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## Philippines Are Armed!

*By United Press.*  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The Philippines Islands are being armed and provisioned as rapidly as possible. The War Department, however, declared today that no extraordinary excitement is being experienced over the far eastern situation.

The islands are being equipped so that they can withstand any assault until the navy could arrive on the scene.

### TESTIMONY IS UNSHAKEN IN CARMAN TRIAL

*By United Press.*  
MINEOLA, Oct. 23.—Testimony introduced today in the trial of Mrs. Florence Carman charged with the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, was unshaken, making visible a favorable impression on the jury and the spectators.

Mrs. Carman was excused from the stand today. Following the defendant came her daughter, Elizabeth and her aged mother. Elizabeth proved a splendid witness for the defendant, telling how after hearing the shot, she ran up stairs and found her mother in bed in her room.

Mrs. Carman while on the stand stoutly denied that she ever heard anything over the dictograph which made her jealous. When she was asked what made her suspicious of him, she replied: "People said he was some devil with the women."

She never contradicted herself and she was always cool.

G. W. Stuart and son Claude, of Mills County, came in Thursday night on a prospecting trip in our county.

W. B. Ray, the cotton man, returned from the east Friday at noon where he had been on cotton business.

T. J. Gardner, the insurance man returned home Friday at noon from Winters where he had been on a short business trip.

## Carranza Prepares to Resist Villa's Attack on City of Nuevo Laredo

*By United Press.*  
LAREDO, Oct. 23.—Prepared to meet the Villista force which is smothering on Nuevo Laredo, General Recault and a thousand Carranzista soldiers from Saltillo

## Believes U. S. Troops Should Be Dispatched

*By United Press.*  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—General Batry who commands the Philippine troops, believes that American troops will probably have to be sent to guard the Pekin-Mukden railway.

The French and English were assigned this duty under the Chinese neutrality treaty they have evacuated that section since the war began.

## Russians are Driven Out, Is Account

*By United Press.*  
VIENNA, Oct. 23.—The Russians have been driven from Czernowitz with heavy loss, according to an official statement made here.

Heavy fighting is reported along both banks of the Strzewic river.

It is declared by the war office that at every point the Austrians have been successful and the enemy been pushed back, decisively beaten.

## AUSTRIANS DECIMATED, IS CLAIMED

*By United Press.*  
CETTINJE, Oct. 23.—Severest fighting is today in progress between a large army of Austrians and combined Serbian-Montenegrins in Bosnia and Herzegovina. It is officially declared here that the Austrians have been repulsed.

A large body of Austrians were surrounded near Foteha and decimated, the war office here claims.

## RUSSIANS CLAIM THAT ENEMY HAS LOST MANY IN POLAND

*By United Press.*  
PETROGRAD, Oct. 23.—It was declared here today by officials who claim to know that the German losses in Russian Poland have amounted to 200,000 wounded, killed and prisoners.

It was stated by the war office that fighting continues along the Vistula river and is increasing in magnitude daily.

It was declared that the Germans are in full retreat from Warsaw and that many were left behind.

## Berlin Says Enemy Is Retreating

*By United Press.*  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The Berlin Foreign Office wirelessed to the German embassy today, declaring that "the enemy is slowly retreating along the front."

## FOURTH MEDICAL SOCIETY TO MEET HERE NOV. 3-4

The regular annual meeting of the Fourth Medical Society of the State of Texas, which will be held in Ballinger from November 3 to 4, will be one of the greatest conventions ever held in this part of the state, according to Ballinger physicians who were instrumental in bringing to this city the meeting.

The officers of the Fourth Medical Society in their statement regarding this meeting, declare that they feel proud of the program arranged for Ballinger, for it is made up of papers from prominent men who will give scientific and practical instructions for those attending. Among the prominent medical authorities who will attend the meeting is Dr. Paul Gronerud of Chicago, who will discuss the topic, "Gaitre Operation, with Lantern Slide Demonstration."

