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LOST MINES OF SPAIN FOUND IN TEXAS HILLS

Copper Shafts Found in Stonewall County

GOLD AND SILVER FOUND

Mysterious Copper Disc Believed to Be Map of the Lost Mines

Staff Correspondent.
ASPERMONT, Texas, Feb. 4.—Is the secret which the old Spaniards look with when they find the hills of what is now Stonewall county, fully 100 years ago, about to be wrested from the rocky ledges and forbidden cliffs where they once told? Is the mystery of their hidden treasure, which has been tradition in this part of Texas for two generations, about to be fathomed by practical, unscrupulous workmen of the Twentieth century?

There are questions which old settlers of Stonewall county are now asking in view of recent developments in the region lying between the Double Mountain and Salt Forks of the Brazos river.

Into this vicinity, until this year reached only by a single daily mail stage from Stamford, Fort Worth, to the southeast, there have recently come visitors from the north, miners and prospectors, who have been told the purpose of their visit secret, but whose actions were such that those who saw them could easily guess their object. They plainly had been attracted by the stories of the hidden but hitherto unobtainable mineral wealth of the Stonewall county hills, and were to find out first hand just how much of truth there was in the stories that have been told about Stonewall county for the past fifty years.

Are Copper Mines

It has become known that at least four men who have been prospecting in this vicinity for the past several weeks are from Michigan, and they are also from the greatest copper producing region in the United States. That there is copper in the Stonewall county hills has been known for a century. The Spaniards who mined it knew of it, although they probably were searching for gold when they sank their deep shafts in what is now known as Copper Hill.

But until this year, when the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroad steadily making its way northward through the plains and valleys from Sweetwater, and southward toward its north-projecting rails from Wichita, Kan., offers the immediate prospect of railroad facilities, there were no possibilities, no matter how rich the earth might be in minerals, of working the deposits, so long as the ore, and the crude metal, could not be taken away from the mines except on wagons.

Orient Runs Near

Now, the line of the Orient is nearly opposite the copper-bearing hills, and in a few weeks is expected to pass less than a dozen miles from where the Spaniards built a crude blast-furnace about the time Paul Jones was taking prizes off the coast of France. There are in the hills, building a railroad now, as they say, cutting a cutting, a packhorse trail a century ago. What could be more simple?

Southern capital might acquire an interest in the ore beds, and as industry greater than even the wildest dreams of the early prospecting Spaniards, and the copper-bearing hills of Stonewall county, which hitherto have yielded nothing but a little timber and

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LASHES VANITY OF EASTERNERS

Mondell of Wyoming Delivers Magnificent Speech

KEEN SCOURGE OF SARCASM

He Plays Arrogance of East in House Subject of the Statehood Bill

Special to The Telegram.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—"When in the company of M. P. S. Allen, you have a brain and cerebrum, too; they have to leave that brain alone. And vote just as their leaders tell 'em to."

It was Representative Kahn of California who quoted the above couplet from the poem of W. S. Gilbert on his colleagues in the house who cringed before the party lash and abused implacably the order of the house leaders when the statehood bill was before the house for consideration.

The above quotation was the result of the bitter attack made by eastern congressmen upon the west and the anathematization of the "puny, dwarfed and sage-brush states in the arid and semi-arid country," as members of the house seem to take particular delight in referring to the states of the west that have not population equal to that of day states in the east and middle west.

The constant carping upon this point caused Representative Mondell to indulge in some prophetic utterances which were interesting. Mr. Mondell, in speaking of the attitude of the east toward the west, said:

Arizona's Future

"But as the gentleman has complained of the fundamental principle of our government, I suppose gentlemen in coming days will do the same. In that future day when the historian, sitting in the shade of the orange grove and the oleander hedges of the Salt river valley of Arizona, amid all the splendid evidences of the tremendous population, wonderful development and magnificent civilization that shall flourish there, shall write the history of the worked-out coal measures, the exhausted oil fields, the chilled and silent furnaces and dismantled mills of the great copper-bearing hills of Pennsylvania—the story of the passing of that store of fuel upon which their present industrial greatness rests, possibly in that day some representative of that glorious southwest will arise here and, equally forceful as other gentlemen have been in this great principle of our government, will complain because his magnificent, populous, mighty commonwealth has no more representation in the senate of the United States than declining and waning states east of the Allegheny mountains. I hope not, but I imagine that may occur."

Day Is Sure to Come

"In the day that is sure to come when the magnificent commonwealth I have the honor to represent on this floor shall have fully developed her 30,000 square miles of coal lands and shall have an output of hundreds of millions of tons of fuel per year, when the mighty steam shovels shall ceaselessly feed her inexhaustible mountains of iron ore into the devouring maws of the new great commonwealth, when her limitless fields of oil and gas shall light the midnight heavens with the glory of her petroleum fires, when her fertile valleys and uplands shall all bear golden and abundant harvests, and her splendid citizenship shall have multiplied a hundredfold, possibly some representative of that mighty commonwealth may stand on the floor and carp and cavil because the fathers of that day had emptied into the Salt Sea, which it is now doing, And these same wisecracks estimate that in about 1,000 years the river would have changed its course to the channel of the Imperial ditch of its own accord, so that the reclamation company has but aided nature in hastening her plans."

It is little more than five years since the first water was turned into the Colorado desert, and in that time 100,000 people have settled on the

CRITICIZING BILL

House Indulges in Sarcastic Comment on Bi-Party Measure

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Considerable fault was found with the railroad rate bill in the house yesterday considering the fact that it is a measure of both parties.

Mr. Littlefield of Maine opened the day with a whirlwind speech in which he pointed out the drastic and far-reaching effect of its provisions. The committee, he said, had gone much farther than the President had recommended and much further than he was willing to go. He would not vote for the bill.

The bill provides seven commissioners and made four a quorum and it was possible for the President to remove three and leave all the power in the minority of the remaining four. It would be then that this dangerous power would rise up and curse its maker.

Mr. Stevens of Minnesota, following, said the huge and awful things predicted were not contained in the bill. Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio ridiculed the alleged popular demand for the legislation, picked flaws in the construction of the bill, complained because amendments were to be allowed and concluded with the statement that he would do his best to get the bill out of the house at the earliest possible moment, which was taken to mean that he would vote for it. He said it was not true that there was any popular demand for the railway rate legislation. What there had been manufactured out of the air. He said in congress there never had been such a "fake" issue launched. Rebutals constituted a legitimate complaint.

"This bill," said Mr. Grosvenor, "was born at the dawn of a political millennium. All the angels sang together the same tune the day it was born." He said that by very cute language the bill left out sleeping cars and asked why not put it in the bill plainly.

"On other speeches were made, all of them by members who will vote for the bill, but some of whom would like opportunity to amend the measure."

Mr. Gaines of Tennessee has an anti-passenger amendment which he will bring forward at the proper time.

Before the railroad rate debate began in the house yesterday, Mr. Mondell of Wyoming provided for setting aside town sites in the Flathead Indian reservation in Montana; the other authorized the further expenditure of \$50,000 for county improvements from the sale of town lots in Lawton, O. T.

DIES IN HAWAII

Colonel W. F. Allen, U. S. A., Expires Far From Home

By Associated Press.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 6.—Thomas W. Lawson of Boston arrived in Des Moines at 8:45 a. m. today for a conference with Governor Cummins in regard to the insurance investigation in Iowa. F. S. Monett, former attorney general of Ohio; N. H. Brown, governor of Florida; Freeman Older, managing editor of the San Francisco Bulletin, and several Boston newspaper men accompanied him. Immediately upon his arrival Governor Cummins met the party at the Rock Island depot and drove to the Chamberlain hotel.

TRAIN WRECKED BY RUNAWAY

Six Known to Be Dead Many Are Missing

By Associated Press.

HELENA, Mont., Feb. 6.—A runaway freight train on the Northern Pacific crashed into a passenger train at 11:20 o'clock last night about two and one-half miles from here, resulting in the death of three persons whose names are known, and of two others who were burned in the wreck and whose names have not yet been learned.

The known dead: Charles Brickle, conductor on passenger train; Charles Brickle, conductor on passenger train; S. D. Jessup, express messenger. Edward Brown of this city, brakeman was probably fatally injured. Other passengers were slightly injured.

Every coach in the passenger train was burned, and the freight train, which was made up of cars loaded with lumber, was also burned.

Freight Cars Loose

The passenger train proceeded the freight train out of Austin, about eight miles west of Helena. At Austin, the engine was detached from the freight train. There is a heavy grade from Austin to Helena, and the freight got loose. The passenger train was backing at the crossing when the freight came thundering down. Before it could get out of the way the freight came thumping into the passenger train.

Burned Alive

Messenger Jessup was burned alive while four people were trying to pull him out of the wreck. He was caught under the wreckage and could not be moved.

Search of the wreckage may reveal many other bodies besides those six known to be killed. The runaway was making about a hundred miles an hour before it overtook the passenger train. The collision threw all the cars off the tracks, where some burned. Jessup's body was not recovered. The wreckage, but was pinned in the blazing wreckage. He screamed in agony as vain efforts were made to release him. The engine broke apart and took thirteen miles west, while the engine was taking water. It ran about ten miles.

CONVICT-MADE CHAIRS

Railroad Commission Sits on Handiwork of Prisoners

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—Biblical teachings embracing the range of orthodox Christian doctrines are attacked with the weapons of "higher criticism" and liberalism by George B. Foster, president of the philosophy of religion at the University of Chicago in a book on "The Finality of the Christian Religion," published yesterday.

The accepted belief in the Bible as an inspired document and in Christianity as an historical religion is declared false by Dr. Foster. Other Christian doctrines, such as the virgin birth, the Biblical miracles, the immaculate conception of Christ, the bodily resurrection of Christ, and the mass of supernatural elements ascribed to the Scriptures.

The volume, which was issued by the University of Chicago Press, represents the latest contribution to the deconstruction of the Bible, and is designed as an arraignment of "authority religion," which, according to the author, "is in full force in all of our denominations in some parts of the country and in some of our denominations in all parts of the country."

