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FORT WORTH TELEGRAM

THE WEATHER
Tonight, probably showers and cooler.

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FORT WORTH, TEXAS, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1903.

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THURBER STRIKE IS STILL QUIET

Remarkable Feature Is the Almost Entire Absence of Demonstration by the Striking Miners

MARRIED MEN HAVE NOT YET STARTED

Those of the Miners Who Have Families Will Probably Wait Until the Last Before Leaving the Camp—Everything Quiet and the Mines

He said that before the miners could ever return to work under any other terms than unconditional surrender he would let the grass grow over Thurber.
Now we have an organization 400,000 strong and we have \$2,000,000. We expect to remove 500 of the strikers tomorrow to mines in Indian Territory and Arkansas, where they can make more than they can make at Thurber, and on Thursday we shall remove the remainder, unless the trouble is settled before that date.

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LOCAL UNIONS HEAR MR. WARDJON ON THE STRIKE

There was a large crowd at Labor Temple yesterday afternoon to hear W. M. Wardjon, national organizer of the United Mine Workers, and Peter Hanratty, district president of district No. 11.

WHY THEY CAME

C. W. Woodman, editor of the Union Banner, presided and introduced Mr. Wardjon. The latter said that when National President John Mitchell and District President Hanratty conferred and decided to send him to the Thurber fields to organize the miners none knew what conditions would be found. They decided the field should be looked into, and he proceeded to discuss matters with the men.

ANOTHER PLOT FOUND

Servian Officers Are Placed Under Arrest in Consequence
LONDON, Sept. 14.—A dispatch from the Bulgarian frontier reports another Servian military plot has been discovered at Kracuyevts, 59 miles from Belgrade. Several more officers have been arrested.

FIFTY ARE HURT BY RUNAWAY HORSE

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—At least fifty persons have been injured, one fatally, by a horse that was broken to harness in Brooklyn. Women and children fled in terror, but some were not quick enough to escape the hoofs of the animal.

WHITNEY SAYS HE WILL QUIT

Racing Man Has Enough of English Triumphs and Is Now Through

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Wm. C. Whitney will retire from the English turf this season, he announced today, and hereafter devote his attention to local tracks. At Sheepshead today, the confirmed triathlete cabled from England to give notice of his retirement.

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THE STORM IS COMING WEST

Disastrous Hurricane Which Visited Florida Is Now in the States of Alabama and Mississippi
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 14.—No wires are working south of Jacksonville this morning and details of the hurricane which swept over the southern part of the state Saturday are incomplete.

NEW MANAGER FOR ELECTRIC LINES

Important Change Will Take Place in Dallas the First of October
DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 14.—Manager J. P. Clark of the Dallas street railways and other electric properties, all owned by a Boston syndicate and capitalized at \$13,000,000, today authorized the announcement that on Oct. 1 he will be succeeded by M. M. Phinney of Boston.

LOSS OVER A MILLION.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 14.—The loss in the city of Tampa, which is now placed at one million dollars, may reach a still higher figure when full information is received. Many buildings in Tampa are damaged and in some instances the work has been suspended in factories and mills.

G. E. HASKETT IN CITY

Editor of the Childless Index Talks of Conditions in That Section.
L. E. Haskett, editor of the Childless Index is in the city looking over the growth of the big metropolis of north Texas. Mr. Haskett reports the people of the city as being very much pleased over the placing on the market of the 78,000 acres of land, known as the Waco and Northwestern grant.

STEAMER DRIVEN ASHORE.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Sept. 14.—The United Fruit Company's steamer, the Wilton, which arrived this afternoon reports having been driven ashore off the Island La Concepcion in the Bahamas Thursday afternoon by a hurricane.

HURRICANE IN BAHAMAS.

NASSAU, Bahamas Islands, Sept. 11.—The storm which began Wednesday night has just ended. Great damage was done to vegetation and farm crops while all fruit crops are ruined. Many houses were damaged but no loss of life is reported.

NEW POINT IS RAISED

Question Whether Wife Can Sue After Husband Has Signed Release
HILLSBORO, Tex., Sept. 14.—Has a husband the right or power to sign away his wife's right to sue for injuries to himself, which result or may result in his death? This question goes up to the court of civil appeals from here in the case of Mrs. Jane Blount vs. the Santa Fe railroad company.

CHIEF OF POLICE FIRED

Governor General Assesses Direct Supervision in Magellan Case
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 14.—The navy department has posted the following from Admiral Cotton: "The governor general has personal supervision in the vice consul's case. The late chief of police has been deposed. Twenty-eight persons, including the principals in the disturbances of last Sunday, have been arrested and Beirut is quiet."

TWO SURRENDER SELVES

Men For Whom Bench Warrants Were Issued Give Themselves Up.
NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—James McGehean and George Huntington of Columbia Supply company, who were indicted in Washington in connection with the postal scandals, surrendered themselves to United States Marshal Henckel of this city today. Bench warrants were issued for them last week at the time of the arraignment of George Beavers on the Washington indictment.

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THE PRICE IS THE THING

207-9-11 Houston and 208-10 Main

School Opens Wednesday...

We are going to offer you some Special Bargains in School Suits, Shoes, Tablets, Pencils, etc., for tomorrow.

School Suits

Suits for boys, in ages 6 to 16, the regular \$3.00 lines, in a figured worsted, a few patterns in fancy chevrot; special, Tuesday **\$2 25**
Boys' Suits, ages 6 to 16, brown check all wool worsteds, fancy chevrot, etc., regular \$2.00 lines; as a Tuesday bargain, we offer them at **\$1 50**
Gray Mixed Chevrot. Fancy Worsteds, etc., worth in any store in the land \$2.50 a suit; these will be on special sale tomorrow, at only **\$2 00**
Boys' Fine Grade Fancy Worsteds Suits, all sizes up to age 16, every suit guaranteed strictly all wool, values in this lot, \$5.00; special **\$3 50**

School Shoes

Boys' School Shoes, very best makes in America. Every pair we sell are guaranteed to give satisfaction, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, per pair **\$1 50**
Youths' School Shoes, in sizes 11 1/2 to 2—the same grade of leather as those mentioned above, mannish styles, new fall shapes, per pair **\$1 35**
School Shoes for girls, in sizes 11 1/2 to 2—the fine Kid Shoes that have extension soles and that are guaranteed solid throughout, per pair **\$1 50**
Other styles and kinds of Misses' School Shoes, in a quality that we sell under a guarantee, will be found here at prices of **\$1.25** and **\$1 00**

Special Sale Tablets

Pen and Ink Tablets, the regular 10c size, best quality paper; tomorrow **5c**
Pencil Tablets, very best quality of pencil paper, large and medium size, extra thick, each **5c**
Small Pencil Tablets, usually sold at 2 1/2c; special sale price, five for **5c**
Best Lead Pencils, all colors and best finished tips, two for **5c**
Plain Cedar Lead Pencils with rubber tips, 10c a dozen, or six for **5c**
Composition Books, the usual 10c size; sale price for these **5c**

GETTING READY FOR FAT STOCK SHOW

Unless all signs fall or something occurs to prevent the meeting of the directory of the Board of Trade tomorrow afternoon will be one of the most interesting in its history. Quite a number of local speakers are loading up with facts and figures, arguments and assertions, to hurl at the devoted heads of those in attendance.
The matter for consideration will be the arrangements and program for the next annual fat stock show. There have been seven of these exhibitions "pulled off" in Fort Worth, and the last was considered to be the finest ever seen in the United States. There were a larger number and a finer lot of registered cattle on exhibition at the Fort Worth stock yards last March than were ever before gotten together at one place at one time.
This success is very gratifying to the management, which has hitherto been by voluntary work and effort.

lation and harmony.
But success brings its troubles. The particular trouble engendered by this magnificent success will not be alluded to at this time. Wise counsels and patriotic action may avert any serious consequences.
Fort Worth is interested in the solution of the difficulty. Fort Worth is the conceded cattle center and cattle market of the southwest. This has helped the Fat Stock Show, and the show has helped to bring about this enviable condition. Fort Worth people, Fort Worth business men have aided with many thousands of dollars to make the Fat Stock Show a success. It will contribute many thousands more in the future. It is very desirable that all differences shall be reconciled, and to this end everyone having the interest of the city at heart should attend the meeting tomorrow evening and assist in bringing about a spirit of emu-

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A SALE SCHOOL SUPPLIES

A well selected line of everything in the way of Tablets, Pencils, Pens, Pen Holders, Inks, School Boys' Pencil Boxes, etc.—On sale at special prices.

