said Col. Prentiss Ingraham, author, traveler, dramatist, and soldier in seven wars, "either voluntarily or involuntarily, but it happens sometimes, and that it did happen once when I was a party to it saved my life. My first experience as a Confederate soldier was under Van Dorn, in Missouri, and some of the small battles we had in the Southwest were about as nasty fighting as a soldier ever has to do. I belonged to a company of scouts, and early one morning we were surprised by a squadron of Federal cavalry that we thought was on the other side of a stream we were supposed to be guarding. I think we had about seventy-five men in our company, and there were just about that many Yankees. They came down on us with a rush, and while most of our men got to horse and went at them hot and heavy, a dozen or so of us missed our mounts, and we formed into a little platoon, and faced the foe. We had muskets, the old-fashioned sort, with hammers, and when the fight got real warm we had to scatter somewhat. Pretty soon I found myself hand to hand, or rather musket to sabre, with a Yankee on a horse that looked to me as big as a haystack.

"He came at me cutting and slashing to kill and murder, and I tried to shoot him, for I had my old muzzle-loader ready for business, but he was so close on me that I had to use my gun as a guard and could not get it into firing position. I tried hard enough to get it where I could shoot, but he was doing all he could to prevent such a result, and the best I could do was to punch viciously at him with my bayonet when I wasn't holding the gun up to ward off his sabre. He had the advantage and saw that he had, and he came at me with a wild rush. This time I would have gone down beneath his blows certain, for they fairly rained down on my gun barrel, but in some providential way—for me, at least—for it must have been Providence, he struck the hammer of my musket with his sword blade, and the gun went off with an explosion that threw it out of my hands and sent the entire charge square into the cavalryman's face. We went down together, both covered with blood—his blood. But only one of us got up again."

Drummer Boy of Shiloh.

"An item in the Post, mentioning the presence in the city of Lieutenant Colonel John L. Clem of the quartermaster's department, United States army," said a veteran of the civil war, "brings to mind his first appearance on the military stage as the 'Drummer Boy of Shiloh.' At the age of 12 he was a drummer in the Twenty-Second regiment, Michigan infantry, and his extreme youthfulness, together with his bravery under fire at the battle of Shiloh, Tennessee, interested a number of officers, and at the close of the war he was educated under their auspices and a commission secured for him in the regular army—a fact that the general public long ago lost sight of, for though the newspapers made frequent mention of it thirty years ago, I have not seen a reference to it in many years.

"During the battle a general of brigade saw the little fellow in the thickest of the fight, and he called an aid. "'See what that child is doing there on the firing line'—Clem was a little fellow, even for his age—'and send him to the rear.'

"The order was obeyed, but Johnny could not be kept at the rear, and he was soon again in the thickest of the fight, and having abandoned his drum and secured a musket, he was doing his best with a gun that weighed almost as much as he did."—Washington Post.

The Fateful Order to Halt.

In less than one half hour my troops would have swept up and over those hills, the possession of which was of such momentous consequence. It is not surprising, with a full realization of the consequences of a halt, that I should have refused at first to obey the order. Not until the third or fourth order of the most peremptory character reached me did I obey. I think I should have risked the consequences of disobedience even then but for the fact that the order to halt was accompanied with the explanation that Gen. Lee, who was several miles away, did not wish to give battle at Gettysburg. It is stated on good authority that Gen. Lee said, some time before his death, that if Jackson had been there he would have won in this battle a great and possibly decisive victory. I cannot vouch for the truth of this statement, as I did not hear it; but no soldier in a great crisis ever wished more ardently for a deliverer's hand than I wished for one hour of Jackson when I was ordered to halt.—Gen. John B. Gordon, in Scribner's.

Not as Crazy as He Seemed.

A Toledo real estate man paid $500 for an old dock at Manhattan, Ohio, a year ago and his friends said he was crazy. He has been selling the oak and walnut logs of which the dock was constructed and has thus far cleared $20,000, with prospects of making as much more. The dock was sixty years old and the water curing has made the logs more valuable than they were when newly cut.

Ministers Barred.

The constitution of Tennessee provides that whereas ministers of the gospel are by their profession dedicated to God and the care of souls, and ought not to be diverted from the great duties of their functions, therefore no minister of the gospel or priest of any denomination whatever, shall be eligible to a seat in either houses of the legislature.