WANTS \$10,000 FOR FIRE HEROES

General Funston Will Make Request of Government

Special to The Telegram.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6.—General Funston, commander of the department of California, made known yesterday his intention of writing to the war department to suggest that congress be asked to pass a bill appropriating \$10,000 each to the families of Captain Charles Dakin and Hosenman Thomas Hennessee, both of Engle Company No. 4, who gave up their lives in the fire on board the army transport Meade in the early morning of Feb. 1. The appropriation would be asked on the ground that both men lost their lives in an effort to save government property from destruction.

AMATEUR BOXER KILLED

Bout With Gloves Fatal in San Francisco

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 6.—Thomas Davis, an amateur boxer, was killed last night by a blow under the heart, received in a bout with "Chief" Johnson.

IS POLITICAL REFUGEE

Russian Immigrant Held in New York City

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NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Attorney Rosenthal said last night that he would appeal to Secretary Root for the release on bail of his client, Felix Oatis, the Russian fugitive, who is held here on a charge of larceny preferred through the Federal authorities by the police of St. Petersburg.

Rosenthal says that the larceny charge is a ruse to obtain the custody of his client, who fled from Russia to escape punishment for his political opinions.

Mr. Rosenthal said: "My client was a private soldier in a St. Petersburg regiment and was detailed as an orderly to General Evgeni Lamanaki, who lived in Molko street. There the revolutionaries gathered, and the general being in sympathy with them. General Lamanaki was not suspected for a long time. His orderly became thoroughly imbued with the spirit of the plotters."

Fled from Russia

"It became known to Lamanaki three months ago that he was suspected. He fled to Switzerland, where he is now. Before going he did not forget his military duties and advised him to go to the United States. He gave him 600 roubles. Gaidis, after many adventures, crossed the border, reached Hamburg and then came here."

"The charge is a dummy one to get back this man into the hands of the Russian police. I shall apply to Secretary Root, demanding that the man be admitted to bail. Of course, prisoners in extradition cases cannot ordinarily be admitted to bail. There is a precedent, however, under Secretary Hay."

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SOLD IMPURE FOOD

Chicago Grocers Prosecuted by Pure Food Board

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.—Forty cases against grocers and other dealers who have sold adulterated food were started yesterday in justice courts by the Illinois pure food commission. The charges were for formaldehyde in milk, codified distilled vinegar, glucose and gelatin in jelly and preserves, illegal flavoring extracts and fraudulent labeling.

Some of the best-known manufacturers and jobbers in Chicago are named in the complaints. The defendants, however, in each case will be the dealer, who, it is admitted, is often an innocent party to the deception.

JACOB RIIS ILL

Friend of President Has Severe Heart Trouble

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NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Jacob A. Riis is reported ill at his home in Richmond, L. I., with an affection of the heart. His illness, while not necessarily serious, is sufficiently severe to cause him to cancel his lecture engagements for the next three months.

Mr. Riis returned from Washington Friday and on the following day his illness became apparent.

WHAT REVOLT MEANS

In One Month 2,800 Killed and Wounded in Russia

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ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 6.—Statistics show that during January 1,203 revolutionists were killed and 1,600 wounded. Martial law was proclaimed in sixty-two districts, seventy-eight papers were suspended and fifty-eight editors jailed.

WON'T COUNSEL WAR

Algeria Conference Cannot Be Cause Bell

Special to The Telegram.

BERLIN, Feb. 6.—The foreign office today announces that the Algeria conference, no matter how it ends, in no sense be made to cause war with France. It is believed the conference will last till March.

100 VISITORS

FALL IN RIVER

Bridge of German Cruiser Broke Under Crowds

Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 6.—Over one hundred people were precipitated into the Mississippi river when the bridge leading from the levee to the German imperial cruiser Bremen, detailed here for the carnival by the Kaiser, broke under the weight of the crowding throng of visitors.

Owing to the great numbers of visitors who have been boarding the Bremen while she lay in the mid channel, the cruiser was ordered moved up alongside the levee, and a bridge was thrown out leading from the wharf to the deck. Hardly had it been put in place when the crowds rushed aboard.

About three persons had reached the deck when a particle of warping the bridge broke and over a hundred people were thrown into the river, between the cruiser's side and the pilings of the levee. Women's screams and the terrified cries of children filled the air. Many were carried down by the swift current.

With wonderful speed and presence of mind the German crew, without the need of orders, began the work of rescue. Boats were hurriedly lowered, and some of the crew leaped overboard and held up the heads of the struggling swimmers until help could be brought. Ropes and canvas life buoys were thrown over in great numbers.

No lives were lost, mainly owing to the agility and speed of the German sailors. The only losses recorded are some sixteen hats, which floated away on the tide. Several women were bruised by the fall, but none fatally.

A stronger bridge was promptly built by the ship's carpenters, and strong cables stretched to guard the approach against overcrowding.

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WAS ALSO BANK PRESIDENT

Had Been Warned to Leave Town Within Twenty-four Hours

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PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 6.—Rev. George Simmons committed suicide during the night with cyanide of potassium. He was pastor of the First Baptist church, president of the Interstate and People's Savings banks, the originator of a substitute for coffee, the author of many religious works, a well-known lecturer and was recently selected to manage the senatorial campaign of ex-Governor Yates. A complaint was made to the state's attorney on Saturday that Simmons had been corrupting the minds and morals of members of the Baptist Boys' Brigade.

The editors of the local papers yesterday told Simmons they would not print the facts if he would leave town forever within twenty-four hours, having decided upon this course to protect the reputation of the boys.

Run on Banks

The People's Savings Bank, of which Simmons was president, in the workmen's quarter of the city, did not open its doors today. Cashier Look said it would remain closed until some future action was determined on. There was a run on the bank yesterday, and this morning a large crowd surrounded the building, clamoring for their money. The Interstate Savings Bank, of which Simmons was president up to yesterday, when his resignation was accepted and E. G. Heidrich elected in his stead, was also the object of runs yesterday.

Early today the bank building was crowded with depositors demanding their money. Cashier Ancker said they would be able to stand the drain. Dr. Simmons came to the First Baptist church five years ago from Terre Haute, Ind., and had been remarkably successful. He secured national publicity a few years ago by advocating a dramatization of the life of Christ. He became local manager of the senatorial campaign of former Governor Yates a week ago and shortly after serious stories affecting his morals were circulated.

Inspired Attorney Scholes undertook an investigation yesterday and secured some sensational confessions from John D. Rockefeller's grandchild, who was 40 years of age, leaves a widow.

He held charges in Texas, Jackson, Tenn., and Louisville, Ky., before coming here.

JOHN D'S GRANDSON DYING

Fowler McCormick Seriously Ill in a New York Hospital

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The World today says:

One of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler McCormick of Chicago, it was learned last night, has been seriously ill for several days in a private hospital in this city. The little McCormicks are John D. Rockefeller's grandchildren, and their mother was Miss Edith Rockefeller before her marriage. She has had four children, but only two of them are living. The surviving children are Fowler and Muriel McCormick. It could not be learned last night which of the two is the sufferer. The McCormicks and their children came here from Chicago two weeks ago, intending to sail for Europe after a short visit with relatives. It was soon after their arrival that one of the children was suddenly stricken. Emmett physicians were summoned and by their advice the patient was at once sent to the hospital.

It was said that an operation had been performed and that the little one's condition was critical; that the mother was constantly at the bedside, and that the family was much worried.

All that medical science can accomplish is being done for the little patient, and a staff of trained nurses is in attendance.

RAIN TO FOLLOW

SNOW FLURRIES

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 6.—Indiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territories—Tonight, rain or snow; warmer. Wednesday, rain.

East Texas (north)—Tonight, rain or snow; slightly warmer. Wednesday, rain.

East Texas (south)—Tonight, rain; slightly warmer. Wednesday, rain; light to northeast winds on the coast.

Fort Worth and vicinity may expect rain or snow tonight, with slightly warmer conditions. Wednesday will have rain.

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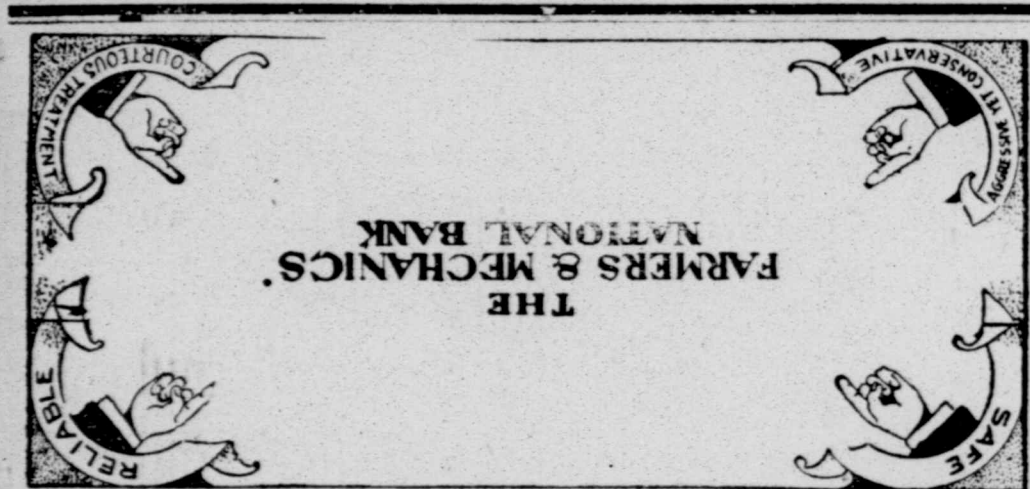
The best line of comforts we have ever owned are on sale at even lower prices than we ever sold them when materials to make them of were a third less in price than now.

Misfit bedding that is too small to cover the bed and tuck in at the foot cannot be found among ours. Nothing is more conducive to mild profanity or colds than comforts and blankets too short or too narrow.

Pull them up high enough and they are loose at the foot. Tuck them in at the foot and you are cold at the head.

Every Price Comfort You Want and Every One Long and Wide

The Daylight Store



FRISCO-KATY STILL IN LEAD

Maintain Fast Schedule in the Mail Race

The Frisco-Katy combination won the second race between St. Louis and Fort Worth from the Iron Mountain-Cotton Belt lines and the Frisco-Katy people are becoming confident that they will win the thirty days race and secure the valuable mail contracts. The interest on the part of the railway people has increased and representation of the lines interested are strong-ly partisan.

