

THE WILLIAMS BILL BEFORE THE HOUSE

FORT WORTH MAN'S MEASURE COMES UP

SENATE IS STILL BUSY

ONLY ABOUT HALF THROUGH ON THE TERRELL ELECTION BILL

RAILROAD CONSOLIDATION

Southern Pacific Owns Controlling Interest in Many Lines Proposed for Consolidation—Information Will Have a Bearing on the Fate of the Measure

(Special to The Telegram.)

AUSTIN, Texas, March 26.—The house today resumed the consideration of the bill by W. D. Williams of Fort Worth, to tax the intangible assets of corporations. Amendments were offered and are pending to include breweries, hotels, packing houses, coal mining and other industries.

COMMISSIONS REPORT

The railroad commission's report regarding the stock owned by the Southern Pacific in the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio and other railroads affected by the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio consolidation bill, in response to a resolution in the house yesterday, introduced by Representative Robertson, was today submitted to the house.

NEW COUNTY NAMED.

The present legislature has complimented Hon. John H. Reagan by creating a new county and naming it in his honor, and the memory of another distinguished Texan will be honored in the same way.

The house committee on counties and county boundaries considered and returned to the house with a favorable report a bill by Mr. Brelsford creating another new county to be christened "Ross" in honor of Gov. L. S. Ross.

The territory of the proposed county will be formed of 293 square miles taken from Eastland, 189 from Brown, 137 from Comanche, 131 from Callahan, 48 from Coleman, aggregating 785. The population of the new county is 13,500, with taxable values amounting to about \$5,000,000.

NAUGHTY BOYS WOULD SEE GAME

SPRING LAKE, N. J., March 26.—Heavily veiled and garbed in fashionable woman's attire, two prominent young men of this place gained entrance to a hall where two girls' basket ball teams, representing Manassus and Spring Lake, were scheduled to play.

Their presence became known to the management and it was announced that the game would not be commenced until they left the hall. The veils worn by the young men led to their detection, and they were ejected from the hall. When they reached the sidewalk they were surrounded by the crowd outside, and to avoid having their dresses torn off sought safety in flight.

Other young men brought augers and bored holes through the sides of the room when the game was in progress. The women appealed to the borough officers, who then gave them the required protection.

The game resulted in a victory for the Spring Lake girls by the score of 8 to 4.

CHANGE IN PITTSBURG'S GOVERNMENT IS FELT

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 26.—Every employe of the city from the heads of departments down to the scrub woman, except those in the offices of the comptroller and city clerk, who are not directly under the recorder, will today receive a copy of this letter: "Owing to the change in administration and consequent reorganization of the city employes, you are hereby notified that your services will not be required on and after April 1, unless you are otherwise notified."

This was signed by W. B. Hays, city recorder. Altogether 3,000 employes are affected.

EIGHTY-FOUR AND BREAKS THE RECORD

LONDON, March 26.—The duke of Cambridge, who today reached his eighty-fourth year, is the first member of the British royal family, at least in modern times, to attain that age. Queen Victoria, the duchess of Gloucester, and George III. all reached the four-score mark, but died soon after.

The only other member of the royal family who lived to be an octogenarian was the first Duke of Cumberland, who succeeded William IV as king of Hanover. He died in his eighty-first year.

WANTED IN TEXAS BUT ESCAPES FROM JAIL

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, March 26.—With the aid of a skeleton key, which they filed from a spoon, Benjamin Adams and James Marlon, two prisoners at Fort Sheridan, picked the lock of the cell door in the guardhouse, then unlocked another door leading through the kitchen last night and escaped on a passing freight train.

Few men of his years in the United Kingdom are more vigorous and active than the duke of Cambridge. Last year, during King Edward's illness, the venerable duke took over much of the work of meeting and entertaining the foreign representatives who had come to London for the coronation.

His career has been altogether military. He has held his title for more than fifty years, during all which time he has been a member of the house of lords.

CARNEGIE'S GIFT FINDS ANOTHER NEW STAR

BOSTON, Mass., March 26.—Harvard's astronomical authorities announce the discovery of a new star recently found by Mme. Ceraski of Moscow. The new star belongs to a class known as the Argles, variable—that is, it is partially bright, but occasionally is partially eclipsed by an intervening star.

This discovery is due to the recent gift of Andrew Carnegie, which enabled exhaustive study of the photographic plates in possession of the astronomers and out of 250 or 300 covering the region in question thirty plates have been found to contain impressions of the new star.

IMMIGRATION GROWS IN SPITE OF LAWS

NEW YORK, March 26.—Immigration figures for March show that immigration is increasing in spite of the unusual strictness of inspection on both sides of the ocean.

During the first twenty-five days of March 49,162 immigrants arrived, or 4,000 more than during the same period last year.

About 10,000 are due to land during the rest of the month.

SOLD FATHER'S HORSE AND LANDED IN JAIL

A. M. Baker of 306 Florence street telephoned to police headquarters and the sheriff's office this morning the news that his horse had been stolen.

A few minutes later his son, Winfred Baker, was placed under arrest by Deputy Sheriff Ralph Purvis on the charge of horse theft.

The son had taken his father's horse. In Justice Terrell's court Winfred Baker, who is about 17 years old, waived preliminary examination and was remanded to jail, his bond being fixed at \$400.

The boy had just disposed of the horse,

which is worth about \$65, for \$25 to a local livery stable keeper when Deputy Purvis made the arrest. He is said to have announced to the liveryman that the horse was the property of his uncle, John Smith of Smithfield, Texas, and that he had been instructed to dispose of it for what it would bring.

Mr. Baker appeared in Justice Terrell's court this afternoon to examine into the case. When questioned by a reporter for The Telegram he said that he had not made up his mind what action to take. "I do not know at this time whether I will defend the boy or prosecute him," he said.

WILL BE BURIED IN NATIVE LAND RIVER CHANGES ARE VERY SLIGHT

PARIS, March 26.—It was later decided to hold the body of Sir Hector MacDonald, and it will be sent to Scotland for interment. The French law requires that the bodies of suicides must be taken to the morgue, but owing to the urgent desire of the British officials the body of the distinguished officer will not be deposited in the public morgue, and the usual legal requirements will be waived.

There is evidently a desire on the part of the officials to shield the memory of the general out of sympathy for his family.

LONDON SORROWFUL

LONDON, March 26.—The tragic end of "Fighting" MacDonald, who, as the son of a Highlander cotter, rose from the position of a draper's assistant to be an honored general in the British army, has caused great surprise and deep sorrow in London. The nature of the offenses with

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The weather bureau today issued the following special river bulletin: The river situation this morning is unchanged and the stages are lower at river points as follows: Memphis, 38.8, a fall of 3 foot; Vicksburg, 51.6, a rise of .2; New Orleans, 20.2, a rise of .1 since Wednesday morning.

NO CHANGE NOTED

NEW ORLEANS, March 26.—There has been no change over night in the flood conditions. The river rose one-tenth during the night. The sun is bright and is strengthening the temporary levees along the river front.

Rumors are plentiful, but investigation shows no substance to them. The local confidence is increased by the announcement that the crest has passed Helena and it is believed with good weather that the levees can carry off the vast volume of water.

CHINESE COOLIES FOR MEXICAN WORK

HONG-KONG, March 26.—The new Pacific service of the China Commercial Steamship Company is to be inaugurated tomorrow, when the first ship of the line will leave Hong-Kong for American ports. The ship will call at Shanghai, Yokohama, Honolulu and Manzanillo, Mexico, and on the return trip will proceed from San Francisco direct to Yokohama. The company expects to do a large business in transporting coolies from China to Mexico.

SEVENTH BOOK OF MOSES THE LATEST

WACO, Texas, March 26.—Dr. H. V. Thomas, who claims to heal human ills by means of some process unknown to the exoteric and skeptical world, has been brought to the attention of the county court, and a charge of swindling was brought against him.

The allegations are that he told a Mexican woman that he could cure her of some disease by his process, but that she must show her faith by her works and pay him \$5 in advance. She was impressed by his plausible talk and put up

BOOTS AND SADDLES TO BE DINNER DRESS

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 26.—C. K. G. Billings, the Chicago horseman, will give a novel dinner on Saturday evening to thirty-five members of the Equestrian Club. The dinner is to be in celebration of the opening of Mr. Billings' \$200,000 stable in this city, and will be served on horseback, each guest having in front

WOMEN'S COUNCIL IN SESSION TODAY

NEW ORLEANS, March 26.—The National Council of Women convened here today in annual executive session. This is the second body of women to respond to the invitation of the local women's clubs to meet in national convention here this spring, and the attendance is large and representative of every state.

Affiliated with the National Council are the American Woman's Christian Temperance Union, National Woman's Relief Society, Young Ladies' National Mutual Improvement Association, National League for the Promotion of Social Purity, Universal Peace Union, National Association Loyal Women of American Liberty, Women's Relief Corps, National Association of Business Women, National Council of Jewish Women, Florence Crittenden Mission, Ladies of the Maccabees of the World, Rathbone Sisters, National Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association, National Free Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, American Federation of Nurses and many other organizations, all of which have their representatives present.

BUSINESS IN MORNING

This morning there was a business meeting of the executive committee behind closed doors, and later in the day the formal opening of the council took place. The opening five minutes were devoted to silent prayer and the delegates were then welcomed by Mrs. L. M. Hornor, president of the Local Council of Women of New Orleans.

The opening address was made by Mrs. Mary Lowe Dickinson who, in the course of her remarks, insisted that the best good of the home and the nation could mainly be advanced by greater union of thought, sympathy and purpose among women, that only by organization could the greatest good of the family and state be conserved, and that the National Council of Women was simply a confederation of workers committed to the overthrow of all forms of ignorance and injustice, and to the application of the golden rule to society, custom and law.

Other speakers included Rev. Anna Howard Shaw of Philadelphia, Mrs. Hannah G. Solomon, president of the National Council of Jewish Women, May Wright Sewall of Indianapolis, Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, president of the National W. C. T. U., and Miss Susan R. Anthony, the venerable leader of the woman's suffrage movement. Ten minute reports were then presented from a number of local and general societies, showing the degree of progress made in their respective departments during the past year.

RECEPTION TONIGHT

This evening the officers of the National Council are to hold a reception in the Palm Garden of the St. Charles hotel. The business sessions will be resumed tomorrow and continued through the rest of the week.

The \$5, but alleges that the healer of diseases never came back. She alleges further that he claimed to cure by the power and directions of the "Seventh Book of Moses," which had been left out of the Bible, but should have been inserted therein. Through efforts of the "faithful," however, the book had been preserved, or enough of it to insure a cure of human ills.

Thomas was found guilty and fined \$5 and sentenced to thirty days in jail.

RICE CULTURE IS OBJECT OF THE BILL

\*\*\*\*\* SOCIAL STRAIN CAUSES NEED FOR SEA VOYAGE \*\*\*\*\*

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The president's yacht Mayflower is being put in readiness for the ten days' trip Mrs. Roosevelt is to take down the Potomac and Chesapeake bay and out on the Atlantic. The start is to be made the day after tomorrow, and besides Mrs. Roosevelt the party will include all the Roosevelt children except Miss Alice Roosevelt, who is in Porto Rico. Mrs. Roosevelt takes the trip on the advice of Surgeon General Rixey. She is still suffering from the effects of the social strain, which almost caused a complete breakdown of her health a short time ago. Dr. Rixey does not consider her condition dangerous, but she decided she needed a complete rest and invigorating salt air. Mrs. Roosevelt finds her health greatly benefited the cruise may be extended.

IMPORTANT MEASURE TO BE PRESENTED

TO FOSTER INDUSTRY

PROVISIONS MADE FOR THE GENERAL GOOD OF THOSE INTERESTED

ARE GIVEN FULL SWING

Companies for Promotion of Rice Culture and Manufacture of Products to Be Given Every Advantage in Order to Make the Industry in Texas Exceed Records.

(Special to The Telegram.)

AUSTIN, March 26.—Booted and spurred, fortified with facts, armed with diplomacy and chock full of enthusiasm for south-east and south Texas, Messrs. Duff and Pickett, the brilliant young representatives from Jefferson and Liberty counties, will invade the senate this week to present the merits of their rice culture bill that has just passed the house with colors flying.

NOW IN INFANCY.

Rice growing is now in its infancy in Texas but is destined to make one-half of the state great and wealthy in a few years. The Duff-Pickett bill will stimulate and greatly encourage its production because it presents a plan by which capital can be associated under sanction of law to make the necessary preparation for growing and manufacturing this staple.

TO FORM COMPANIES.

Under the provisions of this bill companies may be created for the purpose of owning, constructing, maintaining and operating canals, ditches, flumes, feeders, laterals, reservoirs, dams, lakes and wells, and for conducting and transferring water to all persons entitled to it, for irrigation of land devoted to the culture of rice, and invested with all and singular the rights, powers, privileges conferred upon irrigation companies under the present laws.

GIVEN FULL SWING.

By the terms of this bill such companies are authorized to enter upon lands whether owned by private persons in fee, of any less estate, or by corporations whether acquired by purchase, or by virtue of provisions in its charter, for the purpose of making preliminary surveys with a view of constructing these ditches.

The bill declares private corporations formed under its provisions to be for public use, and are vested with the power to exercise the right of eminent domain in all its preliminary work.

To modify this feature of the bill Mr. Jones of Ponsala, offered an amendment when the bill was being considered to exempt homesteads from its operations. Realizing the importance of this provision the amendment was promptly defeated.

CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS.

When condemnation proceedings are resorted to for right of way for canal the county judge of the county in which it is proposed to condemn the property for right of way, is required to appoint three commissioners, who shall proceed in the manner and form as provided in the case of condemnation of rights of way by railway corporations, to determine the manner and mode of constructing crossings and assess the damages.

SENATE FAVORABLE.

The senate, so it is understood, is very favorable to the bill and Messrs. Duff and Pickett do not think it will meet serious opposition in that body; but on the contrary expect it to be called up and passed finally and become a law within the next few days.