Obeys Spirit Mandate.

A Bohemian widow living at Haida made up her mind to marry again, if she could get her departed husband's consent with the aid of a spiritual medium. The "husband" advised her not to marry but to come to him, whereupon she went home, put arsenic in her coffee, and died.

Mosquitoes Attack Paris.

Following a long period of unusually wet and sultry weather, a plague of mosquitoes is reported in Paris. It is said that the ornamental, but stagnant or sluggish, ponds have something to do with the situation which is rendering mosquito nets necessary in many houses.

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New System of Robbery.

The latest robbery scheme in New York is to run along the side of open cars as they slow down and snatch chatelaine bags or pocketbooks from women passengers. A gang of thieves has been doing this for several days and numerous losses have been reported to the police. The robbers have little difficulty in getting away before the cars are stopped.

Comic Papers Soon Die.

Several new comic papers make their appearance in Paris every year. Rire, which was founded ten years ago, had so much success that it has since had about twenty imitators, most of which were short-lived.

City of Rich Beggars.

A crusade is being made in New York against the professional beggars and street freaks. It is suggested that many of them will draw on their bank accounts and spend the summer in the country.

From Hungry Boy to Premier.

It is told of the Marquis Ito, the premier of Japan, that when a youth he wandered about the streets of London penniless, ragged and hungry, a starving alien in a strange land.

It May Be So.

Pittsburg uses over $1,000,000 worth of water each year. You would not think it to look at her face.—Louisville (Ky.) Post.

Up to New Jersey.

How can it be possible that mosquitoes are killed by music when they are so fond of a little song of their own?

Where the Frost Takes Hold.

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Under the Red-Tape System.

Perhaps the most remarkable curios in the British army system of red tape are the headings under which various personal necessities are classed. For instance, a soldier must purchase a brush and comb under the head of clothing, while a tooth brush for some extraordinary reason comes under the denomination of fuel.

Shoes for All Poor Children.

An anonymous donor has offered to provide footwear for every shoeless child in Sunderland, England. Each pair of boots is to be stamped with a notification that they are the property of the mayor, and any parent attempting to sell or any pawnbroker accepting them in pledge will be prosecuted.

Home of Fine Laces.

Some of the finest laces being used this season come from Idria, a small mountain town in Italy with about 6,000 inhabitants. It has been for some centuries the usual house industry of the women, who formerly worked from old Croatian patterns and Slav designs.

Various Alcoholic Beverages.

Powerful alcoholic beverages are distilled from bananas, the milk of cocoanuts, rice, and peas. The Japanese distil spirit from plums, peaches and the flower of the motherwort. The Chinese make an alcoholic drink from plums.

Gold Fever.

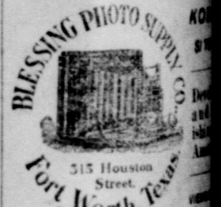
The gold fever is raging in Africa, attracting men to the regions adjoining Khartoum, where copper and gold also exist in paying quantities.

Of Course Not.

We do not believe we were ever as frivolous as the boys and girls nowadays. Do you think you were?—Washington (Ia.) Democrat.

Lead in Railway Mileage.

The Australian colonies have a greater railway mileage, in proportion to population, than any other part of the world.



MAIL ORDERS SOLICITED

THE Famous SHOE STORE

Great Monoliths.

Eight great monoliths [illegible] erection in building the [illegible] St. John the Divine, in [illegible] city. The eight columns [illegible] 000. The rough shafts [illegible] 8½x7 feet, and weigh [illegible] Only one other structure, [illegible] cathedral, at St. Petersburg, [illegible] umns approaching these [illegible]

Rapid Shoemaking.

A pair of women's shoes [illegible] Lynn, Mass., to establish [illegible] for rapid shoemaking [illegible] seven operations and the [illegible] two machines and 79 [illegible] these parts were assembled [illegible] into a graceful pair of [illegible] to wear, in thirteen minutes.

Eskimo Bible.

The Eskimos now have [illegible] translation of the Bible [illegible] taken 150 years to complete [illegible] wegian pastor, Hans Egede, [illegible] to Greenland in 1721. [illegible] which is completed and [illegible] the Bible Society of Denmark.