

Today's Market Quotations

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MARKET STEADY. NORTH FORT WORTH, May 27.—Not including transient cattle, the receipts for the local market today were about 1,000 head.

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A LITTLE EARLY RISER. Now and then, at bedtime, will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles.

with prices ranging anywhere from 1.00 to 2.00. Representative sales: No. 1, 1.50; No. 2, 1.20; No. 3, 1.00.

STOCK YARDS NOTES. The cattle market today was steady and active. Hogs steady to slow with light receipts.

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INTERESTING SESSION OF THE CITY COURT

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POPULAR CONCERT TOMORROW EVENING. Tomorrow evening beginning at 8 o'clock the second popular band concert will take place at City Park.

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CITY IN BRIEF

Tonight and Thursday, generally fair weather; cooler tonight.

Nash Hardware Co.
V. Green has returned from Dallas.
J. W. Adams & Co., Ice, Feed, Fuel and Produce, 400 W. Waterford, Phone 530.
C. H. Dunn of Houston is in the city.
Phone 1588. Panatorium, for cleaning and dyeing. Work guaranteed.
A. Eblen has gone to Mineral Wells on a visit.
Panatorium, phone 1588, cleaning and dyeing. Clothes called for and delivered.
J. A. Whitlow is visiting in Marlin, Texas.
Miss Lucile Pettigrew of Austin is visiting in the city.
J. B. Campbell left the city for Morgan this morning.
R. F. Whitlock of Rhome spent the day in the city.
The Odd Fellows will give a ball at Hermann's Park tonight.
Miss Maude Harmon is visiting in the city.
Lawyer William Capps is visiting at San Antonio for a few days.
E. Tucker who has been visiting in the city has returned to Waco.
T. J. Davis who has been visiting at Rhome has returned.
Mrs. George Bishop and children of Rhome are visiting in the city.
W. H. Whiting and family have moved to San Antonio.
Mrs. J. H. Henry, who has been very ill, is now better.
Mrs. L. H. Gray, who has been sick, is convalescing.
H. J. Mathews left for New Orleans last night.
Mrs. L. I. Rab is visiting her friends in Dallas.
Miss Corlina Brown is visiting in Dallas.
Mrs. Maude Jameson of Cleburne is visiting in Fort Worth.
Mrs. A. H. Ratton left last night for Mineral Wells.
H. L. Batton of Dallas is visiting the city.

DISASTROUS WRECKS
Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Gagg of Rochester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung disease by Reeves' Pharmacy and J. W. Fisher's Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.

ON MAY 31st the
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Railroad
Will inaugurate double daily service between Fort Worth and South Texas.
Morning train leaves Fort Worth at 7:35p.m.
Arrive Houston 8:00p.m.
Arrive Galveston 9:20p.m.
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Arrive Houston 6:30a.m.
Arrive Galveston 8:10a.m.
Incomparable service to Waco, Marlin, Austin, San Antonio, Houston, Galveston and Old Mexico.
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R. W. TIPTON, G. P. and T. A. 505 Main Street.

WILL PROCEED WITH ORIGINAL PLANS

RAILROADS TO HEED NOT DECISION OF THE COMMISSION

Latter Body Declares Rock Island Deal Contrary to the Laws of the State of Texas — Reasons Set Forth Why the "Merger" Should Not be Approved

Notwithstanding the action of the railroad commission of Texas in refusing to approve the contract entered into between the Rock Island and Northern Railway Company, and the several lines which it was the intention of that road to merge into the great system, it has been announced that the railroad companies interested will proceed according to their original plans, and let the courts determine whether their actions have been illegal.

In presenting the contracts between the parties above named before the railroad commission, R. S. Lovett, president of the Houston and Texas Central Railroad Company, attorney for the Galveston, Houston and Northern Railway Company, and for the Texas and New Orleans Railway Company and the Houston East and West Texas Railway Company, represented the parties named and Robert Mather, vice president and general counsel, and M. A. Low and N. H. Lassiter, general attorneys for the Rock Island interests, appeared for the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf Railroad Company, the other party to said contracts.

STATEMENTS OF ATTORNEYS
The scope and effect of the contract on which the approval of the commission was sought is given in the following synopsis of the statements of the attorneys at law: The right to run Rock Island trains over the Houston and Texas Central, Houston East and West Texas, and the Dallas-Sabine line of the Texas and New Orleans. Also giving to the Houston and Texas Central the right to run its trains over the Galveston, Houston and Northern road from Houston to Galveston, and also the right to the Houston and Texas Central Railroad to run its trains of empty cars between Houston and Beaumont over the tracks of the Texas and New Orleans.