THEIR ATHLETICS OVERDONE NOW

(Special to The Telegram.)

NEW YORK, March 26.—President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia has aroused considerable discussion among the students at that university and elsewhere by a statement in an undergraduate paper that athletics nowadays are being overdone. "Twenty-one years ago," says President Butler, "the proper proportions between work and play were better observed than now, and athletics were genuine sports, not occupations."

TOO MUCH PUBLICITY

He goes on to say that the athletes are too much in the public eye, that they rush to the newspapers with their squabbles and their successes and that their achievements are lauded like the labors of Hercules.

"He is taught for a few brief years," President Butler continues, "to look at life through a magnifying glass, and when the glass is taken away from him on the opening of commencement day, things look small and lame indeed."

The closing of the college has been extended from two weeks to seventeen days, and public meetings will be prohibited for two weeks more.

GOULDS GET TAXES REDUCED SOMEWHAT

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 26.—Edwin and Frank Gould have called at the tax office, Edwin, on the plea that he is a non-resident, swore off his entire assessment, while Frank had his assessment reduced to \$50,000 on personally.

TRIPLETS ARE BORN TO CHICAGO COUPLE

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Ill., March 26.—Mrs. A. Iverson has given birth to triplets—two boys and a girl. The father is a grocer. The coming of the triplets, all of whom are reported robust, increases the number of Iverson's children to five.

SENATOR TOM PLATT DECLARES FOR LOW

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 26.—Senator Thos. C. Platt at a conference of republican leaders held in his room in the Fifth Avenue hotel last night declared for the re-nomination of Seth Low for mayor and announced that he would do everything in his power to cause his election. Senator Platt believes the mayor's administration has demonstrated the success of the fusion movement, and he favors a similar movement this year.

EVANS MERCHANDISE STORE TOTALLY BURNED AT CHICO

(Special to The Telegram.)

CHICO, Texas, March 26.—Fire at 5:30 this morning gutted the two-story store building here, which was used by J. E. Evans in the general merchandise business. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is total. Building and stock were partly insured.

THE WOMAN IN RED AND THE GIRL IN BLUE

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 26.—A bold robbery in one of the department stores has been reported to the police by Miss Ethel Payton, describing herself as an artist, and Mrs. Ludwig, a widow. The women were shopping in a store on Sixth avenue, and as they were leaving the store by the main entrance two women, one dressed in red and one in blue,

pushed against them. The woman in red seized Mrs. Ludwig's left hand and pulled from one of her fingers a ring, while at the same time the woman dressed in blue pushed Miss Payton against the inside door, rapidly ran her hand into the pocket of her coat and took a purse containing about \$24. Both women got away before an outcry could be made, so quickly did they work

STRATTON WILL STIR UP FIGHT

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., March 26.

Former Senator Wolcott introduced a sensational feature in the W. S. Stratton will case, when he attacked Senator T. M. Patterson, engaged as counsel for the Stratton estate.

He served notice on Senator Patterson that political partisanship from his side should not be dragged into the case and directed mainly against him the entire part of his argument, scoring him for the personalities introduced in the affidavits of the estate and the alleged trickery used in the employment of H. G. Berry as a spy.

Berry was called a perjurer, Senator Patterson argued that while the motion to discharge the present panel of jurors was out of the ordinary in that it was not a regular challenge to the arraignment the inherent power of the court required that it should take action as a matter of protection to its own integrity and dignity. He argued that the affidavits showed tampering with the jury.

NERVY BURGLAR RINGS UP VICTIM BY PHONE

LYNN, Mass., March 25.—D. F. Reardon, a groceryman of this city, was called out of bed by a telephone ringing between 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning, and got a message that someone had all he wanted now, but would return later and get some other things. He thought the man was trying to be funny at his expense, but when he reached his store in the morning he discovered that the cash drawer had been robbed, while cigars, cake and canned goods had been carried away.

ON THEIR WAY FROM PRAYER MEETING

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., March 26.—Walter Chism, Luther Owen and Jennie George were drowned in Pemiscott bayou, Ark., eighteen miles south of here, while returning from prayer meeting in a canoe. Their craft overturned. All the bodies have been recovered.

Miss George and Owen were to have been married within a fortnight. Owen's body is held awaiting relatives from Kentucky, his home; the other bodies were buried.

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Our Shoe Store is filled with its new line of Shoes for the spring trade.

The Drew-Selby & Co.'s new spring line of Oxfords are undoubtedly the best for the money to be had anywhere.

The C. K. Fox line of Strap Slippers for this spring are much more stylish looking than they've ever been.

Misses' Slippers, all styles, patent kid and vicci, Colonial, Straps and Buckles, sizes 12 to 2, at \$1.50, \$1.25 and ... \$1.00

Children's Slippers in all styles at the following prices, \$1.25, \$1.00 and ... 75c

Baby Slippers, black and blue, patent tips, soft kid leather soles. Per pair ... 50c

Whittmore's Gilt-Edge Shoe Polish the 25c size, in our Shoe Store at

10c a Bottle

Today's Market Quotations

LIVESTOCK MARKET

RECEIPTS Cattle, Hogs, Calves, Sheep. Today ... 583 1,079 34

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REPRESENTATIVE SALES HOGS—Heavy receipts started this morning's market slow. Prices were about the same as yesterday, with tops at \$7.50.

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MARKET BRISK NORTH FORT WORTH, March 26—The cattle market opened brisk this morning and later fell to a slow pace, closing strong and active.

LOCAL MARKETS These quotations were furnished by the Watkins Hay and Grain Company: Prairie hay, \$12.40 per ton; Johnson grass, \$12 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, \$1.60 per ton.

reasonable force CURES SCIATIC RHEUMATISM Mrs. A. E. Simpson, 509 Craig street, Knoxville, Tenn., writes, June 10, 1899: "I have been trying the baths of Hot Springs, Ark., for sciatic rheumatism, but I get more relief from Ballard's Snow Liniment than any medicine or anything I have ever tried."

GARDEN SEEDS, DID YOU SAY? Or Cut Flowers? or Evergreens? See us, we have it.

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The best pill "heats the stars and stripes," it cleanses the system and never grips.

Little Early Risers of worldly repute—Ask for DeWitt's and take no substitute.

150 steers near the city for the local market. The work on the Fort Worth Belt Railway Company's dock is progressing nicely.

Three more loads of southern grass-fed cattle were sold on today's market at \$3. Electric punching poles, a humane device, were introduced yesterday into Swift & Co.'s packing plant for driving cattle to the knocking pens.

The oleomargarine building of the old packing house is to be used for a box factory. Machinery is now being set up.

FOREIGN LIVE STOCK

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.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK CHICAGO, Ill., March 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,000; slow and weak; beefs, \$3.75; hogs, \$4.50; mixed, \$3.50; sheep, \$2.75; calves, \$3.25; lambs, \$4.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000, including 300 Texas; steady; hogs, \$4.50; mixed, \$3.50; sheep, \$2.75; calves, \$3.25; lambs, \$4.00.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000, including 1,500 Texas; steady.

MARKET TIPS NEW YORK—The decline in Liverpool was due to small spot market and selling from this side.

GRAIN-PROVISIONS CHICAGO GRAIN NOTES AND MARKET COMMENT CHICAGO, Ill., March 26.—There was much talk yesterday about the shipping business in wheat and a great deal of uncertainty as to what was accomplished.

NEW YORK STOCKS The following, furnished by George C. Hoffman, is the opening and closing quotations of the stocks named:

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.

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Table with 4 columns: Month, Price, % Change, Volume. Includes rows for May, July, September, etc.

COTTON QUOTATIONS

The following quotations of cotton and grain markets are furnished The Telegram by F. G. McPeak & Co. over their special leased wire:

COTTON LETTER

NEW YORK, March 26.—The market weakened to the extent of 3 to 5 points at the opening and further weakened on Liverpool and local selling later on.

RECEIPTS

Cotton receipts at the leading accumulative centers today, as compared with the same day last year, are:

NEW ORLEANS LIVE STOCK NEW ORLEANS, La., March 26.—Spots had a quiet and steady tone. Middlings, 9 1/2-10c.

WEATHER CONDITIONS A moderate storm is central in Colorado and New Mexico this morning, resulting in rain in Arizona, New Mexico and the northwest portion of Texas.

WOMEN BELIEVE IN EDUCATED BALLOT NEW ORLEANS, La., March 26.—The convention of the Women's National Suffragist association came to a close tonight, after addresses by Mrs. Belle Kearney and Dr. Augustin Stone Cullen of Canada.

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INCIDENTS MULTIPLY IN THIS POLICE CASE

The arrest of Mrs. May Read might be the last on the unladylike charge of intoxication has been fruitful of some unusual incidents, which have kept the police department busy ever since.

As related in yesterday's Telegram, shortly after the woman's arrest a man who said his name was D. Dawkins, and who claimed to be her brother, entered the police station.

CLOSING OF THE FAIR MIGHT RUIN DALLAS

The effect on Dallas of the closing of the Dallas fair which is practically certain under the anti-poolroom bill passed by the legislature a few days ago, is hardly appreciated by persons unfamiliar with conditions in that city.

TROUBLE FOLLOWED TAKING OF WATCH

Will Smith, aged 12, who applied this morning at a Main street employment agency for work, evidently desired to time himself in speeding to the house number on the south side, where he was informed a boy was wanted.

VALUABLE ADDITION TO TRINITY COLLEGE

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, March 26.—In the city mechanics are resuming work and plans are being made for numerous new buildings this summer.

NEW ORLEANS SHOE STORE CHANGES HANDS

NEW ORLEANS, shoe store—No. 6 ... R. P. Woltz & Co., dealers in boots and shoes at Sixth and Houston streets, under the name of the New Orleans Shoe Store, sold out today to the DeShields Shoe Company of Farmersville, Texas.

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

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The great virtues of Paine's Celery Compound are abundantly manifested in the spring. It is a medicine compounded specially to brace the nerves, to sustain heart action, to cleanse the blood and keep the stomach, liver and kidneys in vigorous health.

In the springtime the effects of the winter's work, the worries of business, household cares and the severe changes of temperature all conduce to weakened

NEW ORLEANS SHOE STORE CHANGES HANDS NEW ORLEANS, shoe store—No. 6 ... R. P. Woltz & Co., dealers in boots and shoes at Sixth and Houston streets, under the name of the New Orleans Shoe Store, sold out today to the DeShields Shoe Company of Farmersville, Texas.

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

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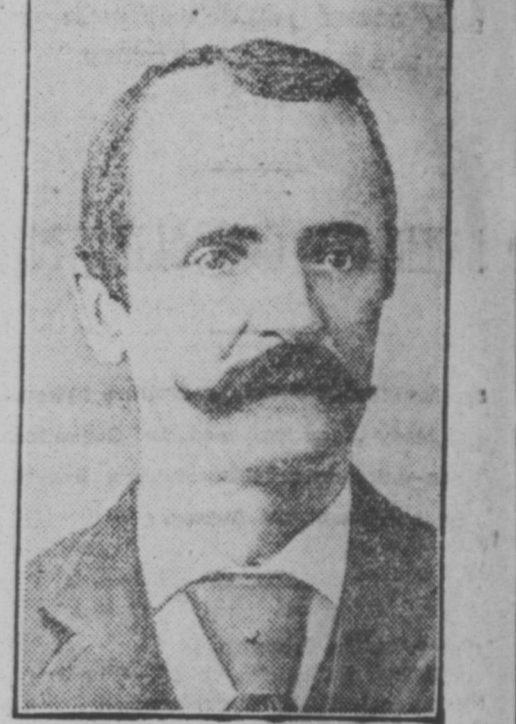
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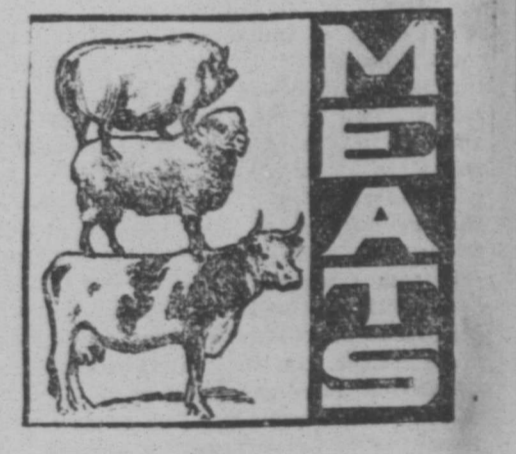
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A Savory Platter ...of Meat...



is pleasant to the smell and taste. To know where to buy good meat is a great point gained to the busy housekeeper.

A Bad Predicament

You need coal the year through. Have to cook every day. Have to heat many days.

WOMEN BELIEVE IN EDUCATED BALLOT

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 26.—The convention of the Women's National Suffragist association came to a close tonight, after addresses by Mrs. Belle Kearney and Dr. Augustin Stone Cullen of Canada.

YOUR COUGH MAY END IN THE GRAVE IF NEGLECTED.

DR. BELL'S PINE-TAR-HONEY GUARANTEED TO CURE COUGHS, COLDS, LA GRIPPE AND INCIPENT CONSUMPTION. ALL DRUGGISTS.