With every 50c purchase a school bag will be given free.
"The Owl" Scratch Tablet, size 6x10, one and one half inches thick; price, each **3c**
"Big Drive" Scratch Tablet, two inches thick, size 6x10; price each **5c**
"Jar of Roses," extra large Scratch Tablet, size 6x10; price, each **5c**
"The Challenge," 9x12, one and one-half inches thick; extra quality paper; price, each **5c**
"Ideal," large Scratch Tablets, size 9x12, one inch thick; each **7c**
Composition Books, each **5c**
Fifteen styles E. Faber's fine Lead Pencils, best rubber tips; choice, each **5c**
Five best styles and kinds Pen holders; choice, each **5c**
Pencil Boxes, each, 10c and **5c**
School Bags, in three styles, at, each, 25c, 10c and **5c**

Specials...

Below you will find a few articles, the most of which are obtainable only at our store.
Clover Leaf Butter
E. B. Miller's Coffees
E. B. Miller's Spices
D. & G. Truffle Sardines
Bezier Boneless Sardines
Eels in Jelly
Tripe (a la mode)
Cepes (natural)
Camenbent Cheese
Swiss Cheese
Limburger Cheese
Brick Cheese
McLaren's Imperial Cheese
McLaren's Roquefort Cheese
Blue Ribbon Bologna
Blue Ribbon Minced Ham
Boyles' Dried Lunch Herring
Imported Holland Herring
Imported Irish Mackerel

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OLD BLACK HAT ON A LONG TRIP

It is just a plain, black derby hat of last year's crop, but in the last few weeks it has made a record that will stand untouched for some time. Three romances may be started by the trip which it has just made.
Otis E. Davis, driver of the United States Express company, is the owner of the headpiece and it probably would

have sunk into oblivion after the manner of its kind, leaving no clew behind. If the head which it sheltered from sun and rain had not conceived the idea of dropping it into an express car with the simple tag:
"Take me with you and some day return me to Fort Worth, Tex."
The hat started on its memorable trip on August 25. It returned yesterday evening, literally buried in tags.
The tags show that it has covered a large section of the United States in the three weeks that have elapsed since it started.
The Cortland, N. Y., tag records:
When on a trip,
Without a grip,
I have to wear
These badges rare.
The word "badges" refers to the numerous tags on the hat.
The Syracuse, N. Y., tag says:
"Always here, but never on the payroll"—H. McDonald.
Much sympathy was expressed by the drivers at the local express office for Mr. McDonald, whose virtues evidently merit greater reward.

WHERE IT SPENT LABOR DAY
At Binghamton, N. Y., a card was attached to the hat as follows:
"I celebrated Labor Day in Binghamton; was out with Chuck Burnes; both got glorious."
This is signed C. E. Stoddard. Mr. Davis says that he cannot believe this slander of the old hat, as it never did anything like that when he was wearing it.

The Scranton, Pa., tag has the following:
"It was Labor Day night when I struck old Scranton town—
Some were still navigating, while others were down;
But when I gazed on the bloated face of 'old Phil' Lalley,
I concluded to skip on down the valley—to Wilkesbarre."
At Utica, N. Y., a photograph, the likeness of a pretty little girl, was attached to the hat and labeled, "Our Mascot."

W. B. Cobb, the express messenger at Elmira, N. Y., who runs from there to Scranton, Pa., put this on the hat:
"The old rouser came all tagged down—
I take him on to Scranton town."
But the best, of course, is saved for the last. At Bloomsburg, Pa., the following tag was put on:
"The jolly three—always open for dates.
MISS L. F. WARNER,
"MISS SARA WHITMOYER,
"MISS C. L. EVES"

It so happens that there are three unmarried young men at the United States Express company's depot at the Texas and Pacific station. This morning they took off this tag and mailed it back to Bloomsburg, with another tag that says like this:
"To the jolly three always open for dates, from the jolly three always looking for dates."
"OTIS E. DAVIS,
"C. J. KING,
"O. R. BOOHER."

CURES THE CHILLS THAT OTHER CHILL TONICS DON'T CURE
Grove's Chronic Chill Cure made of the following fluid extracts: Peruvian Bark, Black Root, Poplar Bark, Prickly Ash Bark, Dog Wood Bark and Sassafras. The best general tonic. No Cure, No Pay. 50 cents.

PREVENTS DAMAGE SUITS.
BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 14.—District Judge Watts this morning granted a temporary writ enjoining the T. G. Reed Grocery company, from filing further suits against the Santa Fe and enjoining the justice court from entering such suits on its docket. The suits are for alleged loss of freight.

POSTOFFICE IS ROBBED.
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 14.—Postmaster Clifford was advised that the postoffice at Schertz station was robbed this morning, also a store. The amount lost was not learned.

HAVE YOUR SUITS CLEANED AT
Gaston Bros., 906 Houston street.

NO CONTINUANCE GRANTED.
CYNTHIANA, Sept. 14.—In the case of Curtis Jett indicted for the assassination of Town Marshal James Cockrill at Jackson, Ky., last year the defense today filed an affidavit asking a continuance on account of the absence and sickness of attorneys Back and French for the defense. Judge Osborne over-ruled the motion.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
WANTED—A colored woman to cook. Mrs. S. T. Bibb, 1205 Presidio street. Phone 1378.

Naamah Council entertainment Tuesday evening. Admission 15 cents.

MONNIG'S
1302-1304-1306 Main Street.

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The Greatest Showing of Novelties in Wool Dress Fabrics; The Greatest Variety of Ladies Suits and Dress Skirts!

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Embrace more varieties of style, and wonderfully beautiful designs. They are all perfect in fit and are elaborately trimmed with the new ideas in pipings and buttons. These can be found in the new vestings, plain and fleeced backs; French Flannels, strictly tailor made and also in solid weaves; all the new shades in the solid colors; prices range from \$5.00 to, each **98c**
Our line of Silk Waists we claim for beauty and their combinations of garnitures to have no equal in the market. Prices range from \$3.00 to **\$10.00**

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits

From the latest fabrics in Scotch Mixtures, Cheviots, Etamine, Serges, Zibeline, Shot Effects and Kerseys. We are exhibiting a very large variety, all beautifully finished and silk lined. PRICES RIGHT. Before selecting a suit examine our line.

INFANTS' LONG CLOAKS

Just Opened—Many pretty styles in Bedford Corded and other desirable materials, \$1.25 to **\$5.00**
Children's Velour Wraps, in navy and black, elaborately trimmed in silk gimp. These are especially desirable and will be quick sellers; sizes 3 to 5 years; value, \$8.00. We have marked them **\$5.50**

A SKIRT PROPOSITION FOR YOU
Monday we will put on sale a line of Ladies' Walking Skirts, in black, brown, green, navy, silk mixtures; also a black cloth—values \$3.50 to \$4.00; Monday **\$2.48**

THE NEW VESTINGS

Monday you will find a counter devoted to the many new things we have for you. You cannot resist a purchase, if you will call and see them; prices, yard, 10c to **85c**

DRESS GOODS

Special Values This Week.

52-inch Broadcloths, value \$1.00; our price, per yard **80c**
52-inch Venetians, value \$1.00; our price, per yard **69c**
52-inch Zibeline Melange, value \$1.00; our price, per yard **75c**
36-inch Aldine Flannels, all wool, values 50c; our price, per yard **40c**
27-inch Tricot, all wool, value 35c; our price, per yard **23c**

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEF SALE

25 dozen Swiss Handkerchiefs, lace edge and embroidered corners, value 15c each, Monday, each **5c**

NEW KIMONO AND DRESSING SACQUE FABRICS

40 inches wide.