The Rock Island has acquired through purchase one-half of the capital stock of the Houston East and West Texas railroad and one-half the capital stock of the Dallas-Sabine line of the Texas and New Orleans, the arrangements with the latter being that whenever legislative authority can be obtained to that end the Texas and New Orleans will combine to a separate corporation, to be organized for that purpose, its Dallas-Sabine line, and that then the Rock Island will be given one-half the capital stock of that corporation; so that when that is accomplished the Rock Island will own one-half of the capital stock of the three lines of railroad, the Houston and Texas Central, the Houston East and West Texas, and the Dallas-Sabine line.

SEEKING CLOSE ALLIANCE
The reasons for the acquisitions by the Rock Island people of the capital stock of these companies is that what is known as the Rock Island system, which is seeking, through these arrangements, a friendly and close alliance with the Texas roads which will furnish it access to two Gulf ports of the state of Texas, is essentially a north and south line. While it has important east and west lines, the development of the country, with which the Rock Island tries to keep pace, is toward the movement of traffic from the north to the south, and includes the products of practically the entire Mississippi valley, from

LONG TIME
To Get Over Hurt of Coffee
It sometimes takes a long period to get over the effects of coffee drinking. A little woman in Wadesboro, N. C., says: "I was a coffee drinker and a sufferer from dyspepsia, stomach trouble, nervousness and the train of disorders that follow."
"On the advice of an eminent physician I cut off my coffee allowance to one cup a day at breakfast. That helped me a little, but I gradually got worse, and finally became ill, badly run down, and so depressed in mind that I did not care how the scales turned."
"At this time I was induced to leave off coffee altogether and take Postum Food Coffee. That was in September. I had also a dish of Grape-Nuts for breakfast. I practically lived on Postum Food Coffee and Grape-Nuts for some time. In November I had made considerable improvement and knew that at last I was on the road to health. At Christmas time I felt well enough to go through that glorious feast with comfort and happiness. In January I was much improved over the previous month, and had gained very considerable in flesh, how many pounds I don't know. My strength and color were much improved. My appetite and digestion in every way good. I ate what I pleased and with much enjoyment."
"About that time a clergyman friend visited us and on Sunday morning when he was going to preach I had a strong cup of coffee made for him, because he was in a run-down, nervous condition and said that he needed the stimulant. Well, that was a sad day for me. I thought I was well enough to drink a cup of coffee with him and did so. It was strong, but did not taste right. I was interested in his conversation and found that I was adding, from time to time, more cream and sugar, for some way I realized the beverage did not taste as it should, then I remembered it was coffee and not Postum. I like Postum better than I do coffee."
"That day the old symptoms of stomach trouble came on, and while it seems almost impossible, it is nevertheless true, that I never got it back again to my state of health for about two months. The coffee acted as an active poison that went all through my system. However, I have recovered by leaving it off entirely and using Postum and now that I am well, happy and contented, you could not get me to take a cup of coffee, no not for a king's ransom. I believe I am one of the kind that know when I have had enough." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

PLAN CELEBRATING EMANCIPATION DAY
Colored citizens of Tarrant county have not yet decided how June 19, (Emancipation Day) will be celebrated, but a meeting will be held in this city Thursday evening at Johnson's ice cream parlor for the purpose of deciding where the celebration will be held and making other preliminary arrangements. Jeff Dargatz, Josh Piles and George Johnson are among those prominently interested in the movement for the celebration and they will probably present some plan at the meeting Thursday night.

UNUSUALLY INTELLIGENT CHICKS
A good story is told of a man who resides in the lower section of the city a few years ago that had the reputation of being a continual mover—in fact, for him to change his residence one or three times in a month was a common thing. He also took great pleasure in raising chickens, so that every time he moved it necessitated the catching of the chickens, laying them down and tying their legs together. "In the course of a year or two," said one of the man's neighbors, "the chickens got so used to having their legs tied that every time they would see a furniture wagon coming into the street they would lay down on their backs and get their legs tied, thinking it was another case of move."

NOT SATISFIED WITH THEIR LITTLE RAISE
DALLAS, Texas, May 27.—The Dallas police force do not feel at all complimented by the action of the city council in increasing the salaries of members of the force \$7.50 a month. The men were getting \$60 per month and asked for an increase of \$15. The council made "two bites of a cherry" and the policemen and their friends contend that the council could have found some way to place the salaries of policemen at a minimum of \$75 per month without violating any pressing rule or necessity of economy.

