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TAILORS TO FIGHT THE CONTRACT SYSTEM

SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND OF THEM INAUGURATE A BIG MOVEMENT FOR RELIEF

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Representatives of about seventy-five thousand tailors throughout the country have just held a convention here to take measures for fighting the contract system.

FORT WORTH MAN HAD THE LOWEST BID

(Special to The Telegram.) DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 25.—A Fort Worth contractor, John Bardon, sent the lowest bid for the construction of the addition to the Dallas federal building.

FOR A NEW DORMITORY FOR GIRLS INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DENTON, Texas, Feb. 24.—There is a strong effort being made by the board of regents of the girls' industrial college of Texas at Denton to secure the passage through the legislature of a bill appropriating \$50,000 to erect a dormitory in connection with the college for the girls.

SUNDAY SALOONS IS JEROME'S PLEA

(By Associated Press.) ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 25.—District Attorney Jerome of New York appeared before the senate and assembly committees yesterday in advocacy of the Jerome bill, permitting saloons in New York to be open between the hours of 1 and 11 p. m. on Sundays.

CHAMBERLAIN LEAVES THE CAPE FOR ENGLAND TODAY

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Feb. 25.—Mr. Chamberlain will leave Cape Town for England today. The Cape Town correspondent of the Morning Post says in reference to Mr. Chamberlain's tour that the feeling of security in Cape Colony is greater than it has been at any time since the Jameson raid and that Mr. Chamberlain's visit has brought about all that it was intended to.

EXTRA! EXTRA! EIGHT STRIKING MINERS KILLED IN WEST VIRGINIA

(By Associated Press.) CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 25.—A pitched battle took place at Wright's coal works today, between 100 deputy United States marshals and deputy sheriffs and 250 striking miners, who refused to permit the federal officers to serve injunction papers.

TEACHER SHOTS PUPIL IN A SCUFFLE TAKEN FROM HIS BED TO THE JAIL

(By Associated Press.) SPARTENBURG, S. C., Feb. 25.—Professor Reuben Pitts of the public school at Inman yesterday shot Ed Foster, one of his pupils, during a scuffle in which several of the larger boys attacked the teacher while he was whipping Foster.

DALLAS BOYS TIRED OF LIFE IN NAVY

(Special to The Telegram.) DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 25.—Hardly a boy of all the gay crowd that left Dallas last September for a life on the ocean wave under the fluttering pennants of the American navy is not sorely disgusted with his place and pulling every string possible whereby a discharge may be obtained.

GORGEOUS FUNERAL OF A CHINESE BRIDE

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The funeral of May Lynn, bride of Sung Fung, an actor in the Chinese theater in Doyers street, has been held with pomp and circumstances unusual even for New York's Chinese colony.

CAPTAIN OF MADIANA IS OUT OF A POSITION

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—On the steamer Trinidad, in port just from the Bermudas, was Captain Frazer, of the ill-starred Madiana, wrecked on the Bermuda reefs, and with him arrived Chief Engineer Nelson and three assistant engineers.

HURRICANE SWEEPS ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON'S ISLAND

(By Associated Press.) HONOLULU, Feb. 25.—The island of Tutuila and the Samoan group generally were visited by a hurricane Feb. 12. The fury of the wind both on land and sea was terrific and much damage was done.

QUAY URGES VOTE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—When the senate met today Quay asked for an unanimous council for a vote on the statehood bill today. Kean of New Jersey objected.



They were all doing the same all doing the same

REFUSED TO WED AT THE ALTAR STEPS

GIRL THROWS OVER INTENDED GROOM, SAYING SHE WAS BEING SOLD

(Special to The Telegram.) LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 25.—The neighborhood of the village of Hustlersville, in Clark county, is greatly stirred over the conduct of Miss Beattie Logan, who, after making all preparations for her wedding to George Millon, answered "No" when the minister asked her assent to the union.

CANADA HEARS NOTHING ABOUT ALASKAN TRIBUNAL

(By Associated Press.) TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 25.—A London special cablegram says: "Sir John Anderson of the colonial office has given information that no suggestion on nomination for the Alaskan tribunal has been received from Canada; neither has any protest been received against the selection of Messrs. Root, Lodge and Turner as the American members of the tribunal."

INTERURBAN CARS COLLIDE IN FOG NEAR PEORIA

(By Associated Press.) PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 25.—During a dense fog this morning three interurban cars, crowded with working men, collided at Acme five miles from here. Fifteen people were injured, six seriously. They were brought to Peoria and placed in the hospital.

SHOULD NOT SEND ALL CHILDREN TO COLLEGE

AN AUTHORITY HOLDS THAT TOO MANY GOOD MECHANICS ARE THUS SPOILED

(By Associated Press.) BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 25.—The students of Boston University are discussing a talk which Professor Marshall L. Perrin of the university gave to his class on the subject of indiscriminately sending boys and girls to college.

FREIGHT CARS RUN AMUCK ON A MOUNTAIN SIDE

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 25.—One man was killed and one fatally injured and four others seriously hurt in a freight wreck on the Pennsylvania railway at Kittanning Point this morning.

WACO SEEMS TO HAVE TOO MANY NEWSPAPERS

WACO, Texas, Feb. 25.—It was announced this morning that beginning next Monday the morning Times-Herald will be discontinued or merged into the afternoon field, with the Evening Telephone, and an effort will be made to build up a large afternoon paper, the outlets by rail being favorable. The proprietors of both papers are in the deal. The morning field will be left unoccupied.

BURIED FOR DAYS IN ASHES OF MT. PELEE

SURVIVOR TELLS OF HIS EXPERIENCES IN JAIL AT TIME OF THE DISASTER

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Joseph Scbarance, the St. Pierre survivor who has arrived here, tells an interesting story of his experiences at the time of the eruption of Mont Pelee, he being at that time a prisoner. Scbarance says he was placed in jail for slashing a man with a knife. Then he was put in the dungeon for fighting with a prisoner. His story continues: "On the next day it got very warm. I heard the sound of explosions, but thought it was only thunder. Shrieks and cries followed the great noise. Then all was still and it began to grow hot. I thought the prison was on fire. Ashes and burning stuff began to sift through the bars."

SENATOR BAILEY IS DETAINED IN CHICAGO

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 25.—A telegram has been received from United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey, by the committee having the coming St. Patrick's day celebration in charge, saying he will be unable to accept the invitation to address the United Irish Societies of Dallas on March 17 by reason of having accepted an invitation to attend a national democratic gathering in Chicago on March 16. Mr. Bailey expresses regret that he is prevented from meeting with Dallas friends on the anniversary of the birth of Ireland's patron saint.

LITTLE DOUBT RYAN WILL BOLT IN 1904

UNLESS THE CONVENTION ENDORSES FREE SILVER HE WON'T SUPPORT TICKET

HAS SERVED NOTICE TO THIS EFFECT ON THE CAMPAIGN MANAGERS, WHO CAN'T INDUCE HIM TO RECONSIDER

(Special to The Telegram.) NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Mr. Bryan will bolt the next democratic presidential ticket unless the national convention of 1904 shall reaffirm the 16 to 1 plank in the Kansas City platform. He will not only insist upon an indorsement of the silver plank, but also upon many other planks of the platform of 1900, on threat of placing in the field an independent ticket.

Eugene V. Brewster of Brooklyn, Bryan's closest friend in New York's political whirl, is quoted tonight as saying: "We talked over the national situation in all its phases, but more especially with regard to the views that the local democrats are likely to take in the next campaign. I had thoroughly canvassed the field here and had come to the conclusion that a large majority of the voters would never again stand for Mr. Bryan's views on the money question. I informed him that many of these very men had supported him in 1900 only because they were regular democrats—that it was that fact alone that had made it possible for the leaders to turn over the original votes to the democratic ticket. I told him that such a thing would be impossible now, for the small investors and bank depositors have been educated to a strong belief that the stability of their savings depends upon keeping the money standard where it is. But I could not convince Mr. Bryan of this fact."

"Try as I would, I could not swerve him from his desire for bi-metalism. Other leaders from eastern and southern states had presented him with the same facts, but it had apparently had no effect upon his views. He would not for a moment agree that the last national platform with the silver plank left out and one or two new ones inserted might be the one to win with. In fact, he declared that the Kansas City document should be reaffirmed in toto and unaltered. Mr. Bryan is for free silver, first, last and all the time."

"In taking this position Mr. Bryan is serving notice upon the men who deserted him in 1900 and are now working for a reorganization of the party on a sound money basis that he holds it in his power to make or unmake them, just as they did him. These men are the men who now are willing to be guided by the councils of Grover Cleveland, David B. Hill, William C. Whitney and a score or so of others."

KING EDWARD TICKLED TO RECEIVE FRANCIS

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Feb. 25.—Mr. Francis, president of the St. Louis exposition, accompanied by Ambassador Choate, was received in audience by King Edward at Buckingham palace today. The king gave a most cordial reception to Mr. Francis and evinced much interest in the exposition and promised to lend all possible influence toward providing for a representation of Great Britain at St. Louis.

DALLAS RISES TO GREAT HEIGHTS OF HOSPITALITY

(Special to The Telegram.) DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 25.—Dallas will formally invite the Rock Island to locate its general offices here. This move was expected.

\*\*\*\*\* STAGE DANCER SUFFERS PENALTY OF PROFESSION \*\*\*\*\* (By Associated Press.) NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 25.—Helen Loder Jones, a toe dancer, known on the stage as Elicta, is dead from heart disease, superinduced by excessive dancing. Miss Jones had been following the specialty of toe dancing since she was five years of age and was obliged to cancel her engagement recently on account of illness, which the physicians diagnosed as "athletic heart."

**H. C. Stripling**  
THE PRICE IS THE THING.  
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# At 64c on the Dollar

We have bought the bankrupt stock of Louis Shapira, 1508 Main street at 64 cents on the dollar and shall place it on sale Saturday, February 28.

This stock consists of Men's Shoes, Hats, Clothing and Furnishing Goods. L. Shapira was in business only about three months, so you will find these goods all new and fresh.

The shoes are from two of the leading makers of guaranteed footwear—Hamilton-Brown and Friedman Bros. Shoe Co.

The other goods, such as Hats, Clothing, Shirts, etc., are from standard manufacturers and you will find every item in this stock marked at an extremely low bargain price.

Watch The Telegram for price quotations on this stock; its going to be a money saving opportunity which you should take advantage of.

## New Rubber Overshoes

MEN'S STORM RUBBERS, ALL SIZES..... 75c  
LADIES STORM RUBBERS, ALL SIZES..... 50c



The kid—I never seen dat jay afore in no life, but I'll just jolly him an' git de job carry'n' his grip!



Farmer—Oh! ah yee? I been lay'n' fer thet young thief! Biff! Biff!



The kid—Hi! boss. Don't you remember me? I'm de boy wot carried yer grip last year and—



The kid—Sa-a-y! How was I ter know he'd had his old satchel stole?

## Explosion at Fort Lafayette



By the explosion of a big 15-inch shell at Fort Lafayette four men were blown to pieces and seven were maimed. In the picture is shown the historic old fort at the top. Below is shown how the shells are handled in the fort, and above it a reconstruction of a shell similar to that which caused the disaster. At the bottom are shown the efforts going to the scene of the accident.