The Frisco-Katy train arrived here exactly on time Monday night, while the Cotton Belt was one hour and fifteen minutes late. There was an excuse for the Cotton Belt in that the tender was derailed twice on the trip, losing twenty-five minutes each time. The first derailment was six miles south of Texarkana and the second two miles east of Plano. The Iron Mountain delivered the train to the Cotton Belt on time, but the accidents mentioned, together with soft tracks, due to heavy rains, caused the latter road to lose time. These conditions are not counted by the government, which looks only to the final results of the race.

C. W. Strain, general passenger agent of the Frisco, is very enthusiastic and his sporting blood is thoroughly aroused. In talking of the race to a Telegram reporter, Mr. Strain said that the Frisco-Katy had demonstrated that it could make its time card and that this time card was twenty-five minutes shorter than that of the Gould lines, which had, he believed, figured that the Frisco-Katy people would not be able to meet the requirements of their schedule. Were both roads to arrive on time, he declares, the Frisco-Katy people would not be allowed to run ahead of time, it looks as though the Frisco-Katy combination has an advantage thus far in the race.

GLENWOOD NEWS

Rev. G. L. Clark and family of Amarillo have moved to Glenwood and will make their home at the corner of Wil- liams and Madison streets.

Miss Mabel Daniels, who has been visiting her father, Rev. Charles W. Daniels, has returned to take charge of her music class at East Texas.

Mrs. W. T. Mayfield gave a dinner Sunday to a small number of her son Clyde's friends. In honor of his nine-teenth birthday.

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1908 APPEAL FOR MRS. TOLLA

Telegram Petition Forwarded to Pardon Board

FROM ALL NORTH TEXAS

Generous Response to Request for Aid in Unfortunate Woman's Behalf

To save a woman, condemned to be hanged by the antiquated laws of New Jersey, because she shot a man who had slandered her honor, nearly 2,000 readers of The Telegram in Fort Worth and North Texas have united in signing a petition for her pardon. The Telegram, as promised to its readers who generously responded to the sug- gestion for such a petition, has for- warded the names to the secretary of the board of pardons of New Jersey with a letter explaining their purpose.

The woman, Mrs. Antonette Tolla, has been sentenced to hang for shoot- ing Joseph Santa, the date of the ex- ecution had been set for early in Janu- ary, but yielding to the pleas of thou- sands of petitioners, Governor Higgins of New Jersey granted a re- prieve of one month.

Since then hundreds of petitions for the pardon of Mrs. Tolla have been sent to Governor Higgins, with the re- sult that he finally announced, through the Associated Press, that the power of pardon lay not with him, but with the New Jersey board of pardons.

Largely through the efforts of Mrs. Jessie Parton of Cincinnati, who wrote for The Telegram the first story pre- senting Mrs. Tolla's defense, the board of pardons has been induced to take up Mrs. Tolla's case for consideration, and the testimony which convicted her is now before that body. Action by the board is expected in a few days, but it is believed that the petition signed by readers of The Telegram will reach the board before it announces the decision.

Accompanying

Accompanying the petitions and names of Telegram readers, the fol- lowing letter was sent to the New Jersey board:

PORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 5, 1905. To the Honorable Board of Pardons for the State of New Jersey:

The accompanying letters and signa- tures are forwarded you by nineteen hundred and eight (1908) readers of The Telegram, residents of Fort Worth and North Texas, with the request that you consider them before acting definitely on the case of Mrs. Anto- netta Tolla, condemned to be executed for the killing of Joseph Santa.

The names have been submitted with the request for clemency in behalf of this unfortunate woman, whose ex- ecution, the signers believe, would be a blot, not only on the name of New Jer- sey, but this whole enlightened coun- try as well.

In securing these names no effort was made by The Telegram other than mere announcement that signatures would be received to a petition in Mrs. Tolla's behalf. Both sides of Mrs. Tol- la's case, as contained in its news dis- patches, have been printed in The Telegram's columns, and readers have been left to make their own decision regarding the merits of her case.

Trusting that this appeal from Texas will have at least some weight in the half of the woman whose these peti- tioners believe morally innocent of the crime for which she has been sentenced to die a shameful death, and that you for your attention, respectfully submitted.

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Many Individual Petitions

Signers of The Telegram's petition live not only in Fort Worth, but all over Northern Texas. Among the peti- tions are: from a church committee at Weatherford, Texas. At the Burton-Peel dry goods store 33 names were secured; at the Southwestern Telephone Company offices, 102 names; at the Fort Worth Business College, 57 names; at Gensbacher Bros., 9; at the Knight Dry Goods Company's store, 11; at Washer Bros., 18; at W. C. Stripling's, 39; at Burch & Prince's store, 21; at the Empires-Platter every Company offices, 22; at G. Y. Smith's, 28; at The Fair, 4; at the Elison Furniture Company's store, 50; Mrs. H. C. L. Gorman, 1; and Gorman, 1.

Number of names secured, sending in two lists of names, one numbered 241 and the other 150. Mrs. E. H. Berger of 414 Louisiana avenue sent in names: Mrs. J. Y. Williams of 1116 Kentucky avenue sent in 68; ladies of North Fort Worth sent in 41; Graham, Texas, came 3 names; from Claiborne, Texas, 8; from Henrietta, Texas, 8; from Mineola, Texas, 8; from Dallas sent 7; 42 names were sent from a list secured at Riverside, Jew- el, Texas, sent 1; and Middlefield, Tex- as, 2. Mrs. D. Randall and Miss Nettie Fisher of Fort Worth sent 37; Mrs. E. H. C. L. Gorman, 1; and Gorman, 1.

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tie but when it comes to beef they are strictly in the first class. Crossed on a shorthorn they make a splendid showing, and seem to have the good qualities of both breeds. A scrub cow raised to a Galloway bull produces a calf that partakes to a great extent of the qualities of the Galloway and is a bulky beast. All farmers in our section are cow and calf raisers and take pains to raise good stuff. They prefer the red and roan Durhams and the poll Durhams, which are good milkers and feeders. It is my opinion, based upon experience, that a calf weaned at once from its mother and raised by hand with milk, etc., will produce a better animal when full grown than if left to follow nature and its mother. Again, others dif- fer with me, but this difference of opinion in the end is sure to produce the best results, as it will draw the attention of breeders and what is best will certainly develop. I live in the famous Caddo country, once noted for the immense stretches of grass as high as a horse's back, which is now a stock farmer's paradise. We raise principally corn and alfalfa and very little sorghum. As feed stuff for any kind of stock, alfalfa is the best com- bination. It is not necessary for me to enlarge upon the good qualities of alfalfa, but I will say that we raise large crops of as good corn as any other section of the country. Al- though the form of the five grass has been to everybody as a flesh and fat pro- ducer, although they are learning, so it will do no harm here to say that it does well in the Caddo with the alfalfa on the uplands does not do so well. This year, with the wet weather we have had, alfalfa is doing better than a year and a half at a cutting. Ordinarily, however, four cuttings is the limit, but one and a half tons of alfalfa will feed a cow and a calf for the same time as the alfalfa alone, but it is dangerous to allow cattle to run on alfalfa alone, as it is so rich in food that it will do them harm. As hay everything will do well and it seems to hold its best qualities then. Behind my cattle I always have hogs to fol- low, and most of our stock farmers do the same, and the hogs will walk through the alfalfa and eat the alfalfa the same as cattle. It is not so good for hogs as other stock and should be rationed with corn for them. Although you can say that the Caddo country and the adjoining counties are in the stock business to stay and al- though the form of the five grass has been turned under and new methods of raising stock have superseded the old, still, more cattle will be raised and better provided for on the same acre- age than was ever done under the old system. I forgot to say in addition that the alfalfa is good for pasture in winter and always make it a suc- cess. Let me tell you something about some hogs I took care of. They were steers and shipped here. They gained in flesh on the road, which is proba- bly due to their alfalfa raising.

CANDIDATE OUT OF CITY RACE

J. B. Lewis Leaves North Fort Worth Contest

North Fort Worth and Rosen Heights office of The Telegram is located at 117 Exchange avenue. Subscriptions, advertisements and complaints of delivery should be left.

J. B. Lewis, who was a candidate in the race for tax assessor and collector of North Fort Worth, has withdrawn, leaving H. A. Mulholland and W. E. Sandberry as opponents. Friends of Mr. Lewis tried to persuade him to remain in the race but he thought it best to withdraw. Announcement of this effect being made Tuesday morn- ing. No changes in the candidates for other offices have been announced.

Boy Missing

E. Wilson of Aubrey, Texas, was in North Fort Worth Monday searching for his 14-year-old boy who is reported to have left home last Friday. Being unable to locate his son in North Fort Worth Mr. Wilson left Monday night.

Bank Meeting Postponed

The bank meeting to have been held in North Fort Worth Monday was postponed on account of conflicting meetings which would have prevented many stockholders from attending. A date for the meeting has not yet been fixed. There is considerable doubt as to who will be the cashier, as there are several aspirants for this position.

Thirty Lots Purchased

Solomon Males has purchased about thirty lots in Ellis addition to North Fort Worth. Several houses are to be erected on these lots by Mr. Males.

