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U. S. TO BUILD RY. IN ISLANDS

To Spend Thirty Millions in the Philippines

400 MILES LONG

Contracts for Government Venture to Be Signed in a Few Days

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, May 18.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Washington says:

The arrangements for carrying out the plans of the government for a system of railways in the Philippines will about concluded and the last of the contracts will be signed in a few days. They involve the construction of several hundred miles of track and the expenditure of about $30,000,000, most of it within the limits of the islands. The project recommended by a commission of engineers while Secretary Taft was governor general will be followed very closely with a view to the development of the great natural resources that are now inaccessible as well as providing suitable transportation facilities for those sections which are most thoroughly settled and cultivated.

Road 400 Miles in Length

Contracts for about 400 miles of track in the island of Luzon have been agreed upon by Secretary Taft and John Milburn, attorney for James Speyer & Company, the well known bankers of New York, the terms have been approved by the Philippine commissioner at Manila and the papers will be signed as soon as they are received. Contracts for 800 miles of track in the islands of Panay, Negros and Cebu have already been signed by J. G. White & Company of New York, representing a syndicate incorporated under the title of the Philippine Railway Company and composed of that firm, Charles M. Schwift of Detroit, Cornelius Vanderbilt of New York, Mr. Wilson, president of the Lincoln Trust Company, New York; Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Company and the International Banking Corporation.

Franchise Perpetual

The Speyer contract carries no subsidy, but a perpetual franchise. The Philippine Railway Company also has a perpetual franchise and the government of the islands guarantees 3 per cent interest upon 95 per cent of the actual cost of construction for a term of thirty years.

JUDGE HAWKINS DEAD

Tennessee Cousin to Assistant Attorney General of Texas Prominent

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—Judge W. S. Hawkins, acting attorney general, yesterday received a telegram from Rudington, Tenn., conveying the news that his uncle, Judge Albert G. Hawkins, had died there rather suddenly at an early hour yesterday morning. The deceased was one of the most prominent citizens of that section of Tennessee, being the chancellor of one of the district courts there. He was about 60 years of age at the time of his death and had visited Texas on several occasions, the last being at the national reunion of Confederate Veterans held a few years ago at Dallas. Judge Hawkins was also a brother of former Governor Alvin Hawkins, one of the chief executives of Tennessee, whose death occurred about a year ago.

ATTACKED BY MOB

Men Have Narrow Escape, After Boy's Death

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 18.—While the body of Harry Sturm, 8 years of age, lay under the car which had killed him last night, the motorman and conductor managed to defend themselves from an angry crowd of nearly a thousand people. The traction men sought refuge in the car after they had been beaten by the men and women, who were aroused by the death of the boy. Heavy calls of police rescued the carmen after all the windows in the car had been broken.

The car was westbound in Fourteenth street when, at Union street, it struck the Sturm boy. The motorman said the boy walked deliberately in front of the car, apparently not seeing it, and was struck before the car could be stopped.

HE WOULD WORK FOR $1 PER DAY

"Wouldn't Ask Aid," Says Andy Carnegie

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The American today says:

Talking to a group of young men in the Carl Schurz funeral train yesterday, Andrew Carnegie was led into a discussion of socialism and of what he used to New York without a dollar should do. He said:

"I am an individualist and think the state is doing as much as it should. If I were a young man and alone in the world I would work for a dollar a day if necessary and I don't think I'd ask anyone to help me. There is always room for the man who is willing to work and, when I hear to the contrary it is hard to believe.

"I know of manufacturers who are willing to pay $3 a day for men and yet tell me they have difficulty in getting labor.

"Unrest of a sort seems to be existing in this country. I see evidences of it everywhere, but to me it is not the real solution.

"Good health and good habits and willingness to work, the chances in life are as good as they ever

WEATHER WAXES WARM

New York Feels Slight Shimmer of What Sol Can Do

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 18.—New Yorkers had a touch of midsummer weather yesterday. The mercury ranged between 60 and 80 degrees, reaching the latter mark at 2 p. m.

A case of heat prostration was reported from Bellevue last night. Patrick Tierney was found staggering in Madison avenue shortly after 6 o'clock. He was taken to Bellevue, where it was said he had little chance of recovery.

WANT WATERWAY; LAKES TO GULF

To Make Mississippi Navigable for Warships

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 18.—The "grave possibility" of a war with England, coupled with a word picture of the mammoth British battleship, Dreadnaught, bombarding Chicago at a range of ten miles, while the proposed American rival, recently nicknamed the "Skeered of Nothin'," by John Sharp Williams, lay useless at the mouth of the Mississippi river, was presented last night as a sufficient reason for the construction of a waterway from Chicago to the Gulf. The idea was advanced by Henry T. Rainey, member of congress from the Twentieth Illinois district at the banquet of the Chicago Commercial Association at the Sherman House. The banqueters were addressed by five members of congress, all advocates of water transportation as a remedy for the high freight rates of the railroads.

The speakers included Congressman William Lorimer of Chicago, Congressman James H. Ransdell of Louisiana, chairman of the executive committee of the National Rivers and Harbors Association; Congressman James Davidson of the Eighth district of Wisconsin, Congressman E. C. Ellis of Missouri and Congressman Rainey of Illinois.

E. S. Conway was chairman and D. R. Forgan, president of the Chicago Commercial Association, opened the meeting.

All the speakers advocated the appropriation of all the money necessary for river and harbor improvement and Congressman Ransdell indicted congress as niggardly and stingy in this regard. It was declared that out of the total appropriations only 3 per cent has been spent for commerce, while 40 per cent has been spent for war. But there was no disparagement of the defensive agencies of the United States.

TO EXPLORE ARCTIC

Mikkelsen Ready to Sail on Discovery Trip

By Associated Press.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 18.—Captain Mikkelsen, the Arctic explorer, who is preparing to leave tomorrow for the Arctic, in search of undiscovered islands, made final arrangements last night for the expedition. An agreement was made with Dr. McLaren of Glasgow to proceed north when the schooner Duchess of Baxford returns in 1907, after Messrs. Mikkelsen and Leffingwell have started over the ice to the northwest, with 140 days' provisions, in search of the lands which they hope to find. Dr. McLaren will seal to Wrangel Island, and, failing to find the two explorers there, will cruise along the edge of the ice field, seeking them.

PRESIDENT RE-ELECTED

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe Again Chosen by Suffrage Association

By Associated Press.

BOSTON, Mass., May 18.—Mrs. Judith W. Smith presided yesterday at the thirty-ninth annual meeting of the New England Woman's Suffrage Association. Resolutions were adopted approving of the "school city" system as a practical training of boys and girls in the future exercise of their duties and responsibilities as American citizens. Other resolutions urged the President and congress to arrange arbitration to put an end to executive taxation for army and navy, and urged immediate contributions for the suffrage campaign in Oregon. Mrs. Julia Ward Howe was re-elected president.

DENVER PISTOL USED IN PARIS

Bicyclist Injured; Driver's Escape Prevented

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 18.—A cable dispatch to a morning paper from Paris says James Watson, an American, has been arrested as the result of a remarkable street scene. A bicyclist was knocked down and badly injured by a heavy vehicle, the driver of which drove off.

Watson, who was riding on a passing omnibus, drew a revolver and shot the horse, thus preventing the driver's escape. Mr. Watson was taken to a police station and held. He offered to compensate the owner of the horse.

Watson is a resident of Denver. The magistrate released him on bail. His revolver was restored to him, because its caliber did not exceed that of caliber revolvers that are allowed to be carried here without taking out a license. The main charges to be preferred against Watson are firing a revolver on a public highway and cruelty to animals. He achieved his object in shooting the horse, the arrest of the driver, who is detained.

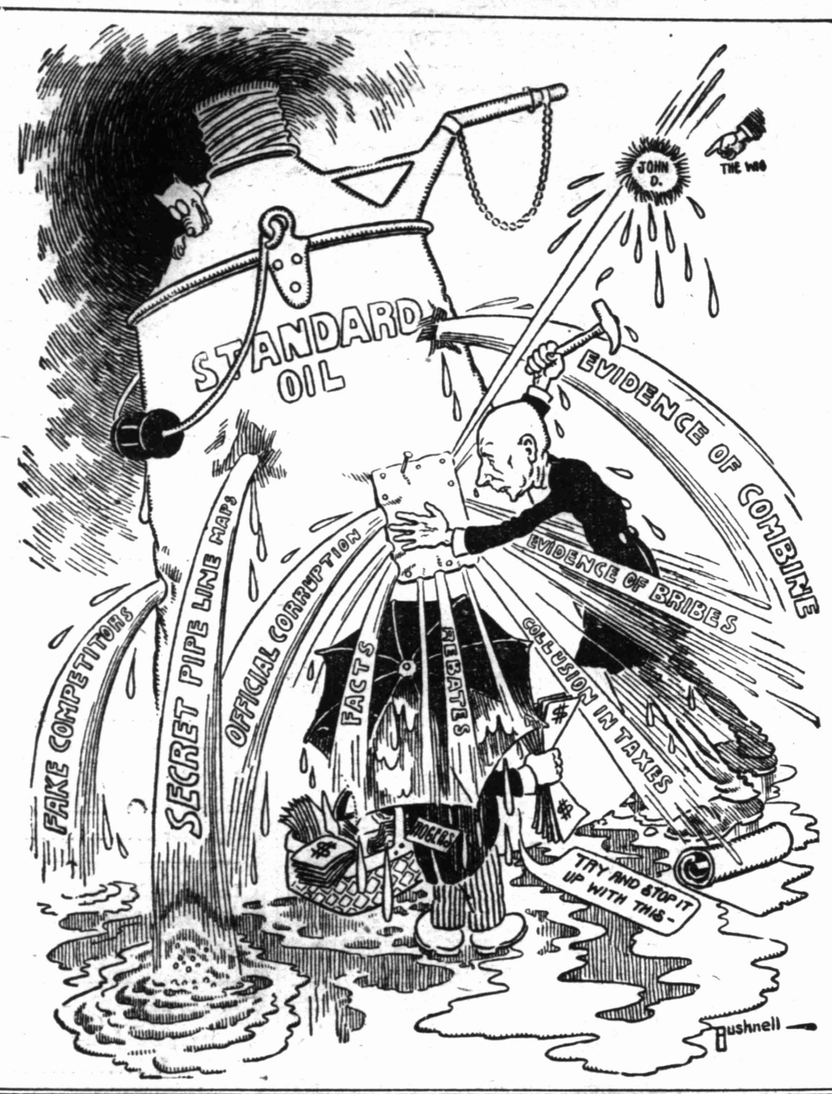
GOES TO NEW ORLEANS

Dr. Tabor to Speak on Quarantine in Crescent City

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—Dr. George R. Tabor, state health officer, leaves tonight for New Orleans, where he will deliver an address at a banquet to be given Saturday evening by the New Orleans Progressive Union. Dr. Tabor will talk on quarantine matters. His views on this question are held in high esteem by the people of Louisiana. Dr. Tabor was invited to deliver the address about a week ago.

LEAKING BADLY



CAN'T SHOW ME, SAYS MO. JUDGE

Attorney Proposes Disrobing Fair Plaintiff in Court

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 18.—While a damage suit was on trial in the circuit court, in which a woman was suing the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, claiming her back had been wrenched while she was alighting from a car, a physician testified that there was a distinct curvature on her spine as a result of the injury.

"We will place the plaintiff on the stand and show the jury the exact nature of her injury," said her attorney.

"How will you do that?" inquired Judge Teasdale.

"Why, we will show the jury her back," replied the attorney.

"You will do that," demanded the judge.

"We will show the jury her back," said the attorney. "Then the jury can see just what the injury is."

"Do you mean to say that you will have the woman take off her clothes and exhibit her body to the jury?"

"That's it, that is what we propose to do."

"Well, I guess you won't—not in this court room," was the decisive reply of Judge Teasdale, and the jury, which had leaned forward in an expectant attitude, dropped back into their seats.

TO BUILD DEPOT

Katy Arranging for New Structure at Muskogee

Special to The Telegram.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., May 18.—Contractors for the Katy railroad are here for the purpose of making the arrangements to move the old Katy freight depot when they will erect a modern up-to-date two-story brick freight house. The plans are already and the work will begin as soon as the old building can be gotten away. The entire lower floor will be used for the storing of freight, and the upstairs will have the offices of the local officials. One telegraph operator will be stationed in the new freight house, and the freight telegraph operators will bo at the new yards, which have just been completed in the north end of town.

ITALIAN CABINET FORCED TO QUIT

Sonnino Announces Ministry's Resignation

By Associated Press.

ROME, May 18.—Premier Sonnino, in the chamber of deputies today, officially announced the resignation of the cabinet. The Sonnino ministry was defeated yesterday by a majority of 27 as a result of the impatience of the opposition, which, contrary to the advice of former Premier Giliotti, who was not present at yesterday's sitting, would not wait for development of the whole Sonnino program, but attacked the cabinet on the question of procedure, regarding the order of the parliamentary work. In ordinary cases this would not have been sufficient for the cabinet to resign, but yesterday's vote, it was understood, showed unexpected strength on the part of the opposition and the premier concluded he was called upon to retire.

YOUNG HOPPE GAINING

Youthful Billiard Player Catching Frenchman

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Manipulating the ivory globes so closely that a hat might have covered them, William F. Hoppe yesterday cut down the lead which the Frenchman, Louis Cure, had established in their 300 point match at 18.2 balk line. Counting in big runs, Hoppe scored 660 points during the afternoon, while Cure was engaged in working out his 400 block. Hoppe made a further inroad in Cure's lead during the night game, and when it was finished Cure's string was 2,800 points to Hoppe's 2,777. The young champion counted 648 as his night's effort and his average was 40 47-100.

GROSS ALEXANDER SUCCEEDS TIGERT

Methodists Elect a Kentucky Man Editor of Review

By Associated Press.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 18.—At the opening of today's session of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, Rev. J. R. Scruggs of the Western North Carolina conference conducted the devotional services. Bishop E. E. Hoss took the chair. Voting at once began for connectional officers.

The first to be elected was the book editor and the editor of the Review, which place Dr. J. J. Tigert, bishop-elect, had filled. On the second ballot Dr. Gross Alexander, presiding elder of the Louisville, Ky., district of the Louisville annual conference, was elected, receiving 145 votes. The total vote was 252. Meanwhile, the pending question before the general conference was the report of the committee on church extension, recommending the erection of a representative church at Washington, D. C., to cost $275,000, of which the church at large is to pay $200,000 and the Mount Vernon church at Washington, $75,000.

COMBINE IS BROKEN

Wyoming Wool Growers Hold Out Successfully

Special to The Telegram.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 18.—The wool combine has been broken in Carbon county and buyers are in a wild scramble to secure the clips. Recently the wool men got together and as a result 18 and 19 cents were offered for wool that had been selling for from 20 to 23 cents. The flockmasters refused to accept the offerings and were preparing to consign their clips.

The Wyoming Wool Growers' Association and the district associations of Carbon, Natrona and Johnson counties threatened to establish independent wool commission houses, or sell direct to the manufacturers, and the wool buyers promptly capitulated. Thursday and yesterday more than half a million pounds of wool was sold in Sweetwater and Carbon counties at prices ranging from 22 to 23½ cents.

WAGES RAISED

Frisco Bricklayer and Helpers to Have Increase

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—The Masons and Builders' association has raised the wages of the bricklayers and bricklayers' helpers. Commencing May 21, bricklayers will receive $7 per day (eight hours) and their helpers $4 per day. This is an advance of one dollar per day for bricklayers and 50 cents for the helpers.

FIFTY DOLLARS IN FOUR MONTHS

Russell Sage Sends Money to Two Destitute Cousins

Special to The Telegram.

TOLEDO, Ohio, May 18.—Russell Sage, the New York mutimillionaire, has sent two checks for $25 each in four months to help Mrs. Jane Sage, aged 85, his second cousin, and James Sage, aged 65, his third cousin, the latter being in the county infirmary here and the former almost starving in an attic room.

James was a blacksmith, but his health failed and he was unable to do any work. Some weeks ago the story of the need of the aged mother and son and their relationship to Russell Sage was printed. H. S. Comstock, a prominent Toledoan, wrote Russell Sage, inclosing a clipping of the story. Since that time he has received two checks for $25 each, with which he has kept the old people alive. A letter was also received, part of which follows:

"We are in receipt of large quantities of the same newspaper clippings that you inclose. The whole country seems to be filled with them. The people mentioned appeal somewhat to our sympathies. The widow is the wife of Alva Sage, second cousin of Russell Sage, as I find from the genealogy of the family. The son, of course, is a third cousin.

"It is not worth while to mention this contribution. Mr. Sage does not know them, and probably never has heard of them.

"J. J. SLOCUM,
"Private Secretary."

Hanged at Butte

By Associated Press.

BUTTE, Mont., May 18.—Miles Fuller was hanged in this city at 5:30 o'clock this morning for the murder of H. J. Gallagher, Oct. 24, 1904.

Fire Loss $125,000

Special to The Telegram.

MACON, Ga., May 18.—Fire yesterday destroyed the cotton compress of the Central of Georgia railroad, together with about 2,000 bales of cotton and fifty loaded freight cars. The loss is estimated at $125,000.

AND SHE'S DULY SWEET SIXTEEN

Married; a Mother; Separated; All in Three Years

Special to The Telegram.

TOLEDO, Ohio, May 18.—Three years in Eva Taylor's young life have sufficed to see her wooed, married, motheerd and separated. At the age of 13 she met and was courted by Harry Taylor, a traction company employe. Winning her heart, Taylor married her at 14. She became a mother at 15, and now at 16 she is separated, her husband having been convicted of assault.

Taylor testified in court that his wife drank and smoked cigarettes. The bride testified, and was substantiated, that she was not smoking, but that her husband broke into a room and dragged her almost downstairs by the hair.

After this the wife took the baby and fled to her mother.

STARTED PALM GARDEN

In His Stomach, and Death Was Result

Special to The Telegram.

LAWRENCEBURG, Ind., May 18.—Charles C. Howard died here early this morning after suffering for a week with acute appendicitis. An operation was performed last week and a date seed was found in his appendix. The seed had sprouted, and was the cause of his trouble that ended fatally. Howard was well known here and at Cincinnati as a sporting man.

THIRD METHODIST BISHOP ELECTED

Tigert, Seth Ward and James Atkins Chosen

Special to The Telegram.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 18.—At last night's session of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, Rev. James Atkins, Sunday school editor of the church, was chosen to the office of bishop, making the third selection by the conference during the day.

As was reported yesterday afternoon, the first ballot for bishop resulted in the election of Rev. Dr. John J. Tigert, secretary of the general conference, the third ballot resulted in the election of Rev. Dr. Seth Ward of Texas, after which, several others being fruitless, the conference adjourned until night, the election of Dr. Atkins following at that session.

Sketches of New Bishop

Bishop Tigert was at one time a professor in Vanderbilt University. For the last twelve years he has been book editor of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, and is at present editor of the Methodist Southern Review. He bears the reputation of being a clear thinker, a ripe scholar, a logical reasoner and eloquent speaker and a graceful writer.

J. J. Tigert was born in Louisville Nov. 25, 1856. He graduated from Vanderbilt University. He was licensed to preach in 1875.

Bishop Ward is a native Texan. His friends here are wild with delight over his promotion to the high office. No doubt he has thousands of friends in Texas who are rejoicing tonight over his election. He was a poor boy and is a self-made man. He has fought his way against poverty to a distinction which he richly merits. He has filled all the positions in the Methodist church, from pastor, circuit rider, presiding elder, up to the bishopric.

Seth Ward was born in Leon county, Texas, Nov. 1, 1858. His boyhood days were spent on a Texas farm. He received the degree of D. D. from Southwestern University. He was a member of the ecumenical conference in 1901 and has filled numerous appointments, his present position being assistant secretary of the board of missions.

Bishop Atkins is among the best known and most universally admired ministers of his church, a graduate of Emory and Henry fifty-six years ago, and for ten years Sunday school editor and an author of note.

James Atkins was born in Knoxville, Tenn., April 18, 1850. He received his education in Tennessee schools and was licensed to preach in 1870. He has been president of two Methodist schools, is the originator of the Bible Teachers' Study Circle and is author of several books.

Bishops Tigert, Ward and Atkins will probably be consecrated Saturday. The prolonged balloting for these bishops today is unprecedented in the history of the church.

FAIRBANKS ARRIVES

Vice President Visits Methodist Conference as Fraternal Delegate

By Associated Press.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 18.—Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks arrived here at 6 o'clock this morning from Washington to attend the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, as the fraternal delegate from the Methodist Episcopal church. He was met by the citizens' committee at the union passenger station and driven to the home of Colonel T. C. Bush, president of the Alabama Consolidated Coal and Iron Company, whose guest he will be while here.

Seven Sailors Lost

By Associated Press.

PORT SAID, Egypt, May 18.—The British torpedo boat No. 56 capsized off this port during last night, seven of the crew being drowned.

HOMING PIGEON VISITS MAYFIELD

Alamo Bird Invades Railway Commissioner's Room

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—Railroad Commissioner Allison Mayfield had an unusual visitor the other day at his apartments at the Driskill hotel in the shape of a homing pigeon. While Judge Mayfield was sitting in his room the bird flew on the balcony railing, just without the door, and in the next instant it flew into the room. As the bird was quite fagged out, it was easily captured by Judge Mayfield. Upon its left leg was a small metal tag on which was inscribed, "B. Y. 42045." The commissioner had heard of the bird race out of San Antonio and communicated with that city. Yesterday he received a telephone message from A. Beck of that place, in which the latter said that the bird belonged to him. It was accordingly shipped back to the Alamo City to its owner.

TOTAL 460 BURIED

Captain Winn Says 185 Not Identified at Frisco

Special to The Telegram.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 18.—Captain Winn, in charge of the mortality statistics, reports 460 earthquake victims buried, of whom 185 were unidentified.

Presidential Nominations

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The President has sent the following nominations to the senate:

Postmasters—H. P. Warfiled, Tichomingo, I. T.; R. E. Rosenberger, Garyville, La.; Theodore Ray, Midland, Texas.

QUESTION NOW UP TO CZAR

His Reply Will Cause Peace or War

NO DISSOLUTION

Nicholas Will Try Temporizing Policy While Democrats Are Expectant

By Associated Press.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 18.—The critical moment which will decide whether there will be peace or war between the crown and the people apparently arrived with the adoption by the lower house of parliament last night of its reply to the speech from the throne.

President Mouromtzff has gone to Peterhof to present the reply to the emperor and his majesty's response is awaited with great anxiety. Popular opinion considers that the government has no option between surrender or war.

Nevertheless, while events during the past week followed each other with extreme rapidity, the issue now raised is not likely to be decided quickly. Russians generally believe that the emperor's court and the government have undoubtedly been driven by the blunt direct fashion with which parliament has spoken out and their policy naturally will be to gain time. The emperor, personaly, is in a better frame of mind and, for the present, will not listen to the counsel of those who advise him to dissolve parliament and fight. Nevertheless, he is resolved not to yield anything like all that parliament demands. It can be safely predicted, therefore, that he will pursue a temporizing policy, with partial amnesty as the first hope thrown to the country.

Constitutional democratic leaders, whose program would be upset by the dissolution of parliament, are quite as anxious as the emperor to avoid the precipitation of a conflict. They would regard the failure of the government to declare war as a big parliamentary victory, of which they would take advantage by forcing through their agrarian project, on which they count to strengthen themselves in the country before the final battle opens.

That the court reactionists, headed by General Trepoff, are seeking every way possible to influence the emperor to fight is apparent by the discovery made by Reich of a secret circular sent to the governors, instructing them to have the "Black Hundred" organizations immediately dispatched to the emperor to protest against amnesty and the abolition of the death penalty. These have been flowing into Peterhof from all directions, being printed in the Official Messenger today.

Dispatches from the interior report that demonstrations are occurring in front of the prisons in all parts of Russia in favor of the release of political prisoners. At Simferopol troops surrounded the prison where political prisoners were making demonstrations and fired at them through windows. In St. Petersburg political prisoners awaiting transportation at the deporting prison hung out red flags from the windows and sang the "Marseillaise" throughout the night, while the crowds outside joined in the revolutionary song.

IN SPECIAL TRAIN

Railroad Man Speeding North to Die in New York

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The Herald today says:

With the highest speed that a special train can make, Charles F. Lambert, general passenger agent of the West Shore railroad, is being borne homeward from Florida in order that he may see his relatives and friends before he dies.

For a year or more his health has been failing and several weeks ago his physicians told him that if he would prolong his life he must give up all official duties and go away for perfect rest.

Reluctantly he gave up his duties and went to Bradentown, Fla. The change did not bring the desired improvement. Instead he became steadily worse and yet his physicians informed him that if he wished to die in his home and among friends he must get back to New York as soon as possible. A special train was at once placed at his service.

TO INVITE BELL TO PARIS, TEXAS

Fort Worth Candidate Has Many Friends There

Special to The Telegram.

PARIS, Texas, May 8.—Judge Hathaway, acting with numerous other prominent citizens of this city and Lamar county, are preparing to make formal invitation to General Charles K. Bell of Fort Worth to speak here at an early date in the interest of his candidacy for the democratic nomination for governor of Texas.

The Fort Worth candidate is popular throughout East Texas and has many warm friends in this city, who will spare no trouble in making all arrangements to insure accommodations for the large crowds, which would undoubtly attend an address by General Bell.

Date of the visit of General Bell will be announced following the acceptance of the invitation of Paris and Lamar county.

To Speak at Waco

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, May 18.—General C. K. Bell of Fort Worth will speak here tonight in the interest of his candidacy for governor. He announced that he would visit here today, and friends at once made arrangements for him to speak tonight at the city hall. It is expected that he will have a large audience.

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GREEK CHILDREN HELD AS SLAVES

Secrets of Padrone System Affecting Many Cities

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Secrets of the Greek padrone system of slavery and oppression of young boys in Chicago, for years concealed from government and state investigators and officials, were revealed today. A young victim declared that at least 3,000 young children are kept in virtual bondage in the Greek fruit stores, restaurants, saloons and shoe shining establishments of the city. Their masters, it is asserted, beat them if they complain against working as many as nineteen hours a day.

The overworked children, it is added, find their few hours of daily rest in dirty lofts or dark, ill-ventilated basements, sometimes under lock and key. The children are kept from the police and factory inspectors by frequently changing the lodging places of the older ones and keeping those of tender years locked up in rear rooms for days at a time.

The youth who revealed the workings of the child slavery system among his countrymen told what he knew only on assurance that his name would not be revealed. Condensed, the secrets of the system are as follows:

Boys are brought to Chicago from the various Greek ports in groups, sometimes running as high as fifty at a time, to be let out to owners of business places in the Greek districts. The boys are led past the immigration officials at Ellis island by agents of the system among the immigrants, who pose to the government officers as relatives of the children. Each child is thoroughly schooled before leaving Greece and told what replies to make to officials of the United States government who seek information of their destination in America.

On arriving in Chicago the groups of children are divided, some being delivered to Greeks owning small stores in small cities of Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana and Iowa. Steamship agents, real estate dealers and merchants of the Greek colony are alleged to encourage the importation of the boys. It increases business for all of them. The Greek churches, it is said, look on the custom with complacency, for the leading members of the churches are directors of the system, and the bigger the Greek population the greater number of worshippers giving financial support to the church.

"PATCHING UP" BILL

Rate Measure Hangs Fire—Raynor at White House

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—The senate is still busily engaged in putting patches on the railroad rate bill. This task would have been finished two days ago, but for the unexpected successive display of "fireworks."

Prognosticators have given up trying to fix the date for the final passage. They say it may be "today, tomorrow or next week."

Mr. Raynor, a democratic senator of Maryland, was called into the conference today at the White House. The senate don't know exactly what to expect from this.

Restaurant Sold

Special to The Telegram.

ITALY, Texas, May 18.—Messrs. Will D'Neal and M. J. Smotherman have sold the International and Great Northern restaurant here to L. M. Johnson of Mart, who has taken charge of the business.

IF YOU DON'T

succeed the first time use Herbine and you will get instant relief. The greatest liver regulator. A positive cure for Constipation, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Chills and all liver complaints. Mr. C— of Emory, Texas, writes: "My wife has been using Herbine for herself and children for five years. It is a sure cure for constipation and malaria fever, which is substantiated by what it has done for my family." Sold by Covey & Martin.

CONFESSION SECURED

Fields to Tell of Mutual's Waste of Funds

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The confession of Andrew C. Fields, for many years disburser of the Mutual Life's "yellow dog" fund, is at last in possession of the district attorney's office. Fields made a full statement in his home in Dobb's Ferry to the district attorney. Fields gave a pledge to repeat his story before the special grand jury as soon as he was well enough.

Just how $1,000,000 was expended corruptly in ten years by Fields, who knew about his transactions and was responsible for them—these are the important features of what Fields divulged, and the information brings some men high in the Mutual closer to prison.

SAYS HE DECLINED

Railway Official Testifies to Offer of Coal Company Stock

By Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 18.—Additional evidence of stock presented by coal companies to railroad officials was adduced at today's session of the interstate commerce committee.

E. J. Cleave of Cresson, Pa., superintendent of the Cambria and Clearfield division of the Pennsylvania railroad, was the first witness. He was asked if he held stock in any of the coal companies. He said he had 250 shares in the Cochran Coal company, which he received in partial payment for lands sold to the company.

"Had you ever been offeerd stock in any coal company?" inquired Attorney Glasgow.

"Is it necessary to answer that question?" asked the witness.

"It is."

"I was offered stock, but declined to accept it."

BLOODSHED CERTAIN

If Ohio Operators Open Coal Mines, Trouble Is Expected

By Associated Press.

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, May 18.—Pinkerton men are being rushed to the mines in Jefferson county and the force now numbers 150 armed men, but Sheriff Voorhes refuses to swear them in as deputies, as they are not residents of the county.

The situation is critical and, if the operators persist in opening their mines next Monday, bloodshed is sure to follow.

HOUSTON TO AID BELLEVUE

School Children Raise Over $200 for a School House

Special to The Telegram.

HOUSTON, Texas, May 17.—School children of Houston will contribute over $200 to the fund that is being raised for the rebuilding of the Bellevue school house, wrecked by the cyclone. School trustees gave permission to the plan and City Superintendent Horn took the matter up with each school of the city. Pennies, nickels and dimes were asked of the pupils. Already $175 has been raised and by tonight the sum will reach at least $225.

MALARIA MAKES PALE BLOOD

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic drives out malaria and builds up the system. Sold by all dealers for 27 years. Price 50 cents.

A MOUNTAIN OF GOLD.

could not bring as much happiness to Mrs. Lucia Wilke of Caroline, Wis., as did one 25c box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, when it completely cured a running sore on her leg, which had tortured her 23 long years. Greatest antiseptic healer of Piles, Wounds and Sores. 25c at Walkup & Fielder's, Holland's Red Cross Pharmacy, Renfro Drug Co.'s Drug Stores.

