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FRATERNAL BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATIONS ARE HURT

Act Regulating Them in State of Texas Declared to Be Unconstitutional

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS DECISION

Handed Down by Chief Justice Conner Yesterday in This City

FUNDAMENTAL LAW OF LAND VIOLATED

Famous Fourteenth Amendment of United States Constitution and Constitution of Texas Stand in Way

In an opinion handed down by Chief Justice T. H. Conner yesterday the court of civil appeals of the second supreme judicial district of Texas, sitting in Fort Worth, holds that the act of the legislature approved May 12, 1899, under which the fraternal beneficiary associations doing business in Texas operate, is unconstitutional.

It is a far-reaching opinion which affects thousands of persons holding membership in such associations in this state, yet, as Justice Conner says: "Delicate as it undoubtedly is to declare an act of the co-ordinate legislative branch of our state government void for violation of constitutional principles, it is nevertheless the duty of the courts to unhesitatingly do so when such an act is clearly within the prohibition of the fundamental law of the land. And this we conceive to be the condition of the act of the legislature which we are now called upon to consider."

"The principles upon which such conclusion is based are so fully stated and discussed in the cases herein named and in the authorities therein cited that we will attempt to be as brief as possible. An Ohio law relating to fraternal associations, containing exemptions in substantially the same terms as those from our own law, heretofore quoted, was declared to be unconstitutional and void in the case of *Williams vs. Donoghue*, 65 Ohio S., 499, 16 L. R. A., 756, which counsel for appellee presses upon us as in point in this case. Appellant insists, however, that insurance fraternal beneficiary associations were classed by the Ohio law together with insurance companies generally and hence that that decision is inapplicable. But, however this may be, it seems that in our insurance laws the legislature has very plainly distinguished insurance companies generally from fraternal beneficiary associations such as appellant. By our law they are evidently given distinct and different classifications. See *Sayles, Tex. Civ. Stat.*, title 58, relating to insurance companies generally; *ibid.*, title 49a, Supp., relating alone to fraternal beneficiary associations; *et ins. Co. vs. Parker*, 72 S. W. Reports, pp. 168-170; *Life Assn. vs. Mottler*, 185, U. S., 46 L. Ed. 922, and in our judgment such differing classification is not a mere arbitrary one resting on inflexible reason.

SUPREME COURT

"As said by the supreme court of the United States in construing Texas insurance statutes: 'The ground for placing life and health insurance companies in a different class from fire, marine and inland insurance companies is obvious, and we think that putting them in a different class from mutual benefit and relief associations of the character mentioned in the Texas statutes is not an arbitrary classification, but rests on sufficient reason.' See *Life Assn. vs. Mottler*, supra. From which it follows as we conclude, adversely to appellee's contention, that the law under consideration cannot be declared unconstitutional for the reason that special benefits and privileges are conferred upon fraternal beneficiary associations that are not conferred upon other classes of insurance organizations. For it is well settled that legislation is not open to the constitutional objection urged 'if all persons or associations brought under its influence are treated alike under the same conditions.' *Campbell vs. Cook*, 26 S. W. Reports, 489; *et ins. Co. vs. Chowning*, 26 S. W. Reports, 982, et authorities therein cited.

STARTED IN JUSTICE COURT

The case which brought forth this decision, oddly enough, had its beginning in the court of a justice of the peace. The supreme judge of the United Beneficial Association, successfully appealed to the county court and thence to the court of appeals. J. E. Johnson was the appellant. The facts in this case are shown by the trial court's conclusions. Therefrom it appears that appellant is a duly incorporated fraternal insurance organization under the laws of Texas, with its chief place of business in Tarrant county. That business is conducted for the sole benefit of its members and beneficiaries and not for profit; that it has a lodge system with ritualistic form of work and elective representative form of government and that the fund from which it pays its beneficiaries is derived from a monthly assessment against its members and that in all other respects it conforms to our laws relating to fraternal insurance organizations, as set forth in title 58, Supp. Statutes, Tex. Civ. Stat.

"The further appears that one W. F. Walker died on the 26th day of March, 1902, holding a certificate of the appellant association for the sum of \$1,000, payable to his wife, Mrs. W. F. Walker, by virtue of which appellant is now indebted in the sum of \$90; that after the death of her husband, Mrs. Walker became justly indebted to the appellee in this case (J. E. Johnson) who sued her upon such indebtedness in the justice court, and at the same time duly sued out garnishment process which was served on the appellant association. Appellant pleaded that the fund due on the certificate mentioned was exempt from such process and from the judgment of the justice court against this contention an appeal to the county court was taken where a like judgment was rendered, and hence this appeal."

CLAIMED EXEMPTION

The United Beneficial Association claimed exemption under section 2 of the act regulating such association, which is as follows:

"Section 2. The money or other benefit, charity, relief or aid to be paid, provided or rendered by any association authorized to do business under the provisions of this act, shall not be liable for the debts of the beneficiary or holder of any certificate, and shall not be subject to garnishment or other process at the suit of any creditor, nor shall it be taken, levied, appropriated or applied by any legal or equitable process or by operation of law, to the debts of the certificate holder or any beneficiary named in such certificate or any person who may have any right thereunder."

Appellee's contention," says the court, "which the trial courts agreed, is that section 2 of the act, in violation of the fourteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States, providing that no state shall deny the equal protection

BOARD OF TRADE WILL TAKE UP QUESTION OF BUILDING AUDITORIUM FOR CONVENTIONS

President Washer and Secretary Paddock Say the Suggestion in The Telegram Is a Good One, and Should Be Pushed by United Efforts of the Business People—The Telegram Will Contribute One Hundred Dollars to Stock Subscription for an Auditorium for the City of Fort Worth

The Telegram will subscribe \$100 to the stock of a company to be organized for the purpose of constructing an auditorium in this city, to be a permanent institution, to be managed by a board of directors, elected by the stockholders, the size being sufficient to entertain large gatherings, the location being convenient.

In the Telegram Friday there was an editorial suggestion that a movement of this character should be started, and that the Board of Trade was the proper authority to put the thing going. Next year there are to be meetings of various kinds in this state, conventions of the various political parties, state gatherings of all kinds, and each and every one will spend money in whatever town they meet. They are a benefit to every city, and whatever is invested in an auditorium will bring returns to every citizen either directly or indirectly. They mean more to a city than do the alleged fairs and carnivals, which are held at various places, and they result in much financial return and in advertising.

Fort Worth has not had a democratic state convention in years. Waco, Dallas, San Antonio, Austin and Houston, have all entertained the convention since Fort Worth has, and now it is the Fort Worth time for it. This city cannot get the location of that convention without a proper place in which it is to meet. The delegation of citizens which will go before the state committee, asking for the convention, will not be able to meet with success if it has only promises to offer. It must go before that committee and show pictures of the proposed hall, a ground

thereof. Such discrimination in our judgment plainly violates the fundamental principles of equal rights to all and special privileges to none.

"Nor do we think we can dispose of the objections to the act by rejecting section 16, which alone seems subject to constitutional objection. The rule briefly is that where the unconstitutional portion is essentially and inseparably connected in substance with that which is constitutional the whole must be rejected. See *Connolly vs. Union Sewer Pipe Company*, 184 U. S., 46, L. Ed. 979, followed by our supreme court in the case of *State vs. Camp Company*, 95 Tex., 611. In the case first cited the court held in effect that an exemption of agricultural products and live stock while in the hands of the producer or raiser in the anti-trust law of the state of Illinois, invalidated the act.

ALEXANDER'S GRIP HID IN LUMBER YARD

Dallas' Second Sensational Robbery Within a Month Ends Tamely Like First. Reports and Pistols Stolen

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—After working all day to locate the robber or robbers who stole a valise containing \$290,000 worth of bonds and securities from the Velasco, Brazos and Northern railway, from the buggy of President Charles H. Alexander last night while it stood at one of the busiest corners in the business section, the police this evening succeeded in finding the valise containing the papers in a lumber yard in the northern part of the city. One side of the valise was cut open.

The bonds and notes were all right, but the two pistols and reports for the interstate commerce commission and the Texas railroad commission were gone.

President Alexander was much pleased tonight at recovering his securities, but said: "I worked for more than two months getting up those reports and now I've got to do the work all over. I've got a good trade pending for the Velasco, Brazos and Northern which I think will be favorably concluded within the next few days."

A BIG MALTING PLANT

Site Is Selected at Omaha—Plant to Cost \$500,000

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The announcement was made by R. Peters & Co. this morning that a site has been secured for the location of the plant which is the intention of the American Malt Company to build in this city. The local agents of the company are in receipt of communication from Mr. Mullmahn, vice president of the company, in which he states that the company expects him to return here some time during the coming week to inspect the site selected and make arrangements for the commencement of building operations. The plant to be erected here will cost \$500,000.

IOWA MURDER MYSTERY

German Woman's Body Found in Timber Near Belle Plaine

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—A special from Belle Plaine states that the body of an unidentified German woman was found in a secluded patch of timber this afternoon. Tracks leading to the scene indicated that the woman had been murdered and dumped there. Blood hounds were placed on the trail.

MINERS ARE VOTING

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The coal miners in the northern district of Colorado are voting tonight whether or not to accept the eight-hour proposition made by the operators at Louisville yesterday. United mine worker leaders are in favor of the proposition and until this evening it looked as though the miners would adopt it and return to work Monday morning. Late this evening, however, emissaries from the Western Federation of Miners left for the northern district to advise the strikers against returning to work, claiming that it will weaken the eight-hour cause in the southern coal camps and also in the gold and silver camps where the mill men are striking for an eight-hour day. The result of the vote will not be known until tomorrow morning.

DIPLOMATS ARE TALKING OVER INCIDENT

Freely Suggested in London That Action of United States Paves the Way for Ignoring Monroe Doctrine

LONDON, Nov. 14.—(Special Cable.)—The revolution on the Isthmus of Panama is attracting great attention in continental departments, especially in view of the attitude of the United States government in the matter. It cannot be denied that many members of the older school of diplomacy who have no reason to love the United States, are highly delighted at the latest developments, for many of them hold that the action of the United States opens the way to an assault on the Monroe doctrine.

DEMOCRATS TO SUPPORT THE MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—After a two hour and a half conference tonight the democratic members of the house of representatives by a vote of 95 to 15, decided to support the Cuban reciprocity bill. Four members of the Louisiana contingent, two from Florida, three from California and several from Texas are opposed to the bill. The decision of the case will not bind those who have been instructed to fight the measure. An attempt will be made to amend the bill. The resolution adopted provides that an attempt should be made to strike the five-year limitation from the bill and insert in its place an amendment, adopting the duty on sugar.

BANK CLEARINGS

The following were the bank clearings for last week, and those of the corresponding week a year ago:

1903	\$4,231,928.55
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COLLISION IN LOUISIANA TWENTY NEGROES KILLED

Fast Mail Crashes Into Accommodation Train Near Kentwood, La.

THE COACHES FILLED WITH SECTION HANDS

Bodies of Blacks Hurlled in Every Direction by the Engine

SEVERAL WHITES ARE SERIOUSLY INJURED

First Reports of Accident Cause Great Excitement in New Orleans—Scene at the Wreck Resembles Battlefield

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—A score of negroes working as section

EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT TO BE PREPARED

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The educational committee of the Texas World's Fair commission held a meeting in the offices of the commission this morning and agreed on methods for raising at once an amount of money which will permit of a thorough exhibit in the educational building at the World's Fair.

Dr. J. L. Long of this city, chairman of the committee, presided, and others present were J. S. Kendall of the North Texas Normal college at Denton, H. C. Pritchett of Huntsville, J. C. Hopkins, superintendent of the public schools of Galveston, and Hon. Arthur Lefevre, state superintendent of public instruction.

The method of preparing the exhibit, as well as the method of raising the money that will be needed, were under discussion. The committee had advised which showed that nearly all the states in the union will make an elaborate showing of their educational facilities, and it was the unanimous opinion that Texas cannot afford to be behind any of them, inasmuch as the public school system of Texas is probably equal to that of any other state and in advance of most of them.

The committee decided that not only should the schools of the state make an exhibit in the educational building, but that it should also make a display in the Texas building, for which purpose ample space has been promised to the committee.

The gentlemen present were emphatic in the opinion that Texas could not afford to do less than the other states in that direction and that it was a matter that should arouse the pride of every teacher in the state. Those present promised that their respective towns would raise their full quotas of the amount that will be necessary to show that in work of education Texas is not behind any state in the country.

GIRL SHOTS HER AUNT

Gun Accidentally Discharged While Waiting for a Hawk

FORTLAND, Me., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Carrie Bailey, 16 years old, who lived with her grandmother on a farm in Westbrook, while waiting in the yard this afternoon for a chance to shoot a hawk, accidentally discharged the gun and shot her grandmother, Mrs. Leighton, and her aunt, Mrs. Ida Leighton. The latter was instantly killed. Mrs. Leighton is in a critical condition.

WEATHER FORECAST

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Forecast: Georgia—Fair Sunday, increasing cloudiness Monday; light variable winds shifting to fresh east. Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Eastern Texas—Fair Sunday, Monday, fair in south; rain and cooler in north portion; fresh to brisk southerly winds; Western Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas and Nebraska—Fair Sunday and Monday; cooler Monday. Kentucky and Tennessee—Fair Sunday; probably rain and cooler Monday. Missouri—Increasing cloudiness Sunday, followed by rain; clearing and cooler Monday. Illinois—Rain by Sunday night; rain or snow and colder Monday; increasing east winds.

LOOKS INTO THE SCANDALS AT OMAHA

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The federal grand jury at noon today adjourned until 9 o'clock Monday. The entire week has been spent by that body in the postoffice scandal, interspersed with hearings on minor cases, having to do mostly with postoffice scandals that are being pushed by inspectors Smith and Spencer. There is reason for believing that the inquiry into Senator Dietrich's alleged postoffice transactions in Hastings, Alma and other points will occupy all of next week, and perhaps into the next week.

Friday night additional witnesses, who had been subpoenaed, arrived and it is expected they will testify early next week.

It is learned that the third postoffice appointment secured on Senator Dietrich's resolution, that it is proposed to investigate, is that of Andrew Richmond, to be postmaster at Orleans in Charlan county. W. R. Beedo, a prominent Harlan politician and secretary of the central committee, who was candidate for the appointment as postmaster, says he was told by Senator Dietrich that there was one local endorsement he must certainly have before he could get the appointment. When he went for that endorsement he says a certain sum of money was demanded of him. This case is strikingly similar to the Alma case, in which it is charged that Representative E. Lowe was the go-between and secured \$1,000 for the appointment, of which he is alleged to have confided to a number of persons, one-half went to Dietrich.

It is charged that similarly, in the Orleans case, the man who was finally appointed postmaster, was compelled to pay for the recommendation of the local representative of Senator Dietrich. When it was learned that this third postoffice investigation was to be made Postmaster Mitchell of Alma remarked with a sour smile: "Well, I guess we might as well make this a postmasters' reunion and perfect an organization."

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A Page of Interest to All

IS BLONDE-HAIRED BEAUTY DISAPPEARING? SYNOPSIS: THE ARTISTS IN COIFFURE SAY NO TO THE FASHIONS IN A WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY



VARIETIES OF FREE PRESENT DAY TREATMENT OF THE HAIR

Blond hair is fast disappearing from the market is the startling announcement made by the large hair importers and coiffures in the city, and that part of the feminine world whose crowning glory is of the much prized golden tint smiles complacently to itself as the word sounds abroad and then suddenly grows alarmed.

It is something to be a blonde in the face of a golden hair famine, yet the far-seeing woman recognizes in this scarcity of her type an immense disadvantage, due to the fashion of the times.

Why this famine of blond tresses? What is responsible for it, and who can foresee the result of such a curious and unlooked for condition of affairs?

The demand for blond hair far exceeds the supply now that so many false pieces are used in the fashionable coiffure, and the supply upon which hair importers have previously depended has been vastly decreased by the recent laws passed in several European countries whereby the cutting off

of hair for commercial purposes is punished by imprisonment.

It was about three years ago that Sweden, Germany and Norway refused to allow the peasants to part with their flaxen braids, and as these countries have always been America's main source of the blond hair, the market has in consequence grown more and more crippled. Since the passing of these laws it is said that the price of hair has advanced 300 per cent, a hundred each year, and the prospects are good for an increase at an even greater rate.

Of course, there are some importers who manage to secure small quantities of flaxen hair from these European countries by taking risks, and the price they ask for their goods is certainly in proportion to the risk.

No More Pennants' Tresses.

"The peasants of these North European countries are by no means so poor as they were a few years ago," said the manager of one of the largest New York coiffure

establishments, "and this is another reason why we find such difficulty in getting blond hair for our clients. When the peasants needed the money they were willing to part with their hair at a very fair price. Now we cannot get it—that is, in the quantities necessary for our business—at any price.

"With Sweden, Norway, France and Germany out of the list we are forced to depend almost entirely upon what can be secured in the Southern countries, and this means that scarcely any light hair, either brown or yellow, can be found.

"Practically the only countries now open to us are Italy, Spain and Russia, all three being lands of dusky haired beauties, and even these young women are loth to let their tresses fall beneath the shears.

"When blond hair is so difficult to get it is but natural that makers of false pieces should remark the demand for it, and, strangely enough, during the last year or two there has been a far greater call for

hair of this color than ever before. This is accounted for by the prevailing fashion in coiffures which necessitates the use of various false curls, puffs and knots.

False Pieces Used.

"There was a time, not so very long ago either, when a woman wore a false piece only because she had to do so in order to hide her thin locks, and she was very careful to conceal this deception from all her friends. Now no woman considers her head properly dressed unless she wears at least one adjusted piece. Because she does this, it is by no means a sign that she has sufficient hair of her own for all practical purposes, but it is impossible to get the right effect in a coiffure without using such accessories.

"The thickest head of hair is the hardest and most unsatisfactory to dress, and the only way to give the owner of such hair a really smart appearance is by resorting to

curls and false pieces which are light, easily adjusted and have a remarkably natural look.

"There are no more blondes among the women of our country than there have been; on the contrary, it might be said that the number is even less now, and this impression is certainly augmented by the disappearance of the 'peroxide blonde.' The owners of change of coiffure, style and treatment, or something new in the way of a substitute for artificial hair, but it is hard to see how we can get on without a certain amount of detached human hair."

"There is one shade of blond hair which I have been unable to match," said another coiffure artist, "though I have tried in nearly every country in Europe. It is an unusual shade, of course, and the texture is very fine, and the woman who wants it matched is

anxious to have an adjustable piece made.

"When we could depend upon Normandy and Brittany and neighboring countries for blond hair we were always able to match the finest texture or most unusual and delicate coloring. Matters are beginning to look very precarious for our business, and in two or three years there is no telling how it will be, for the supply of hair is diminishing constantly and rapidly. All shades are difficult to secure, though the light ones are decidedly the rarest.

"Women keep their hair in such good condition now that it requires the very best in the market with which to match it.

"The introduction of false hair is almost universal. One reason for this is that transformations and front pieces save time, and they are easier to keep in good condition than a woman's own hair. For country sports, for instance, it is almost impossible to do a coiffure so that it will keep neat for an entire afternoon or day, and for such occasions these adjuncts are almost indispensable.

Curls and Knots.

There are all sorts of braids, with straight or curly ends, torades (or twists); switches that are waved or braided, knots, figure

curls, puffs, clusters, innumerable curls and front pieces, to say nothing of the head as most like a wig, only that the wearer's own hair shows in the center.

Fashion still seems to divide itself in regard to the adoption of the low or the high coiffure. There are advocates of both styles, with the slightly waved pompadour, which is singularly picturesque and generally becoming. One artist has said that he doesn't exist a woman whom he cannot make good looking with a becomingly arranged low coiffure. The coils and curls lying in the neck impart a wonderfully soft effect to a woman's head and face, and a profile that is only fair gains much by this arrangement of the hair.

Some of the newest ornamental combs come with the little twists and curls fastened on them. These are quickly and conveniently slipped into the hair with a suggested improvement in effect.

The weather vane of fashion seems to be veering around to that quarter which preclaims the part the thing. Many will be glad to hear this, for the simple reason that a woman who wears her hair parted looks distinctive, if nothing else.

The Bolting Habit.

We live not upon what we eat, but upon what we digest.

The history of human troubles began with food. Eve, eating of the fruit of the tree, found it good. Adam ate and punishment followed. Now, even as then, temptation begins with the palate, that janitor of the stomach who may not be offended with impunity. Hunger is the compelling force, and the sense of taste was supposedly given as a guide to appetite, but where gratification of the palate becomes the object and the nutrition of the body a minor consideration trouble usually ensues.

In the first place gratification too often tends to excess, either in the amount or variety of foods eaten. Were the choice of dishes limited or their preparation more simple the many troubles arising from the various forms of indigestion would probably be less. Take the question of meat.

The various forms of fish, flesh and fowl are in general agreeable to the palate and gratifying to the stomach. Moreover, no food materials lend themselves more readily to the cook's skill than these. It follows that excess in this special line becomes not only easy but habitual, and the results are sometimes serious. Under normal, healthy conditions meat is ordinarily termed digestible, but it is probably eaten in too great quantities by many people, particularly those who lead more or less indolent or sedentary lives. It is quite safe to say that many of the prevailing (or fashionable) diseases of the day are at least linked with an excess of albuminous waste in the system.

The question of the digestibility of foods is a complex one, depending upon so many modifying circumstances no one may draw down-didactic rules in general. The digestibility, therefore the nutrient power, of meats is affected by the age of the animal when killed as well as by their previous care and feeding. In general, the hard and long fibered meat is less digestible than the softer, short fibered. Beef and mutton are considered more digestible than pork, or veal, yet beef is a long fibered meat and pork is a tender fibered, but less digestible, probably because of the large amount of fat present.

Should a table of the comparative digestibilities of various meats be shown it would be misleading. Lamb properly cooked might be more digestible than the more esteemed mutton improperly prepared. Personal idiosyncrasies, the particular condition of the digestive organs, the age and occupation of the person are modifying circumstances in the digestibility of a particular food.

The habit of hasty eating probably has as much to do with the prevailing American indigestion as any other one thing. The process of digestion, especially of the carbohydrates, begins in the mouth, and when food is unconsciously bolted, as it often is, even when one is not trying to catch a train, it cannot be properly digested. The things which are the easiest to swallow hastily are the ones necessary to retain in the mouth sufficiently long to insure proper mixing with the digestive juice of the saliva. Cereals, potatoes, bread, all starchy foods considered digestible in general, are certainly not that to the person who eats them improperly. No class of foods needs more careful preparation than those containing starch, and probably no foods are more abused in this particular.

How Uncle Sam had to Wash and Iron his Boys' Money.

When Uncle Sam pays in gold coin of the United States his obligations to his fighting nephews in the Far East a fairly considerable dent is made in the national bank roll.

When the transport drops anchor in Manila Bay and the quartermaster captain goes up the River Pasig to the office of the captain of the port there is rejoicing from the water front to the Army and Navy Club, in Calle Pasado, for the gentleman with the shoulder straps realizes that now, to the pomp and circumstance of war—as expressed by the functions at the Governor's palace in Malacanan and the General's receptions in Manila—there is to be added the material consideration of valor—money—or, as the natives say, dinero.

Certainly the man who goes a-soldiering has a right to expect prompt pay. Ordinarily he gets it. Sometimes, for various reasons, he waits. One of the oddest of these various reasons was advanced on the recent arrival in Manila of the United States transport Sumner. The Sumner, being the money ship, the word was exultantly passed around Manila that the minute her funnels were recognized on Corregidor.

"No," argued the captain and the colonels and the lieutenants and the "shave tulls" and all the rest of the grand army, "now we will get our money and spend it in

more or less riotous living 'neath the shade of the sheltering palm."

But said one, Col. Charles H. Whipple, by way of being the chief paymaster of the islands:—"Mañana."

And from the consequent questionings developed the fact that Uncle Sam had been doing a little job of washing and ironing money, and not until the wash was dry could the creditors get their pay.

The why of it was this:

When the good ship Sumner, drawing clear of the Poison street dock in San Francisco, and heading out past the Presidio and the Farallone Islands, had been on her way not longer than it takes from ten o'clock to midday the discovery was made by a certain of the favored passengers that money was aboard. The Sumner was a veritable treasure ship, carrying paper to the value of \$550,000 stamped with the promise of the government of the United States.

Now, as everybody knows, such a sum of ready cash as this is not to be carelessly handed or lightly considered. It won't do to take a fortune of this magnitude and stow it away in a steamer trunk under the bunk and it isn't "the regulations" even to put it in the little safe in the quartermaster captain's snug office on the main deck. No,

some more secure hiding place must be found.

Such a place was found for the Sumner's \$550,000. First the money, which was in denominations of ones, twos, tens and twenties, had been neatly bound up in appropriately sized packages and the whole collection placed in a large wooden box, iron bound and lined with tarred paper. Next, the box had been taken aboard.

"The place for this money," decided the quartermaster captain, "is the powder magazine."

The captain argued it would be a good thing to keep the bills in a dry place. Next, he argued that the powder magazine was a dry place. Ergo, the powder magazine was a good place for the \$550,000. The logic of the quartermaster captain was flawless.

The money was stored away in the powder magazine, and the favored passengers who had been let into the secret that half a million dollars was the principal cargo forgot all about its presence on board after the first few hundred miles had been passed and the charms of sea, sky and smoking room had begun to work.

Everybody who was on board agreed it was a very fine voyage indeed; that it to say, a very fine voyage till the coast of Japan

was reached. Now and then a thing called a typhoon sweeps along the coast of Japan, and when this happens persons in the neighborhood are aware of the fact. A typhoon is to the coast of Japan what the cyclone and the hurricane and the tornado would be to Kansas if they were all rolled into one and given a running start.

The good ship Sumner encountered a typhoon off the coast of Japan. It was superfluous to speak further on this point. The Sumner encountered a typhoon. That was all.

"Anyway," said the quartermaster captain, shakily, after it was all over, "anyway, the money is safe. It's in the powder magazine."

Just to make sure, however, he took what is termed in the East a "look-see." The powder magazine held two things, water and the money box—principally water.

When the quartermaster captain got to Manila he turned the box over to Colonel Whipple. "Here's your money," he said. He hesitated. "Wasn't that a typhoon off the coast of Japan," he said, "and possibly you'll find the stock has been watered."

Colonel Whipple opened the box. "The mine has been sold, all right," he agreed.

Then he added:—"This half million dollars has been washed clean enough. It is now time for the ironing."

In one corner of Colonel Whipple's office in the Santa Potenciana Building, in the walled city part of Manila, stands a twentieth century letter press. The Colonel called one of the little brown brothers who do duty as helpers and gave him instructions to put the greenbacks under the screws. Several gallons of water having been squeezed out, the preparations for ironing were commenced.

Blotting paper was laid on the tables and on the blotters the bills, eighteen to a card, were spread. When one hundred bills had been laid out a muchacho armed with a steaming iron, the sort that in the States only takes use, but which in the East are in general usage, appeared. He flourished the charcoal goose, ran its sizzling surface along the damp dollars, polished them to a grateful crisp and passed on to the next table.

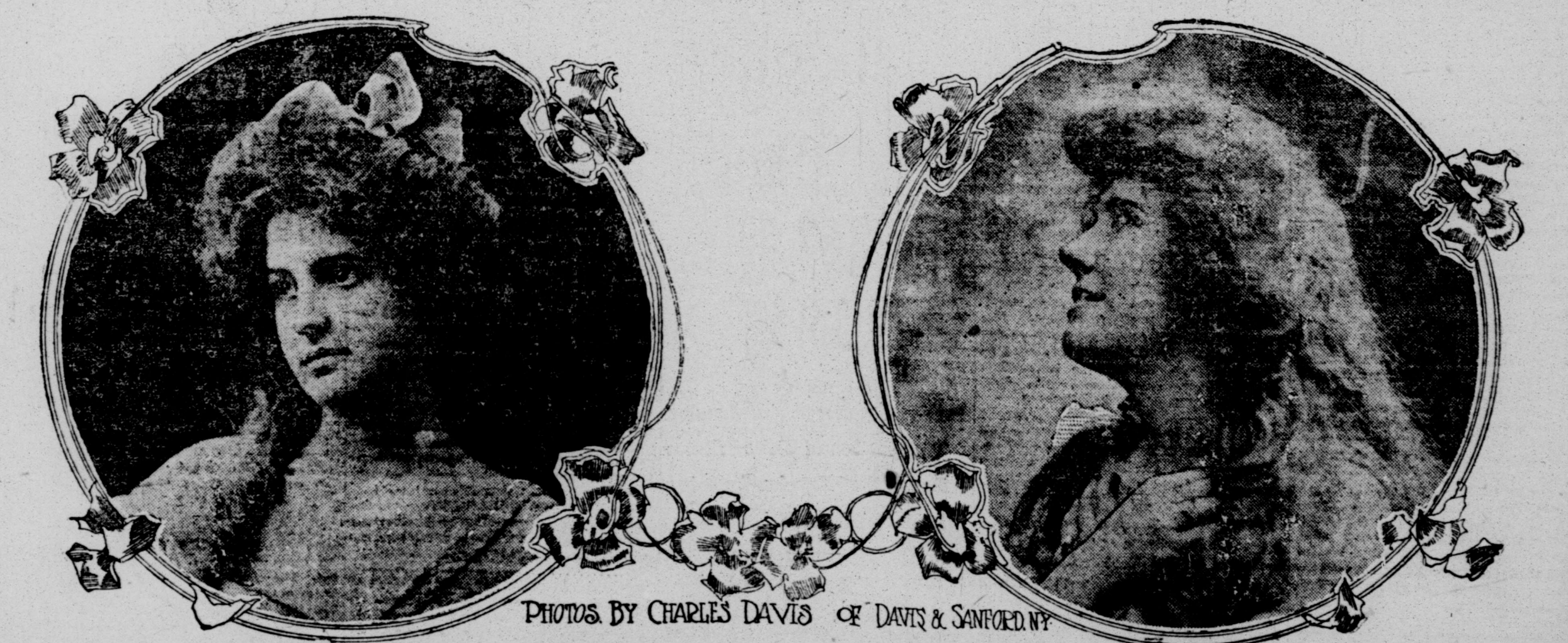
And then, after the sea washing and the charcoal ironing, the fighting man in the Far East got the pay due him and, with his wallet crammed comfortably, sauntered over to the Army and Navy Club, in the same street, and cashed his monthly accumulation of bills.