# TODAY'S CLOSING MARKET QUOTATIONS

Full Report 12 Hours Ahead of Any Other North Texas Newspaper

## LIVE STOCK MARKET

REPRESENTATIVE SALES  
COWS—The Scott cows formed the principal sale of the morning. They brought \$2.35, but were lighter than the ones which have been bringing \$2.55 and \$2.60. Other cows, fat and in good condition, brought customary good prices. Some sales:

No.	Ave. Price.	No.	Ave. Price.
1.....	\$50 \$2.40	5.....	900 \$2.40
2.....	790 2.60	6.....	1,054 3.20
3.....	911 2.75	7.....	810 2.60
4.....	801 2.60	8.....	836 2.35
5.....	798 2.35	9.....	746 2.35
6.....	739 2.35	10.....	662 2.65
7.....	1,070 2.65		

RECEIPTS BY RAILROADS  
CATTLE—Santa Fe, 5 cars (161 head); Denver, 4 (112); Cotton Belt, 2 (35); Rock Island, 9 (213); Katy, 6 (158); Texas and Pacific, 9 (301); Central, 2 (51); Rio Grande, 6 (177).

HOGS—Cotton Belt, 1 car (56 head); Rock Island, 1 (79); Katy, 2 (187); Central, 1 (61).

INDIVIDUAL SHIPMENTS  
Individual shipments to the yards for the past twenty-four hours were as follows:

CATTLE—M. Starnes, Tyler, 72; Swan & L. Tyler, 70; B. L. Scott, Sherman, 60 and 3 calves; W. B. Ellis, Baird, 39 and 1 calf; J. C. Adams, Abilene, 69; John L. Turner, Mount Vernon, 14; E. G. Cates, Grapevine, 21; D. Waggoner, 42; S. B. Bowie, 211; W. H. Myers, Henrietta, 27; W. E. King, Seymour, 30; Sim Warren, Iowa Park, 55; W. A. Sansom, Alvarado, 87 and 5 calves; D. F. Sansom, Alvarado, 27; F. M. Sansom, West, 48; Humes Bros., San Angelo, 101; Ardmore Oil Mill Co., Ardmore, 1, T. 56; W. G. Benson, Prosper, 27; I. Scott, Brownwood, 150; M. M. Boyd, Wortham, 51 and 3 calves.

HOGS—J. L. Turner, Mount Vernon, 56; Kay Bros. & Co., Athens, 61; E. C. True, Ryan, 1, T. 79; Catron, Bonham, 32; Moore & Co., Durant, 1, T. 95.

STEERS—There passed through the yards last night nine carloads of steers from Bowie, consigned under the firm name of Dan Waggoner & Son to W. E. Dycart for the Cudahy Packing Company at Los Angeles, Cal. The steers were weighed at the yards and were shipped out early this morning. It was the most valuable bunch of cattle that has gone through the new yards. There were 211 head with an average weight of 1,061. They were bought at \$3.85 and the bunch brought in round numbers \$8.50. The highest priced steers sold this morning was \$3.40. Some sales:

No.	Ave. Price.	No.	Ave. Price.
1.....	1,163 \$2.75	24.....	814 \$3.25
2.....	833 3.00	70.....	654 2.45
3.....	819 3.40	211.....	1,051 3.85

CALVES—Two calves were sold at the following prices: One weighing 310, at \$2.60; the other, weighing 160 pounds, at \$2.50.

HOGS—Sales were very slow.

No.	Ave. Price.	No.	Ave. Price.
2.....	115 \$5.35	78.....	171 \$6.50

LARGEST RECEIPTS IN WEEKS  
NORTH FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 25.—What were perhaps the heaviest receipts since the new stock yards were opened were turned into the North Fort Worth market this morning with an abandon that looked as if it might flood the buyers. But even 43 cars (over 1,200 head) could not seriously hurt prices, and though sales this morning were a bit draggy, because buyers had so much to pick from, the prices stayed at almost the same stage as yesterday. Nine cars of the 43 received went through and were not offered here.

While the cattle market kept up, so much cannot be said for the hogs. The slump today was again fully 10 cents, and commission men and buyers wrangled over prices all forenoon without making a single sale. About 1:30 Swift broke the ice by purchasing 78 head, and after that things went better. Just what is causing the lower prices of the past two days is a delicate matter, which does not seem to be easily explained. In justice to the packers, be it said that none of the hogs offered was equal to what the packers really want.

STOCK YARD NOTES  
Colonel J. L. Turner of Mount Vernon was at the yards today with a mixed shipment of hogs and cattle. Regarding conditions in Franklin county, Colonel Turner says it has been unusually wet; crooks are running over their banks, the roads are almost impassable and it is next to an impossibility to get to a shipping point. Colonel Turner is one of the veteran hog raisers of Texas and perhaps no shipper to the Fort Worth market is so well qualified to give his experience as during the last three years he has handled no less than 9,000 hogs. His favorite breed is the Poland China with Berkshires second. Farmers in Franklin county will try alfalfa this year for the first time. Heretofore Colonel Turner has found goat peas the best food. Patches of from three to four acres are fenced off and just as the pods are beginning to turn yellow the hogs are turned in. They will eat the pods, but will not hurt the vines if taken out soon enough and turned, into another patch. By keeping up a rotation, each patch can be used several times in a season. Colonel Turner will have one field of corn this season and says that farmers would do better to raise more corn and less cotton. He also uses oats to a limited extent in feeding hogs, but says that, "After all, I notice that the slop-fed hogs get fat the quickest of any. Milk is the best thing on which to raise hogs ever found."

It has been found that 16,000 children under 14 are employed in New York city in spite of the child labor law.

## MARKETS BY WIRE

NEW YORK STOCKS  
The following figures, furnished by George C. Hoffman, Fort Worth, Texas, indicate the opening and closing prices of the stocks named on the New York Stock Exchange: Atchison, 87, 86½; Atchison preferred, 100¼, 100¼; Illinois Central, 144¼, 144¼; Louisville and Nashville, 125, 125; Missouri Pacific, 113¼, 112¾; Frisco, 88, 85¼; Peoples Gas, 104, 104¼; Reading, 62½, 62; Rock Island, 49¼, 49; Southern Pacific, 64, 63¾; Southern Railway, 35½, 35½; St. Paul, 177½, 177½; Sugar, 122¼, 122¼; United States Steel, 38¾, 39; United States Steel preferred, 88¾, 88¾; Western Union, 83¾, 83¾. Stock sales up to noon amounted to 233,200 shares. Call money in New York city was at 3 per cent.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK  
CATTLE—Receipts, 21,000 head; steady to 10c lower; beefs, \$3.50@3.55; cows and heifers, \$1.50@4.75; Texas steers, \$3.75@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 36,000 head; slow; 5¢ to 10c lower than yesterday morning; light, \$6.80@6.95; mixed, \$6.80@7.80; heavy shipping grades, \$6.70@7.20; rough, \$6.45@6.95.

SHEEP—Receipts, 23,000 head; steady to 10c lower; native sheep, \$4.50@5.50; western sheep, \$3.75@5.60; native lambs, \$5@7.15; western lambs, \$6.25@7.25.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,000 head, including 1,000 Texans; steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000 head; 5c lower; light, \$6.50@6.60; mixed, \$6.80@7; shipping grades, \$6.75@6.90; rough, \$6.60@6.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000 head; stronger.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK  
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500 head, including 2,000 head; steady; beefs, \$4.15@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.30; Texas fed steers, \$3.50@4.60; cows and heifers, \$2.15@3.20; calves, \$3@14 per head.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,500 head; 5c lower than yesterday's average; pigs and light, \$4.40@6.90; packers, \$6.75@7; butchers, \$6.80@7.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000 head; strong; native, \$4.40@5.50; lambs, \$3.50@7; Texas sheep, \$3.25@4.25.

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

GALVESTON  
GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 25.—There was a strong tone to the spot market today, middlings selling at 9 1/2-16c. Sales, 3,807 bales, f. o. b. 3,050.

HOUSTON  
HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 25.—Firmness characterized the spot market. Middlings, 9 1/2-16c. Sales, 1,650 bales, f. o. b. 1,390 bales.

NEW YORK  
NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Spots were steady in tone. Middlings, 10.05c. Sales, 500 bales.

Futures closed very steady, as follows:  
Open, High, Low, Close.  
March..... 9.75 9.83 9.73 9.83-81  
May..... 9.72 9.84 9.70 9.82-83  
July..... 9.50 9.64 9.49 9.63-64

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 25.—Spots were steady. Middlings, 9 1/2-16c. Sales, 800 bales, f. o. b. 1,700.

Futures closed firm, ranking:  
Open, High, Low, Close.  
March..... 9.50 9.73 9.40 9.73-74  
May..... 9.58 9.83 9.68 9.82  
July..... 9.37 9.50 9.78 9.88-89

HESTER'S SEMI-WEEKLY  
The semi-weekly statement compiled by Mr. Hester, with comparisons for three years is as follows:

	1902.	1901.	1900.
Receipts.....	44,673	58,673	38,075
Shipments.....	62,617	71,444	43,860
Stocks.....	246,735	407,543	5,390,649

The movement since last Friday for five interior towns has been as follows:

	1903.	1902.	1901.
Receipts.....	45,110	67,149	73,157
Shipments.....	57,175	73,157	282,171

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 25.—There was an easy tone to spots and a fair demand for middlings at 5.30d. Receipts, 8,000 bales, all American; sales, 10,000 bales.

Futures opened easy and closed feverish, with the following range:

	Open.	Close.
February.....	5.15-17	5.14-15
February-March.....	5.15-17	5.14
March-April.....	5.14-17	5.14
April-May.....	5.15-17	5.15
May-June.....	5.13-16	5.16
June-July.....	5.17-19	5.16
July-August.....	5.16-19	5.16
August-September.....	5.05-07	5.05
September-October.....	4.78-79	4.78
October-November.....	4.57-58	4.56

RECEIPTS  
The receipts of cotton at the leading accumulative centers today, as compared with the same day last year were:

	Today.	Last year.
Galveston.....	5,000	5,821
New Orleans.....	4,519	7,783
Mobile.....	958	35
Savannah.....	3,302	2,245
Charleston.....	298	382
Wilmington.....	993	900
Norfolk.....	2,349	900
New York.....	671	671
Boston.....	1,364	2,359
Philadelphia.....	750	5
Various.....	1,150	
Total.....	19,723	23,039
Memphis.....	1,790	
Houston.....	5,026	

The following is the estimated receipts for tomorrow, compared with 1902 and 1901:

	Tomorrow.	1902.	1901.
New Orleans.....	3,000	4,500	9,520
Galveston.....	4,000	5,000	7,838
Houston.....	2,500	3,000	4,912

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS  
CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 25.—The grain and provision markets today had the following range of prices:

	Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May.....		77	77½	76¾	77½
July.....		73¼	73½	73	73¾

Corn—  
May..... 45½ 46¼ 45¼ 46¼  
July..... 44½ 44¾ 44¼ 44½

Oats—  
May..... 35½ 35¾ 35 35¾  
July..... 32½ 33 32½ 33

Pork—  
Cash..... 17.12 17.15 17.07 17.20  
May..... 17.55 17.70 17.65 17.72

Lard—  
July..... 9.45 9.47 9.45 9.55  
May..... 9.60 9.65 9.62 9.65

Ribs—  
Cash..... 5.25 5.30 5.25 5.35

## HIGH OFFICIALS WERE IN HOUSTON

GENERAL MANAGER GOODNOW OF ROCK ISLAND ON QUIET TRIP

Accompanied by J. F. Stevens, Who Will Be Vice President of Rock Island System—General Attorney Low Also on Hand—Southern Pacific Deal On

General Manager Goodnow of the Rock Island system passed through Fort Worth Monday night on his way home from Houston and Galveston, where he spent several days, supposedly on business connected with the Southern Pacific-Rock Island deal.