THE LIFE INSURANCE

muddle has started the public to thinking. The wonderful success that has met Ballard's Horehound Syrup in its crusade on Coughs, Influenza, Bronchitis and all Pulmonary troubles—has started the public to thinking of this wonderful preparation. They are all using it. Join the procession and down with sickness. Price 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by Covey & Martin.

APPEAL MADE FOR W. J. DENT

Granting of Pardon Request of Prisoner Urged

The following letter was received by The Telegram Wednesday from Mrs. E. R. Doak of Rosen Heights in appeal for W. J. Dent, now serving time on conviction of having forged a pardon releasing George Isaacs, who had been sentenced to life imprisonment. Dent was finally captured and tried on a charge of accessory to murder, having by the forgery prevented the execution of the sentence of the court. He was convicted and sentenced to ninety-nine years' imprisonment at Huntsville. He has, so far, served six years. The following letter conveys the belief that Dent has suffered his due:

"To The Telegram and the Public: I appeal for pity from the hearts of the public in defense of W. J. Dent, who is sent for life to Huntsville penitentiary. Was it through pity—was it through friendship or possibly for ties of love he so recklessly forged the freedom for another man? Who can answer why he must suffer for the murderous hand of another? Is it just?

"All you of his jury who he today asks, without friends or money, to help secure his freedom, have pity. We who are free and have power, have mercy. While it was right he should have had punishment, he should not lose his freedom for life. Jurymen who so often are called from the peaceful farms and ranches, you who live in peace and happiness, come to our cities and see the temptations for old and young. Take up the work of rescue and charity. Then and only then will your heart feel true pity.

"Then I would plead you, the jury, when you are called upon to decide for or against hanging; think well, do not act rash. Did you ever think what a dreadful thing it is to die by hanging? How barbarous it is for a civilized country to hang men and women until the last of life is gone. When we have taken all from man, why not shoot him?

"Is there anyone who has pity for this convicted man?

"I beg you to have pity and help this man. MRS. E. R. DOAK.

"Humane and Rescue Worker."

"2410 Roosevelt Avenue."

HOWLE-CASTLEMAN

Popular Couple of Venus Married by Grandview Minister

Special to The Telegram.

VENUS, Texas, May 18.—A. W. Castleman and Miss Beulah Howle, popular society young people of this town, were married at the home of the bride's father, Rev. D. I. Smyth of Grandview officiating.

Immediately after the ceremony the young couple took the Santa Fe Flyer for Austin and other Texas points to spend ten or twelve days visiting relatives of the groom.

COACH ROGERS LEAVES

Polytechnic Athlete to Enter Columbia University

Lyman W. Rogers, coach and athletic manager of Polytechnic college, will leave Saturday for New York city, where next fall he will enter Columbia University and take part in all athletics of the university. Coach Rogers has accomplished much for the different teams of Polytechnic and has developed good material in baseball and track work and has given a lasting impetus to college athletics at the institution.

FIRST PEACHES OF SEASON

Special to The Telegram.

TYLER, Texas, May 18.—The first shipment of peaches from this county was made Monday by J. F. Langley of Bullard billing a crate by express. A. S. Stokes (colored) was on the Tyler market with the second crate reported. It will be ten days yet before the express shipments even will be on to any extent.

CALDWELL CASE UP NEXT WEEK

Date Not Yet Fixed by Presbyterian General Assembly

REPORTS ARE SUBMITTED

Foreign Mission Work Is Hampered. More Young Men Said to Be Needed for Ministry

Special to The Telegram.

GREENVILLE, S. C., May 18.—According to reliable information from reports among 201 delegates attending the forty-sixth assembly of the Presbyterian church, now in session in this city, the case of Rev. William Caldwell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Fort Worth, will not be reached before Monday. Quite likely the case will not be disposed of until the middle of next week. Allen G. Hall, ruling elder of Nashville, Tenn., who was elected moderator yesterday, is presiding today.

The following abstract of the report of the executive committee of ministerial education and relief was submitted to the general assembly:

During the year we received from all sources for ministerial education $27,432, as against $19,991 the previous year; for ministerial relief, $25,758, as against $22,501 last year, and for the endowment fund of ministerial relief, $34,717, as against $3,927 last year. This makes a gain in receipts over last year of $7,441 for education, $3,257 for relief and $30,789 for the endowment fund.

An unusual degree of interest has been manifested throughout the church during the last year in the cause of education for the ministry. The constant falling off in the number of candidates has aroused the whole church to a sense of her responsibility.

Ministers Needed

Your committee would again call the attention of the assembly to the need for laborers in the great harvest fields of the world. There has been an increase of possibly twenty candidates over last year. More than 190 churches and groups of churches in the general assembly, which are able to support a pastor, are now vacant. The rapid development of the south has started a stream of immigration into our hands. From five to eight millions of the negro race are crying unto us for light. By an agreement of the evangelical churches 23,000,000 souls in the heathen world have been committed to our care. During the last year at least thirty-eight of our pastors have died, while from all of our theological seminaries there will be graduated this year only forty-six men. God knows the need. He commanded the church to pray, and has thus laid a burden of responsibility upon her. Have we been faithful? Are our young men drowning the call in the worldliness and commercialism of the age?

Omitting the candidates who have become licentiates and those who have been dropped from the roll, there are now 332 candidates in various stages of preparation for the ministry. Of these, 295 are under the care of the various presbyteries, 124 are in the seminary, 156 in college, 22 in schools and academies, while 30 are for the present at work. Of the 332 candidates, 196 are receiving aid from the assembly committee, 85 are in theological seminaries and 110 are in college.

Interest in the work of ministerial relief has been quickened over the entire assembly. Contributions were received from 1703 churches, an increase of ninety-three contributing churches over last year. This, however, leaves 1,426 churches from which no assistance was rendered. We have on our roll of beneficiaries thirty-one ministers, 125 widows and 13 orphans, and in these homes are 69 little fatherless children under 14 years of age.

Foreign Missions

The annual report of the executive committee of foreign missions contained the following:

"Our work during the year has been carried on under unusual difficulties. For several months, beginning with October, the committee was in serious financial embarrassment and was compelled to withhold, temporarily, from the missions some of the funds that had been appropriated for their work. There has been considerable unrest in China and Japan, growing out of circumstances that were connected with the recent war and its effect upon both of those countries. The results of the work in both countries, however, have been encouraging.

"We have felt some anxiety for the safety of our missionaries in the interior of China, but the state department replied that while the condition of affairs in China was giving the government some anxiety, it was not deemed to be of such a character as rendered the recall of our missionaries from their interior stations at the present time necessary. Letters from all our interior stations state that there have been no local disturbances, but on the contrary, as much apparent friendliness as ever.

"The work in Korea has been very encouraging, and that in Cuba has been as prosperous as it could be with a small force.

"In spiritual results the year has been one of progress in all our fields.

"The number of missionaries now on the roll is 206. The total cash receipts were $259,617 and the total disbursements $274,344. The balance in the treasury at the close of the year was $31.29.

"The work of the forward movement has been vigorously prosecuted. Many pastors have presented the movement to their churches with encouraging results.

"In order that the work already undertaken may be properly cared for and that some advance might be made toward the fuller and more effective occupation of the fields, the board asked the assembly to appeal to the church for a contribution of not less than $300,000."

POLICEMAN SHOT

Hot Springs Officer Overpowered by Negro and Wounded

Special to The Telegram.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 18.—Policeman Will Harbin was assaulted by William Robinson, a negro railway laborer, whom he attempted to arrest here late last night, and was shot with his own pistol. Physicians say Harbin cannot recover. The negro is now in jail, having been captured by the police today after a mob had hunted him all night, bent on lynching him.

DO YOU LOVE

your baby? You wonder why he cries. Buy a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge and he will never cry. Most babies have worms, and the mothers don't know it. White's Cream Vermifuge rids the child of worms and cleans out its system in a pleasant way. Every mother should keep a bottle of this medicine in the house. With it, fear need never enter her mind. Price 25c. Sold by Covey & Martin.

Misses' Superfine Black Ribbed Hose, Two pairs for 25c

We give better Hosiery for less money than all competitors.

MONNIG'S

1302-1304-1306 Main Street

25c Values

BUSTER BROWN AND BUSTER BROWN SISTER'S STOCKINGS; SATURDAY PRICE, PAIR.....18¢

Ladies' Fine Black Cotton Hose, with white foot, 15c value, Saturday pair 10c

Misses' White Ribbed Hose, extra length, sizes 5 to 9½, 15c value, Saturday pair 9c

25c VALUE

Ladies' black lace lisle Hose, choice new patterns, Saturday, pair 19c

Ladies' black gauze lisle Hose, plain or with white toe and heel, 50c value, Saturday, pair...35c

75c VALUE

Ladies' fine black lace lisle Hose with mercerized finish, extra length, Saturday, pair 48c

LATE NOVELTIES

Special prices for Saturday.

Tinsel and wash Belts, each 25c
Shell Combs with jewel and silver mountings, 50c value, Saturday, each 39c
Lace and Waist Pins, pair 25c
Comb Sets, one back and two side combs, set 19c
New line of Stick Pins, 25c to 75c
New White Washable Hand Bags, 25c, 50c to $1.00
Special showing in Ladies' Neckwear, 50c values, Saturday each 25c

Ladies' silk lisle Hosiery, very gauzy finish and in exquisite designs, $1.00 value, Saturday, pair 75c
Ladies' black and white silk Hose, $1.50 value, Saturday, pair $1.19
Ladies' fancy lisle Hosiery in choice combinations of colorings, 75c values, Saturday, the pair 50c
$3.50 values Ladies' silk lace Hosiery, white, blue and black, Saturday, pair $2.50

LADIES' FINE RIBBED VESTS

with taped and lace neck and sleeves, 15c value, Saturday, each 10c

LADIES' EXTRA SIZE RIBBED VESTS

sizes 7 to 9, 25c value, Saturday, each 15c

$1.00 VALUE

Ladies' fine ribbed Silk Vests, cream, blue and pink, Saturday, each 50c

One lot Infants' muslin lace and embroidered Caps, sizes 12 to 16, many 75c values in lot, only slightly soiled, Saturday, each only 35c

Ladies high grade Waists in silk, mull, linen and lawn, specially low priced for Saturday selling—
$1.00 Waists, Saturday .. 69c
$1.25 Waists, Saturday .. 98c
$1.50 Waists, Saturday ..$1.19
Very choice display of Cream Habutai Silk Waists, richly embroidered, prices $2.00 to $3.98

Ladies' Lawn Kimonos, with wide collar and a ruffle on sleeve, Saturday each.....25c

Ladies' long length lisle Gloves in gray and mode colors, Saturday, pair 50c

Ladies' white linene Parasols with hemstitched border, each only $1.00

Ladies' white gauze Fans, with pretty painted designs, Saturday, each 19c

Japanese folding Fans, 3c, 5c to 25c

6-inch white Taffeta Silk Ribbons, for sash or girdles, the yard 22c

One lot Ladies' Waists to close out, that are dust soiled, were $1.00 to $1.50, Saturday, each only 25c

LADIES' SKIRTS

How about values like these? Don't delay in coming to see them, for they will be rapid sellers.

Ladies' fine Brilliantine Skirts, with 4 rows of pleatings from knee down, strap and button trimmed, in blacks and blues, Saturday, each $2.25
Ladies' fine Melton mixture Skirt, in a pretty light gray, strap and button trimming, very dressy, Saturday, each ..$3.39
One lot assorted Skirts, values ranging $3.00 to $4.50, only broken in sizes, Saturday, each only $1.98

Ladies' near silk Black Petticoats, with wide pleated ruffle, Saturday, each 43c

SATURDAY

Muslin Underwear specials. All good Ladies White Muslin Skirts, with tucked flounce, Saturday, each 29c

Ladies' White Muslin Skirts with cambric ruffle and lace edge, 75c value, Saturday, each only 39c

50c Corset Covers, Saturday, each 25c

Ladies' Muslin Gowns, 75c value, Saturday, each 43

Children's White Cambric Drawers, neatly trimmed in embroidery, pair 10c

Our 39c Silk Sale Will Continue Through Saturday

Extra choice showing in Millinery department of new shapes in Milan, Leghorn and mixed straws.

One lot Hair Braid Turbans worth $1.75; Saturday, each .....98¢

Extensive line of Misses' and Children's Parasols in very choice varieties; each, 50c to $1.98

WARNER'S RUST-PROOF CORSETS

In batiste materials and all late models; each, $1.00 to $1.75
Warner's Tape Girdles with Hose Supporters; each 50c
Warner's Hose Supporters with waistband; each 25c
Our Ribbon Department Saturday specials always attract the buyers—
25c values, Saturday, yard 15c
50c values, Saturday, yard 25c

MILITARY DAY AT ARLINGTON

Sham Battle and Cadet Drill at Carlisle Academy

Arlington was alive and full of mystery and indecision yesterday over the sham battle fought between the Carlisle cadets and the Fort Worth Fencibles.

The occasion of the battle was the yearly commencement exercises of the Carlisle Military academy. Although it was only a sham battle and none was killed or injured, the roar and noise and shots of Krag-Jorgensens rattled and shook the town and its inhabitants, and stirred the blood of those who participated in it.

The scene of action was the campus of the academy, and was mainly in the open, but the Fencibles made their strong position one in the heavy fringe of timber just south of the campus.

The cadets divided in two squads, one taking the north end of the campus, being partially sheltered by the timber at that point, while the other squad took their position in the corner farthest from the first squad and nearest the Fencibles.

The fight began in earnest with the first shot fired by the Fencibles.

The cadets answered with a volley, and the squad of cadets from the north opened up and fired like one man on their opponents.

The engagement was then almost evenly balanced. The Fencibles suddenly deployed in a flank movement, and fell upon the cadets from rear and caused them to withdraw their attention from the main body, which came up rapidly, while another detachment flanked the other wing of the grounds, placing the cadets between their fires. No decision as to which party was victorious was given, the battle being one merely for practical instruction.

The inspection of cadets was in charge of Major C. O. Elliot, Phil Hunt, R. H. Beckham and Lieutenant Colonel George West. The gold medals offered for the best drilled cadet by Dr. Frank Boyd of Fort Worth were awarded. The medals were given as follows:

Captain F. M. Lewis, officers' medal; Sergeant Feagan, upper classmen's medal, and Cadet Charlie Watson the under classmen's medal.

TEXANS IN THE CITY

At the Delaware

Amarillo—A. G. Richardson and wife.

At the Worth

Waco—Roy Jones.
Dalhart—M. B. Slaughter.
Paris—Hal D. Caldwell.
Greenville—R. Biskaw
Sulphur Springs—C. L. Murrie.
Waxahachie—A. B. Small.

At the Metropolitan

Wichita Falls—C. A. Roberts.
Dallas—E. F. Flagg, W. T. Burnett.
Cleburne—Mrs. M. White.
Stephenville—John W. Gray.
Temple—H. C. Lovick.

SMALL POX IN COUNTY

Case Isolated and No Danger of Spread Anticipated

County Physician W. B. West was called to the home of a farmer near Keller Wednesday to examine a suspicious case of sickness, the sick man being the owner of the farm, a man named White. Dr. West pronounced the case smallpox and had the patient isolated and the premises quarantined. A dozen people exposed to the case were vaccinated. Mr. White is a Confederate veteran and a member of R. E. Lee camp. He attended the reunion at New Orleans, and the supposition is that he was exposed to smallpox while there.

MILL STARS WIN

Big Score in Close Amateur Baseball Game

The Medlin Mill Stars defeated the Third Warders by a score of 17 to 16 Thursday afternoon at Medlin Mill grounds. Batteries—Stars, Walton and Beppel; Third Ward, Pinto and Pollard.

The Stars have won five of six games played so far this season.

POSTAL CHANGES

The following new postoffices have been established in the Eleventh district of the railway mail service, whose headquarters are located at Fort Worth: Randolph, I. T., Weikwia, I. T., Columbus, La., Harmon, O. T., Keltner, O. T., Retrieve, Texas, Santa Cruz, Texas. The following postoffice have had their names changed, all of Texas: Willowhole to Zuich, Brewer to Teague, Nashland to China.

PEDESTRIAN GETS BULLET IN HA

Lead Comes Through Saloon Door in Main Street

During a fight in which Special Officer Price, also a mail carrier, attempted to arrest Fred Ramos, a Mexican waiter, at the Crystal Cafe, 1 South Main street, Thursday night, James Dennis, a cab driver, had a close call to death. Ramos became involved in a dispute with a customer regarding change. The officer drew his revolver and as he did so Ramos grabbed it. In the struggle which ensued the gun went off, the bullet going through the front door and passing through the hat of James Dennis, who was passing at the time.

Ramos was taken to the police headquarters by Officers Cone and Price and lodged in jail, a charge of assault being entered against him.

NEW TEXAS RAILWAY

North and South Texas Company Is Incorporated for $150,000

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—Articles of incorporation of the North and South Texas Railroad Company were filed today in the state department, the principal office to be at Groveton, Trinity county, and the capital stock $150,000. The purpose is the construction and operation of a line of railroad beginning near the town of Groveton and extending through the counties of Trinity and Angelina to a point near the town of Lufkin, in Angelina county.

The charter also provides for a line of railroad from near the town of Groveton and extending through the counties of Trinity, Walker, San Jacinto, Polk, Montgomery and Harris into the city of Houston, a distance of 150 miles.

The incorporators are W. F. N. Davis, Groveton; T. S. Foster, Houston; W. S. Gibbs, Huntsville; T. H. Ball, Houston; W. T. Joyce, Chicago; J. F. Keith, Kansas City, Mo.; A. C. Gray, Palmeto, Texas; E. J. Dupree, Groveton; J. P. Stevenson, Groveton, and E. J. Mantooth, Lufkin.

Dr. Charles A. Eastman, a full-blooded Sioux, has been commissioned by the United States government to rename each individual in the Sioux Nation and expects to complete the work in two years.

Ladies' Fine Black Cotton Hose, with white foot, 15c value, Saturday pair **10c**

Misses' White Ribbed Hose, extra length, sizes 5 to 9¼, 15c value, Saturday pair **9c**

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ROOF CORSETS all late models; **$1.75**

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CLOSING WEEK AT UNIVERSITY

Commencement Exercises of Business Department

FIELD DAY SATURDAY

Annual Sermon Address and Alumni Banquet, Together With Field Day Exercises Mark End of Term

Commencement exercises for 1906 of Fort Worth University open Friday night with the twenty-seventh annual closing exercises of the business department to be held in the college auditorium, Continental Bank building, at 8:30 o'clock.

Address of the evening will be delivered by Captain B. B. Paddock, and announcement of graduates by Professor F. P. Preuitt. Rev. T. H. Burges will deliver the opening prayer. A fine musical program will form a part of the exercises.

Members of the graduating class of the business department are:

Shorthand department—Miss Ruby Wright, Will Caughron, Miss Della Black, W. S. Vantis, Robert Seigel, Miss Velma Newsom, Oliver Daniel, Miss Nannie Adams, Miss Ellen Welin, Miss Mattie Beyer, Tom Hunt, Frank Fanning, John Fincher, Miss Mabel Clair, Miss Mary Lee Harlan, Miss George Prothro, Miss Ida Gwynn, W. C. Slaughter, Miss Mary Deming, Miss Beulah Finley Gorman, Mrs. Melia Merrell, Thomas Cecil, Miss Annie B. Lee, Henry Knight, N. V. McClintock, Miss Dora Helms, Miss Laura Letterman and Miss Emma Sturges.

Bookkeeping department — Robert Axell, C. C. Cook, John Fincher, W. C. Slaughter, R. J. Harris, Mr. Kellner, C. E. Baldwin, Earl Anderson, Mrs. D. Key, J. B. Andrews, F. C. Brower, Miss Ola Porterfield, John Ammons, Tom Hunt, Henry Kight, E. M. McBride, O. C. Humphrey, M. C. Crowell.

Other Departments

Closing exercises of Fort Worth Medical College have already been held.

Other commencement exercises are announced as follows:

Saturday, May 19, will be held the annual field day contests, in which there will be a number of track events and a baseball game.

Sunday, May 20, at 11 o'clock, there will be a special university sermon. The University Christian Association will have exercises at 8 o'clock Sunday night.

The department of music and physical culture will give a recital Monday night, May 21, at 8 o'clock.

Tuesday afternoon, May 22, at 3 o'clock, there will be a joint open session, with a literary program, and at 8 o'clock that night a banquet by the alumni.

Final exercises will be held Wednesday, May 23, at 8 o'clock at night, with the commencement address.

CLASS GRADUATED

Exercises Held at Mansfield Academy Friday Morning

Graduating exercises of the senior class of the Mansfield Academy at Mansfield were held Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the academy chapel. The annual address was delivered by Clarence Ousley. Following is a list of the graduates: William Harlan Bowman, Joe Guy Fowler, Fred Caldwell, Elem Russell Elliott, Robert E. Lee Ragland, Alfred Knox Jopling, Nettie Alice Hamil, Hattie Sergeant Wright, Tomazine Balch, John Thomas Huitt, Effie May Griffith, Charlotte Josephine Loyd and Alice Lee House.

DUAL MEET OFF

Polytechnic Cancels Contest with Cleburne Organizations

The dual field meet which was planned for Saturday at Cleburne, in which the Polytechnic team was to compete for honors against the combined strength of the high school and Y. M. C. A. of that city, has been called off, the faculty of Polytechnic taking such action because of the approach of the commencement exercises, which will take place the latter part of this month.

There will be no more athletic events until next fall, when football will again come to the front.

CITY LEAGUE GAMES

Contests at Haines Park and White City Sunday

The City League Sunday has two games, the Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph Company playing the Denver Road and the Fort Worth Machine and Foundry Company playing the Rosen Heights team.

The Telephone and Denvers have secured Haines ball park in the absence of the Panthers and play will be called at 3:30 o'clock.

At White City the Rosen Heights and Fort Worth Machine and Foundry Company will cross bats.

A feature of the City League is that women will be admitted to the gate and grandstand the season round free of charge.

HIVES

Ough! how they itch and sting—all you can do to keep from scratching. You are cross and irritable. Every member of the family suffers—baby most of all. You're miserable and you let every body know it. Mother same way, and baby too. You've tried all sorts of "sure reliefs"—no good. You're at your wits end—don't know what to do.

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GRAY GOLF CUP, PLAY SATURDAY

Members Contest at Local Club to Open

Official announcement has been made of rules, time of starting and other arrangements for the qualifying round at the Golf Club links to be held Saturday, May 19, winner to become owner of the James B. Gray cup.

All members of the Golf Club are considered eligible for entry in this qualifying round of eighteen holes, medal play. Handicaps will be governed as arranged by the club in the past.

Play will commence as soon as possible after 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. As soon as the rounds are finished the sixteen players making the lowest score will be matched for play, which must take place within three weeks following by each of the eight pairs. The eight winners will then be matched in four pairs and allowed three weeks. Two pairs will then play within three weeks, leaving one pair for finals in the contest.

Much interest has been taken in this event, as some close playing is certain. The Golf Club membership is about thirty-four.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK NEWS

Alfred Allen of Collin county was at the stock yards Thursday. He talked of matters and things relative to the good things in Collin county. "Every condition in our county is good," he said, "except that it has rained a little too much for the good of the small grain crops, which would be better if the sun would shine out for several days and give the soil a chance to dry out. All stock is doing well, and what grass there is, which is not much to speak of, could not be finer. Fine horses are the passion of some of our people and great care is taken to see that they do not suffer from anything that may produce ailments among them. We have in McKinney one of the very best horse sale stables that can be found in Texas, there being none better in Dallas or Fort Worth. I am a regular shipper to this market and think that it has been of infinite benefit to Texas, and as time passes will become more so every year.

AN OLD SHIPPER

A. N. Snapp has Been Going to Market 53 Years

A. N. Snapp, the Freestone county stockman, visited the stock yards this week with a car of good mixed stuff for the market. "I expect that I am as old a visitor to the stock markets of the country as any other man," said he. "The first time I went to Chicago with my father to visit the yards was when I was only 13 years of age, and I have kept it up ever since, and I am now 66 years old. I came to Texas from Illinois in 1879 and have been a citizen ever since. There is a big difference in the methods of handling stock now and when I first knew it. Then the butchers were the buyers and the system was not as perfect as it is now by a good deal. I live at Wortham and have several stock farms which I rent out now. Everybody is a stock farmer down our way and raise most every kind of stock. Horses, mules, cattle and hogs and some sheep are what we go in for. Hogs are easily raised and there is no end of feed, besides the usual kinds. Everybody plants truck such as peanuts, potatoes, peas and such like, and the hogs have a constant change of diet, which is good for them. Grass is just as fine as can be now. We had just as much rain as we would have asked for and no more and in consequence everything is in a most satisfactory condition indeed.

DRY IN MASON COUNTY

Ranchman from Llano District Reports Cattle Suffering

Frank Brandenberger, who ranches below the Llano river, near Hilda, in Mason county, eighteen miles below the town of Mason, visited the stock yards Wednesday with a car of fine fed steers. "This is my first visit," said he, "to this market, and I am well pleased with everything I have seen, both from a market point of view and from the looks of the city of Fort Worth. It is very dry in our section, we not having had any rain yet, and precious little during the winter months. Cattle are suffering, of course, and unless it rains shortly the crops will be a total failure. The wheat and oats are already a failure, and corn will not do much, as it is so late now. Cotton, of course, can be made good, even if planted in June, but as our people are all stock farmers, we do not rely upon cotton alone for our maintenance. A good deal of irrigation is being done and more ditches are under way. White & Littlefield have about two hundred and fifty acres in now and good crops are made on the land. It is not often that we are as dry as we now are, and as the country has been settled up by many more farmers than in the past, chances for grass are thereby lessened. Stock farming is the universal custom now, and unless feed is raised, trouble is mighty sure to come."

RANCHMEN HOLD ON

No Disposition to Dispose of Atascosa County Lands

R. J. Lauterdale, who is the manager for the Openheimers on their ranch in Atascosa county, was in with cattle for this market. "We are not suffering for anything down in our county at present, having had good rains, and in consequence the grass is the very finest and cattle are in good condition. We had only light rains during the winter, but this spring has restored the balance and entirely taken the dry feeling out of us. There is no disease of consequence among the cattle, and as the winter was not a hard one, they held their own, and the cows being in good condition, the calf crop will be a good one. In fact, we can speak with certainty relative to this, as the dropping season is well advanced with us and the average so far is good. The ranchmen do not seem to be in a hurry to sell their holdings, and as these properties have been in the hands of the present owners for many years, they will be loath to part with them. The range is as fine as I ever saw it and the returns will make the proprietors wish to hold on for a time anyway. We have to drive some distance to reach the railroad, which is the only disadvantage, but as this has been the custom always, it is not thought as much of as it would be with others who have had railroad facilities."

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DRY IN MISSOURI

Visiting Stockman Says Conditions Are Unusual

Colonel Lutz, the Missouri stockman, who pays an occasional visit to Texas, was a visitor to the live stock exchange this week. "I can't wait long this time," he said, "for I am on my way down to Beeville to receive a bunch of cattle that I bought down there on my last trip, which was during the Fat Stock Show. I have brought my boy along to initiate him into Texas ways. You think that I made a mistake in not buying some Texas lands? Well, you see, one cannot purchase every good thing in Texas at one buy, so I satisfied my longing by taking in some of the good cattle. Up in Carrol county, Missouri, where I live, it is very dry, so much so that many of my neighbors have not planted corn yet. This is an unusual thing with us and puzzles our people. Corn is the main crop for feed with us, and if there is a failure in the crop it hurts all of the stock farmers materially. I intend to unload my shipment of cattle on this market and not ship through to markets further north. You seem to have segregated the moisture of several states down here in Texas, and it can no longer be said that Texas is a dry state."

STOCK FARMING GAINING

Hogs, Horses, Mules and Sheep Raised in Collin County

F. C. Dowell, a young stockman, who was born in Collin county and still makes it his home, "because, you know, there is no better county in Texas than old Collin," said he, "and the best of it is around McKinney or I think so, at any rate," was at the stock yards Wednesday. "Since this market has been established we have all gone into stock farming, and devote attention to the breeding of good stock cattle, horses, mules, sheep and hogs. It goes without saying that the class of cattle, horses, mules and hogs are the best, but in sheep also the same is the case. There is a large number of these latter animals raised with us, but they are too high for much speculating in them. The market price here today is only $4.90, whereas we have to pay $4.50 to get them from the breeders, which is too small a margin for anyone to speculate on when he cannot be sure of the market. The favorite breeds of sheep that our farmers fancy are the Cotswold and the black-faced Southdown, for the reason, I presume, that they are a mutton sheep. Rain has fallen in abundance and it would be a great thing just at present if the sun would shine out continuously for two or three weeks. There will be a big increase in the number of hogs from our county this year, and as we have about the best hog breeder in the state to select our stock from, they will sure look well in the pens here.

AMUSEMENTS

Lake Como Attractions

The Arlington Heights Traction Traction Company is now running its cars on schedule time to Lake Como. Before the new line was built one of the most delightful spots in the whole state of Texas was comparatively isolated, accessable only to people who owned or hired their conveyances. Now anyone can for a five-cent fare ride in twenty-five minutes to a spot that by right of both natural and artistical advantages should become one of the most popular outing places in the vicinity of Fort Worth.

Lake Como is located near one end of a valley, and receives the full benefit of long sweeping breezes. Its waters are deep and stocked with game fish. Electric launches and row boats are in abundance. Shaded groves bound the lake on one side, affording an ideal place for picnics.

A two-story pavilion has just been completed. The upper floor is laid for skating and dancing purposes, and the lower story is equipped for refreshments. A band will give concerts every afternoon and evening. Bath houses have been erected on the banks of the lake and a shallow bay is roped in for the small boy and girl to paddle in. It is stated nothing that money can do will be neglected to meet with popular approval. With a good location, easy of access, cool and shady and a five-cent fare each way, Lake Como ought to add much to Fort Worth's reputation as a city of pleasure resorts.

The skating enthusiasts of the Panther City are to have a royal treat tonight at the Fort Worth skating rink. The second heat of the four-mile race, being contested for by Will Eaton of this city and Fred Dowd of Dallas, in three heats, for a purse of $500, will take place tonight.

Large crowds are expected and many Dallas admirers are already here, enthusiastic over the outcome of the race, which will necessarily be a fast and exciting one, between these two champions of the rink.

Every convenience has been provided for the spectators and a highly enjoyable time is looked forward to by all.

At White City

About three thousand visitors witnessed the thrilling balloon ascension of Mme. Thornsberry Thursday night at White City. It was one of the most interesting ascensions ever held in Fort Worth. Mme. Thornsberry started near the lake at 8:45 o'clock and rose about 1,200 feet, descending in about ten minutes a mile from the place she started.

Mme. Thornsberry has made ascensions only since last November and has already become known as one of the most successful aeronauts. She will make two more ascensions at White City Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock and at 4 o'clock.

Jap-a-Lac in cans, all colors, Third Floor.

