

Rumors of fighting on Yalu river are not confirmed...

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RAYNE ILL MAY RESIGN PORTFOLIO

Postmaster General Broken in Health and Worried by Postal Scandals May Give Up Office

PRESENT CONDITION ALARMS HIS FRIENDS

Rumor Gains Ground That a New Head Will Be Found for the Department

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(Special.)—The condition of Postmaster General Payne is causing alarm...

The recent exposition upon the floor of the house of representatives over the so-called Erling report...

Reports from the sick chamber were to the effect that he was suffering from gout...

FRANCE AND THE VATICAN ARE AT ODDS

Action of Premier Combes and Pope's Aggressive Attitude Will Likely Lead to Rupture in Diplomatic Relations

ROME, March 19.—According to one of the cardinals interviewed today, the Pope's violent anti-French election was carefully considered...

It is probable that the French ambassador to the Vatican will be recalled and the concordat abolished...

BUILDERS' AND BUSINESS ISSUE

The city and county edition of The Telegram, to be issued at some early date, will be complete in every way.

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CALIFORNIA FAVOR HEARST FOR PRESIDENT

State Central Committee Declines to Support 'Our Willie' After a Stormy Session. Makes Two on the List

MASSACRE OF HERREROS

Is the Way Herr Babel Describes South-west African Trouble

HE FOLLOWS THE U. S.

Lord Lansdowne Carries Out Hay Policy Toward Far East

THE KAISER'S TRAIN

Runs off the Rails, but No One Is Injured

UNDERTAKER IS MISSING

Left Creditors in the Hole About \$30,000, and Then Disappeared

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Work is going on day and night in the extension around the lake, but it will be a long time before it will be suitable for operation.

Early in May and possibly before the mammoth ice breaker and ferry, "the Galka," will be in commission.

Berlin, March 19.—(Special.)—In the Reichstag this afternoon Herr Babel, the socialist leader, denounced what he termed the "massacre" of Herreros in German Southwest Africa.

U. S. WILL NOT INTERFERE

Statement from Washington Throws Cold Water on Rumors of Mediation

WOMAN WILL ENLIST

Madame Puzzer, daughter of Colonel Massimoff-Konduroff, has received permission from the acting Russian minister of war to enlist as a private in the First regiment of infantry which will start for the front early next week.

PROSPECT TO CLASH

Approaching Difficulty Between Russia and Chinese Not Far Off

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THE TWO MILE RECORD

Smashed by Yale Runners at Buffalo Last Night

CHOCATE TALKS TO SCOTCHMEN ON HAMILTON

The United States Ambassador Eulogizes American Statesmen Before United Societies of Edinburgh

NEW WIRELESS INSTRUMENT

A new wireless telegraph apparatus has been invented in Borne.

CROSSED ATLANTIC IN SMALL BOAT

Ludwig Eisenbraun, who left Boston August 11 in a small boat nineteen feet long and six feet wide and rigged with sails, has safely landed at Marseilles.

STRENUOUS CHRISTIANITY

A curious instance of compulsory baptism is reported from the village of Czornosbany in the province of Bukovina, Hungary.

SOLD TURKISH DECORATIONS

A number of high Turkish officials have been arrested on the charge of carrying on a brisk trade in Turkish orders.

FINNS WANT TO FIGHT

CALUMET, Mich., March 19.—(Special.)—The copper country Finns are organizing military companies and purchasing rifles with the idea of helping the Japanese in their war against Russia.

"DUTCH" FISHER CONVICTED

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 19.—(Special.)—Albert, alias "Dutch," Fisher, was convicted of murder in the first degree today for the killing of William Marshall, a bartender, during a holiday.

GOOD RAINS REPORTED IN NORTH TEXAS

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DENTON COUNTY HAS A HEAVY DOWNPOUR

Storm Most Severe at Texarkana and Cleburne—West Texas Still Dry

This will be a happy Sunday for many a North Texas farmer who had begun to be worried over the continued drought.

Fort Worth and Tarrant county had but little showers, but Dallas was more fortunate, a heavy rainstorm visiting that city just before midnight.

DALLAS, Texas, March 20.—(Special.)—A light rain last night was succeeded by a perfect downpour, beginning at 10:30 o'clock.

GOOD RAIN AT WEATHERFORD

TEXARKANA, Texas, March 19.—(Special.)—An electrical storm, accompanied by a heavy rain, occurred here tonight.

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Denton county was soaked tonight by a heavy rain, which started about 9 o'clock.

DENISON AND SHERMAN

SHERMAN, Texas, March 19.—(Special.)—A heavy rain fell here tonight.

"ON DUTY."



The accompanying photograph was taken by the Newspaper Enterprise Association's correspondents in Japan...

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Persistent Rumors of an Approaching War Between the Two Countries Strengthened by Recent Developments

SOFIA, MARCH 19.—(Special.)

Many rumors are in circulation that serious clashes have occurred along the frontier between Bulgarian and Turkish troops, but it is impossible to secure other confirmation or denial of the rumors from official sources.

OIL WELL AT MUSKOGEE

Fifty Barrels a Day is Estimated as the Output

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FORGES THAT COMBINED TO SMASH SULLY

One Rumor Says That the Brown-Hayne Crowd Got Tired of His Repeated Impositions

STOCK MARKET MAY HAVE BEEN A FACTOR

Story That Strong Financial Interest "Whip-sawed" Him to a Finish

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—The Sully assignment today lessened the hope among the speculators and friends of his ability to re-establish his firm, though Sully talks confidently.

Just what interest went out on Sully's scalp and got it is a question much discussed. The most generally accepted belief today is the one suggested here yesterday that the Brown-Hayne crowd of New Orleans became tired of Sully's in and out play against his corner and finally decided to set a trap for the man from Providence.

Around February 1, when the New Orleans party was bent on carrying the market to 20 cents for May control and supposed it had Sully's support, the latter sold out great holdings and effectually checked up the mover's wing.

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The appointment of Joseph H. Hoadley as assignee for D. J. Sully & Co. caused more or less criticism in the street, as he was supposed to have been a member of the Sully pool in connection with the Sully & Co. deal.

Both deals met with violent collapses.

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HEALTH SUGGESTIONS BY CHRISTINE TERHUNE HERRICK

(Copyright, 1904, by Christine Terhune Herrick.)

As a nation we have never learned that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

It would be a great comfort if those who take a deep and peculiar joy in saying "I told you so," could feel that this sort of blunder was confined to men.

"I have so much to fill my hands," she said. "I work all day and have comparatively little time to be with the children.

There is the trouble. The woman breaks herself down over exertion in some good object.

On the ground of "live and let live" her attitude and action might be justified.

Of course it might not be so intense. The great still plenty of women who "enjoy poor health."

The American husband may not be quite so complacent about his wife's physic record as was Mr. Pullet.

GIRL WOMEN. The general standard of measurement for womanhood is "grown-up-ness."

When it comes to the question between sticking in spurs in the first place or applying remedies to cure the harm the spurs have done,

In The Churches. At the Broadway Baptist church, corner of Broadway and St. Louis avenue.

Tabernacle Christian church, corner Fifth and Throckmorton streets, James S. Myers, pastor.

Broadway Presbyterian church, corner Broadway and St. Louis avenue.

First Methodist church, corner of Fourth and Jones streets, Rev. Alonzo Monk, D. D., pastor.

St. Paul's church, corner Seventh and Lamar, preaching morning and evening.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. George MacAdam, D. D., president of the Fort Worth University, will preach at this church today at 11 a. m.

First Baptist church, Rev. Luther Little will be in his pulpit morning and evening.

St. Paul's church, corner Seventh and Lamar, preaching morning and evening.

The services will be of a special character at the First Baptist church today.

Many new styles in Women's Belts are now displayed.

Spring Coats and Shirt Waist Suits of pongee silk are meeting with great favor this year.

Colored Dress Goods...New Fabrics at Reduced Prices.

The fabrics offered here are the same as those which have been adopted by the leading authorities on fashion.

White Enamelled Curtain Pole and fixture, complete, set 10c. Ruffled Swiss Curtains—Lace stripe effect; special, pair 35c.

p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend any and all of these services.

Rev. D. C. Limbaugh will continue his sermons on Jesus from the Unitarian point of view.

Taylor Street Cumberland Presbyterian church, corner Fifth and Taylor streets.

St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal—Rev. G. P. Fry of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Denison will conduct both the morning and evening services at St. Paul's church tomorrow.

AN IMPORTANT MEETING. Rev. Edward A. Fredenhagen will hold a meeting in this city on Tuesday evening of next week at the First Baptist church.

First Congregational church, corner of College Avenue and Leuda streets.

St. Louis and Terrell—Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and at 8 in the evening.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner St. Louis and Terrell avenues—Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and at 8 in the evening.

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PARKER-JEWEL'S NEW YORK OFFICE, 31 Union Sq.

This Store a Contributor of Exclusive Dress For Women and Children

As time advances This Great Store's influence as a contributor of correct fashions at moderate prices becomes more widely known.

Attractive Millinery...Priced Exceptionally Low

Great enthusiasm is evidenced by the visitors to this section, because of the unusual beauty of the styles displayed here.



New Style Belts for Summer

Buster Brown Belts for Boys' Suits are the raging novelty this season.

ARE YOU RUPTURED?

Males are more subject to hernia than females, owing to the difference in the structure of the abdominal parts.

Grand Display of Pongee Silks

Spring Coats and Shirt Waist Suits of pongee silk are meeting with great favor this year.

Colored Dress Goods...New Fabrics at Reduced Prices

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World's Fair Traveling Suits and Summer Costumes

In presenting this grand collection of Suits we desire to call special attention to the exclusiveness of style exhibited.

Women's Correct Dress Hats for every occasion are shown in great profusion.

Women's Stylish Street Hats are here in splendid variety.

Separate Skirts...Distinctive Styles and Low Prices

In every way the assortments gathered together here show a wonderful improvement both in style and value to any we have ever before shown.

Spring Rugs...New Select Designs

New Rugs, in select varieties have arrived, exciting the most favorable comment from every visitor to this section.

Special Sale of Satin Stocks

Use of the satin stock foundation is more popular than ever. The lines displayed by us are unequalled in variety and attractiveness.

Extra Specials!

White Enamelled Curtain Pole and fixture, complete, set 10c. Ruffled Swiss Curtains—Lace stripe effect; special, pair 35c.

Splendid Values In Matting Opening Boys' Wash Clothing Department

The unusual offerings in this section are attracting extraordinary interest, and they are indeed worthy of every housewife's early consideration.

Chinese Matting—Many patterns to choose from.

Japanese Matting—Cotton warp, carpet designs.

Importers Sale Pillow Shams, Etc. BASEMENT SECTION

A large importer retiring from active business, sold his entire stocks at a greatly reduced price during our buyer's recent visit to New York.

White Enamelled Curtain Pole and fixture, complete, set 10c.

Ruffled Swiss Curtains—Lace stripe effect; special, pair 35c.

Genuine Imported Spatchel Pillow Shams, Table Covers, Dresser Scarfs, Splashers, etc.

Many of them all-lace and some with lace insertions, appliqued with bonaz embroidery. The cheapest these qualities were ever known to sell for is from 50c to \$1.50.

THE MOTHERS FRIEND

The opening of our Boys' Wash Waist, Pant and Suit Department is announced for Monday.

Mothers will find this unquestionably the most complete display of Wash Clothing in the city.

THE MOTHERS FRIEND

"Mother's Friend" Blouse Suits in fancy stripes and plain white; prices are from \$1.00 to \$3.25.



Market Quotations

MARKET REVIEW
With a total supply of about 6,250 cattle for the week's trade, the market closed Saturday very satisfactory to the commission men, steers showing a slight advance, while butcher cows are strong at 10c to 15c higher.

will keep them at home this year unless the drought is speedily broken. They calculate that it will be profitable, or rather that there will be less loss upon them if they do not send them away to pasture, if by reason of the lack of rain there is no pasture in the nation.