Irish Moss as a Medicine and a Dessert.

Irish moss as a dessert has been revived by the smart hostesses of this season. Irish moss mangle, frappe, cream and salad are familiar items on the menu for a midsummer or autumn luncheon, and as for the ever popular shore dinners, with sea food in every possible form, they are not complete without the moss in at least two different styles.

The gathering of this edible variety of seaweed is one of the most interesting harvests imaginable. The finer grades of moss are generally supposed to come from the shores of Ireland, but, in reality, they reaped from the rocks along some portions of the Atlantic coast is not only just as good, and perhaps better, for it is fresher, but it is also much cheaper than the imported article. Along the shores of Block Island the huge rocks, covered with water during high tide, are rich with the purple and white clusters of moss. Used more or less at the different sea resorts for many years, this rare, fern-like plant has suddenly become popular. A well-known society woman, suffering from a severe bronchial affection, discovered that the moss, served in attractive dessert form, proved to be the best remedy for her ailment. A most decided relief was brought about by its means. By having Irish moss, served in some dainty guise, always upon her table, the idea became popular, and in some places it came to be the fad to have the moss served in every possible way. Although it is not generally known that it is a medicine, medical authority states that in cases of irritation of the throat and in severe colds the seaweed furnishes almost immediate relief, as it is highly antiseptic and soothing. As an old-fashioned recipe, used in the days when our grandmothers wore hoop skirts, read—"Boil Irish moss for thirty minutes, strain, add sugar and lemon juice and boil again." This is agreeable to the taste and is efficacious in all kinds of throat trouble. The moss boiled until dissolved and strained to separate the suggestion of fibre which is left as the leaves melt, is much liked as a thickening substance for soups. It has a taste suggestive of the sea, without being salty. One pound of moss makes four gallons of clear, firm, transparent jelly, which takes easily any flavor that is given it.

A favorite recipe of the islanders who use the moss grows as follows: Although it is not in very hot water, place the cluster in a glass dish, sprinkle thickly with sugar and cinnamon or any desired spice, cover with layers of sliced lemon. Alternate the moss, spice and lemon until the dish is filled. Cover all with hot water and set away. In a couple of hours the moss will have dissolved and congealed into a solid jelly, which should be set upon the ice to cool. Beat with whipped cream, this makes a most delicious dessert. The moss washed and covered with hot lemon juice in place of water, and set to coagulate, makes an agreeable salad. To prepare in the most palatable way, peel, quarter and chop fine one entire tart apple, together with a bit of celery. Arrange upon a salad dish a few crisp leaves of lettuce fresh from the ice. The moss jelly, which is firm, can be cut in small cubes, and should be placed in the salad, with the apple and celery around. Cover with a tablespoonful of thick mayonnaise. If garnished with a few pecans or walnuts the salad makes an attractive as well as a very novel and delightful relish.



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VARIETIES OF FREE PRESENT DAY TREATMENT OF THE HAIR

THANKSGIVING TABLE LINEN SALE

MARKS AN EPOCH IN OUR HISTORY

Never before have we attempted such a display. Having searched every available market to obtain the most beautiful selections in Table Linens that could be purchased, we were successful beyond our fondest hopes as we have combined the most beautiful designs in this collection. We are fortunate enough in purchasing these Linens before the advance in price, and will offer those attending to buy at a great saving. **Ordering by Mail:** Customers living in the city wish to take advantage of this sale and not able to attend, we will gladly fill their orders by mail and prepay. Express charges on any purchase of \$5.00 or over.

Thanksgiving Table Linen

PURE Flax, 58-inch Unbleached Table Linen, that sold for 50c per yard; special for this sale, yard..... **39c**

An excellent Union Damask, 72-inch silver bleached in floral designs and dots; we have been selling at 65c per yard; special for this sale, yard..... **49c**

Here is a beautiful article, all pure linen, very closely woven, Silver bleached, our regular 85c seller, reduced for this sale, per yard..... **69c**

Thanksgiving Table Linen

AND We wish you to see the pure Bleached Table Linen in floral designs and dots that sold for 65c per yard; special at this sale, yard..... **49c**

A fine bargain here is our 72-inch Bleached Damask with Grecian borders; you purchased it Saturday at \$1.25 per yard; special, this sale, yard..... **98c**

You paid \$1.50 and \$1.75 per yard for a handsome Bleached Damask, 72 inches wide, extra heavy. Get it now at this sale, yard..... **\$1.29**

Thanksgiving Table Linen

LOT of snowy white Satin Damask, 72 inches wide, soft, smooth finish that sold for \$2.00 per yard; we offer special for this sale, yd..... **\$1 69**

If you wish something superior, don't miss the extra wide Table Damask we sold for \$2.00 per yard; you can buy at this sale, per yard..... **\$1.65**

Every one admired our winner—a Table Linen with beautiful designs and double border, we sold at \$2.25 per yard; special this sale, yard..... **\$1.85**

LADIES attending this sale can purchase Napkins that we sold very fast \$1.25 doz., all pure linen full bleached with selvage edge, special as long as they last, per dozen..... **89c**

IMAGINE yourself purchasing these elegant Napkins that we sold at \$3 per dozen, extra quality and beautiful floral designs at the remarkable price for this sale, per dozen..... **\$2 49**

NOTHING better than these full bleached Napkins, good weight, Grecian borders, and pretty designs, regular \$1.50 quality and large size that we have marked for this sale only, per doz..... **\$1 23**

EXTREMELY choice will be any of our regular \$2.50 Napkins that are full bleached with floral designs which we are going to offer for this sale at the attractive price, per doz..... **\$1 89**

NOW you can try other stores but you can never find Napkins like these that we sold you at \$3.50 per dozen; for this sale we will make them for your choice, per dozen..... **\$2 98**

STUNNING, indeed, are those \$6.00 purest white Napkins with Sunburst and floral designs that are fit for a Queen's table; special Thanksgiving price, per dozen..... **\$4 98**

Handsome Dress Goods

SO many buyers are learning that Parker-Lowe always offer the best and latest novelties in Dress Goods. We are not behind the time now as our showing is the largest and handsomest in the city.

54-inch Black Zibeline, very heavy for Coat Suits and Wraps, price per yard..... **\$1 50**

46-inch black Pebble Cheviot, extra quality, finely woven, none better, price per yard..... **\$1 00**

46-inch Black Venetian Cloth, very fashionable for Suits and Skirts, price per yard..... **\$1 00**

56-inch Black Melton, good weight, very serviceable, price per yard..... **50c**

70-inch Imported Scotch Tweeds in latest fancy mixtures, per yard..... **\$1 75**

Velvets Marked Down

Our full line of fancy Metallic Print and Gun Metal Velvets that we sold so much of this fall for waists. Regular 75c per yard quality; reduced to, per yard..... **69c**

At the Glove Counter

A department without a flaw, is the opinion of our Customers, and yet we are always adding something new to our already popular lines. The latest addition is the purchase from Perrin Freres & Cie; their line of Men's Gloves which took the Grand Prix at the Paris Exposition. All sizes and latest shades, per pair..... **\$2 00**

Our Charming Millinery

A GREAT difference are Parker-Lowe models compared to those shown elsewhere. This expression you hear from the women of Fort Worth who appreciate exclusive ideas in dress. A greater compliment could not be paid this Great Store as it is the best recognition of our leadership we could ask for, and how well we are entitled to this praise. Were it not for the fact that we are so firmly established as the best style authority in Northern Texas, one might hesitate in accepting an extreme creation so decidedly different from what others offer. But every one knows that what you get here is correct in every detail and the styles we show are certain to be leaders. A visit to this department will convince you of Our Right to this Reputation.

A Monday Millinery Special

Will be the sale of a handsome collection of New Dress and Street Hats, that are exceptional values for these creations. Extra special Monday..... **\$3 50**

Black Underwear Sale

Here is an opportunity to obtain some extra values in good Winter Underwear.

Women's Vests and Pants, all wool, extra quality—regular \$1.50 per garment; special this week, per garment..... **98c**

Good Cotton and Wool Mixture Vests and Pants—regular \$1.00 quality; special this week..... **75c**

Women's Waists and Skirts

LOOK! Half prices rule tomorrow in our Waist and Skirt Department on our stock of seasonable Dress Waists and Skirts. This will be welcome news to all who have the beauty of their wearing apparel at heart and will be eagerly embraced. Those who are in earnest will do well to act promptly as the stock of these Garments is limited and the demand will be greater, and getting one of these Real Waist or Skirt Bargains resolves itself into the simple question of getting here early.

Fancy Silk Waists in colors and black, our regular \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.00 values, all sizes, your choice..... **\$4 98**

Beautiful Evening Waists of finest Crepe De Chine, Taffeta Silks, Louise, etc., that sold for \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$17.50; choice only..... **\$9 50**

Chiffon and Crepe De Chine Waists for Evening and Receptions, perfect dreams of loveliness that sold for \$25.00 and \$27.00, marked for your choice..... **\$15 00**

Just think of those handsome Black Taffeta, Peau de Soie and Net Skirts in the most effective models that we have been selling at \$17.50, \$18.00 and \$20.00 are going this week at..... **\$9 50**

Another tempting offer will be those \$27.50, \$35.00 and \$37.50 Skirts that are the finest in the city, made of black taffeta and Peau de Soie; this week we sacrifice them for..... **\$18 50**

Tailored Suits and Cloaks

EXPRESS brought us Saturday the handsomest selection of Winter Suits that have ever graced this department. They are the best values we have seen and are the very latest now in vogue in New York City.

Long Coat Suits, blue and black Serge, having the new cape and new sleeve, satin lined and the blouse effect; price..... **\$15 00**

Nobby Suits are those blue, black and brown cheviot with belt, double capes and blouse effect, trimmed in silk braid, pendants and buttons; price..... **\$27 50**

A handsome suit is our Venetian Cloth Garment, has double capes, belt and new puff sleeve, trimmed in braid and pendants; price..... **\$32 50**

We have had a big demand for large size Cloaks which we have just received, in Pebble Cloth; have the Mannish effect, and sizes run from 38 to 44, very swell; price..... **\$15 00**

Infants' Long Cloaks

We often wonder what mothers would say if they knew how remarkably beautiful are the cloaks we have. They would be overjoyed to see these lovely little wraps and learn the extremely low price asked. No baby should be without one this winter because the prices are within the means of all.

Heavy Bedford Cord Cloaks with cape, prettily trimmed and lined; price..... **\$1 50**

Handsome Cloak with deep cape trimmed with braid and satin ribbon, price..... **\$2 50**

A beauty for baby is a handsome Bedford Cord Cloak with deep cape, trimmed in lace and insertion; price..... **\$3 50**

BECAUSE of big stock of Men's Winter Underwear, heavy fleece lined, extra well made, very serviceable, that we have sold at 50c per garment; you can buy them now at per garment..... **39c**

ASK to see the heavy winter Cloaks in Annex. You can purchase a good quality Cloak, well made, perfect fitting garment that sold for \$7.50 and \$10.00, now on sale at..... **\$5.00**

SURELY children may have Jackets this winter—our price makes it possible. Large assortment of \$2.50 and \$4.00 Jackets in blue, gray and black; extra good values that we reduced to..... **\$1.50**

ELEGANT Long Coat Suits in Suit Annex, made of those fancy Scotch Mixtures with plaited back and front, finely tailored, that should sell for \$15.00; our price..... **\$11.98**

MONDAY bargain in Shawls. Getting cold, now is the time to buy. Good heavy shawls, plain and fancy checks and plaids, all sizes, at \$2.25, \$1.25, 98c and..... **75c**

EXTRA swell Skirt is our 22-gored garment, has a very desirable effect, made of good quality Melton in gray and black and looks like the higher priced article; price..... **\$4.50**

NOW is the time for women to get Winter Hosiery. Our stock is largest and best. Extra heavy fleece lined black Hose, double toe and heel; extra value; price per pair..... **15c**

THE Walking and Dress Skirts in Annex. Latest arrivals at popular prices. Good quality Zibeline and Melton Skirts in Walking and Dress lengths, nicely trimmed, extra well made, perfect fit, at..... **\$5.00**

Saturday Night Concerts

CONFIDENT our patrons will appreciate this innovation, which has been inaugurated for their benefit. Always striving to give them the same service and new ideas that are in vogue in the Metropolitan cities has prompted us to introduce this new feature, and we trust that every one will step in and enjoy the music, which is for the pleasure of all.

THE Parker & Lowe DRY GOODS CO.

Latest Styles in Belts

OUR new attractive styles in Belts are here. We have the black patent calf with gilt buckle at 50c, The New Saffin Leather Belts which are so popular in the east in red and blue, 75c quality at 50c, and the very latest in Peau de Soie Silk Belts with long slide in back and buckle to match at 75c and \$1.25. Also many other late designs at very low prices.

TEACHERS ARE ORGANIZED

Association With All the Attributes of a Union is Formed

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Practically all the teachers in the public schools of

Greater New York have been brought together in a powerful organization, comparing in a favorable light numerically with any trades union in the city. The organization will be known as the Interborough Council of Teachers.

Overtures recently received from the Central Federated union to have the teachers form a regular trades union with the result that they would be affiliated with union workmen throughout the United States, were rejected; but, the Interborough Council possesses all the attributes of a trades union, although the teachers insist that there is a wide difference in their organization. Nearly 13,000 employees of the board of education are members of the council, which will be

the governing body for all the old associations. The latter are, therefore, practically amalgamated after many years of independent endeavor.

The organization as its direct object has the betterment of teachers and a

more perfect co-operation with the board of education.

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SANTAL-MIDY

Standard remedy for Gleet, Gonorrhoea and Runny Nose

100% PURE

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VISIT STRIPLING'S TOMORROW!

This store will be offering several special... mentioned here. New goods in the way of Belts, Lace Collars, Leather Purses, etc., have been received in the last few days.

New silks

We received a shipment of New Silks a few days ago. Among the finest kinds was an all silk Taffeta, 36 inches wide and wear guaranteed. This quality you have been used to paying \$1.19 a yard for; this week's price... 75c

Thanksgiving Linens

We have made prices on our Table Linens for the Thanksgiving sale early so that every one will have an opportunity of securing their linens on time. 56-inch Bleached Table Linen, polka dot designs—the regular price of this quality is 35c a yard; for the Thanksgiving sale only... 25c

Towels at a Price

Hemstitched Towels, made of cream linen with oak leaf center designs—worth regularly 50c a pair; for the Thanksgiving sale, per pair... 40c

Women's Ready-to-Wear

In the Women's Ready Made Garments we have the best values in Fort Worth. New Jackets that are being sold down-town at \$7.50 we are offering at... \$5.00

Special Millinery Offer

Women's White Beaver Shapes that have been sold all season at \$3.50 and \$4.25, we will sell all this week as a special at choice for only... \$2.50

DEATHS GILLESPIE

Rev. J. S. Gillespie died at the home of his son in Glenwood at 12:30 a. m. November 13, after a week's illness. Rev. Gillespie was born in Newcastle, Pa., July 1, 1820. As a boy he had very few educational opportunities, but revealed marks of intellectual power early in his boyhood.

four years more there. In 1874 he became pastor of the South Street church, Indianapolis. In October, 1877, he came to Fort Worth and became pastor of the First Baptist church in January, 1878. In January, 1883, thirty-four members withdrew out from the First church and organized the South Side Baptist church, of which he became pastor. He was pastor when they entered their own church building November 21, 1888. He remained pastor of this church for six years and nine months. This closed his active pastoral work. In all he was pastor for thirty-six years and during that time he received 2,500 people into the fellowship of the Baptist denomination. Since the close of his pastorate with the Broadway church he has lived in this city with his son. Thus has closed one of the historical lives of the city of Fort Worth. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. from the Broadway Baptist church. Services will be conducted by Rev. Luther Little, assisted by Rev. Leland M.

ions, Pastor J. W. Gillon having gone to Marvin, Texas.

REV. CROCKER HILLSBORO, Texas, Nov. 14.—Rev. Crocker, a Baptist preacher, living near Abbott, died yesterday.

CONOVER HILLSBORO, Texas, Nov. 14.—Blot Conover of near Jesse died yesterday.

FINAL STATEMENT ISSUED BY KATY

Cotton Conditions Along the Line Summed Up in Saturday Report

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special)—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company issued its final cotton crop statement at noon today. No station on the line showed deterioration as compared with other reports for the season; some showed improvement, and some of the reports indicated a half bale, three-quarter bale and a full bale average to the acre, according to locality. The report follows:

Celeste—Cotton crop conditions unchanged, one full week of fair weather with no rain; cotton opening fast. Denton—Cotton conditions same as last week; with continued fine weather for the next two weeks the crop will virtually all be in. Indications now point to more than half bale per acre. Cotton coming in rapidly and picking progressing finely in bottom lands. Denison—Cotton crop about same as last week; will average one-half bale per acre; being picked very fast. Dallas—Weather has been very favorable for picking and marketing of cotton; yield in Dallas county will average three-fourths bale per acre. Fort Worth—Condition of cotton unchanged; weather has been favorable for picking and receipts good. Gainesville—Condition of cotton unchanged; probably 80 per cent of crop picked. Greenville—Cotton shows continued improvement; have had week of sunshine and gathering crop has progressed fine. Yield about same as last year. Hillsboro—No material change in cotton; crop about two-thirds gathered; fine weather; no rain in past week. Houston—Estimate cotton crop short of last year's figures; picking nearly done in this territory. Rice threshing still progressing nicely; some just beginning to come in to mills; outlook for sugar and molasses fine. Jefferson—Estimated yield of cotton crop one bale to five acres. About all picked and two-thirds marketed. Orange—Cotton stand good and well along; but fruitage has been poor on account of boll weevil, which appeared early in the season and destroyed over half the normal crop. About three-fourths gathered; yield approximated one bale to five acres. McKinney—Cotton crop conditions unchanged. Mineola—Cotton being marketed rapidly; conditions unchanged. New Braunfels—Cotton crop about same as last report; no top crop. Pittsburg—Condition of cotton crop unchanged. Rockwall—Cotton crop unchanged; being gathered rapidly and will practically all be in by December 15, if suitable weather prevails. San Antonio—Weather favorable for cotton picking; very small crop, as bolls were sitting by weevils; those that escaped stinging are not opening to any great extent on account of cold nights. Sherman—Weather has been fine during past week and cotton is coming in fast. Smithville—Cotton crop unchanged since last report. San Marcos—Very little cotton yet remains to pick and end of present season is at hand; oil mills closed down tomorrow and may resume operations in about three weeks. Sealy—About three-fourths of cotton crop is gathered; yield will be about 20 per cent greater than last year and will yield about three-fourths bale per acre. Taylor—Cotton conditions unchanged; plant matured; over 80 per cent picked; estimate this year still exceeds figures for last year 20 per cent. Temple—Weather conditions favorable for gathering crop; no change in stand of yield and no change of climate conditions would affect it now. Waxahatchie—Cotton about same as last week; weather continues favorable for gathering crop; high lands will yield one-half to one-half bale per acre and some lowlands as much as one bale per acre. Over two-thirds of crop gathered. Waco—Weather conditions favorable for cotton picking; account high prices farmers are rushing picking and practically all shipped from this section; no frost to date. Inasmuch as the crop has practically matured, this report will be discontinued.

Greenville—Cotton shows continued improvement; have had week of sunshine and gathering crop has progressed fine. Yield about same as last year.

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Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 14 to 15 days. 50 cents.

CLEVELAND AFTER DUCK

Ex-President is Expecting Some Good Sport in Virginia. NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 14.—(Special)—Former President Cleveland passed through Norfolk today on his way to the preserves of the Back Bay Gunning Club, a few miles from Norfolk in Princess Anne county. He was accompanied by Dr. Van Tyler of Princeton university and Mrs. Tyler. Ducks are plentiful and Mr. Cleveland expects to remain on the preserve for a week or more.

TRIP FOR WHOLESALERS

BEAUMONT, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special)—Through the courtesy of the Santa Fe Railroad, Beaumont jobbers and wholesalers will make a trip in a body to the cities along the line of the Gulf, Beaumont and Kansas City.

PEABODY'S LIFE WAS THREATENED

Would-Be Assassin of Governor of Colorado Is Under Arrest

DENVER, Col., Nov. 14.—(Special)—For the past week or four weeks Governor Peabody has received letters at the state house, in which his life was threatened. The hour of his execution was set for 3 o'clock this afternoon, when the writer announced that he would be present to carry out his determination. In all the letters, numbered five or six, and each one lengthy and well written. The first letter contained only threats that if certain things demanded were not done then the governor could rely on being killed. Just when or how the killing would be done was not stated and no name was signed to the ominous missives. The late letters, however, have been more forceful and it was announced in them that at the hour of 3 on Saturday afternoon, the light of the governor's life would be snuffed out and the intimation was that a bomb or a revolver would be used. These letters bore the signature of Otto.

Governor Peabody kept the knowledge of the receipt of the letters and their contents carefully from the public, but he did confide in the police department. A conference was held in the executive office at the state house and it was decided to set a trap for the would-be assassin. A plan was perfected whereby Under Sheriff Felix O'Neill and Deputy Leonard De Lue were to be on hand at the appointed hour and if the crank appeared, arrest him. If the fellow proved to be really desperate and showed fight, he was not to be handled with care, but in no event was he to be shot until it was absolutely necessary to prevent his escape. In pursuance of the plan adopted, O'Neill and De Lue, well armed, took up their station just outside the governor's office, about half an hour before the assassination was scheduled to take place, and when Otto arrived he was arrested.

REVOLUTIONARY CORRESPONDENCE

Congress May Get Inside Facts of the Affair on the Isthmus of Panama

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—(Special)—A very definite impression obtains tonight that on Monday or early in the week the president will send to congress the correspondence and documents relative to the revolution in Panama, which was requested a few days ago by both branches of congress. It may be that the president will accompany them with a brief message of explanation for the correct guidance of the members. A final decision has not been reported upon this latter point.

VARILLA YIELDS TO SUGGESTION

Panama Minister Will Not Oppose the Visit of General Reyes

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—(Special)—M. Philippe Buanau Varilla, the Panama minister, has at last yielded to reason and will no longer oppose the visit of General Reyes of Colombia to the isthmus as a peace envoy. The only stipulation he makes is that General Reyes shall conduct himself and his negotiations from neutral territory, an American warship. This, he believes, essential to the peace of the new republic. Secretary Hay accepts the terms and notification will be sent the United States naval fleet at Colon and Panama. The minister still insists that General Reyes can only visit the new republic as a fully accredited envoy, but in view of the desires of the administration he has made the concession, although in no wise convinced that General Reyes' mission will be productive of results. The minister announces that the special committee of three from the new republic, which is to arrive here Tuesday to engage in the drawing up of a new canal treaty, will be empowered to treat officially with foreign governments. Upon their arrival it is the minister's intention to arrange for their reception at their respective embassies and legations.

TEAMSTERS MAY JOIN

Big Addition to Chicago Street Car Strike Threatened. CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 14.—(Special)—Should the threat of the employers' association to discharge all teamsters arrested for obstructing street cars be carried out, the present strike is almost sure to be augmented by the additional strike of the big organization of the teamsters.

QUICK ARREST

J. A. Gullidge of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles, causing twenty-four tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Aches and Pains quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at W. J. Fincher, druggist, and Reeves' Pharmacy.

Frederick W. Job, secretary of the employers' association, said that every teamster arrested for blocking the street cars will be discharged. Secretary Job also declared that the employers were tired of the arbitrary tactics of the teamsters and that now was as good a time as any to find out whether or not the latter were running the city. This declaration was made today after a conference between Secretary Job and the officials of the company. Officials of the Coal and Truck Drivers' Unions took exception to the statement, however, and declared that if any teamster is discharged the unions will see that he is reinstated.

LINER SINKS A SLOOP

Albemarle Runs Down the Cassie, But No Lives Are Lost. CHARLOTTE, N. C., Nov. 14.—(Special)—The Old Dominion liner Albemarle, while off Indian island, N. C., today ran down and sank the sloop Cassie. The sloop sank almost instantly and before a boat could be lowered Captain Moditt was drowned. His crew of three and one passenger were picked up by the Albemarle. The collision is declared to have been due to an attempt of the Cassie to cross the liner's bows.

CONCUSSION OF BRAIN

Follows an Accident on New York Football Field. NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—(Special)—Herbert Goe of 77 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn borough, right end of the Commercial high school eleven, suffered concussion of the brain in a game with the Flushing high school team this afternoon. He was running with the ball and was tackled and thrown heavily. The members of the opposing team and his own mates piled on him and he was taken from the field unconscious. He will probably recover.

IMPORTANT CONCESSION

To Minor League Is Granted by National Association. CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 14.—(Special)—The National Baseball Association today granted an important concession to the minor leagues in the case of Player A. J. Marshall of the New York State League of Troy, N. Y., team. The chief National League Club claimed to have purchased Marshall, but the Newark team protested that no such deal had been made. Newark drafted Marshall. The evidence was that Marshall promised to sign, but afterward declined. The committee decides that Marshall does not belong to Chicago, but leaves open to be determined by the National Association of Minor Leagues the question of drafting.

AN INVOLUNTARY PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

Filed Against Big St. Louis Dry Goods Firm Yesterday. Assets Half a Million, Liabilities \$900,000. ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy against the dry goods firm of D. Crawford & Co. was filed in the United States district court Saturday afternoon. Elmer B. Adams, judge, appointed Hugh McCloy, a well known wholesale dry goods man, receiver, requiring a bond of \$25,000. The complainants against the firm are the National Bank of Philadelphia, the Peoples' Savings Bank of Providence, R. I., and the National Union Bank of Reading, Pa. Each of three complaining banks state that the Crawford firm is indebted to them to the extent of \$5,000, making a total of \$15,000 involved in the bankruptcy suit. The petitioners were required to give a bond of \$10,000. They were represented by the law firm of Nagel, Pinkenburg & Kirby. The petition was directed against Dugal & Crawford, a branch of D. Crawford & Co. The firm gives their assets as \$500,000 and their liabilities as \$800,000. The petitioners set forth in their bill before the court that the firm did on the 13th of November make a general assignment for the benefit of their creditors to Hugh McCloy. Dugal Crawford, the petitioners say, admitted in writing the liability of himself or John F. Crawford, one of the partners, to pay their debts and their willingness to be adjudged bankrupts.

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EXPECT CABINET SPLIT

PARIS, Nov. 14.—(Special)—The belief is general that the life of the present ministry is short and that the attitude of President McCombs will soon cause a split. In fact, it is rumored on the boulevards that immediately after the necessary decorations are awarded, possibly about January 15, the present cabinet will resign. One name that is prominently mentioned for a place in the next cabinet is that of M. Ricard, to whose efforts more than to any one else, were due the communications growing from the Panama canal scandals. The name of Chaumie, at present minister of public instruction, is prominently mentioned as the probable successor of McCombs.

HUBBARD SPURNS GIFT

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—(Special)—Elbert Hubbard, head of the Roycroft enterprises in East Aurora, N. Y., who refused a gift of \$1,000,000 from John Farson, the millionaire of New York and Chicago, has caused a stir. Elbert Hubbard and Farson were chums in boyhood. In a dispatch from East Aurora today Mr. Hubbard said: "It is true that Mr. Farson offered \$1,000,000 to assist the Roycroft Industrial University and that I have refused his offer. You see, to receive such an endowment would be for me to go straight back to what I protest against. The custom of schools and colleges supplying everything for the pupils is a form of altruism that has its serious drawbacks. 'The biggest and best part of life lies in supplying yourself with the things you need. The industrial college, to meet its aim, must be self-supporting, and I want to carry this thing through without a dollar's help from any man. All the capital now in the Roycroft shop has been made by the concern.'

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A Light Step

No woman can afford to ignore her shoes unless she hands in her resignation to polite society. For her shoes determine her walk and her walk decides her "style," her "carriage," her "posture," her whole attitude and bearing, as she moves about. A lady's shoe should always be "light" in weight and very flexible to the foot to enable her to walk in an easy, graceful manner. This is the especial charm that has made "THE FAMOUS" a leader in polite society boots. They are trim and neat in shape, as so many other shoes are, but they go farther than this—farther than any shoe—in actually creating an elastic, graceful step, which is worth ten years of youthfulness to a middle-aged woman. Tomorrow's showing in patents and plain, French and Cuban heels, are truly "Leaders."



\$2.50 Patent The Latest Parisian Creation, "Peggy from Paris" \$6.00

709 HOUSTON ST. THE FAMOUS SHOE STORE, FT. WORTH.

Grand Dissolution Sale!

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DON'T Be Alarmed!

We are not going to rob you by giving you unreliable goods at skimmed prices. We are showing a most excellent line of carvers, suitable for use on any occasion, especially the rapidly approaching "Turkey day." Prices from \$1.00 up to \$10.00.

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Always Remember the Full Name Laxative Bromo Quinine E. H. Brown on every bottle. Cures a Cold in One Day, Crip in 2 Days. Price 25c.

KNIGHT DRY GOODS COMPANY'S

Great November Sale Still Continues

The first two weeks of our GREAT NOVEMBER SALE was a grand success. Crowds of pleased customers have advertised the great bargains we are offering. We mean to make this week (the third week) of November Sale, a greater one than the past two. So we have cut the price again, and we know that these prices will crowd our store with bargain seekers each day this week. The prices we make seem lower than it is possible to sell reliable merchandise at a profit. But our unusual buying facilities makes it practical for us to do lots of astonishing things. Our buyer has just closed out several big lots of seasonal merchandise at big sacrifice—for our five big stores. Most of them will be on sale for Monday.

Dress Goods Dept.

This department is overflowing with the newest weaves and colors of fancy and staple goods. We must reduce them, and to do that we have used the knife on prices.

- 54-inch Black Pebble Cheviot, worth regular \$1.15; special **89c**
- 38-inch Black Brilliantine—our 75c quality; goes in this sale **48c**
- 54-inch Black and Blue Repellant—nice for skirts and suits, worth 60c; our price **48c**
- 36-inch Black Henrietta—our 25c grade, goes for only **18c**
- 54-inch Fluke Suiting and All Wool Melton Cloth—our \$1.00 and \$1.25 quality **96c**
- 36-inch Wool Venetian and Homespun, 50c and 60c grade **43c**
- 36-inch Wool Homespun, in brown, light and dark gray—regular 50c goods, for **29c**

Have You Seen Them?

