

ROOSEVELT'S ATTITUDE IS HAVING ITS EFFECT

COLORED MEN IN MASS MEETING INDORSE THE PRESIDENT

HIS NAME IS CHEERED

THINK THEY SEE IN HIM SOME HOPE FOR THE FUTURE OF THE RACE IN AMERICA

WILL WORK FOR HIM IN 1904

Meeting Held in New York Presided Over by Bishop Derrick of the Methodist Church—Senator Tillman is Roundly Denounced for His Recent Speech in Congress—Roosevelt Clubs Will Be Formed among the Colored People Everywhere

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 6.—The attitude assumed by President Roosevelt toward the negro has been indorsed in a rousing mass meeting of colored people held in the Bethel Methodist Episcopal church in this city, at which Bishop W. B. Derrick of the First Methodist Episcopal district made a stirring appeal to his people to turn their eyes to the door of hope opened by the president to the black race. The mention of the name of the president by the speaker drew forth tremendous applause from both men and women. The bishop indulged in a bitter denunciation of Senator Tillman of South Carolina. The meeting constituted the first step toward the formation of the "Roosevelt societies," which organization will favor the re-nomination of President Roosevelt. Bishop Derrick will speak in Philadelphia on a similar mission and will address the colored men in many of the principal cities of the country and organize them into local "Roosevelt societies," who will use every effort toward placing the colored men as delegates in the next national convention. On the platform at the meeting was James H. Hayes of Virginia. During his speech Bishop Derrick spoke of the appointment of colored men to office by Grover Cleveland and other presidents, but said that, whereas these presidents appointed negroes, Roosevelt appointed men.

"Color is nothing," said the speaker, "never much more white men would help upon it. Why, there are colored men whom I would not allow in my kitchen, much less in my dining-room. Yes, and there are white men whom I would not allow in my kitchen either."

At the close of his speech the bishop offered the following resolutions, which were adopted amid cheers:

"Resolved, That in his excellency, the president, the Honorable Theodore Roosevelt, the liberty of the world has a most fervent defender, civilization a gallant representative, humanity a generous protector, the American nation a type of civil valor and heroic self-denial which ought to characterize the first magistrate of a republic.

"Resolved, That we recognize that the great and unfinished task of Lincoln has fallen into his hands and will be properly and successfully accomplished for the happiness and prosperity of the nation.

"Resolved, That we pledge ourselves from this time henceforth to use our influence for his nomination and election in the presidency in 1904.

"Resolved, That we form ourselves into an association to be known as 'Roosevelt societies,' recommending similar organizations to be formed throughout the country."

A BURGLARY CHARGE FOLLOWS THE MARRIAGE

(By Associated Press.)

OSWEGO, N. Y., March 6.—Alonzo Clark and Elizabeth Austin, aged 19, were married six weeks ago. They are now in jail here charged with burglary and larceny.

Mrs. Clark says that on the night of Feb. 5 her husband forced her by threats and fear of bodily harm to assist him in entering and robbing a store, at Hastings Center, near here. She says she dressed in man's attire and waited outside the store while he broke a window in the rear and went in. He signalled and she followed him through the window. She says she pointed out the most valuable goods and she held the bags and baskets while her husband filled them.

ROCKEFELLER HALTS IN HIS TRIP TO THE WEST

(Special to The Telegram.)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 6.—John D. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate and richest man in America, passed through Kansas City on his way from New Orleans to California. Mr. Rockefeller, with his wife, occupied George J. Gould's private car Atlanta. Another private car was devoted to the comfort of John D. Rockefeller Jr. and his wife. In a third car were Superintendent Gould of the Missouri Pacific and a force of clerks. During a stop here of more than an hour, Mr. Rockefeller took a carriage and drove about the city, stopping to call on Frank Rockefeller, a relative. The trip to California is being made on account of the health of the oil magnate, who is under the constant care of his private physician, who accompanies him.

WILL PLAY BALL IN NEW YORK OR "BUST"

THAT IS THE ULTIMATUM OF THE AMERICAN LEAGUE—A SITE IS SECURED

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 6.—The American League will play ball in New York the coming season according to its schedule, if it is compelled to mortgage every ground in its circuit.

This is the statement made by President Ban Johnson in the Fifth Avenue hotel, where the American League men held their spring meeting today. With Johnson at the time were Charles Comiskey of the Chicago club and Benjamin F. Shibe of the Philadelphia club. Mr. Johnson was requested to say whether he already had obtained a location for his park or whether it would be on Manhattan Island, or in the Bronx.

"We propose to wind up everything regarding the New York situation at this meeting," he said, "and the public, which has expected us to live up to every declaration we made, shall not be disappointed. As to the site for the park, it will be made known before the meeting is over. That statement stands, and there will be no further delay. None is necessary, as everything is arranged and we are about to begin the work of equipping our grounds, which will be ready for the first game of the season here in May, according to our schedule."

"THE MONROE DOCTRINE AN EMPTY PRETENSION"

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, March 6.—Professor Hans Von Delbruck of Berlin university, discussing the Venezuelan affair in the Preussische Jahrbucher, alludes to the "Pferdich nature" of the American policy and advocates an alliance between Great Britain and Germany, "which," he says, "would be the strongest coalition in the world, as while Germany covered Great Britain's rear against Russia and France, she could develop an overwhelming superiority toward the United States. Germany would have no need to fear the Franco-Russian alliance, because with Great Britain she would be sure of Italy's support, while Austria in her own interests would range herself alongside Germany."

"The Monroe doctrine is an empty pretension behind which is neither energetic will nor actual power." Thus Professor Adolf Wagner, the celebrated political economist of Berlin university, begins his reply to two questions submitted by a correspondent—Whether the Monroe doctrine was in a moral sense as binding as international law, and what action seems dictated first, in the interest of the German people, and then in the interest of the European nations?

"Scarcely could such a doctrine be forced upon a conquered people after extraordinary victories," continues the professor. "No people and no great ruler ever proclaimed such a doctrine. Neither England nor Russia, nor Napoleon at the height of his power, ever made a similar pretension. But not even the United States' predominant interests are behind this unheard-of assumption: South America is neither geographically nor historically so allied with North America and the United States as to justify such a pretension, even from a North American standpoint."

GETS FOUR YEARS FOR ROBBERING A POSTOFFICE

(Special to The Telegram.)

WACO, Texas, March 6.—The examining trial in the McFarland-Morris tangle was resumed this morning, but on account of the failure of the Oklahoma officers to arrive, was cut short. It was resumed this afternoon. Both men are out on bonds.

Charles Coleman this morning pleaded guilty to robbing the postoffice at Rockdale and was given four years in the penitentiary.

GOOD SHOOTING AT RIFLE TOURNAMENT

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 6.—Louis P. F. Ittel, of Allegheny City, who made the notable record of 2,458 last year out of a possible 2,500 points, duplicated that score in the annual rifle shoot tournament in progress at the Settlers' gallery here. Dr. Hudson of New York made the excellent score of 2,455. H. M. Pope of Springfield, Mass., and Louis P. Ittel each made three full scores of seventy-five on the ring target.

MAN SUICIDES ON NIGHT BEFORE WEDDING

(Special to The Telegram.)

HOUSTON, Texas, March 6.—August Groesche committed suicide by taking chloroform last night. He was engaged to marry Miss Effie Hale, the daughter of a prominent rice planter, today. He had loaned his savings to a Houston business man who defaulted in payment. He left a note to his bride-to-be, explaining everything.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS IN TELEGRAM TODAY

- The Fair, Women's Separate Skirts, page 3
- W. E. Stripling, Advertising the Shapira stock. Special prices on Shoes, and Dress Goods, see page 2
- The Famous, New Spring Shoes, page 8
- See puzzle top page 4
- J. E. Mitchell, a glad some welcome to all Fat Stock visitors, page 4
- Knight Dry Goods, new goods on sale at dollar stretching prices, page 6
- Turner & Dinger, butterine on page 5 and Vim on page 4
- Gernsbacher, special prices for tomorrow on household necessities, page 3
- A. & L. August, new spring suits and money jar, page 8
- Washer Bros., Dunlap Hats on page 6 and attractive bargains in Men's Wear, page 8
- Cromer Bros., a welcome to strangers to their jewelry store, see page 5
- Fakes, good things in Furniture, see page 6
- Columbia, new things in Furnishing Goods, see page 3
- H. E. Sawyer, good things to eat for the table, see page 6
- C. H. Lilly, Coal at best prices, page 4
- R. A. Anderson, twenty-six years in the drug business, page 8

RICHARDSON OUT FOR SECOND PLACE

TENNESSEE CONGRESSMAN THINKS HE IS GOOD VICE-PRESIDENTIAL TIMBER

(Special to The Telegram.)

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Representative James D. Richardson, minority leader of the house, will not be a candidate for re-election and it is not certain that he will not resign before the completion of his term in the fifty-eighth congress. In the closing days of this congress he is conceded will be the next democratic leader in the house, the honor of leading in the debate for his side.

Tennessee and other democrats, impressed by the marked ability with which Mr. Richardson has led the fight against the republicans in their unwarranted procedure of late, especially in the unseating of Butler, feel very much disposed to give to the Tennesseean some signal demonstration of esteem. Out of this feeling has grown an earnest movement which it is said will make itself felt in the next national democratic convention. It has taken the form of a distinct purpose which is no less than to urge Mr. Richardson for the second place on the national democratic ticket, whoever may be named for the first. Representative Moon of Tennessee, who has been active in behalf of his colleague, said today:

"In my judgment, and in that of a great many democrats that I know, a winning ticket would be Parker and Richardson—Judge A. B. Parker of New York and James D. Richardson of Tennessee. Both are men of irreproachable character and of distinguished ability. It would be a ticket that would unite the party in a most enthusiastic and I believe, victorious campaign."

STANDARD OIL FORCED FAILURE OF BOSTON FIRM

(Special to The Telegram.)

BOSTON, March 6.—State street got another taste of Standard oil methods when the failure of Turner & Brothers, bankers and brokers, was announced. The failure was caused by the demand of the Standard Oil crowd, through one of its Boston agents that Turner sell them control of the Massachusetts mine, a lake copper producer which is wanted by the Amalgamated Company for a fraction of its worth. Turner refused and was told he would be sorry. The stock was then selling at 18 1/2. Since then it was pounded to 9 1/2. Turner taking all offers till the banks refused him further loans. Then his suspension was announced. It was just as cold-blooded a holdup as though Turner and his associates had been forced to yield up their property at the point of a gun; just such methods as the Rockefeller and their associates used in securing control of the oil business of the country. That their agents have secured control of the property for a song is unquestioned. This is the second time Amalgamated has secured Boston mines in this way. It forced a panic, accompanied by many disastrous failures a few months back to get control of Boston and Montana and Butte and Boston.

ARMLESS MAN HOLDS UP BUTTE GAMBLING HOUSE

BUTTE, Mont., March 6.—One of the most unique methods of holding up that could possibly be imagined was perpetrated shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday morning, when C. Payne, an armless man, entered the gambling hall of the California Club, and with a 44-caliber revolver between his toes, compelled the dealers at one of the faro tables to give up \$5 which the crippled man had lost earlier in the evening.

When Payne stepped into the middle of the room and at the same time flourished the weapon at the end of his foot, gamblers and players scattered in a hurry. Police called to the place found Payne with a razor between the toes of the other. He was arrested without difficulty and placed in jail.

HOTEL FIRE IN WATERTOWN WITH NO FATALITIES

WATERTOWN, N. Y., March 6.—Fire today destroyed the Otey house, one of the largest hotels in the city and completely gutted numerous stores in the same block. The hotel was crowded with guests and many narrow escapes were reported. Had the fire occurred at night a large loss of life undoubtedly would have occurred. The total loss is \$200,000.

THERE IS FAMINE IN WOOD DOWN AT SAN ANTONIO

AUSTIN, Texas, March 6.—As freely predicted a week ago that should the present spell of weather continue, there would be a wood famine in San Antonio, that time has come and wood is selling today at \$7 per cord. The larger wood yards are getting their wood from Houston, while the smaller yards have gone out of business temporarily on account of the lack of fuel. Should a cold spell strike that city, there would be a great deal of suffering among the poorer classes, as all roads leading to San Antonio are empty and countrymen cannot get over there into the city with wood or even an empty wagon. A conservative estimate places the number of families without any kind of wood in their homes at one thousand.

PEACH CROP NOT BADLY HURT BY THE WEATHER

TYLER, Texas, March 6.—Many of our fruit growers have changed their views about the first report of the fruit crop to the effect that 90 per cent of the Elberta crop had been damaged by the cold weather two weeks ago. Since there have been a few days of sunshine they find that many of the buds are putting out that were thought to have been killed.

Mr. John Medlin places the damage at 50 per cent and expresses the opinion that half a crop will really give us better and larger peaches than a full crop, and the grower will realize more money out of it. The trees not being so heavily laden with peaches will afford the remainder of the crop a better opportunity to mature.

STRIKE COMMISSION HAS FINISHED ITS WORK

WINDOW GLASS MANUFACTURERS ARE IN BAD CONDITION

(By Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 6.—The Public Ledger says: "Never in the history of the window glass industry in this country, it is said, have manufacturers and jobbers been confronted with such a serious situation as at present. If the plans of a number of the leading producers to close down the factories temporarily is successful, it is said higher prices will be assured. While, if this fails, as is predicted, the most ruinous price war which was ever inaugurated will be a certainty. It is estimated that there is now in the hands of the workers about two million boxes of glass, one-half of which is in the warehouses of the American Window Glass Company."

SUMMARY OF THE FINDINGS OF THE PRESIDENT'S ARBITRATORS

TEN PER CENT RAISE

INCREASED PAY FOR MINERS TO TAKE EFFECT FROM TIME THEY RETURNED TO WORK

NEW SYSTEM FORPAYMENT

Men Will be Paid by Weight Instead of by Car—There Will be Indirect Recognition of the Union—Cause of Strike Given is Not Comforting to the Operators—On the Whole It is a Decided Victory for the Workers

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 6.—The following is a summary of the findings of the coal strike commission, appointed by President Roosevelt, which it is expected will be handed to the president within a week:

There will undoubtedly be at least a 10 per cent advance in the pay for miners, to take effect from the time the miners returned to work last October. The per diem employees will not have their wages increased, but be recommended for the same pay for a day of nine hours.

The system of pay will be regulated. Wherever practicable, the operators will be required to pay by weight instead of by car, and elsewhere by the linear yard. The miners will have check docking representatives at their own expense. This will practically amount to a second increase in wages.

There will be indirect recognition of the union, which will come when the findings are submitted by President Roosevelt to John Mitchell, as president of the miners' union.

The causes of the strike as found by the commission will not be comforting to the coal mining companies.

The boycott will be condemned and the principle will be laid down that a miner has the right to work without molestation even though he does not belong to the union.

The terms of the verdict are to hold good for three years and recommendations are to be made for settlements of wages and other questions at the end of that period.

In local disputes the operators will be advised to treat with committees of the miners and there may be a suggestion for local boards of arbitration.

HON. GEORGE W. ARMSTRONG INTERVIEWED AT AUSTIN

(Special to The Telegram.)

AUSTIN, Texas, March 5.—Hon. Geo. W. Armstrong, for a long time county judge of Tarrant county, is here from Fort Worth, stopping at the Driskill. Judge Armstrong is one of the extensive property owners of Fort Worth and one of the most enterprising citizens of the Panther city. Asked yesterday evening what the people were going to do with the members of the legislature in case they go up there, he said:

"You know what the Fort Worth people usually do with their visitors—they treat them so well that they always want to come back again. Just what program has been arranged for this occasion I do not know, that being in the hands of committees appointed for the purpose, but I do know they will be well entertained. We are anxious to have them come and earnestly hope Governor Lanham will be able to come with them. We are very proud of these great packeries now fully established there and we are not selfish enough to take all the honor to our city. They are Texas institutions and in connection with the great stock industry of the state are going to be a great factor in the state's progress. Legislation affecting this stock industry always is and always will be in order and no doubt many members of the legislature on making this visit will gain much information of value to them. The fact that these large packing houses were established so far south of what has been termed the great packing center, is a recognition of the extensive stock producing possibilities of Texas, and also that the time is about at hand when all the great country west of the Mississippi river is going to find at Galveston the outlet of its products."

MONITOR PLACED IN COMMISSION AT NAVY YARD

(By Associated Press.)

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 6.—The new United States monitor Nevada has been placed in commission at the navy yard here. Commander T. B. Howard took charge of the new ship. The Nevada will remain at this port for about three weeks, when she will become attached to the coast defense division of the North Atlantic squadron.

DENY THE REPORT THAT IRA D. SANKEY IS BLIND

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 6.—At Ira D. Sankey's home in Brooklyn, the members of the family have denied the report sent out from Newcastle, Pa., that he was blind. It was said Mr. Sankey had nervous prostration, but that his condition was improving.

PROVINCE WOULD SECEDE FROM CHINA

REPORT THAT TWO NATIVE OFFICERS ARE HERE TO BUY ARMS AND AMMUNITION

(By Associated Press.)

VICTORIA, B. C., March 6.—The report is current among the local Chinese merchants that the object of the coming of Leung Kai Cwee and First Lieutenant Kang Yu Wei to this continent is to accumulate funds for the rebel movement now going on in southern China and to arrange for the shipment of arms and munitions for the rebels.

Leung Kai Cwee says that he comes to make arrangements for the establishment of a mercantile company. The Chinese papers report that Leung Kai Cwee circulated a pamphlet which advances the opinion that the people of Kwang Si and Kwang Kong, the seat of the insurrection now prevailing, will secede from China and establish a kingdom made up of two kwangs.

MARRIAGE OF PRINCIPAL IN EXCITING ROMANCE

NEW YORK, March 6.—Colonel Theodore C. Marceau and Miss Grato Fuson, the daughter of a prominent Virginia family, have been married in this city.

Colonel Marceau formerly served on the staff of General Markham of California. He was married at Santa Cruz, Cal., on July 9, 1891, his bride being Mrs. Amanda J. Fiske, widow of John D. Fiske.

The colonel obtained a divorce on the ground of desertion and soon afterward his former wife was married to Gerald M. Fennell.

In the summer of 1900 Colonel Marceau brought his little son to New York and the former Mrs. Marceau had him arrested for kidnaping. Justice McAdam decided, however, that no man could kidnap his own son and the case was dismissed.

NEW PRESIDENT FOR AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

NEW YORK, March 6.—Dr. Daniel C. Gilman, for many years president of Johns Hopkins University, has been elected president of the American Bible Society.

Since the death of former Judge Enoch L. Fancher, on Feb. 5, 1900, the Bible Society has been without an executive head. It is believed by the friends of Dr. Gilman here that he will accept the office.

CRAP GAME RESULTS FATALLY TO FOUR

JACKSONVILLE, Texas, March 6.—Reports of the shooting received yesterday state that four negroes were killed and eight seriously wounded in a crap game on the Texas and New Orleans railroad, some twenty miles east of this place. Several of the wounded are not expected to live, but accurate information as to the character and extent of the wounds is not obtainable. The negroes had been working on the construction of the Texas and New Orleans railroad on the west side of the Angelina river, in Cherokee county, and were at the time of the killing taking a layoff on account of the recent heavy rains. During their leisure they engaged in a game of craps, a number being intoxicated, and a row over the game ensued, which resulted in the wholesale shooting described. No names are reported here and the details of the tragedy are very meager.

RECEIVER MAKES DEMAND FOR THE ARNOLD FARM

GREENVILLE, Ill., March 6.—Receiver Solomon Swarts of the E. J. Arnold Company and his attorney, E. C. Cramer, called on Sheriff W. L. Floyd and made formal demand for possession of the Arnold farm and property heretofore attached by the sheriff. The sheriff received the demand, but would not formally surrender the property. The receiver then proceeded to appoint a custodian for the farm.

SENDS A BULLET INTO HIS BODY

(Special to The Telegram.)

DENTON, Texas, March 6.—Dr. G. W. Eastham of Roanoke, Texas, a young married man, shot and tried to kill himself at the Oatman hotel at 6 o'clock this morning. The ball pierced his body opposite his heart, but ranged up and missed it.

He will probably recover. The cause is unknown. Dr. J. M. Inge was summoned to attend him.

STORE OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT UNTIL 10

W. C. Stripling

THE PRICE IS THE THING.

207-9-11 Houston and 208-10 Main

THE Balance of the Shapira Stock on Sale Tomorrow at SPECIAL PRICES to Close Out. You can save big Money on Shoes & Clothing at this Sale.

