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MAJOR CATASTROPHE OFF THE CALIFORNIA COAST

HUNDRED LIVES LOST

STEAMER COLUMBIA STRUCK BY
LUMBER SHIP.

SEVENTY WERE RESCUED

Steamer Sank Within Five Minutes After
Collision Off Shelter Cove
on California's Coast.

Associated Press.
San Francisco, Cal., July 22.—News received here this morning that the steamer Columbia, and the lumber ship San Pedro, were in collision off Shelter Cove in Hendocine county at daylight Saturday. The Columbia sank and a hundred lives are reported lost.

There was a heavy fog at the time the San Pedro was heavily laden with lumber and struck the Columbia on her port bow with such terrific force that she was cut down to the water and sank in about five minutes. About seventy persons aboard the Columbia were saved by clinging to the San Pedro, from which vessel they were rescued some hours later by the steamer Roanoke. Captain P. A. Deane of the Columbia went down with the vessel. The San Pedro was picked up by the steamer George W. Elder and is being towed to Eureka. The Columbia was bound from this port for Portland.

The Columbia was an iron, screw steamer of 2722 tons register, built in 1899 by Q. Bosh and Son of Chester, Pa. She was owned by the San Francisco and Portland Steamship Company. The San Pedro was a wooden steamer built in 1899 in Aberdeen, Wash.

The collision occurred at midnight when all on board except the lookout were asleep. The Columbia was steaming north at an easy rate. Suddenly the fog loomed, the dark hull of the steam schooner San Pedro, unlighted, evidently out of her course. The whistles were blown and heroic efforts were made by the crew of each vessel to avert a collision but to no avail. The San Pedro struck the steamer on the port side, making an immense hole in her side, through which water rushed in a great volume. Alarms were sounded throughout the passenger ship and the crew scrambled for the lifeboats. The state rooms in an effort to escape from the doomed vessel, but the escape was too short as the vessel sank within five minutes of the time of the collision. The life rafts were launched with a number of passengers but only a few of the entire lumber aboard were saved. One hundred lives were lost. The steamer Roanoke, carrying the rescued passengers, reached here this morning bringing the first news of the disaster. The Shelter Cove, where the collision occurred is 179 miles up the coast. The San Pedro, carrying a number of the survivors, is being towed to this port by the Daisy Mitchell.

The Columbia sailed from San Francisco Saturday for Portland. She had a passenger list of 189. Of this number 165 were cabin passengers and 21

The body of Ed. Butler, supposed to be from Portsmouth, Ohio, has been brought here.

Miss Florence Thompson of Johnston, Ohio and Miss Eva Booker of Franklin, Ky., are among the lost. The merchants exchange in this city has been besieged by anxious relatives and friends of the Columbia passengers since early morning, but no list of the drowned can be secured nor are the names of survivors known.

Death List May Reach 150.
San Francisco, Cal., July 22.—It is now reported that the number of victims of the disaster will reach 150.

The rescued passengers were taken from the San Pedro by the steamer George W. Elder.

The San Pedro had her stern gone and was damaged considerably forward. Her cargo was gone and she was in a water-logged condition.

According to J. C. Flynn, a rescued passenger, every woman on board the ill-fated steamer was lost.

HUGHES GETS TWO YEARS
Man Who Twice Broke Jail Convicted on Burglary Charge.

F. F. Hughes, one of the prisoners who figured in the jail delivery recently was given trial before a jury in the District Court today and was convicted on a robbery charge and was sentenced to two years imprisonment in the State penitentiary.

Hughes was one of the men who broke into Robertson's hardware store last spring.

This afternoon Tom Crutchfield is being tried before a jury on a charge of robbery of the person.

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WORSHIPPER KILLED

LIGHTNING BOLT STRIKES A
CHURCH STEEPLE AT WATERFORD WISCONSIN.

RUNS DOWN INTO CHURCH

One Killed and Many Knocked Down and Stunned.

By Associated Press.
Racine July 22.—A number of buildings were damaged and horses killed in a storm last night. The lightning struck the steeple of St. Mary's church at Waterford, passed down and killed one worshipper, several others knocked down and severely stunned.

LEFT ARM AMPUTATED.

Paymaster in Philippines Infected Through Handling Money.

By Associated Press.
Manila, July 22.—Major Paymaster Eugene Coffin, has had his left arm amputated as the result of infection from handling money in payink the troops. Major Coffin is a veteran of the civil war and was a member of

RIOTING IN SICILY.

On Account of the Arrest of Officer Charged With Embezzlement.

By Associated Press.
Rome, July 22.—Rioting of a serious character is occurring in Sicily because of the arrest of Signor Nunzionasi, former minister of public instruction on a charge of embezzlement in office. Mass meetings to protest were held Sunday in many towns following which in several instances disorders occurred. At Palermo, where the most serious trouble occurred, one man was killed and many injured. The troops were called out to suppress disorders and the senate has been called in extraordinary session and its president will submit to the members, the order for Nunzionasi's arrest. It is believed that the senate will agree to Nunzionasi's temporary release and on November four will convene as a high court and try the former minister.

TO FIND PAY DIRT.

Young Gould is One of Party Studying Mineralogy at First Hand.

By Associated Press.
New York, July 22.—Kingdon, the youngest son of George Gould, is one of the party of half a dozen Columbia University students now studying mineralogy at first hand in Southern Arizona. The party is under the charge of Dr. Charles P. Berkery, instructor in geology at Columbia. The plan was to go first to Bisbee and then make a close observation of the Mule mountains. It is said to be one of young Gould's ambitions to discover "pay dirt."

FOOT BRIDGE COLLAPSED.

Score of Men Precipitated into River and Two Were Drowned.

By Associated Press.
Loraine, Ohio, July 22.—A score of men were precipitated into the river here today by the collapse of a foot bridge on which they were crossing to the ship yards where they were employed. Two bodies have been taken from the water. Several men are still missing.

TWO ARE DEAD

As the Result of a Collision Between Auto and Express Train.

By Associated Press.
New York, July 22.—Miss Helen Madigan, who was badly injured last evening in a collision between an auto and the Long Island express train, died today. Dr. Edward J. Gallagher, who was with Miss Madigan, was killed in the collision. They were engaged to be married.

A tie up in freight traffic on the Fort Worth and Denver is threatened at this point on account of the shortage of conductors and brakemen. It is authoritatively stated that five conductors and five brakemen can be used here at once.