They are now on display

Ladies' Shirt Waists

75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 values; go, choice **48c**

Blankets & Comforts

Extra large mercerized sateen covered Comforts, worth \$3.50 **\$2.95**

Nice Silkoline Tacked Comforts well worth \$2.50, go for **\$1.95**

Silkoline Comforts, large size—our \$1.75 grade, go for **\$1.45**

\$1.25 Comforts, silkoline cover, go for **95c**

Good Cotton Blankets go, per pair **45c**

Extra good Gray and White Blankets **69c**

11-4 Wool Gray Blankets—our \$3.50 grade **\$2.95**

Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Jackets

AT REDUCED PRICES.

Our \$20.00 and \$25.00 Ladies' Tailor Made Suits go for **\$17.85**

Our \$18.00 Ladies' Tailor Suits go for **\$14.85**

Our \$15.00 Ladies' Tailor Suits go for **\$11.95**

\$3.50 Ladies' Skirts, in gray mixtures **\$2.45**

\$4.50 Ladies' Skirts in mixed homespuns **\$3.45**

Our \$6.00 Ladies' Skirts go for **\$4.95**

\$10.00 Skirts, black cloth, nicely trimmed, very new **\$8.50**

\$10.00 Ladies' Jackets, in castor, satin lined, go for **\$8.25**

\$7.50 Ladies' Jackets, in black, blue, tan and brown; very swell **\$5.85**

\$6.50 Ladies' Jackets, in black **\$4.75**

Children's Jackets in blue and red, size up to 12—our \$2.50 quality, go for **\$2.35**

Drummers' Sample Shoes and Hats

Bought at 50c on the dollar and will be closed out at a big sacrifice.

Ladies' Shoes, dongola kid tip—some worth up to \$1.50—all in one lot; choice **75c**

Children's Heavy Shoes, sizes up to 8, in one lot **50c**

Misses' School Shoes—sizes up to 2, in box calf—a shoe that all stores sell at \$1.25; our special price **75c**

One lot Ladies' Fine Vici Kid Shoes, kid and patent tip—some worth up to \$2.00; our special price **95c**

Men's Plain and Cap Toe Calf Shoes—regular \$1.25 grade; our price **95c**

Men's \$1.50 Hats, fine fur **75c**

Men's \$2.00 Hats, fine fur **\$1.00**

Men's \$3.00 Hats, Buckskin brand **\$1.50**

Boys' \$1.00 Hats, fine fur **50c**

Boys' 50c Hats, fine fur **25c**

Boys' 25c Hats **15c**

Boys' and Men's 25c Caps; choice **15c**

Clothing Dept.

Men's Suits, heavy mixtures, well made, worth \$6.00; our sale price **\$4.35**

Men's Suits, in the new mixtures; our \$7.50 line for **\$5.00**

Men's Suits, in heavy blue flannel and fancy mixtures, worth \$8.50; sale price **\$6.95**

Men's Suits, in blue worsted and mixtures, worth \$10.00; our special price **\$8.25**

Men's Suits—very swell, in mixtures and black, worth \$12.50 **\$9.95**

Men's \$15.00 Suits for **\$12.50**

Youths' Long Pant Suits, in fancy mixtures, worth \$4.50; go in this sale **\$3.50**

Youths' Suits, in fancy mixtures, well worth \$6.50; our price **\$5.00**

Youths' Suits, in mixtures and blacks, well worth \$9.00; our special price **\$6.95**

Boys' Knee Suits—our \$1.00 line; this sale **75c**

Boys' Knee Suits—our \$1.25 line **95c**

Boys' Knee Suits—our \$2.75 line, go for **\$2.00**

Boys' Knee Suits—our \$4.00 and \$4.50 line **\$3.15**

Bargains for All

- 15c and 20c Taffeta Ribbon, in all colors **10c**
- Ladies' Bleached Ribbed Vests and Pants—our 35c quality **25c**
- Ladies' 25c Vests **15c**
- Mennen's Talcum Powder, 25c the price **15c**
- Good Pearl Buttons, per dozen **2 1/2c**
- Good Pins, per paper **1c**
- Children's Gray Hose **5c**
- Good Elastic, per yard **2 1/2c**
- Ladies' Handkerchiefs **2 1/2c**

Linens Reduced

- 72-inch Bleached Table Damask—regular 60c quality **48c**
- 72-inch very fine Bleached Table Damask—our \$1.00 grade, goes for **85c**
- 72-inch Bleached Table Damask **67c**
- Honeycomb Towels, good size, per pair **9c**
- Extra good Linen Towels with fringe, per pair **25c**
- Large Bleached Linen Napkins, per dozen **\$1.00**

Ladies' Hats

REDUCED FOR THIS WEEK.

- Our \$6.00 Hats go for **\$3.85**
- Our \$5.00 Hats go for **\$2.95**
- A beautiful line of \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Hats go, choice **\$2.19**
- Our \$2.50 line go for **\$1.69**
- Large size Chiffon Vells, in all colors, 75c to **\$1.50**

Men's Overcoats

- Our \$12.50 Men's Overcoats for **\$9.85**
- Our \$9.00 line **\$7.35**
- Our \$7.50 line **\$5.45**
- Our \$15.00 line **\$12.50**

See our line before buying. We can save you money. A big assortment to select from.

Underwear Bargains

Men's Heavy Fleece Underwear—regular 50c quality; go in this sale **37 1/2c**

Men's Fleece Underwear—40c quality **25c**

Fancy Silk and Cotton Mixed Underwear, worth \$1.50; our price **\$1.00**

Your Money Back if Not Satisfied



Knight Dry Goods Co.
311-315 HOUSTON ST.

All Phone Orders Delivered Promptly. Phone 2755, 3 Rings

TO LOOK INTO ACCIDENT

Committee Appointed to Investigate Iona Explosion

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Secretary Moody this afternoon appointed a board of inquiry to investigate the explosion of the naval magazine on Iona Island, which occurred about a week ago. The committee is composed of Rear Admiral Conners, Captain Swift and Commander Winslow. The instructions to the board are to ascertain what caused the explosion, whether an insufficiency of regulations, violation of regulations or carelessness on the part of any person or persons. If any defect in regulations is found or in the executions, the board is to make a recommendation of additional safeguards.

AMUSEMENTS

Greenwall's Opera House

Monday and Tuesday nights, Nov. 15-17
Tuesday Matinee,
The hilarious musical comedy,
the original
"Happy Hooligan"
So different from all the rest.
Beautiful costumes and scenery.

Thursday and Friday nights, Nov. 19-20
Friday Matinee,
"RICH AND HARRIS"
Roaring, Rollicking, Merry Comedy.
"ARE YOU A MASON"
Adapted from the German by
Leo Ditrichstein.

Coming—Saturday Matinee and Night,
November 21,
"SHERLOCK HOLMES"
Seats on sale for above attractions.

STOCKYARDS POSTOFFICE IS APPROVED

Authorities at Washington Grant the Request of Stock Yards Company and Building Will Be Erected

The stock yards section of North Fort Worth is to have a new postoffice building and the work on the same, it was learned last night, will commence soon.

A proposition was made by the Fort Worth Stock Yards Company to the postoffice department at Washington to erect a building twenty-five by twenty-five feet, on the ground just west of the Stock Yards Exchange, for certain considerations, provided the gov-

ernment would agree to take the property for a stipulated period.

Last night The Telegram received a message from its special Washington correspondent giving the information that the proposition of the stock yards company had been accepted by the government.

The same of the station is not yet known, but Postmaster Whiting when seen last night thought that it would be dubbed "Stock Yards Station."

"The postoffice will be moved from its present location in the old stock yards hotel to the Stock Yards Exchange where it will remain until the new building has been completed and ready for occupancy," said Mr. Whiting.

It is understood that there will be three carriers for the new postoffice.

It was also learned last night that the proposition of the stock yards company included the complete equipment of the building for properly conducting the affairs of the postoffice.

General Manager King and Secretary O. W. Matthews of the Stock Yards Company did not know the proposition had been accepted until they were shown the special dispatch from Washington to The Telegram. They were gratified to learn that the department had given favorable consideration to the proposition.

"We propose to erect a one-story brick building on the property adjoining the Live Stock Reporter, and give it rent free to the government, if there is a location of the government postoffice for the stock yards there. This will be a sub station," said Mr. King.

Mr. Matthews said, "This is not an effort of the stock yards people to get the government building moved to North Fort Worth. We are very modest."

It is money to you to wear good clothes. It is money to you and little to us if you buy your suit here. Morris & Eidman, 315 Main street.

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REV. HOTCHKISS TO MEN

Miss Bird Stapp, Gospel Singer of Chattanooga, to Sing

The Young Men's Christian Association men's meeting will be held in the First Baptist church auditorium, corner Third and Taylor streets, this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. M. S. Hotchkiss of Waco, one of the ablest speakers in the Northwest Texas Methodist conference, will speak. The Y. M. C. A. seeks to make this the evangelistic rally of the great conference, and invites all delegates to attend and bring some man who is not a Christian. A rare opportunity will be offered at this service to hear Miss Bird Stapp, one of the most gifted gospel singers in the south. The university male quartet will also contribute a number to the program. All men are invited to attend this meeting, as the large and beautiful auditorium affords plenty of room.

GOOD POSITION

May Pay Tuition Out of Salary After Position, \$50 Per Month, Is Secured

Draughon's College, Corner Seventh and Houston, Will Take Fifty More Students Under This Offer

We are authorized to announce to the public that on account of the great demand on Draughon's Practical Business College, corner Seventh and Houston, for bookkeepers and stenographers, the college will admit fifty more students under its proposition to secure positions that will pay from \$40 to \$50 per month to begin with for those who take the shorthand course or the combined courses—short-hand and bookkeeping, and that arrangements may be made for a part, or all the tuition to be paid out of salary in installments of \$10 per month, after position is secured.

Those who wish to enter under this special proposition should call at the college at once, or write for particulars. Prof. J. F. Draughon, president of Draughon's chain of colleges, states that he has expended over fifteen thousand dollars in establishing the Employment Department of his colleges; still, he does not charge his students for securing positions.

Draughon's Colleges are endorsed by business men. They do not advertise a certain number of positions filled in a certain length of time unless "it's so."

Read Telegram Want "Ad."

ELKINS WILL IS FILED IN COURT

Estate Valued at \$30,000,000. Largest Will Ever Probated in Country

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 14.—The will of William L. Elkins, the great millionaire of Philadelphia, who died at his home at Ashburn, Montgomery county, was admitted to probate today. Mr. Elkins is reported to be worth \$30,000,000. It was reported that a third of this sum would be devoted to charity. The only public bequest, however, is one of \$240,000 to the Masonic Home of Philadelphia for female Masonic orphans to be erected on a lot 200 feet square on North Broad street. The will is dated July 11, 1892, and contains five divisions. It is the largest estate probated in this country. The widow and John G. Johnson are named as executors. Mr. Elkins' art collection will go to the city of Philadelphia after the death of his wife and children.

COL. CASEY IS IN FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES

Depreciation in Cattle Values Given as Cause for Filing Attachment Against Prominent Shorthorn Breeder

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Another serious live stock failure was recorded today. Rumors have been afloat in stock yard circles for several days past to the effect that Colonel C. M. Casey of Clinton, Mo., was in financial straits. He is one of the heaviest shorthorn breeders in the United States. The report was confirmed this afternoon by a telegram from Kansas City stating that an attachment suit had been brought by the Merchants National bank of Lawrence, Kan., for \$12,048.83, and one by the Union National bank of Kansas City, for \$40,523.04. It is understood that Colonel Casey's indebtedness is about \$300,000. A wire from Clinton, Mo., says Mr. Casey is prostrated by the blow, and may not recover. This failure is the most serious of a number which have occurred within the past six months and is directly due to the great depreciation in cattle values recently.

SECOND SUICIDE WITHIN A WEEK

Prominent Cattleman Near Gainesville Kills Self With a Knife

GAINESVILLE, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—W. B. Reedy, a prominent cattleman residing fifteen miles west of Gainesville, committed suicide today.

MADE YOUNG AGAIN

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again," writes Dr. H. Turner of Dampscroft, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at W. J. Fisher, druggist, and Reeves' Pharmacy.

GLENWOOD AND POLYTECHNIC HILL

Mrs. Hightower was the victim of an accident yesterday afternoon which came very near proving serious. She was driving in her buggy with Mrs. Steinger and Mrs. Griffin, both of Glenwood, when the horses became frightened, throwing the occupants out and slightly injuring Mrs. Hightower about the face and shoulders.

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LACKEY'S PHARMACY
Opp. T. and P. Station.
Fine Candies, Cigars.

THIS NEWEST Change in Schedule on I. & G. N.

Makes a perfect time card. Commencing Sunday, November 15, the following schedule will be effective:

Morning train to WACO, MARLIN, BRYAN, NAVASOTA and HOUSTON will leave at 7:05 a. m.

Afternoon train to WACO, MARLIN, TAYLOR, AUSTIN and SAN ANTONIO will leave at 3:20 p. m.

Noon train will arrive 12:05 p. m.

Evening train will arrive 7:35 p. m.

Trains arrive at and depart from Grand Central Station at foot of Main street.

R. W. TIPTON, P. & T. A.
City Ticket Office, 809 Main Street. Phone 219.

JUDGE MARTIN DISCUSSES THE PANAMA AFFAIR

He Believes That the United States Acted in Harmony With Recognized Principles of International Law

Judge John E. Martin of this city, discussing the troubles at Panama, said yesterday:

"Occasionally a new star is discovered, when astronomers eagerly strive to ascertain its relative position and its magnitude. When a new government springs into existence, the methods of statesmen are employed in observing its political movements and policy. In the establishment of the government of Panama unusual interest is excited, especially in the United States and in France on account of the great isthmian canal project to extend through the isthmus of Panama, opening up an immense water way from ocean to ocean for the traffic of the world, wherein a French company is to get \$10,000,000 for its property in the concern. "Panama is a state in Colombia. In the extreme north of South America. The eyes of the world have been centered on Panama, for over 300 years, as the place for a great isthmian canal. In fact as early as 1520 a proposal was made to pierce the isthmus by Angel Saavedra. In 1550 Antonio Galvao suggested four different routes, one of them being across the isthmus of Panama. Cortez caused a survey to be made in that locality for the construction of a canal. Don Simon Bolivar, president of Colombia, made a special investigation of the Panama route. In 1843 the French government advocated a sluiced canal in that locality. In 1857 the question of an interoceanic canal was discussed in the congress of sciences in Paris. In 1858 M. de Lesseps took the matter up and commenced the construction of the interoceanic canal of Panama on a capital of 600,000,000 francs. His undertaking failed on account of the corruption and misappropriation of the funds by some of the officials of the canal company. "Recently the United States took the matter up with the assistance of the representatives of the Colombian government that the Colombian congress would ratify the treaty, giving the United States the right to construct the canal across the isthmus of Panama, but to the surprise and great disappointment of our government and of France, the Colombian congress rejected the treaty and denied the United States the privilege of building the canal. "The proposed undertaking of the United States was a very popular movement among the citizens of Colombia, and especially the people of the state of Panama, who are very anxious for the United States to build the canal. The refusal of the Colombian congress to ratify the treaty caused a revolt and secession of the state of Panama and the establishment of an independent government which was readily recognized by the United States and by France. This secured for the United States the right to build the Panama canal, one of the greatest enterprises of modern times. The hasty action of our executive in recognizing the infant republic of Panama has caused some criticism by students of international law. In considering this matter we are to take into consideration, first: Had the state of Panama the lawful right to secede? Second: Was the new political power that suddenly sprang into existence a de facto government; that is, did it at the time of recognition, possess the elements of a de facto government by having a civil administration, an army and a navy? "In the first place, Panama had the constitutional right to withdraw from the Colombian government, the terms of her annexation being that it should have the right to withdraw whenever it desired, and that being the terms of annexation, the Colombian government is powerless to wage war against the new government, as it is not in rebellion. "In the second place, it possesses all the elements of a de facto government, having an organized political system, an army and a navy. However small the navy makes no difference. One gunboat would

be constituted a navy. Therefore, the conclusion must be that the United States and France, in recognizing the government of Panama, acted within the purview of legitimate power and in harmony with the recognized principles of international law.

"Historical facts abundantly sustain the right of Panama to withdraw at will from the Colombian government. In 1849 Panama seceded from the government of Colombia and formed the government of the State of Isthmus of Panama, when by a short time thereafter, of its own volition, it re-annexed itself to the central government. In 1853 the constitution of the United States of Colombia was changed, giving in express words every province the right to withdraw and declare their independence, and enter into merely federal connection with the central government. The state of Panama refused to subscribe to the scheme of 1853, the basis of the present Colombian government, maintaining at all times the right to withdraw at will from the central government. Then if the Colombian government cannot hold the state of Panama in rebellion, why should President Roosevelt consider it in rebellion and refuse to recognize it as an independent state? Why should he turn the cold shoulder to the infant republic, when it extends its hand, seeking friendly relations?"

SOME VISITORS HERE AND WHAT THEY SAY

By James Hays Quarles

A visitor to the city is Hon. John W. Robbins of Vernon, but temporarily residing in Austin, while holding the position of state treasurer. The visit of Mr. Robbins is peculiarly appropriate at this time, as he is prominent in Texas Methodism. He has not only attended the conference in Texas from time to time, but was at one time a delegate to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South. He is one of the best known and most consistent laymen in the church in this state. At present, during his residence in Austin, he is one of the stewards of the Tenth Street Methodist church in the Capital City, to which Rev. S. H. Werlein of this city has been transferred. The pastor-elect met the prominent member of his flock this morning and there was a pleasant renewal of a former acquaintance. Mr. Robbins expressed regret that Dr. Werlein could not be in Austin for services Sunday, but the congregation will excuse him for the day, as he is host of the gathering here. "We were glad to hear that Brother Werlein is to come to us," said Mr. Robbins this morning. "We know of him well and we are satisfied he will make us a good pastor."

I asked Mr. Robbins about the condition of the state treasury. He said: "Revenue is coming in slow. Up to last month we had registered \$270,000 in warrants. Of this amount we have paid about \$72,000, leaving over \$200,000 yet unpaid. People are paying taxes slowly. We expect in the next few weeks to receive a large amount from the taxes, but there is no indication that the deficit will be paid out before February. At that time, however, we will be paid out in full."

Hon. W. W. Turney, former member of the Texas senate and now president of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, is here on a business trip. Senator Turney is a strong man personally. He was a power when in the senate, and that power is as strong today as it ever was. Among the cattle raisers he is considered an able man, and his voice is listened to by them closely. At the time he was in the senate he had the distinction of representing the largest senatorial district in the state. It extended from El Paso on the west to Llano county on the east. Although drawing the longest mileage of any member of the senate, a part of his district was within eighty miles of the capital. Senator Turney says he lives in the finest town in the state. "El Paso is the busiest place you ever saw," he said this morning. "We have all kinds of prosperity over our way and we are satisfied. The range is in fairly good condition."

Colonel T. N. Jones of Tyler is a visitor here. Colonel Jones is a well known lawyer of Smith county and is quite prominent about the legislature whenever that body is in session. Colonel Jones represents a prominent book publishing house, but whether it was books or politics which called him here he would not say. He was briefly engaged in trying to get a long distance connection with Dallas when I found him and he refused to leave the telephone booth until he located the Dallas end of the wire. "I note The Telegram is making a fight on the free pass evil," said Colonel Jones. "I agree with you. In fact, I am opposed to allowing corporations controlling public utilities of any character, being allowed to give free service to any one private citizen or officials of the state, city or county. Free telephone privileges, free telegraph advantages, free passes and dead head rights on express packages are wrong and there should be a law prohibiting them. The Telegram's fight on this line is a good fight and I would like to see the campaign meet with success."

I asked Colonel Jones regarding the boll weevil pest. He said: "I think the Texas delegation in congress is making a mistake in asking for only \$500,000 as an appropriation for the extermination of the boll weevil. They ought to ask for \$5,000,000. It will not be a cent too much. Texas is entitled to this amount. This pest has cost this state millions of dollars and it will cost millions more. Congress appropriated a great deal more than \$500,000 to stamp out the foot and mouth disease in the New England states. This is a vital question, and should have more attention than the Texas congressmen are asking for."

Colonel Louis J. Wortham, general manager of the Texas World's Texas commission, was here yesterday on a visit to the Texas settlement. He said: "I was very much gratified to see in The Telegram this afternoon that Secretary Wilson has taken steps to investigate the Colburn ruling regarding cattle to be exhibited at the World's Fair, as he promised me he would. I have never for a moment doubted, when he understood the proposition, that he would take some such action and I am satisfied there will be results. The resolutions passed today by the executive committee of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association will have a great deal of weight with the honorable secretary. I feel that we can hope for justice for Texas cattlemen in this matter."

C. H. Page, architect for the Texas building at the World's Fair, was here yesterday. Mr. Page is the designer of the famous star-shaped building, which is to represent Texas. He has worked hard to bring it to a success, and he is now proudly watching its construction. He said yesterday: "The Texas building will be a thing of beauty. It has all the good points which have been attributed to it, and I do not think it has the bad points which some have suggested. I know one thing more, and that is that the building has more floor space in it than any building of equal size, constructed of the same material, or any other shape."

There is a coincidence about Mr. Page's connection with this Texas building. It is being erected upon ground where Mr. Page's nurse trundled him as a baby years ago. He is a native of St. Louis, and was there as a child. In those days the present site of the World's Fair was the well known Forest Park, and Mr. Page had in his happy days as a baby under the beautiful trees there. He often thinks of the coincidence, and as he sits by and watches the construction he tries to remember his boyhood days.

Edgar Watkins of Houston was here yesterday on a brief visit. Mr. Watkins is a well-known lawyer of the Bayou City. Up to a short time ago he was a member of the city council, but on account of a press of business he resigned. He was the author of the present city charter of Houston and in many ways he was active as an alderman. He is also prominent in the Georgia Society of this city. Mr. Watkins is very popular in southern Texas, where he is known.

L. G. Brantley and S. C. Doby, owners of the Brantley Granite Works of Lithonia, Ga., are in the city. They have large interests in that state, but are out in Texas looking for a new rock quarry. They want to find deposits of good building stone, and hearing of those in this section of the state, they are here to look into some of the prospects. They expressed themselves as being surprised at the city of Fort Worth and the business air it has about it, and they believe investments in Texas are valuable.

On the third day of November, the Angel of Death came and carried from her home in this city, Mrs. E. J. Ferris, the widow of Dr. G. L. Ferris, who for years was a druggist on South Main street. Mrs. Ferris was born in New Haven, Conn., in 1855, and came to Fort Worth in 1882. She leaves an only daughter, Eleanor, and little grandson, Robert, who will miss her tender, loving care. She was a member of the Baptist church, and one of those quiet women who lived a devoted, earnest, Christian life. Everyone who knew Mrs. Ferris loved her. Her amiable, sweet disposition had won her hosts of friends who mingle their tears with her loving and bereaved daughter. Many here example her an inspiration to all who know her to live truer and nobler lives. And to Eleanor and little Robert who have been left so lonely, may it be a solace to them to know she is at rest where pain and sorrow are no more. A FRIEND.

REPORT OF SCHOOLS

The First Week of the Third Month of the Session Has Closed

The first week of the third month of the session of 1903-04 has closed. The average enrollment is 4,510, which is ten more than reported a week ago, and 357 more than the corresponding week last session. The enrollment now is 595 in excess of the first week of this session. This increase in the enrollment is gratifying to the school managers. It is also gratifying to the teachers that the attendance during examination week was much better than during the week just closed, although this last week has had better weather. This is an indication that the children are anxious to be present during their examinations, so as to keep up with the classes. It is an indication also that the parents recognize the importance of the attendance of pupils during examination week. During the coming week the examination cards will be sent to parents and they are requested to examine carefully the grades. The following is the report for the week:

	Av. En-rolled.	Av. Attendance.	Absent.
No. 1	346	335	11
No. 2	248	235	13
No. 3	328	312	16
No. 4	339	325	14

No. 5	517	496	21
No. 6	464	445	19
No. 7	420	400	20
No. 8	350	335	15
No. 9	328	320	8
No. 10	539	526	13
No. 11	477	459	18
No. 12	156	151	5
Total	4610	4437	173

YOUNG MAN IS A VICTIM OF POISONING

Clay Hedges Accidentally or Purposely Swallows Cyanide of Potassium Solution and Is Dead in Five Minutes

Clay Hedges, a young man whose home is near Smithfield, this county, either purposely or accidentally swallowed a quantity of cyanide potassium in the store of L. B. Cromer on Houston street yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock and died a few minutes afterward, before physicians could render relief. Young Hedges entered the Cromer place in quest of a drink of water and when directed to the rear of the building took up a large bottle in which was the poison referred to above and swallowed a draught of it and then asked Mr. Cromer what the liquid was. He was told that it was deadly poison and with Mr. Cromer the young man hurried to a drug store, but before anything could be done for him he was dead.

L. B. Cromer, proprietor of the jewelry store in which the young man drank the poison, said to The Telegram last night: "He walked into my store about 5 o'clock and said 'hello' in a familiar way and asked me if he could get a drink of water. I directed him to the sink in the rear room and told him he could get a drink there. He returned to the front room and stated that he could find no water and as I was busy at my bench I again told him he could find the water at the sink. He came back the second time and asked me what was in the jar in the rear room. I told him it was cyanide potassium, and that it was deadly poison. He said that he had taken a swallow of it and asked me to write the name of the stuff, as he expressed it, on a piece of paper so he could go to a doctor. Instead, I told him to follow me and immediately we started for the nearest drug store. I ran out of the front door telling him to follow me and started for Wallace Bros' drug store in the block north of my place of business. I did not notice I had crossed Fourth street and thought he was following me when I looked around and saw him going east on Fourth street in the direction of Fisher's drug store. I then ran over there and was told by the clerk that a doctor would be down immediately. In five minutes after he had drunk the poison he was dead. When he arrived at the drug store he was too weak to go upstairs and Dr. McKnight, whose office is over the drug store, was sent for."

Mr. Cromer says that after he saw that the young man was in the hands of a physician he could do no more and returned to his place of business. Mr. Cromer says that as far as he knows he never saw the young man before his coming into his store. Jeff Markham, an old resident of Smithfield, when asked regarding the young man, said: "I have known Clay Hedges for a number of years, having been a neighbor of the family for several years before coming to Fort Worth. The family are old settlers in Tarrant county, young Hedges' grandfather having moved to this county twenty-five years ago. His father and mother are both living on a small farm about a mile northwest of Smithfield on the Keller road. The last time I saw Clay was about a month ago and he stated to me that he was working at one of the packing houses. He was between 20 and 21 years old and as far as I know was a very quiet, unassuming young man. I telephoned his father about 6 o'clock of his son's death and was told that he would come in after the remains early Sunday morning."

The remains are being held at Gause's undertaking parlors awaiting the arrival of his father, who was notified of his son's death. The New York Art Studio, which has a branch at 107 Murphy street, Dallas, is intending to open a branch in this city and is meeting with splendid success in introducing its new style of pastel paintings. The work turned out by this firm is the finest of its kind, and is admired by all who see it. The aim of the firm is to satisfy their patrons in every respect in order to get their future patronage. It will pay all those interested to inspect their work by either calling or through their representative. There will also be a special advertising offer to the people of Fort Worth for a short time only, in order to introduce their high grade work. Samples of their pastel paintings will be shown by their representatives.

NOTICE BARTENDERS There will be a special meeting of Circle 206 at their hall Sunday, Nov. 15, at 1 p. m., for the transaction of all business that may lawfully come before it. JERRY DEEMS, President.

ANNOUNCEMENT Mrs. C. M. Hall, famous Masseuse and Beauty Doctor, formerly located at 1094 Houston street, has reopened her parlors in Rooms No. 6 and 9 Delaware Hotel and would be pleased to see her old patrons as well as new ones.

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Northwestern and Notre Dame Play a Spectacular Game.

Minnesota Gophers Win From Illinois

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—A battle royal between giants such as has seldom been seen in the history of college football occurred on Yale field this afternoon and the husky eleven from Princeton carried off the prize to the tune of 11 to 6.

Tonight New Haven is a "tiger town and rings with unstinted praise for the doughty captain of Princeton, DeWitt with the magnificent aid of his team followers made all the points for Princeton and snatched victory from what at best looked like a tie game.

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ANNAPOLIS DEFEATED ANNAPOLIS, Md., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Three touchdowns with many goals and a kicked placed goal from field was Bucknell's score against the navy team this afternoon, the latter making five on a touchdown by Halsey.

MICHIGAN 16, WISCONSIN 0 ANN ARBOR, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—University of Michigan football team defeated Wisconsin here today by a score of 16 to 0.

PENNSY PLAYS POORLY PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—For the third time during the present season the University of Pennsylvania was defeated, the Carlisle Indians doing the trick on the Pennsylvania field today by a score of 16 to 6.

WEST POINT WINNERS Cadets Defeated Chicago University on Technicality by Score of 10 to 6

WEST POINT, N. Y., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The football team of the University of Chicago was defeated here today by a score of 10 to 6.

MINNESOTA BEATS ILLINOIS URBANA, Ill., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Illinois fell a victim to Minnesota today in a powerful battle before the rushes of the Gopher giants.

COLUMBIA 17, CORNELL 12 ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Cornell and Columbia played a sensational game of football here today before Governor Odell and 4,000 people.

A SURE THING It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true.

SPECTACULAR CONTEST Neither Northwestern University Nor Notre Dame Score

SOUTH SIDE BASEBALL PARK, CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Northwestern University and Notre Dame football teams met in a spectacular game that proved to be full of surprises this afternoon at the American League baseball grounds before a crowd of 2,000 people.

TIES AT SAN FRANCISCO SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Rain since Monday was very bad for the prospects of the football games between the University of California and Stanford.

NEBRASKA-KANSAS GAMES LAWRENCE, Kan., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Nebraska University defeated the Kansas eleven today in the fiercest gridiron battle ever waged on McCook field.

RESERVATION WINS CLUB CUP Heavy Track at Latonia Yesterday—Attendance Was Large

or, 118, (Redfern), 9 to 5, won; Grenade, 114, (Gannon), 3 to 1, second; St. Valentine, 111, (Burns), 7 to 1, third.

GAME AT LEXINGTON LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Kentucky University defeated Williamsburg College at football today by a score of 52 to 0.