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Ladies' Fine Tailored Suits, in broken sizes, made of chevots, broadcloths, etc.; only a few left; \$12.50 to \$20.00 models; choice—	\$4.98	This season's leading styles in Ladies' Long and Short Coat Effect Suits—models that were \$35.00 regular; reduced to—	\$14.25
Ladies' Broadcloth and Venetian Suits, in all this season's best styles—Suits that were formerly \$22.50; choice, now—	\$7.75	Ladies' high-grade, handsomely made Tailored Suits—values that were incomparable at their former prices—\$35.00 to \$45.00; now—	\$27.50
Our entire line of Ladies' high-class Suits, including all the very latest winter styles, that were formerly \$30.00; now—	\$9.85	Excellent styles in Ladies' Fine Tailored Suits that were formerly \$50.00, \$60.00 and \$75.00; now offered to you at—	\$37.50

THESE PRICES ON STYLISH COATS WERE NEVER EQUALED

Children's Short Coats, made of bearskin, broadcloth, Bedford, cashmere, etc.; ages 2 to 5 years; formerly sold at \$2.50; now—	\$1.49	Ladies' late style Rain Coats, considered an excellent value at \$6.50; now—	\$3.98
Ladies' late fall Coats, in coverts, fancies, and kerseys; were \$25.00; now—	\$17.50	Children's Coats of melton cloth, kersey mixtures, broadcloth, etc.; broken sizes; worth up to \$5.00; now—	\$1.49
Ladies' all-wool Kersey Coats, regular prices were \$21.50 to \$31.50; now—	\$8.95	Late style Coats, black, reds and mixtures—	\$12.50
Ladies' Long Kersey Coats, in light tans and modes; \$10.00 models; now—	\$5.98	Ladies' late style Coats—our regular \$15.00 leader; now reduced to—	\$9.50
Children's Coats, all colors and sizes, \$6.50 and \$7.50 styles; on sale at—	\$4.98	Children's Long White Coats, in Bedford, cashmere, silk, henrietta, etc., embroidered and plain; regular \$3.00 grade; now on sale at—	\$1.75

SPECIALS FROM THE BARGAIN BASEMENT

Men's Fine Cheviot Shirts, in firemen's and policemen's blue; 86c grade—	47c	Each Fine Neckties worth up to 60c; choice, each, 25c and—	15c
Finest quality India Linon—a beautiful material; special, yard only—	7c	Boys' Leather Lined Mitts, made for rough wear; pair only—	5c

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MARTIN RECOVERING

Fireman Injured by Carriage Satur- day Night Not Improving

The condition of O. E. Martin, the fireman who was run over by a car- riage in Main street Saturday night and who was carried to St. Joseph's infirmary for treatment, was reported very serious Tuesday and his recovery is said to be doubtful. As reported in The Telegram Sunday, Mr. Martin was employed by the Fort Worth and Denver railroad and made his head- quarters at Amarillo. He was badly injured about the head and he is also said to be internally injured.

Newton Bills, the officer who took charge of the injured man immediately after the accident, states that the carriage was driven by Slim Rawls.

WOMAN FOUND DEAD

Inquest Held Results in Verdict of Natural Causes

Miss Dessie Rogers, 34 years of age, was found dead Tuesday morning in a tent in which she has been living along the Trinity river. An inquest was held by Justice of the Peace Ter- rell, a verdict of death by natural causes being given. Cancer is sup- posed to have been the immediate cause of death.

So far as can be learned the woman

RHEUMATIC PAINS

THEY INVARIABLY YIELD TO DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS

Because the Poisoned Blood is Made Pure and Inflamed Tissues Are Healed.

When, in cold or wet weather, the rheumatic patient feels twinges of pain in the joints and muscles it is natural to think that the trouble is local and that it is caused by the chill or the damp. The truth is that rheumatism is a disease of the blood, caused by the failure of the body to cast off certain poisons. It is hereditary; it often runs in several generations of one family. Cold, dampness and certain localities do promote the development of the disease, but the root of the trouble is always in the blood. With this in mind, it will be really seen how useless it is to try to cure rheumatism by rubbing liniments on the skin. External applications are of use in securing temporary relief from pain—the cure for rheumatism lies in purifying and enriching the blood.

Mrs. Frederick Brown, of 40 Sumpter street, Sandy Hill, N. Y., was a sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism from the time she was sixteen. She says: "It first appeared in my knee joints, then in my hips and waist. It became a regular thing that I would be laid up all winter. The rheumatism affected mostly my hands, hips, feet and shoulders. My hands were all puffed up and my feet became deformed. I lost my appetite, couldn't sleep and sometimes I was compelled to cry out, the pain was so intense.

"For several winters I was under the doctor's care and while his medicine relieved the pain for a little while there seemed no prospect for a permanent cure. I was confined to my bed, off and on, for weeks at a time. My limbs swelled dreadfully at times and I was reduced almost to nothing.

"In the spring of 1904, upon the advice of a friend, I began to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. At that time I wasn't able to do anything and could barely eat enough to keep alive. I felt a change for the better in about a month. I began to eat heartily and I suffered less pain. Of course I kept on the treatment, using care in my diet, and in about three months I was cured. I am entirely well today and do all my work."

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AT GULF ON TIME

Mail Train Makes Up Early Loss on By Associated Press.

At the headquarters of the railway mail service in this city it was re- ported this morning that the fast mail of the International and Great North- western for the first contract trials had arrived at San Antonio thirty-six min- utes late; Houston five minutes late and at Galveston on time.

CAR ATTACK-ED

Evans Avenue Passenger Struck by Rock

Last car on Evans avenue line of the Northern Texas Traction Com- pany was attacked Monday night, a volley of rocks being hurled at it by a man who escaped in the darkness, though several shots were fired after him.

V. V. Fencelon of Corsicana, a pas- senger on the car, was struck on the wrist, but not seriously injured. He reports that the car was coming in to town about midnight when a glass was suddenly shattered by stones.

DRESS CAUGHT FIRE

Mrs. G. R. Dowdy Meets Horrible Fate at Home

Special to The Telegram.—TYLER, Texas, Feb. 6.—Her dress having caught fire and being alone at her home at Bullard, this county, Mrs. G. R. Dowdy, wrapped a blanket around her and rolled over and over on the floor, but wounds were inflicted that leave but little hope for her re- covery. Her husband was on the grand jury in Tyler. She is of a well known family.

Building Permit

R. W. Tipton, city passenger agent of the Fort Worth and Denver rail- road, secured a permit Tuesday to

ORDER IS ENJOINED

Knights of Labor Prevented From Ad- ministering Affairs

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Justice An- derson, in Equity Court No. 1, yester- day signed an injunction against the Haystack faction of the Knights of La- bor. John W. Hayes, president of the order, Isaac D. Chamberlain, Henry A. Beckmeyer and Michael T. Judge are restrained as individuals and alleged officers of the Knights of Labor, from injuring, destroying, or in any wise dis- posing of the records of the order, and from calling or holding any meeting of the general assembly of the order, pending the determination of the quo warranto proceedings on the law side of the court.

The defendants may not, according to the injunction, order or effect a change of parties to be controversies involved, or receive any money from members of the order, or disturbing same without keeping an accurate book account.

OIL SHIP BURNS

"Mobile Bay" With Cargo of Kerosene, Is Mass of Flames

By Associated Press.—ANAPING, Island of Formosa, Feb. 6.—The British bark Mobile Bay, which arrived here on January 18, sailing from New York, was destroyed by fire today. Her crew was landed safely. The bark had 7,000 cases of kerosene on board.

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C. W. Post, Mr. and C. P. Stephens returned on a trip through west Texas, was reported that Mr. purchase considerable ly left here on Thursday pelled to return on ac- coid in west Texas.

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WHEN MOTHER IS CALLED

We never know how dear to our heart is the dear old mother until we see the tired hands folded and the dear old eyes closed in that long and dreamless sleep. We never know what we have lost until the dread realization comes to us that she has gone, never more to return, and there can come no echo even to the frenzied cry that we make for mother.

It is an awful thing to stand in the presence of death and realize that the dearest, the truest and best friend you can hope to have this side of eternity has been gathered by the grim reaper. It is the very acme of human woe to realize that the dear lips that first taught you the principles of real and genuine manhood are forever mute. That the hands ever extended in an effort to lead you in proper paths, and that have ministered to your daily needs during all the years when you were helpless and dependent have been quietly folded so far as the affairs of this world are concerned, and can never again be stretched out to you this side of the grave.

It thrills the soul with poignant anguish to realize that the dear breast on which your head has been so often pillowed no longer pulsates with life and animation, but that the gentle spirit of her whom you loved so well has passed from its tenement of clay and is gathered to the reward so richly merited. It seems strange that she should have been taken just at the time you feel that you need her most, and you feel in your heart that God is not a just God, or he would have left you your mother. Other men and other women have their mothers to a green old age, and you would have been glad if you could have kept yours forever.

But God knows best. We have no right to question His motives or look for the inspiration of His action. We may feel rebellious and wish her back again, but that is only on account of our extreme selfishness. Mother has been permitted to remain here until in the fullness of God's own time He has seen fit to call her from labor to reward. Doubtless she would be glad to remain with us for a long time yet and practice the same virtues of self-denial, indulgence and all the other attributes that belong so truly to the real womanly nature, but God realizes she has borne enough. He says it is time for the dear old saint to come home and in His presence enjoy that reward that is merited by her great righteousness and goodness of soul.

We should not weep when mother goes. We should not stretch out our arms and cry for her to come back to this vale of tears and this life of suffering and privation. We should lay aside the selfishness that wells up into our own hearts and be willing to bear with meekness the will of God when we must know it is for the dear one's good. She would come back to us if she could. There is no joy even in paradise that could steel a mother's heart against the cry of her children, but God will not permit her to make any more sacrifices. She has fought the battle of life to the limit. She has done a noble mother's own part. There is nothing more for mother now but to enjoy the happiness that comes to those who love and serve God.

But as we bow under the chastening rod our hearts are not filled with the humility that should attend such occasion. We feel that we have been wronged—that our dearest possession has been wrested from us by one mightier than we, and we will not see and understand. The cry for mother is ever upon our lips, and there is an aching longing and loneliness in our hearts that can never be assuaged until we seek and find her on the other side with the other dear ones that have

gone before. Motherless we are now, until in the fullness of God's own time we find her over there, where she ever stands watching and waiting for those she was forced to leave behind.

Oh, mother—in the presence of Almighty God—in that heaven you were created to adorn, look down upon the sufferers you have left behind and sorrow not one bit over the selfish grief that would call you back to a life of sorrow and suffering instead of enjoying your just reward. Some day we will see and understand.

The Gould lines would have made a better showing in the first day's racing for the big government mail contract if they had not struck a slow train through Arkansas.

The coal miners of the country are threatening to go on a big strike about the first of April, and they are to be congratulated on their decision to wait until warm weather.

Fort Worth gained 180 new business enterprises last year over the number of the preceding year. The fact alone well serves to demonstrate that Fort Worth is a real live one. The total number of business enterprises in the city during the past year amounted to 1,075, and that is within itself not a bad showing.

Did anyone ever figure on the large number of hides that are annually shipped out of Fort Worth to be converted into leather and then shipped back as a manufactured product? Why not have big tan yards here to make the hides into leather and big factories to convert the leather into shoes and other finished products? There is a fine opening in Fort Worth for a big tannery and a big shoe factory.