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Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens, at $2.50 to $5.00

TOMORROW

Will be the Grandest *One-Day Sale* of the Entire Season--A Wonderful BARGAIN FEAST

On our business records the same day in 1905 that corresponds with May 19, 1906 (tomorrow) was an exception—the sales far surpassed the high water mark. We are determined to make Saturday equally as good in every respect, and a great deal better for you; hence we will inaugurate a one day sale that will astonish the buying public of Fort Worth. This season's best styles, the most merchandise at ridiculous prices. Only an inspection from you and we are sure of a sale. We cannot help passing last year's business mark if you read the list of bargains quoted below. Be here early and secure choice selections.

NECKWEAR—Ladies' Wash Linen Stocks, tailored styles, mostly pure white; some few with colored trimmings. This season's best ideas. Some are slightly soiled, but in perfect condition, otherwise 25c and 35c Collars; choice Saturday for **15c**

TURNOVERS—Choice of a big line of hemstitched and embroidered Turnovers, beautifully embroidered in dainty designs. They have met with great approval as a special at 10c. These are slightly soiled from handling; extra special, Saturday **5c**

WAIST PATTERNS—A Saturday extra special, choice of our entire line of embroidered Shirt Waist Patterns of fine India linon; the best $1.00 quality obtainable, for **48c**

BOYS' WASH SUITS—Tomorrow we will place on sale our entire line of Boys' Wash Blouses, handsomely made in the latest styles; prices up to $3.50; sizes 6, 7 and 8 years; choice for **98c**

LADIES VESTS—Ladies Lace Lisle Vests with silk tape neck and arm; a beautiful light weight garment for summer; our regular 50c kind; on sale as a grand special at **19c**

LADIES' VESTS—Ladies' bleached Vests with tape neck; a great value, at each, only **5c**

MEN'S TIES—Men's White Lawn Ties; were 15c dozen, slightly soiled; Saturday, per dozen... **5c**

MISSES' CAPS—Misses' May Beach Caps in white, blue and tan corduroy, 75c kind; tomorrow **25c**

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—Made of fine chambray in suspender styles with white blouse, were $1.25... **48c**

LADIES' WAISTS—Handsome Lingerie Shirt Waists, trimmed with fine laces and insertion; a wonderful Saturday special at the price **39c**

LADIES' GOWNS of good quality material, with embroidery insertion and small tucks; unmatchable 50c garment for..... **35c**

LADIES' GOWNS of soft nainsook, made Bishop style with hemstitch finish; our best $1.00 gowns, on sale Saturday at..... **69c**

LADIES' GOWNS—With four rows of embroidery insertion and hemstitching and baby tucks; excellent $1.00 garments for **69c**

MATTING SPECIAL—Fancy China Matting in good colors and patterns; our regular 15c grade; on sale Saturday only at, yard **10c**

SATURDAY---Ladies' $2.50 and $3.50 Hats, $1.49

Choice of a big line of our latest style Hats—all this season's best models in dark straws, trimmed with quills, maline, ribbon, etc., a choice collection of our best $2.50 and $3.50 Hats; on sale tomorrow at **$1.49**

Saturday Offerings in Women's Stylish Ready-to-Wear

Second Floor

In style, workmanship, quality and variety these garments were absolutely unsurpassable at their former prices. Tomorrow's prices make them the most wonderful values offered in Fort Worth for many months.

SKIRTS—A special Saturday sale of Sunburst Plaited Skirts in mohair and shepherd's checks; beautiful models; the season's best styles; regular $6.00 Skirts; special **$3.98**

SKIRTS—Sunburst Plaited Skirts of plaid silk with silk velvet ribbon trimming and foulard silk Sunburst Plaited Skirts that were originally $16.50 and $19.50; on sale at **$13.75**

SUITS—Fritzi Schiff Sunburst Plaited Suits of fine plaid silk, lace yoke, short sleeves, etc.; this season's very latest creations; $35.00 values; on sale Saturday, special at **$21.75**

SUITS—Fritzi Schiff Sunburst Plaited Suits of shepherd check lisse in black, nile, lavender and blue; made with lace yoke, short sleeves, etc.; the very latest novelty in suits; were $19.75; tomorrow **$13.75**

Washable BAGS The very latest in Novelty Bags is an article in pure white that can be washed as often as you wish; anything you might spill on it can be washed off. All the latest styles, with inside fittings, at $1.00, 75c, 50c and **25c**

TOBACCO PLUG SAVED RANGER

Editor Recalls Hairbreadth Escape in Early Days

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—There was much lawlessness in Texas during the civil war and the reconstruction period following. Major W. M. Spence, editor of the Austin Daily Tribune, was a member of one of the ranger companies in those days, and had many narrow escapes from death. The tightest place he was ever in was when he spent the night in the camp of the notorious Willis brothers, who were accused of many murders and other crimes. Five of them were afterward captured and were lynched in Austin.

"The only thing that saved me from being killed by the Willis brothers' gang was a plug of tobacco," Major Spence said the other day. "I was out on a scouting expedition and was alone.

"A cold norther, accompanied by a dismal rain, set in, and I soon became chilled through and through. I rode on until I saw a light shining through the trees. I approached the spot cautiously. When I got near I saw a small log cabin and adjoining it was an arbor built of limbs of trees.

"Under this arbor a fire was burning and seated close to the fire was an old man and woman. I rode up and made myself known to them. The old man asked me to dismount. I was glad to do so, and when they offered me a cup of coffee made out of parched corn meal you may be sure I felt grateful for the hospitality of the old couple.

"I drank three or four cups of coffee and then drew forth a big plug of tobacco and took a chew. The old man and the woman fastened their eyes upon that tobacco and asked me to give them some of it.

"I complied with their request and they filled their pipes with it and sat down by the fire and smoked. I never saw more contentment expressed upon the face of a human being than that shown by those two old people while they sat there smoking with the cold norther blowing around them.

"An hour or so after my arrival a big strapping young fellow entered the shack and I was introduced to him as the old couple's son. A little later on another young fellow came in, and I was told that he was also their son.

"By this time my suspicions were becoming aroused, but I did not say anything to indicate that I was alarmed. Both of the young men asked me for some tobacco. I gave them liberal chews and some in addition to smoke in their pipes, and they seemed to appreciate the favor very much.

"I had been sitting there talking to the old couple and these two men for an hour or two, when I heard the strains of a violin. I looked in the direction whence the sounds came and saw a light shining through the trees. The old man saw my glance and he said:

"'The other boys live over there; you'll have to sleep with them tonight.'

"When the time came to retire, I went over to the spot where the other light was shining. I found eleven men and two women in a little log cabin. Bunks were arranged around the room for their accommodation.

"I did not receive a very warm greeting from them, but when they found that I had a good supply of tobacco they warmed up to me considerably. The men sat around and chewed and smoked until nearly midnight. I was not molested and next morning I rode away from the camp of the outlaws unharmed.

"Not long after five of the Willis brothers shewed up at old man Loman's, on the Colorado river. They were captured at that place and brought to Austin. They were placed in the guard house here and I went around to have a look at them.

"They quickly recognized me and told me that they had intended killing me while I was at their camp in the cedar brakes, but that I treated them so well to tobacco that they decided to let me off. They had been out of tobacco for several weeks and their craving for the weed was almost unbearable, they said. I relieved their suffering in that particular, temporarily at least, and they showed their gratitude by sparing my life."

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MACKENZIE IN POLITICS

Well Known Cattleman Being Talked of For Governor

Special to The Telegram.

TRINIDAD, Col., May 18. — The Trinidad Advertiser declares that the republican state leaders are "weighing up" Murdo MacKenzie, president of the American National Live Stock Association and general manager of the Matador Land and Cattle Company, with a view to tendering him the nomination for governor next fall to succeed Jesse McDonald.

The Advertiser claims to have received its information direct and that it is almost a foregone conclusion that the tender will be made. It is understood that Mr. MacKenzie is not at all averse to ruling over the Centennial commonwealth for a term or two. If he is willing to make the race he is assured of a solid delegation from Las Animas county, and can count on many votes in the next state republican convention from southern Colorado.

WOULD CONTINUE SALE

Some Waco Districts Want Liquor Sold

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, May 18.—The ordinance cutting down the saloon district of Waco to a space but little larger than the business section is now in effect, but the ordinance, which simply put into effect a provision of the city charter, also provided that where a majority of residents in specified districts of the residence section were willing the sale of intoxicants in said districts, which are approximately 350 x800 feet long, might continue. Applications are being filed right along for permission to continue in business or to engage in business as the case may be, and citizens who favor or oppose the sale are working to have their views carried out. Just how the matter will eventuate remains to be seen, but it is generally believed that many portions of the residence district will still permit of the sale of intoxicants, while others will forbid.

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Lot No. 2—Choice of five styles, some with long sleeves, embroidery fronts, some short sleeves lace trimmed, every size; values up to $2.00; each only **$1.48**

Lot No. 3—The greatest bargains of all, bought at a greater price concession and so offered on account of not having all sizes in every style; plenty of $3 values; your choice **$1.95**

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White Linen Parasols, embroidered and plain; down to, each .....**85¢**

Ladies' White Duck Hats, down to, each .....**50¢**

White Canvas Oxford Ties, for ladies, at pair. $1.50 and .....**98¢**

White Canvas Oxford Ties for children, at $1.00 and .....**85¢**

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

De Circumlokushonary Dice

"Now, I'll tell yeh, Mistah Joges, doh Ah did promise to love, honah en obey yoh, dar am mitergating circumstanchez in such a case. Ef evan yoh come home again on a pay day en have nothin' but empty pockets, Mistah Jones, it will simply 'mount to de fact dat I'll be weahrin' mournin' for you."

Samuel Simpson Jackson Jones did not remonstrate. Experience had taught him better. As he left the house his feelings were bitter. He had meant to reform—to be good—and was going to buy Rachel a new hat, extra from her weekly stipend from his pay, but the crap game had gone against him, and Mose Washington had, as on previous occasions, raked him in to the last shekel.

Mr. Jones plodded wearily his way. So absorbed was he that old man Thompson had to call twice before he heard him.

"Mistah Jones," he said, "yoh looks very much wearified, en Ah knows why. Ah s'pose Rachel she done play de coal skuttle on you foh losin' yoh money to dat rapperscallion, Mose Washington. Now you come in heah an' Ah'll show yoh somethin' Ah's been workin' on."

Mr. Jones accompanied Mr. Thompson into the latter's domicile. There the two sat long together. From time to time interspersed in their conversation was a click-click sound as of boys dropping marbles on a pavement.

As Mr. Jones left, smiling, he asked: "What yoh call dem t'ings, Mistah Thompson?"

"Dose am circumlokushonary dice, invented by Mistah Eli Thompson foh de benefit ov Mistah Mose Washington."

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One night later there was the usual gathering in the Tar Baby tavern. Sounds of "Come seben," "Come 'leben," "Bix six," "Fevah in de south," sounded out from the crap table. Mr. Jones and Mr. Johnson were on hand. Mr. Jones finally got the dice. "Now, mah baby," he yelled, and tossed out eleven.

Mose Washington paid out the stake. Mr. Jones let it lay, and Mr. Thompson put the same amount alongside of it. Mr. Jones "passed" again, that is his number came out, and he won double stakes, as did Mr. Thompson. They won again and again, and Mose Washington saw his "bank roll" go glimmering.

In scarcely an hour the two triumphant winners departed, dividing their winnings as they went. At home Mr. Jones confronted the yet frowning Rachel. "Dah," he said, handing her a huge roll of bills, "am jes' seventeen times en one-half dat I ever lost to that Mose Washington. Now Ah gess yoh won't wear mournin' for me."

"Deed Ah won't, honey," said Rachel. "Yoh mus' be done tlahed wid yoh labor en yoh'd bettah go to bed."

"Dat's wah I'm gwine," said Mistah Jones, "en of course yoh know it's chicken, en ham, en sweet potaks, en hot biscuits ,termorrow. Ol' Mistah Thompson am coming ovah foh de feed."

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Rachel, with delighted eyes was counting her roll when a delicate tap sounded on the window. A minute later it was gently raised and the head of Mose Washington peered within.

"Ise all ready foh dat 'lopment, now, Rachel," he said.

"What 'lopement?" she asked indignantly.

"Didn't you say you'd 'lope with me?" asked Mose, pleadingly.

"Ah said Ah would if Samuel Simpson Jackson Jones wouldn't refohm; but yoh see, Mr. Washington, him am refohmed, en ef yoh doan git yoh black head out of dat window Ah'll slash yoh."

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Next day Samuel Simpson Jackson Jones, Rachel and old man Thompson enjoyed a sumptuous repast.

After dinner old man Thompson lay back in his easy chair and laughed.

"What yoh laughin' 'bout?" asked Sam.

"Ah sent those circumlokushonary dice to Mose Washington en tole him to have em anerlyzed."

KITCHEN HINTS

Just Maçaroni

Macaroni a la Creme—One pint of cream or rich milk, four tabespoons of flour, the rind and juice of one lemon. When the cream comes to a boil stir in the flour smoothly; let it boil for ten minutes. Then pour in some macaroni that has been boiled in water and drained. Pepper and salt. Bake it for one-half an hour or serve it stewed.

Macaroni and Cheese—Take as much macaroni as will fill an ordinary baking dish, boil it in water two hours, drain it off and add one pint of cream or milk, one tablespoon of butter, and one of grated cheese. Mix it well and put in a baking dish; cover with grated cheese and cracker dust; keep in the oven until browned on the top. it will take one-half an hour.

Macaroni Pudding—Take an ounce and a half of the best macaroni and simmer it in a pint of milk with a little cinnamon till tender; put it into a dish with milk, three eggs (but only one white), some sugar, and a little nutmeg.

Macaroni Soup—Take one quart of milk or of clear gravy soup and boil in it one pound of fresh macaroni until it is tender; take out half the macaroni and put it in a little milk or water to keep it nfoist, and let the remainder boil to pieces in the gravy, and then add what was taken out; let it come to a boil and take it off. Boil the macaroni in water for one hour before putting it in the gravy.

Macaroni With Salt Codfish—Break two ounces of macaroni in two inch lengths; throw them into boiling water and boil rapidly for thirty minutes; drain, blanch for fifteen minutes in cold water; then cut in pieces half an inch long. Wash half a pound of boneless salt cod, cut it in dice, cover with cold water. Bring just to boiling point, but do not allow it to boil; drain, cover again with boiling water, and let it stand for five minutes, then drain. Rub together one rounding tablespoonful of butter with one of flour; add half a pint of strained tomato, a tablespoonful grated onion, half a teaspoonful of salt, and a saltspoonful of white or black pepper. Stir until boiling. Add the macaroni and fish, stand over hot water for five minutes and serve in a heated dish.

Leghorn Macaroni—Put one pound of macaroni into two quarts of boiling water with a little salt; drain when sufficiently soft. The cook must use her own judgment as to the exact time required for boiling; twenty minutes, under ordinary circumstances, should be enough; but beware of getting your macaroni yet too "pappy," and don't break it into short pieces, as it would then be likely to stick together. Now place your macaroni in a stewpan and moisten with a few tablespoonfuls of Bachamel; season with white pepper and a point of nutmeg; take the stewpan off the fire and add to it three ounces of fresh butter, in little bits and four ounces of grated Parmesan cheese. A smaller amount of Parmesan will do if eked out by cheddar. When well thickened and creamy arrange your macaroni in layers in a deep dish; cover each layer with a puree of tomatoes, which puree is simply tomatoes stewed in beef or veal stock; but you may save yourself the trouble of additional cooking by beating some "made" tomato sauce.

NEW YORK FASHIONS

BY FANNIE FIELD.

A glance at spring millinery is sufficient to show that ribbon of varied widths has to a great extent displaced maline as an under-brim hat trimming. Maline ruches around crowns and gathered at the sides and back of Neapolitan hats are still used, but ribbon is newer and far more practical. Trimmings are now massed at the side instead of the back, to the discomfiture of the "high-back" hat, which was always a misplaced affair. The "mushroom" shape claims novelty, yet is closely akin to the Charlotte Corday. A handsome example has a narrow facing of the yellow silk at the edge of the wide brim, the inner part and sides of the crown of colored eyelet embroidery, the top of the crown being of shirred white mousseline. A white wing at the left side gave the requisite finish.

Every Known Flower

Velvet, moss and maidenhair fern, together with wings and quills, constitute the principal ornamentation for the spring hat, together with the unlimited use of ribbon, aigrettes, ostrich feathers and peacock eyes, dyed of all fashionable shades. Many flower hats are on view and circlets of roses on crowns or brims remain in favor.

Displays of Ribbon

are remarkable for their range of color, variety of design and softness of texture. A beautiful satin messaline ribbon is especially adapted to millinery purposes, and another for similar use is in a faille weave of chiffon weight with plain or hemstitched borders. Filmy, tinsel ribbons in plain gold or silver and in brocades or stripes are selling rapidly, while the heavier galoons are used for belts or hat bands, combined with silk ribbons.

Sashes in Regal Weaves and Patterns

Sashes are shown in regal weaves and exquisite colorings in great variety of style, from wide taffetas in white or dark grounds printed in lifelike reproductions of American Beauty roses, or the orchids that fashion especially favors to beautiful brocaded sashes of soft satins in white, with their patterns enriched by embroideries in gold or silver threads. Ombres in marvelously blended colorings show motifs of fleur-de-lis in opal tintings. The narrower and less expensive ribbons of American manufacture are in patterns of roses, poinsiettas, moss roses and buds, also violets or apple blossoms, many with narrow brocades from one-half inch to two and a half are extensively employed for dress trimmings in combination with braids or lace.

Regarding New Skirts

Lord & Taylor give authoritative information as to what is stylish.

They are still circular, but considerably narrower than those of last season and plaited only at back and front, which of necessity produces the panel effect at the front. This change, however, does not apply to skirts of very sheer fabrics. A soft yellow silk illustrates the panel front in very pretty fashion. Squares of yellow cluny lace (silk) are inserted in a row down the front, bordered at either side by eyelet embroidery ,and plaits on the outer side. Three silk folds, each headed by narrow cluny lace, trimmed the skirt at back and sides. The princess shape was maintained by small tucks with lace yoke above and frilled elbow sleeves.

Another Pretty Costume

is of sheer white wool, with checks outlined by a single blue silk thread (Alice blue) over which are scattered blue and white silk dots. The skirt has three blue silk folds, headed by delicate white silk braid. The Eton jacket is also of blue silk, trimmed with white silk braid, and a plain Brussels net waist beneath adds to the sweetness and simplicity of this charming toilette.

The General Appearance

of lingerie frocks is charming of eyelet embroidery in very open patterns or sheer muslin traversed in all directions by gossamer lace insertion and edging. They come in robe patterns, usually with a deep ruffle and embroidery, the upper part of the skirt having two or three wide rows of similar trimming and the material for the waist a separate affair. Scalloped edges, often finished by lace, give an added softness to the wide ruffle, and waists are either a small blouse or in princess style, according to individual taste.

Trimmings

are gorgeous or plain, as may be required, ranging from simple braid to exquisite appliques from an inch wide to that of twelve inches, in undulating or oftentimes scroll patterns, showing a blending of harmonious shades, glittering with gold and silver threads. Venice lace, baby crochet or Irish point are in high esteem and a garniture of such lace gives an air of elegance to a plain net or silk dress. Embroidery of all kinds is paramount ,not only the open work varieties, but raised embroidery on linen, Brussels net, lightweight wools or silk, and while on this subject, chiffon appliques in colors must not be overlooked.

FANNIE FIELD.

Merry Wives

The Merry Wives were delightfully entertained by Mrs. W. T. Humble Thursday afternoon, complimentary to Mrs. James C. Lackland of El Paso. Many vases of sweet peas and La France roses made the card suite most attractive. The score cards were cunning little Dutch figures, painted by Mrs. Humble's little daughter, Elizabeth. Mrs. James Collett, scoring the highest among the club members, won a handsome silver bread tray. Mrs. John Phelan, scoring second highest, was presented with two brass candle sticks. Mrs. William V. Newlin won the trophy given for the best score among the guests, six lovely Japanese tea cups, while the souvenir, a half dozen doilies, fell to Mrs. Winfield Scott. Each guest was consoled with a bouquet of sweet peas. Creme de menthe was served during the game, followed by a delicious collation.

Mrs. Humble's guests were: Mesdames Richard Van Zandt, Robert McNatt, C. G. Elliott, Julien Andrews, J. C. Lackland of El Paso, E. W. Schenecker, C. W. Connery, Bertram Rose, Frank Gale, Robert Harrison, Winfield Scott, William V. Newlin, John Phelan, James Collett, Berney Anderson, Ernest Stephens, Olive Edrington Scott, Morris Berney, James Gray, Sam Henderson, George Clayton, Will McLean, Emma Fakes, L. H. McKee, Massey, Jerry Ellis and Evans; Misses Nita Berton and Burnie Newlin.

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I. H. T. C.

Mrs. Martin Lavin entertained the I. H. F. C. Thursday afternoon, which was a thoroughly pleasant occasion for everybody.

Mrs. D. Howe, Mrs. Dehn, Miss Parish, Miss Agnes Dehn and Miss Katheryne Lavin assisted Mrs. Lavin in receiving and looking after the pleasure of each guest.

The score cards were dainty bits of color representing the "summer girl" and her admirers. Ice cream and the best of home-made cake were served at the close of the play.

The prizes were handsome and the winners were given a jolly bit of envy for their good luck. Mrs. Capera won a hand-painted puff box in a cut with Mrs. Stanbery, those of the guests making the high score. Mrs. Hinckly cut with Mrs. Byrne for the club prize, a half dozen cups and saucers of Haviland's most beautiful designs.

Scoring was done by Misses Gertrude Doherty and Agnes Dehn, and each was presented with a lace fan.

The club members present were Mesdames O'Neil, Nicoll, Ryan, Harroll, A. Rabyor, Byrnes, N. T. Hinckley, Kennedy and Katie Baker. The guests were Mesdames Hubbard of Dallas, Lovelass of Chicago, Conlisk, Stanbery, Liston, Capera, Davidson, H. V. Jewell, Clark, McGee of Mexico, Holoran, Ault, F. Rabyor, O'Connor, E. Carr, C. D. Brown, Hatcher, Quinn and Murrin and Misses Nellie Liston, Ethel White, Pollard, Creagan, Dehn, Doherty and Anna Dehn.

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"Sunbeams Will Shine"

The Sunbeam Society of the First Presbyterian church will entertain with an excellent program in the church parlors Saturday afternoon, the program beginning at 3:30. Refreshments will be served and a pleasant hour provided. All friends are cordially invited.

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"As You Like It"

The "As You Like It" Whist did not meet this week. Mrs. Leversedge will be the hostess next Thursday.

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Entre Nous Dance

The Entre Nous Club will give a dance at Handley tonight.

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Wags

Miss Bess Rintleman entertains the Wags this afternoon.

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Luncheon

Mrs. H. T. Edgar entertains a few friends for luncheon today in hoonr of Mrs. James C. Lackland of El Paso.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Connell are visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. T. Pedigo and little daughter are visiting Mrs. Lyles.

Mrs. R. H. Brown left Thursday for a visit in Calvert.

Mrs. Jacob Washer has gone to San Antonio to remain indefinitely.

Wm. Paddock left today for a short trip to Amarillo.

Mrs. Thompson of Philadelphia is the guest of Mrs. A. B. Wharton.

Mrs. Winfield Scott has returned from Weatherford.

Mrs. Burk Burnett has returned from Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McKee are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McKee.

James B. Gray will leave tomorrow night for his ranch.

Mrs. Ethel Weiss has returned from Weatherford.

Mrs. H. W. Williams has returned from Weatherford.

Mrs. Nellie Hubbard of Dallas, who is visiting Mrs. Lavin, returns home Saturday.

Miss Ruby Long left Thursday morning for Cleburne after a short visit here with Mrs. T. J. Penniston.

Mrs. M. J. Mayer of New York is spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Leon Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Berney will leave the last of the month for New York.

Mrs. Robert Buchanan has returned from several days' visit in Weatherford.

E. E. Fosdick left Thursday for Galveston to remain there until next Monday.

Mrs. Thomas West is entertaining her niece, Mrs. Wm. R. Smith of Dallas.

Mrs. Lee Young of Stephenville is in the city attending her mother, Mrs. Crow, who is under medical treatment.

T. J. Shannon, Miss Meta Shannon and Morris Shannon of Morgan City, La., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Evans.

Mrs. R. M. Speer left for her home in Cleburne Thursday morning, after a visit heer with Mrs. T. J. Penniston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Burgher and Miss Latrice Beck will leave Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Burgher Sr. at Honey Grove.

Miss Mary Swayne and Aileen Humphreys will leave Monday for Dallas to remain during the Elks' carnival. They will be the guests of Mrs. Watson.

Miss Madeline McCart, sponsor for the Elks at the coming state convention in Dallas, has named as maids Misses Georgia Diehl, Florence Goetz, Kate Stripling and Allie West.

FUNERAL FRIDAY

Captain John H. King Buried at Pilot Point, Texas

Special to The Telegram.

PILOT POINT, Texas, May 18.—The funeral of Captain John H. King news of whose death was published yesterday, will take place at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence by Rev. T. J. Beckham, pastor of the Methodist church, and interment will follow in the city cemetery.

Sketch of Captain King

John H. King was born in Whitfield county, Georgia, Jan. 1, 1837, and was married to Miss Emma Denton July 18, 1861. She survives him.

He had the honor of being a member of the convention which framed the new constitution for the state of Georgia.

During the war he served as captain of a Georgia company with credit and honor, and at the time of his death was a member of Winnie Davis camp No. 497, U. C. V., Pilot Point.

Captain King moved with his family in 1874 to Dallas county, where he lived for several years, moving to Parvin, this county, where he farmed until fourteen years ago, when he moved to Pilot Point in order to educate his children. He was the father of eleven children, five of whom are still living: Professor J. H. King, Raleigh, N. C.; A. C. King of McKinney, Texas; G. Q. King of Crockett, Texas; Miss Daisy King of this city and Otis King of Denton, all of whom are here except Professor King of Raleigh.

AGAINST PROPOSITION

Railway Commission Said to Regard Compromise Dubiously

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—The railroad commission yesterday afternoon reached decisions on two of the propositions considered at Tuesday's hearing. The most important proposition considered by the railroad commission, which was the proposition submitted by the railroads regarding the honoring of first-class tickets by the railroads, was not decided yesterday, but it is said that the commission is disposed to reject the proposed order submitted by the railroads as a basis of adjustment of the matter, which has heretofore been printed in these columns. In fact, Commissioner Colquitt has already expressed himself as being opposed to the proposition submitted by the railroads.

The Hebrew Standard publishes a list of no fewer than nine United States Jewish chaplains who are employed in Greater New York.

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GIRL ENDS TRIP AT STATION HE

Returns to Dallas on Per... sion of Friends

While on her way from the ... she had been making her home ... Dallas, Miss May Willis, an 18-... old girl, was found Thursday night ... board a northbound Katy ... train at the Texas and Pacific ... passenger station by Detective ... of the police department. The ... does not deny she was leaving ... home, declaring she was on her ... to Joplin, Mo., where her father ... sides.

It is asserted that she was aided ... her flight by a young man and that ... accompanied her to Fort Worth. ... met by Detective Allen she was ... companied by a young man ... name is given as Kerr.

Miss Willis was taken to the ... lice headquarters and Mrs. Wrig... Dallas, with whom she was ... notified. Friends were sent to this ... for the purpose of returning ... to Dallas. When they arrived, ... first objected strongly to going ... with them. After much persua... however, the girl decided to ... off her trip north and the return ... Dallas was made at a late hour ... night.

PARTY AT GEORGETO...

Waco Business Men in Special ... Touring State

Special to The Telegram.

GEORGETOWN, Texas, May 18.—The Waco Business Men's excursion arrived here last night and were met at the train by a special committee appointed at a meeting of our business men.

A meeting was held in the district court room and a number of speeches were made. The business men of Waco are making a tour of this section.

LIFE SENTENCE GIVEN

Negro at Muskogee, I. T., Charged With Attacking Girl

Special to The Telegram.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., May 18.—The case of Sam Morrow, a negro, charged with attacking a negro girl ... Muskogee last July, went to the jury this afternoon, and was found guilty as charged.

Morrow was first arrested and tried for the murder of the girl, who died shortly after the outrage, and was acquitted. He was rearrested, on a later charge, and was convicted and sentenced without capital punishment.

LIVERY STABLE BURNS

Loss $2,000 at Italy, Texas—Horses Are Saved

Special to The Telegram.

ITALY, Texas, May 18.—This morning about 5 o'clock the large livery stable belonging to R. L. Eddleman here, burned, together with all the feed, harness and four buggies.

The estimated loss is $2,000; insurance, $1,500. Origin of the fire unknown. All the horses were saved.

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Women's plain black gauze Lisle Hose, high spliced heel, double sole, fast black; special, pair, 35c; 3 pairs $1.00
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AT GRAPEVINE COLLEGE

Closing Exercises Open Friday Night with Entertainment

Closing exercises of Grapevine College for the 1906 term begin Friday night with an entertainment by the pupils in the lower grades. Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered Sunday by Rev. J. D. Harling and the annual concert and graduation of the English class will follow Monday and Tuesday nights.

Graduation program is: "Opportunities," Lucile Bludworth, salutatorian; "Women in Public Life," Cora Fannie Anders; "School Life a Stepping Stone," Mabel Elizabeth Smith; "Why This Commencement?" Bertie Lee Saunders; "A Scholar's Hope," Clara Emma Nicks; "If We Could See Ourselves As Others See Us," Katie Wilona Hardin; "Our Enemies," Willie Edward Keeling, valedictorian.

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CLUB CALLS FOR STREET FIXING

Enthusiastic Meeting Held in Third Ward

Improvement of strets and sidewalks in general and especially those of the Third ward was discussed at the meeting of the Third Ward Democratic club Thursday night in East Seventeenth street.

It was admitted by all this would help more than any other thing the rapid growth of the city.

Alderman Cook spoke enthusiastically on improving the streets and sidewalks and of opening storm sewers and asked the members to call his attention to all streets that needed immediate attention and he'll take these matters up at the council.

The corners at Front and Boaz and Pine and Cook streets were mentioned as being in a bad condition and the alderman asked to co-operate with the committee appointed to look after the improvement of these corners.

Judge W. R. Parker being called upon congratulated the members on their harmony and unity in taking up all public questions and at length discussed different propositions for public welfare, endorsing the club's action in regard to improving the streets and declared he hoped that the club will soon have its own building to meet in and entertain their friends.

John McClaine expressed his views concerning the market house proposition and after a thorough discussion the members asked for Alderman Cook's views on this subject. He stated that he was emphatically opposed to it, as it would bring on the city a large expense and will, in his opinion, be of no benefit.

A resolution was then offered and passed that this club endorses the mayor's veto of the market house proposition.

The ball committee, of which J. Z. Hendricks is chairman, then reported that arrangements for their ball on May 25 are nearing completion and that an immense success is expected. All members promised to do their best in making it also a financial success. The club adjourned to meet again next week at Z. A. Meislohn's, Eleventh and Harding streets.