SEWANEE VICTORIOUS KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Sewanee won today the football game from the University of Tennessee, by a score of 17 to 0.

YESTERDAY'S FOOTBALL RESULTS Princeton 11, Yale 6; Columbia 17, Cornell 12; Harvard Freshmen 17, Yale 6; West Point 10, Chicago 6; Rochester 17, Union 6; Brown 17, Syracuse 5; Bowdoin 11, Bates 5; Andover 12, Lawrenceville 9; Bucknell 23, Navy 5; Wesleyan 4, Williams 5; Pennsylvania 6, Carlisle 6; Michigan 16, Wisconsin 0; Rose Polytechnic 10, Butler 9; Iowa 6, Missouri 0; Northwestern 9, Notre Dame 9; Minnesota 22, Illinois 9; Indiana 70, Denauw 0; Nebraska 6, Kansas 9; Haskell Indians 25, Creighton University 9; Rutgers 18, New York University 15; Lehigh 15, Susquehanna 0; Lafayette 12, Bloomsburg 9; Sewanee 17, Tennessee 0; Brown 12, Syracuse 5; Rochester 17, Union 6; Ames 11, Simpson 3; Coe 6, Cornell 5.

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CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Fine weather and an interesting card and the usual Saturday race going tendency brought out a very large attendance at Latonia today.

LOCAL MEMBERS ARE DISGUSTED WITH UNION

Members of Expressmen and Messengers Order Meet and Decide to Disband—Other Cities Renounce Union

At a meeting of the local expressmen's union yesterday afternoon it was decided by a unanimous vote of the members of the union to withdraw from the national union and disband and the secretary was instructed to make a report to the national union headquarters and to return the local charter under which the union in this city was organized.

ROTTEN FOULING AT JAMAICA WIND-UP

Racing Season Closes at New York Track With Disgraceful Exhibition of Riding, Wet and Disagreeable

JAMAICA, N. Y., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The final day of the racing season in and about New York was intensely disagreeable, a mist like rain and a raw east wind keeping the air down.

UNIONIZING MARSHALL MARSHALL, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Marshall is gradually growing into one of the strongest union towns in Texas for its size and every week almost there is something doing in that direction.

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Fourth race, Continental handicap, for all ages, one and one-sixteenth miles—Hursthorpe, 124, (Redfern), 4 to 5, won; Sheriff Bell, 105, (Higgins), 5 to 1, second; Masterman, 111, (Bullman), 3 to 1, third. Time 1:49. Duke of Kendal and Himself also ran.

OAKLAND RESULTS OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Weather cloudy; track sloppy. Three favorites won. Opening handicap, \$3,000, conservatively estimated Caesar young cleaned up \$10,000.

Fourth race, opening Handicap, \$3,000, mile—Eonic, 93, (Chandler), 23 to 1, won; Schwabe, 165, (D. Hall), 12 to 1, second; Kenilworth, 109, (See), 4 to 1, third. Time 1:45 1-2.

First race, selling, six and one-half furlongs—The Goldfinder, 105, (D. Austin), 7 to 5, won; Tom Curl, 108, (Crawford), 7 to 1, second; Wellsey, 103, (Mindy), 25 to 1, third. Time 1:23 3-4.

Second race, five furlongs—Judge Denton, 109 (D. Austin), 13 to 1, won; Ryle, 107, (T. Knight), 7 to 1, second; Oudon, 105, (Minder), 7 to 1, third. Time 1:02 1-2.

Third race, handicap, six furlongs—Ocean Dream, 105, (J. Hicks), 8 to 1, won; Tean O'Shanter, 104, (Mountain), 6 to 1, second; Red Raven, 101, (H. Phillips), 3 to 1, third. Time 1:16.

Fourth race, club members' cup, two miles and a quarter—Reservation, 97, (Munro), 3 to 5, won; Never Such, 86, (Bridwell), 15 to 1, second; Judge Himms, 97, (H. Phillips), 3 to 1, third. Time 1:04 1-2.

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JUDGE SMITH HEARS CASE OVER PHONE

Thereupon He Makes Important Order—Poisoner Brown Accepts Life Sentence—A One-Minute-in-Jail Decree

Judge Mike E. Smith of the Seventeenth district court, yesterday tried a case by telephone. It was not really an entire case, but was a motion in one and resulted in an important order being issued.

The novel proceeding transpired in the case of John M. Poe vs. Maud A. Poe, for divorce. Defendant had made a motion for alimony and her attorney was anxious for a hearing. The attorney for plaintiff was engaged in the trial of a case in a justice court and could not get away.

Judge Smith, upon ascertaining the situation, called up the justice court by phone from the office of District Clerk John A. Martin and obtained communication with the attorney. He put some questions to him, listened to what he had to say and then notified him of his decision. Judge Smith thereupon entered upon his docket an order, appointing H. L. Abston to take charge of plaintiff's real property, rent same, collect the rent and divide it equally between the man and wife until such time as a settlement of the divorce suit may be entered.

Judge Smith also heard a motion to dissolve an injunction in the case of D. T. Finley vs. L. N. Goldbeck et al. He declined to dissolve the injunction. In this case Finley obtained an injunction to prevent Goldbeck and Sheriff Honea from selling certain property at public auction in settlement of a judgment. Goldbeck yesterday attempted to have this injunction dissipated, but failed.

FORTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT COURT

Two divorces were granted by Judge Irby Dunklin in the Forty-eighth district court late yesterday afternoon. Lottie Brewett obtained a decree from Will Prewett and F. J. Evans from Sallie Evans.

In the case of John B. Ball vs. Theo. O. Vogel, a motion to correct judgment was sustained.

In the case of the State vs. R. T. Brown, a negro, recently sentenced to the penitentiary for life on a charge of having poisoned his wife, Florence Brown, the motion for a new trial was withdrawn and the negro, accepting sentence, was taken to Rusk last night.

DENIES IDENTITY

Deputy United States Marshal Whit Dryden early yesterday morning arrested a man who he identified as being John Dixon, wanted at Ranger, Texas, on a charge of being an illicit retail liquor dealer. The man told United States Commissioner Dodge that his name is John Dale. He was held in the sum of \$500 and will be given a hearing next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

NEW SUITS FILED

Ella Holland vs. W. B. Holland, divorce.
M. G. Parr vs. A. J. Parr, divorce.
J. J. Jarvis vs. the St. Louis-Southwestern railway.
Lena Bella Reagor vs. Veal Reagor, divorce.

GRAND JURY REPORT

The grand jury made a partial report yesterday, returning a number of true bills. George Campbell, a negro, who was indicted on a charge of horse theft, was jailed soon after the indictment was given into the hands of the sheriff.

A ONE MINUTE SENTENCE

Wade Mayett pleaded guilty before Judge Milam in the county court yesterday to theft. He was fined \$1 and costs and sentenced to serve one minute in jail. Under the law a jail sentence is imperative in theft cases, where a conviction is obtained or where a plea of guilty is entered.

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non, lot 15, block 1, Moodie & Evans' addition, \$600.
R. L. Craig et ux to Mrs. W. H. Askev, lot 39, block 48, city cemetery, \$30.
W. M. Dugan et ux to Standard Guaranty and Trust Company, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 85, Arlington, \$1,000.
W. R. Dyer et ux to T. W. Bovell, part A. Fernandez survey, \$5,092.50.
J. C. Boone et ux to J. A. Hatler, part J. Rendon survey, \$1,400.

Polytechnic college to George A. Nance, lots 1 and 2, block 7, Polytechnic college addition, \$254.
S. H. Ramey et ux to M. M. Ramey, 145 acres D. Strickland and L. Ramey surveys, \$1,980.
George W. Whyte et ux to S. W. Smealey, 10 acres Thomas Akers' 329 acre survey, \$1,250.

George Parr et ux to E. S. Evans, lots 1 and 2, block 21, Crowley, Texas, \$1,000.
E. A. Watters et ux to George W. Parr et al, lots 1 and 2, block 21, Crowley, Texas, \$1,000.
R. A. Babs to R. G. Garrett, part J. W. Haynes' 80 acre survey, \$1,000.

Sylvester Armstrong et ux to R. A. Babs, part J. W. Haynes' 80 acre survey, \$657.50.
J. G. Hamill to A. W. Hamill, lot 4, block 17, Fields-Welsh addition, \$3,250.

Less L. Hudson to Charles Sands, block 10, east addition to city, \$100.
Mary E. Martin et al to Walter Simpson, 21 3-10 acres J. J. Trietwin survey, \$450.
Edward W. Shim, executor, to E. Shim, part Felix Mulligan survey, \$213.80.
James Hayes to C. R. I. and G. Ry., part A. Young survey, \$116.25.

Florence Craig et al to Herbert Voss, lot 3, block 3, J. L. Williams' addition, \$350.
Hyde Jennings to Louis A. Klein, lot 2, block 23, Jennings' west addition, \$700.
M. G. Ellis to Miss Ethel Cummings, lot 31, block 6, Evans' south addition, \$1,509.
W. F. Essex to O. J. Nevill, lot 8, part lot and block 3, Evans' south addition, \$400.

E. D. Tims et ux to J. M. Fisher, part S. Callender survey, \$2,200.
W. R. Jay et al to J. D. Knox et al, 171 acres John H. Lucas and R. W. Waggoner surveys, \$5,120.
W. M. Bridges et ux to W. B. Dwiglins, 2 7/10-100 acres S. S. Reynolds' 160 acre survey, \$316.10.

W. L. Hunter et ux to T. N. Hartin, lot 1, block 34, Jennings' subdivision, \$458.
Hyde Jennings to W. L. Hunter, lot 1, block 34, Jennings' subdivision, \$150.
Live Oaks Distillery Company to Sallie G. Harke, part lot 35, lots 37, 37 and 38, block 2, Grandview addition, \$1,700.

Robert L. Harle et ux to Lizzie Young, part lot 35, block 2, Grandview addition, \$283.24.

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following were the proceedings in the court of civil appeals for the second supreme judicial district of Texas in Fort Worth yesterday:

Motions submitted—City of Abilene vs. W. W. Cameron, to affirm on certificate; F. M. Browne et al vs. Fidelity and Deposit Co., for rehearing; Western Cottage Piano and Organ Co., vs. B. E. Anderson, for rehearing and for additional findings of fact; W. H. Earl et al vs. state of Texas, for conclusions of law and fact; L. H. Lewis et al vs. R. H. Brooks, agreed motion to dismiss appeal; T. and P. Ry. Co. vs. McConaughy & Roberts, for leave to file transcript; D. L. Dowd et al vs. Swofford Bros. Dry Goods Co., for rehearing; T. and P. Ry. Co. vs. O. A. Smith, for rehearing.

Motions granted—L. H. Lewis et al vs. R. H. Brooks, to dismiss appeal; R. H. Smith vs. E. E. Garrison, to strike out bills of exception.

Motions overruled—T. and P. Ry. Co. vs. Daugherty & Voliva, for rehearing. Affirmed—W. R. Woodhouse vs. W. A. Masello, from Parker; R. H. Smith vs. E. E. Garrison, from Tarrant; H. L. Little et al vs. Z. T. Griffin, from Bosque; J. F. Mann vs. S. A. Greer, from Floyd; H. L. Little et al vs. W. W. Richards et ux, from Bosque; Supreme Lodge, United Benevolent Association vs. J. E. Johnson, from Tarrant.

Reversed and remanded—Texas Central Ry. Co. vs. O. D. Parker, from

Erath; St. L. S. W. Ry. Co. vs. T. T. Smith, from Taylor.
Cases submitted—North Texas Construction Co. vs. V. M. Washam, from Erath; E. E. Smith vs. C. A. Stratton, from Clay; T. and P. Ry. Co. vs. W. E. Barrow, from Nolan; R. E. Bumpass vs. J. S. Collins et al, from Palo Pinto; R. J. Brown et al vs. Jennie B. Ikard et al, from Clay.

Cases set for Dec. 5—H. O. Mahoney vs. Thad Tubbs and J. A. Tubbs, from Lubbock; T. C. White vs. Walter Watson et al, from Palo Pinto; Pecos and Northern Texas Ry. Co. vs. Lulu L. Williams, from Deaf Smith; Pecos and Northern Texas Ry. Co. vs. Nannie Bowman, from Deaf Smith; W. M. Ward vs. Ollie Ward, from Swisher; Cameron Mill and Elevator Co. vs. F. M. Anderson, from Tarrant.

BIRTHS REPORTED

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kern, Riverside, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Munson, North Fort Worth, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hamilton, North Fort Worth, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Floyd, North Fort Worth, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Davis, Glenwood, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McDavid, Saginaw, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith, Marine, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Thompson, Marine, girl.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

C. W. Justis and Miss Lillie Morgan, Joseph Bell and Miss Rosa L. Smith, (colored).
W. A. Langley and Miss Lavirtu Farrer.

J. A. Watson and Miss Effie Castevens.
Mose A. Rosenthal and Miss Mary Neumeagen.
William H. Lochabay and Miss Maud Pruitt.

IN DALLAS COURTS

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals for the fifth supreme judicial district, at Dallas, Nov. 14:

Affirmed—Patrick Cahill vs. Joseph M. Dickson et al, Dallas; J. D. Crawford vs. Southern Rock Island Plov Co. et al, Dallas; B. P. Davis et al vs. John Riley, Preestone.

Motions disposed of—Burnett-Ansley Jewelry Co. vs. Joseph Linz, rehearing overruled; G. C. and S. F. Ry. Co. vs. John C. Brown et al, rehearing overruled; W. F. Hicks vs. Oscar Pogue et al, rehearing overruled; J. W. Slough vs. W. G. Ragley Lumber Co., rehearing overruled; Merritt Mitchell et al vs. H. and T. C. Ry. Co., affirmed on certificate granted; John Honeger vs. Texas Paper Co., affirm on certificate granted; Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf Ry. Co. vs. Lewis Longbottom, file transcript, granted, same case affirm on certificate, overruled; St. Louis S. W. Ry. Co. vs. John W. Turner, certiorari, granted and certified copy attached to motion made part of the record; W. S. Quebe vs. G. C. and S. F. Ry. Co., submission of motion for rehearing set aside and reset for Nov. 20.

Cases submitted—Marshall Nat. Bank vs. Geo. Smith et al, Harrison; M. K. and T. Ry. Co. vs. Dora McCutcheon, Hopkins; M. K. and T. Ry. Co. vs. P. E. Harrison, Hopkins; First Nat. Bank of Whitesboro vs. C. A. Andrews & Co., Grayson; B. B. Bonner vs. M. K. and T. Ry. Co., Dallas; St. Louis S. W. Ry. Co. vs. John W. Turner, Uphur; H. and T. C. Ry. Co. vs. city of Dallas, Dallas; Rotan Grocery Co. vs. F. E. Dowlin, Hill.

Cases set for Nov. 25—M. K. and T. Ry. Co. vs. M. O'Connor, Hunt; Delaware Construction Co. et al vs. Farmers and Merchants Nat. Bank, Uphur; J. M. Rylie vs. M. C. Stammer, Dallas; Matthews Lumber Co. vs. Van Zandt county, Van Zandt; T. P. Crayton vs. T. W. Park et al, Ellis; Texas and Pacific Ry. Co. vs. Calvin Alexander, Bowie.

LITTLE CHANGE IN CAR STRIKE

Few Acts of Violence Shown. Cars Every Thirty Minutes on Sunday

CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—A few attempts at violence marked today's developments in the Chicago city railway strike. Cars were operated all day on the Wentworth avenue line under the same heavy guards as before. Public sentiment is turning to a marked degree. The cars today carried many passengers, some of which were women. No effort has been made by the company to operate cars on any line except Wentworth avenue and announcement has not been made as to when other lines will be started. It is understood that attention soon will be turned toward Cottage Grove avenue. At 1:30 this afternoon ten Wentworth avenue cars made the third trip of the day from the West Seventy-seventh street barns to the Washington street terminus in Clark street and started back safely under protection police. Assistant Chief of Police Schuetler said that would be the last trip of the day and that the next trip would be tomorrow at 9:30 with cars running every thirty minutes.

Up to this time it had not been known whether the company would undertake Sunday trips. Wild rumors were afloat during the afternoon of a teamsters' strike affecting that branch of the railway company's employ, but at the teamsters' union it was declared no strike had been ordered. During the afternoon a coal teamster giving his name as John Sullivan refused to move his wagon from the tracks in front of a southbound car and started with a shovel after a policeman who took his horses' bridles. He was arrested and taken to the Harrison street station. There was disorder at Twenty-second street on one of the trips. Two men, James Morris and James Helber, were injured by blows from policeman's clubs. A crowd menaced the policeman. Hamilton and General Manager McCulloch conferred this afternoon supposedly in regard to the proposition of the state board of arbitration to mediate.

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Collar—Wing or high band turned down.
Neckwear—Black silk or satin tie.
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Silk and Opera Hats	\$8.00
Tuxedo Hats	\$5.00
Dress Shoes	\$3.50 to \$6.50
Colonial Dancing Ties	\$2.50
White Full Dress Vests	\$3.00 to \$6.00
Dress Shirts	\$2.00

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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.
George Mulkey, who has been sick with typhoid fever for a week, was reported last night as no better.

Dr. R. Chambers, the city physician, who has been ill during the week at the St. Joseph's infirmary, was much improved yesterday. He has had many callers during the week. He is now on the road to recovery, which is a source of pleasure to all of his friends.

Mrs. J. C. McFarland of the Rob Roy ranch, Boerne, Texas, is visiting her son, H. H. McFarland, on Fifth avenue, and her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Moore on Henderson street.

Dr. Robert E. L. Miller has returned from a visit to Colorado and other states in the west, where he has been studying climatology. He had an enjoyable trip.

Mrs. S. S. May received a telegram from Providence, La., yesterday, notifying her of the death of her mother.

The Fort Worth Ministers' Association will hold its regular meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at 11 a. m. Monday. All members expected to be present. Visiting and other resident ministers invited to attend.

The following building permits have been issued by the city engineer: Mrs. C. Barr, five-room dwelling, \$800, block 40, Tucker's addition; George Roberts, six-room dwelling, lot 7, block B, Glendale addition, \$1,900.

George Reichart, Judge R. F. Milam, Robert Littlejohn, Lem E. Day and Chas. Kolp formed a party which went out last night to Thurber for a Sunday duck hunt.

Broiles H. Gambrell, clerk in the railway postoffice on the South McAlester and Amarillo run, has been promoted from class 1 to class 2; J. M. Mecker of the Pueblo and Amarillo run is promoted from class 2 to class 3; J. M. Sellers and J. Beversdorff, substitute clerks, have resigned from the service.

S. M. Gaines, superintendent of the Eleventh division, railway mail service, is expected home today from St. Louis.

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IMPORTANT CASES UP IN BEAUMONT

Many Interesting Criminal and Civil Suits to Be Tried This Term

BEAUMONT, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The November term of the federal court begins Monday with much important oil land litigation pending. The most important criminal cases are the charges pending against Rod Oliver, president of the defunct Citizens' National Bank, and J. P. Withers, indicted for alleged violation of the national banking laws, while president of the American National Bank. The latter case is what caused the removal of United States Marshal Grant.

The case of Dr. J. M. Harris, the saloon proprietor, indicted for the murder of Constable Reddick some months ago, is set for trial in the district court Monday. It is stated the defendant's attorneys will file a motion for a change of venue.

DIES IN MARSHALL JAIL
MARSHALL, Texas, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—John McKinnon, a white man, about 25 years of age, died here in the county jail last night. McKinnon went in a local drug store here yesterday evening and complained of being sick. He was given some medicine to ease his pain and was removed to the county jail by the officers, where he died last night. He stated that his home was in Kaufman and it is the opinion of the doctors that he was addicted to the use of morphine or cocaine.

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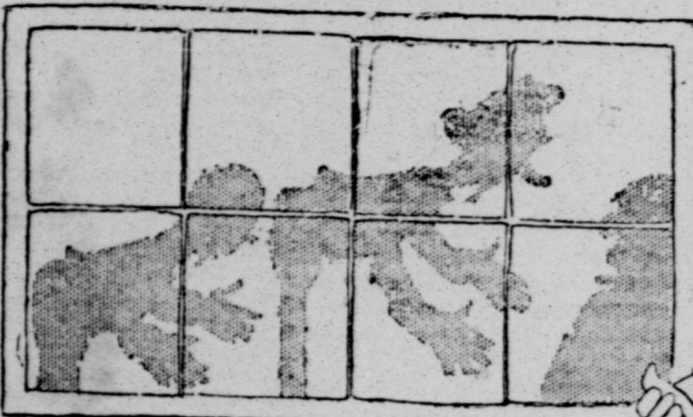
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Stool and scarf included. Payments to suit purchaser.

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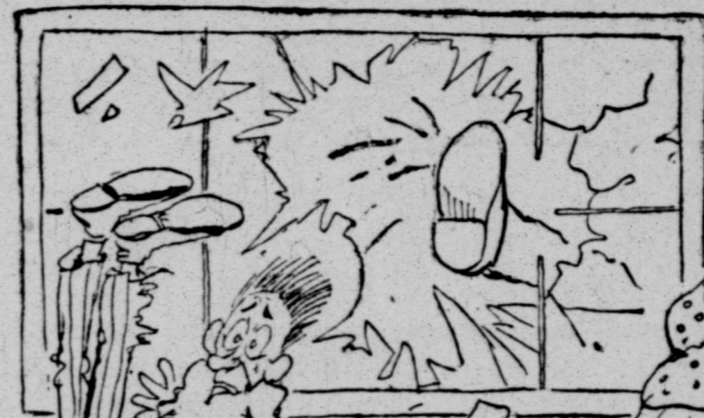
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Alphonse and Gaston Assist Their Friend Leon to Elope with His Affinity.

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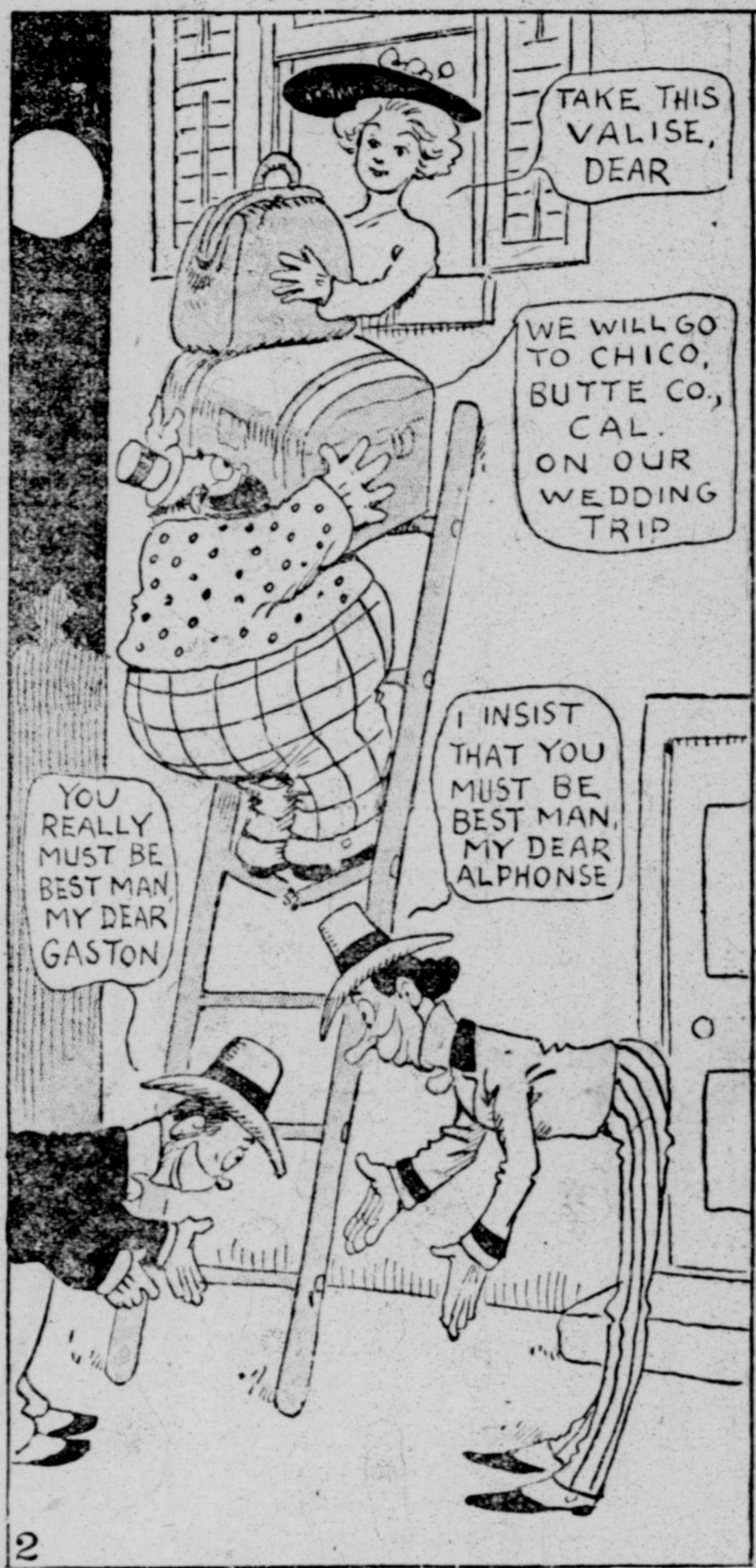
TAKE THIS LITTLE TRUNK, DEAR

MY DEAR FRIENDS ONE OF YOU SHALL BE MY BEST MAN AT THE WEDDING

OH NO, YOU SHALL HAVE THE HONOR OF BEING BEST MAN, MY DEAR ALPHONSE

YOU SHALL BE BEST MAN, MY DEAR GASTON

1



TAKE THIS VALISE, DEAR

WE WILL GO TO CHICO, BUTTE CO., CAL. ON OUR WEDDING TRIP

I INSIST THAT YOU MUST BE BEST MAN, MY DEAR ALPHONSE

YOU REALLY MUST BE BEST MAN, MY DEAR GASTON

2



BE CAREFUL OF THIS BUNDLE AND THIS SUIT CASE

AND TO MOUNT PLEASANT, S. C.

I IMPLOR YOU TO BE BEST MAN, MY DEAR ALPHONSE

I BEG YOU TO BE BEST MAN, MY DEAR GASTON

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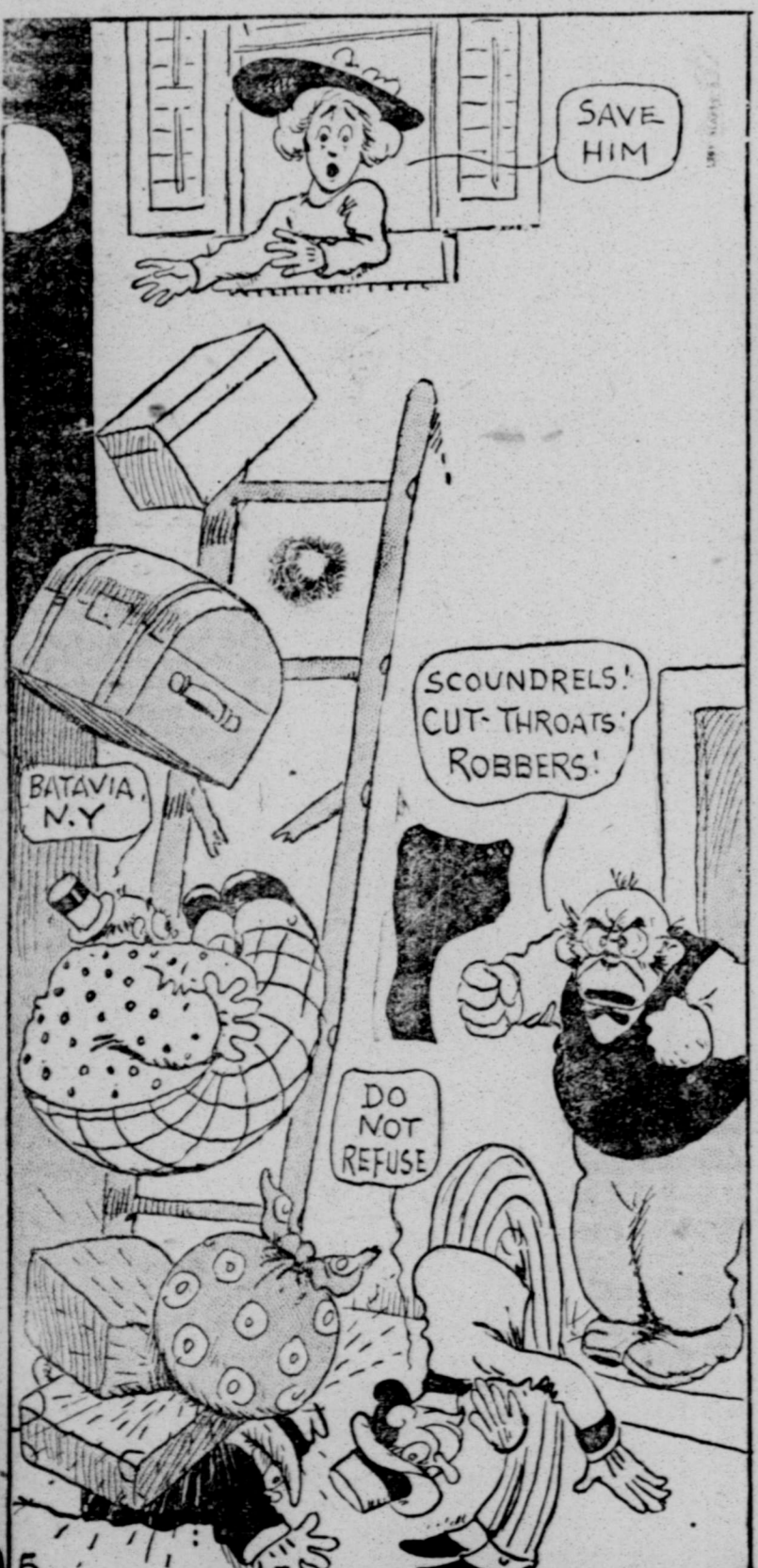
WAIT TILL I GET ANOTHER PACKAGE

CHICOPEE FALLS MASS

THEY'RE GOING TO ELOPE

BUT MY DEAR ALPHONSE I PLEAD

4



SAVE HIM

SCOUNDRELS! CUT-THROATS! ROBBERS!