Very pretty effects in floral and Persian stripe designs. These goods are washable and resemble wools closely; values, 20c; our price this week **12 1/2c**

HOSIERY DEPARTMENT

More goods, more values, more wearing qualities than ever before offered. Note a few bargains—

Ladies' Fast Black Hose, value 12 1/2c; this week, three pairs for **25c**
Ladies' Fast Black Lisle Hose, value 35c; this week, pair **23c**
Ladies' Fast Black Hermsdorf Dye, split sole, value 35c; this week, pair **23c**
Ladies' Lisle Ribbed Hose, fancy striped, were 50c; this week, pair **25c**
Girls' and Boys Extra Stout School Hose; a pair **10c**
Boys' Iron Frame Ribbed Hose, the kind for rough wear, usually sold at 20c; this week, one pair; two pair **25c**
Infants' Hose, in all lines and colors, in plain cotton or lisle thread; pair, 10c, 15c to **25c**

LADIES' NECKWEAR

The showing this season is of a specially pretty nature—all manner of styles, from \$1.00 to, each **25c**

KID GLOVE SPECIAL

We sell "Monday only" a Kid Glove—cheap at \$1.00, in the season's new shades, at, per pair **69c**
Ladies' Vests—Swiss ribbed, lisle thread. We have a number of slightly soiled lisle Vests, which have sold for 25c to 75c; Monday's sale, your choice, each **15c**

LINEN DAMASK SPECIAL

72-inch Linen Damask, new designs, value 65c; Monday, yard **45c**
72-inch Bleached Damask, snow drop patterns; Monday, yard **42c**
72-inch Bleached Satin Damask—exclusive styles. These are our \$1.25 to \$1.35 values; Monday's price **\$1.19**

DRESS TRIMMINGS

We have them—better, nobbier and a larger variety than ever before. There is scarcely a fad of this season that this line does not embrace. You will find Pendants, Brilliant Silk Braids and Applique Effects, Medallions, Wood Laces, Iridescent Silk Braids in various widths—in fact, it would take too long to individualize each. So call and see them.

NOTION TABLE.

Skeleton Chiffon Collars, value 25c; our price **13c**
One-pound jar Vaseline, value 25c; our price **13c**
Large bottle Machine Oil, value 10c; our price **3c**
Large Celluloid Cabinet Hair Pins, value 10c; our price **5c**
Full count paper pins, per paper **1c**
Curling Irons, each **3c**
Large bar Castile Soap, 4 cakes for **4c**
Half ounce balls Belding Knitting Silk, value 25c; each **5c**
Ivory Nail File and Point **5c**

A BARGAIN IN CHAMOIS SKINS

10c size Monday, each **3c**
20c size, Monday, each **10c**
50c size Monday, each **25c**

BLACK GOODS

This department is one that we have given the greatest care possible in the selection of its various lines. It is perfect in its detail and values offered in same "cannot be duplicated." Note a few of the leaders.
38-inch Black Birdseye Etamine, value 35c; this week **19c**
40-inch Black Geralda Fancies, value 40c; this week, yard **20c**
38-inch Black Sicilian, value 50c; this week, yard **37 1/2c**
38-inch Black Etamine Serges, all wool, value 75c; this week, yard **48c**
40 and 42-inch Black Novelty Suitings, new designs, values range 75c to \$1.00; this week we sell them at **62 1/2c**

Our Millinery Department

OUR MRS. M. A. HARRELL—After a months' trip to the various Eastern markets, returned with the satisfaction of feeling that she had secured one of the best and most attractive lines of Millinery she had ever purchased, and since the arrival of same she was more than convinced she was justified in her belief. Accompanying her were her trimmers, Miss Ruth Barnett and Miss G. Prince, who worked in the trimming rooms of the best millinery houses East. What they accomplished by this advantage will be seen in their creations of art and beauty that we now extend a cordial invitation to the ladies of Fort Worth to visit.

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Our Millinery Opening!

Tomorrow—Tuesday—is the second day of our Fall Millinery Opening. We cordially invite you to call tomorrow and see the correct fall and winter styles in Ladies' Hats.

Market Quotations

NORTH FORT WORTH, Sept. 14.—The cattle market opened this morning with about thirty cars in the yards, which were later increased by the arrival of thirty-two more, making the total run of cattle for the day about 1600. The majority of the run was cows, most of which were of good quality and sold steadily with last week's closing market.

Considering the run, the general market held up well and closed on a steady basis with last week.

In the sheep division today, E. T. Childers of Lawrenceville sold eighty-three common grade stock sheep, averaging 80 pounds, at \$2.40.

Today's Top Prices: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Horses, Mules, etc.

Official Receipts: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, etc.

Today's Shippers: Cattle, Calves, etc.

Hog Shipments: West National Bank, Cushing, Ok., etc.

Horses and Mules: J. J. Stewart, Colorado, etc.

Representative Sales: Steers, Cows, etc.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 14.—Spots were steady. Middlings, 10.75c. Sales, 200 bales.

Table with columns: Grain—Provisions, Open, High, Low, Close. Includes items like Wheat, Corn, Oats, etc.

Table with columns: New York Stocks, Open, High, Low, Close. Includes items like American Sugar, Amal. Copper, etc.

EDITOR DIES IN CHAIR: E. P. Lowe Found Lifeless in His Office.

BROWN STILL LIVES: Charles J. Brown, a young San Antonio machinist, who tried to end his life Saturday night in front of the Episcopal church, still lives.

A BRAKEMAN IS KILLED: Fatal Collision of Freight on Houston and Texas Central Railway.

MAIL ON INTERURBAN: It Will Be Carried Between Fort Worth and Dallas.

Table with columns: Cotton Quotations, Open, High, Low, Close. Includes items like Galveston, New Orleans, etc.

CREAMERY EXPERT HERE FROM IOWA: F. S. White, industrial agent of the Frisco system returned this morning from a trip to the Iowa State Fair at Des Moines, Ia.

INTERSTATE GRAIN RATE: E. G. Rail, who attended a meeting last week of the Oklahoma grain dealers, came home yesterday, but as the meeting was executive, nothing that was done was given out.

BROWN JAILED WITHOUT BAIL: R. T. Brown, the negro who was arrested Saturday night and charged with murdering his wife by administering poison to her, was arraigned in Justice Rowland's court this morning and waived examining suits were taken.

STORM NOT TO HIT GALVESTON: According to the officers of the United States weather bureau in Fort Worth, the gulf storm reported this morning will not affect Galveston, but will move up through the states east of the Mississippi river toward the St. Lawrence river.

WOMAN IS FINED: Miss Anna Kern was fined \$10 and costs in Justice Terrell's court this morning for using abusive language toward Mrs. M. S. Gruber.

PLEDGE MADE BY THE FRISCO: Should the Frisco system in Texas remove its headquarters from Fort Worth to Sherman, it will violate a pledge made by its attorneys to State Senator W. A. Hanger.

GUARD AGAINST FEVER: Guards were placed at the bridges this morning to watch everybody from Mexico to keep black yellow fever.

CARBOLIC ACID BY MISTAKE: Miss Isabelle Reynard, niece of Oscar Reynard, clerk of the Harris county criminal district court, is dead from drinking carbolic acid by mistake.

WHAT THEY SAY: "We had several lively interviews with the attorneys for the Frisco during the pendency of the consolidation bill at the last session of the legislature," said Mr. Stewart today.

RECEIPTS: Receipts of cotton at the leading accumulative centers, compared with the receipts the same day last year.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS: The estimated receipts of cotton for tomorrow at the places named, compared with the receipts same day last year, are as follows:

LIVERPOOL: LIVERPOOL, Sept. 14.—Middlings held at 6.56d. No receipts. Sales were made of 6,000 bales, of which 5,000 bales were American; 500 for export.

NEW YORK: NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Spot cotton was steady. Middlings, 12c.

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TODAY'S TEMPERATURE: 7 a. m. 74, 11 a. m. 84, 3 p. m. 85, 7 p. m. 88, 10 p. m. 82.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN: Showers occurred over a limited portion of the Texas district during the past twenty-four hours; the heaviest occurred at Houston and Huntsville.

MARRIAGE LICENSES: Elias Brewer and Miss Maud Britter, Nerr Gruber and Miss Neels Grace Reed, Henry Gammon and Miss Lillian Mackey.

MARSHALL BABY SHOW: First of the Season in Texas Will Be Held This Month.

TEXAS SOUTHERN WORK: MARSHALL, Texas, Sept. 12.—The Texas Southern railroad grading outfits are still busy at work on the extension of their present terminals at the south side of the city to their new depot grounds.

DISTRESS AFTER EATING: Judge W. T. Holland of Greenburg, La., who is well and favorably known, says: "Two years ago I suffered greatly from indigestion. After eating great distress would invariably result, lasting for an hour or so, and my nights were restless. I concluded to try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it cured me entirely. Now my sleep is refreshing and digestion perfect." Sold by druggists.

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H. T. PANGBURN & CO.: Ninth and Houston.

