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OVER THE COUNTRY.

LINGLEVILLE.

Regular Correspondence.

August 18th.—A considerable shower in this locality yesterday even

There was an error in our communication last week which we wish to correct. The item referred to should have read "the Baptist meeting closed with a number of converts. There were fourteen baptized, four united by letter. Also at the Zeek-Brock wedding it should have read Arthur Zeek.

Robert Williams and Miss Au[illegible] Turpen were married at the home of the bride's parents last Sunday evening, Rev. Strong officiating.

Mrs. Riggs and Len Roberts of Stephenville were here Sunday.

[illegible] Stine and family and Miss [illegible]ledsoe of Dublin were here attending the Christian meeting Sun[illegible]

[illegible] Collier and Misses Salle [illegible] and Amy and Ethel Johnson of Stephenville were here last Sunday.

[illegible] Campbell has returned home after a visit to Colorado and Califor[illegible]

[illegible] Dover is building a barber shop which will be ready for occupancy in about ten days.

[illegible] Beecher is teaching a writing school at Harmony.

A young man from Pigeon got his arm broken in the match game of ball at Lingleville vs. Pigeon played at Harmony last Saturday. The game was a victory for the Lingleville boys.

[illegible]monds' photos are the best. [illegible] over postoffice. 30-tf

ARARAT.

Regular Correspondence.

August 17th.—Crops in this section are fine since the recent rains.

Mrs. S. I. Wells is quite sick at this writing.

[illegible] M. Wells, posmaster at this place, died last Friday at the age of [illegible] eight years. He served as [illegible] in the war between the states on the confederate side. Rev. [illegible] conducted the funeral ser[illegible]

[illegible] merchant, W. T. Wells, has a [illegible]ore house.

[illegible] Salyer and Miss Money Sal[illegible]re quietly married at this place [illegible]nday.

[illegible]p Marchbanks of Ft. Worth [illegible]ing in this community.

[illegible] King and his daughter, Miss [illegible] of Gainesville are visiting [illegible]uncle, W. T. Wells of this [illegible]

[illegible]lth in this section is very good [illegible]sidering the bountiful crop of [illegible]melons.

[illegible]liam Garlick has been in our [illegible] hunting peaches.

[illegible] Wells has sold three hundred [illegible] bushels of peaches since the [illegible] of July.

[illegible]. Wells made a business trip [illegible]ctor today.

[illegible] McCan of Denison is visiting [illegible] community.

[illegible]re is talk of a new road from [illegible] to Brasheer's gin, which

WONT MIX

[illegible]d and Good Health Wont Mix.

[illegible] human stomach stands much [illegible] but it wont return good health [illegible] give it bad food.

[illegible]u feed right you will feel right [illegible]per food and a good mind is a [illegible]oad to good health. "A year [illegible] became much alarmed about [illegible]lth, for I began to suffer after [illegible]eal no matter how little I [illegible]ays a Denver woman: "I lost [illegible]etite and the very thought of [illegible]ew distasteful, with the result [illegible] was not nourished and got [illegible]nd thin. My home cares were [illegible]avy, for beside a large family [illegible]own I have also to look out for [illegible] mother. There was no one [illegible]nder my household burdens, [illegible]me what might I must bear [illegible]nd this thought nearly drove [illegible]ntic when I realized that my [illegible] was breaking down.

[illegible]ead an article in the paper [illegible]ome one with trouble just like [illegible]eing cured on the food Grape-[illegible]nd acting on this suggestion [illegible] Grape Nuts a trial. The first [illegible] this delicious food told me [illegible] had struck the right thing. [illegible]comfortable feelings in stom[illegible] brain disappeared as if by [illegible]nd in an incredibly short space [illegible] I was again myself. Since [illegible]have gained twelve pounds in [illegible] through a summer of hard [illegible]nd realize that I am a very [illegible]t woman, all due to the splen[illegible]d Grape-Nuts." Name given [illegible]um Co., Battle Creek, Mich. [illegible] will prove.

would be a great help to the farmers in this part of the county

Mrs. M. C. Salyer is attending the bed side of her sister, Mrs. W.T. Wells.

There is quite an excitement in this section over the question of moving Lone Star school house.

Miss Myrtle Salyer and sister, Miss Clemie, are the guests of Miss Alice Dennis

John Gregory and family visited H. C. Berna and family last Sunday.

M. Dupree of Brownwood visited in this community last week.

A protracted meeting began at Flat Rock last Saturday.

Notice to the Farmers.

I have bought the gin of my son E. T. Rosamond at Dublin and have overhauled same and put in some new machinery and now have it in fine shape. I have a good set of hands to operate the gin and will guarantee satisfaction in every respect. Anyone having wood for sale, will take same on ginning at $2.50 per cord. Would be pleased to meet my son's old customers and get acquainted with new ones. Yours for business—W. J. Rosamond. 14-3t

ALEXANDER.

Regular Correspondence.

August 19th.—Farmers have laid by their crops and are now putting in their time attending the protracted meetings.

A Baptist revival has just closed at Field's church house with several additions to the church.

Ernest St.Clair, the baby boy of Capt. and Mrs. J. D. St. Clair, is here with his wife visiting his parents. Mrs. Otho Houston of Stephenrville is also visiting the family of Capt. St.Clair.

"Aunt" Mary Horgus of Eastland is visitng friends and relatives at this place.

Mrs. Myers is here from Oklahoma attending the bedside of her daughter Mrs. Kay, who has been very sick with slow fever, but is better at this writing.

Goree Barkley has resigned as local manager of the round bale cotton company at this point.

This scribe has been very busy during the past six weeks doing carpenter work and is at present engaged in remodeling and building a house for J. W. Leverett, four miles west of town.

Wallace Reed is building a nice house on his farm.

There is some complaint of boll worms in the cotton in this section, though it is thought the damage will be not great. Cotton prospects in this part of the country is as good as we have ever seen anywhere at this time of the year. The corn crop is also reasonably good and as a whole the farmers are in much better shape than for the past three years at least.

DR. LEWIS treats diseases of children and chronic diseases. 7tf

ROCH SCHOOL HOUSE.

Regular Correspondence.

August 16th.—Gertie Steele, the little daughter of J. G. Steele, was kicked by a mule last Monday and dangerously injured. The animal kicked her in the face, tearing away her left cheek. Eleven stitches were required to close up the wound, but she is getting along fairly well now.

Nute Hoover and family, accompannied by Lee Roch and Jim Hover, left for Mineral Wells in Palo Pinto county last Wednesday.

Mrs. L. J. Burch and her son Louis of Dublin and her daughter, Mrs. McDonald of Thurber, visited in this community last Saturday and Sunday.

W. L. Walton and family and R. Parnell, both of Hasse, are visiting friends here.

The new Baptist church at this place is rapidly nearing completion.

Rev. Stovall preached here Saturday evening and immediately left for Proctor to fill his appointment a that place Sunday.

The cotton crop was never more flattering than at the present time, though a good rain is begining to be badly needed.

Miss Kate Roch is this week visiting with her sister near Gorman.

The Christian people are holding a meeting at Bethel this week, conducted by Rev. Maddoc.

Lee Daniel and family, who removed from here to Mason county about two years ago, have returned, deciding that this county is good enough for them.

"Uncle" Jim Hanson and his boys Tom and Campbell have returned from a fishing trip on the Colorado and report not having caught a fish on their trip.

Joe Elliott of Hasse was up to see his best girl last Sunday.

Miss Gertie Warsham spent Sunday with friends here.

HARBIN.

Regular Correspondence.

August 20th.—Our people are looking sad. They cannot understand why the winter lasted all spring and a full grown norther in August; however, we have made plenty of corn and feed stuff for man and beast and the prospects are flattering for a good cotton crop with the highest price in many years, therefore our sadness should be turned into joy.

This scribe attended the Farmer's Institute at Dublin yesterday. We wish to say just here that the farmers who missed the meeting missed a treat in the way of good speaking on the subject of farming.

R.E. Golightly of Stephenville and Miss Lena Bradley of Granbury are visiting your scribe this week.

A. I. Sanders has sold his interest in the gin at this place to his son L. A. Sanders at a consideration of $2,000.

The Methodist denominationn will hold a revival meeting at this place commencing September 4th.

Fifty bushels of peach seeds wanted. Deliver at Higginbotham Bros. hardware department. Will pay cash or trade.—John Higginbotham.13-3t.

CHALK MOUNTAIN.

Regular Correspondence.

August 18th.—T. A. Howard and lady have a new girl at their home.

Mrs. T. L. Stigler is very sick at this writing.

The baptist meeting in progress at Cottonwood is accomplishing much good.

Some one shot and killed a horse belonging to "Uncle" Billy Martin last night. We have not learned who the party was.

A great many people in this section are making their cane into molasses. Cotton is very fine in this section at this time.

The Chalk Mountain people have recently built a large tabernacle, which is a great benefit.

Rev. J. S. Hukel will begin a nine days' revival meeting at this place next Saturday night. Everybody invited to help in the meeting.

Mrs Marget Lackey of Tolar is visiting "Grandpa" Lackey and family of this place.

Miss Eula Willis of Denton county is visiting in this community.

WILSON.

Regular Correspondence.

August 19th.—Miss Maye Smoote of Purvis and her friend Miss Georgia Godfrey of San Saba, were visiting friends in Wilson last Tuesday.

T.C. Wier made a business trip to Dublin Monday.

Dr. Johnson is erecting a new residence in our illtle burg.

Mrs. Effie Gilbert is visiting relatives in Wilson this week.

T. C Wier is having a well drilled on the property he bought from Mr. Fallon.

G. S. Clarke is visiting his sister Mrs. Gorman of Hasse this week

The singing school taught by Prof. A. G. Miller at this place, closed last Friday There were something over a hundred scholars enrolled. All were well pleased with the school.

L. A. Anderson and Mr. Thurman, attended the meeting at Carlton last night.

Crops are looking fine since the rain though cotton is all late in this section and it will be September before any is ready to pick.

I. B. Nash has erected a new barber shop in Wilson. It was greatly needed and besides it greatly improves the looks of our town.

Several of our young people attended the ice cream supper at the home of W. G. Fritz last Monday night.

A number of the Wilson people attended singing at Gustine last Sunday.

HIGHLAND.

Regular Correspondence.

August 18th.—We are having some very fine weather at this time. The little showers every few days keep the cotton growing and the farmers happy.

R. S. Pope passed through Highland yesterday with this well drill. He is going to bore a well for T. J. Walker.

Wm. Rippitan and J. O. Striplin went to Stepenville on the 18th on business

Mr. D. P. Bailey's daughter has been very sick, but we understand she is improved at this writing.

J. A. Garrison and wife were visiting in this community last Saturday night.

The W. O. W. camp at this place met last Monday night and added three members to the lodge.

Mr. McKeehan is this week repairing his mill and will commence grinding the new crop of corn next Saturday, the 22nd. Won't it be nice to have corn bread and buttermilk, for the "good old turnip greens" are all dried up.

W. T. Daniel of Dublin passed through Highland last Sunday.

H. E. Thiebaud went to Dublin Monday on business.

August 20th.—This section is now needing rain very badly and cotton is shedding fast for the want of it. Without rain soon the cotton will be light here.

The Highland and Tackett ball teams crossed bats last week, resulting in a score of seven to eleven in fovor of Highland. The Highland boys have matched several games with the Dublin team but the Dublin folks never show up.

Your scribe made a business trip to Stephenville this week.

Dr. W. C. Murray and H. E. Thiebaud made a trip to Dublin this week.

J. O. Striplin and wife spent last Sunday with W. M. Rippetoe and wife.

G. W. Allison and W. S. Higginbotham are off on a trip to Young county, expecting to be gone about ten days.

The Woodman camp at this place is growing very fast.

D. S. Johnson and the Sechrist brothers have gone to the Leon on a fishing trip.

Mr. Gary is baleing hay this week.

J. A. Hickman is this week visiting relatives near Hico.

Rev. John Thomas Owen will preach at the new school house in Highland on the fifth Sunday.

Rev. Hensler of Comanche will hold a few days meeting at Highland, begining on Wednesday after the fifth Sunday.

Pianos, organs, sheet-music, everything in the music line.—Thos. Goggan & Bros., Galveston, Dallas, San Antonio. 50-1yr

SHELBY.

Regular Correspondence.

August 17th.—We had a nice rain late Monday evening, which was needed very badly. Most cotton had begun to suffer.

Sam and Jim Knight and R. A. Hicks passed through Dublin late Monday evening en route to Cottonwood, where they attended preaching and returned home at night. They had a "smashup" at Lingleville, breaking the tongue out of their hack.

Rev. S. H. Buckanon of Stephenville closed a revival meeting at Shelby last Sunday morning. The doctor did some fine preaching.

A big meeting is in full blast at Lingleville and Mt. Pleasant now.

Robert Williams and Miss Augusta Turpen were married at the home of the bride's parents Sunday evening at 3:30 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. N. D. Strong. Immediately after the ceremony fine watermelons and peaches were served, after which Miss Cora Turpen rendered some excellent music on the organ.

Geo. Dougherty marketed two fine Poland China pigs last Saturday. This makes fifty head he has sold this year and he will soon have twenty more ready for the market.

W. M. Knight went to Stephenville on business last Monday.

POINT LOOKOUT.

Regular Correspondence.

August 17th.—W. G. Stephen has been confined to his bed since the 7th with typhoid fever. The attending physicians apprehend no fatal results.

There is also some other sickness in the neighborhood, though none of it is of a serious nature.

Matt Johnson and his daughter Miss Annie are visiting in this community this week.

DUFFAU.

Regular Correspondence.

August 19th.—The re-union at Hico was well attended by people from this community and every one reports a splendid time.

The Baptist meeting at this place closed last Sunday night with thirteen additions to the church.

Mr. Rucker's mother has returned home from near Groesbeek, Limestone county, after a three weeks' visit in this community.

Robt. Ross, our druggist, is this week painting his buggy.

Mr. Simpson of this place is visiting friends and relatives at a distance.

Harrison Smith and Miss Belle Taylor attended the Methodist meeting last night and report a large number of people there and a good meeting.

There is some one in this community that is hunting trouble by petty theft, as their hands seem to stick to small articles.

Tom Palmer and lady are traveling the southern country for the benefit of Mrs. Palmer's health.

PALMER.

Regular Correspondence.

August 17th.—We had a big rain on Tuesday of last week, which practically insures us a good cotton crop.

Jesse Douglas, who had the misfortune to break his leg some time ago, is able to get about on crutches.

Rev. Wyatt, of Hill county has been holding a revival meeting at this place, but it was closed yesterday.

C. Hicks of Runnels county, who has been visiting his father at this place, returned home last Saturday accompanied by his sister, Miss Della.

"Grandpa" Hicks and daughter, Miss Suvie, visited Joe Broils last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Martin has been suffering with a catarrh in her hand for sometime, but is improving at this writing.

Earl Douglas and J. G. Martin are on the Colorado river for a fishing trip. W. R. McPherson intended accompaning them but was prevented by the illness of his mother-in-law, Mrs. N. C. Martin.

There was a gentleman here from Brown county a few days ago hunting for a place to locate a saloon business. He will probably locate at Carlton.

Dr. J. J. Mulloy, practice limited to the diseasesof the eye, ear, nose and throat. Office over the Grange Store, Dublin, Texas.

ST. GEORGE.

Regular Correspondence.

August 18th.—A holiness meeting is in progress at this place conducted by Revs. Hurd and Sanders and Mrs. Williams. There seems to be good interest manifested.

L. W. and C. A. Jones went to Cisco last Wednesday and the former bought a half section of well improved land and will move to it as soon as crops are gathered

Mr. Williams has finished his new well and is now moving his windmill to it. He thinks he will have an abundance of water.

We are needing rain very much, and the prospects at this time are good for a shower.

STEPHENVILLE.

From the Empire.

August 13th.—The Paluxy lodge F. U. of A. had an enjoyable picnic at that place last Wednesday. Several addresses were made and music was furnished by the Bluff Dale band.

A fine rain fell in this section last Tuesday.

Foster says that many people will need a storm house during the latter part of this month.

Ex-Sheriff Hume has accepted a position as manager of the stable at Thurber.

Prof. G. H. Ramsey of Lingleville, last week closed a normal singing school at Johnson school house, near De Leon, at the close of which a concert was given that was attended by at least a thousand people. Monday of this week he began another at Pound school house, near the same place.

About twenty additions to the church resulted from a revival meeting held at Valley Grove last week by Rev. C. B. Williams. He is now engaged in a meeting at Duffau.

Truss Patton has purchased an interest in a saloon at Ft. Worth.

W. A. Morrow, adjudged insane a few weeks ago, was taken to the Austin asylum the first of this week.

There is no complaint of boll weevil in this section, in fact there's little ground for complaint on any score.

A. O. Bryant of the Indian Creek community, left last Saturday to locate at Aztec, New Mexico.

A summer term of school at Fitzgerald, four miles from Thurber, being taught by Prof. Will Gardner, will close with a picnic on the 28th.

A revival meeting is to begin at Winn's Point Friday night of this week.

Charlie Bassell, who has been very sick at his home at San Angelo for some time, is reported slightly improved.

A. L. Murphy is again able to be about, having thus far recovered from injuries received in being accidentally thrown from a buggy some time ago.

"Uncle" Jack Wallace, aged eighty-eight years, died at his home in the Shelby neighborhood last week.

Miss Ina Hughes of Dublin has been visiting Miss Jennie Spradling.

Our cantaloupe growers are somewhat discouraged. They have shipped by freight nine cars of cantaloupes and have thus far heard from but two cars, each of which netted but about fifty cents per crate. Many cantaloupes have been allowed to rot in the fields because of the fact that shipments could not be heard from. Express shipments were more satisfactory however in this respect, and they netted fifty cents and upward and brought prompt returns, but the glutted condition of the market finally caused shipments even in this way to stop. The lateness of the season in Texas this year threw our melons into market with melons of many other states farther north, which is not likely to occur often, and hence we may expect better prices as a rule than the first efforts unluckily gave us. Cantaloupe growing is a profitable industry and most any year an acre will easily net fifty dollars profit.

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Prohibition Matters.

An election has been ordered in Henderson county to occur on Sept. 6th. Intoxicants are at the present time sold in but two places in the county, Athens and Trinidad. The election is expected to be closely contested.

The commissioners court of Comanche has ordered a prohibition election throughout the county to occur Sept. 12th. Last spring an election was held in the county at which the antis were victorious by less than twenty-five majority.

Preparations are making for a prohibition contest in Bowie county, of which Texarkana is the county site.

The antis of Orange county, in south Texas, are asking an injunction to prevent prohibition from becoming effective in that county.

A local option election has been ordered in Medina county for September 10th. Both sides are confident of victory.

An injunction to restrain the publishing and declaring of the result of the recent prohibition election in a part of Cooke county, was refused by Judge Barrett of Gainesville last Monday.

The Robinson county local option contest case was heard before the court of civil appeals at Austin this week on an application for an injunction. The injunction was not granted. This action does not dispose of the appeal in other respects, but merely allows the officers of that county to enforce the law until the appeal is disposed of.

After a two days argument by pros and antis before the commissioners court in Brazos county, last Saturday the court refused to order an election asked for to include all of the county but one precinct. The court was divided two and two and the judge cast the deciding vote against it because he was of the belief that a sufficient number of legal signers had not signed the petition. A motion was then made by a member of the court to order an election for the entire county, but this met the same fate as the first proposition, except that the judge took the matter of his decision under advisement for several days.