NORTH FT WORTH AND ROSEN HEIGHTS.

The North Fort Worth school board met in regular session Thursday night. The chief business was the election of instructors for next year. This election resulted as follows:

M. H. Moore, superintendent; A. B. Fincher, principal; J. F. Wharton, first assistant; H. C. Saunders, second assistant. As teachers, Misses Maizie Erskine, Florence McFadden, Lucy Boyd, Julia Christian, Sadie Moore, Nannye Ozee, Mary Rogan, Maggie Moore and Mrs. Eva Williams were selected. Miss Ray McCoy, who was succeeded by H. C. Saunders as second assistant to the principal, was not an applicant for re-election on account of her poor health.

The election of officers of the school board resulted as follows: T. B. Littlepage, president; F. P. Hopkins, treasurer, and J. A. Dryden, secretary.

Members of the board who were recently elected, T. B. Littlepage, J. W. Strain and J. B. Collier, were sworn into office.

Entertainment Postponed

The entertainment announced to take place at North Fort Worth school house auditorium on Friday, May 18, has been postponed to Wednesday, May 23, in order to suit convenience of the speakers. On this occasion the Texas state prize banner will be officially presented to North Fort Worth Camp No. 11918, with impressive ceremonies. There will be able speakers from a distance. The meeting will be open.

Notes and Personals

The meeting in progress at the Methodist Episcopal church, South, at Rosen Heights, is increasing in numbers and interest. The pastor will be assisted by his brother, Rev. John M. Neal of Bozeman, Mont., who is expected to arrive Friday. Services begin promptly at 8 o'clock each evening. The Sunday school, which is growing rapidly, is expected to swell to the number of 150 in attendance Sunday at 10 oclock.

Arrangements have been made with by the city of North Fort Worth and Tarrant county will share jointly the cost of an iron bridge across Marine creek at Twenty-third and Main streets. Work will necessarily begin at once, the old bridge being down as a result of Tuesday's storm.

Mrs. L. G. Hawkins and Mrs. Bismarck Houssells of Vernon stopped over on their way to Mineral Wells and spent Wednesday night with Mrs. John H. Houssells of North Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wagley of Weaver, Texas, are visiting at the home of Judge Smith, 204 Central avenue, North Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jodie Sinclair of Amarillo is visiting her mother, Mrs. Echols of North Fort Worth.

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SUDDEN DEATHS TAKE CITIZENS

Prominent Men of City Stricken Without Warning

Six people have died recently from heart trouble in Fort Worth, death coming without warning, during the last two months. While some of those who have died from alleged heart disease or heart trouble, were aged people, having passed the three score post, all were not old people. The five latest deaths of this character are:

James T. Townsend, aged 62; W. D. Yancy, aged 32 years; B. D. Damon, aged 69 years; F. E. Albright, aged 61 years, and Ben Hackett, aged 60 years.

The five named above have died within the past weeks. Death of Jacob Washer was also due to heart trouble, though not coming suddenly as the others.

MAYOR REMAINS SILENT

Refuses to Confirm Report of Committee Resignation

Mayor Harris Thursday declined to confirm the published reports that Alderman Lehane had declined appointment as chairman of the finance committee.

"There have been no changes in the committees and the appointment as chairman of the finance committee has not been tendered to any other councilman," said the mayor.

It is reported that Alderman Lehane has twice declined the offer of Mayor Harris.

New Texas Charters

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—Charters filed:

Stern Lumber Company, Stern Station; principal office, Nacogdoches; capital, $4,000.

Thompson Oil Company, Thompson, Fort Bend county; capital, $20,000.

The Cleburne Athletic Association, Cleburne; capital, $2,500.

Haskell Light, Ice and Water Company, Haskell; capital, $20,000.

Vim-O Company, Eagle Lake, Colorado county; capital, $5,000.

HARDWARE MEN HEAR ADDRESS

G. Q. McGown Talks on Credits and Information Bureau

TO STRENGTHEN TRADE

Co-operation Among Dealers Urged. Bulk Sales Law in Texas Is Advocated

An address by George Q. McGown of this city was the principal feature of the morning session of the Texas Hardware Jobbers' association.

The National Credit association and particularly the Dallas and Fort Worth adjustment bureau, were discussed fully.

Mr. McGown said in part:

"The Fort Worth Association of Credit Men and the Dallas Association of Credit Men are each separate organizations, eath being a branch of and affiliated with the National Association of Credit Men. There are fifty-two branches or local organizations in various cities from Maine to California, from the Great Lakes to the gulf and comprising the national association, with a total membership of about 8,000 members. At the present time the Dallas association has about seventy-five members; the Fort Worth association about fifty-five members. The objects of this association are for protection and educational purposes; to promote and combine the intelligence and influence of members for protection against imposition, injustice and fraud; to agitate and effect changes in the collection laws of various states to the end of uniformity of statutes and protection of creditors against abuses now prevalent; to bring about mutual improvement, greater similarity and certainty in business customs and usages of trade and to establish closer ties of business association to the end that the welfare of all may be more highly conserved.

Plan of Operation

"To better facilitate the work of the association, committees are selected who have direct charge of certain work of the association; a membership committee, committee on commercial agencies, legislative committee, adjustment bureau committee, etc. The commercial agency committee of the national association has been prosecuting for several years a checking system with commercial agencies with a view of correcting the weakness of reports received from these agencies and which has resulted in increased diligence on the part of the commercial agencies to furnish its subscribers up-to-date, late signed statements of customers inquired about. The legislative committee is working arduously spending time and money to defeat the efforts of certain politicians who are seeking to have our present bankrupt law repealed. The national association is working through its members and directly with the members in congress who have this in charge that the law be not repealed, but to have certain amendments enacted that will make it more perfect and benficial to the commercial world in every respect.

Bulk Sales Law

"The bulk sales law has received its consideration until the present time. Twenty-two states have enacted a bulk sales law providing that a merchant cannot sell his stock of merchandise without giving due notice to his creditors. We hope to have such a law on the statute books of the state of Texas within the next twelve months. Other laws affecting the collection departments of the commercial interests of the country have received the attention of this legislative committee and are being speedily corrected.

Adjustment Bureau

"The adjustment bureau feature of the association is one that has attracted much attention and consideration by the several branches of the national association. At this time the adjustment bureaus have been established and in successful operation in seventeen leading cities.

For this purpose the Dallas and Fort Worth associations have united and organized one adjustment bureau, having for their mutual purpose and interest by means of conservative action to avert failures or legal proceedings whenever possible; to prevent waste of assets and unnecessary failure and in case of bankruptcy, to secure the disposition and management of estates in the interest of creditors; to prevent unnecessary expense to the state; to prevent the allowance of fictitious claims; to prevent the compromise or composition for inadequate sums by securing proper investigation; to reduce the expense to creditors; to prevent various other expenses such as sacrifice of assets, delay in adjustment and discharge from debts, which could be prevented if properly contested.

"For every business there is some one who looks after collections and since there are exceedingly few collection departments, if any, who may with pride claim 'no loss' in the annual statement, it has been neecssary to provide ways and means for the furtherance of fair and equitable adjustments.

"The adjustment bureau acts as a unit for all creditors in the proper distribution of impaired or insolvent estates and sees to it that no unfair creditor is allowed to cut a full dress pattern from the velvet to which each creditor may have a pro rata lein.

Acts for All

"Do not understand the adjustment bureau to be a private corporation for the exclusive use of its stockholders. It seeks first to ascertain the debtors' true condition and if that is unduly impaired to make an equitable adjustment without reducing to litigation or bankruptcy, in which event adjudication is necessary, the bureau acts jointly for all creditors and spares no means together into the estate of all its appurtenances; it makes rigid investigation and laying bare all facts relative to or in any way affecting the financial deceased.

Local Organization

"The adjustment bureau of the Fort Worth and Dallas association was organized on a small scale commencing July 1, 1905. During the ten months of its existence we have had referred to it about fifty-one insolvent estates with liabilities aggregating more than $200,000. Our experience with these has been varied, depending largely upon the control of the estate by this bureau. In two of the estates referred to us we have been able to report an adjustment of 100 cents on the dollar, in a very large number of the estates we have been able to increase largely the amount of assets and the value of each claim against the estate."

Mr. McGown then quoted a list of frauds uncovered, assets revealed and prosecutions made to the advantage of creditors. In concluding discussion of this branch of the work he said:

"We would suggest that the association of credit men in south Texas organize such a bureau to work in conjunction with the north Texas bureau and which will practically cover the entire state.

Information Bureau

"As an auxiliary to the adjustment bureau the associations of Fort Worth and Dallas have been conducting an information bureau organized July 1, 1905. The principle on which this bureau is founded is that of a mutual interchange of ledger information between the members of the bureau. The purpose is to find out how your customer is paying the other fellow, that the time to collect a bad debt as a rule is before you make it; bad debts have broken more firms than bad business. Getting one's money is essential to the doing of a profitable business. I do not believe it pays to continue to do business with a man who will not pay with reasonable promptness and who refuses to buy of you if he cannot have the thirty day 5 per cent discount when he does not pay for ninety days. If there is any loss in sticking to principle it is a temporary loss and much more apparent than real loss. There is a fundamental principle in everything, even in dishonest business, and the maintenance of that principle pays while the doing away with that principle in the end means loss if not a greater disaster. There is more honor among men and especially among business men who bind themselves together for business principles than most of us believe. A business man of success, whether he be honest or dishonest, sticks to the principle of doing business and to the principles of credit if those principles are made to be a part of broad business policy.

"Information bureaus for the exchange of credit information have been successfully established and in successful operation under the auspices of the Credit Men's association in nineteen cities. We believe that a mutual interchange of ledger information among the jobbers of any country has a tendency to bring the jobbers in closer touch with each other, to drive away and dispose of that feeling of antagonism that very often exists in an imaginary compromise. During the ten months of the existence of this bureau it has furnished 10,530 written reports to its members at an expense of approximately $1,500 or a fraction less than 15c per report. This expense could be minimized and reduced one-half in the future, deepnding largely on the number of members interested.

Reports Reliable

"It was suggested by some that the members of the information bureau would not make correct ledger reports on their customers, that the reports reecived would be unreliable. It has been our observation that as a rule this is not true; we have had very few complaints from this source and strange to say, in most cases after a thorough investigation we have found the complainant the guilty party. These matters will right themselves and our conclusion is that the reports received through this information bureau are reliable or of a nature that afford you a good conclusion as to the desirability of your customer as a credit risk.

"It has been suggested that by uniting the associations of Houston, San Antonio and intermediate points in one information bureau that this would materially reduce the cost pro rata to the members and afford a source of information to the jobbers of Texas that would be of great value to them."

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Let one meal in the day consist of an abundance of good meat, potato, and one other vegetable.

This method will quickly prove the value of the selection of the right kind of food to rebuild the body and replace the lost tissue which is destroyed every day and must be made up, or disease of some sort enters in. This is an age of specialists, and the above suggestions are given by a specialist in food values, dietetics and hygiene.

THE LID OFF AGAIN?

Pointed Conversation Overheard in an Uptown Saloon

Notwithstanding the claim is frequently made that the lid is on and fastened down tight in Fort Worth, it has recently become quietly spread about that a man, if he is known to be "all right," can enjoy his penchant for gambling to his heart's content.

Where the tiger is making his lair is another matter. To some people it is an open secret that if a sport wants a quiet game of draw or faro he can get it. The following conversation was overheard Thursday in an uptown saloon, between two men known to have sporting proclivities:

"I opened the pot for $10 and drew to three fours. Two others staid in, each drawing one card. I knew I was up against it, but wouldn't throw down and lost $15 more in the pot, which was worth $75."

"I got off better than you," said the other. "I dropped $10 at the crap game I went against and quit."

"Where did you play?"

"Down town."

The foregoing is simply a sample of what can be heard almost any day if one will keep his ears open. Besides it is to be observed that several sporting men who left Fort Worth when the allegation was made that the lid was on and would be kept on, are back in the city.

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PEACHES DROPPING

Cold Weather Blamed For Loss In Central Texas

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, May 18.—A curious thing is happening to the peaches in many orchards, and something which was entirely unanticipated by most people. The peaches are dropping off by hundreds, and it begins to look as though the per cent of fruit left would be cut down materially from estimates made two weeks after the cold spell which killed much fruit at the time. Speaking of the causes leading to the dropping off of this fruit, Colonel C. Faulkner, the well known fruit man, said:

"I am not surprised at all, and in fact I predicted at the time of the cold spell that the full effects would not be known for a good while, and that estimates of probable production would be cut down. The damage was no doubt caused by the cold spell, and though the peaches were not killed they were nipped and injured so that they held on for a while and seemed to be growing off, but all the time the battle for life was going on, just like with a wounded man, and the peaches are finally succumbing. Of course, however, many will ripen all right."

While the crop was cut by the cold, and many are dropping off now, yet it is believed that there will still be a very fair crop, and that they will be fine.

"LIES MODIFIED"

Senator Bailey Renews Senate Worry and Flurry

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 17.—Senator Bailey in the senate today revived the scene of yesterday by having read a letter he had written to ex-Senator Chandler, asking him for anything that he had written the President concerning himself and replies from Chandler, including a copy of Chandler's diary, giving the history of his movement on the day when certain memorandum was sent to the President. Senator Bailey quoted from the New York Tribune and charged that paper in its Washington correspondence with "modifying its lies."

FOR FULL TICKET

Dallas County Prohibitionists to Get Busy in Politics

Special to The Telegram.

DALLAS, Texas, May 18.—"Decisive" is the proper definition for the announcement made here yesterday by local prohibition leaders, including Connibear, Everts, Cranfil, Paige and twenty others, in the call for a prohibition meeting to be held here May 26, "for purely political purposes," at which time arrangements will be made looking to the nomination of a full county and legislative ticket to be placed in the field for the November election. Nominations will be made either at a primary election to be held July 28, the same date as the democratic primary, or by mass convention Aug. 4, the attorney general of the state having been communicated with in the premises and stating that either method will be in conformity with the law in the case.

TO DEDICATE CHURCH

Waco Methodist House of Worship Initial Services June 17

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, May 18.—The Austin Avenue Methodist church, one of the handsomest edifices in Texas, will be dedicated June 17, and one of the bishops will probably deliver the sermon, though it has not yet been determined which one will be here. The church was built during the pastorate and largely through the efforts of Rev. John R. Nelson, now commissioner of education for the Methodist, with headquarters in Dallas. It cost $35,000.

REVIVAL AT HILLSBORO

Rev. Hubert D. Knickerbocker of Dallas Conducting Services

Special to The Telegram.

HILLSBORO, Texas, May 18.—The revival meeting at the Methodist church in this city now being conducted by Rev. Hubert D. Knickerbocker of Dallas is still drawing large crowds daily, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. A number have already been converted and this promises to be one of the most successful revivals ever held in Hillsboro.

HAPPY DENTON COUPLE MARRIED SIXTY-FIVE YEARS

Special to The Telegram.

DENTON, Texas, May 18.—Hale and hearty, despite their advanced years having been married more than sixty-four years; honored and beloved residents of this city for more than twenty-six years; the life experiences of Colonel and Mrs. A. Griffith have been of more than ordinary interest.

Born in the good old state of Georgia, Colonel and Mrs. Griffith moved to Alabama in 1859, living there until 1867, when they returned to their native state there to reside until 1873, when they decided to cast their lot in with that of the people of the Lone Star state and moved to Dallas, Texas. After five years in Dallas, they came to Denton and have resided in this place ever since. They were married March 21, 1842.

During the month of September, 1861, Colonel Griffith raised a company of eighty-six men in Barbour county, Alabama, which was mustered into the Confederate service Oct. 9, 1861, at Savannah, Ga. He then went to work and increased his company to 132 men. With the help of his stepfather and his brother, Colonel Griffith gave each man of his company one gray jeans coat, two pairs of trousers, two hickory shirts and two pairs of socks.

Illness Blocked Plans

In May 1862, Colonel Griffith was stricken with typhoid fever and returned home and lay for weeks before he was able to attend to any business. While he was sick the men who had charge of his farm had been conscripted into the service, which left his family at the mercy of the negroes and he did not return to the army, but stayed at home and attended to his interests. With the exception of four months spent in the state troops, he was home during the rest of the war, having left the state service at the order of Governor Moore, who told him to go home and look after the indigent families of the soldiers. Mr. Griffith said regarding this: "My crib and my smoke house were always open to them and my wife says she has seen as many as eight women at one time waiting for their turn to receive supplies. I gave the Confederate government 109 bales of cotton in 1864. Gave Barbour county $5,000 and sent 5,000 pounds of bacon to Probate Judge Williams to be distributed among the families of the soldiers. I gave one company from my neighborhood $150 and came and that was the last seen of the men.

"On my mother's side my grandfather had three brothers in the revolutionary war.

Speaking of his political history, Colonel Griffith said:

"At the presidential election in Oglethrope county at the precinct where I voted there were forty-two votes polled; forty-one for Clay and one for Polk, I being the only democrat. The voting place was about 400 yards from my house. There were in the county 650 whigs and 225 democrats and we kept up the organization, and in 1855 I was nominated for the legislature on the democratic ticket and the other party laughed at me, saying they liked me, but they could not vote for me. In the October election I was elected by 167 votes, carrying or getting every vote cast at my home precinct, that the eleven years before were against me. In 1857 I was a candidate again and was elected. I was the first democrat elected in Oglethorpe county in thirty-two years."

Colonel and Mrs. Griffith are the parents of four children, three of whom are still living, as follows: Mrs. Dawson, formerly of this city, but now of Paris; Mrs. T. W. Johnson of Norman, Okla., and W. N. Griffith of Waco. The oldest son, Crawford Griffith, enlisted in the Confederate service in 1861 and served throughout the war. He was wounded in the fighting around Athuata. This son died in 1867. The rest of the children are all living.

COLONEL AND MRS. A. GRIFFITH.

DELINQUENTS NOTIFIED

Companies Must Pay Franchise Tax by July 1

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—The secretary of state today began sending out notices to all corporations, domestic and foreign, which have failed to pay their franchise taxes due May 1. He advises them that, unless the tax with penalty is paid on or before July 1, their right to do business in Texas will be forfeited. There are 161 foreign and about 2,000 domestic corporations that are delinquent.

C. E. CONVENTION PLANNED

Will Be Held in Houston from June 5 to 7

Special to The Telegram.

HOUSTON, Texas, May 18.—The State Christian Endeavor convention is to be held in Houston this year, June 5 to 7. This convention will have a strong program; strong speakers and workers will be here. It will be a large convention in every way. Word comes from various parts of Texas showing that the attendance will break the record of recent years.

The aim is that every church and every society in Texas be here represented. The railroads have granted a rate of one and one-fifth fare for the round trip. The day after the convention a special train to Galveston has been arranged for and a rate of $1 per ticket for round trip, the train returning so the delegates can leave Houston that night for home.

TEACHERS ELECT

Next School Term at Waxahachie Opens Sept. 17

Special to The Telegram.

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, May 18.—The board of trustees of the city public schools held a meeting yesterday and elected teachers for next year.

G. B. Winn is the high school principal.

At the Oak Lawn school, colored, Professor Burnett will be principal.

Monday, Sept. 17, was fixed by the board as the date for the next term to begin.

The board adopted a resolution requiring all teachers to submit to a medical examination before beginning their duties in the school room. Any teacher suffering from tuberculosis or from some infectious disease will not be employed.

RECEIVES HEIRLOOM

Hillsboro Woman Has Map of England Done in Embroidery

Special to The Telegram.

HILLSBORO, Texas, May 18.—Among several interesting heirlooms received by express, Mrs. F. W. Simmons, a resident here, regards as of especial value a map of England done in embroidery by her grandmother.

Besides being an exquisite piece of needlework, the age of the spread is more than 100 years and was made on the old family homestead in England.

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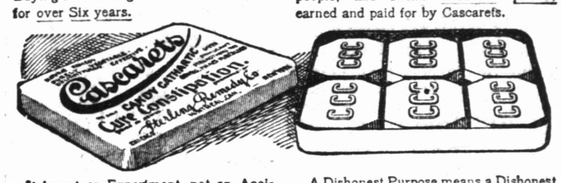

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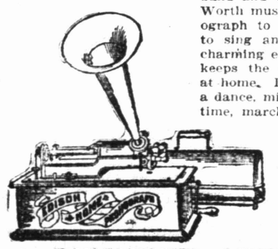

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TULSA WANTS MEETING

Newspaper Men Intend to Capture Next Press Session

Special to The Telegram.

TULSA, I. T., May 18.—An enthusiastic delegation of newspaper men will go from here to the Inter-Territorial Press Association meeting at Shawnee, Okla., tomorrow, and Saturday with the hope of bringing the scribes to Tulsa in 1907. The Commercial Club has extended a cordial invitation, which is indorsed by a business men's petition and the local press club.

NEW COMERS WELCOME

Quanah, Hardeman County, Texas, Glad to See Settlers

Special to The Telegram.

QUANAH, Texas, May 18.—While the town of Quanah has passed the experimental stage in development, and is now rapidly approaching the point where her citizens may claim to live in the first city in the Panhandle, the country in this section is wide and affords good farming facilities. New comers are arriving from time to time and these are made welcome as only the people in a new country know how to make them. There is not at present a vacant business house in Quanah, residences are in demand and the owners of real estate are ready and willing to erect more business houses as fast as new tenants arrive seeking locations.

TO PAVE PUBLIC SQUARE

Hunt County Commissioners Let Contract for Improvement

Special to The Telegram.

HILLSBORO, Texas, May 18.—R. K. Dabney of Dallas captured a fat contract here when the Hunt county commissioners authorized the official indentures necessary to the forming of an agreement for the paving of the public square in this city.

Mr. Dabney is now finishing the work of paving Lee street here, at the end of which work he will begin in Stonewall street and the square.

The general fund to the credit of the county, according to the report made at the meeting of the commissioners, shows a total of $10,764.28; the road and bridge fund $1,866.68, and bonds and notes on hand, $28,200.

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C. A. Andrews of Sherman is here transacting business.

Don't hesitate—just phone 201, the Fort Worth Steam Laundry, and let them convince you that they are in the business to please their customers.

E. E. Fosdick left this morning for Galveston to spend a few days.

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Bob Duringer and Raymond Duckey of Everman, spent Wednesday in Fort Worth.

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Miss Willie Flack of Union City, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. H. E. Chrisman at 1116 Fifth avenue.

Mrs. John A. Gardner has returned to Chico after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Chrisman of 1116 Fifth avenue.

Wear W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes. Best in the world. Monnig's.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Jolly of St. Louis are the guests of Mrs. J. M. Reagan for a few days. After touring Texas, they will sail for Honolulu.

See Cromer Bros., 1616 Main street, for Edison Phonographs and records.

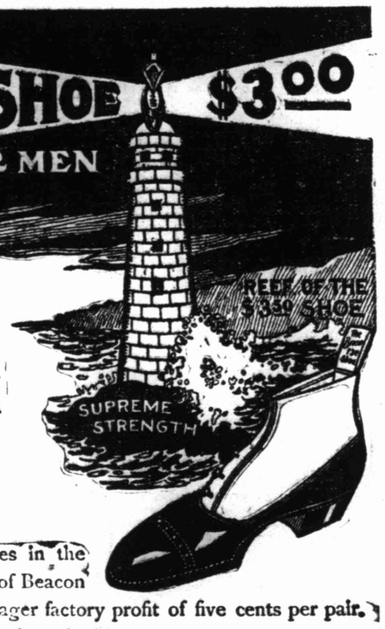
M. F. Winfrey, wife and son of St. Louis are visiting at the home of Mrs. Julian H. Armstrong, 607 West Second street.

Lane Daugherty left last night for the Davis mountains on a hunting and fishing trip.

REMOVAL NOTICE

The Citizens' Light and Power Company has moved into their new quarters on Throckmorton street, opposite fire hall. The rapid growth of the business has necessitated moving into more central quarters for their own and the public's convenience.

BEACON SHOE $3.00 FOR MEN



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The real value of the shoe is what is put into it before it leaves the factory. Whatever else is added to the cost is in the way of selling expenses and profits. It costs you money and does the shoe no good.

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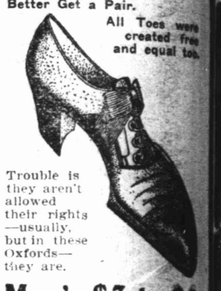

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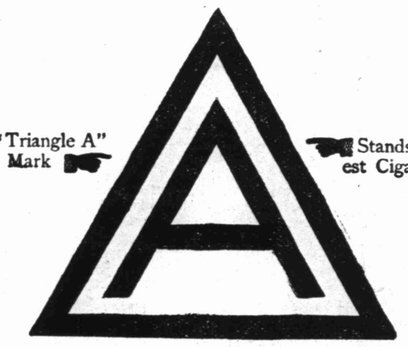

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LIEUT. BURBANK WANTS TO FORGET

Former Lieutenant Refuses to Receive Old Friends

Special to The Telegram.

FORT LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 17.—Of the hundreds of culprits in Uncle Sam's big prison for offenders against his particular laws and statutes, perhaps none feels his position more keenly than Convict 5169. He is Sidney S. Burbank, the former dashing first lieutenant of company A, Sixth infantry, United States army, who became known the nation over as the husband of a Philippine belle whom, with her child, he denied.

Within rifle shot of his prison at the big army post, are hundreds of former comrades who knew him well. The bugle calls for the soldiers at the fort drift to him above the walls. The cannon salutes to Old Glory daily reach his ears, and serve to remind him that but two years ago he walked the reservation, proud of a distinguished ancestry in the United States army, admired of the men in his company, and happy in the love of a fine Kansas girl.

Burbank had come home from the Philippines with his regiment and was stationed at Fort Leavenworth. He fell in love with Miss Stone, daughter of a former state senator of Kansas. Their engagement was announced. The news drifted half-way around the world and from far-off Negros came the wail of a deserted wife, pleading for herself and child. Mrs. Concepcion Vasquez, a brown-toned beauty of Spanish extraction, asserted that Burbank had been legally married to her in Valladolid, Jan. 25, 1902. Burbank was called "upon the carpet." He denied he was married to Mrs. Vasquez, and said he was the victim of a blackmail plot. A suit was filed in the district court here to set aside the alleged marriage. Attorneys appointed for the woman foiled a scheme to have the case tried before Mrs. Vasquez could be notified. They also secured an accumulation of testimony proving Mrs. Vasquez's claims.

The case dragged along in the local courts and then Burbank was again ordered to the Philippines. Mrs. Vasquez brought suit in Manila for a legal separation. Burbank did not appear at the trial, and she was awarded the decree and alimony of $50 per month. Then the war department ordered Burbank court-martialed. Besides the charge of embezzlement of $485, he was accused of conduct unbecoming an officer, in that he twice falsely swore to the war department that he was single. The sentence of the court martial was approved by the President.

Burbank wears a gray prison suit. He eats plain prison fare. He sleeps behind bars in a cell. His work is around the engine room of the prison. But he will not receive visitors from the outer world. He wants to serve his sentence in grim silence. He wants to be forgotten.

FOR NEW EXCHANGE

Meeting to Be Held in Denver, Colo., May 29

Special to The Telegram.

DENVER, Colo., May 18.—Independent live stock exchanges will soon be established at Chicago and at Missouri river points by stockmen of the west, if present plans mature. A meeting will be held in Denver May 29 to perfect arrangements.

The special committee appointed by the live stock organizations represented at the meeting held in Denver April 13 and 14 for the purpose of investigating the possibilities of establishing independent exchanges, has finished its work and prepared its report. T. W. Tomlinson, secretary of the American National Live Stock association, is sending copies of the report to all stockmen asking them to purchase stock in the company being organized.

The committee report says that stock yards companies will afford an independent commission company, organized by stockmen, all reasonable facilities for doing business in the yards. The live stock to be offered for sale by the proposed company will be purchased freely and without discrimination. No difficulty in securing competent management, salesmen and other necessary help is anticipated. The committee sees no insuperable obstacles in the way of making an independent commission house a success. The committee consists of Murdo Mackenzie, president of the American Live Stock association; J. M. Wilson, vice president of the National Wool Growers' association, and A. L. Ames, president of the Corn Belt Producers' association.

LIEUTENANT BURBANK.

WED MOTHER INSTEAD

Eighteen-Year-Old Youth Takes Bride Aged Forty-Two

Special to The Telegram.

BOSTON, Mass., May 18.—Rejected by Juniette Swanson, aged 17, of Somerville, Grover Cleveland White, aged 18, of this place, has found solace in taking as his bride the girl's mother, Mrs. Caroline Christine Swanson, aged 42, and with two sons older than her husband. As White is a minor his father gave legal consent to the marriage, saying that his son was old enough to choose a wife, and adding that the couple were bound by the strongest ties of romance.

White and Miss Swanson met last December. It was believed by their friends to be a case of love at first sight. They were very devoted and were to be wed this spring. But a statement made by White after the wedding today tells a different story.

"Yes, I was in love with Juniette," he said, "but it was what might be called 'school boy' love. Four weeks ago we had a quarrel, and finally we parted.

"I told her mother what had happened, and she gave me her sympathy. I found that there was a deep interest in me, and the outcome of several visits was my proposal. I was delighted when Mrs. Swanson accepted my suit.

"I am the luckiest of mortals. Although my wife is 42, she does not look a day older than 25. And she is a lot better for a wife than the great majority of the girls of today. She knows how to carry herself as the head of a household. If needs be she can cook and keep house herself. She is an ideal wife, and I know we will be very happy."

Mrs. White's two sons and her youngest daughter, Lillian, aged 15, were opposed to her marriage. Juniette did not express an opinion. Now White says that she alone of the children will be welcome with his bride and himself.

PENITENTIARY REPORT

State Now Has More Than 3,800 Convicts

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—The state penitentiary board held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday in the executive department. Considerable routine business was transacted.

The report of Superintendent Searcy Baker for the month of April showed convicts on hand April 1 to be 3,871, new received during the month 133, recaptured 4, returned by sheriffs 1; total 4,009; discharged 88, pardoned 7, escaped 5, died 4, delivered to sheriffs 5, paroled 6; total 3,899.

They are distributed as follows: State insane asylum 3, contract forces 1,550, share forces 404, railroad forces 244, Harlem state farm 168, Wm. Clemons, state farm, 187; Huntsville 479, Rusk 821.

The report of Financial Agent Wortham was also approved and showed a balance on hand April 1 of $16,282.05, receipts for April $141,607.43; total $157,889.48. The disbursements in April were $134,190, leaving a balance on hand of $23,699.48. This amount is distributed as follows: Cash on hand and in banks $17,588.35, J. H. Walker, Rusk, $5,510.63; John T. Luther $328.95; H. S. Sisk, $271.55; total $23,699.48.

TO ENFORCE SPEED LAW

City Marshal at Waco Cautions the Police

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, May 18.—City Marshal John Dollins yesterday lined up his police officers and had an automobilist with a speed barometer run past, showing the rate of speed allowed in the fire limits and in the residence districts. The rate in the fire limits is eight miles an hour and in residence districts fifteen miles. There had been much complant that autoists were far exceeding the limits, and City Marshal Dollins instructed his men to keep a sharp watch and arrest persons violating this ordinance.