There is a well defined rumor to the effect that the Texans and Pacific Railway company may bring the big shops of the entire system to this city from Marshall, utilizing the fourteen acres purchased recently two miles west of the city for that purpose. Fort Worth is the logical location for both shops and general headquarters of the company, and it is surprising that the fact has not been fully understood in the years that are past and gone.

As the time for cotton planting draws nearer, there is renewed advice concerning the reduction of acreage, and the necessity for the farmers curtailing the crop so as to prevent over-production. The Telegram still is of the opinion that this advice is almost wholly wasted, from the fact that the high prices of the present season will certainly stimulate production. If the farmers are depending on cotton and will plant nothing but cotton, then there should be an effort made to provide better outlets for the surplus cotton, and this can best be done through the building of more cotton mills in Texas. Let's build more mills and let the Texas farmers plant and raise all the cotton they desire.

AMONG THE EXCHANGES

Congressman Gillespie of the Fort Worth district will go down in history as one Democrat who caught the Republicans napping. He put through a railroad investigation resolution before the watch dogs knew what was happening.—Waco Times-Herald.

It is expected the Gillespie resolution will be more far-reaching in its effects than was at first anticipated. It seems to have plucked the bovine's optic and reached the very spot it was aimed at.

Gillespie of Texas forced the house to take a vote on his resolution, which was adopted. Thus it is that there is always something doing whenever and wherever a Texan is found who sets his head to the accomplishing of anything. The spirit of "What-are-we-here-for?" Flanagan is not dead in the Texas delegation by any means.—Terrell Transcript.

The average Texan usually knows what he is there for. And this fact is always strikingly exemplified in the case of every mother's son who hails from Fort Worth.

Dr. Lanham denies that the deficiency in the state treasury exists. But the good doctor did not state just how long the state would remain on a cash basis. Not long, of course, but this part of the question is left for others to discuss. The doctor knows how to play the game all right.—Dallas Times-Herald.

The hole in the state treasury at Austin has been temporarily plugged by the heavy payment of taxes, but it will come again and continue in existence until the revenues of the state are made to exceed the expenditures.

In his speech at Center, Colonel Tom Campbell, candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, is quoted as saying: "If I were a corporation attorney I could take an armful of free passes out into the middle of the Colorado river at Austin and half the members of the legislature would drown themselves trying to get to me." If Colonel Campbell is elected governor the corporation lobbyist will be required to move headquarters from the capitol building. That is certain.—Beaumont Journal.

Colonel Campbell is reasonably safe on that proposition. It is said the railroads have issued so few legislative passes this year that it is quite probable there would be a mad race to see who could get them first.

The Telegram thinks that Brooks and Colquitt are amply justified in declining to resign, by virtue of the long chain of Democratic precedent established in this state. But at the same time it thinks it would be a graceful and proper act on the part of both gentlemen to establish a new Democratic precedent by promptly tendering their resignations. This suggestion is not prompted by animosity toward either gentleman, but from a sense of the proprieties of the occasion.—Fort Worth Telegram.

It is a notable circumstance that each of the papers which are calling upon Colquitt and Brooks to resign is opposed to their nomination to the governorship.—Houston Post.

Which is quite natural, just as the Post, which has a strong leaning toward Colquitt, should be opposed to the idea of resigning. The Telegram is honest, however, and willing to concede that either Brooks or Colquitt would make Texas a good governor. It only insists the proprieties of the occasion demand they should offer their resignations.

DEFENSE, NOT DEFENSE

We should strengthen our navy and fortify our coasts, but we should keep in mind at all times that the sole legitimate and honorable purpose is defense. Our national traditions command that this be done.—Denver Republican.

WHY?

Beer is shipped from New York and Germany into Denver cheaper than dirt.
 Beer—New York to Denver, 65 cents.
 Hamburg to Denver, 65 cents.
 Ground Clay—New York to Denver, 65 cents.
 Consequence: Denver brewery bankrupt.

MAN AND SUPERMAN



New York Herald.

HOW A CHAMBER OF HORRORS KEEPS A HUSBAND'S LOVE

By CAROLINE

The man who is as much the sweetheart after marriage as before is a rare exception.

Whether this is the fault of the man or the woman is always a question. Probably they are both a bit to blame.

There is much advice given to young men and maidens who wish to marry.

Women as well as men lay all sorts of traps to catch their game.

But, the animal being caught, little energy is expended in taming him and teaching him to eat from one's hand.

Winning a man's love is a simple proposition compared with keeping it, for, as Becky Sharp says, any woman can win a man, providing she hasn't a hump or a previous attachment.

The sooner a woman realizes that she has some hard work to do, when it comes to keeping a husband interested, the greater are her chances for happiness.

Before marriage no girl would think of going into detail about her domestic troubles, dressmakers, etc.

But after marriage these form her chief topics. Either the fire won't burn, the cake is soggy, her dress has come home and is a perfect fizzle, etc.

If these things had happened before the wedding they would have been put upon the shelf and forgotten.

There would have been so many more interesting things to discuss.

So, why wouldn't it be a good idea to have a chamber of horrors, where no husband should be allowed to enter after marriage?

One shelf in the room could be given up to dressmakers and their shortcomings.

Another to the kitchen range, and all horrors connected therewith.

A third to servants, if you be so unfortunate as to have them.

A fourth to minor household difficulties, such as sour bread, ugly wall paper on the parlor wall, etc.

This room could be opened in the morning after hubby had gone to work, but should be closed before he comes home at night.

For, remember, he is not to have as much as a glimpse into it.

Any two people who have to go through life together are bound to have many real troubles.

If sympathy is to be expended upon these minor difficulties there will be nothing left for the real troubles when they come.

So don't ask for sympathy for every little thing that goes wrong; put it in your chamber of horrors, and the chances are you will soon forget it.

Troubles put upon the shelf are very soon forgotten.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

Women have almost as much fun at a wedding as at a funeral.

A girl hardly ever likes a man unless there is no reason why she should.

No matter how good a woman is at figures she can never learn to count the years of her age.

A baby will get awfully fooled if he thinks he is going to have all those nice clothes all his life.

When a man stops smoking \$2 worth of cigars a week it always surprises his wife that he can't increase her allowance \$100 a month out of the saving.—New York Press.

THE DRIFT OF POLITICS

COMBINES PERSONAL REGISTRATION

Under the New Jersey law, where all the primaries are held the same day and at the same time and place, the city party or other independent organizations would have had no standing. Under the New Jersey law there is a county board of elections, composed of two Republicans and two Democrats. These are appointed by the governor, and hold office two years. They are named to the governor by the state chairman of their respective committees. The state chairman gets their names from the respective county committees. The county committees of each party submit the list of officers to conduct the general elections to the county board of commissioners, each party having two representatives in the polling booth. These same officers also conduct the primary elections, and under the act of the primary elections must be held on the first registration day, the second Tuesday of September. The Democrats and Republicans each hold their primaries on the same day. The Republican primaries are conducted by the two Republican election officers and the Democratic primaries by the Democratic officers. Before any voter casts a ballot at the primaries he must first register himself. The results of the election are counted and filed the same as a general election. One of the advantages of the New Jersey law is that personal registration goes with the primary election. The officers of the election are also registration officers, and the persons who qualify for a primary election can vote at the general election. But there are other days for registration as well. The intending voter must report to the election board in person to get his name on the list. In New Jersey delegates are elected to conventions and nominations are thus made, differing from the Massachusetts direct nomination scheme. So far it has worked well, but it has not prevented independent parties, as they are provided for in the general laws.

NEW YORK FOR A DIRECT NOMINATING LAW

New York is considering the plan for direct nominations. A bill has been introduced into the legislature for that purpose. It provides that all nominations, local and state, shall be made directly by the enrolled members of the party at the party primaries and without conventions, except national and state constitutional conventions. The voting shall be by secret ballot, the same as on the regular election day. The ballots shall be furnished only by the custodian of records at public expense. Any elector of any party may have his name placed upon the primary ballot, as a candidate for any office, by filing a petition. The names upon the ballot shall be arranged alphabetically according to surnames. Names of candidates for public office shall be placed in one column, grouped under appropriate title of the offices, and names of candidates for membership on party committees, for party committee officers and for delegates to conventions shall be placed in a parallel column. A system of party enrollment, based upon the system now provided for cities of New York state and modified to meet conditions in less populous districts, shall apply to the entire state. The annual primary day shall be the fifth Tuesday before the day of general election. In a year when President and Vice President of the United States are to be elected there shall be an additional primary held on the last Tuesday in March to elect delegates and alternates to the national conventions. All parties shall hold their primary elections at the same time and place and under the direction of the same bipartisan board that officiates on election day.

PLANS IN MANY OTHER STATES

Governor Warfield, of Maryland joins in the recommendation made by Mr. Herrick, just before his retirement from the Ohio gubernatorial chair, for a uniform primary election law. It includes the proposition to hold the primary elections of both parties on the same day. Virginia, too, is considering a primary election law. Senator Thomas, of Lynchburg, has introduced a bill. It proposes to utilize the present election machinery of the state so as to allow political parties to nominate their candidates in a primary held by the regular election officers, the expenses to be paid by the counties and cities as in general elections. Any party which cast as many as 10,000 votes in the preceding presidential election may call on the secretary of the commonwealth to hold a primary. The nomination of United States senator is also provided for. Returns of elections are to be made just as in regular elections.

VERSES THAT RING

"DEAD"
 Something lies in the room
 Over against my own,
 The windows are lit with a ghastly bloom,
 Of candles, burning alone—
 Untrimmed and all aflame
 In the ghastly silence there!

People go by the door,
 Tip-toe, holding their breath,
 And hush the talk they held before,
 Lest they should awaken Death,
 That is awake all night
 There in the candle light!

The cat upon the stairs
 Watches with flaming eye,
 For the sleepy one who shall unawares
 Let her go stealing by,
 She softly, softly purrs,
 And claws at the banisters.

The bird from out its dream
 Breaks with a sudden song,
 That stabs the sense like a sudden scream;
 The hound the whole night long
 Howls to the moonlight sky,
 So far, and starry and high.

—William Dean Howells.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

The pessimist is a misfortune teller.
 Some men own money and some others are owned by it.

Bartenders always have a smile for the man with the coin.
 Average man knows a lot more than he is able to comprehend.

If you can't do anything else, get out of the way of those who can.
 No man can love two women simultaneously—after one of them finds it out.