GOLD IN OKLAHOMA

Wichita Mountains Said to Be Rich in the Yellow Metal.

NEW CRIPPLE CREEK.

Old Miners and Prospectors Rushing to the New Fields, and Early Scenes of Cripple Creek Are Re-Enacted.

Lawton, Okla., Aug. 17.—Large numbers of Oklahoma miners and prospectors of the North and West are rushing to the Wichita Mountains the last few days, where the discovery of large quantities of gold is causing as much excitement as in the Cripple Creek days.

The ore tested from the Wichitas in the last week assayed from $170 to $270 per ton. In one case a five-pound specimen produced a lump of gold worth 89c which means that a ton of such ore would assay $356.

Mines have been exchanging at very high figures. One sale is reported at $80,000.

All necessary milling machinery is being rushed to the scene of the mining district, about twenty miles north from Lawton.

Coal Development.

Coalgate, I. T., Aug. 17.—The Southwestern Development company of this city, virtually a part of the Katy system, is preparing to extensively increase the output of coal heretofore handled from their leases at Coalgate.

One mile east of the city the company now has under construction, and is sinking, one of the largest coal shafts in the southwest. This shaft is to be known as No. 12, and the specifications call for it, when completed, to be 16x7½ feet inside, clear of curbing, and 571 feet in depth. It is estimated that the company will realize from this shaft a daily output of 1000 tons, when completed and put in operation.

Warm at Chickasha.

Chickasha, I. T., Aug. 17.—Sunday was the hottest day of the summer at Chickasha, the thermometer registered 115 and the humidity made it almost suffocating, scarcely a breath of air stirring all day.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK.

Wakes Up Residents of Alton, Ill.—Also Felt In St. Louis.

Alton, Ill., Aug. 17.—An earthquake shock was felt here at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. Most of the residents were awakened. The shock shook a quantity of plastering loose in the Methodist Episcopal church. At East Alton bricks were shaken from several chimneys, and glass was broken from several windows. The shock lasted nearly eight seconds.

St. Louis, Aug. 17.—An earthquake shock, which lasted for several seconds, was distinctly felt in all parts of St. Louis at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. No damage has been reported.

Vesuvius Eruption Increasing.

Naples, Aug. 17.—The eruption of Vesuvius has somewhat increased. The stream of lava flowing from the crater is divided into two branches. The longer reaches a distance of 2500 feet toward Pompeii. There is no immediate danger.

A SAD TRAGEDY.

An Evangelical Pastor Killed by Accidental Discharge of Gun.

Bonham, Tex., Aug. 17.—A tragedy was enacted here Sunday that has cast a gloom over the entire city. Rev. R. L. Dale, who, until recently, was the pastor of the Presbyterian church of Bonham, shot and instantly killed himself at his home on West Seventh street. A breech loading shotgun was the weapon that did the bloody work, the load entering just below the right ear, tearing the skull into atoms and scattering the brains over the walls and ceiling of the room.

Rev. Dale was the bedside of his wife, who is ill, and picked up the gun from a corner of the room and began handling it. Mrs. Dale states that he was in the act of demonstrating the manner in which a shell was thrown from a gun after firing, when, in some way, it was discharged and he fell lifeless on the floor. A portion of the skull broke a window glass in the room.

Compress Burned.

Malden, Ark., Aug. 17.—A fire occurrede here Sunday which destroyed the large compress, the warehouses of Ritchie & Son and two other houses. Loss $100,000, with but little insurance.

A Kentucky Quarrel.

Jackson, Ky., Aug. 17.—Charles Saylers and Ed Eastin, who quarraled over a game of cards, met at Oakdale, and both drew pistols. Eastin was instantly killed and a bystander wounded. Saylers was lodged in jail here.

BASEBALL.

Texas League.

At Dallas—Dallas, 9; Corsicana, 5.

At Fort Worth—First game: Fort Worth, 4; Waco, 1. Second game: Fort Worth, 15; Waco, 0.

Southern League.

At Memphis—Memphis, 8; Shreveport, 2.

At Montgomery—Atlanta, 7; Montgomery, 4.

American League.

At Chicago—First game: Chicago, 2, Washington, 0. Second game: Chicago, 3; Washington, 1.

At St. Louis—First game: St. Louis, 6; Philadelphia, 3. Second game: St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 1.

At Toledo—Detroit, 12; New York, 8.

COURTIN'.

I re'ly don't know 'zackly why
I like to gaze in Mandy's eye.
I never could quite understand
Jes' why I like to hold her hand.

Most times I'm restless as kin be,
But when she's present, gracious me!
I could keep quiet fur a week
In hopes that she was goin' to speak.

I like to watch the sunbeams there
A-playin' in her wavy hair.
I'm happy, yet I sometimes sigh;
I re'ly don't know 'zackly why.
—Washington Star.

No Trouble.

The black pirate's lieutenant was climbing up the side of the ship, with his knife in his teeth.

Suddenly he took a deep breath and swallowed the keen blade.

"Jumping Jehoshaphat!" exclaimed the newcomer of the gang. "He's done for now!"

The leader smiled. "Don't you worry," he replied, taking a reef in his belt. "He used to have a job in a museum as a sword swallower, and when he gets excited he just forgets himself, that's all. That knife is where he can get at it, now, without wearing his teeth out!"

And they proceeded to make the cowering passengers prisoners without delay.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Floored by the Combination.

The clerk at the marriage license window suddenly fainted.

"Stand back and give him air!" shouted those around him. "He has been overcome by the heat!"

Then they looked at his desk and saw that the heat was only partially responsible.

He had just made out a license for Vladislaus Pzeprzetacowski and Zczofia Hpklkpzslopzkowna.—Chicago Tribune.

That Hurried Him.

Markley—Yes, I did lend him $10.

Newitt—Well, I suppose he'll pay you back some day, but you can't make him hurry.

Markley—I don't know about that. The mere sight of me walking along the street has had that effect upon him several times lately.—Philadelphia Press.

Pays to Have Friends.

Jinks—I tell you what it is, there is nothing like having lots of friends.

Winks—I presume not.

Jinks—No, sirree. Just as quick as I lose a job my friends all rush around hunting a new place for me so as to save me the trouble of borrowing money from them.—New York Weekly.

Lucky Man.

"Smithers is the luckiest man I ever saw. You know, he's daffy on the subject of automobiles."

"Yes."

"Well, he bought a farm last week, and yesterday they were boring for water and struck oil."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Hit Him Hard.

Bertie—I shall never marry till I meet a woman who is my direct opposite.

Minnie—Well, there are plenty of bright, intelligent girls in your neighborhood.

Economising.

Client—I say they tell me there's no mineral in that mine that you sold me shares in yesterday. You told me it was a first class investment.

Broker—So it is. If there is no ore there, just think of the money that will be saved in not having to work it!—Boston Transcript.

Dealer Was Wise.

Brown—Why do you want me to pay in advance? Are you afraid I won't bring the horse back?

Liveryman—No, no; not at all. But you see the horse might come back without you.—Atlanta Journal.

Too High.

"My work will yet take a high place in the world," said the proud author.

"In my opinion," replied the bookseller, "it's too high. It has been on the top shelf ten years!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Cut, Anyhow.

Estelle—Isn't that bathing suit of Maude's a dream? I wonder if she cut the pattern out of a newspaper?

Adele—No. I think she cut it out of a postage stamp.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

A Happy Missourian.

I've got my wheat all out an' thrashed;
My oats air in the bin.
My corn's a-climbin' toward the sky
As rapid as it kin.
My pigs air gettin' heavy in
A way thet makes me smile;
I wouldn't trade my worldly goods
For J. P. Morgan's pile.

I've got a dozen growin' mules,
Each worth a hundred straight;
My land is goin' higher at
Almost a coomin' rate.
I'd rather be Si Hoskins of
Missoury than to be
The king of England. Old Missou
Is good enough for me.
—Paw Paw (Mo.) Banco.

BRILLIANT SPECTACLE

Imposing Array of Uncle Sam's Fighting Crafts at Oyster Bay.

FOR NAVAL REVIEW.

Twenty-One War Ships Drawn Up In Parrilel Columns Rest Upon the Glassy Surface of Long Island Sound.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Aug. 17.—Twenty-one warships, drawn up in four parallel columns one mile long and including some of the best fighting ships of the United States navy, resting upon the glassy surface of Long Island sound, composed a picture which lay spread out before President Roosevelt when he stepped out upon the veranda of his home at Sagamore Hill. Their brass works, shining under the slanting rays of the morning sun, gave evidence that every ship was spick and span for this the first naval review at the nation's summer capital, and probably the first ever held for the exclusive purpose of presidential honors. Commanded by Rear Admiral Barker and three other naval officers similar in rank, the fleet, comprising two squadrons, each of two divisions, besides a flotilla of torpedo boat destroyers, included representatives of every type of fighting craft, from the ponderous Illinois to the little destroyers. Two parallel columns of battleships and cruisers, headed by the Kearsarge, Rear Admiral Barker's flagship, flanked by files of destroyers, composing the North Atlantic fleet, covered the placid sound for two miles off shore from picturesque Lloyd's neck and blockading the mouth of Oyster bay, presented a splendid marine spectacle, abundantly suggestive of America's sea power. Clustered in the mouth of the bay, rested the president's yacht, the Mayflower; Secretary Moody's official yacht, Dolphin, and Sir Thomas Lipton's beautiful steam yacht, Erin, surrounded by a graceful eet of steam and sailing vessels gathered to witness the imposing ceremony when the president and fleet officials exchanged greetings.

Fairer weather for the review could not have been asked. When the president boarded the Mayflower's launch at Roosevelt's landing, the big white shapes of the war vessels between the double lines of gray destroyers loomed out through the thin haze that hung over the sound. Hardly a ripple wrinkled the surface of the water.

The Mayflower lay in the mouth of Oyster bay. Near by was the Dolphin, with Secretary Moody, Admiral Dewey and rear admirals on board.

Before the president arrived Secretary Moody, Admiral Dewey, Rear Admiral Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation; Rear Admiral Rogers, commandant of the New York yard; Captain Brownson, commandant of the naval review; General Chaffee, Sir Thomas Lipton, Colonel E. Sharman Crawford, of the Royal Ulster Yacht club; C. Oliver Iselin, W. Butler Duncan, Woodbury Kane and Commodore Frederick C. Bourne, of the New York Yacht club, were taken on board the Mayflower. As the president stepped on the deck of the Mayflower her guns spoke the first salute. Leaving her anchorage, the Dolphin passed the Mayflower, saluting as she went by. Then the Mayflower steamed down the bay, followed by the president's yacht Sylph, having guests of the president on board.

Slowly the president's flagship moved out into the sound, where the battleships and cruisers law in two parallel lines lengthwise the sound, with a column of destroyers flanking each line of the larger ships. The gun in the Kearsarge second battery spurted a little flash of flame and smoke, and the succession of presidential salutes then began. While the smoke was drifting from the Kearsarge's guns her band struck up "Columbia," and her sailors gave the president a ringing cheer as the Mayflower moved by. From the bridge of the Mayflower President Roosevent, surrounded by a group of admirals and guests, asknowledged the salutes.

ABOUT PENSIONS.

Some Statistics By United States Commissioner Ward.

San Francisco, Aug. 17.—The perfect transit arrangement is landing the G. A. R veterans and visitors here on schedule time. Among the distinguished visitors at the encampment is United States Pension Commissioner Ward. In speaking about the pension department, he said: "Following the Spanish-American war, the department has recevied 75,000 applications for pensions and it now has on its roll 9209 men of that war and 3662 widows. There are still pending 35,000 applications. On Aug. 1, 1902, the bureau had on its rolls 1,000,000 pensioners, but that number has been decreased nearly 3000 men since then. All told, there were 226,000 men applications for pensions last year and the total expenses of the bureau for annual pension payments foot up $1,000,000,000."

A PHILIPPINE SULTAN.

Grows Defiant Toward United States Troops, and Offers Battle.

Manila, Aug. 17.—Major Robert L. Bullard has demanded redress from the Sultan Deseen tribal leader, Lanao Moros. Although professing warm friendship for Americans, the sultan recently surrounded a small detachment of United States troops paying him a friendly visit with a strong force of warriors and offered battle, his men insultingly bearing the American flag. So far the only reply from the sultan to Major Bullard's demands has been defiance.

At Cleveland, O., four ladies were run down and struck by a Lake Shore electric car, and one died instantly and two others are fatally hurt.

BOGUS FOOD IN GERMANY.

Consul General Guenther Tells of Some Adulterations.

Richard Guenther, United States consul general at Frankfort, under date of July 7, sends the following report on food adulteration in Europe to the department of state, says the New York Times:

An article on the adulteration of food products is going the rounds of the German press. It is stated, for instance, that an ordinary liver patty is made into fine "Strassburger" pate de foie gras by means of borax or salicylic acid and of finely chopped and cleverly distributed pieces of black silk, representing truffles.

Cosmos, a German paper, guarantees the fact that under the label of canned lobsters the soft parts of the cuttlefish and crabs are sold.

In Paris snails are of late very popular, and the adulterators mix them with lungs of cattle and horses. Even entirely artificial snails are manufactured. The shells, recoated with fat and slime, are filled with lung and then sold as "Burgundy" snails.

Lovers of fresh rooster combs are imposed upon by a substitute cut out of hogs' intestines. Chopped artificial truffles are made of black rubber, silk or softened leather, and even whole truffles are made out of roasted potatoes, which are given a peculiar flavor by adding ether. They are said to sell well.

Fish spoiled in spite of ice and borax is treated with salts of zinc, aluminium and other metals. Rubbing the fish with vaseline to give it a fresh look and covering the gills with fresh blood or resin—a coal tar color—is resorted to. The latter is also used to intensify the red color of inferior crabs. Imparting a greenish color to oysters is another adulteration. An oyster requires about one month in the beds to acquire the greenish color. As this is too long a time, the dealers help them along with an artificial color.

The chemists in the Paris municipal laboratories have shown that tomato jelly is adulterated with turnips, and powdered pepper contains a large mixture of powdered hard tack.

LINE OF PARKS FOR CHICAGO

System of Outing Places to Girdle the City Contemplated.

Chicago is bent on absorbing every town and hamlet in Cook county now outside of the city limits, says the New York World. An "outer belt line of parks" extending 120 miles around Chicago is the object of a resolution adopted by the county board.

This action was suggested by President Foreman because of the probable rapid increase in the population of the city. He says:

"The time has come when steps should be taken to create an outer belt line of parks and boulevards. Such a system should embrace the east side of the present inner belt line, extended northward, say, to Winnetka and southward to near the mouth of the Calumet river. Thence the outer belt line could extend up the valley of the Calumet to Blue Island, thence northward to the Desplaines river and onward, following the valley of that stream to a point northwest of Chicago and thence eastward, embracing the Skoki valley and finally forming a junction with the Sheridan road at or near Winnetka."

TO IMPROVE SUBMARINES.

Englishman's Device Enables Them to Travel Great Distances.

A remarkable invention has been adopted by the British admiralty, the effect of which is to increase the efficiency of British submarines, says a London cable dispatch to the Chicago Inter Ocean.

At present the radius of submarine attack is restricted owing to the difficulties of ventilation and the carrying of fuel, but experiments warrant the belief that the new submarines will be able to travel immense distances, with disastrous effects on the ports of an enemy.

The existing submarine fleet of Britain is not, however, rendered obsolete. On the contrary, it can easily be adapted to utilize the new discovery.

The inventor is a British officer well known for his brilliant capabilities. The most remarkable feature in his design is its extreme simplicity. Details of the invention are of course withheld by the admiralty.

Strange Currency.

In Dahomey, according to a French official report recently issued, the currency is cowrie shells, of which a sack of 20,000 is considered the equivalent of $1.50. Seven hundred cowries are worth about 5 cents.

Too Much Hiawatha.

Then the band played Hiawatha,
Played it up and down the highways,
Tooted it along the byways.
At park concerts played it loudly,
Played itself back from the graveyard
To the ever haunting measure,
While the people who will whistle
Joined in misfit key the chorus.
And e'en some dared raise their voices
In a dee-de-dum-ti-dumdum,
Lacking words to grace their meaning
Or, it may be, lacking meaning;
At pianos idly thumping
Tender maidens also played it
Till the atmosphere resounded
With the strains of Hiawatha.

Then, when shades of night had fallen
And the push was silent, tired out—
Then, ah, then we found with sorrow
That it all had been for nothing,
All our suffering for nothing,
For of all the ardent tooters,
All the whistlers so persistent,
All the hummers cracked or raucous,
All the thumpers of pianos,
Not one of the whole blamed outfit
Had in one erratic measure
Struck the note that kills mosquitoes,
And throughout the long night's darkness
Still the insects buzzed about us
That same tune with variations.
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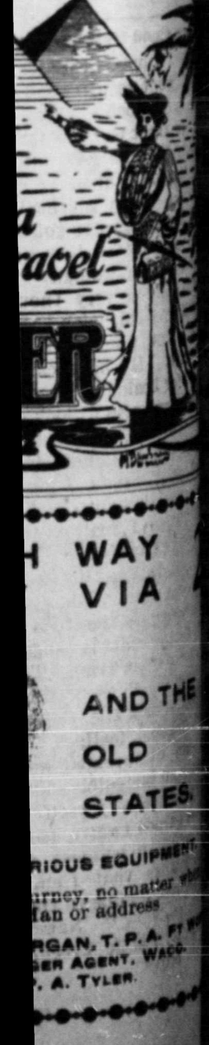

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Fred Grant Will Be Given a Hearty Reception.

DAYS PROGRAM.

States Battery First on Ground, ing Overland From San Antonio, Eighty-Five Miles Distant.

n, Aug. 17.—Camp Mabry was by a throng of people Sunday ipation of the mobilization be- Monday. Everything is in a, and the troops will find the tter than ever.

irst organization to arrive was enteenth United States battery artillery, which came overland rt Sam Houston, San Antonio, ive miles from Austin. Captain in command.

eld battery will be one of the of the encampment, with its ovements and harrowing evo-

pected that General Grant will eral other regular organiza- m San Antonio, namely, one cavalry, two companies of the ixth infantry and the band of iment. General Grant, com- the department of Texas, will amp, and his reception will be ting his high rank. He will dnesday and leave Friday.

tline of work for the camp is follows:

Day. Tuesday—Pitching of preliminary instruction.

Day—Company drills, extend- Battalion and regimental in close formation and battle ex-

Day—Same as second day.

Day—Field exercises. One will form an outpost for the of the camp. Another brig- make a reconnoisance in force the enemy. At night the same hat formed the outpost will h the same formation after rder to receive additional in- in posting sentries for night

Day—Same exercises repeated ades reversed.

ay, Sunday—Devotional Ex- d rest.

Day—Sham battle. Con- opposing forces, one brigade from Bull Creek to be inter- by another brigade. Action to in mountains north of camp.

Day—Attack and defense of

Day—Break camp.

AN AX THE WEAPON.

and Woman Killed at Shreve- port by Unknown Man.

veport, La., Aug. 17.—J. B. El- aster mechanic of the St. Louis estern Railroad, and May were found lying in their own in their home on Lake street. at the hospital and the wo- eath is hourly expected, while will recover. The man and were attacked by an unknown with an ax.

olice arrested George T. Payne, of the woman, and William roommate.