Other men prominent in the medical profession will come here from all the leading points in Texas.

The officers of the Society are Dr. John W. Ellis of Lampasas, president; Dr. J. M. Horn of Brownwood, secretary-treasurer; and Dr. S. C. Parsons of San Angelo, counselor.

The meeting will be called to

## Communications of Germans Cut, Report

### FRENCH STATEMENT

*By United Press.*  
PARIS, Oct. 23.—The Germans continue to make their attacks in the vicinity of Arras. According to messages which have been received here, they have been repulsed.

Violent fighting is taking place along the entire extreme north end of the battle line in the Department of the North. The al-

lies are making a desperate stand and are filling up their gaps between their positions.

Various gains have been offset by losses where retreat was advisable on account of the fact that the Germans' most violent assaults on the lines were generally maintained. This was the official announcement of the War Office this afternoon in the communique.

## Kaiser's Nephew Is Killed

*By United Press.*  
LONDON, Oct. 23.—It has been officially confirmed that Prince Max of Hesse, a nephew of Kaiser Wilhelm, was killed while in action on the battlefield.

## SMITH AND HENRY INSIST THAT NO ADJOURNMENT IS PROBABLE UNTIL COTTON RELIEVED

*By United Press.*  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The cotton filibusters in congress will not recess until after the November elections with the promise that they will then consider cotton relief.

Congressmen are leaving the city today, despite the deadlock in both houses with no quorum and little prospect of getting one soon.

The senate adjourned until tomorrow. Hoke Smith of Georgia and Representative Henry of Texas insist that the filibuster will be continued and adjournment blocked unless relief is promised to cotton of the South.

### THE WEATHER

Today and tonight generally cloudy. Saturday rain and colder.

John Thompson, E. M. Burrow and J. R. Harris of the Hatchel country, had business in Ballinger between trains Friday.

W. R. Smith of Brownwood, who had been looking after farm interests on Valley creek the past week returned home Friday morning.

Dr. Sanders, of Winters, had business at Ballinger between trains Friday.

Dedrick Sheffy returned home Friday at noon from the east.

There are people in Texas who would like to see Uncle Sam and Mexico "lock horns." All such people should be in the line up in front of Germany's army and the army commanded to fire.

*By United Press.*  
THE HAGUE, Oct. 23.—It is reported that the allies have cut the German communications between Bruges and Ghent.

It is learned from sources reliable that fighting there increases. Bands of Franc-tireurs operating in the rear of the German lines are sniping hundreds.

## SQUADRON TO SINK GERMAN SHIP WHICH IS OPERATING ON ENGLISH

*By United Press.*  
LONDON, Oct. 23.—A special squadron of speedy vessels have been sent by the British government to sink the Karlerupe which sank fifteen British steamers on the main trade route from South America. The squadron will search the high seas until the Karlerupe is found and then make every effort to sink her.

## WOMEN ARE SEEKING BIG OFFICE

*By United Press.*  
DENVER, Colo., Oct. 23.—For the first time in the history of Colorado, a woman candidate is leading a party for a state office higher than superintendent of schools. The candidate is Mrs. Agnes Riddle, progressive candidate for secretary of state.

The woman is making a vigorous campaign. Nine other women are seeking the nomination of the republican, democratic and progressive tickets.

Judge M. C. Smith left Thursday afternoon for Belton where he goes on legal business for a few days.

Chas. S. Miller of the Ballinger State Bank and Trust Co., and Jo B. Wilmet of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank, left Thursday afternoon for Dallas to attend a banker's meeting to look after the cotton situation.

## Insane Man Says He Wrote A Marriage Proposal to Daughter Of President

*By United Press.*  
CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—David Wilson, who admitted that he write Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of President Wilson of the United States, a letter in which he proposed marriage was taken to the insane hospital today.

Wilson claimed that he was the son of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt.