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Gaston Answers Alphonse: What does the Waco Times-Herald think of the reported friendship of Hogg and Bailey...

A Serious Charge: The police committee is now called on to investigate serious charges and Alderman Henderson, chairman, states that it shall be thorough in every particular...

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But suppose the investigation proves otherwise? Suppose Mr. Officer, whom he may be, proves that he is falsely charged? Then the verdict cannot be too strong in his favor...

GET THE NAMES: During the investigation by the police committee of the Tucker charges last Saturday Mr. Tucker was asked: "Did you ever see the officers playing dominoes at the fire hall?" asked Mr. Henderson...

Now, why did it stop there? Mr. Tucker made a charge publicly that officers play dominoes at the fire hall and an investigation follows. The result is the charges are disproved, although the first question asked, if he had seen officers playing, is replied to in the affirmative, and he adds "and cards, too. Now, there is a law against card-playing and officers should not violate the law. Why did not the committee ask him to give the names of those whom he had seen? That would have opened the way to an investigation which would have been an investigation...

The German emperor uses as a paper weight on his writing desk the summit of one of the highest mountains in Africa. Dr. Buchner, an African traveler of some fame, broke the piece of rock from the highest point of Mount Kilima-Njaro, which is on German-African ground, and presented it to the emperor.

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"Dear Sirs—Your method worked beautifully. Results were exactly what I needed. Strength and vigor have completely returned and enlargement is entirely satisfactory."

"Dear Sirs—Yours was received and I had no trouble in making use of the receipt as directed, and can truthfully say it is a boon to weak men. I am greatly improved in size, strength and vigor."

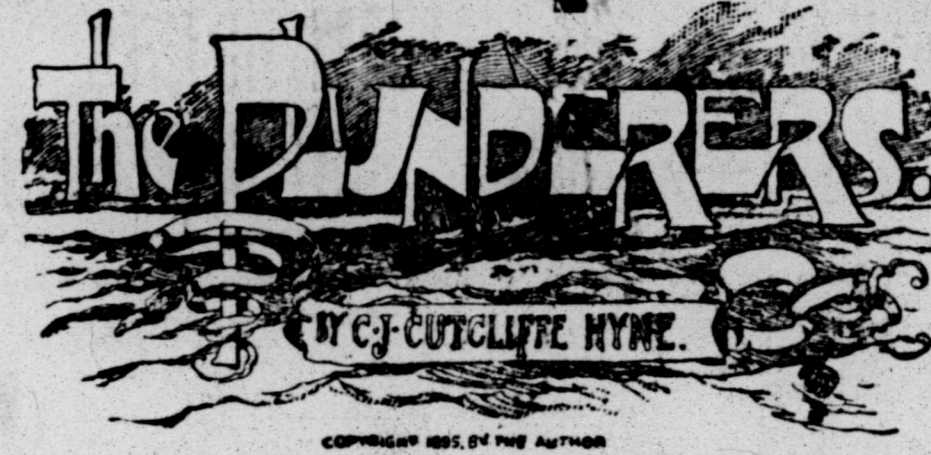
All correspondence is strictly confidential, mailed in plain, sealed envelope. The receipt is free for the asking and they want every man to have it.

When the steamer began to list, they got scared. Thought she'd turn bilge uppermost, I suppose, and bolted down to their forebox of a schooner which lay alongside. Of course when the shores slipped their moorings and bore down on her, the schooner had to give, and the niggers are buried somewhere yonder to starboard, but where I don't know. I've looked, but there isn't so much as a spar, there isn't so much as a whiff of cypress to put a label on the spot. I've had mighty little to do lately, and I might have stuck up some sort of a signboard to 'em, niggers though they were, if I could have fixed the place to an acre, but when a grave head gets bigger than that you may be writing 'here lieth' in more senses than one. So I left them quiet.

"Of course with the steamer high and dry up country, and the river two miles away through black woods, it was much good our meeting with paint pots and changing name plates. We'd built a new forebox and shipped it, and greased up the engines, and as that seemed to me all that was necessary I've given my shipmate holiday ever since. There's the making of a sportsman in our donkeyman, Mr. Cambel. There isn't a thing that crawls or flies or swims in this section of Florida that blessed Irishman hasn't blown off my old gas pipe at or tried to catch with a worm on a cod hook. He wasn't keen at first; said he'd been brought up in a works, but when I told him everything he took was poached, by James, sir, you might think he was the Prince of Wales, the way he sticks at it.

"Blood will out," said Cambel with a laugh, and he marveled at the extraordinary toughness of the donkeyman. At all times there is much sulphur in the water of these Floridian swamps, but since the cyclone the sulphurous emanation had been stirred and set free, and the presence of water was almost unendurable. The water were black to look upon, yellow to look through, and in the air was a smell falling, never varying hint at the odor of ancient eggs. It even stole into the chart-room and mingled with the scent of the magnolia blossoms.

"It isn't violets," the captain assented in reply to Cambel's comment, "and there's fever knocking about in those swamps as sure as there is in a Hamburg drain. But what's fever mean, eh, except carelessness and ignorance? You tackle fever with science, Mr. Cambel, and it



Chapter I.—On the river, the ward of Theodore Shelf, a hypocrite, is engaged to Hamilton Fairfax. II.—Shelf proposes a practical scheme to Patrick Cambel, Shelf being under the influence of Mrs. Shelf, III., IV., and V.—The scheme is to ship gold to New Orleans, over-insuring it and wrecking it. Shelf and Cambel employ Captain Owen Kettle to command the steamer, the Port Edes, and to carry out the plan, Cambel sails in the steamer. As the Port Edes laden with the boxes, leaves the dock a man on shore declares she is doomed. The crew attempt to seize the vessel in order to secure the gold. IX.—But Captain Kettle rebuffs the mutiny. X and XI.—Cambel, who has attached wires from his state-room, makes the electric connection and causes an explosion. The ship appears to be sinking. Kettle sends Cambel below with the ostensible purpose of seeing what is the trouble. Cambel returns and by his appearance the men judge that the ship is sinking and take to the boats. This leaves only Kettle, Cambel and one man on board, which has all been planned. They steer for Florida. Cambel, coming up, sees a small pleasure schooner approaching with a girl at the tiller—Elsie Kildare, a sister of the girl who had refused him and made him what he was. They are on the Florida coast. They take the Port Edes into a bayou and are followed by a sloop whose crew are engaged in the illicit work of hunting plumes from the tropical birds of the Everglades. The plume hunters see the Port Edes' name and from newspapers know she has gold on board. Amy Rivers, in London, hearing of the disaster to the Port Edes, attributes the explosion to the anarchists. Fairfax loses faith in Amy's guardians, Shelf, two other hunters—Bill Nutt, a one-eyed man, and his partner, Hank—go aboard the Port Edes. Kettle discloses the swindle to them and says he will take the steamer to a faraway port, repairing the same and from there he will keep the gold for him. A fight between the two plume hunters ensues in which Hank gouges out Nutt's eye and Nutt stabs Hank, thus ridding Kettle of both. Cambel goes to a Florida winter resort, Point Sebastian. There he meets Elsie Kildare and learns that her sister, the woman he had loved, is a widow. Being caught in a cyclone with Elsie, he tells her that he loves her, and she responds. Her confessions the winds and he asks her to share the plunder. She declines. Amy Rivers leaves Shelf because he wishes her to give up Fairfax. Cambel, influenced by Elsie, declines to take his share of the treasure. Reginald Lansing, who had underwritten the cargo of the Port Edes, is informed of the finding of the gold and gets it all for himself.

hasn't a show. And if we haven't got science aboard here, concentrated and labeled and bottled down in our medicine chest, I don't know where you will find it. Yes, sir, I will say that. The Port Edes has a romping fine medicine chest, and I've been through it all myself, so I ought to know. The donkeyman's been most ways through it, too, but he's on at fever mixtures now, and he's going solid at them. We've three quart bottles—A for bilious, B for malarial and C for typhoid—and the donkeyman has a swig out of each with a nip of cholero-dyne thrown in just after his breakfast every morning and then a rub with St. Elmo's rheumatic cure, and if he isn't as right as a mail-boiler, never speak to me of drugs again. But it's making a lousy man of him, Mr. Cambel, and that's what I want, because the donkeyman and I are going to chip in partnership."

"What, buy a steamer together and take her tramping? Well, I hope you'll have all manner of luck."