MALARIA
An Invisible Enemy to Health.

Malaria is an invisible atmospheric poison. The air becomes infected with the gases and microbes arising from the marshes and low lands, damp cellars, sewer pipes, badly ventilated houses and decaying vegetable matter, and we unconsciously inhale them into the lungs, when they are taken up by the blood and circulated throughout the system.

Malaria gives no warning of its coming; no immediate effects are seen, and no violent symptoms appear until the unfortunate sufferer is completely at the mercy of this hidden foe. This invisible enemy may be following us night and day, but often the first intimation we have of its presence is a chilly, creepy sensation running over the body, sometimes followed by a slight fever, and an always tired, drowsy and depressed feeling. The blood soon becomes deeply poisoned, thinned and weakened by the teeming millions of microbes and germs, and an irregular, slow circulation is the result. This condition of the blood gives rise to innumerable and serious troubles: torpid liver, enlargement of the spleen, loss of appetite and feeble digestion, a pallid or yellow skin, boils, carbuncles, abscesses, indolent ulcers, and pustular and scabby skin eruptions of various kinds, are common symptoms of malaria. Frequently the health becomes so impaired, and such a lifeless condition ensues that the person loses interest in his surroundings and faith in all human remedies. Malaria, if allowed to remain in the system, lays the foundation for other diseases that very often prove fatal or permanently wreck the health.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 26th, 1902.
For several years I suffered with Chills and Fever, caused by Malaria in my system, and each summer for several years I would relapse. Finally my physician prescribed S. S. S. In all, I took three bottles, and they entirely cured me, and I have never been troubled since. I am sure no other medicine could have given me so complete and immediate relief, and I cannot speak too highly of S. S. S. My partner in business is now taking S. S. S. for an eruption of the skin and general run down condition of his system, and though he has taken but one bottle, already commences to feel better.
93 West Market St. I. SHAPOFF.




Malaria can only be worked out of the system through the blood, and a remedy that can destroy the germs and microbes and neutralize the bad effects of the poison offers the only hope of a cure, and the only medicine that can accomplish this is S. S. S., which not only purges the blood of all morbid, unhealthy matter, but keeps it pure and healthy. It searches out and destroys every trace of Malarial poison, and keeps the blood in such a vigorous condition that poisonous matters of no kind are allowed to accumulate, but are promptly expelled from the system.

During the spring is an opportune time to begin the fight against this invisible enemy, for the hot, sultry summer days will cause the germs to multiply and still further impoverish the blood and weaken the constitution, and now more than ever the Malaria sufferer needs a good blood purifier and bracing tonic. A course of S. S. S. at this particular season will relieve you of Malaria and its attendant evils, reinforce and build up the system, purify and strengthen the sluggish blood and quicken the circulation, when the appetite and digestion improve and all the vital powers rapidly recuperate under the invigorating tonic influence of this great vegetable remedy. Its freedom from all minerals makes it the ideal remedy in all Malarial troubles and perfectly adapted to the most delicate constitutions.

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of interest between the Rock Island system and the Southern Pacific company so far as affects their operation and business in Texas, and precludes competition between them, which, by reason of the area traversed by each and the traffic each is able to influence, might, if not bound by this community of interest, produce desired competition. The Rock Island, with its lines reaching all the great lake and upper Mississippi river section of the country, could bring the products of those sections into Texas in competition with the steamship lines and connections of the Southern Pacific company at New Orleans and Galveston. This would make the Rock Island a potent factor, with a line of its own to Galveston, in reducing rates to the great north and central portion of the state. With the Houston & Texas Central having no connection with the Rock Island, but operating in competition with it, with its Houston and Galveston connections, would produce a rivalry that would secure reduction in rates to all sections of the state reached by the lines of either system, and would tend to establish other steamship lines out of Galveston to bring in and carry out commerce produced and consumed in Texas, all of which would be beneficial to the state and greatly aid in its development. But we do not see anything but a low minimum of public benefit to grow out of the proposed agreements, which, if considered in their full import, simply mean the parting with full control over certain of its Texas lines by the Southern Pacific company to avoid the formidable competition of a new railway from Dallas to Galveston, and the establishment between these two companies, through these contracts, of a community of interest which will prevent such construction and destroy the prospect of sharp competition.

EXILES LEAVE HOMES
CONSTANTINOPLE, May 27.—Forty-seven Albanian chiefs who have been exiled to Asia Minor passed through the Bosphorus Monday evening on board of a transport bound for the Black sea port.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?
Every day this question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try
Jell-O,
a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10 cts.