There will be an entire change in the local office of the Western Union Telegraph company about the first of August. Manager O. J. Pickle will leave for a month's visit among friends in Ohio and Michigan. R. W. Stone, operator has resigned and will go to Nevada, to accept a position with the Southern Pacific railroad.

The Southwestern Telephone Company is spending \$100,000 rebuilding its plant at Abilene.

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RICHARDSON OUTLINES ARGUMENT FOR DEFENSE

DEATH OF MORMON MISSIONARY.

Rev. Charles W. Woods Succumbs to
Attack of Fever at Harrold.

After an illness of six weeks with fever, Rev. Charles W. Woods a Mormon missionary died at Harrold early Sunday morning.

The deceased came to Harrold from Utah to make converts to the Mormon faith, but a few days after his arrival here he was seized with the fever which resulted in his death which occurred at the Fowler hotel at 1:20 a. m. Sunday.

Undertaker Frank Jackson was called from this city and embalmed the body for shipment to the home of the deceased at Thomson Springs, Utah.

LACROSSE SHUT OFF.

Washouts Tie Up All Railroad Traffic.

By Associated Press.
LaCrosse, July 22.—All trains upon the Milwaukee, Northwestern and Burlington railway system between Chicago and St. Paul are tied up, the result of washouts following a heavy rain storm. Not a train on any line has moved out of LaCrosse for 12 hours and it is not known when they will move. LaCrosse is cut off from rail communication in every direction. The telegraph and telephone lines which have been down were partly restored today. Much damage to crops has been done. One farmer near LaCrosse lost 100 head of cattle which were drowned.

Results of Yesterday's Games.

Texas League.
Dallas 4-3; Temple 1-1.
Houston 6; San Antonio 0.
Austin 2; Galveston 3.
Fort Worth 4; Waco 3.
Chicago 0-4; Boston 3-2.
American League.
New York 7; St. Louis 2.

HOT BED OF PLOTS

KOREAN PALACE DECLARED THE
HOME OF ILLICIT PLOTS.

THE PEOPLE ARE DIVIDED

Mothers of Rival Princes are Centers
of Intrigues and Plots to Assassinate and Murder.

Tokio, July 22.—Telegrams from Seoul state that intrigues on an extensive scale are now in progress and it is declared that the palace is a hotbed of illicit plots and conspiracies.

The placing on the throne of the new emperor has aggravated the jealousy between his mother and the mother of Prince Yang, each having a large following.

Dissatisfaction is spreading rapidly and the rioting of the people throughout the peninsula is apprehended.

RIVERS FALLING RAPIDLY.

No Further Danger From Flood is Anticipated at Kansas City.

By Associated Press.
Kansas City, July 22.—Rivers are falling rapidly today. No further dan-

SETS FORTH POINTS

UPON WHICH HE WILL ARGUE TO
CONVINCE JURY OF HAY-
WOOD'S INNOCENCE.

INTENSE HEAT PREVAILS

And Judge Wood Has Decided To Hold
Only Two Sessions of Court
Daily.

By Associated Press.

Boise, July 22.—The deplorable event of December 30, 1905 resulting in the death of Gov. Frank Steunenberg cast consternation over the entire civilized world. With these words E. F. Richardson began today the opening address for the defense in the Haywood case. On account of the heat Judge Wood announced that he had abandoned the idea of holding three court sessions a day, and had decided to hold morning and evening sessions and none in the afternoon. For fifteen minutes before Richardson began to speak the court room had been closed against the throng which sought admission. Richardson plunged directly into the death of Gov. Steunenberg in his opening sentences and said that during his administration of American justice men were put in this Bull Pen, perhaps as a matter of necessity but certainly without due process of law. When the news of the death flashed through the world there was an immediate conclusion in nearly all quarters that there was connection between it and the Couer d'Alene troubles. Hostile camps arose immediately. The Mine Owners were strong in their condemnation of the Western Federation and it was said in some quarters that the miners justified the deed. "I want to say to you that the defense does not believe there is any justification for such an act. We shall not attempt it and we do not believe that it can be justified from any point." Richardson then reviewed the events following the death of Steunenberg, saying that Orchard was caught red handed in the act. A Pinkerton detective came to Idaho and soon had a confession from the man who to save his own worthless neck was ready to place the blame upon others. The matter was taken up by that portion of the press which depends upon the prosperous and capitalistic classes, and the leaders of the Western Federation were adjudged guilty without a hearing. Richardson declared that this was so far reaching that it extended even to the White House. The Attorney begged the jury to lay aside any impression they may have formed during the past year and to start with him at the beginning of the case and go through the various events one by one without prejudice.

"It is my intention to carry out my argument, if I am not overcome by the heat, in the following order:
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Second—I shall discuss the history

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THE JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION.

Texans Visit Ter-Centennial After Stops at Philadelphia and Washington.

Jamestown Exposition, June 21. It was a tired and sleepy crowd of Texans who reached Philadelphia Friday morning, for the three days spent in New York had been busy ones, and the party had kept going with but little time for rest or sleep. For that reason we were not in condition to fully appreciate Philadelphia, nor to enjoy the generous hospitality accorded us. The original program had been to leave Philadelphia at 3 p. m. and spend the rest of the evening in Baltimore, but this was changed so late as really not to give the city a fair show.

After breakfast at the Collonade hotel; an automobile trip was taken over the business part of the city, visiting Independence Hall and other points of interest. We were shown the old Liberty Bell, the chairs used by the members of Congress who signed the Declaration of Independence; the chair used by General Washington, pictures of the signers of the declaration, and copies of it (the original now being kept in the Congressional Library at Washington), the statue of Washington and Girard college. The will of Stephen Girard provided that a stone wall 12 feet high should be erected around it. The College trustees decided that it would be legal to put six feet of the wall below the ground and six above it. The will also provided that no minister should ever be allowed to enter.

The New Yorkers call Philadelphia slow, and it does not have the head-on rush that characterizes Chicago and New York, but it is a great city. Great preparations were being made to entertain the Elks, who held their national meeting there in July, and great columns with arches are being erected along the streets for decoration and welcoming banners. A great deal of building is going on and an army of workmen are busily engaged in tunneling under the city for a subway for street cars.

Philadelphia prides herself in having a greater percent of population owning their homes, than any of the great cities and upon the immensity of Fairmont Park, which covers about 3200 acres of land, still covered for most part, with nature's forest trees, but well kept.

The city is now spending fifty millions extending this park, and are pre-

paring to condemn great blocks of ground, covered with buildings, and aim to have the park reach the heart of the city. There are also several smaller parks and squares well kept.