## LORIMER AND THIRTEEN ASSOCIATES ARE INDICTED BY GRAND JURY; CHARGED WITH LOOTING \$2,500,000

*By United Press.*  
CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—Capiases have been issued for the arrest of William Lorimer and thirteen of

his associates of the defunct La Salle Street Bank.

The grand jury indicted the fourteen men yesterday.

The indictment claim that the men looted nearly \$2,500,000 and violated all of the state banking laws.

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## COTTON SOAKING PICKING CHECKED

Report on the rainfall from over the section of country extending from Brownwood to San Angelo and from Abilene to Brady, indicates that the country has received from two to three inches of rain within the last two days, the fall being between two and three inches from all points reporting within the above territory.

The rainfall at Ballinger amounted to one inch up to Thursday, and one and six-tenths inches fell Thursday night, and it continued to rain slow throughout the day Friday, making about three inches rainfall for the week.

This season is plentiful for grain planting. If the rain should check now, however, it will be several days before the work in the cotton field can be resumed and during the wet days there are two or three thousand extra laborers in this county on dead expense.

While the rain will damage cotton to some extent, if the farmers will use proper precaution in picking, and not allow the pickers to pick the dirty cotton from the ground and mix it with that picked from the stalk, the good sample can be maintained and the low grade prevented. An extra picker should follow the squad of pickers in the field and his duty should be to pick the dirty cotton from the ground, and in this way keep the cotton from becoming mixed.

The buyers are very positive in their statement that they can not pay anything for low grade cotton. There is no market for it at any price.

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J. B. Cooper of Houston, who had been in our section to assist his son in looking after farm interests the past several weeks, returned home Thursday afternoon.

C. E. Ward of Corpus Christi, who had been looking after his farming interests near Ballinger the past few weeks, left for his home Thursday afternoon.

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## WILL DEAL DIRECT WITH THE SOUTH

Fred W. Greber this morning received a communication from Munson Havens, secretary of the Cleveland, Ohio, Chamber of Commerce, relative to the proposition recently made by Mr. Greber while in that city with a view to financing the distress cotton of the South. Mr. Greber proposed that the large firms and wealthy people of the North make subscriptions to "hundred bale clubs" whose money would be invested in Southern distress cotton through the agency of the commercial organizations of the north and south.

Mr. Havens after spending several days working on the proposition, states in his letter that several large subscriptions have been received by the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce, to be used as suggested by Mr. Greber. Mr. Havens says, however, that most of the large firms of the north prefer to buy cotton thru southern business organizations with which they are thoroughly acquainted and whose dealings have proven satisfactory, rather than place their investments in the hands of the commercial organizations.—Brownwood Bulletin.

**Notice to Customers.**  
Hereafter the City Meat Market on Sunday mornings will close promptly at 9 o'clock in the morning. We are doing this to allow our force to clean the market thoroughly on that day. Purchasers should take notice and govern themselves accordingly.  
THE CITY MEAT MARKET.  
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## NAZARINE ASSEMBLY WILL BEGIN WITH PROTRACTED MEETING

The District Assembly of the Nazarene church will convene in Ballinger on November 18th. On November 4th a protracted meeting will begin and continue until the convening of the assembly.

Rev. John Roberst and wife, and Rev. J. P. Roberts and two orphan girls of Pilot Point, will conduct the meeting, Rev. John Roberts having charge and being assisted by other parties named.

A large number of delegates are expected here for the assembly and the local members of the Nazarene church are making preparations for the convening of the assembly. Rev. Wells stated that the protracted meeting would be held at the church, but a place for holding the assembly had not been selected.

Stop coughing! you rack the lungs and worry the body. Ballard's Horhound Syrup checks irritation, heals the lungs and restores comfortable breathing. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

B. D. Duncan and son Looney left Thursday afternoon for Coleman and San Saba, where they go to sell a car load or two of apples at the two places.