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THE IMPOSITIONS OF PRESUMING PERSONS

When the tired city man wearily bends his steps homeward at twilight comes stealing up out of the east, he usually thinks that he has more to contend with than has the ordinary man; he looks back over the day's happenings and thinks that surely no other man in the city has encountered so many distressing and irritating things.

For instance there is the man who takes up his watch in the office at the Central Fire hall in order that he may be at hand to answer telephone calls. It is necessary to have a man on watch for this purpose because fire alarms frequently are sent in over the phone. But the telephone bell rings fifty times on matters of trivial nature where it rings once to notify the department of a fire.

Some time ago the telephone calls on matters of minor importance became so frequent at Central Fire hall that Chief Maddox issued a request to the public to cease calling his phone except on matters of urgency.

AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS But if the fire hall is considered an information headquarters, the city police station is apparently considered

the very fountain and main spring of knowledge. Detective Tom George who for the present is on duty at police headquarters at night, this morning related a budget of instances of the last two nights which go to show how the police are imposed upon by the nervous or presuming citizen of the city.

"On Monday night about 10 o'clock I received a call from a house on West First street," said Officer George. "I got there as quickly as possible. Two ladies reside at the house from which the call came. They had been followed until near their home by two men, they thought, and were highly excited. The men did not speak to them and they could not identify them. How on earth they expected an officer to go out in this big city and find the two offenders, is more than I can guess.

"On Tuesday night I was summoned to a house on the South Side which is occupied by a widow. One of her roomers was missing and she wished me to scour the neighborhood for it.

ANOTHER ONE "Later on I received a call from a house on Railroad avenue. It was after 9 o'clock. It seems that a lady earlier in the week rented a room in a house occupied by a man and his wife. Last night she returned to the house about 9 o'clock. In order to get to her room she must enter by the front door and pass through the sleeping apartment of the man and his wife, or else enter through a rear door, through the kitchen and thence into her own room. The woman showed up about 9 o'clock and was afraid to go around by the rear of the house to enter by means of the kitchen door and the man would not let her in through the front door. Therefore she went to a nearby store and telephoned to police headquarters. I escorted her around to the rear door of her home.

"These are only instances of this week. Queer calls are coming in every night. The worst of it is that sometimes when the station officers are out on some of these trivial calls an important one requiring quick handling will come in and there will be no officer at the station to respond to it."

A board of appraisers at Taylor, Texas, has fixed the value of the waterworks there at \$75,000. The city council will probably purchase the plant. The school board of Bonham has adopted plans for a new school building to cost \$22,000.

Sturford Martin, a negro, aged 17 years, was run over by a switch engine while working in the west Denison yards yesterday and died within a half hour.

THE GOAT AND THE PLUG Three colored men were discussing the intelligence of different animals. One claimed that the dog knew more than all other animals put together. The horse was favored by a second man, but old Peter Jackson said that, "In my opinion, de goat am de 'telligentest critter livin'." I kin prove dat de goat kin read. I saw him do it, an' I know it am true. Several days ago, I wuz walkin' down street, dressed in mah best suit ob clothes, an' wearin' mah new plug hat. When I got down on de main street I seed a bilboob ob, on which it said, 'Chevy Jackson's Plug.' A goat wuz standin' thar when I passed an' when I wuz about ten feet away he must hab recognized me, for de next thing I knew I went sailin' out in de mud. When I looked 'round, dat goat wuz chewin' mah plug hat for all he wuz worth. Gem'men, da is no question in mah mind about de 'telligence ob de goat. He am a wondah'."

TWO GOOD HIGHLANDERS During the Crimean war a Scotch officer was appointed to command a regiment recruited in Glasgow, Scotland, and being a Highlander, took a vote of the regiment to determine whether the men favored the adoption of the Highland costume. In due time the regimental orderly appeared before the colonel with the result of the vote. "Well, orderly," said he, "how many of the men favored the adoption of the Highland plaids?" "Only two, sir."