COTTON

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various months from February to December.

NEW YORK COTTON
NEW YORK, March 19.—The market for spot cotton was very steady. Futures ranged in prices as follows:

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various months from May to December.

GRAIN

CHICAGO, March 19.—(Special).—It took about an hour today to make the traders in grain and provisions to recover from the effect of the cotton failure in New York. At the end of that time the commission house followers who had been dabbling houses and settled down and there occurred a lively rally, in which the corn, oats and hog products joined.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various months from May to December.

STOCKS

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special).—The stock market was not disturbed in the least by the failure of the cotton. The cotton markets by the second hour showed that no serious quarters were looked for and London prices showed that the situation abroad was not adversely influenced. The view generally taken in the market was that the result of the failure would be to bring the price of cotton within limits satisfactory to expectations and would therefore prove a benefit to our foreign trade. The cotton failure having been added as a factor, consideration was given to the possibility of a settlement of the trouble in the bituminous coal fields, the better crop prospects in the west and southwest and the extreme cheapness of money on call and time.

especially well supported. In the industrial group Amalgamated Copper was prominent with an advance of nearly two per cent. The United States Steel stocks and Central issues were strong on the encouraging reports from the iron and steel industry. United States Realty preferred advanced three per cent. Sugar Refining gained about two points.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various stocks like Atchafalpa, Amal. Copper, Canadian Pacific, etc.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various foreign markets like CHICAGO LIVE STOCK, KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK, ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various bank statements and market notes.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various market notes and ST. LOUIS FOODSTUFFS.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various women's skirts and special lots.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various underwears and shirt waists.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various kid gloves and wash stocks.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various stocks and market news.

In Preparing Your Wardrobe for Easter

Remember that you can find everything that you need at this big department store, whether it's Shoes, Dry Goods, Millinery or Clothing. The greatest stock that we have ever shown is here for your inspection. We have selected several specials for Monday's sale. You will find every item exactly as advertised. We do not take newspaper space in misrepresenting our merchandise. We have the confidence of the people by telling them the truth.

Advertisement for W.C. Stripling featuring Crepe de Chine, Wool Dress Goods, and Japanese Silk. Includes the slogan 'THE PRICE IS THE THING'.

Advertisement for Our New Millinery Store, New Mattings and House Furnishings, and New Valenciennes Laces.

Advertisement for Women's Skirts, Underwear and Shirt Waists, and Kid Gloves, Wash Stocks, etc.

Advertisement for Women's Corsets and Hose, and Rug and Lace Curtains.

Advertisement for Creamery common to choice 15¢/22¢, and Said the Judges were 'Crooked'.

Advertisement for Castoria, 'The Kind You Have Always Bought', and 'The Best Cough Syrup'.

Advertisement for F. G. McPeak & Co., Managers for Hayward, Vick & Co., Bankers and Brokers.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral
 for the children. One dose at bedtime quiets their night coughs and prevents croup. Ask your doctor.

ARMSTRONG'S OAK LEAF LARD
 PURE LARD GOES FARTHEST
 OAK LEAF LARD GUARANTEED
 PUT UP BY GARMSTRONG PACKING CO. DALLAS, TEXAS.
 IS PURE, KET-TLE-RENDER-ED, FROM THE LEAF FAT OF CORNED HOGS.

University Notes

The first of a series of students' debates at the Fort Worth University was held Friday night in competition for the Osborne prize medal. The contest for the medal is decided upon points and it is awarded annually in this way to the best debater in the institution. It is expected to hold these contests every Friday night from now until the end of the term in order that an opportunity may be afforded the large number of students who wish to contest.

The subject debated last night was: "Resolved, That the Rich Should be Encouraged in the Building of Extravagant Homes and the Making of Lavish Expenditures." The affirmative of the question was taken by O. Blackwell, Alex Smith, R. Graham and R. H. Buck, while the negative was argued by T. Barrard, Clarence Smith and George Brownell. Miss Margaret Brownell was also to have spoken on the negative but was prevented from doing so by illness.

The judges, Mrs. J. C. Terrell, R. H. Buck and George W. Steere, decided the question in favor of the negative.

Mrs. Cloyd of Valley View visited a few days with her son, Thomas, this week.

At a recent meeting of the athletic association Lee Morrel was elected captain of the university base ball nine. The base ball spirit has taken firm hold upon the students and each evening the campus is thronged with players and spectators. Several in-

teresting practice games have been played but the opening game of the season will be played with the Polytechnic college today.

The university is preparing for the most interesting commencement exercises in its history. Prominent speakers have been secured to address the students and everything possible is being done to make the exercises of great interest. Invitations are being sent out to the alumni and many former students will be present in attendance at the alumni banquet which will be a leading feature of the week.

Misses Toy Mayhew, May Miller and Grace Bridges left for Aledo Friday, where they will remain the guests of Miss Gussie Overmeir till after Sunday.

Word from Dr. O. L. Fisher, the former president of the university, states that he has connected himself with the University of Denver as solicitor for that institution.

L. W. Krake of St. Louis visited at the institution a few days ago. Prof. Iorns, F. H. Corkill and J. S. Payton left Friday night for Houston, where they will attend the state Y. M. C. A. convention. They go as delegates of the university Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Dougherty and Mrs. Gellipse of the city visited with Miss Fitch and Miss Robertson at the university recently.

Rev. Selle of Denison spent Saturday and Sunday of last week visiting among the students. He conducted the vesper services Sunday evening in a very able and instructive manner.

President MacAdam is occupied with correspondence pertaining to the se-

guring of teachers for the coming year. Several new instructors will be necessary to fill the chairs of the new branches to be taken up and under the careful and wise administration of Dr. MacAdam the best and most competent teachers available will be added to the institution. Thus a corps of the ablest and most intellectual instructors will constitute the faculty which promises to be the strongest in the history of the school.

The members of the departments of music of the university who have under their control the management of the Edward Baxter Perry recital which will be held in St. Paul's church Tuesday, March 22, are busy in preparation for the event. The student body will be in attendance and a very large assemblage is anticipated.

HIGH SCHOOL
 Rev. R. R. Hamlin of the First Christian church conducted the chapel services at the high school Wednesday morning. Rev. Alonzo Monk of the First Methodist church conducted the chapel services Friday morning at the high school and delivered a talk on "Opportunity."

The quarterly examinations are going on now and every one is doing very well.

There was a ball game Friday between the first teams of the high school and university, batteries, high school, Amison and Kellner; university, Bristol and Meace. The score resulted in 5 to 11 in favor of the university.

WEEK'S WORK OF THE GRAND JURY

Twenty Indictments, Twelve for Felonies, Returned.

Other Court Matters

The grand jury of the Forty-eighth district court yesterday returned several indictments—twelve felonies and eight misdemeanors. Among the felony cases were the following: J. B. Miller, Thomas Andrews, John Burford, Jim Goul and Bob Burrell, all of whom were indicted for alleged forgery in connection with the John Burford farm fraud, which has caused much excitement in this county since the commission of the forgery by which a Dallas loan company was swindled out of \$6,000, and over which the shooting of Frank Fore is attributable.

All these men were brought before Judge Irby Dunklin yesterday afternoon and pleaded under bond in the sum of \$750 each to appear for trial and answer the indictment of forgery.

The other felony cases are Henry King, burglary; Jessie Martin, alias Black Shine, burglary; and Bud Johnson, burglary. These three are all colored.

George Hathway, a white boy, was also indicted on a charge of criminal assault upon a five or six-year-old girl, the particulars of which occurrence was printed

That Tired Feeling

is a Common Spring Trouble. It's a sign that the blood is deficient in vitality, just as pimples and other eruptions are signs that the blood is impure.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Remove it, give new life, new courage, strength and animation. They cleanse the blood and clear the complexion. Accept no substitute. "I felt tired all the time and could not sleep. After taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a while I could sleep well and the tired feeling had gone. This great medicine has also cured me of scrofula." Mas. C. M. Root, Gilead, Conn.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

OTHER COURT MATTERS
 The Stimm-Herald Shoe Company case which has been on trial some days in the Forty-eighth district court, was not concluded when court adjourned last evening and went over until Monday, when it will be recalled.

There was one plea of guilty in the county court yesterday afternoon. Bob Johnson was assessed a fine of \$1 and costs on a charge of disturbing the peace.

The jury in the personal damage case of S. J. Rogers against the Rock Island Railroad Company yesterday returned a verdict for the plaintiff, and awarded a judgment for \$3,250. The case will be appealed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
 The following licenses were issued by the county clerk yesterday: John C. Hafford and Miss L. Clark; J. J. Prescott and Miss Lula White.

DEATHS AND BIRTHS
 The following births and deaths were filed with the county clerk yesterday: Births: To Mr. and Mrs. J. Etheridge of Benbrook, boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Lenn C. Holt of Newark, boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Smith McRoberts of Fort Worth, boy. Deaths: Miss Annie Miller, aged 15 years, at Azle; Hattie Coggins, aged 3 years, at Newark.

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS
 Proceedings in the court of civil appeals for the second supreme judicial district of Texas, at Fort Worth: Motions submitted: Slaughter against Coke county, for rehearing and for additional conclusions. Smithers against Lawrence et al, for rehearing. Norris against Cetti, for rehearing. Woodward against Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Company, for rehearing. Southern Trading Company et al against State National Bank, for rehearing. Measkey against Couter et al, for rehearing. Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Com-

pany et al against Morrison & Daniel, for rehearing. Tarrant county against W. E. Butler et al, to postpone submission. Motions overruled: American Tribune New Colony Company against Schulor et al, for rehearing and to certify. Wecker against Lewis, for rehearing. Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company et al against Morrison & Daniel, for rehearing.

In the case of Tarrant county against Butler et al, a motion to postpone submission was granted and the case passed to be submitted on the 26th of March. Affirmed: Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railway Company against Swan, from Hood. Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Company against Haisell, from Wise. Ramey against Red River, Texas and Southern Railway Company, from Tarrant. Mingo against Rhine, from Wise. Texas and Pacific Railway Company against McGonagill & Roberts, from Midland.

In the case of Fannie R. Mitchell et al against Robertson & Robertson from Bosque, the judgment is affirmed except as to the item of \$10 for having guardian appointed, as to this item the judgment is reversed and rendered in favor of Mrs. Mitchell, with costs taxed against appellant.

Reversed and suit abated: Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company against Forbes, from Childress. This order is not to operate as precluding the right of applicant to bring another suit. Cases submitted: Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company et al against Barrett, from Montague. Texas and Pacific Railway Company against Mayfield & Hughes, from Taylor. Texas and Pacific Railway Company against Davis, from Taylor. Lebetter et al against McMin, assignee, from Childress. Red River, Texas and Southern Railway Company against Dooley, from Denton. Adams against Weakley, from Jones. Cases set for April 9, 1904: Texas Central Railroad Company against Harrison, from Eastland. Texas Central Railroad Company against Peffrey, from Eastland. Adams against Wooten, from Jack. Gouhenour against Anderson et al, from Potter. Babcock, administrator, against Wolfarth et al, from Lubbock. Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Company against Wright, from Clay. Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company of Texas against Bogor, from Clay. Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company of Texas against Edwards, from Clay. Western Union Telegraph Com-

RHEUMATISM CURED

By Paracamp. Mr. E. L. Hawkins, 123 West 27th St., New York City, Says:

"I have used Paracamp in a severe case of Rheumatism, and will say that I got immediate relief. I have tried almost every preparation that is now before the public, and find that Paracamp is without question the best remedy for Rheumatism. I wish you success and heartily recommend Paracamp."