Some men waste a lot of time telling other men how busy they are.
 It is awfully hard to impress most people with the importance of your importance.

Ever notice how easily the heart broken girl cements the pieces together and awaits another smash?—Chicago News.

QUAKER REFLECTIONS

A belle naturally announces her engagement with a ring.
 No, Maude, dear; a spiritualistic medium is not always entrancing.

A bad penny always turns up, and then it often costs us a pretty penny.
 Even the captain of a canal boat may feel that he was born to command.

The less confidence a man has in his friends the less disappointment he will meet with.
 There are over 250,000 words in the English language, and yet some people can never learn to say "no."

The small boy can never understand how a grown man can let a doctor keep him from eating things he likes.
 If these mechanical piano players continue in vogue some day it may be considered quite an art to play by hand.—Philadelphia Record.

HOME MISSIONARIES

Two Indians have become missionaries and gone to New York city, instead of China. They show an accurate knowledge of where missionary work is most needed.—Florida Times-Union.

EARNING HIS MONEY

At \$3 a year the Russian soldier is doing, or is expected to do, more for his money than anybody else in the empire.—Yuluth News-Tribune.

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After a little experience with mountain lions, W. R. Hearst may tackle the Tammany tiger again.—Washington Post.

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QUICK ACTION

are advisable, as speculators have investigated and are fast purchasing with a knowledge of quickly developing opportunities to sell to others at greatly increased prices.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



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NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Five of the hats purchased by Miss Roosevelt during her trip to New York. The first on the left is of hair braid, trimmed with flowers and ribbon. The second is of black straw with yellowish cream trimming. The third is of black straw with plumes. The fourth is black straw with blue flowers and velvet ribbon. The fifth is of hair braid ornamented with flowers.

Newest Note Paper

A compromise between a postal card and letter paper are the "cartes lettres" of the French, which are finding favor for short notes. They are shaped like an envelope, the letter part being written on the inside, with a little gum around the edges for sealing purposes. These come in all styles and varieties, some of them opening out long and others containing extra sheets inside, while still others hold only as much as a postal card. At the less fashionable places where utility stationery is found a tablet can be found in cartes lettres form in cheap paper, the whole costing at some stores as little as 35 cents.

Paste Jewels

Give us the spice of life and take the rest! Prudence is a slow nag, but a safe one.

If I can not be a star, make me an understudy and send her a headache. The man who complains loudest of his hard lot—observe and see if it isn't so—is the very one whose office chair is padded with rose-leaf cushions.

An ounce of prevention has cheated many a man out of the delights of coquetry. "Send me first mail photograph of my wife. Beg, borrow, steal it; get it somehow; mum's the word. Will write all particulars soon."

That Unhappy Being, the Sensitive Woman

Everyone knows her. She has two deep lines between her eyes and a pensive droop to the corner of her mouth and to her eyebrows.

If anyone speaks harshly he means "her."

Whatever is said she applies to "self."

Every coat seems to fit her and she puts it on.

She wears all the boots that pinch.

She carries a chip on her shoulder from morning until night, and whenever anyone comes near her she expects it to be knocked off. The result is the same—she is offended, grieved, hurt, she is so sensitive.

She is losing all the healthy enjoyment that comes her way.

She is missing half her life because she is looking for snubs.

She says she can't help it. She can. It is a very easy matter to let those slights, imagined or real, roll off one like water off a duck's back. It takes a little bravery for the first three or four weeks after that it comes natural enough.

The sensitive woman is one of the most miserable in the world. It doesn't take long to be miserable, especially when a healthy effort will bring happiness.

Did He?

"Jack Everleigh must have thought that we were having some real winter the other night," said Mrs. Talkemore to her husband.

"What makes you think that?"

"Why, our Bobby met him going home the other night, and he says that he had his skates on."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Safe Defiance

Governor Castro—"And ow far eet eest zose French guns carry zee shell?"

The Aid—"Not over five miles."

Governor Castro—"Ah! Zen I weel deef-a zem exactlee seex miles from zee coast."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

That Way Anyhow

Clarice—"O, yes, he's just crazy about me."

Gwendolyn—"I didn't know you were responsible for it, dear."—Indianapolis Star.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one cure for all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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The Calve concert in Dallas Monday night attracted a number of Fort Worth people, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Anderson, Mrs. Oscar Menefee, Mrs. Willard Burton, Mrs. I. H. Burney, Mrs. Stonemetz, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry H. Reeves, Prof. Schreiner, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gross, the Misses Laneri, Miss Boone, Miss Lingo, C. D. Reimers, Miss Ray Saunders, Miss Leach, Mr. Greenwell, Miss Greenwall, Miss Wyse, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bird, Mrs. Jerry Ellis, Mrs. Q. T. Moreland, Mrs. B. H. Lawrence, Mrs. Cal. Noble.

The Harmony Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. F. Lyons. Choral practice will be directed by Herbert Starr.

Mrs. E. E. Fosdick entertained eight tables of bridge very delightfully this afternoon. A delicious luncheon was served after the game.

Mrs. George West will entertain in honor of the French, which are finding favor for short notes.

Miss Lella Labatt conducted the round table talk of the Monday Book Club on "The Attempt to Revive Classic Drama," assisted by Miss Newlin and Mrs. Glen Walker.

The History Club met Monday afternoon at the home of their director, Mrs. C. W. Connery.

The French Conversation Class met with Miss Toucas at the home of Mrs. Emma Fakes this morning.

Miss Mary Harrison will give a luncheon Thursday in honor of Miss Grace Potter.

PERSONAL

E. T. Lednum is in Fort Worth.

Marvin Martin spent over Sunday in Fort Worth.

R. Sanderson has returned to his home in Big Spring.

Miss Lucene Burbank is spending this week with Mrs. Charles Nash.

Mrs. Olive Edgington Scott spent Monday in Dallas.

Will Crawford of Dallas was in town Monday.

Misses Samuels and Fleming of Dallas are visiting Miss Martha Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott and Winfield Scott Jr. returned from Mineral Wells Monday afternoon.

R. D. Youkum spent Sunday and Monday in Fort Worth, leaving here Monday night for San Antonio.

Mr. James Gregory was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Walker the last of last week.

Miss Marguerite McLean leaves next Monday for a six week's visit to Houston.

Mrs. Annie McLean Moores will arrive Feb. 10 and will visit her father and mother, Judge and Mrs. McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Wardlaw are now at home at their pretty new place, 1909 Henderson street.

Miss Grace Potter arrived Monday morning from Chicago. Miss Potter will return to Chicago Tuesday week, as she gives a concert in Chicago on Feb. 15.

Miss Florence Hutchins will be married this evening in Carlsbad, N. M., to Mr. Fred E. Lewis of New York.

Miss Hutchins has visited Medcalf, Goetz and Judd and Miss Bennett here and made a great many friends.

A Call Down

Prospective Patient—"Doctor, I wish you would help me. I've been suffering for three months and can't get any relief. I am troubled with a certain shortness of breath and I feel as if I were dying."

Doctor—"Short of breath? You're the longest winded patient I've had for a week."—Brooklyn Eagle.

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Our Daily Short Story

Pathetic Story of a Drummer, His Wife and Her Photo

The drummer bade himself a tearful good-bye.

"My life, my only love. The time shall soon be here when I shall snap my fingers at fate and set up as my own boss. Then we shall have no more of these cruel partings."

"And you will be true to me?"

"As I always am," he responded. "You did not forget to put that photo you had especially taken for me in my gripack, did you?"

"Oh, dear no. Are you sure that you will look at it sometimes, love?"

"You wicked doubter. You know that I shall be looking without at least such a semblance of my pet to look at daily and nightly."

Draw the veil of charity over his grief and the treachery of one in whom he had such unbounded confidence.

In brief, she, his only love and pet, his wife, had secretly planned to make him wretched. She had taken that photograph from his gripack and was gloating over his misery when he should discover that only memory remained to him for the time being of his darling's looks.

"The dear fellow, how he will scold me for this trick," she thought, "but I will send him the photograph in the first letter I write to him."

Thus appeasing her conscience, she waited for his first letter.

It came from Chicago.

"My heart's delight," it began. "Got here o. k. this a. m. Have been wrestling with the trade all day, and a tough time I've had with it. Weary and fagged, I have retired to my room, shut out of the glided atmosphere of sin that envelopes this terrible city, and taken from my satchel your sweet picture. It is before me when I write. I shall kiss it when I have said my evening prayers. It will rest under my pillow. It is my only solace, until I hold you, my sweet wife, in these faithful arms again."

Thus far had she read when she topped over on the floor.

What comfort she found there, it is hard to say, but a great determination rose with the stricken wife, who went out an hour later and sought a telegraph office.

Her husband had been saying his prayers abroad that evening, and when he got to his hotel about midnight, his spiritual emotions reacted a severe shock by a telegram from his "only love."

It was elaborate for a dispatch, but under the circumstances one could not expect an outraged wife to transmit her feelings by a slow mail. The dispatch read:

"You are no longer the only drummer that is not a liar, as you have always claimed. Let the fraternity make you the chief in their art. Had you taken the pains even to look for the photograph you say your prayers to?"

"What an intelligent, right-minded wife would have thought: you would have said to yourself: 'He is incapable of deceit; he has my picture somehow.'"

"But you did not have it."

He looked at her with sad, resigned sorrow. His lips quivered as he sadly muttered:

"Oh, woman! without an atom of faith."

Then he put his hand in his pocket and produced a photograph.

"Oh, darling, forgive me. This old thing, taken long before we were engaged! Why, I didn't know you ever had one of these!"

The restored confidence made her blue eyes swim in tearful joy. She put her arms around him, asking his pardon, caressing even his coat collar.

"My dear," said he, looking into her eyes with grave but loving reproach, let this be a warning. Never doubt me again, no matter what appearances may be. I can always look you squarely in the eye and say, 'I am innocent.'"

And she believed him.

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The Fort Worth Telegram's Financial and Commercial Page

STOCKS

Illinois Central Advances Sensational—General List Strong in Early Trading—Close Easy

Special to The Telegram.
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The stock market exhibited a better tone during the early trading and sentiment again seems to favor the bull side, traders being rather optimistic as to the settlement of difficulties now existing between the operators and United Mine Workers. London reported a firm market for Americans and opening prices were as a rule higher. There was good buying during the first hour and the undertone was firm. Colorado Fuel and Iron advanced 2 1/2 points to 127 1/2. The railroads were well represented by Illinois Central, which advanced rapidly to 129 1/2, a gain of almost 6 points from yesterday's final, and Reading, which was very active, working up 2 1/2 points to 127 1/2. The Union Pacific and St. Paul also exhibited strength, both issues advancing over a point.

