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# FORT WORTH TELEGRAM

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TABLOID NEWS

Artisan water now being furnished Fort Worth—Big suit against Interurban filed in Dallas—Alderman Tom Hamilton acquitted of murder in Waco—Charter of line from Dallas to Roswell filed.

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## WATER

Of Purest Quality Now Being Pumped Through the City Mains

SUPPLY OF 4,000,000 GALLONS EVERY DAY

Is at Disposal of the Public, But Only 3,000,000 Gallons Are Being Used

SUPPLY IS AMPLE FOR ALL PURPOSES

Committee of the City Council Issues Statement to the Public and City Physician Chambers Withdraws Warning

The water works committee of the city of Fort Worth desires to give notice that a full supply of artesian water is now running through the mains. No water is being pumped from the Trinity. The artesian supply will continue.

JOHN F. LEHANE, Chairman; W. H. WARD, T. F. MURRAY, Water Committee.

The above notice is official, and is directed to the public, to the end that those who wish to use the city water, where the supply will be at hand at all times, fresh and pure, and there will be no delays, can connect with the city mains. The committee states that the city of Fort Worth is now using about 2,800,000 gallons of water daily. There is a supply of 4,000,000 at hand, the reservoir being now in reserve.

The people are now in the water business right," said Chairman Lehane today. "We have the water and we are supplying it pure from the underground sources which we have tapped. It has been a great achievement, and the notice signed by the full committee is a new era in this branch of the city affairs. The people have waited a long time to be told officially that they can discharge the water man, and get the supply for drinking from the city main, but that time has come."

Alderman Ward said: "We invite the people of Fort Worth to patronize the city system, because we believe we have the purest water on earth. We have promised this a long time, and now we are in a position to officially advise them that we have the pure artesian supply for their consumption. We expect to see a large increase in the consumers of the water supply we are now furnishing."

It will be remembered that Dr. R. Chambers, the city physician, recently advised that the city supply be not used for drinking purposes while there was an epidemic of sickness in the state. The above official notice issued by the water works committee was shown him by The Telegram. He said: "If that is the case, I wish to say to the people that they can have no supply in using the artesian water supplied by the city. During the warm months, when there was Trinity river water in use, I was afraid to have the city supply used for drinking purposes, but with this notice from the water committee I readily recommend the city supply to the people of Fort Worth. There is no danger from it, and as the committee advises that the artesian service will be continued, I suggest that all who can take advantage of it. I have watched the water supply from the city mains within the last few days, and noticed the improvement in it. It has been running a time sufficient now to clean out all the pipes, and we are on an artesian basis fully."

The official announcement of the water works committee will be good news to the people of Fort Worth. It makes Mayor Powell smile when he thinks about it, as it was his pet measure through ago last Sunday at Rancho, near Saqui Grande. The Indians made a night attack on a company of the Fifth regiment Mexican rurales, sixty men, under command of Colonel Francisco Picardo, and, after a terrible fight, annihilated the entire force.

**MASSACRE BY YAQUIS**  
Sixty Mexicans Are Reported Killed by Indians

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 28.—The Yaqui Indians of Sonora, Mexico, have broken out again, and news has been received of one of the bloodiest massacres ever committed by them. A week ago last Sunday at Rancho, near Saqui Grande, the Indians made a night attack on a company of the Fifth regiment Mexican rurales, sixty men, under command of Colonel Francisco Picardo, and, after a terrible fight, annihilated the entire force.

Not a man was left to tell the fearful story. On the scene of carnage only six bodies were found, the soldiers having been driven into the brush and killed, some after they had been horribly tortured, and their bodies left scattered over a district of several miles.

There is a reign of terror in the country about Cumuripa, and the towns are closely guarded day and night. Men at work in the mines have their rifles ready and cartridge belts about their waists. There is constant killing from ambush. The Americans are said to be unmolested.

**THE NEWS OF RHOME**  
B. C. Rhome Jr. and J. T. Day Leave For the Stock Show

RHOME, Texas, Nov. 28.—B. C. Rhome Jr. and J. T. Day left this morning for Chicago to attend the National Cattle-men's convention.

Miss Bessie Price left yesterday for Fort Worth where she has a position as stenographer.

Mrs. D. P. Shaw is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dalton, at Fort Worth. H. R. Hambricht who has been day operator at Vernon for the Denver road is home for a few days.

A brisk north wind is blowing this morning. Farmers are complaining about dry weather, water is becoming scarce. Wheat, however, is looking very good and affords splendid pasture for stock.

The pecan crop in this vicinity is fine. Several parties from town went out this week and gathered all they could come in with.

## REVOLUTION

Movement, Declares a Russian Nobleman Now in City of London

IS SPREADING ALL OVER THE EMPIRE

Common People Are Worked Up to a Dangerous Pitch. Revolutionary Literature Is in Great Demand

LONDON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—A Russian nobleman attached to the local Russian embassy who recently returned from a visit to his ancestral home, described with apprehension the dangerous unrest existing both among the peasantry and the working classes in the cities. "Until this year," he says, "I have treated the talk of a revolutionary movement as moonshine, but on returning to Russia three months ago I was struck by the change in the faces of the people during the past year. The peasants and the working classes seem to have lost their religion and nearly all of them are filled with the revolutionary spirit. The strength of anti-Jewish feeling is appalling. I feel sure there will be extreme measures before long. But the people will not stop with Jews, they will vent their rage upon the Germans whom they hate and will end up with the nobles." Proclamations have been issued to all garrisons in Russia calling on the soldiers to refrain from fighting their fellow men and the men have ignored the commands to deliver up the proclamations. As most of the people arrested for political crimes are punished by banishment into distant towns and villages, where they organize revolutionary companies, the movement is spreading with great rapidity and the demand for revolutionary literature is on the increase.

**COMPLAINT OF FARMERS**  
Will Be Heard by Interstate Commerce Commission

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The interstate commerce commission has set January 5 as the date for hearing the complaint of the Cannon Falls farmers' elevator company of Cannon Falls, Minn., against the Chicago Great Western and the Chicago and North Western, and the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway companies at St. Paul, Minn. The allegation is that rates of 9 cents per hundred pound and 7 cents per hundred pound are charged on grain from Cannon Falls to Chicago and Minneapolis to Chicago, a longer haul is only 7 1/2 cents per hundred pounds.

**WASHINGTON FORECAST**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Forecast: Missouri, Louisiana and Eastern Texas—Fair Sunday, colder in central and northern portions. Monday, fair brisk northwest winds. Oklahoma and Arkansas—Fair and colder Sunday, Monday, fair. Tennessee and Kentucky—Fair Sunday, preceded by rain or snow in extreme eastern portions. Monday, fair, extreme eastern portions. Monday, fair, Georgia—Fair Sunday and Monday, winds shifting to high northwest. Alabama—Fair Sunday, colder in northern portion. Monday, fair, brisk northwest winds. West Texas—Fair Sunday and Monday. Missouri—Fair Sunday and Monday. Illinois—Fair Sunday and Monday. Brisk northwest winds.

**TO USE DEAD TIMBER**  
Government Will Sell Wood to Colorado Citizens Needing Fuel

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Owing to the threatened fuel famine in Denver, Col., caused by the strike of miners in the western coal field, the general land office has authorized the sale of dead and down timber in the South Platte, Plum Creek and Pikes Peak forest reserves. These lands contain a great quantity of timber which can be utilized as fuel without impairing the value of the forests, and inasmuch as they are in close proximity to Denver, may be depended to take the place of the coal supply for that city.

**TWO GIRLS ARE KILLED**  
By Express Train While Walking on the Track

MONONGAHELA, Pa., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—At 6:30 o'clock this evening Misses Evelyn and Minnie Thompson, aged 16 and 19 years, respectively, only children of Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson of Coal Bluffs, were run down and instantly

## SUIT

For One-Tenth of the Stocks and Bonds of the Interurban Railway

FILED IN DALLAS FOR T. L. MARSALIS

Who Alleges That He Was the Original Promoter of the Road

CLAIMING SYNDICATE VIOLATED CONTRACT

After Enterprise Was Taken in Charge by Present Management—Asks \$200,000 in Lieu of Securities

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—T. L. Marsalis, formerly of Dallas, but now of New York City, through his attorneys, Gano, Gano & Gano and Lewis Wood of Dallas, has filed suit in the federal court for the northern district of Texas against the Northern Texas Traction Company, owners of the Dallas and Fort Worth Interurban Railway, for one-tenth of all the stock and bonds of the company, aggregating \$3,500,000, or in lieu thereof \$200,000 in money.

The suit is based on contracts claimed to have been made between Marsalis and George T. Bishop and associates, a syndicate of Cleveland, O., capitalists, who organized the Northern Texas Traction Company and built the Interurban road. Mr. Marsalis claims to have been the original promoter and promoter of the road, and that Bishop and associates took over the enterprise and then violated their contracts.

**ONLY HARMLESS CRANK**  
Man Who Tried to Hand Letter to the President Is Characterized

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—"Deming is a harmless, half crazed creature on whose mind and heart the troubles of humanity lie heavy," said James G. Albright, speaking of the man who created a disturbance Friday by handing President Roosevelt a letter with a request that he recommend a brand of medicated charcoal to Emperor William for his throat trouble. "I met the man in San Francisco in 1901," said Albright, "and he was very shabbily dressed, wandering about the borders of Chinatown with a little leather reticule filled with small packages of charcoal. This man wrote to Prince Bismarck of Germany in 1889, to offer his services for the arbitration of Samoan affairs."

**THE CASE OF HARVEY**  
Stated on Inside Authority. He Will Not Be Dismissed

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Inspector Wright of the Indian Territory has been ordered to temporarily adjourn the work of the townsites' commissions throughout the territory after December 1, since the annual appropriation is expected. Scott Smith, private secretary to Secretary Hitchcock of the interior department, is authority for the statement that Superintendent Harvey of the Pawnee Indian reservation, who has figured in the "graft" investigation, will not be dismissed from the service, although Commissioner Jones of Indian affairs in his recommendation to the secretary of the interior department, saw fit to suggest a change not on account of any racial hostility, but owing to "laxity and indiscreetly" as manager of official business. The Kansas congressional delegation was particularly active in the behalf of Harvey, who is a Kansan. It is reported that this influence molded Hitchcock's decision which will be forthcoming Monday after many weeks' delay.

**STORM SWEEPING COAST OF FRANCE**  
Violence Continues Unabated and Reports of Wrecks Are Frequent

PARIS, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The severe storm that has been sweeping over the west coast of France for the last two days continues unabated and reports of devastation and death are slowly coming in. Two additional wrecks of fishing smacks are reported in the channel, and all on board are believed to have perished. A woman was blown from a pier into the channel at Cherbourg and she was drowned in sight of a large number of persons who were unable to render her any assistance.

**GOVERNMENT WILL REJECT ALL BIDS**  
For Kansas City Postoffice Because of Texas Man's Mistake

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Because of the discovery of a mistake of \$30,000 in the lowest bid for the construction of the extension to the Kansas City postoffice that of Tom Lovell of Denton, Texas, the treasury department has decided to reject all bids and readvertise.

## MOTHER

Of Peter Niedermeyer Piteously Sobs at Her Son's Disgrace

SAYS HE'S INNOCENT DESPITE CONFESSION

Chicago's Four Youthful desperadoes Receive Their Friends in Jail

AND CALMLY AWAIT DEATH OF GALLOWES

Which They Believe Will Be Meted Out to Them for Long List of Murders—Niedermeyer's Father Losing Mind

## CASE

Against Alderman Hamilton Charged With Complicity in a Murder

DISMISSED BY COURT AT WACO YESTERDAY

Because of Insufficient Evidence—Hamilton Was Attorney for Strikers During Recent Street Car Difficulty

WACO, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The trial of Alderman Tom Hamilton, came to an abrupt end this afternoon, by the court giving the jury a peremptory charge to bring in a verdict of not guilty. The state had not completed its testimony, when the court asked if no stronger testimony than that which had been given would be offered. County Attorney Cross said that was about all he had. The court then dismissed the case. Alderman Hamilton was charged with complicity in the murder of Harry Hays in the recent street car strike. He was the attorney for the strikers and is well known in local politics.

**YOUTHS INDIFFERENT**  
Apparently utterly careless of the consequences of their terrible crimes, stolidly indifferent to their present situation and apparently proud of the stir created by their acts, the four young bandits met relatives and casual callers today through the steel bars of their cells, while preparations were being hurried forward by Attorney Deenee to bring Van Dine and his blood-thirsty companions, Gustav Marx, Peter Niedermeyer, and Emil Roeski, face to face with the gallows. This afternoon true bills for murder were voted against the quartet and a speedy trial is promised.

The true bills voted this afternoon charge Van Dine with having committed five murders; Marx, four; Niedermeyer, four, and Roeski, one.

It is anticipated that their crimes will be hurried on the Tuesday call so they may be set for trial. New confessions were made to the police last night. Among points brought out are that Marx has confessed to having fired the shot that killed Motorman John B. Johnson at the Sixty-first street barn. A result of the indictments will be a speedy trial of the cases in the criminal court and the prospects now before the murderers is a hearing before Xmas and their probable fate soon thereafter on the gallows, for all of the prisoners expressed the belief that they would receive the full penalty of their crimes.

All four will be tried together and they know there is no escape for them. Each corroborated the other's story of their crimes to the authorities last night at the Harrison street police station, to which place Marx was removed from Sheffield avenue police station, to face his partners in the murders. During the conversation with Niedermeyer this afternoon in which he boasted of being the best shot with his magazine rifle of the four boys, he was asked: "Well, if you can shoot, why did you let a lot of farmers get you in the corn field down in Indiana?" "I gave up because Van Dine asked me to," was the reply. "I surrendered for his sake, because he was of the opinion that we would be killed in the long run and he wanted to see his mother and he guessed that he would quit before we killed anybody else."

**SUES WESTERN UNION**  
Waco Man Wants Damages for Alleged Poor Delivery

WACO, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—A suit is in progress in the Nineteenth district court, the style of which is T. J. Reed vs. the Western Union Telegraph Company. Reed claims that a telegram containing news of the death of a relative was not delivered to him on time. He sues for a little less than \$2,000.

**SCOW'S BOILER BURST**  
BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—On the Aberline, a scow belonging to the Empire Shipbuilding Company, moored at

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## CADETS

Of West Point Military Academy for the Fourth Consecutive Time

TRIUMPH OVER THEIR RIVALS OF THE NAVY

At Franklin Field, Philadelphia, and Win an Exciting Football Match by Score of 40 to 5

FRANKLIN FIELD, PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—For the fourth consecutive time in as many years the West Point Cadets triumphed over the Annapolis midshipmen, winning their annual football contest on Franklin field today by the one sided score of 40 to 5. The game was played under conditions that were ideal for football and spurred to desperation by their opponents securing the first score when they had not been expected to endanger the army goal line, the West Pointers were working like bears to roll up a big score and bring about the complete humiliation of their opponents and they succeeded. Society in all its splendor turned out to witness the game, contributing for their seats a sum, which will reach \$15,000 and which will be turned over to widows and orphans of officers and enlisted men in both branches of the service. Official life of Washington was strongly represented. In the boxes were Secretaries Moody, Root, Cortelyou and Secretaries Rarling and Taylor; Admiral Taylor and Congressman and Mrs. McLellan, Mrs. Leonard Wood, Major General Chaffee, Assistant Secretary Percy, General Miles, Major General Brook, Colonel Miller and Major General Corbin. Among the others, Mrs. Edwin Gould, former Secretary Lamont, Mrs. Grover Cleveland, Superintendent Brownson, Admiral Clark, Admiral Sigbee, Governor Pennypacker of Pennsylvania, Admiral Crowninshield, Admiral Renney and a host of other army and navy officials with their wives and families. The navy won the toss and selected west goal. The army lads began to fumble so soon as play started. Two fumbles allowed the navy to get the ball on the fifteen-yard line of their opponents. A high pass to Davis for a kick resulted in another fumble and Grady fell on the ball. An effort at line kicking proved the uselessness of this method of play on the part of the navy and Chambers dropped back and kicked a difficult goal from placement on the twenty-five-yard line. Score, Army 0, Navy 5. This was a big surprise, as it had been expected that the middies would not score. Recognizing that their only salvation lay in field goals, the navy tried for the same whenever opportunity afforded. The navy played a plucky game, but the odds against them were too great. The entire team was badly battered and bruised and frequent changes were necessary in the line. Captain Soul and Oak were laid out completely and had to be carried from the field after the game. Final score: Army 40, Navy 5.

**GAS WELLS AT LAWTON**  
Estimated Flow of a Quarter Million Feet Daily Continues

LAWTON, O. T., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—J. B. Chapman, natural gas expert, reports as follows on the supply in this vicinity: Two natural gas wells are flowing today more than 250,000 cubic feet within four miles of Lawton and have been flowing that quantity daily for more than a year. It is also estimated that large additional quantities of oil can be secured by more borings.

**LAMP WAS OVERTURNED**  
And Two Women at Central City, Ky., Burned to Death as Result

CENTRAL CITY, Ky., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—By the overturning of a lamp in their home today Mrs. W. P. Warren and her sister, Miss May Morris, were burned to death. Mrs. Warren's 4-year-old son saved his baby by wrapping her in a shawl and carrying her out through flames. He was slightly burned as a result.

the docks at the foot of Evans street, this afternoon a boiler exploded, injuring one man fatally. He was struck by a piece of flying iron. It slightly injured six others. The scow was at work jumping out and raising the tug Kelderhow, and was equipped with a boiler and engine. Part of the boiler was hurled a great distance.

**LITTLE GIRL SCALDED**  
Daughter of a Barber Dies at Waco From Effects of Injury

WACO, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Rudelle Gertrude Williams, aged 2 years, was buried yesterday, death having occurred through the effects of scalding, not water. Williams, the child's father, is a barber. The child pulled a pot of hot water from the stove, the contents striking it on the chest, the result proving fatal. There have been numerous accidents of this character recently in this section.

**MRS. HARRIS RECOVERING**  
Woman Who Was Badly Burned at Waco, Getting Over Injury

WACO, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Max Harris, who was burned seriously a few days ago, while trying to extinguish flames which were burning Mrs. Toby Novich, an aged lady, to death, is now doing very well and will recover. Her husband is a peddler and though efforts have been made to find him, these efforts have been unsuccessful, and he is still in ignorance of the fact that his wife was dangerously injured.

## QUARANTINE

Against Cattle From the Region Infected by the Fever Ticks

MAY BE ABOLISHED BEFORE WORLD'S FAIR

Is the Expectation of Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson

PROGRESS AGAINST TICKS ENCOURAGING

And May Lead to Removal of Line Which Has So Long Handicapped the Cattlemen of Texas

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Secretary Wilson said today that the department of agriculture has nothing to do what ever regarding the admission of cattle at the St. Louis exposition, but if there are any requirements with regard to their inspection that the department can meet to render cattle safe and eligible for exhibition purposes at the St. Louis exposition would render such service. He suggested that if southern cattle were exhibited by themselves they would probably be admitted.

He said further that he expects the quarantine lifted before the exposition opens since such headway has been made against fever ticks.

**SHAWNEE WATER WORKS**  
Steps Towards Much Needed Improvement Taken by Council

SHAWNEE, O. T., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The council Tuesday night passed the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the \$125,000 water bonds for the purpose of constructing a water system. The ordinance provides the form of the bonds and the coupons. There will be 125 bonds of \$1,000 denomination each, bearing interest at 6 per cent payable semi-annually. The bonds will be dated January 1, 1904, and the interest will be payable January 1 and July 1 of each year. The certificates of the city clerk and the territorial auditor will be a part of the bonds.

A sinking fund to provide for the payment of the bonds is established to amount to \$11,566.66 each year which will be raised for this purpose.

One section of the ordinance provides that every cent of the amount raised by the sale of the bonds will be used for the purpose of putting in the water system. Clerk Becker notified the council that already about forty inquiries had been received at his office and he was instructed to procure fifty copies of the bond ordinance for the information of all prospective purchasers.

**POVERTY LESS IN WACO**  
Charitably Inclined Persons Report Conditions Improved

WACO, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Persons engaged in the distribution of contributions to the poor of the city, the said contributions having been brought largely by the school children, found that there was less poverty in Waco than last year, and the supply of things for the suffering poor was larger than common. Secretary William Lambdin of the United Charities aided in the distribution.

**BIG FIRE IN HOBOKEN**  
\$250,000 Loss on Building and Machinery of a Roofing Plant

HOBOKEN, N. J., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The big plant of the Summit Roofing Company was burned this evening. The building was filled with expensive machinery. The loss, including \$50,000 on the building, is \$250,000. The fire, which started in the boiler room, is thought to have been caused by spontaneous combustion of chemicals. David Carrol, of New York, and William Tempest, of West Hoboken, who were in the drying room, were overpowered by smoke and badly burned. They were taken to St. Mary's hospital.

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H.C. Stripling THE PRICE IS THE THING

207-9-11 Houston....208-10 Main

STILL RECEIVING NEW GOODS

This is one store that has new goods coming in every day. Our large and increasing trade demands that we keep new goods arriving by every train to supply the demand...

NEW DRESS TRIMMINGS

Silk Pendants, black, white and cream, a very choice lot of these goods have just been received to sell at, each 10c, 15c and 25c. New Silk braids in black, white, gold, etc., the little narrow kind that is used so extensively just now; prices, per yard, 5c, 10c and 15c.

TOMORROW'S DRESS GOODS OFFERING

50-inch Black Storm Serge, worth \$1.00 a yard, brown and gray Skirtings 54 inches wide that sell at \$1.00 a yard, Monday 75c. New fancy Waistings, the stripes are woven in like embroidered work, beautiful goods, worth 50c a yard; special price tomorrow, yard 39c.

TABLE LINENS AND TOWELS

70-inch Table Linen that sells at 60c a yard and the kind we guarantee to be every thread linen, will be sold this week as a special at 50c. Bleached Table Linen 54 inches wide that sells regular at 35c a yard, we offer for this week's sale at the special reduced price, per yard 25c.

WOMEN'S HOSE AT ALL PRICES

Women's fleece lined Hose in all the qualities that are being worn are here, priced for the best ones 50c a pair, then down to 25c and 15c. Boys' extra heavy bicycle Hose in all sizes for school and general wear that are sold by all dealers at 25c a pair will be sold here this week at 20c.

DOLLS OF ALL KINDS

We are showing the best values in Dolls of any store in this city. China Dolls that are 20 inches long and extra large size on sale at 25c. China Dolls that are 17 inches long and are usually sold at 25c we offer at 15c, and 14 1-2 inch China Dolls are offered at only 10c.

STAPLE DRY GOODS

We are going to offer some very special values in the staple department for the coming week: Blankets, Comforts, Domestic, Apron Gingham, Window Shades, Lace Curtains, etc., will be sold for less money than at any store in North Texas.

NEW STYLES IN SHOES

We are showing several new styles in the Drew-Selby make of Women's fine Shoes, the best known Shoe made at the prices, per pair, \$3.00, \$2.50 and \$2.00. The Tulane Special, a new Shoe for Men that is intended for dress wear; union made, stylish and up to the minute; all kinds of leather \$3.50.

NEW FURNISHINGS

We have just received a large shipment of Boys' Caps in all the styles that Caps are worn in, prices 20c, 25c, 35c and up to 50c. New Neckwear, the very latest things that are made in neckwear can be found here, evening and general use, prices 25c and 50c. Initial Silk Handkerchiefs for Men that make a very desirable present will be found here in two qualities, the best one for 50c, then 25c.

MEN'S FINE SUITS

This is the most satisfactory store in the city in which to buy Men's Clothing. Here you do not pay any more than a Suit is worth, no matter how desirable the pattern. Some merchants charge for style and patterns in Clothing; we charge only for the actual worth of the garment sold. Men's Fine Suits in Black and Fancy Weaves at from \$7.50 to \$20.00.

HARNESS OF POWER OF OHIO FALLS CONTEMPLATED

Plant to Generate Electrical Power Greater Even Than That Produced at Niagara Is Discussed and May Be Built

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 28.—The tremendous power of the Ohio falls, always heretofore a menace and destroyer, seems at last about to be directed to the use of man. The possibility is one of much importance to the surrounding country, including Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Evansville.

The plan approved by Major George McC. Derby, the United States engineer at Louisville, and by engineers and capitalists provides for the largest single plant in the country, not excepting that of Niagara Falls, where there is one of 110,000 horse power. It is estimated that 200,000 can be generated at Louisville.

The falls of the Ohio are more of a series of rapids than a fall like the one at Niagara. There is a drop of approximately twenty-six feet, and the falls and rapids are about three miles in length.

The government has spent millions of dollars in building a canal around the falls and maintains here the only life saving station in inland waters.

The chief problem that presented itself to the engineers arose from the fact that the stage of the water on the falls varies. In dry seasons it has been possible to cross on foot from the Kentucky to the Indiana shores. In high water the falls

are as placid as a mill pond. These difficulties, it is said, can be surmounted, though they make necessary the expenditure of a vast sum of money—\$10,000,000 or more. If the power plant is built, provision will be made for any emergency so that a sudden cessation from natural causes need never be feared.

The project embraces the building of a mile and a half of concrete wall along the Indiana chute, the building of a cross dam just below Goose Island and the establishment of a huge power house on the Indiana side of the extremity of the race or dam. The existing mill race will be widened and extended to the whirlpool eddy. The terrific power which will be directed to practical use by means of the turbine wheel and the dynamo. The equipment in the power house will be the same as is now employed in the utilization of the power of Niagara.

The diffuse currents which tumble over the rocky ledges for nearly three miles will be focussed into the mill race which will be about 400 feet in width and will have a drop of twenty-seven feet from the head of the channel to the power house.

The power thus generated, according to the estimates of expert engineers, who have given the matter careful study, will be from 150,000 to 200,000 horse power.

Three years at least will be required for the enterprise.

WEIRD SICKNESS OF SLEEP TERRIFIES FRENCH NURSES

Three Negroes Afflicted With Peculiar Malady Brought to Paris—Suffer No Pain, But Gradually Sleep Lives Away

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PARIS, Nov. 28.—M. Camille Pelletan, the minister of marine, formerly the most modest and retiring man, has grown considerably in his own estimation since his marriage.

He now even seems to think that should the present government be forced to resign, the whole French nation would be on its feet, clamoring for his return.

At a recent banquet he said, speaking of the Falloux law, which restricts the right of opening schools for the instruction of children:

"There is too much liberty nowadays, and certain kinds of liberty are dangerous. It is just and right that men are given the liberty to gather peaceably, as long as this right is only given to adults."

"It is right that we should have freedom of the press, because journalists address citizens in possession of their reason; but when it comes to freedom of instruction limitation is necessary, because teachers address children, and children have no right to liberty."

Speaking of the possibility of the fall of the ministry, M. Pelletan said that personally he would be only too happy to be relieved of his duties, but if it should be forced out to give room for the party who stands for reaction, he felt sure that the whole nation would rise in protest.

Of his old modesty nothing seems to be left, and Mme. Pelletan is said to be very ambitious.

THE FIGHTING THE CHURCHES. The anti-clerical policy of the present French government, as advocated by M. Combes, is causing serious troubles in all parts of France.

The actual removal of the cross from nearly all public buildings and the intended removal of the cross which has surmounted the dome of the Pantheon ever since that magnificent structure was built have given the lower classes of the population of towns and cities the impression that any one may rob or violate a church.

In several places mobs have invaded the Catholic churches in search of valuables, and seem to have been surprised when the police interfered.

One of the most flagrant offenses is reported from Montpellier, where the mob, after having tried unsuccessfully to break into the magnificent Cathedral of St. Mathieu, put fire to the church and tried to drive the firemen away.

The great majority of the French, the farmers and vineyardists, as well as the laboring class outside the large cities, are beginning to feel incensed against a government which openly fights the Catholic church and thereby tempts to these deeds of violence, and a sharp protest against the policy of Mr. Combes may be expected on the floor of the parliament.

SICKNESS OF SLEEP. The nurses and attendants of a large Paris hospital are in a panic, hardly daring to go to sleep at night, fearing that they may never wake up again.

It all comes from the fact that the famous Professor Blanchard has imported three Congo negroes from Africa for the benefit of the Medical Academy. These negroes are suffering from the "sickness of sleep," the mysterious illness which is more dangerous than cholera or bubonic plague and which devastates enormous territories of Africa of their whole population.

It is this year ravaging the regions along the Gambia river. The victims are suddenly seized with an irresistible sleepiness and the malady always ends fatally.

The three negroes are at present in a hospital in Rue Michel Ange, sleeping quietly in the large operating room, smoking innumerable cigarettes when awake, but evidently knowing that they are doomed.

Only one is able to eat and all are as pale as their complexion allows, having changed from jet black to light gray.

The most famous physicians of Paris have been unable to suggest any treatment and the death of one patient is expected hourly.

They all agree, however, that the disease is not infectious and can only be contracted in the peculiar climate of the Congo district.

TOO MANY PRINCES. A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that the czar has decided that there are too many princes in Russia and that most of the exotic creatures carrying this proud title, and whom we know so well in Paris and at Monte Carlo, have no right to any title whatever.

As a rule they come from Caucasus where they are as numerous as colonies in Kentucky. Convinced that these half-civilized people disgrace Russian nobility in other countries, Czar Nicholas has appointed a commission to separate the tares from the wheat.

The poor members of the commission are having no success, as many of these princes claim that the titles were conferred upon their ancestors to the time when Colchis, Mingrelia and Imereti were independent kingdoms.

The kings of these ancient states were evidently very liberal in bestowing titles. One Caucasian prince claims that one of his forefathers was made a prince because of picking up a belt which his sovereign dropped, and was very much hurt when the commissioner decided that he was to be called prince no more.

BREAK JOURNALISM. The Parisian paper which recently buried a large amount of money in the streets of this city and which I hear has been imitated by a New York daily, is not the first paper to advertise for readers in an original manner.

We have seen many such papers come only to disappear. There was the Croquemort, which was printed on black paper and which offered its subscribers free burial.

This mournful looking paper failed after a life of only a few months. We have seen the Benefactor, which for 10 cents a month supplied its subscribers with medicine and medical tendance.

Then came the Nalade, which preached cleanliness and was printed on "in-submersible" paper and which could be read in the bath tub or while you were taking a dip at Trouville.

After these came the Boute, whose subscribers were allowed to choose their own editors; the Pour et Contre, which had two editors of diametrical opposite opinions; please everybody, and the Guillotine, printed in red ink, which offered its readers a seat in the front rank at public executions.

All these tricks have been tried and failed, and the Parisian of today, revolutionary though he is in many respects, continues to read his Matin or Figaro.

CAUSE OF KAISER'S ILLNESS. The origin of the kaiser's polypus, which has startled the people of two hemispheres, is no longer a mystery. The society of anti-tobacco smokers have settled beyond a doubt—or, at least, to their own satisfaction—that had the kaiser never smoked his vocal

cords would never have needed the surgeon's knife.

Like most Germans, the kaiser is an inveterate smoker, and delights in a pipe of good Havana, especially prepared for him. He recently added a most gorgeous meerschaum pipe, with a turquoise mouthpiece, decorated with the German eagle, artistically carved, and a large "W" in gold, to his already unique collection of pipes.

The society is said to have sent a petition to the kaiser asking him for the sake of the Fatherland to give up smoking.

The kaiser, however, has no such intention, and is looking forward with great pleasure to the day when his physician will allow him the use of his favorite pipe.

NEPOTISM PREVALENT. Though our present administration is exceedingly radical in many ways, and claims that it is impossible now to obtain any office under the government except by force of merit, it is evident that this rule does not apply to its own sons.