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Wm. Dooze Sr. left Thursday afternoon for Marlin to recuperate a few weeks.

## "BARRIERS BURNED AWAY" AT PRINCESS THURSDAY NIGHT

"Barriers Burned Away" was the vehicle for the Gilson-Bradfield Stock Co. last night at the Princess Theatre. This play opens the theatrical season in Ballinger and was branded by the large audience as an unqualified success.

The play as interpreted by this company was indeed a sensation. The character of "Christine Ludolph" was very ably portrayed by Miss Alice DeLane, the leading lady. This role was one of innumerable difficulties and one that a lesser artist would probably have over-acted. Not so, however, with Miss DeLane.

Earnest Winters as "Dennis Fleet" quite carried the house with his emotional acting, and was an able half to Miss DeLane. The entire company is a party of skill in depicting the tragic and comic phases of life and are no novices in the art of dramatic impersonation.

The special electrical effects were superb and would do credit to a much larger organization in a much larger theatre. The scenic effects were also good and lend aid to the illusion in diverse ways. Tonight many changes will be made in the benefit of the house, impossible last night on account of lack of adequate information.

The play tonight "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" a comedy in four acts gives assurance of genuine worth and will please many people of all classes, who appreciate good comedy put on as it should be. There will be no advance in prices over last night's performance and the seats remain 25c, 35c and 50c; seats now on sale at the Walker Drug Co.

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R. B. Armstrong of the Valley Creek country, left from this point Thursday afternoon for Ft. Worth on a short business trip.

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Mrs. Clefton of San Angelo, came in Thursday afternoon and will be the guest of her friend, Mrs. J. A. Williams and family a few days.

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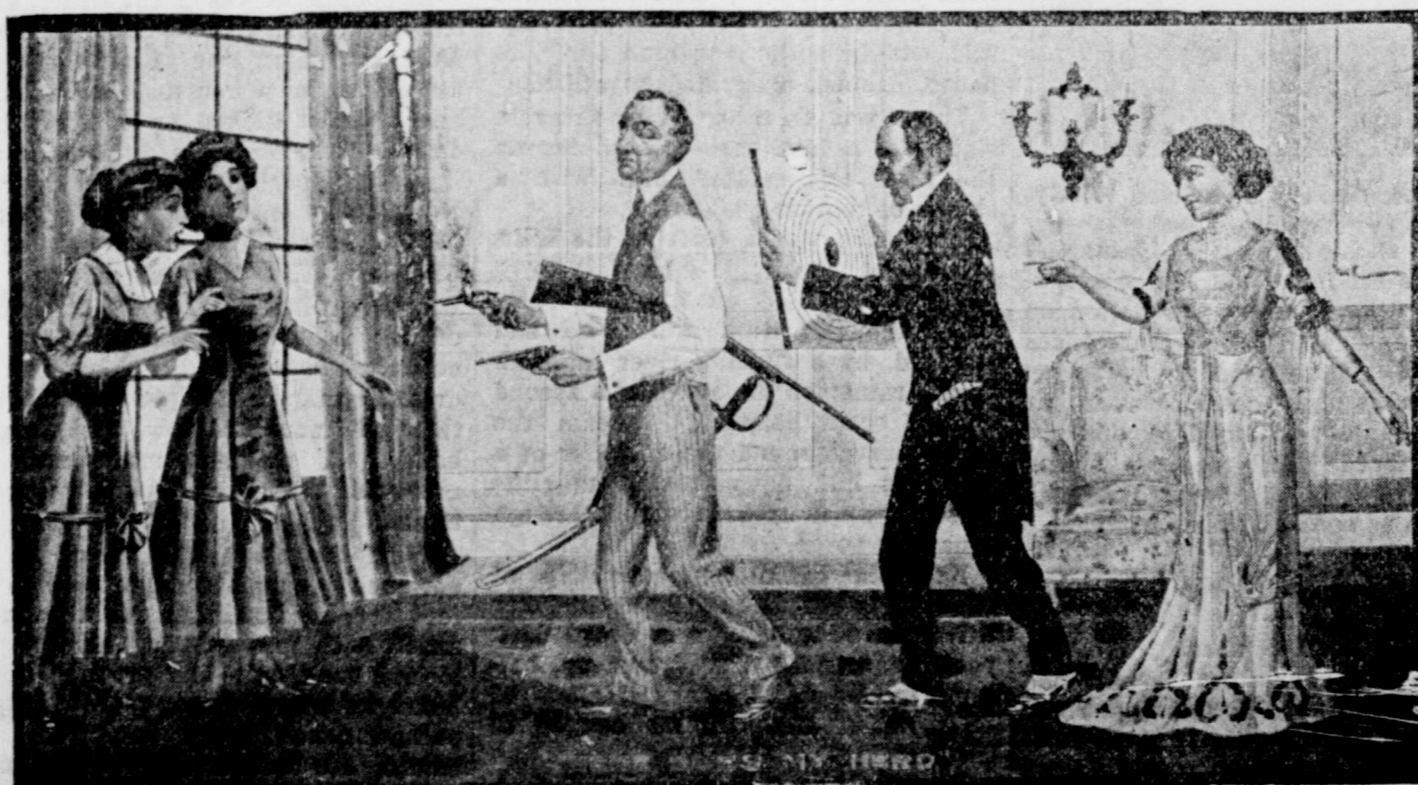
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## FOURTH MEDICAL