"Oh, don't you make any error," retorted the captain. "It isn't salt water trading we're in for. We aren't such gulls as that. We're not so much about it, both of us. We're going to start in farming."

"Farming? What does either of you know about that?"

"Oh, don't you take me for a fool, sir. I can learn as well as any one, and so can the donkeyman. We shall get 300 acres of land granted to the pair of us for nothing in Northwest Canada, and even if crops failed altogether we've enough saved up to live on for the first two years. We can try it anyhow when you give us our discharge from here. Ever since I worked at sea," he added plaintively, "I've always wished to be a farmer."

"I think," said Cambel, "I would disabuse you from the attempt if I could, but I know it's no use trying, so I will hold my tongue on that point. As to when your bargain is up with the Port Edes, you can put that at half an hour from now if you like. Anyway I'm going to leave here directly, and I never intend to return here again."

"Captain Kettle's jaw dropped. 'What?' he gasped. 'I have changed my mind,' he said, 'or had I changed for me. For my part, that gold will remain where it is. I am not going to touch a sovereign of it. 'Look here,' said Captain Kettle, 'do you mind telling me? Did you come against some preacher during the cyclone and get religion from him?'"

"I think I know what you mean. But you're not the wrong track. It's not the sort who announce publicly that he will cease to be a sinner just because he finds himself in physical danger."

"No," said Kettle, "come to think of it, I should have known you were not. I was a fool to ask that question. But it settles it in another direction. There's a woman got hold of it."

"Either way. So that's it. And you told her all about this racket because you thought it wrong to hold any secrets of your own, and she soured on it. Well, that's woman's way. And the other lady you spoke about, she who made you run wild, you've forgotten her?"

"And she's forgotten you?"

"I hope she has, and if she hasn't I can't help it."

"Well, Mr. Cambel, if this business is to end in a 'bout ship, as soon as the donkeyman comes back from his hunting I am ready to get under weigh and be off. But as he isn't here yet, and as we've still a bit of time to wait, I'd like to hear what is going to become of that \$500,000 and the old ship, after all. I've been in at the handling of them both so long that I'm beginning to take quite a friendly interest in their movements. As you know, I've liked them so well at times that I've been half inclined to adopt them myself."

"I know, and it is to your honor that you didn't."

"Oh, as to honor, don't make any blessed error about that, sir. It was my cantankerousness. If the crew hadn't been so uppish that night in the gust of the Florida channel, so help me, neither steamer nor gold would ever have got so far as this. But we'll let that pass for the present. And now I'd like to hear, if I might, who is to finger the stuff."

"Kettle, I'd tell you if I could, but upon my soul I'm not able. My bargain with the girl I'm going to marry was to pocket no share of the plunder myself, but as I warned her I was Shelf's man still and couldn't cease to serve him because of scruples of my own conscience. And so I was going to set off to carry his half to the bank we had agreed upon when a newspaper arrived to say that he had gone smash and was in jail awaiting trial on 10 heavy charges."

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VETS TIRE OF "NEW THOUGHT"

When Judge C. C. Cummings Starts to Read Ella Wheeler Wilcox's Writings, Objections Are Made

IT IS "SOULLESS PHILOSOPHY"

Says Judge Greene—Declares He Doesn't Like to See It Substituted for Religion. Cummings Promises to Offend No More

Semi-occasionally the members of the Confederate Veterans' camp strike a snag and then something happens. This was the case at the session held yesterday and the subject which started the old veterans to talking was the reading of several extracts from a book by Ella Wheeler Wilcox by Judge C. C. Cummings, which in substance suggested what Judge Cummings called "advance thought." The suggestions were so strong that there were objections to them being read before the camp made in strenuous terms by Judge S. P. Greene, Duke Goodman and one or two others, who expressed their dislike in emphatic terms. Judge Greene said he seriously objected to such stuff being read in the camp and moved that hereafter nothing of the kind be attempted by any of its members. He said that the constitution of the order prohibited the introduction of religious or political matters before the camp; that he was a firm believer in the Lord Jesus Christ and didn't want "soulless philosophy" substituted for religion; that such matters had no place in Lee camp and hoped there would be no more readings of this character. Therefore he insisted on his motion that would do away with such subjects either being read or discussed.

SAYS IT'S HOT Duke Goodman was equally emphatic in his remarks. He said he was surprised that someone had not objected to "the rot" at the previous meeting, and he was glad that Judge Greene had offered his protest, as the readings were purely against the constitution of the order, and for this reason he opposed such matters being brought before the camp. Judge Cummings, in defending his position, made a frank statement that he did not intend to cause friction among the members by reading the extracts, but merely offered them as suggestions on advanced thought. He said he observed that there was a decided division on the subject and rather than permit the motion of Judge Greene to go to a vote, he would prefer to drop the matter where it was and withdraw the whole thing and promised "to sin no more."

Captain Sam Evans thought there was no wrong in Judge Cummings reading the Wilcox extracts, and said there should be no objections to them. Then the little unpleasantness ended amid applause.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CAMP The exercises of the camp were open-

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ed by prayer offered by Chaplain Pankey. Assistant Adjutant Ball then read the proceedings of the last meeting, after which they were approved by Acting Commander Johnston. The descriptive list of G. W. Tarkington that was filed with the committee some time ago was favorably reported upon and accepted by the camp. On motion a committee, composed of Comrades McNeely, Pankey and Cummings, was appointed to draft suitable resolutions on the death of Comrade Ragland, who died during the early part of last week. Adjutant McConnell announced all arrangements have been made for the coming lecture of Rev. Homer T. Wilson, to be delivered at the Christian Tabernacle on the night of September 25 at 8 o'clock, on which occasion the divine will speak on the subject, "On the Fining Line." The sale of tickets for the lecture will be pushed by all members of the camp; also by the Sons and Daughters of Confederacy. The announcement was also made that the entertainment to be given at the opera house, "The Queen of the South," will take place Wednesday night. The play is being given under the auspices of the Children of Confederacy, directed by Miss Mattie Melton, and will be an occasion to be much enjoyed by all who attend. The money to be derived from the opera house entertainment and also from the Wilson lecture is to be used in the fund of Lee camp. The subject was discussed at length by Adjutant McConnell, Miss Melton, Chaplain Pankey and Historian C. C. Cummings.

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Music and Drama

HEHRMANN THE GREAT "Hehrmann the Great" the prince of black art, will appear at Greenwall's opera house tonight. His program of legerdemain the present season comprises many new and novel problems in sleight of hand and prestidigitations. "The Bride Elect," "The Queen of Flame," the "Princess Mahomeda" and many new experiments in sleight of hand will be given in this city.

HARRY CORSON CLARKE The "Harry Corson" problem play is almost over, and people are beginning to realize that the taste the plays of that type leave in the mouth is not exactly palatable. The day of risque situation and "hot" burlesque is passing away. What the public are demanding today is a comedy that is dainty, and yet that presents lots of opportunity for laughter all through. Look at the success of Harry Corson's "Clare" scored last season in "His Absent Boy," which comes to Greenwall's opera house Tuesday night, September 15. He played to packed business everywhere, and the night he got the most glowing praise for all liked a clean play where fun was paramount. And there is no doubt that he will repeat his success in the coming season, for he is to stage the same play, and it is of the type that the public are beginning to demand.

"THE CHRISTIAN" Chris O. Brown, business manager of "The Christian," which comes to Greenwall's opera house Thursday night, September 17, reports that the business enjoyed by the attraction since the company has been on the road is simply marvelous. Those who have read the book want to see the characters upon the stage, and those who have not read it are desiring to know all about this famous story in a single night.

"MR. JOLLY OF JOLIET" Musical comedy, which is so popular nowadays, is being presented by several companies under the management of Broadhurst & Currie, who have been universally successful in providing this style of entertainment. Their latest offering in this line is from the pen of the talented author, Charles Newman, and is entitled "Mr. Jolly of Joliet." The story tells of the many adventures and vicissitudes of a song and dance team who have seen better days. Much of the music is original and many clever specialties are introduced. A large chorus of handsome girls is used in all the big numbers and do much to add to the attractiveness of the presentation. "Mr. Jolly of Joliet" comes to Greenwall's opera house Friday night, September 18.