The strength of Illinois Central revived the old rumor that control of the road would pass to the Union Pacific. The Harbinger has been along all along been large holders of Illinois Central stock, and as it is known that the company is seeking a loan of \$10,000,000, it was supposed that control of the Illinois Central would be bought for that purpose. However, interests in position to know refused to discuss the matter. The steel shares were quite active and exhibited strength, being bought rather liberally for foreign interests. This was the reflection of the active buying in London by the bullish Morgan interests, who took a dividend on the common stock in the summer. Traders followed the general advance on the theory that the technical position of the market justified a further recovery from the low prices which have prevailed recently. However, the volume of business was not lighter, sales to noon being but 543,499 shares. The afternoon session was dull and featureless. The list met with some profit-taking, causing a recession in a majority of instances from the earlier high point. The closing tone was easy.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Stocks ranged in prices today on the New York Stock Exchange as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Loco.	74 1/2	75 1/2	74 1/2	75
Atchafalaya	125 1/2	126 1/2	125 1/2	126
B. & O.	114 1/2	115 1/2	114 1/2	115
B. R. T.	85 1/2	87 1/2	85 1/2	86
C. & P. C.	123 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	124
C. E. & L.	73 1/2	74 1/2	73 1/2	74
C. & O.	59 1/2	60 1/2	59 1/2	60
Copper	114 1/2	115 1/2	114 1/2	115
C. & N. W.	32 1/2	33 1/2	32 1/2	33
Erle	46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	47
Illinois Central	127 1/2	129 1/2	127 1/2	128
L. & N.	121 1/2	122 1/2	121 1/2	122
Natl. Lead	86 1/2	87 1/2	86 1/2	87
Manhattan	160 1/2	161 1/2	160 1/2	161
M. & E.	121 1/2	122 1/2	121 1/2	122
M. & T.	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72
M. P.	101 1/2	102 1/2	101 1/2	102
N. & W.	89 1/2	90 1/2	89 1/2	90
N. & W.	89 1/2	90 1/2	89 1/2	90
O. & W.	54 1/2	55 1/2	54 1/2	55
Pennsylvania	142 1/2	143 1/2	142 1/2	143
R. & S.	137 1/2	138 1/2	137 1/2	138
R. & I.	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	36
Rock Island	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28
South. Pac.	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	69
Sugar	146 1/2	147 1/2	146 1/2	147
Union Pacific	155 1/2	156 1/2	155 1/2	156
U. S. Steel	110 1/2	111 1/2	110 1/2	111
U. S. Steel	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 6.—A sign that was unknown to me at present, total amount of bank and some cents; all on Fort Worth bank last Indorsement. Be at the Editor's Liberal reward for return to C. C. Walker, Thirteenth and Jennings avenue.

WANTED—Two girls for illusion work in vaudeville show; pay good salary. Be at the Editor's Liberal reward for return to C. C. Walker, Thirteenth and Jennings avenue.

WANTED—A modern five or six-room house by March 1. Close in preferred. Address 123, care Telegram.

LOST—On north side, between Lee avenue and packing house, leather handbag containing \$7.00 and receipts. Leave at Haddaway's drug store and get reward.

BELOW VALUE—Nice four-room plastered cottage, hall, grate and mantel, pantry, porch, picket fence; lot 50x100 to alley, on car line. Price \$1,000, easy terms. Phone 417.

WILL have about 500 loads of dirt for sale at once, cor. College ave. and Leuda st. Phone 1630, S. J. Hawkins.

RARE CHANCE—One third interest big money making grocery business, receipts \$75,000 yearly; old established; cause of sacrifice, poor health. 501 Wheat bldg.

LOST—Signet ring engraved "A. W." Return to this office and receive reward.

WANTED—Position by young married man as bank clerk, assistant bookkeeper, traveling salesman for wholesale grocery, or any good office position; reference furnished. 262, care Telegram.

BOY WANTED—S. H. Kress & Co. Store.

\$25 cash and \$5 per week will buy Columbus rubber tire buggy, harness and horse, city broke. Phone 2636.

FOR SALE—On South side, 5-room house on corner lot 65x120 ft., with in three blocks you ever have seen. \$120. Also a desirable residence at Politechnic Heights, 5-room house, two good lots. Price \$1,500. L. T. Miller, 112 West Weatherford street, phone 3303.

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LOST—Between State National and Telegram office, two \$5 bills. Reward for return to Telegram.

GRAIN

Wheat Prices Advance on Bullish Foreign News—Corn and Oats Steady.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.—The wheat market was fairly active today. Cables reported prices lower in response to our decline of yesterday. Opening prices here were 1/4c lower to 1/2c higher. During the initial trading the market was weak, selling off to a net loss of 1/4c to 1/2c. The weakness was attributed to the poor demand locally for the cash article. Private cables from Liverpool, however, stated that stocks there were small and there was a steady and regular demand. This was a bullish influence and around 11 o'clock the market turned and prices advanced about 1/4c from the low point. Final figures showed a net gain of 1/4c to 1/2c. Local receipts 26 cars, of which 3 were contract grade; 23 cars were received this day last year. Bradstreet's report shows an increase of 730,000 bushels in the world's visible supply. According to Broomhall, the wheat in the world for Europe was 1,500,000 bushels in the past week.

Corn.
Corn opened weak but grew steadier as the session progressed, closing prices were a shade to 1/4c higher. Receipts of corn continue liberal, while the demand is moderate. 526 cars were received today, against 503 this day last year. Liverpool reports large stock receipts, but state that the demand is increasing.

Oats.
Oats were active with prices inclined to weakness, final figures showing a gain of 1/4c to 1/2c. The domestic demand for cash oats is moderate, while receipts are liberal. 253 cars were received today, of which 40 were contract grade. Receipts this day last year were 142.

Provisions.
Provisions held relatively firm, despite a lower price for live hogs, but aggressive pressure from bearish interests. Closing prices were 1/4c lower to 1/2c higher.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Special to The Telegram.
CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
May	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
September	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Corn	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
May	40 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
September	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
Oats	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
May	28 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
September	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
Pork	14 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	15 1/2
May	14 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	15 1/2
September	13 1/2	14 1/2	13 1/2	14 1/2
Lard	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 3/4
May	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 3/4
September	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 3/4

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.
Special to The Telegram.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 6.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2
May	76 1/2	77 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
September	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Corn	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
May	28 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
September	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
Oats	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
May	28 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
September	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
Pork	14 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	15 1/2
May	14 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	15 1/2
September	13 1/2	14 1/2	13 1/2	14 1/2
Lard	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 3/4
May	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 3/4
September	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 3/4

Liverpool Grain Cables.
Special to The Telegram.
LIVERPOOL, Eng., Feb. 6.—The following changes were noted in the wheat and corn markets from yesterday's close.

Wheat opened 1/4d lower and closed unchanged.

Corn opened unchanged and closed 1/4d lower.

Kansas City Cash Grain.
Special to The Telegram.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 6.—Cash grain was quoted today on this market as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 hard 81 1/2c to 82c; No. 3 75 1/2c to 76c; No. 4 74 1/2c to 75c; No. 5 73 1/2c to 74c; No. 6 72 1/2c to 73c; No. 7 71 1/2c to 72c; No. 8 70 1/2c to 71c; No. 9 69 1/2c to 70c; No. 10 68 1/2c to 69c; No. 11 67 1/2c to 68c; No. 12 66 1/2c to 67c; No. 13 65 1/2c to 66c; No. 14 64 1/2c to 65c; No. 15 63 1/2c to 64c; No. 16 62 1/2c to 63c; No. 17 61 1/2c to 62c; No. 18 60 1/2c to 61c; No. 19 59 1/2c to 60c; No. 20 58 1/2c to 59c; No. 21 57 1/2c to 58c; No. 22 56 1/2c to 57c; No. 23 55 1/2c to 56c; No. 24 54 1/2c to 55c; No. 25 53 1/2c to 54c; No. 26 52 1/2c to 53c; No. 27 51 1/2c to 52c; No. 28 50 1/2c to 51c; No. 29 49 1/2c to 50c; No. 30 48 1/2c to 49c; No. 31 47 1/2c to 48c; No. 32 46 1/2c to 47c; No. 33 45 1/2c to 46c; No. 34 44 1/2c to 45c; No. 35 43 1/2c to 44c; No. 36 42 1/2c to 43c; No. 37 41 1/2c to 42c; No. 38 40 1/2c to 41c; No. 39 39 1/2c to 40c; No. 40 38 1/2c to 39c; No. 41 37 1/2c to 38c; No. 42 36 1/2c to 37c; No. 43 35 1/2c to 36c; No. 44 34 1/2c to 35c; No. 45 33 1/2c to 34c; No. 46 32 1/2c to 33c; No. 47 31 1/2c to 32c; No. 48 30 1/2c to 31c; No. 49 29 1/2c to 30c; No. 50 28 1/2c to 29c; No. 51 27 1/2c to 28c; No. 52 26 1/2c to 27c; No. 53 25 1/2c to 26c; No. 54 24 1/2c to 25c; No. 55 23 1/2c to 24c; No. 56 22 1/2c to 23c; No. 57 21 1/2c to 22c; No. 58 20 1/2c to 21c; No. 59 19 1/2c to 20c; No. 60 18 1/2c to 19c; No. 61 17 1/2c to 18c; No. 62 16 1/2c to 17c; No. 63 15 1/2c to 16c; No. 64 14 1/2c to 15c; No. 65 13 1/2c to 14c; No. 66 12 1/2c to 13c; No. 67 11 1/2c to 12c; No. 68 10 1/2c to 11c; No. 69 9 1/2c to 10c; No. 70 8 1/2c to 9c; No. 71 7 1/2c to 8c; No. 72 6 1/2c to 7c; No. 73 5 1/2c to 6c; No. 74 4 1/2c to 5c; No. 75 3 1/2c to 4c; No. 76 2 1/2c to 3c; No. 77 1 1/2c to 2c; No. 78 1/2c to 1 1/2c; No. 79 1/4c to 1 1/4c; No. 80 1/8c to 1/8c; No. 81 1/16c to 1/16c; No. 82 1/32c to 1/32c; No. 83 1/64c to 1/64c; No. 84 1/128c to 1/128c; No. 85 1/256c to 1/256c; No. 86 1/512c to 1/512c; No. 87 1/1024c to 1/1024c; No. 88 1/2048c to 1/2048c; No. 89 1/4096c to 1/4096c; 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LIVERY BARN for sale. Will sell stock and rent barn. Inquire, No. 8, care Telegram.