### SOCIETY TO MEET

HERE NOV. 3-4

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Ballinger physicians who will open discussions after papers have been read, Dr. Love, following the reading of a paper on "The Post Operative Gynecological Patient" by Dr. J. P. McNulty of San Angelo, will open the discussion.

The meeting of the Society in Ballinger has been divided into four sections; the morning and evening sessions of the two days. The morning of the first day will be consumed in opening the meeting. At 1:30 in the afternoon, the general medicine section will be conducted by a score or more physicians from all parts of Texas. The forenoon session of the second day's meeting has been designated as the surgical section, in which papers will be read, concerning the performing of operations. The eye, ear and throat section will be conducted in the afternoon session of Wednesday, November 4.

The following is the program as arranged:

#### General Medicine Section.

1. President's address—Dr. J. W. Ellis of Lampasas, Texas.
2. "The Colloidal Gold Reaction of Lange" by Dr. E. F. Cooke of Houston, Texas. Discussion opened by Dr. J. J. Terrell of Temple.
3. "Spinal Diseases" by Dr. John S. Turner of Dallas. Discussion opened by Dr. John McIntosh of San Antonio.
4. "Tubercular Cervical Adenitis, with Lantern Slide Demonstration" by Dr. F. P. Miller of El Paso. Discussion opened by Dr. Boyd Cornick of San Angelo.
5. "Report of Cases" by Dr. J. B. Sheluire of Dallas.
6. "Cerebro Spinal Syphilis" by Dr. Thos. Dorbandt of San Antonio. Discussion opened by Dr. J. E. Robinson of Temple.
7. Subject unannounced by Dr. J. B. McKnight of Carlsbad.
8. "Eugenics" by Dr. T. R. Sealey of Santa Anna. Discussion led by Dr. L. Mackeckney of Wichita Falls.
9. "Some Suggestions to Tubercular Patients" by Dr. J. B. Townsen of Lometa. Discussion opened by Dr. I. T. Clemons of Comanche.
10. "Higher Medical Education—an Obligation upon the State" by Dr. John T. Moore of Houston. Discussion opened by Dr. A. C. DeLong of San Angelo.
11. "Roentgen Rays, contribution to Medical Progress" by Dr. Geo. D. Bonds, of Fort Worth. Discussion opened by Dr. M. L. Chapman of Temple.
12. "How About the Twilight Sleep?" by Dr. W. M. Strozier of Santa Anna. Discussion opened by Dr. E. L. Howard of Brownwood.