HEREFORD'S FINE RAIN

Plains Country is Benefited by Refreshing Shower Friday. HEREFORD, Texas, Sept. 12.—Hereford and vicinity had a fine rain yesterday making stock water and insuring good crops and will make an abundance of feed for the stock. Rev. G. W. Johnson of Whitney, Hill county, Texas, is visiting his son Elias Johnson this week. A. G. Dickenson of Valley View is visiting and prospecting in and around Hereford this week. He is visiting W. H. Royzer, of Ricketts & Royzer. Miss Clara Jarvis of Sanger, Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ida Royzer of this place. G. W. Roberts with his family have moved from Frisco, N. M., to Hereford. Among those who have purchased real estate here this week were Mrs. L. H. Field of McKinney, Collin county, who bought three sections, and J. A. Johnson of Demmitt, who bought two sections. Rev. John F. Elder is conducting a series of meetings for the Baptist people with good success.

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AUSTIN COUNCIL CONSULTS HAWLEY

Three Aldermen From State Capital Spend Sunday With City Engineer

Yesterday Aldermen Nitschke, Maddox and Macken of the city council of Austin arrived here for the purpose of holding a conference with City Engineer John B. Hawley in regard to the proposed storm sewerage or drainage system to be put in at the state capital, and which has been under consideration for some time. Most of the day was spent in Mr. Hawley's office, inspecting and examining plans, specifications, etc., for the system. The plans are not yet complete, but Mr. Hawley agrees to have them ready during the present week and will then forward them to the Austin council in order to have them come before the next meeting of that body a week from tonight. With the three councilmen Mr. Hawley went over the blue prints and the entire system was considered minutely and decided upon by the four gentlemen.

Alderman Maddox said that Austin was badly in need of a good drainage system and that the one about to be put in would be of great benefit to the state capital. The system as planned now will cost, approximately, about \$20,000. From what The Telegram learns there seems to be a division among the members of the Austin council in adopting the system as proposed, but one of the aldermen said he believed that the measure would pass all right when it came before the next meeting. The vote, he said, would probably be seven against six in favor of the proposition.

It was learned that the putting in of this public improvement would mark the beginning of a system of public improvements in Austin, so badly needed, and that just as soon as this matter was settled the council of that city would revive the proposition of paving the streets of Austin. Alderman Maddox believes that the measure will be adopted and that bids for construction of the drainage system will be asked for at the next meeting of the council.

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A COLORED CONVENTION

Methodist Meeting at Marshall Church is Still in Progress. MARSHALL, Texas, Sept. 12.—The Marshall district Sunday school convention of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church that convened here on the 9th is still in session with a large delegation present. Visitors who have addressed the convention are Dr. M. W. Dugan of Wiley University and Dr. W. E. West of Texas College, Rev. H. Sebe Doyle, D. D., Rev. O. S. Jones, Dr. Coffee and Prof. S. S. Reid and Jenkins. The amount of money raised to date is \$282.50.

THE CITIZENS' PARTY

Mass Meeting is Held in Marshall to Name Candidates. MARSHALL, Texas, Sept. 12.—A mass meeting of the citizens party was held last night in the county court house for the purpose of naming a day on which to hold the primary election to nominate a candidate for mayor of Marshall to succeed the Hon. E. J. Peid resigned. Sept. 16 was the day decided on.

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THE PARTIAL LIST OF CONTENTS BELOW can only hint at the interest underlying every line: The Evolution of a Club Woman, by Agnes Surbridge, begins in this number. It is an autobiography and is the predicted success of the year. J. C. Hemment, the world-famed camera expert, begins one of the most remarkable series of photographic articles ever presented. They relate to his personal adventures at home and in foreign lands. The Silent Partner, by Lynn Roly Meekins; A Florida Cracker, by Virginia Frazer Boyle, are prominent among the fiction features, while the departments are fuller than usual of good things, with especial interest centering in the children's pages. If the "most necessary" of the magazines for Woman is that one which helps most in every hour of "her" day and brings its after-hour of fascinating leisure-reading when the day is over, then, surely, "JUST GET THE DELINEATOR." Of your newsdealer, or any Butterick agent or of the publishers, at 15 cents a copy, or \$1.00 for the entire year. THE BUTTERICK PUBLISHING COMPANY, LTD., 17 West 13th St., New York

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Greenwall's Opera House WEDNESDAY, Sept. 16, 1903 Anne Carter Lee Chapter No. 1 of Texas, Children of the Confederacy, in the drama, "QUEEN OF THE SOUTH" For Benefit of Relief Fund of R. E. Lee Camp, U. C. V. Tickets, on sale at all prominent drug and jewelry stores and the box office opera house, 50 cents and 25 cents. ALBUMS FOR FRENCH PASSENGERS The French railway companies have issued to all stations an album which contains pictures of every possible article that a traveler is likely to have about him. Owing to the great number of passengers who are unable to speak French, it is often found difficult to trace lost articles from the description given. Now all that a passenger has to do is to point to the missing articles in the album.

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At Lampasas it is "Hon. D. W. Phillips, member of the legislature.

But in Fort Worth he is just plain Mr. Phillips.

"Mr. Phillips has come here to locate. He has a great deal to say about a new town in New Mexico, which he says is but six weeks old and is the home of a national bank and newspaper, and in conversation one is led to believe that this distinguished citizen of Lampasas who has moved to Fort Worth is interested in the future of the town.

He is a great joker, and during his several terms in the legislature, he kept the members convulsed, by his practical jokes.

E. P. Curtis, of Temple, prominent in

the labor movement in Texas, who made race for railroad commissioner, two elections in succession and was defeated here yesterday on a trip west. Mr. Curtis would not discuss politics. If there is any politics in his part of the political vineyard he declined to say who is affected and how. He met a number of friends while here, and his stay in Fort Worth was made very enjoyable.

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CLEBURNE'S STATISTICS

First Report of Birth and Death Record Has Been Made

CLEBURNE, Texas, Sept. 12.—County Clerk R. H. Crank has just completed his monthly report of vital statistics. Since the institution of the system on June 14 there have been 188 births, 98 of which were boys and 90 girls. Total deaths, 62—33 boys, 29 girls. The number of births reported for August is 99 and 37 deaths. Forty-seven of the births were of males, 52 females, white, one negro. Three pairs of twins are reported. Of the deaths 19 were males.

A slight rain fell here this afternoon and prospects are good for more.

Rev. A. J. Bush and others of the First Christian church will leave Monday for Italy to attend the meeting of the district missionary conference, which will hold sessions the 14th to 16th inclusive.

The Magazine Club of this city offered prizes to encourage the children throughout the city to plant vines and otherwise beautify the homes, hoping to stimulate their sense of the beautiful in nature.

The report has been very gratifying, many beautiful vines have been grown from the seed furnished by the club, and the committee—Messdames D. W. Odell, W. P. Alexander and Mr. Boyd, a florist—will soon award the prizes.

Misses Hlanche Allen and Hattie Vazey will leave Tuesday to attend school in Nashville, Tenn. Miss Bennie Brown and Annie Stratton have gone to Austin and Miss Ethel Moore will enter St. Mary's at Dallas.

Frank Williams Jr. has returned to school to the Kentucky Military Institute.

Mrs. Mary Augley of Itasca died at Covington, this county, and was buried there Sept. 8.

Mr. Jordan, superintendent of schools at Wichita Falls, is here today.

T. B. Harris and L. E. Hughes purchased the B. L. Durham drug store.

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Congressman George B. McClellan has returned to New York from a four months' stay in Europe just in time to greet the boom that has been started in his behalf for the mayoralty of the eastern metropolis. He has thus far refused to commit himself to the candidacy, but Tammany leaders say he is not in a position to refuse the nomination if it shall be tendered to him.

THE RATE ON CURRENCY

of stealing and rebranding cattle belongs Work This Week

The railroad commission, after a week of hard work, with nearly the entire force in the office, has prepared and will promulgate a tariff on money, including gold, silver and currency, effective Oct. 5. The tables of weights, distances and amounts are the result of painstaking and careful work and are complete in every detail.

Several interesting cases are set for hearing by the commission Tuesday, the 15th, and in addition to the railroad magnates quite an array of railway legal talent is expected to be present. The commission is hard at work on the new express classification, which they will likely finish this week.

"SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY"

First Sunday in October to be Observed by Presbyterians

It was announced during services yesterday at the First Presbyterian church that the first Sunday in October would, by order of the general assembly, be observed throughout the United States as "Sunday School Day."

Pastor Hyde urged that members of his congregation take especial interest in the event.