Mr. Hawkins is only one out of many thousands that have been cured by the wonderful penetrating remedy Paracamp. This new remedy is a scientific preparation which when applied, opens the pores of the skin, allowing the soothing, cooling oils to penetrate to seat of the ailment, removing the soreness and congestion, drawing out the fever and inflammation by inducing sweating. It sweats out the pain and aches, and this is Nature's plan.

Don't ruin your stomach with strong internal medicines for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sore Joints, etc. We guarantee Paracamp to relieve and cure you if used as directed. If it fails your druggist will refund your money. If your druggist don't handle Paracamp ask him to get for you.

If he won't do this send direct to us. But don't take any substitute because there is nothing just as good. Paracamp is sold only in 25 cent, 50 cent, and \$1.00 bottles. The 50 cent size contains three times as much as the 25 cent size; the \$1.00 bottles eight times as much as the 25 cent size.

The Paracamp Company Louisville, Ky., U. S. A.

CONNERY COMES TO VISIT HOME FOR FEW DAYS

He Tells Something of Work Done at Batson's Prairie Where He Has a Well Going Down

C. W. Connery, who has been spending a great deal of time at Batson's Prairie looking after the interests of the J. Peter Smith Oil Company, came in yesterday morning and will spend a few days at home.

Mr. Connery is as brown as a man can get in the sun, he wears corduroy trousers, a woolen shirt, and high boots, and is a typical character of outdoor life. While the sun has burned his face, and he has lost the fair complexion of his drug store days, he is the same jolly, good natured fellow he was, and the sunlight in his eyes is just as it always was.

"We have good prospects for oil in the well we are putting down," said Mr. Connery. "We expect to strike a rusher and there are four large tanks alongside of us when we get the flow. In addition there is a natural tank on the 200 acres we control. Our well is just a mile and a half south of the first well struck, and there is another well as far away as a half of mile west. This is as far as the field is defined. The salt water has appeared in the wells east of the first well. It is estimated that this will be the largest field yet discovered, as soon as the limits are defined. It is a peculiar thing that the fires have occurred in the salt water district.

There are now about 4,000 people in the field. They live in tents and in shacks. There is a building which is part tent and part shack which is used as a church. It has the sign on the outside and a Presbyterian minister is in charge of it. The state rangers, under command of Captain Rogers, preserve the peace. The calaboose is a pine tree with seven log chains attached to it.

"Before the salt water was discovered the output of the field was from 125,000 to 175,000 barrels per day. I do not know what it is today."

Mr. Connery received a fine welcome from his friends. A. M. McElwee returned with him.

IT SAVED HIS LEG
 P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cts. Sold by W. J. Fisher, druggist, and Reeves' pharmacy.

So Tired

It may be from overwork, but the chances are its from an inactive LIVER. With a well conducted LIVER one can do mountains of labor without fatigue. It adds a hundred per cent to one's earning capacity. It can be kept in healthful action by, and only by

Tutt's Pills

TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE.

FAIRVIEW

The Latest and Fairest Addition to North Ft. Worth

This New and Beautiful ADDITION Will be put on the Market Tomorrow Monday, March 21, at 9 A. M.

300 Lots, 50x140 feet, \$150 each, \$10 cash, remainder in monthly installments of \$10—No interest, no taxes for two years

\$7,500 Given Away to Purchasers

These presents consist of—
 1 six-room two-story house, worth \$1,500
 20 lots, worth \$150 each \$3,000
 40 gifts in GOLD, \$75 each \$3,000
 Total \$7,500

There are 61 gifts to be distributed among the purchasers of 300 lots. One person in every five will receive a gift of \$75, \$150 or \$1,500. Every purchaser receives a certificate that entitles him to share in the distribution of gifts aggregating \$7,500 in value. These will be given away absolutely free.

FAIRVIEW is the prettiest location surrounding North Fort Worth. It is a short distance northwest of the Armour and Swift packing houses, and the stock yards. The greater part of this addition overlooks the surrounding country and is truly a fair view, as its name indicates. It is high and dry and well drained. The price of the lots and the terms of sale put them within the reach of everybody. The price is low for the value of the lots. Others near by and worth no more are selling at \$200 to \$400 apiece.



This is a cut of the \$1500 house.

A Few Words About North Fort Worth

A year ago this month the Armour and Swift packing houses began slaughtering; the surrounding country was bald prairie or thick woods, with here and there a house. Now there is a town of 5,000 people. Two electric street car lines, and new houses are going up as fast as carpenters can build them. The present demand for residences by people who work at the packing houses and stock yards is not half supplied. As soon as they can get houses to live in they will stay in North Fort Worth, making at least 10,000 population. That is only at present. No account is taken of the growth of business and the coming of other packers, assuring a population of 20,000 to 25,000 in the next two years. Then figure on what these lots will be worth.

George Mulkey has consented to act as trustee, and all moneys received from the sale of these lots will be put in his care to guarantee the carrying out of all agreements.

For Further Information Call on
John C. Ryan & Co.
 106 East Third Street, Fort Worth

MONDAY ..100.. Decorated TEA SETS

- Blue, brown, pink and green decorated— 6 Cups 6 Saucers 6 Dinner Plates 1 Platter 1 oblong Vegetable Dish 1 round Vegetable Dish 21 pieces\$1.50

Gernsbacher Bros. 509 HOUSTON STREET.

Previous Statements Made to the People of Fort Worth Verified by Personal Testimony

So much has been said from time to time of the New York Doctors and their reputation as well as to their claim that the VERDICT OF ALL IS "THAT I AM COMPLETELY CURED," that we give below a few of the thousands of testimonials from people who were treated years ago, and it certainly is enough to convince any reasonable man or woman that they are not only specialists in name, but do as they advertise—cure to stay cured without loss of time, blood or pain, chronic special and private diseases of men, women and children.

They have made many cures in this city and you can go to their homes and investigate. They have been here long enough to convince even their enemies (if such there be) that they came here for, and are doing, a reliable and successful work.

If you are a sufferer it will pay you to go to them instead of sending your money away to doctors you cannot meet face to face and get such advice and treatment that cannot be given without a personal knowledge of your condition. Every case taken by them means they guarantee to give you such results as you are promised or your money back. No fairer proposition can be made.

Mr. S. H. McGary, proprietor Beaumont Journal, says: "The work you did for my wife two years ago was satisfactory and I can commend you to the public as expert business doctors. I know of many personal cures you made here, and your business standing is second to none in this community."

Mrs. W. J. Conklin, Pine Island, Tex., says: "The cure you made for chronic stomach troubles and general debility two years ago is a permanent cure. I had been to all the doctors in this section of the country and they had told me I had cancer of the stomach and would never get well. I am happy today since you restored me to health and usefulness to my family."

Mr. W. A. Coward, an old cattleman of South Texas, says: "My little girl, 6 years of age, was suffering with paralysis of the throat and cross eyes. I had been advised that she never would get well and was getting ready to carry her to New York when I was referred to these doctors by a friend who had been cured, and I am glad to say that in three months' time my child could talk and her eyes were straight without an operation. She could not and had not spoken above a whisper for a long time. The work these doctors did in this section is lasting and I heartily recommend them as the best specialists in the south today."

Mr. J. J. McAdams, Kountze, Texas, says: "These doctors cured my boy of stricture of the bowel four years since. He had not worked a day in over a year when they took charge of him. He has been all right and as well and happy as ever. They cured me of chronic bowel trouble two years ago. I believe them to be the best doctors in Texas."

Mr. D. W. Lewis, one of the oil magnates of South Texas, says: "These doctors cured my little daughter of a so-called case of epilepsy without a dose of medicine. It was found to be her eyes and when the proper refraction was made she never had another spell. I started her to school and she is well and happy. I know they did a great work in this section of the country and though it has been a long time their work stands today." Thousands of similar testimonials like the above could be given and right here at home they have hundreds who have received equally as great results. They are proud of their work and their record, and if you will call at their offices they will tell you candidly if you can be cured and it costs you not a cent to find out.

A CATTLEMAN IS IN TROUBLE

Ira Yates of San Angelo, Indicted on a Charge of Swindling

There was dismissed from the criminal docket in Judge Wathall's court this morning a case against a prominent stockman from San Angelo, about which very little for some reason has been said although the matter has been in the courts since last December.

The defendant in the case was Ira G. Yates, one of the most substantial and prominent stockmen of Tom Green county and the charge against him was that of swindling. When the case was called for trial this morning there appeared as witnesses for and friends of the defendant, State Senator Hill, of San Angelo; George E. Webb, president of the First National bank of that city and a number of other prominent men from that section.

There are some interesting circumstances connected with the case which grew out of a transaction in the Coffey Island saloon in this city during the carnival of January, 1903, and which the friends of Mr. Yates claim is a case of involving criminal law for the purpose of collecting a gambling debt.

Mr. Yates was a visitor at the January jubilee of 1903, and like a number of other cattlemen, was about the Coffey Island saloon a great deal. He patronized the games in the place and lost considerable money and wound up by giving Powers & Truesdale, the proprietors, a draft on the First National bank of San Angelo, where he has always done business and where he had money on deposit, for \$50.

Returning home a week later he found that the draft had not been presented for collection, and feeling that he could not afford at that time to pay it, he ordered its payment stopped. The proprietors of the Coffey Island wrote to him about the matter and he told them he would pay them when he felt better able to do so. The matter dragged along until last December when Powers & Truesdale, went before the grand jury and procured an indictment against Mr. Yates, charging him with swindling.

Yates heard that he had been indicted and did not wait for the sheriff to arrest him but came on here and gave himself up and made bond.

When the case was called this morning the defense, which was represented by Dean, Bowden & Bryan, announced ready for trial. The state announced not ready and asked to have the case continued because the cashier of the San Angelo bank was not present. The defense showed that the state had not used diligence to procure the attendance of the cashier and contended that as they had the president of the bank present, they would testify that Mr. Yates at the time of giving the check had money in his bank, the state should be ready to proceed.

The district attorney, who was assisted in the case by Victor W. Moore, counsel for Powers & Truesdale, insisted upon the continuance and the attorney for the defense insisted upon a trial or a dismissal and the latter refused.

Within half an hour after the case was dismissed a new complaint was sworn out against Yates in Justice Spencer's court embracing the same charge and he was re-arrested and gave bond. The preliminary hearing came up this afternoon at 3 o'clock.—El Paso Herald.

REPUBLICANS MAY SHAKE CHICAGO

Unless the Guaranty Money Is Forthcoming There May Be No Meeting of National Convention in the Windy City

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(Special)—Unless Chicago citizens toe the mark to the satisfaction of the republican national committee within a very short time the

Cigarette and Tobacco Habits

Cured Absolutely Free by Sample Package of Tobacco-Specific

Each of the undersigned for himself freely and voluntarily certifies as follows: I hereby certify that I was completely and permanently cured of the tobacco habit by a free sample package of Tobacco-Specific, more than a year ago. I



have positively disliked tobacco ever since I took the sample, have not used any in any form, and my health has been better than it was before. I state these facts freely and voluntarily, hoping other victims of the tobacco habit will profit by my experience.

Chas. Ducoite, Richmond, Mo. G. W. Edam, box 200, Glenwood, Wis. Susan I. Moore, Santa Rosa, Mo. R. Coffey, 826 Frank st., Chattanooga, Tenn. W. H. Emerson, Belmont, Mo. James Robertson, Berwyn, Ill. James M. Ward, Southern Hotel, Chicago, Ill. Henry S. Hobson, Greensboro, Ala. John W. Kenady, Miners, Texas. Gilbert Broom, Dallas, N. C. Carrie Tiles, Genoa, Fla. M. G. De Witt, Tucker, Ind. Ter.

Hundreds of other people have had the same experience with sample packages of Tobacco-Specific. It is a harmless, practically tasteless remedy which can be given in drink or food and will positively cure any patient without his knowledge. Taken by the patient himself, the remedy is just as certain to cure. The Rogers Drug and Chemical Co., 1102 Fifth and Race sts., Cincinnati, O., will send you a free sample package of Tobacco-Specific in plain wrapper, if you send your name and address. Send at once.