NEW BRICK BUILDING

Contract for Two-Story Structure Let at Memphis, Texas

Special to The Telegram.

MEMPHIS, Texas, May 18.—C. M. Montgomery has let a contract to Spencer and Patten for the erection of a stone building two stories high to be place on the north side of the public squire, which, when completed, will be occupied by Mr. Montgomery's drug store, the upper part to be used as offices.

Mac Stewart Improving

HILLSBORO, Texas, May 18.—Mac Stewart, the Confederate veteran who served so long as a prisoner in a Mexican dungeon, and who since his release has been residing with his relatives here and at Whitney, is reported to be steadily improving both physically and mentally. He is at present with his brother, Tom R. Stewart of Whitney, and spends a good deal of time socially among the business men of the town.

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San Antonio, Texas.—Menger Hotel News Stand; Bexar Hotel News Stand.

THE NEW STATESMANSHIP

The railway rate regulation measure now pending before congress has proven one of the most unique combinations ever brought before that body. During all the time of its pendency up to the surrender of the President it was pointed to as a means that had been found for the almost wiping out of party lines and the bringing together of the real patriots and reformers of the country under one and the same banner. Democratic and Republican senators have hobnobbed together and planned for the passage of the bill, the fight in the senate being managed by a Democrat—Senator Tillman, who loves Roosevelt and the Roosevelt influence about like the imp of darkness is said to love holy water. There were combinations of Democrats and Republicans, frequent consultations and a display of good feeling that was remarkable under the circumstance. The incident was seized upon all over the country as an illustration of how American statesmanship was growing—how men could rise above party environments and partisan politics. But a change has now come over the spirit of the general dream.

Those eyes in senatorial heads that have been looking love into eyes that spake again are now casting swift glances of hatred and contempt into the opposition optics, and Bedlam itself seems to have broken out in the United States senate. The cause for such action may have seemed to warrant it, but it is unfortunate that these conditions should have arisen. It is unfortunate that Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey—the great senator from Texas, should have been provoked into making such an unseemly exhibition of himself and transforming the floor of the senate into the semblance of a fish market. It is unfortunate that Senator Bailey should have been goaded into the use of the following intemperate language on the floor of the senate:

I have never conferred with the President directly, nor with Mr. Chandler. The correspondence I understand was sent by a correspondent who is very close to the White House, and is presumed to speak with some degree of authority concerning transactions there. I do not know as to the truth of that, and I don't charge that his statement is with authority, but I denounce its publication as an unqualified, deliberate and malicious lie.

I denounce that correspondent as an unqualified, deliberate and malicious liar. I denounce the man who inspired the statement as an unqualified, deliberate and malicious liar, whoever he may be and however high the office he may hold.

Senator Bailey is not a man to submit to false accusations and innuendo with patience and long suffering. He is a man quick to resent all things that appear as an impeachment of his honor and integrity, and he deserves credit for the characteristic. But Senator Bailey was wrong in the way he resented the cruel innuendoes and aspersions that have been cast upon him. The importance and dignity of the position he occupies demands that he should rise above the traditions and customs of the fishmarket. His denunciation of the disturbing element would have been just as effective if it had been clothed in language that was a little more parliamentary and suitable to the occasion.

The word "liar" is always repugnant and is invariably accepted as a substitute for the first blow. When a man applies the term it is always understood he is prepared for eventualities, as a breach of the peace is the usual accompaniment. Such terms are out of place in an assemblage of the highest representatives of the people, and it is unfortunate, The Telegram repeats, that Senator Bailey should have permitted his temper to lead him into this wholly unnecessary procedure.

The new statesmanship developed as a result of the railway rate regulation idea will not appeal with much force to a people who believe in conservatism. It has taken a tack wholly foreign to the demands of the situation and at variance with the desires of the people. And if these things can occur now when the weather is cool in the capital city, we shudder for the time now near at hand when there will be more caloric in the air and man's angry passions more prone to rise.

An early June adjournment is very much to be desired.

THE BRAND OF ANANIAS

The President of the United States is a man who has not hesitated to impute a lack of veracity to those he has been convinced were dallying with the truth. He has said that a number of men are liars. He has used the term freely, sometimes in all its baldness and other times as he did in the case of Senator Chandler, whose statement anent the rate bill controversy he designated as "unqualifiedly false." Following are some of the men he has accused of being deficient in the matter of veracity:

Henry M. Whitney, of Boston, who, he said, lied about a tariff conversation with him.

John F. Wallace, formerly at the head of the Panama canal commission.

Herbert W. Bowen, formerly minister to Venezuela, whom he sharply rebuked for making charges against Loomis.

Alton B. Parker, the Democratic candidate for President in 1904, for saying that the trusts, corporations and insurance companies contributed to the Republican campaign fund of that year.

George O. Shields, president of the League of American Sportsmen, after a dispute about the use of automatic shotguns in the southwest.

Senator Thomas C. Platt, very diplomatically, for announcing that he had forced Representative Olcott for chairman of the New York county committee.

The President is a man of much bluntness in these matters, and his application of the term prevaricator does not necessarily always imply that his judgment is infallible. It is probable he would withdraw the allegation against Judge Parker if relations with that gentleman were a little more cordial, for subsequent developments cleared that gentleman from the Presidential imputation. But the President, with all his faults, has the correct estimate of the man who is a stranger to the truth. In his various public utterances he has said:

The liar it no bit whit better than the thief.

It puts a premium on knavery, untruthfully to attack an honest man, or even, with hysterical exaggeration, to assail a bad man with untruth.

The men who, with stern sobriety and speech, assail the many evils of our times, are the leaders.

The soul of every scoundrel is gladdened whenever an honest man is assailed, or when even a scoundrel is untruthfully assailed.

You can pardon almost anything in a man who will tell the truth, for you know where that man is, you know what he means.

If any one lies, if he has the habit of untruthfulness, you cannot deal with him because there is nothing to depend upon.

Truth is a virtue upon which we should not only insist at the schools but in the home and in politics just as much.

The business man or politician who does not tell the truth cheats, and for the cheat we should have no use in any walk of life.

We need in our public life, as in our private life, the virtue that every one could practice if he would.

I do not believe in a bluff. I feel about a nation as we all say about a man: Let him not say anything that he cannot make good, and, having said it, let him make it good.

Nothing can make good citizenship in men who have not got in them courage, hardihood, decency, sanity, the spirit of truth-telling and truth-seeking.

We must have honest, fearless and able administration—a square deal for every man, great or small, rich or poor.

THE ADJOURNMENT OF CONGRESS

Advices from Washington indicate that it is the expectation of the President that congress will finish up its labors and adjourn about the middle of June. It is election year and the members are looking anxiously in the direction of home, where many of them have the fiercest kind of opposition and realize their fences are sadly in need of repair. This is especially true of the republican members, the majority of whom are aghast with horror at the growth of independence in their respective districts and the alarming tendency there is in the direction of the democratic fold.

Major Palmer of New Jersey of the senate committee on enrolled bills says that up to date 2,300 bills have been passed by both houses and have become laws. The house of representatives has, however, already passed 12,000 bills during the present session. How many of this vast number will get through the cold-blooded and deliberative senate yet remains an absorbing question.

There are many important measures yet remaining to be disposed of by congress. The Panama canal is yet to be provided for. The pure food bill is wobbling along in the house after having received reluctant indorsement on the senate side, and an organized campaign of a very spirited kind is being made against it. The Philippine tariff bill is still showing some signs of life, due no doubt to the artificial respiration provided by Senator Lodge. Consular reform is one of the bills which has been through the mill at both ends of the capital and is not yet disposed of. The proposition to admit denaturized alcohol free of duty now holds an important position on the congressional boards, the railway rate bill and the appropriation bill are both remaining to be finished up, and taking it all in all, there appears to be plenty to keep the congressmen and senators quite busy for several weeks yet.

The matter of adjournment all depends on future developments, however. Legislators have a method of hanging on far beyond general expectations at times, and of quitting at most unexpected intervals. One by one they will begin to sneak out to look after their own personal interests, and there may come a time when congress may be compelled to adjourn on account of the absence of a quorum, unless measures are whipped through with greater expedition. There yet remains much to be done, but members are already straining at the restraining leash and inventing all kinds of explanations as to why they are called from Washington.

The cheerful six-shooter and the death inspiring shotgun are still doing business down in South Texas, and Waller county is to the front again with another fusillade of the usual character. The state legislature ought to pass a special law next January prohibiting the importation of firearms into Waller county for the next twenty-five years and confiscating all those now on hand.

South Texas cotton planters are complaining of the federal regulation which prohibits the admittance of poor Mexicans, who are needed to chop the growing cotton. And by the time the cotton picking season is in full blast there will be a wail from that section that will be heard clear across the continent.

President Roosevelt appears to have gotten himself right squarely in the middle of a very bad fix.

The Texas Press

The Democrats can bank all they want to on the divisions that the policy of the President has created in the Republican party, but it will be found that the people are with the President.—San Antonio Light.

The people were with the President until his ignominious compromise of the rate bill with his enemies just when success was in sight through Democratic assistance. Now, the situation is reversed. The people realize their only hope lies in the Democratic party.

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The proof has been brought to light at last that the Standard Oil Company, which is a monopoly, has been furnishing the customers throughout the country three grades of oil, and all of them at the price of the best grade. Low grade oil has been forced on the customers here and there over the country and all because the monopoly had the power to do as it wished to do.—Tyler Courier.

There has also been something of an intimation that the three grades of oil referred to has been drawn from the same tank. The quality of the oil can always be adjusted to fit the peculiar emergency.

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Yes, good people of Texas, Bonham's cotton mills are capitalized to the amount of $200,000, while the banner floats higher and the road gets smoother all the time. Don't tell us that Texas factories, with all the middle fellows out of the game, do not pay. Start more factories.—Bonham Herald.

More factories are needed all over Texas ,and more cotton factories especially. The people of this state are losing millions of dollars annually through permitting the cotton crop of the state to be shipped out to eastern and foreign factories.

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In a speech at Denton, three years ago, the late ex-Governor Hogg said, in substance: "In 1906 we are going to "have a big campaign; a hot political contest in Texas. There will be five or six candidates for governor, and there will be big issues at stake." Time has verified Hogg's foresight.—Waco Tribune.

Governor Hogg was a man who could always read the signs of the times rightly, and he has left many suggestions to the people of Texas that will prove verified prophecy.

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During 1905 we drank $1,548,706,307. Of this $1,325,439,074 was spent for alcoholic drinks, $162,570,580 for coffee, $52,698,644 for tea and $8,000,000 for cocoa. These are inside facts and are enough to make us down in the mouth.—Comanche Chief.

Truly, the editor of the Chief must be a fine drinking man and entitled to the pennant. Having indulged to the acknowledged extent of more than $1,000,000,000, he ought to now be willing to reform. But there are many members of the craft who will envy him his experience.

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Don't be deceived by the loud-mouth campaign orator. Texas has possibly grown more in the past eight years than any other state in the Union. There have been no scandals in the state departments, and the state will not go entirely to destruction even if the people do fail to elect some "holier than thou" reformer. When a candidate for governor tells you that he can do better than Hogg, Culberson and Lanham, and that all past state administrations were criminally negligent, just wink the other eye and pass him by.—Houston Chronicle.

That is sensible and timely advice and should be generally heeded. Texas is being woefully slandered by some of the men who are seeking high official position, and they should receive no encouragement at the hands of the people.

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There seems to be a wave of reform sweeping over Texas. The newspapers especially, show a spirit of independence and are demanding a higher moral plane, and civic righteousness. That is an encouraging sign.—Sherman Register.

The Texas newspapers can always be depended upon to lead in all matters pertaining to the advancement of the public interest ,and their growing spirit of independence constitutes one of their greatest charms.

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We frequently hear advanced as an argument, why El Paso should not have this or that state convention, that this town is too far from some other portion of Texas. El Paso is a Texas city—one of the most important in the state and she has a right to bid for state favors. The people west of the Pecos might object to Fort Worth for convention purposes on the ground that it is as far north as it is from El Paso to Los Angeles, Cal. But no such unpatriotic protests are ever heard from our people.—El Paso Times.

Certainly, El Paso has a right to go after any kind of an old convention she desires, and has proven her ability to handle them in a most alluring style. Gooseneck McDonald seems to be the chief objector to El Paso as a convention city, and Gooseneck has an ax to grind.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

The less a man knows the more suspicious he is.

A lunatic's train of thought is usually on the sidetrack.

Most people are two-faced and a few are three-faced.

Nothing pleases an actor more than a lot of strenuous glad hands.

When speaking of amusement circles it is proper to include circus rings.

A stubborn fountain pen has interrupted many a man's flow of thought.

Religion is a good thing, but it doesn't cut a very wide swath in a horse trade.

He who is away from home most of the time dodges a lot of domestic trouble.

It's all right to while your time away after you have done something worth while.

Even though a woman considers a man a bore she invariably believes that he considers her interesting.

If a man refuses to set the example he is foolish if he expects the world to have a good opinion of him.

Statistics show that the sooner a man allows his wife to have the last word the sooner the controversy will end.

One seldom realizes how much worse the world is growing until he hears two old settlers exchanging reminiscences.

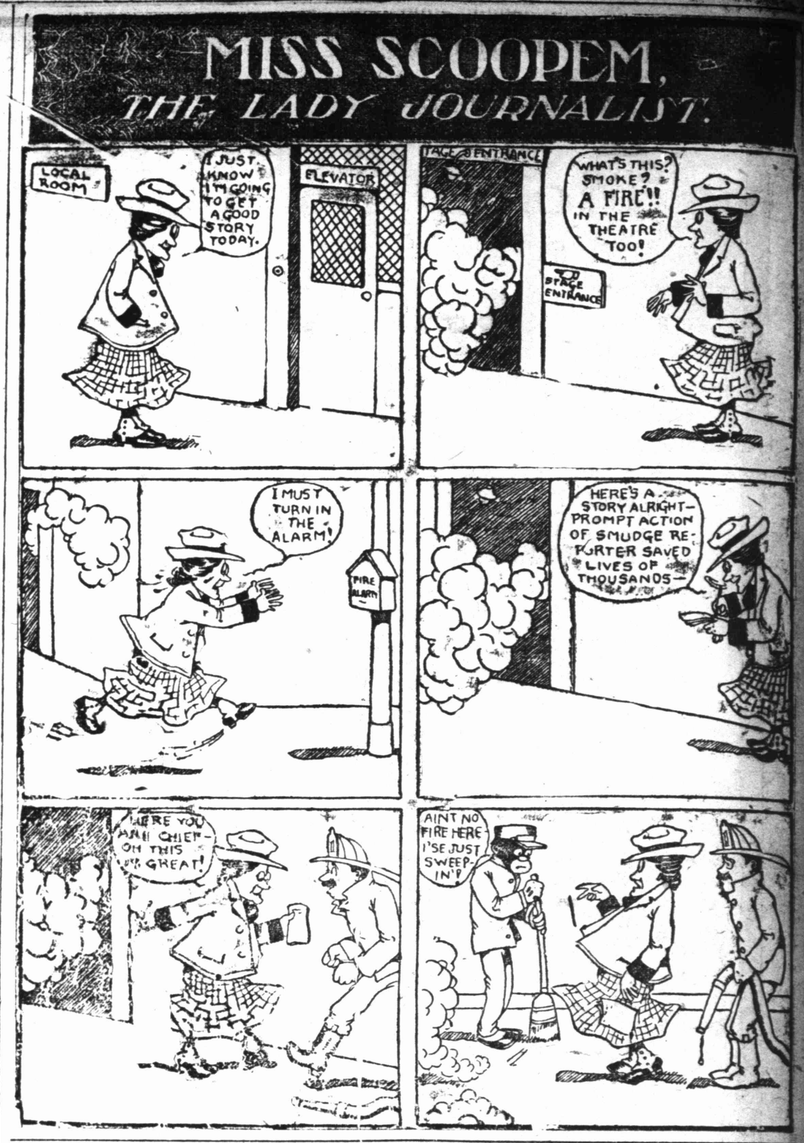
It is true, nevertheless, that after a woman of 30 has been a widow for six weeks she imagines all her married women friends envy her.—Chicago News.

ABUSES MUST STOP

The evidence submitted by Commissioner Garfield and the scathing criticism of the President will have a profound influence upon public opinion throughout the country, strengthening the agitation for reform of corporation abuses.—Wall Street Journal.

FAITH, HOPE, CHARITY

While San Francisco cultivates the necessary faith and hope, the rest of the country is attending to the greatest of these three—charity.—Anaconda Standard.



THAT REMINDS ME

HE FOUND A BETTER PLACE

Mark Twain, while at his summer residence, prepared one evening to take a drive, and expecting to remain out until late, told the stable boy that he need not wait for him. He directed the fellow, however, when he had finished his work to lock the stable and place the key under a stone, the location of which Mr. Clemens described with much exactness. When the humorist reached home after his drive, he was surprised to find that the key was not in the place selected. When his patience had been exhausted, he awoke the boy, who explained, as he started out to find the missing key:

"Mr. Clemens, I found a better place to hide it."

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HE WON

In an assemblage of countrymen at a wayside inn in England, the conversation turned on the subject of eating, and several of the company named their favorite dishes and told how much they could eat of them if they were hungry.

Just then one of the waiters brought in a lot of sprats (a species of small fish very popular in England), whereupon one man remarked boastingly: "My partner and I can eat a bushel of them."

The statement was naturally received with incredulity, but he offered to make it the subject of a wager.

His offer accepted, a bushel of sprats was brought in and the man ate his fill of them.

"Now," said the boaster, "I will bring in my partner," and he called in an old sow.

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OVERREACHED

Old Joe, a farmer, was noted for the many ways he had of skimping and saving. One day he hired a big country boy to help him with his work. The boy reported for duty at 5:30 o'clock in the morning, and Old Joe sat him down to breakfast. After the lad had finished the meal the sharp old farmer said, "What do you say if we eat dinner while we are at it?"

As the boy agreed, they fell to and ate a little more. Then seeing the youngster could eat no more Old Joe suggested, "Suppose we finish up and eat supper, too."

"All right," assented the lad, and he managed to swallow another crust of bread.

"Now let's get to work," shouted the gleeful farmer, thinking of the saving in meals he had made.

"No," returned the boy, "I never work after supper. A man's time is his own then."

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THE PHYSICIAN'S FEE

A very eminent physician had cured a little girl of a dangerous illness. "Doctor," said the mother, "I really don't know how to express my gratitude, but thought perhaps you would be so kind as to accept this purse embroidered by my own hands."

"Madam," replied the doctor, coldly, "small presents serve to sustain friendships; but they don't sustain our families. A physician's visits should be rewarded in money."

"But, doctor," said the lady, alarmed and wounded, "speak, tell me the fee."

"Two hundred dollars, madam."

The lady opened the embroidered purse, took out five bank notes of $100 each, gave two to the doctor, put the remaining three back in the purse, bowed coldly and departed.

THERE ARE ENOUGH OF THEM

A portrait painter has sued Mrs. Howard Gould for the price of a portrait. The first thing one knows, there will be an "association of artists, dressmakers and milliners who have sued Mrs. Gould."—Houston Post.

SAID IT FIRST

Yes, it's all true, but I said it first.—Ida Tarbell.—Chicago Tribune.

VERSES THAT RING

"COMFORT"

Comfort the sorrowful with watchful eyes
In silence, for the tongue cannot avail,
Vex not his wounds with rhetoric, nor the stale
Worn truths, that are but maddening mockeries
To him whose grief outmasters all replies.
Only watch near him gently; do not bring
The piteous help of silent ministering,
Watchful and tender, his alone is wise.

So shall thy presence and thine every motion
The grateful knowledge of thy sad devotion
Melt out the passionate hardness of his grief,
And break the flood gates of the pent-up soul,
He shall bow down beneath thy mute control,
And take thine hands ,and weep, and find relief.

—ARCHIBALD LAMPMAN.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

A man has a mean disposition to give up coffee because he can't get it fit to drink.

When a woman isn't afraid to mention stays before a man it's because he is too old.

Hardly any girl is ever so lucky as to be rich and have curly hair at the same time.

Burglary is more risky business than politics because sometimes the burglar lands in jail.

There is a lot of money in farming, except for the farmer.

A nice thing about quinine is the doctor generally tells you to take it with whisky.

If a man loves a woman she can sit on his lap without getting heavy unless they are married.

A man no sooner gets the Christmas present his wife gave him paid for than he has to begin to save up for the one he is going to give her.

A girl must be able to see in the dark, because, no matter how many people are in the room when the lights go out, she always bumps into the right one.

Nothing more is needed to prove the natural deceit of a woman than the way she can pretend she is having a good time at a reception.—New York Press.

QUAKER REFLECTIONS

Spring poems are being sprung.

The married cynic is generally anonymous.

A man's nose is naturally the scenter of his face.

Many a vaunted family tree is merely underbrush.

At least a rabbit's foot is lucky for the rabbit that still has it.

There is quite a difference between tireless energy and the tiresome kind.

It doesn't take long for some fellows to make a dollar look like 30 cents.

In the days of the typewriter the man who uses a quill makes a goose of himself.—Philadelphia Record.

SAN FRANCISCO STILL EATS

San Francisco may be dead as a front page news story, but it is worth remembering that the people out there are still fond of eating something from time to time.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

HE THINKS IT

We do not see how H. H. Rogers can get away from the conclusion that the President is a dangerous socialist.—Chicago News.

IT WAS NAILED DOWN

Closer examination of the returns indicates that about the only thing the American athletes did not carry off at Athens was the stadium.—Detroit Free Press.

DISSOLUTION SALE

The Model Clothing Store

WILL DURING THIS DISSOLUTION SALE EXTEND TO ALL OF THEIR MANY CUSTOMERS AND THE PUBLIC AT LARGE A CORDIAL INVITATION TO COME AND PARTAKE OF THE MANY GOOD AND SERVICEABLE ARTICLES WHICH WE ARE OFFERING IN THIS SALE, SUCH AS **CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS**

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800 pairs Men's $2.00 and $2.50 Shoes; Dissolution Sale price **$1.48**
Shoes worth from $3.00 to $3.50; Dissolution Sale price **$2.98**
Men's Pants, worth $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50, going at **$1.23**
15 dozen Men's Pants worth from $2.50 to $3.50; Dissolution Sale price **$2.18**
A line of Men's Pants ranging in price from $3.00 to $4.50; Dissolution Sale price..... **$2.98**
John B. Stetson Hats, regular $5.00 value, going in this Dissolution Sale at **$3.35**
29 dozen Men's Fine Four-in-hand Ties, going at.... **5¢**
75 dozen Men's 10c Handkerchiefs; Dissolution Sale price ..... **4¢**
Men's Half Hose in black, tan and striped, 15c grade; Dissolution Sale price ..... **7 1-2¢**

Men's Underwear, 35c and 50c sellers; Dissolution Sale price ..... **19¢**
50 dozen Men's Underwear—a bargain at 75c a garment; Dissolution Sale price, a garment..... **37 1-2¢**
A big line of Men's Balbriggan Underwear—regular price $1.00 a garment; Dissolution Sale price..... **43¢**

SUITS SUITS SUITS

Men's Suits worth from $12.50 to $20.00; Dissolution Sale price **$9.48**
Men's Suits worth from $11.00 to $15.00; Dissolution Sale price **$7.98**
Men's Two-piece Suits worth from $9.50 to $12.50; Dissolution Sale price **$6.25**
Men's Two-piece Suits worth from $7.50 to $10.00; Dissolution Sale price **$4.48**

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POSTPONEMENT IN CONTEMPT CASE

The contempt case in the civil court of appeals against R. E. Taylor of Hemphill county and H. A. Allen of Clay county was called by the court Friday morning at 10 o'clock, but the hearing was postponed until 2 o'clock to give the respondents time to prepare their response to the citation.

The respondents in this proceeding are attorneys in the case of W. B. Worsham, appellant, vs. J. C. Dyer, which was decided by the civil court of appeals at a former sitting against the client of these attorneys. A motion for a rehearing was filed and last Saturday, opinion day in the court, the motion was submitted. In the motion filed there was language to which the court objected as being disrespectful and a citation was ordered issued commanding the respondents to appear on May 18 and show cause if any they had why they should not be held in contempt of court because of the language used in the motion for a rehearing of the case of Worsham vs. Dyer.

Money Returned

Tom Miller, a negro who lost $105 from his pocket at North Fort Worth several days ago, had the money restored to him by Deputk Sheriff Ralph S. Purvis Friday morning.

The money was picked up by a white man, who, when asked about it, denied that he had it or that he knew anything about it, and was placed under arrest with a charge of theft against him. A roll of money corresponding with that lost by the negro was finally given up by the man, who admitted that he had found it. The theft charge still stands against him.

Grand Jury Report

The grand jury for the Forty-eighth judicial district, now in session, made a partial report of its work Thursday afternoon, returning nine bills of indictment. Eight of the bills are felony charges and one misdemeanor. Six of the persons against whom the indictments are filed have been arrested as follows:

Jim Irwin, assault to murder, two cases.
Tony Lieto, burglary.
Harry King, burglary.
Charles Rainey, murder.
Walter Robinson, burglary.
L. F. Ferrell, theft from the person.

Charles Rainey, colored, against whom the indictment for murder was returned, is charged with killing a negro woman named Pinkey Roberts.

Forty-Eighth District Court

Jessie Jones vs. Arthur Jones; divorce; granted.

Elizabeth J. Burt vs. John C. Jeffries; judgment for plaintiff.

Mary Hanke vs. Paul Hanke, divorce; granted.

Pearl McConnell vs. G. W. McConnell, divorce; granted.

E. B. Jones vs. M. L. Chambers; judgment for plaintiff for $666.40.

J. J. Jarvis vs. L. L. Lyles; judgment for plaintiff for land described in plaintiff's petition.

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DEATHS

James T. Townsend

James T. Townsend, one of the old citizens of Fort Worth, died of heart failure at his home, 102 Lonly street, Glenwood, Thursday afternoon. He was about 62 years of age and had been a resident of the city about forty-one years, coming to Texas with his father's family in 1865. He leaves a widow and a brother, Walter B. Townsend of this city. Wednesday he was in apparent good health and was serving on the jury i. the divorce case of Mrs. A. E. Evans vs. Mark Evans.

Thursday word was received at the court house that he was too sick to attend court and later news of his death was received.

James T. Townsend was born in Logan county, Ky., and was of one of the oldest and most highly esteemed families in southern Kentucky. When the war between the states broke out he enlisted in the first company that was raised in the state for the Confederate army. He was a good soldier, and took part in many engagements in Tennessee and North Georgia. For many years after coming to Fort Worth he engaged in the wall paper and painting business with his brother, Walter B. Townsend. He was a member of R. E. Lee Camp, United Confederate Veterans. The funeral took plae from the family residence at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Funeral of D. B. Damon

The funeral of D. B. Damon, who died May 14, will take place Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The body will be taken from the Gause undertaking establishment at 3 o'clock and the funeral exercises will be conducted at the grave by Dr. J. B. French. Following are the pallbearers:

United Confederate Veterans—J. S. McDonnough, B. C. Kirtley, L. C. Vaughon, W. E. Jones, E. W. Yates, J. M. Doyle, C. V. Austin, T. B. Yates, J. C. Wilson and J. F. Waller.

Sons of Veterans—Clint Barr, R. E. Bratton, E. M. Daggett, J. Porter Key, W. S. Jarrett and W. R. Booth.

The funeral has been delayed awaiting the arival of a daughter, Mrs. Freeman, who will reach Fort Worth from California Friday night.

THREE WORDS KILLED

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The senate this afternoon struck out the words, "In its judgment" in the clause of the rate bill authorizing the interstate commerce commission to fix a just and reasonable rate.

This upsets one feature of the Allison compromise.

Some of the best constitutional lawyers in the senate have declared that the words "in its judgment" alone would have sufficed to invalidate the bill.

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100 Two-piece Suits, bought in a job and worth regular $7.50 and $8.00; special for Saturday.... **$4.98**

See Window Display.

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We place on sale 100 dozen Men's Madras and Percale Shirts that are worth regular 65c each; as a special for Saturday, each **48c**

NO NEWSPAPER MEN ALLOWED

Press Excluded From the Katy Hearing at Austin

$25,000,000 LOAN

Want Commission to Allow Company to Raise Money on Big Mortgage

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—General Counsel James Hagerman of New York, General Attorney Thomas S. Miller of Dallas and R. C. Foster, a director, of Denton, Texas, had a conference with the railroad commission today regarding a $25,000,000 loan on a $40,000,000 mortgage on the property of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway.

As newspaper correspondents were not admitted to the conference, it is believed that $6,000,000 of the loan is to apply only to the Texas line of the road.

The matter has been pending with the commission for some time and this was a hearing on it.

One of the commissioners sent for newspaper men, as he wanted them present to hear all the statements that were made in connection with the proposition.

Commission Colquitt had a brief conference with General Attorney Miller of Dallas, after which Mr. Colquitt announced that there was an objection to newspaper correspondents being present.

HUGHES ELECTED BY ASSOCIATION

R. F. Bell of This City Secretary and Treasurer

The Texas Hardware Jobbers' association opened the last day of its annual convention Friday at 9:30 a. m., in the parlors of the Worth hotel. The election of officers for the ensuing year was at once taken up by the members present and the voting resulted as follows:

Ed S. Hughes, Abilene, president; Charles E. Nash, Fort Worth, first vice president; E. A. Peden, Beaumont, second vice president; R. F. Bell, Fort Worth, secretary and treasurer.

Elected to the executive committee are Messrs. Keith, Beaumont; Moroney, Dallas; Betts, Paris; Sanford, Sherman.

Transportation committee: Messrs. Love, Trumbull, Torain.

Committee on manufactures: Messrs. Heitman, Jackson, Tips.

Committee on grievances: Messrs. Bering, Stringfellow, Burnsides.

The assembly voted resolutions of thanks to the citizens of Fort Worth, their committee on entertainment, Fort Worth and Dallas Credit Men's associations, and the various institutions of this city who have paid them courtesies.

George Q. McGown of this city, a member of the Fort Worth and Dallas Credit Men's association, addressed the assembly and an informal discussion followed, with other miscellaneous business which closed the routine work of the convention.

The place for the next meeting was left to the executive committee.

Friday afternoon was spent in visiting the bolt factory of the Fort Worth Iron and Steel Manufacturing company.

NEGRO ARRESTED FOLLOWING SHOTS

Charged with assault to murder, discharging firearms and carrying a pistol, M. R. Anderson, colored, has been arrested. Thursday night at the Hotel Worth, where he is employed as a dining room waiter. Anderson, it is charged, snapped a six-shooter at Tom Hawkins, another waiter, during a quarrel, and afterward struck Hawkins a severe blow on the head. The affair happened at an early hour and Anderson went to his home in East Third street.