A COURT'S RULING.

Employes May Be Dismissed For Belonging to a Union, or Oth er Cause.

St. Louis, Aug. 18.—Judge Rogers, in the United States court, has handed down an opinion sustaining the demurrer of the Western Union Telegraph company in the labor injunction case of Boyer et al. against that company. The opinion holds that the company has the absolute right to dismiss employes because they belong to th union, or for any other reason; tha there can be no conspiracy to do a lawful act; that the so-called black list may be maintained and given ou for the use of others.

Superintendent J. G. Frankel of the Second district of the Western Union said: "The case arose from the fact a certain number of operators were relieved on account of reduction in force, some for insubordination and some for other causes. They contended it was on account of belonging to the union, and they were therefore deprived of a livelihood. It was conclusively shown that all operators so relieved were employed either by brokers or railroad companies, with the exception of one, who could not be located. I dont care to say anything further."

OVER A WATERMELON.

Negro Kills Four Men and Wounds Nine Others.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 18.—A special to the Age-Herald from Heflin, Ala., Says: News has just reached here that four men were killed and nine wounded in Randolph county by a desperate negro named Sledge. The trouble started over a difficulty in a watermelon patch. A party of white men were working the public road. Sledge has a watermelon patch near the road, and when the men finished working, they asked permission to eat a few melons. Sledge told them to help themselves, but requested that they take care not to destroy the vines. As soon as the men got into the patch they began to cut and slash melons in every direction, while Sledge looked on. The negro warned them to stop, and then went after his gun. Returning, he emptied the weapon into the crowd, wounding nine out of eleven.

Immediately after the shooting, Sledge fled. A posse, headed by the sheriff, overtook the negro. He was ordered to surrender, but replied by firing his shotgun, instantly killing Thomas Ebott and Robert Ford.

Later, Sledge was accosted on the road by James Moore and Bud Wilson. Without warning, the negro raised his gun and fired, instantly killing Moore and mortally wounding Wilson. No further details have been received here, but at last accounts the posse was still in the pursuit.

THE KANSAS FLOOD.

The Two Kansas Cities Using Boats as Means of Connection.

Kansas City, Aug. 18.—Boats are again in use to transport persons between the two Kansas Cities, the James street foot and wagon bridge and the Metropolitan Street Railway company's bridge over the Kansas river having been carried out by the strong current. The river is higher than at any time since June flood, and other structures are in danger. The wrecked bridges are temporary pile affairs, constructed hastily two months ago. A further rise is expected, as half a dozen tributaries to the Kansas river west of here are bank full.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Boys Playing in Hay When a Fatal Lightning Bolt Was Dealt.

Sulphur Springs, Tex., Aug. 18—An electrical storm, followed immediately by a terrific rain, visited Sulphur Springs Monday. The barn of H. M. Horn was struck by lightning and was burned, together with feedstuffs.

At the time of the stroke, Sidney, aged eighteen years; Blanford, fifteen; Judson, twelve; Webster, 7, and Luther, four years, sons of H. M. Horne, were in the barn playing in the hay. The stroke killed Blanford, fifteen years of age, and Webster, seven years, scorching Judson and stunning Sidney, leaving the four-year-old boy unhurt.

When Sidney became conscious he found the building in flames, his brother, Blanford, lying across the floor dead and Webster near by lifeless. By this time rain was falling in torrents, and he brought to the ground the lifeless bodies of his brothers and then went to the rescue of Luther, the youngest boy, Judson having already escaped from the building.

Seven Tourists Killed.

Chamounix, France, Aug. 18.—Seven tourists were killed recently while attempting to climb the Aguilles Grises behind Mont blanc on the Cour Mayeur side of the mountain.

Monetary Commission.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—The international money exchange commission left for Stockholm. The commission expressed themselves as being pleased with the reception and the proposition met with here.

Mutilated Women and Children.

Berlin, Aug. 18.—According to a dispatch received by the Frankfort Zeitung, the river near Monastir, Macedonia, is full of the mutilated bodies of women and children who have been massacred by Turkish Bashi Bazouks.

Rioting at Hong Kong.

Hong Kong, Aug. 18.—The rioting which recently occurred at Fat Shan, six miles from Canton, has spread to towns along the railroads. The American engineers at work on the road have fired on the rioters. Several casualties are reported.

A Finland Fatality.

Helsingfors, Finland, Aug. 18.—A terrible accident occurred on Lake Tykojarvi. The upper deck of a vessel conveying forty people from church collapsed and forty persons were drowned or killed, and many others were injured.

LOCAL OPTION DECISION.

Court of Appeals Refuses Writ of Injunction in Robertson County.

Austin, Aug. 17.—The court of civil appeals, sitting in vacation, heard the argument in the Robertson county local option case, after which the court refused to grant the writ of injunction asked for. The action of the court allows the officers of Robertson county to enforce the law until the appeal is finally disposed of.

Judge Streetman's Father Dead.

Austin, Aug. 17.—Judge Sam Streetman, associate justice of the court of civil appeals, has been advised of the death of his father at Cameron, Tex.

Wanted In El Paso.

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 17.—Application has been made to the state department by officials here for the extradition from Mexico of Pearl Williams, who is wanted in El Paso to answer the charge of theft.

The Williams girl is accused of stealing diamonds and is now in custody in the City of Mexico.

A CALIFORNIA MYSTERY.

Pleasure Exxcursionists Missing—One Becomes a Maniac.

Santa Barbara, Aug. 17.—Miss Katherine Grathwol of St. Paul, Minn., is dead; Frederick Lueders, an artist of this city, is a raving maniac, and Fred Webster, Nellie Stone, Fred Gilbert and Grace Porter, also of this city, cannot be located, and at this time a mystery surrounds the whole affair. The party left here for a day's picnic ot Summit mountains, which is reached by the Lacumbre trail. Frederick Lueders returned to town and reported that Miss Grathwol was dying, but he was so exhausted that no particulars could be learned. A party left for the scene and Lueder followed them. They returned later with Lueders, who they found at the foot of the grade a raving maniac and who could give no account of the whereabouts of the rest of the party. Efforts of searchers so far have been fruitless in finding any trace of the lost excursionists. Miss Grathwol was staying in Santa Barbara for her health and was only twenty-four years old.

A RELIGIOUS TRUST.

A Chicago Minister Advocates a Combine of Church Forces.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—A "trust" in religious forces to bring about economies in soul-saving after the manner of the commercial world has been advocated by the Rev. Bruce Brown in te North Side Christian church.

"It is high time there should be a trust in religious forces and resources," he said. "Our present methods tend to multiply churches in respectable communities and to leave the slums destitute of church privileges.

"We build so many churches among the comparatively good people that we have no money left to preach the gospel to the poor. The millenium will never dawn on a divided hurch. The kingdoms of this world will not be made kingdoms of God by any sect or schism. Our usefulness and efficiency and influence would be magnified many fold if we would cease multiplying churches where they are needed the least and use the money for building churches where they are needed the most. I am in favor of a religious trust."

KANSAS RIVER RISE.

Current Sweeps Away Street Car Bridge Between Kansas Cities.

Kansas City, Aug. 17.—The first serious damage from the present rise in the Kansas river at this point has occurred. The James street bridge, the only means of street car traffic between the two Kansas Citys, gave way. The bridge had been weakened by the high water and could not stand the force of the great mass of driftwood carried in from the west by the swift current. Other structures, including the stock yards and belt line bridges, are in imminent danger. The river continues to rise.

FIVE GIRLS DROWN.

Children Out Boating at Richmond, and Boat Capsizes.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 17.—At Lurich's station, Giles county, while a party of children, one boy and seven girls, ranging in age from eight to fifteen years, were boating the boat capsized and five girls were drowned.

Mistaken For a Burglar.

Paducah, Ky., Aug. 17.—Fred Iverlett was probably fatally wounded at an early hour by Mrs. Mary Crockett, who mistook hi mfor a burglar. Iverlett went home late, and was walking by his sister's room, when she fired. Iverlett was married a few days ago.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

A new cycling record was made at Paris Sunday, where 50.398 miles were covered in one hour.

R. D. King, formerly of Dallas, has been assassinated in Huachua, Mexico. No details of the tragedy.

In a trolley car collision at Kansas City two persons were probably fatally injured, four seriously hurt and a dozen others bruised.

The United Garment Workers of America finished their work at Indianapolis and will hold next year's convention at Buffalo.

A. R. Swallow, an old pioneer of Parker county, one of the few who fought battles with the Indians in the early days, is dead at Weatherford, Tex.

At Chicago Sunday the police arrested seventeen automobile sports for speeding more than twelve miles an hour. The ordinance limit is eight miles an hour.

Moses Pollock, said to be the oldest publisher and book seller in the United States, is dead at his home in Philadelphia. He was born in 1817 and spent seventy-two years in the book business.

PHILIPPINE RAILROADS

Uncle Sam Contemplates a System In the Oriental Archipeligo.

THE CANAL TREATY.

Little Concern is Felt at Washington Over Treaty Rejection by Colombia. Panama and Colon Exorcised.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Secretary Root is in correspondence with Gov. Taft regarding the construction of a system of railroads in the Philippine islands, amounting to some 600 miles. It is proposed to build a line from Manila north through Luzon to the harbor at the northernmost end of the island. Another projected line is a branch from this north and south line over the mountains to the eastern coast.

Another proposed line is from Manila to Batanzas.

The propositions contemplate aid by the Philippine government. It is believed that a guarantee of the interest on the amount of the cost of the roads, in case the roads prove unable to pay such interest out of the earnings, will be sufficient to induce capital to invest in the different enterprises.

The Philippine government could not make any grants of lands to aid in the construction of the roads, but it could grant rights of way.

It has been determined that the Philippine government has the authority to guarantee the interest on the railroad bonds, the payment of interest, if made, to constitute a lien on the property. The secretary of war believes that the construction of these roads would be of immense benefit, and would settle for all time the question of possible insurrections in the Island of Luzon.

For police and patrol of the island the roads, it is believed, would be far superior to a regiment of soldiers, while the cost of a regiment would be nearly double the amount of the interest the government would pay on the cost of the railroad construction.

CANAL TREATY REJECTION.

Causes Excitement In Colon, Where Investments Have Been Made

Washington, Aug. 18.—The reason given for the rejection of the treaty by the Colombian senace, it is said here, was the alleged encroachment on Colombian sovereignty which, its opponents contended, would result from the treaty. This information was contained in a dispatch received from Dr. Herran, the Colombian charge, from Foreign Minister Ricos at Bogota.

Very little concern regarding the action of the Columbian Senate has been shown at the state department.

Sec. 4 of the Isthmain Canal act provides that should the president be unable to' obtain a satisfactory title to the property of the new Panama Canal company, and control of the necessary territory and the rights necessary to the construction of the canal, from the Republic of Colombia, he shall make the necessary treaties with Costa Rica and Nicaragua, and proceed with the construction of a canal by the Nicaragua route.

Colon, Colombia, Aug. 18.—The rejection of the canal treaty by the Colombian senate has produced tremendous excitement on the isthmus. It was generally believed that the treaty would pass with some modifications. The rejection is a heavy blow to property owners here, who have been investing heavily, in the hope of the treaty being ratified.

Panama, Aug. 18.—The unanimous rejection of the Panama canal treaty by the senate has caused a profound impression here in all classes. The question on all lips is, what will become of Panama. The only consolation the Isthmians have is that the rest of the republic, with the exchange at a very high figure, and with an upward tendency, will suffer a great deal more.

The Santa Barbara Mystery.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Aug. 18.—Miss Catherine Grathwol, a school teacher, died on the mountain trail to the summit of the Santa Ynez range of heart failure. Miss Grathwol had requested the friends with whom she was making the ascent on horseback, to proceed without her after half the distance had been covered saying she would await their return. The party went only a couple of miles, and then returned and found her prostrate body in the sun. Efforts to revive her were futile.

BASEBALL.

Texas League.

At Denton—Waco, 10; Corsicana, 2.
At Fort Worth—Fort Worth, 12; Friscos, 10.

Southern League.

At Little Rock—Shreveport, 5; Little Rock, 1.
At Memphis—Memphis, 9; New Orleans, 2.
At Nashville—Atlanta, 15; Nashville, 11.

National League.

At Brooklyn—First game: Brooklyn, 6; St. Louis, 3. Second game: Brooklyn, 4; St. Louis, 3.
At New York—First game: New York, 7; Cincinnati, 4. Second game: Cincinnati, 9; New York, 5.
At Boston—Boston, 8; Pittsburg, 4.

American League.

At Chicago—Washington, 2; Chicago, 1.
At St. Louis—Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 2.
At Detroit—Detroit, 6; New York, 3.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 9; Brook-
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 9; Boston, 8.

IMPERIAL IRADE.

Turkey Calls Out Fifty-Two Additional Battalions of Troops.

Constantinople, Aug. 17.—An imperial trade has been issued calling out fifty-two additional battalions of troops (about 52,000 men) from the European provinces of Turkey in consequence of the spread of the insurrection in Macedonia. These troops comprise twenty battalions of reserves, first class, from Adrianople and Salonica army corps. The balance of the reserves are second class.

Preparing Ammunition.

Bucharest, Aug. 17.—Acting War Minister Bratiano has ordered the government powder factory and small arms ammunition depots to prepare large quantities of ammunition immediately.

Russian Squadron in Sebastopol.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 17.—The squadron of the Russian Black Sea fleet, under orders to sail for Turkish waters, consists of the battleships Catherine II., Tria Viatitelia, Rostislav and Dvenadzat Apostoloff, four torpedo boat destroyers and six mine and torpedo transports. The squadron has arrived at Sebastopol preparatory to sailing for the Turkish coast.

BULGARIA'S MEMORANDUM.

Foreign Diplomats Anxiously Watching to See Effects.

Sofia, Aug. 17.—Foreign diplomats here are anxiously watching the effect of the memorandum which the Bulgarian government presented to the powers on the subject of the condition of affairs in Macedonia. They fear it may excite popular opinion in Bugaria and point out that such emphatic outspoken criticsms are usually reserved for manifestoes issued on the eve of war, although it is regarded as being quite improbable that the memorandum prelude in the present case will result in anything more serious than increased tension. Most of the diplomatic representatives also visited the foreign office here and received assurances from the foreign minister that Bulgaria has not the slightest desire to antagonize Turkey or any other power, but merely wished to show unmistakably where the responsibility for the Macedonian revolution belonged.

THE TROPICAL HURRICANE.

Visits Yucatan, and Also Sweeps Across Portions of Mexico.

Merida, Yucatan, Aug. 17.—The effects of the tropical cyclone in this city and in Progresso have been terrible. The wind commenced in the early hours of the night, and although everybody had been prepared for the gale in consequence of warnings given opportunely some time before hand, panic quickly seized the community. The terrible destruction wrought overthrew the anticipated calm. Little by little the wind increased in violence, and soon it wa stearing up great trees by the roots, blowing roofs away and destroying houses and plantations. Great damages were done in a very short time.

Saltillo, Mex., Aug. 17.—This section was visited by a severe wind and rainstorm Saturday which played havoc with the roofs of houses and trees and overflowed several creeks. The storm extended along the line of the National railroad from Saltillo to Monterery, washing out the track in several places, and so severely damaging one bridge that traffic was entirely suspended for several hours. Telegraph and telephone lines were prostrated all day, but communication has since been re-established. The property loss caused by the stoorms will aggregate many thousands of dollars.

GUATAMALANS INDIGNANT.

Because of Arrest of a Prominent Person by President Corticello.

City of Mexico, Aug. 17.—There is much indignation in Guetamala over the arrest of Roina Castillo, a nephew of General Castillo, by order of President Cabrera. The Castillo family is old and prominent, and is said to enjoy a better social position than the Cabrera family. In their more prosperous days the Castillo family offended Cabrera by refusing to recognize him on social occasions.

General Castillo is now an exile in Salvador, and recently wrote a letter to his nephew, Reina Castillo, asking information regarding family affairs. The letter was intercepted and Reina arrested, although not at all suspected of revolutionary purposes. He is a popular young man, and his incarceration on no proper grounds, causes general indignation in Guatemala.

POPE'S GIFT TO POOR.

Pius X Gives $20,000 For Distribution Among the Poor of Rome.

Rome, Aug. 17.—The pope has given $20,000 for distribution among the poor of Rome. The pontiff seems quite recovered in health and is giving more audiences than before he suffered from his recent fainting fit, although the heat is still suffocating.

CANAL TREATY REJECTED.

The Colombian Senate Has Rejected the Hay-Herran Treaty.

Washington, Aug. 17.—A cablegram, dated Aug. 12, has been received at the state department from Minister Beaupre at Bogota saying the Panama canal treaty had been rejected by the Colombin senate.

PASSENGER WRECK IN SAXONY.

Three Persons Were Killed and Forty Injured.

Zwickau, Saxony, Aug. 17.—A passenger train was derailed between Rothenkirchen and Oberkrinitz. Three persons were killed and forty injured.

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DUBLIN, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUG. 21st, 1903

A baby girl was born last Saturday, the 15th inst. to Mrs. J. H. Baker of Brownwood.

A large number of the business representatives in Dublin left the first of this week for the St. Louis markets.

Rev. A. H. Darnell, new pastor of the Christian church, is expected to arrive in Dublin next Wednesday to take charge of his work here.

The Palace Meat Market has this week occupied the Bratton old stand, one door north of their former quarters.

Pluming, pipe fitting and repairing of all kinds see Wm. H. Boyes, 'phone No. 130. 50-tf

Brownwood got her first bale of this seasons cotton last Tuesday and paid for it a price of thirteen cents per pound, besides a handsome premium.

Reports from Caldwell county say that many farmers will not make a bale of cotton to twenty acres, because of the rank stalks and the ravages of the boll weevil.

Jones & Norton have moved to the Hallmark old restaurant stand—'phone 102.

W. H. Key has returned to Dublin to locate and has purchased the interest of Harry Moore in the Maloney firm. He is to take charge of the dry goods departmet of the firm.

Russell Hagler has disposed of his restaurant business at Pecos, Texas, and arrived here with his family this morning. He is thinking of moving to Stephenville and putting in an eating house.

The Nebraska republicans, in state convention at Lincoln last Tuesday, nominated John L. Brewster of that state for a running mate with President Roosevelt in the campaign of next year.

Big Unloading Sale

this week at Mistrot Bros. & Co's. Big price reductions on entire stock of Summer goods, shoes and clothing.

Bascum Curtis was arrested last Sunday at Gorman on a charge of criminal assault. On examing trial the following day he was released on bond of six hundred dollars.

Messrs. Geo. Hairis and Fred Robinson have opened a meat market in the building directly opposite the new city hall. They expect to keep good fresh meat at all times and solicit a fair share of the public patronage.

Notice to Cane Raisers.

We will thresh cane, Kaffir corn, and milo maize at farm of J. H. Newborn, three and a half miles southeast of Dublin, on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 4th and 5th, and at Purves following Friday and Saturday, Sept. 11th and 12th.—Newborn Bros. 14-2p

"Uncle" Jack Leagan, an old negro born at Lynchburg, Va., in the year 1796, making him one hundred and seven years old, died at Gonzales last Friday. He claimed to distinctly recollect the building of the pontoon bridge across James river for the Continental soldiers to fight the British at New Orleans.