M. Combes had hardly come into power before he provided his son Edgar, a most insignificant young man, with an excellent position in the council of state.

M. Valle, the keeper of the seal, has for an important position for his son as judge at Tunis.

M. Chaumil unfortunately has no sons old enough to occupy prominent positions, but during the visit of the king of Italy he succeeded in making King Victor Emmanuel decorate his oldest son, evidently hoping that this decoration would in time make him more fit to occupy a position of importance.

In the meantime the dissatisfaction of the French people with the present government is growing so rapidly that even the royalists, who have kept silent for a long time, have begun to raise their heads and have issued a circular calling on their supporters to rally around the royal standard in the hope that the chaos which would follow the overflow of the present government would give them a chance to come into power again.

Of course, no one any longer takes the royalists seriously, but there are many people, whose knowledge of politics cannot be denied, who think that the days of the present ministry are counted, and that it will be followed by a strong reaction.

PAUL VILLIERS.

NEW CHAIRS FOR THE TABERNACLE

Six Hundred Have Been Received and Will Be Used in the Sunday School

The 600 new chairs purchased by the Tabernacle church, to seat the lower Tabernacle, arrived yesterday and were put in position in the afternoon, and will be used for the first time this morning by the Sunday-school of the denomination, numbering more than 1,000, the largest in the city.

The room is called the work-shop of the Tabernacle, and is used for all congregational meetings except Sunday worship, and will be found a great convenience, not only to the members of that church, but to associations, orders, etc., that may desire to secure the room.

In the past there has been trouble many times to find a suitable place for holding meetings of various kinds that would seat 600 or 750 people, but the seating of the lower Tabernacle will obviate these difficulties.

Dr. J. S. Myers, pastor of this church, said yesterday that the putting in of these chairs entailed a total expenditure of about \$200.

Rev. Myers will leave Monday for Washington state, where he goes to deliver the dedicatory sermon of one of the largest Christian churches in the northwest.

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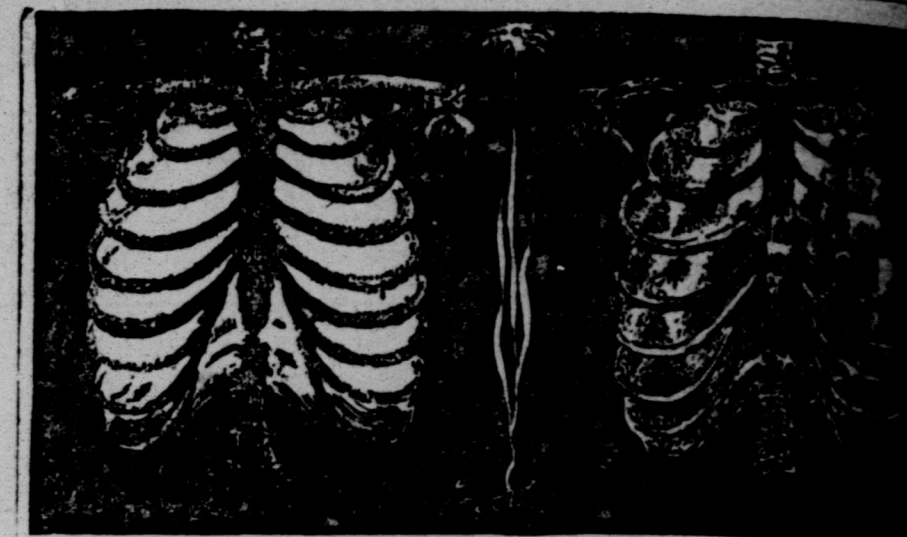
TEXANS STRANDED IN SOUTH AFRICA

Forty-Two Men Who Left Galveston Were Abandoned at Lorenzo Marques

LONDON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Forty-two men from Galveston have been returned to America. The men shipped on a cattle boat for Lorenzo Marques and return, but upon reaching that port the captain of the steamer told them that he was going to India and wanted them to leave the ship. The men demanded to be returned to the United States and appealed to the Portuguese authorities, who said they could do nothing. The British consul sent them to London at the expense of the company owning the vessel. There they were stranded, as they had received but \$23 for their work and that was soon spent. They appealed to the American Society which returned them. The society will also sue the company in the name of the men for the amount due them for the return trip which was not completed.

BRYAN GOING TO DUBLIN. LONDON, Nov. 28.—William Jennings Bryan lunched with Joseph Chamberlain at Highbury today and will go to Dublin tonight.

Three persons claim to have the field glasses that Napoleon used on the field of Waterloo.



THE INVESTIGATION OF CONSUMPTION.

How Easily It Can Be Distinguished.

Medical science has been making great strides in the diagnosis of disease, and in none more than in lung disease. The above sketch shows, on the left-hand side, a healthy lung as photographed by the X-ray, at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y. On the right is a diseased lung. This institute was one of the very first in America to experiment and then put into practical use the Roentgen or X-rays. It has used this for years in examining broken bones, locating internal cancers, stone in the bladder, and malformations of all kinds. Where a person is suffering from chronic cough, a photograph taken by the X-ray will distinguish whether the germs of consumption have started in the lungs or not. The photograph will show a peculiar mottled condition at the apex of the lung, or if the case is a bad one the whole of both lungs may be involved and show on the photograph. Dr. R. V. Pierce, the chief consulting physician in this noted institution, gives his time and that of his large staff of specialists in chronic diseases, free of charge, to those desiring to have a careful examination made of their condition. He also offers to carefully consider all cases sent to him by mail giving description of symptoms, and will give an opinion as to the treatment or cure. Dr. Pierce has built up a large institution at Buffalo for the treatment of all chronic diseases, and he has never claimed that his well-known remedies (which he gave to the public over a third of a century ago) were curative in any sense whatever. Forty years ago he discovered a combination of roots, herbs and barks that when made into a concentrated alterative extract he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and this remedy has sold more largely in the United States in the past third of a century than any other remedy for colds, coughs, bronchitis, catarrh and incipient consumption. It is purely vegetable and contains no alcohol or narcotics. By acting upon the digestive organs it assists in the assimilation of food and thereby increases the red blood corpuscles, and tones up the liver, heart and other organs of the body. Pure blood is essential to good health, and so is a good digestion. Dr. Pierce believes that the person suffering from incipient consumption should take good, long draughts of pure air, practice breathing, expanding the lungs frequently, on warm days, to stay out in the sunshine as much as possible and eat heartily of wholesome food. Consumption as everybody knows is a wasting disease—night sweats and a poor appetite weaken the body. Cod liver oil emulsions are nauseating to most victims of this dread disease—whereas Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery gives an appetite and helps in the assimilation of the food—wholesome flesh is put on and the body built up to normal health and strength. Dr. Pierce does not claim that his "Discovery" will cure the worst cases of consumption but he does claim that it will benefit every case and some remarkable cures have been effected. Bad coughs may lead into this dread disease so that it is well to take it in time and prevent it from becoming chronic. Bronchitis is readily cured and catarrh, which is nothing more nor less than stagnation of the blood, can be readily cured by use of this "Golden Medical Discovery." A tonic made up largely of alcohol will shrink the corpuscles of the blood and make them weak for resistance; that is why Dr. Pierce does not believe in putting up a tonic with alcohol or narcotics.

Miss Elia Bourge, 47 Ashland Boulevard, Chicago, Ill., a public singer, writes: "I am glad to be able to testify

to the public what I consider your medicine has done for me. I had been troubled with catarrh for a number of years, had used many other remedies but failed to find any change, and was about to give up all hope. I at last tried your medicine and found it to be just what I represented to be. I used a number of bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and will say positively that I have not felt as well in several years. My headaches which had become a common occurrence have entirely disappeared as well as the burning sensation I endured through my eyes and nose—and my voice has been wonderfully improved since using your medicine. I would not be without it and shall forever after give praise to your worthy medicine."

Mr. Ernest Gauvin, President, Club Notre Dame, Ancienne Lorrette, Quebec, writes: "I suffered three years with catarrh of head, nose and throat, and had frequent and severe frontal headaches, hacking, coughing and spitting. My voice was husky and my breath offensive and what to do I knew not. One day I read some of your very flattering testimonials and decided to try 'Golden Medical Discovery' and am very happy that I did. My trouble gradually lessened, the ringing in my ears stopped within a week, my appetite increased, and within a month I was like a new man. In two months' treatment I was cured, and am pleased to add my testimony as to the merits of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery."

"Last August my limbs commenced to swell from ankles up to stomach, and the skin on my limbs seemed to shine like glass," writes Mrs. Lucretia J. Cornish, of Chippewa Station, Osceola Co., Mich. "I could not take a good breath. The doctor said I had lifted too much and my liver was swelled to double the size it should be, and crowded my heart and lungs. I could scarcely speak without coughing. The doctor gave me six orders and a liquid to take, and said I would have to come again. I told him I send if I wanted any more medicine. We did not have the means to pay six dollars a trip for the doctor, so I sent and got six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and when I had taken one bottle the swelling had nearly gone out of my limbs and I commenced to improve. Through the goodness of God and your wonderful medicine I feel as well as I did before I was taken sick. I cannot expect to feel as young as formerly. I was sixty-six last April and weighed one hundred and thirty-eight pounds a year ago; weight was reduced to one hundred and eight pounds, but I am gaining now. Can walk two miles to church and back on Sunday, so don't think I ought to complain."

"I was taken sick nine years ago with fever," writes Mr. M. M. Wardwell, of Linwood, Kans. "Had the doctor and he broke up the fever all right, but I took diarrhea right away; he could not cure it and it became chronic, and then he gave up the case. I got so weak with it and had piles so badly I couldn't lie down, or hardly sit up. Was that way two or three months; thought I would never be well again, but saw your description of catarrh of the stomach. I thought it hit my case. You recommend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for catarrh of the stomach, so I began taking it. One bottle nearly cured me. I got two bottles and took one each one-half and was well. I haven't been bothered with diarrhea since."

NATURE'S BOOK. Those desiring to know something about the body in health and disease, also medicine and surgery, without technicalities, should read the "Common Sense Medical Adviser," by R. V. Pierce, M. D., which can be had for thirty cents for the cloth-bound, or twenty cents for paper-covered book. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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### Holiday Mail Orders

Customers living out of the city, unable to attend the grand holiday offerings at this store, can feel safe in trusting their orders to our improved Mail Order Department. We have strengthened this branch of the business every day until now we feel that it is perfected to such a degree as to guarantee absolute safety to the purchaser. Write for samples.



### Card to Customers

The Holiday Season is now on, and we wish to suggest to our patrons the advisability of doing their Christmas shopping early in the month, while the stock is at its best, and securing the service of our expert clerks, avoiding the possibility of being waited upon the week before Christmas by inexperienced clerks, which we will be forced to engage at that time.

## THIS STORE IS NOW CLOTHED IN HOLIDAY ATTIRE

With One Grand Sweep We Cleared the Space and Donned Our CHRISTMAS ROBES, and Monday Will Find Us Ready for the HOLIDAY RUSH. A GREAT TRANSFORMATION Has Taken Place Within the Walls of Our Building and a Big Surprise Awaits the Visitors at this Store Monday Morning

#### Women's Winter Suits

This store leads in up-to-date, Ready-to-Wear Suits. If you have not bought your winter suit, come here Monday and get one of the special offerings in this department.

Fancy Zibeline Suits in brown and black, handsomely trimmed, three-quarter length coat—regular \$35.00 Suits; Monday, \$29.50

Panne Cheviot Suits, mannish effect—the stylish garments for this season, in blue and black; Monday, \$25.00

Women's Blouse Suits, in cheviots and Scotch materials, in tan, blue, brown and fancy mixtures—regular \$32.50 suits; Monday \$19.50

#### Women's Stylish Coats

It is high time for those who haven't bought their winter coat, to come now. Our stock of fine coats was never better and affords the buyers a splendid selection.

Women's Military Coats, with cape and stole effect, trimmed in brass buttons. They come in tan, brown and black kersey, at \$23.50

Mannish Coats for women. Ripple Capes beautifully strapped with broadcloth, tailor stitched and lined, at \$21.50

#### Women's Underwear

This department will offer Monday an exceedingly low price on Women's Black Vests and Pants. Garments that sell at \$1.00, \$1.60 and \$2.00 each, will go at, per garment, 50c

#### Winter Furs

Handsome Sable Set with new pillow muff and very long scarf, trimmed in cluster of tails; price \$125.00

Beautiful Fur Sets, in lynx, marten, and fox, priced at \$100.00, \$75.00 and \$50.00

Blended Mink Scarfs, very handsomely trimmed with cluster of tails; price \$7.50

Sable Opossum Scarfs with cluster of tails, priced at \$6.00

#### Winter Dress Goods

Monday morning will find this department with some extra good bargains, as usual.

One special is the sale of our 75c and 50c Etamines, Crashes, Habit Cloths, Pebble Cheviots and Crepe Cloths; Monday, yard, 35c

A handsome line of Melton, Kersey and Covert Cloths for walking skirts and coats, in blue, tan and gray—regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 values; Monday, yard \$1.95

#### Silk & Velvet Remnants

We have a big line of Remnants in short lengths of Velvet and Silk, at a remarkably low price—new fancy patterns in all colors. If you want a bargain, don't fail to visit this bargain table.

#### Linings, Gingham, Etc.

New arrivals in this department will make it very attractive to the Monday buyers.

36-inch Spunglass Lining, in all the new colors; price, per yard, 15c

18c and 32-inch Gingham, in the newest checks and colors; price, per yard, 15c

Outings and Flannellettes in fancy stripes and checks—regular 16 2-3c quality; Monday price, per yard, 12 1/2c

#### Mexican Drawn Work

We have received some entirely new designs for Dresser Scarfs, Tray Cloths, Center Table Pieces, Doilies, Brazilian Point Handkerchiefs, etc., in some of the most exquisite Mexican Drawn Work even seen. A visit to the fancy goods department will be both pleasing and surprising.

#### New Umbrellas

For Christmas Gifts

Our new line of Umbrellas is undoubtedly the handsomest in the city, bought especially for the holiday trade. There are some stunning pearl, gold and silver handle Umbrellas that would make very valuable gifts. We have them at all prices, from \$10.00 down to \$2.50

#### A Millinery Bargain

The reputation of the Parker-Lowe Millinery is such that when an announcement is made that we are cutting the price on any of these fashionable modes, a stampede of eager buyers follows. Monday will be an example of the popularity of this department, when we will offer a big line of stylish Dress and Street Hats, in all colors of velvet and felt, beautifully trimmed in feathers, wings and ornaments—regular \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 values, at \$2.98

#### Kid Glove Department

There is nothing more acceptable by a gentleman or lady than a pair of Kid Gloves for Christmas. You can never make a mistake in presenting a pair of any of the different gloves handled by us.

Men's extra quality tailor stitched Street Gloves, in all the late shades; price, per pair, \$2.00

Men's good quality extra heavy Walking Gloves, popular colors; price, per pair, \$1.50

Trefousse Kid Gloves, for women, in all the late popular shades, at per pair, \$2.50, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00

The Veraine Kid Glove, for women, with gusseted fingers, all the new shades—the best glove made for the money; price, per pair, \$1.50

#### Big Reductions in Lace Curtains

Monday morning we will close out some broken lines of Lace Curtains at a very low figure. There are only two and three pairs in each lot, so you will have to come early if you want any choice.

Several Patterns Arabian Curtains, 3 1-2 yards long, good width; per pair, \$4.00

Silk and Corded Arabian Curtains—regular \$10.00 values; Monday, per pair, \$6.98

Cable Net Arabian Curtains, silk corded—regular \$10.00 values; Monday, per pair, \$7.50

Battenburg Arabian Curtains, beautiful patterns—regular \$15.00 value; Monday, per pair, \$9.00

Silk Corded Arabian Curtains, Battenburg effect—regular \$15.00 values; Monday, per pair, \$10.00

#### Rugs and Portieres

36-inch All Wool Smyrna Rugs, floral and conventional designs; Monday price, \$2.49

Extra fine quality Smyrna Rugs—regular \$5.00 values; Monday price, \$3.49

All Wool Ingrain Art Squares, size 7 1-2x9 ft; price, \$5.50

Extra Heavy All Wool Ingrain Art Squares, size 9x12 ft; price, \$9.00

Damask Portieres, full length heavy fringe at top; pair, \$2.98

Heavy Damask Portieres, ringed at bottom and top, all colors; price, pair, \$4.50

Heavy Tapestry Portieres, conventional designs, at \$7.50, \$9.00 and \$10.00

## Santa Claus Has Arrived He Will Be in Basement of This Store Monday Morning

Mothers, bring your children and come. The Grand Christmas Display will be open for inspection Monday morning at 8 o'clock. Hundreds of new Toys, Wagons, Horses, Boats, Engines, Automobiles, Railroads, Street Cars, and in fact everything interesting is reproduced here in a toy. Almost the entire floor space in the Basement has been given up to Santa Claus and Holiday Gifts, making the largest display in the history of Fort Worth.

### A Manager Tells Why 2,700 Actors Are Out of Work

"I don't wonder that the dramatic agencies report 2,700 actors out of work," remarked the New York City manager of a traveling theatrical company the other day. "A large number of actors are such bad business men that they fail to take ordinary advantage of an opportunity to work when it is given them, and when they are employed fail to see that their interests and those of the manager are for the time being identical. Three weeks ago I offered an actor \$50 a week to take the place of a youngster who was too handsome for the role of heavy villain in our show. The company was appearing over in Elizabeth, N. J., that night, so I handed this chap a round trip ticket for that place. 'Go over and see the show,' I told him, 'and if the part suits you we can close the deal when you return to New York.' Well, would you believe it, that young man came into my Broadway office half an hour later and said

he didn't care to go over to Elizabeth unless his wife went too. He couldn't afford to pay her railroad fare, which amounted to the terrifying sum of 40 cents, so he wanted to know if I could give him another round trip ticket. For the life of me I couldn't see the philosophy of my paying the railroad fares for his entire family, so all negotiations ceased on the spot. "The next man I offered the place to hadn't earned a cent since April, but he nearly threw the engagement up over a matter of 50 cents. I took him over to Elizabeth to be rehearsed in the part in the morning and to watch his predecessor play it at the matinee. At noon I was called back to New York, but during the matinee I telephoned my representative to ask the new man to return to New York, study the part and have himself and his trunk at the Grand Central station at 9 o'clock the next morning, as the company was to make an early jump

to New Haven. The actor went right up in the air and wanted to know why in the blankety blank I didn't make arrangements to move his trunk, instead of leaving him to attend to such matters when he had a new part to learn in one night. Also it would cost him 50 cents to have the trunk sent down to the station. My benchman finally mollified the excited artist, who was making such a disturbance that the matinee was nearly broken up, but at that he wasn't satisfied until he had wasted 35 cents in telephoning to me to find out whether or not I meant to refund the 50 cents expressage. "But it's when they actually have an engagement that they make life really pleasant for the manager. I remember last year we made a big jump which made necessary an all night ride. We carried twenty-five persons in the company, and in order that no one would be forced to sit up all night I contracted in advance for that number of sleeping berths. Now, the management was not supposed to pay for berths in sleepers, but as it was the last week of the season, and business had been excellent, I told my treasurer that when the members of the company offered to pay him for the berths, he was to inform them that it was my treat, and the sleeper wouldn't cost him a cent. I was tickled to death with my little surprise and patted myself on the

back for my unexampled generosity. "You can imagine my disgust when I learned that my company had decided to save \$2 a piece and sit up all night, leaving me to pay for the twenty-five unoccupied berths. That little attempt to spring a surprise on the company cost me \$50. "When we were playing at Elizabeth, N. J., this season, salaries were due on Tuesday night, but business had been very bad the week previous, owing to stormy weather, and as a result I found that I was about \$100 shy. Accordingly I informed the stage manager that salaries would be paid on Wednesday morning, and went to New York to draw from the bank the amount I needed. I returned to Elizabeth with the money in time for a rehearsal, which had been called for 10:30 o'clock, but which was delayed by the tardiness of the leading man, who had also spent the night in New York. This individual had touched me for an advance of \$25 on his salary two days previously. Yet he had the audacity to say, in reply to my inquiry as to why he was an hour late: 'I'm sorry, but it's not my fault. Salaries were not paid last night, and I had to hustle around this morning and borrow 25 cents to pay my fare over here.' Those two little anecdotes show the loyalty and consideration with which many actors treat their managers. "Another reason why I like Theatians

is their attitude in the face of bad business. When they know that their manager is dropping money at each performance and is bravely trying to pull the show together and make a winner of it in order to put money in his own pocket and give the actors a long season, do they stand by him? Not if they're within a hundred miles of Broadway. Even if salaries are regular the members of the company begin to look for other engagements to the detriment of the performance. The minds of the actors are not on the work, and the production gets worse and the show goes to pieces. Then another contingent joins the Broadway brigade. "Sometimes a manager in a bad season like this finds himself with an attraction which entails a heavy salary list, but which is drawing only fair business. He sees that he must either close the season abruptly, throwing the entire company out of work, or he must reduce salaries pro rata and try to make both ends meet in that way. But the artistic conscience of the up-to-date Theatian will not allow him to submit to a reduction in salary. He deserts the manager, who is honestly trying to do the best for all concerned, returns to New York, and it may be weeks before he gets another job."

"God, the Only Cause and Creator;" Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. Free public reading room open daily from 1 to 5 p. m. All are cordially invited.

The services at St. Paul's M. E. church, corner of Seventh and Lamar streets, will be of an especial character Sunday. It is the closing Sunday of the conference year and also the fourth quarterly meeting of the year. In the service at 11 a. m. the presiding elder, the Rev. M. L. Selle will administer the sacrament of the Lord's supper. The Epworth League service and the evening service will be merged into one, an old-fashioned Methodist love feast, beginning at 7 p. m. The pastor, the Rev. J. F. Boyce, will have charge of this service. Many letters of congratulation have been pouring in on this congregation over their recent victories, and these will be read at this love feast service. Strangers will be welcomed.

BROADWAY BAPTIST CHURCH, corner of Broadway and St. Louis avenue—The pastor, J. W. Gillon, will preach at both hours. Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. J. B. French, D. D., pastor. Services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Special music.

COLLEGE AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. William Hughes, D. D., pastor—Preaching Sunday by the pastor. Morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:30 o'clock.

TAYLOR STREET CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner Fifth and Taylor streets—Sermon by Rev. C. C. Russell of Dallas in the morning and vocal solo by Miss Downing. Rev. Mr. Russell will also preach at the night service and Miss Downing will render a vocal solo.

MULKEY MEMORIAL Church—Rev. J. W. Hampton will preach Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at his church.

About \$300 has been raised in subscriptions by members of the Free Methodist church for their new building to be erected on Josephine and Annie streets in Union Depot addition. The subscriptions are made payable January 1, 1904, and it is hoped that work on the building can be commenced at that time. The plans are for a church to cost between \$800 and \$1,000. Services will be held Sunday at the regular meeting place, 313 Main street, by Rev. W. M. Adams, preaching at 11 o'clock and 7 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

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### The Churches of Fort Worth

Dr. Edward Thompson of Columbus, O., secretary of the international committee of the Sunday School League of America, and of which Dr. Thompson is the general manager, will speak of the league and its work on Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian church and Sunday night at the First M. E. church.

TRINITY CHURCH—Pennsylvania avenue and Hemphill street, rector, Robert Hammond Cotton, M. A., B. Sc. (London). (Take the Hemphill street car.) Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The first Sunday in Advent. Beginning of the Christian year.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner Fourth and Calhoun streets, Rev. Charles R. Hyde, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; at 11 a. m. Rev. Edward Thompson, LL. D., general manager of the Sunday School League of America, will give an interesting and instructive address; at 7:30 p. m. the pastor will preach.

AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Sixth and Throckmorton streets, Rev. R. R. Hamlin, pastor, will speak Sunday as follows: 11 a. m., subject, "Gratitude;" 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Place to Meet God and Receive a Blessing."

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,



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## The Effective Remedy

WASHINGTON, IOWA, April 4, 1902.

I was troubled for over a year with so scanty a flow that it was virtually menopause. A heavy cold superinduced this condition and nothing I could do seemed to help me. I took medicines, Turkish baths and frequent hot tub baths but the flow remained scanty and irregular, attended with severe pains.

The only effective remedy I ever found was Wine of Cardui. Within two weeks I felt the good effects of the medicine and after I had used 13 bottles in all I was as healthy and regular as any woman could wish to be.

My sister used it while expecting to become a mother and found that it made childbirth comparatively easy and after the child was born she found that it helped her to regain her strength.

Neither of us would be without it for ten times its cost.

*Jennie Root*

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## Showing New Merchandise

The Harris Store is receiving by express and freight new goods bought advantageously, including New Military Coats for Ladies, Misses and Children, New Suits, Shirt Waists and Skirts. New Dress Goods, Trimmings, New Gloves, Underwear, Plain and Fancy Hosiery, Beautiful New Furs, New Goods for Christmas buying. New Neckwear, Jewelry, Novelties, Purses, Bags, etc.

### It Makes the Harris Store an Ideal Shopping Place

DRESS GOODS COUNTER		DRESS TRIMMINGS	
48-inch Meltons, gray and castor shades, soft, medium weight, at per yard	79c	Drop Ornaments, black and colors, each	10c
56-inch mixed Thibet Cloths, excellent for skirtings, popular shades and black, per yard	98c	Drop Ornaments, large size, each	15c
Cream Wool Sharkskin, for wraps, very lustrous, at a yard	98c	Drop Ornaments, white and black, each	25c
Cream Voile and Eolienne, 46 inches wide, light weight—makes handsome gowns, at per yard	\$1.25	Black and Cream Braids, shell patterns, per yard	15c
Cream Bedford Cord, 48 inches wide, for waists and wraps at, per yard	\$1.50	Black Mohair Braids, loop designs, yard, 75c down to	25c
Black Cheviot, 52 inches wide, all wool, medium weight, splendid wear	98c	Black Chemille Bands, mohair, 1 inch	49c
Black Sangalier, 38 inches wide, yard	50c	Black and Cream Lace Bands, \$1.25 down to	50c
Black Sangalier, 40 inches wide, yard	98c	Black and Cream Appliques, 3 inches wide, leaf and rose designs, at per yard	69c
Black Storm Serge, 50 inches wide	89c	Cream Astrachan Bands, embroidered center in bud patterns, at a yard	\$1.50
Black Unfinished Worsteds, 52 inches wide	\$1.49		

SILK ITEMS		AT A REDUCTION	
27 inches China Silk, all colors, at a yard	50c	25 Suits in novelty cloths and solid chevrons and Venetians, new style coats, straight fronts and Louis XIV style Suits at \$12.50, to \$25.00, reduced to \$8.50 and	\$18.00
24-inch heavy Satins, light shades	50c		
20-inch two faced Peau de Soie, yard	98c		
20-inch All Silk Taffetas, good shades	45c		
20-inch Canvas Silks, for shirt waist suits	98c		
27-inch Black Taffeta, warranted, per yard	95c		
27-inch Black Taffeta, extra value, per yard	69c		
24-inch Crepe de Chine, evening shades, best, at a yard	98c		

WAIST PATTERNS REDUCED		NEW FURS	
In Mercerized Brocades, Mercerized Brillants, Oxford Cloths, Crepe Weaves and Vestings, in plain white with small colonial design, reduced to, per pattern, \$2.25, \$1.98, \$1.60, \$1.20 and	98c	In the Pellerines, medium and long style, wide, flat and round scarf with cords, foil trimming; choicest furs in the electric seal, water mink, Hudson bay, opossum, gray fox, Russian mink, black fox and squirrel; prices \$20.00 down to	\$2.69

Women's and Children's Sweaters		Corsets—Best Makes		Hats in felt, Gainsborough style, trimmed and untrimmed shapes, at regular prices, \$1.98 on down	
Women's Sweaters, made in blouse style, fancy shell stitch, white, red, black and navy; special price	\$4.50	Style 383—Warner's Rust Proof, straight front, long in the hip, made of extra French batiste, with pair of hose supporters attached.			98c
Women's Sweaters in plain ribbed, all colors, made blouse style, at each	\$3.50	Style 185—Warner's Rust Proof Corset, for stout figures, English coutil, extra heavy boning and side steel, best hose supporters attached	\$2.00	Street Wear Hats in the real swell Gage make; were \$3.00 to \$5.00, reduced to \$1.50 and	\$3.00
Children's Sweaters at \$2.50 down to	\$1.25	Special Monday—You can buy choice of any 50 cent Corsets, four styles, at pair	43c	Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats on special table, worth from \$1.50 to \$3.00, reduced to \$1.50 and	50c

Outing Flannel Gowns		Millinery Showing		Infants' Silk Caps	
Ladies' Gowns, made of good striped outing, full length, wide collar, neatly finished, extra values	50c	Everyone is interested in the Hats made of velvet, trimmed in ostrich plumes. Some real Picture Hats are on display in the Gage velvet with chiffon facing, trimmed with black plumes, at	\$10.00	More than 25 styles, White Silk Caps for infants, handsomely embroidered in silk and trimmed in ribbon pom poms and ruching, one-third less than regular price—range from 25c	\$1.25
Women's Soft Outing Gowns in pretty stripes, solid, pink, light blue; exceptional values	\$1.00				

## DEATH COMES TO JOSEPH MAYER

A Prominent Citizen of Fort Worth Expires in New York at Son's Home

Joseph Mayer, an old resident and prominent citizen of Fort Worth, died yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in New York city where he had gone in the hope of relief for a complication of diseases brought on by old age and debility. His death occurred at the residence of his son, Dr. A. D. Mayer, Mr. Mayer was 69 years of age.

About ten days ago Mr. Mayer accompanied by his wife and two of their children, Raymond and Clara, left for New York, it being Mr. Mayer's intention to undergo a course of treatment under the care of his son and other prominent New York physicians. The trip, however, was in vain, and Mr. Mayer's death occurred yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Mayer was a native of Germany and came to Fort Worth from Indianapolis, Ind., twenty-six years ago. Soon after his arrival he opened a wholesale and retail liquor store on Houston street. He retired from business about eight years ago and since that time has resided with his family at 212 Taylor street.

He leaves a wife and six children, all of whom, with the exception of Max Mayer and Mrs. Leon Gross, were at his bedside at the time of his death.

The latter two arrived in New York four hours after their father's death. The funeral services will be conducted from the residence of Dr. A. D. Mayer, 241 East Eighty-sixth street, New York city.

Max Mayer is expected to arrive here the latter part of the week. Mrs. Mayer and the other members of the family will spend the rest of the winter in New York.

## THEORY

That William Clendenning Was Murdered at Browns Tower, Pennsylvania

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Sarah Clendenning and George Hammerley, mother and cousin respectively, of William Clendenning, the operator who was murdered at Brown's Tower on Thursday, November 19, says the watch found near Binghamton last Friday is not the time piece of the murdered operator. The watch was found at Smithboro, a village a short distance west of Owego, N. Y., by Alexander Crow, a New York Central detective of Corning. It was traded to Frank Egan, a farmer, near Smithboro last Tuesday. The relatives of the murdered man say there are striking similarities between the two watches. The hands are broken alike, each crystal is broken and a locomotive is engraved on the case of each. The declarations of the relatives upset the theory that the murderer is now in the vicinity of Bingham and the efforts of the officers to locate the fugitive there will therefore cease. The detectives are much disappointed, as they must now start at the beginning again.

## ASSESSMENT IS MADE AT DALLAS

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, today adopted a resolution assessing each minister in the conference jurisdiction 5 per cent of his salary to go to a fund to pay on the bishop's residence in Dallas.