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## Ladies Top Skirts

And also "Top Quality" in Skirts. The woman who knows the most about skirts will be quickest to buy these. Every taste and purse may be suited in this skirt department of ours. Fill your skirt wants here and save. *These Tomorrow:*

- \$4 98**—A Walking Skirt of gray cloth, has yoke trimmed with straps and buttons ..... **\$4 98**
  - \$5 50**—A Walking Skirt of black Cheviot, new model, plain tailored, stitched at bottom ..... **\$5 50**
  - \$8 50**—A Skirt of light gray cloth, yoke and panel front, made box plaits on each side and button trimmed ..... **\$8 50**
  - \$9 95**—A Skirt of Black Cheviot, three folds of self trimming around the hips, plaits down the seams and button trimmed ..... **\$9 95**
  - \$10 50**—A Walking Skirt in castor, has three folds of material around hips, each fold finished with buttons, flared at bottom ..... Same style as above in gray. **\$10 50**
  - \$13 50**—A Skirt of Blue Etamine, has a two-piece yoke piped with taffeta and deep plaited flounce ..... **\$13 50**
  - \$16 50**—A novelty in a White Voile Skirt, a new model with fagoting down each seam and seams finished at top of flare with medallions, skirt unlined ..... **\$16 50**
- A showing complete of Skirts of Peau de Soie, Taffeta, Crepe de Chine, Etamine, Voile, etc., etc., up to ..... **\$45 00**



## Ladies Hats...

You will want your spring Hat for Sunday—if you have not purchased already, we are prepared to supply your wants, an elaborate showing of New York and Paris pattern Hats, beautiful creations from our own work rooms, also hat shapes and trimmings in variety. If we don't show what you want we will make it for you.

**Laxative Bromo Quinine** on every box 25¢  
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days *E. W. Grove*

## THE COTTON BELT RUSHING NEW WORK

The through trains of the Cotton Belt will be running via Fort Worth and Dallas by May 1, providing favorable weather conditions prevail between now and that time.

The new line which is being built by that road from Carrollton into Dallas, will, it is expected, be completed and in operation at the above date. Superintendent Neff, who was in the city today, said that an extra force of men has been put on the work, and it is being pushed with all energy.

With the completion of the new line the through business will be via Dallas over the Texas and Pacific to Fort Worth, as stated above, while a plug will be run between Carrollton and Fort Worth.

William N. Neff, superintendent of the Texas lines of the Cotton Belt, accompanied by his wife and secretary, George M. Henderson, passed through the city today on their way to Mount Pleasant, after a tour of inspection of the lines. They spent some time here, departing for Dallas, where a brief stop will be made.

### DALLAS LABOR TROUBLES ARE SAID TO BE OVER

DALLAS, Texas, March 26.—Three unions are out of the Trades Council and the contractors say all the trouble is over.

### A THOUSAND ACRES ARE FLOODED BY RIVER

NATCHEZ, Miss., March 26.—There are

no new developments except the break in the levees around Brian's plantation which gave way yesterday. One thousand acres of farm land were flooded.

### IRISH LAND BILL ON FIRST READING

LONDON, March 26.—The first reading of the Irish land bill was completed late yesterday afternoon. The second reading was set for April 22. If passed the bill becomes effective Nov. 12, 1903.

The bill was introduced in the house of commons yesterday afternoon.

It proposes a free grant of \$50,000,000 for the purpose of the bill. Tenants are to pay 3 1/2 per cent interest on loans from the government. The advances to tenants are limited to \$2,500 in the congested districts, and \$5,000 elsewhere. The bill also provides that untenanted farms and grazing lands shall be sold to neighboring tenants, and that three commissioners, to be known as estate commissioners, shall supervise the sales. The names of the three commissioners are: Michael Finucane, secretary to the government of Bengal revenue and statistical department; Frederick S. Wrench, now of the Irish land commissioners, and William Bailey, one of the assistant commissioners on the Irish land question. They will be under the control of the lord lieutenant of Ireland.

### SONS' CAMP FORMED IN MOBILE, ALA.

MOBILE, March 26.—A camp of Sons of Confederate Veterans has been organized at Mobile with a large membership.

It was named in honor of George Dixon who lost his life in Charleston harbor on the ill-fated torpedo boat Confederacy while blowing up the United States ship Hoosatonic.

### STATION AGENT MURDERED AND STATION ROBBED

EL PASO, Texas, March 26.—Two highwaymen murdered the Santa Fe agent at Cerrillos, N. M., last night and robbed the station. A posse is pursuing.

The Mothers' and Teachers' Club of the Fourth ward will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 at the residence of Mrs. W. R. Sawyers, 1019 Burnett street. Officers are to be chosen and other important business transacted.

## BOSS JACKSON MURDER CASE ON AT DENTON

DENTON, Texas, March 26.—The Boss Jackson trial for the murder of Tom Gadberr, in December, 1901, which has been on in the district court here all this week, progresses with unabated interest. After the defendant's witnesses testify today there will be six lawyers to speak. County Attorney Providence Mounts, Judge Joseph Garnett of Gainesville and J. T. Bottorff of Denton for the state, and A. C. Owsley, E. C. Smith and J. W. Sullivan of Denton for the defendant.

## FARMERS ARE MOVING ALL HOUSEHOLD GOODS

VICKSBURG, Miss., March 26.—All farmers living along the unprotected area behind the weakened levees are moving all their possessions to safe localities. The river is rising.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 26.—The river is falling here and the situation is unchanged.

## OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION

Captain B. E. Paddock this morning received a letter from Leroy Trice, general manager of the International and Great Northern railroad, which conveyed pleasing information. The letter said that the International and Great Northern would begin running trains into and out of Fort Worth regularly on April 30. "There will be a welcoming demonstration," Captain Paddock said, "although it may not take place exactly on April 30, because we will be busy with the horse show at that time. The new road will be here in time to get some of the horse show traffic, however.

## RAILROAD BRIEFS AND PERSONALS

The Texas and Pacific pay car was in Fort Worth yesterday. Colonel Tom Kingsley, traveling passenger agent of the Louisville and Nashville, was in the city today. J. I. Conway, live stock agent for the Santa Fe, has returned from a business trip over the system. J. J. Tuiford, depot master at the Texas and Pacific station, is attending court at Denton. A change has been made in the railway mail service on the Denver, whereby the run is now from Fort Worth to Amarillo instead of to Clarendon. There will also be five men on the run instead of four. The change will taken effect soon.

## ADDITIONAL CITY BRIEFS

Fred P. Shields, treasurer of the Gaskell-Munday carnival shows, now in Dallas, was united in marriage to Miss Carrie E. Wiel, daughter of a well-known New Orleans merchant, at the Worth hotel last night.

The high school regulars defeated the Eleventh grade nine in an interesting game of ball at the old Texas and Pacific grounds yesterday afternoon, the score resulting 22 to 7. The battery for the high school was McPherson, Jenkins and Nies. The battery for the Eleventh graders was Crutched, Gilmore and Ross. Umpire, Wallerick. Another game will be played between the same teams next Saturday afternoon.

Before Judge Milam this morning John Smiley, charged with gambling, pleaded guilty in two cases and was fined \$10 in each.

## HIS LITTLE SURPRISE

"My dear," said I to my brand new wife, "that sewing machine is crying to heaven for oil. It is absurd to run a piece of mechanism without the necessary lubricant. Not alone will you spoil the machine, but you are apt to strain yourself driving it." My wife raised her head and poised it prettily to one side. "Shufflebotham," she said, "what are we going to do about it? I have no machine oil. It is too late in the evening to send for some, and I'll die before morning if I don't finish this pretty dress of a stock tonight."

"We have machine oil in the house," I remarked, with the quiet demeanor of a vestal virgin.

But Mrs. Shufflebotham shook her head and leaned back in her chair, the unfinished sewing in her lap. I walked behind her chair and softly laid a hand against her cheek. With tantalizing deliberateness I prepared to launch my glad surprise. "Catherine," I said, "suppose I come to the rescue and tell you where you can find a whole canful of the oil you want?"

Mrs. Shufflebotham remained silent, and I resumed, "In my desk, under the last drawer, a little secret drawer is tucked away securely among the scroll work. No eyes save mine know what is in that drawer. But something which belonged to you is there, and also a cute, flat little pocket can—brimful of bicycle oil. Now, like a good little girl, run and get your can and have a peep at what I have saved these many months."

But Mrs. Shufflebotham never stirred except to throw her arms upward and about my neck. "You dear old simpleton," she said, softly; "you've got a lock of my hair in that drawer—and why, I used up that oil three months ago."—New York Times.

## ADDITIONAL LIVE STOCK

Top for steers today was 4 cents. M. N. French is on the market with a car of feeders from Temple.

Ben Hampton of Chickasha, I. T., is on the market with a car load of hogs. This is his first shipment to Fort Worth, and he is well pleased with the conditions here.

H. H. Sterling of Rush Springs, I. T., is on the market with a car load of hogs. Heretofore he has shipped to Kansas City, but he said today that from now on his shipments would be made to this market.

## NEW LIBRARY FUND.

The following new subscriptions to the Library Book Fund were reported this afternoon:

DENTISTS  
Dr. A. J. Lawrence, chairman; Dr. G. R. Williams, Dr. Ike Mayfield, Dr. C. S. Mattison, Dr. Nugent, one each.

# The GRAND OPENING

OF THIS

## "The Daylight Store"

THE PRIDE OF THE CITY

Will take place tomorrow, Friday, the 27th, and be continued until Saturday, the 28th, when our Ladies should turn out in full force and feast their eyes on the prettiest and choicest aggregation of new French, English and American Millinery they have ever beheld. Particular display will be made

Of Rich French Models,  
Of Fine Tailored Effects,  
Of High-Grade Ready-to-Wear Hats,  
Of Nobby Street and Suit Hats.

Of notably choice novelties, of rare collections of feathers, flowers, fruits, etc., producing an ensemble of exquisite beauty and unusual splendor. Especial interest attaches to this occasion through the wonder-



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ful creation of our work-rooms, display helpful suggestions of our designer, manifesting her untiring interest in each and every customer, producing a various and extensive line of Hats suitable to all, varying in price from

**\$2.98 to \$25.00**

a feature that will commend itself to every lady eager to procure a stylish inexpensive and attractive Spring Hat. To make this opening doubly interesting we will offer for these two opening days, Friday and Saturday, 150 beautiful Trimmed Hats, no two alike, bought to sell for \$5.00 and \$7.50, we have divided these 150 Hats into three lots, opening prices \$2.98, \$3.98 and \$4.98. These prices on opening days only.

At the same time will be shown in our Suit Room the pick of the market in Imported Gowns, Tailor Suits, Waists, etc.

## EVERYBODY INVITED

# G. Y. SMITH, EIGHTH and HOUSTON

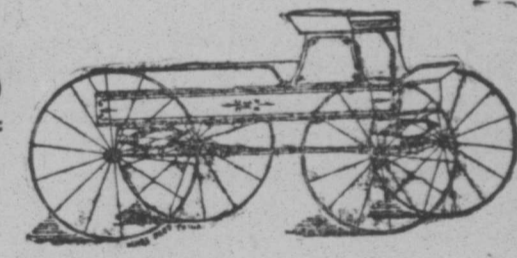
### Bandit Troinkle



(Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst)  
This is Troinkle, the famous bandit, who is trying to imitate Tracy in New York state. He has stood aloof the posess of farmers, has hidden in swamps and woods, and so far has escaped all efforts at his capture.

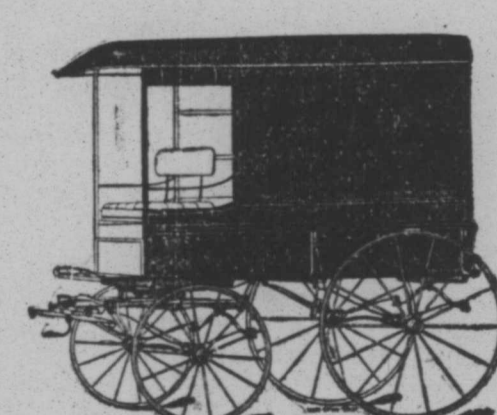
## WHEN IT COMES TO BUSINESS WAGONS

AND HARNESS  
TO GO WITH THEM



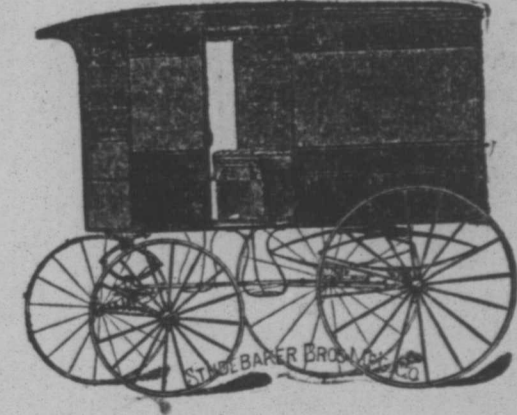
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## STUDEBAKER BROTHERS M'F'G CO.

319 Elm Street, Dallas, Tex.  
W. T. Fulton, Manager  
P. A. Giraud, Salesman



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A torpid liver deranges the whole system, and produces SICK HEADACHE, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Rheumatism, Sallow Skin and Piles. There is no better remedy for these common diseases than DR. TUTT'S LIVER PILLS, as a trial will prove. Take No Substitute.

## TO ENTERTAIN THE IOWA EDITORS

The news in The Telegram yesterday afternoon that the Iowa Press Association is going to visit Fort Worth early next month will be called to the official attention of the directors of the Board of Trade at their next meeting. "If Fort Worth does herself justice in entertaining these visitors the resulting good to the city will be great. The members of the association represent dailies and weeklies throughout Iowa and we must make sure

## JUDGMENT FOR \$40

Justice Rowland this morning rendered judgment for \$40 in favor of J. W. Tension against J. Hodgins. Tension sued to recover \$80, alleging in his petition that Hodgins, who held a mortgage on Tension's household goods, removed the same from the Tension home before the mortgage was due, and while the head of the house was out of the city.

## TESTIMONY ALL IN

The taking of testimony in the case of

Orin Hoskins vs. the Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railroad et al. was concluded in the Forty-eighth district court this morning. Arguments of counsel were begun and will be finished late this afternoon. The suit has attracted great interest. Hoskins asks \$75,000 damages for injuries inflicted by a falling grain door.

The railway postoffice department in Fort Worth is anticipating a change on the Denver night trains, Nos. 7 and 8, soon which will give a night service on those trains instead of a mere pouch service, as in the past.

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**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC**  
Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The Fort Worth Telegram will be gladly corrected upon due notice of same being given at the office, 1010-1012 Houston street, Fort Worth.