14. "Diphtheria and Its Treatment" by Dr. C. M. Alexander of Coleman. Discussion opened by Dr. J. W. McCarver of Brownwood.
15. "The County Medical Library" by Dr. S. E. Parsons of San Angelo. Discussion opened by Dr. J. G. McGall of Brady.
16. "The Medical Treatment of Gastric and Duodenal Ulcers." by Dr. H. G. Walcott of Dallas. Discussion led by Dr. L. L. Griffin of Cisco.

#### Surgical Section.

1. "The treatment of Enlarged Prostate" by Dr. H. R. Dudgeon of Waco. Discussion opened by Dr. Z. T. Scott of Austin.
2. "Some Observations on Prostatectomy—Case Reports" by Dr. F. C. Walshe of San Antonio. Discussion opened by Dr. L. P. Allison of Brownwood.
3. Subject unannounced by Dr. R. R. White, of Temple.
4. "Remarks on Surgery of Spinal Tuberculosis" by Dr. Chas. S. Venable of San Antonio. Discussion opened by Dr. T. T. Jackson of San Antonio.
5. "Acute Perforating Duodenal Ulcer, with Report of Cases" by Dr. L. W. Pollock of Temple. Discussion opened by Dr. N. J. Phoenix of Colorado.
6. "The Post Operative Gynecological Patient" by Dr. J. P. McNulty of San Antonio. Discussion opened by Dr. A. S. Love of Ballinger.
7. "Goitre" by Dr. J. S. Hixon of San Angelo. Discussion opened by Dr. J. H. McLean of Fort Worth.
8. "Surgery of the Gall Bladder" by Dr. J. S. McCelvey of

Temple. Discussion opened by Dr. Fran. C. Beall of Fort Worth.

9. "Varicocele of the Broad Ligament—with Report of Cases" by Dr. W. L. Crosthwaite of Waco. Discussion opened by Dr. W. A. Durringer of Fort Worth.

10. "Diagnosis of Some Obsecure Kidney Lesions" by Dr. Chas. H. Harris of Fort Worth. Discussion opened by Dr. A. C. Scott of Temple.

11. "Goitre Operation with Lantern Slide Demonstration" by Dr. Paul Gronerud of Chicago. Discussion opened by Dr. I. C. Chase of Fort Worth.

12. "Diseases of the Pelvic Cavity—with Report of Cases" by Dr. R. J. Alexander of Waco. Discussion opened by O. L. Norsworthy of Houston.

**Ear, Nose and Throat Section**  
1. "Iridectomy in Chronic Glaucoma" by Dr. P. E. Suehs of Austin. Discussion opened by Dr. Geo. S. McReynolds of Temple.

2. "Some important Phases on the Conservation of Vision" by Dr. Jno. O. McReynolds of Dallas. Discussion opened by Dr. W. H. Thompson of Fort Worth.

3. Subject unannounced by Dr. T. K. Proctor of San Angelo.

4. "Deflection of Nasal Septum—Its Importance and Treatment" by Dr. A. L. Anderson of Brownwood. Discussion opened by Dr. H. T. Aynesworth of Waco.

5. "Squint, with Observations on the Care and Correction of Same" by Dr. E. H. Carey of Dallas. Discussion opened by Dr. J. M. Woodson of Temple.