"Only two?" "Well I am glad that I have at least two good Highlanders in my regiment. Who are they?" "Corporal Flaherty and Private Mulligan, sir."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS J. S. Boyd et ux to W. H. Greene, 4 1/2-100 acres, A. McLemore survey, \$90. K. M. Van Zandt to B. J. Turner, Lot 11, block D, Rock Island addition, \$60. Sam Rosen to Joseph Cassa, lots 4, 5 and 6, block 22; lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 53, and lots 6, 7 and 8, block 27, Rosen Heights addition to North Fort Worth, \$2,900. J. N. Winters et ux to Fred R. Erlman, lots 7 and 8, block 4, L. T. Knight's subdivision, \$600. J. W. Garrett et ux to R. B. Grammer, part block 22, Tucker's addition, \$1,100. Allen Goss to M. Goss, 4 acres, A. McLemore survey, \$100. Charles Forrester to Allen Goss, 4 acres, A. McLemore survey, \$115.

BRAIN-FOOD NONSENSE Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles and still another for bones. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses aids digestion, stimulates the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get this reliable remedy at W. L. Smallwood's and Martin, Smallwood & Walkup's Price 25c and 75c.

THE SPECIAL EDITION

Last Sunday's special edition of the Fort Worth Telegram, seventy-two pages, was one of the best ever issued in Texas as well as the largest single issue of any yet to appear. We congratulate the publishers on their enterprise.—Clarendon Chronicle.

The leaps and bounds with which The Fort Worth Telegram has attained to the front rank with the metropolitan southern dailies is a marvelous exhibition of modern newspaper enterprise. Neither Hearst nor Pulitzer, newspaper wizards though they be, could have surpassed the present Telegram management in guiding the paper to popularity and greatness. Last Sunday The Telegram issued a seventy-two-page edition, an achievement unequalled in the history of Texas journalism.—Channing Courier.

The Mail has received a copy of the Fort Worth Telegram, published by C. D. Reimers, former tri-city newspaper man. It is a special edition of seventy-two pages, exploiting the city. The paper shows marks of enterprise which have always characterized its publisher and The Telegram ought to be a pride to the people of that city.—Moline (Ill.) Mail.

UNITED MODERNS, ATTENTION A force of organizers in the interest of the Order of United Moderns, is in the city and every member of the order in Fort Worth is requested to attend the meeting tonight at the hall, Third and Main streets.

BRIEF TEXAS NEWS Ten thousand dollars worth of improvements will be made on the electric light and waterwork plant of Georgetown. Will Chapman is dead, George Prince fatally wounded and Lin Hanks and his wife are seriously hurt as the result of a shooting scrape near Aradiah, Shelby county.

A stock company capitalized at \$10,000 has been formed at Santa Anna and a four mill with a capacity of seventy-five barrels per day will be built. Senator Bailey has purchased A. J. Chapman's farm near Gainesville. It contained 140 acres and the price is said to have been \$5,000.

A crowd of practical jokers gave a mixture of alcohol, whiskey and tobacco to an old man known as Dr. Jackson at Yokum, Texas, and as the result their victim died from acute alcoholic poisoning.

THE WASTES OF THE BODY "Every seven days the blood, muscles and bones of a man of average size lose two pounds of worn-out tissue. This waste cannot be kept up without perfect health and strength kept up without perfect digestion. When the stomach and digestive organs fail to perform their functions the strength lets down, health gives way and disease sets in. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that rebuilds the tissues and protects the health and strength of the mind and body. Kodol cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia and all Stomach troubles. It is an ideal spring tonic. Sold by all druggists.