Philadelphia has many fine residences and magnificent business houses, but I will not worry your readers by attempting to name or describe them.

At 1:30 p. m., all the party went out to Willow Grove Park, some 10 or 12 miles out, which is the great place of amusement here. On the way we passed many magnificent residences with fine lawns and immense forest trees in the yards, and for beauty of grounds this city can almost rival Boston.

At 6:30 p. m., the bankers of the city gave us a dinner on the roof of the Bellevue-Stratford hotel, an 18 story building, where we met many of the leading bankers, created more Texas Colonels and had a grand time generally, and were then furnished tickets to Keith's Theatre at which Cecilia Loftus is the leading attraction. The performance was not a special one for our benefit, and if it had been, our party were too tired to appreciate it. Miss Loftus is a great personater and has a wonderful variety of facial expressions, but the bulk of the company were not of much force. At about 11 p. m. our train left for Washington where we arrived about 8 p. m., and made our headquarters at the Raleigh House. Here another auto ride was taken and most of the crowd visited the White House (The President however had not been advised we were coming, so was not at home, or perhaps he had been advised); Congressional Library, Capitol, Washington Monument, Treasury building, and other points of interest. As each different auto reached the different places, they were shown through by guides. I was with about 25 of the crowd who were shown through the Capitol by a pompous old guide who was thoroughly imbued with the idea that he knew it all, and no one else knew anything. He was really well posted about the building itself, and its history, but in his anxiety to show that he knew it all, he undertook to show us the seats of the two Senators from Texas in the Senate Chamber, and missed both of them, according to the official diagram. He also undertook to show us the portrait of Hon. John H. Reagan in the painting of "The Electoral Commission," but not a Texan present could see any resemblance and the old humbug seeing he was caught, said

Washington had changed very much since 1877. The Congressional Library cost about \$7,000,000, and is said to be the finest building in the world. It has an underground pneumatic tube connecting it with the Capitol, and a Senator or Congressman can get a document for use in about two minutes. Washington is a beautiful city, very quiet, well kept streets and is the cleanest city we have seen. At the Raleigh House, one of the party laid a lady's handbag containing also her purse down, on a table in the corridor for a moment, and returning it had disappeared. A little girl told the lady she had seen a man take it and pointed out the man. However he was so well dressed that it seemed incredible that he could be the guilty party, but he was asked if he had seen such a bag, but disclaimed all knowledge of it. The girl still insisted to the lady that she knew he had it and a gentleman volunteered to go for a policeman, and soon returned with one. In the meantime the lady's husband who had thought it might have been dropped in the dining room, came back and walking over to where the man was, saw the handle projecting from his coat, and reached over and pulled it out. The policeman nabbed the fellow, who first protested that he did not know he had it, and then claimed he had been drunk and did not know what he had been doing. The lady on examining it found that her money was intact. The arrest caused quite a commotion in the hotel, as the man was an ex-State Senator from Virginia, who had been wealthy and prominent in public circles. His story was the old one. Dissipation had been his ruin. A confirmed morphine eater, he had stooped so low as to become a sneak thief.

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At dusk we took the steamer for the Jamestown Exposition. It was fairly good sized steamer, but was badly over-crowded. The Texans secured most of the state rooms, but some of them had to sleep in the cabin. Many of the other passengers sat up all night, while the cabin was almost covered with cots. The fare at night was fairly good, in the morning rather sorry. The negro servants on this steamer which runs from Washington to Norfolk were the most indifferent, impudent lot we have ever seen.

We arrived at the Jamestown Exposition Sunday morning, getting off at a wharf about half a mile from the inside inn. We met about thirty young ladies leaving, each one carrying her own suit case. I think it was a party of teachers. One of them said to us: "No porters." We later learned that the bus company charged 50 cents for hauling a suit case and these independent young ladies would not stand for it.

The Inside Inn is a wooden building that might prove to be a fire trap. Its rates were four dollars per day, and its accommodations high at half the price.

However, while the fare was nothing extra, the waiters in the dining room were white girls who were polite and efficient, and the verandas were cool and pleasant. It being Sunday, all the buildings in the Exposition were closed. Most of the warships have left, but the Iowa and two others (Texas and Brooklyn, I think) are out in Hampton Roads. Henry Frey, from Wichita Falls, is a surgeon on the Iowa.

The Jamestown Exposition is a failure, financially. It was opened too soon, as even now many of the buildings are incomplete and the grounds unfinished. There are some beautiful buildings here, and the general plans of the buildings and grounds were admirable, but the management ruined the exposition by not waiting until next year, as a great many of the exhibits are not here yet, and probably never will be. By September 1st, however, things should look very well.

As those who do come are disappointed, the attendance is not very large.

The Virginia exhibits are good and there is a shoe factory operated jointly by several Virginia firms that deserves mention. A visitor can watch the progress from the cutting of the leather to the finished shoe. By contrast—"the old way"—there is an old colored shoemaker with awl, last and thread making shoes just across the aisle.

Our Texas crowd, however, had seen too much elsewhere to be interested at Jamestown, but they took to the sea bathing. At Ocean View Sunday every bathing suit was in use, for Norfolk and surrounding town seemed all to be on the beach. There were some curious sights seen sometimes, and if a person is not well proportioned, a bathing suit brings out the fact.

Two extra large German women came down to the water's edge rather timidly and stood deliberating whether to enter the water. In a few minutes they had attracted a good deal of attention from their ample proportions and about six street arabs as if by concert began to splash water on them as they finally waded in. The women went in a little way and then came back and sat down at the water's edge and the young rascals amused themselves by running out on the bank and jumping over their heads. Finally one landed on one of their feet and then their good humor vanished, and the boys beat a hasty retreat.

Monday, we did the exposition very hastily and about 10 o'clock again entered our special train at Old Point Comfort for Richmond, happy indeed to be back in "Dixie Land" and "homeward bound." R. E. H.

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BIG PASTURE SCHOOLS.

Territory Divided Into One Hundred Districts and Work Now Being Organized.

Lawton, Okla., July 22.—In the preparation of the Big Pasture for real occupancy of American citizens, the new territory has been divided into one hundred districts—seventy-six in the Big Pasture and twenty-four in the Wood reserve.

The people of these districts are now busy organizing and electing the regular school district officers and placing things in condition for the opening of the schools next fall.

The work of laying out these districts and starting the organizations has been in the hands of Superintendent Nelson and he has now completed his work and the matter is up to the citizens.