**SENSATIONAL STORIES**  
Protest is again coming from New Orleans over the sensational stories of flood disaster sent from there by unscrupulous newspaper correspondents and the business exchanges of the city have even gone so far as to pass condemnatory resolutions regarding the work of such men.

It is true that alarming and perhaps sensational stories have been sent out from New Orleans since the first signs of danger appeared some weeks ago. It is true that the whole country believed and still does believe that New Orleans' ultimate chances for a successful battle with the flood are still in the balance, and for these beliefs the correspondents may be largely responsible.

Yet with a hundred newspapers clamoring for a "story" of the situation, and with scores of rumors of various sorts, from seemingly authentic sources, it cannot be wondered that occasionally a correspondent may have made a mistake that, in the end, was harmful to the good of the city.

Before passing resolutions condemning the correspondents, the business exchanges might reflect how much any or all of them, during the days past, have done towards aiding the representatives of the daily press in securing and sending out accurate and reliable information. It is natural to believe that their effort was nil.

Had the flood swept through the city at any time during the dangerous days past, the same newspaper correspondents would have been the first to send out the news to the country at large and summon help for the sufferers.

The work of the correspondents from New Orleans may have been unsatisfactory to the city, but it was at least in the main honest in its attempt to furnish the news to the public. There may have been incorrect stories sent out, but if so they were amply refuted by the Associated Press and other reliable bureaus. The dignified newspapers of the country will deal quickly enough with unreliable newsgatherers. For public bodies to pass condemnatory resolutions accomplishes nothing with those at whom it is aimed and, on the contrary, hurts the influence of the honest, fearless and sincere press, to inspire confidence and by its superior efforts elevate modern journalism.

**LIBRARY FUNDS**  
The daily reports of the committees employed in soliciting annual subscriptions to the book fund of the Fort Worth Carnegie Library, while in a measure encouraging, do not show the interest the project deserves.

By April 1 the \$3,000 needed should all be subscribed. By May 1 the much needed books should be purchased. By June 1 they should be ready for the small army of readers that will be released when the school term for the year is out and the pupils of the city schools will have whole months' vacation.

The library is not asking money for the purchase of works of fiction. It is for the buying of those that will build up the foundations of the institution and make its resources in the way of books of reference and consultation unequalled by any other library in the state.

There are many young men in Fort Worth who are endeavoring to obtain technical educations by studying after night. Had the library the kind of books they may call for, they would be helped greatly in their unequal struggle for success.

There are more young people who,

having completed the list of fiction they care to read, are at a loss for something different and who, by the careful suggestion of some new and therefore attractive work of serious purpose, might be lead into a better line of mental exercise and development.

The present collection of books possessed by the library is admirable, but it is inadequate. It is much like a dictionary with many of the words missing and occasionally all the words under certain letters gone.

To complete its collection—to be able to meet the demands that are put upon it every day of the year—the library needs more funds. An annual subscription is not much, but it will help.

North Fort Worth is less than six months old and yet it has decided to spend \$500 towards helping the county commissioners improve the road between it and Fort Worth proper. The enterprising suburb has already laid plans for the grading and improving of Main street, has completed the grading and graveling of Central avenue from the town to the crest of the hill, and in half a dozen other ways has shown that it has a snap and spirit Fort Worth will have to hurry to equal.

Opposition, it appears, has developed to Fort Worth's charter amendments at Austin. It isn't because the senators and representatives have any particular antipathy to Fort Worth or the amendments either, but there have been so many charter changes for Texas cities this year that all the sergeant-at-arms has to say when he wants to clear the house is "Gentlemen, the amend—" and in an instant he stands alone.

For sake of a desperately anxious public wouldn't it be just as well to start now handling the presidential boom movements after the manner of the flood situation? For instance, "David Francis, stage 39.1, slowly rising; Marcus A. Hanna, 50.1, past danger line; crevasse expected at any minute; etc., etc." If a tabulated scale on the progress of the booms could be kept it would make things much easier.

There are two things which, if forgotten, will make your life happier. One is what you may have done for other people; and the other, what other people may have done you for.

**ANY CHEESE YOU WANT**  
There is a famous chemist in easy reach of the New York city hall who has invented a process of supplying at short notice any brand of cheese you may desire. In his laboratory you will find a number of vials, each containing the germ of some celebrated cheese of Europe which he has imported. Here, for instance, is the germ of Camembert. He will take a cupful of sterile cheese which he makes from curds and whey, introduce as many germs as may be necessary, and in a few brief moments give you the perfect Camembert. It is the same with Limburger, Parmesan and all other cheeses. Now, he has a milk powder which a man may carry about in his vest pocket! If a milk punch be needed he puts a teaspoonful of powder in a glassful of water, adds sugar, nutmeg, whiskey and brandy, and there is his milk punch—such as Philadelphia drink when they come to New York to go on a toot.—New York Press.

**VERY LOW RATES**  
To points in Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon and British Columbia, in effect daily, from Feb. 15 to April 30, via Chicago Great Western railway. Write to J. P. Elmer, general passenger agent, Chicago, for full particulars.

After going around with a broken skull for fifteen years the Kentucky woman who owned it has just had it repaired. The public health department estimates there are 3,000,000 live rats in Paris. Nearly 2,000,000 were destroyed last year.

**A Traveler's Experience**  
A party of gentlemen were gathered in the lobby of one of the leading hotels the other evening when an argument arose as to what Red Raven Spills really were. One gentleman, who was traveling for a big house in Indianapolis, ventured the assertion that notwithstanding the extensive advertising out of five in the party, not three could tell what Red Raven Spills were, and to what uses they were put. When the matter was put to a test it was found that the Indianapolis man had won, and in the following language he told his experience with Red Raven Spills—  
"I have found when traveling from place to place, taking my meals at different hours, sometimes on the train and sometimes at the hotel, that my system became deranged, resulting in a sluggish liver, dizziness in the morning, lassitude, and loss of appetite. I had seen the advertisements of Red Raven Spills and chanced to ask a druggist friend of mine what they meant. You can imagine my surprise at finding Red Raven Spills were the remedy par excellence for just such a disorder as I was suffering from. I tried a bottle before breakfast the next morning and found prompt relief. I learned that they kept it not only at drug stores but at any bar in any hotel, and since then in all my travels when suffering from headache, indigestion or nausea, I have been promptly relieved by Red Raven Spills."

# The Vampire



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Sir Philip Burne-Jones' famous picture was not originally intended to represent the trusts, but Artist Opper's conception of the same subject is in every way as realistic and a great deal more practical than that of the English artist.

## Good Stories Well Told

**HOUSEBREAKING UP TO DATE.**  
A gang of housebreakers has been discovered in Paris, of which one of the leaders is a woman, Mlle. de Gordon, "the siren of the Rue de Reailly." In this lady's apartments, which constituted the headquarters of the band, was found one room fitted up as a dispensary and hospital, with a full supply of medicines and an operating table, and used when any of the robbers were hurt or wounded. One member of the gang was a physician, and at the time the place was raided a young woman was found in the hospital with a bullet wound in her face. It was Mlle. de Gordon's business to frequent the cafes and collect information as to the arrangement of the house to be robbed and the habits of the occupants.

**WANING OF CRYSTAL PALACE.**  
Putting into operation of the new license act in London has resulted in the refusal of a seven day license to the Crystal Palace, and a consequent discontinuance of the Sunday concert there, since it does not appear that the great metropolis without the accompaniment of drink. This is regarded as a deathblow to the already waning fortunes of the Crystal Palace, which has for a long time been losing its former great popularity, because of other attractions more conveniently located and more easily reached by the various means of transportation.

**PROPOSED DANCERS' UNION.**  
Women engaged in various trades and professions in Paris have recently taken up the labor union idea with the usual French enthusiasm, and a very serious of the last union of this kind to be suggested is one of the ballet girls, but it seems to meet with various degrees of commendation among the women concerned. Dancers engaged at the opera and the opera comique declare generally that the plan would not work; that there are no grievances to be redressed of a nature that such a union would help. Dancers at the minor theaters, however, take a very much more hopeful view of what may be accomplished by organization and agitation.

**NEW PET DOG FOR PARIS.**  
A new dog is now the rage in fashionable Paris. Everybody wants to have a Pekin spaniel, like the little animal called Mei-Ho, in the possession of one of the aristocratic women of the French capital who lives in the Avenue du Bois de Boulogne. Mei-Ho is also known as a sleeve dog, or a "chien de manche," for the little creature can be carried inside a wide sleeve. The dog originally belonged to the Chinese imperial family, and is a part of the loot secured by the French soldiers at Peking. Mei-Ho obtained a first prize at the recent dog show in the Tuilleries.

**AN EARLY SKIRT DANCER.**  
Kate Vaughan, who died recently in Johannesburg, is alleged by the English to have been the originator of the skirt dance. She was an all round actress, and had been on the stage from early childhood. The parts of Little Nell and Little Em'ly, in "David Copperfield," being among her preliminary triumphs. The first attempt

ed her dancing in the "tempestuous petticoat" so long ago that few living exponents of the art will care to contest the claim that she was first. It is said that the manager of the London theater in which Miss Vaughan first gave the dance cheerfully paid a weekly bill of \$40 for the renewal of her skirts.

**M. GIRON'S OPPORTUNITIES.**  
M. Giron, who eloped with the Princess Louise of Saxony, has been overwhelmed with offers from managers of various amusement enterprises, who want to exhibit him in one way or another. He has also had flattering advances from patent medicine men to write testimonials of their wares. Among opportunities held out to him was one from this side, from a man who wanted him to lecture in this country, but this last offer was made with the proviso that the Princess should be with him and appear on the stage at each lecture.

**GERMAN PEASANTS EATING DOG.**  
Owing to the poverty existing in South Germany the peasants during the last three months have been compelled to eat the flesh of dogs. The government has now ordered a special slaughterhouse for dogs to be erected at Munich. In future all dogs before being killed will be examined by a veterinary surgeon, and if certified unound will not be allowed to be sold. Dog meat will only be permitted to be sold by dealers in horse-flesh.

**SHOOTING HAILSTORMS IN ITALY**  
The idea of preventing and dispersing hailstorms by cannon is having enthusiastic exploitation at Venice and elsewhere in Italy, and has given rise to a considerable trade. A new acetylene hail shooting gun has recently been invented. Italian land proprietors have formed associations for establishing cannon shooting stations for this purpose, and when atmospheric disturbances are expected the heavens are subjected to heavy bombardment.

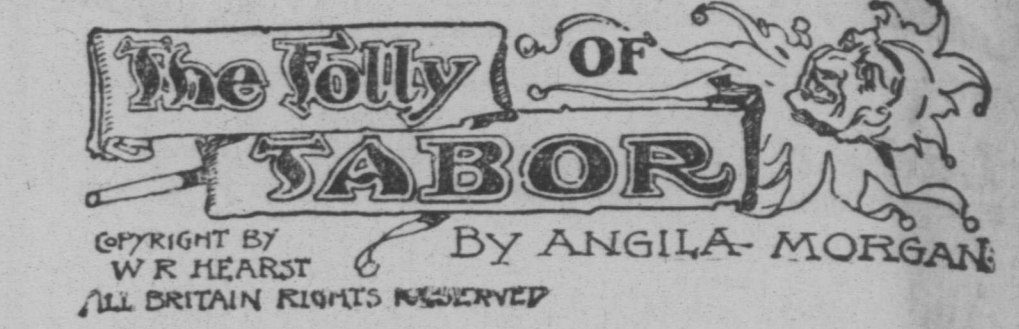
**PEERESSES MARRY EARLY.**  
In the course of a paper read at an insurance meeting in Edinburgh, it was stated that the maximum rate of marriage among peeresses was reached between the ages of 20 and 25, as compared with 25 to 30 years in the case of the general population.

**A CORDIAL INVITATION**  
At the First Methodist church next Sunday evening the Rev. Frank Pease will speak on the subject, "Hell; What Is It? Who Gets There?" Seats free. Cordial invitation to all.—Wabash (Wis.) Pilot.

**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.

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## Daily Short Story



After it was all over and Tabor had time to reflect and regret he could see how much wiser would have been a masterly self-control in place of the hot-blooded impetuosity which he had shown in the experience just past.

It is invariably easy while one is tasting the bitterness of remorse to appreciate most keenly the beauty of rigid self-command. Were it possible for an erring mortal to value that quality just as supremely at the very moment of allurements, in the very presence of a gold-hearted, rose-hued, violet-tinged temptation, then indeed would the recording angel be spared the registering of many an ugly mark.

Tabor had known his weakness. Very early in his career it had manifested itself. In those days of knee breeches and sailor collars it had been simply a lady's indiscriminate fancy for brown eyes, blue eyes, gray eyes—eyes of any color, in fact, provided they were a feminine possession and pretty.

People had only laughed at him then. They laughed, too, when on each 14th of February he posted an armful of valentines to a dozen different lassies. The valentines were of his own drawing—for even at that tender age the artist in him was apparent.

As the lad grew into the man his fondness for feminine beauty increased. His propensity for portraying that beauty developed into a marked talent. The name of Paul Tabor became known to the public in connection with delightful drawings of indisputable merit. The attractive "girls" of his creation were pictures to charm the eye of a connoisseur.

As to his persistent fickleness in heart affairs, Tabor frequently felt compunction. Although he tried to condone his weakness by repeating the old excuses regarding the "artistic temperament," he knew nevertheless that the indulgence of his constantly changing fancy would at last render him incapable of preserving a true and lasting regard for any one woman.

"That knowledge should have served to foster within him a greater caution and control, but it did not. Hence, it happened that his time of remorse came.

This is the story:

While in the dawning flush of success he met and became infatuated with a young woman who was the very embodiment of his warmest and his loftiest ideals. His first glance into her eyes meant the complete obliteration from his brain of the several images it had cherished.

Here, at last, was the one woman to whom his heart could not help but be loyal.

Edith Ambler was not only the perfection of womanhood, but she was, moreover, the daughter of wealthy and distinguished parents. Tabor's alliance with that family would mean advancement to him in every sense.