A national committee will not go to Chicago. Four or five of the leading members of the national committee are already in favor of taking the meeting away from Chicago. A meeting of the committee will probably be arranged by the end of next week, unless part of the agreed finances are put up by Chicago citizens.

An authority stated today that the committee meant business. Members of the committee say that repeated demands upon the part of the guaranty to secure the resolution have resulted in an absolute refusal on the part of some subscribers to make good. Instead Samuel Raymond is credited with asking the committee to call upon him personally for any amount and National Committeeman Stewart of Illinois is also said to be out of pocket. The national committee refuses to go further until the subscribers come to the front and back up their original promises of putting up \$15,000 or \$20,000 for the use of the committee at once. This is an ultimatum that must be met. Already aspirants for the honor of emulating the convention are becoming active again. Pittsburg is very favorably considered and would probably be the choice of Senators Scott, Penrose and Elkins.

Senator Scott directs the work of the national committee during the illness of Postmaster General Payne, negroes, charged with the murder of a negro porter on a railroad train Christmas week, were lynched by a mob last night.

A company has been organized in Chicago which contracts to bury people and let them pay on the installment plan. The installments must all be paid before the funeral occurs, however.

TWO NEGROES LYNCHED CLEVELAND, O., March 19.—Fayette Sawyer and Burrell Taylor, negroes, charged with the murder of a negro porter on a railroad train Christmas week, were lynched by a mob last night.

DES MOINES, March 19.—Though charged with wilful, premeditated and cold blooded murder, Mrs. Sherman Dye, of Boone, Ia., accused of sending a box of poisoned candy to Miss Rena Nelson, the Pierre, S. D., telephone operator whose death last week was caused from eating the deadly candy, is, through the intricacies of the law, given absolute freedom.

Here is an instance where the famous Mollinoux case is outparalaxed. In the Mollinoux case the suspect was tried, sentenced to be executed, only escaping after years spent in a prison cell.

Decorative border with money bags and text: Bags of Money. Have been paid in rent by almost all middle-aged men. We want the young men and women of Fort Worth to profit by the offer we're making in home sites at South Hemphill Heights. We will make it worth your while. Perhaps you have been thinking of buying a lot or commencing to save for some time, but have not made the start. Think about it, but don't think too long—ACT NOW. We have sold 200 Lots in three days to lawyers, real estate men and other wise investors. Bring \$1 with you and come along. We Will Be There Each Day, INCLUDING SUNDAY. Come out in the morning if you can, we can devote more time to you than in the afternoon. Why not take the car ride anyway? We will be just as good friends if you don't buy. We want the privilege of showing South Hemphill Heights and explaining our plan to the thinking men and women of Fort Worth. NOTE THE TERMS. Lots \$100 to \$400—\$1.00 down and then \$1.00 per week. No interest. No taxes for 1904 and 1905. No payments when sick. Title perfect and abstract furnished with each lot. We have a few lots on Hemphill Avenue, the terms on which are \$10.00 down and \$2.00 per week, without interest. Take Hemphill car to end of line. Tuttle & Moore 413 MAIN STREET. Phones: Old, 2216; New, 1196. Open Till 9 P. M.

WOMAN ACCUSED OF MURDER CAN'T BE ARRESTED



While on her deathbed Miss Nelson addressed a letter to her aunt in Boone confessing her love for Sherman Dye and accused his wife as the party who sent her the poison. It also developed that Mrs. Dye was extremely jealous of Miss Nelson and had written her threatening letters. Trouble between them had arisen when Miss Nelson was a central girl in Boone.

Upon this evidence a warrant was issued for the arrest of Mrs. Dye and a deputy sheriff came to Des Moines for requisition papers. But the accused was not a fugitive and Governor Cummings, in a written opinion, declared he had no right under the statute to extradite her.

tradtion laws, but as it cannot be made retroactive no new prosecution can be begun.

Authorities hold that the crime was not committed in Iowa, which exempts Mrs. Dye from prosecution in any other state but South Dakota, where the fatal poison was eaten.

ELECTION NOTICE

By virtue of the power vested in me, and by the charter so directed, I hereby call a general election to be held in the city of Fort Worth, Texas, on the 5th day of April, 1904, being the first Tuesday in said month, and during the legal hours of said day, for the purpose of electing one mayor for the city at large and one alderman for the First ward, one alderman for the Second ward, one alderman for the Third ward, one alderman for the Fourth ward, one alderman for the Fifth ward, one alderman for the Sixth ward, one alderman for the Seventh ward, one alderman for the Eighth ward, one alderman for the Ninth ward and have appointed the following presiding officers of said election for said wards, and selected the following places for holding said election on said day as follows, to-wit:

- First Ward—Manston Hotel, W. A. Avey, presiding judge. Second Ward—304 Main street, B. M. Harding, presiding judge. Third Ward—Jones street, opposite Santa Fe depot, R. Chambers, presiding judge. Fourth Ward—City Hall, S. T. Bibb, presiding judge. Fifth Ward—Locomotive Fireman's hall, Joe Poythress, presiding judge. Sixth Ward—Southeast corner Hemphill street and Daggett avenue, M. D. McNeely, presiding judge. Seventh Ward—1011 South Main street, H. L. Calhoun, presiding judge. Eighth Ward—Corner Magnolia and Hemphill streets, O. W. Head, presiding judge. Ninth Ward—Court House, C. T. Prewett, presiding judge.

Given under my hand and seal of the city of Fort Worth this 14th day of March, 1904. THOS. J. POWELL, Mayor. JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

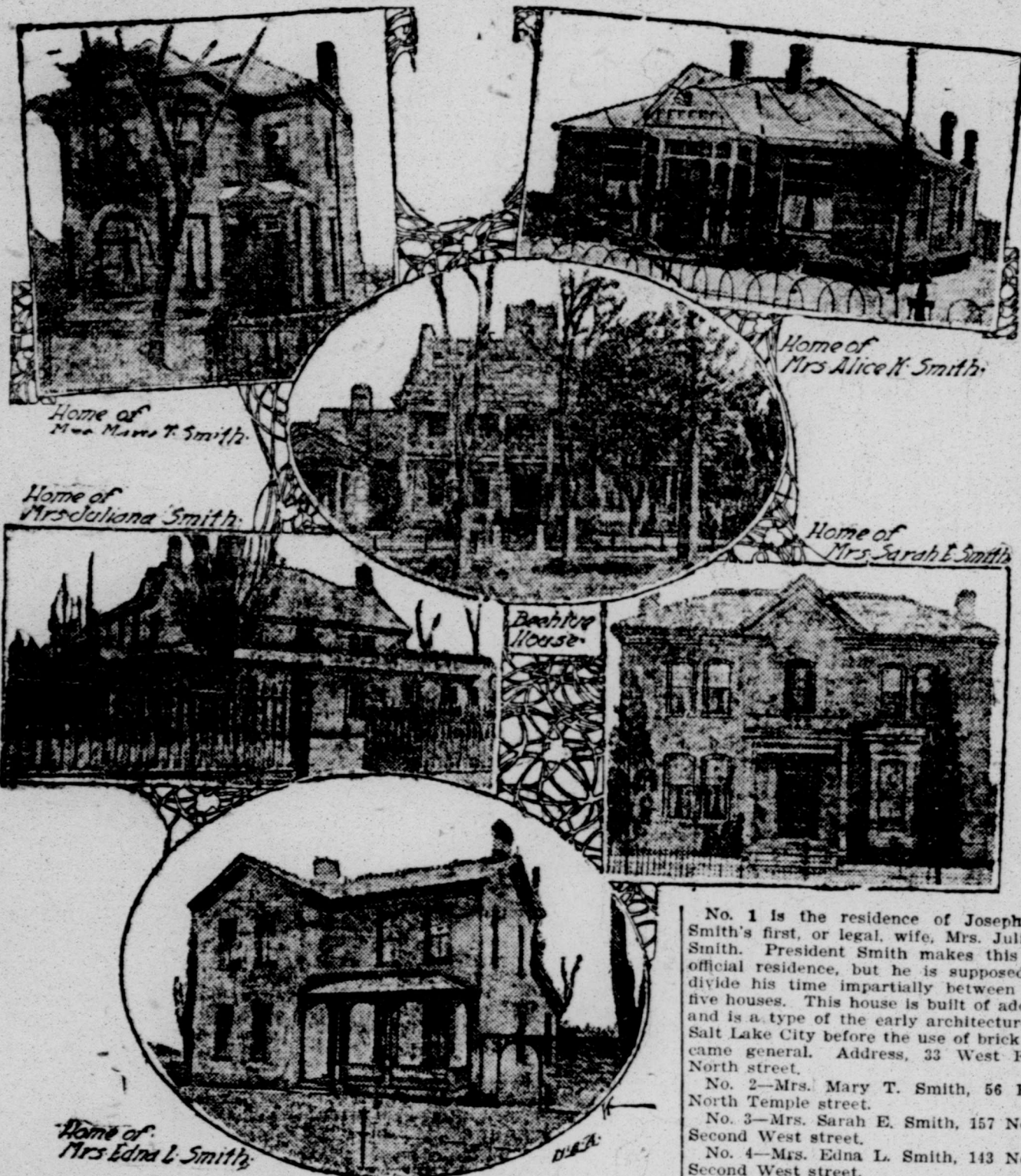
I.&G.N. CHEAP RATES \$9.00 HOUSTON AND RETURN On Sale March 18 and 19, 1904. \$9.05 SAN ANTONIO AND RETURN On Sale March 22 and 23, 1904. \$25.00 CALIFORNIA Common Points On Sale Daily During March and April. Call Up Telephone No. 219. R. W. TIPTON, C. T. A. City Office 809 Main Street.

Base Ball! FORT WORTH VS. CINCINNATI REDS March 19-20. Saturday game called 4 p. m. Sunday game called at 8 p. m. \$110 IN GOLD FREE The Telegram's Coin Puzzle.

Dandierine GREW THIS HAIR And we can PROVE IT. If you want your hair to grow THICK and LONG DANDIERINE is the remedy you will be obliged to use. We have a standing order to wagar \$1,000 that it is the only HAIR TONIC on the market to-day that will positively stop and cure Falling Hair and make HAIR GROW. Average growth 1 1/4 in. per month for twenty consecutive months. By permission we herewith reproduce photograph of Miss Sarah MacComb, a lady who has lived in Chicago all her life and is well known in the hair and scalp business. Her hair before she commenced the use of Dandierine would not reach below her waist, while now it touches the floor when she stands erect. This remarkable growth is the result of using Dandierine, the greatest of all hair and scalp tonics, regularly as a dressing. It Gave Her Hair New Life and will do the same for you if you give it a fair trial. Dandierine puts new life and vigor into the hair and scalp, and makes the hair fluffy, silky, and there seems to be no limit to the growth it will produce. There is no other that can be compared to it, as it is founded on new ideas altogether. SHE IS WILLING TO SWEAR TO IT. By request of Miss MacComb we reproduce the following letter: ENOWLTON DANDIERINE CO., Chicago, Ill. Gentlemen—I am having so many inquiries regarding the ad. that you are now running showing my picture that I am sending you a letter for the benefit of the public that you may reproduce it, and will state under oath if you so desire that I used Dandierine for twenty consecutive months and the average growth of my hair was one and one-fourth inches per month, making a total of twenty-five inches in twenty months. You are at liberty to use this letter underneath my picture, and by so doing will save me the trouble of answering the large number of inquiries which I am receiving daily. Sincerely, MISS SARAH MACCOMB, 6039 Forrestville Ave., Chicago, Ill. NOW at all druggists in three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle. To show how quickly Dandierine acts we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this advertisement to the Knottville Dandierine Co., Chicago, Ill. with their name and address on a card in silver or stamped paper. For Sale by H. T. Pangburn & Co., Ninth and Houston Sts.