Bishop Ross is to move from Nashville, Tenn., to Dallas in January next and a home has been purchased for him here at a cost of \$16,000.

Rev. G. C. Rankin of Dallas made a strong plea for the support of the conference in the fight to be made against the liquor traffic. A resolution to this effect was introduced and adopted. The report of the "orphange" was read. The property is valued at \$50,000. The health of the inmates was reported to be excellent. There are 10 children at the home.

Upon a vote of the conference the members of the ordination class were admitted into full connection. There are rumors that two or more presiding elders of the conference are to voluntarily retire. If this proves true there will be many vacancies to fill in the bishop's cabinet on Monday next.

## LIVESTOCK SHOW IN CHICAGO OPEN

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The fourth annual exposition of the International Live Stock Association opened today with an exhibition of 12,250 of cattle, horses, sheep and hogs in the Dexter Park pavilion and adjacent buildings that occupy sixty-five acres of ground. The show which will continue through next week, is the greatest of its kind ever given. A tent will be used as a horse judging ring. This great stretch of canvas is erected just south of Forty-third street on the site selected for the new \$115,000 exposition building that is to be

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erected next spring. The structure will have a seating capacity of 15,000. It will be 450 by 220 feet. The seats will be constructed after the Roman amphitheater style with openings to the ring from underneath for the animals to enter.

At the annual meeting and luncheon of the directors of the International Live Stock Exposition, held in the rooms of the new saddle and sash club at noon today President John Ashore announced that the membership of the organization comprising 1,900 of the leading live stock men of the country was practically filled and the \$100,000 guaranteed fund in the hands of the treasurer. President Spoor also announced that plans had been completed for the next exhibition building which will be the permanent home of the live stock show in the future. The intention of the directors of the Union Transit Company, who will erect the building at their expense, to return the guarantee fund of \$100,000 at the end of five years, this sum being subscribed as a guaranty for the permanency of the exposition. People are coming from all over the country, and the greatest agrarian invasion of Chicago ever known is predicted. Twenty-seven states will be represented in the exhibits, and it is predicted that every state in the union will send visitors.

## THE NEWS OF BEAUMONT

Federal Grand Jury Returns Ten Indictments Saturday

BEAUMONT, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Martin W. Littleton, recently elected president of the Borough of Brooklyn, with his wife is visiting her relatives in this city. They own much valuable property here.

Preparations here are being perfected and a charity carnival will open in a blaze of glory Monday. The carnival will run a week.

The Federal grand jury returned ten indictments this morning. R. L. Nunez, a Mexican, was charged with selling liquor without a Federal license, and C. H. Barrum and Robert Bean of Rockland were arrested on the same charge.

The receiver of the Central Power and Equipment Company has reported to the court he was unable to find assets of the concern other than a typewriter, desk and chair and a certificate of deposit of \$33 in the defunct Citizens National Bank.

John O'Neal, one of the most prominent contractors around Beaumont and Sour Lake, is still languishing in jail on charge of alleged bigamy preferred against him by Sheriff Mason of Sandusky, Ohio. Habeas corpus proceedings were begun by O'Neal's attorney looking toward his release but so far nothing has been done in the matter.

## LOOKING FOR HUSBAND

Mrs. Howell Comes Here From Childress and Is in Want

A visitor at The Telegram office Saturday afternoon was a Mrs. Howell, formerly of Childress. With her were two small babes. The story she told was as follows: Some time ago her husband, who is a railroad man, left Childress and came to Fort Worth to get work. He secured employment here with the Santa Fe a week ago he wrote his wife to come to Fort Worth. Mrs. Howell was unable to procure means with which to reach the city until Friday. She reached Fort Worth Saturday. She had no address where to reach her husband. At the Santa Fe yards she learned that Mr. Howell had been working for that road, but had left its employ about a week ago. Mrs. Howell was advised to make the rounds of the other shops and yards, and in that way likely find some trace of her husband. She was without funds and in despair turned to the police department. Though sympathizing with the unfortunate woman, the police was unable to do anything for Mrs. Howell. She was advised to try an ad in The Telegram, through which she might be able to reach her husband and thus inform him of her presence in Fort Worth. Mrs. Howell is hopeful that this notice will reach him.

## HUNDREDS THROWN OUT

Of Employment is Prospect at Bethlehem Armor Plate Works

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The armor plate department of the Bethlehem Steel Company will be compelled to close down in a short time, and several hundred men will be thrown out of employment, it is feared, if the government does not soon send in new orders for armor plate. It will take an order for armor for three of the largest ships per annum to keep its armor plate plant running to its full capacity.

## NEW HEARING NOT GRANTED BY THE COURT

Anti-Annexationists of Oak Cliff Are Refused Another Suit—Other Proceedings in Court of Civil Appeals

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The court of civil appeals for the Fifth supreme judicial district today refused to grant the anti-annexationists a new hearing in the Oak Cliff annexation case. The anti will now appeal to the supreme court and hope to know the final status of Oak Cliff by January 1, 1904. The following are the detailed proceedings in the court:

Affirmed—H. Rives vs. Fire Association of Philadelphia, from Marion county.

Reversed and remanded—W. A. East vs. Houston and Texas Central Railroad Company, from Grayson county; City of Corsicana vs. N. P. Anderson, from Navarro county; First National Bank of Whitesboro vs. C. A. Andrews & Co., from Grayson county.

Reversed and remanded—St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company vs. John W. Turner, from Upshur county; W. E. Parshall vs. L. C. Clark, from Fannin county.

Motions disposed of—City of Oak Cliff vs. the state of Texas, ex-rel. rehearing, overruled; F. W. Sanders vs. H. H. Rawlings et al. rehearing, overruled.

Cases submitted—Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company vs. M. O'Connor, from Hunt county; Delaware Western Construction Company vs. Farmers and Merchants National Bank, from Upshur county; Jim Rylie vs. M. C. Stammer, from Dallas county; Matthews Lumber Company vs. Van Zandt county, from Van Zandt county; T. F. Crayton vs. T. W. Park et al. from Ellis county; Texas and Pacific Railway Company vs. Calvin Alexander, from Bowie county.

Cases set for December 12—Denison and Sherman Railway Company vs. Louis E. Carter, from Grayson county; Texas and New Orleans Railway Company et al. vs. Joella Jones et al. from Henderson county; First National Bank of Iowa City vs. Hill & Meecom, from Upshur county; St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company vs. Vernon Starks, from Collin county; Fred T. Word et al. vs. H. H. Fuller, from Dallas county; H. O. Mahoney and wife vs. J. W. Flanagan et al. from Harrison county.

## BRITISH AMBASSADOR

Sir Henry Mortimer Durand Arrives in New York

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the new ambassador from Great Britain, arrived this afternoon by the steamship Etruria. He was met down the bay by Clarence W. Bowen, brother of the United States minister to Venezuela, in whose house, No. 5 East Twenty-third street, he will be a guest until tomorrow, when he will leave for Washington. He will present his credentials to Secretary Hay Tuesday. Lady Durand and their daughter, Miss Amy, will join the ambassador at Washington before Christmas. The new ambassador was met at the dock by Percy Windham, second secretary of the British embassy, and Sir Percy Sanders, the British consul general of this city. Ambassador Durand declined to discuss affairs on the isthmus. "I am rather a seeker after information," he said, "than a source of it. It was only just before I sailed that news was received that Panama had declared independence." Of the story that the British and American fleets will join in maneuvers in the Caribbean sea he said he had no information. He said, however, that the relations of England and this government never were more cordial and that no friction need be feared over the isthmus. Ambassador Durand manifested great interest in the condition of Emperor William and when told that another operation would probably be necessary, he said: "When one hears of this he cannot help thinking of the emperor's father."

## HUNTINGTON'S ESTATE

Will of the Great Financier Made Public Yesterday

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The appraisal of the estate of Collis P. Huntington was made public today. It shows the real and personal property in this state left by the financier and railroad builder to be worth \$28,301,765. This, it is understood, was distributed long since in accordance with the provisions of a will. Ever since the death of Mr. Huntington, efforts have been made to keep the exact condition of the estate from the public. The gross personal estate of Mr. Huntington, according to the appraisal, amounts to \$38,594,585 in this state. The gross real estate is reported to be worth \$1,798,225. The total amount of the deductions to be made for debts, claims, no-value stock and bonds and other things, is \$9,089,046. The principal legal under Mr. Huntington's will are his widow, Arabella Huntington, and his nephew, Henry Edwards Huntington. Others who receive bequests are Mr. Huntington's adopted daughter, Clara Elizabeth Huntington, who is now Princess Von Hatzfeldt; his adopted son, Archer Milton Huntington, and other relatives.

## GETS A LIFE SENTENCE

Jury Returns Verdict in the Case of Jesse McClure

TIPTON, Ind., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The jury that heard the trial of Jesse McClure, who murdered two of his children, returned the verdict today, finding him guilty and sentencing him to states prison for life. When McClure heard the verdict as it was read in court, he seemed to be pleased that he was not to be hanged.

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- One Schiller, like new was \$350..... \$150
- One Marshall & Wendell, like new..... \$185
- One Colby, second hand large size, was \$450... \$195
- One Upright, used 3 months, was \$400..... \$200
- One Elegant New Cabinet Grand—the highest artistic, beautiful mahogany, was \$400..... \$277
- One Beautiful New Upright, \$350 is the regular price the world over... \$248

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LONG TRAILERS HERE Additional Facilities for Accommodation of Traction Company Patrons

The Northern Texas Traction Company has just received a couple of new trailers to be used in the service on the stock yards line. These trailers are to be in commission morning and evening to accommodate the large number of employees who use the cars going to and from work. There will be room in them for a number of passengers.

NO NEED OF REGULARS WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Major General Bates, who has been investigating the labor troubles in Colorado, advised the war department today that there was nothing in the situation to warrant the order out of regulars.

Zurich has its streets paved with paper. Read Telegram's Want "Ads"



THE STORE THAT ALWAYS Offers the Biggest Bargains



Our Store Will be Crowded Monday But We Have More Clerks and Will Serve You Promptly

Clothing FOR MONDAY Saturday was a busy day in our clothing department and we have decided to continue our sale on Men's Clothing for Monday. All our Men's \$12.50 and \$15.00 Suits, same as Saturday \$9.85 (Blacks excepted) A big lot of Men's \$10.00 Suits at \$8.25 Men's Black, Blue and Fancy \$8.50 Suits at \$6.95 A good line of Men's \$7.50 Fancy Suits at \$4.95 Boys' \$2.50 Knee Suits at \$1.95 Boys' \$2.00 Knee Suits at \$1.45 Boys' \$3.50 Knee Suits at \$2.95 Boys' \$4.00 and \$4.50 Suits at \$3.15

Shoes FOR MONDAY A swell line of Men's Shoes just received. Newest styles in kids and patent kids, just as good as a \$5.00 shoe, for \$3.50 Men's Fine Kid Shoes, plain and blucher styles, at \$2.50 Some extra good Ladies' Dress Shoes, worth \$2.50, for \$1.95 The best \$1.50 Ladies' Shoes in Fort Worth on sale at \$1.35 All our Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes, Monday at \$2.95 A first class Boys' Shoe on sale Monday for \$1.50 A job lot of Men's and Ladies' Shoes, worth \$1.50, Monday at 75c

Dry Goods FOR MONDAY New line of dark Dress Gingham, very best brands; everybody gets 12 1/2c and 15c for them; at 10c Short lengths of Calicoes, 2 to 9 1/2 yards in a piece at, yard 3 1/2c Short lengths of Cambric Dress Lining at, per yard 2 1/2c Good dark Outing, fast colors, at 5c Good Canton Flannel, 5c 36-inch Shirting Percales—good fast colors, worth 10c; Monday 7 1/2c All bookfold dark Percales that we sell at 10c, for Monday 8c Good Bleached Domestic, 36 inches wide; special Monday 4 1/2c

Ladies' Waists FOR MONDAY A job in Ladies' Waists, worth \$1.00 and \$1.50, 48c for All our regular \$2.00 Ladies' Shirt Waists at \$1.45 All \$2.50 Ladies' Waists at \$1.95 All \$3.50 Ladies' Waists at \$2.75 All \$5.00 Ladies' Waists at \$3.75 Extra Special One dozen Ladies' Fine Silk Waists, worth \$3.00 up to \$5.00—they are slightly soiled, and in order to clean them up quick we will sell them Monday for only \$1.50

Ladies' Suits and Skirts FOR MONDAY We have a big stock of Ladies' Suits and Skirts, comprising all the very latest styles for this season. We want to reduce this stock at once, therefore we will offer Monday—Ladies' \$25.00 Suits at \$17.85 Ladies' \$18.00 Suits at \$14.85 Ladies' \$15.00 Suits at \$11.95 Ladies' \$14.00 Suits at \$10.00 Ladies' \$8.50 Suits at \$5.00 Ladies' Black Skirts, at 95c 300 Gray Skirts at \$2.45 A swell line of Ladies' Black Skirts reduced to \$4.50, \$4.95, \$7.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50

Men's Furnishings FOR MONDAY Some Men's Negligee Shirts for 15c Men's 50c Negligee Shirts for 25c Men's Heavy Wool Shirts worth 75c for 48c A job of Men's Bow Ties at, each 5c Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear worth 50c, Monday only 25c Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear worth 50c, Monday at 35c All our Men's Heavy Ribbed Underwear, in cream and blue, at 45c Men's Fine Mercerized Fancy Underwear, worth \$1.25; Monday 95c Men's Heavy Wool Underwear, a good \$1.25 grade, Monday at only 95c

Ladies' Hats FOR MONDAY Choice \$1.95 Of all our Ladies Hats, worth \$3.00 to \$5.00—all placed in one lot and closed out the above price \$1.95 Men's Wool Hose, extra heavy, at 25c and 15c Ladies' Heavy Fleece Lined and Cotton Hose at 25c Infants' Red Wool Hose at 15c All Ladies' Furs and Wraps of all kinds will be sold Monday at special prices. Look Them Over

Monday, the last day of November, we want a big business, and will have it, too, for no one can pass these prices by without noting the specially reduced prices for this day. Bargains all over the store will be offered to make this a big day with us. More new clerks behind our counters to see you promptly waited on.

LIGHT SATURDAY RUN IN COURTS

Little Business Transacted Yesterday—Poll Tax Payments Are Slow

There was no rush of business in the district courts yesterday, both the district courts being engaged on civil cases, the Seventeenth on the case of J. Oldridge against the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas, a damage action. In the Forty-eighth district court Judge Dunklin is still hearing the case of E. S. Jacobs against the Texas Brewing Company, for damages. The hearing of civil cases will continue during the week.

PROBATE MATTERS County Judge Milam was taking life easy yesterday, and the only business transacted was consideration of probate matters. In this court, beginning Monday, Judge Milam will be entertained with something like 250 criminal cases (trap shooter cases), nearly all the defendants being negroes.

DEATHS AND BIRTHS During the week ending Saturday there were reported to the county clerk's office thirty-two births and twelve deaths.

PAYING UP SLOW The county tax collector is complaining over the fact that very few are paying their poll tax. Up to yesterday there was a total of only 500 persons who have paid up, and at the same ratio the collector estimates that 5,000 names will be a fair estimate of those who will have paid within the time limit, January 31.

EXAMINATION OF TEACHERS County Superintendent Moore announced yesterday that on December 4 and 5 the last examination of teachers for certificates will be held in the superintendent's office, at the court house, and he desires to notify all those who wish to pass an examination to be present on these dates. This will be the last examination for the present year. The next examination will not be held before May.

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W. M. Trimble "Literature in Grammar Grades".... G. T. Bledworth "How Children Suffer From Incompetent Teachers".... A. W. Weatherford "Books for the Teacher".... C. A. Quillen "Methods in Intermediate Physiology".... Miss Anna Green

IN THE JUSTICES' COURT The only business transacted in the justices' court yesterday was the marriage of C. E. Martin and Miss M. Littlefield, by Justice John L. Terrell. Both contracting parties were from Dallas.

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS Proceedings in the court of civil appeals for the second supreme judicial district of Texas, at Fort Worth:

Motions submitted: Garlington vs. Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Co. to strike out part of transcript.

Motions granted: National Bank of Commerce vs. Kenney et al, to file transcript.

Motions overruled: McLeod et al, vs. state of Texas, for leave to file second motion for rehearing and to resubmit the case. City of Abilene vs. Cameron, to affirm on certificate. Interstate National Bank vs. Claxton, for rehearing and for additional conclusions. Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Co. vs. Lintinich et al, for rehearing.

Cases affirmed: Trevey vs. Lowrie, from Scurry, Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Co. vs. Dale et al, from Clay, City National Bank of Colorado vs. McMurray, from Mitchell, Gammel Book Co. vs. McCarty et al, from Erath.

Reversed and rendered: Texas and Pacific Railway Co. vs. Barrow, from Nolan.

Cases submitted: Texas and Pacific Railway Co. vs. Penick & Ford, from Tarrant. McCabe & Steen vs. Barrel et al, from Tarrant. Moore & Haynes vs. al, from Tarrant. Moore & Haynes Land Mortgage Co. vs. Norris et al, from Tarrant. McMinn vs. Kinder et al, from Eastland.

The case of Felix P. Bath vs. Houston and Texas Central Railway Co., et al, was passed to be submitted on December 19.

Cases set for December 19: Texas and Pacific Railway Co. vs. Fenwick et al, from Tarrant. Western Union Telegraph Co. vs. Turner, from Tarrant. National Co. vs. Turner, from Tarrant. Hartford vs. Insurance Company of Hartford, Fort Worth Knapp et al, from Taylor. Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railway Co. vs. Glenn, from Hood. Masterson vs. Ribble, from Hood. Cockerill vs. Connally et al, from Taylor. Cameron Mill and Elevator Co. vs. Anderson, from Tarrant. Texas and Pacific Railway Co. et al, vs. Dawson, from Ector. Sanger Bros. vs. Colium et al, from Wise. Bath vs. Houston and Texas Central Railway Co., et al, from Tarrant.

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2, 3 and 4, block 61, Polytechnic Heights addition, \$120. J. A. Montgomery et ux to V. E. Admire, part J. P. Hale's survey, \$90. H. J. Wilson et ux to Troy Hacker, lot 8, block 39, Jennings' addition, \$2,500. J. A. Butcher et al to E. L. Jones, quit claim deed, 21 acres C. Wilson survey, \$65.

ALMANSOR WINS STEEPLE CHASE

Fine Sport Afforded Yesterday in Bennings' Half dozen Races

BENNINGS, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The feature of the card here today was the Hunters' Champion steeple chase, for 4-year-olds and up, over the three mile course. It was won by the choice, Almansor, on which Henry rode an excellently judged race, and won after a hard drive through the stretch from Simon Kenton, the nine to five favorite. The fifth race provided a contest that stirred the crowd, the three placed horses finishing heads apart in a furious whipping finish. The bookmakers had a little the best of the contest, as but two favorites won. The summary: First race, selling, for 3-year-olds and up, seven furlongs—Fortunatus, 104 (Walsh), 12 to 1, won; Bon Mot, 108 (Miles), 40 to 1, second; Paget, 105 (Wentworth), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:29. Paul Clifford, Arrah Gowan, Rattus, Cornwall, Enu, Brisk, Miladi Lou, Lucky Day, Red Damsay, Gorry and Ulrook, also ran.

Second race, for year olds, five and one-half furlongs—Algonquin, 107 (Burns), 2 to 1, won; Bronx, 110 (Hear), 8 to 1, second; Loricate, 110 (Treubel), 11 to 1, third. Time, 1:11. Huahopa, Bell of Belle Meade, Magic Flute, Redman, Harmkiss, My Alice, Strike Alight and Queen Bell, also ran.

Third race, the Hunter Champion steeple chase, for 4-year-olds and up, three mile—Allansof, 155 (Henry), 3 to 1, won; Simon Kenton, 141 (Mar), 9 to 5, second; Morrellton Chief, 147 (Dayton), 4 to 1, third (disqualified); Montrip, 153 (Schill), 30 to 1, fourth. Time, 6:25. Gypsoe, Chase O'Mally, Cheval D'Or and Redhawk, also ran. Morrellton Chief was disqualified for fouling Montrip; and the latter was placed third. The last two fell.

Fourth race, handicap, for 2-year-olds, six furlongs—Graziallo, 111 (Wonderly), 15 to 1, won; Tokalon, 112 (Bullman), 12 to 1, second; Alforten, 116 (Michaels), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:15. Silver Dream, Peter Paul, Marjora, Tolson, Harangue, Julia M. and Sals also ran.

Fifth race, for all ages, one mile and seventy yards—Unmasked, 109 (Fuller), 6 to 5, won; Sweet Alice, 102 (Romanelli), 6 to 1, second; Buttons, 107 (Redfern), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:50. Hilla also ran.

Sixth race, selling, for 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles—Court Maid, 190 (Walses), 8 to 5, won; Punctate, 103 (Romanelli), 100 to 1, second. Cottage Maid, 107 (Burns), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:52. Star and Garter, Flara, Lady Potentate and Jengler, also ran.

Drake's Palmetto Wine. This wonderful tonic medicine will immediately help you and absolutely cure you. Every reader of this paper who desires to give this remarkable Palmetto medicine a thorough test is offered a trial bottle of Drake's Palmetto Wine free. One tablespoonful once a day relieves and absolutely cures Indigestion, Flatulency, Constipation, Catarrh of the Mucous Membranes, Congestion of Liver or Kidneys, and Inflammation of Bladder, to stay cured. It is a wonderful tonic for the appetite, nervous system and blood, and promotes and maintains health and vigor. Several five cent bottles for a large bottle, usual dollar size, but a trial bottle will be sent free and prepaid to every reader of this paper who needs such a medicine. Address your letter or postal card to Drake Formula Company, Drake Building, Chicago, Ill. A trial bottle will be sent prepaid.

TRAIN ROBBERY IS A LOST ART

In Indian Territory, According to U. S. Marshal Bennett's Report

MUSKOGEE, I. T., Nov. 28.—While Indian Territory is supposed to be the home of "bad men," it is an interesting fact that burglary and highway robbery are almost uncommon crimes. Larceny, ranging from running off with a herd of cattle to stealing a loaf of bread, is the most plentiful, although murder runs it a close second.

Leo E. Bennett, United States marshal for the western district of Indian Territory, has prepared a report which, with a few revisions and corrections, will be submitted by him to the department of justice on his next trip to Washington. During the six years that Marshal Bennett has been in office he has handled 5,823 indicted cases. The larceny cases alone have been 2,084. There have been 356 cases of murder during the last six years, and there are forty-three cases now on the criminal docket awaiting disposition. Thirty-eight indicted murderers are at large, but the indictments in most of these cases date a number of years back. Adding to the murder cases the 377 assault to kill cases, which were almost identical with the other, save the victims did not die, it makes a total of 733. There were seven men charged with murder taken to Eufala, where court is now in session, last Monday, and eight others against whom no indictment has been returned.

Train robbery and "holdups" appear to be a lost art here, judging from the fact that there have been but 113 cases of robbery in this district in six years. Of burglary there have been but 151 cases. There are about 200 prisoners now confined in the old whitewashed frame jail here, and this is as many as the time-worn structure will hold. A number of prisoners have recently been released on small bonds to make room for those charged with more heinous crimes. The court docket is on a par with the jail, as there are 720 cases either indicted or pending before the grand jury.

BIG COTTON SHIPMENT

24,000 Bales Landed at Havre Last Night HAVRE, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The largest shipment of American cotton ever received at this port was landed tonight. It consisted of 24,000 bales, and it is reported that a number of similar consignments are on the way here. It is believed that American shippers have made a reasonable capture of the market and will monopolize the use of all the French mills, also the output of French mills.

AT THE CATHOLIC FAIR

Attractive Booths Are on Display During Its Progress Among the many attractive booths at the Catholic fair, which is now in progress, is the "Sacred Heart" booth, which is trimmed in white and red, and is filled with many articles of dainty hand work. The young ladies have a "beauty booth," trimmed in blue and white, and the Ladies' Auxiliary booth is decorated in white and green. It has been decided not to serve meals at the fair during the coming week, but ham sandwiches and coffee will be served every night during the fair.

RECOGNIZING PANAMA

Austro-Hungary Is the Third Government to Take Action WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Bunau Varilla, the Panama minister, today received from Hengel Muller Von

Hengervar, ambassador of Austria-Hungary, a formal notification of the recognition by that government of the secretary and the independence of the republic of Panama. This makes the third government beside the United States to acknowledge the existence of the new republic, the Washington representatives of France and China having already transmitted to Bunau Varilla favorable replies to the note which he recently sent appraising their governments of Panama's independence. The Panama minister left this evening for New York. He will be absent from Washington for several days.

MYSTERY

Surrounds Finding of Man's Body Near City of Austin Today

BODY IS MISSING WHEN POLICE ARRIVE

New Railroad Incorporated, Proposing to Run From Dallas to Roswell, N. M.—Revenue Fund Deficit \$400,000

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Articles of incorporation for the Texas, New Mexico and Western railway were approved by the attorney general and filed for record today in the secretary of state's office. The purpose of the company is to build from Dallas to Roswell, N. M., a distance of three hundred miles. The capital stock is \$500,000. The projectors are E. P. Spears, C. C. Slaughter, Chas. Steinman, J. N. Wharton, J. B. Lucas, John Hunter and J. A. Wichita of Dallas, M. J. Healey of Fort Worth and Will A. Miller of Decatur.

Governor Tanham executed patents to 8,000 acres of land today. The education department announced today that examinations for teachers' certificates will be held on December 4 and 5, in the county seat of every county in the state.

The following charters were issued today: The Central Irrigation Company of Bay City; capital stock, \$50,000. The Kettle Brass Manufacturing Company of Dallas; capital stock \$10,000.

Four hundred and twenty warrants, amounting to \$56,000, were registered today, making a total to date of 4,999 warrants. The total deficit is now \$439,515.

The body of an unidentified dead man was found two miles west of Austin, by some boys, who hurried to town and reported the affair to officers. When they reached the place the body had been spirited away. The affair is at present shrouded in mystery.

BY WAYS TAKES MAGNOLIA NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—A half holiday crowd was in attendance at the third day of the Crescent Jockey Club meet. Perfect racing conditions prevailed. The Magnolia selling stakes, the feature of the program, was captured by Sam Hildreth's By Ways, coupled with Irene Lindsay, who was defeated by a head by Big Ben for place. Summary: First race, six furlongs—Mayor Johnson, 109, (Robbins), even, won; Clonmel, 112, (Hayes), 7 to 10, second; Zyra, 102, (Minder), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:14. Jim Along, Siodara, Commens, La Rouge also ran.

Second race, five furlongs—G. P. May-

berry, 102, (Minder), 2 to 1, won; Agnes Brennan, 99, (Ganon), even, second; Must, 99, (Robbins), 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:01.15. Mordella, Pure Flour, Ethel Scraggs, The Brown Monarch, Aisianthope also ran.

Third race, one mile—Gregor K. 104, (McIntyre), 8 to 5, won; Anchor, 105, (Helgerson), 4 to 1, second; Wilful, 114, (Gannon), 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:10 4-5. Dorsey, Amuser, Invincible, Ponca, Araxus also ran.

Fourth race, one mile, Magnolia selling stakes—By Ways, 90, (Wilson), 9 to 5, won; Big Ben, 102, (Pollack), 4 to 1, second; Irene Lindsay, 106, (Gannon), 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:40 4-5. Duellist, Charles C. Thompson, Sarah Maxim, Alright, Invernia, The Regent, Hickory Corners also ran.

Fifth race, seven furlongs—Homestead, 109, (Livingston), 5 to 2, won; Past, 102, (McCarthy), 4 to 1, second; Attila, 105, (Pollack), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:29 1-5. Burgoyne, Bellaria, Anti-Trust, Nabockish, Ida V. D. L. Moore also ran.

Sixth race, one mile and a half, selling—Siddons, 104, (Helgerson), even, won; Hayward Hunter, 102, (McIntyre), 6 to 5, second; Irving Mayor, 92, (Livingston), 25 to 1, third. Time, 2:29 2-5. Bob Hilliard also ran.

AID

From Chile in Recovering Sovereignty in the Isthmus of Panama

MAY COME TO THE COLOMBIAN PEOPLE

Whose Representative, General Reyes, Held a Conference

With Chilean Minister Yesterday at Washington

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—General Rafael Reyes, the Cuban peace envoy, who arrived today on his mission of influencing the United States government to recall its recognition of the Panama republic, had a lengthy conference with the Chilean minister, Senor Martinez, shortly after his arrival at the Colombian legation. Deep significance attaches to the meeting, in view of the fact that Senor Martinez narrowly escaped being given his passports in the spring for acting as the intermediary between the Colombian and the German syndicate for the sale of the Panama canal rights.

Both the minister and General Reyes declared later that the meeting was purely a social one. The Chilean minister has been on a prolonged absence in Cuba and it is known that just previous to his departure last week for Washington, he had lengthy conferences with the Cuban and Spanish consuls. It is believed that Chile sympathizes with the Colombian government, and her minister will arrange for the formal reception by the department of state of General Reyes and his associates. General Reyes is confident he can win some sort of a compromise. He has said nothing regarding the future plans of his country, but when the question was put to him directly as to Colombia's attitude if a peaceful negotiation were held, he replied: "It is not to be expected that Colombia will submit tamely."

Conferees have been arranged for Monday between all of the commissioners who are in the city. General Reyes is known to have inquired particularly regarding the date when congress would hold its regular session. From different parties he asked for information as to the methods and time for deliberation.

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THE PLANS FOR THE STREET CAR BARN ARE HERE

Manager F. M. Haines Will Let the Contract at Once and Work Is to Be Pushed Rapidly

The plans for the car barn and machine shops which are to be erected by the Northern Texas Traction Company on East Front street, have arrived, after so long a time, and Manager F. M. Haines is soliciting bids for the construction. As soon as the contract has been let, the actual work will commence and it is the intention of the company to push it as rapidly as possible.

"We need the building and want to get it finished as soon as possible," said Mr. Haines yesterday. "Repairs are going on all the time in our shops and we find the present accommodations cramped for our work. When we get the new building finished we will have better accommodations and better facilities. The contract is to be let at once."

REED R. Reed, father of O. E. Reed, died Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence, 901 Pennsylvania avenue.

CONSULAR REPORTS OF JAPANESE TRADE FOR THE EIGHT MONTHS ENDED AUGUST LAST show an increase of \$2,706,000 in the exports, as compared with the corresponding eight months of 1902.

A SURE THING It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. Van Metre of Shepherds, W. Va., says: "I had a severe case of bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by W. J. Fisher, druggist, and Reeves' Pharmacy. Trial bottles free. Regular sizes 50c and \$1.

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HOUSTON

Street May Be Paved on One Side as Far as Tenth By Tuesday

IF NO MORE MISHAPS TO THE PLANT OCCUR

Work of Laying Asphalt Progressing Rapidly and Entire Street Will Soon Be Ready for Regular Traffic

The force of men engaged by the Parker-Washington Company in laying asphalt on Houston street has reached Ninth street going south on the east side of the street. The work has pushed rapidly since it was commenced, and except for a few mishaps to the machinery the work would have been finished to Tenth street by last night.

HOME FOR THE Y. M. C. A.

Meeting Held Yesterday at Which Proposition Was Discussed. At the office of J. W. Spencer a conference of business men was held yesterday at which the Fort Worth Young Men's Christian Association was the object of consideration.