With Mr. Goodnow was J. F. Stevens, former general manager and chief engineer of the Great Northern railway. Advice from Chicago today say that Mr. Stevens will become vice president of the Rock Island system and have charge of construction and operation.

Another event of importance in connection with the Southern Pacific-Rock Island deal was the quiet trip of General Attorney M. A. Low of the latter road, who passed through Fort Worth Monday on his way to Houston.

MR. STEVENS MENTIONED  
When General Manager Goodnow and Mr. Stevens, formerly of the Great Northern, passed through Fort Worth last week bound for Houston and Galveston, only Mr. Stevens was mentioned and his identity could not be ascertained. Mr. Stevens was also the only one mentioned when his private car bound northward went through again Monday night. Today, however, the fact came out that General Manager Goodnow had been with him and that General Attorney Low followed in their wake.

The two first named spent about four days in Houston and Galveston. They went from here there over the Houston and Texas Central.

Although none of the officials were interviewed on the trip, it is generally believed here that they were on business connected with the consolidation plans.

MEXICAN CENTRAL WILL GO TO SAN ANTONIO

A dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat from Mexico City, says:

The members of the board of directors of the Mexican Central railroad, who are making an inspection trip over the lines of that system, have decided upon some important extensions and new lines. Construction is to be pushed on the Mexico City and Tampico line, and there is to be no cessation in the work of building the new line to San Antonio, Texas. Much importance is attached to the latter line, as it will afford the Mexican Central a new short route between connecting lines in the United States and the Mexican cities, connection being made with the existing main line of the system at Terreon. It is further learned that if the Mexican Central does not succeed in purchasing the Mexican (Veracruz) it will build its own line to Vera Cruz from a point on the new Tampico line. General Manager H. R. Nickerson has been with the party very little, owing to serious illness.

GREAT NORTHERN MAN FOR ROCK ISLAND

A dispatch from Chicago, says that John F. Stevens, general manager and chief engineer of the Great Northern railway, is to become first vice president of the Rock Island system. He will, it is said, be placed in charge of construction and operation.

Mr. Stevens was in Fort Worth Monday and also last week. Considerable uncertainty surrounded his identity and he was a Great Northern official. He traveled in a private car on the Rock Island and went from here to Galveston last week, returning from Galveston Monday.

When he was here last week it was stated that he was a Rock Island official from Chicago. According to the Chicago dispatch he was on a tour of inspection of Rock Island lines. He went from here south over the Houston and Texas Central.

SANTA FE INTERESTED IN TOBACCO RAISING

A dispatch from Albuquerque, N. M., says: "Wesley Merritt, industrial commissioner of the Santa Fe, visited in the city last week. The gentleman is much interested in the plan to cultivate tobacco on a large scale in the Rio Grande valley, and establish a tobacco factory in Albuquerque. From experimentation it is known that no part of the United States is better adapted to the culture of tobacco than the irrigated valleys of New Mexico. Kentucky tobacco growers are also interested in the project and the Commercial Club of this city has taken up the matter."

MORGAN HAS SECURED CONTROL OF FRISCO

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—It is reported from credible sources on Wall street today that the activity of the past few days in Frisco stock has resulted in J. P. Morgan & Co. securing control of the system, which will, as a consequence, be merged eventually with the Southern railway, which the Morgan interests already own.

The fact that Morgan wants the Frisco is not new and it has been reported at various times that he had secured control. The recent meeting in St. Louis, when new directors were chosen, was expected to show that he had secured control, but nothing to indicate this developed.

What has increased the belief, however, has been the frequent conferences in New York between Mr. Morgan and several directors, particularly James L. Campbell of St. Louis, who is known as one of the big men in the directorate.

The consolidation of the Southern and the Frisco would give the latter an entrance to the Atlantic coast and give it an all-powerful position in the south. The system already reaches Chicago, St.

## RAILROAD NEWS AND PERSONALS

Activity in Frisco stock on Wall street during the past few days has caused a renewal of the rumors to the effect that J. P. Morgan & Co. are securing control of the system. The report, however, still goes unverified.

Surveyors on the Trinity and Brazos valley railroad who have been working out from Covington arrived in sight of Hillsboro yesterday.

The Frisco will build big shops at Oklahoma City and has bought fifty-four acres southeast of the city at a cost of \$10,000.

The Texas and Pacific has begun laying seventy-five pound rails on the Sherman division, the old light rails being removed.

General Roadmaster A. Ball of the Cotton Belt, with headquarters in Mount Pleasant, has resigned, effective Feb. 28. The Wells Fargo Express Company has made arrangements to position all old employees who have reached the point where performance of duties is difficult.

The general offices in Texas of the Union News Company of St. Louis will be removed this month from Greenville to Denison. Sixteen men are employed in the offices at Greenville, but this number will be increased to 25 in Denison. The company formerly had two general offices, one being in Fort Worth, but this was closed some time ago.

Only twelve miles more of track must be laid to complete the Fort Smith and Western railway into Wellika, I. T., which is more than half the distance from Fort Smith to Guthrie. A passenger train is to be put on at once on the completed portion of the line and six locomotives have been ordered.

The outlook for a settlement of the demands of Santa Fe conductors and trainmen for more wages is looking gloomy as both sides are becoming more determined as the conference continues.

Texas and Pacific east-bound passenger train No. 6, due here at 6:45 o'clock this morning, did not arrive until 1 o'clock this afternoon, as the result of a freight wreck near Sierra Blanca yesterday morning.

Advices from El Paso say that Sheriff H. A. McFarland was probably fatally hurt in the accident and Fireman Johnson was badly hurt. They were east-bound on a light engine, which jumped the track while going at full speed.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

It is reassuring to be told by our consultants that, whether overproduction should result from overstimulation of our industries or from diminished home consumption, the foreign markets are becoming more and more accessible to our goods, and that in even the remotest corners of the earth we are gaining subscribers.

CATLEMAN DECIDES IN FORT WORTH'S FAVOR

San Antonio Express: Earl Baldrige, who is heavily interested in live stock in Pecos county and also in the Creek country, is in the city for a few days. He comes back to Texas for keeps now and will locate at Fort Worth, having sold his residence at Wagoner. That city is more centrally located for his diversified interests, but he contends that he is going there because it is the center of cattledom, and arguments proved futile to convince him otherwise. Fort Worth people have always been a little foolish about that place, but the acquisition of her numerous railroads and the Swift and Armour plants is a practical demonstration of the fact that it pays to be foolish sometimes. Mr. Baldrige says conditions in Pecos county are quite as promising as they are anywhere else in the state, and nothing short of ruinous prices could make a cowman real and stay there.

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Estimate with us tomorrow; We have secured the Telegram Money Jar for tomorrow and for that one day only, will make special prices on Stoves, Ranges, Cutlery, Graniteware, Tinware and all Cooking Utensils.

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Our line of Cutlery is as fine as can be found in the city, and the prices quoted for tomorrow should not be overlooked.

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If you are in need of Tinware or Cooking Utensils you will do well by reading these prices carefully, as this will be the last chance you will get to buy the following at the prices they will be offered tomorrow—



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J. T. SMITHER OF NEW YORK IS ONE OF THE PURCHASERS
George B. Loving & Co. Managed Deal and John M. Scott Will Be Director of New Concern—Extensive Improvements Are Planned

Announcement was made in Fort Worth this morning of the sale of the Weatherford Water, Light and Ice plant to J. T. Smither of New York and other capitalists for \$65,000.

IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED
Extensive improvements are to be made at once in the plant and it will be extended to make of it a complete and up-to-date property.

OWNED IN NEW YORK
The Weatherford Water, Light and Ice plant is the only one of the kind in that city and furnishes the water supply and the lights for it.

PAVEMENT IS CERTAIN ON FIFTEENTH STREET
All but two property owners on Fifteenth street between the Jennings avenue viaduct and Main street are said to have signed for brick pavement on the street and work will probably begin as soon as the weather will permit.

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THREE RURAL MAIL CARRIERS WANTED

W. G. Gilbert, inspector of free rural mail routes for the postoffice department, will conduct an examination Saturday morning of applicants for positions as carriers on routes to be established out of Fort Worth.

THREE ROUTES PLANNED
Petitions have been presented for three rural routes out of Fort Worth.

PHONE EXCHANGE FOR THROCKMORTON STREET
The Fort Worth Telephone Company bought two lots at the northeast corner of Eleventh and Throckmorton streets yesterday from W. J. Bailey for \$5,500.

THREE STREETS COMPLETED
Mr. McElroy said this morning that the poles were up on three streets on the southside. They are Kentucky, Louisiana and Hattie streets.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Lillian S. Thompson to O. B. Quarles, lot 6, block 4, Goldsmith's sub-division, \$1,600.

NEGRO'S SCHEME TO MAKE MONEY
ESTABLISHES A COLONY OF HIS OWN RACE IN MEXICO
And Then Leaves Them—He Has Them Plant a Large Crop of Cotton—He Pockets Receipts and Then Ships Out

"That reminds me," said a house member yesterday in a group of men who were in a reminiscent mood and were telling stories before an Austin Statesman reporter.

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Weather Conditions

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BIG CROWD ATTENDS COLONIAL PARTY

The colonial party given by Annie Carter Lee chapter, Children of the Confederacy, last night in the rooms of the Confederate Veterans in the courthouse, was in every way a triumph for the young folks and the director, Miss Melton.

A new method of making alcohol by synthesis from acetylene has so alarmed the Society of Agriculture of the north of France that they have demanded that a high tariff be placed on the carburets which must be imported to make acetylene.

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# CZAR MAY DECIDE MEMBERSHIP OF TRIBUNAL

WILL PROBABLY BE ASKED TO NAME THREE VENEZUELAN ARBITRATORS

Washington, Feb. 25.—Mr. Bowen, the Venezuelan plenipotentiary has proposed to the allies that the czar of Russia be asked to name the three arbitrators who are The Hague tribunal shall decide the question of preferential treatment. The suggestion has been approved by the state department.

In diplomatic circles the announcement of the proposed compliment to the czar in connection with the Venezuelan affair is a subject of comment. The allies have not yet signified their acceptance of the suggestion, but this is regarded as well nigh certain.

Conte Cassini, the Russian ambassador, will not be officially informed of the fact until all the powers have agreed to the suggestion, when he will be asked to present the invitation to his sovereign. The ambassador evidently was placed on hearing of this renewed evidence of friendship for his country on the part of the United States.

# SERIOUS WRECK ON TEXAS AND PACIFIC

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 25.—A serious wreck occurred on the Texas and Pacific railroad ten miles east of Sierra Blanca Tuesday, resulting in probable fatal injuries to Engineer H. A. McFarland of this city and severe injuries to Fireman Johnson.

Large Cargo. Galveston, Feb. 25.—The big steamship Irak, measuring 5223 tons net and 12,000 dead weight, passed out of the harbor and across the bar for Liverpool, with nearly a \$1,000,000 cargo.

Child's Neck Broken. Haskell, Tex., Feb. 25.—The two-year old daughter of a Mr. Denson fell into a dry well and broke her neck.

Legislators Back at Austin. Austin, Feb. 25.—The legislators have returned from Galveston. They had an enjoyable time.