Fortune seemed to favor him from the start. His love was returned. The consent of the parents was granted. Tabor's future glowed with promise.

Then came the exhibition of his pictures in a prominent art gallery of the city. Critics united in pronouncing his work undeniably strong and original. Mention was made of the fact that it was Tabor's ambition to study the American girl and to portray the purest type thereof.

On the following day the young artist received a note, very prettily and carefully worded, in which the writer—a stranger—volunteered to pose for him as one of the proposed types of American womanhood.

There was no mistaking the fine breeding of the unknown one who thus addressed him. The letter seemed to breathe an unusually sweet and potent individuality. Psychics will tell us that a human

being's magnetism clings to whatever article he or she possesses or intimately handles. Even an inanimate sheet of notepaper may thus be the means of transmitting that magnetism.

Tabor was distinctly conscious of the letter's subtly alluring atmosphere. His curiosity to see the writer grew keener as he re-read it. He replied at once, making an early appointment for the posing.

"Irene Thayer" was the name she had signed. The artist repeated it softly to himself many times on the morning that he waited for her in his studio.

She was late. He grew eager; impatient, fearful of her failure to appear. But at last she came. Tabor, lifting eager eyes to the doorway, saw a vision of loveliness before whose radiance even the image of Edith Ambler dissolved into nothingness.

The discovery that he could forget Edith, even for that instant, stabbed him with a swift regret. But before an hour had passed that regret was swallowed up in the intensely sweet consciousness which had stolen over him.

He knew the symptoms, and he knew also that he was honor bound to fight against them. But he did not fight. Instead, he made deliberate delays in his work, dreading the time of the fair one's departure.

Thereafter the appointments were unnecessarily frequent, and delays in the drawing were pronounced. Irene Thayer talked interestingly, fascinatingly.

This he learned as the days passed. Then one day he learned something else. Whether it was the touch of her hand or the startled glory of her glance he could not tell. But in a flash the revelation came and it well-nigh blinded him.

"Irene—Irene! You love me as I love you!"

She was in his arms. He had kissed her. Then in a moment she had struggled free and with a murmur of unintelligible words escaped from him like a shadow.

"Irene!" he cried. But she was gone. Mingled with his intoxication came a dread sense of foreboding. Something told him that she would never return.

This fear lay heavy upon his spirit when that evening a letter was handed him by a messenger. It was Irene's handwriting and read:

"Mr. Paul Tabor: The signature attached may astonish you somewhat, consequently I will explain at once that 'Irene Thayer' was a fictitious name used by me for a purpose. That purpose was the determination to discover whether or no you were the man Edith Ambler thought you to be. As her cousin and confidante I had her permission to pursue my own course in making that discovery. You are aware what course it was I did pursue. You are also aware, I am sure, that I have drawn a definite conclusion from the experiment, as to your fitness to be the husband of Edith. The accompanying note from her explains itself.

"IRENE AMBLER."

Tabor read again, as cold little notes that gave him his freedom. Then he took it and the letter, crumpled them despairingly and flung them into the fire. Their ashes were no grayer than the ashes of his hopes.

**MUSIC FOR THE U. C. V.**  
The special trains to the New Orleans Reunion by way of the Texas and Pacific will be accompanied by the Harris Juvenile Band (twenty-five in number), which will furnish music en route. This special train will leave Fort Worth and Dallas about noon, arriving at New Orleans next morning for breakfast.

**U. C. V. REUNION**  
The Texas and Pacific will be the route to New Orleans, and will run a special train, making the quickest time. Arrangements will be made later as to the time of this train. G. P. TURNER, General Passenger Agent.

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**PROGRAM FOR THE GREATER HOME WEEK**  
Chairman J. L. Frazier and other members of the "Greater Fort Worth Home Week" general committee have drawn up a preliminary program of the festivities for that week, which begins April 29. Monday will be opening day and Mayor Powell will deliver an address; Tuesday will be children's day; Wednesday will be Texas day, when it is hoped Governor Lanham, former Governor Hogz and Senators Culberson and Bailey will be present; Thursday will be Greater Fort Worth day, when there will be civil and military parades; Friday will be frontiersmen's and pioneers' day, when those who resided in Texas in the early days will make speeches and hold reunions; Saturday will be labor day, when it is hoped to have a large labor parade and addresses by some national labor leaders who will be invited to attend.

**CHILDREN'S COUGHS AND COLDS**  
Mrs. Joe McGrath, 327 East First street, Hutchinson, Kan., writes: "I have given Ballard's Horehound Syrup to my children for coughs and colds for the past four years, and find it the best medicine I ever used." Unlike many cough syrups, it contains no opium, but will soothe and heal any disease of the throat or lungs quicker than any other remedy. 25c, 50c and \$1 at H. G. Pangburn & Co's.

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Three 2-lb cans Stringless Beans .....	25c	Two Nice Mackerel .....	25c
Three 2-lb cans Early June Peas .....	25c	Two Dozen Eggs .....	25c
Four Packages of Vim .....	25c	2 Packages Ralston Oats .....	25c
Two Packages Rolled Oats .....	25c	2 Packages Ralston Pancake Flour .....	25c
Two Bottles Catsup .....	25c	2 lbs. Apple Butter .....	25c
Three Packages Mince Meat .....	25c	2 lbs. Dates .....	25c
Two Cans Pumpkin .....	25c	Quart Sweet Mixed Pickles .....	25c
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## AMUSEMENTS

### "LA PERICHOLE"

The Olympia Opera Company closed its week's engagement at Greenwall's last night with Offenbach's "La Perichole." The opera was quite as well presented as anything the company has yet given. The stamp of Offenbach was evident by an occasional allusion, which if Anna Held had said, would have been regarded as dreadfully naughty.

### "LOST RIVER"

Joseph Arthur's big scenic melodrama, "Lost River," comes to Greenwall's opera-house tonight. "Lost River," ind., is the place of action. The characters are fashionable visitors to a famous health resort near by and the uncultivated natives of that remote region. The scenery depicting Lost River valley is superb. The panoramic effect shown in the bicycle ride for life, as well as the beautiful view of the Baden toll road with its massive toll-gate, are scenes in which two of the most thrilling episodes of the play take place and which aroused the utmost enthusiasm from New York audiences and critics.

### "ARE YOU A MASON?"

There are said to be more laughs to the minute in "Are You a Mason?" which comes to Greenwall's opera-house Friday night, March 27, than in any comedy that has been seen on the stage in a long time. Certain it is, that wherever presented, its success as a mirth-producer has been quick and emphatic.

### HOYT COMEDY CO.

The Hoyt Comedy Company comes to Greenwall's opera-house for one week's engagement, excepting Tuesday, commencing Monday night, March 23. The opening bill Monday night will be "A Legal Wrong." Change of bill nightly. Popular prices will be in effect throughout the engagement. Ladies are to be admitted free on Monday night when accompanied by a person with a paid 30-cent ticket, if purchased before 6 p. m. Monday.

### TIM MURPHY

Many of the most successful American plays have been those which have found favor with the public because they told a story of southern people, of southern life. It is only necessary to mention in this connection "Alabama," "In Mizouza," and "The New South," all of them having told a strong and beautiful story, in which the atmosphere of southern life was conspicuous. So it is with "The Carpetbagger," which Tim Murphy will present at Greenwall's opera-house Tuesday night, March 24.

The scenes are all laid in Jackson, Miss., and mostly all of the characters are southern people. "The Carpetbagger" is not only a beautiful play, but an interesting play, because it tells a true story of the south just after the rebellion, and furthermore, all of the characters introduced are counterparts of those who actually participated in the social and political life of that time. Mr. Murphy has a delightful character to impersonate and it is said of him that he has made the hit of his life in the part of Melville Crane, the governor of Mississippi.

## NAVY RECRUITS ENLISTED TO DATE

The following persons have enlisted for service in the United States navy, and left last evening for New York:

R. V. Jones, electrician, third class; H. E. Brown, landsman for yeoman, second class; C. D. Land, coal passer; E. A. Mann, coal passer; J. M. George, coal passer; J. M. George, coal passer; L. C. McCoy, fireman, second class; J. C. Curtis, coal passer for machinist, second class; W. R. Perrett, machinist, second class; C. A. Guinn, ship's cook, fourth class; C. Adams, ship's cook, fourth class.

The following enlisted men for the navy this evening for Newport: Q. R. Thompson, D. B. Rawls, L. W. Atrey and H. Williams, apprentices, third class.

The following are the enlistments for Norfolk: K. C. Jay, J. F. Tucker, W. A. Shelton, R. S. Yager, O. A. Vance, V. Tut, J. Snyder, R. E. L. Pender, W. O. Barbee, R. H. Burton, all landsmen for training; L. Hamilton, shipwright; E. Howard, painter, third class; W. A. Bolling, printer.

## MAIN STREET PROPERTY BRINGS BIG PRICE

James Harrison yesterday afternoon closed a deal by which he purchases the old Farmers and Mechanics National Bank building at Fourteenth and Main streets from Cass Edwards for \$10,000. This is one of the largest realty deals made in Fort Worth recently.

## SEVERE ATTACK OF GRIP

### Cured by One Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

"When I had an attack of the grip last winter (the second one) I actually cured myself with one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Frank W. Perry, editor of the Enterprise, Shortsville, N. Y. "This is the honest truth. I at times kept from coughing myself to pieces by taking a teaspoonful of this remedy, and when the coughing spell would come on at night I would take a dose and it seemed that in the briefest interval the cough would pass off and I would go to sleep perfectly free from cough and its accompanying pains. I had no idea that it could or could knock out the grip, simply because I had never tried it for such a purpose, but it did, and it seemed with the second attack of coughing the remedy caused it to not only be of less duration, but the pains were far less severe, and I had not used the contents of one bottle before Mr. Grip had bid me adieu." For sale by all druggists.

## FIVE POINT STAR BUILDING UNFINISHED

The architects in several cities of Texas have held meetings recently to consider the five-pointed star building proposed to be erected at the World's Exposition at St. Louis to represent this state.

Local architects held a meeting last week, and expressions from them have not been any more favorable to the building than those of the other Texas architects.

From the point of practical utility, as well as from the architectural standpoint the architects have expressed themselves in no uncertain language.

Practically no room would be available save in the center of the building, and the general expense would be very heavy, as it would require a huge expanse of outside wall, and, besides, the limited pointed spaces could never be utilized to any advantage," said one local architect. He added: "The five points of the building could never be seen unless the visitors were furnished with balloons from which to view it, anyway."

## PERMITS FOR NEW BUILDINGS ISSUED

The following building permits have been issued from the office of the city engineer:

Charles E. Bowman, lot 7 and south half of lot 6, block H, Bellevue addition, six rooms; \$1,120.

Thomas Chittenden, lot 7, block 5, Old Town addition, brick store, two stories, four rooms; \$700.

## THE WHOLE FAMILY

### Benefits by Pure Food

It has happened in a great many cases that one member of a family has begun the use of the scientific food Grape-Nuts, and some of the other members have taken up the food, and while enjoying its delicious flavor have been cured of various ailments and diseases which had sprung from the use of improper food.

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There are scientific reasons why this food is as valuable to one member of the family as to another. It is perfect for athletes, yet at the same time is predigeste, and no stomach is so weak it will not relish the food.

## MINERAL WELLS INDEX

Mineral Wells Index: Jake Ferguson of Fort Worth is here. A. L. Hartshorn, a prominent furniture manufacturer of Fort Worth, came in Saturday evening to spend the Sabbath with his family at the Hotel Wann. Mr. and Mrs. Hartshorn, Charles City, Iowa, parents of A. L. and Mrs. George Neils of Fort Worth, are also at the Wann.

Terrell Transcript: C. W. Childress of Fort Worth is in the city.

T. T. McDonald, keeper of records and seal of Red Cross lodge, No. 14, Knights of Pythias, is in receipt of a new supply of bylaws, which members may secure by calling on him at the city ticket office of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad.

Several local lumbermen announced today that they would attend the seventh annual meeting of the Lumbermen's Association of Texas, which is to be held at Galveston April 14, 15 and 16. An elaborate program, both of business and pleasure, has been prepared.

The Sophia Society will meet today at the home of Mrs. Oscar Krantz, 905 Summit avenue.

Miss Mary Hall has returned to the city after a short stay in Bosque county.

Miss Augusta Anderson departed yesterday for her home in Nebraska, after a pleasant visit with friends in Fort Worth.

There will be a social at the Broadway Presbyterian church tomorrow evening from 8 to 11 o'clock.

The regular literary meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy will be held tomorrow afternoon in the rooms of the veterans in the courthouse at 3:30 o'clock.

## THIS RACE WILL HAVE NO PROBLEM

ORMOND, Fla., March 26.—During the next day or two devotees of the automobile throughout the country will keep their faces turned toward this resort. On the superb beach track that extends for more than thirty miles along the coast between here and Daytona there will be a series of automobile races, the like of which has seldom been witnessed before in America.

strings, Walter Sloan had sent in twenty-seven items and Dudley Tarlton forty-two up to and including last Sunday, that were accepted. The other boys are asked to send in their lists up to and including last Sunday, at once.

## THE WEATHER

Forecast for Fort Worth and vicinity until 8 p. m. Friday: Tonight and Friday, occasional showers; slight changes in temperature.

Mrs. J. Thompson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Farmer of North Fort Worth.

Nash Hardware Co. F. T. Reynolds, who was out of town yesterday, returned last night.

Bessing's Studio, Sixth and Houston. Mrs. Bacon Saunders returned home yesterday from Dallas, where she had been visiting friends.

J. W. Adams & Co. Feed, Fuel and Produce, 409 W. Weatherford. Phone 520. Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Menefee are in New York.

Phone No. 86 for livery and carriages. Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Bomar are out of town.

Dr. McCoy, specialist, Columbia building.