CITY IN BRIEF

Nash Hardware Company. Cut flowers at Drumm's. Phone 101. Broiles Electric Co., 1202 Main street. J. W. Adams & Co., feed, fuel and produce. 409 W. Weatherford, Phone 530. It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 415-47 Main and 513-15 Houston streets.

WHAT THE LOCAL LODGES ARE DOING

Red Cross Lodge, Knights of Pythias to Hold Big Meeting—Naomah Council Will Give Bazar

RED CROSS NO. 14, K. OF P. There will be an important meeting of this lodge Thursday night, December 3, including election of officers, good of order talks, refreshments. Mark on your calendar, "I will be there."

Notwithstanding that last Thursday was Thanksgiving day, there was a good attendance at the meeting on that night and all of the members present assured the committee that they would assist in every way to make the entertainment on the night of December 3 a real "Pythian Feast."

PANTHER CITY LODGE, NO. 1632. Panther City lodge, No. 1632, Knights and Ladies of Honor, held a large and enthusiastic meeting last Monday night at Knights of Pythias hall.

Prominent among other visitors present were Mrs. H. E. Rush, grand guide, Denison; J. M. Cole of Dallas lodge, No. 1593, and J. Carb of Fort Worth lodge, No. 151.

Promptly at the appointed time the lodge was opened and presided over by Marie J. Cole, grand protector, who proceeded and initiated the class of thirty-two applicants, consisting of twelve ladies and twenty gentlemen.

After the initiatory ceremonies the official meeting of the lodge was closed and visitors were admitted. Mr. Lockard, supreme protector, was introduced by the grand protector, who after considerable applause, proceeded with his address. He spoke of the Knights and Ladies of Honor, as they sprung into existence about thirty years ago, the trials and hardships they had overcome at various stages, the protection given to members and beneficiaries of deceased members during the yellow fever epidemic at Memphis, and the assistance rendered the sufferers of the Johnstown flood and the Galveston disaster.

NAOMAH COUNCIL TO GIVE BAZAR. Naomah Council, No. 11, Daughters of Pochontas, Independent Order of Redmen, will have a regular meeting next Tuesday night, at the seventh row, thirtieth path, at Redmen's hall. The following pale faces will be initiated by the degree team: T. M. Dunn, Mrs. C. A. Wood, Mrs. L. M. Walker, Miss Julia Hoffman and Miss Emma Schmidt.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS. At a meeting of the K. O. B. C. last Friday night the following officers were elected: H. McLean, G. C.; D. B. Carb, K. G. and S., and A. J. Lawrence, Jr., K. G.

A regulation has been made in Vienna that all electric lights must be raised to sixteen feet above the pavement, as otherwise they are calculated to injure the eyesight of passengers.

PROGRAM

For Coming Convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy at Houston

HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY LOCAL DAUGHTERS

Prepared Under Direction of Mrs. W. P. Lane of This City, It Gives Forecast of an Interesting State Meeting

Under the direction of Mrs. W. P. Lane of this city, secretary of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, the program for the eighth annual convention of the Texas division has been completed. The convention is to be held in Houston, December 1 to 4.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1. 9:30 a. m.—Delegates' report to committee on credentials. 10 a. m.—Call to order by president of Oran M. Roberts chapter, Mrs. I. M. E. Blandin; invocation, Rev. H. D. Aves, Christ's church; hymn, "Our Southland"; address of welcome, Mrs. J. E. McAshan, R. E. Lee chapter; address of welcome, Hon. O. T. Holt, mayor of Houston; response, Mrs. H. L. Scales of Corsicana; convention turned over to president by Mrs. I. M. E. Blandin; report of committee on credentials, Mrs. John T. Bonner, Tyler.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2. 9:30 a. m.—Call to order by president; invocation, Dr. B. F. Riley, First Baptist church; reading of the minutes; report transportation committee, Mrs. D. J. Price; report committee on anniversaries, Mrs. S. W. Sholars; report committee on history, Mrs. S. H. Watson; report Albert Sidney Johnson monument committee, Mrs. B. B. Thropy; report committee on resolutions, Mrs. J. M. Brownson.

MEMORIAL SERVICE—2 p. m. Music—"Saviour When Night Involves the Skies"; Synagogue Choir; Scripture reading; Dr. W. H. Leavell; Prayer; Dr. W. H. Leavell; Music—"The Invisible Land"; Miss Bessie Warner and C. E. Oliver; List of Dead; Mrs. W. P. Lane; Resolutions; Mrs. J. M. Brownson; Memorial address; Mrs. Kate Alma Oragan; Music—"He Giveth His Beloved Sleep"; Mrs. Baitis Allen; Benediction; Dr. Leavell.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3. 9:30 a. m.—Invocation, Dr. Barnstien; reading minutes; report board of regents, Texas Confederate museum, Mrs. A. R. Hixson; report text book committee, Miss Katie L. Daffan; report committee on banquets, Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone; report committee on chapters in colleges, Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore; report committee on children's auxiliaries, Mrs. W. J. Crawford and Mrs. Moore Murdock; chapter reports; song, "For Southland Loved"; Mrs. Jano Morton Ware.

LITERARY EVENING—8:30 p. m. Arranged by Mrs. S. H. Watson, historian, Texas division, United Daughters of the Confederacy. Miss Katie Daffan, third vice president, presiding. Annual report of the state historian, Music—"Crossing the Bar"; Quartet from Woman's Choral Club Song—"The Young Hero"; Mrs. W. J. Hamlett, Alvin "Sketch of the Battle of Sabine Pass"; Mrs. R. H. Northrup, San Antonio Poem—"Woman the Home Guard of the South"; Miss Janie F. Baskin, San Antonio Short story—"The Soldier's Prayer"; Mrs. Mary Hunt Affleck, Brenham Poem—"The Battle of Chickamauga"; Miss Katie Daffan, Ennis



What You "Auto" Have

IS LISTED HERE BELOW

But we want to give them to you in exchange for your cash. It is fortunate there isn't a speed law against quick selling, or we would have to interview "His Honor" in the morning. These prices should make our sales increase:

- Mop wringers, former price \$1.50, now \$1.00. The New Royal Sewing Machine \$20.00. Iron Wagons from 75c to, each \$2.00. Glassware: 4 piece Glass Set, former price 35c, now 25c. 4 piece Glass Set, former price 50c, now 35c. 7 piece Berry Set, former price 75c, now 50c. 7 piece fancy Colored Berry Set, former price \$1.35, now only 75c. Crockery: 10 piece Chamber Set, decorated \$2.00. Bowl and Pitcher, roll edge, former price \$1.15, now 75c. 12 piece Chamber Set, regular price \$10.50, now \$7.50. Large white Bowl, regular price 25c, now 15c. Parlor Lamp 75c. Beautiful Red Lamp, former price \$7.50, now \$4.50. A chance for you to get your China Dishes—20 per cent discount on all Haviland and Austrian China. Water Sets with Trays, former price \$1.75, now \$1.00. Window Shades, linen, former price 25c, now 19c. 10-quart pail, galvanized 15c. Dish Pan, 30c, now 20c. White Cups and Saucers, per set 30c. White Cups and Saucers, regular 50c seller, now 35c. White Plates, 7-inch, per set 40c. White Plates, 6-inch, per set 30c. Decorated Cups and Saucers, per set, former price 75c, now 50c. Decorated Cups and Saucers, per set, former price 85c, now 50c. Boys' Carts, Etc.: 2 Wheel Red Cart 10c. 2 Wheel Stick Horse 10c. Wheel Barrow 15c. Wash Tubs, No. 0 40c. Wash Tubs, No. 1 50c. Wash Tubs, No. 2 60c. Wash Tubs, No. 3 65c. Knife and Fork sets, each, only 45c. White Metal Spoons, per set 10c. 50-pound Japaned Tin Flour bin 85c. Bread Box, large 50c. Coffee Mills 20c. Hammer Handles 5c. Henry Diston Saw \$1.25. Barrel Churn \$2.75. Washing Machines with fly wheel \$6.00. Washing Machine, old style, only \$3.00. No. 2 Lamp Chimney 5c.

Our Toys are out. Come and buy early and avoid the rush.

1204 and 1206 Main Street THE ARCADE LEE HAGOOD, PROPRIETOR

MUSIC—"Love's Old Sweet Song"; Miss Bessie Warner. Essay—"The Private Soldier of the Confederacy"; Miss Emma C. Wescott, San Antonio Short story—"Under the Flag"; Miss A. T. Helper, Dallas Song—"Peace"; Mrs. R. C. Shindler, Nacogdoches Address—"The Women of the Confederacy"; Rev. H. J. Brown, Houston Music—"Old Kentucky Home"; Mandy Lee Octet Club

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4. 9:30 a. m.—Invocation, Father Hennessey; reading of minutes; unfinished business; resolutions; chapter reports. 2 p. m.—New business; selection of next meeting place; election of officers; installation; "Dixie"; quartet and chorus; adjournment. 8:30 to 10 p. m.—Reception to state officers, by Robert E. Lee and Oran M. Roberts chapters.

10 p. m.—33 Club, complimentary to Daughters of the Confederacy. The hostesses of the convention will be the members of the R. E. Lee and Oran M. Roberts chapters, Daughters of the Confederacy, of Houston. The convention sessions will be held in Bryan hall.

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS

Seven Applicants Are Awarded Teachers' Certificates. The examinations for public school teachers which has been in progress for the past three Saturdays closed yesterday and out of the ten applicants seven of them passed the examinations successfully and were awarded certificates which entitles them to teach in the public schools of Fort Worth. Those who passed the examination for the intermediate class were: Miss Isabelle Porter, Miss Eva Mae Scott and Miss Mattie Shaw. The following young ladies received certificates entitling them to teach in the primary departments of the Fort Worth public schools: Miss Opal Ray, Miss Grace Ray, Miss Babel Jones and Miss Ethel Maud Speere. Miss Isabelle Porter and Miss Mattie Shaw were already teachers in the primary department, but took the examinations for advancement to the intermediate class.

The Mansion Hotel has splendid rooms.

AT SAN FRANCISCO. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—The weather was showery and the track sloppy. Two favorites won. Summary: First race, futurity course—Mike Murphy, 104, (Birkenhead), 12 to 1, won; Rinaldo, 104, (L. Jackson), 5 to 1, second; Shark, 105, (Bell), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:12.

Second race, six furlongs—Cascine, 108, (Adkins), 5 to 1, won; Bencherator, 105, (J. Martin), 4 to 1, second; Otto Stiff, 105, (D. Hall), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:34. Third race, futurity course—Pickaway, 97, (J. Lewis), 2 to 1, won; Water Power, 111, (See), 30 to 1, second; Alice Carey, 94, (Reed), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:13. Fourth race, one mile—Lacy Crawford, 92, (J. Booker), 7 to 1, won; Silverian, 102, (Foley), 10 to 1, second; Heath Honey, 96, (Kunz), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Fifth race, six and a half furlongs—Yellow Tail, 108, (R. King), 6 to 1, won; Hagerdon, 107, (Hildebrand), 2 to 1, second; Ishtar, 93, (Reed), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:21. Sixth race, one and one-sixteenth miles—Day, 98, (B. Martin), 5 to 1, won; Albulia, 100, (Foley), 8 to 1, second; Veteran, 89, (Hildebrand), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:49.

VITAL STATISTICS

The following births were reported at the office of the county clerk yesterday: Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Gray, 1013 Presidio street, November 27, girl. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Royster, 1013 Presidio street, November 24, a boy. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Freeman of Grapevine, November 22, a girl. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell, Johnson Station, November 26, a girl. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Loving, Jr., Johnson Station, November 25, a boy. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cantrell, Johnson Station, November 24, a boy.

TEN FIREMEN ARE DISMISSED

Scandal in Louisville Fire Department Is Ended by Action

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 28.—Five firemen were dismissed from the department yesterday on the same charges which were made against the six dismissed Tuesday. The charges arose in connection with the looting of stores burned in the Masonic Temple fire. The five firemen dismissed are James Hoke, James Duddy, William Cairns and Charles J. Fisher, all of engine company No. 8, at Thirtieth and Maple streets, and John Schmitt, of hook and ladder company No. 3, at Preston and Marrett streets.

Edward McCue, a member of hook and ladder company No. 1, was reinstated yesterday, after having been dismissed the day before. He was not charged with looting, but the board thought as he was acting captain of the company at the fire he should have known more about the looting than he told. Yesterday it was found that he had told the truth; that he was at the back of the building fighting the fire, and had no opportunity to observe the stealings. The trials yesterday brought out nothing new. The same state of affairs was found on the previous day. The men refused to tell anything about the stealing, and the board concluded that they knew more than they cared to tell, so all were dismissed.

RIGHT LEG IS FRACTURED BY LEAP TO GROUND

School Teacher at Sylvania Met With an Accident When He Arrived Here Yesterday at Al. Hayne Triangle

Prof. Johnson, teacher of the school at Sylvania, was injured yesterday, suffering a fracture of the right leg. Prof. Johnson came in town early yesterday. He was driving in the vicinity of the Al Hayne triangle, when the tires of one wheel of his wagon came off. He leaped to the ground from the high wagon in which he was riding, and struck the brick pavement with such force that his right leg was fractured above the ankle. Dr. R. Chambers, the city physician, was called and attended the injured man. He will be disabled for quite awhile on account of it.

I. & G. N. Special Rates

WAGO AND RETURN. Account meeting Masonic Grand Lodge. Dates of sale, November 29 and 30, and for train No. 1 December 1; limit, December 15. \$3.30

HOUSTON AND RETURN. Meeting Texas Division United Daughters of the Confederacy. Tickets sold November 30 and December 1; limit, December 6. \$9.00

MARLIN AND RETURN. Texas' Great Health Resort. On sale daily year round; limit, sixty days. \$5.40

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

You Should Consider Yourself

You can't afford to pay one man more for the same goods than you do another. Our goods are the best of the kind. If they were not we could not afford to advertise them—COULD WE? We keep a clean store, a clean stock and do business on business principles.

Keep Posted by Reading Our Prices

- Standard Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs. \$1.00. Old Time Maple Syrup, per gallon (guaranteed pure) .95c. Pure Cane Syrup, per gal. .65c. New Orleans Molasses, per gallon .60c. Fancy Table Syrup, gal. .45c. Rice, fancy head, 3 lbs. .25c. Rice, choice head, 4 lbs. .25c. Grits, 10 lbs. .25c. Flour—Invincible, sack. \$1.10. Flour—Albatross, sack. \$1.35. Potatoes—Best Greeley's per peck .25c. Potatoes—Best Burbank's per peck .25c. Potatoes—Best Burbank's per bushel .90c. Oak Leaf Lard, 10 lb. pails. Each \$1.00. American Sardines, doz. .50c. French Sardines, doz., \$1.50. Salmon—Diamond Brand, dozen \$1.05. Salmon—Swiss Brand, per dozen \$1.65. Red Onions, peck .25c. Yellow Onions, peck .20c. Mince Meat, 3 pkgs. for. .25c. Mince Meat, bulk, 2 lbs. .25c. German Dill Pickles, gal. .50c. Sour Pickles, mediums, per gallon .35c. Sour Pickles, gherkins, per gallon .50c. Mackerel—small .10c. Mackerel—medium .15c. Mackerel—Bloaters .20c. Codfish, 1 lb. briek .10c. Friends' Oats, 3 pkgs. .25c. Sliced Peaches, per doz. \$3.25. Black Cherries, per doz. \$3.00. Snider's Salad Dressing, 1/2 pint bottles .20c. Bulk Queen Olives, per pint .25c. California Ripe Olives, bottles, 30c and .50c. Premier Plum Pudding, 1 lb. can .35c. Richelieu Plum Pudding, 3 lb. can .85c. M. & J. Coffee, 5 lbs for. \$1.00. Cranberries, 2 quarts. .25c. Pure Apple Cider, quart. .15c. Milker Herring, per keg. \$1.15

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Millinery at Wholesale Prices

MANY INDUCEMENTS—For ten days only I will sell any and all articles in stock of French Pattern and many beautiful designs gotten up in our work-room. Come early and get first choice. \$25.00 Pattern for \$10.00. \$15.00 Pattern for \$6.50. \$10.00 Pattern for \$4.75. \$5.00 Pattern for \$3.25.

New York Millinery Store. J. A. DIXON, Proprietor. 310 HOUSTON STREET.



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# GOVERNMENT EXPERTS DECEIVED BY GENUINE BARRIOS DIAMONDS.



### Widow of Guatemala's Assassinated President Detained at San Francisco.

United States Customs Officials Seized Her Famous Collection of Jewels and Demanded \$60,000 Duty—She Wore Them on State Occasions and Everybody Thought They Were Worth \$1,000,000.

### Come to Our Store and See the Genuine Barrios Diamonds—the Kind Mme. Barrios Wore.

Why people continue to pay extravagant prices for diamonds is more than we can understand. Anybody who will read the following special dispatch telegraphed from San Francisco to the leading newspapers of this city will readily understand that it is no longer necessary to pay enormous sums for diamonds:

"San Francisco, March 16.—Mme. Algerie Reyna Barrios' famous diamond necklace, which she has worn on state occasions in Guatemala and at social functions in New York, is not composed of high-priced diamonds after all, but of Barrios Diamonds. Many other gems in what was thought to be one of the most magnificent collections of jewels in the world are but clever imitations. This astounding discovery was made by Custom House experts, who examined them for the purpose of fixing their value.

Mme. Barrios, the widow of the second Barrios, President of Guatemala, assassinated, like his uncle, two years ago, arrived in San Francisco recently. The Custom House officials demanded that \$60,000 duty be paid on Mme. Barrios' jewels. She demurred, claiming that the gems were bought in New York by her late husband's agents.

The Custom House experts examined the jewels after Mme. Barrios had failed to establish her statement by documentary proof, and the amazing discovery was made that the jewels of Mme. Barrios, reported to be one of the wealthiest women in the world, are, many of them, only "Barrios Diamonds." The jewels upon which \$60,000 duty was demanded are not worth \$20,000. Experts thought the jewels were worth more than a million dollars.

Now, what do you say to that? If Barrios Diamonds are good enough for a president's wife, to wear on state occasions, don't you think they are good enough for you?

If expert jewelers, selected by the United States Government to appraise such articles, think Barrios Diamonds are the high-priced kind, do you think any ordinary citizen would detect the difference? We defy them to distinguish Barrios Diamonds from the kind sold in exclusive jewelry stores every day for fancy prices. Don't go astray in such an important matter as buying diamonds. Come to our store and get the Barrios Diamonds.

### MME. ALGERIE REYNA BARRIOS.

The customs officials at San Francisco who had demanded \$60,000 duty on her collection of diamonds and other gems were astonished at the discovery that most of them are "Barrios Diamonds," and that the entire collection did not cost \$20,000. Mme. Barrios is the widow of a former president of Guatemala, and her jewels were considered by everybody to be the finest in the world.

## You Must See These Beautiful Barrios Diamonds.

 <b>Three-Stone Tiffany.</b> A marvel of beauty and splendor. Three ultra-perfectly brilliant stones, evenly matched. Set high and caboché throughout with the greatest care. A magnificent ring at a special bargain. Our price... <b>\$3.00</b>	 <b>Small Marquise Ring.</b> Beautiful white and brilliant stones, with Ruby, Emerald or Turquoise centers. Each stone set by hand. A positive beauty and cannot be distinguished from a ring worth \$75. Our price... <b>\$3.00</b>	 <b>Grecian Scroll Brooch.</b> A dainty design copied from a classic found in Athens. Beautifully engraved, with a sparkling, flashing stone in the center. Cannot be told from original brooch costing \$60. Our price... <b>\$1.50</b>	 <b>Star Sunburst or Pendant.</b> A blaze of brilliancy. Exact copy of a Tiffany design costing \$575. Set with magnificently beautiful, pure white and brilliant stones. Heavy gold filled mounting, warranted to wear for 15 years. Actually worth \$10 or \$12. Our price... <b>\$4.50</b>	 <b>Gold Tracery Brooch.</b> One of the handsomest and daintiest brooches ever designed. Enriched gold, filled. Will wear for 15 yrs. Set with seven magnificently beautiful stones. A bargain at \$10.00. Our price... <b>\$2.00</b>	 <b>Five-Stone Ring.</b> A marvel of brilliancy and color. A Tiffany design. Five beautifully white, brilliant, perfectly matched and graduated stones. A ring actually worth \$15.00. Our price... <b>\$3.00</b>
 <b>Moorish Brooch.</b> A quaint and beautiful design originally worn as a pendant. An exact copy of a Moorish design costing \$275. Heavy gold filled set with pure white, perfectly brilliant stones. A special bargain. Our price... <b>\$2.00</b>	 <b>Grecian Knot.</b> A beautiful small pin of chased gold and one large white stone of perfect cut and brilliancy in the center. This pin cannot be distinguished from the original, worth \$75.00. Our price... <b>\$1.50</b>	<b>Rings that seem to be worth \$100.00 for \$2.50.</b> <b>Studs that seem to be worth \$150.00 for \$2.00.</b> <b>Scarf Pins that seem to be worth \$200.00 for \$2.50.</b> <b>Cuff Buttons that seem to be worth \$150.00 for \$3.50</b> <b>Locketts that seem to be worth \$35.00 for \$1.50.</b> <b>Rings that seem to be worth \$50.00 for \$2.00.</b> <b>Brooches that seem to be worth \$50.00 for \$2.00.</b> <b>Brooches that seem to be worth \$300.00 for \$4.50.</b> <b>Brooches that seem to be worth \$150.00 for \$2.50.</b> <b>Studs that seem to be worth \$75.00 for \$1.50.</b>	 <b>Flat Belcher.</b> A ring that seems to be worth at least \$200.00. Heavy hand-made mounting. Set with large, magnificent sparkling stone. The most popular man's ring of the day. Our special price... <b>\$4.50</b>	 <b>Solitaire Stud.</b> Perfectly white and brilliant 8 or 8 karat stones, hand set in heavy gold filled mounting. Our price (they cannot be distinguished from the genuine)... <b>\$1.50</b>	

**Barrios Diamonds** are the nearest approach to genuine diamonds ever discovered. They have all the luster, fire, color and brilliancy of old mine gems and will stand acids, heat, alkali, etc. Do not confound Barrios Diamonds with such worthless imitations as Rhinestones, Brazilian, Montana, Bolivia diamonds. Barrios Diamonds have never before been offered for sale in this city.

**Our Guarantee:** We absolutely guarantee Barrios Diamonds to retain their brilliancy forever. We will give \$10,000 to any charitable institution if it can be shown that we ever refused to replace one of the stones which failed to give perfect satisfaction.

## Monday's Store News

**M**ONDAY'S SHOPPERS will find many money saving items. Winter goods are fast disappearing under heavy reduction prices. Low prices do the work. We are always figuring to keep the public interested in the best trading place in the South—The Daylight Store.

Christmas offers many new and delicate novelties—spend a while in the Art Department, you will find just the thing for a nice present. See those new Ribbons, the new Gloves, and the Candy Department. We are selling a tremendous lot of candies for the reason that we sell the best candies at about half the price you have been accustomed to pay.

You can make a big saving now on Fancy and Decorative Pictures. All that we have will be sold at half their worth.

By all means visit the Millinery Department; we are preparing for large number of visitors Monday, and assure all a handsome display of fancy dress Hats; you'll need one for Xmas.

We have competent Mail Order Department and solicit out-of-town orders with the assurance that you will be perfectly satisfied with all purchases.

### Clearance of Silks

A clearance sale of very desirable Silks. Some of the pieces are rather short, while there are others in dress and skirt lengths, so we are going to group a lot of Silks, mostly plain Taffetas, and call it a Remnant Sale, which should call out every housekeeper in Fort Worth at this season, when fancy work demands so much Silk.

### Monday Special in Black Silks

- 36-inch Black Taffeta, lustrous, live, a Silk that will wear, worth \$1.50—Monday's price... **\$1.00**
- 22-inch Peau de Soie, warranted for six months, a cloth well worth \$1.35—Monday's price... **\$1.00**
- 25-inch Taffeta, pure dye, warranted to wear, heavy, the kind for outside wear, worth \$1.25—Monday's price... **\$1.00**

### Oxford Waistings

The Silk Waist is having its day. We are prepared, showing this beautiful cloth in a wide range of patterns and prices. Ask to see the new styles at White Goods Department. Monday, 75c, 60c, 49c, 39c and... **25c**

### Velvets

At this particular season of the year Velvets are very much in evidence for Coats, Wraps, Suits and Waists. Our stock is very complete in this line, embracing all the new colors and black.

- 22-inch Velvets, in sky, pink, gray, brown, navy, iminence, castor and black—Monday's price, yard... **49c**
- 27-inch heavy Costume Velvet, in black; nothing better for a dressy coat, worth \$2.00—Monday's price... **\$1.65**
- Panne Velvets in the pretty shadings, green, pink, blue, champagne, used so much in fancy work, as well as Dress Trimming—Monday, yard... **\$1.25**

### Woolen Dress Goods

Our efforts in maintaining the standard of this department have been amply repaid with results. Our fall and winter selling has been phenomenal, far exceeding our most sanguine expectations. As the season is growing late, we will offer some very good things in Woolen Cloths at a reduction.

- 54-inch Broadcloth, a cloth that never goes out of style, always in order, correct for either Coat Suits or Dresses, worth \$1.35—Monday's price... **\$1.00**

48-inch Satin Sharkskin, in bright shadings for Misses' Dresses, royal blue, red, green and castor, a cloth that does not require lining, worth \$1.35—Monday's price... **98c**  
20 pieces of Poplins, Serges, Chevots, Venetians, Henriettas, worth 75c, 85c and \$1—to close Monday **59c**

### Bargains in Hosiery

Just in, a beautiful line of Ladies' Hermsdorf Black Cotton Hose, spliced heel and toe, split soles—sale price Monday, 25c and... **35c**  
Misses, Black Lisle Hose, fine ribbed, on sale Monday, 35c or 3 for... **\$1.00**  
Ladies, Silk-Fleeced Black Hose, ribbed top, on sale Monday, 25c, 35c, 39c and... **50c**

### Ladies Underwear Department

A few Monday specials in Ladies' and Children's Underwear:  
Ladies' Union Suits in cream and gray... **48c**  
Children's Union Suits... **25c**  
All wool Petticoats, all shades, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.75 and... **\$2.75**  
Reductions in Children's Sweaters—a good Sweater reduced to... **\$1.00**  
Ice-Wool Shawls, 50c, 75c and... **\$1.25**

### The Carpet Department

OUR CARPET AND CURTAIN DEPARTMENT

The Christmas purchases for 1903 are about to open. Even now buyers who contemplate making some one happy are now inquiring for the best offerings in the market. Right here in this department you will find on your annual pilgrimage your Mecca.

Art Squares, in Oriental and domestic effects, in Wiltons, Axminsters, Velvets, Brussels, Smyrnas, Cassimeres and Ingrain, every one guaranteed to be pure wool, prices to suit everybody.

Rugs, every style and fabric.  
Lace Curtains—We handle every fabric made in the United States and Europe, from the cheapest to the highest grade, and at prices as low as can be bought at retail in New York City.

Portieres, Couch Covers, Table Covers, in every style and fabric.

### Fancy Goods and China

Have added this department, and are showing some very pretty wares. Dainty Cups and Saucers, Plates, Lamps and countless other useful and ornamental things. You will be amply repaid by a careful survey of this department.



Up To Our STORE

For Monday's Trade

- 20 pounds granulated sugar... \$1.00
Pickles, per gallon... .40c
Banner Oatmeal... .20c
2 Scotch Oatmeals... .25c
4 cans Early June Peas... .25c
3 cans Blue Ridge Corn... .25c
Kraut, per pound... .3c
3 cans Apples... .25c
3 cans full weight Tomatoes... .25c
5 pounds Rice... .25c
3 pounds very best Head Rice... .25c
Pumpkin Yam Potatoes, per peck... .15c
Irish Potatoes, per peck... .20c
10 pounds Swift's Premium Lard... \$1.29
10 pounds Leaf Lard... \$1.00
5-pound bucket Leaf Lard... .50c
Nice White Lard, per pound... .8c
The very best Leaf Lard, per pound... .11c
Chili Beans, 6 pounds... .25c
Package Currants... .10c
Package Raisins... .10c
3 pounds Imported Macaroni... .25c
2 bottles Catsup... .25c
Nice Country Butter... .29 and .25c
Creamery Butter... .25 and .30c
Nice Pecans, 3 pounds... .25c
Cranberries, per quart... .10c
Lemons, per dozen... .15c
Euk Oils, per quart... .40c
Nice Pearl Grits, 6 pounds... .25c
Nice fat Chickens... .25 and .30c
The very best Hams, per pound... .14c
Pig Hams, per pound... .19c
50 pounds Upper Crust Flour... \$1.19
Small sack... .55c
Nice Country Sorghum... .40c
The very best Louisiana Ribbon Cans Syrup at... .60c
5 pounds nice Strained Honey... .45c
Nice new Comb Honey, per pound... .12 1/2c
Nice Apples, per peck... .35c
5 pounds Royal Gloss Starch... .25c
11 bars B. B. Soap... .25c
7 bars Swiss Soap... .25c
16 pounds good bulk Coffee... \$1.00
3 pounds good Crackers... .25c

NORTH SIDE AND ROSEN HEIGHTS

Rosen Heights Street Railway Soon to Be in Operation. New Electric Light Plant Installed

Nash Furniture company. The main line of the new Rosen Heights Street Railway Company from Main and Twenty-fifth streets, to Rosen Heights proper has been completed and the work of placing the trolley poles will commence this week.

NEW ELECTRIC LIGHT SYSTEM. The new electric lighting machinery for the power house of the Rosen Inn has been received and installed and the first test was made last night.

LEG BROKEN. Frank Fuller, one of the night yardmen at the stock yards, fell from his horse yesterday morning sustaining a broken leg.

NOTES AND PERSONALS. Arch Cupps, head of the North Side fire department, yesterday made a test of the water pressure from the new tank recently completed by the city.

STRANGERS IN CAPITAL CITY. Veteran Newspaper Man Tells Why He Likes to Meet Them

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"She said that she had been directed to go to the Pension building to find the brother of a friend of hers in Iowa. He was in some position there. She had lost her memorandum with the name and official, and, coming up from the station, she had tried her best to recall it and could not. What was she to do?"

"Come with me," I said, "and we will try to refresh your memory." I took her to the captain of the watch, and we went over the list of clerks, whose names were the same as that of her friend. We found it in a few minutes, and I had the pleasure of putting her in the charge of the man she sought.

"Many a time I have learned much about politics and have refreshed my memory of the affairs in the states by talking with the strangers who come to town. I have learned that the met, from the West or East are pleased to have a little attention shown them. Going up to them I introduce myself, telling them who I am and offering them any assistance they may require. Now then, one will be suspicious at first, but that soon wears away and I have found some good friends among the strangers I have picked up, so to speak, on the street.

"Several years ago I approached a man at the capital, entered into conversation with him and assisted him somewhat in going to some places of interest. He was grateful, came to see me the next day and we met several times before he left for home. We talked at length about political matters. When he reached home he wrote to me and we have kept up a lively correspondence ever since. I visited him last year when I was out West, and he is coming here to be my guest at the next inauguration.

"Even if you do not speak to the stranger, it is an interesting study to watch him. You will see many traits and men and women of peculiar habits. If I should ever write that novel that I have thought of for years I should people it with the persons I have seen as strangers in Washington."