SETTLERS' RATES To points in Minnesota, North Dakota, Manitoba, Ontario, Saskatchewan and Arizitoba. Tickets on sale by the Chicago, Great Western railway every Tuesday in March and April. For further information apply to Geo. W. Lincoln, T. P. A., 7 West 9th st., Kansas City, Mo. \$110 IN GOLD FREE The Telegram's Coin Puzzle.

THE HOMES OF JOS. SMITH'S MANY WIVES ARE IN A BUNCH



SALT LAKE, City, Utah, March 18.—The Beehive house was originally built by Brigham Young fifty years ago and since that date has been the official residence of the president of the Mormon church. Adjacent are the offices of the church, where all the meetings of the directors of the numerous companies owned and operated by the church are held. Here also the emigration agent, W. C. Spence, has his headquarters, and missionaries going and

coming from their fields of labor report. The Beehive house is handsomely furnished and in addition is said to contain a number of secret passages and chambers, wherein, in the old "crusade" days under the Edmunds-Tucker law against polygamy, prior to the manifesto of President Woodruff in 1890, prominent Mormons who were wanted by the United States marshals would skip when the chase became too hot for comfort.

No. 1 is the residence of Joseph F. Smith's first, or legal, wife, Mrs. Juliana Smith. President Smith makes this his official residence, but he is supposed to divide his time impartially between the five houses. This house is built of adobe and is a type of the early architecture of Salt Lake City before the use of brick became general. Address, 33 West First North street.
No. 2—Mrs. Mary T. Smith, 56 East North Temple street.
No. 3—Mrs. Sarah E. Smith, 157 North Second West street.
No. 4—Mrs. Edna L. Smith, 143 North Second West street.
No. 5—Mrs. Alice K. Smith, 127 North Second West street.
All houses are within five minutes walk, and all are supplied with telephones. Despite the fact that one wife lives in a one-story house, another in a story and a half, and the rest in two-story houses, there is the greatest of harmony between the families. All the children call each other brothers and sisters, while the wives, with the exception of their own mother, they call "Auntie."



Following is the program for the open session of the Harmony Club to be held Friday evening, March 26:
Instrumental trio, "March Militaire"..... Herbert Mrs. Lyons, Misses Hooper and Moore.
Vocal trio, "O, Salutaris"..... Weiland Mrs. Ducker, Messrs. Jones and Pease.
Piano solo, "Rhapsodie Hongrois No. 2"..... Liszt Mrs. R. B. West.
Vocal solo, "Eri King"..... Schubert Mr. Rollin M. Pease.
Vocal duet, "I Feel Thy Angel Spirit"..... Graham-Hoffman Miss Downing, Mr. Pease.
Piano solo, Impromptu, C sharp minor..... Reinhold Mr. Guy B. Eitzer.
Vocal solo, "Spring Song"..... Well Mrs. Maud Peters Ducker.
Instrumental duet, "Poet and Peasant"..... F. Von Suppl Meedames West and Lyons.

Executive committee: Mrs. Emma C. Fakes, chairman; Mrs. J. C. Terrell, Miss Annie Shelton, Mrs. Ben O. Smith, Mrs. Willard Burton, Mrs. B. C. Rhome, Mrs. R. F. Flowers, Mrs. W. F. Hightower, Mrs. H. E. Snodgrass, Mrs. J. C. Hartson, Mrs. A. A. Adams, Mrs. Winfield Scott, Mrs. J. E. Hawley, Miss Beattie White.
Entertainment committee: Mrs. J. C. Terrell, Mrs. W. A. Adams, Mrs. F. E. Thompson.
Program committee: Mrs. C. W. Connerly, chairman.
Advertising committee: Mrs. I. H. Burney.
Refreshment committee: Mrs. Conrad Reyer, Mrs. J. D. Covert, Mrs. B. C. Rhome.
Committee to solicit loans: Mrs. Ben O. Smith, chairman; Mrs. Ida L. Turner, Mrs. W. R. Thompson, Mrs. Morris Burney, Mrs. J. C. Harrison, Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. Saunders, Mrs. W. F. Hightower, Mrs. H. F. Snodgrass, Mrs. Emma Fakes, Mrs. Irby Dunklin, Miss Annie Shelton, Mrs. B. B. Padlock, Miss Lee Young, Mrs. Winfield Scott, Mrs. Willard Burton, Miss Ted Edington, Miss Florence mith, Mrs. L. P. Jones, Miss Samuels, Mrs. Flowers.
The ward committees are as follows:
East of Main, from Samuels avenue to Railroad avenue: Mrs. Irby Dunklin, chairman; Mrs. E. L. White, Mrs. S. B. Cantey, Mrs. M. E. Burney, Mrs. W. L. Burch, Mrs. B. H. Lawrence, Mrs. H. L. Lathrop, Miss M. Bennett, Mrs. Drew Pruitt, Mrs. George Jackson, Mrs. H. A.

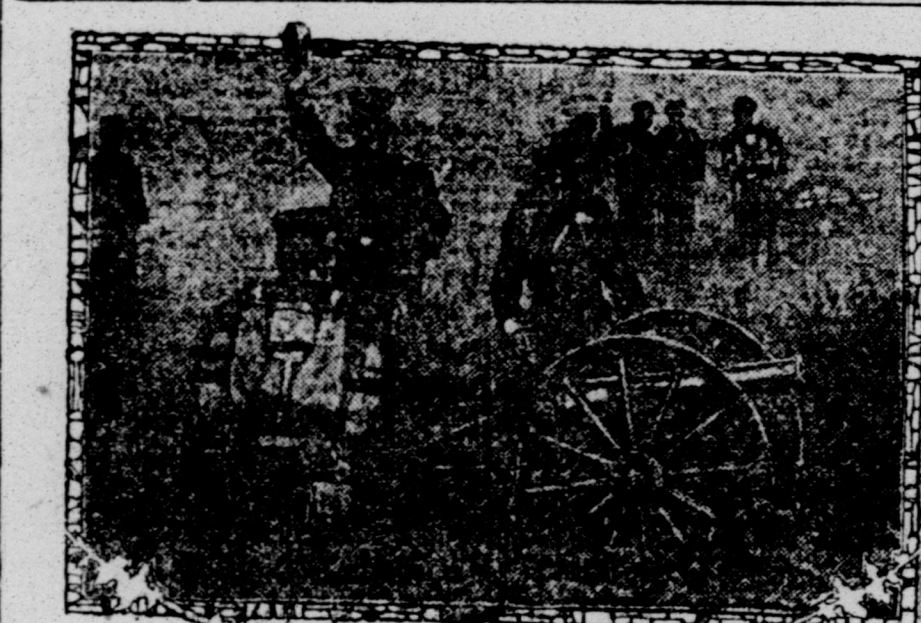
Judd, Miss Warren, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. M. Moffet.
West from Main to Lake, from Fifth to river: Mrs. Lily P. Jones, chairman; Florence Smith, Mrs. J. P. Hird, Miss Young, Mrs. G. B. Morton, Mrs. Minnie Barron, Mrs. R. M. Wynne, Mrs. T. J. Powell, Miss Louie Hogg, Mrs. Ella Hogsett, Mrs. C. A. Reyer, Mrs. D. W. Goodwin, Mrs. George Want, Mrs. T. J. Peniston, Mrs. Harry Adams.
Third and Seventh wards: Mrs. R. Chambers, chairman.
West Fifth to Railroad avenue, Main to Lake streets: Mrs. Winfield Scott, chairman; Mrs. Emma Fakes, Mrs. Flowers, Mrs. W. V. Galbreath, Miss Annie Shelton.
From Lake, west to city limits, north from Railroad avenue to river—Mrs. R. L. VanZandt, chairman; Mrs. H. H. Cobb, Mrs. W. S. Burton, Mrs. J. B. Groggins, Mrs. Sam Davidson.
From Railroad avenue south, to city limits; Missouri avenue west to Jennings avenue: Mrs. A. J. Roe, chairman.
West from Hemphill to Eighth street; south from Railroad to Cannon avenues: Mrs. W. R. Thompson, chairman; Mrs. Bacon Saunders, Mrs. Ida Turner, Mrs. J. C. Terrell, Mrs. C. Ouelley, Mrs. B. Slaughter, Mrs. E. W. Tempel, Mrs. G. Newby, Mrs. W. B. Harrison, Mrs. B. D. Tariton, Miss M. McLean.
From Cannon avenue south to city limits; Jennings avenue west to city limits: Mrs. E. H. Lowe, chairman; Mrs. B. A. Rose, Mrs. F. M. Weaver, Mrs. J. C. Ingram, Mrs. Reimers, Mrs. E. C. Hendly, Mrs. Ben Harris, Mrs. Duncan Ross, Mrs. Jack Zurn, Mrs. J. W. Bailey, Mrs. Glen Walker, Mrs. W. W. Burton, Miss G. Reynolds, Mrs. Zeanny, Mrs. Libby.
North Fort Worth—Mrs. S. Snodgrass, chairman; Mrs. Montague.
Arlington Heights: Mrs. Sanguinet, chairman.
Glenwood: Mrs. W. F. Hightower, chairman.
Committee to secure loans from Dallas: Mrs. Bacon Saunders, chairman; Mrs. Willard Burton, Mrs. John C. Harrison, Mrs. J. P. Smith Jr., Miss Ted Edington.
Committee on installation of exhibits: Mrs. S. B. Burnett, chairman; Mrs. M. M. Barnes, Mrs. L. P. Jones, Mrs. Ida Turner, Mrs. W. T. Humble, Miss C. McLean, Mrs. Ben O. Smith.
Committee to label exhibits: Miss May Samuels, chairman; Miss Mary Malone, Miss Donna Lee Carter, Miss Eleanor Williams, Miss Hager, Miss Mildred Bennett, Miss Mary Terrell, Miss Tom Montgomery.

THERE ARE STORES

Right here is the business portion of the city that we pass nearly every day, yet we never think about their being here. We forget they are in existence. Why? Because they do not advertise. They do not attempt to attract the eyes of the public in any other way than just being in a good location. The good location isn't everything. It certainly helps, but the stores that are attracting the crowds are the ones that keep themselves and their goods strongly in the people's minds through the newspapers. These stores draw the buyers right past the stores that do not advertise. The most profitable advertising is done in the evening papers, because the evening paper acts as the buyer's guide. The Telegram covers this field thoroughly at "reading time."

"LUCK" AND STOCKS

Perhaps most people believe in a dim sort of way that the gains and losses through stock speculation depend on "luck." Millions in this country with nothing but slim salaries between their families and want invest money in gilded schemes of which they know nothing and call it "trying their luck." It is defying fate. Thousands of young men and young women, eager to get forward by leaps, instead of by the plodding processes of toil, take chances on glittering promises, hoping that "luck" may be with them. Barnum discovered long ago that the American people "like to be humbugged." The amazing number of schemes for small investments prove it has been widely discovered that the American people like also to be swindled. As a matter of fact, there is no more "luck" in a stock investment than in any other. Men who make successes in stocks take no chances. For stock investments can be figured out with as much mathematical certainty as can any other business ventures. And the really good stocks seldom go begging for buyers. The promoter with a good, safe scheme readily finds powerful financial backing. It is the other fellow who goes peddling his stocks in small shares through the by-streets and alleys, blarneying clerks, stenographers and other working people into putting their small savings into schemes that knowing men will not touch. A Cleveland bank cashier went to the penitentiary not long ago because he had risked \$170,000 of his bank's money in stocks and had lost. In all his operations, extending over several years, he made but one lucky hit; he won \$10,000, but promptly lost it again. With better opportunities and abilities than are possessed by most people to judge of the safety of investments, he still lost all he risked. Robt. L. Cutting, of New York, was once a millionaire, with fine financial training. But an inventory of his estate has just disclosed the fact that his great fortune has been dissipated in brilliant-hued but empty financial bubbles. Shares in "wildcat" oil and mine enterprises, mining stock not worth the ink used in printing them, valueless second mortgage bonds, all representing an enormous total on the face, represent practically nothing in fact. Out of 50,000 shares in 45 companies only 200 are returned by the appraisers as of value, and these at current quotations are worth exactly \$1000. Here was a man of wealth, a member of a broker's firm, who had the best of opportunities to win "luck" to his side. But instead of investing in the safe stocks that produce fixed and sure dividends, he trusted to "luck" and chased dreams to his own ruin. If we could guess how many small fortunes were wiped out by investment in the same swindling companies, some idea could be gained of the utter helplessness of the inexperienced investor.