# TILLMAN CONTINUES ON INDIANOLA CASE

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Indianola, Miss., postoffice case occupied the major portion of the time of the senate Tuesday. Mr. Tillman spoke for three hours in continuation of his remarks begun Monday on the race question and was allowed by Mr. Carmack of Tennessee.

During the morning hour several bills and resolutions were discussed and consideration was given the bill to further provide for the safe keeping of public money on deposit in national banks. The agricultural appropriation was also considered and the committee agreements agreed to except the statehood rider, which was passed.

Assistant Commissioner. Washington, Feb. 25.—Francis A. Clark has been appointed assistant commissioner for China to the St. Louis exposition. He is an American originally from Memphis, Tenn., and one of the youngest commissioners of customs now stationed at the Chefoo.

No Official Confirmation. New York, Feb. 25.—The recent activity in St. Louis and San Francisco shares caused a general belief that control of the road had changed hands and the opinion in Wall street was that J. P. Morgan & Co. were the new owners. No official confirmation of these reports were obtainable Tuesday, however, at the banking house of J. P. Morgan & Co.

Result of Buggy Collision. Austin, Feb. 25.—As the result of a collision of their buggies on a public road a few miles from Austin, and an interchange of shots, Emil Ammann and the proprietor of the Montopolis saloon, are dead, and the officers are searching for a negro. Mr. Ammann had been to Austin to get a physician for his sick wife.

# NEW ORLEANS CARNIVAL ENDS IN BLAZE OF GLORY

New Orleans, Feb. 25.—The carnival closed in a blaze of glory. In point of attendance of strangers it has been the most successful ever held, while the pageants have been on a scale of great artistic splendor. The parade Tuesday night was the Mystic Krewe of Comus. Its title was "A Leaf from the Mahabharata" and it illustrated in twenty superb floats the great epic poem of the Hindus. The culminating society event of the season was the ball of Comus at the French opera-house.

That the gas engine, large or small, is developed to an efficiency at which it can rival the steam engine in reliability is now admitted.

1697 is the Number of Thos. Witten's undertaking parlors at 1108 Main street. Open day and night.

# DRAFT OF PROTOCOL SUBMITTED BY BOWEN

Washington, Feb. 25.—Minister Bowen submitted the draft of the protocol which he hopes will be signed by the allied powers, specifying the conditions under which The Hague tribunal will be called upon to settle the question of preferential treatment in the payment of Venezuela's indemnities to Judge Fenfield, the solicitor of the state department. After the latter had suggested a few changes Mr. Bowen submitted the document to the representatives of the allied powers. In its incomplete state the protocol, which will serve as a pattern for all three has not yet been made public, but it is understood that one interesting feature it probably will provide for is a conduct of proceedings at The Hague in the English language. Another feature of the protocol is that the arbitrators themselves, and not the signatories to the protocols shall select the facts upon which they shall base their decisions as to whether or not the preferential treatment shall be accorded.

# "BLACK HEART" SAYS HE FOUGHT BOB FITZSIMMONS

Enid, Okla., Feb. 25.—"Black Heart" the negro who was almost lynched here Monday night for having killed Jim Jones, a Kansas negro, in a saloon quarrel, in confession alleged that he is the pugilist who fought Fitzsimmons in 1891 and who fled in 1896 after having killed a man in California in a street fight. The prisoner is in abject fear of his life and stated in jail Tuesday that after committing the California crime he went to Cuba in 1896, but returned to this country in 1900. He was supposed to have died on the Pacific coast. Two weeks ago "Black Heart," who has been in the territory for some time, fought six rounds with a local man. All talk of lynching has subsided.

# PHILIPPINE CURRENCY BILL PASSES THE HOUSE

Washington, Feb. 25.—The house passed the Philippine currency bill, accepting the senate bill so far as it relates to the islands. The committee amendment striking out the international monetary conference was agreed to. The contested election case of Wagoner vs. Butler was under consideration for a time and the Democrats began a filibuster which they threatened to continue if the case is pressed. The case was withdrawn with an agreement that it is not to come up until Thursday.

TWO KINDS OF EASY MONEY. Some people organize turf investment companies and other unload common stock. There are all sorts of ways of separating the plain people from their savings.—Detroit Free Press.

# DEMOCRATS WILL CONTINUE THE FIGHT

WILL PUSH THE PASSAGE OF THE OMNIBUS BILL WITHOUT AMENDMENT

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Democratic senatorial caucus rejected the two-state proposition for the admission of new states submitted by the Republicans.

After the adjournment of the caucus the Democratic members of the committee met the Republican members of that committee who have been friendly to statehood. They decided to ask the chairman of the two committees on the postoffice and agriculture to withdraw the statehood riders which the committees have placed on two appropriation bills. They also decided to continue the fight for the omnibus bill as it came from the house without amendment, but not to antagonize appropriation bills or legislative business with it.

The Republicans have decided to present their compromise bill to the senate.

The indications are very strong that the question will receive very little if any more consideration during the session and even the best friends of statehood generally admit that there is no chance for success at this time. During the caucus speeches were made by Senators Clay, Bacon, Dubois, Simmons, Foster of Louisiana, Bate, Morgan, Pettus and others. All the speakers took positive grounds against the compromise proposition. At the same time they favored placing the future course of the party with reference to the statehood bill as such, and also as a rider in the hands of the Democratic members of the committee on post-offices. A Democratic senator, a member of the committee on territories, wrote the following, which after submitting to several of his colleagues he gave out for publication:

"The Democratic caucus rejected the proposed compromise statehood bill for the following reasons: "When Arizona and New Mexico were made territories their areas were established for ultimate statehood purposes, and all the interests and expectations of the people of the two territories have been in anticipation of the two states.

"It would be gross injustice to the people of both to join them in one state. From east to west as railroads must be built it will be 1500 miles across them. The proposed state would be as large as Texas and Texas is too large for convenient government.

"Many Democrats feel that the Republican fight for statehood has not been sincere, they having used the statehood bill as a buffer to prevent trust discussion and legislation. For Democrats now having stood almost a solid body for the admission of the three territories, to accept the proposed consolidation would be to have played into the hands of the Republican anti-trust cabal.

"The people of the Arizona are unanimously opposed to consolidation with New Mexico and the people of both the territories should be consulted.

"The provisions in the consolidation bill for ultimate separate statehood are a snare. The question of separation into two states must be submitted to the voters of the entire state and experience has taught that after the interests of one area have been consolidated as a single state a majority cannot be secured.

"The Democrats have stood for the statehood bill as it passes the house. They believe that each is entitled to statehood, and they have loyally stood by the Republican minority in their efforts to give them statehood; but they will not inflict the injustice that probably never can be repaired of forcing the people of the two territories into a state so large that it would forever continue a burden they should not bear.

# RUMOR THAT THE PANAMA OFFER MAY BE WITHDRAWN

Washington, Feb. 25.—A report was in circulation Tuesday night that if the Panama canal treaty is not ratified by March 4 the Panama Canal company will withdraw its proposition. It is also said Republican leaders are willing to vote on statehood bill provided it does not become effective until after next year's presidential election.

# Agreement Signed.

Washington, Feb. 25.—President Roosevelt has signed the agreement drawn under the terms of the Platt amendment for the coaling stations at Guantanamo and Bahla Honda, Cuba. The document is not a treaty, but is rather an agreement, therefore it will not be necessary to submit it to the United States senate, all that remains being for the navy department to do. Minister Squieres, who brought the agreement here, will return to Havana Tuesday by way of New York.

# Bold Bandit.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 25.—A robber entered the Woodward saloon, the most fashionable buffet in the city, and walking behind the counter took \$300 from the cash drawer and escaped. Zeke Solomon, the proprietor, attempted to stop him, but was thrown several feet by the thief, who dashed into the passing crowd and disappeared. At the time of the robbery the saloon was well filled with customers.

Less than half the children in the public schools attend Sunday school.

# What You Do Know and Don't Know.

That sense of satisfaction in eating Uneeda Biscuit comes from knowing what you don't know about ordinary crackers—there is no mystery about Uneeda Biscuit.

You know they are baked in a bakery scrupulously clean.

You know they are put up there in an air-tight package—the In-er-seal Package—which protects them on their journey to you.

You know they have not been handled by anyone but the man whose great interest in life is to make them good. Uneeda Biscuit appeal to all lovers of good, clean food.

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# NOTED POLITICAL LEADER STRICKEN IN NEW YORK

New York, Feb. 25.—E. Ellery Anderson, lawyer and political leader, died suddenly of heart disease at his home, aged sixty-nine years. Mr. Anderson was an Independent Democrat. He was one of the leaders of the "Anti-snap convention" movement in 1892, was receiver of the Union Pacific railway at one time, and held positions as director in other railroads.

# TEN THOUSAND ATTEND DENVER FAT STOCK SHOW

Denver, Feb. 25.—About 10,000 persons attended the first annual exhibition of the Denver Fat Stock and Feeder show at the stock yards Tuesday. There were about 1600 cattle on exhibition and the championship was awarded to a steer which was fed on sugar beets and alfalfa. The owner was D. R. G. Brown of Aspen.

# BRANCH HOUSE TO BE LOCATED AT MUSKOGEE

Muskogee, I. T., Feb. 25.—The chamber of commerce of Muskogee has closed contracts with representatives of the packinghouses of Armour, Cudahy, Swift and Nelson Morris, and each of the above firms will locate a branch house in this city this spring. They seemed to have reached an agreement to make Muskogee the central distributing point for Indian Territory and will build their warehouses here as soon as it is possible to do so.

# Monster Eagle Slain.

Chickasha, I. T., Feb. 25.—Henry Iretton, a farmer, killed a monster golden eagle on Winter creek, eleven miles east of Chickasha. The bird was a magnificent specimen, standing three feet high, with wings which measured eight feet three inches from tip to tip.

# Located at Fort Supply.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 25.—The bill locating the insane asylum at Fort Supply passed the senate by a vote of 8 to 1.

# Much Stock Drowned.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 25.—The river fell seven-tenths of a foot Tuesday, but farmers in the bottoms will not be able to move into their homes for another week. A great deal of stock has been drowned. It is estimated that the loss to corn in crib and growing wheat between this city and Paducah is \$100,000.

London's poor devils are cockneys; ours are foreigners.

# ANOTHER PIONEER.

Bright's Disease and Diabetes Are Positively Curable.

When the San Francisco business men were investigating the Fulton Compounds they heard that Dr. C. D. Zeile had both Bright's Disease and Diabetes, and was given up as incurable, and they waited on him and got him to take it. Now for the sequel. This letter was written 9 months later:

"528 Pacific St., San Francisco, Sept. 7, 1901. "Dear Sirs: I have conducted my own pharmacy on my own property on Pacific St. for forty-eight years, hence my associates number some of the best old school physicians. I had chronic Bright's Disease and Diabetes of long standing, which got so serious that in October the judgment of my medical friends was that three months would see the end. We all looked upon the mere suggestion of a cure as empirical and visionary. But I yielded to the earnestness of the parties, and the insistence of one of my family, and went on the Fulton Compound for Bright's Disease as a test. The first week I improved, but thought it a coincidence. But every week thereafter the improvement continued. The time for the fatal end passed and I was still growing stronger. This continued till July, when the last trace of both albumen and sugar disappeared. I suppose I have given the Compounds to a dozen, and they all rejoiced favorably. However unreasonable it may appear, my cure has been four. If those interested care to call at my drug store I will be glad to tell all I know concerning this important matter. The discovery is second only in importance to the discovery of a cure for consumption.