Shoes from Shapira Stock on Special Sale Tomorrow

- Men's Fine Shoes made by Hamilton Brown, that Shapira sold for \$4.00 will be on bargain counter tomorrow at, per pair.....**\$3.00**
- Women's Solid Leather Shoes with kid uppers and extension soles—sizes 3 to 8—as a special for tomorrow's sale, per pair.....**\$1.25**
- Women's Kid Shoes, both lace and button. These are broken lots from our regular stock that sold at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 a pair. Your choice tomorrow of the entire lot.....**75c**
- Misses Fine Kid Shoes that we sold at \$1.50 a pair will be offered for Saturday's special sale at, per pair.....**\$1.00**
- Men's Plain Calf Shoes for every day wear, solid leather and guaranteed—the lot that Shapira sold at \$1.50, we are selling at.....**\$1.00**
- Misses Calf and Kid School Shoes that we've been selling at \$1.15 will be offered for tomorrow's sale at.....**75c**
- \$3.50 Shoes of the Hamilton Brown make, all good styles on sale tomorrow at per pair **\$2.50**
- Hamilton Brown Shoes for men that L. Shapira sold at \$3.00 a pair on sale tomorrow at per pair.....**\$2.25**
- Men's Calf Boots, all styles, that were \$3.00 a pair will be closed out tomorrow at.....**\$2.00**
- Men's Solid Leather Shoes made by Hamilton Brown that Shapira sold at \$2.00 a pair will be sold at the special price, per pair.....**\$1.25**

Clothing and Furnishing Goods

From the Shapira Stock that will be on Sale in the Clothing Room Tomorrow

MEN'S SUITS AND PANTS

- Men's Fine Worsteds Suits, choice styles, that Shapira sold at \$12.50 we will sell tomorrow for.....**\$7.50**
- Men's Suits that Shapira sold for \$10.00 and which are good value for that money will be sold tomorrow at.....**\$6.00**
- Suits that Shapira sold for \$7.50 we will sell for.....**\$5.00**
- Suits that Shapira sold for \$13.50 we will sell for.....**\$8.00**
- Men's Corduroy Pants, extra quality that Shapira sold at \$2 we will sell tomorrow at.....**\$1.50**
- Fine Worsteds Pants from the Shapira stock that sold at \$3.50 a pair, you can buy of us tomorrow at.....**\$2.50**
- Men's Working Pants in both Worsteds and Cassimere that Shapira sold at \$1.50 a pair, we are selling at.....**\$1.00**
- Men's Elastic Seam Drill Drawers, all sizes of the 50c grade will be sold tomorrow at.....**35c**

Men's Hats and Shirts

- Men's Soft and Stiff Hats that Shapira sold for \$1.00, at half price tomorrow.....**50c**
- A big lot of Men's Black Hats that Shapira sold at \$1.50 will be sold tomorrow at choice for.....**98c**
- Men's Hats that Shapira sold at \$2.00 we will sell at.....**\$1.25**
- Men's Hats that Shapira sold at \$3.50 we have on sale at.....**\$2.25**
- Men's Dress Shirts that Shapira sold at \$1.25 we are going to sell tomorrow at.....**75c**
- Shirts that Shapira got 85c for you can buy from us tomorrow at.....**50c**
- Shirts that Shapira sold at 50c we offer at.....**35c**
- Men's Neckties that Shapira sold at 25c and 35c, choice for.....**19c**
- Suit Cases that Shapira sold at \$3.00, in clothing room at.....**\$2.25**
- Suit Cases that Shapira sold at \$3.50 we offer at.....**\$2.50**
- We will offer these Special Bargains in the Dry Goods Room.

In Connection With the White Goods Sale we will offer these Special Bargains Tomorrow in the Dry Goods Room:

Dress Goods and Staples

- Choice Styles of 5c Calico, light and dark shades on sale tomorrow at.....**4c**
- Good Quality Soft Finish Bleached Domestic, full yard wide, tomorrow at.....**5c**
- Linen Window Shades, 7 feet long, complete for.....**25c**
- Percal and Organdie Remnants, not a piece in the lot worth less than 10c a yard, at choice per yard.....**5c**
- Sheer White Lawn, 36 inch, white stripe Madras and fine white Dimity, all at one price tomorrow, per yard.....**10c**
- White Mercerized Madras and Oxford Waistings, a good large assortment will be shown tomorrow at, per yard.....**25c**
- Misses Seamless Hose, all sizes, seconds of the 15c kinds at.....**10c**
- Boy's and Girls' Bicycle Hose, seconds of the 25c kind, will be sold tomorrow at.....**15c**

Notions, Skirts, Etc.

- Square Linen Envelopes in blue and cream, worth anywhere 15c for one package, special tomorrow, 2 packs for.....**5c**
- Fine Linen Paper Tablets worth 20c, on sale at.....**10c**
- Onion Skin Paper Tablets in note size worth 10c for.....**5c**
- Pearl Buttons in all sizes—you will find the best assortment of these goods, that we've ever shown at dozen 35c and down to 15c, 10c and 2 1-2c.
- Women's Black Hair Combs, a lot that sell at 10c, 15c and 25c, will be offered tomorrow at, choice for.....**5c**
- Vaseline, the 10c size for.....**5c**
- The 5c size Vaseline.....**3c**
- Women's Cloth Skirts that we sold two weeks ago at \$2.50 will be offered as a special tomorrow at.....**\$1.98**
- Women's Dimity and Percal Waistings, our 50c line again tomorrow at.....**25c**

Early Spring Millinery Display

We are showing an attractive line of street and trimmed hats for early spring at prices ranging from \$5 down to \$3.50, \$2.50, \$1.50.

BRAND NEW SHOES GIVE THE CLEW

CHARLES ROSE ARRESTED AND TRIED FOR STEALING PISTOL

Pleaded Guilty, After Detective Zimmerman Had Started With New Shoes Rose Wore and Recovered Gun—Theft Committed in Mustang

A pair of new shoes resulted in the arrest of Charles Rose yesterday by Detective Zimmerman of the police department. A few hours later Rose pleaded guilty to stealing a pistol and was fined \$5 and given one day in jail by the county court.

Detective Zimmerman saw the shoes and followed the clew they furnished until he recovered the pistol. The latter was stolen from Hiram Wyatt, a section foreman on the Fort Worth and Rio Grande at Mustang. Wyatt missed it yesterday morning and at the same time missed Rose, who was working under him.

He at once telephoned the authorities in Fort Worth that he believed Rose had the pistol and that he probably could be caught at the Frisco general offices, where he would go to claim his pay.

Zimmerman went to the Frisco offices and lay in wait until Rose came in. He at once placed him under arrest.

WORE NEW SHOES
Rose wore new shoes and Zimmerman noticed them. By a little detective work he found where they were bought and that the proceeds from a pistol had paid for them.

After a complaint had been filed with the county authorities against Rose Zimmerman recovered the pistol and Rose went before the court and pleaded guilty.

Weather Conditions

"Tonight and Saturday, generally fair weather and cooler," is the promise of the weather man for Fort Worth, and he adds: "There will be winds which will do more than the sun to dry up the mud."

His prophecy began early in the day to prove true, for the clouds have been growing lighter and little spots of sunshine have been sprinkled through the day.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

His comment on the weather conditions is as follows:

The storm area has moved from the plateau region to the upper Missouri valley, with an eastward movement toward the lakes; clearing weather is the result throughout the southwest, including the greater portion of Texas. Cloudy, rainy conditions prevail from and including the extreme eastern portion of Texas, thence northeast to the lakes and eastward to the Atlantic.

Snow is now falling in the upper portion of the Missouri, where it is becoming colder.

Clearing conditions are indicated for Fort Worth vicinity with generally fair weather tonight and Saturday and cooler.

WEATHER RECORD

Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours—minimum and maximum temperature, wind in miles per hour at 9 a. m. and rainfall in inches:

Stations—	Temperature.		Wind.	Fall.
	Min.	Max.		
Abilene.....	48	62	12	0
Amarillo.....	28	42	18	0
Atlanta.....	48	60	11	.28
Chicago.....	32	36	14	.01
Cincinnati.....	46	56	6	.01
Copius Christi.....	64	70	10	.01
Denver.....	22	34	6	.1
Detroit.....	30	44	6	0
Doyle City.....	30	36	14	.01
El Paso.....	45	65	12	0
Fort Worth.....	48	72	8	0
Galveston.....	69	85	10	0
Jacksonville.....	56	70	11	0
Kansas City.....	36	40	11	0
Memphis.....	56	64	12	.62
Millers City.....	12	36	8	.18
Mobile.....	58	68	11	.01
Modena.....	20	40	8	.02
New Orleans.....	64	78	11	.40
Oklahoma.....	38	56	6	.02
Palestine.....	62	72	6	.12
Phonix.....	48	72	11	0
Pittsburg.....	38	54	11	.04
St. Louis.....	50	62	6	0
St. Paul.....	30	38	10	T
Salt Lake City.....	24	44	11	.36
San Antonio.....	62	74	11	0
San Diego.....	50	62	11	.20
Santa Fe.....	34	46	11	.01
Vicksburg.....	62	74	12	.02

WANTED SOME

"When you say who's above proof that means it ain't got any smell to it, doesn't it?"

"Not at all."

"No? I was hopin' it might mean your wife wouldn't have any proof that you'd had a drink of it."—Philadelphia Press.

SPECIAL HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL RATES

We are now selling and will sell until April 30 one-way "colonist" tickets to certain California points for \$25.

For further information call, phone or address.

W. R. SMITH, C. P. & T. A., Hotel Worth, Phone 458.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co. of Chicago, discovered, some years ago, how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for Piles. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding Piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases, DeWitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine.

TODAY'S CLOSING MARKET QUOTATIONS

Full Report 12 Hours Ahead of Any Other North Texas Newspaper

LIVESTOCK MARKET

PACKERS OUTDO ALL RECORDS IN SALES OF HOGS

\$7.55 IS THE PRICE PAID FOR A LOT OF 50 HEAD—OTHER HOGS BRING \$7.40 AND HIGH PRICES

FORT WORTH'S HOG MARKET IS PUT ON THE BASIS OF THE ONE AT CHICAGO FOR THE DAY AND THE SALES EXCEED ANYTHING YET RECORDED AT NEW STOCKYARDS—CATTLE MARKET STEADY

These quotations were furnished by the Watkins Hay and Grain Company: Prairie hay, \$12@14 per ton; Johnson grass, \$13 per ton; bran, \$1.10 per 100 pounds; corn, 60c per bushel, shelled; oats, 50c per bushel; chops, \$1.15 per 100 pounds; rice bran, \$16 per ton.

These quotations were furnished by Boland & Redin: Eggs, case, \$5@6.75; butter, 15@20c, according to grade; chickens, \$3@3.50 per doz; geese, \$4.80 per doz; turkeys, 12c per pound; ducks, \$3.25 per dozen.

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MARKETS BY WIRE

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

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Ill., March 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000 head; slow and easy; beefs, \$3.70@5.75; cows and heifers, \$1.50@4.80; Texas steers, \$3.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.65.

Hogs—Receipts, 20,000 head; slow; 10c lower than yesterday morning; light hogs, \$7.05@7.50; mixed, \$7.05@7.50; heavy shipping grades, \$6.94@7.45; rough, \$6.70@7.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000 head; steady; active; native sheep, \$2.60@5.70; western seep, \$3.75@5.65; native lambs, \$4.75@7; western lambs, \$5@7.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000 head, including 150 Texans; steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000 head; 5 to 10c lower; light hogs, \$6.75@6.90; mixed, \$7.05@7.20; shipping grades, \$6.55@7.25; rough, \$6.85@7.07.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000 head; firm.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500 head, including 1,000 head; steady to strong; beefs, \$4.25@5.30; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.60; Texas fed steers, \$3.50@4.65; cows and heifers, \$2.20@3.25; calves, \$7@12.50 per head.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,000 head; 10c lower; pigs and light, \$6.50@7; packers, \$7@7.25; butchers, \$7.15@7.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 300 head; strong; native, \$4.50@5.50; lambs, \$6.10@7.50; Texas sheep, \$3.75@4.50.

Cotton market quotations furnished by F. G. McPeak & Co.

LIVERPOOL

LIVERPOOL, March 6.—The spot market had a firm tone. There was a fair demand for middlings at 5.32d. Receipts were 4,000 sales; sales, 10,000 bales.

Futures opened firm and closed steady, as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March.....	5.15-16	5.12		
March-April.....	5.15-16	5.12		
April-May.....	5.15	5.12		
May-June.....	5.19-20	5.16		
June-July.....	5.18-21	5.16		
July-August.....	5.19-20	5.16		
August-September.....	5.19-21	5.16		
September-October.....	4.88-56	4.82-83		
October-November.....	4.65-67	4.62		
November-December.....	4.65	4.67		

NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 6.—Spots had a quiet tone. Middlings, 10c. Sales, 2,200 bales. Futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March.....	9.92	9.93	9.61	9.61-62
May.....	9.85	9.87	9.60	9.60-61
July.....	9.59	9.62	9.40	9.40-41
August.....	9.34	9.34	9.13	9.13-14

NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, March 6.—The spot market was quiet. Middlings, 9.11-16c. Sales, 2,500 bales; f. o. b. 100. Futures were easy, as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March.....	9.78	9.78	9.53	9.53
May.....	9.79	9.79	9.54	9.54-55
July.....	9.82	9.83	9.58	9.58-59
August.....	9.54	9.55	9.31	9.31-32

RECEIPTS

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

	Today.	Last year.
Galveston.....	4,892	2,251
New Orleans.....	6,138	4,052
Mobile.....	549	549
Savannah.....	833	833
Charleston.....	534	534
Baltimore.....	862	862
Wilmington.....	534	534
Norfolk.....	512	512
New York.....	300	300
Boston.....	257	257
Philadelphia.....	257	257
Various.....	5	5
Total.....	9,872	20,368
Chicago.....	21,175	4,781
Houston.....	5,449	5,449

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

	Tomorrow.	1902.
New Orleans.....	6,000 to 7,000	5,713
Galveston.....	4,000 to 5,000	5,538
Houston.....	3,000 to 5,800	2,383

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill., March 6.—The grain and provision markets today had the following range of prices:

	What—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat.....		75 3/4	76	75 1/2	a76
May.....		72	72 1/2	71 3/4	b72 1/2
Corn.....		46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/4	b47 1/2
July.....		44 1/2	45	44 1/4	b45
Oats.....		34 1/2	35	34 1/4	b35
May.....		31 1/2	31 3/4	31 1/4	a32
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MEN'S Furnishing Goods

This department is a big store within itself, keeping pace with men's goods that are best for our patrons. We invite you to inspect our new spring goods. The latest styles in Shirts, Ties — also New Underwear, Hosiery, etc. We've some special things to offer at bargain prices—come let us show you the values.

We're Opposite Hotel Worth

- 50 dozen Men's New Spring Shirts, Negligee, made of extra grade Madras and fancy Cheviots, a regular \$1.50 quality but as a special Saturday **\$1 19**
- New Spring Negligee Shirts, high grade of choice Madras and Cheviots, new colors in stripes and figures, fit guaranteed, colors that will wash without fading, price \$2.00 and... **\$1 50**
- A fad in Men's Negligee Shirt is a perfectly plain bosom grey pepper and salt effect with black stripes, the low price is **\$1 00**
- Men's Elastic Seam Drawers, made of fine bleached drill, perfectly cut sizes, price **50c**
- Men's Half Hose the sort that sells at 35c, we have black and colors solid with silk embroidery or lace open work, our price **25c**
- Boys' Shirts of good percale, madras or cheviot, light and dark figures and stripes, price **59c**

NECKWEAR—Largest line in the city, any style that is good in both silk and washable ties, some very attractive patterns, 75c, 50c and **25c**

SUIT CASES—If you want a dependable Suit Case, no matter how fine, don't fail to see our line—we can save you at least 25 per cent, our prices range from \$18.50 on down to **\$1 50**

TRUNKS—A specialty with us and our makes and prices never fail to please the buyer, that's why you see so many trunks shipped in and out of this big store. Best made as well as attractive and well arranged. Prices from \$35.00 on down to **\$2 50**

NEW RIBBONS

Open for Saturday Sale, many new ribbons in the widths for bows and ties. New Ombre, Four-toned, Changeable, Fancy Stripes and Pompadour, also New Crepe and Liberty in all the new colors—our prices are correctly low.

NEW FABRIC GLOVES, NEW FACE VEILING, NEW BELTS AND BUCKLES, NEW NECKLACES AND JEWELRY, NEW BLACK AND FANCY HOSE, LADIES NEW SPRING NECKWEAR.



DENVER ROAD MAY FIGURE IN A DEAL

PRESIDENT TRUMBULL IS STILL IN THE EAST ON BUSINESS

Rumored That Both the Rock Island and the Gould Interests Are Fighting for the Line From Fort Worth to Denver. It Would Be a Valuable Link to Either Company

DENVER, Col., March 6.—It is said that President Frank Trumbull's absence from the city is due to important business in New York city and the details of deals involving the Texas line of the Colorado and Southern are not so positive as they were a few days ago. In fact, the New York papers now state that a deal of some kind between the Colorado and Southern system and the Gould roads is on, but that the nature of the deal will not become known until after the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fort Worth and Denver City, which is scheduled to take place in about two weeks.

An officer of the company stated this morning that President Trumbull had not gone to New York, but was simply on a vacation. Owing to the critical condition of affairs at this time as a result of the strike, it has caused some surprise that he should select this time for a pleasure trip. It was stated upon President Trumbull's recent return from New York that the stockholders' meeting of the Fort Worth and Denver City would simply be a formal affair and that Mr. Trumbull would not attend. Since then sudden developments of some kind have evidently caused a change in the plans, which gave rise to the report that he has been called to New York. This followed the conference with the officials of the International and Great Northern at Fort Worth. Whether the deals pending are for a sale of the Fort Worth line to George Gould, an alliance, or simply a traffic arrangement, is not known.

AFFECTS ROCK ISLAND PLANS
Eastern advisers state that there has been a snag struck in the Rock Island deal with the Southern Pacific in purchasing several of the Texas north and south lines, and it is thought possible that the Fort Worth and Denver City road has something to do with these deals. Some believe that both Gould and the Rock Island interests are fighting for the purchase of the Texas line, while from another source it is stated that no sale is to take place and that Mr. Trumbull has gone to New York for the purpose of refinancing the road and making it a part of the Colorado and Southern system. This is doubted on the grounds that no petition has yet been presented to the Texas legislature for permission to merge the two roads.

No official announcement has been made of the deal between the Harriman interests and the Rock Island and no positive statement has ever been made as to its details. For this reason it is considered among the possibilities that when such an announcement is made it will disclose the nature of the Fort Worth and Denver City deal. In fact, some go so far as to say that the Rock Island may have already secured the Texas line and that its sale will be confirmed at the stockholders' meeting in New York early this month. The conferences between the general manager and assistant to the president of the Rock Island system and President Trumbull give some basis for these reports, while the Gould deals also find their foundations partly in the sudden trip to Texas to confer with officials of the International and Great Northern, followed by the trip of President Trumbull to New York.

NORTHERN VISITORS ARRIVE

The Pullman private car Actium arrived over the Missouri, Kansas and Texas last night, bearing a party of gentlemen from Chicago and other northern points who will spend a few days in the city attending the fat stock show, after which they will go to El Paso to attend the State Cattlemen's convention. The personnel of the party is as follows: A. G. Leonard, general manager of the Union stock yards, Chicago; W. E. McKinley, general agent of the Union stock yards, Chicago; W. A. Henry, dean of the Wisconsin Agricultural college; C. F. Curtis, dean of the Iowa Agricultural college, Ames, Iowa; P. Jansen of Nebraska, member of the Parls commission; S. R. Flynn, president of the National Live Stock bank, Chicago; G. H. Davidson of New York; J. M. Boardman, prominent cattleman of Helena, Mont.; Henry Sieben, an extensive cattle dealer of Helena, Mont.; R. W. Park, secretary of the Galvology Breeders' Association, Chicago; John Splan, prominent horseman, Chicago; Colonel Robert Strahorn, senior member of the Strahorn, Hutton & Evans Commission Company, Chicago.

TRAINS RUNNING REGULAR

The Rock Island's Golden State Limited is making its regular schedule trips without interference on account of blockades, etc. The Telegram has been requested to make this announcement, owing to the fact that rumors have been current of late that conditions on western divisions of the road have necessitated sending this train by way of Fort Worth and El Paso. The Rock Island passenger train No. 29 passed through this city one morning this week, but the trouble on the regular route was only temporary and the running of the Golden State Limited has not been interfered with.