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BICYCLE GUN REPAIR

Prof. Geo. Wells Knight, who holds the chair of American history and political science in the Ohio state university, recently said in an interview regarding coal strikes and government ownership: "I believe the time is close at hand when there will be government or state ownership of coal mines. My idea is this: I would have the state for example, buy mines—not all of them perhaps, but enough to supply the demand. Then the state would be in a position to furnish coal at cost—including the operating expenses and the interest on the bonds. There could be bonds issued to cover the cost, and by the time the mine ran out it would have paid for itself. The trouble with the matter now is that with the present monopoly the owners not only want a mine to pay for itself once, but many times over, and the supply can be so regulated that prices can be placed at any figure. The same people who control the mines control the railroads, and there you are. The plain economic problem is staring us in the face, and the sooner it is solved the better it will be for the people."

Don't Forget

the Big Unloading Sale at Mistrot's this week. Entire stock sacrificed to unload the overplus that we don't care to carry over.

Many public schools throughout the state have decided to defer the opening for the coming term until late in next month, some of them as late as the last Monday. The inability to secure the text books only adopted by the state board this month is responsible for the delay, as the books will not, in all probability, be generally circulated over the state sooner than the middle of September, if indeed that early. The regular time for opening the public schools is the first Monday in September, but the state superintendent has suggested a delay of at least a week and preferably two weeks, though this is altogether a matter within the jurisdiction of the individual school boards in each district.

Buy your last straw hat and pair of low shoes from Miller & Herndon's.

Misses Clara and Kate Harwood of Brownwood, recent visitors in Dublin, have returned home.

A High Compliment.

Probably the highest compliment ever paid to a Texas commercial college by its home town is now being paid to Tyler College by the city of Tyler in erecting for that institution a splendid $23,500 fire proof building.

This school began in Tyler about four years ago with fifteen students. It has enrolled the present year in all departments 756 students from all parts of Texas and most of the southern states—said to be the largest commercial and shorthand school in the south. Their graduates are filling the highest clerical and stenographic positions to be found throughout the conutry. Out of their large attendance they are not able to fill all the calls they have for competent bookkeepers and stenographers. This fact should encourage our young people to enter that school as soon as possible and fit themselves for the active duties of life so that they may earn a good income.

You can receive their large illustrated catalogue by addressing Tyler College, Department B., Tyler, Texas.

Texas State Grange.

The Texas state Grange has been in session this week with Westward Grange, several miles from Dublin on Greens creek. Among the prominent persons from various parts of the state who were in attendance was "Farmer" Bill Shaw of the Texas Farmer at Dallas, A. J. Rose of Salado, J. B. Long of Rusk, R. D. McGee of Stockdale and H. G. Niblo. The meeting was well attended by enthusiastic grangers from various parts of the state and from this section in particular and the occasion is said to have been most enjoyable. The next meeting will occur on Aug. 3rd of next year at a place yet to be decided upon by the executive committee..

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: R. D. McGee of Stockdale, Worthy Master; E. R. Reid of Dublin, Worthy Overseer; J. B. Long of Rusk, Worthy Lecturer; R. W. Kiker of Dublin, Worthy Steward; F. L. Kennedy of Dublin, Worthy Assistant Steward; Miss Tinnie McCluskey of Dublin, Worthy Lady Assistant Steward; A. J. Rose of Salado, Worthy Chaplain; J. L. Howell of Dublin, Worthy Treasurer; Jno. J. Ray of Dublin, Worthy Secretary; G. W. Lancaster of Dublin, Worthy Gate Keeper; Miss Pearl Mulloy of Dublin, Worthy Ceres; Miss Pearl Reed of Dublin, Worthy Pomona; Miss L. V. Kennedy of Dublin, Worthy Flora and Messrs. James Reed, E. Sparks Howell and I. A. Whitfield, all of Dublin, executive committee.

Prof. E. I. Hall and lady returned last Saturday from a trip to Marlin, having abreviated their stay there because of the business calls of Prof. Hall, who left Monday to spend two or three days at Waco.

Erath Commissioner's Court.

The commissioners court of Erath county held its regular quarterly session at Stephenville during last week, all members of the court being present.

The report of the tax collector showed a collection for the quarter ending July 31st of $426.17.

Justice of the peace in precinct one reported fines collected in the amount of $61.60, number two reported a like amount; number three, Alexander, $32; number four, Duffau, $31; number six, Bluff Dale, $6; number seven, Thurber, $1.60; number eight, Lingleville, $4; District Clerk Gray $45.

The following balances were ordered refunded on unexpired liquor licenses: B. R. Pleasants, Stephenville and Dublin, $224.99; T. E. Minter 41c; W. T. Patton $42.70, John Goble $11.45, all of above at Stephenville; J. M. Baxley $130.41, S. C. Counts $55, Long & Beavers $85.83, Prim Bros. $17.01, all of the latter at Dublin; total in all $567.80.

Drs. Keith and Cameron were each applicants for the position of county physician, the first named was elected.

Nine applications had been filed for the janitorship of the court house, the bids ranging from $29 to $45 per month. W. B. McCall was reappointed at a salary of thirty dollars per month.

Mr. Hall was re-elected superintendent of the county poor farm.

Bids for the county printing was then taken up and after considerable wrangling the contract for the coming year was awarded to the Stephenville Appeal. Some of the papers of the county had no bids in for the work because they were not notified, one of the number being the Progress.

The Stephenville voting precinct, which was too large and cumbersome, was divided and two boxes made of it, one to be known as voting precinct number one, as it has been heretofore and the other to be known as precinct number twenty-seven.

The county judge reported the collection of fines, fees and costs to the amount of $266 during the past quarter.

Commissioner Dan McAllister reported the expenditure of $418.01 on the roads in his precinct during the term.

L. R. Mayfield reported the expenditure of $554 and reports having graded twelve miles of road during the term.

J. H. Herring reported the expenditure of $164.50.

County clerk reported collection of jury fees and fines to the amount of $189.30 during the term.

Chas. Higginbotham was placed on the county's list of indigents, to draw $5 per month during the pleasure of the court.

A correspondent says that the public schools of Comanche will open on Sept. 3rd.

Facts and Figures

Your opportunity to economize on your purchases—a dollar saved is a dollar earned. We mean what we say. We are swapping dollars with you during this sale. Figures don't lie. If a man can back up what he says with facts and figures, his talk is "all wool and a yard wide." **We mean what we say and say what we mean.** The goods are here for your inspection, plain figure mark down prices throughout our entire stock. Come, see, convince yourselves. When Mistrot advertises a sale you can back you bottom dollar its just that way. Entire stock on sale from day to day for six days until sold out without regard to cost or actual value at Mistrot Bros. & Co.

Microscopic Penmanship.

The subject of microscopic workmanship really divides itself into two classes—penmanship and mechanical construction. History has handed down to us many examples of this form of caligraphic mania, of which the chief symptom is a desire to compress the greatest number of words into the smallest possible space.

Pliny the Younger declares that Cicero once saw the "Iliad" written so small that it could be inclosed in a walnut shell. This affirmation was regarded as improbable until the seventeenth century, when Huet, bishop of Avranches, France, an excellent Greek scholar, proved that it could be accomplished.

The gospel of St. John and the Acts of the Apostles were written within the circumference of a farthing in the sixth century by an Italian monk.

How a Dying Man Feels.

Numerous experiments made in hospitals and upon heroic scientists who have permitted tests to be made upon themselves right down to the moment of death, warrant these conclusions: That a dying man may be burned with red hot irons and yet not feel the least pain; that consciousness may remain in the dying almost to the moment of actual dissolution, but that most people generally lose the power of thought long before death; that in cases of death where there seems to be extreme suffering, with writhing and spasms, such phenomena are generally due to reflex muscular action; also that fear weakens the muscular system and hastens death, while the reverse may prolong life.

A WESLEY INCIDENT.

First Methodist Lay Preacher Followed in a Year by Twenty.

The societies met on Sundays, but never at the hour of church service, and, when neither Wesley nor any other clergyman was present, spent the hour in prayer and religious conversation or exhortation. From exhortation before the society to formal preaching before it was only a step, but to Wesley it seemed a very long step.

While in Bristol he learned, one day in 1739, that one of his converts, Thomas Maxfield, had been preaching before the Foundery society. He hurried up to London to stop it. But his mother, who since the death of her husband had been living in a room of the Foundery building, met him with a protest, "John, take care what you do with reference to that young man, for he is as surely called to preach as you are." Admonished by this counsel from one whose caution on all churchly matters he knew to be quite equal to his own, Wesley reluctantly consented to hear Maxfield preach. After listening, he exclaimed: "It is the Lord's doing. Let him do as seemeth to him good." Convinced in spite of deep rooted disinclination, he sanctioned the first Methodist lay preacher. Within a year there were twenty.—C. F. Winchester in Century.

Professional Trust.

To any who regard the whole legal profession with suspicion I can only answer: "You are probably right in saying that if a lawyer had played the vulture he would not tell of it, yet in truth these evil birds of prey are not the majority in the law. If they were more than a small minority our profession could not sustain the almost boundless confidence it enjoys from the whole business world. Remember, a lawyer is judged day by day, and by his deeds he is justified or condemned. If a significant number of us were traitors to our clients or if by our hypocrisy we undermined the body of professional ethics, the keen and undeceived men of this generation would not be placing in lawyers' hands every day their most momentous interests and trusting implicitly in the honesty of their advice. Suppose we do have our little professional attitudes and poses and pomposities; those are but superficial mannerisms which may make us awkward and tedious when we, too, would write a popular article, but which have nothing under heaven to do with our faithfulness to our clients. On that faithfulness we meet our judgment day six times a week."—Everybody's Magazine.

Beecher's Application.

One Saturday afternoon two Brooklyn men were on their way over Fulton ferry to the City of Churches. Mr. Beecher happened to be on board. As the ferryboat felt its way into the slip Mr. Beecher seemed to be looking on abstractedly. As the boat struck the piling at the side, which creakingly yielded, Mr. Beecher's face lighted up. One of the men, who knew Mr. Beecher's method of sermonizing, remarked to the other: "There will be something about that in tomorrow's sermon. Let us go and see." The men were in Plymouth church the following morning as suggested. Sure enough, in the course of the sermon Mr. Beecher made some such reference as this: "There are in every community men who perform for society the service that yonder piling does in the ferry slip—when they are struck they gracefully yield, yet are not quite swept from their position. They stand for principle, but they tactfully yield in nonessentials. Those buffer souls are valuable members of society."

His Second Stomach.

Smugglers' brains are proverbially fertile, and a clever expedient was once adopted to import brandy into Paris without paying the octroi duties, says the Golden Penny. For several weeks a splendid elephant and his keeper belonging to a circus had constantly gone in and out of one of the Paris gates, when one day a custom house officer suddenly thrust his probe into the creature's side. The spectators were horrified, but the elephant did not appear to feel any pain, while from the wound fell four tiny barrels of brandy. The keeper, considering that a little extra size in the unwieldy shape of his change would not be noticed, had incased its stomach in the old skin of a larger elephant and had filled out the space with brandy—a very profitable enterprise.

A Desperate Man.

It was in a restaurant, and the young wife looked anxiously at her husband as he devoured a double portion of lobster salad.

"I wish you wouldn't eat that, dear," she urged. "You know it never agrees with you, especially at night."

"It doesn't, but I don't care," he said as he tackled a huge mouthful. "It's my turn to take care of the baby tonight, anyhow."—New York Press.

A Fair Warning.

Mrs. Browne—Don't you think the new neighbor is cute? She has such a coaxing little way about her.

Mrs. Greene—Well, she'll get herself into trouble if she tries her coaxing little way on either of my hired girls.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Where Friendship Ceases.

"That girl with Johnson there—a friend of his, I presume?"

"Nope; used to be, though."

"So? Had a falling out?"

"Not exactly. He married her."—Baltimore American.

Much better results can be obtained by paying a woman a compliment than by trying to argue with her.—Boston Globe.

VICTIMS OF X RAYS.

Experiences of Two Surgeons of the London Hospital.

The New York Herald publishes the following from its London correspondent:

Mr. Edison is not the only person to suffer from the mysterious power of the Roentgen rays. Two physicians in the radiograph department of the London hospital have fallen victims to its baneful influence, with the result that they had to take an enforced holiday and that the use of the rays for direct examination of injuries has been abandoned.

The rays are now employed to take the photographs from which the surgeon works, thus avoiding the necessity of manipulating a limb while the rays are actually playing on it. Gloves with lead foil sewed into the back were tried, but they were found to impede the hands to such an extent that they were discarded.

Mr. Wilson, one of the two men who used to make the direct examinations with the rays at the hospital, explained that he had not done this class of work for the last eighteen months, yet his hands showed but little signs of improving. Hot fomentations were still necessary, and it is practically certain that his finger nails will never grow properly again. The first symptom of X ray poisoning is a troublesome inflammation of the hands, accompanied by swellings resembling chilblains, depression of spirits and insomnia.

The nails, too, are affected, a ridge forming down the center, in which pus is generated. After the matter has been removed the nail seems partially to perish, the injury to the matrix impairing the future growth. The trouble is chiefly noticeable in the finger tips, decreasing toward the wrist, but slight evidences are generally to be found on most parts of the body.

The eyes, too, are apt to suffer from the ray flicker. Regarded pathologically, the results of the X rays seem to be cumulative, being up to a certain point highly beneficial and beyond that the reverse.

JUSTIN M'CARTHY HONORED

Placed on English Civil List With Yearly Pension of $1,250.

Justin McCarthy, author of "A History of Our Own Times," "The Reign of Queen Anne" (Harpers) and other histories well known in the United States, has been placed on the English civil list to receive an annual pension of £250 ($1,250), says Harper's. As Mr. McCarthy is a popular historical author whose works have sold largely in England and America, one of the prominent English periodicals wonders why a pension was bestowed upon him. The fact is that for the past five years Mr. McCarthy has been almost blind and works under great difficulty, which would be even greater were it not for the devotion of his daughter, with whom he lives.

Furthermore, he has always been open handed and generous to a fault and in his old age has been somewhat straitened on that account. He is now in his seventy-third year and, in addition to his histories, has written a number of novels. At the age of eighteen he began his journalistic career, going later into politics, finally entering parliament in 1879. Seven years ago he retired from public life and has since devoted himself entirely to literature.

NEW TYPE OF FOSSILS.

Discovery of Human Skeleton by Workmen Near Mentone, France.

The grottoes of Boausse-Rousse, near Mentone, in France, are now being explored for prehistoric remains under the direction of the Prince of Monaco, writes the Paris correspondent of the Philadelphia Press. M. de Villeneuve has been carrying on the excavations, which have yielded some interesting finds, especially of fossil human remains.

The chief discovery so far has been a human fossil of a new type. At twenty-one feet was found a complete skeleton and two feet lower the last burial place, containing two bodies. The subject found at twenty-one feet is a man of great height, 6 feet 4 inches. The skull has been reconstructed. The facial part is very low and well developed in length. This individual has the characteristics of the race known as Cro-Magnon. The two skeletons found at twenty-three feet present great interest, as they are of the negroid type.

Hawaii to Have the Finest Aquarium

Plans have now been perfected in Honolulu, Hawaii, and the means provided for the erection and maintenance of a magnificent aquarium for ocean fish and ocean life on the beach at Waikiki, opposite the entrance to Kapiolani park and as a part of the park enterprise, says the San Francisco Chronicle. The building for the aquarium is to be in the form of a cross, the main axis of the building being 105 feet and of the other eighty-three feet. It will be arranged and maintained in accordance with the most approved modern knowledge and appliances and is designed to be the most complete institution of the kind in America.

The New America.

The Latins and the Slavs are going to play an important part in making the American republic of the future what it is destined to be, says the Cleveland Leader. This means a warmer temperament, more love of color and gayety, more passion and more inclination toward art and music. The future America may be all the more interesting, varied, many sided and imposing for the vast river of new blood and novel customs and ideas flowing into the country, but the change must not be too rapid. It is time to think of floodgates to check the tide.

HANGMAN'S PAY

The Way an Oriental King Helps to Fill His Purse.

In the east a hangman's fee is profitable. As soon as a person is condemned to be hanged notice is given to the executioner, who has the privilege of erecting the scaffold where he pleases, and at sunrise the next morning he begins his work, accompanied by his assistants, who bind the condemned man and carry him to the scaffold, he goes to some prominent place in front of a large house and there proceeds to erect the scaffold.

A few minutes later the owner of the large dwelling rushes out and begs him to go somewhere else.

"I don't want to have a man hanged in front of my house," he explains.

"All right," says the hangman, if you are willing to go elsewhere provide and pay me for my trouble in coming here and for the time which I have lost at the job."

Though the sum which he mentions is pretty large, the owner of the adjoining dwelling pays it without a murmur, whereupon the hangman goes to another large dwelling, where a similar scene is enacted.

In this way several hours are spent by the executioner in extorting money from all the magnates in the neighborhood. When his purse is at last filled he erects the scaffold of some dark wood, and soon the unfortunate man, who has been tramping about all day, is at rest.—New York Tribune.

The Kind of Ear That Is Human

The ear that Darwin illustrates in the "Descent of Man" as being of the pointed type belonging to human relatives is not as uncommon as many may imagine. It is my opinion that this peculiarity of the ear in question is oftener to be found in women, and in many of them the persistence of the wisdom tooth is also a characteristic. I call to mind two cases of this sort, one a man, the other of a woman, both students of one of our leading colleges among their social and intellectual forces.

The latter is a remarkable throwback to an earlier type in ear, in the great length of arm, in painless childbirth, in flexibility of hand joints and other marked characteristics. It appears to me that the ear, like the uniform appendix, the suspension of the viscera, the position of the fetus, of the bladder and the uterus, the condition of certain main arteries, is yet in a transitional state and not adapted to the newer human conditions imposed by the erect position and artificialities of civilization.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Mortified Wife.

The Rev. John Mathews, who was a pioneer Methodist preacher in Alabama, has been remembered for his strict views and many peculiarities according to Lippincott's. His wife was more liberal in her ideas, wore of dress and once sold a bonnet with the money bought a new one. The following Sunday Brother Mathews, being disturbed at the beginning of his discourse by several of the congregation turning to see the latecomers, said: "Brethren and sisters, don't bother to look around any more to tell you who comes in." This, instead of calling each one by name, made the mortification of the tardy one complete. His wife was among the latecomers, and when she walked down the aisle he said: "Make way there for Sister Mathews. She is coming with her nose on her head."

Philadelphia's First Book

The first book of any kind printed in Philadelphia was Atkin's almanac for the year 1686. It was not a pamphlet of ten leaves, only two of which are now known to be in existence. The first copy of the almanac printed was sent to William Markham, Penn's deputy, who proceeded to the council that the dates erroneously declared Pennsylvania to have been founded by "Lord Penn." The council disapproved such a high sounding title and directed the publisher and printer (William Bradford) to "forthwith and effectually blot out the words 'Lord Penn.'" This had the effect of recalling the whole edition for the abolition of the obnoxious words.

Throwing the Slipper at a Bride

The throwing of the slipper at the bride comes apparently from old times, when the relations of husband and wife were really very much like those of master and slave, for it was that the shoe was an emblem of authority, and at an Anglo-Saxon wedding a shoe was given by the bride's father to her husband in token of the transfer of power over her, the groom then indicating his appreciation of the gift by tapping his new wife lightly on the head with it.