Alexander lodge, No. 249, Knights of Pythias, met last evening, for which a novel announcement was issued. The notice reads: "Alexander lodge, No. 249, K. P. Hall, 7:30 p. m. (giving date of the meeting). Everybody will be there, will you?" The last two words are underscored in red ink, and the only signature to the announcement is a skull and cross bones drawn with pen in red ink. 'Twas a forcible reminder that the Knights of Pythias were to meet and there was an unusually large attendance.

Roy & Leffer, practical jewelers, 692 Main street. Work called for and delivered. Phone 1336.

The family of F. M. Sullivan, consisting of Mrs. Sullivan, Miss Dora Ritter, her sister, and Master Robert Sullivan, arrived here yesterday from Dallas and will make Fort Worth their future home. Mr. Sullivan is the agent of the Internat-

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The property purchased fronts fifty feet on Main street and extends along Fourteenth street to the alley. The building is a substantial one of stone, and consists of three stories and a basement. It is understood that the rooms upstairs will remain in possession of the present tenants.

The first floor will be used by the bank. Few alterations will be necessary before the bank fixtures are introduced.

## GETS TO STRAWN SIX HOURS EARLIER

Strawn News: The Fort Worth Telegram is coming to the front as one of the truly great newspapers of the southwest. The 5 o'clock p. m. edition containing the news of the world up to the hour of publication arrives here in time for delivery early in the morning so that its subscribers here get the latest news fully six hours ahead of any other paper. The Sunday edition is the only up-to-date Sunday paper published in Texas. It contains the popular illustrated news and comic features by the highest salaried writers and artists. The daily market report of The Telegram is a feature that will especially commend it to the business man or the stockman, as it gives the closing market quotations for each day of publication, so that its readers in this section may read each morning the market reports of the previous day which cannot possibly be obtained through any other publication before noon.

There will be work in the second and third ranks in Red Cross lodge, No. 14, Knights of Pythias, this evening. All members are requested to be present.

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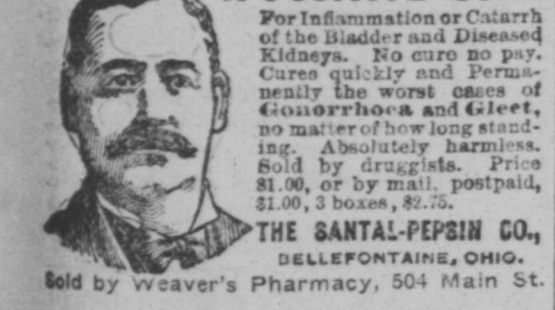
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Joseph Arthur's Pastoral Melodrama, "LOST RIVER"

FEATURES—Beautiful scenery, thoroughbred horses, bicycle race, country orchestra, old toll gate, etc.

Night prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.

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John C. Rice and Thos. A. Wise, in the Tremendous Laughing Hit, "ARE YOU A MASON"

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

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THE DONALDSON EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 110 West Bluff street. Phone 1959. Phone, write or call.

WANTED—Fifty steamfitters wanted at Armour & Co.'s packing-house, North Fort Worth. Apply at office at once.

WANTED—Ten men and ten women as deputies for Fraternal Brotherhood. Must be residents of Fort Worth and come well recommended. No other need apply. G. P. Stevens, general organizer, 112 West Ninth street.

PARTNER WANTED—Sober, reliable man; married preferred; to put in \$300 to \$400 in an established, paying business; reference given and required. R. E. M. care Telegram.

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WANTED—Experienced starch waver. Apply Curran's Hand Laundry, 618 Burnett street.

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WANTED TO BUY
I WANT to buy a cottage home on west side between First and Texas streets for from \$2,000 to \$2,500 and pay \$500 down and \$600 every six months. Give full particulars in first letter. Address K. E. care Telegram.

BOARD AND ROOMS
ROOM AND BOARD—Excellent table; reasonable rates. Miss Annie McGee, 217 Jackson street.

THE WELLINGTON, 423 corner Broadway and Jennings—Mrs. L. T. St. John. First-class rooms and board. Transient, \$2 per day; special rates by the week. Large, well-furnished rooms per couple.

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

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

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

THAT FINANCIAL STRAIN can be relieved by the Texas Loan Company. We will loan you money on your pianos, furniture, etc., without removal and let you pay it back on easy weekly payments. Courteous treatment assured. Call and see us. Texas Loan Co., 1310 Main st.

MONEY to lend on farms, ranches and city property. T. W. Sydnor, Manager, 412 Rusk street, city.

WE CAN MAKE you a loan for 30 or 60 days on furniture and pianos. Mechanics Loan Co., 706 1/2 Main street, Room 3, over Santa Fe ticket office. Phone 810.

FOR RENT
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REAL ESTATE AND RENTAL AGENT—Notary public. Pension claims a specialty. James McNameara, corner Fourth and Rusk streets.

FOR RENT—One 4-room house, newly built. Apply to City Lime Works, corner Kennedy and Pine streets.

FOR RENT—Furnished house of five rooms; east side. Phone 1492.

WANTED TO RENT—A modern 5 or 6 room cottage, close in. Address A. B., care Telegram.

FOR RENT—No. 303 North East street, San Antonio, Texas, elegantly furnished private 10-room rooming-house, quiet location, just off from business part of city. Established and run by former occupant ten years; enjoyed a splendid patronage. Terms \$75 a month. Long lease to right party. Address 215 North Pecos, San Antonio, Texas.

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FURNITURE bought, sold, exchanged, repaired and stored. Best stock, best prices, best terms. Best ways at Nix-Graves, 302-4 Houston street.

ONE DOLLAR per week will furnish your parlor, bedroom, dining room or kitchen, at Nix-Graves.

WANTED—100 bedroom suits and other furniture. Nix-Graves.

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

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

FOR ALL kinds of scavenger work. Phone 918. Lee Taylor.

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WANTED—To make skirts and shirtwaists. 712 Taylor street.

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MAN AND WIFE, with references, wish superior accommodations (board and rooms) in private home; willing to pay well for few months. Address J. B., care Telegram.

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WANTED—ROOMS
WANTED—Unfurnished room near good boarding-house by man and wife; no children. Address X, care Telegram.

WANTED—Two rooms for light house-keeping by young couple with 6 mo. child; furnished or unfurnished; state address and terms. R. P. P., care Telegram.

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

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

BEST COFFEE, CREAM AND MILK in the city at O. K. Restaurant, 908 Houston street.

EASTER CARDS AT CONNER'S BOOK STORE, No. 707 Houston street. FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

1,000 EXAMINATION TABLETS at 10c; blank books, stationery, baseballs, bats and gloves; sheet music. Carruthers' Book Store.

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GOOD JOB PRESS with type for sale, cheap. 1218 South Jennings avenue.

FOR SALE—Fine family horse, 8 years old; very gentle. Address P. O. Box 358, P. O. Box 358.

FOR SALE—Restaurant and short order stand and barbecue pit. 207 West Weatherford street.

GOOD Square piano, \$25; \$5 a month buys it. Alex Hirschfeld, 812 Houston street.

FOR SALE—A handsome trap, second-hand, owner leaving city. May be seen at Keller's, corner Second and Throckmorton streets.

FOR SALE—One beautiful new upright grand piano, cost \$375, any kind of terms, at \$235. Also two new standard-made, drop-head, 7-drawer sewing machines, cost \$45, at \$25 on payments. Above taken under mortgage; must sell. Mechanics' Loan Co., 706 1/2 Main street, Room 3, over Santa Fe ticket office. Short-time money to loan. Phone 810.

ARCHITECTS
M. L. WALLER—Architect and superintendent, 808 Main street, Phone 1766. Rooms 11-12, Columbia building.

CONRAD HOFFER, architect and superintendent, 429 West Seventh street, Fort Worth, Texas.

MINERAL WATERS
FOR your health's sake, drink mineral water—Crazy, Gibson, Fogg and Mitchell. Phone 815. A. B. Moore, solo agent, 312 Main street.

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 488.

SPECIAL NOTICES
A. J. Stovall, J. D. Stovall, DOCTORS STOVALL & STOVALL, SPECIALISTS. They cure diseases called incurable. All private and chronic diseases positively and permanently cured, either male or female. Examination free. Call or write us. All medicines furnished at office, over Texas Drug Company, 1407 Main street, Fort Worth, Texas. Phone 158.

S. S. SHEPARD, merchant tailor—Cleansing, pressing, repairing and dyeing a specialty. 1115 Houston st. Phone 610.

NELSON TAILORING COMPANY—We have the prices and the goods on easy payments. 1208 Main street.

JOHN HOLDEN TAILORING CO., 1107 Main street. Up to date in every respect. A trial will convince you. Phone 819 3 rings.

GET THE ENTERPRISING carriage works prices before going elsewhere. 1215 Houston.

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

PROF. V. GREENE, Practical Piano Tuner and Rebuilder, 103 East Second. Telephone 978 3 rings.

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

VISIT the Mexican Curio and Novelty Store, corner Eighth and Houston.

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

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

A BLIND MAN even knows that this is the place for rubber tires and all kinds of vehicles repaired and the place for crippled horses; everything up to date. Corner First and Throckmorton streets. S. P. Schmitt.

J. B. MILLER has the finest backs in the city; white and black. Phone 158 or 762.

UPHOLSTERER—A. Brandt, 106 Houston. Phone 278 1 ring.

STOCK YARDS BARGAIN STORE—We pay the highest prices for second-hand clothing, guns, musical instruments and jewelry. A. Robinson & Co., 111 North Houston. Send card and we will call on you.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened and repaired and gasoline stoves repaired at T. P. Day's Bicycle and Sewing Machine Store, 414 Houston street.

KANSAS CITY BARBECUED MEAT. Please call and see us. Corner Thirteenth and Houston.

I WILL exchange lessons in voice culture for a good, safe driving horse. Mrs. Maud Peters Ducker, 212 Burnett street.

FOUND—The place to get a good bath and shave for 25 cents. Elite Barber Shop, 1002 Houston.

FOUND—Astray, one black sow, weight about 100 pounds; silt in right ear; white spot in face; owner can have same by paying bill, including this ad. Call at corner Smith and Grove sts., North Fort Worth, Texas. J. H. Piper.

LOST—Oval-shaped garnet pin set with stones, pin about size of dollar; finder rewarded by returning same to Telegram office.

BUSINESS CHANCES
WE WOULD LIKE to put a copy of THE ADVERTISING WORLD into the hands of every person who keeps any kind of a store; every newspaper man; every advertising writer; every person interested in business of any kind. We send sample copies free on request, and the paper usually makes friends for itself at first sight. It isn't made to be pretty, but to be helpful—and its circulation of 23,000 (largest of its class in the world) shows that it is helpful. May we have your address? The Advertising World, Columbus, Ohio.

INSURANCE
W. L. Foster, San Bucklew, W. L. Ligon, FOSTER & BUCKLEW INSURANCE AGENCY—Fire, Tornado, Liability. Accident, Life, Health. 610 Main street, upstairs, Fort Worth, Tex. Telephone 348.

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

DIVIDEND NOTICE
The Geyser Oil Development Company: It is hereby resolved by the board of directors of the Geyser Oil Development Company that a 2 per cent dividend is now declared, to be paid on the first day of April, 1903, to all stockholders of record on the company's books on the 25th day of March, 1903.

A. M. BRITTON, President. Beaumont, Texas, Feb. 28, 1902.

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

Why Not Write
TELL THE advertiser you saw it in The Telegram C. C. page.

ROOMS TO RENT
UP-TO-DATE, newly furnished rooms; one large front room. 209 Main.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished, cool rooms, bath and telephone privileges. 209 South Main or telephone 1515.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms, with or without board. 919 Cannon avenue. Phone 1450.

FOR RENT—Elegantly furnished rooms, south exposure; bath, electric lighting and phone. Call at 119 South Jennings avenue; just across the viaduct.

FOR RENT—Three nice rooms, unfurnished. 412 South Calhoun.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room at 825 Monroe street. Opposite city hall.

PERSONAL
I AM EXTENDING my business and must have second-hand goods to meet the demand of my installment and rental customers. I also exchange new goods for old and, therefore, will pay more for second-hand furniture and more for any other dealer in the city. IXL Second Hand Store, corner First and Houston streets. Phone 1229.

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

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

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

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

DR. H. D. GROVE, Dentist—Room 9, over Parker's drug store. Phone No. 988, 1 ring.

DR. J. F. GRAMMER, Dentist, 606 Main street, over Mitchell's jewelry store.

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

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

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

I DO AN IMMENSE renting and installing business and must have goods. Therefore I will pay more for second-hand furniture and stoves than anyone else in the city. Lee Fleming, Second and Houston streets. Telephone 684, 3 rings.

A BAND OF EGYPTIAN PALMISTS—Princess Vonger and her tribe of Egyptian palmists have just arrived in the city. Past, present and future in the life of all from birth upward. Call and be convinced. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Located in tents on Pecan, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

REOPENED—With the floor, sanitary plumbing and abundant hot artesian water. Bath and shave 25 cents. Shirts laundered 8 cents, collars 2 cents. Leading brands 15 cents cigars for 10 cents. E. GUTZMAN, Ninth, between Main and Houston street.

OPTICIAN
EYES EXAMINED properly make glasses give satisfaction. If your eyes bother you or you have sick headache, try Dr. T. J. Williams of Lexington, Ky., now located at 315 Houston street. Every pair fully guaranteed.