RAILROAD NEWS AND PERSONALS

E. H. R. Green of Terrell, president of the Texas Midland, was in the city today attending the fat stock show. J. L. Baker, passenger engineer on the Texas and Pacific, is attending the meeting of the railroad engineers at Houston. J. L. West of St. Louis, general freight agent for the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, is a visitor today. W. E. Maxfield of Marshall, road foreman of engineers of the Texas and Pacific, is visiting friends in the city today. L. Price, vice president and general manager of the International and Great Northern, left in a special this morning for a trip over the new lines.

J. L. Harris of Kansas City, general live stock agent for the Wabash, is in the city attending the fat stock show.

W. H. Weeks, general agent for the Kansas City stock yards, is numbered among the local visitors today, his mission being primarily to attend the fat stock show.

The Frisco, and probably other lines, will sell round trip tickets at convention rates for the grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, which meets in Fort Worth April 20 to 23. The sale will begin on April 20 and will be for trains arriving in Fort Worth April 21. April 24 will be the return limit.

W. J. Young of Galveston, passenger agent for the Mallory line, was in the city yesterday, departing this morning for various points in the state included in his territory.

D. M. Morgan, traveling passenger agent for the Cotton Belt, is at home for a few days.

Paul Waples of the Waples-Plattner Grocery Company has chartered a Pullman car in which he and a party of friends will attend the cattlemen's convention at El Paso. They will depart next Sunday night over the Texas and Pacific and will be absent about a week.

R. C. Cowardin, traveling passenger agent for the N. C. & St. L., is in the city.

Jack Wright, traveling passenger agent of the Santa Fe, is among the Fort Worth railroad visitors today.

Jim Connors, general yardmaster at Oklahoma City for the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf, passed through the city this morning en route home from Mineral Wells. Jim is well known in Fort Worth, having spent a number of years in the train service of the Texas and Pacific as passenger conductor. He resigned this position about three years ago to go to Oklahoma City.

FAT STOCK SHOW DRAWS CROWDS

SECOND DAY HAS DOUBLE THE ATTENDANCE OF OPENING ONE

Visitors Through the Yards and the Packing Houses—Crowding the Show Ring and Filling the Stand—More Awards for Valuable Cattle are Made This Morning

Fully two thousand people were in attendance at the second day of the seventh annual Fort Worth fat stock show.

The value of cattle exhibited is estimated at perhaps \$250,000.

The visitors crowded the yards, the packing houses and the show ring, coming in fresh loads with every street car, till the line was almost congested.

The judging of cattle in the sweepstakes classes began about 9:30 and continued until 1 p. m. At 11:30 the address on the occasion of the formal opening of the packing houses was made.

At 1:30 there were more speeches, some of the speakers being Colonel Edmonson of Kansas City, Campbell Russell and other cattlemen.

The silver cup offered by Colonel Edmonson for the best shorthorn bull and two heifers under 1 year old, was presented to J. F. Hovenkamp of Fort Worth by Colonel H. C. Holloway of Fort Worth.

This afternoon at 1:30 the sale of Hereford cattle was commenced and was attended by the majority of the crowd.

Tomorrow morning the judging of cattle will be finished and tomorrow afternoon the sale of Red Polls will take place.

TODAY'S AWARDS

SHORTHORN—SENIOR SWEEPSTAKES (BULL)
No. 26—Best bull, 2 years old and over, premium \$45, won by David Harrell, Liberty Hill, Texas; winning bull, Young Alice's Prince, No. 171,111.

No. 27 (Junior Sweepstakes)—Best bull, under 2 years old, premium \$35, won by D. H. Hoover, Davis, I. T.; winning bull, Roan Havenwood Baron.

No. 28 (Senior Sweepstakes)—Best cow, 2 years old and over, premium \$45, won by J. F. Hovenkamp; winning cow, Lady Scott VII.

No. 29 (Junior Sweepstakes)—Best cow under 2 years, premium \$35, won by J. W. Carey, Armstrong, I. T.; winning cow, Lavender Princess.

GRAND CHAMPION SWEEPSTAKES (HEREFORD BULLS)
Competed for by the premium bulls in the senior and junior sweepstakes classes only. Premium \$50, won by B. C. Rhome, Fort Worth; winning bull, Beau Lamp-light.

GRAND CHAMPION SWEEPSTAKES (SHORTHORN COWS)
No. 31—Competed for by premium cows. Premium \$50, won by J. F. Hovenkamp's Queen of Scott VII.

No. 32—Best shorthorn bull and four females, 2 years old and over, premium \$50, won by J. F. Hovenkamp.

Second, premium \$40, won by J. T. Day.

No. 33—Best shorthorn bull and four females, all under 2 years, premium \$40, won by J. W. Carey, Armstrong, I. T.

Second, premium \$30, won by Campbell Russell, Bennett, I. T.

Third, premium \$20, won by J. F. Hovenkamp.

Fourth, premium \$10, won by J. T. Day, Rhome, Texas.

Fifth, premium \$7.50, won by J. W. Carey, Armstrong, I. T.

No. 25—Best shorthorn four get out of one bull, premium \$50, won by J. W. Carey.

Second, premium \$20, won by J. F. Hovenkamp.

Third, premium \$10, won by A. J. Davis.

Fourth, premium \$7.50, won by John E. Brown.

It Was "Wuth It."

Bishop Williams, of Connecticut, for many years presiding bishop of the Episcopal church in America, and who lived all his life as a bachelor, was talking one day with a young man from the West about a tax a Western state was trying to impose on bachelors, the tax to be increased a certain per cent for every ten years of bachelorhood.

"Why, bishop," said the young man, "at your age you have to pay about \$100 a year."

"Well," said the bishop, quietly, and in his old time vernacular, "it's wuth it."

Our New Dresden Ware

Blue and White Enameled Ware will meet the approval of all.

Practical Housekeepers who desire good and perfect enamel ware in the kitchen.

It is triple coated, blue and white marbled on the outside and white on the inside—strong, durable and carefully selected. The white enamel is especially hard and vitreous, being less affected by fire and vegetable acid, than any other white lined goods on the market.

To Any One

wanting good ware we recommend this line which we carry in Coffee Pots, Tea Kettles, Stove Kettles, Berlin Sauce Pans, Coffee Boilers, Rice Boiler, Fry Pans, Dish Pans, Bread Raisers, Preserve Kettle, Milk Pans, Pudding Pans, etc., etc.

To introduce these goods we have marked the price at a reasonable price, putting them in the reach of all.

Gernsbacher Bros.,

509-511 Houston Street.

FATHER CAUSES SON'S ARREST

VIRGIL WALLIS CHARGED WITH BURGLARY BY GEO. WALLIS

Accused of Stealing \$445 From Cash Drawer in His Parent's Saloon—Caught in Bald and Will Be Brought Here. Another Arrest

Virgil Wallis, commonly known as "Monk" Wallis, was arrested in Bald, Texas, yesterday on complaint of his father, George Wallis, charging him with the theft of \$445.

George Wallis conducts a saloon at 117 North Houston street, and the son is accused of taking the money from the cash drawer in the saloon Tuesday night. The formal complaint made by the father to County Attorney Lattimore charges the son with burglary.

Virgil Wallis was arrested in Bald on the request of the Fort Worth authorities and Assistant Chief of Police Allen left last night to bring him here for trial.

HAD TWO HUNDRED
The authorities at Bald found \$200 on young Wallis' person when he was arrested. Assistant Chief Allen will probably arrive here with him this evening.

Young Wallis is a little more than 21 years old and has worked as a waiter in a Fort Worth.

ANOTHER ARREST
Paul Brown was arrested yesterday by Officer Cone and is being held for investigation. On the books of the police station he is registered as "Paul Jones" and the charge of gambling appears against him.

NOTES OF NOTABLES
James G. Stewart, who was Abraham Lincoln's official photographer, is still living in Bloomington, Ill., and owns one of the largest collections of Lincoln photographs.

Mrs. George B. McClellan, widow of the famous general, who has been residing in Europe for many years, has returned to this country and will make her future home in Washington.

Frank Miller, a direct descendant of John Quincy Adams, who started in business in Philadelphia when a young man, as the first man dressmaker in the country, died in New York recently.

At a social gathering, when he was still bishop of London, the late Dr. Temple, archbishop of Canterbury, was approached by a lady, who came to him in great excitement and said: "Oh, bishop, my aunt has had a wonderful escape! She was detained yesterday or she would have been killed in that terrible railway accident. Was it not providential?" "Madam," replied the bishop, "I do not know your aunt, so I cannot say."



WOMEN'S SEPARATE SKIRTS!

It is only a plain statement of facts to say that we have more kinds of skirts that women want, at more prices that they want to pay, than you will usually find in any store, this early in the season. A look around our ready-made department will convince you.

\$10 50 A Black Etamine Skirt, made habit back with eighteen folds of Taffeta from the waist to top of flare, Skirt is unlined and a splendid value **\$10 50**

\$15 50 A Skirt of Etamine, in black, made with panel front, a box plait on each side, and trimmed from the waist to top of flare with twenty-three Taffeta bands and buttons, Skirt is unlined **\$15 50**

\$17 95 A Skirt of Blue Voile, Taffeta bands in blue around hips and down each side of front, made over a Taffeta Drop Skirt **\$17 95**

\$22 50 A Skirt of Black Voile, made panel front with fourteen bands of Taffeta folds to the top of plaited flounce, over Taffeta Drop Skirt, at a special price of **\$22 50**

\$26 50 A Skirt of Crepe de Chine. This Skirt has panel front, medallion trimmed, tucks from front running to back of Skirt, and released to flare at bottom, made over a Taffeta Drop Skirt **\$26 50**

\$29 50—A Skirt made with fourteen bands of Taffeta, button trimmed, bands running from the waist down to top of flounce, habit back, is of best quality Etamine and over Taffeta Drop Skirt **\$29 50**

\$32 50 A Skirt of Voile in black is made with a deep yoke and panel front, trimmed with three bands of stitched Taffeta, crossed down the front, accordion plaited and very full on to yoke **\$32 50**

\$39 50 A Skirt of Voile, black and very handsomely made, panel front, of beautiful braid applique, yoke from front to back, Skirt is accordion plaited to yoke with the plaits very full at bottom, the whole skirt handsomely tailored and one of the season's swellest models **\$39 50**

\$42 50 A handsome new spring style in a Skirt of Crepe de Chine is made allover tucked with three bands of lace insertion set into the Skirt, on hips, at the knee and bottom, is made over best quality black Taffeta Underskirt, with a drop skirt of white Chiffon over the underskirt **\$42 50**

WALKING SKIRTS. A new showing of this popular garment in Meltons, Cloths, Cheviots, Snowflake Mixtures, in grays, blues, green, black and mingled colors new and popular styles at and upwards **\$4 98**

RATHBONE SISTERS ARRANGE FOR GRAND TEMPLE

The members of Eleanor Temple, No. 24, Rathbone Sisters, are making preliminary arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates to the grand temple, which will be held in this city in April.

Grand Chief Mrs. Beverly of McKinney and the grand mistress of records and correspondence, Mrs. Shropshire of Weatherford, are in the city for the purpose of assisting in the work of preparing for the grand temple. A meeting was held at the lodgeroom yesterday afternoon and a session was also called for today.

The visiting officers were entertained yesterday afternoon by the local members at a luncheon, at which many of the knights were in attendance.

The regular meeting of the Rathbone Sisters will be held Saturday evening, at which time there will be initiatory work. All members are requested to be present.

JOB NOT GOOD ENOUGH.

New Orleans Times-Democrat: Ed Heyron, the all-around wit and wag of the New Orleans police department, known among his friends as Billy Kerlands, in white, dropped in on an Elk's banquet the other night, and before he knew what had happened to him he was on the stage droling out in his inimitable way some of the "stories in black" which he has gathered during his long sojourn with the aggregation of local sleuths. "Down in our ward a few years ago," said the witty sergeant of police, "during one of the hotter campaigns, we succeeded in getting a negro preacher mixed up in the game. We wanted him to corral the negro vote. We reached through the church after him. We got them. But during the process we had to promise the preacher an office of some sort. We never mentioned the kind of office. He never asked. We won. The preacher showed up for his reward. I sent him to the man who controlled the patronage. The governor, who had been the beneficiary of our efforts, happened to be in town at the time, and the ward leader, told the preacher to call on the governor, just out of Paris, which was her husband's summer home for a quarter of a century. Zola developed the place as his fortunes expanded.

R. E. MADDOX FILES PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

Robert E. Maddox, an old resident of Fort Worth and a leading real estate dealer in the days of the boom, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday with Deputy Clerk Finks of the federal court. His liabilities are given as \$103,007.51, and his assets as nothing above exemption.

Bauner & Brower of Arlington, general merchants, have also filed a petition in bankruptcy, setting forth their liabilities at \$3,851.73 and their assets at \$3,020.

MADAM ZOLA IS ABOUT TO SELL THE VILLA.

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KINDERGARTNERS ARE IN SESSION TODAY

To the Fort Worth Kindergarten Association and associated philanthropic workers being the honor of calling the first convention ever held of kindergartens, primary and Sunday school teachers and of launching a state organization of these branches of education.

The meeting which began this morning in the Christian Tabernacle has for its object the interchange of experiences, of hopes and of ideals of those whose special work is with the young.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. A. J. Roe, the president of the local kindergarten association and after prayer by Rev. J. F. Boeye, Miss Wilson of Dallas took the chair and called for reports from the various kindergarten teachers present.

RESPONSES MADE

Responses came from Miss Cleaves of Gainesville, Mrs. A. J. Roe, Miss Hammers and Miss Ware of Fort Worth; Miss R. J. Martin of Hillsboro, Mrs. Berney and Miss Anna Green of Oak Cliff; Miss Davis of Temple, Mrs. Seymour and Miss King of Dallas; Miss Caroline McKinney of South Dallas, Miss Mary K. Drew of North Dallas and Miss Woodson of Chicago for Mrs. Noble of San Antonio.

Mrs. Roe told of the first kindergarten in Fort Worth, established by Miss Eliza Whitmore nine years ago. Out of this came meetings of mothers and friends, which later became the Fort Worth Kindergarten Association. In the Bethel mission territory was established the first free instruction, a number of young ladies joining in teaching the children elementary work with the needle and simple domestic duties. This led to the establishment of a free kindergarten, which has now been increased to two.

Mrs. J. C. Berney of Oak Cliff told of the efforts to establish an industrial training school, which is the special work this association is pledged to accomplish. Mrs. Seymour of the Dallas association announced that the fundamental principle of their work was that educational training was subordinate to moral and social development.

Miss Drew of North Dallas told of the hundred pupils enrolled in the North Dallas school of which half were Russian and Polish Jews, though many children came from the homes of thrifty Germans. Many families lived in covered wagons and tents and their sufferings in severe weather were great. These kindergartners endeavored to relieve through rummage sales and the aid of the United Charities. For the help of the mothers, social meetings were arranged and music and games provided. One day a week

was sent apart for "the little mothers," the small children who could not go to school because they had to take care of smaller ones at home. Lessons in cooking were given these and they were allowed to take home with them whatever they prepared.

The reports of the kindergartners were followed by games and stories illustrating their school room work and methods, the participants being the teachers present.

STATE ORGANIZATION PLANNED

The motion to make the convention a state organization was unanimously carried.

Mrs. Roe announced the following committee on resolutions: Miss Winchester of Fort Worth, Miss Martin of Hillsboro, Miss Labatt of Cleburne, Miss Cleaves of Gainesville, Miss Green of Oak Cliff, Miss Davis of Temple and Miss Wilson of Dallas.

The proceedings of the afternoon session opened by prayer by Rev. Luther Lattie, Miss Martin of Hillsboro, Mrs. Seymour of Dallas and Miss Hammers of Fort Worth leading in discussions on the subject "Bits of Home Talk."

NO CHANGE IN WABASH RAILROAD SITUATION

(By Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, March 6.—The Wabash situation presents no new phase today. Everything and everybody are waiting on the attorneys representing the trainmen and firemen who are expected to make the next move. At the Wabash headquarters no change in the situation is reported.

Gorman Gets Old Place

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The Democratic senatorial caucus which met today organized by electing senator Gorman to his old position as chairman of the caucus. This is a permanent place.

"That's right. Ah, he's conscientious when it comes to making jokes. It took him two days and a half to find out that he couldn't think of a new one."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THIS LOOKS WELL

During the last four weeks seven Houston street lots have been sold by one firm. They seemingly have the knack of finding bargains for customers, and Byers & Trice say they have other business properties for income or speculative investment that will look startlingly cheap before ninety days have gone. See them at 709 Main street.

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Little Willie—A chump!—Philadelphia Record.

THE PACKING HOUSES FORMALLY OPENED

THREE ADDRESSES IN COMMEMORATION OF A YEAR'S ACCOMPLISHMENT MADE BY DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS AT THIS MORNING'S SESSION OF THE FORT WORTH FAT STOCK SHOW

The Fort Worth packing-houses have been formally opened. With little ceremony and with a few words addressed by the men who have been interested in their growth from the time of their inception, their formal dedication to Fort Worth, to Texas and to the southwest was made.

It was almost 11:30 this morning when Captain B. B. Paddock, secretary of the Fort Worth Board of Trade, called the one thousand or more visitors to the Fort Worth fat stock show to order. Captain Paddock has been one of the most enthusiastic workers since the first suggestion that the Swift and Armour packing-houses might be brought to North Fort Worth was made. In his remarks he said that it was regretted very much that the governor of the state could not be present at the opening of so great a Texas enterprise, but said that business of state had prevented his attendance. He then introduced Hon. M. J. Saunders, president of the Progressive Union of New Orleans, president of the Maritime Exchange of the same city and director of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange.

Mr. Saunders is an Englishman by birth and came to this country in 1884. He referred to this fact in his address, saying that when he came here the south was undergoing the reconstruction following the war, which reconstruction had been one of the greatest things in regarding its development. In the twenty years following the war the north, he said, advanced rapidly, while the south today is at least a generation behind as a result of the same reconstruction.

He referred to the journey of the New Orleans business men through the state and said that in all his travels, either in Europe or in this country, he had never seen so prosperous a land or so great an area of fertile ground as Texas.

He said that a great need of the state, now that it was making great strides into the foremost ranks in every respect, was a system of government according justice to rich and poor alike, restraining lawlessness and by the very safety it afforded assuring protection to the men who might choose to invest their resources here and begin various enterprises. He said that the system of government should prevent the existence of trusts and make it possible for everyone coming to the state to have an equal chance in winning the success it has to give those who will strive for it.

W. E. SKINNER, general manager of the Chicago stock yards and former manager of the Fort Worth yards, was called upon and said in brief: "What I see before me today is not new to me. You have made wonderful improvements during the past year, but it is not new. Years ago I used to sit on the veranda of that house up there on the hill (pointing to the hill northwest of the yards) and there, while smoking my afternoon cigar I often saw all this, and more too."

Mr. Skinner said that the packers had shown their sincerity by the millions they had invested in the plants here, and that it was now up to the people of Texas to show their sincerity by supplying the demand. He urged diversification as a means of supplying the demand created and expressed a wish for the future prosperity of the packers, and of the people of Fort Worth, of Texas and of the southwest.

COLONEL HOLLOWAY

In an eloquent tribute to the efforts of Colonel Henry C. Holloway of Fort Worth, who has been the pioneer in Fort Worth's career as a packing-house center, Colonel Paddock introduced the veteran cattleman, who was greeted with enthusiastic applause.

Mr. Holloway said in part: "As I stand here today this is the proudest moment of my life. As has been told you, I have labored in this cause from the digging of the first post hole till the present. Today as I speak to the people of Fort Worth, of Texas and of the southwest, I want to congratulate them on what you have done."

Continuing, Mr. Holloway said that in reply to Mr. Skinner's suggestion it was up to the people of Texas to supply the demand the packers had created, he would say that Texas would not only supply the demand, but would "make them build their packing-houses bigger." He said that there was room for three or four additional packing-houses in North Fort Worth and that they would be welcomed as the two present ones have been. "I believe they are coming, too," said he, "because they can't stay away. The resources of the state are so great they cannot afford to be away from them."

Following the three addresses there was a temporary adjournment of the fat stock show. There were no exercises or demonstrations at the packing-houses, which were thrown open for public inspection yesterday morning. Since then hundreds of visitors have passed through the plants and have witnessed the various operations in progress. Most of them have come away loaded down with souvenirs and unable to talk of anything but the size of the plants and the work done.

CONSTABLE IS WORSTED IN MAKING AN ARREST

AUSTIN, Texas, March 6.—Constable Mossis, while attempting to arrest Jackson, a negro, this morning was knocked down with a gun and seriously injured and disarmed. Jackson fled with the gun and a posse of officers are scouring the country for him. He is a desperate negro and there may be a killing when the officers come up with him. Mossis was unconscious for two hours after being knocked down.