Coral From Italy.

Much of the costly red, white and pink coral used for ornamental purposes is obtained from the coast of Italy. Men go out in boats and drag the rocky bottom of the sea in wooden frames or nets, in which the coral becomes entangled, but the delicate branches are crushed in the process. The finest coral is obtained in deep water.

One View of Dialect.

Dialect tempered with slang is a admirable medium of communication between persons who have not time and persons who would not say anything properly said.—Bailey Aldrich in Century.

Where there is one man who becomes insane through overwork there are hundreds who remain sane by reason of understudy.—Boston Transcript.

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THE DUBLIN PROGRESS.

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DUBLIN, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUG 21st, 1903.

Prof. E. I. Hall returned yesterday from a trip to Waco.

A baby boy was born to J. N. Thompson and lady of southeast Dublin Wednesday.

H. Sloneker of Sweetwater was here yesterday en route home from a visit to Ft. Worth.

Mrs. W. A. Nash arrived home Saturday from a visit with relatives at Mount Vernon.

Mrs. B. H. Lattner of Mineral Wells, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Miller & Herndon will close all straw hats and low cut shoes at lower prices than you have had.

Mrs. R. G. Anderson of Abilene who recently returned from a visit with friends here in Dublin.

"Uncle Jimmie" Reid returned Tuesday morning from a short visit with his son near Rucker.

J. H. Prim and family departed Monday night for a ten days' visit with relatives at Sulphur Springs

Mrs. Wm. Lucy and her infant died at their home in the Cow Creek community last Wednesday morning.

Prof. McDonald of Blanket, principal of the public schools at that place, was here yesterday to spend the day with his brother.

Rev. G. H. Morrison returned yesterday from Brady, where he has been assisting in a camp meeting of three weeks duration.

J. C. Nash left last Sunday for a business trip to Palo Pinto, where a Confederate reunion was in session the first of the week.

Tom Finty, Jr., special correspondent for the Dallas News, was in the city last Wednesday and gave the Progress a pleasant call.

D. C. Rogers, Texas Central agent at DeLeon, accompanied by his wife, came spent several days of the past week with relatives here.

W. T. Tatum, has leased the McClure place south of the Central depot and is preparing to take a limited number of regular boarders.

Miss Lela Davenport left last Saturday for her home at Midland, where she has accepted a position with a mercantile house.

H. B. Mistrot of Brownwood, the special director of the Mistrot stores throughout this section, was here yesterday en route to Cisco.

Wilsem Cargile, who has been employed with Prim Bros. for some months past, left Monday for Chickasha, I. T., to take a position in the Rock Island machine shops.

Elder C. R. Maddux of Duster is conducting a Christian camp meeting at Bethel, five miles west of Dublin, which closes Sunday night. The meeting has been in progress ten days.

ABOUT COMPLEXIONS

Food Makes Them Good or Bad.

Saturate the human body with coffee and it will in time show the complexion of the coffee user.

This is caused by the action of coffee on the liver, thus throwing out of the bile into the blood. Coffee complexions are sallow and muddy and will stay that way until coffee is given up entirely.

A sure way to recover rosy cheeks and red lips is to quit coffee and drink Postum Food Coffee, which makes good blood. "I had been for more than twenty years an inveterate coffee drinker and it is absolutely true that I had so completely saturated myself with this drug that my complexion and the last became perfectly yellow and every nerve and fibre in me was affected by the drugs in coffee. For days at a time I had been confined to keep to my bed on account of nervous headache and stomach trouble and medicines did not give me any relief. I had never consulted a physician in regard to my sickness and terrible complexion for I only found out the cause of my ailments after I commenced the use of Postum, which became known to me through Grape-Nuts. We all liked the good Grape-Nuts and it helped us so that we thought that Postum must certainly have merit and we concluded to try it. We found it so deilcious that we countinued the use altogether, though I never expected it to improve my health.

After a few months my head aches were all gone and my compiexion had cleared wonderfully, then I realized that my troubles had been caused by coffee and had been cured when I left off coffee and drank Postum in its place." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Michigan.

Postum will change the blood of a coffee drinker and rosy cheeks and health take the place of a yellow skin and disease.

A press dispatch from Granbury of last Sunday says, Charlie and Andy Bostic were arrested Friday night, charged with holding up the Sparkman boys and John Marshall, who live in the southern part of the county. The boys and Marshall had started home and the Bosticks came upon them with shot guns and ordered Marshall to get out of the wagon and forced him to eat gravels, broom weeds and horse manure. Then they made him run four miles down the road. Marshall is in a bad condition and about fifty stones from the size of a pea to the size of a bird egg have been extracted from his stomach. Great indignation is expressed that a crime of this kind should be committed. Marshall lives on Bostick's farm and they had trouble about a fence. The night before a gang had shot into Marshall's house.

Teacher's Interstate Examination Course.—Teachers wishing to prepare for examinations should write at once to Prof. J. L. Graham, LL. D., 152-154 Randolph Building, Memphis, Tenn., for particulars concerning his special teachers' examination course. This course is taught by mail and prepares teachers for examinaton in every state in the union. Leading educators pronounce it the best course ever offered to the teaching profession, and all teachers wishing to advance in their profession should immediately avail themselves of it. Enclose stamp for reply. 11-3m

Capt. F. M. Browne has this week purchased the W. R. Wasson homestead on Patrick street at a consideration which was private. He will occupy the place with his family about the tenth of the coming month and in the meantime the property will be somewhat improved and remodeled and next year a modern cottage will be erected on the premises. Mr. Wasson and family will take up residence with his son W. R. Wasson.

Elder J. W. Chism, former pastor of the Christian church at Dublin, was here yesterday en route to Robinson Springs, seven miles east of Gorman, where he will begin a campmeeting to-night to continue over Sunday week. Elder Chism is now permanently located at Norman, Oklahoma, and is the territorial manager for the Wisconsin Life Association in Oklahoma and the Indian Territory.

Having been asked many times how much I charged for boiling wheels in oil, will say that I have always been unable to give a price, as I have had no facilities for doing such work. I have now arranged to oil them scientifically, using oil at the proper temperature. All four wheels are put in at one time and turned by power, enabling me to put the price at $1.50 per set.—E. Rouleau. 12-tf

W. H. Key, who has for some months been one of the most popular traveling men on the road, has tired of that and secured the stock of Harry Moore in the firm of Maloney & Co. at Dublin. Mr. Key will at once take charge of the dry goods department of that popular store, a position he has once before filled with profit to the company and satisfaction to their patrons.

The pool hall and cold drink establishment belonging to Dave Ray, which has been occupying the Counts' old saloon stand, was removed the first of this week to the building in the Davis block vacated by Wilder's music store and Justice W. R. Able has occupied the Counts' place with the justice court. This location is much more convenient for the court and the people.

The local board of trustees of John Tarleton College met at Stephenville Wednesday and arranged for the opening of the school on the second day of next month. The college will, the coming term, have a list of seventy-five or more beneficiaries, all of whom will be given books and tuition free. The beneficiaries represent nearly all sections of the county.

J. K. Billingsly of near Gustine was in yesterday with a bale of cotton of last winters picking, which he sold at eleven cents per pound. The bale was made up of remnants of last winters picking and was, as is usual with late pickings, a very poor grade. Mr. Billingsly says he has about fifty acres of cotton this year and he says his crop is fine.

Abe Oxford and Ed Gunter of Stephenville, became involved in a quarrel at that place last Tuesday evening, during which Oxford displayed a pistol and discharged the weapon through the roof of an awning in front of the Shoffner restaurant. They were each arrested and placed under bond to await trial on various charges.

The town of Coleman was visited by a disastrous fire Friday morning of last week, which entailed a damage of something over eight thousand dollars, with an insurance of about half of that amount. The implement and vehicle warehouse of J. B. Warren was totally destroyed and the flouring mill and their stock was likewise damaged.

School Board Meeting.

A meeting of the trustees of the Dublin independent school district was held last Tuesday evening, at which the date of opening the forthcoming session of school was discussed. The board determined to defer the opening until as late as the second week in next month and possibly the third, because of the likelihood that the new text books could not be gotten before that time. The date of opening will be decided upon at a meeting of the board to be held at some time within the coming week.

New insurance in the sum of $800 was ordered to be written on the third ward school building.

Accounts amounting in the aggregate to $565.69 were allowed. This included one item of $426, for semi-annual interest on the outstanding bonded indebtedness of $18,000.

The guarantee in the pocket of each pair of Buckskin Breeches is put there as an evidence of good faith. It means that we believe that the pants are so good that you can't find a fault in them. You can call on your dealer for another pair or your money, just as you choose. That is the best proof of an honest effort on our part to give you good pants at the price of common goods.

Prof. A. L. Cole of the Cow Creek community returned Wednesday evening from a trip of four weeks through southern Missouri and northern Arkansas, the latter his old home. The Prof. is even more enthusiastic than ever regarding the superior advantages of Texas over the older settled states.

The J. L. Hall Music Co. have this week purchased a stock of several thousand copies of sheet music. They now have the best and largest selection of this goods ever brought west of Waco. If you are in the market for any sheet music, you should call early and get the pick of this magnificent stock. 14-tf

The Peoples Cotton Yard is located at the old stand just back of the marble yard and in front of the Baptist church. We have everything up-to-date to weigh your cotton and we solicit your partonage.—Brown & Norwood. 14-6t

J. B. Waldo expects to leave this week and possibly today for Schulenburg, south Texas, where he will buy cotton until the season fairly opens up at this place. This will be the fourth season that Mr. Waldo has bought during the early season at that point.

Don't neglect the warnings of nature If your appetite is poor, breath bad, tongue coated, you will be sick unless you take steps to put your system in good condition. Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy you need. It cleanses the entire system. Sold by Dublin Drug & Jewelry Co.

Condy Toliver of Stephenville last week sold his hundred and sixty acre farm, five miles southeast of Stephenville to J. F. Warnock, a prosperous farmer who has heretofore resided near that place. The consideration was twenty-five dollars an acre, or $4,000 total.

C. S. Oates arrived home last Saturday from Ft. Worth, where he has for several months been engaged on a contract for building a three story addition to the Polytechnic college. He has finished his part of the contract and says that the building will before long be ready for occupancy.

J. D. Williams, a very old man who resides near Desdemona, was arrested last Friday evening in Dubiln on a charge of attempted criminal assault upon a little girl. He was later released on a bond of one hundred dollars. The man was under the influence of liquor.

Sheriff J. L. Sandlin of Hood county, penitentiary contractor for counties along the line of the Rio Grande road, took J. W. Sulilvan to the penitentiary from this county this week. Sullivan has four years to do for forgery, two years each in two cases.

At Mistrot's

You will always find the goods just as advertised. When we advertise a sale the people have found out to their entire satisfaction that the goods are here for their inspection just as ADVERTISED or a little better. At this season of the year we are willing to swap dollars in order to realize on balance of our stock. We make early preparations for fall business. The goods are here for your inspection. Plain figures mark down price on our entire stock to unload in the next six days. We don't intend to pack away any goods if the prices will move them, even at a loss we will make the concession. This will be the greatest proposition ever offered to the peopie of Dublin and vicinity. **Our Entire Stock Without Reserve,** on sale without regard to former prices or actual values this a great saving to the consumer on their purchases, an inspection of our goods and prices will convince you MISTROT'S is the place to save money.

Geo. W. Clark left Monday to spend several days with his mother at West in McClellan county.

The Palace Meat Market has removed to the Bratton old stand, one door north of their previos stand.

All low cut shoes to close out at Miller & Herndon's at 50c to 75c on the dollar.

A stock law election will be held throughout Hill county on the nineteenth of next month.

Revs. Hull of Cisco and J. T. Talley of Albany are carrying on a successful revival meeting at Albany.

Estimates of this years cotton crop in Comanche county put the yield at from twenty-five to fifty thousand bales.

The Palace Meat Market has occupied the Bratton old stand, one door north of the building formerly occupied by them.

S. H. Prim last week purchased from J. L. Hall the residence property in southeast Dublin known as the Jackson place.

The ex-confederate reunion which was to have been held at Brownwood September 2nd, 3rd and 4th, has been postponed to an indefinite date.

A religious debate is to occur at Huckabay between the Christian and Methodist denominations. The debate is to begin September 12th.

Little Misses Laudie Franks and Ora Carlton came over Wednesday evening from Stephenville, each to spend a few days with relatives here.

The tax renditions in Parker county for the present year show a decrease from last year of the difference between $7,187,955 and $7,218,730.

Will Rann, who recently left for Waco to take a night position in the yards of the Texas Central, has returned and decided to remain in Dublin.

Stops the cough and works off the cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure no pay. Price 25c.

A few mutterings are already being heard at the county capital relative to the campaign in Erath next year. The race for several important county offices will be closely contested in the democratic primaries.

To clean up at Miller & Herndon's, 4 full counters of straw hats:

Hats worth 10c and 15c at 4c
Hats worth 20c to 25c at 9c
Hats worth 35c to 50c at 18c
Hats worth 65c to $1 at 38c

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Wanted—Position as cook. Have a thirteen year old son that lives with me who can do chores about the house. Address Mrs. Mary B. Norman, Dublin. 14-1p

$5 Reward—For recovery or information leading to recovery of one bay horse, sixteen and a half hands high, about ten years old, branded W on right shoulder and J on right hip.; fresh shod in front, a little hog backed and saddle marked.—D. S. Jennings, Proctor, Texas. 13-2p

Lost or Stolen—Ladies gold watch with a cord attached to it. Was lost at the reunion grounds. Reasonable reward for deliver" to this office or V. E. Marsh, Dublin. 13-2p

Lost.—Day book containing some accounts, church letters, etc. Was lost between Dublin and Purvis. Finder plaese return to Progress or C. P. Burnett, Dublin. 13-2p

Lost.—Brown cow branded L on left side, eight years old. Was raised on J.L. Newman place, six miles west of Stephenville. Reward for delivery to Lee Pipes, Dublin, or for information leading to recovery. 13-tf

Takin Up—Two brown mare mules about fourteen hands high each, shod in front and unbranded. Owner can get them at O K wagon yard by paying all charges. 13-2t

For Sale.—167 acres of land, 110 in cultivation, balance grass and timber. All good land with no stumps, grubs nor rocks. Good dwelling house, barn and tenant house, besides four good wells of water, all shallow. Located two miles south of Dublin. Apply to J. G. Conner, Dublin. 10-6t

For Sale.—The cheapest place in Comanchecounty, containing 324 acres, 110 in cultivation, good houses, plenty water, all good pasture land except farm, all under fence. Two miles southeast of Gustine High school. Will sell cows, teams and farm implements all at a bargain. Two places included. Apply to J. T. Smart, Gustine. 11-4t

For Sale.—Two eighty horse power boilers, each of them good as new and were only taken out because they were inadequate for the service. For information apply to the Dublin Cotton Oil Co., Dublin, Texas. 9-tf

Teachers Wanted.—We need at once a few more teachers for fall schools. Good positions are being filled daily by us. We are receiving more calls this year than ever before. Schools and colleges supplied with teachers free of cost. Enclose stamp for reply.—American Teachers' Associationh, J. L. Graham, LL. D., Manager, 152-154 Randolph Building, Memphis, Tenn. 11-3m

J. L. HALL MUSIC CO.,

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Pianos, Organs and all Kinds of High Grade Musical Instruments, Sheet Music, Musical Merchandise

We sell for cash or on terms to suit purchaser. Hand the best goods and make prices the Lowest. Don't buy without seeing us.

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OPPOSITE LATHAM CO., DUBLIN, TEXAS.

Prisoners of Erath.

The sheriff of Erath county now has a number of wards on his hands awaiting disposition of the courts. The list runs like this:

Fayette Simpson, arrested Wednesday of last week in Comanche on a charge of rape committed in Erath county, now in jail awaiting trial.

Bill Thompson, serving in jail a fine of $25.

Will McIntyre, arrested for maliciously destroying farm products of another, for petty theft and other depredations committed in Salem community, this county. Was arrested recently and is now endeavoring to make bond.

Brown Hubbard, serving in jail a fine of $25 for selling liquor to a minor.

Tom Friday, under sentence of twenty years for the murder of Henry Ott in Eastland county, awaiting action of higher court.

Jim McAllister, under sentence of two years for horse theft, awaiting hearing from court of appeals.

Tant Bowen, serving in jail a fine of $50 and fifty days in jail for assaulting a young girl.

Charlie Hicks, colored, serving in jail a fine of $50 and forty days in jail for violation of the local option law in Dublin.

McLaughiln, colored, known in Dublin as "Chickadee", is awaiting action of the grand jury for burglary committed in Dublin.

Another negro, name not known, is in jail at Meridian, charged with being an accomplice with McLaughlin.

Tommy Spell and Marvin Hannon are in jail at Franklin, Robertson county, charged with stealing horses at Dublin during the reunion. They were arrested at Hearne and Deputy Sheriff Deaton left yesterday to bring them to Stephenville. These two boys are aged eleven and fourteen years respectively, and have each heretofore figured in the courts of this county.

Big Unloading Sale.

at Mistrot Bros. & Co's. Only six days longer of the Greatest Price Reduction on Entire stock. Summer Goods, Clothing and Shoes at Sacrificing figures to unload the stock.

At a recent meeting of the business men of Albany it was decided to have a grand barbecue at that place on the first day of the coming month. This celebration has been under comtemplation at that place for some time, and the date was once before set, though deferred. A feature of the meeting will be a bid for the cotton business of the Albany country and addresses are to be made and inducements offered to get it.

Money Saving Opportunity

to the people. Big price reductions on entire stock FOR SIX DAYS LONGER at Mistrot Bros. & Co.

An election was held in Waco last Tuesday at which the question of an issue of bonds for a light plant and bonds for a water plant were each submitted to a vote of the people. The water bonds, amounting to $500,000, were authorized by a majority of ninety-seven votes and the light plant bonds, amounting to $100,000, were defeated by a majority of seventy-five votes. Only about eight hundred votes were cast upon each of the propositions.

The meeting of the Farmer's Institute at the park last Tuesday was reasonably well attended by the farmers of this section and a number of good speeches were made by visitors, one of which was by Judge Lee Young on the creamery question.

Maj. C. H. Smith, the veteran humorist known the world over as "Bill Arp," is at the point of death at his home in Cartersville, Ga. Major Smith is a native of that state and was born on June 15, 1826. He practiced law in his native state for over a quarter of a century and for four years served in the confederate army, coming out at the close of the struggle as major on the staff of Brigadier General G. T. Anderson, of the third Georgia brigade.

DR. S. T. FRIEND,
Physician and Surgeon.
Have recently located in Dublin for general practice. Office with Dr. R. A. Miller, Phone 81. Residence Phone 101.
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Wagon, Carriage and General Repair Shop.
Rubber tires furnished and fitted. A specialty of overhauling vehicles. All work cash, except by special arrangement.
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Straightened, Stiffened Joints Successfully treated. Cure guaranteed. Call or write for references.
DR. W. O. THOMAS,
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DR. A. F. UPTON,
Physician and Surgeon.
PURVES, TEXAS.
After twenty-five years of study and experience I will give $10 reward for any form of Flux or Croup that I cannot cure, if the case is given me at the start and my directions followed to the end. It matters not who fails on these troubles or who says it cannot be cured, this proposition is open to all. Calls answered promptly day or night.