"CARL D. ZEILE."

Medical works agree that Bright's Disease and Diabetes are incurable, but 87 per cent. are positively recovering under the Fulton Compound. (Common forms of kidney complaint and rheumatism offer but short resistance.) Price \$1 for the Bright's Disease and \$1.50 for the Diabetic Compound. John J. Fulton Co., 625 Montgomery street, San Francisco, sole compounders. Free tests made for patients. Descriptive pamphlet mailed free.

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# THE BLOOD The MAINSPRING of HEALTH

The most wonderful part of our being is the blood. It is the fountain of life, the vital life-sustaining fluid, containing everything needful for the growth and development of the body, and as it circulates through the system carries material for the making of bone and muscle and nourishment for the nerves and tissues. Every atom of the body is dependent upon the blood for its existence. The bones would decay, muscles shrink and the skin become parched and shriveled but for the nutriment they draw from the blood, and so long as it remains uncontaminated and pure we are fortified against disease and health is assured. But the blood is constantly exposed to poisonous elements from a thousand sources; we come in contact with infectious diseases almost every day; we breathe into our lungs the germs of Malaria; the water we drink is teeming with millions of microbes, the dust of the streets is filled with bacteria, and when these gain access to the blood are distributed to all parts of the system and the blood becomes a carrier of disease instead of health. Deadly poisons are generated within the body itself, which pollute and vitiate the blood, from which serious and often fatal maladies result.

There is scarcely a disease that cannot be traced to a bad condition of the blood. Rheumatism, Scrofula, Catarrh, Eczema, Tetter, Acne, Contagious Blood Poison and many other equally as distressing ailments are due to a depraved condition of the blood, for which there is no cure except through the purification of the entire blood system. Sores and skin eruptions of the most frightful character, ugly blotches upon the skin, blackheads, pimples and the red disfiguring bumps so often seen upon the face and neck are also evidences of diseased blood. The use of cosmetics, face bleaches, soaps and lotions hide the blemishes and conceal for a time the roughness and redness of the skin, but do not reach the cause, which is hidden deep down in the blood and beyond the reach of external treatment.

The blood is the main spring of health, the life current that strengthens and refreshes the body, and upon its purity depends your health and happiness. If disease has already entered and you are suffering from some malady for which an impure blood is responsible, a blood purifier and tonic is what you need, and none is so good as S. S. S., which for nearly fifty years has been recognized as the standard remedy in all blood and skin diseases. It is guaranteed purely vegetable and can be taken by old and young without fear of any harmful after-effects. S. S. S. is a perfect blood medicine; it destroys and eradicates germs and poisons of every description and restores to the weak and innutritious blood its lost properties, makes it rich and strong again, and under the vitalizing effects of good blood the system rallies, and the patient enjoys again the blessings of perfect health.

If you have Rheumatism, Scrofula, a Sore or Ulcer, Catarrh, Eczema, Tetter, Acne, Contagious Blood Poison, or blood trouble of any kind, write us and our physicians will advise you without charge.

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# CURRENCY BILL IS LIKELY TO PASS

Washington, Feb. 23.—Special.—The present congress has not shown any disposition to enact currency legislation, and had it not been for the persistence of Representative Fowler of New Jersey the house would never have agreed to even consider the currency bill bearing his name, which was brought forth after much effort upon the part of the banking and currency committee. Knowing that the bill or anything like it could not become a law, members of the house did not care to put in time talking about it or trying to amend it. The fact is it is only such measures as seem almost imperative that get any attention these days in the house. The Fowler bill has been the subject of discussion in the financial journals and in banking circles. It is rather an interesting fact that, while all this kind of work was being done on the house side, Senator Aldrich comes along with a measure which is likely to be enacted into law, as it is the only financial legislation that can pass at this session.

It is expected that before this congress adjourns provision will be made for a monument to John Smithson, the founder of the Smithsonian institution. Away back in 1838 Smithson bequeathed to the United States \$515,169, his entire fortune. He made the bequest to repay in part the damage which his family had inflicted upon America. Smithson is the family name of the marquis of Northumberland, and this family was the most vigorous in carrying out the policy of oppression and afterward the cruelties of war against our people during the Revolution. That he has made recompense for those wrongs is evident to any one who has considered what has been accomplished by the institution of science and learning founded by the fortune of John Smithson. A monument to him would be very appropriate.

## Cutting Off Illustrations.

Representative Gillett of Massachusetts has persisted in his work as an economist, and the result is that we shall not have as many illustrated reports as has been the custom. As a matter of fact, these pictures ought to appear in private publications. During the debate on Gillett's amendment to prevent wasting money on illustrations he called attention to the publication of pictures marking the boundary between the United States and Mexico. "Here is a volume," said Gillett, "containing nothing but pictures, each picture having upon it as a central feature one boundary post. The first one is marked No. 1, and the last one is marked No. 258, all practically alike, differing somewhat in the mountains or villages or cats or dogs and horses that are put in to make it a pretty picture."

"What would such a book as that be worth now," asked Representative Lacey of Iowa, "if we had it, printed a hundred years ago, containing illustrations of the boundary between Alaska and the United States?"

"Why, it would not be worth anything," answered Gillett. "It would not locate a single stone, because you cannot by the picture tell where it is. It is simply the picture of a monument."

"If my friend will allow me," said Joe Cannon, "I will suggest that that line was never surveyed, so that it would be like the picture of a hole."

## The President's Salary.

Probably if the wave of prosperity continues there will be an increase in the salary of the president. A great many men in congress have come to the conclusion that the president does not get salary enough. A discussion was started about the expenses of the White House, the cost of entertaining, etc., and when it became known that this expense was nearly all borne by the president it dawned upon many members of congress that \$50,000 a year was really inadequate pay for the chief magistrate of the greatest nation on earth. Some of those who first criticized the presidential expenditures have veered around to the position that it would be a good thing to double the salary in order that he might live well, entertain in a befitting state and yet have something for the future.

## Big Men From Idaho.

Considerable curiosity has been shown in the personality of Senator Ellet Heyburn of Idaho because he is the largest man who has come to the senate in a long time. He weighs 329 pounds and takes up a lot of room.

## Dietrich's Philippine Book.

Senator Dietrich of Nebraska has published a book on the Philippines. One day he took the floor on the statehood bill, spoke a short time on the Philippines, asked and obtained permission to publish tables and extracts regarding the Philippines, with the result that in a few days there appeared in the Record eighty-two wide columns of Philippine affairs. He left nothing untouched, but completely cleared up the subject. He gleaned everywhere, taking in all manner of data from the congressional investigations, from the war department reports and from every other possible source.

ARTHUR W. DUNN.

## MINERAL WATERS

For your health's sake drink mineral water—Crazy, Gibson, Toga and Millard. Phone 315. A. B. Moore, sole agent, 212 Main street.

# LITTLE ADS THAT BRING BIG RESULTS

## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Two salesmen in each state; \$5. and expenses; permanent position. Penick's Tobacco Works Co., Penick, Va.

WANTED—A baker at the Eagle Bakery, 715 South Main street.

WANTED—Your laundry. Shirts 8c, collars 1 1/2c, cuffs 1 1/2c. Cheapest rate on family laundry. Cavette's Cut Rate Laundry, 1002 Houston street. Phone.

WANTED—The man I cannot fit with one of my \$12.50 suits or \$4.50 pants; made by union tailors. R. E. Cavette, Tailoring, 1002 Houston.

\$7 A DAY is what our agents make; the most general proposition on the road. You need at least \$25. Don't bother me if you have not that amount. Call 10 to 2, Room 2, 511 1/2 Main street.

WANTED—Five newspaper solicitors at The Telegram. See Mr. Calkins.

INTELLIGENT MAN to call on business and professional men; permanent position and good pay. Manager, Box 78, Philadelphia.

WANTED—Men and women to learn barber trade; eight weeks completes; positions guaranteed; tuition earned while learning; write for particulars. Moler's Barber College, Dallas.

FORT WORTH EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—R. M. OWEN, PROPRIETOR, 1011 MAIN STREET. PHONE 345.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

DON'T WORRY about your servants. We furnish best help free. Phone 839-4 rings. Office, 106 West Eleventh.

NURSES' TRAINING SCHOOL, Pueblo, Colo.; six weeks' course; diplomas; opens April 1. Write.

## SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper, shipping clerk, collector or clerical work by married man. Best references. W. G. Hilslop, 511 1/2 Main street.

## MISCELLANEOUS

FURNITURE—Bought, sold, exchanged or stored. Best stock, best prices and best terms always. At Six-Graves, 302-4 Houston street. Phone 998-2 rings.

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THE FERRELL STORAGE CO.—1412 Houston street. Expert piano movers. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call them up. Telephone 281.

FURNITURE BOUGHT—Or we exchange new for old; easy payments; we also repair furniture. R. H. STANDLEY, Third and Houston.

STEAM RENOVATING WORKS—Carpets, Rugs, Feathers and Mattresses renovated. Scott's Renovating Works, Phone 167-1R.

REPLACE MIRRORS, pay cash for second-hand goods and sell cheap for cash or on easy terms. N. A. Cunningham, 466-8 Houston street.

FINE PASTURE for horses, \$1 per month, five miles east of city near Interurban railway. Inquire 125 S. Main street. W. H. Wilson.

FOR ALL kinds of scavenger work, phone 918. Lee Taylor.

DR. BROILES—Office and residence phone number 978.

## FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN ON DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, ETC.

TEXAS DIAMOND BROKERS, 414 Houston street. T. P. DAY, Manager.

\$25 to \$50 to loan on diamonds or plans; private money. Address B. L. D., care The Telegram.

LOANS on farms and improved city property. W. T. Humble, representing Land Mortgage Bank of Texas, Board of Trade building.

BUILDING loans, loans for improvements, and to extend Vendors and Mechanics' lien notes. E. E. Solomon, attorney at law, room 21, Dundee building.

MONEY TO LOAN on small farms and ranches by the W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Co., corner Seventh and Houston streets.

LOANS—\$500 or more on farms, improved city property and for building. I can invest your money safely in interest-bearing notes. J. F. WELLINGTON JR., Board of Trade Building, Phone 827.

## EDUCATIONAL

W. W. HEATHCOTE, M. A., School of Education, Oratory and Dramatic Art. 403 and 405 Houston street.

## SEWING MACHINES

NEW HOME, Domestic, White and Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machines. T. P. DAY, 414 Houston street.

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M. S. WALLER—Architect and superintendent. 808 Main street. Super 1769. Rooms 11-12, Columbia building.

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CORNICE WORKS—T. Coughlin, manufacturer of Galvanized Iron Cornice and Corrugated Casters. Window blinds, Caps, Finials, Sky Lights, Tin, Slate Caps, Finials, Sky Lights. Also Fire and all kinds Metal Roofing. Also Fire and Warm Air Heaters a specialty. 1409-1411 Jennings avenue. Phone 698-4r.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Restaurant and short order stand, 307 West Weatherford street.

ONE FINE NEW UPRIGHT GRAND Piano, cost \$375, at \$240, on payments. Two new sewing machines, half price, on payments. Above taken under mortgage. Mechanics Loan Co., 706 1/2 Main street, Room 3.

A NEW SHOP-MADE hack for sale, 1015 Houston street.

FOR SALE—4-room house, \$250, if sold at once. John Burke, 109 E. Fourth st.

