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A Linen Collar Sale AT THE DAYLIGHT STORE

Collars in all sizes, from 12 to 18 1/2, and in several styles. In the high and medium standing—in the high-medium and low roll or turn-over Collars—styles for spring and summer wear. In quality equal to E. & W. and other leading brands, best four-ply linen, these will be on sale by the dozen only, tomorrow, Wednesday, at

60c Per Doz.

A 25c Collar for 5c.

In connection with the above we will put on sale a lot of MEN'S NECKWEAR, mostly dark colors—ties that sold at 35c, 75c and \$1.00, to make a clean sweep, the prices will be

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Four-in-Hands and Bow Ties.

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Cheaper than to pay laundry bill, good Socks, all sizes, placed in two lots and sold by the dozen-only, worth 75c dozen, per dozen, only 25c Socks worth \$1.00 per dozen, Wednesday, at per dozen.. 50c

These bargains won't last long, better get an early start.

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FRAUDS IN CIVIL SERVICE IN NEW YORK

CLERKS STEAL QUOTATIONS AND SELL TO A MAN WHO RETAILS THEM

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Max C. Benisch has been convicted before the justices of special session of agreeing to hire Thomas B. Gavin appointed to the fire department for \$400. Benisch was convicted under a section of the penal code which made the offense only a misdemeanor, the maximum punishment for which is a year and a fine of \$500. The justices had just called upon him to stand up and be sentenced when District Attorney Jerome hurriedly entered the courtroom and addressing the justices said: "I am informed by Colonel Ogden if the civil service commission that he has evidence in hand which will connect this man Benisch with a series of most flagrant and iniquitous frauds that have been perpetrated on the community since the civil service has been in vogue. "I ask that Colonel Ogden be allowed to state what he knows. The whole thing is so far-reaching that we cannot yet see or even guess at the limit." Colonel Ogden then took the stand. He said that two young clerks employed in the civil service department had confessed to him that May 2 last they stole copies of the questions to be put at an examination for police patrolmen. This examination was held on May 12 last. Nearly eighteen hundred men were eligible for the examination. The young clerks confessed, Colonel Ogden said, that they had taken the copies of the questions to Benisch and that he had paid them \$150. The regular price of a copy of questions at the civil service examination for patrolmen is said to be \$50. On hearing Colonel Ogden's statement the sentencing of Benisch was postponed. Nearly 7,400 women are employed in the various government departments at Washington.

CAMPBELL AHEAD IN SANTONE ELECTION

THE RETURNS GIVE HIM A MAJORITY OF 200 VOTES OVER TERRELL

(Special to The Telegram.) SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 10.—The latest returns of the city election give John P. Campbell a majority of 200 over Dr. Fred Terrell for mayor. The election passed off quietly, not a disturbance taking place in any part of the city. The vote was heavy, but not up to the registration nor to poll tax receipts. The contest has been close and last night it was hard to tell who had been elected. The vote for other offices cannot be had at this hour, but it is sure a mixed ticket will be elected. FALL IN COAL PRICES SURPRISES THE DEALERS (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—A reduction in the retail price of anthracite from \$7.50 to \$6.50 a ton has gone into effect in the yards of the retail dealers throughout Greater New York. This reduction was agreed on at a meeting of the Retail Coal Dealers' Association held late on Saturday evening. A member of the association said: "When the winter began there was not a coal dealer in the city who would have predicted that coal would have been selling at \$6.50 a ton before May. The last reduction in prices was brought about through the market for independent coal going to pieces last week. BONDSMEN CHANGE MINDS AND ALDERMAN IS IN JAIL (Special to The Telegram.) WACO, Texas, Feb. 10.—W. H. Prince, ex-alderman, who was arrested yesterday afternoon on the charge of forgery and embezzlement, gave bond, but his bondsmen gave him up today, and he is now in jail.

MASSACRE OF CHRISTIANS EXPECTED TO OCCUR IN THE BALKANS IN MARCH

LONDON, Feb. 10.—There is enough dry tinder on the slopes of the Balkans for a great blaze if a match be thrown on the ground. This is the conclusion reached by Fleet street, where the Macedonian question is regarded as a serious menace to the peace of Europe. An outbreak of hostilities between the Macedonian insurgents and the Turkish garrison is expected early in March, and a massacre of Christians will be followed by a declaration of war from Bulgaria under Russian instigation. A remarkable feature of the situation is the openness with which the pan-Slavist agitators are planning a military and diplomatic campaign for expelling the Turks from the Balkans. It is assumed

In all centers of Slav feeling that Count Lamsdorff has obtained guarantees of Austrian neutrality, and that Russia is ready to stand behind Bulgaria and Serbia. Nobody in Fleet street or in the Balkans seems to know whether the German emperor is prepared to defend the Sultan and incur the lasting enmity of Russia.

THE OPENING DAY AT OKLAHOMA CONVENTION

LITTLE DOING SO FAR AT THE TENTH MEETING OF CATTLE RAISERS

(Special to The Telegram.) OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Feb. 10.—The Oklahoma Live Stock Association is celebrating its entrance on the tenth year of its existence with a convention which has never been equaled for size outside of the Texas stockmen and the National Live Stock Association. It is estimated that 10,000 visitors are already in the city and many more are on the way. The gathering was formally opened today, but little was done outside of the preliminary business. The sessions will continue through Thursday and will be interspersed with features of elaborate entertainment provided by the local committees. Roping contests, theater parties, Indian dances and exhibitions of horsemanship are some of the interesting attractions down on the program. The entertainment features, however, are not to be allowed to interfere with the business end of the meeting, and the stockmen will put in several hours each day discussing questions vitally affecting their interests. The officers of the association who are in charge of the convention are President Abner T. Wilson of Kiowa, Kan., and Secretary William E. Bolton of Woodward. Their annual reports will contain figures showing that the association has grown from a small beginning to a powerful and influential organization, and that the increase in membership during the past twelve months has been fully in keeping with the growth of previous years. The city is gayly decorated in honor of the visitors and nothing is being left undone to insure their comfort and entertainment.

CAMEL WILL HAVE AN EASIER JOB THAN HIS

PARABLE OF THE RICH YOUNG MAN DOES NOT SCARE ROCKEFELLER

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., supposed to be about the richest young man in America, owes \$400,000 and has only \$30,000 worth of personal property, according to the statement filed with the department of taxes and assessments. Mr. Rockefeller was assessed at \$50,000. From what could be learned at the tax office Mr. Rockefeller called there and stated that he had \$400,000 in debts, and that his personal property above his debts was worth only \$30,000, but he was willing to pay taxes on an assessment of \$50,000. The commissioners accepted Mr. Rockefeller's figures.

TOURISTS ROOST ON A SOUTH SEA REEF

EXCURSION STEAMER MADIANA WRECKED IN THE CARIBBEANS

(By Associated Press.) HAMILTON, Bermuda, Feb. 10.—The Quebec Steamship company's steamer Madiana, under command of Captain Frazer, which sailed from New York Saturday last for a special cruise among the Caribbean islands, with a party of excursionists, has gone ashore on reefs off this island and likely prove a total loss. Tugs have left here in an endeavor to rescue the passengers.

FAST TIME MADE BY TRAIN ON ENGLISH ROAD

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Feb. 10.—A speed of over eighty-two miles an hour for a distance of fifteen miles has been attained by the Midland Railway company's new compound engines, with a load of 350 tons. A new castle paper which records the feat claims that the engines in many respects are ideal ones and a distinct advance over locomotives built hitherto in this country.

REPORT IS CONFIRMED

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—A. E. Outerbridge & Co., local agents of the Quebec Steamship company, have received a cable advice from Hamilton, Bermuda, confirming the Associated Press report of the wreck of the Madiana. According to advice the ship is a total loss, but no mention is made of any loss of life. REPORT AT 3 P. M. As this dispatch is sent the tug seems to be unable to get alongside the Madiana. The weather is moderating, but it will be several hours before it is possible to obtain details of the disaster. A heavy sea is still running. The Madiana struck the reef at 3 o'clock this morning. LATER REPORT The Madiana is lying with a heavy list and broadside to the wind on the reef and a half mile northeast of North rock. The seas are breaking over her. The tug Gladisten only succeeded in getting within one mile of the Madiana. Efforts are being made to transfer the latter's passengers to the Gladisten by means of lifeboats. A heavy sea is running.

PRESIDENT FRANCIS WILL GO TO ENGLAND TO DINE

(By Associated Press.) ST. LOUIS, Feb. 10.—President David R. Francis of the Louisiana Purchase exposition is contemplating a trip to Great Britain to be present on Washington's birthday at the dinner of the American society in London. He has been urged to accept the invitation by prominent Americans in the British capital, in view of the delay on the part of the government in preparing for its representation at the world's fair. Commissioner General Albino R. Nuncio, of Mexico, and Leo Bonet, architect and builder of the Mexican national pavilion at the world's fair, are here to prepare for the beginning of the construction of the Mexican building. The building will cost \$10,000.

BUILT IN GLASGOW

The steamer Madiana was built in Glasgow and is of about 2,000 tons burden. The steamer is owned by the Quebec Steamship Company and sails from London. It has aboard a hundred passengers, principally people from Boston, Chicago and cities of Connecticut and New Hampshire.

BELIEVES NO FATALITIES

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The agents of the Quebec Steamship company received a cablegram at 3:30 p. m. saying that the passengers are now being taken from the wrecked steamer Madiana. So far as known, there has been no casualties.

FOUR MASTED BARK IS WRECKED OFF THE BEACH

(By Associated Press.) ASTORIA, Oregon, Feb. 10.—What is supposed to be a German four-masted bark went ashore at Cape Disappointment last night. Captain Richardson of the lighthouse tender Columbine, which returned at midnight from the scene of the disaster, says the vessel is resting easily. She is well upon the beach and her men are still aboard. Unless the gale continues the crew can be taken off at daylight, and it is possible the vessel herself may be hauled back into deep water. The vessel is believed to be the German four-masted bark Alsterlinie, from San Francisco.

A JAPANESE STUDIES AMERICAN TARIFF PLAN

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Mr. K. Shoda, collector of customs at Kakodate, Japan, has visited the custom house as part of the purpose of gathering information regarding the American tariff and the methods adopted by the treasury department on collecting duties. Mr. Shoda has visited all the important countries in Europe with the same end in view. Incidentally he is studying the economic conditions of each country which he visits.

EMPLOYEES QUIT WORK TO ATTEND A FUNERAL

(By Associated Press.) BREMEN, Feb. 10.—About five hundred employees of the Vulkan Ship Yard at Vegesack, ten miles from here, left work yesterday to attend the funeral of a fellow workman. Their action resulted in a reprimand from the management and a threatened strike on the part of the employees. The matter was eventually settled through an agreement that half the workmen in any of the departments shall have the right to attend a funeral.

\$3,000,000 SENT TO PAY UNCLE SAM'S SAILORS

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—When the transport Prairie sails from the Brooklyn navy yard on Thursday she will carry \$3,000,000 of Uncle Sam's currency, which is to pay the officers and crews of the ships of the North Atlantic squadron on the West Indian station. The Prairie also will take ammunition for the battle-ships Kearsarge, Illinois, Massachusetts and Indiana, which are now lying at Galveston.

DENY ANY OBSTACLE TO SIGNING GERMAN PROTOCOL

(By Associated Press.) BERLIN, Feb. 10.—The foreign office officials deny that any insuperable obstacles to the signing of the German protocol at Washington exist. They add that the comparatively unimportant question of detail has been referred to Berlin, but that the signing will occur in a few days. First Great Britain's protocol is to be signed, then the protocols of Germany and Italy.

NEGROES DECIDE TO BOYCOTT STREET CARS

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 10.—At a negro mass meeting last night it was decided to boycott the street cars until separate apartments had been abolished. The colored folks want separate cars.

BIG REVIVAL SERVICES DURING ST. LOUIS FAIR

(By Associated Press.) ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 10.—At a meeting of representatives of St. Louis churches it has been decided to invite the well-known evangelist, Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, D. D., to assume the leadership of evangelistic work here during the World's Fair. It has been determined to raise \$100,000 by Jan. 1, 1904, to carry on the work in the event that Dr. Morgan accepts.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON ELKINS' ANTI-TRUST BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce today agreed on a favorable report of the Elkins' anti-trust bill, with certain amendments.

COMMITTS SUICIDE BECAUSE OF ABSENCE OF TWO SONS

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Dr. Gertrude H. Woodworth, who is well known in medical circles here, committed suicide this morning at her home, using chloroform. She was 65 years old and a widow. Despondency over the absence of her children, together with ill health, are supposed to have led to the act. Two of her sons are in Port Arthur, Texas.

LONDON TIMES TALKS OF AMERICAN POLITICS

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Feb. 10.—The London Times, in an editorial along the United States politics this morning says that President Roosevelt is a strong man, but that he has a difficult task confronting him. He has inevitably placed himself in opposition to some of the politicians controlling the machine who bitterly resent his attitude in demanding from congress powers to make regulations and publicity imperative by law will, in the opinion of the Times, be greatly strengthened by any precedents such as are alleged to have been taken in trying to stop trust proceedings. There is some reason to fear, the editorial continues, that the folly thus shown by the party identified with the trust may alienate not a few of those who would like to hold the balance even in a controversy where there is a good deal to be said on both sides.