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THE PALACE MEAT MARKET
has moved one door north to Bratton old stand, Patrick Street.
COLD STORAGE MEAT
AND
BONELESS HAM
A SPECIALTY.
Hot Barbecue at all Times
PHONE NO. 83.
W. H. PILGRIM & CO.
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STOP THAT DECAY!

It Will Ruin Your Teeth and Your Health as Well

My fillings stop decay and will not come out. I have the best method known for saving aching teeth, guaranteed never to ache again.

W. W. Snider, Dentist,
Office Over Grange Store, Dublin.

CHRISTIAN MASSACRE

Every Christian at Krosheva Said to Have Been Massacred by Turks.

GREEKS SUFFERERS.

Villages They Inhabit Are Burned By Insurgents.—Imperial Troops Sustain Defeat, With Heavy Loss.

Sofia, Aug. 18.—Reports received here from Constantinople, and believed to be authentic ,confirm previous statements to the effect that when the Turks recaptured Krushevo they slaughtered the entire Christian population without exception, and it is pointed out that among those killed were employes of government tobacco establishments, which are under European control, as the proceeds from these establishments were assigned to the Turkish debt.

Sofia, Aug. 18.—A fierce battle is reported to have occurred in the neighborhood of Monastir. Three Turkish battallions attacked 1000 insurgents, and after the fight had raged for six hours the Turks were repulsed with a loss of 210 men killed or wounded. The insurgent loss is not given.

A Rumor Corrected.

Belgrade, Aug. 18.—There is no truth in the report circulated in the United States that the Russian vice consul at Monastir, Dr. Mandelstam, who succeeded the murdered consul, had been shot near Monastir.

Purpose of Russian Squadron.

Vienna, Aug. 18.—A curious suggestion has been made in some political circles to the effect that the Russian squadron bound for Turkish waters was not intended so much as a menace to Turkey as to protect the sultan in the event of a serious outbreak at Yildiz palace resulting from the dissatisfaction of the Albanian and Arabian-Syrian clique.

War Munitions Intercepted.

Constantinople, Aug. 18.—Most recent advices received here from Monastir, forwarded Sunday night, announced that fighting between insurgents and Turkish troops in the vicinity of Krushevo continues and many refugees from neighboring villages are congregated at Monastir. Several villages inhabited by Greeks, it is added, have been set on fire by the insurgents.

According to advices received at one of the foreign embassies at Constantinople, no less than 800 Mussulmen have been massacred throughout the district of Monastir by the insurgents, whose movements continue to gain ground.

Dispatches received here from Belgrade, Servia, say that the Turkish minister there has secured the detention of a quantity of arms and ammunition destined for Bulgaria. The forwarder of the war munitions was sentenced to pay a fine of $4000 for illegal exportation of munitions of war.

Keeping His Subjects in the Dark.

Constantinople, Aug. 18.—The Russian squadron of warships is being looked for off the Turkish coast in support of the demands made on Turkey by Russia in connection with the assassination, on Aug. 7, of M. Rostkovski, Russian consul at Monastir. The fact that Russia is about to make a naval demonstrtion in Turkish waters has been kept a profound secret here, the public being entirely ignorant of the Russian movement. Notification has been received here that the sailing of the squadron is an unwelcome surprise to the Turkish government, which pretended to believe that the Rostkovski incident had been closed with the punishment o the guilty parties.

Wrecked Commissariat.

Constantinople, Aug. 18.—The Turkish commissariat department is in a wrecked condition. The troops at Monastir, for instance, have not been served with rations of meat for six weeks.

Repeated attacks made by insurgents on railroads and the inadequate protection afforded by the Turkish authorities, compelled the railroad officials to order, in spite of protests of military commanders, the suspension of traffic on Salonica, Monastir and Uskub lines

STANDARD FOR WAGES.

Chicago Employers' Association Discover an Equitable Plan.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—After receiving a report from a corps of experts concerning the price of commodities in districts where the organized working men of the city live, the employers' association has discovered that the cost of living has increased 15 per cent during the last five years and has decided that wages should be increased in like ratio. In many cases the increase already has been granted. In future cases this will be the basis of wage raises.

For more than a decade the employers throughout the country have been trying to find an equitable standard by which wages may be adpjusted, and the Chicago association intends to test the solution it has found. Whether it will be accepted by the labor organizations or not, the employers intend to put it into effect at once.

Salisbury's Condition Serious.

London, Aug. 18.—The condition of Lord Salisbury continues to be undeniably grave. A bulletin issued by his physicians merely says that the patient passed a restful night and that his condition is much the same.

Mr. Quay's Health.

Pittsburg, Aug. 18.—Senator Quay arrived in Pittsburg on his way to his home at Beaver. He was in his usual health and it is not known how the rumor started that he had died suddenly on the train.

ROOSEVELT RESTING.

Cannot View Yachting Races at Was Anticipated.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 18.—President Roosevelt has passed the day quietly at Sagamore Hill. No formal visitors were received. It has been announced that the president will not attend the first of the international yacht races, which will take place Thursday. It has been his intention to witness the race from the deck of the Mayflower, but circumstances render it impracticable for him to leave here at that time. It is barely possible that he may attend one of the later races. The president has received from Sir Thomas Lipton again a cordial invitation to view Thursday's race from the Erin, but he was forced to decline it. Nothing is known concerning the whereabouts of the torpedo boat destroyer flotilla, three of the vessels of which were injured during the maneuvers. Admiral Dewey ordered the squadron to the New York navy yard for such repairs as might be necessary, but they evidently did not procee directly to the yard. What caused the delay of their arrival is not known here. No apprehension is felt for them, however, as all of them are regarded as seaworthy. Admiral Dewey himself remarked that they were amply able to cross the Atlantic without repairs.

HAGUE ARBITRATORS.

Szar Names Representatives in Venezuelan Case.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Mr. Riddle, American charge at St. Petersburg, has cabled the state department that Mouravieff, Russian minister of justice; Leary, the Swiss minister to Paris, and Prof. Matzen, of the University of Copenhagen, have been named by the czar at The Hague of the cases between Venezuela and the blockading powers.

STUDYING IRRIGATION.

Half a Hundred Newspaper Men to Meet With Irrigation Congress.

Ogden, Utah, Aug. 18.—Half a hundred prominent newspaper men, representing nearly all the influential newspapers of the country from Maine to California, will be in attendance when the next National Irrigation congress convenes in this city next month, according to information received a headquarters of the executive committee. Eastern newspaper men will come west in private cars nd be accompanied by representatives of several prominent eastern magazines.

SHIPS COLLIDE.

A Chinese Warship is Sunk by Canadian Pacific Steamer.

Hong Kong, Aug. 18.—The Canadian Pacific railroad's steamer, Empress of India, from Vancouver, B. C., July 27, and Yokohama, Aug. 10, for Hong Kong collided near this port with a Chinese cruiser, Huang Tai. The warship sank an hour after the collision. The Empress of India saved the crew of the cruiser. The captain of the Huang Tai, who refused to leave his ship, and thirteen of the crew were drowned. The Empress of India is badly damaged amidship.

WORLD'S APPLE CROP.

While Short in Europe it is Quite Heavy in the United States.

Boston, Aug. 18.—A report on the world's apple crop of 1903 has just been issued by the Boston Chamber of Commerce. It shows Great Britain short of all fruits, notably apples. Europe is generally short of applies, but with a heavy crop of Valencia oranges and Almeria grapes.

New England in the aggregate, will have a very generous crop, Maine's almost equaling that of last year. New York state reports plenty of apples, the middle west only fair, the far west very heavy, Virginia and West Virginia a very large crop, and Nova Scotia exceptionally heavy. Canada also promises quite a heavy yield. The average quality is excellent, except in some sections.

CAMP MABRY.

Post Flag Now Floats Over Division Headquarters.

Austin, Aug. 18.—Camp Mabry is now under military rule, with Gen. W. H. Stacy in command. The First and Third Texas are practically all here. Several trains loaded with soldiers have reached the camp and it is estimated that there are about 2000 men on the grounds. Dallas and San Antonio company have arrived. The post flag was hoisted promptly before the division headquarters.

An Old Negro Dead.

Gonzales, Tex., Aug. 18.—"Uncle" Jack Leagan, an old negro born at Lynchburg, Va., in the year 1796, making him 107 years old, is dead. Uncle Jack was tall, broad-shouldered and white-headed and had lived in this country over fifty years. He saw the stars fall in 1833, and said he remembered the building of the pontoon bridge across the James river for the soldiers to cross to fight the British at New Orleans.

Waco's First Bale.

Waco, Tex., Aug. 18.—The first bale of cotton for this section was shipped in by express from Rosebud. Falls county this morning. It has not been sold yet.

Killing at Palestine.

Palestine, Tex., Aug. 18.—In an altercation at the livery stable of Harry Everett, Arthur Castle was hit on the head with a buggy spoke by Ed Taylor and died from the wound.

San Francisco's Big Parade.

San Francisco, Aug. 18.—The parade of military, naval and civic bodies of this city and state which took place here furnished an imposing spectacle for the vast crowds of people who packed the sidewalks, windows, roofs and every place of vantage along the line of march. It certainly was one of the finest displays ever seen here and the utmost enthusiasm prevailed among the spectators.

CHINESE OPEN PORTS

The Open Door Principle For The Orient Scores a Point.

PRINCE CHING YIELDS

Minister Conger Brings the Almond-Eyed Statesman Around to the Open-Door Policy. To Sign Treaty.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Minister Conger, at Pekin, has secured a written promise from Prince Ching to sign an Oct. 8 treaty with the United States which will include a guarantee that Mukden and Tatung Tao shall be open ports.

Pekin, Aug. 18.—The arrangement made by Minister Conger for the signing of a treaty between China and the United States providing for the opening of Mukden and Tatung Tao on the date of Russia's promised final evacuation of Manchuria ends the stubborn resistance by the Chinese, which for some time promised to be successful.

Prince Ching made one defense after another until all were exhausted. He first argued Russian opposition to the opening of these ports. He then said he was not informed that Russia had consented to the opening. Finally he refused on the ground that China was unable to open towns held by another power.

When the present settlement was proposed, with the explanation that China must presume that Russia intended to fill her evacuation agreement, Prince Ching reluctantly gave way.

Tatung Tao is a small port, which does not promise much for business. Its opening is mainly imjortant as a victory for the open-door principle.

STATE ENCAMPMENT.

Strength of the State Military Under the New Law.

Austin, Aug. 18.—Austin has been transformed into a military center. About all the companies are here.

The strength of the organizations under the new law is as follows: First infantry, Company A, Houston, 50 men; B, San Antonio, 45; C, Houston, 53; D, Luling, 48; G, San Antonio, 40; H, San Marcos, 45; I, Elgin, 45; K, Caldwell, 53; L, Austin, 50; M, Victoria, 44; band, Smithville, 30.

Second infantry—Company A, Jasper, 45 B, Gatesville, 53; C, Rogers, 46; D, Marlin, 55; E, Bremond, 43; F, Waco, 45; G, Bryan, 53; H, Taylor, 43; I, New Braunfels, 45; K, Waco, 58; L, Calvert, 50; M, Hillsboro, 50.

Third infantry—Company A, Tyler, 45; B, Timpson, 45; C, Terrell, 53; D, Marshall, 50; E, Dallas, 40; F, Rusk, 40; I, Corsicana, 53; K, Orange, 40; L, Waxahachie, 40; M, Beaumont, 40.

Fourth infantry—Company A, Decatur, 50; B, El Paso, 40; C, Brenham, 53; D, Fort Worth, 51; E, Nocona, 40; F, Sherman, 42; G, Texarkana, 48; H, Wichita Falls, 53; I, Paris, 48; K, Denison, 43; L, Cleburne, 48; M, Greenville, 53; band, Dallas, 38.

First cavalry—Troop A, Houston, 50; B, Aamarillo, 50; C, Austin, 50; D, Corsicana, 53; band, Ennis, 27.

Artillery corps—First battery, Dallas, 50; Third battery, Galveston, 40; Fourth battery, Waco, 30; Austin, Gatling gun squad, 25.

Signal corps—Brenham, 27.

Unassigned infantry companies—Venus, 48; Manor, 45.

YELLOW FEVER SITUATION.

Dr. Tabor Is Convined There Has Been None at Monterey.

Austin, Aug. 18.—State Health Officer George B. Tabor says that the reports which he has received from Mexico concerning yellow fever were very favorable. Dr. J. M. White, state quarantine officer at Laredo, is at Monterey investigating the situation.

It is Dr. Tabor's opinion, based on the reports which he has received from different reliable sources, that there has been no case of yellow fever at Monterey, and that the alarm over its reported existence there was without warrant.

The municipal authorities of Monterey have assured Dr. Tabor that they will maintain a rigid quarantine against Victoria, Mexico, where there is said to be a number of cases of the disease.

Killing at Delhart.

Dalhart, Tex., Aug. 18.—Tom C. Black Fogarty, better known as Tom Black, was shot while standing in front of his place of business on Denrock avenue. The wound was fatal. Black was in front of his place with a Winchester in his hand when the shot was fired. No arrests have been made.

An Anti-Trust Suit.

Austin, Aug. 18.—The suit which Attorney General C. K. Bell and District Attorney Carlos Bee recently filed against the Wholesale Grocers' association of San Antonio for penalties for alleged violation of the anti-trust law is likly to be compromised. A conference was held here with that end in view, but the result could not be learned, as those present declined to make any statement.

A Damage Suit.

Guthrie, Okla., Aug. 18.—George Miller of the famous "101" ranch, has brought suit here against Colonel Albert Dean of Kansas City, southwestern agent for the bureau of animal industry, asking $20,000 personal damages. Miller was recently tried and dismissed on a charge of shipping cattle over the Federal quarantine without proper inspection. Miller, in his suit, alleges persecution at the hands of Colonel Dean.

SUCCESSFUL DARING FEAT.

Jack Glenister Swims the Whirlpool Rapids of Niagara.

Buffalo, Aug. 18.—A special from Niagara Falls says that Jack Glenister's manager stated to a News correspondent that Glenister successfully swam the rapids. Glenister is now under the care of a physician. No bones were broken, but he is partially delirious.

TENNESSEE CLOUD BURST.

Farmers of Two Counties Suffer Much Loss to Crops—Two Deaths.

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 18.—A special to the Sentinel from Greenville says that town and section was visited by the heaviest cloudburst and downpour of rain that has ever been known there. It extended from above Greenville as far south as Morristown. In Green and Hablen counties farmers suffered considerable loss to crops. In Greenville and Morristown the creeks passing through the towns inundated streets and flooded many stores, damaging stocks considerably. The electric light and water plants of Greenville were flooded and made useless. Two deaths have been reported as a result of the calamity—Robert Parks and his little seven-year-old son, who tried to cross a swollen creek.

EMBEZZLERS IN THE TOILS.

Arrested In Chicago for Disposing of Houston Merchants' Goods.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—William Kaufmann and Harry Kaufmann, his nephew, have been arrested charged with embezzling $2000 and with taking goods valued at $1700 from Isaac Leopold a wholesale merchant at Houston Tex. Leopold, it is said, engaged the men to travel as salesmen, giving them a consignment of goods and money for expenses. The Kaufmanns, it is alleged, sold part of the goods, then shipped the remainder to Chicago, where they disposed of them to second-hand dealers, using the proceeds to buy a saloon.

UNIQUE CHARACTER DEAD.

Mexican Millionaire Miner and Patriot Dead.

Monterey, Mex., Aug. 18.—Word has been received here of the death at Parral of Pedro Alvarade, millionaire mine owner, and one of the most unique characters of Mexico.

Alvarade grew to be a millionaire through the La Palnilla mine, which he discovered when he was an ordinary day laborer. There is no estimate of the millions he made from the mine, which he guarded every day. He refused to let would-be purchasers enter the shafts, and John Hays Hammond, the great mining expert, is said to have tried time and again in vain to enter the mine. One of the incidents which goes to make his life so novel is his offer many years ago to pay the national debt of Mexico. The government declined to accept such hospitality from a private citizen.

He gathered about him all the friends of his poorer days and made them comfortable when fortune smiled on him.

JAMAICA RECOVERING.

Much Provisions Are Saved, and Plantations Are Being Cleared.

Kingston, Aug. 18.—A slighthy more hopeful feeling now prevails among the planters regarding the disastrous situation brought about by the recent hurricane. The work of clearing the banana plantations is proceeding, and a great quantity of provisions can be saved. Efforts are being made on all sides to retrieve the disaster, but thousands of the peasantry are still homeless. The government has authorized nine parochial boards to spend provisionally $1500 each on relief work.

Textile Strikers Resume Work.

Philadalphia, Aug. 18.—It is estimated that between 6000 and 7000 textile strikers, principally in the rug-weaving branch, resumed work Monday. The strike was begun eleven weeks ago, and of the original 60,000 strikers, but 10,000 remain out. Many of the idle hands are dyers, and it is said if they continue to remain firm they may compel some of the mills to close because of the lack of dye stuffs.

Christian Villages Pillaged.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug.18.—A dispatch received here from Uskub says that 600 Bashi Bazouks, under the command of Albanian chiefs who are notoriously cruel, pillaged and destroyed a number of Christian villages in the districts of Debre and Okrida. The Turkish authorities, it is added, connived at the outrage and furnished the Bashi Bazouks with other uniforms so that they might appear to be regular soldiers.

Grasshoppers Impede Trains.

Red Lodge, Mont., Aug. 18.—Grasshoppers are so thick in this section that they are plastered each day on the locomotives on trains that the wheels are so slippery that when the locomotives stop it is difficult to start them again. They have eaten the range bare.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Work has been started on the extensive New York Central terminal improvements. About $5,000,000 will be expended.

It is said that diamonds have been discovered in the republic of Liberia. Fine specimens of both rubies and sapphires have been found by prospectors.

The annual national convention of the fraternal Order of Eagles will be held at Tammany hall, New York, the first five days of next month. It will be attended by representatives of lodges in every state in the union.

Mrs. Carrie Nation was locked up at Bayonne N. J., charged with disorderly conduct. She collected a crowd by haranguing on a street corner and then ran around among the men striking cigars, pipes and cigarettes from their mouths.

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Bottle Singer Machine oil	.05	Iron Water bucket	[illegible]
Buggy whip	.05	10 quart tin Bucket	[illegible]
2 can lye	.05	Iron well bucket	[illegible]
2 boxes shoe tacks	.05	No. 1 Iron tub	[illegible]
500 carpet tacks	.05	Wash board	[illegible]

Brite's Variety Store DUBLIN, TEXAS

Enemies at a Social Function.

Mrs. Lowe, wife of Robert Lowe, afterward Viscount Sherbrook, was a tremendous partisan whenever her husband was concerned. After the reform bill of 1867 Disraeli and the Lowes made no pretense to any mutual liking. At a dinner once at Lady Waldegrave's the guests had all paired off till only Disraeli and Mrs. Lowe were left. With his inscrutable smile and complete appreciation of the humor of the situation, Disraeli bowed and extended his arm, "I suppose there's no help for it, Mrs. Lowe," when both burst into hearty laughter.

Slightly Confused.

"What nonsense that man talks!" remarked Senator Sorghum as the department visitor closed the door.