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- FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Fort Worth, Texas. Capital, \$300,000. Surplus and undivided profits, \$285,000. M. B. Loyd, pres.; W. E. Connell, cash.; D. C. Bennett, vice-pres.; T. W. Slack, asst. cashier. Directors—M. B. Loyd, D. C. Bennett, W. E. Connell, Geo. Jackson, Zane Cott, S. B. Burnett, R. K. Wyllie, R. B. Masterson, J. L. Johnson, G. T. Reynolds, W. T. Waggoner, G. H. Connell, John Scharbauer.
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- W. B. SCRIMSHIRE, CHAMPION BINDERS AND MOWER TWINE. BINDERS AND MOWERS at reduced prices. Give us a call. 212 West Second Street.
- BE CAREFUL WHAT YOU DRINK. Look for our name on the SODA WATER BOTTLE. McDANIEL BROS., Phone 68.
- THE DANNER SECTIONAL BOOK CASE AND REVOLVING BOOK CASE. For Sale by TEXAS PRINTING CO., Ninth and Rusk Streets. FORT WORTH, TEXAS.
- The most of the best people and the best of the most people have their moving done by the DARRAH STORAGE COMPANY, 1601 Houston St. Phone 65.
- PRICES TALK Who makes the prices on Hardware in Fort Worth? That's easy, MICKLE-BURGHER HDW. CO. Of Course.
- ANCHOR MILLS B BEST FLOUR THE BEST FLOUR. W. L. Foster Sam Bucklew, W. L. Ligon, FOSTER & BUCKLEW INSURANCE AGENCY. FIRE, TORNADO, LIABILITY, ACCIDENT, LIFE, HEALTH. 610 Main Street, upstairs. Phone 446. Fort Worth, Texas.
- TEXAS & PACIFIC RESTAURANT SECOND FLOOR T. & P. DEPOT LANER BROS. The only Restaurant in the city prepared for and catering to select trade exclusively.
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- WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR GARDEN HOSE T. M. BROWN & CO., Phone 237. Front and Calhoun.
- ICE WE MANUFACTURE AND DELIVER. PHONE 383. Best Service in the City. Southern Cold Storage & Produce Co.
- McCormick Binders, Mowers, Rakes and Twine, BEST ON EARTH SOLD BY TEXAS I. & T. CO. 209-215 W. FIRST ST.
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- Only House Making a Specialty of WINES AND BEERS FOR TABLE, FAMILY AND MEDICINAL USE. FREE DELIVERY KENTUCKY LIQUOR HOUSE. First and Houston Sts. Phone 616.
- ICE PURE CRYSTAL ICE Made from Distilled Artesian Water. Gentlemenly drivers will wait upon our trade. Your business Solicited. SANDIDGE ICE CO. Phone 1951.
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Santa Fe Colorado Flyer ON THE SANTA FE Commencing June 3 PULLMAN SLEEPERS FROM FORT WORTH... 7:15 a.m. GAINESVILLE... 9:50 a.m. TO Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver Next Day Noon. LOW EXCURSION RATES, LIMIT OCT. 31. Note—Pullman Sleeper Gainesville and Fort Worth to Houston and Galveston. W. S. KEENAN, Gen. Pass. Agent, Galveston, Texas.

Forty Centuries look down upon a perfected mode of travel. The KATY FLYER

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Are the Prices in Our

Drop Pattern Sale of Carpets!

This doesn't mean an old stock sale, but a sale of carpets that the patterns are made no longer.

Special

Remnant sale of Lace Curtains and Matting.

We have many new pieces which will be sold at such low prices and you will be surprised to see the many beautiful bargains we are offering.

Come and See Us.

Foot Main FAKES & CO. Foot Main

SAVES LIVES OF ALL WITH HIS REVOLVER

NEW YORK, May 27.—By drawing a revolver and threatening to kill any man who dared to open the doors of a compartment in which a gang of men were working in the northern tube of the North river tunnel, Superintendent Brady has saved his own life and the lives of four other men in the compartment and prevented the flooding of the tunnel.

The opening of the doors would have permitted the compressed air in the compartment (thirty-eight pounds to the square inch) to escape and the brags would have instantly enlarged and the water flooded the compartment, drowning all hands. Calling upon one of the more experienced workmen, Brady instructed him to telephone to the Jersey City terminal for more air pressure and to send him a cartload of sawdust bags. He had the Italians thoroughly cowed and when the bags arrived, under the persuasive influence of the drawn revolver, the Italians pushed the bags into the hole and then put a jack underneath to hold them in place.

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If you would have the happiness of health, with the elastic step and clear bright skin, set your digestive organs and liver right by using

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Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

The saving of a few cents on a bottle of Vanilla Extract will not atone for the annoyance of having dessert that is "just a little off" in flavor. Always buy Burnett's.

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CLOTHING!

If you want to keep cool, come and let us fit you up in a good summer time suit, at a price no other clothier can fit you up for. Good Homespun Suits, regular \$8.50 value for \$5.00. Nice Worsted Coat and Pants, fine color and good fitting garments, \$4.50. Others get \$7.50 for same goods.



Pants

We can fit from the smallest to the largest. Just received a large shipment of Boy's Knee Pants, pure Worsteds, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Men's Pants \$1.00 to \$5.00. A saving of 25 per cent to the purchaser.

Shoes

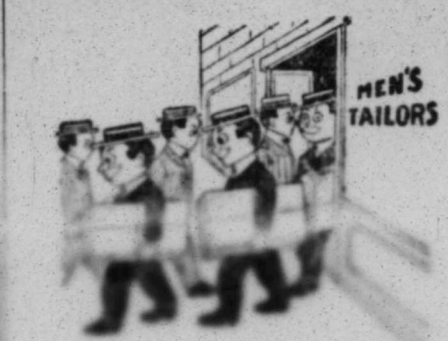
We have some of the sample shoes left. If you have not a pair of these shoes you had better come at once and get a pair. Ladies' regular \$1.75 and \$2.00 shoes for \$1.00.