They are taking hold of the work rapidly and many of them have already organized. In the majority of the districts school houses will be built this summer ready for occupancy by fall and practically all of them will make some arrangements so that school can be held and all of the children just coming to the new country may have good school privileges from the first year of their removal.

THIRTY-SECOND VICTIM

Of Pere Marquette Wreck Died Last Night.

By Associated Press. Detroit, Mich., July 22.—Banner Huggins of Ionia, Mich., one of the injured in the Pere Marquette wreck, died last night, bringing the total number of the dead to thirty-two.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, July 22nd, 1907.

THE MERCHANTS AND THE ANTI-TRUST LAW.

The section of the Texas anti-trust law which makes it a penal offense to sell trust made goods is a proposition which is puzzling many of the retail merchants of Wichita Falls. One of them said to the Times this morning: "The law would not be so hard if it only imposed a fine for we could make the manufacturer or wholesaler furnish us with a guarantee that the goods were not trust made, and could hold either the wholesaler or the manufacturer liable for our fines, but this penal business can't be shifted that way."

"The new law is bound to work a hardship on every merchant in Texas, for it will place the burden upon him of ascertaining that every line he handles is not of trust manufacture. It will devolve upon him to either go himself or send someone East to find out if the firm he is doing business with is a trust. Even then it is doubtful if he could get the desired information. The whole idea of the law is impracticable and wrong. I am against the trusts, and think that the country would be better off if it could be purged of them, but this proposition of putting the whole matter up to me to find out whether any of the goods I am selling are trust made or not, is going too far it seems to me, and I don't know what to do."

It is the mission of the Times to talk about how best to build up the town, but occasionally it becomes necessary to have something to say how to make a commercial graveyard out of a thriving, prosperous city. The best way to do this is sometimes to follow in the footsteps of organizations that have for their purpose the upbuilding of a city and makes the mistake of ordering its supplies away from home, offering as an excuse for indulging in this practice that the same can be purchased a little bit cheaper, or perhaps the quality is a little bit better. This same excuse could be given by everyone who feels inclined to make their mon-

ey in Wichita Falls and spend it abroad, but if the practice was general there would be but little use for merchants and business men generally to pay rent on buildings and taxes on stocks of goods. In order to make Wichita Falls a thriving commercial center, we, every one of us, should spend our money at home. Again, if our leading business organizations make a practice of sending away for that which could be obtained of the local dealer, the local newspaper is placed in an awkward attitude to offer criticism to those who are following the example of organizations that are supposed to have for their purpose the teaching of the methods of town-building.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City July 22.—Cattle receipts 19,000. Market steady.
Southern steers 3.75@5.00
Southern cows 2.50@3.75
Stockers and feeders 3.25@5.15
Bulls 2.75@4.50
Calves 3.50@3.75
Stockers and feeders 3.25@5.15
Sheep—Receipts 6,000. Market steady.
Muttons 5.25@6.00
Lambs 7.00@7.65
Wethers 5.00@6.00

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 22.—Cattle receipts 22,000. Market steady to 10c. higher.
Beeves 4.70@7.35
Cows 1.70@5.25
Helpers 2.50@5.50
Calves 5.50@7.25
Good to prime steers 5.70@7.35
Poor to medium 4.65@7.50
Stockers and feeders 2.85@5.00
Sheep—Receipts 22,000. Market steady.
Western 4.00@5.00
Yearlings 6.10@6.75
Lambs 5.85@7.50
Western 5.15@7.60

Omaha Live Stock.

Omaha, Neb., July 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,500. Market steady; others 10@15 lower.
Western steers 3.75@5.75
Texas steers 3.00@5.00
Cows and helpers 2.50@4.75
Canners 5.25@6.75
Stockers and feeders 3.00@5.00
Calves 3.25@6.25
Bulls 2.75@5.40
Sheep—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady.
Yearlings 5.60@6.15
Western wethers 5.00@5.75
Ewes 4.50@5.35
Lambs 6.50@7.55

Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Ill., July 22.—Wheat—July, .90%; September, .92%. Corn—July, .52%; September, .52%. Oats—July, .43; September, .38%. Pork—July, 16.30; September, 16.52%. Lard—July, 8.50%; September, 9.22%. Ribs—July, 8.57%; September, 8.72.

Wool.

St. Louis, Mo., July 22.—Wool steady; unchanged.

St. Louis Spelter.

St. Louis, Mo., July 22.—Spelter dull at 5.90.

Lead, Copper and Silver.

New York, July 22.—Lead quiet at 5.15@5.25. Copper dull at 21.00@22.00. Silver, 69 1/2.

Money and Stocks.

New York, July 22.—Prime mercantile paper, .05 1/2@.06 per cent. Money on call steady at .02 1/2@.02 3/4 per cent. Closing stocks—Atchison, 93%; preferred, 93%; New York Central, 1.13 1/4; Pennsylvania, 1.23 1/4; Southern Pacific, .85%; Union Pacific, 1.44%; preferred, .83; copper, .91 1/2; steel, 36; preferred, 1.00.

In olives, our dollar bottles of Richelle are the nicest in the city. If you doubt, come and see.

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Dress Goods Special

50c Wool Dress Goods and Skirting 39c per yard

15 pieces of Spring and Summer Wool Dress Goods and Skirtings, in invisible checks, plaids and stripes, in a full range of colors. Just the thing for serviceable street wear for skirts and costumes. Leader at 50c yard. Will go this week at the remarkable low price of **39c yd**

50c Parosknit Underwear, 38c

The coolest and most healthful underwear made. Try it and be convinced. Shirts only 38c garment, two for **75c**

India Linens at Old Time Prices

10, 12, 15 and 19 cents yd.

Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3c

Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3c or two for **5c**

50c Handbags 25c

Ladies' White Handbags, not one in the lot worth less than 50c choice **25c**

Colored Wash Goods

Are here for your choosing in Lawns, Organdies and Bastistes in the season's latest designs and colors, lowly priced, 5, 9, 10c, 12c and **15c**

Sheer White Goods

Our Waistings are shown here in a large collection of Sheer Goods and Figured Panamas, Batistes, Madras and other mercerized fabrics, per yard, 15c to **90c**

Boys Wash Suits 75c and \$1.00

For the little fellows, 3 to 8 years old. Blouse effects in assorted colors. Slightly soiled, only **75c** \$1.00 and

Men's Soft Shirts

Men's Soft Shirts, 50c, 60c, \$1.25 and \$1.50, made of Mercerized Pongee, collars attached, the ideal shirt for hot weather **\$1.50**

Men's Silk Shirts \$2.25

Collars attached.....