POLES. Said to Be Cleverly Planning Restoration of Their Kingdom

ACCORDING TO A GERMAN NEWSPAPER Which Concludes That the Poles Could Not Govern Themselves Worse Than They Are Controlled Now

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FORT WORTH SCHOOL BOYS PLAY TRUANT

The actual attendance at the public schools during the last week was eight over the week previous, but 606 more than the same week last year.

school session is finished. It not only demoralizes the schools, but it affects the grade of each pupil. Truancy is becoming chronic in the schools. In this matter Superintendent Hogg urges the co-operation of the parents in putting a stop to the violation of the rule.

Table with 4 columns: Buildings, Av. En., Av. At., Av. Absent. Lists attendance for 12 buildings and a total.

A WORLD'S FAIR ISSUE

The Bohemian is to Publish a Creditable Texas Edition for the Exposition Mrs. H. C. L. Gorman, publisher of The Bohemian, is preparing to issue a magnificent number to be distributed during the St. Louis exposition. It is to be

known as the historical number and will have much of interest to all the state. It will contain "Prominent Men and Women of Texas," "Types of Texas Beauties," "Texas Prose Writers and Poets," "Musicians and Vocalists of Texas," and "Books by Texas Authors."

WYOMING BANK FAILS. CASPER, Wyo., Nov. 28.—W. A. Enecke's private bank, carrying large deposits, failed today. Over-speculation and poor stock loans are given as the cause.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. DANCING LESSONS. Ladies or gentlemen wishing to learn dancing, private lessons 50 cents; full course \$2.00. Room 7, 709 Main st.

FOR SALE—Fourteen-acre fruit and truck farm, one-half mile east Polytechnic College; young orchard, bearing; five-room house, barn, sheds and lots; 5-year-old bay horse, 16 hands; 4-year-old buggy mare (Hill stock); each city broke. Will take \$800 to \$1,200 in city property. S. A. Puckett, Texas and Pacific barber shop.

SANTAL-MIDY. Standard remedy for Gleet, Gonorrhoea and Runalure. IN 48 HOURS. Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

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Does not make a house to house canvass to solicit your candy business, but states for your information that he will have in stock for the Christmas trade—

- Henry Maillard's Bon Bons and Chocolates at \$1.00
Allegretti's Famous Chocolate Creams at, per lb... 60c
Wiley's Delicious Bon Bons and Chocolates at, per lb... 60c
Bishop's Crystallized Fruits.

712 MAIN STREET. OPEN ALL NIGHT. IN THIS STORE QUALITY STANDS FIRST.

Freedman THE LICENSED PAWNBROKER. Makes liberal loans on all articles of value—Bargains in unclaimed Ladies' and Gents' Watches, Gold Rings, Musical Instruments and Fine Razors and other style Overcoats. 612 Main Street, Corner North



# AS THE EMORY MILL REMNANT SALE

**Tomorrow Morning 9 O'clock** we begin the second week of the Emory Mill Remnant and Factory Sale...Every department of this great store takes a hand in selling remn'ts and odds and ends...

Extra Salespeople to wait upon you when you come.

**Progresses Enthusiasm Grows Greater!**

SIX days of the great sale has passed—SIX days of the greatest bargain giving Fort Worth people have ever had. SIX days more of phenomenal selling starts here tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Encouraged by the wonderful selling of last week, we shall launch the second week with values that will astound the closest buyers. **TIME IS RIPE NOW**—winter is on, and this stupendous sale bids you come and profit by the low priced offerings. Thousands took advantage of this Mill Remnant Sale last week who proclaim aloud the advantages set forth by "the big" store. Again we bid you come Monday or any day during the week—the reign of bargains will be better than ever. Read the details that follow; they give exact information of the great saving that is in store for you.



## Mill Remnant Dress Goods

Advantages most rare for you to procure a Suit, Skirt or to dress the children at about half former cost. Mill Remnants of fine, heavy Suits and Skirtings, plain and fancy weaves—5000 yards for you to choose from. Come, you can buy a stylish dress from these counters of short lengths. 20 dress patterns of high grade silk and wool mixtures, "passe" in style, but will make elegant house gowns; were \$10.00 to \$20.00; choice per pattern, six and one-half yards for..... **\$3.49**

## Ladies' Suits: Coats: Skirts and Waists Superior Advantages are Universally Conceded

**THIS MILL REMNANT SALE** Offers you advantages which come but once in a great while. It is wisdom for you to avail yourself of this opportunity.

50 Ladies' Coat Suits, Blouse, Norfolk and Short Coat effects, styles very good, materials, extra good, value from \$10.00 to \$15.00; choice ..... <b>\$5.00</b>	45 Ladies' Box Coats and Automobile Coats—fashionable colors, worth \$10.00 to \$15.00; Mill Remnant Sale price..... <b>\$7.50</b>	100 Ladies' Walking and Dress Length Skirts, leading styles and fabrics, worth \$7.50 and \$8.50; Mill Remnant Sale. <b>\$4.95</b>	100 Rich, Swell Dress and Walking Skirts—leading new fabrics and styles, worth \$15.00 to \$18.50; Mill Remnant price ..... <b>\$9.95</b>
100 Ladies' Man Tailored Suits, plain and fancy fabrics, Blouse, Norfolk and Short Coat Suits, all coats silk lined, worth from \$18.50 up to \$25.00; Mill End Sale, choice ..... <b>\$10.00</b>	150 Ladies' and Misses' Box Coats—all colors, elegant garments, worth \$7.50 to \$9.00; Mill Remnant Sale price..... <b>\$4.49</b>	95 Accordion Plaited Skirts, shipped to us by mistake; maker says sell them, so here goes—\$5.00 skirts; Mill Remnant Sale, only ..... <b>\$2.98</b>	250 Silk Waists—A mighty bargain lot—black, white and colored, worth from \$5.00 up to \$10.00—one lot; Mill Remnant price, choice ..... <b>\$2.50</b>
100 Ladies' Melton and Cloth Coats, three-quarter length, in best shades, \$4.00 to \$5.00 values; Mill Remnant Sale. <b>\$2.00</b>	200 Children's Fine School and Dress Coats—a line that comprises all the best styles, worth \$3.00 to \$4.00; Mill Remnant price but ..... <b>\$1.98</b>	200 Ladies' Fine Dress and Walking Skirts, late style and fabric, worth \$10.00 to \$12.00; Mill Remnant Sale ..... <b>\$7.50</b>	100 Fancy Tea Gowns, Kimonos and Sacques, in silk, cashmere and fancy flannel—these garments all reduced; Mill Remnant Sale, from \$17.50, \$15.00, \$9.98, \$6.49, on down to ..... <b>\$4.49</b>



## To Clear the Entire Undermuslin Stock

The big Columbia Purchase Sale and this present Mill End Sale jumbled up the Ladies' and Children's Muslin Underwear—soiled, out of shape and mussed. Our new stock will arrive in 30 days. We can't afford to show the snow white garments with these soiled and mussed ones, so we have decided to wipe out the entire lot **THIS WEEK**. The prices will be ridiculously low on every garment—we will not ask over half price on any garment. Not many of a kind. Fine Skirts, Gowns, Corset Covers and Chemise, at about half price.

Hundreds of Corset Covers, Chemise and Drawers, for ladies and children, 8c, 10c and 19c, worth 15c to 40c, not quoted here, but come and see them.

## Greatest Underwear Sale of the Age

<b>29c</b> Ladies' Drawers, Chemise, Corset Covers, well made—our 50c to 69c grade, in this lot—Mill End Sale; choice ..... <b>29c</b>	<b>49c</b> Ladies' Gowns, Skirts, Chemise, Drawers and Corset Covers, made of good domestic, nicely trimmed; 75c to 98c was the price; Mill End Sale, choice ..... <b>49c</b>	<b>89c</b> A strong line of \$1.50 and \$1.75 Gowns, Chemise, Corset Covers, Skirts and Drawers, Cambric and Nainsook lace and embroidery trimmed; Mill End Sale; choice <b>89c</b>	<b>\$1.49</b> Ladies' Cambric and Nainsook Gowns, Chemise, Corset Covers, Drawers and Skirts; former price \$2.00 to \$3.00, for the Mill End Sale, choice of this lot ..... <b>\$1.49</b>	<b>\$2.37</b> A big lot of Fine Nainsook and Cambric Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers, Chemise and Drawers; former price \$3.50 to \$4.50; choice during the Mill End Sale of these garments ..... <b>\$2.37</b>
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## Mill End Sale

Ladies', Misses', Children's and Infant's Warm Winter Underwear.  
1500 Ladies Ribbed Vests, fleece lined, regular worth 20c; Mill Remnant Sale price ..... **12c**  
100 dozen Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants, fleece lined, regular 25c grade; Mill Remnant Sale price, each ..... **19c**  
50 dozen Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Fleece Union Suits, regular 40c grade; Mill Remnant Sale price ..... **25c**  
Ladies' Union Suits—Usona, a most perfect garment worth 75c; Mill Remnant Sale price, **49c** only  
Misses' and Children's Jersey Fleece Lined Union Suits; worth 35c; Mill Remnant Sale. **23c**

## Mercantile History Never Recorded Such an Important Event as You Will Witness Here This Week

Tomorrow starts the second week sale in Men's Clothing, Furnishings, Hats, Men and Women's Shoes, Men's and Boys' Overcoats. Satisfaction at low prices is the keynote. Satisfaction in wear and quality. Price offerings that are under jobbers' prices—it seems incredible, yet it's a solid, substantial fact. These to verify:

<b>\$18.60</b> Men's Fine Imported Worsteds and Cassimere Suits, fancy and plain chevrot and Thibet, worth \$25.00 to \$30.00, made by high class makers of fashionable clothing; Mill End Sale, choice <b>\$18.60</b> .	<b>\$10.65</b> Men's Clothes, properly made by best makers—choice business suits, worth \$15.00, \$16.50 and \$17.50, choice styles fancy worsteds and cassimere; during this sale your choice for <b>\$10.65</b> .
900 pairs Men's Cassimere Pants, worth \$2.50—our great \$2.00 leader; Mill End Sale but ..... <b>\$1.29</b>	200 pairs Boys' Worsteds Knee Pants, black, blue and fancy weaves, worth 75c; Mill End Sale, pair ..... <b>48c</b>
200 pairs left of the Men's hand finished Worsteds Pants, worth \$4.00; Mill End Sale but ..... <b>\$2.90</b>	2200 Men's Negligee Shirts, made of madras and percale, neat patterns, 75c grade; Mill End Sale ..... <b>39c</b>
300 Boys' Knee Pant Suits, age 3 to 15, fancy worsteds, regular \$1.00 suit; Mill End Sale, only ..... <b>50c</b>	500 Men's Dauntless Negligee Shirts, of madras, neat patterns, worth \$1.00; choice during Mill End Sale ..... <b>59c</b>
200 pairs Boys' Knee Pants, heavy winter weight cassimere and worsteds, regular 40c grade; Mill End Sale ..... <b>19c</b>	Men's Black and Blue heavy Melton Overcoats, worth \$7.50; Mill End Sale, but ..... <b>\$4.95</b>
	100 dozen Men's extra heavy Black Socks, regular 10c grade; Mill Remnant Sale ..... <b>5c</b>
	100 dozen Men's Fleece Under-shirts and Drawers, good 50c grade; Mill End Sale, per garment ..... <b>29c</b>
	100 dozen Men's Fleece Under-shirts and Drawers, worth \$7.50 a garment; Mill End Sale, only ..... <b>49c</b>
	Big line of Men's up-to-date Neckwear—Tecks, Bows, Puffs and Four-in-Hands; Mill End Sale ..... <b>19c</b>



Second Week of Our Big Remn't Sale Starts at 9:00 A. M. Tomorrow

Great tables of Remnants of the choicest Ginghams, Calicoes, Percalles, Cheviots, Blankets and Comforts, from the mills. A field of good values that economists seldom have a chance to shop in. An occasion that demands your prompt attention. NOTE THE GREAT BARGAINS.

100,000 yards of Brown Domestic, worth 5c, at..... <b>2 1/2c</b>	2,700 yards Madras Shirtings, choice designs, 15c value, at..... <b>8c</b>	10-4 White and Gray Cotton Blankets, worth 75c, at..... <b>49c</b>
35,000 yards of yard-wide Bleached Domestic, heavy and good, at..... <b>5c</b>	10,000 yards Amoskeag Ginghams, all size checks and colors, at..... <b>5c</b>	10-4 White and Gray Cotton Blankets, \$1.00 quality, at..... <b>79c</b>
25,000 yards best grade 10c Ginghams, at..... <b>5c</b>	20,000 yards choice dress styles Calicoes, 3 to 20 yards, at..... <b>3 1/2c</b>	10-4 White and Gray Cotton Blankets, extra heavy, \$1.50 value ..... <b>98c</b>
19,000 yards best 10c Flannelette, dress styles, 5 to 20 yard lengths, at..... <b>5c</b>	3,000 yards fine imported Zephyr Ginghams, at..... <b>11c</b>	10-4 White Wool Blankets, Marysville California, worth \$3.50, at..... <b>\$2.48</b>
20,000 yards dark Outing, worth 5c, 6c and 7c; 3 to 10 yards, at..... <b>3c</b>	1,000 yards Black Sateen Remnants, 12 1-2c grade..... <b>8c</b>	10-4 All Wool California Blankets, white, worth \$7.50, at..... <b>\$4.98</b>
5,000 yards Ginghams in stripes and plaids, 12c grade, at..... <b>7c</b>	800 yards Linen Table Damask, 2 to 3 1-2 yard lengths, yard 69c, 49c, 35c and ..... <b>20c</b>	Five bales single Bed Comforts, double faced, the 75c kind, at..... <b>39c</b>
9,000 yards Canton Flannel, 7 1-2c and 8 1-3c grade, at..... <b>5c</b>	2,000 yards Remnants of White Goods, at 10c, 9c and..... <b>5c</b>	Five bales 3-4 size, double faced Bed Comforts, worth 89c, at..... <b>49c</b>
15,000 yards Outing, in light and dark colors, all 10c grades, at..... <b>5c</b>	500 yards 16-inch Cotton Toweling, worth 6c and 7c, at..... <b>4c</b>	Ten bales full size Comforts, double faced, \$1.25 value, at..... <b>89c</b>
7,000 yards Cotton Checks, worth 6c and 7c; standard goods, at..... <b>4c</b>	20,000 yards Brown-Domestic, 8c value, yard wide ..... <b>4c</b>	Ten bales single and double faced Comforts, worth \$1.75, at..... <b>\$1.19</b>
4,000 yards Standard 8c and 10c Percalles, at..... <b>5c</b>	100 pieces Table Oil Cloth, 15c and 20c grade, at..... <b>10c</b>	Full Sateen and Silk Covered Cotton and Down Comforts, \$18.50 on down to..... <b>\$2.98</b>

### Great Silk Values

<b>65c</b> for Black 36-inch Taffeta, the \$1.00 value.	<b>75c</b> for the 27-inch Colored Peau de Cygne, \$1.00 value.
<b>39c</b> for 19-inch Black 50c Taffeta.	<b>59c</b> for the Black 27-inch Taffeta, 90c value.
<b>90c</b> for 36-inch Black Peau de Sole, the \$1.25 value.	<b>29c</b> for the all wool 36-inch Black and Colored 50c Etamines.

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<b>Men's Shoes</b> 900 Pairs Men's Shoes—remarkable offer—elegantly made of soft, mellow vici kid, velour, box calf and patent leather; regulation lace and blucher—swagger and modified model fall lasts—actual worth \$4.00 and \$5.00; this Remnant Sale ..... <b>\$2.75</b>	<b>Ladies' Shoes</b> 1000 Pairs—Bought from dependable first-class makers. We sell them to you as such, and stand back of every pair—Vici kid, patent tip, patent leather and with extended or turn sole, various style heels; actual worth \$2.50 and \$3.00; during this Mill Sale, pair ..... <b>\$1.98</b>
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A SONG
The wise forget, dear heart;
They leave the past
And play the hero's part,
Brave to the last.

They weep not nor regret,
Calm are their eyes.
Dear heart, the wise forget—
I am not wise!
—Jeannette Bliss Gillespie.

During the week just past there was in Fort Worth a young woman who saw for the first time a convention of Texas club women. Some of the things she saw, heard and thought may be learned from the following letter she sent home:

Dear Mary: From this day I forswear the beauty page of the Chicago Record-Herald. No longer will I gather inspiration for self-beautifying from the witticisms of Mme. Qui Vive. My mirror will cease to reflect my prinkings, as I eradicate black heads and pound into my helpless face all those wonderful skin foods that preserve beauty, restore it, and even create it where it does not exist.

Next to being the president of the federation, I think I would like to be the daughter of a popular club woman. I have been going to a lot of parties here, my hostess is a local club woman of prominence, and I find that the girl whose mother occupies a warm place in club esteem has the call on all the other girls in social preferences.

Who doubts that she would have gotten it? But, instead, she has had a safety valve in her club. She has learned how to do things in dignified, orderly way. She has unraveled the mysteries of the "previous question." She can think on her feet—and she is on them often.

It relieves him of such a lot! Woman's suffrage will never arrive in Texas as long as the Texas man allows his woman folk to join clubs, attend the federation, make speeches, work for the particular causes they espouse, and in other ways feel that they are doing something.

After listening to all the reports from the committees—cleaning streets, planting trees, saving the birds, endowing scholarships, establishing libraries, fostering art, bringing on literary celebrities, backing lecture courses—I could not help asking

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL
Few People Know How Useful It Is in Preserving Health and Beauty
Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables. Charcoal effectively clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh. All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Absorbent Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

my friend, "what was left for the men to do?" They have the privilege always of paying the bills," she answered, with serene emphasis—an answer that left me like a questioning mood. Does the man pay the bills, thinking he is getting off cheap, since she does his work for him and does it better, too?

And the eloquence of these Texas women! Any mere man that undertakes to speak on the same platform should first "catch his hare." In other words, have a voice to speak with.

The presiding officer, Mrs. Pennybacker, comes first, of course; and yet, had she not been president, I doubt if I would have been so certain that she should have been named first. Occasionally the trail of the elocution teacher in the female seminary could be detected; but, as a rule, good sense, good judgment and natural eloquence were combined with a magnetic presence and personality. There was Mrs. Cecil Smith of Sherman, witty, womanly, ever alert when a principle was at stake and quick as a flash to meet false logic. Mrs. Stone, the genuine, sincere, without any of the flourishing graces that we expect from any public speaker, male or female, but with common sense enough and ability enough to run affairs of state. And Mrs. Reese Wilson, who they say has absorbed all the jokes of all the ages, and who can translate them so that of an audience of eight hundred women, not one will need a diagram or dictionary.

Mrs. William Christian of Houston, who won the next meeting for her city, can open a school of instruction in the art of graceful diction and impressive delivery. My friend said she would like to see a match arranged between Mrs. Christian and Captain B. B. Paddock of this city, on the subject of municipal invitations, and a man near by said Mrs. Christian could give away weight to the field and win by a length, but I did not quite understand what he meant.

Next to being the president of the federation, I think I would like to be the daughter of a popular club woman. I have been going to a lot of parties here, my hostess is a local club woman of prominence, and I find that the girl whose mother occupies a warm place in club esteem has the call on all the other girls in social preferences. She pours tea at receptions, leads the German, is the sewer at afternoon and evening card parties, and is welcome every where. I would strongly advise any young woman who aspires to social success to choose her mother from among the earnest club leaders. For this condition there is of course a cause. The woman who can direct the energies of any considerable body of women must be possessed of tact and executive ability. These qualities were first cultivated in the home. The daughter has had the advantage of them and shows it in her character and manners.

It is a matter of record, too, that every speaker and every subject at the federation had for inspiration the doing of helpful things for others. That is the keynote of the club work of these Texas women. The daughter of one of them has been trained in the home that consideration for others is paramount. Not a word of preparation for social success, is it?

Be sure and tell Bob that, though I intend to join a woman's club, he need not fear that I will change along the lines of the "eternal feminine." How do I know? These women have not. I reason by analogy. On Wednesday afternoon, in the midst of a serious discussion following a report of town improvement, a wee bit of humanity, aged two months, was brought on the stage as the excuse for its mother non-appearance at a previous session. Town improvements were forgotten. Every woman in the house, young and old, visitor and delegate, rose and greeted that mite as if it had been the first that ever was born, and might be the future savior.

John Dancy Dilreil are known as the Texas club woman's baby. The baby sidetracked town improvement, and stamped the convention. But the crowning glory of this federation meeting was its presiding officer, Mrs. Pennybacker is a wonderful woman. I would make it stronger if I knew how. She is a little woman with a voice that carries without being over powerful. Her management of the delegates would have been conclusive if the club women are all married, and that they had the "old" clause in their marriage ceremony, had it not been that the men minded her as obediently as did the women. Not only did every thing she said go, but they would have taken out and disciplined any one audacious enough to suggest that anything different could possibly have been right.

She took the pups from under the male reporters, by not allowing them to prevail all over the convention hall, and oblige when ever they thought they had a chip coming. The reporters did have a hard time of it. They are human, and would like to have been of some consequence, as they are in political conventions. They tried flattery on the delegates, but alas, these women had known a man or two before, and the voice of the siren failed to impress them, and there was no chance to "have one with me." Everybody felt sorry for the press gang.

Among the visiting women of distinction was Mrs. Bradford, president of the Colorado federation. I wish I could convey, even a little bit, the impression of fine gold she made upon me. It was not her voice, though that was good; nor her sentences, well rounded and carefully chosen as they were; nor her personality, womanly and dignified as that was. It was something altogether finer and better than any analysis could discover. I think it was the noble soul, the spirit that has vanquished self, and looking out upon humanity responds to its needs, hears the cry of the poor, the weak, the ignorant, the unfortunate, and hearing relieves. She told of the work of the Colorado federation. It was always this under suggestion. "My sister is weaker than I; therefore, I have a duty."

"Because I am a woman, nothing human is foreign to me." "The club has meant, along with the self-discovery of women, the discovery of another woman." "Can you think of a type of womanhood that makes you more glad that you are a woman? When she finished I felt that I wanted to stand by her side and shout aloud, "Our weaknesses are the weaknesses of our sex. Our strength is the strength of humanity!"

Quite a whoop-y-up idea, wasn't it? The delegates heard from other visitors. On the first day during the discussion of the reports of the district chairmen, one delegate announced that she was from Illinois. There was a pause, but the convention did not seem specially excited.

who accepts in equable spirit any and all situations, and Mr. E. P. Turner, who has been a valuable member of the civic improvement section of the federation. Mrs. Turner was elected. Mrs. Turner lives in Dallas. I hear that the Fort Worth citizens were surprised to learn that Fort Worth club women were largely instrumental in the result. A visitor remarked on the peculiar spectacle of Fort Worth giving the highest honors in the state, in club circles, to her rival.

The Fort Worth woman replied: "Fort Worth has the finest passenger station in the southwest, built by the Texas and Pacific railroad." "Are you going to wire your action to George Gould?"

Do you know what it is to put on your very prettiest frock and go J. O. F. F? Some darling maidens know this and much more, and they more than hint to some of their very best friends. They get confidential and explain that J. O. F. F. means "just out for fun" and that when one of a certain

The Fair 601-603 The Fair 605-607 The Fair HOUSTON STREET The Fair 105-107 The Fair FIFTH STREET



Millinery Reduced

Holiday Goods are coming daily now, and we must have the space now occupied by our millinery to display them. The Hats must go, so we cut the price.

Street Hats of scratch felt, neatly trimmed in wings and quills, pom poms and velvet, worth regularly as high as \$4.50; \$2.25 price Monday.

Misses' School Hats of scratch felt and beaver, different colors, appropriately trimmed, regular price as high as \$2.75; price Monday, 93c

Beautiful Pattern Hats—many models from the Eastern markets and individual styles from our own trimmers. Prices were \$12.00, \$15.00, \$18.00; Monday, one-third to one-half off.

Ladies' Gloves

We are sole agents in Fort Worth for the famous "Eskey" Glove, made of real kid, and tailor made \$1.50

The "Adolfo Eskey" long fingered, soft and pliable kid, for evening wear \$1.50

The "P. & L."—all colors and black and white \$1.25

Evening Gloves of white dressed kid, 10 and 20 button lengths, \$1.95

"Josefa" undressed kid, in white, black and castor \$1.50

Golf Gloves for ladies and misses, all sizes, all colors, black, white, red, gray and tan, at 50c, 35c and 25c

New Belts

New Kid Belts in red or white, 50c

Black Silk Stitched Belts, 50c and 75c

Black Elastic Belts, with front and back buckles, 58c

Black Silk, piped with red, black and gold buckles, 58c

Braided Belts with long tasseled ends, 50c \$1.98

New Silk Belts with large buckle in back and small in front, 25c

In the Ready-to-Wear Department

We cite a few reasons why you should select your Suit, Coat or Jacket from our stock: First, because our "tailor-mades" fit so perfectly; Second, because the styles are exactly what fashion decrees; Third, because there is a broad variety; Fourth, because each garment possesses an individuality all its own, and last and very important because we do the best for you from a money-saving standpoint. We call special attention to four new styles for Monday, and assure you there are more just as interesting waiting your inspection.

Coats

\$16.50 A pretty, fancy Coat in black or tan kersey cloth, half fitted back, three ripple cape with stole back and front, trimmed in gun metal buttons, collarless with stitched band of the material around neck and down each side of front, two rows of gun metal buttons down front, full gathered sleeves with turn-back stitched cuff, button trimmed—a neat and stylish model.

\$21.00 Long coat, three quarter length, with fitted back, full, deep cape over shoulders, trimmed with small gun metal buttons, stitched bands of the material around neck, trimmed in buttons and braid, two rows of large buttons down each side of the front, full fancy sleeve trimmed in stitched points and buttons, with a stitched turn-back cuff with buttons. This very swell coat and entirely new model can be had in black or tan kersey cloth.



The Fair Fifth and Houston Streets

Books

From now on until the holidays this will be a busy department, as is expected. Most of our holiday books are here and others are coming daily. This year we offer you by far the largest and best stock of Xmas books ever brought to Fort Worth. Our stock comprises everything readable; books in the finest binding, books for boys and girls and for the grown folks, for handsome gifts to replenish libraries. We advise early shopping, then you are sure of complete stocks from which to make selection. Then to, in case just what is not here, take advantage of our special order department and get it without extra charge.

Monday

300 cloth bound 12 mos., including fiction and standard works; your selection, each 25c

250 beautifully bound 16 mos., in white and gold and in colors, illustrated gift tops, religious books and little classics; splendid gifts, for 25c

Gibson's new book, "The Weaker Sex" \$4.20

Christie's new book, with 50 full page pictures, \$2.75

Christie's Portfolio, from 4 to 6 large pictures, \$1.95 to \$4.98

Art China

Telling fact is our line of Fine China and Brica-Brac, in beautiful and artistic designs at most attractive prices. Many new things are on display and their beauty has brought many words of praise from well pleased customers. Come in Monday and see; you will enjoy the visit. Beautifully decorated full Dinner Sets, of Haviland, Austrian and Limoges China, in a broad range of prices. Open stock Haviland, Austrian and Limoges China—any piece you want.

Souvenir China

A beautiful quality of China, decorated with new pictures of our Courthouse, Library, Union Station and Swift and Armour's packing houses—all entirely new, and a beautiful souvenir of our town to send to a distant friend. Each piece has a different picture.

Pin Trays 15c

Salad Plates 45c

Spoon Trays 75c

Vases 50c

Mugs 35c

Suits

\$22.50 A tailored Suit of new mixed tweed, in black and white, long skirted jacket with fitted back; jacket is trimmed front and back with stitched straps of self material, has blouse front and leather belt, full gathered sleeve with narrow turn-back cuff, manish turn-down collar, notched in front; lined throughout with black satin; Skirt is plain seven gored flare. This is a new and attractive costume.

\$29.50 A beautiful tailored suit of brown chevot, long skirted jacket, collarless, with deep band of stitched brown velvet around the neck, finished with silk braid; cape over each shoulder with plait effect in front and back, cape plaits and stitched belt piped with silk, two rows of buttons down the front, full gathered fancy sleeve with a stitched turn-back cuff of brown velvet; Jacket lined throughout with silk; Skirt plain seven gored plaited flare.

Handkerchiefs

New things are arriving daily and many forerunners of the holiday stock are already here. Not a bit too early to make selections for gifts.

Ladies' Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs, plain white and colored borders, range from 3c \$2.98

Beautiful Brazilian Point, in round and square \$4.95

Ladies' plain hemstitched, also embroidered and hemstitched, mourning borders, 50c, 25c, 13c

Handkerchief Centers, in a large assortment for fancy work, hemstitched and embroidered, 10c and 25c

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Stocks and Collars

New line of Stocks in lace and chiffon, all colors—the new "Jabot" style. The latest in silk Four-in-Hand Stocks trimmed in Persian braid. Many new and dainty pieces of Neckwear that defy all attempts at description. You must see them. Stocks range in price from 58c to \$4.95. The popular lace collar in venice and wood lace, white, cream and eoru, long stole effects, priced up \$12.95

New Yarns

Now is the time to buy yarns for the making of dainty and useful presents. "Utopia" imported Zephyr and Germantown, in all colors. "Bear Brand" Shetland Floss, Utopia, Pompadour Wool, very soft and warm; single and split Zephyr.

"Peerless" and "Karker" Lamb's Wool Soles in all sizes for crocheted slippers, etc. Also complete stock of bone, wood and steel Crocheting Hooks and Needles.

Toothpick Holder 20c

Olive Dishes 39c

Cup and Saucer, 35c

Cream Pitchers 75c

Salad Dishes \$1.15

Sugars 39c

Spoons 58c

Salad Plates 45c

group of J. O. F. F.ers gives a party there is every kind of fun. Miss Jessie Wardlaw entertained this company last Saturday afternoon with music and games and all sorts of good things to eat and there is a report that they were not what they went out for—the very nicest and best sort too. Miss Jessie's guests were Misses Bessie Kinn, Hilger Boykin, Josie Hicks, Hattie Standley, Fannie Fern Masterson, Anna Belle Masterson, Elizabeth Hovenkamp, Virginia Logan, Alba Capps, Mattie Mae Capps, Josephine Matthews, Annie Millican, Alberta Murthy, Alice Van Goetz, Blanche Harding, Minnette San-

son, Marguerite Logan and Bertha Logan. The young mistress was assisted during the afternoon by her mother, Miss Alice Lathrop and Mrs. H. A. Judd.

A salad course luncheon was served and the phonograph helped things along most cheerily.

Tuesday evening was the Imperials' dance and with the members of the gallantry that is the synonym of the clubs, the prettiest girls ever (such only are ever to be found at the Imperials dances) and the invited guests who were privileged to share Thanks-giving merriment the evening sped to the tune of two step and waltz as quickly as an evening ever did. The Miss Proctor among the dancers there being Dr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Walton, Mrs. Herford, Mrs. Beadles, Mrs. Hoots, Mr. and Mrs. E.

QUICK ARREST
J. A. Gulleage 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 Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at W. J. Fisher, druggist, and Reeves' Pharmacy.

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The five hundred cards that were left Tuesday afternoon for Miss Florence Smith when she entertained in honor of Mrs. J. Peter Smith, Jr., may convey an idea of the number of friends who on this occasion welcomed the young bride with heartiest cordiality, but much more must be said







# Excess

## Of Smoking Affected My Heart

### So I Had To Sit Up To Breathe.

#### Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Cured Me.