Yesterday was the day on which special invocations were offered in behalf of the public and private schools of the country. The incident, Rev. Mr. Hyde said, was an important one. He emphasized the perpetuity of the nation's life depends largely upon conditions over which the teachers of the schools of the country have control.

Rev. Hyde has just returned from his summer vacation and held his first services yesterday morning.

MEETING NEXT FRIDAY

Y. W. C. T. U. Will Outline Program for the Winter

The Y. W. C. T. U. expects to hold a very important meeting in the First Christian church next Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The president, Miss Louise Hardison, expects to leave for a short vacation soon and this will be the last meeting in which she can be with them for some time, she is very anxious to have a good attendance. The special object is to arrange plans for the coming winter. The programs laid down in the new Year Book will be followed.

The program for the third week in September is as follows: Scripture selection—145th or "Crucial Pelam."

Roll call—Responses with quotations from Frances Willard.

Topic—"Willard Libraries." Women in National Reform (National Leaflet No. 8).

Discussion—"How Can We Increase Our Membership?"

Drill on parliamentary law.

At this meeting a leader will be chosen and there may be some slight changes in the program, as these programs are suggestive and each union has a right to make changes.

Mrs. Stoddard has ordered the leaflets to suit each lesson and they will be at headquarters by Friday.

SHE HAS DISAPPEARED

Pennsylvania Woman Has Not Been Seen Since August 19

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 14.—Mrs. Austin Flynn of this city sailed from England August 12, with a fortune of several thousand dollars left her by a relative. She landed in New York August 19, and since then her family here has heard nothing from her. They believe she confided to some one on the ship the fact that she had a large sum of money and that she was robbed and murdered after she landed. A fruitless search has been made in New York for the woman and the matter has been placed in the hands of the police.

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In a good many instances the friends and acquaintances of the nominees have commenced to thoroughly and systematically canvass the city. The workers are now getting into action and no doubt the results will be very interesting from now on. Think of the value of the awards, then you cannot afford to see your favorite lose the honor of being elected sponsor or maid of honor of the Marine Band, and be presented with one of the three handsome awards.

The Awards: FIRST—The young lady receiving the largest number of votes by midnight, Saturday, November 7, will be elected sponsor of the Marine Band of North Fort Worth, and receive a \$400.00 horse and buggy. SECOND—The young lady receiving the next largest number of votes will be elected Maid of Honor of the Marine Band of North Fort Worth, and will be presented with two round trip tickets to the City of Mexico, Old Mexico. These tickets are valued at \$175.00. THIRD—The young lady receiving the next largest number of votes will be presented with a Seventy-five dollar Bicycle.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Miss Mamie Wells 5,200; Miss Lizzie Moore 4,520; Miss Beulah Fulgham 4,460; Miss Minnie Hartman 4,280; Miss Totsie Bishop 4,200; Miss Nellie Williams 3,750; Miss Saunders 3,590; Miss Mary Yarbrough 3,600; Miss Mattie Cooper 3,460; Miss Berta Johns 3,400; Miss Nora Mudy 2,560; Miss Beckem 2,480; Miss Mattie Lee Lewis 2,448; Miss Marguerite Hensley 2,420; Miss Essie Mitchell 2,200; Miss Cora Blank 2,200; Miss Grace Burkett 2,000; Miss Rebecca Cloud 1,860; Miss Kate Richie 1,860; Miss Eva Hollingsworth 1,620; Miss Ethel McGoughlin 1,620; Miss Cassie Boswell 1,600; Miss Holmberg 1,600; Miss Isabelle Nation 1,440.

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NOMINATION BLANK. CUT THIS OUT AND MAIL TO CONTEST EDITOR. I nominate... as the young lady who I think should be elected Sponsor or Maid of Honor of the Band. Please enter name on list of the Band's nominees. Signed... NOTE—The name of those who send in name of their favorite of the Marine Band's contest will not be divulged, if so requested.



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Finding of Jury at Marshall in Case Which Ended Saturday

MARSHALL, Tex., Sept. 12.—The case of the State of Texas vs. Lee Woolly, charged with killing a negro named William Smith, several months ago, was concluded in the district court yesterday and given to the jury, which returned a verdict of not guilty this morning.

RAIN AT SWEETWATER

Shower Was General and Will Result in Much Good

SWEETWATER, Tex., Sept. 12.—The Sweetwater country received another good rain last night, which insures a second good feed crop and will also make fine grass for winter. The cotton crop of this section is short, but will be considerably improved by the rain.

RAIN AT SAN ANGELO

Friday's Shower Was a Souker and Will Help the Range

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URY RELEASED BY ST. LOUIS

Today's dispatches bring three interesting baseball items to the office of The Telegram. One is from Springfield, Mass., and announces that Roger Connor, who used to be the star hitter and first baseman of the New York Giants, and who holds the record of the longest hit ever made on the polo grounds, has retired from the national game. He has been managing the Springfield, Conn., league club since he left the major league ranks. His last engagement with a National League club was with the St. Louis Browns the year before Von der Ahe was forced out. Connor played twenty-five consecutive seasons.

The second item of interest concerns the condition of Hans Wagner, one of the greatest of modern ball tossers. He injured his knees several days ago in sliding to second base. He paid little attention to the condition of his knees for a day or two until finally they got into such shape that he was forced to retire temporarily for treatment. Now it is announced that he may never play again. The Pittsburg management has sent him to Youngstown, Ohio, to be treated by a famous bone setter. He is threatened with permanent stiffness of the knees.

The third story brings us a line from home. Ury, who was captain of the Dallas team during the season just closed and who went to St. Louis to join the National League club of that place, was handed his ticket of leave after Saturday's game. He is not up to the league standard. Ury is not popular in Fort Worth, but he is responsible for his own unpopularity. Several times last season after Schatzke returned to the game Ury declined to let another player run for him after he reached first base, although similar privileges had been extended to Dallas players by the local team.

YESTERDAY'S GAME HERE

The Armour team encountered its first defeat of the season at Haines' park yesterday afternoon, when it played a strong picked nine of professionals. The score was 10 to 1, but if Jack Jarvis had pitched for the amateurs the tale might have been different. The Armour could not hit Jarvis' curve, the main cause of their defeat. On the other hand, the professionals found Smisson and Sorrels frequently for safe swats. The score:

	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Robinson, c.	4	0	0	8	3	0
Smisson, p.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Laury, lb.	4	0	1	12	2	1
Tackaberry, 2b.	3	0	1	1	5	1
Stuck, 3b.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sorrels, 3b.	4	0	2	0	2	1
Keberst, ss.	4	0	0	2	2	2
Coy, lf.	3	0	0	2	1	1
Ashmore, cf.	3	0	0	2	1	1
Campbell, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	5	27	16	6

PROFESSIONALS

	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Wolfe, 2b.	6	2	2	1	1	1
Jarvis, p.	4	1	1	1	7	0
McKay, lb.	4	2	1	12	0	0
Pennell, 2b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Blasingim, c.	4	1	1	3	1	0
Reitz, ss.	5	2	3	0	1	0
Bateman, rf.	5	0	1	1	0	0
Barrett, lf.	3	1	2	0	2	1
Pointdexter, cf.	2	1	1	1	0	0
Totals	36	10	13	27	9	1

WICHITA TO SOUTH McALESTER.
South McAlester will be asked to put up a bonus of \$50,000 to insure the construction of the Wichita Southern from Wichita, Kan., to South McAlester. A proposition to finance the road has been made by a St. Louis trust company.

PERSONALS.
It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main and 513-15 Houston streets.

Dr. A. E. Bond, refracting eyesight specialist, 509 Main street.

Mickle-Burgher Hardware Company would be pleased to submit prices.

Dr. F. M. Reeves has established an office at No. 513 Main street. He will confine his practice to general surgery, diseases of women and children, and genito-urinary diseases. Phone 717 3 rings.

W. R. Harris is taking a vacation this week in Mineral Wells.

Roy McDuffy and wife of Waxahachie came here Sunday and will make this their future home.

Henry Forbet, deputy sheriff of Ellis county spent Saturday in the city.

Mrs. Ernest Johnson who has been visiting relatives in Ennis has returned home.

Mrs. Jno. A. Kee and mother, Mrs. Anna Johnson are visiting relatives and friends in Tacoma, Wash.