LEGAL NOTICE
By virtue of the power vested in me by the charter of the city of Fort Worth, Texas, as mayor thereof, I hereby call an election to be held in said city on Tuesday, April 7, 1903, being the first Tuesday in said month, and during the legal hours of said day for holding an election, for the purpose of electing one Assessor and Collector for the city at large, and one Marshal for the city at large. The polling places and presiding officers of said election will be as follows: First ward, Mansior hotel, with W. H. Fisher as presiding judge. Second ward, 900 Main street, with B. M. Harding as presiding judge. Third ward, Jones street near new Santa Fe station, with R. Chambers presiding judge. Fourth ward, city hall, with S. T. Bibb as presiding judge. Fifth ward, Tucker fire hall, with Joe Polthress as presiding judge. Sixth ward, Sixth ward fire hall, with W. E. Mayfield as presiding judge. Seventh ward, Magnolia and South Main street, with H. L. Calhoun as presiding judge. Eighth ward, Magnolia and College avenues, with O. W. Head as presiding judge. Ninth ward, court house, with C. T. Frewitt as presiding judge. THOS. J. POWELL, Mayor. Attest, JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS
FORT WORTH AND RIO GRANDE RAILWAY COMPANY STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railway Company will be held at the General Office of the company in the city of Fort Worth, Texas, on Tuesday, April 7, 1903, at 3 p. m., for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before them. Upon the same day, at the same place, the directors will hold their annual meeting at 4 p. m., for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before them. FORT WORTH AND RIO GRANDE RAILWAY COMPANY. B. F. YOKUM, President. J. S. JONES, Secretary.

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REAL ESTATE
ALLISON & BURGER, Real Estate. Loans and Insurance, 601 Main street. (Rock Island Ticket Office). Phone 1800.

SEVEN-ROOM new modern 2-story frame house, close in; west side; reception hall, bath and toilet, two mantels and grates, barn, terrace lot; price \$3,400. See us for terms.

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 \$2,900, \$1,000 cash; balance terms.

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 tree; lot 96x100; price \$2,900; one-half cash, balance easy.

FOR SALE—4-room frame cottage, on Weatherford street; 2 porches, hall, sheds and stable; corner lot; lot 50x100; price \$1,250; \$400 cash, balance by the month.

FOR SALE—New 4-room frame cottage, south side, well located, southeast corner, nice reception hall, two porches, bathroom, barn for two horses and feed-room; lot 50x100 to alley; price \$1,900; \$300 cash, balance \$14 per month.

NEAR POSTOFFICE, 6-room frame cottage, mantel and grate, bathroom and toilet, servants' house, woodhouse, toilet-house in yard, nice lawn, large porches; lot 50x100 to alley; price \$3,000; one-third cash, balance one and two years.

NEAR UNIVERSITY, new 5-room cottage, hall, closets in all bedrooms, 3 porches, nice iron fence front; lot 88x100; price \$2,000; terms.

COOPER STREET, 4 rooms and reception hall, new bath and sink in kitchen, electric lights, butler's pantry, china closet in dining-room, barn and buggy-house; lot 50x140 to alley; price \$2,350; terms.

SOME GOOD BARGAINS on north side, both in lots and in acreage property; several lots in one block of Marine. See us for terms and prices.

FOR SALE—5-room cottage, South Rusk; fruit and forest trees; 2-story barn; lot 55x100 to alley; price \$1,150; terms.

IF YOU wish to sell, buy, rent or insure your property or want money to build houses or take up vendors' notes, see us. ALLISON & BURGER, 601 Main street, Rock Island ticket office. Phone 1800.

FRANK D. JONES & CO., 711 MAIN ST. See us for all kinds of bargains. We have just what you want. Our list numbers up in the thousands. We have on Prospect Heights 1/2 acre ground and 5-room house, artesian well, windmill and tank; just the place for a chicken ranch. We have on the west side, close in a 4-room house, lot 50x135, south front; price \$1,000; easy terms.

FRANK D. JONES, 711 Main street. Phone 1905.

STOP AND READ. We have several customers for inside residence property in value from \$1,500 to \$4,000. If you have such property and wish to sell we are the people to list it with, and don't forget if you wish to buy we are the same people you are looking for. W. L. Ligon & Co., 610 Main St. P. S.—Fairmont Addition is looming up now. Call to see us for a plat of the addition, and get prices and terms. They are easy.

JOHN M. MOODY, REAL ESTATE Agent, North Fort Worth, has some good houses for rent and to sell; also some good business and residence lots for sale; no special addition to boom; fair representation and treatment to all. Call Office in the Fritchard building, upstairs.

LEWIS & POWELL—602 Main st. Phone 1840. Close in on southwest side, south front lot, 58x100, on corner, with fine new 6-room modern frame cottage, reception hall, mantel, closets, pantry, bath, lavatory, picket fence, stable, etc.; price \$2,100.

See us for bargains in Main and Houston st., improved and vacant property. On south side we have several choice lots from \$200 up and will build houses to suit purchaser. See us this week for a bargain in a choice truck farm. Very nicely improved. Three-fourths of a mile from city limits. Ranch of 2,400 acres in Bell county to trade for city property. Ranch of 2,835 acres in Coleman county to trade for good farm in this county suitable for hog raising.

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

REAL ESTATE
FOR THE NEXT 30 Days

Heaton, Bury & Co. offer for sale a splendid residence on Penn street; also two choice building sites. This property lies in the most desirable residence portion of Fort Worth. Write us or call on us for particulars.

HEATON, BURY & CO., Victoria Bldg., Main St., City

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

Farms, ranches and city property for sale or exchange.

Money to loan for building purposes.

Vendors' lien notes bought and extended.

Vacant lots and improved property in all parts of the city for sale.

Business and residence property for rent.

A bargain in a new 5-room frame cottage on south side; price \$1,250; terms, \$150 cash and \$20 per month.

A new 8-room two-story frame house, with bath, closets, hydrants, picket fence, shade trees and lawn; price \$2,500; terms \$500 cash and \$25. A bargain.

A 4-room frame house, \$500.

A 6-room frame house, \$1,800.

An 8-room 2-story frame house, \$2,750.

A 5-room frame house, \$800.

We have some beautiful lots in the Goldsmith addition for sale; also in the Emory College addition, which we are selling very cheap and soon they will all be sold. See us at once.

A. N. EVANS & CO., 706 Main street.

ROSS & BUCHANAN—

We have the property that will suit you for a home site and can arrange terms.

Let us show you some of the following: 50x100 feet on Florence st., with 5-room cottage and barn; \$1,250.

50x100 feet, 6-room cottage and barn. Cherry st.; \$1,700.

50x100 feet, 5-room cottage, East Second st.; \$1,500.

East Third st., large corner lot, 7-room residence, strictly modern; \$3,250.

Elegant 8-room 2-story, east front, modern residence, close in on east side; \$5,500.

50x100 feet, good 4-room house, on Holt st.; \$1,000.

50x100 feet, east front, on Granger st. 5-room cottage, storm and milk house, barn, lovely shrubbery; \$1,400.

Rentals on above property would average 18 per cent.

Two or three elegant homes on West Hill, Henderson and Adams sts., ranging in price from \$4,000 to \$30,000.

Unimproved lots in all parts of the city at reasonable prices, upon which we can arrange a loan that will enable you to build.

Suburban property on Interurban in tracts of from one to twenty acres.

ROSS & BUCHANAN, Land Title Bldg., Fourth st.

WE DO NOT tell our business to parties who are not interested. If you are interested in any kind of real estate, call on us or phone 1922. We buy, sell and exchange the EARTH in quantities to suit you. It is a pleasure and our business to answer questions and show property.

Head Ache?

Chances are your stomach, bowels, kidneys or liver are out of whack. Heptol Split will cure headache, stimulate your liver and kidneys, promote digestion and cure constipation. It'll take the yellow out of your skin and make you look good and feel good all over.



What is HEPTOL SPLIT, anyway? It's a delicious, sparkling, aperient water, for use when things go wrong inside you. It acts directly upon the liver, stimulates the kidneys, cures constipation and headache, and assists digestion. It comes in bottles just big enough for one. It's the only Split that doesn't taste bad and leave a wry face.

MORRISON DRUG CO., N. Y. & WACO, TEX., John M. Parker, distributor. Family cases Heptol Splits (25 bottles), at \$3 per case.



Some folks may think that Texas fish will bite at any old thing, but you know better. You wouldn't think of wasting a whole day out on the Clear Fork with tackle intended for salmon or pike or tarpon.

Now We Claim to Know

One or two things about fishing and in buying tackle have selected only that which is suitable for waters near Fort Worth. No matter if you have been unsuccessful heretofore, perhaps you didn't go properly prepared. Our stock is the largest in the city and we will guarantee to start you right if you will but give us the opportunity.

NASH Hardware Co.

ROCKDALE POSTMASTER IS HAVING TROUBLE

WACO, Texas, March 26.—A brief dispatch from Washington last week noted the fact that the senate had failed to confirm two Texas appointments made by President Roosevelt. One of these was the postmaster at Commerce, Hunt county, Texas, and the other is the re-appointment of E. M. Hopkins, postmaster at Rockdale, Milam county, Texas. The latter was originally appointed by President McKinley and has held the office for four years. About two months ago President Roosevelt re-appointed him, but when the appointment was sent to the senate, it was held up. A short time after, the president sent the appointment to the senate the second time and the second time it was turned down. When the body met in extraordinary session for the third time, the appointment was sent, and the third time it was turned down.

It seems that some charges have been brought against Mr. Hopkins in the post-office department, the nature of which has not been made public, hence they are not known. It is known, however, that they have not been filed with the organization in this state, for Mr. Hopkins has the endorsement of Committee Chairman Boynton of this district, also State Chairman Lyon. In the past few days Mr. Boynton has been interviewed by a number of Rockdale people either on one side or the other, but to date has not withdrawn his endorsement.

There is much interest being manifested in the outcome especially by the Rockdale people as well as in Central Texas.

A PHYSICIAN WRITES

"I am desirous of knowing if the profession can obtain Herbine in bulk for prescribing purposes? It has been of great use to me in treating cases of dyspepsia brought on by excesses or overwork. I have never known it to fail in restoring the organs affected to their healthful activity." 50c bottle at H. T. Pangburn & Co's.

LUMBER DEALERS ARE SUBSCRIBING

ELEVEN FIRMS CONTRIBUTE TO LIBRARY FUND.

The First Club to Be Heard From Was the Monday History Club, the Youngest in the City—High School Teachers Subscribe.

A gratifying increase in the number of annual subscriptions to the Carnegie library book fund yesterday. The teachers of the high school, the Monday History Club, the Women's Wednesday Club and the Current Literature Club were added to the list, the lumber firms of the city have become interested and the grand total of annual subscriptions to date is about eighty.

Now that the general public has become acquainted with the movement, the number of subscriptions is expected to increase rapidly. Following is the list to date:

- LUMBER DEALERS
The following lumber dealers each paid for one year:
Burton-Lingo company
Willard Burton
Darnell Lumber company
Ford & Isbell
S. P. Smith Lumber company
Texas Tie and Lumber company
A. J. Roe
J. E. Quarles Lumber company
William Cameron & Co.
J. H. Armstrong & Co.
L. B. Curd.

PLUMBERS
J. D. Kane, chairman.

FLORISTS
Baker Brothers, one.

GENERAL LIST
Mrs. S. B. Burnett, Mrs. Jennie Scheuber, Mrs. James W. Swayne.

CLUBS
The Monday History Club, Woman's Wednesday Club, Current Literature Club.

BANKS
Hunter-Phelan Savings Bank Company, American National bank, First National bank, Fort Worth National bank, Farmers and Mechanics, State National bank, one each.

OPERA-HOUSE
Phil W. Greenwall, one.

MUSIC TEACHERS
Miss H. Hendricks, one two years; Professor Schneider, one two years; Professor Goodell, one two years.

SCHOOL-TEACHERS
High school teachers, one.

BANKERS AND BROKERS
F. G. McPeak, one.

PAINTERS AND DECORATORS
J. J. Langver & Co., George Mulkey & Son, Burns & Hamilton, one each.

CLOTHIERS
Jake Washer, chairman; Leon Gross, Block Brothers & Banister, A. & L. August, F. T. Crittenden, one each.

TELEPHONE EXCHANGES
J. F. Henderson, chairman, one.

BREWERS
Cane-Cetti, chairman, eight.

DRUGGISTS
W. W. Connelly, chairman; W. L. Smallwood, one each.

LAWYERS
Captain B. E. Padlock and W. B. Padlock, James W. Swayne, Theodore Mack, Mrs. Theodore Mack, one each.

BOOK AND ART STORES
H. H. Collins, chairman; The Pair, one each.

NEWSPAPERS AND PRINTERS
C. D. Belmers, chairman—The Telegram, one for five years.

DRY GOODS MEN
E. H. Lowe, chairman; R. J. Parker, W. C. Stripling, Moning Brothers, Jibron Naggar, G. Y. Smith, J. Pommer, one each.

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JEWELERS
J. E. Mitchell, chairman; Roy & Lefler, F. C. Boerner, J. H. Greer, W. P. Kierman, N. C. Hall, M. A. Lesser, W. C. Ballew, one each.

TO THE CHAIRMAN
Mrs. James W. Swayne, chairman of the general committee, issued the following instructions to chairmen of the soliciting committees:

"The chairmen are earnestly requested, if possible:

"1. Have each subscriber sign his or her own name to the list.

"2. Have each subscriber pay at least one year's subscription in advance.

"3. Endeavor to cover as completely as possible the territory assigned, and take subscriptions from 10 cents up.

"4. Send the names of contributors and the amounts to The Telegram and Register as fast as they are obtained.

"5. When the territory has been covered place the signed lists and the funds obtained in the hands of W. G. Newby, president of the American National bank and treasurer of the library association."

NEWS OF ALLEN CHAPEL
Last Sunday's services resulted in three conversions, making thirty-one since last November, and thirteen additions in membership to the chapel in that time.

The second quarterly conference love feast for this conference year will be held Friday evening. The conference will be held Saturday afternoon and the quarterly meeting Sunday.

Extensive preparations are being made for the observance of Palm Sunday and Easter.

A joint reception will be given at the chapel tonight by the Christian Endeavor and Paine Literary societies.

PETITION FROM TRUCK GROWERS

IT WAS PRESENTED TO MAYOR POWELL TODAY

Association's Request for Market Square Will Come Before Council at Next Meeting—Members' Trade With Local Merchants Entitles Them to Hearing

W. S. Gilbert, president of the Tarrant County Produce Growers' Association, called on Mayor Powell this morning and presented a petition signed by leading members of the association urging the mayor and council to provide a market house or square.