"What did he say?"

"Something about a profit being without honor somewhere or other. I want to go on record as saying that there isn't a country on the map where a profit is not held in high esteem."—Washington Star.

Cruel.

"Ah, me!" sighed the lovelorn Mr. Kallow. "I tossed and turned upon my bed last night, and I couldn't sleep a wink."

"That so?" replied the heartless maid. "What's the matter? Are you teething?"—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

An Ardent Reader.

"Well," said the sheriff, with an air of satisfaction, "noospapers don't [illegible] no great sight out o' me, now I tell [illegible] for it's seldom ever I set down [illegible] at one on 'em. I got a book up [illegible] there I take an' read out on, [illegible] got nothin' better to do. The [illegible] she give a feller a dollar for her [illegible] time, an' put him up over night [illegible] she did."—From "Overhauling the [illegible]iticianers" in Century.

His Rash Act.

"I suppose," said the man with the searching eye, "that drink was [illegible] downfall?"

"It was," answered Measly Mike. "I took a drink o' water [illegible] microbes in it, an' dat's what [illegible] me health so I can't work."—Washington Star.

The Popular Tune.

"What is your idea of a popular tune?"

"A popular tune," said the man who takes music seriously, "is one that gets to be universally disliked."—Exchange.

That Is Love.

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Violet—The first time he called he left his gloves, the second time his cane, and last night he forgot his hat.

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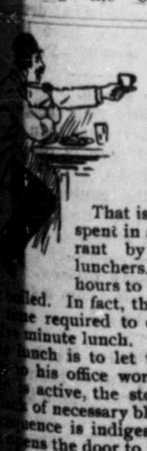

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"DECENCY OF SPEECH."

Theme of an Address by President Roosevelt Sunday.

ster Bay, Aug. 17.—President evelt delivered the principal ad- at the quarterly meeting of the ty of the Holy Name of Brooklyn Long Island, held here Sunday. ncy of speech and conduct consti- the theme of his address, which enthusiastically applauded by the nce of more than 2000 persons, y men. During the afternoon spe- rains brought hundreds of mem- of the society to Oyster Bay from klyn and western Long Island.

CHINESE EXCLUSION.

Regulations Governing Their Entry to the United States.

ashington, Aug. 17.—A new set of se regulations has been prepared commissioner General of Immigra- Sargent and approved by Secretary you of the department of com- and labor, the jurisdiction of atter of exclusion of Chinese hav- een transferred from the treasury latter department. These rules ate what Chinese persons are tted to land at ports of the Unit- tates under the provisions of the and treoties togtehr with the ports ich Chinese other than diplomatic onsular officers may land, and the officers who have been vest- th the power and authority here- conferred on collectors of suc- giving their stations and juris- ditions are named to which every ese person seeking seeking admis- into the United States under the ions of the act of 1902, for the ose of taking part in any fair or ition authorized by congress.

CONCILIATION BOARD.

Causes of the Deadlock in the United Mineworkers' Case.

anton, Pa., Aug. 17.—District ident D. T. Nichols of the United workers, a member of the conciliation board, denies that the question of employers' right to discharge for reason other than membership in r union is the primal question of the board is deadlocked, and he ted the appointment of an um- demand of the rockmen's union its members share in the award commission is the main part of pute, Mr. Nichols says.

er points on which the conciliation rd is deadlocked are the alleged nance of a "blacklist" by the Le- Coal and Navigation company, and leged breaking of an agreement ed into by Coxe Bros. of the Ha- district when their employes re- to work after the lockout which ed the award of the strike com- another point on which there is dlock is over the case of an indi- engineer who worked twelve before the award, and ten hours He claims the same wage as he before. The settlement of this ill establish an important prece-

TURKO-RUSIAN MUDDLE.

Proceeding Without Any Concert, and Expects Satisfaction.

Petersburg, Aug. 17.—The Rus- es does not lay emphasis on the h of a division of the Russian sea flet to Turkish waters, mere- eating the official statement without comment. The Novo Vremaya, in an outspoken editorial, says:

"Bitter experience has shown the utter uselessness and disadvantage of all concerted measures. Now, since the murder of M. Rostwoski does not concern Europe, we are proceeding without any concert, and therefore we can more confidently predict complete satisfaction for our demands from Turkey.

British Ambassador Cites the Porte.

Constantinople, Aug. 17.—The British ambassador has called the attention of the porte to the serious situation in Mecedonia. He pointed out that grave consequences may attend frish murders of consuls or foreign subjects. The ambassador had an audience with the sultan.

Turks Affect Ignorance.

Constantinople, Aug. 17.—The officials here affect ignorance of the news that Russia is sending a squadron to Turkish waters. Official reports assert that the insurgents, when they occupied the town of Krushevo, massacred all the Turkish functionaries. The recapture of the town was effected by three Turkish columns, operating from different points. The bombardment by the Turkish artillery exploded a number of dynamite mines behind the rebel entrenchments, causing considerable damage

The Sultan Buying Krupps.

Constantinople, Aug. 17.—The Ottoman government has concluded negotiations with the Krupp works for the supply of thirty-two batteries of quick field artillery, each consisting of sixteen guns.

BULGARIAN MEMORANDUM.

A Category of Murder, Torture, Incendiarism and Pillage.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 17.—In the memorandum the Bulgarian government presented to the powers setting out at great length the condition of affairs during the past three months in Macedonia since the Turkish government undertook to inaugurate the promised reforms, the most precise details, dates, places and names of persons are given, the whole constituting a terrible category of murder committed by the Ottoman soldiers and officials. These particulars were obtained entirely from official sources, such as the reports of the Bulgarian consuls and agents of the Bulgarian government, and in many instances the reports made by Turkish authorities. The Bulgarian government guarantees the absolute truth of every statement, and challenges the porte to disprove a single charge made in the memorandum.

AFTER THE NEGROES.

Threats of Driving Them From Amarillo—Woman Killed.

Amarillo, Tex., Aug. 17.—For some time there have been threats of running the negroes out of the town, but little has been done during the last few days. Parties went to a house occupied by John Grundy and wife, colored, and fired into the house, instantly killing Mrs. Grundy and slightly injuring a colored man who was in the house at the time. No arrests have been made.

Mysterious Disease Among Cattle.

Dallas, Aug. 17.—D. C. Burgess, superintendent of the county farm, reports that within the last few days several farmers near him have lost cattle from a disease which he believes to be Spanish fever.

Mr. Burgess says that the animals begin to drop, dying within twenty-four hours.

"The stench even before the animals die is horrible," continued Mr. Burgess. "You can smell them forty yards away. It resembles the scent of an old water moccason.

Lithograph Stone.

Austin, Aug. 17.—Dr. William B. Phillips, director of the university geological and mineralogical survey, has secured two fair samples of the lithographic stone to be found in Llano county, and will test them at an early day. Dr. Phillips states that there is no reason why the stone should not be as good as the best, and that if it is, the deposit will be most valuable, as the lithographic quarries in Baravia are practically exhausted. He says the deposit in Llano is very large and accessible.

More Tax Rolls.

Austin, Aug. 17.—The controlier has received the tax rolls of counties showing increases and decreases, as compared to last year, as follows:

Hale, total value, $1,697,875, increase $59,590; Cameron, total value $3,275,805, increase $129,293; Motley, total value $1,691,064, decrease $193,338; Van Zandt, total value $4,832,543, increase $377,138; Zapata, toatl value $1,082,200, increase $67,600; Hidalgo, total value $2,445,037, increase $174,107; Knox, total value$1,919,672, increase $36,326; Williamson, total value $14,110,550, increase $56,270; Cottle, total value $1,627,982, increase $81,248; La Salle, total value 02,201,708, decrease $86,845; Hemphill, total value $1,307,616, decrease $73,580.

"The High Seas."

By "the high seas" referred to in article 1 of the constitution of the United States is meant the open sea—that is, the waters outside the civil jurisdiction of any country whatever, which, according to the law of nations, is limited to one marine league, or three geographical miles, from the shore. Even the great lakes, beyond the limit designated above, are regarded as "high seas."

The Usual Delay.

Restaurant Proprietor (to guest)—It's too bad you have had to wait so long. Our men have just gone on a strike. How long since you gave your order?

Guest—About half an hour. I didn't know there was a strike. I thought it was merely the usual delay.—Chicago Tribune.

12 Minutes for Lunch.

That is the average time spent in a large city restaurant by three thousand lunchers. It takes three hours to digest a fresh egg led. In fact, three hours is about e required to digest the average minute lunch. The object of the nch is to let the busy man get his office work. But when the active, the stomach is inactive of necessary blood. The natural ence is indigestion, and indiges- ens the door to many diseases. estion is cured by the use of Dr. Golden Medical Discovery, cures diseases of the stomach and rgans of digestion and nutrition, ables the perfect digestion and tion of food.

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The old adage that money talks has just been once more verified by the return of Senator Money from the state of Mississippi.

Saint Louis exposition officials are boasting that their festival hall will have a dome even larger than that of St. Peters in Rome.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and certain to act, always use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

A rival wireless telegraph company has offered to show the Marconi company a copy of all wireless messages the latter sends within a given period or pay a forfeit.

To cure a cold in one day take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Even the postoffice department cannot claim the palm for hypocritical embezzlement. A pius fraud has stolen the funds of the New England preacher's aid society and has lost them at the gaming table.

Watch for a Chill.

However slight at this time of year and in this climate, it is the forerunner of malaria. A disposition to yawn and an all tired out feeling even comes before the chill. Herbine, by its prompt stimulative action on the liver, drives the malarial germs out of the system, purifies the blood, tones up the sysem and restores health. 50c at Overton Drug Co.

Notwithstanding Governor Aycock's showing that his state, North Carolina, is the poorest in the union, a bank cashier of that state has just departed with one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars of the bank's funds.

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The "marked success" of the Langley airship experiment reminds one of those "perfectly successful operations" from which the patients die.

Cured Paralysis.

W. S. Bailey, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have used it for old sores, frost bites and skin eruptions. It does the work." 25c, 50c and $1.00 bottle at Overton Drug Co.

The speculators in cotton are working a serious injury to the producers. They have put the price so high that exportation to Europe has entirely ceased. Cotton planters have greatly increased their acreage and, meanwhile, the foreign consumers are learning to use substitutes. Short sighted and selfish is the speculator.

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A Berlin physician announces that in one thousand cases of nervous diseases among children he has found that six hundred sufferers owed their affliction to piano practice. The doctor does not attempt to estimate the nervous derangement the six hundred children produced amongst their neighborrs. There is more than one kind of contagion.

The Death Penalty.

A little thing soemtimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when burns, sores, ulcers and piles threaten. Only 25c at Overton Drug Co.

The ruthless hand with which civilization clears the way is demonstrated by the landless and penniless condition of the dying Indian chieftian Red Cloud, whose domain once included the territory from which several sovereign states have since been carved. However, he held it unimproved and by no better right in law than the tiger who holds the jungle.

Physician and Druggists.

Ford & Storgeon, a prominent drug firm at Rocky Hill Station, Ky., writes: "We were requested by Dr. G. B. Snigley to send for the Herbine for the benefit of our customers. We ordered hree dozen in December, and we are glad to say Herbine has given such great satisfaction that we have duplicated this order three times, and today we gave your salesman another order. We beg to say Dr. G. B. Snigley takes pleasure in recommending Herbine" 50c bottle at Overton Drug Co.

The oratory of Bryan seems to indicate, as the doctors would say, a straight jacket. The Lone Star state is expected to have three hundred million dollars worth of farm products this year. Evidently there is no danger of Texas becoming a lone dollar state this year.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventitive of suicide had been discovered will intreest many. A run down system or despondency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nervine will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great stomach, liver and kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Overton Drug Co.

General Miles rose to the command of the army from a lieutenancy of volunteers. General Young rose from the ranks as did also General Chaffee, who will be the next lieutenant general. Who can say that West Point controls the army?

Boy Cured of Colic After Physician's Treatment had Failed.

My boy when four years old was taken with colic and cramps in his stomach. I sent for the doctor and he injected morphine, but the child kept getting worse. I then gave him half a teaspoonful of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and in half an hour he was sleeping and soon recovered.—F. L. Wilkins, Shell Lake, Wis. Mr. Wilkins is book-keeper for the Shell Lake Lumber Co. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

J. Pierpont Morgan has abandoned his intention of spending a month on the water in his newly refitted yacht. Mr. Morgan is finding all the water he can attend to right in Wall street.

Not Over-Wise.

There is an old allegorical picture of a girl scared at a grass-hopper, but in the act of heedlessly treading on a snake. This is paralleled by the man who spends a large sum of money building a cyclone cellar, but neglects to provide his family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a safeguard against bowel complaints, whose victims out number those of the cyclone a hundred to one. This remedy is everywhere recognized as one the most prompt and reliable medicine in use for these diseases. For sale by Overton Drug Co

An Oregon chemist announces that he has discovered how to make silver out of gold. The discovery must be about as useful as a process of making pennies out of five dollar gold pieces.

Dysentary Cured Without the Aid of a Doctor.

"I am just up from a hard spell of the flux" (dysentary) says Mr. T. A. Pinern, a well known merchant of Drummond, Tenn. "I used one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was cured without having a doctor. I consider it the best cholera medicine in the world." There is no need of employing a doctor when this remedy is used, for no doctor can prescribe a better medicine for bowel complaint in any form either for children or adults. It never fails and is pleasant to take. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

Anyone who imagines that Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow is going to curtail the rural free delivery service should consult the records. There they will find that in the first month of this fiscal year he has established almost as many routes as were established in the entire previous year.

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A grievous wail oftimes comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, backache, liver complaint and constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills, they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranted by Ovreton Drug Co.

After the yacht races Sir Thomas Lipton will visit Boston, but there is no truth in the report that he is going to undertake the recovery of several cargoes of tea said to have been lost in Boston harbor.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abcess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughsel of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed by Overton Drug Co. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles free.

An election at Whitney last Saturday upon the question of the issuance of $8,500 in bonds for the erection of a new school building, resulted favorable to the issue by a vote of one hundred and ten to twenty-one.

Frisco Excursion Rates.

St. Louis, Mo., $24.10 for the round trip, sale August 15th, limited to 31st for return.

Chicago, $26.85 round trip, sale and limit same as St. Louis.

Louisville, Cincinnatti, Monteagle, Tenn., Ashville and Hot Springs, N. C., Norfolk, Ocean View, Virginia Beach, Old Point Comfort and Hot Springs, Va., one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale August 15th, good to return 31st.

Baltimore, Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, $42 for round trip, Sept. 16th to 18th, limit Oct. 1st.

Stamford Courier: Mrs. R. E. Hinds and little daughter Erma, arrived home Wednesday from a visit with friends at Stephenville..... "Uncle" Pat Bowen of Topaz, Erath county, was a caller on the Courier this week. He is traveling around looking at the country.....Mrs. Cad Shipp left Tuesday morning for Denton to visit her mother, who is reported seriously ill.....Mrs. G. B. Maloney and her little son Charlie Bell, who have been visiting the family of S. L. Reeves in Fisher county, left this place for their home at Dublin last Tuesday.

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. Sold by Overton Drug Co.

The Continental Bank & Trust Co., is preparinng to open a branch banking business at Tolar. Our informant does not state where the main office of the company is located.

Texas Central Excursions.

Cloud Croft, New Mexico, $27.65 for the round trip, sale daily to and including Sept. 30th, limit to return Oct. 31st

From June 1st to Sept. 30th the Central rate for sixty day round trip Dublin to Marlin is $5.30 and to Wootan Wells $6.55.

Austin, State Encampment National Guard, $6.40 for round trip, on sale August 17th to 23rd, good to return 27th.

Hillsboro, State B. Y. P. U., $6.05 for the round trip, sale 17th and 18th, limited for return 27th.

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"A BUNCH OF ONIONS."

Unique Title of a Club Formed by Amateur Journalists.

MEMBERSHIP LIMITED TO TEN.

When an "Onionite" Meets an "Onionite" He Is to Take a Bite or Draw a Tear, Says the Club's Constitution—Onions of Every Variety to Be Cultivated In Gardens of the Members.

Undoubtedly the "strongest" and strangest club ever organized is the one formed in Chicago recently under the unique title of "A Bunch of Onions," and it is not composed of truck gardeners either, says the Chicago Chronicle.

It was born under very happy circumstances at a well known downtown restaurant during the annual national convention of the Amateur Press association. There are just ten members in the organization and each one holds an office.

There are seven states represented in the club and the members are all enthusiastic writers for amateur publications. The object of this unique organization, as has been announced, is to bring "tears to the eyes of amateur writers."

The membership is limited to ten, and the only way to resign from the club is to die or get married. There is but one meeting each year, and at that session vacancies are filled. Each year one of the members must marry in order to create a vacancy in the club.

The onion is the favorite flower of the organization. The motto is, "In onion there is strength." The officers are as follows:

Chief odor, Louis St. Elmo, Ohio; sliced onion, Edwin Hadley Smith, New York; collector of tears, Miss Maisie McLoughlin, Illinois; gatherer of scents, Miss A. Eunice Frees, Illinois; official editor, Miss J. Irene Maloney, Illinois; executive board, scullion, Albert Gillespie, Indiana; fertilizer, George A. Alderman, North Carolina; sprouts, Foster Gilroy, Pennsylvania; proxy committee or guardians of the scents, Miss E. Merle Hegert, Illinois; Miss Alemdia Thomas, Missouri.

The election takes place annually, and all proxies are thrown out by the proxy committee. The members of the club may nominate, second their own nominations and vote for themselves.

The official organ of the club is to be called the Onion Skin. The publication will be in the form of an onion and printed on onion paper. What is more, the meetings of the club are to be called "reonions." The club has one "onionary" member, and that is Charles R. Burger of Colorado. He, it is said, has brought more tears to the eyes of amateur writers during the past year than any other one person. One "onionary" member is elected each year, and "onionary" mention is made of any member where such mention is due.

One of the strange laws of this stranger club is that when a member of the "bunch" visits a town wherein resides another member the visitor must invite the resident member to dinner at his or her expense. The annual dinners, which are very elaborate affairs, must be held on the last night of the annual convention of the National Amateur Press association, and members of the bunch only are allowed to attend. If only one member attends the convention he must eat his dinner with the vacant chairs of his comrades surrounding the table.

The badge of the club is an onion, and it must be worn conspicuously during a convention of amateur journalists. The constitution of the club is the shortest on record and is as follows:

"When an onionite meets an onionite he is to take a bite or draw a tear."

When the chief odor makes a decision it is perfectly in order for any member to take a-peal. The executive office is called the onion patch. Membership in the organization is eagerly sought, and there is already a campaign on for the first vacancy.

Carl Hegert of Chicago thinks the politics in the bunch is "odoriferous," and he has started an antionion crusade. He is also running for the place of onionary member in 1904.

The members announce that the club is in its salad days. All members are asked to become vegetarians and live as much as possible on the succulent onion. One of the aims of the society will be to make fried onions popular, and onions in every variety will be cultivated in the gardens of the members. Instead of confetti the members will use onion seed in time of carnival. After eating a hearty dinner recently in which onions figured extensively one member dreamed the following bill of fare:

"Onions; young onions; old onions; onion sets; fried onions; boiled onions; stewed onions; pickled onions; preserved onions."