DO NOT REFUSE

5



BE CAREFUL OF MY HAT

I'LL TEACH YOU

6



HEAVENS! MY HAT IS RUINED!

YOU'LL ELOPE WITH MY DAUGHTER, WILL YOU?

7



I WISH TO RETURN INSTANTLY TO THAT DEAR ELKO, NEV.

WITH GREAT PLEASURE, MY DEAR ALPHONSE

WHEN WE GET LEON HOME WE WILL KICK HIM GOOD AND HARD, MY DEAR GASTON

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Our showing of washable Waists is very complete, showing all the new weaves in Oxford, Madras and Rope weaves, well tailored and trimmed, with ornamental buttons...

Ladies' Tailored Suits

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Three Very Low Prices In Walking Skirts

For Monday we offer three lines of Walking Skirts at very tempting prices. These Skirts are made of the very best Meltons, stitched with silk, and trimmed with buttons and straps...

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Children's Union Suits, fleeced, good warm and comfortable, Monday... Ladies' 3-4 wool union and two-piece suits, Monday Special...

Ladies' and Children's Hosiery

Boys' Rock Proof Hose, 6 to 10, heavy ribbed, will wear, Monday Special... Ladies' Stainless black Hose, silk finish, regular 20c sellers, Monday...

Ribbons and Belts

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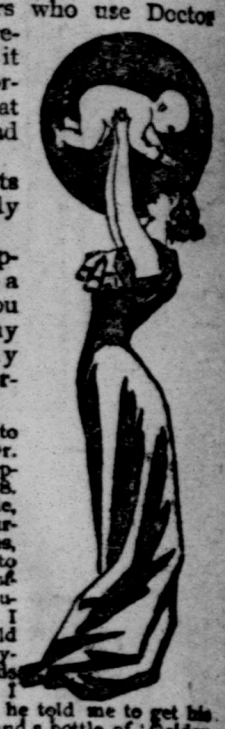
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Oh, is it food for sighs at Fate, Or is it food for laughter, But women should love the best today, And women the day after?

Men seize the hour to vow and kiss, Forget and onward wander; But women on the morrow sigh, 'Today I would be fonder!'

How fair for women were the world, How full of song and laughter, If they could love today, and men Could love them the day after.

Wayside songs and meadow blossoms; nothing perfect, nothing rare; Every poet's ordered garden yields a hundred flowers more fair; Master singers know a music richer far beyond compare.

Yet the reaper in the harvest, 'mid the burden and the heat, Rums a half-remembered ballad, finds the easy cadence sweet,— Sees the very blue of heaven in the corn-bloom at his feet.

Petiches are not always or exclusively cut into stone or carved into wood. Notions, conceits and prejudices venerable on account of their age and errors, parading in the habiliments of truth, have had their altars at which as intent worship was paid them as ever was to stock and star by untutored savage.

And so we feel as we read Emerson, that he has only touched our strings; for we have the same thoughts and the beauty all around appeals to us, only we lack the master's touch of expression. And so his prophecies of the beautiful will be read on and on, because his expressions satisfy the thoughts of his readers.

here again he says, "Nature never rhymes her children nor makes two men alike." How our hearts rejoice in beautiful manners, in the fact that a gentleman makes no noise, and a lady is serene, and that once or twice in our lifetime we, too, are permitted to enjoy the charm of noble manners in the presence of one who has no bar in his nature, but whose character emanates freely in word and gesture.

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The usual Saturday evening dance of the Imperials last week brought together several out of town men. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. Hertford, Mrs. Beadles, Misses Anderson, Saunders, Daniels, Crowley, Downing, Glen-Walker, Greenwall, Stripling, Wilkes, McCarty, Orlopp, Shugart, Martin, Paddock, Gibbs of San Antonio and Spencer; Dr. Joyce, Messrs. Sondley, James B. Curd of Louisville, Ky., Hicks, Stark, Knight, Ball Evans, Russell, Keith, Scheuber, Falock, Paddock, Pitner, Saunders, Malone, Hoffman, Ridgway, Rogers of Louisville, Wynne, Cheatham, Winfrey, Wolston of Galveston.

The Sans Parlel and Entres Nous will engage in friendly rivalry with the pickin on Thanksgiving day. The line-up will be given out in a few days.

The Sans Parlel are issuing invitations for a Thanksgiving dance on the evening of Friday following the day of celebration.

Mrs. J. C. McCabe has issued cards for the afternoon of Thursday, the 19th. High five will be the game favored.

Master Edward Clarkson Meek will entertain a number of young men friends at dinner next Thursday evening.

The ladies of the Catholic church have been at work for many weeks preparing for their annual bazaar which they will hold Thanksgiving week. On Thanksgiving day they promise a dinner as good as

any "mother ever cooked" with the bazaar and its attendant merrymakings after. Their busy fingers are fashioning all kinds of articles that anybody—even a man—will be delighted to possess.

The officers of the bazaar are Mrs. Frank McGee, president; Mrs. John Lebane, vice president; Mrs. A. M. McElwee, secretary; Mrs. M. E. Kiley, treasurer. The following is a list of the booths and the ladies who will have them in charge: Sacred Heart booth, Mrs. J. Hird, chairman. Ladies' auxiliary to A. O. H. booth, Mrs. M. Lavin, chairman. Young ladies' booth, Mrs. E. T. Bergin, chairman. Candy booth, Miss Elizabeth Tarlton, chairman. Grand trombola, Mrs. Dan Kuneagan.

The meeting of the Merry Wives which was to have been last Thursday with Mrs. R. L. Van Zandt was postponed on account of family sorrows. The date of meeting will be announced in a few days.

Miss Florence Smith will entertain with a reception next Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. Peter Smith, Jr.

A young folks' party with Hunter Phelan as host will be enjoyed by a number of favored guests next Monday evening from 7 to 10 at the residence of Master Hunter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Phelan.

The wives and sisters of local Elks have reorganized with Mrs. Charles W. Conner as president; Mrs. McElwee, vice president; Mrs. Ed Burns, secretary and Mrs. F. T. Crittenden, treasurer. They will entertain their husbands next Friday evening. They are also arranging for a Christmas entertainment for the children of Fort Worth who may not be provided with Christmas pleasures.

The Calumet Club met with Mrs. J. V. Douglas, 418 Wheeler street, Wednesday afternoon. A short business meeting preceded a contest of skill over with pencil each guest drawing the profile of some other guest, after which there was a general guessing as to whom the profile belonged. Mrs. Hart won a handsome etching, a Christy girl in a cut with Mrs. Colton, while a comic picture went to Mrs. Gernsbacher in a cut with Mrs. McDowell. There was also a program of music, piano and songs, by Miss Pearl Lovelett and Miss Marie Douglas. Refreshments of pressed chicken, sandwiches, pickles, fruit salad with whipped cream, cake, macaroni and coffee were served to Mesdames George Johnson, C. E. Coppage, T. T. McDonald, Walter Hart, J. B. Colton, H. E. Sawyer, Julia Gernsbacher, F. M. Lloyd, Robert Cook, Misses Pearl Lovelett, Douglas and Marie Douglas.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Robert Cook, 329 Wheeler street, on the afternoon of Tuesday, November 24.

There was an informal dance at the Commercial Club Thursday evening, with the german danced under the leadership of Major Elliott. Those present were: Misses Littlejohn, Labatt, Tarlton, Wilkes, McLean, Sims of Waxahachie, Hunter, Feild, Larimer, Rembert Smith, Boland, Saunders, Callaway, Crowley, Hollingsworth and Hogsett; Major Elliott; Messrs. Andrews, Julian Andrews.

The Better Halves met with Mrs. Hoot Tuesday afternoon, working with zeal on linen and silk, and other suggestions of holiday preparations. There was a luncheon, too, and a wee, wee bit of friendly gossip. Mrs. Hoot will entertain the club and the club's husbands next Tuesday evening.

The Seventh Street Whist Club met with Mrs. John Moore Thursday, Mrs. Moore entertaining at the residence of Mrs. Mullins. Mrs. DeWolf won a handsome plate, and Mrs. Gayle a picture. A picture also went to Miss Brown of Cleburne, Mrs. Moore's sister.

Cards and a chafing dish make a combination the best ever, say a number of young men who, paying party calls upon Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hertford last Wednesday evening, found there Mrs. Beadles, Miss Malone, Miss Labatt and Miss Paddock. They are now certain that pleasure comes of it, and especially when aided by a charming hostess. The men of the party were: Messrs. Wardlaw, Ridgway, Wynne, Fink, Pitner, Collett and Clements.

Miss Edgington will be the soloist at the Broadway Presbyterian church today, singing "Face to Face," by Herbert Johnson.

The Board of Trade extended invitations to a number of socially prominent women to meet in the rooms of the Commercial Club to arrange for entertaining the ladies who will be here when the National Live Stock Exchange meets. Mesdames Winfield Scott, Mrs. O. W. Matthews, Mrs. G. V. Galbreath, Mrs. Robt. McNatt, Mrs. A. J. Long, Mrs. F. M. Long, Mrs. W. E. Connell, Mrs. J. L. Johnson, Mrs. M. M. Barnes, Mrs. V. S. Wardlaw and Mrs. C. C. French responded and met yesterday afternoon in the club rooms. Mrs. C. C. French was elected chairman of the meeting. She has issued a call for another meeting for next Wednesday morning, at which time committees will be appointed and all arrangements completed.

Whist may be driven from its throne but yet there are many who prefer loyalty to the old rule. A number of these met with Miss Hogsett last week and organized for whist playing purposes strictly. The membership is composed of a number of last season's Bohemian Club, with several of the ex-Gibson Girls. There will be a number of matrons as well as girls in the membership, which is as follows: Misses Hogsett, Laura Hogsett, Montgomery, Crittenden, White, Littlejohn, Bartels, Bradley, Orrick, Hornby, Edgington, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Moffatt, Mrs. Beckham, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Cook.

The club will play this Friday with Miss Hogsett, meeting after this week, however, on Tuesdays.

The rehearsal of Gounod's *Galla* will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the parlors of the Broadway Presbyterian church. On Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at the same place there will be a rehearsal for ladies only. All who intend to take part in the oratorio are asked to be present, as this meeting is most important.

The Arions yesterday received positive announcement that Madame Gen-

revised Johnstone Bishop will be the soloist at their first concert, Dec. 11. Madame Johnstone is one of the best known artists on the concert stage, and her program of six numbers will include two heavy arias and song groups. The Arions will also render numbers and the evening promises a treat for music lovers. The concert will be given at Greenwall's opera house.

Mrs. D. Brown entertained the members of the Progressive Whist with luncheon and cards last Wednesday, the day being the twentieth anniversary of her marriage day. The guests were seated around a beautifully appointed table, cut glass and drawn work and vases filled with roses and carnations showing under the shaded chandeliers. The curtains were drawn and the chandeliers were cut glass candelabra with white candles. The center piece was a cut glass bowl in which was a cut glass vase, the bowl being filled with ferns and the vase with long stemmed roses. Under the center piece was a silver mounted reflector on sheerest specimen of Mexican drawn work.

After the serving of the four course luncheon the guests played whist—a guest table being provided in honor of Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Simon of Tyler. The club prize, half a dozen Haviland plates, went to Mrs. Seligman, and the guest prize, an oil picture, to Miss Hattie Weltman. The consolation prize, also a picture, went to Mrs. Marx. Each guest received as souvenir of the afternoon a bunch of carnations tied with wide satin ribbon.

The guests were: Miss Schloss, Mrs. Lederman, Mrs. Seligman, Mrs. I. Carb, Mrs. D. Carb, Mrs. Heninger, Mrs. Baum, Mrs. Neumann, Mrs. Marx, Mrs. Viet, Mrs. Rosenthal, Mrs. H. Brann, Mrs. Weltman, Miss Weltman, Miss Esther Neumann, Miss Ida Simon of Tyler.

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The ladies of the First Congregational church entertained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Post last Tuesday afternoon. The callers included many of the members of the congregation as well as those not of that faith. There was a table prepared for tea and accepting its hospit-

able invitation there were many wishes for the welfare of the new congregation and its zealous workers expressed, while drinking the fragrant beverage.

Among the interesting incidents of the afternoon was the exhibition of a grated lemon that fifty years ago had furnish a part of the ingredients for the wedding repast of Mr. and Mrs. Post away back in Connecticut. The lemon is black and hard and shows little trace of its original characteristics, but is treasured by Mr. and Mrs. Post as a remarkable souvenir.

Musical numbers were furnished by Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Frazier and Miss Flora Russell.

The reception committee was composed of Mesdames Ray, Eitelman, Campbell, Frazier, McKay and Miss Grace Ray.

Among the visitors were Rev. and Mrs. Charles Hyde who joined in the general hopes for the future prosperity of the new congregation.

The ladies of the All Saints Hospital Association held a tea last Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. L. J. Clayton for the benefit of that

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\$22.50 Ladies' Tailored Suit of a new wool mixture, in a blue gray or brown novelty, long skirted blouse, satin lined throughout, wide cape over shoulders, with stole ends, trimmed with blue and white braid, has a standing collar of velvet, braid trimmed, full sleeves gathered into a fancy turn-back cuff; Skirt is plain, nine gored flare round length, a splendid value, very stylish.

\$29.50 A striking model in a green and red mixture, long skirted jacket, with cape, stole effect, trimmed with buttons; has a shaped velvet collar, in green, trimmed with Persian Yak lace braid, fully gathered sleeves ending in a fancy cuff of green velvet and Persian silk braid; Jacket is lined with changeable silk; Skirt is a nine-gored flare round length.



\$24.95 Handsome Coat of black all wool Kersey cloth, three-quarter length; military cape over shoulders, standing collar, trimmed in red velvet and brass buttons, double row of large buttons down the front, loop fastenings; front is faced back with black satin, full fancy sleeve, with turn-back cuff of the material, trimmed in red velvet, braid and brass buttons, military style throughout.

\$16.50 Coat of black or tan Kersey cloth, three-quarter length, half fitted back, has double cape over the shoulders, stole effect, trimmed in buttons and rows of stitching, double-breasted, with heavy straps of the material around neck and down the front, full sleeves gathered into fancy turn-back cuff, finished in stitching and gun metal buttons; satin lined throughout.

\$18.95 A swell model in a Coat of black Kersey or tan Melton cloth, fitted back, with triple cape over shoulders, mannish turn-back collar of velvet with long graceful lapels, full sleeves, gathered into a narrow turn-back mannish cuff, front faced, backed with the material; the coat lined throughout with black satin—one of the newest and most stylish models shown.

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worthy cause. The visitors had not only a cordial welcome and a cup of tea to cheer but they saw flowers in beauty and abundance. There was a large number of callers and the exchange was enriched by several substantial donations.

The reception committee was composed of Mesdames Clayton, Davies, Jordan, Randol, Beard, Rosworth, Misses Vickery, Nicholson and Hosmer. During the afternoon there were humorous readings by Mrs. Jordan that added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion.

The marriage of Miss Annie Matlock to Dr. James Thomas Leeper which was celebrated at the home of the bride's uncle, A. L. Matlock, last Wednesday evening, in an unusual measure brought out expressions of love and hopes for the happiest future possible.

In the dining room the talk as draped with a cover of muslin with fluted ruffles on its scalloped edges which also bore strands of smilax. A cut glass bowl on the table was filled with yellow chrysanthemums, and bonbonieres had white confections. Before the ceremony which was performed by Rev. J. W. Caldwell, Miss Maud Matlock, the bride's cousin, sang "Because I Love You" with Guy Richardson Pittner as accompanist.

The bride party consisted of Miss Lena Smith and Miss Leeper, sister of the groom; Dr. J. R. Reeves and the groom, Mrs. Galtner, the ring bearer; the bride with her uncle, Mr. Matlock. The bride's gown was of white chiffon with lace trimmings; her veil fastened with a brilliant. All the bride party were gowned in white, the matron of honor, Mrs. Mounts, wearing a yellow crepe de chine with polka-dot trimmings. Little Dorothy Galtner wore a yellow silk with ecru skirt and lace bertha. Miss Smith's gown was of white wash chiffon and she carried yellow chrysanthemums. Miss Leeper wore a white crepe de chine with shirred skirt and bodice and yellow chrysanthemums. Mrs. Matlock wore a red embroidered chiffon with French trimmings. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Will Ish of Vernon, Mrs. Green of Sunset, Mrs. Barber, Mrs. Matlock, Mrs. Mounts and Miss Matlock of Denton, Miss Leeper of Tennessee, Mrs. May of Stephenville and the Misses Chambers of Stephenville.

The presents were displayed in the west parlor and were all specially handsome and numerous. Dr. and Mrs. Leeper left immediately after the ceremony for the future home in Lenoir City, Tenn.

Dr. and Mrs. Galtner entertained the bride party of the Leeper-Matlock wedding with a pro-nuptial dinner Tuesday evening. Eight courses were served amid beautiful and artistic surroundings. Each guest received a souvenir of a bunch of chrysanthemums.

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Keith at Vernon, Texas. Miss Herring has often been a guest here and is extremely popular.

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All committees appointed by the local board of arrangement for the state federation are requested to meet in the Christian Tabernacle next Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. This will be the last meeting before the federation and it is important that every member of every committee attend in order that the details be given a final review.

Mrs. Connery, chairman of the committee to arrange for the drive to the country club, requests every citizen who has a vehicle and who will contribute it to the use of the delegates for that drive to notify her. Every citizen who takes a guest to the club for this afternoon tea will be considered a guest of the club and will be most welcome.

Mrs. John M. Adams, chairman of the reception committee, announces her committee: John M. Adams, Dr. and Mrs. Covert, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Conery, Captain and Mrs. George West, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram A. Rose, Jeff McLean, Herbert Walker, Miss Saunders.

Dr. I. C. Chase will entertain the first year students of the Fort Worth medical college next Tuesday evening. The evening will be devoted to social pleasure and anticipation is pronounced.

The literary section of the Department Club met in the parlors of the Christian Tabernacle yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Stovall, Mrs. C. T. Brewett called the meeting to order. "The Women of the Revolution" was the topic for study and Mrs. Covert was the director. Mrs. Key discussed "Martha Washington," Mrs. Gernsbacher, Mrs. C. C. Pinckney, Mrs. Ed Hunter, Mrs. Warren and Mrs. Brewett, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Goodman read an excellent paper on Dolly Madison.

The Penelope Club met at the club rooms Tuesday afternoon and the regular class study was taken up with supplementary work on the Elizabethan age. A paper was read by Mrs. Ota Gama, on "The Madonna in Art," and the lesson was directed by Mrs. A. H. McCarthy, the leader being assisted by Mrs. Bogart, Mrs. Arrarat, Mrs. W. F. Sturley, Miss Bidie Yates, Mrs. John Key, Mrs. Madge Talsdorf, Mrs. W. W. Heathcote and Mrs. Julia Hill as critic. The social session, the last meeting in November, will be postponed on account of being held on the same day that the State Federation convenes in our city, the president explaining what an incentive it would be for the members to attend an assembly conducted by club women. Mrs. A. H. McCarthy will preside during the absence of the president at the next meeting and a full attendance is requested.

The "Big Seven" has entered the lists as a candidate for social favor, and last Friday evening met with Miss Edna Pendleton to establish their claims. They danced, found a lunch to their liking and hints of "nine dolings" have been frequently given out by Misses Pendleton, Jennie Clark, Allie Mallard, Vera Danling, Bessie Bibb, Michael Long, Katie Bowler, Misses Finner, Staudt, Will King, Wayne King, Klina Ault, Willis Lot, Herman Clark and Gentry Brown, all members of the "Big Seven."

More than twenty ladies, under the leadership of Mrs. Godwin, met in the bowling parlors Friday afternoon and with Mrs. E. H. Lowe as chairman, organized a club. It is to be without prizes and there will be no refreshments. These details were agreed upon, though the plan for regulating the play was left to a committee composed of Mrs. Godwin and Mrs. Stanbery. The club will be known as the "Crescent Bowling Club," and will be composed of matrons only. The members are: Mesdames Anderson, Grammer, Littlefair, Carlock, Connery, Matthews, Dunn, Kaufman, Dickinson, Warrick, Childress, Laushe, Capps, Davis, Tempel, Scott, Berney, Lyons, Templeton, Lewie, McLeod, Stanbery and Shilton. At the game Friday afternoon Miss Bradley played as substitute for Mrs. Kaufman, Miss Hogsett for Mrs. Capps, Mrs. Knight for Mrs. Lyons and Miss Toastick for Mrs. Connery, the substitutes being the guests of the members they played for.

One of the prettiest parties of the week was that given by Mrs. George B. Johnson and Mrs. George Robson at the home of the former on Thursday afternoon. The reception hall and parlors were beautifully decorated in ivy, chrysanthemums and roses, while the dining room was resplendent in pink and white roses, these colors being carried out in the refreshments also. A menu contest was indulged in, which resulted in Mrs. John Fardon winning a beautiful hand-painted china cake plate, while the consolation prize fell to Mrs. George Q. McGowan. The guests were then invited to the dining room to partake of dainty refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake, wafers, coffee and minis.

The following ladies were present: Mesdames James Anderson, A. Dunlap, John Cella, John Bardon, J. C. Coe, R. M. Whitson, Ed Hunter, J. E. White, George Weller, George Q. McGowan, J. A. Hillie, L. C. Hutchens, D. Carpenter, William Kellogg, H. Johnson, F. C. Nifong, D. B. Farnsworth, James Thompson, Joe Bennett, Sam Guile, S. S. Mays and Ada Johnson.

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The New Century Club met in the parlors of the Christian Tabernacle on Wednesday afternoon. The question of an amendment to the constitution occupied the attention of the club during the business session, the point of issue being the admission of new members. Upon the organization of the club, the membership was limited to the lady teachers in the city schools the character and scope of the work have led to requests from others for admission, therefore the constitution was amended so as to extend the privilege of membership to any who wish to become identified with the club in its work.

The drill in parliamentary law was followed by a paper upon "Emerson, the Prophet of the Beautiful," by Miss Buchanan.

The round table discussion upon the poems on "Friendship and Love" was so exhaustive that it was decided to continue the discussion on the poems on "Love" at the next meeting. These poems disclose the unity of thought which underlies and closely connects both the prose and poetry of the Concord philosopher and show very conclusively that philosophical thought may be set forth in poetry as well as in prose.

Very soon the work on Emerson will be closed and a similar study given the life and works of Hawthorne. The Taylor Street C. P. Auxiliary will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday, November 17. Mrs. John C. Harrison is director for the lesson which consists of the closing chapter of the text book, "Lux Christi." A large number of questions are prepared on the chapter, and the special "themes for discussion" will be read by Mesdames Harrison, Harding and Speer. Special music will vary the program.

The Harmony Club met with Miss Downing, Wednesday afternoon, November 11. The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. R. B. West, and opened by roll call and current musical events. Mr. Pittner directed the lesson on "Theories" and also gave a reading on "Overtones and Harmonics," illustrating the lesson with blackboard exercises. A round table talk on life and works of Von Weber was led by Miss Ray. The musical numbers all from the composer under discussion were as follows: Piano duet, "Invitation to the Dance".....Mrs. J. C. Hill and Miss Davis Piano solo, "Fascination".....Miss Cordie Hooper Hymn, "Jesus As Thou Wilt".....Miss Downing and Mrs. West Adagio, Sonata in C major.....Mrs. Lyons The next meeting will be with Mrs. Batcliff, and Schubert will be the composer for discussion.

PERSONALS. Mrs. C. J. Taylor has returned from a visit to Tyler friends. Miss Bessie Bibb is confined to her home with an attack of la grippe. Robert Beekham, who has been sick for several weeks, with typhoid fever, is now convalescent. Mrs. Washer has returned from a visit of several weeks in San Antonio. Miss Simon of Tyler is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. Brown. Mrs. Rosenthal of Sulphur Springs is the guest of Mrs. Neumann. Mrs. Yoake of Marshall spent several days last week with Mrs. Lanier. Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Connery made a short visit with Dallas relatives last week. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Turner will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Connery during the Federation. Miss Comer of Dallas was the guest last week of Miss Saunders. Mr. and Mrs. J. Stuart Dent and J. Stuart Dent, Jr., of Boston will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Connery next week. Mrs. Dent is the sister of Mr. Connery. W. C. Guthrie's mother, Mrs. C. E. Guthrie, and sisters, Misses Alice, Kate and Maud, arrived from North Carolina last week, and are at home, 1123 Burnett street. Mr. Guthrie will reside with them and Guy Richardson Pittner will also be found there. W. Gladstone Wardlaw left last week for Tennessee. Miss Florence Hollingsworth is visiting Mrs. W. B. Harrison. Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Gwynne will remove on December 1 from Palestine to Fort Worth to live permanently. Mrs. Perrin Blair will spend the winter with relatives in Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. Glen-Walker and Miss Jean Glen-Walker left last week for Southern France, where they will spend the winter. It is hoped the winter there will be beneficial to Mr. Glen-Walker's health. Mrs. May and Misses Willie and Cora Chambers of Stephenville are visiting Mrs. Joseph H. Hyman on Pruitt street. Miss Hortense Martin went to Dallas Monday to be the guest of Mrs. Tension at the debut party of Miss Lillian Tension. Miss Crawford has returned to Dallas after a short visit with Miss Edington. Miss Ruby Blake of Sherman will be the guest of Mrs. George White, coming down for the Henderson-White wedding next Wednesday. Walter Huffman, who has been visiting friends for several weeks, returns to Chicago tomorrow. Judge and Mrs. Dunklin are now at home, 1905 East Weatherford street. Mrs. W. P. Lane is attending the Charleston convention of Daughters of the Confederacy. She left last week and was joined at Shreveport by Mrs. Cone Johnson. Mrs. Johnson is the state president and Mrs. Lane state secretary of the Texas organization and state pride is satisfied that its dignity will be upheld by its representatives.

WORTH AM. EMPLOYED BY CATTLEMEN

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, held in this city yesterday, President W. W. Turney, presiding, a resolution was passed by which Louis J. Wortham, general manager of the Texas World's Fair commission, was empowered to represent the Texas cattle raisers in negotiations with the United States department of agriculture, looking to a ruling which would override F. D. Coburn. Colonel Wortham appeared before the executive committee, and at the conclusion of his address, the following resolution was passed: "Whereas, by the rules of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition as announced by F. D. Coburn, chief of the live stock department of the said Louisiana Purchase Exposition, all cattle from below the quarantine line against tick fever are excluded from participation in the live stock department of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition on the ground that they would endanger the health of the cattle from above the said quarantine line; and

"Whereas, the United States exposition is interstate and national, we believe that the sanitary rules governing the exhibition of the live stock at said exposition should conform to the rules and regulations of the department of agriculture, which rules when observed and fully complied with will prevent the spread of any disease or damage to northern animals; and

"Whereas, this association has every confidence in the ability and impartiality of the secretary of the department of agriculture and the chief of the bureau of animal industry and their associated experts to decide the question whether or not cattle from below the quarantine line can be exhibited during the Louisiana Purchase Exposition without endangering the health of cattle above said quarantine line which may be exhibited at said exposition; and

"Whereas, it has been announced by the said F. D. Coburn that no cattle shall be exhibited at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition other than halter broke animals and

"Whereas, if such ruling is permitted to stand there can be no showing made of the improvements made in ranch and range cattle in that section of the common country which is now the great cattle breeding ground of the United States; therefore be it

"Resolved, that the secretary of agriculture be appealed to that the inhibitory ruling against range cattle be abandoned so that said range cattle may participate in the live stock department of the said Louisiana Purchase Exposition with all other beef cattle.

"Resolved, that we call upon the Texas World's Fair commission through its general manager, Louis J. Wortham, to call upon Secretary Wilson with full authority to speak for our cause and that the said general manager of the said Texas World's Fair commission be hereby instructed to advise the secretary of the department of agriculture that the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, after a full and fair presentation of its case in these premises will abide by the decision of said department of agriculture."