There is nothing that has a more deleterious effect upon the cardiac or heart nervous system than the excessive use of tobacco. Pain and tenderness around the heart, an oppressive feeling in the chest, choking sensation in the throat, discomfort from sleeping on the left side and smothering spells at night when the sufferer has to sit up in bed to breathe are the most common symptoms of a weak heart. Smokers who feel these symptoms and who do not understand their meaning should be warned in time, by the following experience:

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## SOME VISITORS HERE AND WHAT THEY SAY

By James Hays Quarles

H. J. Pettengill of Boston, vice president of the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company, is here today, accompanied by J. E. Farnsworth of Dallas, general manager for this district. It is the regular trip of inspection by Mr. Pettengill and will be extended all over Texas. Manager J. F. Henderson of this city took the gentlemen in charge and showed them about the city.

"I notice new improvements every time I come to Fort Worth," said Mr. Pettengill. "I see new buildings going up, new street cars being operated, there appears to be new faces on the streets, and there is an increased bustle and activity which speaks well for a business center. I look for great things for Fort Worth in the future, and if the town will continue to improve as the telephone business here has increased, I am sure its success is bound to come. In this state during the past year the telephone business has increased 33-1-3 per cent. In Fort Worth the increase in the patronage of the company has been greater than in any other city in the state. A couple of years ago I said we wanted to put a telephone in every home and business house east of a line drawn north and south through Abilene. We have not accomplished all of that, but we expect to do so in course of time."

Mr. Pettengill discussed other matters, and finally pointing to The Telegram building which is going up just opposite the building owned by his company, he asked: "Where do you get that red brick?" He was told of the making of the brick at Thurber, Texas, which is one of the most complete brick plants in the country. He said: "It looks like a pretty building and looks like a good building brick. I see a great deal of it being used here, and I wonder where it was made."

Hon. J. W. Blake of Dallas was in Fort Worth Friday. It is said in Texas that no big gathering is had in this state, but that Mr. Blake attends either as a delegate or a spectator. He could be a delegate to the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and he came as a visitor. He spent an afternoon watching the proceedings of the convention, and although he has presided over deliberative bodies and claims for himself some ability as a presiding officer, he said he was willing to yield the palm to Mrs. Pennybacker as a genius in that line.

"I have always heard that a convention of women is a convention of all kinds of noise, but such was not the case here. They have told me that it is worse than a babel of tongues. I saw this convention of women sit in absolute quiet, under the direction of madame president. I saw ladies sit for two hours and never say a word. The hall was in the best of order and but for the voice of the speaker who had the floor at the time, you could have heard a pin drop. It was a remarkable convention of women, and how she controls them so well was a wonder to me."

Mr. Blake is now the principal man in the bank at Dallas which he recently organized. He formerly lived at Mexico, where he was in the banking business. Thence he moved to Sherman, where he established a bank which every one said would fail, but it was a success, and now he has gone into Dallas to buck the giants of the financial world there and take a part of their business. Being a Dallas man, it is of course pleasant to hear him say nice things of Fort Worth and when he started out to compliment this city on her magnificent improvements I was all attention. "Fort Worth is one of the real good towns of Texas," he said. "I have known Fort Worth a long time, and I have watched her grow. I see today a city where I once saw a struggling village, and I am glad to see it. I have friends here, and I want to see them succeed. The bank building now going up here would be a credit to any city in the land. I see evidences of improvement every time I come to Fort Worth, and as a Dallas man am not jealous of your good fortune. I want to see you continue to grow, and we will see well in this great country in which we live. We have a state which can boast of more resources than any state in the union, and there is no reason these magnificent resources cannot support two cities along the Trinity river."

Mr. Blake was once prominent in politics. He managed the democratic campaign of 1896, when Charles A. Culberson was a candidate for governor and was so hard fought by the combination of the Republican and populist forces. In his position as chairman of the democratic executive committee the burden of the campaign was upon Mr. Blake and he carried it out to the letter, and dealt such a blow to the combined opposition that neither crowd has made an effort since.

Former Lieutenant Governor J. N. Browning is here on a professional visit. He lives up in the Panhandle, and seldom comes to Fort Worth occasionally, and when he is found in a talkative mood he tells of things which have been thought out in the quiet of his office at home. His latest discussion is regarding a state board of equalization. The former lieutenant governor wants to see the adoption of a constitutional amendment providing for a state board of equalization to govern assessed values in this state. He says:

"With such an amendment and a law to put the thing into effect we could have better conditions from the tax revenue standpoint, and the entire state would be better off. I would suggest that all the land values in the state be classified, and that the various classes in each part of the state be fixed at the same value."

**BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH**  
I. M. McHany, Greenville, Texas, writes, November 2, 1900: "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."

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There can be the first, second, third, fourth class and so on down the line. With such a state board, acting jointly with the commissioners' courts, we could get an equalized value which would help the state along a great deal in raising its revenues and would at the same time put every land owner in the state on an equality."

Hon. Emory C. Smith of Denton was here Friday night on a business trip. Judge Smith is one of the best known lawyers of Texas. He was formerly a member of the state senate and was a member of the last house of representatives. He has always been opposed to the free pass system as practiced in this state whenever he has had an opportunity he has fought and worked against the giving of free passes to state officials.

"I am with The Telegram in that free pass fight," he said Friday while here. "I have been against the system a long time and I am still of the same way of thinking. It has been my good pleasure to fight for legislation along that line several times, but the majority has been against me. I will still keep up the fight where I have the opportunity." Judge Smith will be a candidate for the state senate next year. He lives in the district composed of Denton, Wise and Montague counties. The district has been for a long time represented by Hon. George W. Savage of Dye, Montague county. The indication is that Judge Smith will have the position without much opposition. He is popular in his section of the state and he is one of the best known men in Texas. He is a bright lawyer, and belongs to that old school of Texans who put on no frills or furbelows, but are plain, every day citizens.

**AT TABERNACLE CHURCH**  
Tabernacle Christian church, corner Fifth and Throckmorton streets, James S. Myers, pastor. Subject Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, "What Is That in Thine Hand?" "The Only Safe Way" is the theme for Sunday evening at 7:30. The Sunday school management has put in about 700 new chairs and the Sunday school will meet in the lower tabernacle instead of the auditorium at 9:30. The Hymni-Cap orchestra will render a number of pieces at Sunday school and also assist in the other music. Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30 p. m.

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**OKLAHOMA "YELLOW" BOOK**  
GUTHRIE, O. T., Nov. 28.—Recently there was published a limited number of men's names in the Oklahoma State Capital as being the only ones in Oklahoma worth \$200,000 or over. It was the official report, as claimed, of the "just printed" red book.

But today the "yellow" book was received and it gives a list of 500,000 fellows, and from among the many Oklahomans thus prominently mentioned, are culled the following:

John Holt of the El Reno land office, Editor Don Lawhead of the Alva Review, Postmaster Amos Ewing of Kingfisher, H. C. Olds of Guthrie, Warren Gill of Perry, Horace Hixon of Elk City, Senator John P. Hickam of Perkins, Territorial Auditor Baxter, Editor T. E. Beck of Jefferson, Robert Neff of Blackwell, Hon. W. D. Caldwell of Weatherford, Charles Greer of the El Reno American, Omer Benedict of Hobart, John Savage of Beaver City, Hons. Bill Cross and C. Porter Johnson of Oklahoma City, ex-Alderman Paul Newman of Guthrie, Representative H. W. Williams of Texaco, Editor J. Hunter Williams of Glenco, Representative J. J. Merrick of McKinley. The total list is a long one.

Charles Pierson, state organizer for the Socialist Labor party, will hold an open air meeting Saturday night, Nov. 28, corner Main and Eleventh streets. Subject, "Socialism." All working men invited to attend.

**HE TOOK GROUND GLASS**  
Report That a Saloon Man Attempted to Commit Suicide Yesterday

There was a report yesterday that a man in a lodging house had taken a lot of ground glass into his stomach, with the purpose of committing suicide. The affair caused quite a sensation in the vicinity in which it occurred, and there were several calls for a physician.

Dr. R. Chambers, city physician, was called in and gave attention. He found the patient writhing in agony, and he was told that he had swallowed a lot of glass. An emetic was given, but no particles of glass could be located. The physician gave him every attention, and left him much better.

The story told was that the man was a bartender and was enraged by jealousy to attempt his life. His name was not learned, and the full particulars were not given because of the desire to keep the matter quiet.

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## FIGHT

### Against the "Packers' Trust" Will Be Outlined Next Tuesday

#### AT A MEETING OF THE INDEPENDENT COMPANY

To Be Held in This City—Remaining Officers of the Company Will Be Elected and Other Business Disposed of

Next Tuesday will be held in Fort Worth a meeting of the promoters of the independent packing house company, mention of which has frequently been made in The Telegram. There will be present several of the leaders in the movement, besides a number of the leading cattlemen throughout the state, who have been called together for the purpose of discussing the matter and if possible to arrive at some definite conclusion in the premises.

Only a portion of the officers of the association have been elected, and it is believed that at the meeting to be held here the remainder of the officers will be named. At the meeting held at Denver all officers were chosen except the president and one or two minor officers. These, no doubt, will be named next Tuesday.

From the best information that has been obtainable there seems to be a difference among the stockmen of Texas as to the feasibility of organizing an independent packing company, and a number of the most influential Texas cattlemen have expressed themselves as not desirous of becoming members of the association. While they have not expressed themselves as opposed to the movement, they have thus far withheld lending their influence to the organization, and it was thought advisable by the organizers of the movement to call a meeting in Fort Worth at which the whole situation and proposed plans and intentions of the company might be properly laid before them in an effort to win them over to the proposition.

The plan is, briefly, to form a company with a capital of \$5,000,000, and establish a plant at some desirable point near the base of supply of cattle in the Southwest, which place will possibly be Fort Worth, and begin the slaughter of cattle, and later to build two or three or possibly several other plants, but for the present the promoters of the scheme will make no effort to build but to organize.

Some of the Texas cattlemen claim that the stock business in this state has not been very satisfactory during the past year, and that just at this time there is very little ready money among them that could be put into an independent packing plant under such favorable conditions. It is believed that had cattle prices remained high and the feeder had realized better figures for the stuff put on the markets of the country, there would have been very little trouble experienced in inducing them to take stock in such an enterprise, but as it now is it will be a difficult matter to persuade them to become connected with the proposed independent packing company.

Some cattlemen also claim that they are not in the packing business but are the raisers of stuff for the packers, and do not care to enter into competition with the companies who take the products of their ranges and feed pens.

There is no doubt but that the promoters of the independent packing scheme will realize considerable trouble in getting very many of the leading stockmen in Texas to take kindly to the project, but the meeting to be held in this city next Tuesday will tell the tale.

Among some of the more distinguished speakers who will be here to address the meeting will be Hon. John W. Springer, president of the National Live Stock Association, of Denver; Hon. Jerry Simpson of New Mexico, Hon. R. W. Hall of Vernon and possibly Hon. Bennett Gibbs, who is being kept in mind to attend and address the meeting in the interest of the project. Besides these gentlemen there will be addressed by a number of local people who favor the scheme.

The meeting will likely be held in the headquarters of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association.

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**FIELDS**  
HILLSBORO, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Miss Inez Fields, daughter of J. E. W. Fields, general freight and passenger agent of the T. and B. V. Ry. Co., died in San Antonio of consumption. Mr. Fields went on the flyer to be at the funeral.

The Ferris wheel is now junk in Chicago.

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## IN THE SOCIAL SEASON

(Continued from page 11.)

"Early Poets of the Southern States." Mrs. Stovall reviewed the life and works of F. O. Tinker; Mrs. Sawyer, Francis Scott Key; Mrs. Peter, Philip Freneau; Mrs. Key, Paul Hamilton Hayne. Miss Maud Sawyer was a guest and sang "The Star Spangled Banner" most creditably.

**PERSONALS.**  
Mrs. Fred A. Scott of Austin was the guest last week of her cousin, Mrs. John M. Adams.

Mrs. Johnson of Greenville, the secretary of the State Federation, who is the guest of Mrs. John M. Adams, will return home tomorrow.

Miss Ollie Word of Dallas is the guest of Mrs. Sam Triplett.

Miss Gibson of Dallas is visiting Miss Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Peniston have removed to Fort Worth and are at 909 Taylor for the winter.

Mrs. Dan O. Lively of Beaumont was a visitor last week.

Mrs. Lee of San Angelo is the guest of Mrs. Larimer.

John Crum came down from Denver to spend Thanksgiving with his home friends.

Mrs. George B. Beacham of Dallas was the guest of Mrs. N. E. Grammer during the Federation.

Mrs. McQueen of Bryan is visiting Mrs. J. E. Mitchell.

Mrs. L. M. Brown of Tyler is the guest of Mrs. C. D. Brown.

Miss Virgie Paddock left last night for New York, where she will join Miss Donnie Lee Carter for art study this winter.

Mrs. Hiram Glass of Texarkana is the guest of Mrs. Robert Grammer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hovenkamp will visit Chicago for several weeks.

Mrs. Wallace left yesterday for Athens for a short visit.

The Misses Vogel and the Misses Humphreys have returned from a visit with Sherman friends.

Miss Kate Humphreys goes this week to Ennis to attend a reception and Elk dance.

Miss Lucille Sharma and Mrs. H. J. Dufan of Sherman are visiting Mrs. Humphreys and the Misses Humphreys.

Miss Armdie Perry leaves this week for a visit of several weeks with Weatherford friends.

Mrs. Hall of Houston returned home yesterday after spending the week with Mrs. W. P. McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Turner, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Conroy, returned home yesterday.

Miss Gulon of Ballinger is the guest of Miss Boland.

Miss Schneider of Dallas is visiting Miss Saunders.

Miss Gertrude Renick of Louisville is the guest of Mrs. L. P. Robertson.

Mrs. Gilliland of Colorado City is visiting Mrs. W. T. Scott.

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## HALF MILLION GAIN IS SHOWN

Bank Clearings for Past Week Reflect General Prosperity of the South

The report of the Fort Worth clearing house for the week ending Saturday, November 28, shows a decided increase in comparison with the same week in 1902. The clearings for last week are \$3,203,074.64, and for the same period last year, \$2,733,142.50, an increase of \$470,932.14.

The report of the American Banker, just issued, indicates that the cities in the south are in good financial condition, with plenty of ready cash. Of all the cities in the south with equal population, no other city can show as large clearings as Fort Worth. The total clearings of the southern states for the week ending November 14, were \$83,539,571; same time last year, \$89,497,702; for the month of October, \$324,725,390; same month last year, \$298,564,881; for the year 1901, \$2,345,141,015; for 1902, \$2,950,381,226.

For the week ending November 14 the clearings of Fort Worth exceeded those of the following cities in the south: Atlanta, Augusta, Birmingham, Chattanooga, Jacksonville, Knoxville, Lexington, Little Rock, Macon, Nashville, Norfolk. Only seven cities in all the southern states exceeded the clearings of Fort Worth for the period named, and among them are Houston and Galveston, and when the large export and cotton business of these two cities are considered, it can readily be seen why their clearings are larger than those of this city. For the week named above Fort Worth reported \$4,522,160; Galveston, \$12,356,000, and Houston, \$9,342,687.

For the week referred to, New York leads all other cities in the United States, with \$1,202,441,764, with Chicago next, with clearings of \$182,328,285, and Boston third, with \$141,146,710. Ann Arbor reported the smallest clearings, \$91,820.

**MR. BLAKE'S IMPRESSIONS**  
In the last issue of the American Banker, J. W. Blake, vice president and organizer of the Texas National bank of Dallas, which will open its doors about the middle of December, had some good words for Texas. He said: "New York and other eastern financial centers have a favorable eye on Texas. The impression prevails that Texas will soon be a very important financial factor, as well as a powerful political factor. I found, however, in some sections an erroneous impression that Texas is this year suffering severely from the attacks of the boll weevil. The truth is Texas will receive into her borders this season for her cotton crop more hard cash than she did for the large crops of 1898 and 1899. In addition to her profitable cotton crop, as well as this year raise the late-est corn, wheat, oat and rice crops that she has ever grown. The year 1903 will bring into this state not less than \$300,000,000 for its products. It can easily be seen that Texas is in better financial condition than she ever was. I found the financial conditions in the east better than I expected. The banks seem to have ample funds to meet legitimate demands of their regular customers. I saw no signs of stringency, except that there was a disposition to call in special loans or money advanced on stocks of doubtful or declining value."

If you have weak lungs you have reason to fear pneumonia, and should keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It counteracts any tendency of a cold or attack of the grip to result in pneumonia, and is pleasant and safe to take. It always cures, and cures quickly.

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He is a clever surgeon and an expert gynecologist. He is 44 years of age and the father of three children, whom he has educated according to his own views.

A son, aged 19, studies medicine; a daughter of 17 is an artist.

When the prince regent recently accused him of being eccentric and lowering himself by forgetting his dignity as a member of the royal house, he replied: "Must I then be a drone because of my royal descent? My work as a doctor makes me a useful member of society."

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NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Did you know that we have a woman cotton queen right here in New York? There are Sullys and Browns and Prices, there are Kings and Kings, but there is only one queen, and her name is Giles.

Miss Kate Giles, if you please. She is pretty, too, which makes it all the more interesting.

She has golden hair and big gray eyes and a cotton boll and tea-gray complexion, and altogether it is not wonderful that the great cotton brokers seek her out, to talk about the cotton crops.

By means of a simple yet comprehensive system of correspondence Miss Giles keeps a nervous finger on the ever-changing pulse of cotton crops in all the eleven cotton-growing states.

Twice a month she mails a thousand or more return postal cards to all points within the cotton belt, the reply card bearing the following questions:

1. Cotton—What is the present condition in your county?  
2. When will picking be finished?  
3. Please give indications as to weather conditions.

4. Has there been frost in your county severe enough to injure the plant?  
5. Is the crop in your county larger or smaller than last year? How much?  
6. Are the planters holding their cotton for better prices?

Twice a month she reduces to order the chaotic mass of information that comes flooding back to her and issues her report on the extent of the cotton crop in advance of the government report. It is the promptness and won-

derful accuracy of her forecasts that make them of such value to those who play the dangerous cotton game.

While others are waiting anxiously for the government estimate, those who get their information from Miss Giles are buying or selling, as the situation may be, by warrants, and fortifying themselves for the event that the announcement of the government report is likely to produce.

Once a month she gleams from her statistics the quality of the crops, and announces the result a day ahead of the Bureau of Agriculture.

The next twenty-four hours are unquiet ones for Miss Giles, especially the five minutes before noon on the third of each month, at which time the official estimate is posted on the Produce Exchange.

Five minutes before the fateful moment on these days she slips into the balcony and stands there alone and trembling until the verification of her figures bring relief to her tense nerves.

"You can't imagine what a strain it is to simply fold my hands and wait to see whether I am right or not, knowing how much it means to the men who employ me. Why, if I had millions staked on it myself I could not be more wrought up over it. Of course, in a smaller way, it is just as vital to me, for, of course, if my reports were unreliable, I'd soon lose my customers."

"Have you ever been far out of the way?" she was asked.

She hesitated a moment, with a little rueful smile on her lips.

"Yes, I was seven points out of the way one month in my quality estimate—

PAUL LAMBETH'S LONDON GOSSIP

Two Archbishops Celebrate Wedding Anniversaries—A Famous Detective Retires. Ambassador Choate Moving

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LONDON, Nov. 28.—By a most interesting coincidence, both the archbishop of Canterbury and the archbishop of York recently celebrated on the same day the completion of twenty-five years of happy married life.

The double silver wedding has been marked by the showers of congratulations that have reached the two archiepiscopal couples.

Mrs. Randall Davidson, the consort of the primate, is in the unique position of being the daughter of one archbishop of Canterbury and the wife of another.

The present archbishop was chaplain and secretary to Archbishop Taft, and at Lambeth Palace he wooed and won his master's daughter.

Mrs. Davidson is a most gifted woman, a finished musician and an ardent cyclist, though of course these recreations come after her philanthropic work in engaging her energies.

The archbishop, who has only held the see since the beginning of this year, is one of the youngest primates in history, being only 55.

Dr. McLagan, archbishop of York, shares with his brother of Canterbury not only the same wedding day, but the same birthplace—Edinburgh.

He is, however, twenty-two years older than his ecclesiastical senior.

At one time he held a commission in the Indian army, but retired as lieutenant in 1852, and was ordained four years later.

He is best known outside his church work as an ardent horseman and a great lover of bird and animal life.

His wife is a daughter of the sixth Viscount Barrington. She is a clever speaker and an excellent organizer, and has been engaged in many philanthropic schemes, especially that of the housing of the poor.

Like Mrs. Davidson, she is an accomplished musician, and makes a hobby of gardening.

POPULAR PEER DEAD

The death of Lord Rowton removes one of the most popular, though not the most conspicuous, of British peers.

His is a name which will always be remembered in connection with the excellent cheap lodging houses for workmen which he established in various parts of London.

And in a less degree he is known to fame as Lord Beaconsfield private secretary—"Miss Corry." It is said that the "Dizzy" first met young Corry, then a briefcase carrier, at a country house party, and was so struck with the social qualities he displayed in entertaining the guests on a wet afternoon that he decided on the spot to make him his "impressario," as he put it.

It was in 1856, and from that time until Disraeli's death, in 1881, Mr. Corry scarcely left the great statesman's side, proving himself to be in every respect an ideal private secretary.

He acted as joint secretary to Lords Salisbury and Beaconsfield at the Berlin conference in 1878, and at Lord Beaconsfield's request was given a peerage in 1880.

In the early nineties Lord Rowton attacked the housing question. He risked \$150,000 on a "poor man's hotel," and the venture proving a financial success, was followed by half a dozen others in various poor districts of London.

These places are huge buildings, built on scientific and sanitary lines, giving accommodation to 800 men each at seven pence a night.

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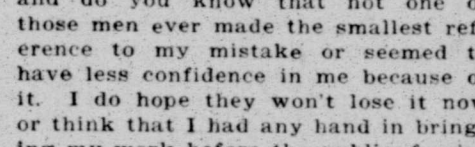
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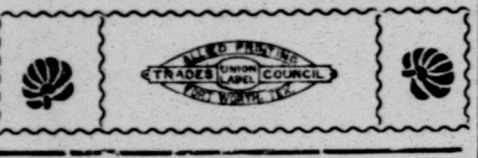
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MOTHER'S BOY

"As long as there is one bad boy in the world, no mother's boy is safe," said Mrs. Bradford of the Colorado Federation of Women's Clubs in an address before the Texas Federation during the last week.

"I want to talk about the boys. As long as there is one bad boy, my boy is in danger. I believe in the same standard for boys that is fixed for girls," said Mrs. W. Scott Heywood of Beaumont to the Texas Federation.

"If we have no place to keep the bad boy and teach him to be better, he will infect all other boys with the badness in him. We must have some place to put these boys," said Chief W. M. Rea of the Fort Worth police force.

Either of these remarks can be taken for a text for study by the masses, and Sunday is one of the best days in the year to have such thoughts in your mind. Each speaker has the same object in mind. The women of the federated clubs believe in the teaching of the home for the boys, and they believe that a general movement to make all boys better is necessary to make all boys good. They do not want to know that bad boys exist, and they know that if boys are made good when they are in the home, they will be good when they are older and go out into the world of business.

A mother's boy is her greatest care. A mother's boy is her hope. Some of these mothers are blind to the faults of their children, and it is the work of the club women to open the eyes to such conditions. It is the work of the club women to teach the boys when they are small, the way they should go. A mother cannot talk too much to her son, she cannot point out too many dangers, she cannot give him too many warnings. The path he must follow through life is beset with temptations, and it is at home that he can learn to avoid these things. It is true that the boy often turns aside from the advice given him at home, and believes that mother is trying to deprive him of some of the pleasure in life, but she is not. She is only giving him a warning. When the boy drives along the street at night, he avoids that portion of the thoroughfare where the red lights warn him that danger threatens the vehicle. So should he avoid those things which are pointed out to him by his mother as being dangerous. Her words are intended for his guidance just as the red light is intended to warn him that dangers threaten along the torn up street.

Chief Rea has met the condition which is presented by the bad boy, and his work has been to secure such legislation that the state will provide a place where the incorrigible will be cared for, taught the error of his incorrigibility, and made to know that by changing he can be respected, honored and made more happy.

There is no future to the life which the wild boy leads. It takes him to destruction sooner or later, and if he will but follow the teachings of mother he will avoid the trouble that is sure to follow any other condition of life.

Let every mother's boy be protected by having every mother's boy true to the pure life which she would have him follow.

In Success a writer tells why a boy was not promoted: He watched the clock. He was always grumbling. He was always behindhand. He had no iron in his blood. He was willing but unfitted. He didn't believe in himself. He asked too many questions. He was stung with a bad book. His stock excuse was "I forgot." He wasn't ready for the next step. He did not put his heart in his work. He learned nothing from his blunders. He felt that he was above his position.

He was content to be a second-rate man. He ruined his ability by half-doing things.

He chose his friends among his inferiors. He never dared to act on his own judgment. He did not think it worth while to learn how. He tried to make "bluff" take the place of ability. He thought he must take amusement every evening. Familiarity with slipshod methods paralyzed his ideal. He thought it was clever to use coarse and profane language. He was ashamed of his parents because they were old-fashioned. He imitated the habits of men who could stand more than he could. He did not learn that the best part of his salary was not in his pay-envelope.

The suggestion of Mrs. J. H. Dibrell of Seguin, who attended the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, that every high school in Texas should have a statue of Stephen Austin and one of Sam Houston, is a good one, and she has generously agreed to donate the first dollar, whenever a high school starts a subscription to purchase the plaster casts. It is well to teach the history of the state to the children. Texas history has more bright pages, more stories of struggles, more heroes, more bloody battles, than any country in the world, and with the faces of the two pioneers, Austin who pressed forward that civilization might be established, and Houston who was a leader in the days of the republic and during the fight for independence, continually before them, the children of Texas will be brought to a realization of that patriotism which each and every one should have, whether a native of the state or not. Too much state history cannot be taught, and this is one way to teach it.

The Tyler Courier is very anxious to see Hon. John M. Duncan brought out as a candidate for attorney general. The Telegram would like to ask the Courier the position of its candidate on the question of free passes, and The Telegram would like for the Courier to ascertain how many candidates for attorney general are now making their campaigns using free passes furnished by the railroads. The attorney general of Texas will have many things of importance to pass upon which involve the rights of the people and the rights of the railroad corporations. The man who is nominated by the democrats should be one who has not spent two or three months previous to his nomination traveling the state on valuable annual passes which the railroads have given him. This is a very important point, and it should apply to other officials of the state, districts and counties as well. The citizen who seeks the office may be above reproach, but the free pass is a powerful influence sometimes.

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The suggestion of Mrs. J. H. Dibrell of Seguin, who attended the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, that every high school in Texas should have a statue of Stephen Austin and one of Sam Houston, is a good one, and she has generously agreed to donate the first dollar, whenever a high school starts a subscription to purchase the plaster casts. It is well to teach the history of the state to the children. Texas history has more bright pages, more stories of struggles, more heroes, more bloody battles, than any country in the world, and with the faces of the two pioneers, Austin who pressed forward that civilization might be established, and Houston who was a leader in the days of the republic and during the fight for independence, continually before them, the children of Texas will be brought to a realization of that patriotism which each and every one should have, whether a native of the state or not. Too much state history cannot be taught, and this is one way to teach it.

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To the city of Houston—Fort Worth sends you for next year the annual meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. We have entertained these ladies during the week just closing and we have found they are individually and collectively the finest in the land. They are fine looking, intelligent, bright, witty, well informed, courteous and appreciative. They are well groomed, and in the latest style. It has been a pleasure to have them, and we extend you congratulations that you are to have them next time. You will find them a benefit to you in many ways, and in addition to those who were guests here on this occasion, we wish to say that Fort Worth will be represented at your meeting with a bevy of the finest, brightest, wittiest and prettiest of any who will attend. Yours truly, Fort Worth.

There is merit in the auditorium movement, and it is hoped it will be a great success. The Texas Federation of Women's Clubs has just finished a session in this city. There was no auditorium in which they could meet and the Tabernacle church was not large enough for the many spectators who wished to visit the convention during its working hours. There must be a house large enough to house conventions, and then a place for those who come to look on. Fort Worth can gather in many conventions if this building is provided. Will you help?

The effort of Captain Cumble of the Salvation Army to provide a dinner for the poor at Christmas is meeting with much encouragement and The Telegram would be glad to see a more general interest in it. The thought is an excellent one. Send a contribution to him, that you may be the means of providing a dinner for some poor family. As you have prospered, so help those about you who are in need.

We are just about to enter upon the holiday season, and the Parker-Washington Company has reached somewhere in the vicinity of Eighth street on one side of Houston with the asphalt. By the way, did we remember that on Thanksgiving day?

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 50c at W. J. Fisher, druggist, and Reeves' Pharmacy.

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Cupid and the Cash Carrier

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Through the great dry goods house of Chase, Remington, Bentley & Co. ranged the usual throng of shoppers—eager faced women and bewildered looking men. In the rear of the store Mr. William L. Remington, the sole survivor of the original firm, sat at a roll top desk in his private office.

Dignified, gray haired and sedate was Mr. Remington, and he looked thoughtful as he leaned back in his revolving chair and tapped the edge of his desk with a square envelope of rough blue paper. The envelope contained an invitation to a reception to be given by Mrs. Eleanor Chase, the widow of one of the former partners of the house and a society woman.

Mr. Remington was not a society man, and it was of his son Jack, aged twenty-two, that he thought as he fingered the envelope and of Eleanor Chase's daughter Nancy.

He rose, opened a door which led into the main part of the store and, threading the maze of aisles, made his way to the silk counter. There stood Jack, who was working his way through the various departments of the business, devoting the charms of his personality to the display of a roll of silk to one of a crowd of well dressed women.

Mr. Remington looked on approvingly as his handsome son concluded negotiations with the woman, took a bill from her and, inclosing it in a little nickel plated case, placed it in the receptacle of the cash carrier. He pulled a cord, and the box shot up till it reached the narrow lines of metal, whence it was whisked with business-like precision to the cryic of the cashier.

As Jack turned to another customer his father waited; then, recognizing the purchaser of the silk, he stepped forward and engaged her in conversation.

Presently the nickel plated case shot back over the carrier and dropped with an assertive click into its receptacle. Mr. Remington released it, relieved of its contents and, with a brief "I'll give Mrs. Waldron her change, Jack," which received an answering nod from the young man, handed the money to the woman.

But Remington senior did not give her all that the case contained. He withheld a small piece of folded white paper, which he regarded idly for a moment, then opened. Written across it in hastily formed characters were the words: "It is an age till tomorrow night, dearest!"

The old gentleman held the paper nearer to his eyes and read the message again. Then he looked at his son, who was talking animatedly. Then he refolded the paper carefully, placed it in his vest pocket and walked slowly away. He went to another part of the store, from which he could get a view of the cashier's post, and looked up.

There among the converging wires of the cash carrier was a high desk, and over its top protruded a head of wavy brown hair, and occasionally as its owner reached for the metal cases Mr. Remington caught sight of the pretty, refined face of Gertrude Terry, his cashier.

The old gentleman watched the girl for awhile, then went to his private office and again seated himself at his desk. He drew the piece of white paper from his pocket and looked at it thoughtfully. Then he turned his attention to the square, blue envelope which contained Mrs. Chase's invitation and glanced from one to the other, as though weighing in his mind the value of each.

Perhaps the memory of his own married life, spent with a woman of society, whose tastes and temperament were at variance with his own, passed in mental review. The many nights he had sat at his lonely fireside while his wife was attending functions to which he had little inclination to follow her may have intruded themselves on his reflections. Whatever his thoughts—and they contained no bitterness for the woman who was gone—he kept them to himself.