EASTERN CAPITAL BACKS WESTERN PACKING PLANT

(By Associated Press.) PORTLAND, Oregon, Feb. 10.—The Columbia Packing Company has been incorporated here with a capital stock of \$750,000. The company will erect a large meat packing establishment near this city. Eastern capital is behind the concern.



BE PATRIOTIC! ADVERTISE FORT WORTH

At the present moment the eyes of the world are centered on Fort Worth. Every new municipal move, every new enterprise entering our domain is heralded abroad. It is within the means, almost, of every one to advertise the city and its principal points of interest. Writing paper and envelopes with photo engraving views of the stock yards, packing houses, prize cattle, public buildings, etc., can be found here. Write your letter to inquiring friends on paper, containing handsome souvenirs of the best town in Texas. See Display in North Show Window

LIFE SERVITUDE FOR ANARCHIST RUBINO

(By Associated Press.) BRUSSELS, Feb. 10.—Genara Rubino, the anarchist, who has been on trial charged with attempting to assassinate King Leopold in November last, was today found guilty and sentenced to imprisonment for life at penal servitude.

INDICTMENT FOR POWERS FOUND IN IOWA

(By Associated Press.) IDA GROVE, IOWA, Feb. 10.—An indictment was returned today against A. O. F. Powers of Oklahoma City, Okla., formerly immigration agent of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway, charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses. It is alleged that Powers represented himself to be an agent of the Creek and Seminole Indians of the Indian Territory, to dispose of their lands after the allotment made by the Dawes commission. Powers' present whereabouts is unknown.

NEW YORK SOCIETY AT A NOTABLE WEDDING

(Special to The Telegram.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—All of that element of New York society which, according to the recent edict of Mrs. Astor, must now be designated the six hundred, were represented today at the wedding of Miss Eva Barbey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Barbey, and Baron Andre de Neufville of Paris. The ceremony was performed this afternoon in St. Bartholomew's church. Rev. Dr. David H. Greer officiating. The bride had her sister, Miss Rita Barbey, as her maid of honor, while the bridesmaids were Miss Caroline Drayton, Miss Janet Fish, Miss Sybil Kane and Miss Theresa Iselin. The ushers included Lisenard Stewart, Louis Lorillard Jr., Hugo Barling, Moncure Robinson and Henry G. Barbey. The wedding ceremony was followed by an elaborate reception at the home of the bride's parents in West Thirty-eighth street.

NEW INDUSTRIES OF LAST WEEK FOR STATE OF TEXAS

(Special to The Telegram.) CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 10.—The progress in southern industrial development for last week, as reported by the Tradesman, includes the following new organizations as among the most important for Texas: Lawrence—\$50,000 navigation company. Vernon—\$25,000 cotton compress. Alta Loma—Ice factory. El Campo—\$50,000 rice mill. Amarillo—\$10,000 lumber company. Wichita Falls—\$45,000 telephone company. Farmersville—\$10,000 hardware company. Weatherford—Canning factory. Smithville—\$10,000 sawgrage company. San Antonio—\$300,000 lumber company. Ennis—\$50,000 telephone company. Dallas—\$90,000 company to build and maintain a laundry. Brownwood—\$30,000 electric light and power plant.

U. S. VICE COUNSEL AT CAIRO DIES THIS MORNING

(By Associated Press.) GENOA, Feb. 10.—Hubbard T. Smith, United States vice counsel at Cairo, who has been in the hospital here for some time past suffering of cancer of the kidneys, died this morning.

SCHWAB FINDS WIFE IS ILL

CHANNES, France, Feb. 10.—Charles M. Schwab has arrived here aboard the steam yacht Margarita. He found a telegraphic dispatch awaiting in announcing that his wife was ill in Paris, where she had gone with her father and mother from Palermo. Mr. Schwab immediately came ashore and took an ordinary express for Paris, accompanied by his doctor. Mr. Schwab seemed to be much better when he left Cannes. He has given up the yacht Margarita, for which he paid \$5,000 a week.

KIDNAPED AND TAKEN BACK TO STAND TRIAL

(Special to The Telegram.) VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 10.—Alexander Waters, alias W. A. Wilson, who is wanted at Manila on the charge of embezzling \$8,000, was kidnaped by detectives this morning. Neither Canada nor the United States has an extradition treaty with the Philippines. Waters was arrested, and early this morning smuggled on board a vessel bound for the Philippines.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES HELD AT WACO TODAY

WACO, Texas, Feb. 10.—The democratic primary for city officers today gives indications of a good vote. It is claimed that one or two schemes are being worked with poll tax receipts.

THE NEW CUP DEFENDER IS NAMED "REPUBLIC"

(By Associated Press.) BRISTOL, R. I., Feb. 10.—Frank P. Tucker, a nephew of John B. Herreshoff, is authority for the statement that the new cup defender has been named the Republic. Mr. Tucker announces that the selection of a name has been made within the past few days. More than a hundred names were under consideration.

TODAY'S CLOSING MARKET QUOTATIONS

Full Report 12 Hours Ahead of Any Other North Texas Newspaper

LIVE STOCK MARKET

TODAY'S RECEIPTS

Cattle	487
Hogs	187
Calves	7

RECEIPTS BY RAILROADS

CATTLE
Frisco, 6 cars; Katy, 2; Cotton Belt, 1; Texas and Pacific, 7; Denver, 1.

HOGS
Cotton Belt, 1 car; Texas and Pacific, 2; Santa Fe, 1; Katy, 1.

INDIVIDUAL SHIPMENTS

Individual shipments to the North Fort Worth yards during the past twenty-four hours amount to 312 cattle, 8 calves and 187 hogs, as follows:

CATTLE
Winfield Scott, Dublin, 152 head; M. M. Starnes, Wills Point, 59; J. E. Chilton, Glenn, 16; L. Savage, Stephenville, 29; E. P. Slade, Boyd, 26; J. A. Renshaw, Decatur, 31; W. J. Robbins, Plano, 29; W. T. Nash, Kaufman, 47; D. M. Howard, Mineral Wells, 23; Cisco Oil Meal Company, Cisco, 78; Aubrey, Marveta, 27.

HOGS
W. J. Robbins, Plano, 27 head; W. T. Nash, Kaufman, 5; D. M. Howard, Mineral Wells, 11; M. Allen, Marietta, 99; J. E. Chilton, Glenn, 45.

CALVES
J. E. Chilton, Glenn, 1 head; E. P. Slade, Boyd, 1; W. J. Robbins, Plano, 2; W. T. Nash, Kaufman, 4.

THE MARKETS

NORTH FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 10.—Late unloadings delayed the opening of the cattle market this morning and trading before noon was somewhat scattered. Total receipts were 17 cars, and of these 9 were brought in after 9 o'clock. The bulk of the offerings in the cattle pens was cows and the run was not up to the standard of the past few days, there being more poor stuff. The market was somewhat weaker. Swift has begun heavier buying and this morning took most of the available stuff at prices ranging between \$2.50 and \$3 for good cows. There is a good deal of buying by feeders and butchers, these furnishing the bulk of competition for the packers. California packers are still looking out for heavy stuff.

The hog market was somewhat stronger. The offering was pitifully light, amounting to less than 200 head. Swift bought more heavily than the Packing Company. Tops this morning brought \$6.30, this price being paid, however, for only the best. The owner of medium-sized hogs, of uniformly good quality cannot find a better market than Fort Worth at the present time, the demand being so much greater than the supply that everything offered at 9 o'clock is usually taken before 10.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Following are some of the representative sales at the yards today:

STEERS AND BULLS
A few steers and bulls were offered, though the supply was light. J. A. Renshaw of Decatur had 31 bulls on the market. Some representative sales:
57 bulls averaging 622 at \$2.10.
6 steers averaging 448 at \$2.25.
6 steers averaging 665 at \$2.45.

COWS

Swift is paying good prices for fat cows and heifers. For the past several days few canners have been bought, the poorer stuff on the market being taken up by feeders and speculators. The oil mill feeders are continuing their movement of stock, the Cisco Oil Mill Company having 72 heifers at the yards this morning. Swift took the lot, paying \$2.10 for the best. Some sales:

1 cow weighing 920 pounds at \$3.60.
69 cows averaging 824 pounds at \$2.55.
41 cows averaging 803 pounds at \$2.35.
30 cows averaging 819 pounds at \$2.35.
6 heifers averaging 432 pounds at \$2.50.
33 heifers averaging 613 pounds at \$3.05.
39 heifers averaging 616 pounds at \$3.10.
6 cows and 1 steer averaging 1,014 7 cows averaging 827 at \$2.50.
12 cows averaging 850 at \$2.50.
1 cow weighing 650 at \$2.50.
10 cows averaging 880 at \$2.50.
5 heifers averaging 554 at \$2.50.
pounds at \$3.50.

CALVES

A few calves were sold, some prices paid being:

5 calves averaging 250 pounds at \$2.50.
2 calves averaging 225 pounds at \$2.40.
3 calves averaging 390 pounds at \$2.50.
2 calves averaging 132 pounds at \$3.00.
6 calves averaging 450 pounds at \$2.35.
3 calves averaging 420 at \$2.25.
6 calves averaging 450 at \$2.50.

HOGS

More heavy hogs were offered this morning than have been seen at the yards in some time. Some sales were:

6 hogs averaging 285 pounds at \$6.40.
5 hogs averaging 236 pounds at \$6.45.
11 hogs averaging 293 pounds at \$6.50.
45 hogs averaging 179 pounds at \$6.50.
18 hogs averaging 182 at \$6.35.
117 pigs averaging 102 at \$5.
27 hogs averaging 156 at \$5.
21 hogs averaging 135 at \$6.25.
99 hogs averaging 160 at \$6.35.

STOCK YARD NOTES

Swift killed 141 cattle yesterday, and purchased 233 cattle and one calf.

J. P. Daggett left today for Oklahoma to attend the cattlemen's convention.

W. T. Nash of Kaufman had a carload of cows in this morning, getting \$2.10 for

part of the load and \$2.35 for the remainder.

W. Davey of Denton was at the yards this morning with thirteen head of mixed "drive-ins."

J. E. Childs drove in one cow this morning that weighed 1,260 pounds. She was bought by H. Burns at \$2.50.

J. A. and G. Renshaw, who are extensive cattle buyers at Decatur, had thirty-two head of cows on the market today.

F. J. Hovenkamp of the National Live Stock Commission company has returned from San Antonio, where he has been visiting. Mr. Hovenkamp visited in the country within 100 miles of San Antonio and says the range is excellent and cattle prospects are fine. San Antonio cattlemen look to Fort Worth as the coming market and will have a large number of shipments for here later on.

J. L. Thompson of Kaufman was at the yards this morning with a car of cows, some of which he sold for \$2.30 and the balance for \$2.25.

Seymour News: S. B. Burnett came in Tuesday evening from his home in Fort Worth, and in company with J. W. Arnett left Wednesday morning for his ranch in King county.

O. W. Mathews, secretary of the Fort Worth Stock Yards company, and R. H. McNatt, of the National Live Stock Commission company, have gone to Oklahoma to attend the cattlemen's convention.

G. C. Carle of Kansas City has just completed an immense wash drawing of the Fort Worth stock yards, stock exchange building and packing houses, to be used for making half-tone cuts of the packing house site. The drawing is 5 feet long by 27 inches wide, and required three days' work, though such drawings usually require a week's time. Mr. Carle worked quickly in order to have the drawing finished in time for O. W. Mathews to take it to Oklahoma with him. It will be on exhibition at the cattlemen's convention there and will give the territory cattlemen some idea of the size of the Fort Worth plants.

LATE SALES YESTERDAY

Some of the late sales made yesterday were as follows:

28 steers averaging 969 at \$3.55.
2 cows averaging 1,015 at \$3.15.
10 steers averaging 823 at \$3.
20 steers averaging 1,200 at \$3.40.

MARKETS BY WIRE

The following report of the live stock markets is prepared daily for The Telegram by the Fort Worth office of the Evans-Snyder-Buel Commission company, from special reports received by wire:

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK
CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 40,000 head; steady; beefs, \$3@5.70; cows and heifers, \$1.50@4.20; Texas steers, \$3.50@4.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@4.50.
Hogs—Receipts, 24,000 head; quiet but generally 5 cents higher; light, \$6.25@8.75; mixed, \$5.50@7.10; heavy shipping grades, \$5.50@7; rough, \$6.35@8.50.
Sheep—Receipts, 14,000 head; strong to 10 cents higher; native sheep, \$2@4.40; western sheep, \$3.50@5.30; native lambs, \$4.50@6.50; western lambs, \$4.25@6.40.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 13,000 head, including 1,200 Texas; opening was lower.
Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; steady; light, \$5.50@6.65; mixed, \$4.75@6.25; shipping grades, \$6.70@7.85; rough, \$6.50@8.75.
Sheep—Receipts, 5,000 head; steady.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 10.—Receipts, 6,000 head, including 4,000 Texas; natives steady; Texas slow.
Hogs—Receipts, 2,500 head; steady.
Sheep—Receipts, 2,500 head; firm.