Men's White Handkerchiefs, 3 for 10c

White Handkerchiefs usually sold at 5c straight. All you want here at three **10c** for

Hundreds Of Other Bargains For Your Choosing

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To The Public.

We beg your pardon again for being unable to make prompt delivery of your purchases, but we have increased our working force and hope to be able in future to make delivery same day goods are sold.

We now carry the largest, the best, the most up-to-date line of house furnishing goods on the Denver road between Ft. Worth and Trinidad. Our goods are new; our prices are right. The people who trade with us will tell you so. There is no moss on our back and no grass under our feet. We stand for progress. We have helped every public enterprise started in Wichita Falls for the past eleven years, even when we were on a salary. We did it because it was right; because we wanted Wichita to grow; our nature has not changed. When you have a worthy enterprise on your hands call on us.

When you want the best house furnishings give us a call.

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Represent 36 of the best, the strongest and the most reliable and liberal Fire Insurance Companies in the world.

We Write all Kinds of Insurance

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We have just received and opened for your inspection

25 dozen American Beauty Corsets ranging in prices each, from 50c to **\$6.50**

Each and every garment guaranteed or your money back.

If contemplating the purchase of a corset give us a call and look the line over.

Odds and Ends.

We also have some odds and ends that we will sell at about

50c on the Dollar

If looking for bargains see them.



AMERICAN BEAUTY STYLE 703
Kalamazoo Corset Co., Makers

Skirts.

We have received our fourth shipment in the past 30 days of Fashion Skirts, ranging in price, **\$20.00** each, from \$6.50 to

The lowest price garment in the lot is made with the same care that is used in making the best garment they make.

We also have a job or left-over line of skirts worth from \$3.00 to \$6.50 that we will sell the next 30 days at

50c on the Dollar

Every one a bargain—Do not miss this opportunity.

We Are Making Many Reductions

Throughout the house that it will pay you to investigate before buying.

— YOURS TO PLEASE —

W. E. SKEEN



AMERICAN BEAUTY Style 834
Kalamazoo Corset Co., Makers



AMERICAN BEAUTY Style 906
Kalamazoo Corset Co., Makers

THE CHANCE CAME.

Dan's Father Said He Never Would Set the River on Fire.

Several years before the discovery of oil at Pithole an Irishman named Mc Carthy and his son Dan came to this country from the Emerald Isle. Dan was a young man of twenty, but his father looked upon him as a mere boy and seemed to take delight in ridiculing him before people.

"Yes, Dan is a good boy," he would say sarcastically, "but, Danny, me boy, ye'll never set the river on fire."

This was his stock with him, and it annoyed Dan very much, but he did his best and soon surprised the old gentleman by securing a lucrative job.

"Yes, Danny has a job all right," he said. "It's \$1.50 a day, but the boy'll never set the river on fire—not he."

When oil was found at Pithole, Dan hurried to the scene and was soon earning unusually large wages as a teamster. All the petroleum was drawn in barrels, and teams were in great demand. He saved his money, bought an acre of land and soon had a well drilled that was producing 100 barrels of oil per day at \$10 per barrel.

The elder McCarthy joined him, saw the well, received a liberal gift of money and then shook his head ominously.

"'Tis a good thing, Danny," he croaked. "Ye've doin' well; but, mark me worruds, ye'll never set the river on fire, me boy."

A few days later a flood wrecked one of Dan's small wooden tanks, the oil ran down the river, and there was great excitement. As Dan and his father stood on the bank watching the oil float away Dan drew a match and lighted it.

"Father," he said coolly, "the next time ye'll say ye'll never set the river on fire please remember that I had a chance wanst, and—didn't do it, bedad."

Then he blew out the match.

STRANGER THAN FICTION.

The Tragedy in the Life of a Russian Military Officer.

Lieutenant von Lemsberg of the Russian guards endured thirty-one years of penal exile and penal service in Siberia. He was in his day a fine looking and highly accomplished officer. Like many of his fellows, he borrowed money from City Councilor Wassow, an old, good natured bachelor. Young von Lemsberg's notes continued to grow, and the old money lender threatened to sue unless some of them were redeemed. Then the young lieutenant became engaged to the daughter of Count Toldeben and called on Wassow to tell him the news and to ask for time.

"You wait," said he, in a sneering way. "I'll give you a wedding present to be remembered." Believing this to have been a threat, the lieutenant called at the house the next day and deliberately cut his throat. He opened the old man's desk to find his promissory notes and discovered them neatly tied up, marked "Paid" and a document by which he would have become the heir of the man he had murdered. Overcome by remorse he surrendered to the authorities and was sentenced to life servitude in Siberia. Because of good conduct his irons were taken off after seven years, he married a woman who went into voluntary exile to be near a relative, started a vegetable shop in the penal settlement which grew until it became a great mercantile establishment, and when the war with Japan broke out he volunteered, became an officer, was decorated for bravery and received a full pardon.

The Old Stagecoach.

Those who are accustomed to look back with longing eyes to the "good old days" will find it interesting to learn that in the middle of the eighteenth century the common carrier between Selkirk and Edinburgh, a distance of thirty-eight miles, required two weeks to make the journey. In 1778 it took a day and a half for a stagecoach to go from Edinburgh to Glasgow, only forty-four miles away. About the same time the swiftest stage seldom covered the road between Edinburgh and London, 310 miles, in less than two weeks, an average speed of about twenty-two miles a day.—St. Louis Republic.

The Inundation.

"If you please, sir," said a verger to a churchwarden in a village, "the new rector is to be inundated next Tuesday week, and I have come to ask you whether you will be able to be present." "Certainly," replied the churchwarden, who was something of a humorist, "and I hope there will be an overflowing congregation."—London Answers.

His Change of Front.

"My view on coeducation," he said firmly, "is that it should be forbidden. It is deleterious to mental development. It leads to"— "John," said his wife, entering unexpectedly, "are you telling Mr. Smith of the dear old days when we were college classmates?" "Yes," said John.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A prudent haste is wisdom's leisure.—Italian Proverb.

RICHARDSON OUTLINES ARGUMENT FOR DEFENSE

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of the Western Federation as shown by the evidence.

Third—I shall discuss the general conditions which prevailed at Couer d'Alene and at Cripple Creek.