GET your Blank Books, Stationery, Toys and Fancy Goods and Sheet Music at Carruthers' Book Store.

FOR SALE—Fifty feet east front, Tucker Hill. Call 415 East Third.

FOR SALE—A square piano, as good as new; will be sold for storage. DARRAH STORAGE COMPANY, 1601 Houston street. Phone 65.

SIX PHOTOS AND ONE PHOTO BUTTON for 15 cents. Children under 6 years, 10 cents extra. Rains' Tent, corner Ninth and Houston streets.

FOR CORD WOOD, stove and heater wood, call up John Toole. Phone 525-4 rings. Fourteenth and Throckmorton streets.

O. K. CREAMERY BUTTER—Fresh every day. 903 Houston street. Phone 991.

VISIT Mexican Curlo Store and Museo scope parlor for ladies and gentlemen, now open. Front street, near Main.

TRY ONE BOTTLE Dr. Brown's Blood Purifier and you will be surprised what it will do. Ask your druggist for it.

WATERMAN'S "IDEAL" FOUNTAIN PENS. CONNER'S BOOK STORE, 707 Houston street, Fort Worth, Texas.

## FOR RENT

H. C. Jewell Sr. and H. Veal Jewell, H. C. JEWELL & SON, The rental agents of the city, 1000 Houston street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished, large south rooms, suitable for either couple or several young men. With or without board. Apply to Mrs. J. A. Thomas, 511 1/2 Main street.

FOR RENT—New 2-story 8-room house, with bath; all modern conveniences. Corner Wheeler and Dargott avenues. No. 309. Apply 405 Henderson street.

McCLUNG & JEWELL, Real Estate and Rental Agents. All kinds of property for sale or exchange. 107 West Ninth.

STENOGRAPHERS—We have a good stock of typewriters for rent. LYERLY & SMITH, 506 Main street.

## PERSONAL

WANTED—The man I cannot fit with one of my \$12.50 suits or \$4.50 pants; made by union tailors. R. E. Cavette, Tailoring, 1002 Houston.

W. C. BALLEW, Expert Watchmaker and Diamond Setter. 409 Main street.

DILLARD & PRESSLEY, Cabinetmakers, furniture repairing, upholsters and refinishers. Mirror plating. Phone 727-2 rings, corner Jennings and Texas.

I AM EXTENDING my business and must have second-hand goods to meet the demand of my installment and rental customers. I also exchange new goods for old and, therefore, will pay more for second-hand furniture and stoves than any other dealer in the city. IXL Second Hand Store, corner First and Houston streets. Phone 1329.

REPAIRING first-class sewing machines and bicycles. T. P. DAY, 414 Houston street.

DR. D. H. HARRIS, Dentist, Columbia building, Seventh and Main.

MRS. JENNIE M. RYAN—Spiritual medium and psychometrist; readings daily, 415 East Third, corner of Grove.

HUGH H. LEWIS, corner Thirteenth and Main—Closing out heating stoves at actual cost to make room for ice boxes and refrigerators. Phone 396.

DR. H. D. GROVE, dentist, careful and conscientious work. Room 9, over Parker's drug store.

DR. J. F. GRAMMER, Dentist, 506 Main street, over Mitchell's jewelry store.

TEETH—For a few days longer I will make best artificial teeth at \$4.50 a set. DR. DANIELS, 703 1/2 Main.

DR. TAYLOR (Colored)—Specialist in genito-urinary diseases. 112 W. 11th st.

A. R. EMBREY, carpenter and builder, 208 West Second street. Phone 684. Job work a specialty.

DR. GARRISON, Dentist. The best is cheapest. Corner Fourth and Main streets. Phone 729-4 rings.

YOU CAN'T GET AROUND IT—Washing must be done. The linen must be properly laundered—washed and ironed—that is not all. You want the best work; want it done promptly without damage and with the least possible inconvenience to yourself. So just refer the whole matter to the Natorium Steam Laundry. You will be satisfied. Just try it. Phone 176. 103 East Belknap street.

## WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—At once, good sound horse, on terms. Apply 1824 College avenue.

WANTED—50 sets second-hand furniture. J. S. Morris, 1204 Houston.

## SPECIAL NOTICES

ATTENTION Royal and Select Masters—The council of Royal and Select Masters attendant to Fort Worth chapter, No. 58, will meet at 7 o'clock Thursday evening, Feb. 26, for the purpose of work. Excellent Commander Sam T. Coonan of Dallas and members of Dallas council will confer the degree. It is expected that Dallas council will attend in a body. After the work a banquet will follow. All Royal and Select Masters are earnestly requested to be present on this most interesting occasion. A. R. SCHULTZ, W. H. FIELDS, T. I. G. M. Secretary.

DR. C. J. MCCORMICK—Dentist. Best work and best prices. Corner Third and Main streets.

S. S. SHEPARD, merchant tailor—Cleaning, pressing, repairing and dyeing a specialty. 1115 Houston street.

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NELSON TAILORING COMPANY—We have the prices and the goods on easy payments. 1268 Main street.

GET THE ENTERPRISING carriage works prices before going elsewhere. 1015 Houston.

PHONE 501 and call for Arthur Woodard when you want a hack.

C. BELLING—Teacher of instrumental music. Piano, violin and special courses for mandolin and guitar. Second floor Masonic Temple, Second and Main streets.

TOM FINNIE will send that white hack for your wedding and the black one when you die. Tel. 183.

TO BE MARRIED in Fort Worth you must get the best carriages. You will find them at Purvis & Colp's stable, phone 86.

EVERYTHING new at JOE DIEHL'S CURIO AND NOVELTY STORE, corner Eighth and Houston.

FOR THE BEST the market affords and cooked in way to make you enjoy what you eat, try Mason's restaurant, near Tenth and Main sts.

W. T. LADD TRADING CO. for your furniture, stoves and all kinds of household goods. Easy payments. 912 Main street.

DON'T FAIL TO TRY Dr. Brown's Great Kidney Pills, the best in the world. For sale by all first-class retail and wholesale druggists.

## BUSINESS CHANCES

"THIS BEATS NEW JERSEY"—Charters procured under South Dakota laws for a few dollars. Write for corporation laws, blanks, by-laws and forms to PHILIP LAWRENCE, late Assistant Secretary of State, Huron, S. D.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—New Columbia disc graphophone and twelve records, value \$30, for horse. Call or address 618 Burnett street.

FOR EXCHANGE—A country stock of general merchandise, no millinery or fixtures, but all clean, solid, up-to-date salable goods, less than 18 months old, involving about \$11,000; open for full investigation. Will have to be removed. Owner wants small part cash, but will assume some on good property; balance good town property or farm land. Address, giving full particulars of what you want to trade, to Brown & Co., 414 Hall Building, Kansas City, Mo.

OF INTEREST to the investing public. We pay cash dividends each week on investments placed with us; your money always subject to your control; highest references furnished from investors; special interest to saving bank depositors and persons desiring investments; we are an established success. Write B. R. Gornito & Co., Norfolk, Va.

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ATTERBERRY HOTEL, Carpendon, Tex. Located northwest of depot. Rates, \$1.50 to \$2 per day. First-class accommodations to traveling public. Free sampleroom in connection.

NEW ARLINGTON HOTEL, Weatherford, Texas—Near all depots. Rates \$1, \$1.50. B. R. WOMACK, proprietor.

RILEY'S HOTEL, formerly Hotel Good. Sample-room free. Rates \$2 per day. J. C. RILEY & SON, proprietors, Childress, Texas.

HOTEL BOWIE, BOWIE, TEXAS—W. E. Kain, proprietor. Rates \$2 per day. The best conducted hotel in the city. Convenient to depots and business center. Large sample rooms.

THE BELLEVUE HOTEL—J. H. Stroud, proprietor. Rates \$1.50 per day. One and one-half blocks from depot. All departments first-class. A trial solicited.

THE MANSION HOTEL—C. F. Somerville, proprietor. Rates \$1 per day, meals 25 cents. Free bus to and from all trains. Special attention paid to home-seekers. Wichita Falls, Texas. Best rooms in town.

VERNON, TEX., CITY HOTEL—One block from business center; accommodations first-class. All departments supervised by Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lindly. Props.

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DECATUR, TEX., CITY HOTEL—One block from business center; accommodations first-class. All departments supervised by Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lindly. Props.

BOWIE, TEX., NATIONAL HOTEL—Everything new except the name; in business center; fine cuisine and polite attention. Rates \$2 per day. T. J. Robertson, proprietor, formerly of Vernon, Texas.

## FURNITURE REPAIRED

GLOBE FURNITURE CO. buys, sells, REPAIRS. 300 Houston street.

In Berlin an "anti-tip society" has been formed, and branches are to be started all over Germany. The object is to do away with "tipping."

## PALMISTRY

THE ST. ELMO SCIENTIFIC PALMISTS are located in the storeroom, 300 Main street. Don't miss having your hand read by the noted palmist. Here a short time only. Readings, 20 cents.

## REAL ESTATE—INVESTMENTS

T. A. CAMBRON AND T. VALENTINE (Attorney at Law), comprising the firm of T. A. Cambron & Co., Real Estate, Loan and Rental Agents, 290 Main street, are pushing their business and respectfully solicit your patronage in their line.

GEO. W. PECKHAM & CO., Real Estate, 310 Hoxie Building. We have a good line of customers and it will pay you to list your property with us at once.

LOTS FOR SALE—For small payments down and balance to suit purchaser. Selbold Loan Company, Room 314, Wheat building.

66,000 acres of land in La Salle county, Texas, at \$2.00 an acre. W. H. Graham & Co., Cuero, Texas.

REAL ESTATE & RENTAL AGENT—Notary public. Pension claims a specialty. James McNamara, corner Fourth and Rusk streets.

WHERE A HOG WOULD THRIVE—YEA, HE WOULD MULTIPLY. 175 acres, 9 miles from Fort Worth, on turnpike road, 1 1/2 miles from good railroad town, on banks of prettiest stream of everlasting water in Tarrant county, 100 acres rich valley land in cultivation, 50 in timber, 2 in orchard; 7-room residence, 3-room tenant house, barn, etc.; all well and windmill; fenced and cross-fenced; \$25 per acre. Think about that price. ROSS & BUCHANAN, Land Title Building.

PHONE 501 and call for Arthur Woodard when you want a hack.

C. BELLING—Teacher of instrumental music. Piano, violin and special courses for mandolin and guitar. Second floor Masonic Temple, Second and Main streets.

Or Come to See Me. I might have just what you want. I am satisfied I have. C. L. SMITH, Real Estate and Loans, Fort Worth, Tex. Phone 1567, 610 Main St.

W. M. MASSIE—General land agent. Panhandle and western lands only. The central plains a specialty. More than twelve years as surveyor and land agent at Floydada, Floyd county, has acquainted me well with the beautiful plains and northwest Texas in general. Home office, Floydada, Texas; branch office, Room 507 Hoxie building, Fort Worth, Tex.

LEWIS & POWELL—602 Main street, Scott-Harold building. Phone 1849. RANCH—12 miles from Fort Worth we have a bargain in 650 acres of fine prairie land. About one-third is fine black agricultural land; balance has heavy turf of mesquite and sedge grass. It is all fenced and cross fenced. Abundance of water on the place. We consider this land a snap at \$11 per acre.

We can build you a home in North Fort Worth on very easy payments.

ON EAST SIDE—Corner 60x100, east front, with five-room house, convenient to car line and business part of city. Price, \$900.