In artillery, the Japanese have the best of the Russians—especially in light artillery. The picture shows a Jap officer directing the fire of a section, at target practice.



NAGASAGI, March 17.—One of the most picturesque characters of Japanese life is the itinerant broom peddler. The Japanese are very clean. They sweep their homes a dozen times a day and they buy many brooms. The picture shows a little Jap matron purchasing a stock.

Always Something New

AT THE

NEW STORE

This time Millinery—New Trimmed and Street Hats, Patterns Hats only one of a kind, no two alike, for ladies, from \$1.50 to \$10.00. Some swell creations just from New York at \$2.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. Street Hats at 89c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.00. White Goods sale, just in time for confirmation dresses, Wash Chiffons, Paris Muslins, Persian Lawns, India Linons, Swisses, Silk Persian Lawns and Tissues. Table linen sale continued another week. \$1.25 linen for 79c; \$1.75 linen, \$1.19. Napkins worth \$1.25 at \$1.00; worth \$1.50 for \$1.19. We carry a very large stock of Sheets and Pillow Cases and can save you from 25c to 50c on a dozen. Just received a lot of the new fancy veils, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Special sale on ladies' white shirt waists. Walking Skirts, well made, hang well, good materials, at 98c, worth more to make; at \$1.98 unmatchable; at \$2.25 and \$4.25, \$5.00 and \$7.50 worth double these prices. Dress pattern sale from 9 to 12 Monday—10 yard pattern fine Lawn, 89c, worth \$1.50.

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- 6-qt. Granite Sauce Pan30c
- 8-qt. Granite Sauce Pan35c
- 14-qt. Dish Pan45c
- 10-qt. Fall50c
- 10-qt. Coffee Boiler75c
- 3-qt. Coffee Pot35c
- 1-qt. Coffee Pot25c
- Decorated Cups and Saucers in blue, per set50c
- Fancy White Cups, Saucers and Plates, 18 pieces80c
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TWO SPECIAL TRAINS

Speyer and Gould Parties Pass Through City

Two special trains bearing important parties passed through this city last night neither, however, remaining at the Texas and Pacific station longer than a few minutes.

The first train which passed through the city at about 7 o'clock had on board James Speyer, the New York banker and railroad financier, together with a party of friends who are en route from New York to San Antonio and Old Mexico over the Katy. The train upon which they are making the trip is a five-car special composed of baggage, sleeper and observation cars.

Shortly after 10 o'clock the second special passed through bearing Mrs. George Gould, who is on her way east from California to New York. The train remained in the yards for a short time only, none of the party making their appearance.

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One of the most popular members of our piano family is the STEGER & SONS. It is an instrument in which are embodied all of the essentials of a high grade piano. No expense is spared by the manufacturers in making this a perfect piano. The tone is rich and deep, the touch light and responsive and the case so neat and dainty that it is no wonder the musicians are so delighted with it in every respect.

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BANKERS MAKE COMMENTS ON DRAUGHON'S Practical Business Colleges

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TOLD THE CZAR HE WAS A POLE

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Paderewski, who arrived here today to play at the symphony concert tomorrow, told your correspondent that no one in Russia dared to open his mouth now, except to praise the czar and eulogize the slight suggestion of free and fair discussion having disappeared.

TWELVE BOLLERS AT CONVENTION

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BOOTH TUCKER COMES TO GIVE LECTURE HERE

Commander of the Salvation Army Will Entertain an Audience at the City Hall Monday Night

Monday night Commander Booth Tucker of the Salvation Army will deliver his well known lecture, "Love and Sorrow" at the city hall, and it is expected there will be a large attendance.

Something of a unique figure in the world of today is Commander Booth Tucker, who, together with his admirable wife, Consul Booth Tucker, administers the great work done by the Salvation Army throughout this country.

Born, so far as territory is concerned, an East Indian, Commander Booth Tucker is none the less both by blood, by rearing and education a son of the Occident. Paternally his strain is that of a long-established family of English gentilefolk, while maternally he is descended from one of those gallant old French families, whose members at the time of the Terror went proudly to the guillotine rather than show dishonor to their birth and convictions.

Born the grandson of a former chairman of the great East India company, the son of a man prominent in affairs, Frederick St. G. de Lantour Booth Tucker knew from infancy little but the joys of life. To be sure, while yet he was a mere prattling toddler, the terrible Sepoy mutiny burst forth, and one of his earliest memories is that of being huddled with his brothers and sisters, in the dark hours of an early morning, board an armored ship where they were held until the tragic horror was past.

Entering the Anglo-Indian civil service as a mere strapping, Commander Booth Tucker advanced rapidly, occupying several important positions of the government until he rose to rank similar to that of a combined judicial and administrative officer of one of our state governments. He was in the way of rapid preferment when one of those curiously inexplicable incidents that sometimes change a man's whole life befell him, certainly changing the course of his career as radically as possible.

He had, as a Christian gentleman, often sought to press home the vital truths of Christianity upon the heathen hordes whose laws and government he administered, but paramount authority had rather frowned upon his efforts. Now, by apparent merest chance, he came upon a copy of the Salvation Army paper, War Cry, today known throughout the world, and reading it again and again was so enthralled that he finally took six months leave of absence, and going to London spent the entire period regardless of countless flattering social temptations, in studying the Salvation Army. Its methods, work and results.

The more he saw the more he was convinced; acting not upon impulse but upon solid conviction, then, he resigned his high post on the Anglo-Indian government staff and returned to India as a Salvation Army officer. He who theretofore rolled luxuriously along in his beautifully appointed carriage amid the salaams of a reverential crowd, now appeared among the same crowd as a barefooted, yellow-turbaned, begging Salvationist.

At that time to be a Salvation Army officer in India was tantamount to being a begging fakir, in order merely to subsist it was necessary, with bowl in hand, to go from door to door asking for a bit of rice, and many was the day when Commander Booth Tucker's bowl was far from filled. Yet he persevered; he was remarkably successful from the first, and when coming out from England as his wife, Emma, the second daughter of General and Mrs. Booth, added the rare charm of her per-

sonality to his efforts, the redemptive, restorative, uplifting work of the Salvation Army in India advanced to a degree that astonished as deeply as it gratified the Christian world.

During the seven years of Commander Booth Tucker's leadership of the Army in this country the development of the organization has been something extraordinary. The commander may, indeed, fittingly be called one of the greatest practical Christian leaders of the day. He is at once a missionary, an apostle, a statesman and a man of affairs.

AT HOT SPRINGS

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 19.—(Special.)—The feature card on today's card was won by the favorite. Weather clear. Summaries:
First race, six furlongs—Marble, 102. (Donovan), 6 to 5, won; Joe Goss, 102. (A. Baskin), second; Bonnet, (J. Hennessy), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 1/2. Lida B. Orleans, Huzzah and Potpourri also ran.

Second race, six furlongs—Belle Mahone, 105. (Donovan), 6 to 5, won; Marco, (J. Hennessy), 7 to 1, second; Mike Strauss, 108. (Donovan), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:08. Pepper Dick and Sweet Dream also ran.

Third race, six furlongs—Anzinger, 195. (Donovan), 2 to 5, won; February Pine, 132. (Kinney), 12 to 1, second; Cobasset, 102. (Foley), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 1/2. Shepherd, Zola, Knight, Lenox, Angelo, Will Shelly, Dusky Secret and Archa also ran.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Marboro, 102. (O'Connor), 15 to 1, won; Apple Sweet, 191. (Prinegar), 19 to 1, second; Laura Hunter, 107. (J. McIntyre), third. Time, 1:08. Dr. Clark, Swan Dance, Mercer and Ben Beach also ran.

Fifth race, six furlongs—A sixth race, six furlongs—Minder, 5 to 1, won; Glenwood, (Perth), 8 to 1, second; Flora Bright, (John Hennessy), 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:18. W. Gates and Ramposa also ran.

CHARGED WITH PEONAGE
JACKSON, Miss., March 19.—(Special.)—United States Marshal Wilson today placed under arrest two citizens of Kemper county, William and Daniel Pickett. Both prominent farmers, in the case of holding a negro named James Corbett in peonage. The two men have been indicted by the federal grand jury which has just adjourned at Meridian and will be admitted to bail in the sum of \$1,500 each. The indictment specially charges the men with holding Carrington and his minor children in voluntary servitude and on one occasion when the negro escaped into Nottoway county, he was captured and when brought back given a severe whipping. The federal officials testify to ugly scenes on his back.

The grand jury also indicted the three Legret brothers and Ivon Henderson on the charge of peonage by the keeping of a negro named Shep Griffin in custody and admitted them to bail in the sum of \$1,500 each.

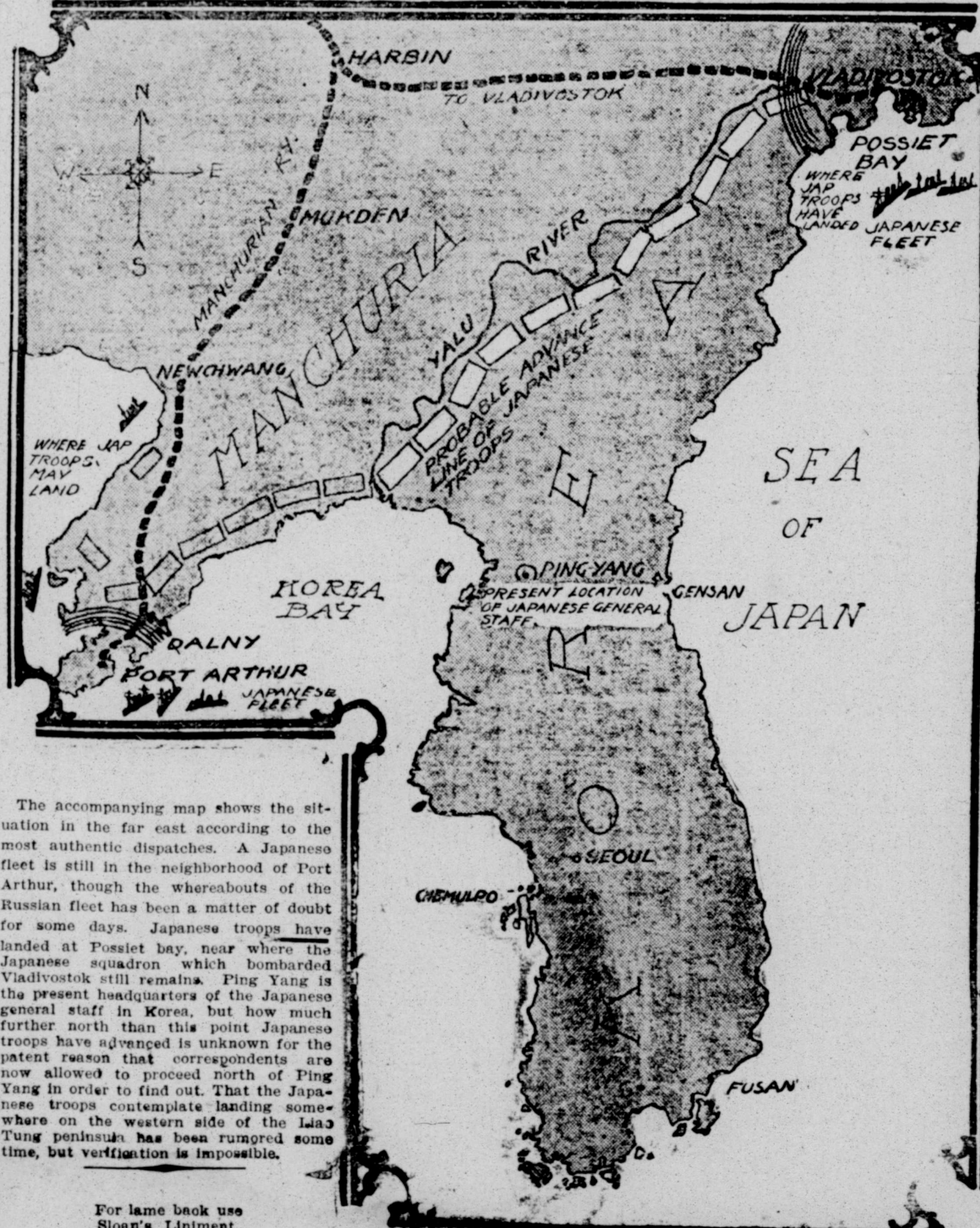
INVENTED A CROWLESS ROOSTER
SEATTLE, Wash., March 19.—Realizing that a crowless rooster was the long-felt want of poultry lovers who have planted themselves in the midst of the city, George F. Nachtwey of 1912 Fourth avenue west has risen to the occasion and invented a crowless rooster, or rather a mute male fowl. Nachtwey has two samples of the crowless bird, both full grown and silent. Neither has manifested any desire to crow or make other unseemly noises up to date.