He did not say anything to Jack when they left the store together except to tell him that he had some private business to attend to and might be late for their 7 o'clock dinner. Then he gave the driver of his coupe an address and presently alighted at a small frame house.

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"I would not let him, and I have been trying to tell him that he must not see me again."

Mr. Remington smiled. "You took it for granted that I should not want an unofficial partner in my family who was brave and womanly merely because she happened to be poor," he said softly, taking her hand.

The next morning Chase, Remington, Bentley & Co. was crowded as usual when Jack pulled a slip of white paper from the metal messenger of the cash carrier. The message, which was in his father's handwriting, was as follows: "Miss Terry will soon leave the employ of this firm."

Jack leaped over the silk counter and hurried to his father's private office. The room was empty, but in a moment Gertrude and Mr. Remington entered.

Jack angrily handed the note to his father. "What is the meaning of this?" he demanded.

Mr. Remington looked at the paper complacently. "It means," he said, "that I think my future daughter-in-law should have time to prepare for her wedding."

Jack leaned against the roll top desk in wonderment, while Gertrude read the note.

"If I had known what was in it I should not have sent it," she said, with a reproachful smile at the elder Remington. "Is that your idea of breaking the news properly?"

"No," answered the old gentleman, "but I did not like to spoil the record that cash carrier has for revealing the unexpected."

Traveling by Map.

The experiences of Captain Joseph La Barge, as told in "The History of Early Steamboat Navigation on the Missouri River," includes this story: Captain La Barge was a pilot and Indian trader for fifty eventful years, and on one of his trips up the river he had a party of Englishmen aboard. They had a map and applied themselves industriously to the business of identifying the various places on it with those along their route. They were in the pilot house a good deal, and one of them was inclined to instruct in the geography of the country the veteran pilot, who had spent all his life on or near the river.

"What place is this that we are approaching, Mr. Pilot?" he asked. "St. Charles, sir," La Barge replied. "You are mistaken, sir. According to the map, it is —"

La Barge made no reply. He stopped as usual at St. Charles and then went his way. Presently they came to another village.

"What place, captain?" inquired the Englishman.

"Washington, Mo., sir."

"Wrong again. The map gives this place as —"

This experience was repeated several times, the captain's temper becoming more ruffled with each repetition. Presently a flock of wild geese passed over the river. The Englishmen were standing on the hurricane roof in front of the pilot house.

"What kind of birds are those, captain?" asked one of them in eager haste.

The captain, whose language still showed something of his French origin, replied: "Look at your map. He tell you."

Bought Art to Destroy It. The attendants in the art gallery of a department store in Brooklyn were startled the other day to see a man deliberately destroy two pictures that he had just purchased at a cost of \$47. The man is wealthy and aims to have a collection of art objects that have no duplicates. He had purchased in the art gallery that was the scene of his vandalism a painting for which he paid \$1,000. After it was sent home he was showing it to a friend, who, knowing the collector's weakness, told him he had seen two reproductions of the painting in the same gallery, one priced at \$35, the other at \$12.

"Go and buy them for me," said the collector, "and when you get them break them up. I'll give you a check for \$47 before you go home."

The friend declined the task; so the collector went to the store himself, pointed out the two pictures, and after he had paid for them destroyed them on the spot.

This same man ordered a table with a carved top, for which he paid \$900, and after it had been finished he went to the artist who had designed it and stood by him while he destroyed the original drawing for the table. That was a part of the contract, and he meant to see it carried out.—New York Freeman.



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Market Quotations

MARKET REVIEW

Cattle receipts last week were hardly up to the estimate placed by the local commission men the first part of the week. From the heavy runs Monday and Tuesday it looked as if last week's receipts would break all previous records, but with the moderate runs the remainder of the week the market closed Saturday with the receipts for the week at 14,508 head, as against 17,965 head the previous week.

The market opened Monday steady to strong, closing 18c to 8c higher, but Tuesday, with another liberal run the market took a turn for the worse and closed slow and drab. During the rest of the week there was little quotable change in values, the market closing Saturday about steady. Good quality heavy steers were scarce and the few offered sold around \$3.55. Medium fed steers, weighing between 900 and 1,000 pounds, are selling at \$3.45 to \$3.50, with the average stecker and feeder kinds at \$2.50 to \$2.50.

While cows show a loss in quality, the receipts have been fully ample for the trade and taken as a whole, the market closed about steady with Monday's opening, although during the week the market was on a very uneven basis. Best quality range cows are quoted at \$2.10 to \$2.25, medium to good at \$2.00 to \$2.10, common to fair butchers at \$1.50 to \$1.85, and canners at \$1.10 to \$1.50.

The first of the week the calf market ruled strong to higher, and the packers bought liberally, but with heavy receipts Wednesday the market lost all advance, closing slow and weak. Bulls have been scarce, but the light supply received during the week generally sold at steady prices.

With the opening of Monday's market, hogs were on a gradual decline until Saturday, when with favorable reports from outside points the market opened steady to strong, closing about 5c higher. Commission men who are represented at other markets are advising their customers to ship their hogs here, as it has been demonstrated during the past two weeks that this market is not only in line with the northern markets, but is paying even higher prices than paid at either Chicago or Kansas City. A prominent commission man is quoted as saying: "If packing interests intend to put the hog market on a 4c basis, as they have threatened, it is up to them to get busy. For one I do not believe they can do it." It now remains to be seen whether packers will get the cheaper hogs they have been looking for and the pit shorts the cheaper product.

In the opinion of many traders increased receipts at outside points have already discounted the lower decline in prices. Choice sorted hogs are quoted for the Monday market at \$4.35 to \$4.40; medium weight, good quality, packers at \$4.25 to \$4.35; pigs and lights at \$3.20 to \$3.45.

NORTH FORT WORTH, Nov. 28.—On the late market Friday 800 cattle were received from western points, all of which were shipped out this morning, leaving the total receipts for trading today less than 300 head.

Two loads of heavy fed steers, averaging 1,885 pounds, shipped in by D. F. Sanson of Alvarado, sold to Swift & Co. at \$3.55, with one 820-pound steer out at \$1. and one heavy stag, weighing 1,350 pounds, at \$2.75. The market on this class of stuff shows no change from Friday.

W. W. Turner of Alpine had on the market a small string of cows, which were carried over unsold. A few odds and ends in cow stuff sold on the morning market at steady prices.

Commission men generally are quoting a strong close, and with moderate receipts next week predict a steady active market.

With only three cars of hogs yarded for today's trading, the market opened steady at 5c to 10c higher than Friday's close. Buyers started out early and everything choice was bought at 5c to 10c better, with the heavy and mixed packing kinds showing an advance of about 5c over yesterday's average. The First National Bank of Cushing, Ok., marketed seventy-six choice 114-pound pigs at \$4.75 and thirty-seven good quality medium weight packers, averaging 192 pounds, at the same price. Heavy Texas hogs, weighing 230 pounds, sold at \$4.10, with one fair quality drove of 227-pound Oklahoma butchers at \$4.40.

The local market at present is paying higher prices than any other market in the country, but values are governed entirely by the conditions at the northern markets and not by the demand by the local packers.

Next week will probably see a better proportionate run of light hogs, as a great many hogs raisers have shipped out their heavy marketable hogs and are holding their remaining stock of heavy sows for breeding purposes.

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TOP PRICES TODAY  
Steers ..... \$3.55  
Cows ..... 2.90  
Hogs ..... 4.75

REPRESENTATIVE SALES  
HOGS.—The quality of the light run of hogs today was above the average and buyers picked up the light supply on the early market at 5c to 10c higher than Friday's close. Choice quality hogs, averaging 193 pounds, sold at \$4.75, with best pigs at the same price and the average quality heavy hogs at \$4.40. The sales:

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CATTLE.—With the exception of two loads of good steers, shipped in by D. F. Sanson of Alvarado, the general quality of the light run of cattle today was only fair, but to close the market early buyers bought the light supply at steady prices, best steers selling at \$3.55, with a

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COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS  
Cattle, Hogs, H. & M.  
Today ..... 309 275 25  
Last week ..... 1,967 382 29  
Previous week ..... 477 79 28  
Last month ..... 657 319 70

FOREIGN MARKETS  
ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 800, including 350 Texas; market steady to strong; Texans higher; beef steers, \$3.75 to \$4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$3.75; cows and heifers, \$2.25 to \$4.25, with corn-fed heifers up to \$4.75; Texas steers, \$2.30 to \$4.25; cows and heifers, \$2.00 to \$2.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market steady to 5c higher; pigs and lights, \$4.25 to \$4.45; packers, \$4.15 to \$4.35; butchers and best heavy, \$4.30 to \$4.45.  
Sheep—Receipts, 150; market strong; railroaders, \$3.20 to \$3.50; lambs, \$4.75 to \$5.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 500, including 100 southern; market unchanged; native steers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; southern steers, \$2.45 to \$4; southern cows, \$1.50 to \$2.45; native cows and heifers, \$1.50 to \$3.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$3.85; bulls, \$1.75 to \$3.25; calves, \$2.50 to \$5.75; western steers, \$2.50 to \$4.10; western cows, \$1.60 to \$2.45.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,000; market 5c higher; bulk of males at \$4.20 to \$4.40; heavy, \$4.25 to \$4.45; packers, \$4.25 to \$4.40; pigs and lights, \$4.20 to \$4.40.  
Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; market steady; muttons, \$3.35 to \$3.60; lambs, \$4.25 to \$5.20; range wethers, \$3.60 to \$3.90; ewes, \$2.25 to \$3.15.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK  
CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; market steady and unchanged.  
Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; estimated receipts for Monday, 43,000; market 5c to 10c higher; lights, \$4.45 to \$4.55; rough, \$4.00 to \$4.20; mixed, \$4.20 to \$4.55; heavy, \$4.25 to \$4.55; pigs, \$3.50 to \$4.40.  
Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; estimated receipts for Monday, 30,000; market strong and steady.

OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN  
The cattlemen of west Texas and New Mexico make the serious complaint that stock are imported into the United States from Mexico and sold in competition with their own. They threaten to take the matter before congress. Speaking of the stockmen's importation a prominent Texas stockman says: "The matter is sure to come up for consideration by the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association at the next quarterly meeting of its executive committee. Some decisive action must be taken if the cattle business in Texas and New Mexico is to be upheld. The rate at which Mexican cattle have been shipped to this country for feed and slaughter has been great enough to create a marked decline in the price of cattle here, and if they are, as stated in some quarters, improperly brought into the United States, then there is no protection afforded to American cattle against the Mexican breeds, and the tariff regulations are now being carried out."

The federal cattle inspectors in Oklahoma territory find that they are overworked because the force is short-handed. They need more help to get the best results and keep stock on the move.

The authorities of Sioux City, Iowa, stock yards will fill up Half Moon lake as a site for a new packing plant at that point. The current report is that this prodigious undertaking will commence at once. The dirt will come from the hill back of it. The plot to be filled and graded will be about twenty acres. The property is virtually owned by the Swift interests.

Well posted stockmen and packing house experts are now predicting a live hog. They did get down to \$4.50 for bulk of purchases. The good demand for pork and the excellent shipping outlet for provisions make no impression on the price of hogs, though the run is smaller.

The leading live stock raisers of South Carolina met in Columbia and organized the South Carolina Live Stock Association. The following officers were elected: President, John G. Mobley, Winnsboro; first vice president, W. P. Harris, Rapley; second vice president, Dr. Joseph H. Burgess, Clemson College; third vice president, Dr. T. J. Kinard, Ninety-Six; fourth vice president, Hon. A. T. Smythe, Charleston; fifth vice president, E. M. Pegues, Cheraw; secretary and treasurer, Dr. G. E. Nesom, Clemson College. The organization will endeavor to improve the beef breeds and encourage beef growing in the state. The Clemson Agricultural experiment station will guide the body.

In many parts of Texas, where many steers were fed last season, there are few to be fed this season. Fewer will be fed all over the state this season than last. In several localities they have given way to cotton.

Some of the Texas cotton seed oil mills will have a short run. The seed in some sections will not be plentiful. There has been a

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COTTON QUOTATIONS

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

Table with 4 columns: Location, Today, Last year, Today, Last year. Lists receipts for Galveston, New Orleans, Mobile, Savannah, Charleston, Wilmington, Norfolk, Baltimore, New York, Boston, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Memphis, Houston.

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

Table with 4 columns: Location, Tomorrow, Last year, Tomorrow, Last year. Lists estimated receipts for New Orleans, Galveston, Houston.

LIVERPOOL  
LIVERPOOL, Nov. 28.—The market for spot cotton was steady in tone. Middlings, 6.25d. Receipts, 31,000 bales. Sales, 4,000 bales.

NEW ORLEANS  
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 28.—The market for spot cotton was steady in tone. Middlings, 11-16c. Sales, 3,050 bales.

LIVERPOOL STATEMENT  
Visible supply of cotton: Liverpool stock this year, 232,000 against 295,000; year before, 419,000. Continental stock, 274,000 against 265,000; year before, 288,000. Afloat for Europe, 885,000; last year, 677,000; year before, 784,000. United States stocks at ports, 919,291 against 1,034,600; year before, 842,851. United States interior stocks, 458,921 against 552,895; year before, 623,614. United States exports today, 53,784 against 53,585; year before, 36,328. Total American, 2,820,995; last year, 2,818,080; year before, 2,977,192.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Wheat made another stagger today in its upward course, but only secured a firm hold with one-quarter advance. December closed 3/4 up. May was 1-16 down. Corn suffered from liquidation by December. Corn and oats in sympathy. December corn sold 4 1/2 3/4 and May 3/4. Oats closed 2 1/2 3/4 lower. Provisions took an upward turn and closed moderately firm. There was a 10c advance in pork, and 7 1/2 in ribs. Wheat opened a shade easier. December wheat at from 80 to 80 1/4 and it was soon seen that it was again being used as pacer-maker for the May, in which the greater part of the speculative business is being done. May started at from 80 to 80 1/4.

Outside markets were all busily inclined and soon as they got a little encouragement from Chicago. Northwestern receipts were again smaller than last year's and were also under those of the six days of the previous week. Bids from millers selling up to prices prevailing in Duluth. December advanced to 80 1/4. And May moved a notch or two behind. Liverpool quotations were from unchanged to 3/4 lower. Paris was from unchanged to 3/4 higher. Visible increase, 1,217,000 bushels against 279,000 bushels last year. May could not maintain its advance and closed 1/4 3/4 lower, which was a shade under yesterday's final figures, while December closed at 80 1/4, or 3/4 higher.

It is getting too near the first of the month for speculative holders of December corn to feel comfortable. They began running from it after a feeble attempt to bull the market at the opening. The December price was 4 1/2 to 4 3/4. May same time sold 42 1/2 to 42 3/4. Then the December liquidation began in a scattered way. The price broke in the course of an hour to 41 1/4. May was influenced by the December, going to discount and weakened to 51 1/4 to 51 3/4, exactly the advance of Friday last. December corn was 1/4 lower at the close at 41 1/4 and a quarter discount under May which was 41 3/4.

Oats for December suffered from the same kind of selling as corn—by small lots who do not want the real stuff delivered to them Tuesday. December

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closed 3/4 under yesterday and May dropped 3/4 in sympathy. The bulls gave the market a nominal support. December opened 1/8 off at 24 1/2, sold up to 24 3/4 and off to 23 3/4. May ranged from 25 1/2 to 25 3/4 at the start, up to 25 1/2 3/4 and off to 25 1/2. December closed 23 3/4 to 23 1/2 and May at 25 1/4 to 25 1/2. Rye was dull and unsettled. May was 56 sellers and December 53 sellers. November sold at 56 1/2 f. o. b.

Barley sales ranged from 40 to 42 for milling grades and 35 to 37 for feed. Steaming was firm in sympathy with flour. Provisions were firm in sympathy with flour. Some buying of lard by packing houses and of pork and ribs by local shorts started the advance and packers were credited with selling moderately.

Flax seed was steady to 1 cent lower. May showed decline.

QUOTATIONS  
Cash sales: Wheat—No. 2 red, 87c; No. 2 hard winter, 86 1/2c; No. 1 northern spring, 86c; No. 2 northern spring, 84c. Corn—No. 2, 42 1/2c; No. 2 white, 42 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 46c. Oats—Standard, 35 1/2c; No. 2, 34 1/2c; No. 2 white, 37 1/2 to 38 1/2c.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS  
CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—The grain and provisions markets ranged as follows today:

Table with 4 columns: Commodity, Open, High, Low, Close. Lists prices for Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, Barley.

Wheat—Open High Low Close  
December ..... 7 1/4 7 1/4 7 1/4 7 1/4  
January ..... 8 1/4 8 1/4 8 1/4 8 1/4  
February ..... 8 1/4 8 1/4 8 1/4 8 1/4  
March ..... 8 1/4 8 1/4 8 1/4 8 1/4  
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NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Today the stock market was a narrow, professional and inconsequential affair. The fluctuations as a rule were confined to extremely small advances or declines. There was continued talk of probable gold imports, but no additional engagements were announced. It was generally agreed that the bank statement would be very favorable and the best expectations were filled. A little selling, however, immediately followed its publication but in turn in the final dealings prices were bid up fractionally. An exception to the general uninteresting movement was furnished by Canadian Pacific which steadily declined from the opening 1 1/2. There was news to account for the movement but desultory talk was revived of the coming of the new Canadian transcontinental road. The list furnished no features worth mentioning. The bulls in sugar made further success. Profit taking by the shorts in republic iron and steel preferred rallied the price 1 1/2 per cent. Consolidated Gas rose 2 1/2 per cent on revived rumors of Mellon cutting, but later the stock lost 1 per cent. The United States Steel stocks were barely steady. Amalgamated copper was heavy losing 1/2 per cent. There was further strength in Twin City rapid transit. Final prices as a rule showed few important net changes. Market closed dull and without change, although prices were fairly steady. Government bonds were unchanged. Railroad bonds were dull and uninteresting.

BANK STATEMENT  
Reserves, increase ..... \$3,219,850  
Less U. S. increase ..... 2,216,000  
Specie, decrease ..... 712,700  
Loans, decrease ..... 6,294,600  
Legals, increase ..... 1,481,200  
Deposits, decrease ..... 5,781,400  
Circulation, increase ..... 13,400

NEW YORK STOCKS  
(Furnished by Heenan & Weaver.)  
Open High Low Close  
Atchafson ..... 66 66 66 66 66  
Amal. Copper, pfd. 38 38 38 38 38  
Baltimore and Ohio, 76 76 76 76 76  
B. R. T. .... 39 39 39 39 39  
Erie ..... 27 27 27 27 27  
Illinois Central ..... 128 128 128 128 128  
Louis and Nash. .... 103 103 103 103 103  
Missouri Pacific ..... 90 90 90 90 90  
Metropolitan ..... 117 117 117 117 117  
Mexican Central ..... 9 9 9 9 9  
New York Central ..... 117 117 117 117 117  
Pennsylvania ..... 114 114 114 114 114  
Reading ..... 40 40 40 40 40  
Rock Island ..... 24 24 24 24 24  
Southern Pacific ..... 46 46 46 46 46  
Southern Railway ..... 19 19 19 19 19  
St. Paul ..... 138 138 138 138 138  
Amer. Sugar, ref. 122 122 122 122 122  
Texas and Pacific. 23 23 23 23 23  
Tenn. Coal and Iron 28 ..... 28  
Union Pacific ..... 74 74 74 74 74  
U. S. Steel ..... 51 51 51 51 51  
U. S. Steel, pfd. .... 51 51 51 51 51  
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BOSTON COPPER MARKET  
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bid; Amalgamated, 38 1/2; Anaconda, 16; Bingham, 21; Calumet, 430; Continental, 14 bid; Copper Range Con., 43; Isle Royal, 6 1/2; Massachusetts Mining, 40 bid; Mohawk, 35 bid; Old Dominion, 3 asked; Osceola, 56 1/2; Parrot, 18 bid; Tamarack, 85 bid; United States Mining, 17 1/2; Utah, 27 1/2.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES  
NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Sugar, raw steady; fair refining, 3 1/4; molasses sugar, 3; refined, quiet; crushed, 5.05; powdered, 4.55; granulated, 4.45; molasses, steady; New Orleans, 32 1/2 to 34.

COFFEE QUOTATIONS  
NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Coffee—The market closed firm; November, 5.65 to 5.70; December, 6.55 to 5.70; January, 5.80 to 5.85; February, 5.90 to 5.95; March, 6.05 to 6.10; April, 6.15 to 6.20; May, 6.25 to 6.30; June, 6.30 to 6.40; July, 6.45 to 6.50; August, 6.50 to 6.55; September, 6.55 to 6.60; October, 6.60 to 6.65. Total sales, 66,000 bags.

PRECIOUS METALS  
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GLENWOOD NEWS  
Mrs. Ed Bowles has returned after several weeks spent on a trip visiting relatives and friends.  
Mrs. R. F. Cook is on the sick list this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Renn took Thanksgiving dinner in Dallas.  
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# In The Theater

**THE WEEK'S EXPECTATIONS**  
**Monday night—The Fast Mail.**  
**Tuesday night—Dockstader's Minstrels.**  
**Wednesday night—Virginia Drew Tresscott in "Satania."**  
**Thursday night—Charles B. Hanford.**

usual because the club women have had their own social affairs to look after, and the hostesses have been with the club women. The attraction of Miss Thurston Friday night was the finest of the week, and was enjoyed

specialties. There are a number of good looking girls, a generous display of shoulders and hosiery, new and clever songs and grotesque dances. It is bright and amusing with plenty of action.

was the song, "Just like a Scene in a Play," in which were sundry excellent caricatures in dumb show of scenes in our modern melodramas. Edgar Halstead was the Uncle Reuben and he was the usual impossible jay with a carpet sack, but gave a picture not too greatly overdrawn, which is quite uncommon. Edgar Halstead as Jack did good work both in his role and in several good songs, but the most artistic work was by Edouard Durand as the French valet.

The coming week will be an enjoyable one. It promises much of the dramatic art, and there are old favorites. Miss Virginia Drew Tresscott who was here last year in Lord Strathmore, is an accomplished actor and well remembered. She has a new play this season. Charles B. Hanford comes toward the end of the week, and he is popular. Mr. Hanford is giving a scenic revival of legitimate plays.

The attractions for December, after the first week are as follows:  
 December 7—"The Silver Slipper" (100 people).  
 December 8—"The Silver Slipper."  
 December 10—Billy Kersands Minstrel.  
 December 11—Marie Wainwright in "The Twelfth Night."  
 December 14—S. Miller Kent.  
 December 15—"Peck's Bad Boy."  
 December 16—"In Old Kentucky."  
 December 17—"Thelma."  
 December 18—"The Convict's Daughter."  
 December 19—"Smart Set."  
 December 21—Helen Grantly in "The Palace of the King."  
 December 22—"Two Married Men."  
 December 23—W. B. Patton in "The Little Homestead."  
 December 25—"The Chinese Honeymoon" (Christmas).  
 December 26—James & Ward in "Alexander the Great."  
 December 29—"Man to Man."

**"THE FAST MAIL"**  
 "The New Fast-Mail," that time honored piece by Lincoln J. Carter, will again be seen at Greenwall's opera house Monday night, Nov. 30. The piece is somewhat old, this being its fourteenth successful consecutive season on the road, but is always welcome. The plot is an extremely clever and exciting one. The spectacular effects are very realistic. In the second act a steamboat is shown, with the boiler room and all the intricate machinery. The boat is blown up by a terrible explosion, and the wreck is seen going down in mid river. Another interesting and attractive scene is where a freight train is run across the stage. The locomotive and cars look to be the real thing, and when the mail train comes along and takes the bag of mail, interest and enthusiasm rises to the highest pitch. A beautiful view of Niagara Falls by moonlight is seen with the Suspension Bridge standing guard above it. The cast is said to be excellent and play their respective roles with enthusiasm, intelligence and much dramatic action.

**DOCKSTADER'S MINSTRELS**  
 Lew Dockstader and his great minstrel company, which is the attraction at Greenwall's opera house Tuesday matinee and night, Dec. 1, will emphasize the fact that negro minstrelsy is not dead, as this form of entertainment is entirely an American feature which has gradually drifted away from the ideas of its originators. One of the sure signs of its popularity is that every writer of comic opera and musical comedy depends solely upon it for their hits, not alone the writer of the book but the composer of the music introduces negro songs, melodies and dances in all their works, and invariably their biggest hits have been made with these numbers. There was a time when the public would stand for a so-called minstrel show to appear in Louis XIV. costumes, powdered wigs and painted faces; which was rather charming to look upon because it was new and in some degree true to the troubadour-style of the Orient, but this style having lost its novelty is no longer charming and furthermore theatre-goers now want American minstrelsy that is true to negro-life of plantation days and truly a feature of our own country. Knowing that the public desires this form of entertainment, Mr. Dockstader and his manager, Mr. Jas. H. Decker, are the first to furnish this old-time form of amusement,

but with modern embellishments of a kind that embraces the effect, for they know what is wanted, having studied that for years, yet, until this season, have been kept from meeting the demand. The gaudily-bedecked costumes and white-face minstrelsy has seen its day. In its place has come the merry darkey fun intermingled with up-to-date songs and humor, led by ambitious men like Lew Dockstader with ample capital and a wealth of ideas.

**VIRGINIA DREW TRESSCOTT**  
 Virginia Drew Tresscott in "Satania" comes to Greenwall's opera house Wednesday matinee and night, Dec. 2. The Houston Post says:

Virginia Drew Tresscott, under the favor of Mr. David Traitel, presented at the opera house last night, before a large and intelligent audience "Satania," a sermon on morality. It was not so denominated in the bond, i. e.; the playbill, but a sermon it was nevertheless, and one which had the Missouri merit of being seen as well as heard. Yet, notwithstanding its directness and stern applicability to modern thought; notwithstanding the superb acting which marked its presentation, we venture to say that the lesson of man's perfidy and woman's weakness will be the majority of mankind be learned at first hand rather than taken on trust from illustration behind the footlights.

Miss Tresscott, who is a San Francisco girl, is tall, graceful and has dark blue eyes and copper red hair. She is a bit of individual positivism such as is rarely met with; cultured, refined, artistic and soulful, she throws herself into the depiction of the character of the self-sacrificing sister, whose struggle, sacrifice and devotion are pitted against the scheming heartlessness and pantheistic voluptuousness of the men of the world, who lose for her two important tricks in the game of life, before, through the intervention of the Cross she gains the final decisive conquest and peace, with a fervor and wholehearted abandon that is truly great.

Miss Tresscott's support is equal to her play's demand and a strong foil to her superiority in its strength of other coloring, necessary to make the full-light prism of a harmonious whole. The play is splendidly staged, handsomely costumed, excellently scenery and in its attracting and repelling power rarely equalled. The moral is plain and the reading is made perfectly clear. Houston has seen and will see many actors and actresses of merit this season, but none who will be accorded a more cordial welcome should she desire to return here in the future, nor one who gives such promise of a very high rank in the annals of her chosen profession.

**CHARLES B. HANFORD**  
 What Charles B. Hanford, who comes to Greenwall's on Thursday matinee and night, Dec. 2, presenting at the matinee "The Merchant of Venice" and Thursday night, "Richard III," has to say on the value of applause.  
 "That's an enthusiastic house to-night," remarked scribe, who wended his way to the mysteries of stage-land and who stood in the dressing-room door of Mr. Charles B. Hanford. "You seem to have caught them right."  
 "Yes," remarked the genial actor. "Do you believe there is any great value in applause?" I asked.  
 "With all my heart" came the quick reply.  
 "Might I ask for your views on the subject?"  
 "Most assuredly you may. James, how much time have I?"  
 "Fifteen minutes, Governor," replied

**Mr. Hanford's valet.**  
 "Excuse me, old chap, won't you, but I must get this beastly wig on. It's a great mistake to suppose the excellence of a performance depends upon the manager, the author and the actors. On the contrary, the audience has quite as much to do with it as any of these other three factors. Generous but judicious applause is the breath that inspires manager, author and actor alike to do their utmost to deserve success. Acting is an art so simple and so practically difficult, that the uninitiated can scarcely understand how the ladies and gentlemen before them upon the stage are, and yet are not, at the same moment, the personages whom they are supposed to represent. All the applause comes to the actor like the spur to the spirited steed; like champagne to the poet. It exhilarates him. It enables him to

outdo himself. Achievement grows upon appreciation, and the audience which applauds most always sees the best acting. The English fashion of 'receptions' is a very graceful form of applause. It is the recognition which an actor receives as he makes his first appearance for the evening—a sort of 'How do you do?' or 'We are glad to see you.' This is no trouble to a sentiment upon the actor's performance, but the effect upon him is magical. He feels at ease in a moment, and he will play the better for it the whole evening. During the performance, an actor who gets no applause is like an artist painting in the dark. He never knows what he has accomplished, what effects he has produced. The only way to let him know he is right is to applaud him. The value of ap-

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MR. CHAS. B. HANFORD

Thursday Matinee—In "Merchant of Venice."

Thursday Night—In "Richard the Third."

Saturday night—Alberta Gallatin.

The week just closed has witnessed two productions of East Lynne, a production of "The Gambler's Daughter," Human Hearts, Adelaide Thurston and "When Reuben Comes to Town." It was a variation of dramatic entertainment which suits all classes. The theater has not been as well attended as

by a large audience. Last night the week closed with "When Reuben Comes to Town." "When Reuben Comes to Town" is a very good example of the modern musical comedy, and is one of the few in which the fun is cumulative. Instead of being exhausted in the first act, the hilarity is more in evidence in the second. There are a number of good

Among the ladies there are several good enough for headlines. Miss Anna Lloyd, as Marie, is chic and clever, and made a hit with her song, "What Will the Neighbors Say?" Miss Adalyn Hall sang a sentimental ballad in a rich contralto voice, with an echo in the balcony by Mr. Harry Tyler, who has a great voice for a youngster. An especially clever piece of "business"



ALBERTA GALLATIN IN "GHOSTS"



MISS VIRGINIA TRESSCOTT IN "SATANIA"

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MR. CHARLES W. MEAKIN,  
 Business Manager.





LEW DOCKSTADER WITH "DOCKSTADER'S MINSTREL"

**IN THE THEATER**

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plause, then, to an actor is incalculable; but its value to an audience is as great. The one reacts upon the other.

**Greenwall's Opera House**

Monday Night, Nov. 30  
Lincoln J. Carter's ever popular sensational Melodrama  
"THE FAST MAIL"  
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**EXTRAORDINARY ENGAGEMENT**

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Saturday Matinee and Night, Dec. 5  
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The effect of Ibsen's "Ghosts" upon the minds of the spectators is said to be nothing short of marvelous. Upon some the influence is of a hypnotic nature causing auditors to sit spell-bound, leaning forward and maintaining a tight grasp on the back of the seats in front. Female spectators are frequently moved to hysterics by the intensity of the scenes. Perhaps the most amusing occurrence was a remark of a young lady spectator during the run in New York City. "It was during a very strong situation on the stage in which Pastor Manders and Mrs. Alving were the chief actors. Mrs. Alving said to the Pastor: 'I feel almost like throwing my arms about your neck.' The young lady

spectator, who had been wrought up to a high pitch of excitement, exclaimed at this moment, "Oh, I wish she would." In an ordinary performance such an outcry would have been sufficient to ruin the effect of the scene, but in this instance so engrossed were the spectators in the action of the play that only a few chuckles of merriment were heard.

Ibsen's much talked of drama will be seen in this city at Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, Dec. 5, Alberta Gallatin will head the company.