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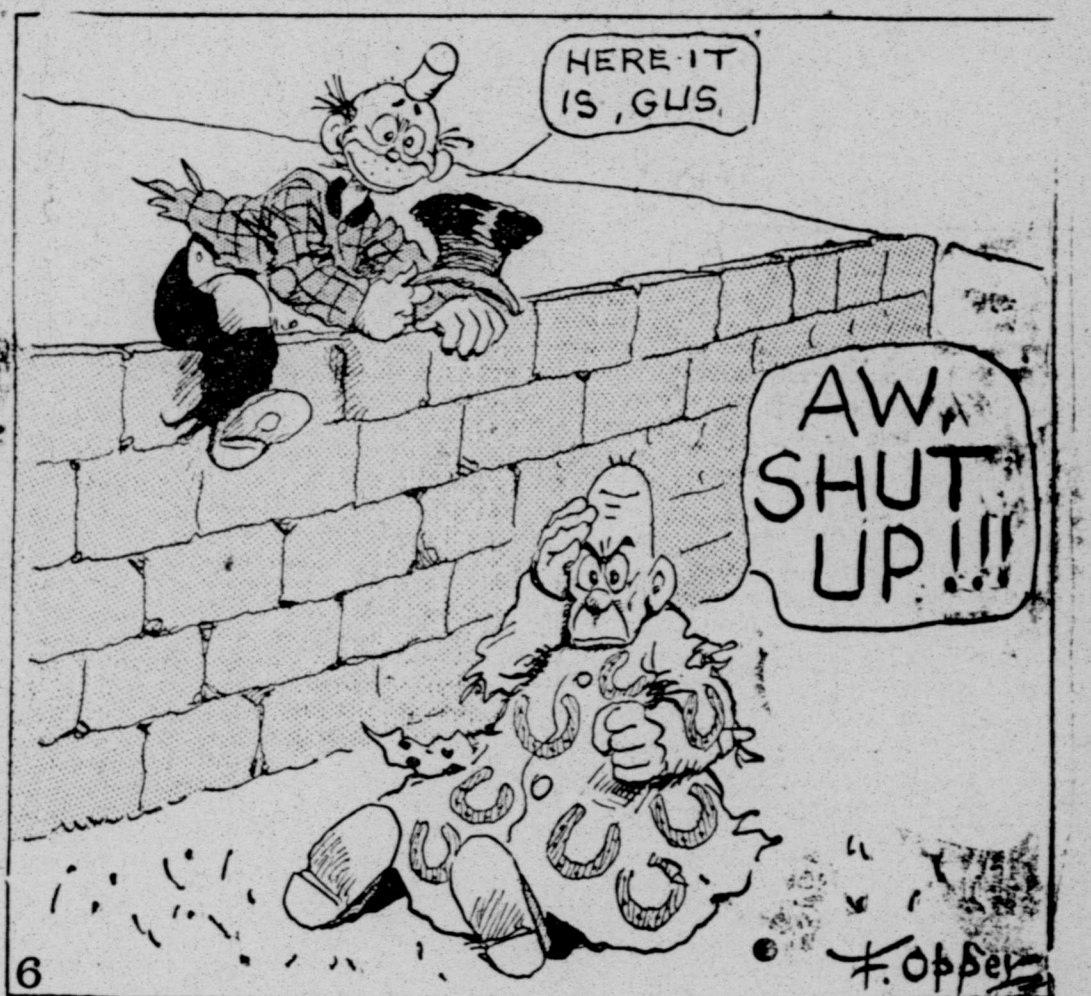
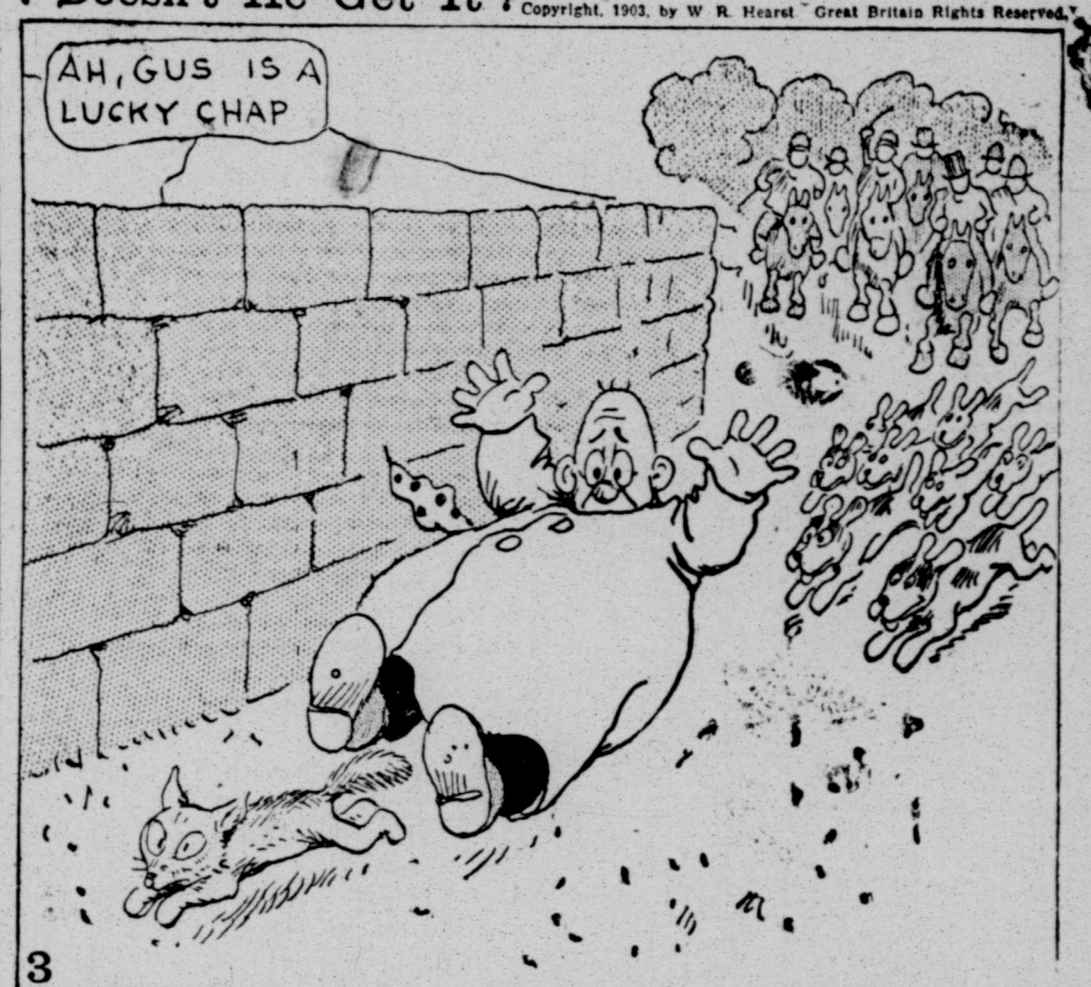
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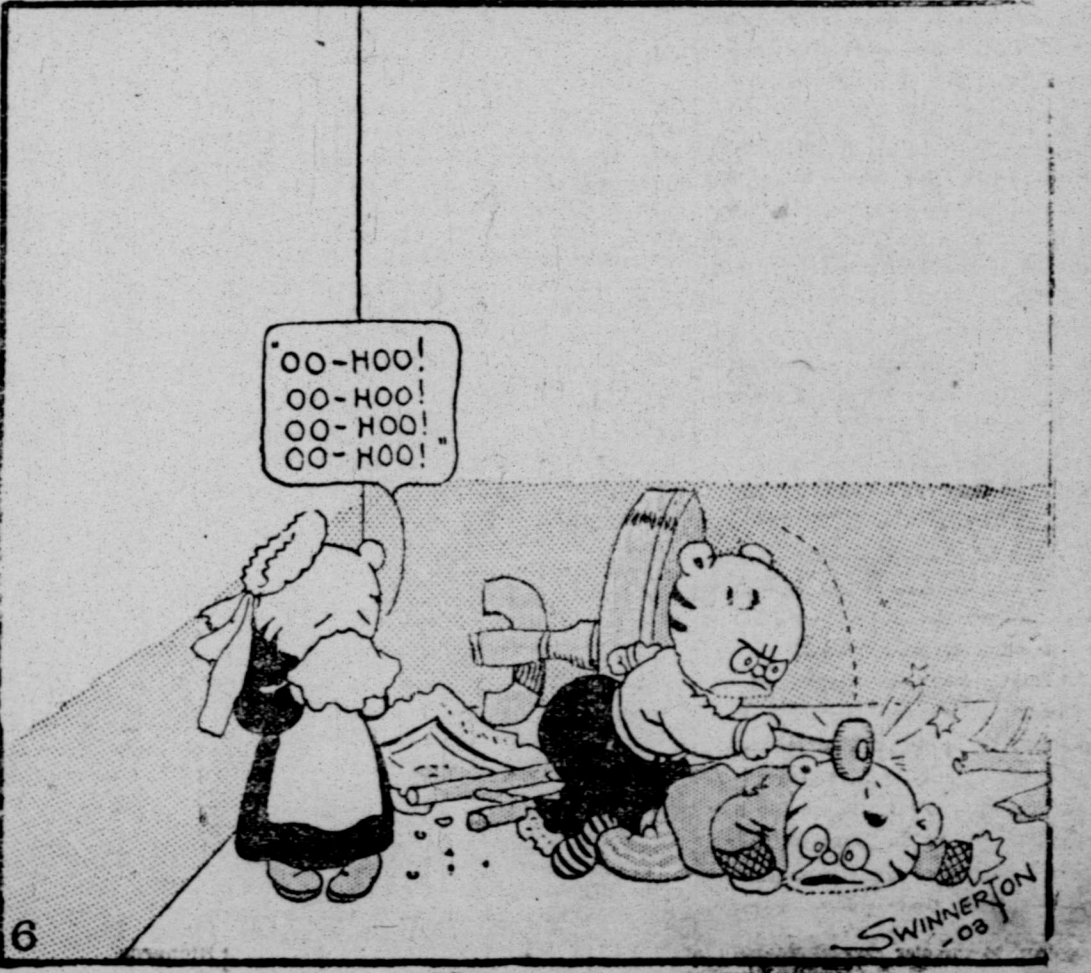
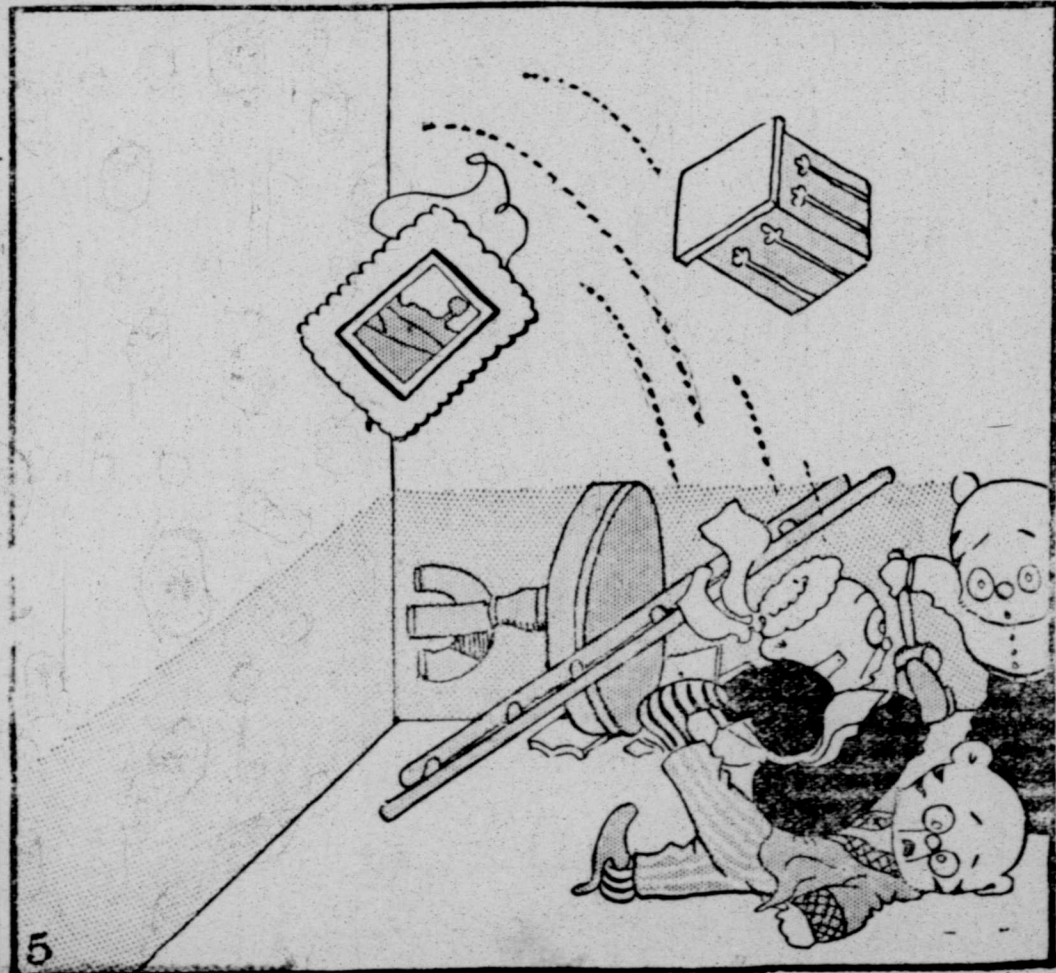
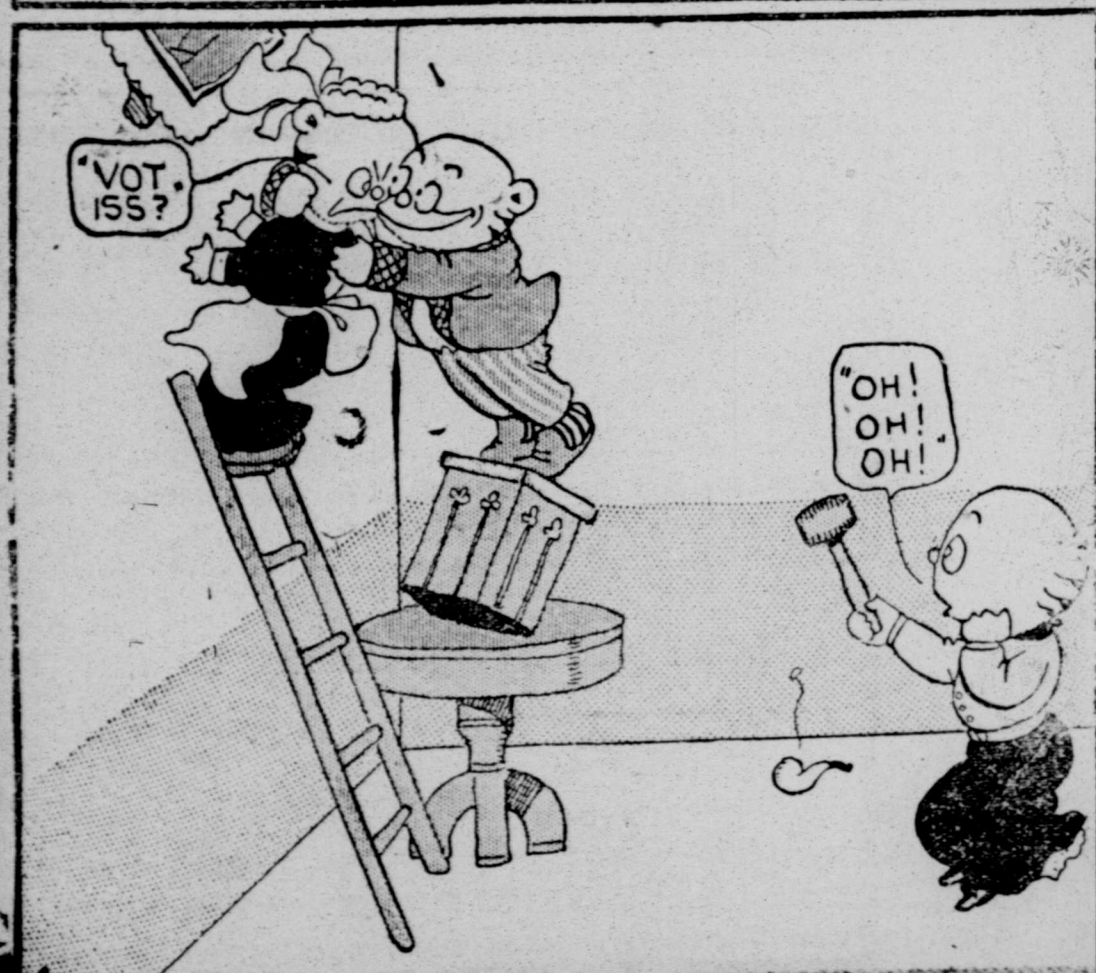
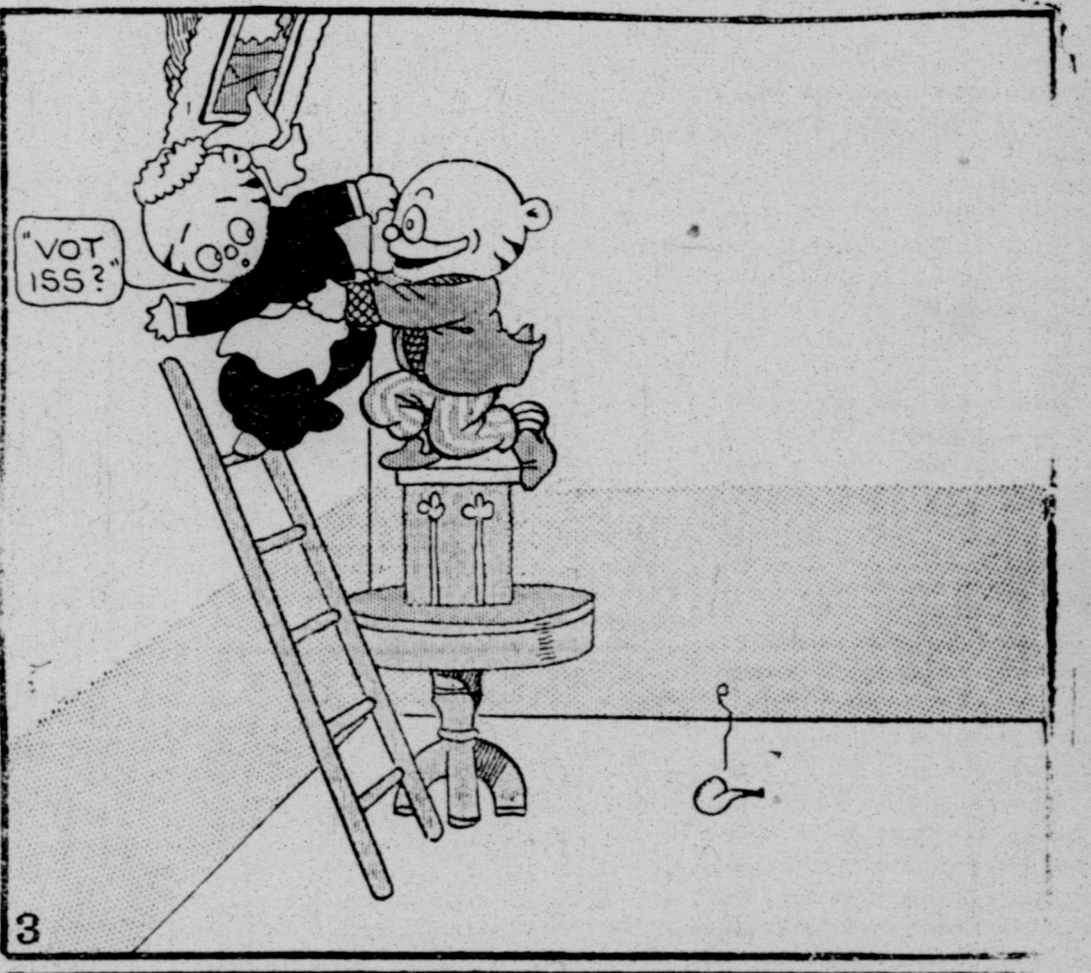
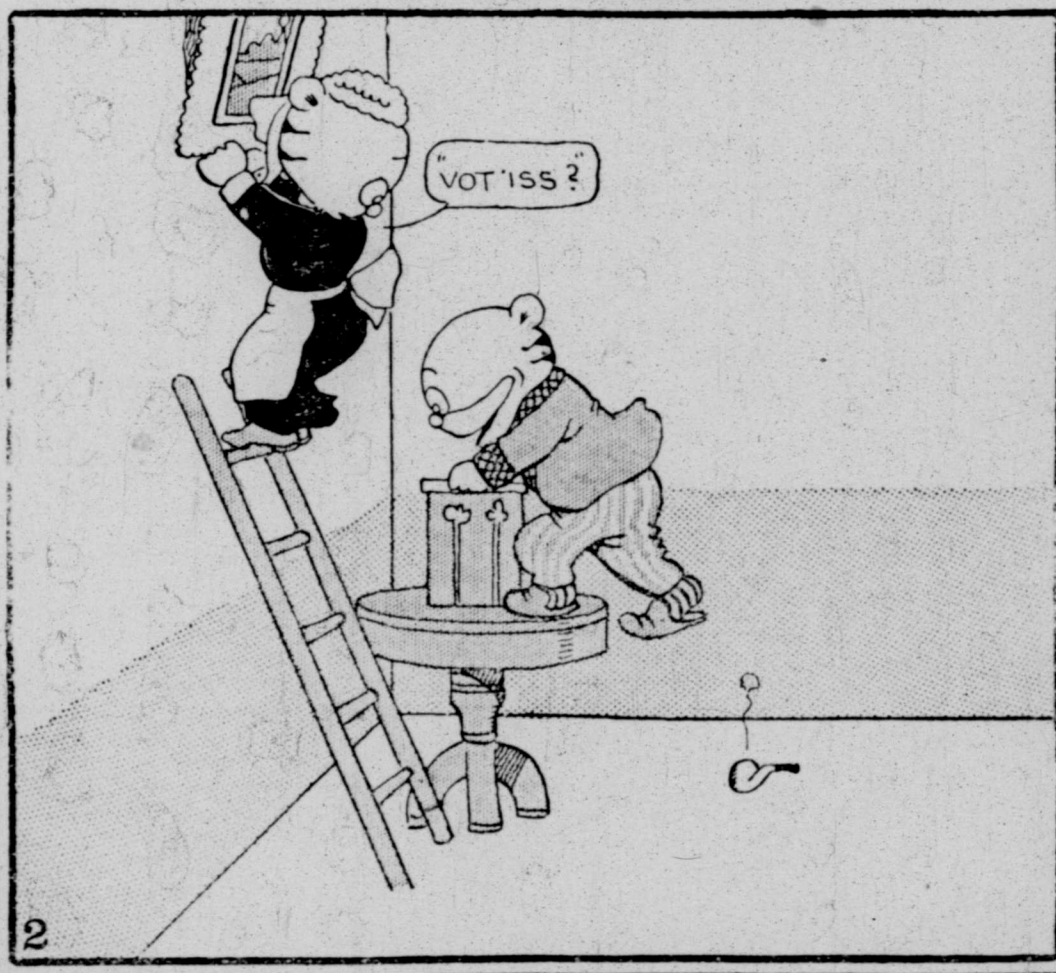
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THE PASSING OF PIONEERS

The pioneers of Fort Worth are passing, and as each is called to his reward we are reminded of what they have done for the city which they called home.

The death during the week just closed of Hyde Jennings is a reminder of these men who have built Fort Worth, and who are honored for their devotion to the city through the years of their residence here.

This city is the result of the energetic efforts of the men who went to work to push it to the front. Located at a point which is the dividing line between the thickly populated east, and the sparsely settled west, Fort Worth was but a frontier town when Hyde Jennings, John Peter Smith and others of the early settlers came here.

Let the people of Fort Worth build an auditorium in which large gatherings may assemble. It is needed here.

GREEN IS RELEASED

Negro Who Came Near Being Lashed Acquitted by Jury NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Edward Green, a Mount Vernon negro, arrested a few days ago on the charge of having attempted to rob and assault a young white woman employed as secretary by former State Senator N. N. Mills, has been acquitted.

MISREPRESENTS TEXAS

In the Christian Advocate, published by the Methodist Episcopal church, South, at Nashville, Tenn., is an article by Rev. T. J. Duncan, a part of which reads:

"Our preachers have been assaulted, well-nigh murdered, left for dead; in cars and on public thoroughfares, they have been abused, slandered, threatened, and in almost every conceivable way have they been warned to cease, but I have never heard of one who, having put his hand to the plow, turned back. Some have elected to keep out of the fray, but their numbers are few, and their position unenvied."

This is in an article which discusses local option in Texas. It is a surprise to the people of Texas that such a statement should be sent broadcast over the signature of a preacher of the Northwest Texas conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, and to ascertain when these abuses occurred the editor of The Telegram asked Mr. Duncan yesterday for some of the instances. He could not remember the names or the places of the incident, but finally mentioned that a Mr. Dial was one of these and a Mr. Brown of West was the other. The Telegram told him that this paper would like to publish the facts in the case, and he answered that he could give the facts, but did not have time to sit down and do so.

If such abuses as are complained of, have occurred in Texas, The Telegram does not know of them, and it considers that such a statement by a religious paper of the character of the Nashville Advocate is calculated to do harm to Texas. We are not a people of lawless character. The churches hold their public worship under every condition of safety and the

preachers are not molested. They conduct their campaigns, their revivals and their prayer meetings without hindrance and any time one of them is interfered with he can readily get the officers of the law to give him protection. There are about 250 counties in this state. It covers an immense area and there are all kinds of prohibition orators in this state. They have all the privileges they desire, they speak in halls or on the stump, and they are not molested. If it happens that some one from the anti side desires to answer, and in that event, it is but a discussion of a question from both sides. Dr. Duncan does Texas harm. Out of hundreds of prohibition orators and preachers in the more than two hundred counties in the state, he was able to answer as to two being mistreated, and of these two he was not sure of their names or their locations. The Telegram does not want to see such statements made about Texas. They cannot be substantiated, and they work an injury to the state. We are a law-abiding people here, we are a people who respect the cloth of the man of divinity, and the world must understand it so. Even if the two cases which the doctor does not remember sufficiently to locate them, occurred, they are but isolated instances, and the percentage would be so small that it could not be considered they represent the sentiment of the state.

If any thing is to be said about the local option campaigns, there is a criticism against the prohibitionists who have utterly ignored the orders of the courts. The injunctions which have been issued were orders of the court, issued under due process of law, and they should have been respected. They were not, but the courts were treated with absolute contempt. In this the prohibitionists have done wrong.

But the Christian Advocate should correct the impression it has given out that Texas is lawless, and it should be more careful to verify its statements in the future.

The State Federation of Labor comes to Fort Worth during the coming week. It will be a gathering of the leaders in the labor movement in this state, and is very important to the working men. It will be welcome.

The Telegram believes the auditorium proposition will be a big thing if it is taken up by the Board of Trade, and next year when we have a chance, we may win one of the big conventions of Texas.

The churches will be filled with visiting brethren today and there will be a sermon for every one. Go out and hear the visiting preachers.

Let the people of Fort Worth build an auditorium in which large gatherings may assemble. It is needed here.

Start the new week with good work, and you will be prosperous when it closes.

GREEN IS RELEASED

Negro Who Came Near Being Lashed Acquitted by Jury NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Edward Green, a Mount Vernon negro, arrested a few days ago on the charge of having attempted to rob and assault a young white woman employed as secretary by former State Senator N. N. Mills, has been acquitted.

Green was threatened with lynching by the people of Bronckville Wednesday night after the girl had positively identified him as her assailant. Now, the citizens are thankful that they waited until the case was tried.

Mayor Fiske and the members of his family testified that Green was at his house on a political mission at the hour the alleged assault occurred.

IMPRESSIONIST IS DEAD NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Camille Pissarro, the impressionist painter, is dead, an operation necessitated by a complaint of the bladder, says a Herald dispatch from Paris. He was born at St. Thomas, D. W. I., seventy-three years ago and ranked high in his art.

AN UNPLEASANT EXPERIENCE

Has it ever been your unhappy lot to be told by your physician that you must go to a hospital and submit to an operation? If so, you remember with what dread and shrinking you awaited the day when you must endure the knife.

The present day surgeon appears to be possessed by a mania for operating, especially in cases of hemorrhoids or piles, and while the greater number of the profession do not recommend this "last resort" unless they honestly believe it necessary, the fact remains that much needless operating is done, and the patient put to much expense and suffering for what? To obtain a possible temporary relief, these words are used advisedly, because in nine cases out of ten the affliction returns and the patient is just where he started from. Oftentimes he could be cured much more simply and easily by the use of such a remedy as the Pyramid Pile Cure; this has come to be recognized as the best remedy on the market for the painful disease named, and the druggists now sell more of it than all other pile remedies combined.

The writer personally knows people who were afflicted with the worst form of bleeding and protruding piles and who were permanently cured by the use of Pyramid Pile Cure. In every one of these cases the attending physician had assured the sufferer that only by an operation could he rid himself of the disease; so much for the infallibility of the doctors.

This remedy, which is sold by all druggists at the low price of fifty cents in its suppository form, is applied directly to the parts affected, and performs its work quietly and painlessly. The Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., will mail free to any address a book telling all about piles or hemorrhoids, their cause and cure. A suggestion is offered that if the reader is afflicted, or knows any one who is, this book be sent for, as it will be found invaluable.

Safe Cracking Season Is Now at Its Height

In Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa, the safes of the small country banks have been popping almost nightly. This is the open season for the yeggmens. It lasts only three months, in the early fall, but the hauls are generally pretty rich.

In the last 10 days 14 small banks have had their safes blown open and in each case from \$1,500 to \$7,500 in cash—in all \$32,500—has been secured. The increased manufacture of high explosives has revolutionized the bank robbing business. Instead of expert mechanics being required now almost any young tough or hobo with nerve can become a successful cracksmen.

Nowadays all that is needed to blow open a safe is a little putty and soap and a bottle of nitroglycerin. The putty is used to close up the cracks in the safe door. Some of it is made into a little cup which is attached by compression close to the handle. Into this the nitro is poured, a lighted fuse is stuck in—and then comes the explosion. Usually the force is sufficient to tear the door off.

Beginning about Sept. 1 and continuing until about Dec. 1 the yeggmens are a busy lot. They rob country banks instead of city banks, because while the latter contain larger cash sums they are better watched.

The country bank cannot afford to hire a private watchman, and the village marshal sleeps pretty soundly along about 3 o'clock in the morning. It is a poor bank that doesn't have at least \$1,000 in cash in its safe, and the safe is apt to be old-fashioned and easy to rob, compared with the expensive vaults that make the city banks secure.

The fall season is chosen by the yeggmens for two reasons. The country banks at that time have a good cash balance on hand, because the crops are moving and it takes cash to pay for farmers' wheat and corn. Then again, the weather is propitious.

In the summer people sleep lighter, with open windows, and there are more of them moving about at night. In winter, the snow on the ground points the way to the capture of the robbers. In the spring the rains and the softened ground would make detection easy, even if the cash balance of the bank were attractive, which they are not. Therefore, the yeggmens work in the autumn.

While some of these banks are cracked by tramps who have got hold of some dynamite which they have reduced by heating to the form of nitroglycerin most of the jobs are done by men who employ a system. Many of them lay out their routes just as an actor would do.

The advance agent, generally some smooth chap with a little roll, goes to the town and secures directions and all needed information of the bank. He finds out what near-by farmer is careless about the disposition of his horses and buggy at night, maps out the way to escape and finds out what time a freight train passes through the next town.

It is almost the invariable rule that the men who do the job seldom see the town before the night of the robbery. They drop off the cars 10, 20 or 25 miles away from the town and walk the rest of the distance, cooking and

eating their meals in the woods and preparing the dope.

This method prevents any tracing of their movements. No one has seen them in the town and no embarrassing descriptions are sent out. After making a few good hauls they strike back for headquarters and follow another route laid out for them by that time by their advance man.

They never take any precautions to deaden the explosion. It might be thought that this would be done in order to avoid rousing the town, but they are well aware that it is seldom possible for an armed or organized posse to get on their trail speedily. The explosion tears the safe to pieces and it is the work of a few minutes to rifle the cash box. Not very many men are anxious to rush out in the darkness and face a gang of armed robbers, and by the time the townspeople do organize there is nothing to indicate where the robbers have gone.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

Elect Officers at Charleston, S. C.—Mrs. Smythe President

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 14.—The Daughters of the Confederacy elected the following officers today: President, Mrs. A. T. Smythe, Charleston; first vice president, Mrs. Basil Duke, Kentucky; recording secretary, Mrs. John P. Hickman, Kentucky.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. H. Hatcher

AMERICAN WAREHOUSEMEN

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—A program has been completed for the thirteenth annual convention of the American Warehousemen's Association, which will be held in Washington December 2-4. Leading warehousemen of the United States and Canada and one or two from England will attend the sessions. The three days' time has been divided into six sessions for the discussion of the various branches of the business and legislation applicable thereto. Several prominent government officials will speak.