Whether they are deaf and dumb, Nachtwey does not know, but they can't, don't or won't crow. In all other respects they are like other roosters. The crowless fowls are hybrid—a cross of Black Spanish and Wyandottes. Whether this result will happen every time in crossing these two breeds Nachtwey doesn't know, but he hopes to prove this latter by further experiments.

MONTANA DEMOCRATS
HELENA, Mont., March 19.—(Special.)—The democratic state committee today issued calls for two state conventions, the first, which elects delegates to the national convention, to be held at Great Falls, May 15; the second, which will nominate a state ticket, will assemble in Helena, September 28.

No better piece of high class fiction has been published serially in years than "The White Company," by Conan Doyle. Starts on page 13 of this issue.

In unionism this tendency is toward slavery, which is death.



The accompanying map shows the situation in the far east according to the most authentic dispatches. A Japanese fleet is still in the neighborhood of Port Arthur, though the whereabouts of the Russian fleet has been a matter of doubt for some days. Japanese troops have landed at Possiet bay, near where the Japanese squadron which bombarded Vladivostok still remains. Ping Yang is the present headquarters of the Japanese general staff in Korea, but how much further north than this point Japanese troops have advanced is unknown for the present reason that correspondents are now allowed to proceed north of Ping Yang in order to find out. That the Japanese troops contemplate landing somewhere on the western side of the Liao Tung peninsula has been rumored some time, but verification is impossible.

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The trans-Atlantic steamers are regaining the business they lost during the period of depression in the 90s. In 1891 one hundred and fifty thousand cabin passengers were landed in New York. That was the high record until last year, when the high record until last year, when the cabin passengers numbered 161,488. In 1891 there were 45,000 steerage passengers; last year the liners carried to New York in the steamer 642,358 passengers.

ACQUITTAL FOR DEWEY IS VERDICT OF JURY FOR RECEIVER OF A COMPANY

First Trial for Killing Growing Out of Northwest Kansas Feud

NORTON, Kan., March 19.—(Special.)—At 9:40 o'clock tonight, after having been out forty-eight hours, the jury in the case of Chauncey Dewey, Clyde Wilson and William J. McBride, charged with the killing of Burchard Berry, returned a verdict of acquittal. Dewey is a millionaire ranch owner and a prominent Chicago club owner. He and his cowboys went to the Berry ranch to secure possession of a short's sale. While there a duel was fought, in which three members of the Berry family were killed. There are still two indictments against the men acquitted for killing the two others, but it is probable that they will be dismissed, the evidence being identical.

CITY ENJOYING ACTIVE GROWTH

Many Real Estate Deals Reported and Large Number Dwellings Being Built

There has been considerable activity in realty during the past week and several large transactions have been consummated. Yesterday the property occupied by N. A. Cunningham on the west side of Houston street, between Third and Fourth streets, was sold to W. J. Boaz for \$15,000. It is 50x109 feet and was owned by J. C. Ingram, who two years ago paid \$8,000 for it. The sale yesterday netted Mr. Ingram \$7,000. There are a number of other large deals pending and will probably be closed during the next few days. As evidences of the city's rapid growth it is shown by the water works department being made throughout the residence portions of the city is greater now than has been the case in many months. During the past two or three months the department has been taxed to meet the demands for these water connections. All the way from six to eight connections are being made daily, and orders are being received that indicate there will be no let up for some time to come. Water works employees say that they have never been called upon for so many water connections as is the case at the present time. During the past week a great many lots have been sold in the various additions to the city, and this week it is said by dealers that the demand will be very much increased. One contractor said yesterday that a conservative estimate shows that there are at least \$1,000,000 going into residence and business properties in Fort Worth. One notable fact is that most of the improvements are of a substantial character.

BACK FROM TRIP IN PANHANDLE

Oswald Wilson, W. F. Sterley, W. D. Bentley and Dr. Knapp Had Success

Oswald Wilson, who, in company with General Freight Agent Sterley of the Denver, W. D. Bentley and Dr. Knapp of the department of agriculture, returned yesterday from a week's trip up the river, where the party went in the interest of organizing farmers' institutes. The first stop was made Monday at Ford, where, under the direction of Dr. Knapp, an institute with a membership of forty was organized, twelve of whom will plant cotton this season under the direction of Dr. Knapp. At Henrietta Tuesday an institute was organized with twelve members. In this county a membership of twenty-eight has been formed, a large majority of which will do their planting this season under government direction. At Bowie, the principal point on the Denver, the farmers were organized with a strong membership of forty, ten of which will be under Dr. Knapp's direction in their cotton planting this year. Bowie handles on an average of 18,000 bales of cotton a year and the farmers in this vicinity are very enthusiastic over any improved method in scientific agriculture that has been devised by the government. Thursday was spent by the party at Wichita Falls, where they viewed a large dam and irrigation system which comprises one of the most fertile spots in that section of the state. The Panhandle country promises to make one of the best cotton planting regions in Texas and Dr. Knapp is very anxious that the farmers take hold of the cotton planting on a large scale, as the cotton raised is not in any way affected by the boll weevil, whose advent in Central and South Texas has wrought such disastrous effects. With good crops raised in that part of the state, Texas farmers can get their planting seed free from the weevil without sending to North Carolina for their early maturing seed. "The White Company" is one of Conan Doyle's best pieces of fiction. Starts on page 23 of this issue.

Homeseekers and Settlers Rates To the Southeast From Memphis, Tenn.

On March 1 and 15 and April 5 and 19, 1904, the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway will sell tickets at their office No. 10 Madison street or Union Station, Memphis, Tenn., to all points in the southeast at one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip, limited to 21 days. Stop-overs allowed on going trip within 15 days at any point on the N. C. and St. L. Ry. or W. and A. R. R. No stop allowed on return trip. One way settlers' tickets will be sold at half of the one way fare plus \$2.00. No stop allowed on this ticket. IMPORTANT NOTICE—Home-seekers and settlers' tickets are not on sale to Nashville, Chattanooga or Atlanta or to points within a radius of 25 miles of these points or to points within 38 miles of Memphis. R. C. COWARDIN, T. P. A., Dallas, Texas. H. F. SMITH, Traffic Manager, Nashville, Tenn. W. L. DANLEY G. P. A., Nashville, Tenn.

NICE TANGLE FOR RECEIVER OF A COMPANY

J. C. McPherson Reports Inability to Find Anything About International Packing Concern

NO DIRECTORATE NOR OWNERSHIP

Holder of Company's Assets Is Also Reported to Be Missing

CHICAGO, March 19.—(Special.)—John C. McPherson, appointed receiver for the International Packing Company's property on the petition of the stockholders, who declare the corporation has been wrecked and \$1,000,000 lost by reckless Board of Trade gambling on the part of its directors, has made this report to Judge Dunne: That the company, so far as he could ascertain, keep no directorate; that the company's plant, valued at \$700,000, has no ownership, and that he can find no one with a part interest or ownership in the plant; that he can not discover in whose possession the assets of the company are; that he has utterly failed to get possession of the company's property after two days' work; that the company's property is, so far as he can ascertain, without insurance; that the company is probably in debt to the county for \$7,000 for taxes. As a result of the report Judge Dunne threatened to issue a rule requiring John E. Boore, who is said to have charge of the property, to show cause why he should not be adjudged in contempt of court. Same rules may issue for William Henkle of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank and Manager Miller of the plant. A few minutes after court adjourned, Attorney Levey, for the defendants, filed a petition for an appeal to the appellate court, preparatory to asking for an order for the receiver.

CITY BRIEFS

Nash Hardware Company. Pictures frames at Brown & Vera's. Cut flowers at Drumm's. Phone 101. Joe M. Collins, Plumbing, Phone 718. New signs painted and old ones removed. Brown & Vera, 10th and Jennings. It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main and 613-15 Houston streets. Hooker Electric and Plumbing Co. J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel and fat handling. Phone 533. Rent your fans from Bound Electric Co. Rev. William Cross, who has been rector of the Episcopal church at Gainesville and acted as rector of St. Andrew's, this city, during the absence of Rev. Bartow B. Ramsey, has resigned his Gainesville charge and accepted the place as rector at Chickasha, I. T. Dr. L. A. Stiggs is back from a business trip of a few weeks in Mexico and reports the Republic in a flourishing condition, regardless of the yellow fever situation. Orange culture in Mexico is attracting quite a deal of attention. There are large groves to be seen there that are second to none in the United States as money-makers. Tomorrow is the first day of spring. It is also the day on which John C. Ryan & Co. put on the market 309 lots in their Fairview addition to North Fort Worth, northwest of the packing houses. They tell all about it in their big advertisement on page 5. Howard Binson of Chicago is at home for a visit with relatives and friends at the working of the new iron enterprise, which it is expected will prove to be a great revenue to the state of Texas. Hereafter this industry was not profitable because the machinery was ancient, but now that modern machinery has been put in, the making of pig iron will be simplified and will result in great profit to the state. Are you reading "The White Company"? You'll be interested if you begin reading Conan Doyle's great story, "The White Company," starting in this issue. Curran's Hand Laundry, Sixth and Eureka streets, Phone 1741-4 rings. Pianos at great bargains sold on time. Tuning and repairing. Prof. Lamb, 823 Taylor st. Phone 2822. Commander Booth-Tucker's lectures have always drawn large audiences and fully repaid them. Tickets 25 cents. City hall Monday 8 p. m. Captain B. B. Paddock of the Board of Trade, is looking about for a young man of good habits and good character with a bit of money, who wants to be secretary and treasurer of a manufacturing concern. Miss Waples has issued cards for a dancing party Friday, March 25, at 8:15 o'clock at the Imperial club rooms. The occasion will be in honor of Miss Edna Foster of Denton, who is Miss Waples' guest. Robert Ellison yesterday returned to his ranch in Collinsworth county, after spending several days with friends in this city. W. P. Calhoun, formerly of Fort Worth, now located in St. Louis, is here for a few days on a business trip. He is accompanied by his little daughter, Miss Porter Lue Calhoun. Don't miss the opening chapters of "The White Company" on page 13 of this issue. Clarence J. Wages has returned to the city from an extended business trip through East Texas. Elder H. H. Whitlock will fill the pulpit of the North Fort Worth Christian church today, both morning and evening. THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS There is an improvement in the absolute attendance and quite an improvement in the percentage of attendance, three buildings ranking as high as 97 per cent. The fifth ward school has been again in successful operation for the week. Now is the time that tries the souls of the teachers to keep up the attendance. As much real study can be done now for the remainder of the session as has been at any other time. It is the time of final accounts, to balance up the study ledger and see how

DEATH'S VISITS AFFECTED MIND

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BOY MURDERERS NOT YET READY FOR EXECUTION

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(Special.)—Miss Annette Dye, aged 31 years, a translator in the department of agriculture, shot herself to death in the heart this afternoon in her apartments. Despondency due to a number of deaths in her family is supposed to have prompted the deed. She was the daughter of the late W. F. Dye, formerly military inspector for the kingdom of Korea. She was a talented woman, having completed her education abroad. Her superiors in the department had noticed for some weeks her melancholy condition and had tried to prevail upon her to take a vacation, but she persisted in discharging her duties at the department.