Fourth—I shall discuss the series of events relied upon by the state to prove a conspiracy.

Fifth—I shall devote myself to the ascertainment of the particular offense the defendants are here on trial for.

Sixth—I shall consider Orchard under arrest.

Seventh—I shall consider Orchard while in the pen.

Eighth—I shall devote myself to an impeachment of Orchard.

Ninth—The treatment of Haywood, the manner, method and reason therefor.

Tenth—I shall devote myself to the reasons why certain witnesses did not testify for the prosecution and others did not testify for the defense.

Eleventh—Finally, I shall discuss this case as it appears before this jury.

When I have finished these eleven subdivisions I will have done all that I can to assist the jury in arriving at a proper and just verdict in this case.

Must Have Loved Him.

Many stories have been told of a Manchester man who is supposed to be the—well, to put it humanely—plainest man in England. But we think the following is the funniest:

"Mamma," a child was heard to say in an awestruck whisper after a prolonged survey of the peculiar features of the guest, "that gentleman's mamma must have loved children very, very much."

"Why so, my dear?" inquired the unsuspecting parent. "Oh," returned the child in the same awestruck whisper, "cause she brought him up."—Strand Magazine.

WANTED—Subscribers for the Daily Times!

Want Ad Column

RATES.

One cent per word for first insertion; one-half cent per word for each consecutive insertion. Cash in advance. No advertisement inserted in these columns unless accompanied by the cash.

FOR SALE—Old papers at the Times office.

FOR SALE—Two pianos for \$150 each. Terms, \$10 per month. Wichita Falls Implement Co. 58-6t

FOR RENT—A good residence, close in. See Wiley Wyatt. 48-1f

FOR SALE—A \$300 piano. Used only three months. Can be bought now for \$200, payable in \$10 installments. Wichita Falls Implement Co. 58-6t

Did you say you wanted to buy something? If so, let your wants be known through the Times "want ad" column.

FOR SALE—A good horse, cheap. See the Wichita Falls Implement Co. 58-6t

The St. Charles Cafe—clean from kitchen to sidewalk; best place in town to eat. Walter Allen, propr. 56-1f

FOR SALE—Residence lot, 70-foot front on Burnett avenue between 13th and 14th streets. Price, \$600. Address "Owner," Box 274, Wichita Falls, Texas. 59-7t

FOR SALE—I now offer nine blocks of two acres each near high school. Small cash payment, then \$10 per month. Only eleven of these blocks. See me at once and get first choice. All east fronts. Wylie Wyatt. 40-26td-31-4tw

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Dear friend:

The Japanese lived on rice when they had a war with the Russians. It must have made them strong. Rice is good for breakfast. I eat it three times a day. I don't have the heart burns. Do you? If you do, try making a dinner off of rice. I paid 8 cents a pound for rice.

Your friend,
JACOB.

P. S. Our grocer is

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We are constantly adding new goods in our optical department. Just now we are showing some very neat new styles of rimless eye glass mounts, made of solid gold, elegant but not expensive.

OUR BIFOCALS or double glasses enable the wearer to use one pair of glasses for both near and far vision.

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Office on 7th Street, between Indiana and Scott Avenues.

FIFTY BALES OF NEW COTTON.

New Crop is Being Marketed on the Gulf Coast.

The Robertson-Foote Company of this city received notice yesterday, of the shipment to them of fifty bales of new-crop cotton from Corpus Christi and Alice. This is the first large shipment of cotton grown during the season of 1907-1908 that has occurred as yet. The crop in that section of the State is good, and promises a yield on many farms of not less than a bale per acre. The Mexican boll weevil that is working such havoc to the crop in other sections of the State, has done but little damage to the plant in Southwest Texas the present year, and the yield promises to be large, notwithstanding the drouth that prevailed there during a portion of the growing season. With the boll weevil in control Southwest Texas promises to rival any other section of the State both in amount and cheapness of production of the staple.—Houston Post.

Cattle are Doing Well.

C. W. Morgan, of Wichita Falls, Texas, an old time cowman, who has on pasture in the Creek Nation in the Indian Territory, 4,200 cows and steers this season, came in yesterday with his first shipment this year, five carloads. Mr. Morgan has been an operator in the territory for several years. "I look for some very fat cattle to come to this market from the Creek pasture this summer," said Mr. Morgan. "The grass is extra good and in no place are the pastures heavily stocked, although there are a good many cattle in the territory. Cattle got a rather late start, but they are now making up for all lost time. Rains have been frequent enough to keep the grass growing right along, and it is now as good as I ever saw it. Up to the present time the shipments from there have been rather light, but the cattle are now ready to move, and they will come with a rush. We have been getting good prices so far for our cattle, and have no fault to find. They will put on big gains from now on, and if prices hold up at all we will come out all right."—Kansas City Drivers Telegram.

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS.

List of Registrations Filed at the County Clerk's Office.

The following is a list of the Wichita county automobile owners who have registered at the county clerk's office as required by law together with their registration numbers:

1. Mayor T. B. Noble.
2. Harley Heath.
3. A. J. Haddix.
4. C. A. Malone.
5. Arthur Reed.
6. Joe P. Bryan.
7. Wiley Blair.
8. A. S. Fonville.
9. A. Reed.
10. Le Baron Adams.
11. Joe P. Bryan.
12. A. Reed.
14. A. Reed.
15. A. Reed.
16. A. Reed.
21. C. W. Bean.
22. J. W. Stone.
23. Ed. H. Lysaght.
24. William McGregor.

Several owners of machines in this city have not registered. After registration the next step for the owners is to secure numbers for their machines, which must be displayed conspicuously upon the automobiles.

Alberta Peaches.

The peach crop of the W. D. Bentley orchard, Thornberry are now ready to be marketed. The Alberta crop is now being picked and marketed. If you want them leave your orders at R. C. Hardy's grocery store 55-6t wlt J. H. OSBORNE.

If you want the best and are in doubt, order Richelleu. It pleases.

TREVATHAN & BLAND.

THREE GAMES WITH DENTON

Will Be Played Here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of Next Week.

Manager Lucid of the local ball team returned last night from a trip to Corsicana, where he went to look after his business interests.

Upon his return he brought with him pitcher Harry Ables, late of the Dallas team and one of the best pitchers in the Texas league, who will finish the season with Wichita Falls.

Right fielder Roy Netherton of Stamford, is expected in tomorrow to join the team.

On Thursday the locals will go to Gainesville for a series of three games and on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week the crack Denton team will play a series of three games here.