HARD WINTER ON CATTLE IN MONTANA

There are many unfavorable conditions for the welfare of cattle in Montana just at the present time, according to the statements of Messrs. J. M. Boardman and Henry Sieben, prominent stockmen of Helena, who are in the city as members of the party who arrived over the Missouri, Kansas and Texas from Chicago and northern points last night. The extreme cold weather and snow have made conditions very trying to cattlemen, especially in many portions of Montana and the northwest.

The Montana gentlemen say that their state, like Texas, is a vast territory and furnishes a variety of conditions. But in the main, the winter just now ending has been a severe one on range cattle. The recent report of 48 below zero in that state one would suppose would be

the limit to the extreme cold weather for one season, but the visitors from Montana and others interested in that country and familiar with the climatic conditions will remember the spring of 1892-3, when the blizzard dating between April 7 and 13 caused such heavy loss of live stock, and will prove the statement that while it is hoped that the worst of the winter is passed yet there is ground for safety for many weeks yet.

BEEF TRUST WILL FIGHT RECENT COURT RULING

CHICAGO, Ill., March 6.—The beef trust has decided to stand by its demurrer to the allegations made against it by the federal government when the cases against the combined packers were begun several months ago and will appeal from the decision overruling it. This alternative was chosen in preference to a hearing of testimony as to the inner workings of the combine. It is understood that the government has a voluminous supply of testimony of every sort bearing on the case and taken in all parts of the country.

The six most important Swedish match manufacturers have formed a trust, with plants worth more than \$2,000,000. Swede matches furnish the principal competition of the Diamond Match company of the United States, Great Britain and Chile.

TWO RABID DOGS KILLED ON STREET

Two dogs, believed to be rabid, were killed on the streets of Fort Worth yesterday but not until J. H. West, a barber of Dallas, had been bitten in the hand. Both dogs were killed, one by Deputy Sheriff Purvis and the other by Mr. West who was bitten.

ON MAIN STREET.

Mr. West was standing in the entrance to Phil Becker's barber shop at 263 Main street when a small dog passed him, biting at the heels of persons on the sidewalk. Mr. West and several other men noticed the animal and remarked that he was a bright little dog and Mr. West started to pet him. The dog turned and seized him by the right hand, inflicting two deep incisions.

THOUGHT NOTHING.

Mr. West says he thought little of the incident until he saw the dog continue on down the street snapping at everything within reach. He then started in pursuit and finally succeeded in killing the dog.

Mr. West went to a physician and had his wounds cauterized. He spent the latter part of the afternoon searching for a mad stone. "If there is one in Fort Worth," said he, "I wish the owner would leave it at Becker's barber shop."

SHOT A DOG.

Deputy Sheriff Purvis shot a dog which from his action was afflicted with rabies. Last Sunday a Shepherd dog believed to be mad, was seen on Polytechnic Heights where he attacked several other dogs. He was not killed but from descriptions given he was not the same animal as either of those killed yesterday.

THE STOMACH IS THE MAN

A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength cannot be restored to any sick man or weak woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cleanses, purifies, sweetens and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

ADDITIONAL CITY BRIEFS

Editor P. A. Martin of Graham, Texas, is attending the fat stock show.

Sheriff H. C. Williams of Graham, Texas, was in the city yesterday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Broadway Baptist church met this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church parlors.

United States Deputy John Grand of Abilene, Texas, was in the city transacting legal business today.

Mrs. G. E. Towns of 507 Railroad avenue has returned from Stark, Kan., where she had been on a visit with relatives since Christmas.

Mrs. C. F. Thompson, wife of Agent Thompson of the Texas and Pacific at Ranger, accompanied by her daughter, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Nies, 809 East Annie street.

Fort Worth people who have recently been in Dallas say the streets there are

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even worse than in Fort Worth and in places are virtually impassable.

Mrs. M. P. Woods, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. O. Davis of 415 Lipscomb street, returned today to her home in Denison.

Twenty-eight women of the Broadway and the First Baptist churches of Fort Worth went to Dallas yesterday as the guests of the Baptist women of Dallas at a reception. They returned home last night after spending a pleasant day.

Arthur Harris, wanted on a charge of theft in Dallas, was arrested in the Fort Worth police station by Officer Dillard this morning. Harris went to the station to pay the fine of Alene Jasper, a negro woman. After paying it he was placed under arrest and was locked up as he was released.

Miss Kathryn Klöder and her company arrived on the Santa Fe this morning from Austin, where they played last night. They will give a performance here tonight at Greenwall's, the play being "An Eye for an Eye." Miss Klöder has been sick, but now states that she is fully recovered, thanks to her week's lay off, and will continue her tour as arranged for.

H. T. Bailey of Chico, is in Fort Worth this week attending the fat stock show and the formal opening of the packing-houses. He reports that his town has been the scene of considerable excitement recently, the cause being a debate between Rev. Howell, a minister of the Russellville faith, and Rev. Whittaker, a Christian. The subject of the discussion was the differences between the two beliefs. Both sides claimed the victory at the end. Great interest was manifested in the affair, people coming from the surrounding towns to be in attendance.

The Department Club will have as guests of honor at its regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at the Hotel Worth the delegates to the convention of the kindergarten primary and Sunday school workers. A reception will be held at the close of the program, which will be as follows: Vocal solo, Rollin M. Pease;

reading, Mrs. Dalton Soles of Dallas; paper, "The Italian Renaissance," Mrs. Drew Fruit; violin solo (Rubenstein-Wienlawski), Miss Bruner; reading, Mrs. J. Melrose Soles of Dallas.

A special program of sacred music is to be given at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Seventh and Lamar streets, on Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock under the direction of R. M. Reese and the choir of the church. Tomorrow (Saturday) evening the first quarterly conference is to be held at 7:45 o'clock. On Sunday morning the presiding elder, Rev. R. L. Sells, will be present to preach and administer the Lord's supper. The Sunday school meets at 9:45 o'clock, the meeting for men at 3:30 and the Epworth League at 6:45.

A NEW K. P. CLUB BUILDING PROPOSED

Local members of the Knights of Pythias are discussing the question of organizing a social club and purchasing the vacant lot on Third street now owned by Queen City and Red Cross Knights of Pythias lodges, as a site for the contemplated club rooms.

The plan is meeting with general approval among the members, and for the purpose of formally discussing further the proposed project a meeting of members of the order at Knights of Pythias hall has been called for Saturday evening, March 14. At this time it is expected that committees will be appointed and ways and means provided for carrying out the improvement.

Qualifications requisite to becoming a member of the club will be that of a member in good standing in the order of the Knights of Pythias. While no definite plans for the proposed new building have been outlined, it is expected that the structure will be one of modern architecture and provided with the various appointments usually found in such places. It is probable that the banquet hall and other portions of the club building will be constructed so as to afford an opening directly from the present lodge building.

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THE PRIZES TO YOUNG GATHERERS OF NEWS

The announcement in Thursday's Telegram in which there was offered two prizes of five and three dollars for the gathering of news for The Telegram has already brought forth a response.

Bright and early this morning a batch of news was submitted by a contestant from Riverside, one of Fort Worth's busy and growing suburbs. This particular entry for the prize money will be found in another part of today's paper.

Here is a chance for some bright and energetic boy or girl to earn \$5 between now and April 5. The Telegram offers the chance to anyone who is energetic and wide-awake.

The Telegram wants items of news. It wants to know when people leave the city or come to it. It wants to know who are visiting here. It wants to know about the meetings of societies and other organizations. In other words, it wants to know all the little as well as big happenings in Fort Worth.

Such items are news and The Telegram wants to print news. The Telegram believes every boy and girl in Fort Worth has fifty and perhaps a hundred friends who come and go and hold meetings that should be mentioned in the paper. Believing this, The Telegram hereby offers prizes for boys and girls who will bring to The Telegram office or write and send to it or telephone to it bona fide items of news such as have been described.

THE PRIZES OFFERED

Two prizes are offered. The boy or girl sending in the largest number of items by April 5 will receive \$5 in cash. The one sending in next to the largest number will receive \$3 in cash.

Each boy and girl must keep a "string" of the items he or she sends in. Each one sending in items will make a "string" by cutting from The Telegram the items sent in and printed and pasting all the clippings secured in this way together.

The Telegram office will also keep a "string" for each boy and girl and the winner of the contest will be determined after figuring up the "strings" at the end of the month.

GIVE YOUR NAME

In order that The Telegram office may keep its "strings" correctly, every item sent in must be accompanied by the name of the boy or girl who sends it. No boy or girl will be given credit for an item which is not accompanied by the name.

The Telegram office is at 1010-1012 Houston street, and the editorial room telephone number is 676.

RULES FOR ITEMS

Every item must contain the correct name and initials and address of every person mentioned in it. The names must be spelled correctly. The facts stated in the item must be correct. Any boy or girl who sends in an item which is found to be untrue will be ruled out of the contest.

All items must be in The Telegram office before 1 o'clock of the day on which they are to be used. Remember, The Telegram wants always to know about things the day they happen. Announcements for future events will be all right and will count in the contest. Items that have already been printed in The Telegram, whether gathered by regular reporters or by contestants will not be printed a second time and will not count in the contest.

MUDDY ROADS CAUSE AN EGG FAMINE

Fort Worth has an egg famine and the grocers keep the wires hot in a strenuous effort to have even a few on hand. The price has risen from 22 1/2 to 25 cents a dozen.

Bad weather and impassable roads are the cause. The farmers, who probably have eggs in plenty, cannot reach the city with them. They are waiting for roads that will not mire their wagons.

"We usually have seventy or eighty cases of eggs on hand," said one grocer this morning. "Now we have only half a case. This condition has been on for

two or three days."

The scarcity that prevails in eggs prevails likewise in chickens for the same reason. All other stuff that the farmers of Tarrant county supply for the Fort Worth market is hard to get and will continue so until clear weather makes the roads passable.

PRICES SOARING

The price of eggs has not gone up alone. Green peas are 35 cents a quart instead of 5 cents. Lettuce is 30 cents a bunch, raised from 5 cents of a week ago. Three bunches can be secured for 25 cents. Quail has gone from 20 cents to 25 cents and turkeys from 20 cents to 22 1/2 cents a pound.

DURING THE COLD SNAP
"There is one thing certain, Sallie, Satan isn't bothered by this kind of weather."
"Why, how in h—l could he be?"—Canton Saturday Roller.

WHISKY VS. COFFEE

A Woman Experiments
Some families have had experiences with whisky. Probably twice as many families have sickness and distress caused by coffee and the cause not suspected half the time.

A woman from Tacoma, Wash., says: "One of our family had become so ill that the doctor finally pronounced him incurable from enlarged liver. He recommended a sea voyage which might prolong his life, but said it was only a question of time when he would die from the disease."

"He was dreadfully nervous, thin, could not sleep at night, lost flesh and strength daily and everything he ate or drank soured on his stomach. He was so weak and faint he could hardly walk about."
"I finally came to the conclusion that coffee made the mischief, so took coffee away from him altogether and next morning gave him Postum Food Coffee. He steadily began to get better and has never had a sour stomach from that time. He now sleeps all night where he used to suffer the agonies of death. He has gained over twenty pounds and is well and strong."

"My little boy was given coffee at an early age and he began to have spells of trouble at times. I did not suspect the trouble until my experience with Postum opened my eyes, then I took coffee away from him and gave him Postum steadily. If you should see him now and see how well and strong he is you would not believe it was the same puny boy he was when he was drinking coffee."
"An acquaintance of ours carried Postum with him to the gold fields of Alaska. He says he met some men up there who had run out of Postum and could not drink coffee. They offered him as high as twenty dollars a pound for the Postum. He said it was worth forty dollars a pound to him for it gave him strength to endure the hardships and that he would not part with it at any price until he could get more."

"Now about my own case. I was a sick, nervous woman and did not suspect it was coffee, but from the experience I had gained about two years ago I quit coffee and took up Postum Food Coffee, and my appetite improved. I can eat anything, have no indigestion, and have gained about forty pounds in the two years."

"I know of a man whose eyes were so affected by coffee drinking that he was going blind. The doctor suspected coffee to be the trouble and ordered him to quit and take on Postum Food Coffee. The change produced a great change in his eyes. He gradually got better and has now left off his glasses altogether. He would have been stone blind if he had not quit coffee and taken up Postum. Name quit coffee and take up Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

GETTING READY TO INCORPORATE

PETITION FOR A CHARTER FOR THE TEXAS PURE FOOD COMPANY

Is Now in Circulation—Company Will Have a Capital Stock of \$450,000 and Will Be Formed for the Purpose of Manufacturing a Cereal Food

A petition for a charter for the Texas Pure Food Company, to be capitalized at the start for \$450,000 and formed for the purpose of manufacturing a prepared cereal food in Fort Worth, has been prepared and is now in circulation.

L. Stewart, who came here from Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 1 is head of the project and a number of local men are interested. Mr. Stewart's plan, according to the petition, is to issue 450 shares at \$100 each. Of these 250 will be preferred and par value in cash must be paid on them as soon as the company is chartered. This will give the company a cash working basis of \$25,000. The balance of the shares will be common stock.

"I expect that the stock will be taken up very quickly," said Mr. Stewart yesterday, "as quite a number of local men are interested and have expressed a wish to be connected with the company. Mr. McClelland, formerly with the Cameron Mill Company, has notified me that he will be here from New York within the next few days and has expressed a desire to thoroughly investigate my plan."
"My plan," said Mr. Stewart, "is merely to start a new factory in Fort Worth for the manufacture of a cereal food. The ingredients of this food will be wheat, rye and rice. It will be similar to the other prepared foods now on the market, and already there is so great a demand for that kind of food in Texas that I think it will have a ready sale."

GEORGE R. WENDLING WILL LECTURE HERE MONDAY

George R. Wendling, the famous platform orator, who has been heard by thousands of people in Fort Worth on past visits here, will deliver his new oration on "The Imperial Book" Monday night in the Y. M. C. A. lecture course.

Almost every seat is taken now, and a big crowd is assured to hear him.

Mr. Wendling has been in Fort Worth many times and has lectured in the Y. M. C. A. courses before. His orations on "Stone-wall Jackson," "Man of Galilee" and "Saul of Tarsus" have been heard here.

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

AMUSEMENTS

"THE PRINCE OF TATTERS"

An exiled prince in America in search of the wife from whom he was separated while scarcely more than a boy, a league with pirates to help him find her, a renunciation of his companions to save the life of the governor of New York, a duel or two, a patter of pistol shots, a wound, arrest, imprisonment, forgiveness and reunion with his wife; if a hero couldn't make something out of a combination like that, he should be driven off the stage.

To Sidney R. Ellis, who wrote "The Prince of Tatters," Al Wilson owes much. To a sweet voice and wondrously wistful smile he owes the rest. With plenty of red light, a hearth with glowing fire, a song in his mellow voice and his smile, all make something the matinee girl cannot resist. Matinee girls largely determine the success or failure of all people of the stage. Al Wilson has succeeded. Yesterday at Greenwall's he played to one of the largest matinee houses of the year. Half of the audience came away with copies of the songs he sang and his photograph. That was an artistic triumph.

At night the audience was large enough to completely fill the house. Applause was plentiful, encores generous, and at the end was given the rare reward of an encore for the closing song. Then there were more photographs and more song books bought and the people went home smiling over the humor of the play and tenderly smoothing over the soft places in their hearts, the wistful smile and the touching songs had uncovered.

Al Wilson is talented and he is a favorite in Fort Worth. He is a favorite anywhere, for the reasons before mentioned. "The Prince of Tatters" is built on the most effective and at the same time most simple dramatic plan. The audience by a series of events is led to the edge of a great tragedy. While the matinee girls are still leaning forward in their seats to see the tragedy, somebody cracks a joke and it is all off. Then everybody laughs and applauds and feels remarkably comfortable. "The Prince of Tatters" produces a comfortable feeling and is therefore well liked.

Of the other members of the company besides Mr. Wilson, Miss Fanny Bloodgood, who played the part of Ann Clattercock, was undoubtedly the best. She is droll, vivacious, and keeps her audience in better laughing humor than half a dozen high-priced comedians that get a space four feet square on the billboards, with a lithographed signature underneath. George Riddell, who played the part of the governor of New York, was good. So was J. J. Fitzsimmons, who played the part of the governor's son and secretary.

Little Frances Clinton was introduced to further help in uncovering the audience's tender sentiments, and succeeded admirably. Al Wilson, without a little child in the same company, would be like Thomas Jefferson minus Heinrich and Mima.

"The Winding of the Yarn" is Wilson's favorite song this year, but he gave "The Trunkle Song" as an encore. "When Your Ship Comes Home" was perhaps the best thing he sang.

One of the admirable features of the show was that it introduced only two puns, one of which, very happily, wasn't noticed.

KATHRYN KIDDER

The dramatic event of the month, if not indeed of the entire theatrical season, will be seen tonight at Greenwall's opera-house in "An Eye for an Eye," the play by Alexander Dumas fils, now being presented in this country for the first time by Miss Kathryn Kidder and an excellent supporting company. The play has created a furor of favor wherever it has been offered, Miss Kidder herself winning distinction in the main role, greater in quality and proportions than any other part essayed by her in her brilliant career as a star. This Dumas drama has long been eagerly negotiated for by enterprising American managers, but not until last summer could arrangements tending to its native hearing be consummated. Of the list of famous American women of the stage gifted with emotional expression in its highest art who entered the competition for this valuable property, Miss Kidder's offer was accepted, her good fortune in this respect being aided, it is said, by the fame of her performance in Sardou's "Sans Gene." "An Eye for an Eye" is a study of social life—a domestic comedy that barely escapes being a tragedy.

WARDE COMPANY

The most interesting event of the near future in theatrical circles will be the appearance of the sterling actor, Charles D. Herman as a star, supported by the famous Warde company in a round of romantic and Shakespearean plays. Mr. Herman has waited long to make his debut as a star and there is no question of his fitness. His achievements have attracted the interest and admiration of both press and public for the past decade and he has the well wishes of everyone who has seen him. Charles D. Herman commenced his stage career in 1882 at Colonel Wood's museum in Philadelphia, Pa. At that time some of his associates were Thomas Keene, Charles Thorne, Lillie Houton and other stage celebrities. For two years he continued in stock work and then spent a part of a season as leading support to Mme. Januschek. After this for two seasons he appeared in melodrama, creating important roles in "The White Slave" and "Siberia." In 1888 he became leading man with Frederick Ward, with whom he has been closely associated off and on for years. Among other engagements he brought him prominently before the public were those with Robert Downing, Mme. Modjeska, Julia Marlowe, Robert Mantell and the celebrated Warde-James combination. The Warde company comes to Greenwall's opera-house for return date Saturday matinee and night, March 7, presenting at the matinee "Romeo and Juliet" and night "A Battle of Hearts."

MOREY STOCK COMPANY

At Greenwall's opera-house next week, commencing Monday night, March 9, the Morey stock company will present before the audience a series of scenic productions never before attempted at popular prices. They present such plays as "Faust," "Mlle. Sautan," "Cleopatra," "Credit Lorraine," "Michael Strogoff," "Article 47" and "Frou Frou," carrying special scenery complete for each production.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following transfers of real estate were filed in the county clerk's office today:

May G. Denison to R. E. Speer, lot 11, block 12, Lawn Terrace addition; \$200.
Mrs. Mary A. Burns to O. R. Menefee, lot 19, block 12, Union Depot addition; \$1.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

In the Matter of the Estate of Z. M. Smith, Deceased

All persons having claims against the estate of Z. M. Smith, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law. I having heretofore on the 27th day of January, 1903, qualified and received my letters of administration upon said estate. All communications shall be addressed to me at 312 Live Oak street, Fort Worth, Texas.
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Little Willie—A champ!—Philadelphia Record.

THE PACKING HOUSES FORMALLY OPENED

THREE ADDRESSES IN COMMEMORATION OF A YEAR'S ACCOMPLISHMENT MADE BY DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS AT THIS MORNING'S SESSION OF THE FORT WORTH FAT STOCK SHOW

The Fort Worth packing-houses have been formally opened with little ceremony and with a few words addressed by the men who have been interested in their growth from the time of their inception, their formal dedication to Fort Worth, to Texas and to the southwest has been made.

It was almost 11:30 this morning when Captain B. B. Paddock, secretary of the Fort Worth Board of Trade, called the one thousand or more visitors to the Fort Worth fat stock show to order. Captain Paddock has been one of the most enthusiastic workers since the first suggestion that the Swift and Armour packing-houses might be brought to North Fort Worth was made.

COLONEL HOLLOWAY In an eloquent tribute to the efforts of Colonel Henry C. Holloway of Fort Worth, who has been the pioneer in the packing-houses, Colonel Paddock introduced the veteran cattleman, who was greeted with enthusiastic applause.