Men's nice vic kid, patent colt, vic patent regular \$4.50 and \$5.00 values for \$2.50

Specials on Latens

10 yards for 75c 10 yards for 25c
10 yards for 45c 12 spools Clark's thread 30c
10 yards for 35c Special sale on Ladies Muslin Underwear.

We are yours for business, Knight Dry Goods Co., 311-313 Houston Street



There is not to be any more of the kind of... SKINNER & CO., Men's Tailors, 715 Main Street.

Known, who accounted for 1893. These were light thrown down, with 280, probably started for 'going to sleep at an inopportune time'.

Some of them are none the less curriers on that account. 'Lights thrown from the street' gave rise to no fewer than 64 fires during the year. 'Gas-fitters at work' and 'plumbers at work' each caused 8. Five had their origin in the accidental slaking of quicklime by rain. 'Smoking tobacco,' which is credited with 13, is a manifest libel on the soothing weed, and probably stands for 'going to sleep at an inopportune time'.

HAVE YOUR SUITS CLEANED BY GASTON BROS., 306 Houston Street.

THE COURTESY OF EMPEROR WILLIAM

The Emperor William has won golden opinions from all classes in Rome by a simple act of courtesy, which shows that he knows his Rome well. Italians, and especially Romans, have a kind of cult for Queen Margherita. Her beauty, her misfortunes and now her simple life as queen dowager have made her sacred to them. The Kaiser, to show his appreciation of her qualities and his respect for the widow of his firm friend, Humbert, went personally in state, escorted by cuirassiers, and left his card on all her ladies in waiting. Many are known to him, others are not, but the cards were left without distinction.

No sovereign going to Rome has ever done such a thing, and it has produced quite a sensation. The ladies are the Princess Venosa, a Tuscan, who has made herself known by her love for flowers, her house being always a lower, Princess Doria, who is a sister of the Duke of Newcastle; Princess Sonnino, who exercises a fascination on every one who approaches her, and the Duchess of Sermoneta, who is also an Englishwoman, nee Wilbraham. Queen Helena's ladies are said to be rather jealous of the distinction conferred upon those of Queen Margherita, as there is a species of rivalry between the two groups, which their mistresses have not been able to disguise.

FAMILY LIQUORS Beer, wine, whisky, etc., at wholesale prices. Free delivery in the city. Picnic baskets sold or rented. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back. Telephone No. 242. H. BRANN & CO., 108-110 Main Street.

IOWA PROHIBITIONISTS MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa, May 27.—The prohibitionists of Iowa are gathered here for a two days' convention at which a full state ticket to be voted for this fall will be named. During the last two years the party in Iowa has not grown in strength and influence in accordance with the promise of former years, and the convention will lay plans for pursuing a vigorous campaign throughout the state this summer. The name of Capt. K. W. Brown, of Ames, is prominently mentioned in connection with the gubernatorial nomination.

TO ATTEND SON'S WEDDING LONDON, May 27.—Mr. Choate, the American ambassador, sails for home today to attend the wedding of his son, Joseph H. Choate, Jr., to Miss Cora Oliver, which is to take place at Albany, June 5.

1697 is the Number of Thos. Winton's undertaking parlors at 1108 Main Street. Open day and night. It is said that our patent laws have done more to develop the industrial arts than even protective tariffs.

Dr. Lyon's PERFECT Tooth Powder Used by people of refinement for over a quarter of a century. PREPARED BY J. H. Lyon, D.D.S.

LUCID'S PITCHING FOOLED PANTHERS

GET TWO HITS OFF THEIR EASY WHILE CAPTAIN

Lucid pitched a fine game. He held the Panthers down to six hits—but he was up against a man who is a phenomenal pitcher when he is right. Paris and Dallas indulged in a batting practice. Paris winning by a score of 16 to 14.

Table with columns: Games, Won, Lost, Per cent. Rows for American League: Detroit, Chicago, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Boston, St. Louis, New York, Washington.

Table with columns: Games, Won, Lost, Per cent. Rows for National League: New York, Chicago, Pittsburg, Brooklyn, Cincinnati, St. Louis.

Table with columns: Games, Won, Lost, Per cent. Rows for Southern League: Montgomery, Birmingham, Little Rock, Nashville, Shreveport.

Table with columns: Games, Won, Lost, Per cent. Rows for Texas League: Corsicana, Paris.