FOR INVESTMENT we have a fine new seven-room modern cottage, on Jennings avenue, rents for \$25 per month. Price, \$1,900.

ON SOUTHWEST SIDE—Two houses on very large lot, in fine neighborhood, rents for \$25 per month. Price, \$2,000.

ON QUALITY HILLS—Vacant lot, 50x150, east front, back to 60-foot street. Price, \$350.

ON HOUSTON STREET—Nicely located business property. Price, \$4,000. This is a snap.

WE HAVE a bargain in one of the best lots on Main street. Call and see us. LEWIS & POWELL, 602 Main street, Scott-Harold Building. Phone 1849.

A. N. EVANS & CO., Real Estate, Loan and Rental Agents.

Bargains in City Property. AN ELEGANT two-story frame residence of eight rooms, lot 100 feet front, with water, bath, barn, fences, etc. Price, \$3,000; terms \$500 cash, balance to suit.

NICE FOUR-ROOM frame cottage, South Side, good neighborhood. Price, \$850; \$100 cash and \$20 per month.

A NICE NEW eight-room frame residence on Jennings avenue, with all modern conveniences, two story barn, picket fence, all new. Price, \$1,900; one-third cash.

TWO-STORY brick building on Houston street, well located and rented. Price, \$5,500; good terms.

THE PRETTIEST vacant lots in the city, in the Goldsmith addition, lying between Jennings avenue and Main street. Priced from \$250 to \$350. Also lots in the Emory College addition, from \$200 to \$350 per lot; terms one-fourth cash, balance one, two and three years.

WE HAVE money to loan for building purposes. If you desire to build see us. A. N. EVANS & CO., 706 Main street.

CHEAPER THAN RENT—5-room frame house, corner lot, 50x100, east side, \$1,250; \$150 cash and \$15 monthly.

A snap in 8-room modern new residence, corner lot, 65x100 to alley; close in on west side; price \$5,000; easy terms.

Over 2,000 residences in the city to sell. You can certainly get a bargain out of this number.

Acres of property on South Main street at prices that 50 per cent profit is a certainty. We can sell you acreage near packing-houses at about what lots are worth.

M. L. CHAMBERS & CO., 509 Main street.

CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS Original and Only Genuine. SAFE. Always reliable. Laxative, not purgative. For CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PILLS in RED and Gold metallic boxes, sealed and tamper-proof. Take as directed. Beware of cheap imitations. For particulars, testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," see circulars in every drug store. Sold by Druggists. Circular sent in plain wrapper, on receipt of 2c. 50c or 10c boxes, 2c. Circular sent on request.

MEN AND WOMEN. Use Big G for

# SPECIAL Shoe Sale For Rainy Weather

There's no use wearing worn out shoes, when you can buy Shoes at these prices—

- Men's Victor Calf Shoes, solid leather, a special. . . . . 98c
- Men's Scotch Calf in plain or cap toe, a good one, at. . . \$1 50
- Men's Union Made Extra Heavy Sole, double stitched, \$1 98
- Men's Dress Shoes in box calf and vici kid, special. . . \$1 98
- A Fine Dress Shoe, vici or box calf, guaranteed as good as any advertised \$3.00 shoe, special. . . . . \$2 48

## Ladies Shoes

- Ladies' Kid Shoe, stock tip, solid leather, special. . . . \$1 35
- Our line of special \$1.48 has values up to \$2.00, but we will give choice at special price. . . . . \$1 48
- A beauty, made with dull kid top, bevel sole, very slightly special. . . . . \$1 98
- Velvet Kid in stock or pat tip, as good as you find priced at \$3.00, special. . . . . \$2 50

## Childrens Shoes

- Children's size, 5-8 solid leather, stock tip, at. . . . . 50c
- Children's size 8 1/2-11, solid leather, stock tip, at. . . . . 75c
- Children's sizes 11 1/2-2, solid leather, stock tip, heavy sole, at. . . . . \$1 00

These prices are within reach of everybody and every pair guaranteed to give reasonable wear. Let us sell you your Shoes and you will become our customer.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS,

# Knight Dry Goods Co

311-313 Houston St., Fort Worth, Tex.

## SETH HILL JURY IS DISCHARGED

### FAILS TO AGREE AFTER TWENTY HOURS DEBATE OVER CASE

Trial of Ellhu Foster, charged with Murder, is begun in Forty-eighth District Court—Anderson Damage Suit is Being Argued—But One New Case Filed Today

After being out about twenty hours, the jury in the case of Seth Hill, the young negro boy from Belville, whose trial on a charge of criminal assault was concluded yesterday afternoon in the Forty-eighth district court, the jury disagreed and was discharged by Judge Dunklin.

In the Forty-eighth district court this morning, Thomas Jefferson, colored, pleaded guilty to forgery of the name of A. Dent, and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

This afternoon the case of Ellhu Foster, charged with murder, was taken up, and at 2:30 the work of selecting a jury had commenced.

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT COURT In the damage suit of T. M. Anderson against the Cameron Mill and Elevator



## DUNLAP HATS

### SPRING OPENING

## WASHER BROS.

Century Building Eighth and Main

ACCREDITED AGENTS FOR FORT WORTH, TEXAS

Company, arguments before the jury were still being heard this afternoon.

### COUNTY COURT

In the county court this morning Nannie Shepard pleaded guilty to theft and was fined \$1 and sentenced to one day in jail.

### ONE SUIT FILED

But one suit was filed in the district court, and that was a suit begun by H. C. Scott vs. the Fort Worth Light and Power company, to appoint a trustee in place of one deceased.

### PRISONERS NOT TRANSFERRED

Jailor Roy has been expecting a penitentiary transfer agent all week to transfer a number of prisoners who have recently been sentenced, but he has not yet arrived and the prisoners are still in the county jail.

### CHARGED WITH THEFT

A case was filed in the county court this afternoon against F. L. Vincent, who is charged with the theft of a hand axe.

### INTERESTING, IF TRUE

You Can Try It For Yourself and Prove It

One grain of the active principle in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest 3,000 grains of meat, eggs or other wholesome food, and this claim has been proven by actual experiment which anyone can perform for himself in the following manner: Cut a hard boiled egg into very small pieces, as it would be if masticated, place the egg and two or three of the tablets in a bottle or jar containing warm water heated to 98 degrees (the temperature of the body) and keep it at this temperature for three and one-half hours, at the end of which time the egg will be as completely digested as it would have been in the healthy stomach of a hungry boy.

The point of this experiment is that what Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will do to the egg in the bottle it will do to the egg or meat in the stomach and nothing else will rest and invigorate the stomach so safely and effectually. Even a little child can take Stuart's Tablets with safety and benefit if its digestion is weak and the thousands of cures accomplished by their regular daily use are easily explained when it is understood that they are composed of vegetable essences, aseptic pepsin, dilute acid and Golden Seal, which mingle with the food and digest it thoroughly, giving the overworked stomach a chance to recuperate.

Dieting never cures dyspepsia, neither do pills and cathartic medicines, which simply irritate and inflame the intestines. When enough food is eaten and promptly digested there will be no constipation, nor in fact will there be disease of any kind because good digestion means good health in every organ.

The merit and success of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are world wide and they are sold at the moderate price of 50 cents for full sized package in every drug store in the United States and Canada, as well as in Europe.

Elg Slaughter One dozen \$5 photographs for \$3. Short time only. Guaranteed first-class. JOHN SWARTZ, 705 Main street.

HAVE YOUR SUIT CLEANED AT Gaston Bros., 908 Houston street.

## THE GRIP CROWDS HOSPITALS IN NEW YORK

### PATIENTS TO THE NUMBER OF 920 ARE CARED FOR — THE PRECAUTIONS TAKEN

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Crowded to its utmost capacity, Bellevue hospital is hardly able to care for patients. The epidemic of grip has brought the number of patients up to 920. Spring mattresses are used as temporary beds and every available inch of space is being used. So serious is the epidemic in Brooklyn that the health department sent a special warning to all keepers and janitors of public buildings, instructing them to use extraordinary care for the proper ventilation. A corps of inspectors has started to disinfect the courtrooms. This treatment may be extended to the school houses.

Twelve deaths from the grip were reported last week. Since January there have been forty-six deaths from the disease in Brooklyn, which the health officials consider an alarming record.

## THE COUNCIL TALKS ABOUT TELEPHONES

Telephones were the principal thing talked about at the regular meeting of the North Fort Worth council held last evening. The first telephone talk sprang up when the ordinance providing that all poles for any telephone or electric light or power or street car company, must be placed on corners of blocks or at places where blocks will be when the streets are run through, and when in place in front of any property must be on lot lines and eight inches distant from the sidewalk. The idea of the ordinance is to prevent telephone and other companies from putting poles directly in front of a man's gate or otherwise inconveniencing him.

J. F. Henderson of the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company was asked his opinion of the ordinance and said that it was not the policy of his company, at least, to put poles where they would inconvenience property owners. He said that usually a man was very glad to have a telephone pole in front of his property, just so it wasn't directly in front of his gate, because it was so handy for a hitching post. It was discussed informally by the members of the council and it was finally decided to have the ordinance prepared along the lines suggested and to be acted on at the next meeting.

The application for franchises by the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company, the Fort Worth Telephone Company and a third firm were presented, having been carried over from the last meeting. Amendments to the proposed ordinances providing for as many telephones as North Fort Worth may need (not to exceed ten) are to be furnished by each company receiving a franchise and also providing that in the twenty-five year franchise the companies are granted right to do business for the first ten years without taxation. After that time they may be taxed not to exceed 2 per cent of their gross earnings on phones in North Fort Worth. These amendments were carried.

The matter of appointing an assistant to Town Marshal Howell, who is ex-officio tax assessor, was discussed, but no appointment was decided.

## HISTORIC COLLECTIONS OF LATE PETER GILSEY SOLD

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Interesting items, theatrical, literary and political of the collection of the late Peter Gilsey have been sold at auction in this city. Among the items old and the prices fetched for them were the following: Autograph letter of George Ives of Great Britain, four pages, Carolina House, June-19, 1806, to Count Hardenbough, a German statesman, \$5.00. Autograph letter in pencil of U. S. Grant, headquarters La Grange, Nov. 4, 1862, to General C. S. Hamilton, \$27.50. A portrait of Nell Gwynne with Lamb, \$95. Autograph letter of Nathaniel Hawthorne, signed N. H., Liverpool, April 20, 1855, to Elizabeth Peabody, \$51. Autograph four-line poem of Oliver Wendell Holmes, signed by him, Boston, Nov. 28, 1864, \$10.50. Autograph letter of "Stonewall" Jackson, Contrads. Store, Virginia, April 21, 1862, sent by courier to General Ewell, \$20. A rare colored portrait of Thomas Jefferson, \$153. Autograph letter of Lady Hamilton, Richmond, Nov. 13, written probably shortly after the death of Nelson in 1805, \$55. A portrait of Jacob Hall, the rope dancer, \$40. Half length portrait of John Henderson, one of the few actors considered worthy of being buried in Westminster Abbey, mezzotone by J. Jones, after Gainsborough, London, 1783, \$80.