Mr. Holloway said in part: "As I stand here today this is the proudest moment of my life. As has been told you, I have labored in this cause from the disintegration of the first post here till the present. Today, as I speak to the people of Fort Worth, Texas and of the southwest, I want to commendate them on what you have done."

Following the three addresses there was a temporary adjournment of the fat stock show.

There were no exercises or demonstrations at the packing-houses, which were thrown open for public inspection yesterday morning. Since then hundreds of visitors have passed through the plants and have witnessed the various operations in progress. Most of them have come away loaded down with souvenirs and unable to talk of anything but the size of the plants and the work done.

BIG TRANSFERS OF FARM LAND FILED

More than 1,000 acres of farm property in Tarrant county was transferred on the books of the county clerk this morning.

The biggest transfer was from Benjamin Graham to Henry George Bury of Fort Worth, the price being \$5,781.75. The property in this transfer is described as follows: 90 1/2-acre tract, sixteen miles north and 25 degrees west of Fort Worth, composed of 294 acres of Texas and Pacific Railroad Company survey, section 23; 106 2-10 acres of S. B. Deness survey, section 22; 155 acres of A. L. Ray survey, section 22; 243-10 acres of W. F. Blinn survey, section 22; 161 acres of W. C. Hall survey, section 16; 161 acres of George S. Hall survey, section 15.

OTHER TRANSFERS Willis M. Timmerman to Thomas Sprague, fourth interest in lot 4, block 3, in Arlington, \$150. J. P. Sibley to J. C. Lewis, parcel of land in John Hewett survey, \$125. Jeff D. White to R. L. James, lots 7 and 8, block W. Field's Hillside addition to Fort Worth, \$1,200.

CONSTABLE IS WORSTED IN MAKING AN ARREST AUSTIN, Texas, March 6.—Constable Mossis, while attempting to arrest Jackson, a negro, this morning, was knocked down with a club and seriously injured and disarmed. Jackson fled with the gun and a posse of officers are scouring the country for him. He is a desperate negro and there may be a killing when the officers come up with him. Morris was unconscious for two hours after being knocked down.

HARD WINTER ON CATTLE IN MONTANA CHICAGO, Ill., March 6.—The beef trust has decided to stand by its demurrer to the allegations made against it by the federal government when the cases against the combined packers were begun several months ago and will appeal from the decision overruling it. This alternative was chosen in preference to a hearing of testimony as to the inner workings of the combine. It is understood that the government has a voluminous supply of testimony of every sort bearing on the case and taken in all parts of the country.

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REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL It was current in legislative circles yesterday that the friends of Representative Williams of Tarrant county were grooming him for attorney general two years hence. He will prove a strong candidate in the opinion of his friends.

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TWO RABID DOGS KILLED ON STREET

Two dogs, believed to be rabid, were killed on the streets of Fort Worth yesterday but not until J. H. West, a barber of Dallas, had been bitten in the hand.

Both dogs were killed, one by Deputy Sheriff Purvis and the other by Mr. West who was bitten.

ON MAIN STREET.

Mr. West was standing in the entrance to Phil Becker's barber shop at 703 Main street when a small dog passed him, biting at the heels of persons on the sidewalk. Mr. West and several other men noticed the animal and remarked that he was a bright little dog and Mr. West started to pet him. The dog turned and seized him by the right hand, inflicting two deep incisions.

THOUGHT NOTHING.

Mr. West says he thought little of the incident until he saw the dog continue on down the street snapping at everything within reach. He then started in pursuit and finally succeeded in killing the dog.

Mr. West went to a physician and had his wounds cauterized. He spent the latter part of the afternoon searching for the mad dog. "If there is one in Fort Worth," said he, "I wish the owner would leave it at Becker's barber shop."

SHOT A DOG.

Deputy Sheriff Purvis shot a dog which from its action was afflicted with rabies. Last Sunday a Shepherd dog believed to be mad, was seen on Polytchnic Heights where he attacked several other dogs. He was not killed but from descriptions given he was not the same animal as either of those killed yesterday.

THE STOMACH IS THE MAN

A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength cannot be restored to any sick man of weak woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cleanses, purifies, sweetens and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

ADDITIONAL CITY BRIEFS

Editor P. A. Marth of Graham, Texas, is attending the fat stock show.

Sheriff H. C. Williams of Graham, Texas, was in the city yesterday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Broadway Baptist church met this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church parlors.

United States Deputy John Girard of Abilene, Texas, was in the city transacting legal business today.

Mrs. G. E. Towns of 507 Railroad avenue has returned from Stark, Kan., where she had been on a visit with relatives since Christmas.

Miss Mrs. C. Thompson, wife of Agent Thompson of the Texas and Pacific at Ranger, accompanied by her daughter, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Nies, 809 East Annie street.

Fort Worth people who have recently been in Dallas say the streets there are

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even worse than in Fort Worth and in places are virtually impassable. Mrs. M. P. Woods, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. O. Davis of 415 Lipacomb street, returned today to her home in Denison.

Twenty-eight women of the Broadway and the First Baptist churches of Fort Worth went to Dallas yesterday as the guests of the Baptist women of Dallas at a reception. They returned home last night after spending a pleasant day.

Arthur Harris, wanted on a charge of theft in Dallas, was arrested in the Fort Worth police station by Officer Dillard this morning. Harris went to the station to pay the fine of Alene Jasper, a negro woman. After paying it he was placed under arrest and was locked up as she was arrested.

Miss Kathryn Kidder and her company arrived on the Santa Fe this morning from Austin, where they played last night. They will give a performance here tonight at Greenwall's, the play being "An Eye for an Eye." Miss Kidder has been sick, but now states that she is fully recovered, thanks to her week's lay-off, and will continue her tour as arranged for.

H. T. Bailey of Chico, is in Fort Worth this week attending the fat stock show and the formal opening of the packing-houses. He reports that his town has been the scene of considerable excitement recently, the cause being a debate between Rev. Howell, a minister of the Russellite faith, and Rev. Whitaker, a Christian. The subject of the discussion was the differences between the two beliefs. Both sides claimed the victory at the end. Great interest was manifested in the affair, people coming from the surrounding towns to be in attendance.

The Department Club will have as guests of honor at its regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at the Hotel Worth the delegates to the convention of the kindergarten primary and Sunday school workers. A reception will be held at the close of the program, which will be as follows: Vocal solo, Rollin M. Pease;

reading, Mrs. Dalton Scales of Dallas; paper, "The Italian Renaissance," Mrs. Drew Pruitt; violin solo (Rubenstein-Wienlawski), Miss Bruner; reading, Mrs. J. Melrose Scales of Dallas. A special program of sacred music is to be given at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Seventh and Lamar streets, on Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock under the direction of R. M. Pease and the choir of the church. Tomorrow (Saturday) evening the first quarterly conference is to be held at 7:45 o'clock. On Sunday morning the presiding elder, Rev. R. L. Sells, will be present to preach and administer the Lord's supper. The Sunday school meets at 9:45 o'clock, the meeting for men at 3:30 and the Epworth League at 6:45.

A NEW K. P. CLUB BUILDING PROPOSED

Local members of the Knights of Pythias are discussing the question of organizing a social club and purchasing the vacant lot on Third street now owned by Queen City and Red Cross Knights of Pythias lodges, as a site for the contemplated club rooms.

The plan is meeting with general approval among the members, and for the purpose of formally discussing further the proposed project a meeting of members of the order at Knights of Pythias hall has been called for Saturday evening, March 14. At this time it is expected that committees will be appointed and ways and means provided for carrying out the improvement.

Qualifications requisite to becoming a member of the club will be that of a member in good standing in the order of the Knights of Pythias. While no definite plans for the proposed new building have been outlined, it is expected that the structure will be one of modern architecture and provided with the various appurtenances usually found in such places. It is probable that the banquet hall and other portions of the club building will be constructed so as to afford an opening directly from the present lodge building.

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Choice Evaporated Peaches, 3 pounds for25
Choice Evaporated Apples, 3 pounds for25
Dried Grapes, 3 pounds for25
Fat, Juicy Prunes, 3 lbs for25
Cooking Figs, 3 pounds for25
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Here they are: The Texas and Pacific, reaching west to El Paso, east to Texas and St. Louis and south to New Orleans; the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, reaching north to Kansas City and St. Louis and south to Galveston, Houston and San Antonio; the Rock Island, touching Chicago, Kansas City, Des Moines, Omaha, Memphis, El Paso, San Francisco, and soon to enter Galveston and Houston; the Santa Fe, entering Chicago, Kansas City, St. Joseph, the far west and Galveston on the south; the Fort Worth and Denver, giving a direct line to Denver; the Frisco, reaching St. Louis, Kansas City, Birmingham, Memphis and now on the way to New Orleans, Galveston and a score of other centers; the Houston and Texas Central; extending southward to Houston and Galveston, and the Cotton Belt, running northwest through the cities of Arkansas and on to St. Louis. In addition to these there is the International and Great Northern, almost ready to run trains in from the south.

NETWORK OF LINES

Not only do these great systems establish a direct connection with the other cities. They own hundreds of miles of branches which form a network over the country which is really the cat's paw of the world. And every day almost reports of new lines and extensions of old ones are being received.

MASS OF TRACKS

To the man who is visiting Fort Worth for the first time today it appears like a vast mass of railroad tracks and the impression he will always carry as his first will be an impression of railroads.

Ease of access to the sea as well as to the cattle country is another advantage which Fort Worth has over other packing centers. Not half the people who eat meat live in America. Across the ocean are other millions, and the plains of the southwest are their chief source of meat. Their object and the object of the packers is to reach the markets where these people buy by the shortest and cheapest route and Fort Worth offers that.

LINES TO THE GULF

Galveston and New Orleans are the ports from which the packing-house products of Texas must reach the markets of the old country. The Missouri, Kansas and Texas, the Houston and Texas Central, the International and Great Northern and the Santa Fe compete for business to Galveston, making shipments from Fort Worth to that port easy and assuring competition for it.

The Texas and Pacific and the Houston and Texas Central with the Southern Pacific lead the way to New Orleans, and other roads are now struggling for an entrance there, which will put them in the field for business from Fort Worth.

CAN'T EXPECT OTHERWISE

"You can't expect it to be otherwise," said a business man the other day. "The packers know it doesn't pay to ship live stock on a holiday's tour before making it into dressed meat. They are going to kill it as near where it lives as they can, for it's cheaper to ship it dead."

"And as for export business, Fort Worth ought to have everything its own way. It is the only packers' town within reach of a possible salt water breeze."

What the 57th Congress Did Do and Did Not Do

WHAT IT DID DO

As to the substantial work of the congress, the following legislation has been enacted in addition to the so-called anti-trust legislation:

The duty on anthracite coal was removed, permitting large importations of fuel from Nova Scotia and Canada. This afforded some relief to the border states from the coal famine caused by the strike in the anthracite regions.

The sum of \$3,000,000 was given to relieve distress in the Philippines caused by famine and suffering due to the recent hostilities.

Provision was made for redeeming the Hawaiian silver coin with United States money and extending the American financial system to that territory.

Authorization was given for constructing a new house for the department of agriculture and \$1,500,000 was appropriated for that purpose.

The efficiency of the Philippine constabulary was increased, thereby removing the necessity for maintaining so many soldiers in the islands.

An act was passed to increase the pensions of those who have lost limbs in the military or naval service of the United States.

The safety of employes and travelers on railroads has been increased by additional legislation requiring the use of automatic couplers, continuous brakes and driving wheel brakes.

The pension laws were amended to prevent the practice of young women marrying aged ex-soldiers for the purpose of receiving widows' pensions after their deaths.

A union railroad station was authorized for Washington which will cost several millions of dollars.

Persons accused of crime can hereafter be removed to and from the Philippine islands for trial. This has heretofore been impossible and many criminals escaped punishment for serious offenses.

The ninth executive department of the government was created, being designated as that of commerce and labor. Efforts to secure this legislation have been made in many previous congresses without success.

An act was passed creating a general staff corps for the army, thereby placing it on the same footing as the European organizations. This has been one of Secretary Root's chief ambitions. The reorganization of the army will be made effective after the retirement of General Miles.

Provision was made for creating a militia service which will be of great utility in time of war.

A new immigration law was passed which will do much to restrain the coming of objectionable aliens. It will render the contract labor laws more rigid and put into execution stringent regulations for the exclusion and control of anarchists.

The bankruptcy act was amended so as to remove the objections raised against the existing law and to prevent fraudulent transactions by debtors.

The gold standard was extended to the Philippine islands and a system of coinage provided. This legislation was strongly urged by the Taft commission and the president. It is expected to place business on a firm basis and increase the general prosperity.

WHAT IT DIDN'T DO

Following are some of the big measures which failed:

The bill to protect the president, vice president and cabinet officers, after passing both branches of congress and being agreed to in conference, failed to become a law.

The bill reducing the tariff on all importations from the Philippines to the United States to 25 per cent of the Dingley act rates which passed the house, was talked to death in the senate. This measure was urgently desired by the president, who sent his last special message to congress on that subject.

The Fowler currency bill in the house and the Aldrich finance bill in the senate failed to pass either body.

The omnibus statehood bill which passed the house last session, providing for the admission of Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma as states was filibustered against in the senate for nearly fourteen weeks and its passage prevented, although a pronounced majority of the senate favored it.

The Littlefield anti-trust bill passed almost unanimously in the house and favorably reported by the senate judiciary committee failed of action, the republicans maintaining that adequate anti-trust legislation had already been enacted.

The Panama canal treaty and the Cuban reciprocity treaty failed of ratification and will be considered at the special session of the senate.

WANT TO CRUSH BRYAN IN NEBRASKA

NEW YORK, March 6.—In a lengthy first page article the Brooklyn Eagle declares that "Bryan and his populist creed" will be eliminated from the democratic party shortly. Hill, Lamont, Whitney, Cleveland, Gorman, Olney and other leaders, the Eagle says, have begun to "reorganize" the party. They have made alliances, the paper says, with other leaders in the east and south against Bryan. A sound-money and Bryan-expunging campaign is to be begun in the south and west and particularly in Nebraska. It is proposed to crush Bryan in his own state and to prevent at all costs his having a voice in the next Nebraska delegation to the national convention. The reorganizers claim to have reports of a strong anti-Bryan sentiment in Colorado and intend a vigorous campaign there.

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JEFFRIES PICKS OUT AN EASY MARK

SIGNS ARTICLES, AT LAST, TO FIGHT CORBETT FOR HEAVY WEIGHT HONORS

BALTIMORE, Md., March 6.—James J. Corbett and Billy Delaney for James J. Jeffries have signed articles for a fight for the heavy-weight championship of the world. It was agreed that the contest take place in California in July or August next under the auspices of the athletic club offering the largest purse. The men are to spar twenty rounds to a decision, the winner to receive 75 per cent of the purse, the loser to take 25 per cent. Bids are to be sent to Harry Corbett, San Francisco, accompanied by a certified check for \$5,000, duplicate bids to be sent to Tom O'Rourke in New York. Bids for the contest are to be opened on April 1 next. The club securing the contest must deposit a certified check for the entire purse ten days before the fight. It was also agreed that the contestants should deposit certified checks for \$2,500 in the hands of someone to be decided upon later, at the time the proposal of the club offering the largest purse is accepted. There was considerable talk between Corbett and Delaney as to the sort of bandages which the principals should wear during the contest, but they finally agreed to use only the soft tape which nearly all boxers use. The agreement, which is signed by James Corbett and Billy Delaney, is rather long. The witnesses are Thomas Corbett and Robert Dealy.

THE SENATORS WHO TOOK THE OATH YESTERDAY

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The United States senate at noon yesterday met in special session called by the president. It was an interesting event, as such sessions do not usually occur except when a president of the United States is inducted into office, at the beginning of each new congress, and yesterday was the first session of the senate of the Fifty-eighth congress. The oath was administered to twenty-six senators who take office for six years. Of these the following were re-elected: Messrs. Allison of Iowa, Clay of Georgia, Dillingham of Vermont, Fairbanks of Indiana, Foraker of Ohio, Hansbrough of North Dakota, Kittredge of South Dakota, McEnery of Louisiana and Mallory of Florida.

Serving on appointment until the legislature meets: Messrs. Penrose of Pennsylvania, Perkins of California, Pettus of Alabama, Platt of Connecticut, Platt of New York, Spooner of Wisconsin and Teller of Colorado.

The oath was administered to new senators, although one, Mr. Gorman, had previously served eighteen years in the senate.

The new senators are: Messrs. Fulton of Oregon, Gorman of Maryland, Hepburn of Idaho, Hopkins of Illinois, Latimer of South Carolina, Long of Kansas, McCreary of Kentucky, Newlands of Nevada, Overman of North Carolina and Smoot of Utah.

Three newly elected senators, Messrs. Ankeny, Clarke of Arkansas, and Stone were not sworn in, nor was the oath administered to Mr. Gallinger.

PLASTERERS STRIKE FOR \$5 A DAY

Fort Worth union plasterers have struck for an increase in wages from \$4 to \$5 a day. There are about eighteen men in the local union and all are out except two or three at work in North Fort Worth, who, it is said, are getting the desired \$5.

The union plasterers claim the master plasterers agreed to give them \$5 a day, beginning March 1, and when this increase was not granted they quit work.

WANTED ELSEWHERE

Some time ago a representative of St. Louis contractors was in Fort Worth offering plasterers work at \$5 a day for two years on the World's Fair buildings and Beaumont and Galveston, among the Texas cities, are said by the local union men to be paying these wages.

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MEETING TO TALK OF MARKET PLACE

CANNERY FOR FORT WORTH WILL ALSO BE DISCUSSED

Mass Meeting of Farmers and Citizens at Courthouse Tomorrow, Called by Truck Growers' Association — Officers Elected in Riverside Last Night

The Truck Growers' Association, which was organized ten days ago, has called a mass meeting to be held in the commissioners' courtroom at the courthouse at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The need of a market place and a cannery in Fort Worth will be the principal subjects discussed.

All Tarrant county farmers and citizens of Fort Worth are being urged to attend the meeting.

"Fort Worth is about the only city of its size in the country that has no market place," said President W. S. Gilbert of the Truck Growers' Association this morning. "There is a great need of one and it concerns the citizens of Fort Worth almost as much as it does the truck-growers of the county."

BOARD OF TRADE

Mr. Gilbert called on Captain B. B. Paddock, secretary of the Board of Trade, this morning and said afterward that Captain Paddock had promised if possible to attend the mass meeting tomorrow. Mr. Gilbert says several other members of the board as well as the secretary have shown an interest in the plans for a market place and a cannery and he believes the Board of Trade will support the efforts of the Truck Growers' Association.

COMMITTEE NAMED

A committee composed of President Gilbert, Secretary Dan Self and A. S. Wear has been appointed by the Truck Growers' Association to present the plans of the association at the next regular meeting of the Board of Trade.

JUST A START

"The market place and the cannery are the things which the truck growers most need," said President Gilbert this morning. "And we want to make a beginning with them. There are, however, other things which the farmers of the county ought to have, and the association will in time help them in getting these. For instance, bridges sometimes get down and need repairing and the matter vitally affects the farmers."

PLACE TO SELL

"The cannery, if it can be secured, will furnish a market for the fruit of Tarrant county and encourage the cultivation of orchards, as they are not being cultivated now. There is no better fruit land in the state than that of Tarrant county and all we need is some inducement to have it made use of."

"The market place, too, will result in a greater production of fruit as well as of garden stuff by encouraging the farmers to increased efforts. Anything that helps the farmers of course helps Fort Worth, because this is where the Tarrant county farmers buy and sell."

OFFICERS ELECTED

At a meeting of the Truck Growers' Association in Riverside last night W. S. Gilbert was elected president and Dan Self secretary. A committee on constitution and by-laws was chosen, consisting of Messrs. Lightower, Seyster and McAdams.

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BETTER THAN RENTING—\$100 cash and \$5 per month buys a six-room frame residence, porch, pantry, closets, hydrant, servant's house, barn, lawn, nice fruit and shade trees, cement walks, hedge fence, shrubbery, corner lot, 55x100 or alley, south front. Price, \$1,800. M. L. Chambers & Co., 809 Main street.

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West side, close in, six-room frame cottage, hall, porch, servant's house, woodshed, chicken-house, gas, newly painted and papered, nice fence and shade trees; lot 68x100; price \$2,000; one-half cash, balance easy.

West side, four blocks from Main street, seven-room cottage, large hall with sliding doors, porch, bathroom, toilet, newly papered, hot and cold water, gas, east front; lot 55x100; price \$4,000; terms.

Taylor street, eight-room two-story frame, halls, porch, bathroom, shade trees; lot 50x100; price \$3,700; one-third cash, balance terms.

South side, six-room cottage, reception hall, bath, two mantels and grates, outhouses, on car line, corner lot, south and east front; lot 60x100; a bargain at \$2,100; easy payments.