6. Subject unannounced by Dr. E. W. Vaughn of Lampasas.

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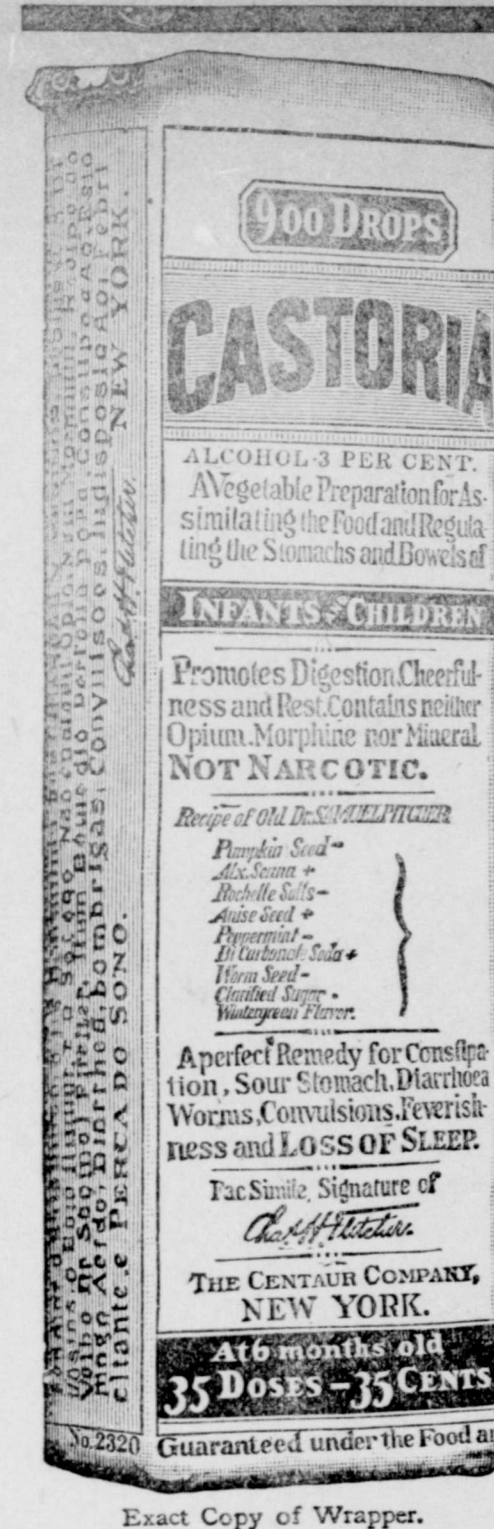
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If you want to contribute directly to the occurrences of capillary bronchitis and pneumonia use cough medicines that contain codeine, morphine, heroin and other sedatives when you have a cough or cold. An expectorant like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is what is needed. That cleans out the culture beds or breeding places for the germs of pneumonia and other germ diseases. That is why pneumonia never results from a cold when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. It has a world wide reputation for its cures. It contains no morphine or other sedatives. For sale by all dealers.



When your food does not digest well and you feel "blue," tired and discouraged, you should use a little **Herbine** at bedtime. It opens the bowels, purifies the system and restores a fine feeling of health and energy. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.



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Yes, that's just like the charity

of some people. Help the poor by giving something the poor have no earthly use for and which has been discarded by the "rich." What would the poor do with an ice book with winter coming towards them at a two-forty gait? The Telegram editor may ease his conscience by giving the poor his discarded ice book but we don't believe St. Peter will recognize such deeds of charity.

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For further particulars call on, phone or write

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Which is better? How much am I worth with my property waiting?...

Say it costs \$2 a gallon Devoc—I wouldn't paint any other—and \$3 or \$4 more for putting it on...

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Inferior flour, poor potatoes, any kind of foodstuffs that are a little "off" may spoil an otherwise perfect repast.

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LOOKING TO THE U.S. FOR MARKET AND CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, D. C. Oct. 23.—That Latin American countries are looking to the United States for the capital and the market for their products...

Cuba to the United States, the consuls general of Costa Rica and Colombia in New York...

THE FAIR WITHOUT AN EQUAL.

"The Fair Without an Equal" is the slogan adopted by the State Fair Association...

The State Fair of Texas is a credit to Texas and an honor to the men who have made it possible.

Today modern exhibit halls, live-stock pavilions, play houses and pleasure plazas cover more than one hundred and fifty acres of ground...