DRAKE'S PALMETTO WINE

The wonderful tonic medicine that removes all congestion and disease from vital organs, tissues and blood. One tablespoonful, once a day, immediately relieves and absolutely cures Indigestion, Flatulency, Constipation and Catarrh of the Mucous Membranes. It is a positive specific for Congested Liver and Kidneys and Inflammation of Bladder, tonsils, the Appetite and Nervous System, and purifies and enriches the blood.

Seventy-five cents at Drug Stores for a large bottle, usual dollar size, but a trial bottle will be sent free and prepaid to every reader of The Telegram who needs it and writes for it to Drake Formula Company, Lake and Dearborn streets, Chicago, Ill.

The Churches of Fort Worth

First Congregational church, corner of College avenue and Leuda street. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. George W. Ray, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., subject, morning, "The Lord is My Shepherd;" subject, evening, "The Mysteries of the Kingdom." College avenue Presbyterian church, Rev. William Hughes, D. D., pastor. Preaching Sunday at 11 a. m. by Rev. T. J. Griswold, and 7:30 by Rev. S. A. Barnes of Methodist conference.

Taylor street Cumberland Presbyterian church, corner Fifth and Taylor streets. Order of services, Sunday, Nov. 15, 11 a. m. invocation, vocal solo, Miss Downing; sermon; at 7:30 p. m., sermon. Broadway Presbyterian church, Rev. J. B. French, D. D., pastor. Preaching today at 11 a. m. by Rev. Seth Ward, D. D., and at 7:30 p. m. by Rev. E. W. Solomon, D. D., of the Methodist conference.

TABERNACLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Fifth and Throckmorton streets.—James S. Myers, pastor. Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30. The pulpit will be filled both morning and evening by ministers of the Methodist church attending conference in the city. Rev. Dr. Story, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, Taylor, Texas, will speak Sunday morning. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Sunday school teachers' conference at 3:30 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner St. Louis and Terrell avenues. Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Sunday school immediately after morning service. Subject today, "Soul and Body." Wednesday evening, testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. Free public reading room at the church open daily from 1 to 5 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Trinity church, Hemphill street and Pennsylvania avenue, rector, Rev. Robert Hammond Cotton, M. A., B. Sc., London. Take the Hemphill street car. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. "Reflections on the Close of a Seven-Years' Rectorship."

The Free Methodists have purchased two lots on the South Side and expect soon to build a church. Until it is completed, services will continue to be held in the hall at 217 Main street as follows: Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m., preaching at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 o'clock p. m., prayer meeting Wednesday night, Rev. W. M. Adams, pastor.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

FORECAST

The forecast for Fort Worth and vicinity until 8 p. m. Sunday, is as follows:

Tonight fair weather, Sunday increasing cloudiness and probably rain; no decided change in temperature. The forecast for Texas east of the one hundred meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows:

North—Tonight and Sunday unsettled weather and probably showers; cooler in east portion tonight; warmer in extreme west portion.

South—Tonight and Sunday unsettled weather and probably showers; cooler tonight; warmer in west portion Sunday.

WEATHER CONDITIONS Forecaster George Reeder issued the following report of weather conditions this morning:

Clear weather prevails from and including the north and west portions of Texas northward to the Missouri; similar conditions prevail north of the Ohio. Cloudy weather continues generally in the southern states, but little or no rain occurred during the past twenty-four hours.

Another storm disturbance is noted in Utah, and a slight tendency to storm development is noted in the lower Rio Grande valley section.

Local conditions will change to cloudiness during Sunday and probably rain during the day or following night.

WEATHER RECORD

Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours—minimum and maximum temperature, wind in miles per hour at 3 a. m. and rainfall in inches:

Table with columns: Stations, Min., Max., Wind, Rain-fall. Rows include Abilene, Amarillo, Chicago, Davenport, Denver, Detroit, Dodge City, El Paso, Fort Worth, Galveston, Jacksonville, Kansas City, Lander, Miles City, Montgomery, Nashville, New Orleans, North Platte, Oklahoma, Omaha, Palestine, Phoenix, Pittsburg, Rapid City, St. Louis, Salt Lake, San Antonio, San Diego.

BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH

I. M. McHany, Greenville, Texas, writes, November 2, 1903: "I had rheumatism last winter, was down in bed six weeks; tried everything, but got no relief, till a friend gave me a part of a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I used it, and got two more bottles. It cured me and I haven't felt any rheumatism since. I can recommend Snow Liniment to be the best liniment on earth for rheumatism. For rheumatic, sciatic or neuralgic pains, rub in Ballard's Snow Liniment, you will not suffer long, but will be gratified with a speedy and effective cure. 25c, 50c and \$1 at H. T. Pangburn & Co.

Advertisement for L. Toro de la Selva cigars. Includes illustration of a man in a hat and text: "I learned a lot of things in Porto Rico, said the boy in blue. Now there's about cigars; Porto Rican cigars are right in it with the finest. Why L. Toro de la Selva a Porto Rican Brevia, made in an old factory at San Juan, is the best cigar I ever smoked. Since the war you can buy them here for a nickel, but look out for substitutes. There's only one genuine L. Toro de la Selva, and lots of counterfeits." Waples-Platter Cigar Co. Importers Dallas, Texas.

Advertisement for Remington Typewriter. Includes illustration of a typewriter and text: "Success awaits the youth who masters shorthand and the skilled use of The Remington Typewriter. THE use of the Remington everywhere predominates, and for the young man who operates it the best position, providing the surest avenues for subsequent advancement, are always open. Our new illustrated booklet, 'A Stepping Stone to Success,' contains the biographies of many successful men who have been helped by their knowledge of shorthand or typewriting. Sent free to young men on request. Remington Typewriter Company 327 Broadway, New York 601 Main Street, Fort Worth, Texas.

Advertisement for Texas Anchor Fence Co. Includes illustration of a fence and text: "CONTRACTORS Get Our Prices on Bank and Office Grill Work. WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY TEXAS ANCHOR FENCE CO. Fifth and Throckmorton Sts. J. F. SHELTON, Mgr.

Advertisement for Homeseekers' Rates. Includes text: "HOMESEEKERS' RATES! To Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Utah and California, on sale daily. Lowest ever given from Texas. AMARILLO and Return, Daily. One and one-third Fares. Via El Reno. Limit 30 Days. CHICAGO and Return, Nov. 28, 29 and 30. One Fare plus \$2.00 Round Trip. Only Line With Through Sleepers, Texas to Chicago. Write Us for Information Regarding Our Tourist Car Service in Connection With the above Homeseeker's Rates. W. H. FIRTH, G. P. A., Fort Worth, Texas. Rock Island System logo.



"Miss Screecher has gone abroad to cultivate her voice." "I thought she was so poor. Where did she get the money?" "Her neighbors subscribed it."

TOUCHING SYMPATHY IS SHOWN FOR SICK KAISER

Even Enemies Express Sorrow at the Emperor's Present Illness

CANCER IS FEARED BY MASS OF THE PEOPLE

Illness of His Late Father Recalled With Vivid Distinctness

SOCIALISTS, HOWEVER, CONTINUE THE FIGHT

Bitter Opposition to the Emperor's Policies Continues to Be Shown—Criticism of Ambassador White

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BERLIN, Nov. 14.—Although almost a week has passed since the Kaiser submitted to the operation for a tumor in his throat the excitement and alarm in Berlin continues.

The majority of the people and especially the working classes absolutely refuse

to believe in the official bulletins which have been of the most reassuring kind.

It is not forgotten how the people were kept in the dark for almost a year when the late Kaiser Friedrich was dying from cancer, and articles which have appeared in even very conservative papers expressing a doubt as to the reliability of the bulletins issued have made a very deep impression upon the people of Berlin.

Even should the Kaiser appear in person outside the palace and drive through the streets of Berlin as he has expressed an intention of doing, it is doubtful if the people would believe in his recovery, but rather think that this was done for effect.

The illness of the Kaiser has, however, disclosed a hitherto unsuspected popularity of Emperor William even among the Socialists, who profess to be his bitterest enemies and antagonize him politically on every point.

The Kaiser has been deeply touched by the numerous signs of his people's love for him, and when he recently said that all those taken of sympathy received in the palace from even the poorest of the poor made it well worth to suffer a little pain even to be forced to remain inactive for a few weeks, he evidently meant it. While the people of Berlin have been

A STARTLING TEST

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt of North Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test, resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes: "A patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles, so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in fourteen months."

Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only \$1.00 at W. J. Fisher, druggist, and Reeves' Pharmacy.

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you must be well. Your digestive organs must be doing their work properly. Beecham's Pills act like oil on machinery, and will give you the snap and vigor that only comes with perfect health.

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strong in expressing their sympathies with the suffering Kaiser the agitation in the southern part of the empire, of the Guelphs and their partisans has continued and still continues with undiminished fervor.

OPPOSITION CONTINUES.

Though the Duke of Cumberland has been quoted as feeling exceedingly sorry for the ill health of the Kaiser, he has not seen fit to do anything to stop the agitation against him in Hanover.

It is even openly said that should the illness of the Kaiser end fatally, a strong attempt would be made by the Guelphs to re-establish the old kingdom of Hanover with the Duke of Cumberland as the new king.

The Guelphs have been greatly encouraged in their efforts by the strong sympathy which exists between the Duke of Cumberland and his nephew, Czar Nicholas of Russia.

Even if the official position of the Czar makes it impossible for him to give the Duke any active help, it is thought that should circumstances arise which made it possible to re-establish the kingdom of Hanover, the Guelphs could count on a strong moral support from the Czar, who in this respect has always followed the advice of his mother, the Dowager Empress, who has always been a bitter enemy of Germany.

The continued activity of the Guelphs, which, however, is always kept within the limits of the law, has greatly annoyed the Emperor, who now sees no means of suppressing this movement, which seems

to be spreading more rapidly every day.

ANGRY AT WHITE.

The Hamburger Nachrichten, for many years the strongest Bismarck paper in Germany, is exceedingly angry at the former Ambassador of the United States to Germany, Andrew D. White.

The paper, which has never allowed any one to criticize any action of the late Iron Chancellor, has taken offense at an article which Mr. White has published in an American magazine.

From the tone of the editorial in the Hamburger paper one is led to believe that the greatest sin which Mr. White has committed is that he has dared to publish his article without first sending it in proof form to the editor of the Nachrichten.

The German press in general can see absolutely nothing offensive in the article in question, which on the contrary shows the Chancellor in a rather sympathetic light, though it makes fun of a few of his personal habits and relates some anecdotes about him, which, however, are told in a manner which could give offence to no sensible person.

NO TELLING SECRETS.

The process by court martial against Lieutenant Bilsse at Metz, which has been looked forward to with some anxiety, has now begun.

The lieutenant has committed the serious crime of exposing the secrets of military life in a novel entitled, "Garrison Life Through Military Pictures," by Fritz Von Der Krynburg.

Several high officers of the regiments in which the lieutenant has served have complained that they have been used as types of the author, and that exaggerated and untrue stories have been told about them in a way which has caused them considerable annoyance and exposed the army of the empire to ridicule and contempt.

The process is taking place in secret and no representative of the press are allowed to be present, but it is said that Lieutenant Bilsse will try to prove that the stories told by him, which compromise the several high army officers in the most serious manner, are all founded on facts, but that the public in general would have been unable to discover the identity of the officers in question if these had not been foolish enough to bring the affair before the public.

There is, however, little doubt that no matter whether the facts are found to be true or not the lieutenant will have to go to prison for a long term, as the Kaiser and the highest military authorities are very bitter against him for the exposures that he has made at a time when the army is by no means popular among the people.

PRIESTS ARE SENTENCED.

The Superior Court has just sentenced two American Catholic priests, Franz Guelinski, from St. Louis, and Louis Kempa, from Milwaukee, to pay a fine of twenty marks for violating the immigration laws.

The two clergymen have for some time been travelling through Germany inducing young girls to immigrate to the United States, promising them that they would be received as sisters in a convent near St. Louis.

In reality this was only to be a temporary home for them as they were expected by the sisters to take positions as servant girls in the neighborhood of Milwaukee and St. Louis.

It is said that the number of German girls, especially from small villages and farming communities, who have been induced to leave their home for America is very great.

Guelinski was arrested some time ago just as he was trying to board a steamer bound for New York accompanied by six girls.

The arrest at first caused a great deal of sensation as it was thought that the girls were being exported for immoral purposes, but the priests were able to show that the girls had not been deceived in any way, but were actually going to the convent in question, and by appealing to the United States ambassador at Berlin they succeeded in getting off with the nominal fine, though they were warned not to deprive Germany of any more of its girls.

MONUMENTS ARE POOR.

The grand monuments to the late Emperor Friedrich and his consort, which have recently been unveiled in front of the Brandenburg Thor, are by no means an artistic success.

Apart from the superfluous display of marble in the decorative scheme, neither Professor Brunn nor Professor Gerth has succeeded in imparting a characteristic expression to the features of their majesties.

Most unnatural is the pose of the Emperor Friedrich, who is represented standing.

THE FEAR OF HUMBLED.

Prevents Many People From Trying a Good Medicine

Stomach troubles are so common and in most cases so obstinate to cure that people are apt to look with suspicion on any remedy claiming to be a radical, permanent cure for dyspepsia and indigestion. Many such pride themselves on their acuteness in never being humbugged, especially in medicine.

This fear of being humbugged can be carried too far, so far, in fact, that many people suffer for years with weak digestion rather than risk a little time and money in faithfully testing the claims made of a preparation so reliable and universally used as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

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

Cathartic pills never have and never can cure indigestion and stomach troubles because they act entirely on the bowels, whereas the whole trouble is really in the stomach.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets taken after meals digest the food. That is all there is to it. Food not digested or half digested is poison as it creates gas, acidity, headaches, palpitation of the heart, loss of flesh and appetite and many other troubles which are often called by some fanciful name.

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ONLY FIVE MORE DAYS REMAIN 2 VOTES COUNT FOR EACH CENT

Miss Du Bois takes first place today with 129,999 votes. She is closely pressed by several others. The contest editor is in receipt of letters every day from some of the contestants telling him of the different schemes they are working in order to secure votes. One young lady states that she raffled off a ring, and the receipts netted her over 12,000 votes. Another writes that she raffled off a handsome pillow, and the receipts from that netted her over 10,000 votes. Many rumors are out that there are a large number of votes being held back, and surprising changes may be expected any day. Two weeks more, and the great contest will be over. It has been a remarkable success, and has been one of the most interesting and closely contested contests The Telegram ever run.

STANDING OF THE CONTESTANTS

Table listing names and vote counts for various contestants, including Ruby Swan, Miss Gertrude Cheairs, Marguerite Du Bois, etc.

The Sunday Telegram now has 8 pages of colored, comic and magazine sections every Sunday, besides pages and pages of humorous and fiction articles. The Sunday Telegram is mailed out of Fort Worth on late Saturday night trains, making it possible to reach every Oklahoma and Indian Territory town on Sunday morning. The Sunday Telegram becomes, therefore, a Sunday paper for all Oklahoma and Indian Territory containing Sunday reading matter.

The New Sunday Telegram contains a full Associated Press and Telegraph report and is equal to any Chicago, New York or St. Louis Sunday Paper.

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THE AWARDS

First—A \$400.00 Upright Piano. Second—A Handsome Diamond Ring. A pure white stone without a flaw, set in the latest style Tiffany mount and valued at \$200.00. Third—A Ladies' Solid Gold Watch, Roman color satin finish, with seven whole cut diamonds set in the center of the case, valued at \$125.00. Fourth—Two Round Trip Tickets to the World's Fair at St. Louis, 1904. In addition to the latter award, The Telegram will furnish free, tickets to the exposition grounds.



MISS VERA STEPHENSON. A popular contestant of Stroud, O. T. Miss Stephenson has 129,000 votes today. MISS LAURA PETTYJOHN. A popular contestant of Mulhall, O. T. Miss Pettyjohn has 114,200 votes today. MISS LEAH NAUDAIN. A popular contestant of Mangum, O. T. Miss Naudain has 105,000 votes today.

HOW THE VOTES COUNT

During the contest for every cent received by mail or delivered at The Telegram office on a prepaid subscription to The New Sunday Telegram, two votes will be counted for the lady of your choice until midnight, November 29, 1903, and one vote until midnight, December 1, 1903.

The price of The Sunday Telegram is as follows: One year, \$2.00, counting the schedule number of votes for the popular lady of your choice. Six months, \$1.00, counting the schedule number of votes for the popular lady of your choice. The same conditions will apply to The Daily Telegram. The subscription price is fifty cents per month.

CONDITIONS OF CONTEST

First—The lady in Oklahoma or Indian Territory receiving the largest number of votes by midnight, Tuesday, December 1, 1903, will receive the first award, a \$400.00 Upright Piano. Second—The lady receiving the next largest number of votes will receive the second award, a \$200.00 Diamond Ring. Third—The lady receiving the next largest number of votes will receive the third award, a \$125.00 Solid Gold Watch. Fourth—The lady receiving the next largest number of votes will receive the fourth award, Two Round Trip Tickets to the World's Fair, 1904.

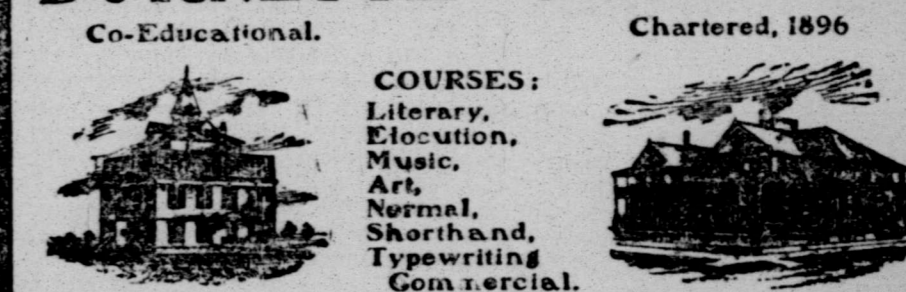
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SYNOPSIS.

The story, which deals with the mystery of the old Moore house in Washington, is told by a detective sergeant, who was drawn into the case by a call from "Uncle David" Moore. The detective accompanies Mr. Moore to the old house, where three mysterious murders had been committed. On the way he tells the detective of the murders and of the determination of Miss Veronica Moore to have her wedding ceremony performed in the abandoned house and of the tragic death of a strange man, who was found on the hearth of the mysterious room on the day of the wedding.

(Continued from Sunday.)

My glance was toward the fireplace. Venturesome hands had been there. Not only had the fender been drawn out and the grate set aside, but the huge settle had been wrenched free from the mantel and dragged into the center of the room. Rather pleased at this change, for with all my apparent bravado I did not enjoy too close proximity to the cruel hearthstone, I stopped to give this settle a thorough investigation. The result was disappointing. To all appearance—and I did not spare it the experiment of many a thump and knock—it was a perfectly innocuous piece of furniture, clumsy of build, but solid and absolutely devoid of anything that could explain the tragedies which had occurred so near it. I even sat down on its musty old cushion and shut my eyes, but was unrewarded by alarming visions, or disturbance of any sort. Nor did the floor where it had stood yield any better results to the inquiring eye. Nothing was to be seen there but the marks left by the removal of its base from the blackened boards.

from the bed. The handkerchief, also, was missing from the mantel where I had left it, and when I opened the closet door, it was to find the floor bare and the second candelabrum and candle removed.

"All gone," thought I; "each and every clue." But I was mistaken. In another moment I came upon the minute filings I had before observed scattered over the floor. Concluding from this that they had been passed over by Durbin and his associates as valueless, I swept them, together with the dust in which they lay, into an old envelope I happily found in my pocket. Then I crossed to the mantel and made a close inspection of its now empty shelf. The scratches which I had made there were visible enough, but the impressions for which they stood had vanished in the handling which everything in the house had undergone. Regarding with great thankfulness the result of my own foresight, I made haste to leave the room, then proceeded to take my first steps in the ticklish experiment by which I hoped to determine whether Uncle David had had any share in the fatal business which had rendered the two room I had just visited so memorable.

First satisfying myself by a peep through the front drawing-room window that he was positively at watch behind the vines, I went directly to the kitchen, procured a chair and carried it into the library, where I put it to a use that to an onlooker's eye, would have appeared very peculiar. Planting it squarely on the hearthstone, not without some secret perturbation as to what the results might be to myself, I mounted it and took down the engraving which I have already described as hanging over this mantelpiece.

Setting it on end against one of the jambs of the fireplace, I mounted the chair once more and carefully sifted over the high shelf the contents of a little package which I had brought with me for this purpose.

Then, leaving the chair where it was, I betook myself out of the front door, ostentatiously stopping to lock it and to put the key in my pocket.

Crossing immediately to Mr. Moore's side of the street, I encountered him as I had expected to do, at his own gateway.

"Well, what now?" he inquired, with the same exaggerated courtesy I had noticed in him on a previous occasion. "You have the air of a man bringing news. Has anything fresh happened in the old house?" I assumed a frankness which seemed to impose on him. "Do you know," I sentimentally informed him, "I have a wonderful interest in that old hearthstone; or rather in the seemingly innocent engraving hanging over it, of Benjamin Franklin at the Court of France. I tell you frankly that I had no idea of what would be found behind the picture."

any one can raise it even from the outside.

"I will see to it," he replied, dropping his eyes, possibly to hide their curious twinkle. "But what do you mean about finding something in the wall behind that old picture? I've never heard—"

But though he spoke quickly and shouted the last words after me at the top of his voice, I was by this time too far away to respond save by a dubious smile and semi-patronizing wave of the hand. Not until I was nearly out of earshot did I venture to shout back the following words: "I'll be back—in an hour. If anything happens—if the boys annoy you, or any one attempts to enter the old house, telephone to the station or summon the officer at the corner. I don't believe any harm will come from leaving the place to itself for a while." Then I walked around the block.

When I arrived in front again it was quite dark. So was the house; but there was light in the library. I felt assured that I should find Uncle David there, and I did. When, after a noiseless entrance and a careful advance through the hall, I threw open the door beyond the gilded pillars, it was to see the tall figure of this old man mounted upon the chair I had left there, peering up at the nail from which I had so lately lifted the picture. He started as I presented myself and almost fell from the chair. But the careless laugh I uttered assured him of the little importance I placed upon this evidence of his daring and unapproachable curiosity, and he confronted me with an enviable air of dignity; whereupon I managed to say:

Really, Mr. Moore, I'm glad to see you here. It is quite natural for you to wish to learn by any means in your power what that picture concealed. I came back, because I suddenly remembered that I had forgotten to hang it."

"Involuntarily he glanced again at the wall overhead, which was as bare as his hand, save for the nail he had already examined.

"It has concealed nothing," he retorted. "You can see yourself that the wall is bare and that it rings as sound as any chimney-piece ever made." Here he struck it heavily with his fist. "What did you imagine that you had found?"

I smiled, shrugged my shoulders in tantalizing repetition of my former action upon a like occasion and then answered brusquely: "I did not come back to betray police secrets, but to restore this picture to its place. Or perhaps you prefer to have it down rather than up?" He scrutinized me darkly from over his shoulder, a wary gleam showing itself in his shrewd eyes; and the idea crossed me that the moment might possess more significance than appeared. But I did not step backward, nor give evidence in any way that I had even thought of danger. I simply laid my hand on the picture and looked up at him for orders.

VIII. SLYER WORK.

Let me repeat. The person who had left the marks of his presence in the upper chamber of the Moore house was not the man popularly known as Uncle David. Who, then, had it been? But one name suggested itself to me—Mr. Jeffrey.

It was not so easy for me to reach this man as it had been for me to reach his singular and unimaginative uncle. In the first place, his door had been closed to every one since his wife's death. Neither friends nor strangers could gain admittance there unless they came vested with authority from the coroner. And this, even if I could manage it, would not answer in my case. What I had to say and do would better follow a chance encounter. But no chance encounter with this gentleman seemed likely to fall to my lot, and finally I swallowed my pride and asked another favor of the lieutenant. Would he see that I was given an opportunity for carrying some message, or of doing some errand which would lead to my having an interview with Mr. Jeffrey? If he would, I stood ready to promise that my curiosity should stop at this point and that I would cease to make a nuisance of myself.

I think he suspected me by this time; but he made no remark, and in a day or so I was summoned to carry a note to the house in K street. Mrs. Jeffrey's funeral had taken place the day before and the house looked deserted. But my summons speedily brought a neat-looking, but very nervous maid to the door, whose eyes took on an unmistakable expression of resistance when I announced my errand and asked to see Mr. Jeffrey. The expression would not have struck me as peculiar if she had raised any objection to the interview I had solicited. But she did not. Her fear and antipathy, consequently, sprang from some other source than her interest in the man most threatened by my visit. Was it—could it be, on her own account? Recalling what I had heard whispered about the station concerning a maid of the Jeffreys who always seemed on the point of saying something which never really left her lips, I stopped her as she was about to slip upstairs and quietly asked:

"Are you Loretta?" "The way she turned, the way she looked at me as she gave me a short affirmative, and then quickly proceeded on her way, convinced me that my colleagues were right as to her being a woman who had some cause for dreading police interference. I instantly made up my mind that here was a mine to be worked and that I knew just the demure little soul best equipped to act the part of miner.

In a moment she came back, and I had a chance to note again her pretty but expressionless features, among which the restless eyes alone bespoke character or decision.

"Mr. Jeffrey is in the back room upstairs," she announced. "He says for you to come up."

"Is it the room Mrs. Jeffrey used to occupy?" I asked, with open curiosity, as I passed her.

An involuntary shudder proved that she was not without feeling. So did the quick disclaimer: "No, no! Those rooms are closed. He occupies the one Miss Tuttle had before she went away."

"Oh, then, Miss Tuttle is gone?" Loretta disdained to answer. She had already said enough to cause her to bite her lip as she disappeared down the basement stair. Decidedly the boys were right. An uneasy feeling followed any conversation with this girl. Yet, while there was slowness in her manner, there was a certain frank honesty visible in it, too, which caused me to think that if she could ever be made to speak, her evidence could be relied on.

being me as one of the men who had stood about that night in the Moore house, and I was not disappointed. To him I was merely a messenger, or common policeman; and he consequently paid me no attention, while I bestowed upon him the most concentrated scrutiny of my whole life. Till now I had seen him only in half lights, or under circumstances precluding my getting a very accurate idea of him as a man and a gentleman. Now he sat with the broad daylight on his face, and I had every opportunity for noting both his features and expression. He was of a distinguished type; but the cloud enshrouding him was as heavy as any I had ever seen darkening about a man of his position and character. His manner fettered though it was by gloomy thoughts, was not just the manner I had expected to encounter.

He had a large, clear eye, but the veil which hid the brightness of his regard was misty with suspicion, not with tears. He appeared to shrink from observation, and shifted uneasily as long as I stood in front of him, though he said nothing and did not lift his eyes from the letter he was perusing till he heard me step back to the door I had purposely left open, which seemed an exaggerated and softly close it. Then he glanced up, with a keen, if not an alarmed one for the occasion,—that is, if he had no secret to keep.

"Do you suffer so from drafts?" he asked, rising in a way which in itself was a dismissal.

I smiled an amused denial, then with the simple directness I thought most likely to win me his confidence, entered straight upon my business in these plain words:

"I pardon me, Mr. Jeffrey, I have something to say which is not exactly fitted for the ears of servants." Then, as he pushed his chair suddenly back, I added reassuringly: "It is not a police matter, sir, but an entirely personal one. It may strike you as important, and it may not. Mr. Jeffrey, I was the man who made the unhappy discovery in the Moore mansion, which has plunged this house into mourning."

This announcement startled him and produced a visible change in his manner. His eyes flew first to one door and then to another, as if it were he who feared intrusion now.

"I beg your pardon for speaking on so painful a topic," I went on, as soon as I saw he was ready to listen to me. "My excuse is that I came upon a little thing that night which I have not thought of sufficient importance to mention to any one else, but which it may interest you to hear about."

Here I took from a book I held a piece of blotting-paper. It was white on one side and blue on the other. The white side I had thickly chalked, though this was not apparent. Laying down this piece of blotting-paper, chalked side up, on the end of a large table near which we were standing, I took out an envelope from my pocket, and shaking it gently to and fro, remarked:

"In an upper room of the Moore house—you remember the southwest chamber, sir?" "Ah! didn't he! There was no mistaking the quick emotion—the shrinking and the alarm with which he heard this room mentioned.

"It was in that room that I found these." Tipping up the envelope, I scattered over the face of the blotter a few of the glistening particles I had collected from the place mentioned.

held them toward the light in such a way that he was compelled to lean across the table in order to see them. Naturally, for I had planned the distance well, his finger-tips, white with the chalk he had unconsciously handled, touched the blue surface of the blotter now lying uppermost, and left their marks there.

I could have shouted in my elation at the success of this risky maneuver, but managed to suppress my emotion and to stand quite still while he took a good look at the filings. They seemed to have great and unusual interest for him and it was with no ordinary emotion that he finally asked:

"What do you make out of these, and why do you bring them here?" My answer was written under his hand; but this, it was far from my policy to impart. So putting on my friendliest air, I returned, with suitable respect:

"I don't know what to make of them. They look like gold, but that is for you to decide. Do you want them, sir?" "No," he replied, starting erect and withdrawing his hand from the blotter. "It's but a trifle, not worth our attention. But I thank you just the same for bringing it to my notice."

And again his manner became a plain dismissal.

This time I accepted it as such without question. Carelessly restoring the piece of blotting-paper to the book from which I had taken it, I made a bow and withdrew toward the door. He seemed to be thinking, and the deep furrows which I am sure had been lacking from his brow a week previous, became startlingly visible. Finally he observed:

"Mrs. Jeffrey was not in her right mind when she so unhappily took her life. I see now that the change dates back to her wedding day, consequently any little peculiarity she may have shown at that time is not to be wondered at."

"Certainly not," I boldly ventured; "if such peculiarities were shown after the fright given her by the catastrophe which took place in the library."

His eyes, which were fixed on mine, flashed, and his hands closed convulsively.