For sale—West side, six-room cottage, brick foundation, cement walks, two-story barn and buggy-house, chicken-house, shade trees, nice lawn and flowers, south front, corner lot, 50x120 to alley; price \$2,250; easy payments.

For Sale—Close in, brand-new west side six-room two-story house, reception hall, mantel and grate, sliding doors, bath (porcelain tub), toilet, plastered; in fact, strictly up to date, lot 50x100; price \$3,500, \$1,000 cash; balance terms.

North side, near parker's and close to Main street, several choice lots and half block of ground that we can sell at a bargain if you see us quick, as it won't keep long at figures we have on it.

Hemphill street, five-room cottage, bath and toilet, electric lights and gas, good outhouses, fine mantel and grate, sink in kitchen, everything up to date and in good condition; lot 50x110 to alley; price for short time only \$2,500, \$1,000 cash, balance by the month.

For Sale—One four and one five room cottage, on east side, good neighborhood, barn, buggy sheds; prices, \$1,200 and \$1,250; small cash payments and easy terms.

For Sale—Several lots in Fairmont addition, nicely situated; also lots in other portions of city. Some good propositions on Main, Houston and Throckmorton streets.

If you wish to sell, buy, rent or insure your property or want money to build houses or take up vendors' notes, see us.

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TRAIN SCHEDULE TEXAS AND PACIFIC PASSENGER STATION

Corner Main and Front Streets.

TEXAS AND PACIFIC. Leave 6:30 am. Cannon Ball. 7:45 am. St. Louis Express. 8:10 am. W. Ft. and Dal. local. 10:30 am. Dallas local. 12:25 pm. Wills Point local. 3:10 pm. Abilene M. and Ex. 5:30 pm. (West Bound.)

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TRANSCONTINENTAL (Texasiana, Sherman and Paris.) Leave 6:10 pm. Passenger daily. 8:35 am.

MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS. (North Bound.) Leave 8:10 am. Katy Flyer. 8:30 am. Passenger Daily. 11:45 am. 10:50 pm. Passenger Daily. 11:20 pm. (South Bound.)

7:45 pm. Katy Flyer. 8:15 pm. 7:10 pm. Passenger Daily. 7:30 am. 5:10 pm. Passenger Daily. 6:00 pm.

COTTON BELT. Leave 6:25 am. 10:15 pm. 6:25 pm. 8:20 am.

FORT WORTH AND DUNN. Leave 5:10 pm. Colorado Express. 9:45 am. 9:55 am. W. Falls local. 6:00 pm. 6:00 am. Colorado M. and Ex. 11:10 pm.

FORT WORTH AND RIO GRANDE. (Picnic System.) Leave 6:09 am. Mail and Express. 2:15 pm. 6:09 am. Mixed Accom'd. 9:30 pm.

RED RIVER, TEXAS AND SOUTHERN. (Picnic System.) Leave 2:55 pm. World's Fair Spl. 11:05 am. 7:35 pm. Mixed Accom'd. 6:00 am.

ROCK ISLAND. Leave 7:10 am. Past Express. 8:30 pm. 7:30 pm. Mo. River local. 8:20 am.

SANTA FE UNION STATION. Corner Fifth and Jones Streets. GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA FE. Leave 7:05 am. Limited. 7:15 am. 8:20 pm. Day Express. 8:50 pm. 7:45 am. Day Express. 7:55 am. 9:00 pm. Limited. 9:10 pm.

HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL. Leave 11:50 am. Daily Accom'd. 1:05 pm. 9:10 pm. Daily Passenger. 6:50 pm. 8:05 am. Daily Passenger. 8:50 am.

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The Process of Making Butterine

Imagine a dairy that is turning out a ton and a half of butter a day. Then imagine its output being gradually increased until it reaches ten tons every workday of ten hours in the year; then you will get some idea of the size of the butterine department in Swift & Co.'s North Fort Worth plant.

Probably no department will be of more interest to the visitors this week than the one in which the much-desired, and at the same time, much-maligned butterine, or oleomargarine, is manufactured. Butterine and oleomargarine are one and the same thing. Swift & Co. called the product "butterine" when they first started making it in Chicago. The United States government re-christened it "oleomargarine," so it now has two names instead of one.

WHAT IT IS

At the outset, a definition is easier than after the description of the making. Butterine is a substitute for, or as the manufacturers believe, the successor to dairy butter. It is made of "oleo oil," "neutral," milk, cream and salt. The "oleo oil" and "neutral" are made from the finest fat of Texas cattle and hogs. The milk and cream come from Texas dairies. The salt might come from Texas where there are refineries in the state, but as there are not, the manufacturer has to go elsewhere for his supply. All the other component parts of butterine are products of

Texas and the factory at North Fort Worth was built with the intention of supplying the citizens of the Lone Star state. So confident are the manufacturers of the demand in this state that they have made preparations for making butterine on an immense scale.

SIMPLICITY IS STRIKING

The most striking thing about the manufacture of butterine at first view is its simplicity. The bigness of the project does not at once dawn on the visitor. It is hard to imagine until after you have been assured that about thirty men are turning out in the neighborhood of 100,000 pounds of butterine in a month. When you are told that the rating of the department calls for an output approximating 600,000 pounds a month, then the size of the undertaking dawns, but at first the ease and apparent simplicity used in making the product is the most interesting part about the work. You are told that oleo oil and neutral are churned together with milk and cream till the butterine is "made," and then it is taken to an ordinary working table and worked just like butter; afterwards being pressed into bricks and wrapped in oiled paper. Just as is done in any well-regulated dairy. That is all there is to it. The visitors see the four component parts of butterine, see two of them made and the other two brought in from a dairy, see the churning and the working and then tastes the finished product and wonders why there is any prejudice against oleomargarine as an article of diet.

THE SECRET IS SYSTEM

The secret about butterine is system. Years of experience and mathematical exactness have made the making of butterine nowadays seen easy. Temperature and proper mixing, you are told, are all that are needed for the success of the manufacture, but chemists have devoted their best talents to discovering the temperature and to regulating the proportions of the ingredients. You are told that no less than three of the men you see walking about garbed in white coats are expert chemists and the making does not seem so easy as it did at first.

SOMETHING OF THE PROCESS

Cleanliness, almost painful cleanliness, attends the making of the butterine from the time the fat is taken from the body of the newly slain bullock till the time when the finished bricks of butterine are packed away under the government stamp. In the manufacture, from the slaughtering room to the shipping scales.

The fat used in making butterine is what is known as "calf fat." It is the finest gotten from the animal. This calf fat is trimmed from the bullocks that have been inspected and passed by a government inspector stationed on the killing floor. While still in the carcass, the fat is washed a couple of times, and after being carefully cut out is thrown into large wooden tubs on movable trucks. The trucks, when full, are run a short distance into the butterine department. Looking down from the gallery where the truck stands, you see long vats full of which is filled to a certain temperature. In a big hopper in which keen knives are rapidly whirling, and which leads to the first of the vats, two work-

The government, by the way, has a hand men toss the selected pieces of fat. The pieces are taken out, one at a time, and anyone showing traces of being inferior is tossed aside.

Through the knives the fat goes, finally coming out on the surface of the vat below, where it floats, being considerably lighter than the water.

At the furthest end of the vats are three rendering kettles. When the fat has been chilled sufficiently and enough has been collected to begin cooking it is rendered out in these kettles. The result of the process is a product known in packing house parlance as "stock," which after being cooled to a proper temperature is pressed in hydraulic presses. The oleo oil is in this manner extracted and the substance remaining in the presses is what is known as oleo stearine. The oleo oil is light golden in color, perfectly transparent and perfectly pure.

The oleo oil and neutral are mixed in the proper proportions and then put into a big wooden churn along with milk and cream.

When the churning is finished, real buttermilk is drawn off, and the unworked butterine, which is pale yellow in color and looks exactly like unworked butter, is ready for the working table.

The churning process is not essential to either the purity nor to the quality of the product, but it gives the butterine a flavor which the most expert cannot distinguish from that of the best creamery butter.

BETTER THAN THE OLD WAY

Grandmother's way of working butter is too slow for the butterine workers, who call in electric motors to take the place of strong arms. In fact they never touch the butterine, handling it entirely with paddles. The working table is circular and has two rapidly-revolving wooden cones with corrugated faces, which travel around rapidly and deftly work out all the traces of buttermilk and make the butterine smooth and firm.

From the working table to the cooling room and from there to the holding table, where it is pressed into bricks, is but a simple matter. When in brick form the butterine is wrapped in oiled paper, bearing the name of the manufacturer, and the name of the kind, which indicates the grade. It is then packed, sealed, stamped with the government revenue stamp, which bears the date of packing and the name of the variety, and is then ready for shipment to the consumer.

The government tax on butterine is one-fourth cent per pound. If the butterine was colored the tax would be 19 cents per pound, a tax almost prohibitive. So far, the entire output of the Swift plant has been used in Texas, and it is the expectation to supply the big demand that existed in the state even before the packing house was located here. To Texas farmers who raise cattle more for slaughter than for other purposes the product fills a demand that has heretofore been hard to meet, and that it is filling to demand satisfactorily, increasing orders for all the plant can manufacture testify.

What you pay for extracts is important, but a simple matter. When in brick form the butterine is wrapped in oiled paper, bearing the name of the manufacturer, and the name of the kind, which indicates the grade. It is then packed, sealed, stamped with the government revenue stamp, which bears the date of packing and the name of the variety, and is then ready for shipment to the consumer.

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Bird's Eye View of Fort Worth Stock Yards and Swift and Armour Plants

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A cordial invitation is also extended to visitors to inspect the Great Clothing Plant of Washer Brothers—the best place to do your shopping.

Attractive Bargains In Men's Suits

VISITORS will find the time most opportune to secure desirable merchandise at exceptionally low prices. To close out the balance of our winter stock we have made SWEEPING REDUCTIONS of 25 to 40 per cent.

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- TOP COATS—In black, gray, tan and olive shades, including regular, stout and slim sizes, reduced from \$16.50, \$15, \$13.50, \$12.50 to \$9.85

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Place your order for the Spring Suit now—new goods at hand, embracing the best productions of foreign and American looms—the largest and fine stock of woollens in Fort Worth. Our motto is, "NOT HOW CHEAP—BUT HOW GOOD."

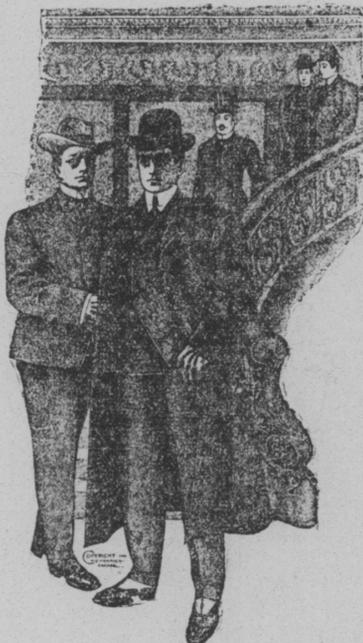


Exhibit of Spring Hats and Shoes

SPRING HATS—The showing this year is greater in variety than ever before in both shapes and colors.

STETSON HATS—We are headquarters for the celebrated Stetson Hats—many new creations and all the good old ones. Prices \$5 to \$15

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COLONEL MOSES WETMORE WOULD ENTERTAIN "TEDDY"

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Colonel Moses Wetmore, the trust buster, is in Washington for a double purpose. To Colonel Wetmore the most interesting feature of his visit to the capital is to witness the induction of the new senator, William J. Stone, Colonel Wetmore has been one of the new senator's staunchest friends for many years, and would have been glad to see the job had been well done should he miss seeing his protégé march up to the vice president's desk and take the oath of office. After Mr. Stone becomes a senator in fact, Colonel Wetmore will ask him to accompany him to the White House to meet the president. Then he and Senator Stone will extend an invitation to the president to visit the colonel's famous hunting preserve in the Ozark mountains. It is not expected that the president will be able to accept now, as the itinerary of his jaunt was made

out before Colonel Wetmore conceived the thought of asking Mr. Roosevelt to be his guest. It is believed, however, the president will accept for a date some time next fall. Colonel Wetmore declares that the president will be able to find more game on his Ozark preserve than he could find in any other part of the country. It abounds in deer, wildcats, turkeys, quails, etc., and the streams are stocked with the finest fish. If the president accepts the invitation Senator Stone will be a member of the hunting party, as will also Colonel R. C. Kerens, the Missouri member of the republican national committee, and ex-Governor D. R. Francis, president of the St. Louis world's fair.

TO REAL ESTATE BUYERS

For pick-ups in realty a home, business or speculative properties, see Byers & Trice. If there is a bargain to be had in what you want they will show it you. If you have property to sell try them, they don't hawk it around, but use judgment in offering it and present a proposition in a business way.

The most widely separated points between which a telegram can be sent are British Columbia and New Zealand. A telegram sent from one to the other would make nearly a circuit of the globe, and would traverse over 20,000 miles in doing so.



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FORT WORTH, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1903.

FORMAL OPENING OF PACKING HOUSES TODAY

The Beginning of an Era for Better Things for Stockmen of the Southwest is Marked by the Ceremonies Here Today—Texas, no Longer Dependent on the Markets of the North, Will Manufacture Its Own Raw Material Into Finished Product.

A Texas Steer's Journey in Life

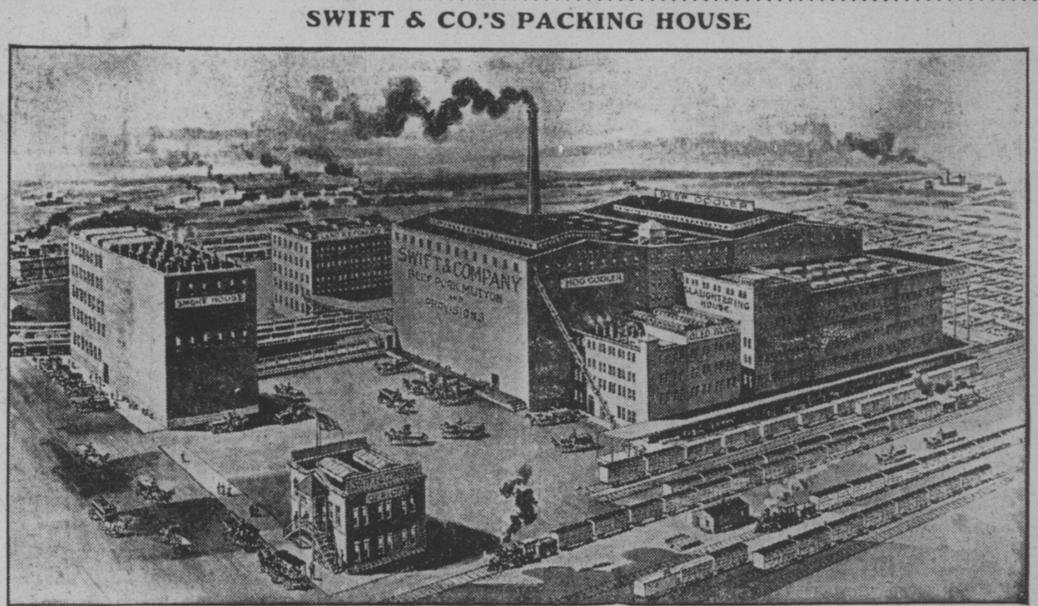
It might have been raised anywhere in Texas; but for the sake of convenience suppose he is the product of a ranch near Abilene. Suppose he is in marketable condition, weighs 550 pounds, and is in every way a typical Texas steer. Here is a story of what work it would take to fetch him from his native ranch and finally leave him in your butcher's shop, where you may select your steak or roast at pleasure.

THE SHIPMENT

In the first place he would be driven from the ranch to the Texas and Pacific station, where he would be loaded into a car for the Fort Worth stock yards. A waybill for one car, giving car number, the initial letters it bears, the name of the shipper and the name of the consignee at the Fort Worth yards, and also giving the number of cattle in the car

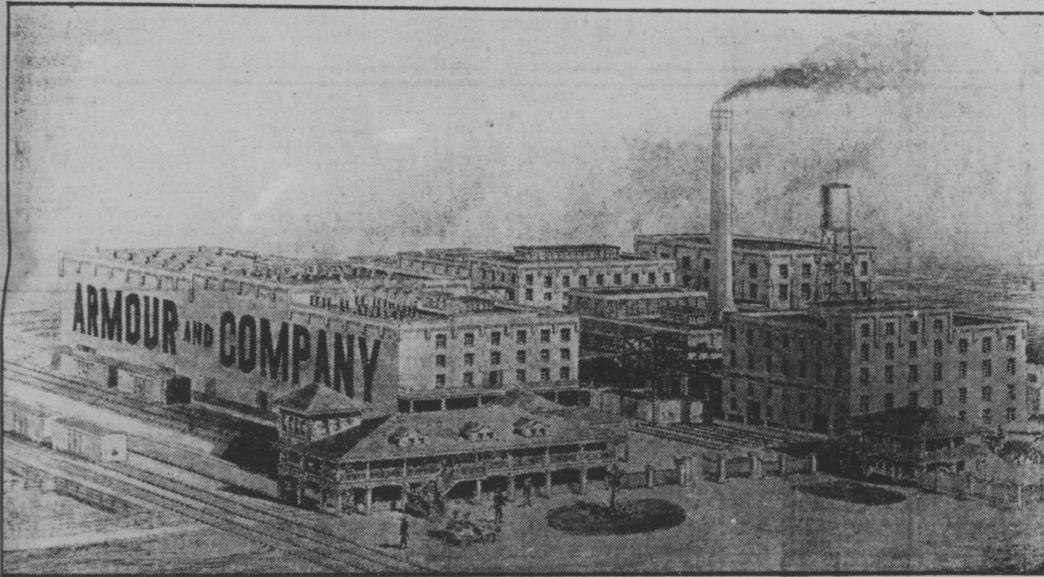
again for a few hours, or until the drivers were ready to make a "drive" over the viaduct. They are not in the habit of driving single animals over the wooden bridge, but in this case is assumed. The driver or driver would turn the steer out of his pen into another alley, perhaps go through a couple more and finally arrive at the long, sloping approach to the overhead viaduct. The steer might hesitate a little about walking up the incline, but healthy whoops by the drivers and occasional bits of profanity would help him along. Once at the top, he would trot along for a quarter of a mile, depending on from where he started and to which of the packing-houses he were going. At Swift's he might stop at the end of the viaduct, which slopes down before reaching the plant, and there wait awhile in one of

along, still on the steel track, to where a careless-looking man armed with a cleaver was engaged in splitting the bullocks exactly in half. So expert is he that with his cleaver he divides exactly in the middle a bone no wider than a forefinger, and in the two halves of a bullock seldom errs so much that there is a pound of difference between them. When through with his work he puts a pencil mark on the end of a bone, so that in case the cutting is poorly done it can be traced back to him. Meanwhile, before the cutter has done his work, the government inspector has passed on the bullock, and if it is satisfactory he has attached his stamp. The government inspector is everywhere, and no bullock escapes his keen eye. If he refuses to pass it his decision means dead loss to the packers, but it is protection to the consumers. The rejected bullock is good for nothing but fertilizer. But assuming that our steer has been passed without hesitation by the inspector and bears the cutter's pencil mark and the four government stamps of approval, the bullock would then go, still along the steel track, to the trimmers. They would remove the fat and finish up the work left undone by the pre-



SWIFT & CO'S PACKING HOUSE

ARMOUR & CO'S PACKING HOUSE



PACKINGHOUSE PRODUCTS MANY

NORTH FORT WORTH PLANTS WILL MAKE EVERYTHING POSSIBLE

All Waste Products Are to Be Utilized in the Most Economical Way and the Plants Will Be the Most Economical in the United States—Some of the Things Made

The North Fort Worth packing-houses are, first of all, packing-houses. The expression sounds odd, but after one has been through the plants and has been told of the many things which will be turned out he almost forgets the packing-house part of it, in thinking of the additional things, the manufacture of which is provided for. An exacting system and rigid economy are needed to make the expenditure of a couple of million dollars in a plant yield returns on the investment. The utilization of every waste product and its manufacture into something useful is a part of this wonderful system of economy which has taken years to develop and in Fort Worth will reach more nearly toward perfection than any system employed elsewhere in the United States. So minute in detail is this system that even the water that is used to make steam is recondensed. The water used in cooling the pipes is cooled again after being heated so that it can be used again, and the utmost use out of everything possible is made. The only thing the packers are generous with in their plants is the water used for keeping things clean, but even scrubbing brushes are used to help the water out.