Here a weapon was discharged again, the bullet passing close to Cornelius Henderson, a negro woman living in the neighborhood, who was in her back yard at the time. Virgil Parker, assistant city attorney, who resides not far from Anderson's home, heard the shot and went to the scene and pursued a negro, who had made his escape.

Anderson was later arrested at the Worth hotel by Captain T. N. Blanton and Officer Sid Waller. He was transferred to the county authorities Friday morning on the three charges.

MEMORIAL PLANS MADE BY G. A. R.

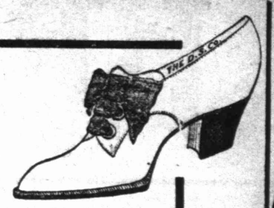
Annual memorial service and decoration of graves of Union soldiers will be held by the Grand Army of the Republic in this city Sunday, May 27, and May 30. The service will be held in the Congregational church, corner of Pennsylvania and College avenues, beginning at 11 o'clock. Rev. G. W. Ray will deliver the memorial sermon. Plans are being made to make the affair a success in every particular. Appropriate music will be furnished for the occasion.

Wednesday, May 30, is set apart for the decoration of the soldiers' graves with flags and flowers. All members of the Grand Army of Republic will meet at the corner of Third and Main streets at 9:30 o'clock, and after forming in line will proceed to the new cemetery and gather around the grave of Comrade Myers. The ceremony will be opened by the commander. The program to be carried out is as follows:

Music; invocation, Rev. G. W. Ray; music; address, Rev. J. F. Boeye; music; recitation, Davie Brown; song, "America;" benediction.

With the closing of the program, the veterans will march through the cemetery and place flowers on each grave marked with a flag. It is announced the exercises will be open for participation by the public.

Interestingly New Oxfords



You Should Be Cautioned about the new colored Oxfords. When you buy your fancy colored Oxfords be sure they come from a reliable house and that the colors don't rub off. The shoes we sell we guarantee.

Ladies' Fancy Oxfords for Stylish Dressers—In the new bright colorings, in the new Gibson Tie. We offer you the latest from stylish shoe creators, with the covered heel, perfect fitting; sells at sight; your choice in brown, pink, gray, blue or white **$1.50**

That New Pump Effect, in canvas, with new stiff bow, which you can take off and replace with ribbon and lace if preferred, but the bow is the latest. These are in pink, gray, blue or white, at **$2.00**

We are also showing a full line of the new Gibson Ties in white, for children and misses, priced from 75c, 85c, $1.00 to..... **$1.50**

W. C. Stripling

THE PRICE IS THE THING.

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The CITY IN BRIEF

See Adams. He knows.

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Cut Flowers at Drumm's. Phone 101.

Couch Hardware Co., 1007 Main st.

Boaz's Book Store, 402 Main street.

R. L. Milam of Corpus Christi is in the city.

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

Hines L. Oppenheimer of Dallas was here Thursday.

For monuments see Ft. Worth Marble and Granite Works.

S. Schruder of Grapevine spent a few hours here Thursday.

Dr. J. A. Gracey, office Ninth and Houston. Phone 3179.

I. Miller of Everman is a visitor in Fort Worth.

A. Evans and N. Logan of San Angelo are guests at the Metropolitan.

R. E. Stalcup is here today from Dalhart.

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

Harry Ollman of Goliad was here Thursday on business.

Facial or body massage at your home. Inquire Viavi office afternoons.

W. B. Paddock left Friday night for Amarillo.

Geary Thompson of Alvord spent a few hours in the city Thursday.

T. W. White of Amarillo is in the city.

A. W. Weatherford, formerly of Fort Worth, but now of Abilene, is here.

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

Fine lecture and fine pictures at city hall tonight. Admission 25c.

J. P. St. John Jr. of Brownsville is a visitor in the city.

Elgin Creamery Butter, 25c per lb. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.

E. E. Fosdick of this city is in Galveston on business. He is expected to return Monday.

Dr. T. M. Jester leaves today for Chicago where he goes to spend several weeks in post graduate work.

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

J. A. Blackwell and E. E. Rankin of Arlington spent Thursday in Fort Worth.

Miss Smithey, stenographer in the general passenger department of the Frisco, has resigned.

Oliver L. Hawkes of Beaumont passed through the city yesterday, en route to Philadelphia.

Standard Granulated Sugar, 19 pounds, $1. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company.

J. C. Darnell of Denton was a visitor at the office of County Superintendent George D. Ramsey Thursday.

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

Addresses were delivered Thursday by Alexander Hogg, superintendent of schools, to the pupils in the Fourth and Seventh ward buildings.

Mrs. V. H. Meriwether of Wharton, Texas, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. S. L. Radick, 1432 Pruitt avenue, left Thursday night for Cleburne, Texas.

Try Thea Nectar Tea for ice tea. None better. A trial will convince you. A handsome and useful present free with each pound. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company.

Congregation Beth El will hold regular Friday night services at 8 o'clock at the temple in Taylor street, conducted by Rabbi Joseph Jasin. The service is open to all.

Don't forget the Saturday market at Johnson's Grocery store, Saturday, May 19, benefit of the new Methodist church, by the Young Women's Building Society.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held in the Cumberland Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Plans will be made for flower mission day, June 9.

Two games will be played of the City League schedule Sunday, the Telephone and Denver teams crossing bats at Haines park at 3:30 o'clock and the Fort Worth Foundry team and the White City playing at Rosen Heights.

Charles Dollins, who lives in Rusk street, North Fort Worth, suffered a very painful accident Thursday afternoon. In jumping off a wagon of which he is the driver for the North Fort Worth Ice Co., he stepped on an ice pick, piercing the small of the foot. Mr. Collins was afterward taken to his home and the wound dressed.

Mrs. V. H. Meriwether of Wharton, Texas, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. S. L. Rodick, 1432 Pruitt street, left on Thursday night for Cleburne, accompanied by her niece, Lulu Rodick. They will attend the marriage of Mrs. Meriwether's cousin, Miss Erin Durham, to Richard McMannon, Friday.

T. P. Fenelon, A. H. McElwee, Fergus Moriarty and M. C. Hurley of this city left Thursday night for Denver to attend the initiation of about 200 members of the Knights of Columbus into the mysteries of the fourth degree. The degree will be conferred by John H. Redden, master of the fourth degree.

Members of the auxiliary to the Seventh Ward Park Association, at a meeting Thursday afternoon, decided to hold a tea next Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, and at night from 8 to 10 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Witt, the proceeds to go to the fund for ward improvement. Mrs. M. H. Woods, vice president, was chairman of the meeting Thursday, at which a number of interesting addresses were delivered.

A steropticon lecture will be given at the city hall Friday night for the benefit of the College Avenue Baptist church, the proceeds to be applied toward the new building fund. O. S. Lattimore will deliver the lecture, and Professor Guisinger will have charge of the stereopticon. Views showing San Francisco before and after the earthquake and Mount Vesuvius in eruption will be used.

HERE IS RELIEF FOR WOMEN.

If you have pains in the back, Urinary, Bladder or Kidney trouble and want a certain, pleasant herb cure for Women's ills, try Mother Gray's "AUSTRALIAN-LEAF." It is a safe monthly regulator, and cures all Female Weaknesses, including Inflammation and ulcerations. Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf is sold by Druggists or sent by mail for 50 cts. Sample sent FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

We Got to Sell

Bankrupt stock, need money. Hardware at your own price; two delivery wagons; no place to put them; must sell them. Screen Doors, all large sizes, half price. Window Screen Frames, the best grade, 19 cents each; all sizes. The best House Paints sold in Texas. We may have just the color you want and will save you dollars. Pocket Knives and other Cutlery, half price and warranted.

115 Houston Street

HEAVY RAIN IN TEXAS

Precipitation at Kerrville Reaches Total of 2.54 Inches

While lacking but a few days until the first month of summer, snow is reported by the weather bulletin in the great lake region. Snow is also falling in Oregon and Washington.

Temperatures throughout the United States are somewhat higher since the last report. In the vicinity of Palestine, Texas, heavy rains have occurred and at Kerrville 2.54 inches of rain fell. The highest temperature noted was 46 degrees, at Phoenix, Ariz. The highest in Texas was 90 degrees, at El Paso. At Fort Worth the thermometer registered 83 degrees.

The Denver road reports partly cloudy, cool and calm weather. Different points on the road reported temperatures at 7 o'clock Friday morning as follows: Texline, 55; Abilene, 58; Childress, 60; Wichita Falls, 65.

Official statement is:

"A very local low barometer area is centered at Palestine, causing rain at Abilene, thunderstorm at San Antonio, and Kerrville reports 2.54 inches of rain. Another low area is over the northwest coast, causing rain in Oregon and Washington. A low area prevails in the upper lake regions, causing rain and snow, snow falling this morning at Minnedosa, on the Canadian border.

"The Rocky mountain states are clear and cool, owing to the high barometer area, centered at Miles City.

"The cotton belt is partly cloudy as a whole and showery conditions are prevalent in the west half."

It matters not in what part of Fort Worth you live, the splendid advantages of trading at this store are yours. Merely phone us your wants; we deliver free and promptly.

Lackeys' Pharmacy

WOMEN PROVE GOOD MERCHANTS

Building Society Aids Methodist Church Fund

The Young Women's Building Society of the First Methodist church each Saturday holds a "market" at different stores down town for the purpose of raising a fund to go towards the erection of the new $100,000 church, corner of Taylor and Seventh streets...

They have met with much success in their plans and the market so far has proved the means of adding $500 to the necessary amount to build.

The society is divided into four circles and each Saturday a different circle has charge of the market. Circle No. 4 will conduct the market tomorrow, Saturday, at Johnson's grocery, 606-608 Houston street.

The committee having charge of the market consists of Mrs. Elmer Renfro, chairman; Mrs. J. D. Hunter and Mrs. Ray Moore.

Home-made goods only are sold, consisting of pies, cakes, bread, etc., and all the receipts taken in are donated to the building fund. Hearty support has been given the movement and the society is enthusiastic over its success.

AUTO AND CARGO GO

Machine Stolen in New York Carried Valuable Papers

By Associated Press.

NE WYORK, May 18—A $10,000 automobile containing $2,400 worth of bonds, scrip and other valuable papers was stolen early today by a daring thief, who jumped into the machine while it stood unoccupied on Broadway near Forty-second street. Its owner, J. H. Clarke, an automobile manufacturer, had stepped into a restaurant near by. He heard the automobile puffing as it started away and, although he rushed immediately to the street, the thief sped the machine around the corner and escaped.

Coffee Urns

We have a few COFFEE URNS left and want to close them out. This is the BUFFALO URN, which is one of the best made, as every one knows who has handled them. We will sell them at such a price that you cannot afford to miss the opportunity, if you intend buying one at all.

The Wm. Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co.

Phone 1045 **1615-1617 Main Street**

THE FORT

KRESS'

5-10 AND 25 CENT STORE

Housecleaners' Sale Nears End

You'd think everybody cleaned house at the same time, judging from the busy scenes at Kress' Six Day Sale. We surely have sold a lot, but we have several carloads left to last us through the week, we hope.

Have you done your share toward making the house brighter and prettier? What useful things have you bought to replace the worn-out and soiled?

We can help you add to the beauty and comfort of every room—and at one-third less expense than if you picked out the best "bargains" in town.

Remember! You have only till Saturday night to replace those articles in the kitchen, dining-room, bath-room and parlor!

Such prices as these prevail:

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Brown, White Lined Cooking Ware

Pudding Pans, 4 to 10 inches .....5¢, 10¢ and 15¢
Oatmeal Bowls .....5¢
Cracker Bowls .....10¢
Mixing Bowls, 5 to 9 inches .....5¢ and up
Custard Cups, 3, 3½ and 4 inches, each ..... 5¢

Cuckoo Clock---Great Value

You can't duplicate this Black Forest Cuckoo Clock for purposes useful and ornamental for three times the price in town. It is wonderfully artistic and distinctly a Kress store possibility.

Hand carved wood front; papier-mache numerals. Iron weights and chains, metal works, runs twenty-four hours without rewinding. Comes in box; value $1.00 .....25¢

Provided you purchase 25c worth of Candy

Ladies' Collars A varied line of China Silk Collars embroidered in white, short tabs, assorted colors, white, blue, black, pink...10¢

Ladies' Pilar Yarn Vests These will cost you several times our price anywhere else. They fit and they last. Vests with shell crocheted edge around arms, plain edge around neck .....5¢

"WATCH KRESS' WINDOWS"

JERSEYS IN DEMAND

Hill County Farmer Says Farmers Like Butter Makers

H. H. Ingram, a resident of West, Hill county, was on the yards and had the following to say relative to conditions in and about his section:

"We have had all the rain that we want at present, although we have not had quite so much probably as you have had up here and north of you. Our black lands are pretty well soaked and when this is so any more rain becomes a nuisance and a set back to all working of crops. While the farmers are a little backward with their work, still they are pretty well up and with a week or two of fine weather like this we are having all will be well and stuff will do some big growing. Our people are not taking very much interest in raising cattle just now, for there is so little grass land to be had that they can't see their way to keeping many head on feed. The Jerseys are fast taking the place of all other classes of cattle on account of their milk and butter qualities, and also because they are so small and can be handled so easily and at so little expense. They can be tied up in a fence corner or in a lane and get their fill of grass.

"While the increase does not amount to much for beef, still there is a big demand for them, not lone in the country, but in the towns and as long as this holds out they will be the leading stock among our people.

"The black lands are and will be for many years the home of cotton and corn, and if the price remains good as it has for the past few years, nothing will supplant it in the hearts of our farmers.

"All of our farming and stock people are in excellent shape financially at present, and are out of debt and have some money in bank. There have been fewer mortgages recorded in the past two years than ever before in any same length of time, which shows a good condition.

"Cattle for market are very scarce in our immediate section, but hogs are on the increase and will in future be given more attention than ever before, for the reason that there is a market near in which they can always be disposed of."

MRS. CHEATHAM FREED

Court of Criminal Appeals Reverses Case

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—The court of criminal appeals Wednesday reversed the case of Mrs. Parlee Cheatham, from Bexar, and discharged the appellant. Mrs. Cheatham is now confined in the county jail at San Antonio and wanted in the state of Colorado to answer to a charge of embezzlement. The lower courts, on an effort at habeas corpus proceedings, decided against her and the case was appealed to the court of criminal appeals, and an effort was being made to have Mrs. Cheatham answer to the charge. Mrs. Cheatham was discharged by order of the court, and in doing so the court held that an affidavit accompanying a requisition did not charge an offense in the state of Colorado, that it was made on information and belief. In other words, a court can go behind an executive warrant issued by a governor of a state. Judge Brooks dissented.

SENTENCE COMMUTED

Mrs. Valentina Will Not Be Hanged in New Jersey

TRENTON, N. J., May 18.—The court of pardons has commuted the sentence of Mrs. Anna Valentina to life imprisonment. Mrs. Valentina was under sentence to be hanged at Hackensack May 25, for the murder of Rosa Salva.

THE MARATHON MYSTERY

BY BURTON E. STEVENSON

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SYNOPSIS

Godfrey, a newspaper reporter, talking with a detective friend, Simmonds, is notified that murder has been done at an apartment house across the street. Arrived there, they find an acquaintance of Godfrey's, Miss Croydon, standing in a room with a pistol in her hand. She tells them that a second man fought with the dead one and struck him with an iron bar, escaping. Reason for her being there is stated by her to be that she had an engagement with the dead man for the purpose of learning about some papers he professed to possess, these being valuable to her family. Later Jimmy, called "The Dude," a well-known crook, is arrested by Simmonds, and seems on the point of telling how it all occurred, when he learns that Miss Croydon is expected to be a witness against him, and suddenly requests to be locked up, appearing indifferent as to what fate may have for him. At the coroner's hearing Miss Croydon testifies that Jimmy is not the person who slew the dead man, but the look that passed between Miss Croydon and Jimmy, when her testimony set him free of the imputation of murder, causes the detective and the newspaper man to arrive at the conclusion that they have an extraordinary case to deal with, and the pair vote that they are up against a mystery for fair.

PART II.

Lester, an attorney, being interested in the case and a friend to the newspaper reporter, takes apartments at the Marathon, the scene of the murder.

He grows intimate with the Tremaines, who live there, and takes Cecily, the woman who lives with Tremaine, to the theater. She sees the reporter and inquires about him persistently. The next day Godfrey visits Lester and they decide to investigate the Tremaines. Lester informs the newspaper man that Cecily has a most poisonous snake as a pet. It's name is Fe-Fe and she keeps it in a golden cage, giving it fine wine to drink. While Godfrey is in Lester's room, Tremaine taps on the door and is admitted—after Godfrey is hidden in an inner room to watch and see if Tremaine will make any endeavor to locate a certain small diamond found by Lester when he took the rooms, which were the scene of the murder of Thompson. Lester is called to the telephone, leaving Tremaine in his room, while Godfrey is concealed in the bedchamber.

Returning, Lester finds Tremaine smilingly smoking a cigarette and learns from Godfrey, after Tremaine has left, that Tremaine searched the carpet on hands and knees to find the diamond—they think. Discussion of the case between the two causes them to change this decision into the idea that Tremaine desired to recover certain newspaper clippings that were taken from the body of the man murdered.

PART III.

Tremaine visits the Delroys, friends of Drysdale, who is engaged to Miss Croydon. Miss Croydon is sister to Mrs. Delroy. Mrs. Delroy has a valuable pearl necklace, which seems to have lost its life appearance. Tremaine proposes that a bath in the sea will restore the pearls. Arrangements are made to do this. Drysdale overhears Tremaine making love to Miss Croydon and later she tells Drysdale she cannot explain, asking him to trust her, which he promises to do.

An old man and son are engaged to guard the necklace, which is in a small cage immersed in the sea near the Delroy's summer home, some distance from New York. On the evening in question Drysdale goes out, taking his raincoat with him. Miss Croyden comes downstairs to meet Drysdale later and finds Tremaine, who is making love to her when Delroy comes in. Miss Croydon goes up to her room and Drysdale comes in, asking Delroy where Miss Croydon has spent the evening, learns that she has been talking to Tremaine and dashes off to his room in anger. Tremaine comes downstairs to mail some letters he is supposed to have written.

When Tremaine has returned to his room, Drysdale is busy packing his suit case to return to New York. Delroy is informed that one of the two men engaged to guard the necklace has been killed. The house is roused and the coroner called. Investigation tends to show that Drysdale was the question him, with Delroy.

Continued from Yesterday.

Clippings from a newspaper! Here was a coincidence. But I cudgelled my brain vainly—I could form no theory as to why a clipping should cause those fits of rage.

"The last one, though, did not give him a spell," she added, after a moment. "We were watching the sun set out across the water when Dodol brought the letter to him. This time it was printing and writing both. He sat reading it and his eyes glistened; then he sent me running for his hat and hurried away to St. Pierre. When he came back, he told me that we were to come at once to New York."

It was exasperating. What could the message be which brought Tremaine hot foot to New York."

That was the question to which there seemed no possibility of finding the answer at present, so I turned to another point.

"You have some very pretty jewelry, Cecily," I said, touching the great brooch of gold that gleamed at her throat.

She laughed like a pleased child.

"Yes—are they not pretty, che? Let me show you," and springing from the couch, she ran into her bedroom. In a moment she was back again, a box of inlaid ebony in her hands.

"See!" she cried, and threw back the lid.

Indeed they were worth seeing, and it was not wholly to disarm her suspicions, if she had any, that I lingered over them. At last, I came to the piece I wanted.

"Here is a beautiful pin," I said. "An opal in a circle of diamonds," and I held it up to the light. "But see, Cecily; one of the diamonds is missing. Have you lost it?"

"Doudoux lost it," she answered. "He wore it sometimes as a pin for his scarf. Tambou! I was angry when I found it gone. You should have heard me!"

"I have a diamond," I said, getting out my pocketbook, "that might do to replace it. Let us see if it will fit."

I unwrapped the little brilliant and applied it to the break in the circle. Then my heart fell. It was evident in an instant that it had not come from there—it was much smaller than the other stones—differently cut.

Where, then, had this diamond come from? Who was it had dropped it in suite 14? I was utterly at sea.

"No, it will not do," I stammered, at last. "It is too small," and I returned it to my pocket. "I shall have to get you another trinket, Cecily."

She thanked me with a child's exuberance, then put away her jewels and came back to the divan, talking of many things. But my attention wandered; I answered her mechanically, or not at all.

Cecily perceived my indifference in a moment—she had a temperament which seemed to scent instinctively every change of feeling—and she threw her arms above her head with that gestures of weariness which I had seen before.

"Adie, che," she said abruptly.

"Good night, Cecily," I answered, rising and smiling in spite of myself at my curt dismissal.

"Bon-die ke beni ou!"

"And you, Cecily," I replied, as I turned to the door.

CHAPTER II.

Treasure Trove?

As I opened my door next evening, I noticed it scraped on the carpet, and an examination showed me that the carpet had come loose along the sill. I stepped to the speaking tube and called Higgins.

"It's nothing very much," I said, when he came up, "but I thought you'd better fix it before it got any worse. The carpet has come loose here along the door. Three or four tacks are all it needs."

"All right, sir," he said. "I'll fix it in th' mornin'. Them fellers what put th' carpet down didn't half do their work. I tacked a loose place down over there by th' wall just afore you moved in."

"Where was it?" I asked.

"Right here by this angle," he said, indicating the place with his foot.

I closed the door upon him.

The next instant I was down on my hands and knees tearing away the carpet. I had found them—the clippings—it was here they must be hidden; but for those chance tacks driven by the janitor, Tremaine would have had possession of them long ago, and perhaps we should never have penetrated the mystery of Thompson's death.

I turned the carpet back, and there they lay; just as they had been taken from Thompson's pocketbook. I picked them up carefully and laid them on my desk. Then I washed my hands and filled my pipe.

At last I spread them out on the desk. There were twelve of them, some only a few lines in length, others of half a column. Of one there were four copies, but of the others only one apiece. They were tattered and stained from long carrying; some were in English and some were in French, and they were dated from places as far apart as Dieppe, New York and Sydney.

I started hopefully on the task of deciphering them, but the farther I proceeded, the more my spirits fell; for they told no story, they seemed to have no relation to each other—no common thread. Apparently, they had been gathered aimlessly at haphazard to satisfy the whim of the moment. One chronicled a wreck at sea, another, a bank robbery; a third, an escape from prison; a fourth was merely a marriage notice; a fifth told of a row in a sailors' dive, and so on down the list. They were about different people—friends of Thompson's, perhaps none of them had any connection with Tremaine; they told no story, furnished no clew, shed not a ray of light on the mystery—they were absolutely worthless.

I laid them down in despair. Yet if they were worthless, why had Miss Croydon taken them? Why had Tremaine sought for them? Were they mistaken, too? Had they imagined the clippings told a secret which in fact they did not tell? But perhaps they did tell it—perhaps I had overlooked it. If Godfrey were only here.

I heard a step come down the hall, stop at my door. Some one knocked.

I hastily stuffed the clippings into my pocket and opened the door. But it was not Tremaine who stood there—it was Godfrey.

"Well, of all things!" I cried. "I was just wishing for you. Come in."

"I happened to be across the street talking with Simmonds," he said, "and I thought I'd run over and see you a moment."

"When did you get back from Washing?"

"Just this evening, and I've got to put in tomorrow at Boston, worse luck!"

I handed him a cigar and took one myself. I confess that the match with which I lighted it was not wholly steady.

"Come," said Godfrey, smiling in sympathy with my excitement, "what's the great discovery? Some news from the house party?"

"No; I haven't heard a word from the house party."

"What is it, then? Out with it."

"Godfrey," I cried, "I've found the clippings!" and I plunged my hand into my pocket and drew them forth.

I told him of Higgins' chance remark that had put me on the track, and in the same breath related what Cecily had told me of Tremaine and his encounter with his evil spirit.

"Good boy!" Godfrey commended when I had finished. "You're worth all the rest of us put together."

"I've looked them over," I repeated despondently, "but I don't believe they'll help us a bit, Godfrey. They're about everything under the sun but the one thing we're interested in."

I went back to my chair and applied myself to my cigar. A silence of three or four minutes followed, broken only by the rustling of paper and the howling of the wind about the building.

(To be Continued.)

Rheumatism, more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by Prescription No. 2851, by Elmer & Amend. For sale by all druggists.

JAP-A-LAC

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THE FINEST FINISH MADE FOR WOOD OR METAL OF ALL KINDS.

PLATE RACKS

TABLES

CHAIRS

PORCH FURNITURE

During your spring housecleaning or moving you will find that your furniture, your floors, or some other fixture, has become too badly scuffed to harmonize with the other things about your house. There is one sure way to renew everything of this character, and that is to JAP-A-LAC it.

JAP-A-LAC is made in sixteen colors, and is put up in self-sealing cans, in all sizes from 15c to $2.50. You can buy as much or as little as you need, and as soon as you see the beautiful effect you can produce on some dilapidated piece of furniture, or on a floor, you will wish, a thousand times over, that you had tried it before.

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THE TELEGRAM'S DAILY FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL REPORT

NEW YORK STOCKS

Market Continues Dull—Prices Ease Off Gradually, Reacting from the Low During the Day

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The stock market experienced another retrograde movement, which, although the volume of business was only of moderate proportions, carried prices for the actual issues a point or more below closing figures of the previous session before midday. Investigation of the Pennsylvania methods was probably the principal adverse factor with which the market had to contend. Yesterday's late developments diverted sentiment to the bear side over night and quite an accumulation of long stocks came out on the opening, which was easy, with prices as a rule fractionally lower. One of the features of the initial trading was general selling of Union Pacific, many of the transactions being for European account. The stock was not without its friends, however, and at a loss of a point, support became evident and good buying checked the decline. National Lead again showed weakness and the balance of the Guggenheim stocks sympathized. Coalers did not keep up their reputation attained yesterday, ruling rather heavy, and a conspicuous feature was the absence of trading in the high-priced issues of this class of stock. London and commission house selling was noted in St. Paul. Copper stocks were about the best behaved of the list, exhibiting a good condition at all times. However, price concessions were noted in both Amalgamated and Anaconda.

The market presented a sold-out appearance during the afternoon and many of the early sellers bought back their stocks. As a consequence prices reacted and with few exceptions closing figures showed little change from yesterday's level. Sales to noon, 421,400 shares. Money on call ruled easy at 3 per cent.

Quotations

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Loco.	69⅞	69⅞	68⅝	68⅞
Atchison	89⅛	89⅛	88¼	88⅜
Anaconda	271	271	267½	270¾
B. and O.....	107⅛	107½	106¼	106⅝
B. R. T.....	83½	84	82⅝	83
Can. Pac.	159¾	....	....	159⅞
C. F. and I....	50¾	50¾	49¾	50⅛
C. and O.....	58⅜	....	....	58⅜
Copper	109¾	110	109⅛	109¾
C. Gt. W.....	19½	19½	19	19¼
Erie	43⅞	44	43⅝	43⅞
Illinois Central	....	....	....	171½
L. and N.....	144½	144½	144	144¼
Natl. Lead ..	77	77	75¾	76¾
Mex. Central..	23⅛	....	....	22⅞
M., K. and T..	68	....	....	68
Mo. Pac.	94	94	93½	94
N. Y. Central.	140⅜	140⅝	139⅞	140¼
N. and W....	89⅝	89⅝	89⅜	89½
O. and W....	50⅞	50⅞	50⅝	50¾
People's Gas..	....	....	....	92
Pennsylvania .	133¼	133¼	132	132¾
Reading	131¾	132¾	131¼	131
Rock Island ..	26	....	....	25¾
South. Pac. ..	65¼	65¼	64⅝	64⅞
Sugar	136½	136½	135	136
Shelter	155⅞	156¼	155¼	155½
South. Ry. ..	37⅝	37⅞	37⅝	37⅝
St. Paul	168¼	168⅝	167¼	168¼
T. C. and I....	....	....	....	147½
Texas Pacific.	....	....	....	32
Union Pacific.	149¾	149¾	148½	148⅞
U. S. Steel pfd	105⅝	105⅝	105¼	105⅝
U. S. Steel ...	40⅞	41	40½	40¾

Wall Street Gossip

A stock market presenting such highly professional characteristics is the dreariest thing imaginable, and is apt to be extremely uninteresting to the outsider. How professional the market is may be judged by the fact that one floor operator is reported to have traded one day this week in one-tenth the total stocks bought and sold during the session. A little while ago one house in one session sold about a tenth of the capital stock of one of the biggest railroad corporations in the country. It is evident without further corroboration, from the mere actions of the market, that the public is trading very little. With a market in which there are such characteristics a general speculative interest does not pass abruptly from a phase of pronounced strength to one of acute weakness and back again within the space of an hour. Such a market this is, and it suggests the idea of some one standing at a huge crank, which, turned one way, grinds prices up, and, turned the other way, grinds them down.

The profit and loss account of the Anaconda Mining Company for the year ended Dec. 31, last, reports total receipts of $23,734,203; total disbursements of $18,146,481, and a balance of $5,718,828. The profit of $5,718,828 is reached after deducting all development expenditures of the year, depletion of coal and timber lands and depreciation of plant and equipment. The report for 1905 shows profits earned on the $30,000,000 stock of the company equal to 19.06 per cent. The average price of electrolytic copper in New York last year was 5.82 cents per pound. In the first four months of 1906 the average price of copper was 18.32 cents per pound, or 12.50 cents higher than in the previous year. This increase in the price represents clear gain for the Anaconda company this year and is equivalent to an increase on the selling price of copper over 1905 equal to 15.82 per cent. The total surplus of the company Dec. 31, 1905, was equal to 94.13 per cent on the stock. The surplus of the Anaconda now stands at $7,240,572.

Schools Nearing Close

WACO, Texas, May 18.—Preparations for the close of the public schools are being made, and this will occur in twelve days. The term has been a most successful one. Teachers for another year will be elected by the school board about Thursday or Friday of next week.

President Roosevelt carried Nebraska, Bryan's state, in 1904, by 86,682. McKinley, in 1900, carried it by 7,822, and Bryan, in 1896, carried it by 13,-676.

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NEW YORK COTTON

Bulls Look on Impassively While Bears Hammer Prices Down More Than Half Dollar

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, May 18—Cotton values suffered today while the bull crowd look on impassively with abiding faith in the strength of surrounding conditions and the market's reactionary powers, born seemingly of a superior knowledge of the ultimate outcome.

The day's news favored equally the longs and shorts, another large business in the actual staple at Liverpool and an estimate by a local authority of a 3.5 per cent increase in acreage, included in a report mentioning crop damage and scarcity of labor as precluding a larger production the coming season, being the bull cards, while present favorable weather conditions and the expectation of bearish weekend statistics made the short side look inviting to some.

The opening was steady with prices 1 to 4 points higher, which was hardly as much as due in response to the foreign markets. However, the deficit was soon made up, the gain being increased to 4 points on the July option.