"We will not consider the subject," he muttered, reseating himself in the chair from which he had risen. I bowed again and went out. I did not dwell on the interview in my own mind nor did I allow myself to draw any conclusions from it, till I had carried the blotter into the southwest chamber of the Moore house and carefully compared the impressions made on it with the marks I had scratched on the surface of the mantel-shelf. This I did by laying the one over the other, after having made holes where his finger-tips had touched the blotter.

unfortunate tragedy than she is willing to impart. If you wish this little friend of mine to talk to her, I will see that she does so and does so with effect."

The deputy coroner looked interested. "Whom do you mean by 'little friend' and what is her name?" "I will send her to you." And I did.

The next day I was standing on the corner of Vermont Avenue when I saw Jinny advancing from the house in K street. She was chipper, and she was smiling in a way which made me say to myself:

"It is fortunate that Durbin is not here." For Jinny's one weakness is her lack of power to hide the satisfaction she takes in any detective work that comes her way. I had told her of this and had more than once tried to impress upon her that her smile was a complete give-away, but I noticed that if she kept it from her lips, it forced its way out of her eyes, and if she kept it out of her eyes, it beamed like an inner radiance from her whole face. So I gave up the task of making her perfect and let her go on smiling, glad that she had such frequent cause for it.

This morning her smile had a touch of pride in it as well as of delight, and noting this, I remarked: "You have made Loretta talk."

Her head went up and a demure dipper appeared in her cheek. "What did she say?" I urged. "What has she been keeping back?"

"You will have to ask the coroner. My orders were strict to bring the results of my interview immediately to him."

"Does that include Durbin?" "Does it include you?" "I am afraid not."

"You are right; but why shouldn't it include you?" "What do you mean, Jinny?" "Why do you keep your own counsel so long? You have ideas about this crime, I know. Why not mention them?"

"Jinny!" "A word to the wise is sufficient," she laughed and turned her pretty face toward the coroner's office. But she was a woman and could not help glancing back, and meeting my dubious look, she broke into an arch smile and naively asked this remark: "Loretta is a busybody ashamed of her own curiosity. So much there can be no harm in telling you. When one's knowledge has been gained by lingering behind doors and peeping through cracks, one is not so ready to say what one has seen and heard. Loretta is in that box, and being more than a little scared of the police, was glad to let her anxiety and her fears overflow into a sympathizing ear. Won't she be surprised when she is called up some fine day by the coroner! I wonder if she will blame me for it?"

"She will never think of doing so," I basely assured my little friend, with an appreciative glance at her sparkling eye and dimpled cheek.

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MARKET REVIEW

The only notable change in the cattle market for the past week over the previous week's market was the small decline in cows, all grades of the stuff showing a 10c to 15c decline. The receipts for the week were 15,500, with about 80 per cent of the run sold to local packers.

The supply of good steers during the week was light and as a rule trading was governed by the condition of the demand, steers selling all the way from steady to 10c to 15c lower, closing for the week about steady. Top steers last week, averaging 1,050 to 1,150 pounds, sold at \$3.80 to \$3.90, with the medium fed steers selling largely at \$3.25 to \$3.50, and good calves on grass fed at \$3.50 to \$3.75. There is still an excellent demand for good quality heavy feeder steers. Those weighing around 1,000 to 1,050 pounds are quoted at \$2.25 to \$2.50, the medium weight good quality kind selling at \$2.50 to \$2.75, and the lighter stuff weighing between 700 to 800 pounds at \$2.25 to \$2.50, owing to quality.

Taking the condition of the cow run into consideration, the quality has been good, a large percent of the week's offering being western range cows, which sold at \$1.80 to \$2.15, with a top of \$2.75 for one load of extra choice range cows, shipped in by Captain Burk Burnett from his King county ranch. Good choice quality heifers have generally sold active, some of the best offered selling at \$2.50, with a range in the sales of the good to choice range stuff from \$2.10 to \$2.25.

The calf market has experienced little change, the condition of the market being governed entirely by the demand, which has been good during the week. Good calves are quoted at \$3.50 to \$4.00; medium to good quality, average weight, at \$1.75 to \$2.25, and the heavy kinds at \$2.25 to \$2.50. Bulls look a shade lower, the decline being due largely to the common quality of stuff, which has been coming to this market. Good fat feeder bulls sell readily at \$1.50 to \$2, with a few sales as high as \$2.50 to \$3, but the common medium stuff, as a rule, goes to the packers at their own prices.

Since last Monday's opening the local hog market has declined 25c to 30c, but this is only a proportionate decline with the western and northern markets, which have declined all the way from 30c to 10c. The week's market opened Monday with top light hogs selling at \$5.15, closing Saturday with the same quality of hogs at \$4.90. The demand is for the medium weight good butcher hogs, although the packers are already buying a limited number of good quality pigs. The heavy hogs, which usually sold with heavy shipments, sold a little draggy last week, and as a rule were sold at prices generally ranging from \$3.50 to \$4.50. Choice quality sorted hogs are quoted at \$4.50 to \$4.90; mixed packers, of good quality, medium weight, at \$4.50 to \$4.75; pigs and lights at \$4.50 to \$4.90.

No predictions can hardly be made on the market this week, as the local market will be governed, altogether by the northern markets. However, from the outlook the market should hold pretty steady during the entire week, with a possible loss of 10c to 15c. Agitation by both the commission men and the newspapers seems to have but little effect with the sheep raisers. The receipts at this market last week were the smallest for any week this month, hardly enough being received to make a fair test of values. Good sheep are quoted at \$5.00 to \$5.25, with the average Texas quality quoted at \$3.75 to \$4.00.

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These cows and heifers came from the Figure Eight ranch in King county, and were loaded out from Quanah. Captain Burnett is quoted as saying that he was perfectly satisfied that Fort Worth is the best market in the country for good fat stuff, and the market for the Texas and southwestern shipper.

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Table with columns: No., Ave. Price, No., Ave. Price. HOGS—Choice sorted medium weight hogs, averaging 197 pounds, brought \$4.90 today, with the bulk of the light run selling active at steady to strong prices.

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price, No., Ave. Price. SHEEP—W. H. Roberts of Winsboro, who had in a mixed consignment of hogs and sheep on Friday's market, sold his sheep, 124 head in number and of fair to good quality, at \$1.50 per head.

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price, No., Ave. Price. CALVES—A good liberal run of western calves were received on the market today and, with the demand good, sold at steady and active prices.

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price, No., Ave. Price. RECEIPTS—The present deficit values of cattle cannot last long at the rate the surplus stuff is being moved to market.

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ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—(Special)—Cattle—Receipts, 400, including 300 Texas; market steady; beef steers, \$3.50 to \$5.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$3.75; cows and heifers, \$2.25 to \$4.50; Texas steers, \$2.50 to \$4.50; cows and heifers, \$2.00 to \$2.50.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., Nov. 14.—(Special)—Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; market firm; pigs and lights, \$4.80; packers, \$4.20 to \$4.75; butchers and best heavy, \$4.45 to \$4.85.

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Nov. 14.—(Special)—Cattle—Receipts, 300; estimated for Monday, 25,000, steady and unchanged.

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Following are the weekly cotton statistics: Total sales of all kinds 43,900 bales; total American, 24,000 bales; English spinners' takings, 65,000 bales; U. S. export, 15,000 bales; import of all kinds, 90,000 bales; import American, 78,000 bales; stock of all kinds, 218,000 bales; stock American, 148,000 bales; quantity afloat, all kinds, 435,000 bales; quantity afloat American, 298,000 bales; total sales on speculation, 1,400 bales; sales to exporters, 3,000 bales.

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down to 75c. cents. Considerable of the firmness came from the conviction that in spite of all the existing reasons for heavy receipts the maximum of these had been passed.

Wheat—Acted heavy. A report was said to have been received from the Iowa Grain Dealers' Association that estimated the corn crop of that state at 100,000,000 bushels more than indicated by the government figures.

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Livery and feed—Cantrell Bros. I. X. L. second hand store. Lee Fleming Furniture Co. F. S. Haberette.

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It is as natural for us to love the trees, the meadows, the old homesteads, as it is to want food and drink. Our ancestors built well when they erected those old mansions, the walls of which are in many cases as firm and good to-day as they were one hundred and fifty years ago.

by two or three different physicians but steadily grew worse. Had almost given up in despair, when I decided to try Dr. Pierce's medicines, as a last resort. I learned that he invited all the sick and suffering to consult him, so thought I would write and place my case in his hands.

AMBASSADOR PROMISES TO BE POPULAR

Sir Henry Mortimer Durand Is Successful Society Man. Kier Hardie's Illness—Historic Relics to Be Sold

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LONDON, Nov. 14.—The new British ambassador to the United States ought to be an acquisition for Washington society.

He is a fine soldierly looking man, with an ideal "cavary" mustache, and has been a great social success at Madrid, where he has been ambassador for the past three years.

Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, G. C. M. G., K. C. S. I., K. C. I. E., to give him his full style and titles, was born fifty-three years ago in India, and on completing his education in England, he returned to the east and entered the Bengal civil service.

In nearly every bit of business the Indian government has had with the Amerer during the last twenty years Sir Henry has been the agent chosen as the best fitted for the task.

King Edward has given a fresh instance of his kindness of heart by sending a message of sympathy to Mr. Keir Hardie, the well known socialist member of parliament, who has just undergone an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Hardie is the nearest approach to a democrat in the house of commons and has frequently expressed his hatred for monarchical institutions.

He began life as "trapper boy" in a Scotch mine, was editor of the Cumber News at twenty-six, became a prominent labor organizer at thirty-six, that is in 1892. He became instantly notorious on the day of his first appearance at Westminster by "loud" tweeds and a cloth cap, and seated in a wagon containing a brass band.

He is a short, sturdily built man, with a high, thoughtful forehead, and crisply curled hair and beard. He has represented the typical mining constituency of Merthyr-Tydvil, Wales, since the general election of 1900.

The opening of the new Gaiety theater was an event of some importance in the London dramatic world.

The building is the last work of theatrical architecture, in combined splendor and comfort, surpassing anything hitherto existing in this city. The usual fashionable first, night audience, headed by the king and queen, was there, and the new musical comedy, "The Orchids," was heartily received.

Mr. George Edwardes, the proprietor of the Gaiety and several other London theaters, is a man who apparently cannot fail in any theatrical enterprise.

His productions invariably catch on, probably because he always engages the best talent in every department, and ministers to the prevailing popular taste for light musical plays.

est supporters of Christian Science in this country.

HISTORIC RELICS

A sale by auction will take place at Edinburgh shortly which should have much interest for Americans who care for relics of their country's history. The old battle-worn colors of the British Fifty-third Foot, which were carried by the regiment in America during the war of independence, are to come under the hammer.

The detachment was at last captured by the Americans at Fort Grange in September, 1777. The story goes that these colors were cut off their poles by an officer and concealed about his person to prevent their falling into the hands of the enemy.

The Fifty-third is a famous old fighting corps, which since the territorial system of nomenclature was introduced has been known as the First Battalion Shropshire Light Infantry.

FOREIGN AND LOCAL METHODS OF TEACHING

An Interesting Discussion of Dr. Klemm's Work on European Schools by Teachers' Institute

"Klemm on European Schools" was the subject of debate at the Fort Worth Teachers' Institute in the high school. The discussion proved unusually interesting and helpful. It was led by Prof. R. L. Paschal and many of the teachers participated.

In opening the session, Superintendent Hogg drew attention to the near approach of Thanksgiving day and said that donations for the Fort Worth Benevolent Orphan home would be received this year, as usual.

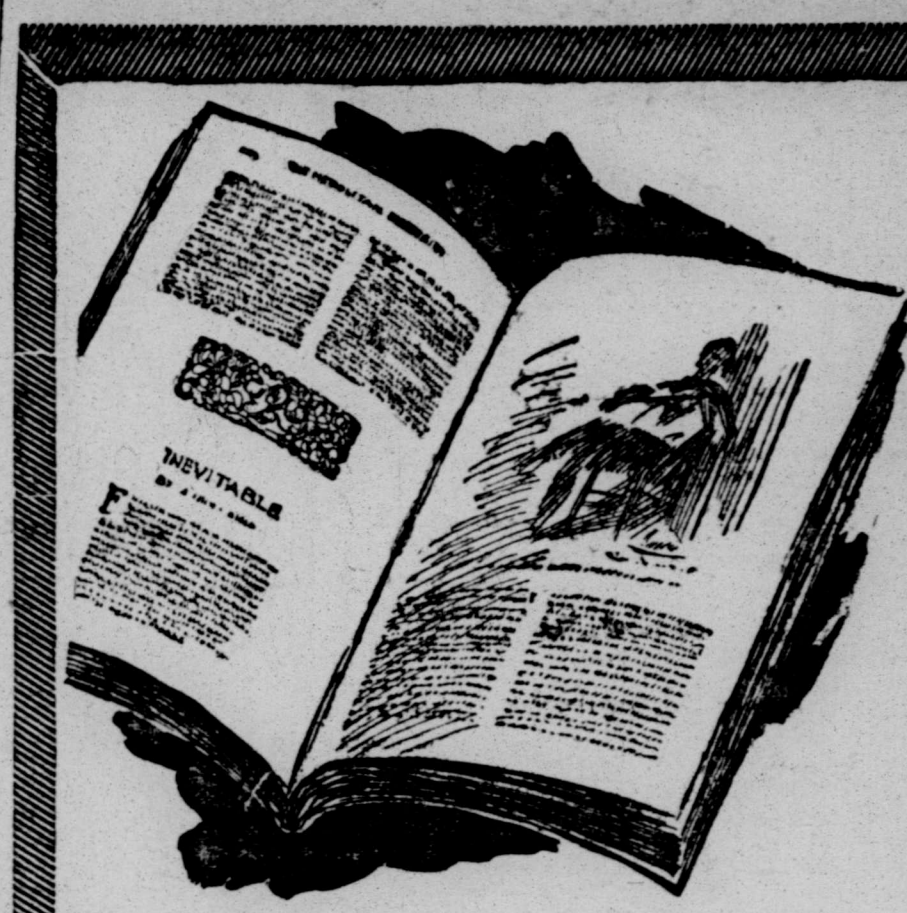
Before the business session was opened a delightful music program was rendered; Miss Helen Murdock and Miss Redeker gave vocal solos, Miss Nadine Spoons a violin solo and Miss Charlotte Gregg a piano solo. Miss Mary Malone was accompanist.

The business meeting opened with a paper by Miss Hattie Peacock, in which she described her summer trip and her special course at Harvard summer school.

Following this, Superintendent Hogg called Professor Parker to the chair. Professor Paschal, after a few introductory remarks, asked Miss McFadden to make some remarks with reference to Dr. Klemm's chapter on penmanship as taught in German schools.

Professor Williams said that this was entirely too many examinations, and that it was putting too much work upon the children.

There was considerable discussion concerning the use of text books by teachers during recitations. Dr. Klemm points out that German teachers conduct recitations without reference to text books, and do not remain seated while the recitations



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that learned to write English in this country. Miss Boaz and Professor Hammond also took part in his portion of the discussion.

A QUESTION Miss Diboll created a good deal of interest while the subject of penmanship in the Fort Worth schools was being considered by asking:

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are in progress. In the teaching of geography they use merely an atlas. The speaker thought that the geography study in the public schools of this country ought to be reduced by about two-thirds.

OTHER CONCLUSIONS Miss Noble gave an outline of Dr. Klemm's investigations as to the methods of teaching arithmetic in Europe. Professor Frost discussed the methods of teaching history, and Professor Daffron spoke of the use of the text book in teaching grammar.

When it came to electing an "official reporter" the names of Miss Peacock, and Professors McDonald and Webb were placed in nomination. Professor McDonald was elected.

Professor Hammond, for the program committee, reported an excellent card for the next meeting, among those chosen to prepare papers being Edith Adams, Jessie Diboll, Ruth McFadden and Belle Bowdery.

TO RUN DECEMBER 1

Unofficial Report That Rock Island Trains Will Start About That Time WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Nov. 14.—Geo. S. Pentecost, traveling passenger agent of the Chicago and Rock Island Railway, was in the city yesterday on business for his road. When asked by the correspondent as to the probable date train service would be inaugurated between Dallas and Fort Worth, Mr. Pentecost said he thought trains would be running into Dallas by December 1. Of this, however, he could not speak officially, but based his statement on rumors around headquarters. The consolidation of the Rock Island's lines in Texas will take place on December 1 and Mr. Pentecost thinks the service between Dallas and Fort Worth will be commenced on that date. Mr. Pentecost said the road bed between these two cities is in good condition, the track has been surfaced and ballasted and trains, he thinks, ought to make head time. According to statements made by Mr. Pentecost, the Santa Fe depot in Dallas will be temporarily used by the Rock Island.

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT Whitsett's Pharmacy, corner Boaz and Elizabeth streets. Physician's prescriptions a speciality at any hour, day or night.



A Question Of Hours AND A MATTER OF MEALS! Is an Important Item in Traveling The Through Express Leaves Fort Worth.....12:30 p. m. today Arrives Memphis.....7:35 a. m. tomorrow Arrives St. Louis.....11:30 a. m. tomorrow The busy man dines in Fort Worth today and either breakfasts in Memphis or dines in St. Louis tomorrow. Through Sleeping and Chair Car service to St. Louis and Memphis. Dining Car service a la carte. Try it—it's what you want. There's more to tell. Ask us, we know. 700 Main St., Phone 229. JNO. M. ADAMS, C. P. & T. A.

STAMMERING CURED!

Dr. G. W. Randolph, noted Specialist, who cured hundreds of Stammerers in Dallas three years ago, is now at Mansion Hotel, Fort Worth, Tex., to cure many Stammerers who desired him to return to Texas. Leading papers all over the South are loud in his praise. Call and see him, or write.

ELDERLY AMERICAN PEERESS

There are American peeresses in England who, not moving in the very ostentatious circle known as the "smart set," are apt to be forgotten in reckoning up the numbers of Americans who bear British titles. In most cases they belong to an older generation, and Lady Abinger is one of these. The daughter of Commodore George Allan Magruder, U. S. N., she became the wife of the third Baron Abinger exactly forty years ago, in the days when such Anglo-American alliances were not such everyday affairs as now.

Lord Abinger died in 1892, when he was succeeded by his son, James Yorke Macgregor Scarlett, an officer in a Highland regiment. Lady Abinger has also three daughters—Mrs. Hamilton Sygms, Mrs. Charlton and Mrs. Baigney Haverfield.

Since her husband's death Lady Abinger has mixed little with the gayer world, though she is extremely popular and has a large circle of friends. She is also one of the strong-

Advertisement for Wine of Cardui. Headline: Heed Nature's Warning. Text: I suffered for two years with profuse as well as too frequent menstruation, sometimes returning after a cessation of from ten to sixteen days, causing great prostration, faintness and debility. I had used so much useless medicine that I had become completely discouraged when Wine of Cardui was brought to my notice. I used it for three days, when I found to my great relief that I felt generally better. After two months' continued use my health had been greatly improved and I seemed like a new woman. I became regular. The flow was painless and natural, and in four months I was in perfect health. Words can but poorly express my gratitude and happiness over restored health, and I shall always be a firm friend of your grand medicine. Dorothy Palmer, SECRETARY, LA METAINE CLUB. WINE of CARDUI. Nature could not give a more forceful warning than the continual pain which is attendant on menstrual disorders. As if to arouse the sufferer to the danger of her condition the pain is renewed with increased violence at each menstrual period. This warning cannot be mistaken although in hundreds of thousands of cases it is disregarded with fatal results. Miss Palmer could have avoided her trouble if she had taken Wine of Cardui when the first warning was given two years ago. And you may get relief if you take Wine of Cardui like she did. It is your privilege to secure the same relief that so many thousands of women are securing from Wine of Cardui today. Wine of Cardui is a positive cure for distressing menstrual troubles. Why go on allowing your life to be harassed with these terrible pains and inflammations when you know that they will never wear off? They can only be banished by removing the irritating cause. If not relieved they develop into bearing down pains, ovarian pains, nervousness, blood poisoning or the deadly tumor. Can you read Miss Palmer's letter without longing for relief? All druggists sell \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Sealed bids will be received until 3 p. m. Nov. 20, 1903, at the office of the undersigned, and then and there publicly opened, for graveling Fifth avenue from Terrell avenue to Myrtle street, in the city of Fort Worth.

Certified check for \$100, payable to Thomas J. Powell, mayor, must accompany each bid.
The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
Plans and specifications on file in engineer's office.

JOHN B. HAWLEY,
City Engineer,
Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 11, 1903.

REMOVAL NOTICE
I wish to inform all my friends and former patrons that I have severed my connection with the livery stable between Sixth and Seventh streets and have taken charge of the New Exchange stable, corner First and Rusk. I will personally have charge of and oversee everything about the stable and will at all times have the best of rigs, prompt service and polite attention. Monthly boarding a specialty. Your patronage respectfully solicited.

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JOHN B. HAWLEY,
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Attractions this week:
 Monday and Tuesday and Tuesday matinee—"Happy Hooligan."
 Thursday and Friday night and Friday matinee—"Are You a Mason?"
 Saturday matinee and night—"Sherlock Holmes."

The past week has presented several excellent attractions. The opening was "Arizona" Monday night, which was well attended. Next came "Her Only Sin," one of Lincoln J. Carter's productions, which had a good audience. Friday night and Saturday was Miss Elizabeth Kennedy in "As You Like It."

There is a broad and open field between a Clyde Fitch comedy and Shakespeare, but that Miss Kennedy has succeeded in making the bound with safety was evidenced by her work of yesterday and last night.

Those who had seen her in the lighter work in the past were pleased, delighted and charmed to a degree of the warmest approval last night upon witnessing the cleverness that marked her Rosalind. Miss Kennedy is an apt histrionic student and she is a careful and painstaking reader, the result being a happy characterization of one of Shakespeare's most winning characters.



SCENE FROM "ARE YOU A MASON?"

opera house Monday and Tuesday nights and Tuesday matinee, November 16 and 17. The dance is known as the diamond ballet and the costumes are truly gorgeous. William A. Ward, as "Happy," is a good comedian and Edna Davenport is said to make a hit with her singing and dancing.

dramatization of Conan Doyle's famous creation, "Sherlock Holmes," Saturday matinee and night, November 21. The play has just finished a run in Chicago, where it took well and was accorded many favorable notices. Mr. Keley makes a careful "Sherlock Holmes" and theatergoers of last season will remember with pleasure the dainty work of Miss Shannon. The engagement here is for matinee and night, Saturday, November 21, under a guarantee that the entire New York production will be presented. The scenic effects, by the way, are especially fine.

PLAYS COMING SOON

Virginia Drew Treseott will present one of the sensations of the theatrical world in "Satania," a strong melodrama by Mark E. Swain. It is said to be full of heart interest, thrills and comedy, an ideal mixture for a melodrama.

Adelaide Thurston will return this season in "Folly Primrose," a comedy-drama, by Paul Winstach which has the scene laid in Georgetown, D. C., during the civil war. Those who remember Miss Thurston in "Cozy Corners" last season will need no reminder of her wholesome and pleasing work.

Charles B. Hanford is not a matinee idol, but he is something better. There is a "flesh and blood" quality in his manner of acting Shakespearean plays that has converted more than one skeptic to the knowledge that Shakespeare can be made as popular today as any of the so-called "popular" dramatists. Mr. Hanford comes this year in "Richard III," with adequate scenery and cast. Advance notices from places already visited tell of added triumphs to Mr. Hanford and general approbation of his work.

The "Silver Slipper" needs over thirty men as stage carpenters, flymen, trappers, electricians and grips, while six women are kept busy caring for and packing the gorgeous costumes. That gives some idea of the size, but the quality of the production which was the hit of Broadway last year will be seen later.

When the confirmed theater patron wants to give a basis of comparison in expressing his opinion of a show, you may occasionally hear him say: "It is almost as good as 'Human Hearts.'" Just why "Human Hearts" appeals and wins, is

hard enough to define, but it is not hard to see the immense popularity it enjoys year after year.

Miss Marie Wainwright's tour as Viola in Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" promises something additional to the already strong list of plays by the Bard of Avon to be given this winter. Miss Wainwright is accompanied by an efficient cast.

FRANCE IS SATISFIED WITH DEAL

Turn of Affairs in the Isthmus Not Displeasing to Republic. Loubet Talks of a Visit to the United States

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PARIS, Nov. 14.—Now that the president has again gone back to his routine life, interrupted so often by visits to foreign potentates, he has again taken up his pet idea of paying a visit to the United States during the St. Louis exhibition next year.

The president has always been a great admirer of the United States, and having paid and received so many courtesies from monarchical foreign powers, he considers it his plain duty, as head of the largest republic of Europe, to visit the sister republic across the sea.

The idea of having President Loubet visit America is very popular with the French people, who wish to prove the fact to the world that the friendship of France is valued and sought by all and that the entente cordiale is not limited to England, Italy and Russia, but reaches across the Atlantic.

FRENCH SATISFIED
 Though the strict advocates of international law claim that the United States have violated the sacred right of the republic of Colombia by unhesitatingly recognizing the new republic of Panama, the majority of the French people are rather well satisfied with what is here called the United States' seizure of the Isthmus.

It is considered beyond all doubt that the action of President Roosevelt signifies that the Panama canal will now be finished within a few years.

The average Frenchman has always been opposed to the Nicaragua canal, arguing that by choosing another route in preference to Panama the United States would throw doubt upon the genius of Ferdinand Lesseps, who decided that the narrow isthmus was the only place for a canal between the Atlantic and Pacific.

A FRISKY AUTO
 A most remarkable automobile accident recently befell a prominent Paris physician widely known for his enthusiasm for automobilism.

With a small party, he recently set out for a long distance run.

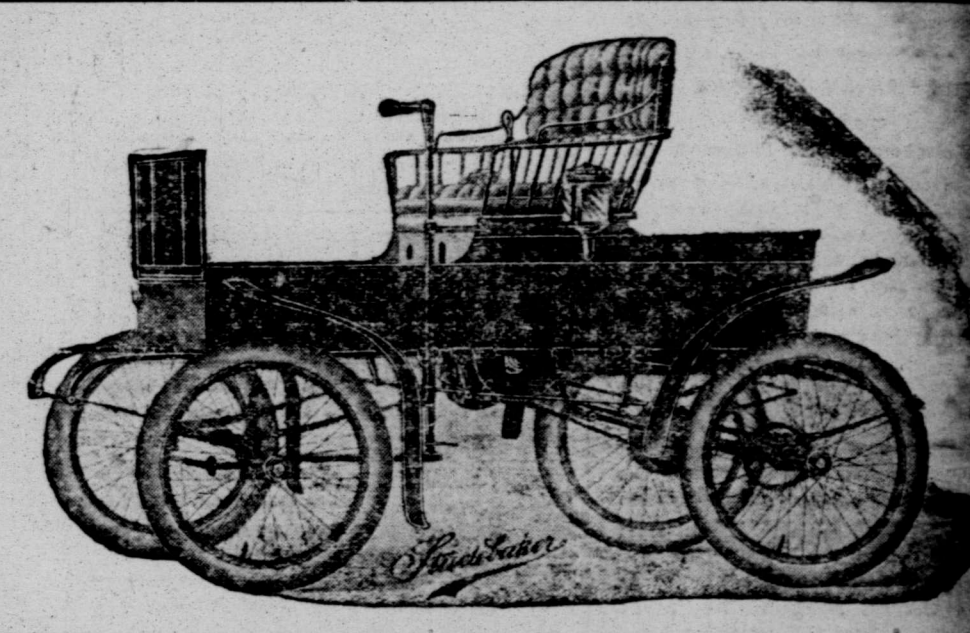
The party, consisting of the doctor, his wife and a lady friend, were descending at full speed a hill between Langogne and

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Effie Shannon, with "Sherlock Holmes," Greenwall's Saturday matinee and night.

Miss Kennedy, in addition to her own excellent work, has surrounded herself with a company that reflects marked credit not alone upon themselves individually but upon their star as well. In Mr. John Webster, who presents the part of Orlando, is to be found an actor of ability and one who does his work at all times most creditably. Miss Fanchon Campbell played an excellent Celia as a companion part to that of Rosalind and Mark Price was all that could be asked for. The other members of the company acquitted themselves most creditably, reading their lines well and with much expression; the stage setting and costumes were excellent and the production as a whole, a treat worth the experiencing. Twenty-five thousand dollars, in real money, at that, is said to be the price one single ensemble and dance in "Happy Hooligan," which comes to Greenwall's

"ARE YOU A MASON?"
 Whether you happen to be or not, will have little effect on the amount of fun furnished by the clever farce which plays at Greenwall's opera house Thursday and Friday nights and Friday matinee, November 19 and 20. It is the "mistaken identity," theme cleverly and perplexingly worked and made a first class impression here last season. The "mistaken identity" comes in when the two heroes imagine that the "other fellow" is a lodge member and each has to resort to desperate means to preserve the impression that he is a Mason in good standing. All turns out well, however, but not until the audience has had many a hearty laugh.

"SHERLOCK HOLMES"
 The management of Greenwall's opera house takes great pleasure in announcing the engagement of Herbert Keley and Miss Effie Shannon in William Gillespie's



Mende, when the car dashed into a stone wall.

The shock caused the car to bound clean over the wall, but the vehicle, instead of being hurled into an abyss below, landed in the branches of a big tree and stuck there.

LOUBET HONORED
 If Parisians had not before been proud of President Loubet, whose simple, unaffected manners have made him a favorite with all classes, they are certainly proud of him now since a dispatch from St. Petersburg has announced that Czar Nicholas intends to name a new large home for the destitute for President Loubet.

The Emile Loubet Asylum will be erected on an island in the Neva, and the czar will personally lay the corner stone.

President Loubet, in spite of all flatteries by monarchs of three countries, remains the same democratic citizen of France, failing to understand why he of all French presidents has been selected for so many honors.

EXPOSITION FOR CHILDREN
 If the czar of Russia should be blessed with the son and heir for whom he now prays night and day with a fervor which almost amounts to insanity, he will next year arrange a novel international exhibition at the winter palace at St. Petersburg.

It is said that the idea to open this exhibition of "Child Life" emanates from the czarina, known the world over as the most devoted of mothers.

The exposition is intended to be a pleasure of childhood from birth to school-days, and will comprise methods of scientific teaching and physical development.

Nurseries, playthings, games, will all be shown, as well as illustrations of famous children of history and works of art and inventions of children.

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