**PLAYS COMING SOON**

John C. Fisher, proprietor and producer of "Floradora" and "The Silver Slipper" does not believe in the old theory "letting well enough alone," and since the first production of both of these pieces has been constantly putting in fresh songs and new comedy scenes of the most striking and vivid quality. With "The Silver Slipper" he has built up a show which in addition to being altogether superb from a spectacular point of view, fairly bristles with hilarity and melody to the end that one event of interest follows so closely upon the heels of its predecessors as to keep the spectator on the qui vive without an instant's cessation.

There is apparently an endless chain of admirers of the Jefferson De Angelis Opera company, in Sam S. Shubert and Nixon and Zimmerman's production, "The Toreador." Mr. De Angelis evokes continuous merriment by his uniquely comical performance of Sammy Gigg, and the whole representation, with its great cast of favorites, large chorus and picturesque scenes, is said to be one of the brightest and merriest musical pieces that has been produced in a number of seasons.

The lithograph poster of Fifi (Toby Claude) in "A Chinese Honeymoon," sitting on a trunk has been in great demand by poster collectors throughout the country. It is one of the most original drawings for a musical comedy that was ever made. The costumes for "A Chinese Honeymoon" are the most gorgeous and expensive of recent

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productions. The music is the work of Howard Talbot and the book and lyrics by George Dance. The production was staged by Mr. Gerald Coventry, who came from London to superintend it.

The brightest of the musical hits this season is the new edition of "The Head Waiters" with Joe Kelly and his merry bunch and includes Jane Adelaide Hood's Narragansett Ladies' Band.

Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night," in which Miss Marie Wainwright, the famous interpreter of the immortal bard's conceptions, is to appear here soon in the title role of Viola, is a series of amusing and confusing contraptions, due to Viola's running at large in the disguise of a page among the titled folks of Illyria. "This one of the merriest productions of Shakespeare's many-sided genius.

**YALE NOW HAS NOBLE STUDENT**

The Marquis de Mores, Entered as a Freshman This Fall

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 28.—Yale university has in Louis de Mores, as he has been known among his classmates in the freshman class of the Sheffield scientific school, its first nobleman student. Through the visit of his mother, the Marquise de Mores, it became known that De Mores is in fact the Duke de Vallombroso, Marquis de Mores and the son of the Marquis de Mores who twenty years ago attracted attention by his fight against the beef trust in this country and who in 1896 was murdered while he was leading a French expedition in the Soudan.

This marquis entered Yale this fall without revealing the fact of his noble birth, and has been living quietly and simply, although, through his grandfather, he will probably inherit more money than all but a few men who are now in the university. He lives in a student apartment at 135 Wall street and eats at the university commons. In fact, the young marquis appears to prefer to be unnoticed and neither in his actions nor his mode of living is there any attempt at display nor evidence that he has more than a moderate income.

Few women have had as varied and exciting a career as his mother. She is the daughter of A. L. Hoffman, formerly a Wall street banker, who had a large estate on Staten island in 1833, when the marquis won Miss Marie Medora von Hoffman's heart. With the backing of his father-in-law the marquis bought a large ranch in North Dakota, where the Northern Pacific crosses the Little Missouri, near the Montana life. He built a small town and christened it Medora, in honor of his wife.

One of his neighbors was President Roosevelt, then a ranchman. In some way they became embittered and there was talk of a duel, but when Mr. Roosevelt suggested rifles at short range the subject was dropped. By the courage she displayed on various occasions the marquis became known to the cattlemen as the "Queen of the Cattle Range."

But the plan to defeat the beef trust by shipping dressed beef direct from the cattle range to the Eastern markets was not a success, and in a few years the marquis and his bride returned to Paris. There he was involved in the Dreyfus affair, and while he was at the head of an expedition in the Soudan in 1896 he was murdered by Arabs. By offering large rewards and keeping everlastingly at the authorities the marquis, after two years, succeeded in tracking down the murderers of her husband and in having them punished.

With her son Louis, her daughter, and accompanied by her father, the marquis reached New York, on the Savoie, on August 14. After a visit in Newport and seeing the young marquis started on his college course the marquis journeyed to Medora, where she had spent the first years of her married life, and has just returned from the West. This is her first trip to this country since she left with her husband after the failure of the ranching experiment.

**MR. BRYAN'S VIEWS NOT FOR THE ASKING**

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The visits of American presidential candidates to Europe are rare, and Englishmen are prepared to take considerable interest in the personality of a man who has twice been the nominee of a great party, says a London cablegram to the Sun. The English newspapers undertook to satisfy this pardonable public curiosity and they have been trying to extract William Jennings Bryan's views in American fashion on all manner of subjects.

They have been thwarted and disappointed by the "modesty and reticence" of the distinguished visitor. English newspaper men have been unexpectably surprised at encountering these qualities strongly developed in a man of the prominence of Mr. Bryan. So, too, were some of their American conferees, until the former democratic candidate for the

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T. B. Stephenson and Miss Emma Price. J. W. Platt and Miss Carrie L. Graves of the east end of the county.

Vernon Adams and Emma Davidson, of Midget, Texas. W. D. Minton, Jr., son of Master Car Buller Minton of the Texas and Pacific, and Miss Belle Fry, daughter of Major and Mrs. E. J. Fry, were married at the home of the bride's parents, at 7:15 in the evening, by Dean Herbert E. Bowers.

**WINTHROP PIERCE RETIRES**

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Winthrop Pierce has retired as general counsel of the Union Pacific, a position which he has filled for many years. He will continue to be general counsel of the Missouri Pacific. The report that the retirement of Mr. Pierce from the service of the Union Pacific signifies that the Gould interests in that system has lessened is denied. It is understood that Mr. Pierce will remain a member of the executive committee of the Union Pacific.

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aside and recalled Loretta. And now I began to feel sorry for the girl. It is hard to have one's weaknesses exposed, especially if one is more foolish than wicked. But there was no way of letting this girl off without sacrificing certain necessary points, and the coroner went reluctantly to work.

"How long have you been in this house?" "Three weeks. Ever since Mrs. Jeffrey's wedding day, sir."

"Were you there when she first came as a bride from the Moore house?" "I was, sir."

"And saw her then for the first time?" "Yes, sir."

"How did she look and act that first day?" "I thought her the gayest bride I had ever seen, then I thought her the saddest, and then I did not know what to think. She was so merry one minute and so frightened the next, so full of talk when she came running up the steps and so struck with silence the minute she got into the parlor, that I set her down as a queer one till some one whispered in my ear that she was suffering from a dreadful shock; that ill-luck had attended her marriage and much more about what had happened from time to time at the Moore house."

"And you believed what was told you?" "Believed?" "Believed it well enough to keep a watch on your young mistress to see if she were happy or not?"

"Oh, sir!" "It was but natural," the coroner suavely observed. "Every one felt interested in this marriage. You watched her, of course. Now what was the result? Did you consider her well and happy?"

The girl's voice sank and she cast a glance at her master which he did not lift his head to meet. "I did not think her happy. She laughed and sang and was always in and out of the rooms like a butterfly, but she did not wear a happy look, except now and then when she was seated with Mr. Jeffrey alone. Then I have seen her flush in a way to make the heart ache; it was such a contrast, sir, to other times when she was by herself or—"

"Or what?" "Or just with her sister, sir."

The defiance with which this was said added points to what otherwise evinced a great reluctance to come forward. Those who had already scrutinized Miss Tuttle with the curiosity of an ill-defined suspicion now scrutinized her with a more palpable one, and those who had hitherto seen nothing in this heavily-veiled woman but the bereaved sister of an irresponsible suicide allowed their looks to dwell piercingly on that concealing veil, as if they would be glad to penetrate its folds and read in those beautiful features the meaning of an ill-luck which such a girl should have.

"You refer to Miss Tuttle?" observed the coroner. "Mrs. Jeffrey's sister? Yes, sir. The menace was gone from the voice now, but no one could forget that it had been there."

"Miss Tuttle lived in the house with her sister, did she not?" "Yes, sir; till that sister died and was buried; then she went away."

The coroner did not pursue this topic, preferring to return to the former one. "So you say that Mrs. Jeffrey showed uneasiness ever since her wedding day. Can you give me any instance of this; mention, I mean, any conversation overheard by you which would show us just what you mean?"

"I don't like to repeat things I hear. But if you say that I must, I can remember once passing Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey in the hall, just as he was saying: 'You take it too much to heart! I expected a happy honeymoon. Somehow we have failed—That was all I heard, sir. But what made me remember his words was that she was dressed for some afternoon reception and looked so charming and so—and so, as if she ought to be happier.'"

"Just so. Now, when was this? How long before her death?" "Oh, a week or so. It was very soon after the wedding day."

"And did matters seem to improve after that? Did she appear any better satisfied or more composed?" "I think she endeavored to. But there was something on her mind, something which she tried to laugh off; something that annoyed Mr. Jeffrey and worried Miss Tuttle; something which caused a cloud in the house, for all the dances and dinners and goings and comings. I am sorry to speak of it, but it was so."

"Something that showed an unsettled mind?" "Almost. The glitter in her eye was not natural; neither was the way she looked at her sister and sometimes at her husband."

"Did she talk much about the catastrophe which attended her wedding? Did her mind seem to run on that?" "Incessantly at first, but afterward not so much. I think Mr. Jeffrey frowned on that subject."

"Did he ever frown on her?" "No sir—not when they were alone or with no one by but me. He seemed to love her then very much."

"What do you mean my that, Loretta; that he lost patience with her when other people were present—Miss Tuttle, for instance?"

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Uncle David and the detective see a light in the old house, and on entering the detective finds the dead body of Mrs. Jeffrey, formerly Veronica Moore, on the hearth where the stranger had been found dead. The case looked like suicide. He noticed on the wall of the room a faded picture, which fascinated him, and while he believed in the suicide theory, he determined to discover the secret if possible.

Leaving the others in the house, the detective crosses the street to pay a visit to the uncle of the dead woman, "Uncle David" Moore.

He learned from the files of the Washington papers that the stranger found dead was W. Jeffrey, a well known Denver citizen, but no explanation could be found as to his reason for being at the wedding.

He finds that Miss Tuttle, Miss Veronica Moore's half sister, had once been in love with Mr. Jeffrey.

From his investigation the detective is led to believe that "Uncle David," who would inherit the family fortune by the death of Mrs. Jeffrey, was guilty of the murder.

But further developments led to the suspicious against Mr. Jeffrey.

The coroner's investigation into the cause of the death of Mrs. Jeffrey only added to the belief that her husband and her beautiful half-sister were responsible for the death.

(Continued from Sunday.) "You have said that your wife would not be likely to end her life in the presence of anyone but yourself. Yet you must see that some one was with her. How do you propose to reconcile your assertions with a fact so undeniable?"

"I can not reconcile them. It would madden me to try. If I thought any one was with her at that moment—"

"Well?" "Mr. Jeffrey's eyes fell; and a startling change passed over him. But before either of us could make out just what this change betokened he recovered his aspect of fixed melancholy and quietly remarked: "It is dreadful to think of her standing there alone, aiming a pistol at her young, passionate heart; but it is worse to picture her doing this under the gaze of unsympathizing eyes. I can not and will not so picture her. You have been misled by appearances or what in police parlance is called a clue."

Evidently he did not mean to admit a possibility of the pistol having been guilt, he turned toward the door out of which I had already hurried.

"We hope to hear from you in the morning," he called back significantly by the coroner other than her own. This the coroner noted. Bowing with the respect he showed every man before a jury had decided upon his life, as he stepped down the stairs.

Mr. Jeffrey did not answer; he was having his first struggle with the new and terrible prospect awaiting him at the approaching inquest.

over. Henceforth, I was regarded as

a decided factor in this case—a case which from this time on, assumed another aspect both at headquarters and in the minds of the people at large. The reporters, whom we had hitherto managed to hold in check, now overflowed both the coroner's office and police headquarters, and articles appeared in all the daily papers with just enough suggestion in them to fire the public mind and make me, for one, anticipate an immediate word from Mr. Jeffrey calculated to establish the alibi he had failed to make out on the day we talked with him. But no such word came. His memory still played him false, and no alternative was left but to pursue the official inquiry in the line suggested by the interview just recounted.

No proceeding in which I had ever been engaged interested me as did this inquest. In the first place, the spectators were of a very different character from the ordinary. As I wormed myself along to the seat accorded to such witnesses as myself, I brushed by men of the very highest station and a few of the lowest; and bent my head more than once in response to the inquiring gaze of some fashionable lady who never before, I warrant, had found herself in such a scene. By the time I reached my place all the others were seated and the coroner rapped for order.

I was first to take the stand. What I said has already been fully amplified in the foregoing pages. Of course, my evidence was confined to facts, but some of these facts were new to most of the persons there. It was evident that a considerable effect was produced by them, not only on the spectators, but upon the witnesses themselves. For instance, it was the first time that the marks on the mantel shelf had been heard of outside the major's office, or the story so told as to make it evident that Mrs. Jeffrey could not have been alone in the house at the time of her death.

A photograph had been taken of those marks, and my identification of this photograph closed my testimony.

As I returned to my seat I stole a look toward a certain corner where, with face bent down upon his hand, Francis Jeffrey sat between Uncle David and the heavily-veiled figure of Miss Tuttle. Had there dawned upon him as my testimony was given any suspicion of the trick by which he had been proved responsible for these marks? It was impossible to tell. From the way Miss Tuttle's head was turned toward him, one might judge him to be laboring under an emotion of no ordinary character, though he sat like a statue and hardly seemed to realize how many eyes were at that moment riveted upon his face.

I was followed by other detectives who had been present at the time and who corroborated my statement as to the appearance of this unhappy woman and the way the pistol had been tied to her arm. Then the doctor who had acted under the coroner was called. After a long and no doubt learned description of the bullet wound which had ended the life of this unhappy lady—a wound which he insisted with a marked display of learning, must have made that end instantaneous or at least too immediate for her to move foot or hand after it,—he was asked if the body showed any other marks of violence.

To this he replied: "There was a minute wound at the base of one of her fingers, the one which is popularly called the wedding finger."

This statement made all the women present stare with renewed interest; nor was it altogether without point

for the men, especially when the doctor went on to say:

"The hands were entirely without rings. As Mrs. Jeffrey had been married with a ring, I noticed their absence."

"Was the wound which you characterize as minute a recent one?" "It had bled a little. It was an abrasion such as would be made if the ring she usually wore there had been drawn off with a jerk. That was the impression I received from its appearance. I do not state that it was made."

A little thrill which went over the audience at the picture this invoked communicated itself to Miss Tuttle, who trembled violently. It even produced a slight display of emotion in Mr. Jeffrey, whose hand shook where he pressed it against his forehead. But neither uttered a sound, nor looked up when the next witness was summoned.

This witness proved to be Loretta, who, on hearing her name called, evinced a great reluctance to come forward. But after two or three words uttered in her ear by the friendly Jinny, who had been given a seat next her, she stepped into the place assigned her, with a suddenly assumed air of great boldness, which sat upon her with scant grace. She had need of all the boldness at her command, for the eyes of all in the room were fixed on her, with the exception of the two persons most interested in her testimony. Scrutiny of any kind did not appear to be acceptable to her, if one could read the trepidation visible in the short, quick upheavals of the broad collar which covered her uneasy breast. Was this shrinking on her part due to natural timidity, or had she failings to avow which, while not vitiating her testimony, would certainly cause her shame in the presence of so many men and women? I was not able to decide this question immediately; for after the coroner had elicited her name and the position she held in Mr. Jeffrey's household, he asked whether her duties took her into Mrs. Jeffrey's room; upon her replying that they did, he further inquired if she knew Mrs. Jeffrey's rings, and could say whether they were all to be found on that lady's toilet table after the police came in with news of her death. The answer was decisive. They were all there; her rings and all the other ornaments she was in the daily habit of wearing, with the exception of her watch. That was not there.

"Did you take up those rings?" "No sir."

"Did you see any one else take them up?" "No, sir, not till the officer did so."

"Very well, Loretta, sit down again till we hear what Durbin has to say about these rings."

And then the man I hated came forward, and though I shrank from acknowledging it even to myself, I could but observe how strong and quiet and self-possessed he seemed and how decisive was his testimony.

But it was equally brief. He had taken up the rings and he had looked at them; and on one, the wedding-ring, he had detected a slight stain of blood. He had called Mr. Jeffrey's attention to it, but that gentleman had made no comment.

This remark had the effect of concentrating general attention upon Mr. Jeffrey. But he seemed quite oblivious of it; his attitude remained unchanged, and only from the quick stretching out and withdrawal of Miss Tuttle's hand could it be seen that anything had been said calculated to touch or arouse this man. The coroner cast an uneasy glance in his direction; then he motioned Durbin

one of the rugs tossed into a heap, as if she had rolled in it on the floor or used it to smother her cries of pain or anger.

So much for the state in which the witness found the boudoir. The adjoining bedroom was not in much better shape, though it was evident that the bed itself had not been lain in since it was made up the day before at breakfast time. By this time Mrs. Jeffrey had not slept the night before, or if she had laid her head anywhere it had been on the rug already spoken of.

These signs of extreme mental suffering, so much more extreme than any Loretta had ever before witnessed, frightened her so that the tray shook in her hand as she set it down on the table among the countless objects Mrs. Jeffrey always had about her. The noise seemed to startle her mistress, who had walked to the window after opening the door, for she wheeled abruptly about and looked to see her face. It was as if a lightning had passed over it. Once gazed and amazed beyond the power of any word to describe, it had become in twenty-four hours a ghost's face, with the glare of some awful resolve on it. So it would appear from the way Loretta described it. But such girls do not always see correctly, and perhaps all that can be safely stated is that Mrs. Jeffrey was unnaturally pale and had lost her butterfly-like way of incessant movement.

Loretta, who was evidently accustomed to seeing her mistress arranged in brilliant colors and much bewigged, laid great stress on the fact that though it was on the verge of evening she was evidently going out, and was dressed in black cloth and wore even a diamond or a flower to relieve its severe simplicity. Her hair, which was always her pride, was piled in a careless mass upon her head as if she had tried to arrange it herself and had forgotten what she was doing while her fingers were busy through their work. There was a cloak lying on a chair near which she was standing, and she held a hat in her hand; but Loretta saw no gloves.

As the mistress crossed, Mrs. Jeffrey rose and the effort she made in doing so naturally frightened the girl more. "I am going out," were her words. "I may not be home till late—What are you looking at?"

Loretta declared that the words took her by surprise and that she did not know what to say, but managed to cover up her embarrassment by intimating that if her mistress would let her touch up her hair a bit she would make her look more becoming.

At this suggestion, Mrs. Jeffrey cast a glance in the glass and impatiently declared: "It doesn't matter." She seemed to think better of it the next minute; for, throwing herself in a chair, she bade the girl to bring a comb, and sat quiet enough, though evidently in a great tremor of impatience, while Loretta combed her hair and put it up in the old way.

But the old way was not so becoming as usual, and Loretta was wondering if she ought to call in Miss Tuttle, when Mrs. Jeffrey jumped up and went over to the table where she began to eat with the feverish moans of one who forces herself to take food in spite of hurry and distaste.

This was the moment for Loretta to leave the room, but she did not know how to do so. She felt herself drawn to the spot and stood watching Mrs. Jeffrey till that lady, suddenly becoming conscious of the girl's presence, turned, and in the midst of her moans which broke unconsciously from her lips, said with a pitiful effort at her old manner:

(Continued in next Sunday's issue)

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## Note comes the last and greatest silk sale of the year!

It begins tomorrow morning and will continue six days. It will be the biggest sale ever held. More silks here than at any other previous event of the kind. No old stocks, no undesirable kinds, only such silks as you need and buy every day during the year. It will pay you to buy at this sale even though you may only need them later. Thousands of yards of black and colored silks of all kinds are here. Among them you will find such splendid weaves as: **BLACK TAFFETAS, PEAU DE SOIE, ARMURES, LOUISINES, PEAU DE CYGNES, WHITE SILKS OF ALL KINDS, COLORED TAFFETAS, LOUISINES, MOIRES, PEAU DE CYGNES, LIBERTY SATINS, CREPE DE CHINES, CHINAS, IN ALL STREET AND EVENING SHADES.....PRICES FOR THIS SALE WILL SAVE YOU FROM 20 TO 25 PER CENT.**

If you study your own interests you cannot afford to allow this sale to pass without taking advantage of the rare bargains we offer for this week. For easy selection our silks will be displayed on several counters in our silk section with additional salespeople to assist you.

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24-inch China Silks, black, white, cream, light blue, pink, royal, canary, helio, reds and greens, for waists, kimono, fancy work and children's wear; reduced to only ..... **35c**

### Crepe de chine

660 yards Crepe de Chine, color assortment as follows: Old rose, canary, Nile, light blue, mode, French gray, cream, white and black; regular 85c yard quality; at ..... **58c**

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### Novelty taffetas

Very best styles in Taffeta silks for waists and shirt waist suits, green, garnet, navy and black grounds, dots, rings and hair line patterns, value to \$1.00 yard; choice now at ..... **65c**

### Hairline taffetas

Swelling hairline and small novelty check taffeta silks, gray, garnet, navy, royal and green grounds, just what you want for a natty waist or shirt waist suit, 69c to 85c goods at ..... **50c**

## Newest Spangled ROBES

at 25 per cent discount.....

During our great silk sale we shall offer choice of our black or white Spangled Net and Lace Robes at 25 per cent discount. This includes our entire stock of this season's purchase. These robes are more popular now than they have been in years. Fashion has placed them in the first row and our collection embraces the very latest ideas imported this season. At regular prices they sell at from \$14.50 upwards to \$42.50. Choice of any during our silk sale at

**one-fourth off**

### White taffetas

Fine grade novelty white Taffetas and Satins, about ten different styles to select from, an assortment embracing all the new weaves, for dressy waists, \$1.25 and \$1.35 values; at only ..... **95c**

### Black peau de soie

A lot of 150 yards 25-inch black Peau de Soie, extra weight, a nice selection for a dress, will last for years, a quality that we sell at \$1 yard at regular prices; cut now to ..... **75c**

### 36-in. peau de soie

Heavy grade full yard wide black Peau de Soie, unequalled for wear, and a silk in high favor, cuts to quite a saving for coats, \$1.50 per yard values; offered at this sale for ..... **\$1.15**

### Black peau de soie

225 yards 20-inch black Peau de Soie, good weight, a silk that will move out in a hurry at this special price, all season has sold at 75c a yard, as long as it lasts now at ..... **50c**

### Guaranteed taffeta

280 yards extra high finished brilliant black Taffeta silk, from our regular stock, "wear guaranteed" woven on selvage of every yard, never before at less than 75c yard, ..... **59c**

### French Taffeta

22-inch black French Taffeta Silk, mousseline finish, colored satin edge, or 27-inch Sterling, guaranteed to wear black taffeta, finest grades in stock; both \$1.00 goods, now at ..... **\$1.00**

### 20-in. black taffeta

Black Taffeta silk for lining and petticoats, 20 inches wide, only 200 yards to be sold at this low price, a strong silk that will wear well, usually sells at 65c yard, the price now ..... **39c**

### Armure Weave

24-inch black Armure silk, a weave that wears like leather, as much in favor now as ever before, a beautifully finished grade that sells regular at \$1 a yard, for this great sale at ..... **69c**

### 27-in. black taffeta

140 yards 27-inch brilliant finished black Taffeta silk, a soft weave that insures good service, a silk that is worth anywhere 75c yard, as long as it lasts this week offered at only ..... **50c**

### 24-in. black taffeta

190 yards extra high finished, good weight rustling black taffeta silk, fit for any purpose, full 24 inches wide, secured at an auction sale, value 90c yard; offered at only ..... **68c**

### 36-in. black taffeta

High grade 36-inch black taffeta silk, "wear guaranteed" woven on selvage of every yard, only 190 yards in this lot, never before at less than \$1.25 yard, as long as it lasts at ..... **95c**

## On Our Second Floor This Week

We are showing a lot of new arrivals in Women's Tailor-Made Suits, styles that were not obtainable earlier in the season....We show the best styles and make the lowest prices on ready-to-wear Garments of any house in Dallas....Visitors to the store this week will be offered some very choice bargains in Suits and Coats....Heavy Cotton Waist for winter wear also at reduced prices.



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## MATCH

### Of Prince Alexander of Teck and the Princess Alice of Albany

### PLEASES ROYALTY AT ENGLISH COURT

Where Both Are Favorites. Prince of Wales Coming to the United States Next Year With Pick of British Fleet

(Special cable. Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.)

LONDON, Nov. 28.—It is reported on very good authority, in fact, by people who stand very close to the court, that King Edward has now finally decided to send the Prince of Wales over to represent him at the opening of the St. Louis Exposition next year.

The prince is said to be overjoyed at the prospects of going, and it is even said that he may be accompanied by the Princess of Wales as well.

Should the prince go, he will probably come across the Atlantic on board the royal yacht Albert and Victoria, accompanied by a large representative squadron

of battleships, as England does not want to be overshadowed by Germany, and it is known that the Kaiser will send the flower of the German navy over, probably under the command of Prince Henry.

With the prospect of King Leopold of Belgium going to visit his American partner, Thomas F. Walsh, as he openly declares he intends to do, and President Loubet of France trying to arrange to pay an official visit to the United States, the St. Louis Exposition will not be able to complain that it has not been appreciated by the heads of European states.

In fact, no exhibition, even in Europe, has ever been honored by the presence of so many rulers and persons of royal blood as the prospects are that the Louisiana Purchase Exhibition will be.

It was originally the intention of King Edward to have the Prince of Wales go to the United States accompanied by Lord Roberts, but the health of the field marshal, who at present is staying at Ascot, has been very poor this season, and for several days he has been confined to his bed and he does not think that he would be able to undertake the task of following the prince upon a journey which would necessitate his presence at representative dinners and festivities without number. It is, therefore, uncertain who will accompany the prince on his visit, though it is rumored that the King thinks Americans would be pleased to have Lord Curzon and his American wife come over with England's future King.

### WOMEN AT BARS

The movement against the employment of women at bars where liquor is sold is growing stronger every day.

The licensing committee of the L. C. C. declares that it would be impossible at this moment to abolish barmaids altogether, for this would mean throwing thousands of women out of all employment. So they have decided to refuse licenses to certain places of entertainment

where barmaids are employed. This is only the thin end of the wedge, and it will mean a great diminution in the employment of barmaids in London. In Glasgow the barmaid has disappeared altogether, and several other Scotch cities are following suit.

The very large number of tragedies that have occurred of late in which barmaids were the present agitation. American visitors to London are interested in the English barmaids as a curiosity, but neither they, the visitors from the continent nor many Londoners care to see women folk waiting upon men under circumstances which often compel the pity of decent citizens.

It may not be generally known that the only American girl employed as a barmaid in London is to be found at the Savoy hotel.

### MATCH IS APPROVED

The usually dull and matter-of-fact court circular was made interesting the other day by the announcement that the King had heard with satisfaction of the betrothal of Prince Alexander of Teck and Princess Alice of Albany, and that the match had his "entire sanction and approval."

The news had been made public unofficially the day before.

The happy event has given great satisfaction in all classes of English men and women, for both the young people are very popular. He is handsome and a brave soldier, while she is a pretty and clever girl of 21.

No date for the wedding is even provisionally suggested as yet, as Prince Alexander's military duties have to be considered, and at the close of the year he may have to return to South Africa, where his regiment, the Seventh Hussars, is stationed.

Princess Alice has been so constantly with her mother that the duchess will

greatly feel the separation, but she is rejoicing in her daughter's happiness, and is much pleased with her choice.

Princess Alice, Mary Victoria Augusta Pauline of Albany was born at Windsor Castle on February 25, 1882, the eldest child of the Duke of Albany, Queen Victoria's youngest son, who died little more than a year after her birth.

The princess received her early education under the direct supervision of her mother, her training having been of the most thorough and practical kind.

During the past three years—that is, since her brother succeeded to the dukedom of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha—she has spent much time in Germany, and in that period has become an excellent linguist.

Princess Alice possesses in a marked degree the artistic talents of the royal family, and it is interesting to note that one of the earliest influences upon her character was that of Ruskin.

The practical art education of the princess has been acquired in the studios of Mrs. E. M. Ward, widow of the well known historical painter, who always says she never had a more intelligent or painstaking student.

Riding is her favorite recreation. She is a first rate horsewoman and looks exceedingly well in the saddle.

She can also handle the oars in no mean style. Princess Alice is not tall, but she has a most graceful figure and dresses with simplicity and taste.

She is very pretty and a charming and sunny expression is rarely absent from her face.

Prince Alexander George of Teck, the third son of the late Duke and Duchess of Teck, and brother of the Princess of Wales, was born at Kensington Palace on April 14, 1874.

He was educated at Eton and Sandhurst and began his military career in 1894. Two years later he saw service in the Matabele campaign, where he was on

the staff of General Carrington.

During the Boer war he was back in South Africa, again as a staff officer. As the fruits of his military service he wears the Matabele and South African medals, the distinguished service order, and is a knight commander of the Victorian order.

The prince is very popular in his regiment, both with officers and men, and is devoted to his duty.

Some months ago a proof of his "keenness," as it is called in military parlance, was brought prominently before the public.

The Seventh Hussars, having been sent to South Africa, its reserve squadron was stationed at Hampton Court barracks, but this detachment became so reduced by repeated drafts supplied to the regiment at the front that at last there were only about seven rank and file to attend to eight horses.

In this extremity Prince Alexander, who was in command, put aside all consideration of rank and set himself energetically to help the men out of their difficulty.

He simply took his place among the common troopers and slaved at "stables" day after day, until the war office, hearing of the squadron's plight, sent reinforcements.

The incident attracted much attention at the time, and the general impression was that it is to the royal family, after all, that we must look for illustrations of the proverb, "noblesse oblige."

PAUL LAMBETH.

### CITY PARK IMPROVEMENTS

The thousands of visitors to the city park, who, during the past summer, enjoyed the beautiful flower gardens that were put in early in the spring, will have an opportunity of seeing something along these lines much more extensive the coming summer, as it is the intention of the city to greatly increase this feature of the park. There will be double the number of flower beds, and the park is to be otherwise improved and beautified.

### NEW ENGLAND COTTON FARM

BOSTON, Nov. 28.—Papers have been filed at the state house for the incorporation of the New England Cotton Farm Company under Massachusetts laws, with a capital of \$5,000,000. The capital stock consists of 20,000 shares of 6 per cent non-cumulative preferred and 39,000 shares of common.

The incorporators and the amount of stock subscribed are: Herbert L. Boyer, 79,000 common; Alfred J. Rowan, 19,997 preferred; Thomas Hunt, one preferred; Henry Endicott Jr., one preferred; Henry S. Macheron, one preferred.

Officer Ed Black today received word that his wife's brother, Fred McKee, had taken his life at Grand Rapids, Mich., the brief message giving only the fact of his death and stating no cause. The young man was a son of J. S. McKee, general baggage master of the New York and New Haven railroad at New York city.

### TRIP TO PACIFIC COAST

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—It is learned here that the University of Michigan football team will take another trip to the Pacific coast during the Christ-

mas vacation. Coach Yost and Captain Redden will return soon from the east and the team will be kept in condition for the games to be played with California and Stanford. The Michigan men do not regard these as post-season games, but merely as exhibition contests.

### FARMERS' MASS MEETING

HILLSBORO, Texas, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—A mass meeting of farmers was

held at the court house this morning to take action relative to procuring cotton seed that will produce an early maturity plant. R. C. Frazier was chairman of the meeting. The kind and quality of seed was discussed and committees were appointed to set prices and to ascertain who will want seed.

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