SOME OF THE BY-PRODUCTS

To give the visitor some idea of what will be done at the plants when everything is in complete running order, the following list of by-products which will be manufactured at Armour & Co's plant is given. The bones of the feet of slaughtered animals will be cleaned thoroughly of every particle of flesh and then shipped to manufacturers of tooth brushes, knives, piano keys or any where hard bones capable of taking a high polish are in demand. The knuckles of the bones are used as far as possible for that purpose will finally be made into fertilizer. The horns will be split and pressed into flat plates. Manufacturers of combs, buttons, mouthpieces for pipes and the like will use them. The waste about the horns will be used for fertilizer. The hoofs of the animals will be sorted into three grades. The white ones will be sent to Japan, to be used in the manufacture of ornaments; the striped ones will be used by manufacturers of ornaments in this country, and the black ones will be used by manufacturers of cyanide of potassium used in gold extraction. Other hoofs of this grade will be used for making a fine variety of fertilizer for florists, grape growers and the like. Neatsfoot and other oils will be extracted from the feet and from the fat just back of the hoofs. The hair will be thoroughly cleaned, dried and curled. Afterwards it will be used in the manufacture of mattresses, lounges and all forms of upholstery. Blood and other waste products will contribute to the manufacture of anhydrous ammonia. This ammonia is used in ice-making and will be largely used by the packers themselves. The intestines will contribute brewers' isinglass, used in the clarification of liquors.

The stearine, which is a by-product in the manufacture of butterine, will be used in the manufacture of all kinds of soap. Both toilet and laundry soaps will be made on a large scale in the North Fort Worth factory. Glycerine will be extracted from tallow. **WILL HELP THE DOCTORS** Much will be manufactured that is constantly used by physicians and druggists. While glycerine is one of the most com-

STATISTICS FOR THE VISITORS

FACTS AND FIGURES OF INTEREST ABOUT YARDS AND PLANTS

Capacities of the Stock Yards and Packing-Houses and Dimensions of the Various Buildings Seen on a Trip Through Them—Immensely Is Hard to Conceal

Following are some facts and figures about the packing houses and stock yards of North Fort Worth. They but slightly express the size of the different projects and what they mean, not only to Fort Worth, but to the entire state of Texas: **THE STOCK YARDS** Total number of cattle pens, 490. Some of these are for single cars and some for two carloads. Total capacity of cattle pens every twenty-four hours, 5,000. Hay barns in cattle yards, 3, with total capacity of 600 tons. Number of scales in cattle yards, 2, with capacity for weighing 60 average cattle each at one time. Water supply for both cattle and hog pens, well and supply tank a half mile north of yards. Tank holds 80,000 gallons and conveys water in 8-inch supply pipe and pressure of 55 pounds, or enough to force a stream over the top of the exchange building. Water supply can furnish 50 gallons for every head of cattle handled during every twenty-four hours. Total length of underground water pipes, about 4 miles. Dimensions of hog yards, as planned, 500x100 feet. Present dimensions, 338x150 feet. Number of pens, 108. Pens are 20x32 feet, each, are paved with vitrified brick, gutted and can be washed out thoroughly. Number of hogs that can be handled every twenty-four hours, 10,000. Number of sheep, 3,000. Number of miles of railway when belt line is completed, 16. Number of engines used when work is finished, 5. Drainage system for yards includes storm sewer, 8 1/2x8 1/2 feet and three-thirds mile long. Total length of 18-inch and 13-inch tiling leading to main sewer, 21 1/4 miles.

SWIFT & CO'S PLANT

Slaughter house—Height, seven stories; capacity daily, 450 cattle, 1,500 sheep, 3,000 hogs. Beef cooler—Height, eight stories; lateral dimensions, 144x115 feet; top floor used for ice plant and storage purposes. Hog cooler—Height, eight stories; lateral dimensions, 144x113 feet. Oil house—Height, five stories; lateral dimensions, 97x60 feet. Smokehouse—Height, five stories; lateral dimensions, 100x65 feet; weekly capacity, 500,000 pounds. Soap house—Height, six stories; lateral dimensions, 192x142 feet. Butterine department—Monthly capacity, 300,000 pounds. Boiler house—Lateral dimensions, 62x72 feet. Total horsepower of boilers, 16,000. Engine house—Lateral dimensions, 112x72 feet. Contains compressors for refrigerating plant, electric light and power plant large enough to supply a city of 20,000 inhabitants. Also contains water pumping apparatus. Car repair and machine shops—Lateral dimensions, 125x75 feet and 160x40 feet, respectively; height of both buildings, two stories. Office—Height, two stories; lateral dimensions, 60x125 feet. **ARMOUR & CO.** Hog and beef killing, 200x150 feet, 6 stories. Beef cooler, 144x116 feet, 6 stories. Hog cooler, 140x116 feet, 6 stories. Freezer, 64x116 feet, 6 stories. Ham house, 98x116 feet, 6 stories. Cooper shops, 65x116 feet, 4 stories. Oil house, 64x116 feet, 3 stories. Lard refinery, 144x114 feet, 4 stories. Hair plant, 50x150 feet, 1 story. Fertilizer, 75x150 feet, 2 stories. Power house, 120x150 feet, 1 story. Machine shops, 40x160 feet, 2 stories. Car shops, 100x300 feet, 2 stories. Office building, 100x150 feet, 2 stories.

THOUSANDS WILL BE BROUGHT HERE

PACKING HOUSES WILL WITHIN A FEW YEARS SWELL CITY'S SIZE

Fort Worth Will Be a City of 75,000 Inhabitants Within the Next Five Years. Largely as a Result of the Location of the Two Immense Plants Here

"I look for a population of 75,000 for Fort Worth within the next five years," said a packing house official yesterday when asked how many people will be brought here when the packing houses are running at their full capacity. The estimate is not a rash one, for Fort Worth has other resources that will help increase its population rapidly. At present there are employed in the two plants and about the stock yards fully 2,000 men. Many of these are single men, but as they are gradually replaced by experienced workmen brought from other plants more families will move here. It is expected within five years to have not far from 5,000 men working about the two packing houses and the stock yards. Assuming that 4,000 of these are married men, having the average family of five children each, this alone would increase the population of Fort Worth and North Fort Worth 28,000. The packing houses will not be the only element in increasing the city's population, though they will be the chief one. Other factories and industries will come here, bringing more men and more families. Fort Worth is rapidly growing now, and that within the time named its total population will reach the 75,000 mark is not only probable, but quite reasonable.

Special Rates Via M., K. and T. \$10.60 to Galveston and return, account Scottish Rite reunion and ceremonial service of the Mystic Shrine. Tickets on sale March 7 and 8; final limit for return March 15. \$9.95 to San Antonio and return, account Woodmen of the World convention. Tickets on sale March 9 and 10; final limit for return March 15. T. T. McDONALD, City Ticket Agent, 306 Main street. The money jar: Have you made your estimate yet?

(In this case one), would be made out by the railroad agent in duplicate. One of these waybills would go to the conductor of the freight hauling the car with the single steer to Fort Worth.

THE UNLOADING

Arrived at Fort Worth, the car would have to be transferred to one of the railroads running to the stock yards. The car, with its solitary load, would reach the unloading dock at the new yards after a time and then the yardmaster or his assistant would superintend the unloading. If a representative of the commission firm to which the steer was consigned happened to be on hand the steer would be at once driven to one of that firm's pens, or rather into a pen in the block assigned to the firm. For a little while the steer would be left alone, but the yardmaster, armed with the waybill and with the unloading ticket which he made out when the steer was released from the car goes to his office and there enters in a yard book the road over which the steer was shipped, the number of the car, its initial, the number of cattle it contained, the name of the shipper, the town from which the steer was shipped, the name of the consignee, the block and the pen to which the steer was driven when unloaded; a description that a detective might envy for its perfection.

THE PURCHASE

Left in his pen, the steer would wait until the commission firm's salesman accompanied by a buyer for one of the packing-houses might come his way. Perhaps a government inspector might stroll around over the tops of the pens and look him over. If the market were good, the steer satisfactory and the packing-house buyer in a mood for quick business a sale might be effected in a very short time after his first glimpse of the waiting animal. The steer would then be driven from his pen, down a long alley, to the inclosure fronting the scalehouse. There a government inspector would look him over again, and if he passed muster, he would be let on the scales and weighed. The weighmaster would make out a ticket in duplicate, giving the number of animals weighed (in this case one), the name of the seller, the name of the commission firm making the sale, the name of the packing-house purchasing, the weight of the steer, and finally the number of the new pen to which he would be driven after the weighing was over. The figures from the weighmaster's ticket would also be copied into the books of one or two of the employees of the packing-house making the sale. Driven into his new pen, the steer might be left

the storage pens. If he were going to Armour's he would walk straight from the yards into the slaughtering pen.

THE SLAUGHTER

Just before entering the slaughtering pen he would probably have to wait his turn in a small inclosure, then the door would open and he would walk up a little incline into a wooden box, with no outlet but above. He might glance upward and see a man of perfect physical proportions, standing poised on a narrow platform, gently swinging a steel mallet. He might even see the mallet as it would suddenly swing back and then he would see no more, for the head of the mallet, with the accuracy of a bullet, would strike his forehead somewhere within a little circle, not much bigger than a dollar, and then he would drop, stunned, to the floor of the box.

Then the door at the side of the box, opening into the slaughtering-room would fly open, the box would be raised slightly, the body of the steer would fall out on the floor of the room. An instant later a brawny workman would have fastened a chain about his hind legs, there would be a movement in the electric crane overhead and then the body of the steer would swing head downward. A moment later he would be swung, suspended from a pulley running on a steel track, a few feet further along. Then there would be an unerring thrust of a sharp knife into the throat, a gush of warm blood spurting out on the dripping floor, and then another workman would, in less time than it takes to tell it, insert a knife at the top of the steer's head, right back of the forehead, and by a dextrous movement and apparently a single cut remove the head, skinning it at the same time. The head would then be placed on the floor along with a number of others, all placed in the order of slaughter to await the government inspection of the bullock. Then the butchers would begin their work. The skinning process would begin above the hoofs and when the bones as far as the knee had been skinned they would be cut off and laid aside carefully. More different products are made from the leg of a steer between the knee and the bottom of the hoof than of any other part of the body, but that is another story.

THE DRESSING

The skinning and removal of the intestines is done so quickly one sees little but the movements of the butchers as they carefully wash each bullock as they go along. Before a minute would have passed the carcass of the steer, or bullock as it is called, would be swung

vious workmen. Then, when the trimmers were passed, the bullock would be swung to another long steel track leading to the cooling-rooms. From the slaughtering pen to the place where it is swung on the last rail leading to the cooling-rooms the bullock has been thoroughly washed four times. Just as it leaves a cloth is pinned to it, to absorb the moisture and the drippings. Still hanging from the overhead track, the bullock would stop a second in front of the weigher's office, where the "warm weight" would be taken. The bullock bears in addition to the government stamps and numbers a tag showing the lot from which it was taken. The weigher would make an entry in duplicate, recording the warm weight of the bullock and the lot from which it came, so that the difference between the live weight and the weight when dressed could easily be determined. Tagged, stamped and numbered, the bullock would then go into the cooling-room, where it would finally be allowed to rest along with hundreds of others.

When cooled enough in a room where the temperature never changes the year round the bullock might be taken from the room, taken downstairs on the elevator and then given its final weighing. There would probably be a difference of several pounds in this last weighing, as the bullock loses weight in the refrigerating-rooms. Then as the number, weight and lot and all other necessary data were recorded, the bullock would be swung along the track to the door of the refrigerator car in which it would finally be hung. The packers would have a record of it from the time it was weighed in the stock yards till loaded in the car. They would know just where every pound went and can figure to a cent how much profit was made or lost on the meat sold. Then they keep track of the car until it arrives, possibly in the Fort Worth yards, and is unloaded for a local butcher. The latter has nothing to do but sell it, and that is the end of your Texas steer.

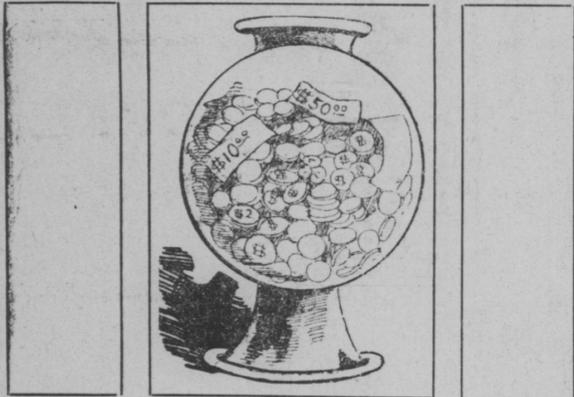
A REMARKABLE CASE

One of the most remarkable cases of a cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I run down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength."

Do You Need Some Pin Money

If you do The Telegram offers you an opportunity of replenishing your purse within the next few weeks in a way that will make it unnecessary to cost you a single cent. This can be accomplished through

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This jar has been filled with money, coins and bills of all descriptions. The one guessing the correct amount in this jar will be awarded the full amount of money in the jar. Should no one guess the amount exactly the money will go to the one guessing the nearest to the proper amount. Should there be more than one correct guess the money will be equally divided between those making the right guess.

Not a single soul knows the exact amount of money in the jar. This will assure absolute fairness to all

**The Contest Started
Friday, February 6,
1903, and Ends Sat-
urday, April 25, 1903
at Midnight**

An ordinary glass jar has been filled with money by the tellers of two of the banks of Fort Worth. Neither of these two men, and not even the publisher of The Telegram, knows the exact amount of money that was put in the jar. The same tellers at the close of the contest will count the money and make an official statement of the amount. In the jar has been placed coins and bills of all denominations, ranging from a cent piece to a ten dollar greenback and gold coin.

No One Knows How Much Money is in the Jar

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The money jar will be on display every day in one of the windows of The Telegram office. Come down and make a guess.

Estimate coupons will be issued to anyone upon request, but will not be good unless stamped with the signature of C. D. Reimers. A tin box under lock and key will be in the front office of The Telegram. All estimates must have the name and address of the person making the estimate, and be accompanied by cash for subscription.

No member of The Telegram force of employes or their families will be allowed to make entries in this contest.

You May Win a Jar of Money!!

Cut this coupon out and bring it to The Telegram office and make a guess. It costs you nothing to guess. You may win the jar of money.

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SPENT 100 HOURS STALLED IN THE SNOW

THREE ROCK ISLAND PASSENGER TRAINS REACH EL PASO AFTER PERILOUS TRIP

EL PASO, Texas, March 6.—After being snow-bound nearly 100 hours in drifts sixteen feet in depth near Santa Rosa, N. M., three Rock Island passenger trains were rescued day before yesterday and the half-famished passengers were brought to El Paso. There were nearly five hundred passengers on the trains—men, women and children—and their suffering was so intense that the situation finally became desperate. The food supply was totally exhausted twenty-four hours before the rotary snow plow had cleared the track and arrived with the relief train. Grown men and women were well-nigh famished, and children were the especial sufferers. The snow was too deep to permit of walking to the nearest town, thirty miles away, and the engines were so barred in the drift they could move in neither direction. One of the engines had its fire extinguished by the snow, and the cars were without heat or light. The other two trains fared better, but all were short of food. The railway officials made heroic efforts to rescue the trains, and when the snow plow and 200 Mexicans with shovels finally cleared the track a train containing dining cars was sent out from Alamo and all passengers were well fed.

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PEOPLE WANTED TO KILL THE SANITARY INSPECTORS

MAZATLAN, Mexico, March 6.—There was one death today from the plague. The cause of the riot at Villa Union, where a mob sought to kill the sanitary inspectors, have been investigated. Two cases of plague have been registered at Villa Union, the authorities ordered the houses of the patients to be burned. This was done carelessly and twelve more houses caught fire and were entirely destroyed, whereupon the people, headed by the owners of the houses, came shouting: "Death to the sanitary agents," and began to throw stones at the agents, one of whom was seriously hurt. Just then the news spread that another sanitary inspector was coming and the rioters went to meet him, intending to kill him, but he was informed of the disturbances and alighted from his carriage before reaching Villa Union and concealed himself as the rioters were hunting for him. Dr. Butner's man servant was found on the street and brutally beaten because he refused to say where the doctor was. A merchant, Luis Gonzales, who intervened in favor of the servant, was also beaten. Late at night the prefect of police reached the scene of the disturbance with a detachment of rurales and order was re-established. A detachment of soldiers of the Eleventh infantry was also ordered out. The rioters numbered about 250. A detachment of soldiers and volunteers have been sent to Recodo, Aguas Calientes, Koria, Cunao and other villages.

This morning the sanitary authorities promised to pay for the damage done, and no more disturbances have occurred. The rioters declared they would remain in peace provided they were allowed to celebrate the fiesta tonight, which is being held, and numerous demijohns are being emptied, but everything is calm and in order. The governor of the state departed for Villa Union this morning and his presence has contributed to quiet the disorders.

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Doctors find
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RIVERS ARE STILL RISING IN THE MIDDLE SOUTH

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 6.—The river rose one-tenth of a foot here in the last twenty-four hours, official figures being 34.4 feet. More water is coming from the north. A second special warning has been issued by S. C. Emery, in charge of the government weather bureau here, in which he says: "From water now in sight and entirely disregarding the effect of future rains, which are decidedly probable, a stage of forty-eight or forty-nine feet may be reached at Cairo, thirty-seven feet at Memphis and forty-eight feet or more at Helena. These we believe are conservative estimates. The highest stage on the coming rise should reach Memphis from March 12 to 14, and at Helena a day or two later. As the strain on the levees will be great people occupying the St. Francis basin and the lowlands on the Tennessee side should, if they have not already done so, prepare for serious flood conditions. This is especially true of the region behind the recently constructed levees."



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RELIC OF THE CIVIL WAR SOLD AT FORT GIBSON

FORT GIBSON, I. T., March 6.—The sale of the old government buildings here attracted a big crowd of purchasers from all over the territory and the aggregate amount of the sale was \$7,171, or double the expectations of the officials. The buildings were built before the civil war, and Fort Gibson was then one of the most important strategic points on the frontier. Some of the federal officials were buyers. A house that cost the government \$50,000 was sold for \$1,175. The old government fort is one of the richest spots in historic interest in the southwest.

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REPEAL OIL INSPECTION LAWS OF THE TERRITORY

GUTHRIE, Ok., March 6.—The Oklahoma senate passed over the governor's veto the bill repealing the oil inspection laws of the territory. The vote was 19 to 2. Senators Alexander and Webster voting with the governor and Senator Mathews being absent.

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Comics in Next Sunday's Telegram

Next Sunday's Telegram will contain a couple of the best comic cartoons that Artist Opper has ever put out. These are a part of the Hearst features that The Telegram is running every Sunday. This week The Telegram will depict the troubles of Alphonse and Gaston and also the antics of the Katzenjammer Kids. Alphonse and Gaston are still sojourning in Africa with their dear friend Leon. The latter seeks to photograph a baby rhinoceros and the terrible calamity that befell them is drawn in Opper's best vein.

The irrepressible youngsters seek to play one of their practical jokes on the Captain. The fun is fast and furious while it lasts, but like it always ends the Kids get another good, sound spanking.

Look Out for The Sunday Telegram.

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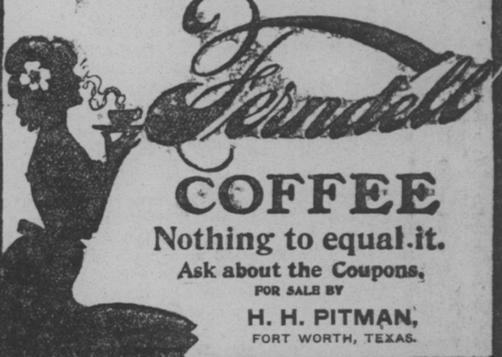
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FORT WORTH, TEXAS, MARCH 6, 1903.

Speaking of St. Louis in an article dealing with its seamy side, Lincoln Steffens, in the current number of McClure's, says: "In other cities mere exposure has been sufficient to overthrow a corrupt regime. In St. Louis the conviction of the hoodlums leaves the felons in control, the system intact, and the people spectators."

Beginning on the first day of this month hundreds of the employes of the Santa Fe railroad were made happy. The freight men received an increase of 15 per cent in their wages and the passenger men an advance of 12 per cent. This is a long way ahead of a strike, no matter who has to pay the bills for a tieup.

Mrs. A. A. Ames, wife of the ex-mayor of Minneapolis, who has about as bad a record as an official can make, says her husband is not so bad as he is painted. Quite so. Not so depraved in her eyes. The woman who can never find anything to criticize about her husband is now and then found. She is always a treasure.