LOCAL MARKETS

These quotations were furnished by the Watkins Hay and Grain Company:
Prairie hay, \$12@14 per ton; Johnson grass, \$13 per ton; bran, \$1.10 per 100 pounds; corn, 60c per bushel, shelled; oats, 50c per bushel, chaff; \$1.15 per 100 pounds; rice bran, \$15 per ton.
These quotations were furnished by Bolter & Redin:
Eggs, case, \$5.50; butter, 15@20c, according to grade; chickens, \$3@3.50 per doz.; geese, \$4.30 per doz.; turkeys, 12c per pound; ducks, \$3.25 per dozen.

COTTON MARKETS

Furnished by special leased wire to The Telegram from F. G. McPeak & Co., Fort Worth, Tex.

LIVERPOOL
LIVERPOOL, Feb. 10.—Spots steady and closed quiet, with moderate business in middling 6d. Receipts, 10,000 bales, 5,000 American.
Futures ranged:

	Open.	Close.
February	4.91-94	4.92
February-March	4.91-94	4.92
March-April	4.91-95	4.93
April-May	4.92-94	4.92-93
May-June	4.94-97	4.94-95
June-July	4.95-97	4.95
July-August	4.94-96	4.94-95
August-September	4.94-96	4.85
September-October	4.59-62	4.59-60
October-November	4.49-50	4.49-50

RECEIPTS

Following were the receipts of cotton today at the leading accumulative centers, compared with last year:

	Today.	Last year.
Galveston	14,099	8,418
New Orleans	14,678	10,169
Mobile	148	30
Savannah	6,587	2,659
Charleston	186	811
Wilmington	178	1,503
Norfolk	1,633	1,633
Baltimore	263	1,000
New York	1,010	1,100
Boston	486	486
Philadelphia	2	150
Various points	5,125	5,125
Total	40,240	32,114
Houston	11,339	11,339

TOMORROW'S ESTIMATES

Tomorrow, 1902, 1901.
New Orleans ..10,000 to 12,000 3,162 5,000

Galveston ..10,000 to 11,000 8,326 7,504
Houston ..7,500 to 8,000 2,676 6,762

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Open High Low Close
February ..9.27 ..9.27 ..9.27-28
March ..9.22 9.36 9.21 9.34
May ..9.27 9.45 9.26 9.42
July ..9.14 9.25 9.13 9.28-24

NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 10.—Spots quiet. Middlings, 9 1/2c. Sales, 4,400 bales. f. o. b. 1,200. Futures closed steady. Range:

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March ..9.13 9.34 9.13 9.30-31
May ..9.23 9.42 9.28 9.38-39
July ..9.39 9.51 9.38 9.48-49

HOUSTON

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GALVESTON

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CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 10.—The grain and provision markets ranged as follows:

Wheat—Open High Low Close
Cash ..75% ..75% ..75% ..75%
July ..79% 79% 78% 79%
May ..74% 75% 74% 74%

Corn—
Cash ..44 ..44 ..44 ..44
July ..45% 46% 45% 45%
May ..43% 43% 43% 43%

Oats—
Cash ..37% 37% 37% 37%
July ..38% 38% 38% 38%

Pork—
July ..16.35 16.35 16.30 16.30
July ..16.95 16.95 16.55 16.90

Lard—
July ..9.27 9.30 9.25 9.25
May ..9.50 9.50 9.45 9.47

Ribs—
Cash ..9.10 9.10 9.05 9.05
May ..9.22 9.22 9.17 9.20

NEW YORK STOCKS

These figures, furnished by George C. Hoffman, represent the opening and closing prices of the stocks named:
Atchafson, 88 1/2; Atchafson, preferred, 101 1/2; Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 69 1/2; Colorado Fuel and Iron, 75 1/2; Chicago and Great Western, 28 1/2; Illinois Central, 147 1/2; Louisville and Nashville, 127 1/2; Manhattan, 145 1/2; 144 1/2; Missouri Pacific, 114 1/2; 114 1/2; Metropolitan, 137 1/2; Frisco, 81 1/2; 81 1/2; People's Gas, 107 1/2; 107 1/2; Rock Islands, 50 1/2; Southern Pacific, 66 1/2; 66 1/2; St. Paul, 180 1/2; 179 1/2; Sugar, 131 1/2; 130 1/2; Tennessee Coal and Iron, 65 1/2; 64 1/2; Union Pacific, 103 1/2; 103 1/2; United States Steel, 39 1/2; 39 1/2; United States Steel, preferred, 89 1/2; 89 1/2; Western Union, 90 1/2; call money in New York, 3 1/2; stock sales to noon, 453,000.

LOUIS SHAPIRA FILES AN ASSIGNMENT

Proprietor of Clothing and Furnishing Store on Main Street Goes Out of Business—Large Liabilities

Louis Shapira, the proprietor of a clothing and furnishing store at 1503 Main street, has filed an assignment for the benefit of his creditors in the county clerk's office, designating Theodore O. Vogel as trustee. His liabilities are placed at \$4,992.10 and the only assets are the stock, which will probably be sold out at auction.

NORTHWESTERN ROAD WILL INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 10.—In accordance with the plan approved recently by the directors of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, the stockholders of the company met in special session today to vote on the proposition to increase the capital stock of the company to \$100,000,000. As the total preferred and common stock of the Chicago and Northwestern amounts to \$11,500,000, the amount of the proposed increase is \$88,500,000. No official announcement has been made of the purpose of the increase, but it is understood the proceeds will be used to reimburse the treasury for various expenditures made during the last few years for extraordinary improvements and betterments and which were met out of the current earnings. It is understood that the stock authorized and not issued will remain in the company's treasury to provide for future contingencies.

RATES WILL BE GIVEN TO CONFEDERATE REUNION

(Special to The Telegram.)
DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 10.—The passenger agent of Texas lines, at a meeting here, agreed to give rates to the Confederate reunion to be held at New Orleans in May.

ASK FOR SOUTHERN MAN ON PRESIDENTIAL TICKET

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 10.—The senate adopted a resolution instructing the Tennessee delegation to the next democratic national convention to urge the nomination of a southern man on the presidential ticket.

AGED MAN SHOT AND MORTALLY WOUNDED

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 10.—Davis Plunk, aged 70 years, was shot twice and mortally wounded today by Daniel Skinner at Hutchison station. It is reported that the shooting was without cause.

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CITY PROPERTY IS A POPULAR PURCHASE

City residence property is a popular investment, judging from the number of deeds representing that class of real estate filed for record at the county clerk's office. The deeds recorded today are not particularly large, the most important being for a residence in Chambers' addition, which sold for \$3,000. The list is as follows:

John W. Wray and Lottie J. Wray to John P. Scott, 50x32 feet out of block 15, Jennings' west addition, Texas street and Royal avenue, \$500.

Barney Cornelious to J. L. Bershong, south one-half of lot 11, block 91, city, 50x100 feet, at northeast corner Sixth and Pecan streets, \$1,950.

J. McMorris and wife to W. L. Graves, 75x100 feet out of block 4, Chambers' addition, with improvements, \$3,000.

W. M. and M. R. Whitson to Allen C. Thomas, lot 3, block 3, J. C. Terrell's addition, with improvements, \$2,000.

James D. Farmer and M. F. Farmer to R. B. Grammer, lots 5 and 6, block 6, M. G. Ellis' addition to North Fort Worth, \$500.

B. Yekery to R. B. Grammer, lots 15 and 16, Glenwood addition, 135x120 feet, fronting on Exeter street, \$360.

Mrs. Katie B. Patterson to W. A. Darter, part of block 26, Jennings west addition, Jackson and Hackberry street, \$2,700.

C. G. Kidder to George K. Hoffmeister, north one-half of lot 6, block 58, North Fort Worth, \$750.

J. W. Tucker to Joe Kramer, lot 539, block 21, Hyde Park addition, \$650.

H. B. Herd to J. Montgomery Brown, lots 5 and 6, block D, J. W. Wray's subdivision of block 18, Field-Welch addition, \$1,680.

L. A. Hoffman to J. M. Blessing, 40 acres out of J. P. Halford 640-acre survey, \$631.

J. L. Morris to S. E. Kay, 20 acres out of David Strickland survey, \$575.

Thomas Spruance to W. J. Robertson, 100 acres seventeen miles northeast of Fort Worth, \$200.

Joseph Mayer to Delphia A. Davidson, 34x100 feet on South Main street near Magnolia, \$300.

North Fort Worth Townsite company to C. G. Clark, lot 13, block 48, North Fort Worth, \$250.

J. T. Patty to William A. Henry, one-half acre out of the S. G. Jennings survey, adjoining Handley, \$100.

KILCORE TRIAL GOES SLOWLY

EXAMINATION OF WITNESSES FOR THE STATE NOW IN PROGRESS

Action Taken in a Number of Cases on the Non-Jury Docket by Judge Dunklin — James Barry Held to the Grand Jury on Charge of Theft—Other Court News

Most of the legal business at the court house today was transacted in the district courts. Before Judge Smith the case of Tom Kilgore for the murder of Joe Oldfield at Arlington in May, 1901, is still on trial. The examination of witnesses for the state has been in progress most of the day and to all appearances the trial will not be concluded for several days.

Judge Dunklin took action in a number of cases in his non-jury appearance docket. M. D. Priest was appointed attorney to represent the defendant in the case of J. A. Hovenkamp vs. Lon Oliphant and the trial was proceeded with, the result being that judgment was entered for the plaintiff for the property described in the petition.

The case of J. G. Calhoun vs. N. L. Calhoun, for divorce, was dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

M. D. Priest was appointed to represent the defendant, cited by publication, in the case of J. E. Murray vs. Sue Ella Tooley.

The suit of George Halley et al vs. W. M. Stinnett, for damages was dismissed by the plaintiffs at their costs, and similar action was taken in the suit of A. E. Rattigan vs. A. L. Coppage for debt and foreclosure.

AFTER OFFICIALS WHO EMPLOY RELATIVES

RESOLUTION AT AUSTIN IS AIMED AGAINST NEPOTISM — BOLL WEEVIL REWARD

(Special to The Telegram.)
AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 10.—A resolution against nepotism was introduced in the house this morning by Representatives Napier, Clavin and Trice, calling on every head of a department here at the capital and of all state institutions in general to submit to the house under oath a list of employes, and asking them to state if any of them are in any way related to the person in charge. The resolution went over until tomorrow for action.

The bill awarding a \$50,000 prize for the best remedy for ridding Texas of the boll weevil was considered and amended so as to make the appropriation \$100,000. It was set aside by special order for the cattle quarantine bill, which precipitated a lively discussion, which is on at fever heat at the noon hour.

The senate accepted an invitation to go to Galveston on the 20th instant. It passed the road law for Henderson county.

Petitions were received from the Daughters of the Confederacy asking the state for aid for the construction of a Confederate monument.

At noon the senate is considering the proposition of the house to send a committee to visit the San Jacinto battlefield in view of securing state aid in making it a public park. The proposition was rejected by the senate last week and the present effort is to reconsider the action of last week.

ADDITIONAL CITY BRIEFS

The ladies of the Peach Street Methodist church will give a valentine reception Thursday night in the parsonage adjoining the church on Peach street. Refreshments will be served. The public is invited.

The Fort Worth Gentlemen's Driving club will meet tonight in the office of Fire Chief Maddox. Important business will come up for consideration. The club now has about 160 members.

The regular monthly smoker of the Board of Trade will be held in the rooms tonight. All citizens of Fort Worth are invited to attend. The evening will be devoted to informal discussion of the needs of the city.

Mansfield Ardis and Miss Stella Ratican were married Sunday at Oak Cliff. The groom is a conductor on the Interurban line, while the bride has been employed at Stripling's dry goods store. Mr. and Mrs. Ardis will reside at Rusk and Third streets.

Dean Low of Topeka, Kan., son of General Attorney M. A. Low of the Rock Island, is in Fort Worth today. He arrived this morning from Oklahoma.

Commercial Agent Noble of the Houston and Texas Central was in Dallas yesterday.

W. D. Davis of Alford, Wise county, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Dodge last evening on a charge of illicit retail liquor dealing. He waived examination and was remanded to jail in \$500 bonds, but subsequently released on bail.

Rev. Dr. Griffin, the rapid-firing evangelist, will conclude his series of meetings in Fort Worth Thursday night at Mount Pisgah church. He will hold three jubilee meetings tonight, tomorrow and Thursday nights. "I shall tell 'em about all they want these three nights," said Dr. Griffin. He has received a call to go to Orange, Texas, and may decide to go there.

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CLAY SPEAKS OF INJUSTICE TO CITIZENS

GEORGIA SENATOR ON THE SUBJECT OF COURT MARTIAL OF SOLDIERS

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, Feb. 10.—In the senate Monday Mr. Carmack spoke on the Rawlins resolution calling on the secretary of war for certain court-martials. He charged that murders in the Philippines by soldiers had become so common that they would bear investigation, and that their answer was entirely satisfactory to "our noble, generous and humane secretary of war."

He also criticized the president for "never having heard of the Captain Brownell case, after having announced his intention of probing crimes in the Philippines."