MARRIED IN TEXARKANA
MARSHALL, Texas, Sept. 12.—James Wagner, son of James S. Wagner, one of the wealthiest business men of this city, and Miss Bona Munden, daughter of Ex-Sheriff Geo. Munden drove to Jefferson in a buggy yesterday afternoon and boarded the train there for Texarkana where they were married.

They received the consent of their parents when the latter learned that they were at Texarkana for that purpose.

A PURGATIVE PLEASURE
If you ever took De Witt's Little Early Risers for biliousness or constipation you know what a purgative pleasure is. These famous little pills cleanse the liver and rid the system of all bile without producing unpleasant effects. They do not gripe, sicken or weaken, but give tone and strength to the tissues and organs involved. W. H. Howell of Houston, Texas, says: "No one can be cured of the Little Early Risers for constipation, sick headaches, etc." Sold by druggists.

LATEST NEWS OF THE RAILROADS

Stockman's Side of Question of Delayed Shipments—Miners Leaving for Old Country

The matter of delayed stock trains is a question of much interest to railroad live stock agents as well as to the shippers. Discussing the situation a railroad man this morning said to The Telegram: "I notice published this morning an article on the delayed stock train question, credited to a live stock agent. The inference is that all the stock men are in for hold up," they seem to be a class by themselves in the business world. The morning paper's informant charges them with filing claims without any merit or justice, yet in thousands of cases on record in the courts of this state the judges charges and jury finds against the transportation companies who do not do their whole duty in handling freight of any class. It is not right to pick out stockmen as a class and hold them as being dishonest in their claims. The stock business and the men who are at the head of it are at the head of one of the largest industries in the state and some of these men are of national reputation as first-class men. The majority of all the live stock men are of good commercial ratings. Their business has always been considered as valuable to transportation companies, and they look upon the stock business and railroad business as being mutual to each other. Because some crank and irresponsible cattle speculator sells in and loses money and tries to make it out of the railroad companies is no reason why an equally cranky railway official, should charge the members of so important an industry as a lot of swindlers."

MINERS ARE LEAVING.
The exodus of miners from the Thurber district has begun. The first movement started from Fort Worth Sunday night when tickets were sold to twenty-six Italians by the Rock Island company. The miners go direct to Toronto, Italy, via New York. Others are expected to follow during the present week.

Today is the limit given by the management of the mines in which to arbitrate the difference. If this is not done, hundreds of men will leave for various mining countries. Most of the foreigners will return to their native countries.

In anticipation of a heavy movement of this class, the local passenger men are hustling for the business.

Six miners were ticketed this morning by the Katy for Higbee, Mo., and Indian Territory points.

MERCHANTS RATES ABOLISHED.
Railroad members of the Central Passenger association, at a meeting held in Chicago, decided to discontinue the practice of granting reduced rates for merchants meetings which are now held in nearly every large city of the country.

It was decided by the Central Passenger association that in granting these reduced rates the railroads are discriminating against the small cities in favor of the large distributing centers. It is said that the largest organization that will be affected by the decision of the Central association is the National association of Merchants and Travelers, headquarters in Chicago, having a membership of 250,000, and branches in twenty different states. This association holds four meetings annually each attended by from 2,000 to 3,000 merchants. Similar meetings are held in St. Louis, Omaha, Kansas City, New York, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Minneapolis, St. Paul and many other of the larger cities of the country.

What you pay for extracts is important, but what you get for your money is ten times more important. Burnett's Vanilla costs more because worth more.

FORT WORTH BOY ON THE OREGON

He Writes That Jackies in Asiatic Squadron All Sport Silk Underwear

Two letters written by Louis Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hoffman, 609 West Fifth street, dated at Manila, July 25, and Chee Foo, China, August 16, in which he gives some facts that will prove interesting to his many friends in Fort Worth, have just been received by Mrs. Hoffman.

Young Hoffman left this city along with several other boys to join the United States navy. After passing through the apprentice training which consumed nearly a year Hoffman was transferred from the receiving ship Independence to the Solace. On this vessel he recently sailed for the Philippines. His letter shows that the Solace reached Manila by July 23. In the letter just received here Hoffman says that he found three Japanese war vessels in the bay, all first-class armored cruisers, and when the Solace sailed for China the natives were coaling their vessels.

The letter states the wrecks of the Spanish fleet sunk by Dewey are still to be seen in Manila bay.

The Solace sailed from Manila for Chee Foo August 24 where it joined the Asiatic squadron under "Fighting Bob" Evans. In the fleet are the Kentucky, Wisconsin, Oregon, New Orleans, Monadnock, Monterey, Helena, Willington, McAburg, besides a number of tug and gun boats.

The most interesting feature of the meeting between the Solace and the Asiatic squadron, says young Hoffman, was the fact that he was transferred to the Oregon, "the bulldog of the navy," and given a position in the ammunition department. The remaining members of the Solace's crew were distributed to the various vessels of the squadron. The crew to which Hoffman has been added has charge of one of the 13-inch guns.

The letter further stated that the squadron was expected to sail soon for Japan and go into dry dock for repairs. The Oregon goes to New York in 1908. Hoffman says all the navy boys are wearing silk underwear from the fact it is cheaper in China than calico.

Abner Cobb, who is now the Wyoming's clerk, is at Mare Island navy yard, where preparations are being made for a cruise to New York, Manila and Cairo, Egypt to be gone one year. The Wyoming is now being coaled for the voyage.

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Boys School Suits \$2.25
Special for Today and Tomorrow only. Your Choice of any of the New \$3.00 Suits for \$2.25.

Boys' School Pants, ages 6 to 15 years, in Serges, Chevots and Worsted; special prices **50¢ to \$1.50**

Boys' School Shoes—Our Boys' Shoes are the celebrated Anvil Brand, and we are sole agents in Fort Worth. Seal Calf, Wax Calf and Vici Kid—Prices **\$1.50 to \$3.00**

Boys' School Hats—Alpine and Golf Shapes. Prices **\$1.00 to \$2.00**

Boys' School Caps—Plain blue and new fancy mixtures—Prices **50¢ and 75¢**

Boys' School Waists—Puritan and Star makes, plain white and new colorings, with and without collars attached. Prices **50¢, 75¢ and \$1.00**

Boys' School Shirts—Plain white and neat stripes and figures. Prices **50¢, 75¢, \$1.00 and \$1.50**

Boys' School Ties—Pretty patterns in Windsors, Four-in-Hands, String Ties and Shield Bows—Price **25¢**

Boys' School Stockings—Celebrated Black Cat brand; medium and heavy weight **25¢**

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The Boys' Store

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium, or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. A. F. Pealer, of St. Louis, Mo., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria in many cases and have always found it an efficient and speedy remedy."

Dr. E. Down, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria in my practice for many years with great satisfaction to myself and benefit to my patients."

Dr. J. E. Wagner, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I can most heartily recommend your Castoria to the public as a remedy for children's complaints. I have tried it and found it of great value."

Dr. Edward Parrish, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria in my own household with good results, and have advised several patients to use it for its mild laxative effect and freedom from harm."

Dr. J. B. Elliott, of New York City, says: "Having during the past six years prescribed your Castoria for infantile stomach disorders, I most heartily commend its use. The formula contains nothing deleterious to the most delicate of children."

Dr. C. G. Sprague, of Omaha, Neb., says: "Your Castoria is an ideal medicine for children, and I frequently prescribe it. While I do not advocate the indiscriminate use of proprietary medicines, yet Castoria is an exception for conditions which arise in the care of children."

Dr. J. A. Parker, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Your Castoria holds the esteem of the medical profession in a manner held by no other proprietary preparation. It is a sure and reliable medicine for infants and children. In fact, it is the universal household remedy for infantile ailments."

Dr. H. F. Merrill, of Augusta, Me., says: "Castoria is one of the very finest and most remarkable remedies for infants and children. In my opinion your Castoria has saved thousands from an early grave. I can furnish hundreds of testimonials from this locality as to its efficiency and merits."

Dr. Norman M. Gear, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "During the last twelve years I have frequently recommended your Castoria as one of the best preparations of the kind, being safe in the hands of parents and very effective in relieving children's disorders, while the ease with which such a pleasant preparation can be administered is a great advantage."

Dr. F. H. Knie, of St. Paul, Minn., says: "It affords me pleasure to add my name to the long list of those who have used and now endorse your Castoria. The fact of the ingredients being known through the printing of the formula on the wrapper is one good and sufficient reason for the recommendation of any physician. I know of its good qualities and recommend it cheerfully."

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