Concerning the proposed four-team circuit comprised of Wichita Falls, Gainesville, Denton and Ardmore, Manager Lucid said that the proposition would be definitely settled at a meeting to be held in Gainesville on Thursday.

To keep up a team which will rank with the three teams mentioned will require more money than has yet been subscribed in Wichita Falls. Manager Lucid says he will leave nothing undone to make a pennant winning team here if the necessary funds are raised.

Iowa Park Happenings.

R. W. Hyde has purchased the furniture stock of E. W. Gees, who will move up the Denyer to some point. Later on, we understand, Mr. Hyde will tear down his iron building and erect a substantial concrete building and connecting it with his stone building in which he now carries hardware.

Rev. Clements came up Saturday and preached at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night. He gave out that the church would open a protracted meeting the 4th Sunday in August, and it is to be hoped that other churches will conform their appointments accordingly.

Rich Holley and wife last Friday took their little babe, which has been ailing since its birth, to Fort Worth for treatment. We hope all will be well with them.

Phy Taylor is building a very fine home over at Eschitt and will move over there before a great while but Phy can't stay out of Texas long.—Iowa Park Register.

CONTRACT AWARDED.

Farmers' Union Gin Company Buys a Five-Stand Outfit.

The Farmers' Union Gin Company this morning awarded the contract for a five-stand cotton gin to the Continental Gin Company.

The new gin is to be built near the Farmers' Union warehouse in this city and work is to commence as soon as the plans for the building can be completed.

The gin when complete will cost about \$9,000 and will be one of the largest and most modern plants in this section of the country.

The building is to be a frame structure and will be covered on the outside with galvanized iron.

Hay Ride to Lake Wichita.

A jolly crowd of young people enjoyed a hay ride to Lake Wichita Saturday evening. Those comprising the party were the Misses Hattie Goodwin, Cora Eshelman, Minnie Gray, Ida Bachman, Ruby Robertson, Winnie Goodwin, Imogene Brown, Odell Brown and the Messrs. Earthman, William Bachman, Ira Brown, Clyde Winfrey, Melvin McIntyre, Robert Brown, Oscar Black, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur and Mrs. Goodwin.

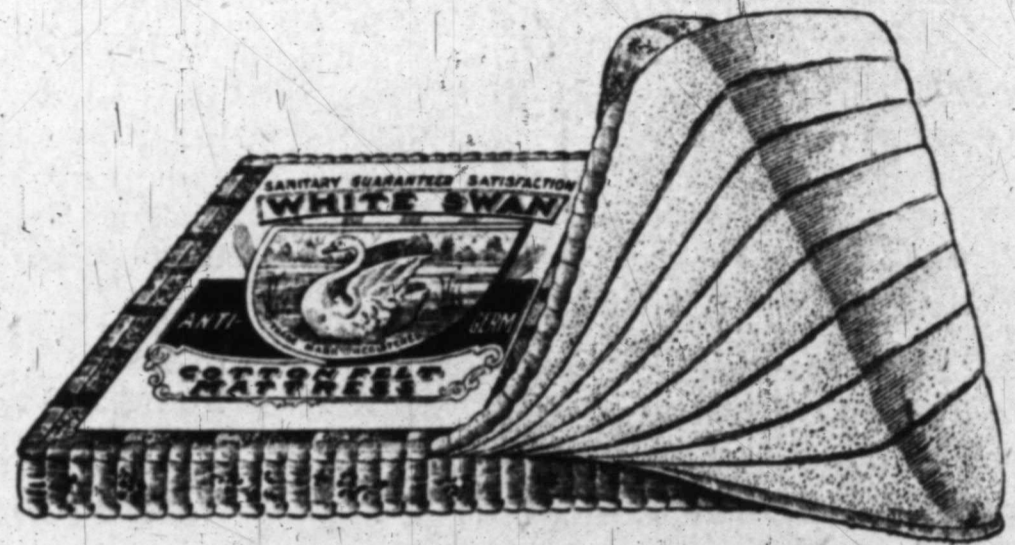
Wichita Falls Lodge No. 625,

A. F. & A. M., will confer the Master's degree Tuesday night, July 23rd, 1907, at 8:30 p. m. sharp.

J. D. AVIS, W. M.

J. MILTON ERWIN, Secy.

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Baldwin Pianos
Newburg Wicker Ware
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Simmons Iron Beds
White Swan Mattresses
Charter Oak Stoves and Ranges
Best Kitchen Cabinets
Best Kitchen Tables
Best of Everything

CASH OR INSTALLMENTS

W. F. JOURDAN FURNITURE CO.
THE HOME FURNISHERS

A Bumper Crop.

Young county is coming to the front again with a bumper crop of cotton. The recent rains have assured the people of that fact. The acreage is immense and cotton is looking well, somewhat late it is true in many cases, but is looking fine.

Prosperity will again perch upon the banners of Young county and in the fall there will be scenes of activity here never witnessed before in the history of the county. The railway from Wichita Falls to the county will be in course of construction and thousands of dollars will be paid out along the line. New towns will be built and there is every indication that there will be more "doing" in the county during the next six months than ever before.—Graham Leader.

The walloping administered the Cremos of Wichita Falls by the Club team is continuing to have effect. The shut-out demonstrated to the manager and the subscribers to the funds that the team was not strong enough and the work of overhauling is now in process. The battery, Touchstone and Bell, passed through Abilene last night en route to Midland and will play with that team the rest of the season. Chas. Malone is in the city today from Wichita and says that the team is making some valuable additions and will be in shape to make it interesting for the Clubbers in the next contest which will likely be played at Wichita.—Abilene Reporter.

We are getting daily shipments of fresh tomatoes and sweet pepper. Phone us your orders.

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On account of the quality of our goods we are able to operate our plant every working day in the year, when most Texas Mills are closed down at least a part of the time.

Our "Belle of Wichita"

REPRESENTS THE HIGHEST GRADE OF FLOUR THAT CAN BE MADE FROM WHEAT. Our High Patent is good quality and we guarantee it to be as good as any other flour sold in Wichita Falls. Correspondence solicited from car-load buyers of flour and feed, no matter where located; we can ship to any railroad station.

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We Have 200,000 Feet of Lumber

on hand. See us before you buy, we can save you money.

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We Have a Large List of Vacant Lots, as well as a Number of

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Call on us before you buy if you want to save money. We know where the bargains are and do not expect but a five per cent commission.

BEAN & STONE, Wichita Falls, Tex.