SUB-MARINE BOAT WAS DEATH TRAP

PORTSMOUTH, England, March 19.—(Special.)—The work of raising the sunken submarine torpedo boat has been suspended until daylight, owing to the fact that the divers were unable to work in the strong tide that was running. The craft has been swung by means of lights with chains, but it is not certain the fastenings are secure and the work will be continued at daylight. The divers who have been working on the craft declare that there is no doubt that all of the most of the board at the time the submarine was wrecked were suffocated to death. They carefully examined the boat and found her structure intact. The splittings on the side of the hull were removed with the faint hope that some might be alive within, but there was no response. The divers tried to force the manholes on the wreck open but failed. Submarine No. 10 was sunk by an Atlantic liner some time in February, but at the time the captain of the liner thought it was a detached torpedo and so reported yesterday. The submarine had gone out on practice duty and no special alarm was given until the report was made, when investigation developed that she had been sunk and her crew, including a lieutenant, an engineer and nine seamen, were suffocated.

RECEIVERS FOR KIRBY COMPANY

HOUSTON, Texas, March 19.—(Special.)—Cecil L. Lyon, 8100, qualified as receivers for the Kirby Lumber Company, giving \$50,000 bonds. The Houston Oil Company receivers will qualify Monday. SUMMER CHAUTAUQUA Rev. S. W. P. Bodell and J. A. Marcan, representing the Protestant Young People's Union, are here arranging for a summer chautauqua at LaPorte on a forty-acre tract of land, this week purchased on the bay front by the organization. HOUSTON GOLF CLUB The Golf Club organized with 100 members has bought links of fifty-six acres northwest of the city. INJURED IN RUNAWAY Eugene Winters, driving a lumber wagon, was dragged half a mile by a runaway team and seriously injured. COTTON COMMISSION CASE After two weeks' hearing in the Fain vs. Samuels case, involving \$7,000 cotton commissions, it is now with the jury. FREE RIDE REST OF WAY The Southern Pacific has furnished Harry Compton, a 12-year-old boy, transportation for himself and pony to Montgomery, Ala. The boy had ridden a pony from Monterey, Mexico. It gave out here. FOR BRAZOS IMPROVEMENT The Brazos constitutional amendment convention was organized here today to aid the passage of the Griggs amendment for the relief of the Brazos overflow, and to authorize taxing the districts for irrigation. The state convention meets in Waco April 9. George B. Griggs is chairman; Harvey Wilson, secretary. Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION The twenty-first annual session of the Young Men's Christian Association assembled at the First Presbyterian church tonight with many delegates present, including J. G. Reeves and others of Fort Worth. Sunday assignments include all of the Protestant churches of the city. Prof. M. J. Irons of Fort Worth will speak Sunday night. INTEREST IN COMING MEETING The annual meeting of the Houston and Texas Central, April 4, is expected to disclose the particulars of the Central-Rock Island deal, so long delayed. The seab, works contrary to this law at any point. The seab, therefore, is a psychological suicide.

MORMON ELDERS ARE AFTER HER

Mrs. Elizabeth Komp of Salt Lake City Charges Attemped Polygamy

SALT LAKE, Utah, March 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Elizabeth Komp makes error because of which she said a witness that she was induced to leave her husband in Germany and come to Utah by missionaries who told her wonderful stories of the new land. Since her arrival Elder Hollendorf and Elder Huafork have tried to be sealed to her in the Temple, although both have wives. They told her when she became a Mormon she was divorced from her husband and "sealing" would break no law.

PLATT AND ODELL HOLD CONFERENCE

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Governor Odell and Thomas C. Platt were in conference tonight in the latter's room at the Fifth avenue hotel and it is understood that questions of party expediency were freely discussed. At the request of the senator there were also present the latter's son, F. Platt and James G. Graham, the governor's secretary. The conference lasted until a late hour and when the governor was seen later he declined to talk about the matters discussed other than to say: "I have neither words nor fuel to add to an imaginary flame." The governor was plainly nettled and it is said he sent for his personal followers to talk matters over. It was rumored about the corridors of the hotel that the Platt followers have been working in secret for several days that if the governor precipitates a conflict at the coming of the convention every protection favored by him will be voted down. A meeting of the followers of both leaders will be called at the Fifth avenue hotel tomorrow when plans for repairing fences will be outlined. While as yet there has been no open conflict and one may still be avoided, the feeling between the senator and the governor as to hasty words on either side is likely to precipitate a conflict that will disrupt the republican party in the state.

IRISH HISTORY'S MEMORABLE WEEK

DUBLIN, March 19.—(Special.)—This week will be a memorable one in the history of Ireland. It will be devoted by the Gaelic League to its annual assembly and appeal for support in the work of restoring the Irish language and industries. It opened with a striking procession in this city followed by an important meeting of the "teaching Gaelic in the Irish national schools." On the afternoon when that meeting took place the Irish party most opportunely defeated the government on that very point. Then came St. Patrick's day observed for the first time as a national holiday. All the banks, law courts and business houses were closed. The saloons at the request of the national holiday committee suspended the sale of drinks so that the country had a sober holiday. In every section the Irish have special reason to remember this week as a new step in national life. Politically the work is of great significance. It marks the break up of friendly relations between the Irish and the government, brought about by promises in connection with the land bill and Irish administration. Last session the Irish party supported the government against its own followers. The chief secretary was admitted, and all respected resolutions of approval reached him from the strongest nationalist bodies. The promises, however, were not fulfilled. The landlords got all the best of the land bill and the financial arrangements in the interests of the British treasury. Educational equality has been denied to the Belfast orangemen. So complete has been the revulsion of feeling in the Irish party that the government will get no support from it. The government hoped that the Irish party would keep it in power so as to secure the laborers' bill promised this year but the bill when introduced proved useless. The Irish party will now put the government and have a general election at the earliest opportunity.

DEWEY BRINGS MESSAGE

President Palma Says Cuban Prosperity Is Due to the United States WASHINGTON, March 19.—(Special.)—Admiral Dewey, just back from the naval maneuvers in southern waters, called on the president today, bearing a message of good will from President Palma of Cuba. The message was verbal, merely telling Mr. Roosevelt for Mr. Palma that Cuba was prosperous and owed it all to the United States. In a conference between Admiral Dewey and President Palma, after telling the admiral how the island was moving ahead, the president said: "We owe it all to the United States." "I am pleased at the conditions I found in Cuba," said Admiral Dewey on leaving the White House. "The sugar crop there is more than a million tons. The coconut crop is very large. Excellent order prevails throughout the island. The rural guard, a fine body of men, is certainly suppressing all lawlessness. In Havana the conditions are excellent. It is cleaner by far than American cities and great care is given to sanitation." "In Santo Domingo the Morales faction and its opponents are fighting in earnest. They are armed with Mausers and it is a contest that is no longer child's play."

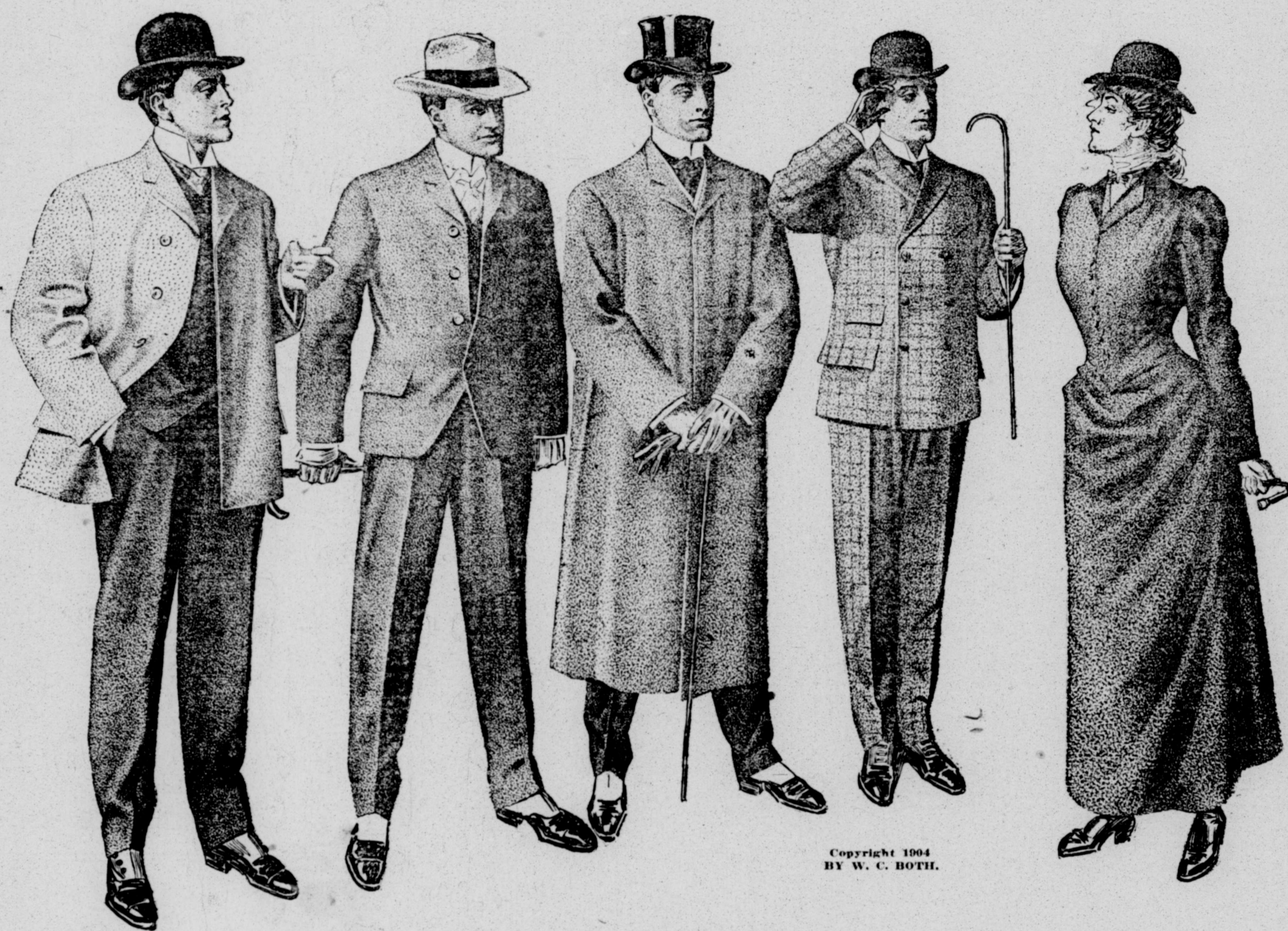
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