There were a considerable number of selling orders in evidence just above the prevailing level and shorts knowing htis fact, hammered prices down some 11 and 12 points from the best, with apparent ease. The decline was effectually checked, however, when leading bulls began to offer support and some of the early sellers covered, prices worked back a few points and the market closed steady, final figures being 3 points net lower for July and 6 to 7 off for fall months.

The spot market ruled quiet, prices being unchanged at 12c for middling. Sales for consumption, 60 bales; d. o. c., 2,300.

New York Cotton

NEW YORK, May 18.—The cotton future market ruled as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	11.55	11.55	11.46	11.49-50
July	11.29	11.30	11.19	11.22-24
August ...	11.06	11.08	10.97	10.97-98
October ...	10.75	10.76	10.64	10.66-67
December .	10.74	10.75	10.65	10.67-68

New Orleans Cotton

Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—The cotton market showed some strength at the start, opening prices being 3 points higher in response to favorable Liverpool news, but this was the high point of the day for all but October, which touched a level 1 point above the opening figures. After the first few minutes, constant support was necessary to offset the volume of liquidation, which threatened to disrupt the market.

An estimate by a New York authority placing the increase in acreage at 3.50 per cent, making the total 27,956,000 acres had no effect on the market, but put the trade to thinking, as it almost coincided with previous estimates by the bull leader and Miss Giles.

The demand for the new crop options was somewhat better than recently, but prices eventually touched a net loss of 6 to 7 points, at which level the eralizing stopped and scalpers bought a little, causing the recovery ofg a few points, the close being steady with prices 4 to 5 points net lower.

In the spot market there was not much business, the demand being light. Prices were unchanged at 11 7-16c for middling. Sales, 1,875 bales, including 925 f. o. b.

New Orleans Cotton

Special to The Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—The cotton future market ruled as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	11.30	11.33	11.30	11.31-33
July	11.51	11.51	11.41	11.44-45
October ...	10.65	10.66	10.55	10.57-58
December .	10.65	10.66	10.55	10.57-58

Liverpool Cotton Cable

Special to The Telegram.

LIVERPOOL, May 18.—Cotton contracts were not in much demand despite the continued healthy conditions prevailing in the spot cotton department, where the same generous dealings which have characterized all previous sessions this week and which the trade has come to expect as a matter of course, were in order. Sales again aggregated 15,000 bales, including 14,700 American cotton. This brings the total for the week ending today to 81,000 bales. Prices were shaved a point, American middling being quoted at 6.25.

The principal buying was again for continental interests.

The future market opened steady with prices 1 down, which was slightly better than due for all except the May option, which should have been unchanged.

After working up a point or two prices eased off under realizing and selling principally for the account of southern operators and the close was steady with prices 2 to 3 points net lower.

Following are the opening and closing prices for futures:

	Open.	Close.
January-February	5.76	5.74
February-March	5.76	5.75
Marhc-April	5.80	5.76
April-May	6.05	6.03
May-June	6.04	6.02
June-July	6.04	6.03
July-August	6.04	6.03
August-September	5.96	5.96
September-October	5.83	5.83
October-November	5.76	5.75
November-December	5.75	5.74
December-January	5.75	5.74

Port Receipts

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

	Today.	Last Year.
Galveston	1,920	5,422
New Orleans	2,515	3,626
Mobile	961	1,309
Savannah	4,504	4,537
Baltimore	210	922
Total	16,342	25,621
Interior Receipts		
St. Louis	833	1,274
Cincinnati	594	308
Memphis	876	1,343
Augusta	140	634
Houston	1,253	1,934

Estimated Tomorrow

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

	Tomorrow.	Last Year.
New Orleans ..	1,600 to 2,400	1,639
Galveston	1,000 to 1,500	1,920
Houston	500 to 1,000	3,205

McLennan County Cutting Oats

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, May 18.—The cutting of oats has commenced in this county, and the crop i sfine. The grain has had barely enough rain, and ripened beautifully. With two or three weeks of fairly open weather there will be a great rush to save the oat crop. Alfalfa has been coming in freely for some time, and a great deal of this is being raised on bottom lands.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat Crop Receives Needed Moisture in Some Sections—News Causes Longs to Liquidate

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Wheat traders in Liverpool were not minded to attach any significance to the strength of the local market yesterday, other than manipulation, and cable advices were of a disappointing character, failing to report a responsive price movement there. This was an adverse factor and reports of better crop conditions owing to scattered showers over night also attracted attention to the short side and brought out considerable long wheat under the burden of which the market weakened.

The opening was easy with prices ¼c to ⅜c lower, this loss being increased shortly after the call to a matter of ½c to ⅝c. There were occasional rallies during the day, and before noon the July option touched a net gain of ⅛c, but lingered there for only a moment, as the advance only served to increase the liquidation and start the decline anew. The final result of the day's proceedings was a net gain of ½c for the shorts, the close being weak. Local receipts 5 cars.

Corn

Corn prices experienced a reaction today, being affected by liquidation brought on by Liverpool's failure to reflect our advance and the easy wheat market. Final figures showed a net loss of ⅜c to ½c.

Local reecipts 139 cars.

Oats

Oats met with a moderate volume of liquidation and little buying power, prices eased off gradually and closing figures showed a loss of ½c. Local receipts 109 cars.

Provisions

Provisions were in good demand by packers early in the session, but later withdrew and selling by local bears and profit taking by a prominent local operator caused a sharp slump. On the decline packers again entered the market and a partial reaction was effected, closing prices showing losses of 10c to 13c for pork and 5c to 7½c for lard and ribs.

Primary Movement

Receipts—Wheat 285,000 bushels vs. 344,000 this day last year. Corn, 357,000 bushels vs. 156,000 this day last year.

Shipments—Wheat, 130,000 bushels vs. 240,000 this day last year. Corn, 180,000 vs. 372,000.

Argentine shipments for the week were, of wheat 3,112,000 bushels vs. 1,784,000 for the same period last year; of corn, 2,803,000 bushels vs. 2,186,000 last year. Shipments of wheat since Jan. 1 aggregate 55,996,000 bushels vs. 55,156,000 last year. Corn shipped amounts to 14,066,000 bushels vs. 14,735,000 last year.

Chicago Grain and Provisions

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 18.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	84¼	84⅞	84⅛	84⅝
July	82¾	83¼	82⅜	82½
September ...	80⅝	80⅞	80⅜	80⅝
Corn—				
May	49¼	49¼	48⅜	48¼
July	47½	47½	47¼	47⅜
September ...	47½	47⅝	47¼	47⅜
Oats—				
May	33¾	33¾	33⅜	33⅝
July	33⅛	33⅛	32¾	32⅞
September ...	31⅛	31⅛	30⅝	30⅞
Pork—				
July	15.72	15.75	15.62	15.62
September ...	15.50	15.50	15.42	15.42
Lard—				
July	8.72	8.75	8.67	8.67
September ...	8.87	8.87	8.80	8.80
Ribs—				
July	9.07	9.07	8.97	9.00
September ...	9.07	9.07	8.97	9.00

Kansas City Grain and Provisions

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 18.—The grain and provision markets were quoted today as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat—				
May	77⅞	78½	77⅞	78½
July	75½	75⅝	75¼	75½
September ...	73½	73⅝	73½	73⅝
Corn—				
May	46⅝	....	....	46⅝
July	44⅞	45	44⅝	44⅞
September ...	....	....	....	44⅝
Oats—				
May	33¾	....	....	33⅝
July	32¾	32¾	32⅝	32⅝

Liverpool Grain Cable

Special to The Telegram.

LIVERPOOL, May 18.—Following were the changes noted in the grain markets today as compared with closing quotations on this market yesterday:

Wheat opened steady at unchanged prices; final figures showed a net loss of ¼d to ⅜d.

Corn opened steady with prices ½d higher; final figures showed a net loss of ⅛d to ¼d.

Kansas City Cash Grain

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 18.—Cash grain was quoted on this market today as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 hard 81½c to 83½c, No. 3 79c to 81c, No. 4 75c to 75½c, No. 2 red 93½c, No. 3 87c to 91c.

Corn—No. 2 white 48½c, No. 3 48c to 48¼c, No. 2 mixed 48½c, No. 3 48c, No. 4 46c.

Kansas City Puts and Calls

Special to The Telegram.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 18.—Following were the puts and calls on this market today:

Wheat—Puts 75⅞c, calls 75⅛c.

Corn—Puts 45c, calls 44½c.

BOULEVARD NOW OPEN

Driveway to Handley Extends From East Front Street

The Handley boulevard will be completed within a week as far as Sycamore Heights, and is now in such condition that it may be used to that place.

Under the present arrangement the boulevard is a direct extension of Front street, the former plan of circling from beyond the city limits and later entering Front street having been obviated, making the connection direct at the city limits.

The boulevard, when complete, will furnish a beautiful driveway to Handley, following for a greater part of the way the line of the interurban.

BIG DEAL CLOSED

Interurban Land Company Transfers 250 Lots

One of the largest real estate deals made in this city in the past two weeks was closed Friday morning. J. E. Head secured 250 lots from the Interurban Land Company for $30,000.

The lots are situated west of the bolt factory and it is understood will be opened up and placed upon the market at once.

CATTLE AND HOGS

Steers of Grass Origin Have Very Slow Sale—Fed Steers Steady—Hogs Sell 5c Higher

With 2,000 cattle in the pens, the market was about as mean as at any

grass steers to fed stuff was large and the demand was almost nil, except for the best on offer. Good steers, full fed, cake and grass and straight grass, were taken early at about steady prices, two loads of heavy fed cattle making $4.35; but the grassers were not molested.

Steers

The trade cannot understand the attitude of the packers in allowing grassers to go out to the north with a whole week's record of good and profitable sales made after such action. Daily reports from St. Louis and Kansas City have shown money made by going through this market to those points, yet buyers come back, day after day, with the same mean or meaner offers.

Hardly any sales of steers were reported up to the noon hour.

Sales of steers:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
40...	1,229	$4.35	22...	1,111	$4.00
21...	1,098	4.25	17...	832	3.40
25...	997	3.65	26...	1,015	3.65
18...	1,078	3.85			

Butcher Stock

Butcher cows were in good supply, both fed and grass, and buyers improved the opportunity to place bids on a 10c to 15c lower basis. Confronted with this condition, cow stuff had a sluggish movement.

Sales of cows:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
8...	766	$2.20	4...	747	$2.20
5...	772	2.40	28...	727	2.40
8...	740	2.55	5...	714	2.25
24m.	829	2.90	25...	860	3.10
49...	913	2.70	14...	767	2.15
26...	835	2.80	20...	789	2.50
32...	756	2.25	24...	634	2.60
28...	832	2.90	13...	880	2.90
31...	756	2.55	18...	761	2.60
24...	748	2.40	23...	734	2.40
4...	817	1.75	4...	742	2.00
6...	783	2.30	29...	775	2.40
29...	789	2.40			

Bulls

Bulls were slow sale with a weaker tone. Two bulls, averaging 1,270 pounds, sold at $2.50.

Calves

Calves picked up a trifle in animation, on the coming of two loads, the quality being a little better than that shown yesterday. Good to choice vealers were in good demand. A few bunches made $4.75, with car lots at $4.50. New Orleans stuff was weak to lower. Sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
5...	332	$3.25	30...	166	$4.25
61...	188	4.25	12...	278	3.00
11...	196	4.50	12...	444	2.75
13...	235	4.25	7...	820	3.50
4...	480	4.50	10...	307	3.50
68...	194	4.50	26...	159	4.50
3...	90	4.00	2...	160	4.75
3...	233	4.25			

Hogs

Early supplies of hogs ran to 1,700, but this was more than doubled before noon, the limit being 2,500. Bidding was steady on the first round with tops at $6.30 for hogs averaging 220. After the late supply arrived buyers pushed prices a nickel to 7½c higher on the bettered quality, paying $6.42½ on two loads of heavy Oklahomas. The bulk of hogs sold between $6.25 and $6.30. Pigs were weaker, the bulk making $4.90.

Sales of heavy hogs:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
84...	196	$6.27½	67...	222	$6.30
5...	200	6.27½	14...	161	6.29
94...	192	6.27½	6...	207	6.25
68...	209	6.37½	38...	223	6.30
80...	206	6.37½	7...	271	6.30
90...	175	6.30	93...	163	6.30
84...	187	6.35	60...	180	5.90
34...	210	6.25	75...	191	6.20
93...	161	6.30	11...	209	6.25
75...	185	6.30	79...	216	6.40
75...	184	6.30	64...	275	6.45
64...	275	6.40	85...	190	6.35
74...	192	6.35	21...	197	6.15

Sales of pigs:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
67...	114	$5.00	112...	98	$4.90
53...	100	4.70	4...	125	4.60

Sheep

Only nine sheep were on sale, and they were weighty wethers, averaging 94 pounds. They sold steady at $5.

LATE SALES FRIDAY

The following sales were made late Friday afternoon:

Steers

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.
16...	920	$3.25	28...	950	$3.80
22...	1,053	3.80	25...	981	3.80
28...	969	3.65	22...	1,113	4.00
21...	1,177	3.75	5...	992	3.75
7...	1,000	3.15	48...	1,073	3.85
97...	1,007	3.40	104...	923	3.40
Cows					
20...	737	2.30	25...	729	2.55
8...	756	2.20	7...	620	1.65
8...	763	1.90	25c&h	764	3.50
Heifers					
10...	646	2.80			
Bulls					
18...	1,520	2.90			
Calves					
12...	150	4.25	5...	120	3.75
6...	146	3.75	93...	183	4.25

Trade Notes

If the cows have their hair rubbed on, showing bare patches of skin, rub in a little sulphur and lard.

The standing returns given for the feeding of dairy cows presupposes that the animals are good of their kind.

What makes a specific dairy cow the most profitable is the fact that she turns all her energies in the right direction.

While good blood is of the greatest importance, still, if not properly trained, the highest satisfaction will not be attained.

At this time, it should be remembered that it is much easier to let cows shrink in their milk than to persuade them to swell the flow.

Will Molloy, the big stockman from Concho county, was on the exchange trading with Nebraska stockmen.

D. Ress from Norfolk, Neb., was on the yards looking for 2-year-olds.

S. A. Merton, the Jersey cow man, came in with a car of good milk stock.

Thompson Bros., Kaufman, Texas, with a car of cattle, helped the market to that extent.

MARKETS ELSEWHERE

Chicago Live Stock

Special to The Telegram.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500 head; market steady; beeves, $4.10@6.10; cows and heifers, $1.75@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2.90@5.05.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head; market opened steady and closed easy at opening prices; mixed and butchers, $6.35@6.57½; good to choice heavy, $6.40@6.57½; rough heavy, $6.18@6.35; light, $6.35@6.55; bulk, $6.47½@6.55; pigs, $5.30@6.30. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 11,000.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000 head; market steady; sheep, $3.50@6.25; lambs, $5.60@7.75.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, May 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 head; market steady; beeves, $4.25@5.90; cows and heifers, $2.50@5; stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.50; Texans and westerns, $3.75@5.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head; market steady; mixed and butchers, $6.25@6.40; good to choice heavy, $6.35@6.45; rough heavy, $6.30@6.35; light, $6.10@6.30; bulk, $6.25@6.37½; pigs, $5.25@5.75. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 4,000.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000 head; market steady; lambs, $6.50@7.70; ewes, $4.75@5.75; wethers, $5.50@6; yearlings, $5.75@6.50.

St. Louis Live Stock

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 800 head, including 500 Texans; market steady; native steers, $3.50@6; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.60; cows and heifers, $2@5; Texas steers, $3@4.75; cows and heifers, $2@4.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head; market 5c lower; mixed and butchers, $6.40@6.55; good heavy, $6.50@6.55; rough heavy, $6.20@6.35; light, $6.40@6.50; bulk, $6.40@6.50; pigs, $5.75@6.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000 head; market steady; sheep, $4@6; lambs, $5.50@8.

Hester's Weekly Statement

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—Secretary Hester's weekly New Orleans Cotton Exchange statement compares the movement of the crop for the past week with the corresponding time last year and in 1904.

Following are the figures:

	This Year	Last Year	1904
Overland for week—			
	12,396	16,858	2,927
Overland since Sept. 1—			
	861,904	985,398	890,554
Into sight since Sept. 1—			
	111,855	161,808	45,558
Southern consumption—			
	10,193,120	11,979,873	9,605,316
Interior receipts—			
	38,682	61,741	
Interior shipments—			
	57,231	99,573	
Interior stocks—			
	330,597	354,777	
Southern consumption—			
	40,000	38,000	29,000

Colonel H. C. Swanson Dead

Special to The Telegram.

PALESTINE, Texas, May 18.—Colonel H. C. Swanson died at his residence in Crawford and Mallard streets in his eighty-fourth year. Colonel Swanson has been in bad health for some time, and for the past few weeks had been seriously ill, and his death was not unexpected.

The funeral will be held at the home this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Colonel Swanson had lived in Palestine for more than fifty years.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

VIEWS ON THE MARKET

Ware & Leland

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 18.—New Orleans cotton developed an easy undertone today and turned the tide. The feature of the session was the rumor that longs and shorts in May and July in the New York market had a conference early in the day, at which a settlement was arrived at. This caused prices to ease off until they were the best part of 10 points lower than yesterday's closing. The rumor that a settlement had been made was denied strenuously by those most interested, but the known fondness of New York operators for "settlements," coupled with the fact that no one denied that longs and shorts had been in a conference, was taken by the majority of operators as evidence that something was doing. Price came out in a long circular, in which he denied having bought any spot cotton in Liverpool lately or for a long time past. This was regarded as something in the light of a contribution to Puck in the local market, as no one here believes that Price has any more desire to own any part of the Liverpool stock of cotton any more than he desires to hold any part of the New York stock. Some of the shrewdest spot people say that there is no doubt that what spot cotton the big bull interests in New York own will eventually find its way into the hands of the biggest spot people in the business. The movement continued heavy, the amount in sight being 111,855 bales, against 97,068 last week, 161,808 last year, 45,558 in 1904 and 91,182 in 1903. With all fairness it must be said that the movement refuses to fall off as stubbornly as do the spot sales in the Liverpool market, which today were again 15,000 bales. The weather continued good, little or no rain being reported on the map. There have been few months of May when the cotton planters have had such favorable weather for chopping out and cultivating the crop as this year. The crop may start somewhat late, but it will start clean, which undoubtedly is better than an early but foul crop.

Vivion Commission Company

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 18.—Cotton markets pursued pretty much the same course as that of recent sessions, although perhaps the activity from the short interest was a little more pronounced. The day's news exerted little or no influence on prices, another sale of 15,000 bales of spot cotton on the Liverpool market and an estimate by Latham, Alexander & Co., placing the acreage at 27,956,000, an increase of 3½ per cent, being offset by favorable weather conditions and the expectation of a bearish week-end statement. However, regarding the latter there was some doubt, as the sale of 81,000 bales for the week in Liverpool influenced many to expect a large decrease in the visible. The foreign contract market was some better than due at the hour of opening on this side, but the New York market opened hardly as well as expected, prices being 1 to 3 points higher. The gain was increased 2 points on July and 1 point on new crop options during the early trading. Bears indulged in some hammering and broke prices 10 to 12 points from the best, at which level some of the leading bulls came to the support of the market and brought about a partial reaction. The big spot interests in July sold July-August in Liverpool today, undoing some straddles which have stood for some time. Spots were unchanged at 12c for middling. There seems to be little to this market, but the way it holds up is encouraging, and although the acreage of the crop is entirely a matter of conjecture, I feel confident that the bull side is the safest, pending the government report June 8. C. T. VIVION.

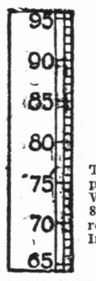
Swift's PRIDE Washing Powder

Swift's PRIDE Washing Powder is a pulverized soap for general use in cleaning woodwork, kitchen utensils, and metals. It is pure—harmless—economical. A true helper to the housekeeper.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.
Makers of Swift's PRIDE Soap

FORECAST: PARTLY CLOUDY WEATHER

SHOWERS



Temperature at 2:30 p. m., 82 degrees. Wind south, velocity 8 miles an hour. Barometer stationary. Indications showers.

NEW ORLEANS FORECAST

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—Weather indications for the southwest are as follows:

East Texas (north)—Tonight scattered showers; Saturday partly cloudy.

East Texas (south)—Tonight and Saturday scattered showers; light southerly winds on the coast.

Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Tonight fair and cooler; Saturday fair.

Arkansas—Tonight and Saturday partly cloudy.

The forecast until 7 p. m. Saturday for Fort Worth and vicinity is as follows: Tonight scattered showers; Saturday partly cloudy weather.

Cotton Region Bulletin

Following is the weather record for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time, Friday, May 18:

Stations—	Temperature. Max.	Min.	Rain-fall.	State of weather.
*Abilene	84	64	.06	Rain
Ballinger	86	64	.56	Cloudy
Beeville	88	66	.08	Cloudy
Blanco	84	64	T	Cloudy
Brenham	84	64	.00	Cloudy
Brownwood ..	88	64	.02	Cloudy
*Corpus Christi	78	68	T	Cloudy
Corsicana ...	84	64	.00	Clear
Cuero	92	68	.00	Cloudy
Dallas	84	62	.00	Clear
Dublin	80	66	.00	Clear
*Fort Worth .	83	66	.00	Clear
*Galveston ...	78	72	.00	Pt. cldy
Greenville	76	64	.00	Clear
Hearne	84	64	.00	Clear
Henrietta	84	64	.00	Pt. cldy
Houston	88	66	.00	Clear
Huntsville	86	60	.00	Clear
Kerrville	88	62	.54	Cloudy
Lampasas	86	64	.00	Pt. cldy
Longview	88	66	.00	Clear
Mexia	84	62	.00	Clear
Nacogdoches .	84	60	.00	Pt. cldy
*Palestine	82	66	.00	Pt. cldy
Paris	86	62	.00	Clear
San Antonio .	88	66	.18	Cloudy
San Marcos ..	86	68	.00	Cloudy
Sherman	82	64	.00	Clear
Temple	86	62	.00	Clear
Tyler	86	64	.00	Clear
Waco	90	68	.00	Clear
Waxahachie .	86	64	.00	Clear
Weatherford .	86	64	.00	Clear
Wharton	90	64	.00	Clear

District Averages

Central Stations—	No. Sta.	Temperature. Max.	Min.	Rain-fall.
Atlanta	13	88	60	.00
Augusta	11	88	60	.00
Charleston ...	5	84	62	.00
Galveston	32	86	64	.10
Little Rock ..	14	90	64	.00
Memphis	15	88	64	.00
Mobile	10	86	62	T
Montgomery .	10	86	62	.00
New Orleans .	16	88	64	T
Oklahoma ...	11	84	62

Every day a few lines of type change the face of the world for someone---so watch the "Liner" ads.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—For United States army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer, 345 Main street, Dallas; 1300 Main street, Fort Worth; 113¼ South Fourth street, Waco, 131½ Travis street, Sherman, Texas.

A HUNDRED FIREMEN and brakemen on Texas and other railroads. Experience unnecessary. Firemen, $100, become engineers and earn $200 monthly. Brakemen $75, become conductors and earn $150. Positions awaiting young men. State age. Send stamp. Name position preferred. Railway Association, room 59-227 Monroe street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

WANTED—Gentleman or lady with good reference, to travel for firm of $250,000 capital. Salary $1,072 per year and expenses; salary paid weekly and expenses advanced. Address, stamp, J. A. Alexander, Fort Worth, Texas.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. We prepare you for position, $12 to $20 weekly. Short time required. Scholarship includes tuition, tools and board. Positions or locations waiting. Call or write, Moler Barber College, First and Main streets.

MEN and boys wanted learn plumbing, plastering, brick laying. Special offer life scholarship $50; easy payments; position and union card guaranteed; free catalogue. Coyne Bros. Trade Schools, New York, Chicago, St. Louis.

AGENTS wanted — Best book. San Francisco earthquake; vast gallery pictures; 70 per cent commission. Outfit free. Send 10c for postage. The Bible house, 325 Dearborn street, Chicago.

MERCHANTS WANTED—Progressive dealers every Texas town, investigate new proposition to handle Edison Phonographs. Address T. care Texas Phonograph Co., state jobbers, Houston, Texas.

SALESMAN WANTED—Well equipped salesman to call on physicians. A very exceptional opportunity is offered for immediate work. State age and experience. Lock Box 858, Philadelphia.

WANTED—At once, stationary engineer wants position. Will keep up repairs. No objection to leaving city. Sober and steady. Address 2717 Loving avenue, North Fort Worth.

FIRST-CLASS dressmaker with good references, wanted to take charge of dressmaking in a business house. McWilliams, Wolff & Max Co., San Antonio, Texas.

WANTED—Lady solicitors, salary or commissions. Call at 915 Cannon avenue, between 8 and 12 o'clock mornings.

WANTED—A woman over 25 years (white); farmily of three; good pay and very light work. Call afternoons. 1406 Jones street.

$20 WEEKLY easily earned; position permanent; distributing circulars, samples, etc. For particulars, Commercial Adv. Assn., Philadelphia, Pa.

BRIGHT women taught a profession paying $25 to $50 per week. Suite 2, 804½ Houston street. Mme. De Gosleen.

I HAVE AN OPENING for first-class man who understands city real estate; must furnish references. Address 6, care Telegram office.

WANTED—At once, a white or colored woman for general housework. Apply 401 Hemphill street.

WANTED—One man to buy a pair of W. L. Douglas Shoes. Apply at Monig's.

TWO NEAT appearing men wanted; good pay. Apply, Professor Deforest, between 5 and 6 p. m., 1008 Taylor st.

EXPERIENCED SEAMSTRESS wanted; sewing at home or by the day. Phone 517 now.

BARBER WANTED for Saturday. 113 East Fifteenth street.

POSITIONS furnished or money refunded. Labor Bureau, 202 1-2 Main.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Young man desires place vate family, by man of moral character; size of room, number of children of little importance; references given if required. Write what you have. Address, 389, care Telegram.

A COMPETENT LADY with long experience, to manage or rent a furnished hotel, or act as housekeeper; no objections to leaving city; references. Business Exchange, 202½ Main street.

WANTED—To review book manuscripts, stories and poems. Suggestions and corrections offered. Typewriting done; references. Box 316, Fort Worth, Texas.

WANTED—A position as office girl or to do some light occupation, by a well educated young lady. References, if desired. Apply at 1316 Lake avenue, North Fort Worth.

WANTED—That you remember E. Q. Thayer, successor to C. L. Swartz Co., for all kinds of outdoor pictures. Phone 1543.

MIDDLE AGED LADY wants place to nurse sickness; prices reasonable. Address Mrs. Roberts, 236 North Florence street. Phone 1548 red.

WANTED at once, a position as stenographer, by capable young man of unquestionable character. Call 3115, old phone.

WANTED—Twenty carpenters, $3 per day, 9 hours, for good men. Texas Building Company, Cypress street and T. & P. tracks.

GOOD HOTEL MAN desires position as hotel clerk; have had two years' experience. Address, P. O. Box 1, Fort Worth, Texas.

WANTED—Position as office assistant and bookkeeper. Address 444, care Telegram.

WANTED—Position as companion to an invalid lady. Address 445, care Telegram.

WANTED—Young man of hustling ability to take traveling position. Call Delaware hotel, room 32.

Help of all kinds furnished promptly by Labor Bureau. New phone 931.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Board only in a refined and private family, by young man. Price no object. Address, P. O. Box 503.

WANTED—A two or three-room house for removal. Old phones 2949 or 1681.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED — To buys railroad track scale, 60 tons capacity, forty feet long; state make, condition and how long in use and price; also where located. Richmond Cotton Company, Richmond, Texas.

WANTED—$1,000 worth of second-hand furniture and stoves for spot cash. Call on W. P. Lane Furniture and Carpet Co., corner Fourteenth and Houston streets, or call 3252 old phone or 45 new phone.

I WILL PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICE for all the second hand furniture I can get. R. E. Lewis. Phones 1329, 212-14 Houston street.

WANTED—Sewing at home or by the day by a first-class seamstress. Ring new phone 1895 or call at 705 Magnolia avenue.

WANTED—Pianos to tune. J. Edwin Macon, tuner, at J. C. Walton's Phone 2379-2. Endorsed by E. Armstrong.

WANTED—At new hospital, all cases of lameness or sickness. Satisfaction guaranteed. Both phones. 110 Rusk street. Dr. Barnes.

WANTED—Twenty teams to haul 4,000 loads of gravel; can make $3.50 per day. L. J. Hawkins' gravel pit.

WANTED—Pupils who desire to learn German; lessons given evenings. Apply 1211 Main street.

WANTED—To buy modern seven-room house, close in, on west side. Address 470, Care Telegram.

WANTED—To buy for cash, modern five-room cottage, close in. Address 474, care Telegram.

WANTED—To buy or rent good buggy; give price and description. Address 293, care Telegram.

WANTED—A horse by the month for light driving. Call or phone Texas Loan Co., 1002 Houston street.

WANTED—A horse for his feed; good care, light work. Address 406, Telegram.

ROOMS FOR RENT

THE MONTEZUMA APARTMENTS—All newly furnished and largest rooms in the city. Your patronage solicited. 804 1-2 Houston street. Old phone 4176.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, with young couple; one block from car line, all modern improvements; terms reasonable; references exchanged. Old phone 368 or 1585.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, all modern conveniences; call before 10 a. m. or after 5 p. m. 814 Macon street. Phone 3358. References required.

WANTED—Position by young man; combination bookkeeper and stenographer; employed but desires change. Will furnish own machine. Stenographer, 115 W. Annie street.

ONE NICE FRONT ROOM, with first-class table board; all modern conveniences; three blocks west of court house. 411 West Belknap street. 826 new phone.

IN PRIVATE HOME, large nicely furnished front room, southern exposure, suitable for two gentlemen or two ladies; separate beds; references required. 807 West Third street.

FOR RENT—One large south and east room, with board for couple; electric light, bath and phone. 312 East Belknap, old phone 1980.

ROOMS FOR RENT—With or without board; modern conveniences; terms reasonable. 922 Macon street. Old phone 3386.

TWO NICE large furnished rooms and board, with electric lights, furnace heat and bath, hot and cold water. West Fifth street. Phone 1314.

FOR RENT—One large south and east room, with board, for couple; electric light, bath and phone. 312 East Belknap street. Old phone 1980.

TWO LOVELY Unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Back and front entrance. Bath and all conveniences apply 319 Henderson street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; modern; five blocks south Texas and Pacific depot. 408 Bryan street.

FOR RENT—Two furnished, three unfurnished rooms, for housekeeping. All conveniences, everything new, cool, on car line. Phone 3681.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, suitable for two young men, with or without board. 306 Hemphill. Phone 4115.

THE IDEAL rooming house, 1608½ Houston street, is a quiet, respectable place. Housekeeping and bedrooms at reasonable rates, day, week or month.

FOR RENT—A well furnished room, with all modern conveniences; hot and cold water; phone; on car line. 393 Gaston avenue.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished south front rooms, modern home, best part of city; first-class table board for refined couple. Phone 1211.