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Just Received a car of the

Famous Studebaker Buggies,

Cut under Runabouts and all the different up to date styles. Also a car of the New Decateur Buggies. If it's Style, Quality and a low price for the goods you get remember we can give you all combined.

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Blue Steel Range

Highly polished and nicked finished; high closet; 6-8 in eye caps; side shelf; large air tight oven braced by heavy rib; flues asbestos lined; burnings nickel plated on copper. Equal in appearance and quality to many \$50.00 Ranges.

EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE.

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Solicits the patronage of all Autos to convey passengers to any part of the city or neighboring towns. Charges reasonable.

Regular trips to Lake Wichita
on Sundays. A full line of Auto Supplies carried in stock and repair work of all kinds done in a first-class manner. If you want to own your own auto car, see us before you buy. We are sole agents for the celebrated Buick Machines—the best in the world.

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Vice President. W. L. ROBERTSON, Ass't Cashier

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A Carload of Corrugated Galvanized Iron, all lengths.

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Monsieur Beaucaire

By BOOTH TARKINGTON,
Author of "The Gentleman From Indiana" and "The Conquest of Canaan."

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I was Chateaurien; if I had been just that M. Beaucaire of the story they tell you, but never with the heart of a lackey, an honest man, a man, the man you knew, himself, could you—would you?" He was trying to speak firmly, yet as he gazed upon her splendid beauty he choked slightly and fumbled in the lace at his throat with unsteady fingers. "Would you—have let me ride by your side in the autumn moonlight?" Her glance passed by him as it might have passed by a footman or a piece of furniture. He was dressed magnificently, a multitude of orders glittering on his breast. Her eye took no knowledge of him.

"Mademoiselle, I have the honor to ask you: if you had known this Beaucaire was honest, though of peasant birth, would you?"

Involuntarily, controlled as her icy presence was, she shuddered. There was a moment of silence.

"Mr. Molyneux," said Lady Mary, "in spite of your discourtesy in allowing a servant to address me, I offer you a last chance to leave this room undisturbed. Will you give me your arm?"

"Pardon me, madam," said Mr. Molyneux.



"IF YOU HAD KNOWN THIS BEAUCAIRE WAS HONEST, THOUGH OF PEASANT BIRTH, WOULD YOU?"

Beaucaire dropped into a chair with his head bent low and his arm outstretched on the table. His eyes filled slowly in spite of himself, and two tears rolled down the young man's cheeks.

"An' live men are jus'—names!" said M. Beaucaire.

CHAPTER VI.

IN the outer room Winterset, unable to find Lady Mary and supposing her to have joined Lady Rellerton, disposed of his negus, then approached the two visitors to pay his respects to the young prince, whom he discovered to be a stripling of seventeen, arrogant looking, but pretty as a girl. Standing beside the Marquis de Mirepoix, a man of quiet bearing, he was surrounded by a group of the great, among whom Mr. Nash naturally counted himself. The beau was felicitating himself that the foreigners had not arrived a week earlier, in which case he and Bath would have been detected in a piece of gross ignorance concerning the French nobility—making much of de Mirepoix's ex-barber.

"'Tis a lucky thing that fellow was got out of the way," he ejaculated under cover.

"Thank me for it," rejoined Winterset.

An attendant begged Mr. Nash's notice. The head bailiff sent word that Beaucaire had long since entered the building by a side door. It was supposed Mr. Nash had known of it, and the Frenchman was not arrested, as Mr. Molyneux was in his company and said he would be answerable for him. Consternation was so plain on the beau's trained face that the duke leaned toward him anxiously.

"The villain's in, and Molyneux hath gone mad!"

Mr. Bantison, who had been fiercely elbowing his way toward

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PERSONAL MENTION

Claude Woods returned yesterday after a ten days vacation spent in Fort Worth.

C. W. Bean went to Plainview today to look after his real estate interests at that place.

Mrs. W. J. Clasbey has returned from a visit to her mother at Fort Worth.

H. S. Wilson and family are visiting relatives at Mr. Wilson's old home in Groesbeck, Texas.

R. L. Hudson and family will leave tomorrow for Ramona, J. T., where they expect to reside in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown Sr., returned yesterday from Denton, where they had been to visit their daughter and her family.

Judge A. H. Carrigan, Sr., after a visit with his sons in this city, left yesterday for his home at Hope, Arkansas.

W. D. Bentley and J. L. McConkey have gone to College Station to attend the Farmers' Congress now in session at that place.

The eighteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds died on Saturday evening. The funeral service was held Sunday afternoon.

As yet none of the county or city officials have received copies of the acts of the last legislature. It is stated that copies of the new acts are to be sent out by the State printer this week.

H. E. Stearns, flagman at the 7th street Denver crossing, has been granted a furlough of one week, which he will spend in fishing and hunting on Beaver Creek and left this evening for the scene of his week's prospective pleasure.

Mr. W. P. Brooks has resigned his position as first engineer at the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company to accept a similar position with the Medina Milling Company at Fort Worth, and will leave with his family for that city tomorrow.

The Wills Automobile Company last week received a shipment of four new Ford runabouts. These machines are beauties and run along as smoothly and nicely as anyone could wish. They are considered the highest perfection in automobile making for a light, low-priced machine.

Attorney J. T. Montgomery has gone to Tulsa on legal business.

J. C. Cockrell of Seymour is in the city.

R. S. Hill is visiting his brother at Petrolia this week.

Sam Bellah of Decatur is in the city on business.

W. R. Estell, a prominent stockman of Archer county, is in the city on business.

Mr. Ben Christian arrived yesterday from Fort Worth to accept a position in the broom factory.

Miss Minnie Graves left yesterday for Fort Worth for a visit to her parents.

C. O. Nelson of Sherman, district deputy of the Modern Woodmen of America, is in town today.

Walter Russell went to Fort Worth this afternoon for a visit of several days.

W. P. Boner and family left yesterday for a two weeks' visit to their old home in Corsicana.

Robt. McHam and mother returned yesterday from Downey, Cal., where they had been visiting relatives for the past month.

Dr. C. T. Ball, dean of the bible department of Simmons College at Abilene occupied the pulpit at both the morning and evening service at the Baptist church Sunday.

F. L. Emanuel, manager of the Mayfield Lumber Company at Iowa Park, was a business visitor here today.

Passenger No. 1 on the Fort Worth and Denver was derailed near Tascosa north of Amarillo yesterday evening and three coaches went off the track. No one was injured. The damage was not great.

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