Mr. Keam spoke on the statehood bill for a short time, when he yielded to various senators who indulged in debate over the question of the influence of the Mormon church on politics.

Mr. Elkins also spoke at length in defense of the claims of New Mexico to statehood. He read the Republican and Democratic platform; praised the Democrats for trying to keep their pledges, while the Republicans, he said, had not been able to keep faith nor discharge their obligations with respect to statehood.

Mr. Elkins declared that the national conventions interpret the wishes of political parties and not those of individuals. The thirty-three Democrats and seventeen or eighteen Republicans, he said, favored the omnibus bill, while thirty-eight Republicans opposed it, and he wanted to show that the minority was obstructing the passage of the bill.

Mr. Clay of Georgia likewise declared an injustice was being done the people of Arizona and New Mexico on account of the statements made regarding their Mormon population. At the present time he said there were about 1300 Mormons in New Mexico, and 6500 in Arizona, while, according to the census of 1890, Idaho had 14,972 and Utah 118,201. He believed it was wrong to charge the people of New Mexico with being repudiators, polygamists and ignorant. If given the opportunity, he said, they would present the identical constitution prepared by them in 1889, declaring against bigamy and polygamy.

The conference report on the act fixing the salaries of certain judges of the United States courts, which was presented by Senator Hoar, was agreed on.

District of Columbia Bills.
Washington, Feb. 10.—The house spent practically the entire day Monday upon two District of Columbia bills, one to authorize the government to advance \$6,000,000 to the District and the other to conference report on the union station bill. The former was defeated and the latter sent back to conference after a motion to recede from the amendment to the house to cut down the appropriation for the Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio railroads from \$1,500,000 to \$1,000,000 had been voted down.

Cured Consumption.
Mrs. E. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months; the doctors stated he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and it cured him. That was six years ago, and since then we always kept a bottle in the house. We can not do without it. For coughs and colds, it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottle at H. T. Pangburn & Co's.

He Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.
"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not words to express my confidence in this remedy.—Mrs. J. A. Moore, North Star, Mich. For sale by N. E. Grammer, Drug-gist."

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One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the microbe which tickles the mucous membrane, causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of Coughs, Colds and Croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good alike for young and old.

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\$7.55 to Austin and return, account biennial meeting State Senate Order of Praetorians. Tickets on sale February 16, final limit for return February 20.

\$10.00 to Weimar and return, account Annual Reunion Tom Green's brigade. Tickets on sale February 20 and 21, final limit for return February 24.

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COUNTESS OF MINTO

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—This is the Countess of Minto, wife of the governor general of Canada, who is now the guest of the president, and who has been the recipient of many social attentions at the hands of the official and society people of the national capital.

REPORTS A SUBSTITUTE FOR BALLOT MEASURE

It Follows the Main Provisions, However, of Judge Terrell's Bill — A Ticket for Each Party
Austin, Feb. 10.—The house committee on privileges, suffrage and elections voted to report a substitute for the election bills offered by Messrs. Terrell of Travis and Onion of Bexar. The substitute in the main follows the provisions of Judge Terrell's bill. Instead of a blanket ballot there will be one for each party, and at expense of each party.

Primary election expenses are to be borne by each party holding them. One provision requires votes to participate in primaries at the party with which they declare they affiliate when paying their poll tax.

No voting precinct shall contain more than 250 voters, according to the last vote for governor, except in cities, where it shall be according to the vote in the last city election. The tax collector shall have a poll tax receipt book for each precinct.

To conform to the recent opinion of the attorney general, persons offering to pay county and state poll tax must first produce receipts showing that they have paid town or city poll tax, where subject to such poll tax.

The provision relating to the procuring of certificates of exemption from payment of poll tax is limited to cities of more than 10,000 inhabitants.

Voters may require the particular ballot they desire, otherwise they will receive one copy of each ballot, select and prepare the ballot they desire to vote in a booth and the ballot so selected will be deposited in the counting box and the others in a blank box. Provisions are made for guarding the secrecy of all these ballots. It is provided that there may be primaries for special election as well as for general elections. It is provided that in districts the blanket system shall prevail where primaries are held, but there may be conventions upon the call of the district executive committees of the respective parties.

In the house consideration of the bill providing for a department of agriculture as an independent institution was deferred until the 17th.

Mr. O'Quinn secured consent to take up bill relating to selling liquor to habitual drunkards and the bill was placed on its second reading.

Mr. Sanford offered an amendment providing that the offense shall consist in selling liquor knowingly to an habitual drunkard. Adopted.

Mr. Mays offered an amendment making it an offense for a habitual drunkard to buy liquor and providing that the bondsmen on the liquor dealers' bonds should not be made liable for violations of the provisions of the act. Adopted.

Bill went to third reading.

PROVISIONS OF PROTOCOLS ARE CLOSELY GUARDED

It Is Thought, However, That Increased Demands Will Be Made on Venezuela
(By Associated Press.)
Washington, Feb. 10.—Although Mr. Bowen and the other negotiators are closely guarding the provisions of the several protocols it is understood that their demands which are known to exist in the German and Italian agreements are at present drafted to which Mr. Bowen can not agree, concern an increased payment by Venezuela prior to the handing down of The Hague's decision regarding the allies contention for preferential consideration in the settlement of their claims. It is reported that Germany asks that she receive, in addition to the \$27,500 cash that Mr. Bowen has agreed to pay, a certain per centage of the customs receipts until the remainder of the \$740,000 demanded in the original ultimatum addressed by Germany to President Castro last autumn is paid.

Italy, it is believed is insisting on a similar demand, though the amount asked for in her ultimatum was over \$600,000. Both Germany and Italy suggest that this money be paid in monthly installments out of the customs duties, but even under this arrangement it would require eight months for the payment of the entire sum.

It is the principle, however, to which Mr. Bowen so strenuously objects and to which he has informed the German and Italian envoys he can not subscribe. Until their protocols are received these objectionable demands Mr. Bowen says that they must remain unsigned. He contends that Germany and Italy are insisting on preferential treatment, a question which they agree in their protocols shall go to The Hague.

VOLUMINOUS PROTESTS AGAINST APOSTLE SMOOT

Washington, Feb. 10.—Senator Burrows, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections has received a protest against the seating of Reed Smoot as a senator from Utah on the ground he is an apostle of the Mormon church and that as such he should not represent the people of Utah in the senate. The document is voluminous and quotes liberally from sermons.

Signed by the President.
Washington, Feb. 10.—What is known as the Philippines extradition bill was signed by the president and is now a law.

Louisiana Postmaster.
Washington, Feb. 10.—Amy C. Reilly has been appointed postmaster at Clinton, La.

WEAK AND LOW-SPIRITED

A Correspondent Thus Describes His Experience
"I can strongly recommend Herbine as a medicine of remarkable efficacy for indigestion, loss of appetite, sour taste in the mouth, palpitation, headache, drowsiness after meals with distressing mental depression and low spirits. Herbine must be a unique preparation for cases such as mine, for a few doses entirely removed my complaint. I wonder at people going on suffering or spending their money on worthless things, when Herbine is procurable, and so cheap." 50c a bottle at H. T. Pangburn & Co's.

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ANTI-TRUST BILL MINUS TEETH

The anti-trust bill passed by the house Saturday will have about the same effect on the evil it is aimed against...

THE LEGISLATIVE CRITICS

Senator Stafford's bill to accomplish the enforcement of the liquor laws is a drastic one, and yet of the kind which most probably may be made successful.

FOR IMPATIENT BOOMERS

Some people who in their infancy read the nursery tale of "Jack and the Bean Stalk" are not satisfied unless they can see this marvelous growth reproduced in business affairs.

AMUSEMENTS

Jefferson De Angellis appeared last night in an alleged comic opera bearing the name of "The Emerald Isle."

HUNTING FOR HAWKINS

The comedy gem of two seasons will again be seen at Greenwall's opera-house Thursday night, Feb. 12.

THE ELEVENTH HOUR

Lincoln J. Carter's successful comedy drama, "The Eleventh Hour," will be the attraction at Greenwall's opera-house Friday matinee and night, Feb. 13.

RICHARD CARVEL

"Richard Carvel" has achieved a degree of success as high as that accorded to any other literary dramatic composition of our time.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN

The specialties in "Happy Hooligan," which comes to Greenwall's opera-house Monday night, Feb. 16, said the Pittsburgh Post...

REMARKS BY SENATOR QUAY

Senator Quay has introduced a bill providing that a seat in a Pullman car shall not cost to exceed 10 cents per hour.

no call on the people for financial assistance, and several mercantile concerns brought hither by its advertising and correspondence.

The latest acquisition is the Boehme Coffee Roasting and Spice Mills, which it secured at a total cost of \$1.14 in telegrams and postage, and some labor, not estimated.

This concern has rented and is having remodeled a fifty by one hundred two-story brick building on Houston street.

The board cannot hunt with a brass band, as that would attract attention and opposition from rival cities.

It is now at work on an enterprise which is much needed and which will startle the natives. It will give employment to forty or fifty people.

The Trinity river snag boat fished three old stumps out of the river yesterday and 27 buckets of mud.

If Attorney General Knox had been in earnest in safe-guarding the people against unscrupulous capitalists and promoters, he would have had inserted in the anti-trust bill passed by the House Saturday a provision against creating or selling "watered" stock in any corporation.

The suspicion grows that Addicks turned off the gas in Delaware only because he is going to put in electric lights. The assumption that he is going to remain in political darkness is opposed to every act of his life so far.

Make Fort Worth a live stock market for the world and a home market for everything produced within its limits.

Rebate by carriers is made punishable by a fine, as indeed, are the other infractions of the law.

Hon. Chris Callan would greatly oblige a great majority of his constituents if he would conceal the identity of his district when advocating such political topics as the "Hogg amendments."

There is one thing the Star would like to see—that is a joint resolution amending the constitution extending the term of all state and county officials to four years.

The legislature is said to be jealously guarding the state's interests against laws that would have a tendency to scare away investors.

To the resolution providing for a convention to frame a new constitution, offered by Mr. Browne of Karnes and others in the house of representatives, and by Mr. Davidson of De Witt, it coupled a form of oath to be taken by delegates to the proposed convention.

The Board of Trade is not the happy possessor of Aladdin's lamp or a magical ring, but it has on hand an abundant supply of persistent energy and a few postage stamps, and is using both to advantage.

The preceding administrations of this organization secured in one year the Texas Anchor Fence Company and the packing houses, both of which are daily advertising the city, and adding to its business.

This year is only 40 days old, and the board has to its credit two small factories secured by its efforts, with

providing that a seat in a Pullman car shall not cost to exceed 10 cents per hour. This would be rather expensive on the traveler with so many delayed trains.

Mr. Orton of San Antonio will introduce a bill in the legislature to protect feeder deer. This looks to us like "class legislation," and class legislation is undemocratic.

The legislature should not forget that there are many schemes calling for the people's money that have no merit in them and appropriations should be confined to such things as are absolutely necessary or are sure to promote the rapid development of the state.

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THE OPPOSITION TO SENATOR QUAY

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ALLEGED HUMOR His Wife's Bread

"Will your employer be in after dinner?" inquired the visitor of the office boy.

"Nope," was the laconic reply. "What makes you think so?" was the next query.

"Cox," replied the boy, as he prepared to dodge "that" what he went out after.

"That man you had doing some carpenter work is a fraud."

"How do you know? He did good work."

"That may be; but he's no carpenter. He cleared up the mess he made."

"Her Success Maude—So she married and did well? Annie—Yes. She gets twenty-five dollars a week now."

"Gumms—What is that old saying about a fool and his money? Gobang—P forget the words, but it means that they are soon married."

WITH THE PARAGRAPHERS

Chicago News: All the world's a fruit basket, and the big fruit is always on top.

New York World: The best thing about our 11,000,000 fighting men is their practically unanimous desire to make fighting the very last resort.

Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph: As we understand the position of the weather bureau, it places no credence whatever in the ground-hog's forecasting ability.

Somerville Journal: A man in Somerville is planning to go to Europe next summer with the money that he has saved this winter by not being able to buy coal.

A DAILY NUISANCE

In its earlier stages catarrh is general of a nuisance than a menace to the general health, but sooner or later the disease extends to the throat, bronchial tubes and even to the stomach and intestines.

Catarrh is essentially a disease of the mucous membrane, the local symptoms being a profuse discharge of mucus, stoppage of the nostrils, irritation in throat, causing coughing, sneezing, gagging and frequent clearings of the throat and head.

The usual treatment by local douches, snuffs, salves, etc., often gives temporary relief, but anything like a cure can only be obtained by a treatment which removes the catarrhal taint from the blood and the disappearance of the inflammation from the mucous surfaces.

A new remedy which meets these requirements and which so far has been remarkably successful in curing catarrh is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

These tablets act upon the blood and mucous membranes only. They can hardly be called a secret patent medicine, as they are composed of such valuable remedies as Blood Root, Hydrastin, Red Gum and similar cleansing antiseptics, which cure by eliminating from the blood and mucous surfaces the catarrhal poison.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are large, pleasant-tasting lozenges taken internally, allowing them to dissolve slowly in the mouth, in this way they reach the throat, fauces and the entire alimentary canal.