## ARIONS HAVE SOCIABLE TIME WITH AMPHIONS

Members of the Arion Club to the number of twenty-four accepted the invitation of the Amphion Club of Dallas to spend the evening with them and left on the Interurban in the special car Sagamore last night at 7 o'clock. The car was decorated with smilax for the occasion and during the ride over refreshments were served. The specially invited guests who accompanied the club from this city were W. C. Forbes, Henry Morris, O. J. Taylor, M. J. Kain, E. V. Dunn and Jacob Schreiner. The evening was spent profitably and very pleasantly. A feature was the singing of four or five numbers by the Arions. Another feature was the punch served by the hospitable Dallas folks. It was rare good punch and plentiful. The club members and their guests all got home safely and are around today. The Dallas club will return the visit at some time in the future.

## ANARCHISTS WILL MEET TO PLAN BUSINESS

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The Evening Telegram today prints a story to the effect that the anarchists all over the world are about to meet in secret convention in Paris to devise plans that may radically affect the crowned heads of Europe. All the preparations for the convention are carefully guarded, but the plans became known through the boastful talk of a youthful delegate to the conference up to 920. Spring mattresses are used as temporary beds and every available inch of space is being used.

This man is an Italian known as Angelo and Ruodph. He gave up his place Saturday, declaring he had been selected as one of five delegates from the United States to the convention. The Telegram says: "Far-reaching anarchistic plans are to be discussed and perfected at this world's convention. It is said, and it is even whispered that before the adjournment of the meeting details will be perfected and lots will have been assigned to men for deeds the full accomplishment of which may shape the destinies of the reigning houses of Europe."

The house, after a lengthy discussion, engaged its bill providing for the establishment of an agricultural bureau here at the capital in conjunction with the insurance department.

## CHILD FALLS IN BOILING SOAP

Oscar Pote, 4 1/2 years old, died this morning from burns received four days ago, when he fell in a kettle of boiling soap at his home, 1508 Jones street. The child was playing in the kitchen while soap was being made, and after the kettle full of it boiling hot had been removed from the stove to the floor he stumbled and fell into it. His body was scalded almost all over and he suffered terribly until death came this morning. The funeral took place at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

## ROOSEVELT SENDS IN SOME NEW APPOINTMENTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—President Roosevelt sent the following appointments to the senate today: Frank W. Campbell of Ohio, to be assistant attorney general. Melville W. Miller of Indiana, to be assistant secretary of war interior. To be postmasters in Texas: Henry J. Veltman at Brackettsville, William McMannis at Baird, Louis Wootte at Columbus, and Erwin W. Owens at Eagle Pass.

## AN EX-MAYOR ACQUITTED OF EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 25.—The trial of former Mayor Espinosa, which began last Friday in the charge of destroying the records of the city waterworks constituting it, is alleged to be the only evidence of extensive peculations and embezzlements, came to an end Tuesday when the jury, after an hour's deliberation, gave a verdict of acquittal.

## NOTED ALABAMA SURGEON KILLED BY RAILROAD TRAIN

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 25.—Dr. W. B. Davis, one of the most prominent physicians in the southern states, was run over by an Alabama Great Southern passenger train at the Twenty-fourth street crossing and instantly killed. He had a national reputation as a surgeon.

## SHREVEPORT CITIZENS STRING UP A NEGRO

Shreveport, La., Feb. 25.—Word has been received here of the lynching of a negro named Frank Brown at McDade, a station on the Shreveport and Red River Valley railroad about twelve miles from Shreveport. Mr. McDade and the negro had a dispute about work and a young man named Harvey Connell interfered. Brown shot him twice. Infructed citizens promptly lynched the negro. Connell was brought here for treatment. He is not badly wounded.

## Negro Shot to Death.

Griffin, Ga., Feb. 25.—Wm. Fambro, a negro, was shot to death on the outskirts of this city by a mob of men who fired on his house. Fambro's wife, who was in the house, escaped injury. The negro some time previously had been arrested on a charge of insulting a white woman and her child.

## COURTHOUSE BURNS AT MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI

Meridian, Miss., Feb. 25.—The courthouse of this, Lauderdale county, was totally destroyed by fire. It was a brick structure, erected in 1880 at an original cost of \$25,000. Since that time there has been expended \$15,000 in extensions. Many valuable records were lost. The building was partially covered by insurance.

## British Cruiser a Record Breaker

The new armored cruiser recently built for the British government is a record breaker, having developed the fastest speed of any vessel in her navy. In medicine, however, we have the record breaker in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Introduced over fifty years ago it has forged ahead until today finds it occupying the foremost position as a family remedy, and is used largely to the exclusion of all others. Don't fail to try a bottle, especially if you are weak and run down or suffer from poor appetite, heartburn, belching, nausea, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia or constipation. It cannot help but do you good, and if taken regularly will surely restore you to perfect health. The genuine must have our Private Stamp over the neck of the bottle. Beware all imitations.

## CONSIDER BILL TO DEBAR FAITH CURERS

### SOME OPPOSITION DEVELOPS IN THE SENATE AND ACTION IS DEFERRED

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 25.—The senate this morning passed finally the Frisco combination bill and postponed until Friday the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas consolidation bill, and made it a special order for that day.

It passed the bill preventing the operation of blind tigers in school districts and began the consideration of the medical bill, which debars from practice all save those of the accredited medical fraternity. This measure has aroused considerable interest throughout the state from the faith curers, Christian scientists and other faith practitioners, and they are here in force fighting the measure.

Considerable opposition to the measure developed in the senate this morning. A motion to postpone it indefinitely was discussed at length and finally withdrawn. At noon a proposition was adopted to defer action until next Friday. The house, after a lengthy discussion, engaged its bill providing for the establishment of an agricultural bureau here at the capital in conjunction with the insurance department.

## SPENT ALL HIS LIFE IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

From the San Antonio Express: George B. Loving of Fort Worth, who dropped dead on the street in that city Thursday, was one of the most widely known men who has ever been identified with the live stock business in Texas. He was not only known throughout the live stock raising and trading sections of the United States, but had an extensive acquaintance in Europe with capitalists who had investments in either lands or cattle in this country. George Loving may have had enemies, but they were few. He was about 52 years of age and his whole life had been spent in an honest, earnest effort to advance the live stock interests of his native state. He was distinctively a child of the plains and followed in the footsteps of his father, Abner Loving, who was mortally wounded by the Indians in 1868 at what is now known as Loving's Bend, on the Pecos river, while en route to Colorado with a herd of cattle. No more generous, lovable man ever ate at the chuck wagon or participated in the councils of cattlemen than George B. Loving.

## NEWS BUDGET FROM ROANOKE

ROANOKE, Texas, Feb. 24.—Miss Stella Shurtleff of Austin is visiting relatives and friends here for a few days. Miss Sallie May Dorris is on the sick list this week. Miss Jessie George left last night to visit relatives in Oklahoma City. Miss Ida Lee Cowan is the guest of her mother, Hon. S. H. Cowan of Fort Worth, this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cadd and E. C. Brand were in Dallas last week. R. L. Bowen, railway agent here, is on the sick list.

## A FREE TRIAL PACKAGE SENT BY MAIL TO ALL WHO WRITE

Free trial packages of a most remarkable remedy are being mailed to all who will write the State Medical Institute. They cured so many men who had battled for years against the mental and physical suffering of lost manhood that the Institute has decided to distribute free trial packages to all who write. It is a home treatment and all men who suffer with any form of sexual weakness, resulting from youthful folly, premature loss of strength and memory, weak back, varicocele, or emaciation of parts can now cure themselves at home.

## A BANKRUPT STOCK SALE

W. C. Stripling Offers the L-Shapira Stock at Bargain Prices, Beginning Saturday

The stock of clothing and shoes of L. Shapira, who was in business for a short while on lower Main street, was recently purchased by W. C. Stripling at 64 cents on the dollar, which is a fortunate purchase, as the goods are new and this year's styles. The people who attend his big sale Saturday morning will be equally as fortunate as Mr. Stripling, as he is going to put them on the market at bargain prices. Watch for the big announcement and prices in Friday's issue of The Telegram.

## FORT WORTH AS BLIND MEN SEE IT

The blind man who had been playing a hand organ bumped into another blind man who was sitting at the corner of Fifteenth and Main streets rather unceremoniously, but the one who was sitting in the patient attitude of a professional beggar did not seem to mind it. Instead he looked as if he had been expecting it, for he did not resent, but asked politely: "Going home?" "Yes," said the other. "I've done pretty well today. How are you doing?" "Fair," said the man who was sitting down. "I just came to this corner today, but I think it'll be a pretty good place when I get it worked up."

"Who are you working for now?" asked the man with the hand organ. "Mac," said the other. "I've been working for him ever since two weeks ago. I've done pretty well."

"How much did you get today?" said the man who had been bumped, after a pause. "About six," was the answer. "What did you do?"

"Only four and a few cents." Was the reply, and it was spoken so low that the listener had to lean forward to catch the words.

"Say, this town's easy, isn't it?" asked the man with the hand organ, after another pause.

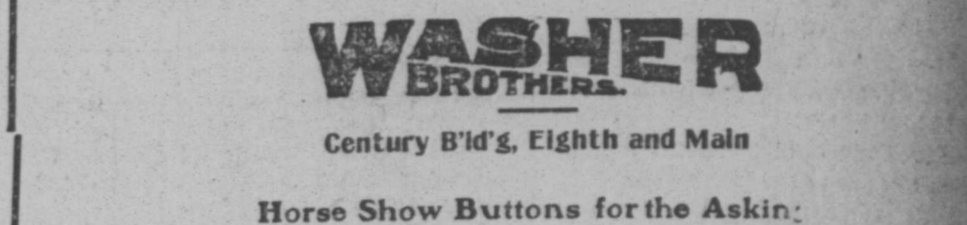
The other nodded and just then, hearing the footsteps of an approaching pedestrian, he relaxed into an attitude of pitiful helplessness and extended his hat in mute appeal, while the man with the hand organ slowly trudged up the street.

## The Reason Why

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## CHARTER COMMITTEE PREPARES NO REPORT

The charter committee of the city council held a brief meeting in the office of Mayor Powell at 11 o'clock this morning, but so far as could be ascertained this afternoon accomplished nothing definite. City Attorney Orrick's draft of a new charter was not read. It is said, and the time was spent in discussion of various points without any final decision on a report. No time was named for another meeting. Those present were Mayor Powell, City Attorney Orrick, Aldermen Moreland, Lehane, Henderson and Newby.

All members of the Young Women's Society of the First Baptist church are requested to meet in the parlors of the church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock on urgent business.

Sheriff Goodfellow of Coleman county is in Fort Worth today on official business. He is also the guest of his brother, County Surveyor Goodfellow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Matlock have returned from a trip to Washington and other eastern cities.

## SENT FREE TO MEN

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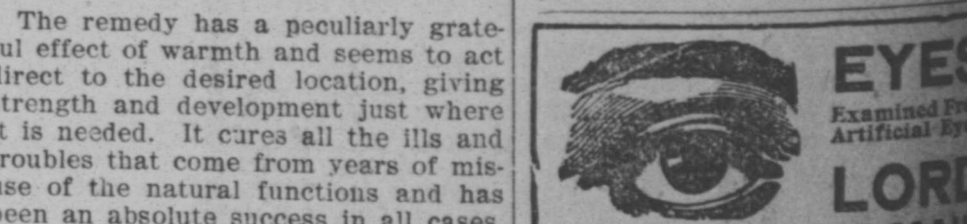
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Joseph Wharton of Philadelphia will build an addition to the University of Pennsylvania, costing \$200,000, for the accommodation of the school of finance and economy in that institution, which was founded several years ago. His total gift to the university has thus far amounted to over \$700,000.

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