This member is trying now to have this menu adopted as the official bill of fare. No member may, upon pain of a heavy fine, eat anything to remove the scent of onions from his or her breath.

The New English Rifle.

England is also to adopt a new army rifle which will do equally well for cavalry and infantry. It will be twenty-five inches long instead of thirty, as the British service rifle now is. It is covered completely with wood, like the new American arm. Its caliber is .303, but there is increased twist in the rifling. There will be a few trifling changes in the breech mechanism.

PAIN A STRANGER TO HIM.

Cincinnati Man Whistled While His Toes Were Being cut Off.

Filled to the brim with true Irish wit and with a heart wholly impervious to care, Thomas Tracy of Cincinnati, O., left the City hospital the other day to go forth and hustle for a livelihood until fate ordains his return to the institution, says the Chicago Inter Ocean.

Many times has Tracy been in the hospital and many times have the doctors marveled at his fortitude. Pain to him seems a stranger and suffering but a nightmare. The last time Tracy came to the hospital a wagon wheel had run over his right foot, mashing his toes to a pulp. Amputation was necessary, and Tracy scoffed at the idea of taking an anesthetic. Instead of groans he gave voice to laughter as the doctors plied their knives to his flesh, whistling a tune as one after another his toes dropped into the basket until the last one was gone.

"There's many a kick left in that old foot yet," he said to the doctors. "Maybe some day I will come in and have the other foot trimmed up a little so they will look more like mates."

Then Tracy was rolled away to a ward to wait until the next day, when it was decided that he was well enough to go home.

A FARM TO BREED WOLVES.

Kansas Ranchmen See a Good Thing In Dollar a Scalp Bounty.

The county commissioners of Lane county, Kan., have stopped paying bounties on wolf scalps pending the investigation of a story that a wolf breeding ranch has been established in the northern part of the county, says a Dighton dispatch to the Kansas City Star. With the price of scalps at a dollar each, the business of raising wolves pays better than many of the industries in this part of the state.

It is reported at Dighton that several of the ranchmen in the northern part of the county have established a breeding place for the animals in some of the canyons along Walnut creek. A surprisingly large number of pelts have been brought in from that part of the county, and an investigation will be made.

WILL TRY FRENCH ENGINE.

Pennsylvania Railroad to Import One For a Practical Test.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company will make practical tests with a French locomotive of the De Glehn compound type, which is regarded as the most perfect working passenger locomotive used in Europe.

A sample locomotive is now being built in France at a cost of $20,000 for the company. It will be delivered at Philadelphia about March 14 and will be put in service, says the New York World.

If the French engine shall prove superior in any respects, the points making it so will be used to improve the American passenger locomotive. The locomotive will be exhibited at St. Louis.

A Big Colonization Scheme.

Announcement was recently made in London of a big colonization scheme for the development of South Africa. One of the chief promoters is General Botha. The plan embraces the formation of a land bank with a capital of $10,000,000, says the New York Commercial Advertiser. It is said that the company will start with the control of 800,000 acres of land. The British government is said not to look too kindly on the scheme, regarding it as a possible attempt on the part of the shrewd Boers to gain political advantage for the Dutch. This suspicion has been increased by the recent revival of the Bond influence in Cape Town.

Many Tunnels of New Railway Line.

In constructing twenty-six miles of track on the Denver, Northwestern and Pacific railway, where it crosses the Rocky mountains, thirty-six tunnels will be bored. In tunneling a section of only two and one-half miles it is estimated that 600,000 pounds of powder will be used.

Another Boom Launched.

[Secretary Schutz of the Milwaukee health department is framing an ordinance creating a legal standard for the food used in boarding houses and hotels.]

At last the boarding house brigade has
found a candidate.
The man of destiny is here; we see the
hand of fate.
No more the custard cup shall be a puzzle
to our spoons;
No more the famished boarders shall be
forced to feed on prunes,
And every boarder in the land arises and
salutes
And cheers the name and sounds the fame
of Secretary Schutz.

Here is a man at last who knows his
country's pressing need,
Who knows the legions now compelled on
doubtful stuff to feed,
Who knows the way the butter stands
defiant on the plate
And how the coffee is too weak its steam
to radiate;
He knows the secondhanded pies and
plaster paris fruits.
Each boarding place will boom the race
of Secretary Schutz.

Hurrah, for now, at last, the man who
boards shall get a steak
That is not adamantine stuff, too stiff to
bend or break,
And all the secret, hidden things shall
swiftly go to smash;
We'll know exactly what is put into the
dish of hash.
Each boarder says this is the man who all
requirements suits
And makes a note that he will vote for
Secretary Schutz.

The leather covered griddlecake must fly
to other scenes,
For Secretary Schutz is apt to say just
what he means.
So up from all the boarding houses now a
cheer is wildly blent,
A cheer that means that here's the man
to run for president.
Star boarders and delinquents are prepared to bet their boots
That every vote will cheer the choice of
Secretary Schutz.

—Chicago Tribune.

BOSTON'S WATER PARK

Proposed Scheme to Improve the Back Bay District.

PLEASURE GROUNDS FOR PUBLIC.

The Charles River Basin to Be Developed, With Esplanades on the Boston and Cambridge Sides—Parkways and Ample Opportunities For River Pleasures Some of the Features.

The governor of Massachusetts and council expect to receive in a few days the preliminary report of the new Charles river basin commission for the improvement of the Back Bay district of Boston which is not yet filled in and which is susceptible to development as a great water park. Boston hopes to have here the most unique and handsome pleasure grounds for the public, combined with a wide area of water, which can be found in any city in the United States, says the special correspondent of the New York Post.

A permanent level of high water is the first desideratum in this dream of a beautiful land and water view. To secure this the legislature this year passed the act for the building of the Charles river dam at or near the site of the present Craigie bridge. This is the foundation of the entire enterprise. A million and a half dollars is to be spent, according to the estimates, in building this dam. Over its ample width of 100 feet at the top will be not only a highway to supplant the removed bridge, but such proportion of parks or parkway as the commission sees fit. A lock of sufficient size will preserve all rights of commerce to the use of the wharfs above the dam. The United States government, which owns a wharf at the Watertown arsenal, six miles or more up the river, has a veto upon the entire enterprise. That wharf can be reached only by drawbridges, and the Charles above Craigie bridge is a part of navigable waters. But it is expected that the consent of the government will be given without opposition.

One provision of the law is that the water above the new dam must be at least eight feet above the water below, figured by the Boston base. Therefore tides will never enter into the region again. Only fresh water will flow in. The current will be very slow, for the volume of the Charles is not large when all tide water is removed, and the water above the dam will be permanently as safe as a mill pond and nearly as free from currents. A high level can be maintained, and banks can be grassed to the water's edge without any ebbing tide twice a day to expose flats of noisome mud, as at present.

One feature of the enterprise is the construction of an esplanade 100 feet wide all along the Boston side south from the West Boston bridge to the right angle which brings the water of the river near the Public garden, and thence westward all along the rear of the aristocratic section which backs upon the river and fronts on Beacon street. Half way up this side lived Oliver Wendell Holmes. The house is still in possession of the family. The University club is in the same locality, and plenty of fine residences may be added to the list of buildings which will profit immensely by the improvement. Their most beautiful side would be where are now their back entrances, and a proper recognition of the situation would require a reconstruction of the water side of the houses. Over on the Cambridge side the scene will be duplicated. Already, farther up the river, the yellow signboards bearing the legend "Charles River Reservation," erected by the metropolitan park commission, show how the thrifty and nature loving people of the district have pre-empted the borders of the river before real estate has become too valuable, and private interests have been warned that they are trespassers and must stand aside when the all powerful and imperative public wishes to enjoy a clear view of the water or to boat or canoe upon its surface.

The banks of the Charles up through Watertown, Waltham, Newton and Needham, to Dedham, have been taken for the public by the metropolitan park commission. The policy of the state in aiding the enterprise is similar to that in establishing mountain park reservations.

When the system is complete there will be boating up the Charles for over fifteen miles to Dedham. There are falls at Watertown, again at Waltham, and again at Newton Lower Falls and Newton Upper Falls, but portages for canoes and locks for river steamboats will make it possible to traverse this distance and enjoy one of the most charming river trips in the country.

Nearer Boston there is a further chapter to the story. When the new dam is finished the water in the Fenway, which is in the limits of the city and surrounded by the made land, will be on the same level as the water in the Charles river basin. Boats and canoes will have free entrance into this large and adorned part of Boston's aristocratic section, improved by all that landscape engineers with liberal appropriations can accomplish. If further improvements now contemplated are realized, quite an excursion can be made by water up the river in this direction also, always in the midst of scenes where nature has been beautified by art.

Diminishing Heights of Floods.

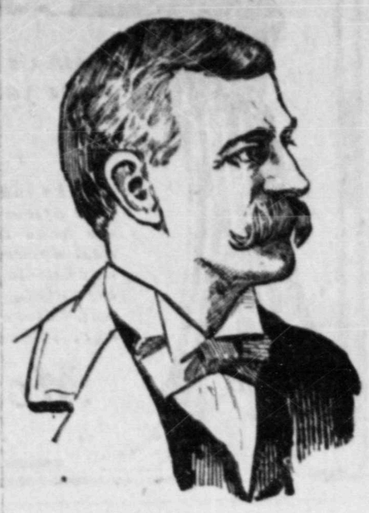
It is suggested that the height of the Mississippi's floods could be diminished, with great incidental profit to agriculture, by building reservoirs in its western branches.

DURBIN OF INDIANA.

A Governor With Nerve Who Is the Foe of Mobs.

"The man who invokes violence in an assault on the law must be struck down by the law's strong arms." This, in tabloid form, is Governor Winfield T. Durbin's platform on mob rule.

Governor Durbin is a native of Indiana and a veteran of the civil and



WINFIELD T. DURBIN.

Spanish wars. He is a thorough business man, a good story teller and an ardent champion of law and order. He thinks the sheriff and militiamen who risk their lives in the defense of a prisoner whom a mob seeks to murder are as much soldiers in the cause of liberty as any patriot who fought at Bunker Hill.

SHE DISLIKES AMERICANS.

The Duchess of Westminster and Her Little Social War.

Her grace the Duchess of Westminster doesn't like Americans, and has inaugurated a social boycott against them. Just why the duchess doesn't admire her American cousins is not plain. In fact, the matter is made even more mysterious and unaccountable when it is remembered that her broth-

THE DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER.

er, George Cornwallis-West, married Lady Randolph Churchill, one of the best known American women abroad.

Before her recent marriage the duchess was Miss Shelagh West, one of the young beauties of England. As evidence of her refreshing unconventionality it is said that she recently asked the king and queen to name a day when they could attend a ball she was to give, and as an answer was not speedily forthcoming she wrote a private letter to Lord Knollys begging him to ask the king to "hurry up!"

A NEW SOCIETY LEADER.

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Sr., to Be Conspicuous In Newport Society.

When she returns to her former home, after an almost continuous residence abroad for ten years or more, Mrs. William Kissam Vanderbilt, Sr., is likely to be one of the conspicuous figures in the smart set of New York and Newport. Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt were married in London about two months ago, an event which created quite a stir among the fashionable folk of two continents. When Mrs. Vanderbilt was Miss Anna H. Harriman she was one of the belles of Gotham. About fifteen years ago she married

MRS. WILLIAM KISSAM VANDERBILT, SR.

Samuel S. Sands, a wealthy New Yorker, who was killed in a hunting accident in 1888. Two years later she married Louis M. Rutherfurd, who died in 1900. Besides being the wife of a man who possesses $50,000,000, Mrs. Vanderbilt has abundant wealth in her own right.

THE POPE'S SIMPLE LIFE

Stories of Pius X. Showing His Love of Plain Living.

HIS ELECTION UNEXPECTED BY HIM

When Asked How He Would Act as Pope He Replied, "I Shall Remain the Same Sarto"—Often Found Himself Without Money—How He Once Disobeyed Leo XIII.—His Love For Music.

Many stories illustrative of the character of Pope Pius X. have been current in Rome since the conclave of cardinals chose the patriarch of Venice as successor to Leo XIII., says the New York Evening Journal. They show alike his independence and his modesty, the simplicity of his tastes and his love for the beautiful, his love for the common people, from whom he sprang and to whom he has given so much that often during his life he has had to struggle against poverty.

Giuseppe Sarto always has been a democrat and a commoner. Sarto might have been raised to the papal nobility had he so desired, but he preferred to remain as he was.

Pius X. is a friend of King Victor Emmanuel, as he was of the late King Humbert. His utter fearlessness and independence were well illustrated during the reign of Humbert. When Humbert last visited Venice he gave a gala court function. Pope Leo intimated to Cardinal Sarto that he would be wise to remain away.

Sarto disobeyed the pope's tacit instructions and paid his respects in person to the king. The cardinal made Humbert aware also that his visit was in opposition to the wishes of Leo. This so pleased Humbert that he gave orders that the cardinal should thereafter be admitted to his presence in advance of all others. The cardinal paid a second visit later, while Humbert was holding an audience. Sarto would not permit the audience to be interrupted, however, but waited until it was over.

Since chosen pope he has given numerous instances of his simplicity and lack of ostentation. The other day he flatly refused to be carried in the sedia gestatoria on the way to and from the Sistine chapel, and it was carried behind him. As he was walking he said humorously to Mgr. Bisleti:

"I shall never voluntarily get into that box."

After he reached Rome Mgr. Stratimorovich, a Venetian prelate, who accompanied Cardinal Sarto to the capital, took leave of him at the Vatican. Before going, as they parted, Stratimorovich said:

"May you be chosen pope."

"No, no," replied Cardinal Sarto, laughing. "No fear for me. Give me the number of your telephone, though, and I will let you know quickly who receives that honor."

The prelate gave the number. True to his promise, the first thing the cardinal did after his election was to call up the prelate to give him the promised information. He found, however, that the Venetian had already learned the news and was hurrying even then to the Vatican.

When in the past the people of Venice asked Cardinal Sarto what he would do if made pope, as they frequently did, he would reply laughingly:

"I shall have white robes instead of red ones. That will be the only change. I shall remain the same Sarto as ever."

His love for Venice is like the love of a child for its mother. He recently received the Princess Beatrice, daughter of Don Carlos, of Venice. He said to the princess:

"We are from the same town. Your father is my friend, and I have not forgotten his amiability in coming to see me off at the station when I left for the conclave. I little imagined then that I should never see my beloved canals again. I hope your royal father will soon visit our court."

Pius X. likes not only to walk in the country and to look at the sea, but he is a mountain climber as well. A few days before he left Venice he climbed to the top of Mount Grappa, an altitude of 5,500 feet. Outdoor life is a constant delight to him.

His greatest pleasure is in music. Lorenzo Perosi, director of the pontifical choir, is a great friend of his, having formerly been maestro at St. Mark's in Venice. Perosi is in fact chiefly indebted to Pius X. for his musical career.

One story which may account for the liberality of the new pope is that he was originally inclined to be a freethinker. He became a protege of Cardinal Parocchi, however, and his views changed.

In money matters the new pontiff has always been extremely modest. As patriarch of Venice his income was about $2,400 a year. The greatest part of this he gave away, and he was often pressed for funds for his personal necessities. It is related of him that not long ago he was called suddenly to Rome, but had not a cent of ready money. He was compelled to borrow $400, and he was in a perfect fever until the debt was paid.

Tsi An's Latest Move.

The empress of China is trying to overcome the national prejudice against photography. She has even permitted the wives of foreign ambassadors at Peking to bring their cameras to her palace.

Largest Oil Ship.

The largest oil ship in the world, the Narragansett, was recently launched in the Clyde. She will hold 10,000 tons of oil, which can be discharged at the rate of ninety tons an hour.

MOTHER AND FLIES.

Sometimes a door is left ajar
Or there's an inch of space
Between the window and the screen
That ought to be in place.
And every time that this occurs
A lot of peaky flies
Improve the chance and call right in
For household exercise.

Now, if there's anything on earth
That mother hates to see
It's just a fly that soars around
And in the house makes free.
So when she sees a bunch of them
She glares in sad surprise;
Then loudly she ejaculates,
"The house is full of flies!"

There's something doing right away
For mother grabs in haste
A dusting cloth or some such thing
And then those flies are chased.
Around the room and up and down
From ceiling to the floor,
They go, with mother in pursuit,
No matter how they soar.

At times a fearful crash is heard
While mother's chasing flies;
A vase from shelf or mantelpiece
Is knocked and shattered lies.
But there's no time to waste in grief
O'er ornament thus lost
Because those flies must be expelled
No matter what the cost.

So up and down and all around
The room proceeds the chase,
While mother tries to "shoo" the flies
Where there's an open place.
At last that spot is reached, and then
'Tis hard to hide a grin,
For while one fly goes soaring out
From three to five soar in.

Some think there's no excitement in
A house in summer time,
That life is then a dull routine
As sluggish as the clime,
But that they've made a big mistake
They soon would realize
If they'd drop in about the time
When mother's chasing flies.

—Theodore H. Boice in Pittsburg Gazette-Telegraph.

Stubborn.

A little girl was heard talking to her rabbit.

"Five times five," she said, "and six times six, seven times seven." By these times she shook the rabbit vigorously.

"Dorothy," said her mother, "what are you doing to your rabbit?"

"Well, papa says," replied the child, "that rabbits multiply rapidly, and Bunny won't do it."—Town Topics.

Unremitting.

Ethel said: "Algernon seems devoted to Madge with unremitting constancy."

"Yes," George answered. "That is his great specialty."

"What is?"

"Unremitting constancy. He has owed me $10 for two years."—Brooklyn Eagle.

For Protection.

Bobby—Oh, Mr. Bristles, I wish I had a mustache just like yours.

Mr. B.—Ah! Then you think it's coming, Bobby?

Bobby—Naw! But if I had anything on my face none of these fellers 'd be allus tryin' to kiss me.—New York Evening Journal.

Browning.

Miss Beacon (from Boston)—I suppose you encouraged your daughter to study Browning?

Major Wick—The practical kind.

Miss Beacon—Practical?

Major Wick—Yes; browning steak and potatoes.—Philadelphia Record.

In the Vague Future.

"At that rate," said his friend, "there is no telling when the monument will be unveiled."

"I should say not," replied the collector for the fund, somewhat impatiently. "At present we have not enough to pay for the veil."—Puck.

On the Jump.

Citiman—I suppose your schools are no worse and no better than the general run of men is there, I guess.

Subbubs—Well, the general run of men at our place is for the 7:45 train.—Philadelphia Press.

An Unfortunate Citizen.

"I hear dat de rheumatism got Williams in his good leg."

"In his 'good' leg?"

"Yes. W'en dar's his wooden leg leanin' 'gin de wall, des ez bad an' wholesome ez kin be!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Summer Man.

Jack—How are you going to spend the summer?

Tom—I'm going to spend it trying from one seaside place to another. I find a girl worth a million dollars who wants to be loved and married herself alone.

Not a Game For the Fidgety.

"So you're learning to play golf," said Maud.

"Yes," answered Mamie.

"The moves must be very, very slow."

"Yes. But the worst part is not moving; it's the keeping still."—Washington Star.

Harvesting at Home.

It cheers my soul, old college chum,
To read about your toil,
Garnering sheaths of ripened corn
From mellow Kansas soil.

No laggard I! From eve till morn
As summer days go by,
While you are roaming through the corn
I'm running through the rye.

—New York Sun.