If desired, they may also be dissolved in water and used as a douche, in addition to the internal use, but it is not at all necessary to use a douche; a few of them dissolved in the mouth daily will be sufficient. However, when there is much stoppage of the nose, a douche made from these tablets will give immediate relief, but the regular daily use internally of these tablets will cure the whole catarrhal trouble without resorting to the inconvenience of a douche.

Dr. Bement states "that the internal treatment for catarrh is rapidly taking the place of the old plan of douching and local applications," and further says that probably the best and certainly the safest remedy at present on the market is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, as no secret is made of their composition and all the really efficient remedies for catarrh are contained in this tablet.

Druggists sell Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at fifty cents for full-sized packages. Ask your druggist, and if he is honest he will tell you there is no safer, more palatable, more efficient and convenient remedy on the market.

SHORT STORY FOR THE EVENING LIGHT

A FIRST IMPRESSION BY ANCELA WAREAL

"Let me help you, Miss Chickering!" Delight, peering beyond him into the shadows, perceived the individual whom he had indicated.

"If the room is not quite ready," began the new arrival, in a deep, muffled voice, "I will not disturb you."

"Thank you so much, Miss 'Delight'!" came the panting response. "The girl fell to with all the vigor of youthful muscles and buoyant good will as well as turn the mattress. She observed with some amusement the old-maidish precision with which the fussy little body smoothed and patted the spreads and shook the pillows into shape."

It was not the first time that Delight had been seized with the same impulse. As a boarder who spent much time in the house, she had opportunity to observe the struggles and hardships of this family. It was rather a numerous family of sisters, cousins and aunts, all of whom were more or less dependent upon the one source of revenue.

"The room must be ready by five," said Miss Chickering, jerkily and with difficulty. She held a pillow between her teeth, striving to insert it in a fresh white case.

"Expecting a new boarder?" ventured Delight. "Not a boarder—an old friend coming to stay a week. He'll have heard me mention the Hollingsworths, have you? A very fine old family."

"Oh, yes," assented Delight, trying to be interested. If they were friends of Miss Chickering's she had no doubt of their ancient lineage. Every one and everything connected with the Chickering family was old. The very atmosphere of the house breathed antiquity.

"So, you see," went on the prim little head of the establishment, as she removed a flimsy cover from the old-fashioned bureau and substituted a dainty one of embroidered linen, "we are trying to put the best foot forward in entertaining our guest."

"Certainly, I see. So you expect her at 5?" "Him," corrected Miss Chickering. "It's Mr. Hollingsworth, the son."

"Oh?" commented Delight. But she felt no quickening interest. The very fact of his being fated to cross the threshold of this house stamped him in her mind already as impossible. Only that sort ever gravitated to the Chickering abode.

"He's on his way to Europe," continued Miss Chickering. "He crosses nearly every year and always remains in New York a week or so. Although he has many friends here he condescends to make our home his stopping place for the time. It's the idea of old times with him rather than the foolish notion of style."

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The various bachelor maids looked on with growing comprehension from day to day. The fact that Hollingsworth was prolonging his stay interminably could not but cause comment.

Delight entered into the work with the zeal of one who, unaccustomed to household duties, seeks diversion in a new form of experience. But she lacked dispatch. A full half hour went by and she was still putting about the room, dusting this and rearranging that.

A knock on the door startled her from her absorption. Before she could answer the door was pushed open from without. There stood Christopher, the Armenian, who did chores and waited on table.

The sight of Miss Warren rather disconcerted him. He was not familiar yet with the English language, and his vocabulary possessed few verbs. "Gentleman!" he exclaimed, with a backward gesture into the hall. Then,

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Fryers and Hens, each....	40c	New York Full Cream	
Ducks, each.....	50c	Cheese, per pound.....	20c
Quail, each.....	20c	5 lbs. Black Eye Peas.....	25c
Country Eggs, dozen.....	20c	3 pound Cans Tomatoes... 10c	
Fresh Country Butter, lb....	25c	Plymouth Rock Corn, can, 10c	
Yellow Butterine, lb.....	20c	Imported Swiss Cheese, lb. 40c	
Creamery Butter, lb.....	30c	Pillsbury's 4X Flour, 75c and \$1.	
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THE CITY IN BRIEF

THE WEATHER
 Forecast for Fort Worth and vicinity until 8 p. m. Wednesday:
 Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; somewhat colder.

Nash Hardware Co.
 Max K. Mayer is in Corsicana on legal business.

Blessing's Studio, Sixth and Houston.
 Workmen are busy today putting a new floor in the corridors in the basement of the city hall.

Dr. Abdill, dentist, Columbia building.
 The men who robbed the postoffice at Gordon, Texas, a few nights ago have not been located, though Inspector Rolfe is working on the case and has a good description of the suspects.

W. S. Matney, the tailor, Metropolitan block.
 George B. Loving, who has been very ill with throat and lung trouble at St. Joseph's infirmary since last Tuesday, is now steadily improving and expects to be at his office again in a few days.

J. W. Adams & Co., Feed, Fuel and Produce, 400 W. Weatherford, Phone 530.
 The St. Cecilia Singing Society will meet at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night in the Spiritualist Temple, on Taylor street.

Roy & Leffler, practical jewelers, 602 Main street. Work called for and delivered. Phone 1538.

The Arion Club, at its meeting last night, accepted the invitation of the Amphion Club of Dallas to spend an evening soon in the Amphion club rooms. The date for the joint meeting has not yet been decided on.

Fort Worth ruling, No. 349, of the Fraternal Mystic Shrine, will meet in its hall at Fourth and Main streets at 7:30 tonight. Several candidates for degree work will be present. Special Supreme Deputy Chase will assist in the meeting.

Mrs. E. M. Whittemore of the Door of Hope mission in New York city lectured on "Rescue Work" this afternoon at the Fourth Street M. E. church and will speak on the same subject there again this evening at 7:30. All interested are invited to attend.

William Carter, live stock agent of the Rock Island; J. I. Conway, live stock agent of the Santa Fe; N. M. Kirkpatrick, agent of the Kansas City stock yards; San Hunt, agent of the St. Louis stock yards; Colonel James A. Wilson, live stock agent of the Chicago and Alton, and O. W. Mathews, secretary of the Fort Worth stock yards, left last night for Oklahoma City, to attend the annual convention of the Oklahoma Live Stock Association.

The stereopticon lecture and entertainment which was to have been given by the pastor of the Christian Tabernacle last night, on "Tissot's Life of Christ in Art," has been postponed until Friday night at 8 o'clock. The rain and mud made it impossible for the members and friends of the Tabernacle Sunday school, for whose benefit it was to be given, to reach the church. On Friday evening the lecture will be illustrated with a powerful electrical stereopticon. The tickets that were out for last night will be good Friday night.

The members of Robert E. Lee camp, U. S. C. V., have gone to work in earnest for their fellow member, N. R. Tisdal, who at present holds the position of inspector general on the staff of the com-

GREENWALL'S OPERA HOUSE

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 Gray and Heckert's Comedians in "HUNTING FOR HAWKINS"
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 The Stupendous Scenic Melodrama, Lincoln J. Carter's
 "THE ELEVENTH HOUR"
 Matinee prices—Adults 50c; children 25c. Night prices—25c, 35c, 50c.

Saturday, Feb. 14, matinee and night,
 ANDREW ROBSON
 and his company in a complete scenic production of
 "RICHARD CARVEL"
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SERVANT PROBLEM CONFRONTS CITY

SCARCITY OF DOMESTIC HELP FELT IN FORT WORTH

Girls Who Are Self-Supporting Prefer to Work in Laundries or Factories, Where Better Wages Are Paid and Fewer Restrictions Imposed—Several Classes of Labor Are in Demand

Like all large and growing towns, Fort Worth has its problems. One of the best evidences that it is already assuming metropolitan proportions is the fact that the servant girl question is forcing itself to the front. Where are there enough house servants to be had to supply the large and growing demand? This is the question which employers of labor are asking themselves, and the answer is not easily found.

DOMESTIC SERVICE UNPOPULAR
 It has become apparent of late that domestic service is getting to be unpopular. Even with the washing out, such positions are not regarded as attractive any longer. The girls prefer to work in stores, laundries or factories, where no such restrictions are placed around them as the rules of conduct usually laid down by "the missus," and where uniformly better wages are paid. In other lines of industry, too, there is a scarcity of helpers. It is apparently hard to get anyone to work with their hands at common, ordinary drudgery when any other kind of employment can be found.

"A very queer situation of affairs prevails here," said R. M. Owens of the Fort Worth employment bureau today. "There is a great demand for female help in the homes of the city, but in spite of this fact we cannot supply the demand, as the wages offered are not a sufficient inducement to attract competent servants. It is almost impossible to get a white girl to work in a family here. In most large cities about \$3.50 per week is paid when washing is not included. Here many prospective employers will not pay more than \$2 to \$2.50 per week. Some colored girls are willing to work at this price, but white girls uniformly demand more, and I believe that their demands are just. The result is that the best class of help goes to the laundries and factories. The former pay from \$1 per day to \$10 per week, some few in responsible positions getting as high as \$12. Most of those employed in stores get from \$5 to \$8 per week, while those employed in factories receive from \$5 to \$8.

LABOR IN DEMAND
 "There is a great demand here for all classes of labor at average wages. About the lowest wages paid is \$1.50 per day. Teamsters and street laborers receive this amount, and some of the latter get as high as \$2.50. Section hands on the railroads are paid \$1.25 to \$1.40 and railroad trackmen get as high as \$1.75. There is a large demand for carpenters and mechanics at from \$2.50 to \$3 per day. Farm laborers are not being sought very much as yet, but the demand will be large inside of the next few weeks. There is no need of anyone able and willing to work to go hungry in Texas nowadays."

GOOD GIRLS SCARCE
 At the city employment office it was also reported that good girls who would "work out" could not often be found. Mrs. N. W. Mooney, one of the proprietors, said: "There is a demand for all classes of skilled help, but notably for domestics for work in private families. It is also hard to fill the calls for reliable employes on ranches."

"Perhaps the greatest demand of all is for girls to do housework, German preferred. For these positions \$12 to \$20 per month will be paid, with board besides. There is a lively demand for laborers at \$1.50 to \$1.75 per day. Bridge carpenters, working for the railroads can command anywhere from \$3 to \$5 per day. In some other directions equal inducements are offered."

Zach Schropp, a railroad labor agent, said the demand for good hands to work on the new extensions being laid throughout the northwest was greater than ever before, while inducements in the way of pay were such that no man out of work and in search of honest employment need suffer for the necessities of life.

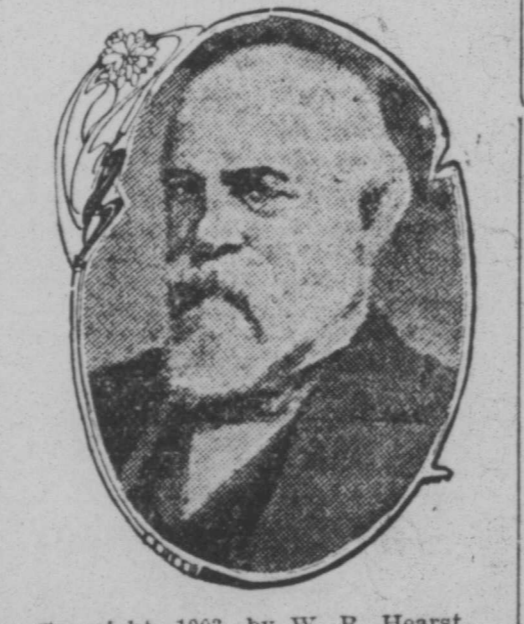
EXAMINATIONS FOR NAVAL APPOINTMENT

An examination for applicants for appointment to the Annapolis naval academy will be held in Fort Worth Feb. 23 by Professor J. M. Carlisle of Arlington, Professor Branlette of Stephenville and Professor Frost of Fort Worth. Young men residing in this congressional district between the ages of 15 and 21 are eligible for appointment. Congressman-elect O. W. Gillespie announced the date of the examination yesterday. He will make the appointment.

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PROFESSOR W. TURNER

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HOUSTON STREET A LAKE OF MUD AND WATER

Houston street was in the spattering business this morning. If you found a man on it unbespattered to the knees, and usually to the edge of the hair, he hadn't been there long.

A downpour of rain lasting all night had covered this leading thoroughfare of Fort Worth with a slippery, flimsy substance which might have been called either water or mud. It was sort of 'alf and 'alf.

It spread out over everything and the more you walked on it the more it spread. It climbed onto the sidewalks and buried the street car tracks. Where it found a high place it mounted upward until the water 'alf of it ran out and left a soft mound of mud that simply slipped slowly away when your foot struck it.

The watery 'alf which ran away formed lakes and pools in the low places, these being the real centers of the spattering business.

In the gutters, too, flowed sluggish rivers as big as old Trinity in the dry season, and at every crossing at least four tributaries emptied into them.

BLOCK BY BLOCK
 They could have started at Ninth street and gone north learning something at every step. They would have had to ford a stream in the very start, for the biggest tributary Houston street had flowed from the west through Ninth street. It gurgled over the cobblestone crossing three inches deep, carrying mud and slime with it that kept one man busy all the morning with a hoe.