FOR RENT—Three rooms for light housekeeping, East Front; modern conveniences; rent reasonable. Phone 2815.

FURNISHED ROOMS, $1.50 per week up. Oriental Hotel, 1201 Main street. Newly renovated, painted and papered.

FRONT ROOM, just furnished with new carpet and furniture; 508 Throckmorton street; $3.50 per week.

WANTED—To rent modern furnished room to couple without children. Board next door. Phone 3341.

EVERYTHING MODERN, new building, The Kingsley, corner Eighth and Throckmorton streets.

NICE, newly furnished rooms to rent to gentlemen. Board furnished if desired. Apply 914 Lamar, phone 3552.

DESIRABLE furnished front room for gentlemen or housekeeping; cheap. Phone 2023.

ROOMS—Furnished or unfurnished, with or without board. 121 Galveston avenue. Phone 949.

ROOMS FOR RENT—All modern conveniences Phone 1391.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One unfurnished room in private family. Apply 606 Pennsylvania ave.

THREE furnished rooms with modern conveniences, one block from car line. Phone 3863.

LARGE furnished southeast room, light, bath, phone; near T. and P. Phone 2725.

ONE FUNISHED front room, convenient to three boarding houses; 418 East Third street.

FOR RENT—One large, airy front room in private family; all modern conveniences. Apply 815 Macon street.

FOR RENT—Desirable rooms, modern conveniences. Apply 208 Jennings avenue.

FOR RENT—A furnished room at 215 East Weatherford street. Would board couple.

TWO OR THREE furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1610 Mead avenue.

MODERN living in private house; bath, everything first class; reasonable. Phone 3192.

FURNISHED rooms, all modern conveniences, at The Speer, corner Fifth and Throckmorton.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, all modern and new; over Blythe's, Eighth and Houston streets.

ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished, for bed rooms or light housekeeping. Old phone 2906.

VERY DESIRABLE front room; good board; modern conveniences. 300 East Fourth street.

NO better place to room than The St. Innes. 203½ Main; also light housekeeping.

TWO ELEGANT, cool, front rooms, shade, ground floor. 704 East Belknap street. Phone 2619.

WISH a room in private family seven nights a month. Address 326, care Telegram.

FOR RENT—Two elegant rooms for light housekeeping; close in. 312 West Second.

NICELY furnished rooms for rent, with all modern conveniences. 912 Monroe street.

TWO NICELY furnished rooms for bed rooms, or light housekeeping. Phone 4289.

TWO COMPLETELY furnished housekeeping rooms; $3. 109 North Royal avenue.

NICELY furnished housekeeping rooms; desirable; cheap. 203 Rusk.

NICELY furnished front room, reasonable. Phone 3776 old.

TWO furnished rooms. 617 Florence street.

NEATLY furnished south room. New phone 1187. 300 North Burnett.

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NICELY furnished rooms, desirable, cheap. 514 East Sixth street.

ROOM FOR RENT, in rear of Manhattan Saloon, 1214 Main street.

TWO PLEASANT summer rooms. 501 East Sixth street.

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, $10 a month. 514 E. 4th St.

BOARD AND ROOMS

ROOM AND BOARD in private family; south side; modern conveniences; second floor, south room. Inquire on premises, 1102 May, near Magnolia car line.

BOARD AND ROOM in a private family of good standing, by a young man of the same; can furnish best references. Address 411, care Telegram.

ONE nice upstairs south room with first-class table board, all modern conveniencies. Three blocks west of court house. 506 West Belknap street. Phone 826, new.

WANTED—Table and regular boarders; rates reasonable. The St. Charles, Seventh and Rusk streets. J. W. Harris, Prop.

TWO lovely unfurnished rooms for rent; back and front entrance; on Henderson car line; to parties without children. 319 Henderson street.

ONE nice large room with board in private family; man and wife preferred. 300 East Ireland. New phone 1605.

BOARD and lodging, with good home-cooked meals, 15 cents; weekly from $3.50 up. Goff House, 1314½ Houston street.

ROOM AND BOARD—$4 week and up. The Colonial Inn, the new hotel, 304 15th.

GOOD table board at 506 West Belknap. Call after Feb. 1. 3 blocks west of court house.

ONE nicely furnished upstairs room with board, for couple or two gentlemen. 913 Taylor.

BEST ROOM AND BOARD at the Family Hotel, 1004 Lamar street. Rates reasonable.

WANTED—Four more good boarders, one minute walk from Main street; rates reasonable. Phone 1524.

BOARD AND ROOM—$3.50 to $5 per week; family style; at "The Texas," 404 Taylor street. Phone 1150.

NICELY furnished rooms, modern conveniences, first-class board. 302 Lipscomb street.

BOARDERS WANTED — First class table board at $10 per month. 415 East Belknap.

I CAN GIVE families day board cheaper than they can board at home. Inquire 838 Taylor street. Phone 3454.

ROOM and board for two gentlemen at 920 Taylor street.

EXCELLENT TABLE BOARD, $3 per week, at 309 E. First street.

NICE room and board. 818 Lipscomb street.

FURNISHED ROOMS with board. 1113 North street.

BOARD AND ROOMS

FOR RENT, with board, one large southeast room, beautifully furnished, two blocks from Main street, for two young men or man and wife. Phone 3454.

GOOD DAY BOARD can be secured at 514 East Sixth street; $3.50 per week. Phone 2613.

TWO NICE ROOMS and board, in a private family. Phone 3664.

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Have you seen George?

Take a ride with him to the famous L. T. Millett addition, Polytechnic Heights, and be convinced that you can

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a lot in this beautiful addition and double your money. Now is your chance to take advantage of our low prices and lowest terms to buy

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these small payments down you have a chance to resell at a profit, with small capital invested, which gives the second person a chance to buy. We want you to go out to the

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addition and see for yourself. Remember, drive down the graveled street from Polytechnic College to the Masonic Home, through this beautiful addition. See us. L. T. Millett, owner, at the G. B. Pennock Realty Company, room 21, Scott-Harrold building, 602½ Main street, corner Fifth street. Old phone 4409. New phone 422.

2,165 ACRES of good grazing land, 800 acres tillable; four-wire fence, 3-room house, 40 acres in cultivation; 5 miles southeast of Graham, one-third in good trade, balance on long time. Price $5 per acre. Western Realty Co., Arlington, Texas

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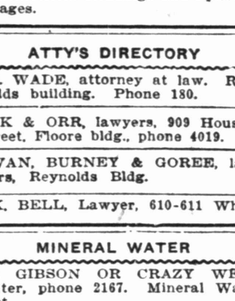

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Waco did it again. Second game of the Panthers' present series with the Navigators Thursday resulted in defeat for the visitors by a score of 4 to 1. If Hickey hadn't mis-handled Walsh's single in the seventh, it would have probably been a shut out. Carlin and Berry's errors were held responsible for three of the circuits, and another fumble by Carlin helped the other run, which came after a two-bagger by Murphy, and a single by Hoffman. The Panthers got busy in the ninth, but too late. Cavender made a fine running catch, while Boles, unassisted, slew a batting rally.

Waco

	AB.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Reitz, 2b.	4	2	1	2	0
Dawkins, 3b.	2	0	2	1	0
Bero, ss.	3	0	6	2	0
Barry, rf.	4	2	0	0	0
Hickey, lf.	4	1	1	1	1
Murphy, cf.	3	1	3	0	0
Hoffman, 1b.	4	3	11	0	1
Wagner, c.	3	0	3	3	0
Hiatt, p.	3	0	0	3	0
Totals	30	9	27	12	2

Fort Worth

	AB.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Gfrorer, cf.	4	1	0	0	0
Carlin, 3b.	4	1	1	3	3
Cavender, lf.	4	2	1	0	0
Boles, ss.	4	1	2	1	0
Wilson, rf.	4	0	3	0	0
Salm, 1b.	3	1	10	0	0
Clayton, 2b.	3	0	1	4	0
Berry, c.	3	1	6	1	1
Walsh, p.	3	1	0	3	0
Totals	32	8	24	12	4

Score by innings:
Waco .....0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 2 *—4
Fort Worth .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1

Summary—Runs, Bero, Barry, Murphy, Wagner, Salm; stolen bases, Murphy, Gfrorer, Carlin 2, Hiatt; sacrifice hit, Wagner; two-base hit, Murphy; double plays, Hoffman unassisted, Carlin and Salm; struck out, by Hiatt 3, by Walsh 5; bases on balls, off Walsh 4; batters hit, by Hiatt 1; passed ball, Berry; left on bases, Waco 6, Fort Worth 4. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Stewart.

At Temple

	R.	H.	E.
Temple ....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2	6	2	
Dallas ....1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0—6	13	0	

Summary—Two-base hits, Merkel, Sullivan, Burieson 2, Stovall; three-base hits, Sullivan, Metz; struck out, by Merkel 3, by Pruitt 6; bases on balls, off Merkel 5, off Pruitt 3; batters hit, Butler, Fink; sacrifice hits, Moore, Meyers, Pruitt; stolen bases, Sullivan, Fink, Bigbie, Metz; double play, Pease to McCulley; passed balls, Metz 3; runs scored, McCulley, Moore, Sullivan 3, Fink, Stovall, Metz. Time of game—1 hour and 40 minutes. Umpire—Wright.

At Cleburne

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Cleburne ..0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	5	3	
Greenville .0 6 0 0 1 0 0 3 *—10	11	0	

Summary—Stolen bases, Lowden, Sneeden; two-base hits, Wright, McIver, Lowden; three-base hits, McIver 2; double plays, Sneeden to Maag to Raley; earned runs, Greenville 5; sacrifice hits, Wright, Shelton, Stevens; innings pitched, Womack 2, Moran 6, Doyle 9; hits, apportioned, Womack 5, Moran 6, Doyle 5; struck out, by Moran 3, by Doyle 6; bases on balls, off Womack 2, off Doyle 3; wild pitches, Moran, Doyle; passed ball, Powell; hit by pitched ball, Lowden, Sneeden; left on bases, Greenville 6, Cleburne 7. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes. Umpire—Collins.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Standing of Clubs

Clubs—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Dallas	20	17	3	.850
Greenville	21	13	8	.619
Fort Worth	19	10	9	.526
Cleburne	21	9	12	.429
Temple	22	8	14	.364
Waco	21	5	16	.238

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing of Teams

Clubs—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Chicago	32	23	9	.719
New York	28	19	9	.679
Pittsburg	27	15	12	.556
Philadelphia	30	16	14	.533
St. Louis	28	13	15	.464
Boston	29	12	17	.414
Cincinnati	31	11	20	.355
Brooklyn	29	8	21	.276

Thursday's Results
Pittsburg 2, New York 0.
St. Louis 3, Brooklyn 2.
Cincinnati 2, Boston 0.
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 1.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Standing of Teams

Clubs—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Shreveport	27	21	6	.778
New Orleans	26	17	9	.654
Memphis	26	16	10	.616
Birmingham	31	18	13	.581
Atlanta	29	14	15	.483
Montgomery	27	10	17	.370
Nashville	31	10	21	.326
Little Rock	27	6	21	.222

Thursday's Results
New Orleans 4, Nashville 3.
Shreveport 1, Montgomery 0.
Memphis 18, Birmingham 3.
Atlanta 3, Little Rock 1.

SOUTH TEXAS LEAGUE

Standing of Teams

Clubs—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Houston	18	14	4	.778
Austin	18	11	7	.611
San Antonio	19	9	10	.474
Galveston	19	8	11	.421
Beaumont	19	8	11	.421
Lake Charles	19	6	13	.315

Thursday's Results
Beaumont 8, Lake Charles 0.
Houston 0, San Antonio 0 (16 innings.)
Austin 11, Galveston 7.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing of Teams

Clubs—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Philadelphia	25	18	7	.720
Cleveland	22	13	9	.591
Detroit	24	13	11	.542
St. Louis	26	14	12	.538
New York	24	12	12	.500
Washington	25	12	13	.480
Chicago	23	10	13	.435
Boston	27	6	21	.222

Thursday's Results
Cleveland 7, Boston 4.
Philadelphia 5, Detroit 0.
Chicago 6, Washington 2.
New York 4, St. Louis 2.

YESTERDAY'S RACE RESULTS

At Louisville

Weather clear, track good. Summary:

First race, six furlongs: John English won, Sallie B B second, Skyte third. Time, 1:15.

Second race, seven furlongs: The Pet won, Fox Meade second, Adesso third. Time, 1:29 4-5.

Third race, four and one-half furlongs: Warner Griswell won, Fair Fagot second, Timothy Wen third. Time, 0:56.

Fourth race, seven furlongs: Hyperion won, Henry Watterson second, Coruscate third. Time, 1:28.

Fifth race, four and one-half furlongs: Alline Cummins won, Spider Web second, Ingenue third. Time, 0:56.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth: Padre won, Juba second, Reticent third. Time, 1:49 2-5.

At Belmont Park

NEW YORK, May 18.—Mandarin at 2 to 1 won the Van Ness selling stakes, six and one-half furlongs, yesterday, and made a world's record for the distance, stepping it in 1:18. Mintia made the pace to the final furlong, where Miller brought Mandarin up and won in a drive by a neck.

Rose Ben, carrying 140 pounds, was defeated by Guiding Star, a long shot, in the opening six furlongs' sprint. Jersey Lady lowered Bat Masterson's record made yesterday for four and one-half furlongs to 0:52 2-5.

First race, six furlongs: Guiding Star won, Rose Ben second, Samson third. Time, 1:18.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs: Jersey Lady won, Charles Edwards second, Dumfound third. Time, 0:52 2-5.

Third race, mile: Old Faithful won, Woolwich second, Cenna third. Time, 1:40 2-5.

Fourth race, Van Ness stakes, six and one-half furlongs: Mandarin won, Mintia second, Lord of the Forest third. Time, 1:18.

Fifth race, five furlongs: Mexican Silver won, El Fall second, La Rose third. Time, 0:59 3-5.

Sixth race, one mile: The Quail won, Von Tromp second, Bad News third Time, 1:39 2-5.

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VISIT DRAWS TO A CLOSE

Four Thousand People Visited Cooper Yesterday

Special to The Telegram.

ST. LOUIS, May 17.—In view of the enormous sale of Cooper's preparations now going on in this city and the intense interest which Mr. Cooper has stirred up since his arrival, a representative of the Globe-Democrat spent Thursday afternoon at the young man's headquarters, watching the swarm of humanity come and go.

During the afternoon the reporter interviewed many of the callers and obtained statements from all who cared to give them as to their experiences with Cooper and his preparations.

The following are selected from those statements as being typical of the general expression of the people seen:

Mr. W. T. Bray, living at 1120 Angelic street, when interviewed, said: "I had suffered for years with stomach, liver and kidney trouble, seven years, in fact. I had tried many remedies, but obtained no help from any medicine I took. I bought one bottle of the New Discovery medicine and one of the Quick Relief. After using them one week, I feel so wonderfully improved I can hardly believe it possible. I am very grateful to Mr. Cooper. He has a wonderful medicine."

Another caller was Mrs. Clara Yohe living at 1610 Locust street. She said: "I had suffered with stomach trouble for several years. I was so bad the last year I could not eat anything at all. I could not digest my food and had severe pain in my stomach most of the time. I did not sleep well and had severe headaches at times. I have tried many remedies, have been to a number of physicians. I bought some of this man Cooper's preparations. I feel greatly benefited and have gained steadily in flesh since using the medicines. I have not a trace of stomach trouble left, and have come here to thank Mr. Cooper."

Mr. C. A. Taylor of 4220 Finney street, said: "I have been suffering with severe stomach trouble for several years and owing to the nervous condition caused by this trouble I could not sleep. The only relief I obtained was up and walking around. I tried everything heard of for stomach trouble, but nothing gave me any relief. I heard so much of this man Cooper, that I decided to try his medicine. I have used several bottles and noticed a decided improvement almost immediately. I am now entirely cured, and feel happier than I have for several years."

Mr. John Schenk, of 2111 North Twelfth street, when questioned, said: "I have had eight years of suffering and sleepless nights on account of stomach trouble and headaches. I have used one bottle of Cooper's preparation, and now rest every night. I have not had a trace of stomach trouble left and have been immensely benefited every way."

Mr. S. P. Hitchings, living at 2145 Franklin avenue, made the following statement: "I have suffered with rheumatism for thirty years. I was stiff in all my joints so that I could hardly use them. I have tried Cooper's remedy and have come here to thank him and purchase more, as I can now handle myself perfectly after using the preparations one week. I feel better than I have for years."

Amelia Leonard, living at 1530 Salsbury street, said: "I have suffered for the past ten years with stomach trouble, headaches, dizziness and kidney trouble. I have been treated by a number of physicians and have used all kinds of medicine, nothing did me any good. My appetite was very irregular and my back pained me greatly. In fact my life was a misery to me all the time. I suffered with nervousness and loss of sleep. I have used two bottles of the New Discovery medicine. This morning an immense tapeworm passed from my system. This has undoubtedly been the cause of all my suffering, and I am very grateful to this man who has relieved me."

Mr. George Shultz, of 4418 Coatebrilliant avenue, was another caller. He said: "I have had rheumatism for twelve years and have tried many different remedies, but they failed to help me. I also had stomach trouble. After using the Cooper remedy for one week I am a different man entirely. I am very grateful for what this preparation has done and believe Cooper has the greatest medicine on earth."

In spite of assertions made by various physicians that Cooper is a fad, who will soon die out, the young man seems to be gaining even greater headway as his visit draws to a close. It is estimated that four thousand people called on him yesterday.

LOCKET SAVES GIRL

George DeWolfe, Aged 18, Suicides After Shooting at Girl in Boston

By Associated Press.

BOSTON, Mass., May 18.—At the close early today of a reunion of the Cambridge Commercial School graduates, George M. DeWolfe, aged 18 years, fired a shot at Lillian Thoroughgood, aged 17 years, and then shot himself in the head. DeWolfe died an hour later. A locket worn by the girl saved her from being injured, although her clothing was set on fire. The two had quarreled.

RULES REVISED

Palestine School Board Will Print Regulations

Special to The Telegram.

PALESTINE, Texas, May 17.—The board of trustees of the Palestine public schools held a special meeting last night at the city hall and revised the rules and regulations of the schools. The board adjourned until tonight, when the course of studies for the future will be outlined, and both the rules and course of studies will be printed in pamphlet form.

WILL BUILD WAREHOUSE

Farmers to Be Assisted By McGregor Board of Trade

Special to The Telegram.

McGREGOR, Texas, May 18.—At a meeting of the Farmers' Union and the McGregor board of trade, the farmers' organization requested assistance from the business men in the plan looking to the erection of a warehouse here. That the warehouse will be built seems assured, the board of trade assuring the farmers of their hearty support and promising to give a definite idea of the amount that may be expected at the meeting June 9.

WILL RECOGNIZE TROPHY

Kaiser to Take Official Cognizance of Yacht Races

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The Times today says:

It was reported yesterday that it is the intention of the kaiser to give official recognition to the national yachting trophy to be offered by him for American yachts, to be held off Newport, R. I., Aug. 8. It is probable two German warships will be sent to attend the races.

TO DEBATE RY. RATE

Baylor and State University Contest Friday Night

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, May 18.—The big debate between Baylor University and the State University representatives will take place tonight, the event being one of note in college circles. The railroad question is the subject, the exact statement of which is as follows:

"Resolved, That the Congress of the United States Should Grant to an Administrative Commission Power to Decide, Upon Complaint, Whether a Given Interstate Freight Rate Prescribed by a Railroad Is Unreasonable or Unjust, and if Found to Be So, to Prescribe, After a Full Investigation, a Reasonable and Just Rate, Which Shall Go Into Effect at Once."

Baylor will affirm through W. T. Lofland and J. H. Pace; the State will be represented by Jos. A. Wortham and Mr. Cobb. An immense audience is expected.

QUITS MARBLE BUSINESS

W. G. McClain to Be Postmaster at Waxahachie

Special to The Telegram.

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, May 18.—W. G. McClain has sold his marble yard to J. M. Youngblood and C. A. Wilkins. Mr. McClain was recently indorsed by Cecil Lyon for postmater at this place, and has disposed of his business to take charge of the office immediately following his appointment.

WILL MUZZLE DOGS

Board of Health Wants Waco Ordinance Enforced

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, May 18.—At a meeting of the board of health yesterday afternoon the board decided to ask the city council to have the ordinance requiring the muzzling of dogs strictly enforced. There are still some loose dogs here, despite the fact that three or four hundred have been killed, and the physicians think that no chances ought to be taken which can be avoided.

OLD SETTLER DEAD

Mrs. George Johnson Dies Near Pilot Point

Special to The Telegram.

PILOT POINT, Texas, May 18.—Six months more than 72 years of age and having lived in this commupity for more than twenty-five years, Mrs. George Johnson is dead at her home near Pilot Point. She is survived by four brothers and one sister, all eight of her children being dead. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon and was followed by interment in the city cemetery.

TO WASH FEET

Ceremony to Be Observed by Lamar County Primitive Baptists

Special to The Telegram.

PARIS, Texas, May 18.—The Primitive Baptists of this section have arranged to have an old-fashioned "foot washing" the second Sunday in June. The ceremony will be largely attended by persons from all parts of the county.

Death of Captain John H. King

Special to The Telegram

DALLAS, Texas, May 18.—News reached this city yesterday from Pilot Point, Denton county, Texas, of the death there last night of Captain John H King, one of the most prominent men in North Texas in his day. Captain King was a Confederate soldier and had made his home at Pilot Point for many years.

STRIKE RUMORED

Painters and Paper Hangers Dissatisfied in New York

Special to The Telegram.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Seven thousand painters and paper hangers will, it is rumored, strike on Monday, tying up work of this kind in New York city. The strike was ordered last night at a meeting of the greater New York council of the Brotherhood of Painters.

ST. VITUS' DANCE

CHILD OF TEN CURED BY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

Mrs. Ream's Daughter Began to Gain Flesh at Once and is Now Well and Happy.

Children are doubtless punished many times at school for not keeping still or for dropping things when the trouble is really chorea, or St. Vitus' dance, as it is popularly called. So common is this nervous disease in childhood that in some schools one-fifth of all the pupils have been found suffering from it in one form or another. Before the presence of the disease is betrayed there is usually a disturbance of the general health. The child shows listlessness and inattention. Then it becomes restless and twitching of the muscles and jerking of the limbs and body follow.

Often the patient loses flesh and becomes pale and bloodless. A remedy that cures St. Vitus' dance, and cures it so thoroughly that no trace of the disease remains, is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. A recent cure is that of Georgia, the ten-year-old daughter of Mrs. D. M. Ream, of Conemaugh, Pa. Mrs. Ream says:

"When Georgia started to school last year she had stomach trouble and afterward her mouth began to twitch. She would shake all over and could not be still. After a few months her mind became affected. She was under the care of two doctors for almost four months. When she had been sick for about seven months we heard of a case like Georgia's that had been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. It was in the latter part of February that she commenced to take the pills and they made the greatest change in her. They not only cured every trace of the St. Vitus' dance but helped her in every way. She never was very stout until after she took the pills, but now she has gained in weight. She goes to school every day and is well and happy. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are worth their weight in gold."

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TORTURED BY ITCHING SCALP

Eczema Broke Out Also on Hands and Limbs—Suffering Intense—Doctors Said Too Old to Be Cured—An Old Soldier of 80 Years Declares:

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"The Cuticura treatment is a blessing and should be used by every one who has itching of the skin. I can't say any more, and thank God that He has given the world such a curative. You can use this letter as you please. A very much befriended man, Wm. H. Gray, 3303 Mt. Vernon St., Philadelphia, Pa., August 2, 1905."

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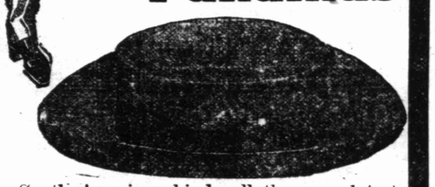

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FAIRBANKS TO METHODISTS

Vice President Delivers Address at Birmingham

FEARS SOCIALISM

Speech Contains Remarkable Warning Against Spread of Tendency

Special to The Telegram.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 18.—An address delivered to the Methodist Episcopal church, South, in annual general conference here today by Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks, included among its features a remarkable arraignment of socialism and an equally remarkable warning against the spread of socialistic tendencies in the United States.

Among other things, Vice President Fairbanks said:

"Mr. Chairman and Brethren: I am commissioned with my colleague to bring you the fraternal greetings of the Methodist Episcopal church. It is with great pleasure we have come to fulfill this friendly office, for we realize that while you and we owe allegiance to different organizations, our churches have an affinity for each other which time and events serve greatly to strengthen. We feel pride in each other's achievements. We regard your victories as ours and ours as yours. The heart of Methodism everywhere is moved by a common impulse. It is inspired by the same high hopes and the same exalted aspirations. We come in no perfunctory spirit. We come with hearty good will, bearing the high commission of your brethren in the church which derives its life from the same source which gives vitality to yours. Our churches are well called great—great in numbers, great in the noble men who have thoroughly consecrated themselves to their advancement, great in the work they have accomplished, great in their influence for good among men.

"The Methodist church in the United States has kept pace with our tremendous national development. In less than one century and a half more than 6,000,000 communicants have been enrolled in all branches of our church.

"While with us the church and state are seperate, and should so continue, the Christian church is nevertheless a powerful agency in the support of a free state. It presided at the birth of the republic and has been its faithful guardian angel from that hour until now. It inculcates among the great body of the people that wholesome respect for the rights of men that regard for law and order, without which the state cannot long survive.

"'The United States,' said DeTocqueville, 'must be religious to be free.' Furthermore, said he, 'Despotism may govern without religious faith, but liberty cannot.'

Menace of Socialism

"The socialistic tendency in certain quarters has not escaped the attention of the most casual observer of current events. Its growth cannot be viewed except with concern, for it bodes no good to our country. The church may well concern itself with all those things which affect the temporal welfare of this great people. It may well concern itself with those things which menace the state, which tend to jeopardize the institutions which came to us from the hands of our fathers. The movement is yet in its incipient stages and it is well that its pernicious influence should be understood.

"Socialism is at war with our most cherished traditions. It is hostile to the enlightened principles of our growth as a great people. It is a peril to our social and industrial development. It would paralyze individual initiative which has been the most potent factor in our upbuilding. Here amidst the unsurpassed advantages which a kind Providence has placed at our hands, the individual counts for more than anywhere else beneath the sun. Here, no matter how humble his station, he is able to develop his genius for accomplishing things, for subduing the wilderness, for building great cities, for spanning the continent with the evidences of his power, for improving his environment and making better the home and stronger the state. But this were endowment enough. It has been the touchstone of our national development. It has given us countless communities, happy, self-reliant, prosperous, brave and patriotic. Socialism seeks to level down and not level up. It is alike at war with the best interests of both capital and labor.

"It seeks to restrict each in the exercise of its natural functions. It puts limitations upon each which are contrary to American genuis and spirit. In the United tSates the laborer of today becomes the capitalist of tomorrow. Such has been our experience from the beginning until now, and it will be history of the future.

"Neither constitutions nor statutes, though they were framed by men with the wisdom of Solomon, can establish and maintain equality and absolute justice among men. We must look to the persuasive power and influence of the Christian church to bring them to a complete realization of their true relationship to each other; to their primary duty to deal fairly with one another; to carry into the various relations of life the principles of that brief and splendid code, the Golden Rule.

"No political law can maintain enduring relations of amity between capital and labor. No human law can bring them into such harmony as perpetually to avoid friction and collision. The Christian church can do more than all the measures framed by the hand of man to maintain industrial peace, for it teaches the brotherhood of man and inspires men with a sense of justice and fair play which is the ultimate foundation of good relations. If men do not have within them the spirit of love and justice; if they do not have in their breasts the spirit of divine law; there is little hope of enduring concord.

Work of the Future

"My brethren, our lines have fallen in pleasant places. We live in a fortunate hour in the history of the world. A great responsibility rests upon us and that is to live well our day and serve well our generation. We are in the fullest and best sense trustees of a mighty trust. Fidelity to it is the watchword. We are the adherents of a church of great potency. We give to it our loyal allegiance for we have faith in it and we love it. We should serve it and transmit it to those who follow us with power increased and honor undimmed. Methodism is progressive. It moves forward majestically, meeting new conditions and the advancing needs of the world; meeting in full measure the increasing duties which God Almighty lays upon it. No finite intelligence can set the boundaries of her future influence. We look back upon what she has done with profound satisfaction and forward with the utmost confidence. We believe that, inspired by all the sacred memories of the past, the mighty arm of Methodism will go forward doing its full share in lifting humanity to a still higher and nobler life."

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SCHOOL PUPILS AID BELLEVUE

Children Contribute to New Building Fund

In response to a call for funds for the rebuilding of the public school house at Bellevue, recently destroyed by cyclone, pupils of the First ward school in this city have taken a contribution, raising $9.84. This, the first response in the public schools here, is expected to be followed by donations from the other ward buildings.

To noon Friday no further report of funds raised had been received by Superintendent Hogg. He announces, however, that similar efforts are being made in the various ward buildings and in the colored schools, and that it is believed a substantial sum will be secured.

The children of Fort Worth are taking a keen interest in the condition of the school children of Bellevue and it is probable the contribution from this city will be one of the largest sent to the school fund.

Houston schools have raised a large sum, as announced elsewhere in The Telegram.

MAY ABOUT TOWN.

He could talk all right, but he could not hear. Mike Ferrell, as his name was placed on the police blotter, was arrested Thursday night on the charge of drunkenness and in the corporation court Friday morning Judge Prewett questioned the prisoner.

"Mike," said the judge, "you are charged with being drunk. Guilty or not guilty?"

Mike drew within a foot of his honor and held his ear to his hand.

"You are charged with being drunk, are you guilty?" again said Judge Prewett in a much louder voice.

But Mike could not understand and there was no one present who could use the sign language. But Mike knew what was doing even if he could not hear, and said in a voice that could be heard all over the court room that he was all right, a good worker and that he was never arrested before. Several officers shouted in his ear, but to no avail.

"Well," said Judge Prewett, resignedly, "if this is your first offense and if you will get to work at once, you can go."

And Mike went, all smiles, profuse in his thanks.

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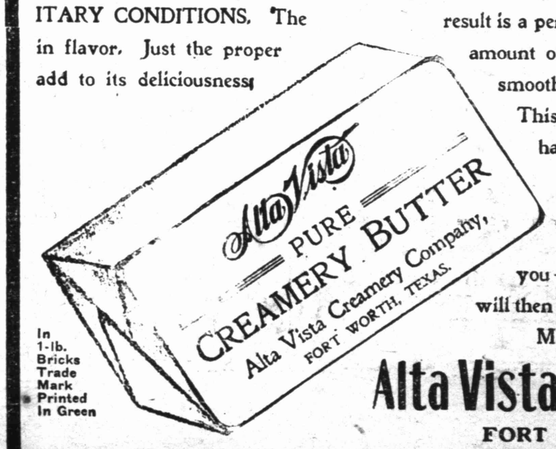

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