The petition sets forth the fact that the truck gardeners are not permitted to hold their stands on Houston street after 7 o'clock in the morning under the new ordinance and there is great need of a place being set apart for them; the cost would not be great if the truck growers are willing to bear at least a portion of the expense. The matter will come before the council at its next meeting.

Mr. Gilbert said today: "The association represents a quarter of a million dollars worth of property in Tarrant county and on that showing is entitled to a hearing; we annually bring into Fort Worth and sell hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of produce of all kinds. During the spring and summer from 150 to 200 truck growers are in the city every day. Their trade with Fort Worth merchants amounts to a good deal. I think, everything considered, a market place should be made for them here. Three sites have been suggested—one at Jennings avenue and Thirteenth; one at the courthouse square and the third opposite the Catholic church at Eleventh and Throckmorton."

BRINGS SUIT TO FORCE PAVING

PROCEEDINGS ARE BEGUN AGAINST J. T. BLANCHARD

Effort by the City Attorney to Compel Non-Resident to Pave in Front of His Property on Main Street—The Effect of Suit if It is Successful

City Attorney E. C. Orrick this morning instituted the first condemnation proceeding brought by the city to force street paving. The suit is directed against J. T. Blanchard, who owns a lot adjoining the old Farmers and Mechanics Bank building, on Fourteenth and Main streets. Mr. Blanchard is a non-resident. He happened to be in the city today, and this morning reaching the office of the city attorney caused him to bring the suit at once in order to obtain service.

The case was brought in the county court, Judge Milam presiding. The judge appointed S. M. Fry, T. T. Lenoir and D. H. Bernaghan as a board of commissioners to fix the cost of the paving. Should Mr. Blanchard decline to pave the street in front of his lot, the work will be done by the city and the cost will stand as a lien in front of his property, providing the present suit is successful. In the latter event, when the city attorney is confident the property would be sold by the city in order to satisfy the claim for paving.

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Backman's Glass Blowers had large crowds yesterday afternoon and evening. Everyone is delighted with this artistic and educational exhibition. The ladies admire the beautiful glass dresses, while the men find a study in the workings of the glass steam engine. Every visitor received a specimen of their work free, many of which were handsome. This glass engraver is also a feature and he has some beautiful specimens of his skill. Saturday will be their last day, and no one should miss seeing this exhibition, as it is certainly a meritorious one. They are located at 392 Main street.

Saturday afternoon three hundred glass ships will be given to the children.

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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.

THE CHILDRESS CARD IN EFFECT

MEETING OVER

CHILDRESS, Texas, March 2.—The convention of the Panhandle Cattlemen's Association adjourned amid great enthusiasm. The attendance was estimated at about two hundred members and six hundred visitors. A great deal of important business, not to be seen on the surface, was transacted, and the members say it was the largest and best meeting in the history of the association.

One result is that the association is on a sounder basis than ever before, and in a better position and condition to do good to and for its members. The officers of the past year, and for three years, have done faithful and efficient work, and as a mark of appreciation were re-elected, with the exception of the secretary, who was asked to be excused.

THANKS TO LEGISLATURE

One of the pleasant incidents of the meeting was the presentation of the resolution tendering thanks to the members of the legislature from below the quarantine line for their support in the fight against the Bryan quarantine bill. The stockmen of the Panhandle realized, and acknowledge, that their efforts would have been in vain if the cattlemen below the line had not come to their assistance. Colonel Lytle, secretary of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, was in attendance, listening to the proceedings and mingling with the cattlemen of the Panhandle, many of whom belong to his association. He expressed himself as highly gratified at the work of the association and predicts a useful career for it. Colonel Lytle was asked to address the convention, but he begged off.

FEW CATTLE OFFERED

No trading was done. The present condition of cattle after the February storm is such that the owners do not care to show them, and in fact but few cattle were offered. The buyers were scarce, but several men were making inquiries, talking dots and no doubt trades will result within the next forty days.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

After the adjournment the president appointed the executive board, which consists of the following members: W. C. Isaacs of Canadian, William Harrell of Amarillo, Ed Slavin of Texola, O. T. C. Ward of Canyon City, A. J. Morton of Quanah, R. B. Pyron of Sweetwater, G. A. Salshe of Hereford. The executive committee will meet at Amarillo on April 1 to appoint inspectors for the coming year and to formulate a policy for the year's work.

The result of the combination sale of cattle was very gratifying to the men conducting it. The prices realized were better than expected. The ladies of the address tendered a reception to the visiting ladies yesterday afternoon at the elegant home of Mrs. S. P. Buxter, and a very enjoyable time was had. Last night the meeting closed with a grand ball at the courthouse.

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ROCK ISLAND ANNOUNCES CHANGE IN NUMBER OF ITS TRAINS

Reports of Sleeping Car Service and Joint Depot Arrangements Not Confirmed.

S. B. Hovey, Vice President and Superintendent, Home From Chicago. Miscellaneous Railroad News—Briefs and Personal.

The new Rock Island time card referred to in this paper Monday evening will be in effect on and after Sunday, April 5. Two changes are all that have been officially given out. With the announcement of the change in schedule also comes that of a change in the numbers of two trains. Trains on the old schedule known as Nos. 3 and 4 will on the above date be changed to Nos. 13 and 14, respectively.

No. 13 (3) will arrive at 7:15 p. m. instead of at 7:30, as at present. No. 14 (4) will, according to the changed schedule, depart for the north at 9 o'clock p. m. instead of at 8:30, as per the old card.

Changes are said to be contemplated by the Houston and Texas Central railroad so as to conform with the new schedule announced by the Rock Island.

SLEEPER AND DEPOT RUMORS

S. B. Hovey, vice president and general superintendent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas railroad, returned this morning from Chicago, where he had been in conference with other officials of the system on business relating to various plans of the road. To a representative of The Telegram he stated that the Rock Island has not made any definite arrangements for running a through sleeper from Chicago to Galveston, by way of Fort Worth over the Houston and Texas Central road from this city, and also that no arrangements have been made for Houston and Texas Central and Rock Island trains to enter the same depot at this place.

The above are included among the various rumors which have been in circulation as a result of the recent deals between the roads referred to. The time of arrival of the Houston and Texas Central train from the south will be changed to 8:45 p. m., thus giving fifteen minutes in which to transfer to the other depot for Rock Island connection.

WOULD COMPLETE TRACK FIRST

When asked regarding the company's plans as to running its trains from Fort Worth by way of Dallas, thence south, instead of south from Fort Worth over the newly acquired Houston and Texas Central route, Mr. Hovey replied that "We will first have to have a track to Dallas before we can even run trains to that city. The weather has been so unfavorable for several weeks past that all our plans have been interfered with."

EXCURSION RATES

The Chicago, Rock Island and Texas railroad has announced special rates for the following events: State Sunday school convention at Fort Worth April 14 to 17. Rates as per convention excursion circular No. 1. Sell for April 13 and 14, and for morning train April 15. Limit, April 18.

State Baptist Foreign Mission convention, Palestine April 22 to 26, one and one-third fare. Selling dates, April 21 and 22. Return limit, April 27.

For the reunion of the Mexican War Veterans at Fort Worth, June 2 and 3, a rate of one fare is announced, with a return limit of June 4.

For the State Christian Endeavor convention at Temple June 9 to 11, there will be a special rate as announced in convention excursion circular No. 1, with selling date for June 9 and for No. 11 on June 10, with a return limit on June 12.

INDORSE CONSOLIDATION

It is learned that Railroad Commissioners Storey and Colquitt have written a letter to the governor, in which they strongly indorse railway consolidations. The letter does not apply to any of the consolidation bills pending before the legislature, but it approves the idea as legislative, and that is what the people want.

DENTON BOARD PASSES SEVERAL RESOLUTIONS

DENTON, Texas, March 26.—The proposed Board of Trade of Denton met in the county courtroom at 4:30 p. m. Tuesday and went into permanent organization. The report made by C. W. Geers, chairman of the committee on resolutions and permanent organization, appointed at the previous meeting, was unanimously adopted. The resolutions and organization as adopted included all the constitutional laws of the organization and provided for the election of Dr. J. S. Bailey as president, J. P. Blount, S. F. Reynolds and M. S. Stout as vice presidents, A. G. Lee as secretary, and C. T. Ramsdell as treasurer.

The president of each of Denton's three banks, J. P. Blount of the Denton County National, S. F. Reynolds of the Exchange National, and M. S. Stout of the First National, were elected to the vice presidency of the Board of Trade. It was remarked that there wasn't another case on record where a town or city had three financial institutions, and three only, and the president of each of them held the same office in the same organization.

Several resolutions relating to the character of the work the Board of Trade will do were formulated and adopted.

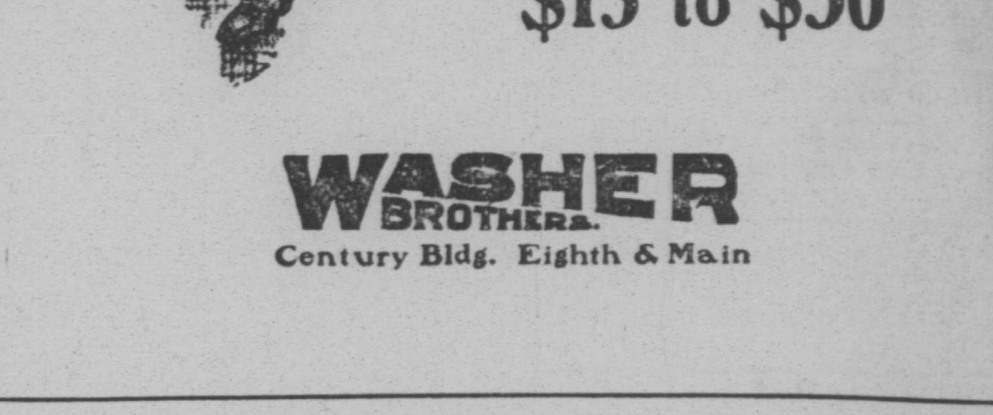
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HORSES in Big EVENT Sport NEWS and COMMENT

Following are the candidates, weights and jockeys so far as named, for the Montgomery handicap to be run at Memphis next Monday:

- W. J. Deboe (Robbins).....134
Barrack .....117
Aladdin (Coburn) .....117
Au Revolt .....95
Huntress .....103
Mc Chesney (Odum) .....129
The Lady .....117
Prince of Endurance .....95
John McGuid (Winkfield).....105
Harry New (Hoar).....107
Telamon (Fuller) .....109
Witful .....95
Favonius .....108
Whisky King .....110
Louisville (C. Kelly) .....100
Drummond (Melnery) .....96
W. B. Gates (Earl) .....98
Rightful .....95
Ordnung (Bullman) .....111
Dewey (Donnegan) .....107
Pleasant .....107
Barca .....99
Bohul .....104
Prowl .....106
Waswit .....114
Floarine .....101
Jane Holly .....95

McGOVERN-CORBETT

One week from next Tuesday night, at the Hayes Valley Athletic Club in San Francisco, will be decided the most important featherweight battle of recent years, when Terry McGovern of Brooklyn steps in the ring to try and win back the championship from Young Corbett of Denver. The men will weigh in at 127 pounds at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of the contest. The winner will receive a small fortune for his trouble. McGovern will go in the ring favorite at about odds of 100 to 50.

Kid McCoy gives evidence of a determination to try and whip someone. He has gone back to Muldoon's farm and resumed training.

A St. Louis firm is engaged in getting up a most elaborate invitation to Edward VII of England to send his stable to St. Louis in 1904 and race in the world's fair handicap for 3-year-olds and upward for a \$50,000 guaranteed purse, the race to be run at Delmar race track.

McCHESNEY WILL GO

"Wet or dry track, rain or shine, McChesney will be a starter in the Montgomery," said C. E. Durnell, trainer of the Smather's colt to a Memphis Commercial Appeal man Tuesday of this week. This was after the big chestnut had accomplished a mile in about 1:46 with Nitrate accompanying him. Durnell is giving McChesney the most careful preparations possible for the coming event.

WITFUL'S CHANCES

Claude, the hero of the California derby, and Witful, the heroine of the Crescent City classic, were the prominent derbies by candidates out for a ring Tuesday at

against 35,000 last year; oats, 91,000 bushels against 75,000 bushels last year.

KANSAS CITY—Receipts of wheat today was 56,000 bushels against 53,000 bushels a year ago; corn, 65,000 bushels against 64,000 bushels year ago; oats, 15,000 bushels against 16,000 bushels.

CHICAGO—Clearances of corn today amounted to over 1,000,000 bushels, with New York to hear from.

NEW ORLEANS—A dispatch from Washington to our exchange states that the census report on the production of cotton in 1902 is expected at noon on April 1. The department will advise if any change of date.

NEW YORK—Clearances today amounted to 4,910 bales of cotton.

NEW YORK—Sully trying to steady the market today by buying July at 70.

CHICAGO—Some of the local bears who were covering wheat around 72 cents are now putting it out again at 72 7/8 cents. The Calumet Grain Company sold July and bought May. That helped the spread to widen from 2 7/8 to 3 cents.

CHICAGO—Estimated Argentine shipments today are 2,600,000 bushels of wheat.

THE SOPHIA SOCIETY EXPRESSES THANKS

The Sophia Society, a Scandinavian ladies' organization reports that \$174.19 has been raised for the famine stricken people of North Sweden and Norway. The money has been forwarded to those countries in care of the central relief committee in Stockholm. The society wishes to extend thanks to the many who rendered kindly aid in the relief work.

Penitentiary Agent Lutner was made the victim of a clever ruse by a convict whom he had in charge at the Texas and Pacific station yesterday morning. The man was one of seven prisoners, all of whom were in chains. By pretending to be ill the man obtained release from the chains. He then jumped from the train, which was about to depart, and made his escape.

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