And here, too, was an extra ingredient added in the form of oil that would have made a Beaumont enthusiast think he had struck it rich.

The oil was spilled on the crossing yesterday evening, apparently several gallons of it, and the rain had washed it into the pools and lakes, which were covered with it, sending out an odor discernible for half a block.

There was only one way to cross the Ninth street river, and that was on the cobblestones. If you could hit them with your foot you were safe, provided your foot didn't slip, which it generally did, for the stones were slippery. And then you landed in a pool of muddy water, which splashed up on you in a shower.

JUMP OR WADE
 At Eighth street the Austin gentlemen would have had two alternatives—jump or wade. A pool was where the crossing ought to be and there was no getting round it without going into the mud to the shoe top.

At Seventh street the crossings dwindled much for narrow isthmuses from either shore of which fishing ought to have been good, for the water was deep and darkling.

The isthmuses themselves were uneven and slippery, and the men from Austin would have been safer with spiked shoes to make them footsure.

LAKES AT SIXTH STREET
 At Sixth street more lakes waited for somebody to spatter their muddy contents and the only way to get across was to wade, jump or go around in the mud.

So much for the crossings. The center of the street was a succession of pools and between the car tracks was a long stretch of water which reminded one of the trenches between the rails of eastern roads from which engines take water while running.

The tracks themselves were buried. If the motorman had had to depend on seeing them to keep his car straight the car would have been crooked. They were invisible.

"The succession of pools furnished good landing places for a horse's hoofs, and if you didn't run from every 'splash, splash' you heard you were sure of a shower bath of mud and water.

"And all we need is a pavement," remarked a wader. "It's either that or a rubber suit."

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handful of money was at once, without counting, placed in a bag. Mr. Andrews also took from the heap a handful of the coins. This sum, unknown to either of the three parties, was likewise placed in the bag into which the first sum had been placed. Immediately after this Mr. Martin drew the strings of the bag and thereupon sealed the bag with the bank's seal. This bag of money, the contents entirely unknown to any of the participants of the money jar filling, was then put away into the Farmers and Mechanics bank, where it will remain, uncounted, until after the contest is over.

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 It's all a matter of computation. Can you figure it out? It may make you a nice, handsome purse full of money to pay the rent with, to buy the children some new clothes, get up a fine, good old Sunday dinner and still have a goodly sum to deposit in the savings bank for a rainy day.

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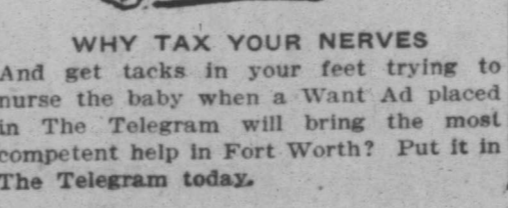
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 One year's subscription, \$6, delivered by carrier.

HOW JAR WAS FILLED
 This jar of money was filled with Telegram money by Mr. Martin of the Farmers and Mechanics bank and Mr. Andrews of the First National bank. The publisher of The Telegram took to the bank two good sized coin bags of small silver and coppers. On accounts in each of the Farmers and Mechanics and First National banks The Telegram company drew a check. These checks were cashed and the money from each bank put in a bag. At the Farmers and Mechanics bank the contents of the four bags were poured into a heap. Up to this time only The Telegram publisher knew how much money was in the pile. When the money was all heaped The Telegram publisher took from the pile a handful of coins. He had no idea how much he had taken. This

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RECEPTION HELD IN GUEST'S HONOR

EAGLES ENTERTAIN FOR THEIR GRAND WORTHY PRESIDENT
 Hall is Thronged With Members of the Order and Guests—After Addresses a Vaudeville Entertainment is Presented and a Repeat Winds Up the Festivities. A Notable Occasion

Never has a larger company been assembled in Eagles' hall than that which gathered there last evening on the occasion of a reception held in honor of the grand worthy president, Del Gray Smith of Spokane, Wash.

Owing to the fact that he had been suddenly taken ill, President R. L. Armstrong was unable to be present and the duty of acting as master of ceremonies devolved upon Ed Jenkins.

After the 300 or more Eagles and guests had been seated about the board, Mr. Jenkins called them to order and introduced as the first speaker, Dr. J. L. Frazer, past worthy president and trustee of the grand lodge, who made an address introducing the guest of honor, Dr. Frazer told of the work which Mr. Smith had done towards building up the order during his incumbency, and how he had rescued it from debt. His work, he said, had entailed neglect of his business and family. Comment was made on the fact that since Mr. Smith had been elected president, the number of aeries in the order had increased from 230 to 314, while the membership had attained the 80,000 mark.

GRAND PRESIDENT SPEAKS
 After the conclusion of Dr. Frazer's speech, Mr. Smith was presented and he began by saying that his work for the Eagles had been a labor of love. The order stood, he said, for good principles to which any man might subscribe. "The colors of the order are those of the American flag," he continued, "and we have even adopted the American eagle as our emblem. I believe that the Eagles will have a place in history such as an order of this kind has never held before in the history of the United States. We teach good citizenship, faithfulness to home and children, and the immortality of the human soul, believing that a good man is too great to become as nothing."

Mr. Smith referred feelingly to the recent death of James M. Wilson and told how the order ministered to the sick and, in the event of death, buried its members with appropriate honors and cared for their families. "We have nothing to do with creed and religion, but everything to do with principle," he said in summing up.

Joseph Starling was introduced as an "old Roman" of the order and returned thanks on behalf of the guests present for the entertainment.

DETAILS OF THE ENTERTAINMENT

The program was then proceeded with, Charles Hoyt entertained the company with illustrated songs, while Pigott and Whipple next appeared in Scotch costume and danced a Highland fling. A detachment of Conner's orchestra, which had been engaged for the occasion, played national and popular airs at intervals. Si Holt was carried in while confined in a small sized trunk, and did a contortion act in the guise of a "human snake," which won hearty applause. Miss Letitia Colton appeared in the role of an old maid and received a hearty recall. Miss Nellie Williams appeared in male costume and sang entertainingly. Misses Rose and Lizzie Mitchell were heard in songs and ballads, and Mr. and Mrs. John Chick concluded the entertainment with an amusing sketch entitled "Matrimonial Mishaps."

The members and guests present afterwards did full justice to the excellent luncheon which had been provided.

VICTIM OF ACCIDENT DIES IN AGONY

Internal Injuries Resulting From a Fall From a Scaffold the Direct Cause—Funeral Held Today
 Charles Richardson, who was scalded and internally injured in an accident at the plant of the Citizens' Light and Power Company, where he was employed, a week ago, died in agony last night at St. Joseph's infirmary. Funeral services were held this afternoon at the First Baptist church, Rev. Luther Little officiating. The interment took place at Oakwood cemetery.

At first it was believed that Mr. Richardson had not sustained serious wounds, but internal complications developed, and he grew rapidly worse. He was scalded about the chest by the blowing out of a steam pipe, but the fall from the scaffold, a distance of ten feet to the ground, was the direct cause of his death. He was 19 years of age.

WOMAN WOULD LEAVE BABY WITH POLICE

A woman who said she lived seven miles from Fort Worth in the country and had come here from Dallas, applied to the police Friday to take charge of a three months' old child she had with her. The child's mother, she said, had died in a hospital in Dallas, leaving as her dying request that the baby be placed with people in Fort Worth. What people the woman did not know.

She applied to Officer Turner at the Texas and Pacific station. The officer told her the police could not care for the child and after trying to get her to take it home or leave it with the Children's Home Society he finally succeeded in getting her to go to a hotel until she could find a place for it.

Since then she has not been seen by the police.

Swami Frigantia of the Rama Kirshana monastery of Calcutta has arrived in San Francisco on a three-year pilgrimage around the world.

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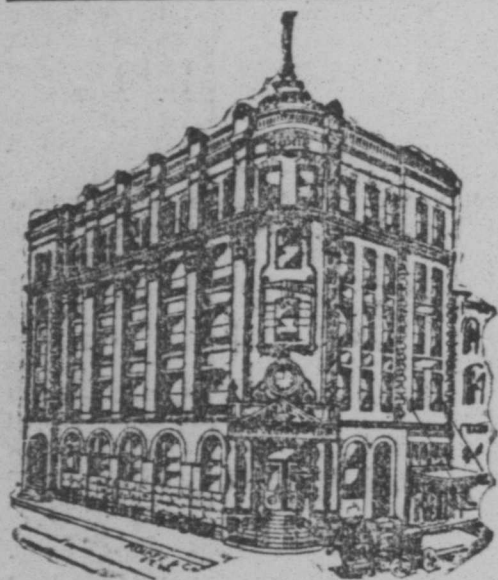
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WILSON WRITES ON QUARANTINE

LETTER OF SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO GOVERNOR

Advise State Authorities to Move Cautiously in Matter of Changing Line. Would Not Object if the Line Were Texas Desired It

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 10.—Governor Lanham in his Clarksville speech last spring, referred to a line on the subject of cattle quarantine received by him from the secretary of agriculture during the early part of the previous year.

On account of the introduction of a bill providing for an open season great interest has been aroused in the matter, and cattlemen who have got hold of the letter have furnished the press with a copy of it, which is as follows:

Washington, D. C., March 15, 1902.—Hon. S. W. T. Lanham, house of representatives—Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of even date with reference to the cattle quarantine line in Texas, and stating that many persons below the quarantine line are anxious to have it pushed farther north.

With reference to this matter, I wish to state that this department has endeavored to co-operate so far as possible with the state authorities of Texas with reference to the quarantine line and with the object of facilitating the shipment of Texas cattle to market. It has been a pleasure to do everything possible to help the great cattle interests of your state just as far as was possible without endangering the interests of other parts of the country. I feel that in this we have been more successful than was to be anticipated before the regulations went into effect.

The state authorities have been conservative, and yet have been willing to do everything that could be reasonably asked of them; and their carefulness has done much to inspire the confidence of the country in the management of the Texas cattle quarantine. The administration of the law has been successful, and there have been very few outbreaks of disease attributable to cattle from Texas. As a result, said cattle are going to market without any burdensome restrictions, and they are purchased without any suspicion of danger attached to them. This is a

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very desirable condition of affairs, and I hope that any change which is desired in your state will be carefully considered before it is adopted, for while the department will always try to facilitate the marketing of your cattle, I should regret to have anything done which would make this task more difficult.

The department would have no objection to the line being moved somewhat to the west, if it is considered desirable by the people of the state. Of course a movement in that direction would give greater protection to the other states of the union, and would only be a disadvantage to the counties that were placed below the line. There are two tiers of counties west of the quarantine line for the greater part of the distance across the state which are now in special quarantine, and possibly your people might find it desirable to place one or both of these tiers of counties below the line. Whatever may be decided upon as to the location of the line, the department will cheerfully co-operate in enforcing it, as is necessary under your state law, that is, the department must either join with your state authorities upon a quarantine line, or it must put its quarantine line upon the boundary of the state; and I should be glad to co-operate in the enforcement of any safe line.

If I may be permitted to make any further suggestions, I would say that it seems to me undesirable to move the line very far, since in that case a large territory occupied by susceptible cattle would be placed below the line and would undoubtedly be infected by the movement of cattle from the fever district. This would cause heavy losses, which would not only be disastrous to the people in the district affected, but would serve to cast suspicion upon the cattle of the whole state and would interfere with the marketing of all Texas cattle. In fact, we never know how much damage may be done by exaggerated statements of disease which have sufficient foundation to gain them a hearing. The cattle industry of Texas has grown to such enormous proportions and is in such a prosperous condition, taken as a whole, that it would be a great pity to have it receive any check or setback at this time.

I assure you that I am greatly interested in the matter and shall do everything I consistently can to aid your people.

Very truly yours,
JAMES WILSON, Secretary.

THE GRAIN CROP OF 1902

The Southern Farm Magazine of Baltimore has compiled from official reports of the government the statistics of grain crops of the south in 1902. The total values are as follows:

	Bushels.	Value.
Corn	502,487,607	\$276,553,894
Wheat	48,872,137	38,069,619
Rye	1,852,892	975,514
Oats	56,178,672	26,252,265

In addition to grain, the south raised 21,897,555 bushels of Irish potatoes, valued at \$14,116,169; 3,905,423 tons of hay, valued at \$46,734,706; and 620,258,898 pounds of tobacco, valued at \$63,843,025. The total for these three items added to the total for grain makes \$466,545,192, or approximately about one-half of the total value of the agricultural products of the south. In this report no mention is made of the cotton crop, of sweet potatoes—the yield of which in the south is much larger than the yield of Irish potatoes—of sugar, rice and fruit crops. These figures show that the grain crop of the south—corn, wheat, oats and rye—is about the same in value as an average cotton crop, but the growth of diversified farming in the south promises within a few years to make the value of these crops much larger than that of cotton.—San Antonio Express.