In recent years exhibits have been attracted from other states and countries and today the Texas exhibitors must compete with exhibitors from abroad.

Not only does the various exhibits excel all previous exhibits in their respective lines...

ish music for the fair visitors. Don Phillippini Smyphony Band composed of fifty pieces...

The military exhibition by 1250 United States troops, including infantry, cavalry, artillery...

The amusement offered in this year's program on the "pike" is a class of side shows superior to those in former years.

We give free tickets in the Dunlap Pony Contest for your favorite child.

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There has been filed at Austin the charter of the Dallas & Southwestern Motorway Co.

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The Magic Washing Stick. "All glory to the Magic Washing Stick—my clothes were as white as snow..."

Dallas: "It may be of interest to know," said W. H. Stratton, secretary of the State Fair of Texas...

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A special train will come from College Station bringing 1000 A and M cadets, and special trains are contemplated from Sherman, Denison and other near-by points to the State Fair from October 17 to November 1.

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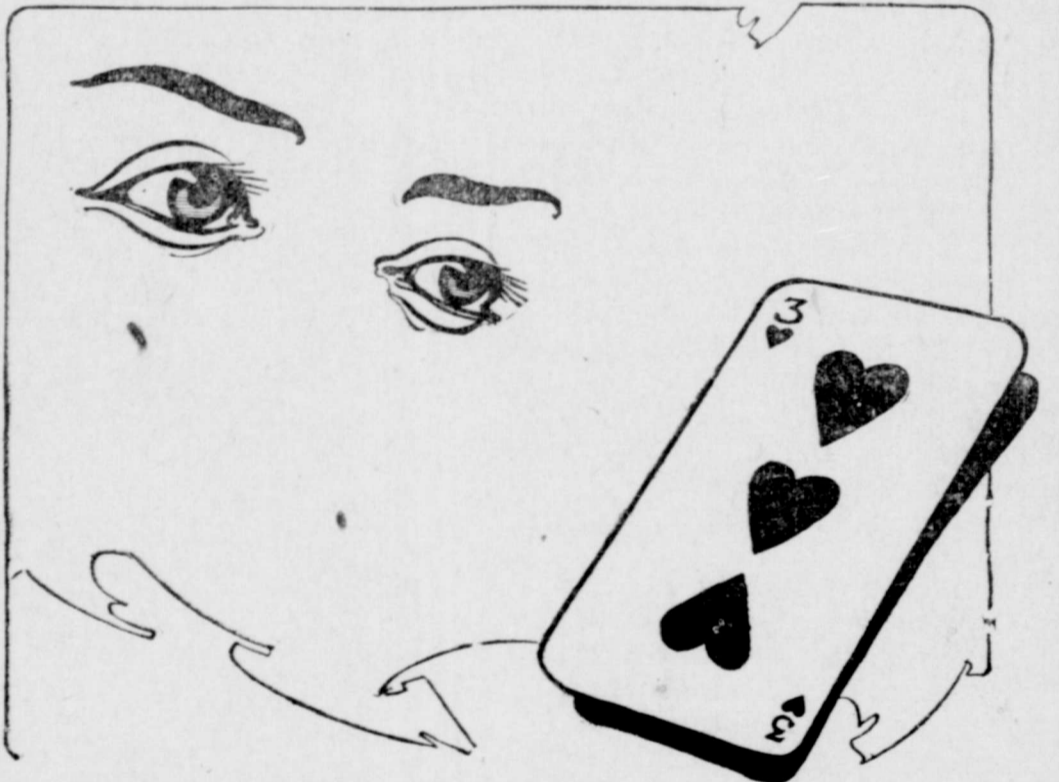
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The contest will be held in the University of Texas exhibit in the Coliseum building at the State Fair. It will begin at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, October 20, and continue through Wednesday, October 28.

Miss Rich of the Home Welfare division of the University of Texas, is in charge of the exhibit and contest.

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