A Sunday cable from Berlin says that Emperor William has directed that President Roosevelt be informed that the statue of Frederick the Great will not be sent to the United States until the spring of 1904. This is thoughtful on the kaiser's part. By that time much will be forgotten and congress will see its way to help the president out of the embarrassment by his acceptance of a gift which he had no right to accept. The public parks of Washington are not regulated by touching an electric button in the White House.

The proposed "zoo," flower beds and other improvements for the city park is a step in the right direction. Of course a great deal will have to be done to the park to make it at all what it ought to be, and this will take time. But it is certainly encouraging to see a start made. One of the most pressing needs of Fort Worth is for a suitable place for the people to recreate, especially during the hot months. A roof garden is all very well and helps a lot, but there is nothing that can be compared to a beautiful green park on a Saturday or a Sunday afternoon with the band piping from the stand and people of all sorts scattered about in idle enjoyment.

Webster Davis, one time a Republican federal office holder and later pronounced agitator for American interference in the Boer war, has saved enough money from the opportunities of his career to buy a fine farm near Kansas City. He has been living on it for some time now, enjoying the ease and independence of a country gentleman. "Web" has been the subject of considerable railery and abuse during the last few years, but from his present standpoint it needn't worry him much. He has the paragraphs beat a block.

Too many men look on life from the point of view of the embezzler who has stolen a fortune and hidden it away and goes to jail to serve a term of imprisonment only to be freed finally to enjoy as he hopes the fruits of his rascality. To such a man in prison, life has become merely a period of waiting; and to many men out of prison it is nearly the same. They toil and save and put up with all sorts of privations in order to enjoy a good time after while. It rarely comes and they go down to the grave

without having experienced the joy of living. What the world offers comes only day by day. You can't save it up like you would dollars and enjoy it all at once after while.

PLUMS ST. LOUIS WANTS.

There are to be several national political conventions next year. St. Louis is after everything that will draw a crowd, because it has an attraction of its own to exploit. That city has already begun the initial efforts to secure the Roosevelt convention. What St. Louis wants to have is a definition of the conditions it will have to meet. It is said that Senator Hanna is opposed to having both the Republican and the Democratic conventions held in the same city, particularly if they meet at anywhere near the same time. St. Louis is not the best convention city in the United States. It has the railroads and it is central, but it hasn't the hotel facilities to take care of the exposition visitors together with the crowd that the great national political conventions would draw.

But St. Louis is confident. It points to the fact that both Democratic and Republican national conventions have been held there and that the nominees of both were winners, one being Cleveland and the other McKinley. The members of the national committee, one for each state, are being sounded, and long before the committees get together something definite will be known as to the action that may be expected.

A BLOCK TO REFORM.

State legislatures North and South, East and West have adopted resolutions favoring the election of United States senators by popular vote. In taking this action the legislatures voice the demand of the people, the large majority of them. But, unfortunately, the people are almost powerless to have their wishes gratified. They may protest and resolve; they may ask those who represent them in state assemblies to afford relief. But if any change come years will be required to bring it about.

The block to reform is the United States senate itself. A constitutional amendment is required and the senate has the power and the disposition to defer the necessary action for a great while. Some of the senators realize fully that if their fate depended upon a popular vote they would never be returned to that body. With a state legislature practically divided between the political parties as often happens, influences can be brought to bear that would never prove effective on the larger body of voters. The senators actually form a combine against the wishes of the people, and it is a combine hard to reach.

But it can be done, and it will be accomplished in time. The people are long-suffering, but they will sometime be aroused.

The best pill 'neath the stars and stripes; It cleanses the system and never grieves. Little Early Risers of worldly repute— Ask for DeWitt's and take no substitute. A small pill, easy to buy, easy to take and easy to act, but never failing in results. DeWitt's Little Early Risers arouse the secretions and act as a tonic to the liver, curing permanently.

The postoffice money order department handles about \$300,000,000 a year. The loss by the dishonesty and carelessness of clerks has been only \$251 in the last two years, but this is partly explained by the fact that the clerks are made responsible for the money they handle, and any loss is considered theirs.

THE FEAR OF HUMBUNG Prevents Many People From Trying a Good Medicine

Stomach troubles are so common and in most cases so obstinate to cure that people are apt to look with suspicion on any remedy claiming to be a radical, permanent cure for dyspepsia and indigestion. Many such pride themselves on their cautiousness in never being humbugged, especially in medicines. This fear of being humbugged can be carried too far, so far, in fact, that many people suffer for years with work indigestion rather than risk a little time and money in faithfully testing the claims made of a preparation so reliable and universally used as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Now Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are vastly different in one important respect from ordinary proprietary medicines for the reason that they are not a secret patent medicine, no secret is made of their ingredients, but analysis shows them to contain the natural digestive ferments, pure aseptic pepsin, the digestive acids, Golden Seal, bismuth, hydrastis and nux. They are not cathartic, neither do they act powerfully on any organ, but they cure indigestion on the common sense plan of digesting the food eaten thoroughly before it has time to ferment, sour and cause the mischief. This is the only secret of their success.

Cathartic pills never have and never can cure indigestion and stomach troubles because they act entirely on the bowels, whereas the natural digestive acids. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets taken after meals digest the food. That is all there is to it. Food not digested or half digested is poison as it creates gas, acidity, headaches, palpitation of the heart, loss of flesh and appetite and many other troubles which are often called by some other name.

They are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package.

Mother of Yarmouth's Heiress



MRS. THAW

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Mrs. Thaw, whose picture here appears, soon is to have the earl of Yarmouth for a son-in-law, much against her will. Mrs. Thaw has done all in her power to prevent the engagement of her daughter, Miss Alice, to the earl, but when she found it vain reluctantly gave her consent to the marriage.

Storyettes

An up-state man told a story on himself at the Murray Hill hotel the other day, says the New York Mail and Express:

"I had occasion recently, for the first time in my life," he said, "to employ a big New York lawyer, and went to former Attorney General John W. Griggs, stated my case and gave him \$25 for a retainer.

"Without betraying the slightest feeling as to the size of my fee, Mr. Griggs told his secretary to give me a receipt for the amount and dismissed me with the remark:

"When you want me to proceed with your case send me a reminder. This is only a retainer, you know."

Charles M. Schwab, when he was a boy attended the village school of Loretto, Pa., and in Loretto today they still tell the story of young Schwab and the brick. It seems that the schoolmaster was an ardent geologist. He had ordered one day that each of the children bring to school a specimen of some sort and these specimens he would designate and describe one by one. Accordingly on the appointed day a great arm load of stones were brought to the little building, but young Schwab's contribution to the arm load was a broken brick. "In due course the master took up the specimens.

"This," he said, "is a piece of field-spar from the crossroads."

"This is a piece of marl from the meadow."

"This is a piece of argillaceous sandstone from the quarry."

"And this," he thundered, faking up the broken brick, "this is a piece of impudence from Charlie Schwab."

A number of senators who make the room of the president pro tem, a lounging place on Saturdays were discussing the bill to amend the act of March 3, 1879, which provides for the election of United States senators by popular vote. One commented on the fact that, although the chaplain is blind, he never failed to greet his friends with the salutation, "I'm glad to see you." Another told of a letter recently received from the chaplain, deploring his inability to be in Washington for this session, and saying: "Never allow a session to be opened without prayer being first offered to Almighty God. If you do, my boys will be sure to get into trouble." "You remember," continued the senator, "that on the day the Tillman-McLaurin fracas occurred Mr. Milburn was ill, and the session was opened without prayer. The doctor always believed that the trouble was the result of the omission."—New York Tribune.

Since the woman out at Salt Lake City wrote Representative Cowherd of Mis-

souri, inquiring if there were not a law bestowing prizes upon women that give birth to two sets of twins, he has had a letter from a former constituent, now at St. Elizabeth's asylum. This former constituent was inquired in Kansas City some months ago, and Mr. Cowherd, out of the kindness of his heart, called to see him at the hospital. When the poor fellow eventually landed in St. Elizabeth's, this city, he wrote Mr. Cowherd, requesting him to call. The Kansas City statesman has many duties, and replied that he was unable to go over there for the present.

"God may forget you, but he will never forgive you," was the terse answer that came by the return mail.—Washington Post.

A member of congress tells an amusing story of Secretary Wilson illustrative of the influence of bureau chiefs. The member recently asked Mr. Wilson's opinion of a bill before congress. "I know nothing about it," said the secretary. "I do not concern myself with legislation before congress. If it is passed, and the president sends it to me to execute, that will be time enough to form an opinion. I know nothing about it, nothing at all," and the secretary lay back in his chair regarding the representative with half-closed eyes, then sat upright, and opening his eyes wide, looked at him over his glasses with an expression which clearly said: "Now, what have you to say?"

"I am sorry," said the member. "I was hoping to get some light from you. In fact, I have just been reading a long communication favoring the bill, which I am inclined to oppose. It says so and so"—the secretary looked bored—"and, Mr. Secretary, it was written over your signature."

"Jasper," said the secretary, appealing to his son, "did I ever write such a letter?"

"No, father," was the reply. "But Professor _____ wrote it and you signed it," and right there Mr. Wilson produced the best box of Connecticut-grown, Sumatra-wrapped cigars in his cabinet.—New York Tribune.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon entered the hall of the house the other day while discussion about the bill to stamp out the foot-and-mouth disease was on. A Southern Democrat, who talks frequently and on "any old" subject, which fact has become a jest on both sides of the chamber, held the floor.

"Does this bill cure the mouth disease?" inquired "Uncle Joe" of a company of statesmen near him.

"Yes," said they.

"Well, then," replied "Uncle Joe," with a wave of his hand toward the voluble Southern Democrat, "I am not for it."—Washington Post.

Connecticut, says the Springfield (Mass.) Republican in an article on Indian names, "is from quonne, long; tuk, tidal river; qu, at; that is, quonnetuk-ut, at the long tidal river."

WASHINGTON NEWS

WASHINGTON, March 5.—(Special.)—When the Alaskan commissioners meet in London to determine the boundary line between the Dominion of Canada and our big territory, they will find that all the maps and globes that have been made favor the construction contention of the United States. It would be very strange indeed to find maps, save those made in recent years in England, which did not establish the line claimed by the United States, which is ten marine leagues (thirty miles) from the seacoast. Many official maps have been referred to which were made in England, even by the British admiralty, which confirm the claims of this country. When these facts are known, it is rather strange that there should be any contention over the boundary. The treaty says that the boundary line must follow the "sinuosities" of the coast ten leagues distant, and that is all there seems to be to it. It is learned that Canada is getting ready to make objections that English jurists will confirm the claims of this country.

For the Efficient Soldier.

Senator Scott of West Virginia is responsible for a great deal of literature in the way of letters, petitions and papers that have been received in Washington urging that the efficient soldiers of the civil war be cared for. In these communications it is asserted that heretofore pensions have been granted only to the wounded and the sick, a very meritorious system every one allows, but it is claimed that the time has arrived when the men who served long and faithfully, who stood the shock and brunt of battle and came out with good health, should be recognized and pensioned. As I say, Senator Scott started it by proposing to give a pension to any soldier who served ninety days or more. Others have increased the limit to a year, but there is a decided tendency to give every soldier a pension who saw service enough to get used to his uniform.

It Might Be Burton.

While it is generally expected that Representative Hemenway of Indiana is to be chairman of the committee on appropriations in the next congress there is some talk about Representative Burton of Ohio for the place. Burton is now chairman of rivers and harbors and has demonstrated that he has a great deal of strength in handling big measures. Hemenway has not had so much experience as Burton, and while it is known that Mr. Cannon has a great deal of confidence in him the fact that Hemenway may be the Republican candidate for governor in 1904 may result in a determination on his part not to seek the chairmanship of the appropriations committee. While it would be somewhat unusual to take a man from one committee and make him chairman of another, the procedure would not be unprecedented.

Long and Short of It.

Minnesota will have the second biggest man in the house next session in the person of Hans Steenerson of the Ninth district. Cy Suloway of New Hampshire will hold the record for size, but the North Star state has a good second. He is nearly as tall as Suloway, but he has not got the breadth of the New England man. Representative Slayden of Texas has been the second man in size in the present house and is a tall man, standing straight as an arrow. Minnesota will also have one man who will rank second as the smallest in size in J. Adam Bede of the Duluth district. Representative Burnett of Alabama will hold the record at the short end of the line.

Believes in Civil Service.

There was quite a discussion in the senate over civil service and the methods of the commission and considerable criticism of the law. Senator Spooner voiced a sentiment which has quite a widespread sympathy when he said: "My experience here as a senator for nearly twelve years, and most of the time under an administration with which I have been in sympathy, has led me to believe that the civil service, whatever it may be in other relations, is of vast importance to the country in the protection which it affords to gentlemen engaged in public life from constant and persistent pressure for little offices and from constant invocation for personal services and political influence in these matters of appointment and promotions and removals. And I want to say now that whatever men may think of the civil service law it is my conviction that if it were repealed and if we should go back to the old method we would tear away a dam which protects men in public life here measurably and would leave ourselves in a position where life here would be almost intolerable."

The Houses Clash.

There is a promise of some very sharp controversies between the senate and house over amendments to the appropriation bills which have been put on in the senate. The house has rejected some of these amendments and in a manner which shows a disposition to stand upon its rights. Representative Cannon is a leader in the movement, and the fact that he is to be the next speaker gives him even more strength in the house than he had as chairman of the appropriations committee.

ARTHUR W. DUNN.

The highest speed which matter has been known to reach is that attained by the eruption of hydrogen and other gases hundred miles a second.

DAILY SHORT STORY



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BY ANGELA MORGAN

"Jove! Did you ever before see such an assortment of humanity? Here's your chance, Baker, to study the genus 'home.'"

Pierce had straightened up from his lounging attitude and was gazing with growing curiosity upon the motley crowd of excursionists streaming past the hotel. Baker, following his example, exhibited an interest combining both curiosity and compassion.

"Poor souls!" he muttered. "Tis a red letter day in their humdrum existence. Pitiful, isn't it, and amazing, too, how little suffices!"

"Hold on, Baker, there's plenty of time afterwards for moralizing. We'll use our eyes now and our reflective faculties later."

From their position on the hotel steps both young men had an excellent view of the panorama below and beyond Lake Michigan, flashing blue green in the sun, the beach, clean and white by contrast, dotted with amusement booths and pavilions, and the dock where the big steamers, just landed, continued to unload itself of pleasure seekers.

As the latter climbed the rather steep ascent to the town and proceeded to scatter through the streets to their various diversions, they encountered the interested gaze of those resorters and residents who invariably found pleasure in watching the arrival of excursion boats and trains.

An exclamation from Pierce startled Baker in the midst of observance.

"I say, look at the crowd around the professor's tent! He'll do a rushing business today."

Baker looked and saw that the palmist's quarters, near by, were already taken possession of by waiting groups, eager to have their hands read.

A closer scrutiny showed disappointment plainly written on the faces of the waiting ones. Some were turning away, while others held wondering consultation.

"Perhaps the professor isn't in," suggested Baker.

Sudden remembrance flashed upon Pierce. "By George, I should say not! That picnic party hasn't returned yet, has it? Well, then, good by to the professor's trade for this afternoon. The folks would insist on taking him—promised to bring him back in time—and behold the result!"

"Wonder what happened to delay them so long?"

"Anything can happen to a party bound for Highman Park. The question is, What's to be done? It's too bad the poor chap must miss all those quarters and half dollars. Wish we could help him out!" Pierce paused, brightened in a twinkling and slapped his friend heartily on the back.

"I have it!" he finished, jubilantly. "Now's your chance to revive your past knowledge of palm reading—didn't I tell you it would some day serve its purpose?"

The suggestion was rich in possibilities for fun and diversion.

"And you?" queried Baker.

"I? What were my stentorian lungs given me for? I'll be spelier, of course."

So it happened that the discomforted crowd about the tent were made happy by the sudden appearance of the supposed professor and his assistant.

"This way, ladies and gentlemen! This way for the wonderful, great and only hand readings of the world-famed Professor Franklin! Come in—come in! Don't miss this marvelous opportunity—'tis the chance of a life time. This way, this way!"

Thus cried Pierce, standing outside the tent, while Baker, within, puckered his brows, looked wise and prophesied marriages, fortunes and journeys abroad with the ease and assurance of a professional.

The task, once begun, was amazingly easy. Baker found himself wondering at the astonishing credulity of the human mind.

But his confidence was destined to re-

ceive a severe blow.

There entered the tent a young woman so supremely different from the credulous country maidens whose fortunes he had told so glibly that he stood for the first instant abashed and at a loss.

"Well!" she interrogated coolly, as Baker continued to hold her hand in troubled silence.

She had beautiful, impenetrable eyes and a disdainful smile. Something in the smile gave Baker his cue.

"You are not happy," he hazarded, with sudden attack. "In fact you are quite dissatisfied at present. The actions of some other person are responsible for your distress."

This shot, certainly, could not hit very wide of the mark.

He stole a swift glance at her face for corroboration of this guess. The other victims had each given some encouraging sign, either a nod or smile or a tell-tale blush. But this maiden was aggravatingly serene.

Grappling with his oozing courage, he made another reckless plunge.

"Some one is trying to coerce you into a—into an affair—a love affair, let us say. Your father or mother—perhaps both parents—have set their hearts upon your marriage with ah—er—with a young man whom they favor on account of old family ties."

Baker paused, groaning inwardly. "I'm up against it this time, sure, giving her that old time, worn out spiel. But there's no help for it now, so here goes."

Truly, it was a hackneyed theme, but as he continued to elaborate upon it the story did not sound so stale, after all. Such things, he reflected, were certainly happening every day in real life. Did he not himself figure in just such an experience? Had not his parents chosen for him a young woman whom he had never wished to see?

The recurrence of this fact to his mind stimulated him afresh. Unconsciously his sympathies, stirred thus by a realization of his own trials along the same line, kindled into increasing warmth over the imaginary troubles of the fair maid before him.

Not until the reading was finished did the inscrutable look leave her face. Then to Baker's amazement—indeed, to his unbelieve—she flashed upon him a sudden bewildering smile as she said impulsively: "It is wonderful! Do you mean to say that you actually saw all this in my hand? Why, it's the exact truth, professor—every word!"

Baker, murmuring incoherently, accompanied her to the door, where the sight of Professor Franklin, hastening toward the tent, caused him to bid the young woman a precipitate good day.

Franklin accepted the explanations in good-natured gratitude, thanking both young men for their friendly spirit in the affair.

Pierce was hilarious over the experience, but Baker scarcely heard his jovial remarks and jests. He was thinking of a certain pair of eyes.

Later, as he strolled down the street for cigars, he found himself looking about in the hope of again encountering those eyes.

The sound of a hearty, familiar voice accosting him broke upon his reverie. "Hello, my boy! Never thought to run across you up here! Bless me, I'm glad to see you!"

It was the father of the girl whom Baker's parents desired as a daughter-in-law.

"And Grace is here!" chuckled the old man. "Blamed if this isn't the greatest luck. We're both stopping with friends in town for a day or two. Come! You must take dinner with us!"

Baker submitted resignedly. As he accompanied the old man up the steps to the house a slender figure in blue came out from the shade of the vine-hung veranda.

"Ah, there is Grace now!"

Baker looked up indifferently and then, pausing, even where he was, stood stunned and speechless, gazing his rapturous greeting into a pair of beautiful, impenetrable eyes.

Oom Paul's Hatred of English

"That Oom Paul in his memoirs makes no concealment of his ineradicable hatred of the English was to be expected," said John R. Stephens, formerly consulting engineer for the Consolidated Gold Fields company of the Rand. "While I was in the Transvaal, President Kruger refused to speak English, and although he understood everything said in his presence by English-speaking delegates and diplomats, the grim Boer leader insisted upon having every word interpreted into Dutch. 'I will not,' said Oom Paul to me through an interpreter, 'hold converse in a tongue in which so much cunning and treachery have been couched.'"

"At one time," continued Mr. Stephens, "the street commissioner of Johannesburg, desiring, like a certain New York official, to appear progressive, had black placards with white letters nailed up at every corner, telling the names of the streets. As almost the whole population of Johannesburg was English-speaking, these signs bore the word 'street.' When Oom Paul learned of this he was very angry, and ordered the letters 'str,' the abbreviation for 'strasse,' the Dutch word for street, to be placed on the placards, and Oom Paul didn't mind that. On the contrary, it served to call attention to his contempt for English words, and the commissioner was restrained

from effecting utter effacement of the objectionable letters."—New York Tribune.

The most hazardous section of the Manila telegraph cable is that completed between San Francisco and Honolulu, in which the sea bed is precipitous, with valleys 31,600 feet deep. These next two sections, extending to Guam, will cross level plains of mud at a depth of about 18,000 feet, while the last section is over a series of mountains.

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 their navy. In medicine, however, we have the record breaker in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Introduced over fifty years ago it has forced 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. Refuse all imitations.

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