SHIPMENTS TO ARGENTINA

Much satisfaction is expressed by the agricultural press at the official notification to the effect that the exportation of British pedigree cattle to Argentina, which was suspended nearly twelve months ago, may now be resumed, subject to certain precautionary regulations. Any steamship carrying live animals from the ports of Great Britain to Argentina must obtain a certificate from the board of agriculture that no foot and mouth disease has been known to exist in this country for the preceding six months, and that no cattle plague has prevailed for two years, which certificate must be legalized by the Argentine consul at the port of sailing. On arrival at Buenos Ayres the animals will be subject to quarantine observation—cattle for forty days.

A FACT ABOUT THE "BLUES"

What is known as the "Blues" is seldom occasioned by actual existing external conditions, but in the great majority of cases by a disordered LIVER.

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sheep for fifteen days and horses for eight days. The government of the Argentine Republic maintains that the preventive measures against cattle disease now in force in Argentina are precisely the same as the measures enforced by our board of agriculture, and they entertain an eager way to remove the embargo upon the exportation of live stock to Great Britain.—London Meat Trades Journal.

MUST COME TO IT

In the not far distant future Texas cattlemen located below the quarantine line will be face to face with the proposition that they must mature their heaves at home. It will only be a very short time when Oklahoma and Indian Territory pastures will not be open to Texas stockmen as a maturing ground. The stock farmer and the man with the hoe will soon occupy pastures now holding large herds of cattle. These new conditions mean that Texas must produce the feed to fatten all her live stock before sending them to market. On the farms and ranches of the Lone Star state must be grown fewer and better cattle. These changed conditions may prove hurtful to some at the start, but in the long run the industry will be benefited. It is none too soon for stockmen with large holdings to begin to shape their business to conform with rapidly changing conditions.—Texas Stockman and Farmer.

MADE THE CHICAGOANS WONDER

The scrub and the longhorn are disappearing so rapidly from the pastures of Texas that a few days ago, when a load of cattle were received whose head adornments were longer than usual, they attracted as much attention as a load of buffaloes, says the Drovers' Journal. It was not many years ago when a load of anything else but longhorns would have attracted equally as much attention. Nothing could show more emphatically the effect of the breeding-up process in Texas, and it has not stopped. In fact, they say it has just fairly begun, and so the northern stockmen with their prize winners will have to keep hustling if they want to lead Texas.

MADAM SEMBRICK



(Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) Here is a picture from a late photograph of Mme. Sembrick, now singing in grand opera in New York. It is a good likeness of the great soprano.

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FREIGHT RATES REDUCED ON L. & N. RAILROAD

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 10.—Freight rates on agricultural implements and wagons to points in Oklahoma and the Indian Territory from Louisville and Nashville have been reduced by the Louisville and Nashville railroad 15 cents on each hundred pounds. The Illinois Central railroad will issue a circular in a few days announcing practically the same reduction.

WHAT IS PROVIDED IN DISPUTE ABOUT ACRE

Rio Janeiro, Feb. 10.—The temporary settlement of the dispute between Brazil and Bolivia regarding the Acre territory provides, in addition to the occupation and administration of the territory by Brazil, pending definite settlement, the abolishing of the recently enacted prohibitive transit duties on the river Amazon. The international court of arbitration at The Hague is to render the final decisions regarding the matters in dispute.

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And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it will secure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottle at H. T. Pangburn & Co's.

NO CASE OF PLAGUE IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Feb. 10.—Regardless of all the controversies that have existed as to whether there were cases of bubonic plague in San Francisco, it is agreed by all the medical men that there is not of the disease in San Francisco now, and that all the danger, if any ever existed, has long been passed.

Formally Denied.

Paris, Feb. 10.—The Turkish embassy has issued a statement saying it is authorized to formally deny the report of mobilization of troops in the European provinces of the Turkish empire.

MEXICAN LABOR IN SOUTHEAST TEXAS

TEXAS AND PACIFIC USING THEM FOR CONSTRUCTION WORK

Taking Places of Negroes Who Are Hard to Get—Have Long Been Used in West Texas and Give Excellent Satisfaction. Several Carloads Through Here

On account of the scarcity of negro labor the Texas and Pacific railroad is beginning the extensive use of Mexican labor along its line in southeastern Texas for construction and track repair work.

For a long time Mexicans have been used along the line from Big Springs to El Paso, but in the southeast the construction gangs and section forces have been almost exclusively negroes, with the exception of the foremen, who are usually white.

Heavy demands for negro labor everywhere recently, however, have so cut down the supply in the southeastern part of the state that the introduction of Mexicans is said to be necessary in order to get the work done.

In west and southwest Texas Mexicans have given excellent satisfaction as section men and on construction gangs. They are easy to secure and usually keep a job after they get it, it is said, and can be depended on. When brought from home they usually bring their families with them and this fact tends to keep them at work.

The last carload of Mexican workmen for southeast Texas to pass through here came in yesterday. Several carloads of fifty and sixty each have been shipped through during the past few weeks. They are all from El Paso, where the agents of the railroad hire them.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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We know of no way in which we can be of more service to our readers than to tell them of something that will be of real good to them. For this reason we want to acquaint them with what we consider one of the very best remedies on the market for coughs, colds, and that alarming complaint, croup. We refer to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it with such good results in our family so long that it has become a household necessity. By its prompt use we haven't any doubt but that it has time and again prevented croup. The testimony is given upon our own experience, and we suggest that our readers, especially those who have small children, always keep it in their homes as a safeguard against croup.—Cadden (S. C.) Messenger. For sale by N. E. Grammer, Druggist.

CANCER CURED!

Mr. W. W. Prickett, Smithfield, Ill., writes, Sept. 10, 1901: "I had been suffering several years with a cancer on my face, which gave me great annoyance and unbearable itching. I was using Ballard's Snow Liniment for a sore leg, and through an accident I rubbed some of the liniment on the cancer, and as it gave me almost instant relief I decided to continue to use the liniment on the cancer. In a short time the cancer came out, my face healed up and there is not the slightest scar left. I have implicit faith in the merits of this preparation, and it cannot be too highly recommended." 25c, 50c and \$1. For sale by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

Special Rates Via M., K. and T.

\$6.45 to Austin and return account Farmers' State institute. Tickets on sale February 11 and 12; final limit for return February 15.

\$10.50 to Galveston and return, account Scottish Rite reunion and ceremonial service of the Mystic Shrine. Tickets on sale March 7 and 8; final limit for return March 15.

\$9.05 to San Antonio and return, account Woodmen of the World convention. Tickets on sale March 9 and 10; final limit for return March 15.

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TWO THOUSAND TROOPS AFTER REVOLUTIONISTS

Caracas, Feb. 10.—A force of 2000 men with fifty horses and two guns, under the command of Minister of War General Ferrera, left Caracas in the direction of the seaport of Higuero, fifty-five miles east of Caracas. The object of the expedition is to attack a body of 1500 revolutionists under General Monagas, who is reported to be too feeble to attack the government, but strong enough to devastate a district around Rio Chico, province of Miranda, sixty miles southeast of Caracas, and daily enter and pillage the town. Even ardent revolutionists seem to recognize that President Castro is master of the situation.



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FOUR LETTERS AND A POSTSCRIPT

[Copyright, 1901, by A. S. Richardson.] Miss Patricia Douglas to her dearest friend, Miss Nellie Taylor:

Longhurst-on-the-Sea, July 13. Dear Nellie—To think that just one year ago you and I were having such times here together and now you are actually working in noisy, dusty New York! Perhaps you are somewhat consoled by the fact that every one thinks you tremendously clever and good to help your father in his hour of trouble, but I should think, my dear, that business and all that sort of thing would be such a bore to a woman.

Of course you want to know about everything and everybody. Well, it's the same old place and very nearly the same old crowd, particularly the men, who are distressingly few and far between. You remember that stupid little Jimmy Barton we enjoyed so much last year? He's quite the go this year. Even the shape of his nose has changed a bit, and he has a perfect love of an automobile. I've had several spins with him already. I'm so glad I bought that red coat. It makes a stunning contrast to his dark gray auto.

It was lucky I brought my golf club and suit, for the links are in splendid form, and Jack Ferris, the crack golfer, is here. He says my shots are very clever for a woman. I am not sure about the shots, but I know that little frilled sun-bonnet is so becoming. And Jack Ferris has eyes for something above golf balls. I found that out last night when we sat on the porch. Remember the turret corner, Nell? I thought you would. You've been there often enough, dear knows. I wore my green cap. It might have been the soft green against my white shoulders, or the moonlight on the water, or the Mexican waltzes the orchestra played, but Jack certainly did lose his head. I was so shocked, for of course he knows all my escapades. You'll find that the men who are perfectly sane in town during the winter season will do such things under a summer moon, especially if the moon goes behind a cloud.

By the way, in his letter today Ned says that he cannot take his vacation this month. I know the dear fellow is so disappointed. He had planned on being here with me, don't you know. Well, he is as kind to him, Nell, as you can be, and console him in my absence. You'll find him the best of company on all occasions. Devotedly, PATTY.

Miss Nellie Taylor to her dearest friend, Miss Patricia Douglas:

Platt Building, New York, July 15. My Dear Patty—Your newsy letter did make me think longingly of old times for a minute or two; but, after all, New York's not half bad in summer. For me it is like looking at a new side of life. The offices during the day are breezy and cool, and at night mother has all sorts of ridiculous surprises concocted for me. She has turned the roof into a miniature summer garden after the household column of an old ladies' journal. There are easy chairs, tables, shadowy cozy corners, palms and rubbernecks—no; I mean plants. I am becoming shockingly slangy since I came down on my own poplar long. I spend most of my evenings on the roof. Ned has been up several times, and we like him. He brings his guitar—you never let me play—and what with his music and my singing at the popular songs of the real roof gardens and mother mixing delicious punch we imagine we are quite giddy.

One evening Ned took mother and me to one of the continuous houses. Such a lark! And tonight we are going to Manhattan Beach. It is great fun, after all, to feel that you are a part of the great mass of the population, put it, and cannot leave town the whole summer long. Of course I will do my best to console Ned while you are away. But you must remember this is not Longhurst-on-the-Sea. I have only evenings, Saturday afternoon and Sunday at my own disposal. Write me all the news. I do enjoy it, and so does mother. Yours lovingly, NELL.

Miss Patricia Douglas to her fiancé, Mr. Ned Goodfellow:

Longhurst-on-the-Sea, July 24. Dear Mr. Goodfellow—I am sending you today your letters, ring and photographs. I am convinced that our engagement has been a mistake. I have always held that people to be happily married must have congenial tastes—in fact, must be perfect affinities. Clearly you and I do not come into the above class, and I believe that I am breaking our engagement for your happiness as well as my own. There are so many charming girls, and men are so easily consoled. Yours sincerely, PATRICIA DOUGLAS.

Sent by messenger from Mr. Ned Goodfellow to Miss Nellie Taylor:

Room—, Bowling Green, Aug. 1. My Darling Nell—My Nell! How jolly good that sounds! I'm sending you a few roses. Put them on your desk, where they will remind you of me every minute in the day. I shall be up early this evening to bring—can you guess what? It's a suitcase, dearest, the best I dared to buy, but not half good enough for the bravest, sweetest girl in the world. Over and over I catch myself wondering how I could ever think any other girls worth noticing. Bless this happy summer in town! It has brought me the greatest treasure in the world, my affinity. Imagine finding one's affinity in Wall Street! How ridiculous—and how delightful! Yours always, NED.

Special correspondence to the Comet from Longhurst-on-the-Sea:

Aug. 4. The golf links are responsible for the romance of the season at this popular resort. Today every one is talking of the engagement of Jack Ferris, the crack golfer, to Patty Douglas, who for two seasons has been a belle at Longhurst. Jack Ferris holds not only some enviable golf scores and trophies, but he also has the inside track for the Roxsome millions on his mother's side. Miss Douglas, though an enthusiastic golfer, has made no particularly good scores until she executed this brilliant little stroke in the game commonly called heartie.

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Waterproof Glue.

To make waterproof glue, soak it in water until softened thoroughly, but preserve the shape. Heat slowly in lard oil until dissolved, then mix thoroughly. To make fireproof glue, pour water over good glue and let it remain over night, then slowly melt and add white lead to make the right consistency. This will withstand fire, but not boiling water. To fasten labels to tin, take good yellow glue, break it into small pieces, cover with water and leave three or four hours. Pour off the water, place the glue in a wide mouthed bottle or pint can and cover with acetic acid. Set in warm water until dissolved and incorporate the two by stirring.