COLLEGE BASE BALL GAME WAXAHACHIE, Texas, May 27.—The last of a series of two games of base ball was played here this afternoon between the Trinity university team of Waxahachie and the Add-Ran team of Waxahachie. The game was hotly contested and was won by Trinity. The score stood, Trinity 1; Add-Ran 0. These two games were played to decide the intercollegiate championship of the state. Add-Ran having won from Trinity yesterday leaves her champion by one game.

KEEN RUSH TO GET MILEAGE BOOK STAMP

C. LeRoy Scott, who is said to be a member of an excellent southern Texas family, was arrested last night, charged with a peculiar offense. It is said that he walked into the city ticket office of the International and Great Northern railroad yesterday and told the agent that he was at work on a stamping device. He wanted permission to test the stamp of the International and Great Northern on one of his cars for use as a form. This was readily granted. He then produced a card, stamped it and tossed it over to the agent. While the agent was looking at the card, it is claimed Scott produced a new International and Great Northern mileage book good for 1,000 miles and stamped it. He then took the card and departed, expressing his thanks as he left. It is reported that a number of new, unstamped International and Great Northern mileage books have been stolen. It is charged that he ordered the mileage book for sale at a local ticket scalper's for \$5, which was so cheap that the scalper's suspicions were aroused and he declined to buy. Later in the day Scott, it is charged, sold the ticket in Dallas for \$14.50. Detective Potts last night arrested a man who gives the name of W. Hamilton, who is wanted at Little Rock for grand larceny. An officer is en route from that city to take Hamilton back. Officer Turner this morning arrested Charles Miller, an aged painter, who is charged with theft.

Good Business



Yesterday was a busy day in our Shoe Section. We are having a great run on the MONARCH, the greatest \$3.50 Shoe in town. At this season of the year the Oxford is most in demand. Drop in and see the wide range of styles. Other grades range from \$2.00 up to \$6.00.

All Elks who want uniforms for the Wash meeting, June 22, are requested to leave their orders this week. WASHERS Century Building, Eighth and Main. GREATEST CLOTHING STORE IN TEXAS.

The Arcade



To supply all your wants in Summer Goods. Our profits are made by the large quantity we sell, not the large profits, and our patrons always get good quality of goods; for an opening for our new STORE WE WILL PUT ON SALE, a 15c Black Hose for .10c 1 dozen Jelly Glasses 35c

- 1 dozen Jelly Glasses .40c
1 Ice Cream Freezer, 2 quart .165
Water Cooler, 2 gallon .22.00

THE ARCADE, 1204-1206 MAIN STREET, LEE HAGOOD, Prop.

SHOES!

Tomorrow, Thursday May 28, 8:30 a. m. We will commence a Shoe Sale for Ladies at 711 Houston street and for Men at 1211 Main street. It will pay you to wait, as we have just closed a deal for several hundred dozen pair of Shoes at 35c on the dollar. Watch tomorrow's papers for prices.

ABE M. MEHL, The Bargainist of the City. 1211 Main St. and 711 Houston St.

NORTH SIDE CITY COUNCIL MEETING

FIRE PROTECTION THE FIRST PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED Action Taken in This Regard—J. M. Hall Appointed City Engineer—J. E. Fridge Reappointed—Board of Equalization Named—Other Action Taken.

recent fire, and the immediate purchase of a chemical engine, as soon as the price of one can be ascertained, was determined upon. The fire committee was instructed to obtain the desired information as to the price of a chemical engine and to be ready to report, if possible, at a special meeting tonight. The city marshal, R. D. Howell, was granted an extension of time of 30 days in which to complete the tax rolls. A board of equalization was appointed, as follows: Ireland Hampton, J. W. Moore and A. G. Capps. J. M. Hall was appointed city engineer. J. E. Fridge was reappointed assistant city marshal. If the fire committee is able to complete its report by tonight a special meeting of the council will be held.

CONCERT AT LONGVIEW LONGVIEW, Texas, May 27.—Last night Miss Katharine Fitzgerald, music teacher in the public schools here, gave an entertainment consisting of music by her scholars, assisted by local talent, and a young lady from Marshall, Miss Hallie Crockett of this place also sang in the concert and was well received. The water works problem was discussed at considerable length, in view of the

Entaw Council, No. 13, D. of P. will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.



NOT A SICK DAY SINCE 'I was taken severely, sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility. This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50c at W. J. Fisher's Drug Store and Beaver Pharmacy.