AN ALMOST new piano, one-half price; good tone and fine furniture in exchange. Phone 2379.

FOR TRADE—15 acres of land two miles from Keller, this country, for nice small home. Inquire at 703 Jarvis.

NICE RINABOUT, good condition, cheap. 514 Pennsylvania ave.

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SEVERAL good bargains if sold at once. Business Exchange, 207 1/2 Main st.

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IF YOUR typewriter needs rebuilding, overhauling or adjusting, call old phone 1606 and we will send an expert to your office and make an estimate on the repairs. All work guaranteed. Best repair department in the south-west. We carry a full line of typewriter supplies for all makes of machines. Prices right and prompt service. Fort Worth Typewriter Co., 112 West Ninth street.

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GARRISON BROS., Dentists—501 1/2 Main. Both phones.

ANY ONE NEEDING any kind of crocheted work, such as baby caps, socks, house slippers, etc., call at 323 South Bryan street.

GET IN LINE and go to Nix's sale for furniture. Corner Second and Houston streets.

IF YOU want printing phone Paxton & Evans. Don't figure before you see us. 707 Main street.

WHEN your horse is sick or lame call the Animal Hospital, phone 431 old, or 220 new.

DR. G. E. LA BAUME, Reynolds Bldg., Both telephones 185.

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REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage, with reception hall, bath, electric lights, corner lot, front east; cement walks, shade trees, one block car line, south side; for \$2,100; \$500 cash, balance one, two and three years.

FOR SALE—One lot, within one block of car line, southwest side; for \$800; \$100 cash, and you will agree with us if you see it.

FOR SALE—Two-story dwelling, south side, with reception hall, mantle and grate, electric lights, bath, sink in kitchen, good barn, price \$2,750. Will take vacant lot well located as part payment; can give terms.

ONE vacant lot, well located on southwest side, \$2,500. We will sell the next few days for \$1,800. See us about this lot. It fronts south and is 140 feet deep.

FOR SALE—Cottage, almost new, with vestibule, electric lights, porcelain tub, toilet, bath for \$2,450; \$300 cash balance \$25 per month. This is a bargain, and on car line close in on south side.

FOR SALE—New four-room cottage, south side, \$2,500; \$500 cash, balance \$20 per month.

FOR SALE—Five-room lot, mantle and grate, bath, electric lights, storm door, corner lot, well located on gravel street, lot 100x150 feet, for \$3,500, or will retain vacant lot and sell for \$2,800; one-third cash, balance easy payments.

WE have many other bargains in all parts of the city, and it will be to your interest to see us before making purchases. We also represent a number of leading fire insurance companies, and will be glad to write your insurance, also rent your property.

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A LUCKY FIND

It might seem strange, but it is a fact just the same, that Avery & Camberton will take a lease on any kind of city property, business houses or dwellings. Say, did you know they will lease your property for any time and will remit you on the first of every month, rain or shine, and no bother to collect from them? Won't that be nice? They can buy any property, and they will take rents and look after your property. Do they sell real estate? Well, I should say so. Best salesmen you ever saw. Who did I say it was? Avery & Camberton, don't forget the name. It means money to you and it's easy to remember. New phone 94, old 1745.

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RUGS—Innumerable in design, size, quality, price. If you want rugs of any description we can please you.

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Of Course

AMUSEMENTS

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" Laughter, says the press agent, dominates tears in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," which will appear at Greenwall's opera house Wednesday matinee and night, Feb. 7, but there is

much genuine emotion in the play. Two touching scenes, unusually well acted, give the serious contrast to what might otherwise be called the short and comic annuals of the poor. There must be something very special in a play of this type, which unfailingly entertains the most blasé audiences of the great cities. Mrs. Wiggs does that, and it is the kindly humor and breezy phil-

osophy of the woman who, with a whole family on her back, finds life not only worth living, but absolutely enjoyable. Mrs. Wiggs is a woman who gives you a belief in human nature after all.

"The Player Maid" The story of "The Player Maid," in which Miss Florence Davis will appear at Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, Feb. 10, deals with Eleanor Hallam, a famous actress in the time of David Garrick. She is called upon to impersonate a beautiful heiress, in order to frustrate the schemes of an avaricious old guardian, who seeks to inveigle his ward into an uncongenial marriage. While she accepts the mission ostensibly to accommodate this young lady, she does so really in a spirit of reckless audaciousness and love of adventure, and also in order to punish the handsome young gallant who is the intended bridegroom for his contemptuous indifference in refusing to meet her.

As the supposed heiress, she is received with open arms to the ancestral home. This welcome, however, is soon turned to consternation by her peculiar and eccentric behavior, which scandalizes the staid old household. Complications upon complications ensue, producing some funny situations, during which Miss Davis portrays her assumed character in a light never dreamed of by the worthy relatives.

The scenes are in the drawing room and on the stage of the Drury Lane theater, the drawing room, terrace and ball room of an old ancestral English castle, while the period affords great picturesque interest in the costuming.

The production is staged under the direction of R. A. Roberts and Elliott Dexter.

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In "Pretty Peggy" the author harks back to the old, old story of the love of David Garrick and Peg Woffington. But David receives cruel treatment at the hand of the author, while Pretty Peggy, the toast of the town, is made a sweet, delicate, alluring little witch whose "personal magnetism" as a later and more scientific age has learned to call the charm of pure womanliness, brings all England to her feet.

Jane Corcoran has been a stranger to Texas, but she will be, if it is safe to say, no longer. Both houses yesterday were lamentably slim, which reflects discredit upon the theater-goers far more than to the company, which indeed is good.

Outside of Miss Corcoran, however, the company is not so convincing. Mr. Law, as David Garrick, is good, but not excellent. The Earl of Cholmondeley is a trifle overdone. Mrs. Woffington is very good, and Polly Woffington, sister of the witching

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Somewhat of a novelty is introduced when the great finale scene shows Peggy dying on the stage while making a last appeal to Garrick. The actors of the troupe rush through the aisles and create a terrific clamor, shouting "Treasure! Treasure!" as the French dancer begins to prostrate.

But Peggy wins them over by a brave appeal, and surely only a fossil critic or an amateur could object to a method which brings such a convincing climax to a captivating scene.

The same play is presented tonight.

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BUYER MAKES COTTON REPORT

Representative of Merchants Bought 700 Bales

AVERAGE PRICE 11 CENTS

Good Foundation for Strong Market Laid During Latter Part of Present Season

There has been a little over two thousand bales of cotton sold in this city during the present season, with a small quantity yet unmarketed. J. P. Ingram, cotton buyer appointed by the retail merchants, reported Monday afternoon that he had purchased about seven hundred bales for the merchants during the season, which closed Jan. 1. The remainder has been bought by the cotton firms.

The highest price paid by Mr. Ingram was 12 cents, a figure paid for several bales earlier in the season. The lowest price was paid a short time ago. This was 8½ cents for some low grade cotton. Cotton on the local market now ranges about 10½ cents. The average price of the cotton throughout the season has been 11 cents.

Receipts Increased The amount of cotton that has been bought in Fort Worth this year has been larger than it was for the past few years. The buyer put on the street by the local merchants has been largely responsible for the increase, as the price paid here has always ranked well along with the prices paid in nearby towns. There have been a number of farmers in the city with their cotton this year who have not brought any cotton here for ten to fifteen years before. They have all reported that they were well pleased with the prices that were paid in Fort Worth and that if the buyer be put on the street again next year the merchants would put Fort Worth on her feet again as a cotton center and that farmers who have been going elsewhere will once more bring their cotton to this city.

Mr. Ingram stated Monday that he was sure that another year of buying by the merchants would put Fort Worth on her feet again as a cotton center and that farmers who have been going elsewhere will once more bring their cotton to this city.

DENVER CATTLE SHOW PRAISED

S. B. Burnett Returns From Convention

S. B. Burnett returned Tuesday morning from Denver, where he attended the convention of the two cattle growers' association which were amalgamated into the American National Cattle Raisers' Association. On his return he stopped off at his Dixon Creek ranch and Monday, in order to get to the train, had to drive thirty miles against a piercing wind.

Captain Burnett reported success both for the convention and the fat stock show which was held in connection with it. It was the first fat stock show that Denver has had and consisted mostly of steer cattle. Captain Burnett reported that what graded cattle were exhibited were very good. The prize-winning car of Shorthorns, fifteen in number, sold for 10 cents. He reported that the cattle show was not as large as the shows in this city, but that it was a very creditable showing for the first year.

In speaking of the conditions about Dixon Creek, Captain Burnett said that the winter had been exceptionally favorable there and that he had only lost one yearling out of a herd of 5,000 to 6,000 cattle there. There has been little snow.

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LENTEN DIET

A Food More Powerful Than Meat.

A devout Catholic lady of Washington, anxious to comply with the requirements of the church as to diet during Lent and not suffer from insufficient food, says:

"As Lent approached last year, I found myself in such a run-down condition that I seriously hesitated upon the advisability of observing the fast. I was very nervous and suffering from a severe mental shock, and felt that I needed all the strength and fortitude that I could get. I began on Ash Wednesday to try Grape-Nuts instead of my pre-Lenten breakfast. I ate the food dry, followed by a cup of cocoa or glass of milk. For lunch, I ate Grape-Nuts, and for supper, I ate Grape-Nuts. I found that Grape-Nuts, in the form of a pudding, boiled or baked, was a most delicious and healthful food. I was very nervous and suffering from a severe mental shock, and felt that I needed all the strength and fortitude that I could get. I began on Ash Wednesday to try Grape-Nuts instead of my pre-Lenten breakfast. I ate the food dry, followed by a cup of cocoa or glass of milk. For lunch, I ate Grape-Nuts, and for supper, I ate Grape-Nuts. 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