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THREE LEADERS FIGHT FOR FEDERAL JOBS

The Texas federal job situation is still unchanged, says the Dallas Times-Herald. Republican State Chairman Cecil A. Lyon does not see fit to agree with E. H. R. Green and National Committeeman Hawley in regard to the distribution of federal patronage in the state and the president is holding up all the appointments until the three leaders can be induced to settle their differences harmoniously. The fight is a three-cornered affair, as not one of the three republican state leaders seem to agree on any one question in dispute. Lyon is backed by the party organization of the state, nearly all the members of the executive committee and the majority of the county chairman. He has, however, numerous strong political enemies, among them being a number of negro republicans who exert no small influence among their own people. In addition he has Hawley's south Texas friends against him, and they are considered his most formidable enemies. These two opposing factions, re-inforced by the aggregation of disappointed office seekers leaves the Sherman man with an interesting fight on his hands. R. B. Hawley's strength lies in the fact that he is national committeeman and was once a republican congressman from Texas. He has influence with the Washington politicians, and he is disposed to throw his influence for all it is worth in getting appointments for his friends. E. H. R. Green is a free lance in Texas republican circles. He is independent of the state chairman and national committeeman and it seems to be his ambition to put himself again at the head of the Texas republican organization. He is backed by the majority of the negroes of the state, and that alone would probably be a strong recommendation of him to the president at this particular time. Colonel Green, in nearly every interview, insists that he is for Roosevelt for re-nomination and has words of praise for the chief executive at all times. The Terrell man's presence in Washington is objectionable to the other two leaders at this time, as it prevents them from holding a quiet chat and reaching an agreement in regard to their differences. Green wants men put in office that neither of the other two would desire and they are inclined to check any attempt of Green to figure in the patronage deal.

of late Forecaster George Reeder has been hitting the nail pretty squarely on the head, and it is to be hoped that he will continue to do so, inasmuch as he promises something better than the present article in the way of weather. "This is a rather uncertain commodity in Texas," he said this morning, "but if my observations are correct, mackintoshes and umbrellas may be laid aside for a time after today. It's going to clear off late this afternoon, and will be generally fair and somewhat colder tomorrow. I expect it to remain dry for several days at least. There will be a scarcity of mud here within the next few days. I am aware that this prediction sounds a little queer at this time, but just you wait and see." Then the prophet assumed the air of a man who knows what he is talking about and The Telegram man did not dispute his word.

RAINFALL HAS BEEN HEAVY

People are beginning to get tired of the moisture and mud. Rain began falling here yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock and a steady drizzle continued until this morning at 7, during which time the precipitation was .59 of an inch. Advice received at the weather office here show that the downpour was general all over the cotton belt of Texas. It will delay the picking of that portion of the old crop which still remains in the fields, but has improved the outlook for a good wheat crop and will furnish an abundance of stock water. The rain area also includes the territories, Louisiana and Alabama.

WEATHER AT DIFFERENT POINTS

Observations at the various stations are appended:

WEATHER RECORD

Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours—minimum and maximum temperature, wind in miles per hour at 8 a. m. and rainfall in inches:

Stations	Min.	Max.	Wind.	Rain.
Ablene	42	58	18	.62
Amarillo	35	60	18	0
Bismarck	14	38	10	0
Chicago	24	34	30	0
Cincinnati	30	44	11	0
Cornus Christi	54	68	15	.18
Davenport	22	28	11	0
El Paso	24	48	18	0
Fort Smith	32	62	16	0
Fort Worth	41	62	10	.59
Galveston	54	58	22	.54
Jacksonville	46	62	6	0
Kansas City	30	56	8	0
Little Rock	34	56	8	0
Memphis	36	52	12	0
Miss City	14	38	10	0
Modena	4	28	6	0
Montgomery	35	54	11	0
Nashville	30	40	11	0
New Orleans	42	66	44	.50
Oklahoma	36	60	10	.16
Omaha	16	44	8	0
St. Louis	30	52	6	0
St. Paul	10	30	8	0
Salt Lake City	12	34	11	.1
San Antonio	44	58	6	.94
Shreveport	38	58	12	.10

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Three Victims of Indiana Grave Robbers

Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst. The work of the ghouls who stole 1,200 bodies from Indiana grave yards has attracted widespread attention. This picture shows the scene of the labors of the body snatchers and the likenesses of three beautiful young women whose graves were violated. The upper picture is that of Miss Sarah Matthews. Next comes that of Miss Rose Neidinger, and the last is Miss Glendora Gates.



CLEARING WEATHER IS IN PROSPECT

AFTER TODAY MACKINTOSHES AND UMBRELLAS MAY BE LAID BY

Rain Has Been General Over the Cotton Belt of Texas and Will Delay Harvesting of What Remains of the Old Crop. Temperature and Conditions at Important Points

DEATH OF LUTHER B. SMITH OF GAINESVILLE

GAINESVILLE, Texas, Feb. 10.—After a long illness, attended by the most constant nursing and watching by anxious friends, Luther B. Smith died yesterday morning at Mineral Wells. Mr. Smith was 47 years of age. He has been a resident of Gainesville for twenty years and was well known in this part of the state. Successful in every business enterprise which he touched, he accumulated much of this world's goods, and has made investments which are now valuable. Up to the time of the annual election last month, he occupied the position of president of the First National bank of Durant. During the month of September last he was taken down with Bright's disease, and since then every effort has been made to prolong his life. He has spent a great deal of time at Mineral Wells, with the hope of relief by the use of the waters there, but the remedies proved unavailing. Saturday the turn for the worse came and his son here was notified. He went at once, accompanied by Colonel John L. Simpson. Yesterday morning John King received a telegram from C. H. Hardin Smith announcing the death of his father. At the time of his death all the members of Mr. Smith's family were at the bedside. Those surviving are the wife, and five children, C. H. Hardin Smith, Burton, Luther B. Jr., T. R. and William Jewell. The remains will be interred here. The body will arrive on the Katy this evening, and the funeral will occur tomorrow.

THE RED RAVEN BALLOON

A large balloon advertising Red Raven Splits in a down town pharmacy has attracted considerable attention during the past week, and the proprietor on being interrogated by one of his best customers as to what the article was, said: "Red Raven is an aperient water put up in dainty half pint bottles called splits, one of which is a dose. I always keep a liberal supply of Red Raven Splits on hand because my customers tell me that as a laxative and alternative it is unequalled by any other aperient water on the market. They use it, as a rule, before breakfast and find it gentle, mild and sure. I never attempt to substitute for Red Raven Splits, because I know that my trade having used it, well satisfied, will be sure to return for more. The advantage of Red Raven Splits over foreign bitter waters is not entirely in its merit as a laxative, but because it is sparkling, pleasant tasting and as entirely agreeable as any high class table water. The price being fifteen cents makes it an ideal article for all classes of my trade."

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Trackwalkers for certain Massachusetts railroads are now required to wind a registering clock at certain points every hour, and records are kept to be examined weekly by the superintendent.



ANY KIND OF A BET IS A CRIME IN NEW YORK

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Justice Gafoor in the Brooklyn supreme court has handed down a decision interpreting section 251 of the New York state penal code to mean that the recording or registering of any bet, not the making of it, upon an issue of chance is in violation of the laws against gambling and consequently a crime. The decision was rendered on writs of habeas corpus sued out in the interest of Colonel Reardon and others.



RAINS MAKE BIG REPAIRS NECESSARY

EVERY LINE IN THE STATE WILL SPEND THOUSANDS

Soft Earth Has Swallowed Up Ballast That Must Be Replaced—Hardest Season in Many Years on Account of Constant Heavy Downfall of Water

Extensive repairs will be necessary this spring on the roadbed of every railroad in Texas as a result of the heavy rains of the present winter. Employment will be given, it is estimated, to thousands of men and the consequent expense to the companies will be heavy. The present season, it is said, has been the hardest in many years on the track and roadbed of all lines. Repeated heavy rains have softened the ground until the ballast has sunk out of sight, and there has been no time between downpours to replace it. No serious inconvenience was reported this morning from the heavy rain of last night. "It has just softened up the track again, that's all," said a railroad man. "And if the storms keep up I don't know where we shall be. EVERY ROAD NEEDS BALLASTING. "Every railroad in the state, no matter how well it was ballasted, needs re-ballasting now. They are all in bad shape, and as soon as the rains let up work will begin. I am confident that more money will be spent on reconstruction this summer than has been spent in years."

RAILROAD NEWS AND PERSONALS

W. V. Galbreath, general live stock agent of the Katy in Texas, left this morning for St. Louis. A committee has been appointed by the chamber of commerce of Muskogee to urge the building of a line by the Missouri Pacific into that city. Vice President Thorne and Chief Engineer Lawton of the Texas and Pacific are in Louisiana this week inspecting the extensions being built there. Mr. and Mrs. H. Allaway of New York and Superintendent Davidson of the Frisco went to Dallas last night and will go from there to Paris on the Santa Fe. The survey of the route of the Katy branch from Georgetown to Austin, Texas, will begin this week. Work between Georgetown and Granger is progressing rapidly. A. B. Manning, superintendent of bridges and buildings on the Katy, is in the city today inspecting the work on the new bridge over the Trinity river, which the Katy is building for the joint track. Passenger Conductor L. A. Fowler of the Texas and Pacific is off his run this week on account of the illness of his child. He is at his home in Willis Point and John Dwyer is taking his place on the road. The Central Railroad of New Jersey and the Philadelphia and Reading road have adopted a new system for the management of their freight and passenger trains on their joint track between Bound Brook and Jersey City. The occasion for this action is the frightful rear end collision which occurred two weeks ago. The Pennsylvania system discontinued its twenty hour service between New York and Chicago Thursday. The chief

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reason given for this action is that in order to keep the twenty-hour trains on their schedule it was necessary to delay freight and slower passenger trains, thus in the present rush of business causing serious congestion of traffic. The Panhandle and Gulf railroad, through its attorney, Judge H. C. Nord of Sweetwater, has filed maps and profiles of its line from San Angelo to Sweetwater, a distance of seventy-six miles, with the state railroad commission. The road between these two points has already been graded one-third of the distance and will cross the Colorado river at Bronte, thirty miles upstream from Ballinger. The Panhandle and Gulf is the Texas division of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient.

A DISGRACEFUL EXHIBITION
St. Louis Republic: The great state of Illinois is apparently in the hands of petty political tricksters utterly without regard for the dignity and fair repute of the American commonwealth whose interests they are supposed to serve. The factional fights of the republican organization present the state in a most unfavorable light to the country at large. Less "gavel rule," less selfish striving for factional advantage, a more effective performance of sworn duty are in order if Illinois republicans hope to justify their dominance in state affairs. Willis L. Moore of the United States weather bureau has been elected a member of the Royal Meteorological Society of Berlin.

THE NEWS BUDGET FROM COLLINSVILLE

COLLINSVILLE, Texas, Feb. 9.—Editor S. E. Badgett and wife of Coalgate, I. T., are in town today. T. A. Wilkins and wife came in from Hillsboro yesterday. Mrs. Minnie Curtis of Sherman delivered her famous lecture, "Molock," at the Methodist Episcopal church last night to a crowded house. After her elegant plea for the temperance cause there was not a dry eye in the house. When she appealed to the men to use every effort to bring Grayson county under the prohibition banner there were not five men present who did not pledge their support to the cause. At 3 o'clock this evening she will lecture to women only, and tonight she will continue last night's discourse. Mrs. Curtis is a gifted speaker and the Texas Women's Christian Temperance Union should be proud of their champion. This morning Deputy Sheriff Ben Mitchell arrested Ed and Tom Dickey on the charge of theft of corn and chops from J. E. Matlock. They were placed under bond and trial set for hearing Wednesday.

PERSONAL HAPPENINGS IN CITY OF ROANOKE

ROANOKE, Texas, Feb. 9.—Miss Edna Reynolds has returned from a several days' visit to friends in Dallas. Mrs. R. Lee Bowen spent Friday in Fort Worth. Miss Maggie Howe was in Denton Saturday. Miss Lela Wharton is visiting friends in Lewisville. Mrs. A. G. Horton and little daughter, Lorraine, are visiting relatives at Ada, I. T. Quite a number of young people went down to see "Florodora," which held the boards at Greenville one night last week. Miss Ruby George left last week for St. Jo, Texas, where she has accepted a music class. Mrs. R. M. Snead has returned from a visit to Sherman. Miss Callie McDonald of Coppell is visiting relatives here this week.

THE CELEBRATED 1898 VINTAGE

is represented in this market by G. H. Mumm's Extra Dry Champagne, to whose magnificent quality and natural dryness is due its unique position, manifested by 125,719 cases imported in 1902, being 407,204 bottles more than any other brand. It is estimated that nearly all the pine timber now growing in Minnesota (about 30,000,000 feet) will be cut and marketed within the next fifteen years.

PAIN IN THE BACK

A Sure Sign of Kidney Trouble. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will Cure You.

Pain in the back is a never failing sign of kidney disease; another sure sign is the condition of the urine; if you have a pain in the back then look to the condition of your urine. Take a glass tumbler and fill it with urine; after it has stood 24 hours, if it has a sediment, if it is milky or cloudy, pale or discolored, stringy or rosy, your kidneys and bladder are in a dangerous condition and need immediate attention, or the consequences may prove fatal. P. C. Wilcox of 559 New Britain ave., Hartford, Conn., says: "I had a frightful pain in my back, the result of kidney trouble. My physician seemed powerless to relieve me. I determined to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy; it helped me wonderfully, and in a short time cured me completely." Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the one medicine that really cures all diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and blood, rheumatism, dyspepsia and chronic constipation and corrects the bad effects of whiskey and beer on the system. It is wonderful how it makes that pain in the back disappear, how it relieves the desire to urinate often, especially at night, and drives away that scalding pain in passing water and in a remarkably short time makes you well and strong. "All druggists sell Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy in the New 50 Cent Size and the regular \$1.00 size bottles." Sample bottle—enough for trial, free by mail. Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, Rondout, N. Y.

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